TO A STENOGRAPHER.

Lady typist, blond and fair,
Sitting so serenely there,
Pray forgive me if I dare
  To ask a favor.
I, who am your humble slave,
Tremble as this boon I crave,
Feeling (usually brave)
  My courage waver.

For tomorrow morn at half
Past eleven (do not laugh!)
I expect my better half
  And her dear mother.
Who are curious to see
What my office life may be,
So your scorn for them and me
  Please try to smother.

And, although you've naught to do,
It were best for me and you
If you, lady, made a few
  Attempts to hustle.
It will please them, I confess,
If you wear a simpler dress.
Try to look a little less
  Like Lillian Russell.

Be prepared your part to play;
Don't appear too smart or gay;
Work as if you earned the pay
  For which you're hired.
Show a more subservient air;
Shake your haughty, languid stare,
Or, by the pencils in your hair,
  They'll have you fired!

—J. Adair Strawson in Puck.

Laconic.

"Is the proprietor in?" asked the visitor.

"No, sir," replied the office boy.

"Is he in the city?"

"Yes, sir."

"Will he be back soon?"

"No, sir."

"Tonight?"

"No, sir."

"Tomorrow some time?"

"No, sir."

"Did he leave any word for Mr. Nash?"

"No, sir."

The stranger looked at the office boy sharply.

"When did he go?"

"Yesterday afternoon."

"Didn't he say when he'd be back?"

"No, sir."

"Well, where the dickens is he?"

"At the undertaker's."

"What's the matter?"

"He's dead."—Harper's Weekly.

Feminine Consistency.

First Bridesmaid—Dear Mabel is nothing if not consistent.

Second Ditto—Well?

First Bridesmaid—You know she was the president of the Rainy Daisies, so she insisted at her wedding on carrying a shower bouquet.—Houston Post.

Putting Him Wise.

He—That jolly Miss Smith is a girl after my own heart.

She—If you think that is all she is after, you are foolish.

A Dangerous Tendency.

Jones (with a sneer)—So you think Miss Oldgirl is in love with you?

Smythe (with a smirk)—I'm sure she'd jump at me.

Jones (with a warning frown)—Then look out, old boy. This is leap year.—Baltimore American.

Taking It as It Comes.

"I'm never in a hurry to borrow trouble for myself," said the cheerful citizen who has a hundred feet of sidewalk. "When the snow comes is time enough for me to ask my neighbor to lend me his snow shovel."—Browning's.

Wonderful, Indeed!

Patience—She's a most wonderful woman.

Patrice—Why so?

"She speaks four languages. Just think of keeping a secret in four languages!"—Yonkers Statesman.

A Martyr.

"Mamma, have I got to take a bath tonight?"

"I'm afraid you have, my dear."

"But I haven't done anything all the week to deserve it."—New York Life.

A Constant Reminder.

"You remind me a good deal of my first husband," said the ex-widow.

"And you," rejoined her present husband, "remind me of him altogether too much."—Detroit Tribune.

The Limit.

Clarice—I think Mr. Gunson is dreadfully stingy.

Clarence—Stingy! Why, that man wouldn't even tell a story at his own expense!—Harper's Weekly.

Then and Now.

"Before we were married my husband called me a phantom of delight."

"And I suppose he thinks now that you are merely a ghost of gladness."—Chicago Record-Herald.

Finishing Touch.

He—It has been said that a woman can make a fool of any man. Do you believe it?

She—Of course not. The best she can do is develop him.

Timber Land Notice.

United States Land Office, Lakeview Oregon. Feb. 6, 1908.

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,

Elona E. Hartzog, of Lakeview, county of Lake, State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement, No 3991, for the purchase of the E half, E half, of section 7, in Township 40 S., Range 21 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 Register and Receiver, at Lakeview, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 6 h day of May, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Edwin Hatzog, Elijah Smalley, Henry Funk, G. C. Fitzgerald, all of Lakeview Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 6th day of May, 1908.

8—10 J. N. Watson Register.

Timber Land Notice.

United States Land Office, Lakeview Oregon, Feb. 13, 1908.

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,

John A. Barham, of Paisley, county of Lake ,State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 4022, for the purchase of the SE quarter, NW quarter, of Section 2, in Township 34, S., Range 19, 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 Register and Receiver, at Lakeview, Oregon, on Wednesday the 27th day of May, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Geo. W. Cooley, Sam Banister, of Paisley Oregon, John Simmons, Geo. W. Harrow, of Paisley, Oregon,

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands, are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of May, 1908.

8—10 J. N. Watson, Register.

Timber Land Notice.

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Feb. 15, 1908

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 o August, 4 1892,

Vigil Cong, of Paisley, county of Lake, state of Orregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No 4031, for the purchase of the NE quarter, of Section 7, in Township 38 S., Range 16 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 Register and Receiver at Lakeview Oregon on Monday the 1st day of June, 1908.

He names as witnesses: J. B. Auten, F. P. Light, T .J. Powell, D P. Malloy, all of Lakeview Oregon, and Oda Cravens, of Klamath Falls Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 1st, day of June 1908

8—10 J. N Watson register.

Timber Land Notice.

United States Land Office Lakeview, Oregon. Mar. 18, 1908.

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, Rose L. McDaniels, of Lakeview, county of Lake, State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement, No. 3922, for the purchase of the NE quarter, NW quarter, N half, NE quarter, SE quarter NE quarter, of Section 32, in Township 38 S., Range No 21 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 Register and Receiver at Lakeview, Oregon, on Thursday the 18th day of June, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Flint Vernon, A. Neilon, Wm. Metzker, J. D. Brooks, all of Lakeview, 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 June , 1908.

J. N. Watson, Register. 13—10

Notice.

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, notice is hereby given that all irrigation, or millrace ditches on all trout streams brought Lake County, Oregon, must be screened with a small mesh wire screening at their head or junction with the main channel of stream. Also all dams or obstructions on said streams must be provided with a fish-ladder, or other easy means of passage, at or near the middle of the main channel, so as to allow the passage of trout at all times of year, as provided by law. Said work to be done at low water time, or to be completed by Feb. 7, 1907.

By order of J. A. Barham.

Special Deputy fish Warden for LakeCounty, Oregon.

Timber Land Notice

United States Land Office, Lakeview Oregon. Feb. 21, 1908

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,

Kate Colahan, of Bonanza, county of Klamath, State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No 4053, for the purchase of the E half. NW quarter, SW quarter, NW quarter of Section 32, in Township 38, S., Range 16 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 County Clerk of Klamath County, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 19th day of May, 1908.

He names as witnesses: Ida Howard of Lakeview, Oregon, Maggie Colahan, of Bonanza, Oregon, Oda Cravens, of Lakeview Oregon, J. C. Cravens of Lakeview Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 19h day of May, 1908.

9—10 J. N. Watson, Reigster.

$1,000.00 Reward.

The Oregon, California & Nevada Livestock Protective Association will give $1000 Reward for the conviction of any party or parties stealing horses, cattle or mules belonging to any of the following members of this Association:

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