Oregon Apples in China.

By Vice-Council Ernest Vollmer, Tsingtau, China.

American apples, especially those of Oregon, are favorably known here. Some dealers in Shanghai make a regular business of importing them, and a Tsingtau firm has a standing order with the Shanghai house. The apples are by far the best that come to this country; they sell well, and their keeping qualities leave nothing to be desired. Aside from oranges, lemons, and apples it is hardly probable that any other fruit could be sent across the Pacific and find a ready market, but if exporters would make connections with Shanghai jobbers or commission men it is absolutely certain that a large and growing trade could be worked up.

All of the American tinned fruits are to be found here and command a ready sale The two largest hotels in Tsingtau each have a course of California fruit every noon and evening which is undoubtedly the most popular number on the bill of fare. Peaches, pears and fall apples grow well locally and are shipped extensively to other parts of China, but there are no canneries, and families do not seem to preserve fruit to the extent they do in America. The result is that a great deal of the American goods are used; everybody knows them, and they are universally admitted to be the best to be had. Prices are somewhat lower than those in America, where the cost of tinned fruit has gone up a great deal within the last two years, seemingly without a corresponding increase over here.

Though such a satisfactory statement can be made regarding our tinned fruit, just the reverse has to be said of our jams, jellies and preserves. It may be that no attempt has been made to sell the goods in any quantity over here, the cost being perhaps too high, but they are certainly not on the market. Practically everybody eats something of this sort for breakfast, and great quantities of current, blackberry, strawberry, orange marmolade, and other preserves are thus consumed. One might supose that with the size this industry has reached in the United States it would be reasonable to expect at least some American goods, but everything is English, with occasionally some German goods. If we could succeed in diverting this trade we would gain a market with a grert buying capacity and one which is certainly worth capturing.

When it comes to dried fruits, the American product again makes a better showing, but one which could be easily improved upon. Prunes, apricots, peaches, pears and other orchard fruits are found, but they do not hold the dominating position which their quality should insure them.

Milton has bright prospects for securing spring water for municipal purposes. Some months ago the city purchased the Bowman springs, a few miles above Milton. The water will flow through an 18 inch pipe, which is now being laid by a force of 20 men. About $3,500 has already been expended.

Weekly Oregonian—Heppner Gazette.

Cottage Grove is going right ahead, holiday or no holiday, says, the Nugget. No one has suffered; we are favored with cheerful, solid business men. No serious inconvenience has been experienced here. Improvements are the talk of the day.

Grading on the new Corvallis & Alsea River railway has been going on quite rapidly of late, 13 miles of the line are now completed.

Farmers around La Grande hold hay at $18 or $19 a ton.

Agates by the tens of thousands were thrown up on Agate beach last Thursday and Friday, says the Port Orford Tribune.

ON THE FARM.

HOW NATURE PROVIDES FOR US.

The most independent man on earth is the farmer, for he makes the earth yield him almost everything needed for life. He knows that as he sows so will he reap. He usually keeps strong and healthy from constant strife with Nature—in sunshine and in pure air. At night when work is done, he finds most refreshing sleep, such as only a tired man knows. In the same way that the earth yields food for man, so does it provide remedies for human ills. Thousands of households throughout the farming districts of the United States know the value of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It is Nature's most valuable and health-giving agent—made without the use of alcohol. It contains native medicinal roots, and is the concentration of Nature's vitality as found in the American forests. This remedy has a history which speaks well for it because it was given to the public by Dr. R. V. Pierce, founder of the Invalids' Hotel and Surgical Institute, at Buffalo, N. Y., nearly forty years ago, and has since been sold by druggists in ever increasing quantities.

Dr. Pierce found that the bark of the Black Cherry-tree, the root of the Mandrake, Stone root, Queen's root, Bloodroot and Golden Seal root, made into a scientific, non-alcoholic extract by the use of glycerine, made the best alterative and tonic. The refreshing influence of this extract is at once apparant in the recovered strength of the patient—the vital fires of the body burn brighter and their increased activity consumes the tissue rubbish which otherwise may poison the system. This alterative and tonic extract has been found to stand alone as a safe, invigorating tonic, as it does not depend on alcohol for a false stimulation, but is *Nature's own method* of strengthening and cleansing the system. It tones up the stomach and purifies the blood in Nature's own way. It is well known all over the world as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. The name was given to this vegetable compound because one of the important ingredients was Golden Seal root. * * * Such an authority as Dr. Roberts Bartholow, of Jefferson Medical College, says of Golden Seal root, "very useful as a stomachic tonic. Cures catarrh of the stomach and headaches accompanying the same." Dr. Grover Coe, in his book Organic Medicines, speaking of Golden Seal root, says that "as a liver invigorator it has *few equals*." Further he says, "in chronic inflammation of the bladder we deem it one of the most reliable agents of cure. As a tonic in the convalescing stages of fevers, pneumonia, dysentery and other acute diseases Hydrastis (Golden Seal root) is peculiarly appropriate."

Dr. Coe continues: "We would here add that our experience has demonstarted the Hydrastis or Golden Seal root to be a valuable remedy in bronchitis, laryngitis, and other affections of the respiratory organs."

Prof. Hobart A. Hare, M. D., University of Pennsylvania, says of Golden Seal: "Of service in chronic catarrh of the stomach and bowels following abuse of alcohol, a tonic after malarial fever. Has a distinct, anti-malarial influence. Good in all catarrhal conditions, as uterine catarrh, leucorrhea, etc. Is a curative agent in chronic dyspepsia."

Prof. John M. Scudder in Specific Medication says of Golden Seal: "It stimulates the digestive processes, and increases the assimilation of food. By these means *the blood is enriched*, and this blood feeds the muscular system. I mention the muscular system because I believe it first feels the increased power imparted by the stimulation of increased nutrition. The consequent improvement on the nervous and glandular systems are natural results.

"In relation to its general effects on the system, *there is no medicine in use about which there is such general unanimity of opinion*. It is *universally* regarded as the tonic useful in all debilitated states."

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription specially put up for woman's ills—for those distressing—dragging down ailments—peculiar to women—is also a temperance remedy that is best known by its cures. With Dr. Pierce's medicines, their ingredients are matters of public knowledge, being printed on each separate bottle wrapper. Thus invalid sufferers are taken into Dr. Pierce's full confidence.

Dr. Pierce's great thousand-page illustrated Common Sense Medical Adviser will be sent free, paper-bound, for 21 one-cent stamps, or cloth-bound for 31 stamps. Address Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Rid Yourself of Unnecessary Burdens.

Don't bear unnecessary burdens.
Burdens of a bad back are unnecessary.
Get rid of them.
Doan's Kidney Pills cure bad backs
Cure lame, weak and aching backs.
Cure every form of kidney ills.
Lots of local endorsement to prove this.

C. Sutton, of 823 First St., Albany, Oregon, says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have a wonderful healing power in cases of kidney trouble and backache. I know of no other remedy so prompt and effective. I got Doan's Kidney Pills at a drug store, and through using same found complete relief from a dull aching in the back that had been almost continual. They regulated the kidney secretions to a normal condition and added strength and tone. It is a pleasure to let other sufferers know of this remedy."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States. Remember the name Doan's, and take no other.

Notice.

In the District Court of the United States for the District of Oregon.

In the matter of F. M. Smith, bankrupt.

Notice is hereby given that on the 15th day of November, A. D., 1907, F. M. Smith of Lexington, Oregon, was duly adjudicated bankrupt; and that the first meeting of his creditors will be held at Rooms 204-5, Fenton Building, Portland, Oregon, on the 3rd day of December, 1907, at 10 a. m., at which time the said creditors, may attend, prove their claims, appoint a trustee, examine the bankrupt and transact such other business as may properly come before such meeting.

The schedule filed discloses assets, amounting to $2785.

Dated November 21, 1907.

CHESTER G. MURPHY,
Referee in Bankruptcy.

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Timber Land Act June 3, 1878.
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land office, La Grande, Oregon.
November 18, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892.

Victor A. Groshens of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5827, for the purchase of the W½ NE¼ Section 9 SW¼ SE¼ SE¼ SW¼ of Section No. 4 in Township No. 4 S. Range No. 28 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 5th day of February 1908.

He names as witnesses: Sherman Shaw, John McCullough, Lewis A. Florence and Norman A. Kelley all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 5th day of February 1908.

Nov28-Jan30 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE

WILL CURE any case of KIDNEY or BLADDER DISEASE that is not beyond the reach of medicine. No medicine can do more.

WAS GIVEN UP TO DIE.

B. Spiegel, 1204 N. Virginia St., Evansville, Ind., writes: "For over five years I was troubled with kidney and bladder affections which caused me much pain and worry. I lost flesh and was all run down, and a year ago had to abandon work entirely. I had three of the best physicians who did me no good and I was practically given up to die. Foley's Kidney Cure was recommended and the first bottle gave me great relief, and after taking the second bottle I was entirely cured."

TWO SIZES, 50c AND $1.00.

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NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon.
October 30, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that William E. Severance of Hardman, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 8919 made January 25, 1901, for the SW¼ NE¼ SE¼ NW¼ NE¼ SW¼ and NW¼ SE¼ Section 26, Township 5 S., Range 25 E. W. M. and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on December 20, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Charles Reed, Harrison Chapin, Charles M. Hastings and Thomas Musgrave, all of Hardman, Oregon.

C. W. MOORE, Register.

Nov14-Dec19

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at The Dalles, Oregon.
October 30, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that John H. Ridgeway of Heppner, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final five year proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 9632 made August 6, 1901, for the SE¼ SE¼ Section 27 E½ NE¼ Section 34, SW¼ NW¼ Section 35, Township 4 S., Range 26 E. W. M., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on December, 20, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Oscar Davis, Eugene Matteson, John Gaunt and Jeff McFerrin all of Heppner, Oregon.

C. W. MOORE, Register.

Nov14-Dec19.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,
September 5, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, George E. Miller of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5638, for the purchase of the SE¼ NW¼, NE¼ SW¼, W½ SE¼ of Section No 32, in Township No. 4 S., Range No. 28 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 18th, day of December, 1907.

He names as witnesses:

Robert D. Watkins, William O. Minor, Charles A. Minor and Lafe Penland all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 18th day of December, 1907.

Oct3Dec5 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon.
August 26, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada, and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892, Nora Maloney, of Pendleton, County of Umatilla, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5569 for the purchase of the SW¼ SE¼, Sec. 7, NW¼ NE¼ & E½ NW¼ of Section No. 18 in Township No. 4 South, Range No. 30 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish her claim to said land before Frank Saling, County Clerk at Pendleton, Oregon, on Saturday, the 21st day of December, 1907.

She names as witnesses:

Daniel P. Hicks, James L. Hall, Jessie F. Hicks and Minnie Hall all of Gurdane, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of December, 1907.

Oct3-Dec5 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon.
September 10, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4 1892, Frank E. Miller of Hardman, County of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 4314, for the purchase of the W½SE¼ and SE¼SE¼ of Section No. 1, in Township No. 6 South, Range No. 26 E. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on the 17th day of December, 1907.

He names as witnesses:

Victor H. Heath, Harriett H. Heath, Herbert Cunningham and William J. Miller all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claim in this office on or before said 17th day of December, 1907.

Oct3-Dec5 C. W. MOORE, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,
September 5, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Josephine U. Jones, of Heppner, County of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5620 for the purchase of Lot 2, SW¼ NE¼, W½ SE¼ of Section No. 5, in Township No. 5 South, Range No. 27 E. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday the 18th day of December, 1907.

She names as witnesses:

Robert D. Watkins, Charles O. Minor, Lafe Penland and Sherman Shaw all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claim in this office on or before said 18th day of December, 1907.

Oct3-Dec5 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon,
August 27, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Jessie H. Emry, of Parker's Mill, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5605, for the purchase of the SW¼ NE¼, NW¼ SE¼, SE¼ NW¼ Lot 5 of Section No. 6 in Township No. 6 South, Range No 27 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more vauable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Register and Receiver at La Grande, Oregon, on Saturday the 7th day of December, 1907.

He names as witnesses:

Christopher Keithley of Hardman, Oregon, C. W. Hesselberg of Hardman, Oregon, Mack Riley of Hardman, Oregon, and Emery Sperry of Parker's Mill, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of December, 1907.

Oct3-Dec5. E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Heppner Gazette—Weekly Oregonian. Weekly Oregonian.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon.
August 27, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Americus Riley, of Hardman, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 4280, for the purchase of Lots 2 and 3 of Section No. 3, in Township No. 6 S., Range No. 26 E., W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on the 17th day of December, 1907.

He names as witnesses:

Jesse H. Emry, of Parker's Mill, Oregon, Tilden Williams, of Hardman, Oregon, Christopher Keithley, of Hardman, Oregon, and Albert Emry, of Hardman, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 17th day of December, 1907.

Oct10-Dec12 C. W. MOORE, Register.

Summons.

In the Justice's Court of the Sixth District Morrow County, Oregon.

Wm. Hendrix, plaintiff, vs. B. F. Clark, defendant.

To B. F. Clark, the above named defendant:

In the name of the State of Oregon, you are hereby summoned to appear and answer the complaint of plaintiff filed in the above entitled court and cause within six weeks from the date of first publication of this summons.

You will take notice that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint as herein required plaintiff will take judgment against you for the sum of $37.50, and interest thereon at the rate of 6 per cent per annum from July 15, 1906 and for the costs and disbursements of this action.

This summons is published by order of J. P. Williams, Judge of the above entitled Court made October, 29, 1907, directing said summons to be published once a week for six successive weeks and the date of first publication of such summons was October 31, 1907.

C. E. WOODSON,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon,
October 24, 1907.

To whom it may concern:

Notice is hereby given, that the State of Oregon, did on the 24th day of October, 1907, make application List 366, for the following described lands, as indemnity for the designated losses sustained to its grant of public lands for common schools, made by the act of Congress of August 14, 1848, and acts supplementary thereto, and agrees to accept the same in full satisfaction of the losses assigned, to-wit: NW¼ NE¼, N½ NW¼ Sec. 8 T. 1 S., R. 28, E W. M.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office during the period of publication.

Oct31-Dec5 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

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CONTEST NOTICE.

Department of the Interior,
U. S. Land Office, The Dalles, Oregon,
October 22, 1907.

A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Shelby E. Lee contestant, against homestead entry No. 10661, made April 11, 1902, for E½NE¼, Sec. 27, W½NW¼ Section 26, Township 2 S., Range 25, E W. M., by Olga M. Willis, deceased, Contestee, in which it is alleged that said entrywoman died on or about June 14, 1903; that during her lifetime she failed and neglected to establish her residence upon said land; that she failed and neglected to cultivate or improve the same; that the heirs of said entrywoman have wholly abandoned said tract of land and have failed to cultivate or improve the same in any manner or to use said land for more than six months last past; that said abandonment is not due to service in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States; that the heirs of said entrywoman are Samuel E. Willis, of Heppner, Oregon; A. A. Willis, Newberg, Oregon; B. F. Willis, Carlton, Oregon; Harlan A. Willis, Volmer, Idaho; said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 17, 1907, before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m. on December 24, 1907, before the Regester and Receiver at the United States Land Office in The Dalles, Oregon.

The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed October 4, 1907, set forth facts which show that after due diligence personal service of this notice can not be made, it is hereby ordered and directed that such notice be given due and proper publication.

Oc31-Cec5 C. W. MOORE, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3. 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office The Dalles, Oregon.
August 17, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory, as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Alma M. Bugbee, of Parker's Mill, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 4281, for the purchase of the SE¼ NE¼ of Section No. 25, in Township No. 5 S., Range No. 26 E. W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 17th day of December, 1907.

She names as witnesses:

Milton Maxwell, Otis E. Shaner, Alfred L. Ayers and Eggert R. Geise, all of Parker's Mill, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 17th day of December, 1907.

O17D12 C. W. MOORE, Register.

Large shipments of gold are being rushed to the United States from various European countries.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office La Grande Oregon.
September, 30th, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Albert Williams, of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5711, for the purchase of the E½SE¼, NW¼SE¼ and SE¼NE¼ of Section No. 29, in Township No. 4 S., Range No. 28 E., W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1907

He names as witnesses:

Sherman Shaw, D. V. S. Reid, Horace M. Yoakum and George Stevenson all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of December, 1907.

E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Oct17-Dec19

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon.
September 27th, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Sherman Shaw of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5707, for the purchase of S½ NW¼ NE¼ NW¼ and NW¼ NE¼ of Section No. 28, in Township No. 4 S., Range No. 28 E., W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1907.

He names as witnesses:

Horace Yoakum, Lawrence A. Florence, John McCullough and Willard Herren all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of December, 1907.

E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Oct17-Dec19

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.

Notice For Publication.

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon.
October, 1, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the Public Land States by act of August 4, 1892, Louis Friedrich of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5722 for the purchase of the N½ NE¼ NE¼ NW¼ of Section No. 22, in Township No. 4 S., Range No. 28 E., W. M. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 24th day of December, 1907.

He names as witnesses:

Victor H. Heath, Harry H. Heath, Willard H. Herren and Claude M. Herren all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of December, 1907.

E. W. DAVIS, Register.

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Notice for Publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at La Grande, Oregon.
October 25, 1007.

Notice is hereby given that Nellie Palmer formerly Nellie Eskelson, of Lexington, Oregon has filed notice of her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 14792 made January 9, 1906, for the SW¼, Section 31, Township 3 S., Range 29 E. W. M. and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on December 19, 1907.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Mahlion Haworth, of Heppner, Oregon; John Haworth, of Heppner, Oregon; Edgar Palmer, of Lexington, Oregon, and Carl Beach of Lexington, Oregon.

Oct31-Dec5 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

Notice For publication.

Department of the Interior,
Land Office at La Grande, Oregon.
October, 25, 1907.

Notice is hereby given that Eggert R. Giese, of Parkers Mill, Oregon, has filed notice of his intention to make final commutation proof in support of his claim, viz: Homestead Entry No. 12734 made April 15, 1903, for the N½ NE¼ Section 7, SE¼ SE¼ Section 6, SW¼ SW¼, Section 5, Township 6 S., Range 28 E. W. M., and that said proof will be made before J. P. Williams, U. S. Commissioner, at his office in Heppner, Oregon, on December 19, 1907.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, the land, viz:

Albert Emry, of Hardman, Oregon; Peter Pharaphet, of Hardman, Oregon; Alfred L. Ayers, of Parkers Mill, Oregon, and Otis E. Shaner, of Parkers Mill, Oregon.

Oct31-Dec5 E. W. DAVIS, Register.

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