BEBEE,

OR

TWO LITTLE WOODEN SHOES.

BY OUIDA.

Continued from last week.

CHAPTER VIII.

"Can I do any work for you, Bebee?" said black Jeannot in the daybreak, pushing her gate open timidly with one hand.

"There is none to do, Jeannot. They want so little in this time of the year—the flowers," said she, lifting her head from the sweet peas she was tying up to their sticks.

The woodman did not answer; he leaned over the half open wicket, and swayed it backward and forward under his bare arm. He was a good, harmless, gentle fellow, swarthy as charcoal and simple as a child, and quite ignorant; having spent all his days in the great Soignes forests making fagots when he was a little lad, and hewing down trees or burning charcoal as he grew to manhood.

"Who was that seigneur with you last night, Bebee?" he asked, after a long silence, watching her as she moved.

Bebee's eyes grew very soft, but they looked up frankly.

"I am not sure—I think he is a painter—a great painter prince, I mean—as Rubes was in Antwerpen; he wanted roses the night before last in the cathedral."

"Who was that seigneur with you last night, Bebee?"

"But he was walking with you?"

"He was in the lane as I came home last night—yes."

"What does he give you for your roses?"

"Oh—he pays me well. How is your mother this day, Jeannot?"

"You do not like to talk of him?"

"Why should you want to talk of him!—he is nothing to you."

"Did you really see him only two days ago, Bebee?"

"Oh, Jeannot!—did I ever tell a falsehood!—you would not say that to one of your little sisters."

The forester swayed the gate to and fro drearily under his folded arms.

Bebee, not regarding him, cut her flowers, and filled her baskets, and did her other work, and set a ladder against the hut and climbed on its low roof to seek for eggs, the hens having green tastes sometimes for the rushes and lichens of its thatch. She found two eggs, which she promised herself to take to Annemie, and looking round as she sat on the edge of the roof, with one foot on the highest rung of the ladder, saw that Jeannot was still at the gate.

"You will be late in the forest, Jeannot," she cried to him. "It is such a long, long way in and out. Why do you look so sulky! and you are kicking the wicket to pieces."

"I do not like you to talk with strangers," said Jeannot, sullenly and sadly.

Bebee laughed as she sat on the edge of the thatch, and looked at the shining gray skies of the early day, and the dew wet garden, and the green fields beyond, with happy eyes that made the familiar scene transfigured to her.

"Oh, Jeannot, what nonsense! As if I do not talk to a million strangers every summer! as if I could ever sell a flower if I did not! You are cross this morning—that is what it is."

"Do you know the man's name?" said Jeannot, suddenly.

Bebee felt her cheeks grow warm as with some noonday heat of sunshine. She thought it was with anger against blundering Jeannot's curiosity.

"No! and what would his name be to us, if I did know it? I cannot ask people's names because they buy my roses."

"As if it were only roses?"——

There was the length of the garden between them, and Bebee did not hear as she sat on the edge of her roof with that light dreamful enjoyment of air and sky and coolness, and all the beauty of the dawning day, which the sweet vague sense of a personal happiness will bring with it to the dullest and the coldest.

"You are cross, Jeannot, that is what it is," she said after awhile. "You should not be cross; you are too big and strong and good. Go in and get my bowl of bread and milk for me, and hand it to me up here. It is so pleasant. It is as nice as being perched on an apple tree."

Jeannot went in obediently and handed up her breakfast to her, looking at her with shy, worshiping eyes. But his face was overcast, and he sighed heavily as he took up his hatchet and turned away; for he was the sole support of his mother and sisters, and if he did not do his work in Soignies they would starve at home.

"You will be seeing that stranger again?" he asked her.

"Yes!" she answered, with a glad triumph in her eyes; not thinking at all of him as she spoke. "You ought to go, Jeannot, now, you are so late. I will come and see your mother to-morrow. And do not be cross, you dear big Jeannot. Days are too short to snip them up into little bits by bad temper; it is only a stupid sheep shearer that spoils the fleece by snapping at it sharp and hard—that is what Father Francis says."

Bebee having delivered her little piece of wisdom, broke her bread into her milk and ate it, lifting her face to the fresh winds and tossing crumbs to the wheeling swallows, and watching the rose bushes nod and toss below in the breeze, and thinking vaguely how happy a thing it was to live.

Jeannot looked up at her, then went on his slow, sad way through the wet lavender shrubs and the opening buds of the lilies.

"You will only think of that stranger, Bebee, never of any of us—never again," he said; and wearily opened the little gate and went through it, and down the daybreak stillness of the lane. It was a foolish thing to say; but when were lovers ever wise?

Bebee did not heed; she did not understand herself or him; she only knew that she was happy; when one knows that, one does not want to seek much further.

CHAPTER IX.

Her stranger from Rubes' land was a great man in a certain world. He had become great when young, which is perhaps a misfortune. It indisposes men to be great at their maturity. He was famous at 20, by a picture hectic in color, perfect in drawing, that made Paris at his feet. He became more famous by verses, by plays, by political follies and by social successes. He was faithful, however, to his first love in art. He was a great painter, and year by year proved afresh the cunning of his hand. Purists said his pictures had no soul in them. It was not wonderful if they had none. He always painted soulless vice; indeed, he saw very little else.

One year he had some political trouble. He wrote a witty pamphlet that hurt where it was perilous to aim. He laughed and crossed the border, riding into the green Ardennes one sunny evening. He had a name of some power and sufficient wealth; he did not fear long exile. Meanwhile he told himself he would go and look at Scheffer's Gretchen.

The King of Thule is better, but people talk most of the Gretchen. He had never seen either.

He went in leisurely, traveling up the bright Meuse river, and across the monotony of the plains, then green with wheat a foot high, and musical with the many bells of the Easter kermesses in the quaint old world villages.

There was something so novel, so sleepy, so harmless, so mediæval, in the Flemish life, that it soothed him. He had been swimming all his life in salt sea fed rapids; this sluggish, dull canal water, mirroring between its rushes a life that had scarcely changed for centuries, had a charm for him.

He stayed awhile in Antwerpen. The town is ugly and beautiful; it is like a dull, quaint gros de Flandre fur, that has precious stones set inside its rim. It is a burger ledger of bales and barrels, of sale and barter, of loss and gain; but in the heart of it there are illuminated leaves of missal vellum, all gold and color, and monkish story and heroic ballad, that could only have been executed in the days when art was a religion.

He gazed himself into an homage of Rubens whom before he had slighted, never having known (for, unless you have seen Antwerp, it is as absurd to say that you have seen Rubens as it is to think that you have seen Murillo out of Seville, or Raffaelle out of Rome); and he studied the Gretchen carefully, delicately, sympathetically, for he loved Scheffer; but, though he tried, he failed to care for her.

"She is only a peasant; she is not a poem," he said to himself; "I will paint a Gretchen for the Salon of next year."

But it was hard for him to portray a Gretchen. All his pictures were Phryne—Phryne in triumph, in ruin, in a palace, in a poorhouse, on a bed of roses, on a hospital mattress; Phryne laughing with a belt of jewels about her supple waist; Phryne lying with the stones of the dead house under her naked limbs—but always Phryne. Phryne, who living had death in her smile; Phryne, who lifeless had blank despair on her face; Phryne, a thing that lived furiously every second of her days, but Phryne a thing that once being dead was carrion that could never live again.

Phryne has many painters in this school, as many as Catherine and Cecilia had in the schools of the Renaissance, and he was chief amidst them.

How could he paint Gretchen if the pure Scheffer missed? Not even if, like the artist monks of old, he steeped his brushes all Lent through in holy water.

And in holy water he did not believe.

One evening, having left Antwerpen ringing its innumerable bells over the grave of its dead Art, he leaned out of the casement of an absent friend's old palace in the Brabant street that is named after Mary of Burgundy; an old casement crusted with quaint carvings and gilded round in Spanish fashion with many gargoyles and griffins and illegible scutcheons.

Leaning there, wondering with himself whether he would wait awhile and paint quietly in this dim street, haunted with the shades of Memling and Mass, and Otto Veneris and Philip de Champagne, or whether he would go into the east and seek new types, and lie under the red Egyptian heavens and create a true Cleopatra, which no man has ever done yet—a young Cleopatra, ankle deep in roses and fresh from Cæsar's kisses—leaning there, he saw a little peasant go by below, with two little white feet in two wooden shoes, and a face that had the pure and simple radiance of a flower.

"There is my Gretchen," he thought to himself, and went down and followed her into the cathedral. If he could get what was in her face he would get what Scheffer could not.

A little later, walking by her in the green lanes, he meditated: "It is the face of Gretchen, but not the soul—the Red Mouse has never passed this child's lips. Nevertheless"——

"Nevertheless"—he said to himself and smiled.

For he, the painter all his life long of Phryne living and of Phryne dead, believed that every daughter of Eve either vounlts the Red Mouse or swallows it.

It makes so little difference which—either way the Red Mouse has been there.

And yet, strolling there in the dusky red of the evening, towards this little rush covered hut, he forgot the Red Mouse and began vaguely to see that there are creatures of his mother's sex from whom the beast of the Brocken slinks away.

But he still said to himself, "Nevertheless."

"Nevertheless," for he knew well that when the steel cuts the silk, when the hound hunts the fawn, when the snake woos the bird, when the king covets the vineyard, there is only one end possible at any time. It is the strong against the weak, the fierce against the feeble, the subtle against the simple, the master against the slave; there is no equality in the contest, and no justice—it is merely inevitable, and the issue of it is written.

CHAPTER X.

The next day she had her promised book hidden under the vine leaves of her empty basket as she went homeward, and though she had not seen him very long or spoken to him very much, she was happy.

The golden gates of knowledge had just opened to her; she saw a faint, far off glimpse

(To be continued.)

Holmes' Business College—of Portland, Oregon, will open September 1st. J. A. Wesco, the leading penman of the coast, has become a partner in this school, and will make it the leading business college. Send for catalogue.

Administrator's Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been duly appointed by the county court of Clackamas county, Oregon, as administratrix of the estate of Elias D. Edwards, deceased. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby notified to present their claims properly verified to the undersigned at the office of Johnson & Idleman in Oregon City, Oregon, within six months from the date of this notice.

JANE EDWARDS,
Administratrix Aforesaid.
JOHNSON & IDLEMAN, Attorneys.
Dated August 4, 1890. 8-7—8-28

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY OR., May 17 1890.

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," Jabez K. Allison, of Aberdeen County of Chehalis, State of Washington has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2054, for the purchase of the SW ¼ of Section No. 14, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Thursday the 18th day of September, 1890. He names as witnesses: Chas S Stevens, R B Bates, of Aberdeen, Washington; W A Caborn, and N J Welch, of Portland; Or

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 September, 1890. J. T. APPERSON.
6-19—8-21 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, OR., May 16, 1890.

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," Mrs. Maggie E. Batdorf of Oregon City, County of Clackamas, State of oregon has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2134, for the purchase of the W ½ SW ¼, and S ½ NW ¼ of Section No. 26, in Township No. 5 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, on Wednesday, the 15th day of October, 1890.

She names as witnesses: Charles W. Mead, George B. Ward, Joseph W. Batdorf, William Patterson, all of Oregon City, Clackamas county, oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.
7—24—9—25.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Joseph W. Batdorf.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or, June 25, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and washington Territory," Joseph w. Batdorf of Oregon City, county of Clackamas, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2138, for the purchase of the NE¼ of section No. 12, township No. 6 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 15th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses Charles W. Mead, William Patterson, Edmond Batdorf, P. Wilson, all of Oregon City, Clackamas county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.
7—24—9—25

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, OR., July 19, 1890.

Charles H. Kinney.

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," Charles H. Kinney, of Sheridan, County of Yamhill, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2160, for the purchase of the NE ¼ of Section No. 8, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 28th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. A. Fox, and A. W. Richey of Portland, Oregon; H. Robbins, of McMinnville Or.; and H. McIntyre of Cherryville, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-31-10-2 Register.

TIMBER LAND, JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., July 14th, 1890.

George W. McCarver.

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," George W. McCarver of Oregon City, County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2161, for the purchase of the N ½ of SW ¼ and N ½ of SE ¼ of Section No. 12, in Township No. 6 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Thursday, the 23d day October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: E. W. Randoph, and C. W. Mead of Oregon City, Or.; David S. Patterson, and Edward P. Eagles, of Gray's Harbor, Wash.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 23d day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-31-10-2 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., May 16, 1890.

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," Nals P. Johnston of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2049, for the purchase of the SW ¼ of Section No. 20, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 17th day of September, 1890. He names as witnesses: B. F. Talbot, W. A. Caborn and N. J. Welch of Portland, Or.; C. S. Stevens of Aberdeen, Washington.

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 September, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
6-19—8-21 Register

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

Mrs. Margaret L. Batdorf.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 25, 1890.

Notice is hereby given 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," Mrs. Margaret L. Batdorf, of Oregon City, County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No 2133, for the purchase of the NW ¼ of Section No 34, in Township No 5 S, Range No 3 E, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon on Wednesday the 15th day of October, 1890.

She names as witnesses: Charles W. Mead, George B. Ward, Edmond Batdorf, and William Patterson, of Oregon City, Clackamas county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-24-9-25. Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Mrs. Maggie E. Batdorf.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Oregon, June 25, 1890.

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," Mrs. Maggie E. Batdorf of Oregon City, County of Clackamas, State of oregon has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2134, for the purchase of the W ½ SW ¼, and S ½ NW ¼ of Section No. 26, in Township No. 5 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, on Wednesday, the 15th day of October, 1890.

She names as witnesses: Charles W. Mead, George B. Ward, Joseph W. Batdorf, William Patterson, all of Oregon City, Clackamas county, oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.
7—24—9—25.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Joseph W. Batdorf.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or, June 25, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and washington Territory," Joseph w. Batdorf of Oregon City, county of Clackamas, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2138, for the purchase of the NE¼ of section No. 12, township No. 6 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon on Wednesday the 15th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: Charles W. Mead, George B. Ward, Edmond Batdorf, and William Patterson, of Oregon City, Clackamas county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-24-9-25. Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., July 10, 1890.

Charles H. Kinney.

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," Charles H. Kinney, of Sheridan, County of Yamhill, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2160, for the purchase of the NE ¼ of Section No. 8, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 28th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. A. Fox, and A. W. Richey, of Portland, Oregon; H. Robbins, of McMinnville, Oregon; and H. McIntyre of Cherryville, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office or before said 28th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-31-10-2 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 25, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the States of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," Henry P. Bonney, Homestead Entry, No. 5741, for the S ½ of NE ¼ and S ½ of SW ¼ of section 8, T 7 S, R 3 E. He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon, and cultivation of, said land, viz: Rant Thomas, W. Russel, D. C. Cooley and Elmer Thomas all of Wilhoit P. O., Clackamas county, Or.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-6-8-11 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, OR., July 23, 1890.

William Lamb.

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Register and Receiver of U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, on September 5, 1890, viz: William Lamb, Homestead Entry, No. 5290, for the SW ¼ of section 22, T 4 S, R 3 E.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: William Buckner, of Clark, Clackamas county, Oregon; Martin Freeman, Robert Nicholas, and J. Gorbett, of Highland P. O., Clackamas county, Oregon.

7-31-9-4 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., July 10, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that the following-named settler has filed notice of her intention to make final proof in support of her claim, and that said proof will be made before the register and receiver of the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Thursday, Sept. 4, 1890, viz: Priscilla Parker, Homestead Entry, No 5710, for the s ½ of sw ¼ of sec 8, t 5 s, r 3 e.

She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: David McLain, Elizabeth McLain, Mary Robertson and John Dolan, all of Meadow Brook, Clackamas Co., Oregon.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-17-8-21 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, OR., June 6, 1890.

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," Joseph A. Rupert, of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2102, for the purchase of the NW ¼ of Section No. 28, in Township No 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 8th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: G. M. Garland, J. H. Haggett, A. J. Wood, and Mary Wood, all of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-10-9-11 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1890.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 4, 1890.

Notice is 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," Hiram Onoff, of Jewell, County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2095, for the purchase of the SE ¼ of Section No. 4, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 6 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 29th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. A. Fox, and A. W. Richey, of Portland, Or.; H. Robbins of McMinnville, Oregon; and H. McIntyre of Cherryville, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7-10-9-11 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1890.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 7, 1890.

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," Anna E. Smith, of Seattle, County of King, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2098, for the purchase of the SE ¼ of Section No. 34, in Township No. 5 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 8th day of October, 1890.

She names as witnesses: Wm Jones of Forsyth, Custer county, Montana; W. S. Dreppard, Wm. Hoover and N. J. Welch of Portland, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
j10-s11 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., May 29, 1890.

Horatio D. Woodward.

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," Henry J. Riddle, of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2085, for the purchase of the SE ¼ of Section No. 4, in Township No. 1 South, Range No. 8 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 26th day of September, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. M. Green, F. A. Rosecrans, George Miller and A. Navarine, all of Portland, Multnomah, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 26th day of September, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-10—9-11. Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 22, 1890.

William H. Wood.

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, William H. Wood, of Wheatland, County of Yamhill, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2172, for the purchase of the SW ¼ of Section No. 14, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 6 East, 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 29th day of October, 1890

He names as witnesses: J. A. Fox. A. W. Richey, H. Robbins, and H. McIntyre, all of Portland, Multnomah county, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7—31—10—2 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFIRE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 7th, 1890.

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," Horatio W. Smith of Seattle, County of King, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2102, for the purchase of the SW ¼ of section No. 34, in Township No. 5 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the Register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 8th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: Wm. Jones of Forsyth, Custer county, Montana; W. S. Dreppard, Wm. Hoover, and N. J. Welch of Portland, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 8th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
j10-s11. Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3,1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 22, 1890.

Robert T. Wood.

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," Robert T. Wood, of Wheatland, County of Yamhill, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2173, for the purchase of the SE ¼ of Section No. 14, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 6 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Wednesday, the 29th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. A. Fox, H. Robbins, A. W. Richey of Portland, Oregon; and H. McIntyre of Cherryville, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-31-10-2. Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 22, 1890.

Melville C. Wood

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," Melville C. Wood, of Wheatland, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2171, for the purchase of the SE¼ of section No. 10, in township No. 2, south, range No. 6 east, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday the 29th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. A. Fox, A. W. Richey, H. Robbins, of Portland, Oregon, and H. McIntyre, of Cherryville, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
7—31—10—2 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 17, 1890.

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," Geo. E. Adams, of San Francisco, county of San Francisco, state of California, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2119, for the purchase of the SW ¼ of Section 6, in Township No 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on the 10th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: R. H. H. Hunt, Herbert H. Hunt and T. Miller of San Francisco, Cal.; and J. A. Fox of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-10-9-11 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 17, 1890.

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," Neefus of Oregon City, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-10-9-11 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 17, 1890.

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," Henry Smathers, of Viola, county of Clackamas, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2097, for the purchase of the NW ¼ of SE¼, and SE ¼ of SW ¼ of Section No. 28, in Township No. 3 South, Range No. 3 East, 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 the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Friday, the 12th day of September, 1890

He names as witnesses: Chas. Cutting, Orin Cutting, and Lip Mason of Viola, Oregon; H. P. Neefus of Oregon City, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-10-9-11 Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Horace D. Woodward.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Or., June 23, 1890.

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," Horace D. Woodward of Seattle, County of King, State of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2127, for the purchase of the SE¼ of section No. 2, in township No. 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the Register and Receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Tuesday, the 14th day of October, 1890. He names as witnesses: E. G. Courtice, H. D. Wade, N J. Welch, W. A. Caborn, all of Portland, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON,
7-14, 9-18 Register

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

Lincoln G. Ellis.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
Oregon City, Or., June 23, 1890.

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," Lincoln G. Ellis of Seattle, County of King, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2128, for the purchase of the NE¼, of Section No. 14, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 7 East, 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 the Register and receiver of this office at Oregon City Or., on Tuesday the 14th day of October, 1890. He names as witnesses: N. J. Welch, W. A. Caborn, E. G. Courtice, R. H. Wade of Portland, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 14th day of October, 1890. J. T. APPERSON.
7-17, 9-18 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE,
OREGON CITY, Or., June 17, 1890.

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," Robert H. Hunt, of San Francisco, county of San Francisco, State of California, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2116, for the purchase of the SW ¼ of section No. 12, in Township No. 2 South, Range No. 6 East, 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 the Register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Or., on Friday, the 10th day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: Robert H. H. Hunt Herbert H. Hunt and Geo. E. Adams, of San Francisco, Cal.; James A. F