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LOST

Black and Tan Airedale dog. The name plate on his collar has the name "Dreamona Ike," and my name and address. Any information as to his whereabouts will be gladly received and I will pay any one for his trouble.

FRED EVANS,
Mosier, Ore.

D. D. Hail spent several days in Portland this week.

J. N. Mosier was a visitor in Portland the first of the week.

E. A. Race was a passenger on last night's local to The Dalles.

Kenneth Cooper was a business visitor in The Dalles yesterday.

C. J. Fredrickson was a business visitor in The Dalles last Tuesday.

S. F. Goss was a business visitor at the county seat on Monday last.

Miss Alice Shogren is spending her Holidays vacation with relatives in Portland.

Mrs. J. T. Davenport returned last Monday from a visit with her parents at The Dalles.

Aubrey King left last Sunday for Summer Land, B. C., where he will remain this winter.

L. M. Cary, of Springbrook, is spending the week here with his daughter, Mrs. W. E. Chown.

J. P. Erhart, Ernest and Lee Evans and Clyde Root were visitors in Hood River on Monday.

J. W. Huskey's family arrived last Monday from California, where they have been visiting since leaving Canada.

Leo Root, of Portland, visited on New Years day with his home folks. His visit was brief, owing to his wife's illness.

Peter Knoll left on Monday for a brief visit to Seattle before going to Corvallis to attend the Winter course in Agriculture.

Lee Evans left yesterday for Corvallis, where he will attend the short course in Agriculture, which lasts about six weeks.

J. M. Elliott went up to The Dalles Tuesday and attended the high jinks given by the Elks lodge, of which he is a member.

Mosier visitors in Hood River on New Years day were the Misses Naida Clark and Dolly Fisher, R. M. Ross, J. W. Brown and Leo Higley.

Mr. Irving Marks, a young capitalist of New York City, is the guest this week of Mark A. Mayer, at Mayerdale. Mr. Marks is visiting the Pacific Northwest with a view to possible investment.

George Sturgess came up last night from Portland to visit his parents, whose condition is very little improved.

Mrs. C. J. Smith, with her granddaughter, Jennie Langford, returned Tuesday to Portland, after a few days visit here with her daughter, Mrs. J. E. Cole.

Miss Mary Mathews returned to her home in Portland Tuesday, after a few days spent here with her brothers and uncle. Miss Mathews is teaching school in Portland.

C. J. Carlson went to The Dalles yesterday to interview County Judge Lake in regard to local road matters and to tender his resignation as supervisor of his road district.

Ground was broken yesterday for the erection of a building which will be used as a post office, on the corner of Main Street and Third Ave. The change is necessitated by the increasing postal business and by the inadequate room of the present quarters. Our postmistress will no doubt be in her new home within a fortnight.

Double-Tracking to Start

Work on the double-tracking of the Oregon-Washingto Railroad & Navigation company's line through this city will be commenced about January 1, says The Dalles Chronicle. This will give the passenger service a direct double track from Biggs to Crates siding, west of this city, and will greatly facilitate the handling of passenger trains in the local yards.

Another Tax Ruling

The Dalles Chronicle says that County Clerk F. P. Angle recently received a communication from the board of state tax commissioners, stating that that body, acting under authority granted it by section 3617, Lord's Oregon Laws at a meeting held Friday, December 13, decided that the recent ruling of the Attorney General regarding the exemption of household goods from the 1912 taxes, is in error and that taxes should be collected for such goods in 1913. It is now necessary for the force in the assessor's office to erase the deductions from the tax ledger, which they had made, following the order of the county court.

Learn Fruit Growing at O. A. C. Short Course

Reorganization of the horticulture courses at the Oregon Agricultural College short course which opens Jan. 6, will make it possible for all attending to get all the laboratory work in spraying, apple packing, plant propagation, pruning, staking and other orchard and garden matters.

A course in arid horticulture for fruit growers in dry sections where irrigation or dry farming methods must be used, will be given Jan. 21-24 inclusive. It will cover the study of the application of irrigation to fruit growing, the relation of tillage to irrigation, the choice of location and type of soil to select, cover crops, shade, special pruning methods, and combating winter injuries.

Popular courses in spraying, plant propagation, fruit, and packing will be continued, with pruning, staking and setting trees Saturday afternoons. Saturday mornings are reserved for excursions to successful orchards in Benton county.

Besides new advanced courses some 40 lectures covering basic principles of horticulture will be given twice a day in the new course on principles of fruit growing. It covers such practical matters as the choice of proper land, its preparation for planting, staking systems, planting, tillage, orchard fertility, cover crops, shade crops, commercial fertilizers, manures and composts, mulching, pruning, thinning, pollination, and frost fighting.

The business side of fruit growing will be covered with special series of lectures. One on apple growing Jan. 13-16 inclusive will deal with the history and future of this fruit, with special instruction as to varieties. In the same way and at the same time another series of lectures will deal with prunes. Pear growing lectures will be given Jan. 21-24 inclusive, those on cherries Jan. 9-10, and on nuts Jan. 24 and 29.

A MEETING WITH TURNER.

The Artist Simply Enraged the Man Who Longed to See Him.

A printshop in London, kept by a man who thoroughly understood and appreciated the wares in which he dealt, once displayed in its window a fine but much stained and damaged engraving—one of a set from Turner's pictures. Turner chanced to pass and notice it and promptly bounced into the shop and began to abuse the dealer.

"It's a confounded shame to treat an engraving like that!" he blustered. "What can you be thinking about to go and destroy a good thing? For it is a good thing, mind you!"

"I destroy it!" responded the dealer hotly. "What do you mean by saying I destroyed it? And who the mischief are you, I should like to know? You don't look as if you could understand a good print when you see one. I destroy it! Bless my heart, I bought it just as it is, and I would rather keep it till doomsday than sell it to you! And why you should put yourself out about it I can't think!"

"Why, I did it!" said Turner.

"Did what? Did you spoil it? If you did you deserve"—

"No, no, man; my name's Turner, and I did the drawing and engraved the plate from it."

"Bless my heart!" ejaculated the print seller in a changed tone. "Is it possible you are the great Turner?" Then his temper rose again. "Well, sir," he added, "I have long desired to see you, and now that I have seen you I hope I shall never see you again, for a more disagreeable person I have seldom met."

HYGIENE OF VIOLINS.

The Proper Kind of Case For These Sensitive Instruments.

The violin and violoncello are most sensitive to atmospheric conditions and suffer from atmospheric variations quite as much as the tender vocal cords of the singer. Those who have attempted to make the violin an ornament by hanging it upon the wall have had reason to repent taking such a liberty. The violin loses its varnish and gradually its pitch and timbre. The artificial heat of rooms in winter makes its tone raucous when it does not obliterate it entirely. Metal cases, morocco covered, are equally unfit for it. A strong, well varnished wooden case, even though it be not especially attractive to the eye, suits the susceptibilities of the violin much better.

Certain qualities, sometimes unsuspected, in the wood play an important part in the falsification of notes, causing progressive deterioration. There was a time when manufacturers applied to their product several coats of "paint"—i. e., a concentrated solution of bichromate of sodium potash in boiling water. The wood soon acquired a yellow tone, and under the action of light after drying the color darkened and took on the aspect of very old paint.

For commercial purposes this was all very well, but what happened to the purchaser was that as soon as he began to use his instrument exposed to the light the bichromate worked on the gelatin, which the manufacturers employed to color the wood and prevent the penetrating of the varnish, while some element in the bichromate of soda was converted into stone. The violin suffered petrifaction, which impeded its tone and rendered it useless.—Harper's Weekly.

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Family Reunion at Rosedale

The country home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Root was the scene of a very pleasant family gathering on New Years day, this being the first time that they have had their entire family, consisting of four daughters and four sons, with them for six years.

Seated at a sumptuous dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Root were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Husbands and two daughters; Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Root and three sons; Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Davidhizar and their son and daughter; Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Rorden, son and two daughters; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Evans and two daughters, Leslie and Clyde Root, all of Mosier, and Leo Root, of Portland, whose wife was unable to attend.

Notice

The annual meeting of the Mosier Valley Telephone Co. will be held in Lamb's Hall, Mosier, Ore., on Tuesday, January 14th, 1913, at 2 P. M., for the purpose of electing directors, and such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

Mosier Valley Telephone Co.,
By DAVID ROBINSON,
Secretary.

The bridge over Dry Creek was washed out by the heavy rains recently during the night. Roud Supervisor Carlson was notified of the fact early in the morning and before evening he had the bridge oven to travel.

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No. 1	" "	2:45 p. m.
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