KING EDWARD'S HEIGHT.

From This Extract It May Be Drawn That His Majesty Is About Five-Foot-Six.

Why people should make bets on matter about which they have no information, and then ask me to decide them without ascertaining whether I know any more than they do, is one of the mysteries of editorial life, says a writer in London Truth. Here is the latest example of this singular practice:

"Sir: I should esteem it a favor if you will kindly answer in your Truth columns or privately, what the height of King Edward VII. is, as two papers have already been written to, and they decidedly disagree, one stating five feet five and one-half inches, and the other five feet four inches, and I shall, therefore, take your measurement as authentic, etc."

One might have supposed that his previous experience would have shaken this gentleman's confidence in editorial infallibility. Why did he not write to the king's tailor? I have never had occasion to take his majesty's measure. But if my guess is to decide the knotty point, I guess five feet seven inches. No doubt plenty of people will be ready to correct this off hand; but I do not believe I can be more than half an inch out either way. Certainly both the figures given above are under the mark.

HISTORY ON MAN'S SKIN.

A Piece of Artistic Tattooing Revealed by an Arrest of the Paris Police.

A remarkable life story is reported from Lyons. In consequence of a complaint lodged by a local butcher, a young man, of weak and miserable appearance, was arrested for theft. He protested that he was innocent of the charge, and that he had never before been in the hands of the police, says a Paris report to the Chicago Inter Ocean. "To prove the truth of my statement," he continued, baring his breast, "look at this, and see whether it would not be easy to establish my identity."

The young fellow having stripped to the waist, it was found that his body was entirely tattooed with historical scenes, which included the murder of the Duc de Guise and the death of President Carnot.

The man's life story was as remarkable as the rest. Son of the wife of a superior officer in the French army, and born out of wedlock at Marseilles, he was placed by his mother with a woman in that town, who received 60 francs a month for some years for his keep. Afterward he served on several coasting vessels as cook's boy, where he met a former student of the Beaux-Arts school, who was also in difficulties, and who tattooed his body in a most artistic manner.

THEY TOOK NO SOUP.

In the Early Days of the Republic It Was Food for Invalids Only.

Serving dinner in courses is comparatively a modern fashion, first introduced in diplomatic circles in Washington, D. C., and imitated from France. Up to the date of President Polk's administration the course dinner among Americans had made no further progress than that of serving fish and soup separately. Soup was considered such a foreign frippery that a note written by Gen. Winfield Scott, in which he explained that he was "just sitting down to a hasty plate of soup," covered him with such ridicule as to materially contribute to his defeat as a candidate for the presidency, says Lippincott's. Soup in the early days of the republic was considered as food for invalids or poor people only; later, when the social splendors of the court of Empress Eugenie attracted rich Americans in flocks to Paris, French table manners and custom pushed the old English dinner fashions to the wall. It is doubtful, however, if soup ever found a place on the dinner table of the wealthy Maryland or Virginia planter, unless green turtle, which was really a stew, might be so called.

LUNACY ON THE INCREASE.

A Swedish Professor Says That Educated Women Are the Chief Victims.

Hermann Lundborg, of the great Swedish lunatic asylum at Upsala, says that lunacy is increasing among Swedish women and more especially among the educated classes. In the lower classes insanity is brought on chiefly by the cares of life or intemperance, but in the educated women the main cause, he contends, is their education.

Dr. Lundborg emphatically asserts that the forced training to which this class of women submit themselves is most hurtful.

"It is monstrous," he says, "to subject women to this competition, and if the competition does not cease effects upon future generations will be disastrous."

Dr. Lundborg states that the Swedish who have been educated in academies have remarkably small families when they have any and that in too many cases their family relations are unhappy owing to their inability to discharge household duties.

MOUNTAIN PEAK MAY FALL.

Tourists Are in Great Danger from Threatening Mountain Top in the Alps.

Although it has been rumored throughout the Alpine region for some time that the Altels—the great mountain peak which rears itself high above the famous Gemmi pass—was in a more or less shaky condition, no one expected to hear that there was any danger of its falling. Now, however, it is definitely stated that the Altels is on the point of splitting in two and may come thundering down almost any time, says a report from Neuchatel, Switzerland.

Damage enough will be done if the famous peak does fall in any case, but it is to be hoped that the crash will come before the next tourist season begins, for the Gemmi, above which the Altels towers, is used to a greater extent than any other Alpine pass. The inhabitant of the region can imagine what will be the result if the Altels should come crashing down, having experienced such an occurrence on a smaller scale when glaciers from this particular peak have descended upon them. The last one fell in September, 1895, and many peasants were killed.

A Serious Mistake.

E. C. DeWitt & Co, is the name of the firm who make the genuine Witch Hazel Salve. DeWitt's is the Witch Hazel Salve that heals without leaving a scar. It is a serious mistake to use any other. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve cures blind, bleeding, itching and protruding piles, burns, bruises, eczema and all skin diseases. Sold by Slocum Drug Co. Ione Drug Co.

NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDER'S MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Heppner Railroad and Coal Company will be held at the law office of C. E. Redfield, in Heppner, Oregon, on the 16th day of June, 1903, at 2 o'clock p. m. At said meeting a board of three directors will be elected for the ensuing year, and such other business will be transacted as shall come before said meeting.

C. E. REDFIELD,
Secretary of the Heppner Railroad and Coal Company.
Dated Heppner Oregon, May 10 19

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA Grande, Oregon, April 24, 1903.

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,

ELMER LINDSAY,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2289, for the purchase of the lots 1, 2, 3 and 4, of section 19, township 6 south, range 29 east 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 Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Saturday, the 18th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

John L. Ayers, Cecil Humphreys, Harrison Hale, and George Whities, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 18th day of July, 1903.

37-46 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office LaGrande, Oregon, April 24, 1903.

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

FRANK B. KISTNER,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2297, for the purchase of the northeast quarter of section 13, township 6 south range 28 east 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 estabish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Monday, the 20th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Harrison Hale, George Whities, John L. Ayers, Samuel Meadows, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of July, 1903.

37-46 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA Grande, Oregon, May 14, 1903.

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.

SADIE PALMER,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2444, for the purchase of the lot 3, se¼ nw¼ ne¼ sw¼ and nw¼ se¼ of section No. 6 in township No. 4 south range No. 29 east W M, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Friday, the 7th day of August, 1903.

She names as witnesses:

James Stephens, John N. Beeler, Millard French, and Edgar D. Palmer, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of August, 1903.

39-48 E. W. BARTLETT Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, April 25, 1903

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,

PETER GREEN,

of Kalama, county of Cowlitz, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2314, for the purchase of the se¼ ne¼ w½ se¼ and ne¼ sw¼ of section 1, in township 6 south, range 28 east 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 Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21st day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Cornelius Covey, of Kalama, Washington, Mathew A Martin, of Hood River, Oregon, Add Wiar, of Heppner, Oregon, and Martin Seabury of Eufaula, Washington.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of July, 1903.

37-46 † E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, April 25, 1903.

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,

FRED J. HALLOCK,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement Na. 2316, for the purchase of the sw¼ se¼ section 33 township 5 south range 28, and lot 1 and se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼ section 3 in township 6 south range 28 east 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 Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21st day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Andrew J. McKinzie, Lafe Penland, James Hart, and George W. Sperry, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of July, 1903.

37-46 † E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office LaGrande, Oregon, April 25, 1903.

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,

JOSEPH P. WILLIAMS,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2312, for the purchase of the lots 1, 2, 3, se¼ ne¼ and ne¼ se¼ of section No. 1 in township 6 south range 28 e W. M., and will offer proof to show thnt the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21st day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Harrison Hale, John L. Ayers, P. Buell McSwords, and Thomas J. Humphreys, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 21st day of July, 1903.

37-46 † E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land office, La Grande, Oregon, May 11, 1903.

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,

JESSE J. WELLS

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2401, for the purchase of the se¼ se¼ section 23, n½ ne¼ and se¼ ne¼ of section 26 in township 5 south range 28 east 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 Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 29th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

James J. McGee, James M. Hart, Louis Groshens, and Oscar F. Neal, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of July 1903.

39-48 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA Grande, Oregon, April 21, 1903.

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.

Eugene E. Basey, of Heppner,

county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2263, for the purchase of the northeast quarter of southeast quarter of section 17, township 4 south, range 28 east, 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 Vawter Crawford, County Clerk of Morrow County, at Heppner Oregon, on Wednesday the 15th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Sherman Shaw, George A. Stevenson, Irwin Basey and Ernest Hunt, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 15th day of July, 1903.

36-45 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA Grande, Oregon, April 23, 1903.

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,

Oscar F. Neal,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2274, for the purchase of the sw¼ of sec 5 in Tp. 6 South, Range 29 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 Vawter Crawford, County Clerk at Heppner, Oregon, on Thursday, the 16th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Leslie L. Matlock, John L. Ayers, Thomas J. Humphreys and Harrison Hale, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 16th day of July, 1903.

36-45 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, LAND Office at LaGrande, Oregon, May 7, 1903.

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 Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on July 6, 1903, viz: H. E. No. 10524,

IRENE WALTON,

of Heppner, Oregon, for the sw¼ se¼ section 5 and n½ ne¼ section 8, nw¼ nw¼ section 9 tp. 5 s r 28 e W. M

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

Andrew J. McKinzie, Delia Hallock, Charles A. Minor, and George Sperry, all of Heppner, Oregon.

38-43 E W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, May 11, 1903.

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 Sjodin,

of Salem, county of Marion, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2398, for the purchase of the sw¼ of section 34 in township 5 s r 27 e W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 29th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Robert F. Cox, of Portland, Oregon, Matthew A. Martin, of Hood River, Oregon, Peter Green, of Kalama, Washington, and D. P. Garrigues of Hardman, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 29th day of July, 1903.

39-48 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

Timber Land, Act June 3, 1878
NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION

UNITED STATES LAND OFFICE, LA Grande, Oregon, April 30, 1903

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,

WILLIAM P. SNYDER,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2339, for the purchase of the se¼ nw¼ ne¼ sw¼ and w½ se¼ of section 17 in tp 5 south r 29 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 Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Thursday, the 23d day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

James J. McGee, Francis L. Snyder, Edward Duran, and James Long, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 23d day of July, 1903.

38-47 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, April 13, 1903

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,

TRUMAN POND,

of Portland, county of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2228, for the purchase of the se¼ sec 2 tp. 6 s r 27 e, W. M., and will offer proof to show the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Saturday, the 11th day of July 1903.

He names as witnesses: Amos Amound, Clayton Pond, Robert F. Cox, of Portland, Oregon, and Matt A. Martin, of Hood River, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 11th day of July 1903.

35-44 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande Oregon, April 10, 1903.

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,

FREDERICK KOBERNICK,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2226, for the purchase of the east half northwest quarter, northeast quarter southwest quarter, southwest quarter northeast quarter of section 9 in township 6 south range 28 east 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 Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Friday, the 10th day of July 1903.

He names as witnesses:

John W Jaques, Harrison H Duff, of Portland, Oregon, Oliff Shepardson, of Eufaula, Washington, and Otis Shepardson, of Catlin, Washington.

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 July 1903.

34-43 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, La Grande, Oregon, May 8, 1903.

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,

BERT B. ANDERSON,

of Minneapolis, county of Hennepin, State of Minnesota, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No 2381, for the purchase of the ne¼ sw¼ w½ se¼ and se¼ se¼ of section No. 18 in township No. 4 south range No. 30 east 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 Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 28th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

George A Skewis, and A. W. Bascom, of Terril, Iowa, Charles W. Anderson, and Winford S. Harris, of Palouse, Washington.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 28th day of July, 1903.

39-48 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

Independent and reliable—The Oregonian.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, April 24, 1903.

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.

EDWARD BROWN,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2299, for the purchase of the southwest quarter of section 11, township 6 south range 28 east W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Monday, the 20th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Harrison Hale, John L. Ayers, Samuel Meadows, and George Whities, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of July, 1903.

37-46 † E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, April 25, 1903.

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,

HARVEY HUMPHREYS,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2310, for the purchase of the lots 1, 2, 7 and 8, of section 18, in township 6 south range 29 east 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 Vawter Crawford county clerk at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Tuesday, the 21st day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

John L. Ayers, Samuel Meadows, Harrison Hale, and George Whities, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office od or before said 20th day of July, 1903.

37-46 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, April 25, 1903.

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ALLEN W. SALING,

of Eight Mile, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2308, for the purchase of the southwest quarter of section 8 in township 6 south range 29 east 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 Vawter Crawford, county clerk at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Monday, the 20th day of July, 1903.

He names as witnesses:

Harrison Hale, John L. Ayers, Samuel Meadows, and George Whities, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 20th day of July, 1903.

37-46 † E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, May 18, 1903.

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 J. Harris, of Heppner,

county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2199 for the purchase of the se¼ sw¼ sec 33, tp 5 s, r 27, lots 2, 3 and 4 sec 2 and lot 1 sec 3, tp 6 s, r 27 e, W M, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, County Clerk, at Heppner, Oregon, on Thursday, the 13th day of August, 1903

He names as witnesses:

James J. McGee, William E. Pruyn, Will L. Smith, and John M. Kernan, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 13th day of August, 1903.

40-49 E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office LaGrande, Oregon, May 1, 1903.

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 M. KERNAN,

of Heppner, county of Morrow, state of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 2353, for the purchase of the s½ ne¼ and s½ nw¼ of section 2, in township 6 south, range 27 east W. M., and will offer proof to show thrt the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes and to establish his claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Friday, the 24th day of July, 1903,

He names as witnesses:

John Crooks, George A. Wells, Willard Herren, and George Whities, all of Heppner, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24th day of July, 1903.

37-46 † E. W. BARTLETT, Register.

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

United States Land Office, LaGrande, Oregon, May 1, 1903.

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,

ANNA M. GWINN,

of Garfield, county of Whitman, state of Washington, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 2345, for the purchase of the w½ sw¼, s½ nw¼ of section 10 in township 4 south range 29 east W. M., and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before Vawter Crawford, county clerk, at his office at Heppner, Oregon, on Friday, the 24th day of July, 1903.

She names as witnesses:

Charles W. Sanderson, of Palouse, Washington, and Charles A. Gill, Grace G. Gill Edward L. Mooney, all of Garfield, Washington.

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 July, 1903.

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