BEBEE,

OR TWO LITTLE WOODEN SHOES.

BY OUIDA.

Continued from last week.

gaunt, and her mouth aunt close in earnest effort, and he would curse the man who had changed her so, and go away with rage in his heart and tears in his eyes, not daring to say anything, but knowing that never would Bebee's little brown hand lie in love within his own.

Nor even in friendship, for he had rashly spoken rough words against the stranger from Rubes' land, and Bebee ever since then had passed him by with a grave simple greeting, and when he had brought her in lieu of gifts a barrow load of fagots, had thanked him, but had bidden him take the wood home to his mother.

"You think evil things of me, Bebee!" good Jaumat had pleaded, with a sob in his voice; and she had answered gently:

"Nay, but do not speak to me, that is all."

Then he had cursed her absent lover, and Bebee guess within and closed her door.

She had no idea that the people thought ill of her. They were cold to her, and such coldness made her heart ache a little more. But the one great love in her possessed her so strongly that all other things were half unreal.

She did her daily house work from sheer habit, and she studied because he had told her to do it and because, with the sweet, stubborn, credulous faith of her youth, she never doubted that he would return.

Otherwise there was no perception of real life in her; she dreamed and prayed, and prayed and dreamed, and never ceased to do either one or the other, even when she was gathering pebble-peals to the fowls, or shaking corn-seed out of the sail, or sweeping the snow from her door, or going out in the raw dark dawn as the single bell and bell of the fishing-boats passed through the stillness for the first time.

To Brother Francis looked at her sometimes, and he thought she was dull, and had some truth and some shame from him at confession, yet she went more often and oftener than ever to kneel in the damp, dark, crumbling old church, for it was all she could do for him who was absent — was she thankful — and she did not feel quite so far away from him when she was beseeching Christ to have care of his soul and of his body.

All her worst dreams were dead.

Her worst peril, any story in the robin's song or snow say promise in the sunset clouds or flitted that angels came about her in the night — or not.

The birds were gray and soft; the birds were still; the flowers, things, the stars were cold and distant; the people she had used to take care of were like shadows that went by her in a misty glimmer and without interest, and the only thing that was the one step that never altered, all she wanted was the one touch she never felt.

"You have done wrong, Bebee, and you will rue it soon," said the few neighbors who were quite to her.

Bebee looked at them with fateful, uncomprehending eyes.

"I have done no wrong," she said gently, but not one believed her.

A girl did not thrust herself up and wane indecently for nothing, as they reasoned. She might have denied as she had liked if she had been sensible after it, and married Jaumat.

But he, equally, and shut her lips, and said no thing she had done nothing that was not good.

So the village in its small way, thought as the city would think.

CHAPTER XXI.

It was a warm morn.

The snow was deep, and the winds drove the people sharply whipped as along the dreary country roads and the steep streets of the town, and the dogs and the mules struggled wildly through the white misty darkness on the flanks, and the weary women stopped and fell on the frozen ruts and in the recoil threw in the little frost shut their doors. Still the Flemish folk were busy enough in many places.

In the little village above St. Gudule, Bebee knew they were merry too, in their sim ple way.

The snow worked away wearily at their hats in the dim winter light, and made a splendid living by it, but all the same they got many playthings for their babies, and a lot of cake for their Sunday hearth. They threw together in homely and cordial friendship, and of an afternoon when dusk fell were quite free in company in Mere Krebs' smoky kitchen, with the children and the dogs at their feet on the tricks, so that one big fire might serve for all, and all be lighted with one big rush candle, and all be beguiled by old tales and songs, stories of spirits, and whispers of ghosts, and now and then the wind blowed at its worst, a paternoster or two said in common for the men toiling in the treacherous rifting up the Scheldt.

In these evenings Bebee's face was missed, and the little soft sound of her voice, like a passing flitting singing, was never heard.

The people lodged in and saw her sitting with a great open book — often her hearth had no fire.

Then the folk grew tired of asking her to join, and their voices began to shake their heads, and soon as pale and so quiet there must be some evil in it — so they began to think.

Little by little people dropped away from her. What room, the gossips said, what slanders on the child might not have on her account!

Bebee worked hard just the same, and just the same was seen trudging to and from the flock of flowers and afternoons in snow with wooden shoes. She was gentle and inoffensive, and gave the children her apples and bread and ran out among the brambles of her garden.

But she was afraid of her — afraid of that sad, unseeing, far away look in her eyes, and of the terrible weariness that was on her — and being peopled were sure, like all ignorant people, that what was sacred must be unclean.

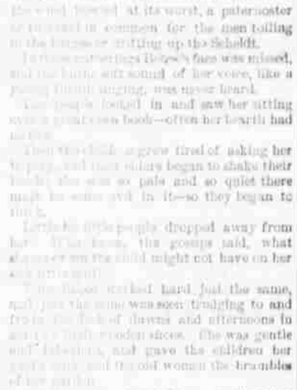
So they hung aloof and let her alone, and by and by scarcely nodded to her if they passed her, but still to Jaumat.

This was indeed a bad thing, lady, the child was that grand painter's light-o-love that is plain to see. The mischief all came of the thief old Antoine filled her head with — a nice little by blow of chick weed that is reckoned up like a rare carnation. Oh, horribly in a rage, Jeannot; the child is no good, and would have made an honest man rue. Take heart of grace, and praise the saints and marry Katto's Lisa."

The Jaumat would never listen to the cheap cares, and would never look at Lisa, even though the door of the little hut was many a school against him, and whenever he met Jeannot no highway she never sainted! So no man more than she saw the snow that he adored was trending.

One night in the midwinter time old Antoine died.

Bebee found her in the twilight with her head against the garret window, and her left side all unfolded and useless. She had a little more left, and a few fleeting breaths to draw.



Bebee found her in the twilight, with her head against the garret window.

"Look for the brig," she muttered. "You will not see the flag at the masthead for the fog to-night, but his socks are dry and his pipe is ready. Keep looking — keep looking — and we will go in port to-night."

But her dead sailor never came into port, she went to him. The poor, weakened, faithful old body or not was laid in the graveyard of the poor, and the ships came and went under the empty garret window, and Bebee was all alone.

She had no more anything to work for, or any hand with the lives of others. She could live on the roots of her garden and the sale of her hens' eggs, and she could change the turnips and carrots that grew in a little strip of her ground for the quantity of bread that she needed.

So she gave herself up to the books, and drew herself more and more within from the outer world. She did not know that the neighbors thought very evil of her; she had only one idea in her mind — to be more worthy of him against he should return.

The winter passed away somehow; she did not know how.

It was a long, cold, white blank of frozen silence; that was all. She studied hard, and had got a quaint, strange, deep, scattered knowledge out of her old books; her face had lost all its roundness and color, but instead the forehead had gained breadth and the eyes had the dim fire of a student's.

Every night when she shut her volumes she thought:

"I am a little nearer him. I know a little more."

Just so every morning, when she bathed her hands in the chilly water, she thought to herself: "I will make my skin as soft as I can for him, that it may be like the ladies' he has loved."

Love to be perfect must be a religion as well as a passion. Bebee's was so. Like George Herbert's serving maiden, she swept no specks of dirt away from a floor without doing it to the service of her lord.

Only Bebee's lord was a king of earth, made of earth's dust and vanities.

But what did she know of that!

CHAPTER XXII.

One day in the May weather she sat within doors with a great book upon her table, but no sight for it in her aching eyes. The starling hopped to and fro on the sunny floor; the bees boomed in the porch; the tinkle of sheep's bells came in on the stillness. All was peaceful and happy except the little weary, breaking, desolate heart that beat in her like a caged bird's.

"He will come, I am sure he will come," she said to herself; but she was so tired, and it was so long — oh, dear God! — so very long.

A hand tapped at the lattice. The shrill voice of Reine, the sabot maker's wife, broken with anguish, called through the hanging ivy:

"Bebee, you are a wicked one, they say, but the only one there is at home in the village this day. Get you to town for the love of heaven, and send Dr. Max hither, for my pet, my flower, my child lies dying, and not a soul near, and she black as a coal with choking — go, go, gal — and Mary will forgive you your sins. Save the little one, dear Bebee, do you hear! and I will pray God and speak fair the neighbors for you. Go!"

Bebee rose up, startled by the now unfamiliar sound of a human voice, and looked at the breathless mother with eyes of pitying wonder.

"Surely I will go," she said, gently; "but there is no need to bribe me. I have not sinned greatly — that I know."

Then she went out quickly and ran through the lanes and into the city for the sick child, and found the wise man, and sent him, and did the errand rather in a sort of sorrowful, sympathetic instinct than in any reasoning consciousness of doing good.

When she was moving through the once familiar and happy ways, as the sun was setting on the golden fronts of the old houses and the chimes were ringing from the many towers, a strange sense of unreality, of non-existence, fell upon her.

Could it be she — she, indeed, who had gone there the year before the gladdest thing that the earth bore, with no care except to shelter her flowers from the wind and keep the freshest blossoms for the burgomaster's housewife!

She did not think thus to herself; but a vague doubt that she could ever have been the little, gay, laborious, happy Bebee, with troops of friends and endless joys for every day that dawned, came over her as she went by the black front of the Broodhuis.

The strong voice of Lisa, the fruit girl, jarred on her as she passed the stall under its yellow awning that was flapping sullenly in the evening wind.

"Oh, he, little fool!" the mocking voice cried. "The rind of the fine pine is full of pickles and stings the lips when the taste is gone, to be sure. Crack common nuts like me and you are never wanting — hazels grow free in every copse. Prut, tut! Your grand lover lies a-dying — so the students read out of this just now — and you such a simpleton as not to get a roll of napoleons out of him before he went to rot in Paris. I dare say he was poor as sparrows, if one knew the truth. He was only a painter after all."

Lisa tossed her as she spoke a torn sheet, in which she was wrapping gentians; it was a piece of newspaper some three weeks old, and in it there was a single line or so which said that the artist Flamen, whose "Gretchen" was the wonder of the Salon of the year, lay sick unto death in his rooms in Paris.

Bebee stood and read; the strong, ruddy western light upon the type, the taunting laughter of the fruit girl on her ear.

A bitter shriek rang from her that made even the cruelty of Lisa's mirth stop in a sudden terror.

She stood staring, like a thing changed to stone, down on the one name that to her filled all the universe.

"Ii — he is ill — do you hear!" she echoed piteously, looking at Lisa; "and you say he is poor!"

"Poor! for sure! is he not a painter!" said the fruit girl, roughly. She judged by her own penniless student lads; and she was angered with herself for feeling sorry for this little silly thing that she had loved to torture.

"You have been bad and base to me; but now — I bless you. I love you, I will pray for you," said Bebee, in a swift, broken breath, and with a look upon her face that startled into pain her callous enemy.

Then without another word, she thrust the paper in her bosom, and ran out of the square breathless with haste and with a great resolve.

He was ill — and he was poor! The brave little soul of her leaped at once to action. He was sick, and far away, and poor, they said. All danger and all difficulty faded to nothing before the vision of his need.

Bebee was only a little foundling who ran about in wooden shoes; but she had the "dog's soul" in her — the soul that will follow faithfully though to receive a curse, that will defend loyally to meet a blow, and that will die mutely loving to the last.

She went home, how she never knew; and without the delay of a moment packed up a change of linen, and fed the fowls and took the key of the hut down to old Jehan's cabin. The old man was only half witted by reason of his affliction for his dead daughter, but he was shrewd enough to understand what she wanted of him, and honest enough to do it.

"I am going into the city," she said to him; "and if I am not back to-night, will you feed the starling and the hens, and water the flowers for me?"

Old Jehan put his head out of his lattice; it was 7 in the evening, and he was going to bed.

"What are you after, little one?" he asked; "going to show the fine buckles at a student's ball? Nay, fie — that is not like you."

"I am going to — pray — dear Jehan," she answered, with a sob in her throat, and the first falsehood she had ever told. "Do what I ask you — do, for your dead daughter's sake — or the birds and the flowers will die of hunger and thirst. Take the key and promise me."

He took the key and promised.

"Do not let them use those buckles shine; they will rob you," he added.

Bebee ran from him fast; every moment that was lost was so precious and so terrible. To pause a second for fear's sake never occurred to her. She went forth as fearlessly as a young swallow, born in northern April days, flies forth on instinct to new lands and over unknown seas when autumn fails.

Necessity and action breathed new life into her. The hardy and brave peasant ways of her were awoke once more. She had been strong to wait silently with the young life in her dying out drop by drop in the heart sickness of long delay. She was strong now to throw herself into strange countries and dim perils and immeasurable miseries, on the sole chance that she might be of service to him.

A few human souls here and there can love like dogs. Bebee was one.

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TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 1, 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,

Charles Osborn,

of Portland, county of Multnomah, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2254, for the purchase of the s½ of ne¼ and s½ of nw¼, 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, Oregon, on Thursday, the 18th day of November, 1890.

He names as witnesses: J. H. Hayes, T. Jeffreys, L. Pressey, G. M. Garland, 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 18th day of November, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
8-14, 10-16 Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Or. Sept. 6, 1890.

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 the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, November 2, 1890, viz:

John J. Porter

Homestead Entry No. 5893, for the se ¼ sec 34, 1 3 s, 1 4 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: G. Klugheim, Joseph Pinkley, Eugene Wooster, Elijah E. Pinkley, all of Currinsville, P. O. Clackamas County, Or.

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TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 11, 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,

Frank Hill

of Ballston, county of Polk, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2254, for the purchase of the s½ of ne¼ and s½ of nw¼ of section No. 28, in township No. 2 south, range No. 6 east, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for 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 19th day of December, 1890.

He names as witnesses: E. H. Cooper, J. M. McCain, C. W. Courtney, of Ballston, Oregon, and A. W. Richey, of Portland, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-scribed lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19th day of December, 1890.

10-2, 12-4 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Sept. 8, 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,"

Anthony R. Tozier,

of Cascades, county of Skamania, state of Washington, has this day filed in the office his sworn statement No. 2251, for the purchase of the lot lot 1 of section No. 14, in township No. 2 north, 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 17 day December, 1890.

He names as witnesses: A. M. Barnes, E. P. Ash, P. Paulson, of Cascade Locks, Or., R. J. Snow, of Cascades, Or.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 17 day of December, 1890.

10-2, 12-4 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land office,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 5, 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," Ezra W. Randolph, of Oregon City, County of Clackamas, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2153, for the purchase of the SE¼ of section No. 34, in township No 3 south, range No. 5 east, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for 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 22d day of October, 1890.

He names as witnesses: James C. Meehan, Charles W Mead, John Hickman and Oren Holmes, 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 22d day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
8-7—10-9 Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, September 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,"

Harry M. Clay,

of Arlington, County of Gilliam, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2264, for the purchase of the se¼ of ne¼, e½ of se¼ and sw¼ of se¼ of section 4, in t 2 s, r 7 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 his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Tuesday the 23rd day of December, 1890.

He names as witnesses: Eugene Smith, Geo. Earhart of Lone Rock, Or. Wm Butler, J. McPherson, of Olex, Oregon.

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

J. T. APPERSON,
10-2—12 4 Register.

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He names as witnesses: E. H. Cooper, J. M. McCain, C. W. Courtney, of Ballston, Oregon, and A. W. Richey, 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 22d day of October, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
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of Arlington, County of Gilliam, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2264, for the purchase of the se¼ of ne¼, e½ of se¼ and sw¼ of se¼ of section 4, in t 2 s, r 7 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 his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Tuesday the 23rd day of December, 1890.

He names as witnesses: A. Borden, Sheridan, Or., E. H. Cooper, C. W. Courtney, of Ballston, Or., A. W. Richey, 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 19th day of December, 1890.

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United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or. Sept. 5, 1890.

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Aylet B. Cornoyer,

for the ne¼ of sw¼ and lots 3 and 4 of sec. 30, T 1 s, r 4 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Eli Bell Cell Howell, Daniel Kanary and John Cormier. All of Sherwood, Clackamas County, Or.

9-12, 10-30 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND ACT, JUNE 3, 1878—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

James W. Deakins,

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 30, 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," James W. Deakins, of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2246, for the purchase of the ne¼ of section No. 6 and nw¼ of section No. 5 in township No. 7 south, range No. 6 west, 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 24th day of September, 1890.

He names as witnesses: Wm. Dinsmoore, J. Kinney, of Sheridan, Oregon; A. W. Richey 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 24th day of September, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON,
8-14, 10-16 Register.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Sept. 17, 1890.

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 the U. S. Land office at Oregon City, Oregon, on October 27, 1890, viz:

Charles Porter

Homestead Entry, No. —, for the se¼ of section 1, t 3 s, r 4 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: Henry Kingsbury, Joseph Kingsbury, Eugene Wooster, Elijah E. Pinkley, all of Currinsville, P. O. Clackamas County, Or.

9-12, 10-30 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Land Office at Oregon City, Or. Sept. 20, 1890.

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 the U. S. land office at Oregon City, Oregon, on November 3, 1890, viz:

D. W. Brown,

Homestead Entry, No. 5888, for the se¼ of section 1 t 4 s, r 4 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of, said land, viz: W. McKune, of Sheridan county of Yamhill, state of Oregon; J. L. Bramhere, A. A. Evans, of Sheridan, Oregon, and A. W. Richey, 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 3d day of November, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Sept. 2, 1890.

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 the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, on October 20, 1890, viz: Peter W. Hammond, for the se¼ of section 1, t 3 s, r 4 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: W. Hardin, C. Barlow, all of Sheridan, Oregon.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Aug. 11, 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,"

Mary C. Deakins,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2255, for the purchase of the nw¼ of section No. 20, in township No. 7 south, range No. 6 west, 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 24th day of November, 1890.

She names as witnesses: Thomas Shortridge, G. W. Evans, A. L. Heathcote, of Sheridan, Or., A. W. Richey 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 24th day of November, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Aug 18, 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,"

Linnie J. Hamblin,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2256, for the purchase of the se¼ of section No. 28, 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 Friday, the 26th day of September, 1890.

He names as witnesses: W. McKune, of Sheridan, Oregon; J. L. Bramhere, A. A. Evans, of Sheridan, Oregon, and A. W. Richey, 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 26th day of September, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

Summons.

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Clackamas, ss.

Charles J. Hamblin, Plaintiff,
vs.
Caroline J. Hamblin, Defendant.

In the name of the State of Oregon: You are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit within ten days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, if served within this county, or, if served in any other county of this State, then within twenty days from the date of the service of this summons upon you, or if served by publication by the 1st day of the next term of the Court next following the publication of this summons, and if you fail so to answer, for want thereof, the Plaintiff will take decree against you for the relief demanded in the complaint, to-wit: — for a dissolution of the marriage bonds now existing between the Plaintiff and defendant, and the plaintiff be allowed to resume her maiden name, Emma J. Schoonover, and such other relief as shall seem meet and proper.

This summons is published in pursuance of an order made by the Hon. Frank J. Taylor, Judge of the above entitled Court, made at Chambers, September 17, 1890.

H. E. CROSS,
Attorney for Plaintiff.

TIMBER LAND ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

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Oregon City, Or., Aug 18, 1890.

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Linnie J. Hamblin,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2257, for the purchase of the se¼ of section No. 28, 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 Friday, the 26th day of September, 1890.

He names as witnesses: W. McKune, of Sheridan, Oregon; J. L. Bramhere, A. A. Evans, of Sheridan, Oregon, and A. W. Richey, 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 26th day of September, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Sept. 11, 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,"

David L. Campbell,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2258, for the purchase of the sw¼ of section No. 28, 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 Friday, the 26th day of September, 1890.

He names as witnesses: A. Borden, Sheridan, Or., E. H. Cooper, C. W. Courtney, of Ballston, Or., A. W. Richey, 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 26th day of November, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Sept. 2, 1890.

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 the U. S. Land Office at Oregon City, Oregon, on October 20, 1890, viz: Daniel Kaufman, Homestead entry No. 6607 for the ne¼ of sec 14, t 2 s, r 3 e.

He names the following witnesses to prove his continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: see No. 2261 in s viz: J. Gerlach, Peter Gerlach, Robert Gerlach, of Sherwood, P. O. Clackamas Co., Oregon.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Oregon, July 31, 1890.

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the acts 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 J. Deakins, of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2187, for the purchase of lots 1, 2, 3, 4, of section No. 6, 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 5th day of November, 1890.

He names as witnesses: W. Dinsmoore, J. Kinney, of Sheridan, Oregon, A. W. Richey, 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 5th day of November.

8-14, 10-16 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., July 31, 1890

Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the acts 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,"

Mary C. Deakins,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2188, for the purchase of the nw¼ of section No. 20, in township No. 7 south, range No. 6 west, 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 5th day of November, 1890.

She names as witnesses: W. Dinsmoore, J. Kinney of Sheridan, Oregon; J. A. Fox and A. W. Richey 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 5th day of November, 1890.

8-14, 10-16 J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Aug. 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,"

Thos Shortridge,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2226, for the purchase of the ne¼ of section No. 30, in township No. 2 south, range No. 7 west, 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: W. McKune, J. L. Bramhere, A. W. Evans, of Sheridan, Or. and A. W. Richey 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 26th day of September, 1890.

J. T. APPERSON, Register.

TIMBER LAND, ACT JUNE 3, 1878.

Notice for Publication.

United States Land Office,
Oregon City, Or., Aug. 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,"

Lee Emmons Evans,

of Sheridan, county of Yamhill, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2228, for the purchase of the ne¼ of section No. 30, in township No. 2 south, range No. 7 west, 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: W. McKune, J. L. Bramhere, A. W. Evans, of Sheridan, Or. and A. W. Richey of Portland, Or.

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J. T. APPERSON, Register.

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