

A GENTLEMAN IN RAGS

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 If Betty Lee of the village of Leesville, named after her father, was not the handsomest girl in the village she was handsome enough at least to inspire sentiments in the hearts of half a dozen young men, not one of whom happened to be around when the golden opportunity came to make a hero of himself.
 The river ran close to the Lee homestead, and Miss Betty had a boat and was fond of boating. On this particular afternoon she started down the river for a romantic spot, where she meant to tarry for a couple of hours as she read a new book. She landed in a clump of willows all right, but had scarcely drawn the boat ashore when a cow came wading across the river straight for the spot. She was a hornless cow and had a humble look, but to the girl she seemed to have the expression of a rhinoceros bent on murder. There was a struggle through the willows until a hiding place was found.
 The cow landed and proceeded on her way, but the maiden had hardly breathed a sigh of relief when another danger menaced. A clumsy log of two years' growth had sought the shelter of the willows to ponder and reflect and sleep. The girl disturbed him, and he put up a bluff. He was as harmless as a kitten, but the bluff worked. When he chanked his teeth at her and made pretense of charging she caught the lower limb of a big willow and drew herself up.
 Five minutes later, when the bog moved off and left the girl free to come down she couldn't come. One of her feet had got caught between two limbs, and try as hard as she could it was impossible to extract it. It would not have been difficult for a young man, but there is a difference which sex is up a tree.
 Miss Betty struggled until she realized that it was no use and then began to call for help. She was a mile from the village and half a mile from the nearest farmhouse, and it was a gloomy outlook. She did not scream at the top of her voice, but nevertheless she had not been calling over five minutes when she heard some one or something approaching.
 "Who is it and where are you?" asked a voice, and then the girl knew that it was not the bog.
 "This way, up this tree," she replied, wondering whose voice it was and hoping it belonged to some steady old farmer who could be sworn to silence. Her blood ran cold when she saw that it was a stranger. Not only that, but

a tramp. Sand and leaves were sticking to his clothes to show that he had been sleeping on the ground. Coming to a halt five feet away he could hardly see the girl roasting in the tree, but he doffed his old cap and queried:
 "Am I mistaken in believing that some one is up that tree?"
 "I am up here and can't get down. My foot is caught in the limbs. Won't you go to the village and get help to release me?"
 "My dear young lady," replied the tramp, after a moment's reflection, "let us do nothing in a hurry. I left the village an hour ago. The constable said if I returned he'd guarantee me thirty days."
 "But what shall I do?" asked Betty.
 "We will first introduce ourselves. That is, I will introduce myself as William Crawford, some time gentleman, but later on a highway tourist. To my intimate friends I am Bill. That's me, and who you are is no concern of mine. Having landed you safely on the ground, our part's will therefore diverge."
 "But how will you release me?"
 "I must climb the tree and see how your foot is caught before answering that question."
 "Mercy on me! But I can't let you come up here."
 "I realize the situation, young lady, fully realize it. To reassure you, let me say that we Crawfords are a curious family. My great-grandmother, my grandmother and my mother all climbed trees and cut their feet caught. All were rescued by strangers. Every stranger turned out to be a gentleman. As a Crawford I cannot forget what I owe to these other gentlemen."
 "Oh, why was I so foolish as to be afraid of that bog?" wailed the girl.
 "You couldn't help it. You were born that way. The bog has departed, however, and now comes the other question. Do you want to come down?"
 "Of course I do."
 "Do you want me to go to the village?"
 "I—no."
 "Then I shall infer, my dear young lady, that you have decided to permit me to release you. I am here at the foot of your tree. I always climb a tree with my eyes on the ground. Here are the limbs between which your foot is caught. I might not have been able to release my own foot from the trap. I have no knife with which to cut away, but by swinging off on this larger branch I can break it down. Here I go, and your foot is released."
 "But how am I to get down?" asked Betty.
 "Dead easy—asking your pardon for the expression. I stand so, back to you. You seize that other limb and swing down on it. If you cry out I shall turn and grab you. If you don't I shall know that it's a success. Come ahead."

"I am down," answered the girl after a great rustling.
 "And the problem is solved. You see my back is still toward you. You see I take my departure. You see the Crawford family has lived up to its traditions. Say nothing, and no one else will. Good day, miss." M. QUAD.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Ore., October 24, 1906.
 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, Leonard F. Nowlin, of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3214 for the purchase of the S_{1/2} of Sec. 2, in Township No. 3, S. Range No. 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 official place of business, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Thursday, the 27th day of January, 1907.
 He names as witnesses:
 Archie Johnson, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 J. F. Nowlin, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 Bert Hall, 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 27th day of January, 1907.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

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 J. N. WATSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, October 26, 1906.
 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, Ralph E. Butler, of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3191 for the purchase of the S_{1/2} of Sec. 12 and W_{1/2} of Section No. 12 in Township No. 3, S. Range No. 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 Geo. Chastain, County Clerk of Klamath county, at his official place of business, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Friday the 4th day of January, 1907.
 He names as witnesses:
 Fred L. Sunderman, of Klamath Falls, Ore.
 Archie Johnson, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 J. F. Nowlin, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 Bert Hall, 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 4th day of January, 1907.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

Petition for Liquor License

To the Hon. County Court for the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, We, the undersigned, residents and legal voters of Wood River precinct in the County of Klamath, State of Oregon, would respectfully ask that a license to sell spirituous, malt and vinous liquors in less quantities than one gallon, at Fort Klamath, Klamath County, Oregon, for the period of three months from the 31st day of November, 1906, be granted to James M. Emery, of Fort Klamath, Ore., and your petitioners will ever be true.
 J. H. Wheeler, H. B. Lowley, C. E. Hoyt, L. Hoag, John R. Sellers, William Skeen, H. L. Scott, J. B. C. Taylor, C. G. Copeland, M. F. Parker, M. P. Morgan, C. Westcott, J. Ardell, L. C. Sienmore, Daniel Ryan Sr., John H. Smart.

Timber Land Notice.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878.—Notice for Publication.
 United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Oct. 11, 1906.
 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, Charles E. Reeder, of Keno, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has filed in this office his sworn statement No. 3210 for the purchase of the S_{1/2} of Sec. 32, in Township No. 4, S. Range No. 7 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 official place of business, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1907.
 He names as witnesses:
 Archie Johnson, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 George Mason, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 W. H. Mason, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 Wm. Mendenhall, 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 2nd day of January, 1907.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

Department of the Interior, Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, October 17, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that Louisa J. Conn of Keno, Oregon, has filed her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim. A. H. Homestead Entry No. 3113 made July 11, 1882, for the E_{1/2} S_{1/2} W_{1/2} S_{1/2} W_{1/2} and S_{1/2} E_{1/2} S_{1/2} W_{1/2} sections 7, Township 4, S. Range 9 E. W. M., and that said proof will be made before Geo. Chastain, clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on 3rd day of December, 1906.
 She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz:
 S. W. Town, of Keno, Oregon.
 Nellie Foster, of Keno, Oregon.
 Jack Fink, of Keno, Oregon.
 Nathan Edwards, of Keno, Oregon.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

SUMMONS

In the Circuit Court of the State of Oregon, for the County of Klamath.
 Eliza M. Marjon, plaintiff, vs. H. B. Stafford, defendant.
 To H. B. Stafford, the above named 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 on or before Friday the 30th day of November, 1906, being the last day of the time prescribed in the order for the publication of this summons; the first publication thereof being on the 11th day of October, 1906, and if you fail so to appear and answer, I will grant the plaintiff herein, will apply to the Court for the relief prayed for in the said complaint, to-wit: for a Decree of the Court, giving to the plaintiff the title to Lot number one (1) in Block number 32, in the city of Klamath Falls, Oregon, and such further relief as to the Court may seem just and equitable in accordance with law and equity. This summons is served by publication thereof in the Klamath Republic, a weekly newspaper, by order of Hon. Henry L. Benson, Judge of said Court, date the 6th day of October, 1906, requiring this summons to be published once a week for at least six consecutive weeks, and covering a period of continuous publication of at least forty-two days.
 THOMAS DRAKE,
 Attorney for Plaintiff.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, Oct. 18, 1906.
 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, Bertha L. Mendenhall, of Klamath Falls, County of Klamath, State of Oregon, has filed in this office her sworn statement No. 3223 for the purchase of the N_{1/2} of Section No. 2, in Township No. 3, S. Range No. 9 E. W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber and stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before County Clerk of Klamath county, at his official place of business, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 2nd day of January, 1907.
 She names as witnesses:
 Archie Johnson, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 George Mason, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 W. H. Mason, of Klamath Falls, Oregon.
 Wm. Mendenhall, 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 2nd day of January, 1907.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

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Department of the Interior, Land Office at Lakeview, Oregon, October 17, 1906.
 Notice is hereby given that Louisa J. Conn of Keno, Oregon, has filed her intention to make final commutation proof in support of her claim. A. H. Homestead Entry No. 3113 made July 11, 1882, for the E_{1/2} S_{1/2} W_{1/2} S_{1/2} W_{1/2} and S_{1/2} E_{1/2} S_{1/2} W_{1/2} sections 7, Township 4, S. Range 9 E. W. M., and that said proof will be made before Geo. Chastain, clerk of Klamath county, Oregon, at his office at Klamath Falls, Oregon, on 3rd day of December, 1906.
 She names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of the land, viz:
 S. W. Town, of Keno, Oregon.
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 Jack Fink, of Keno, Oregon.
 Nathan Edwards, of Keno, Oregon.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

CONTEST NOTICE

Department of the Interior, United States Land Office, Lakeview, Oregon, September 17th, 1906. A sufficient contest affidavit having been filed in this office by Fred L. Sunderman, contestant, against homestead entry No. 3113 made July 11th, 1906, for NW 1/4 of Section 7, T. 3, S. Range 9 E. W. M., by Mary J. Green, contestee, in which it is alleged that the said entryman Mary J. Green, has ever since the said date of her said entry, to-wit: July 11th, 1906, wholly failed to reside thereon, or improve or cultivate any part thereof, that ever since said date, and for more than six months preceding the date hereof, namely: September 3rd, 1906, said entryman has wholly abandoned said land and failed to reside thereon, and has still wholly abandoned said land to reside upon the same or improve or cultivate any part thereof, and that such alleged absence from said land was not due to her employment in the army, navy or marine corps of the United States as a private soldier, officer, seaman or marine, during the war with Spain, or during any other war in which the United States may be engaged, said parties are hereby notified to appear, respond and offer evidence touching said allegation at 10 o'clock a. m., on November 15th, 1906, before George Chastain, County Clerk of Klamath county, at Klamath Falls, Oregon, and that final hearing will be held at 10 o'clock a. m., on November 15th, 1906, before the Register and Receiver at the United States Land Office in Lakeview, Oregon.
 The said contestant having, in a proper affidavit, filed September 17th, 1906, 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 by due and proper publication.
 J. N. WATSON, Register.

TIME TABLE

Klamath Lake Railroad, Oregon Stage Company, Southern Pacific Company.

DAILY	
4:30 a. m. Lv Klamath Falls	Ar 4 p. m.
6:00 a. m. Keno	2:30 p. m.
10:30 a. m. Pokeyama	8:55 a. m.
1:00 p. m. Thrall	1:17 p. m.
7:35 a. m. Portland	8:45 p. m.
8:30 a. m. Ar S. Francisco	Lv 8:20 p. m.

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