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South America As Seen by Local Lady

Mrs. Madred Swain is writing to her mother, Mrs. E. E. Scott, from South America, where she is with her husband, who is employed by the government rubber research.

Continued from last week

Manaos, Amazonas, Brazil
November 26, 1944
(Chapter Two)

Dear Folks:

Micki has been heckling me to see if we ever got off the water at Boca do Acre. We did! At 10:00 A.M. the 21st we took off without hitting anything we still do not know why.

The Captain pulled the plane up on the step under full power and practically lifted it off the water. You will notice pictures of some of the debris which was floating down these two rivers. We set course in a westerly direction heading for Sena Madureira and generally followed the Rio Purus.

So that you can find the various towns on the map, Boca do Acre, Rio Branco and Sena Madureira are all just north of longitude 10 South and about the middle between latitude 65 and 70. These three towns form a perfect triangle.

We landed at Sena Madureira on the airport (at least that is what the local inhabitants would like to call it) at 10:50 A.M. the same day. This field was so full of bushes, tall grass and mud holes that the pilot is reporting it unsafe for operations.

Sena Madureira, up to fifteen or more years ago, was the capital of the Territory of Acre. Now it is completely going to seed. At one time, so I am told, they had a tramway, the cars of which were pulled by oxen. You can now see the tracks over which the cars traveled. Much of it has been pulled up and used for various other purposes. I took a picture of the square which shows the neglect of the town by the tall grass allowed to flourish uncut. You may see some of the tracks in this picture being used as an archway.

Sena Madureira is one of our smaller stations and we were able to finish our work here in good time. The last ten feet of film on No. 22 shows pictures of Sena Madureira with your scribe conversing with a team of oxen. There is a break of unexposed film between towns.

(To Be Continued.)

FIVE YEARS AGO THIS WEEK

The Rohl brothers are building a house for their father out by the new planing mill.

Mrs. Lucy Bithers has been ill with the flu. She is improving now.

Mrs. Clara Farra entertained with a turkey dinner Sunday the following friends: Mrs. Mattie Smith, Mrs. Olive Green and Mrs. Margaret Terrell.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Ayres celebrated their 28 wedding anniversary with a family dinner Sunday. Those not able to attend were their son, Delbert Ayres and their son-in-law, Bill Grimes.

If you see Allie Maple, Boggy Lawrence, John Ross and Mr. Maple crawling around on hands and knees, think nothing of it. They are not starting a new cult, just hunting for arrow heads.

Overheard at Basketball game: "If our boys could only have a good big gym, it would make lots of difference."

TEN YEARS AGO

No host party given for the Wm. Foley, newly weds, by the Central Point Grange. House warming held in absent of the honor guests, who didn't put in an appearance, while

group was present. They left much evidence of their presence.

The faculty dinner given for the grade teachers in the home economic room, after dinner adjourned to the H. P. Jewett home.

Mrs. Ellis Clark entertained the following guests at a valentine party Feb. 14: Mr. and Mrs. Guy Tex, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Vincent, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Moore, Mr. and Mrs. O. Hansen, Mrs. E. E. Reames and daughter, Bernice.

Lamb Tongues are blooming in Sams Valley. Donna Stevens brought in a bouquet Feb. 20 to the Johnson Shoe shop in Medford and won the prize offered annually for the first bouquet.

Legal Notices

NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON, FOR JACKSON COUNTY

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF C. F. LAURENS, Deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, administrator in the above entitled matter, has filed here in his final report and account, and that Monday, March 26, 1945, at 10 o'clock A.M. at the courthouse in the city of Medford, in said county, has been fixed by the above named court as the time and place for hearing objections to said final account and for the examination and allowance thereof.

Dated: February 15, 1945.
Walter Germer,
Administrator.
21—Feb. 15, 22, Mar 1, 8

SUMMONS

IN THE CIRCUIT COURT OF THE STATE OF OREGON FOR JACKSON COUNTY

J. R. LEES, Plaintiff,
vs.
L. W. SAVAGE and MRS. L. W. SAVAGE, his wife; WATER-

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HOUSE & LESTER CO., an Oregon Corporation, (dissolved); JACKSON COUNTY, OREGON, a Body Politic; each and all of the unknown heirs of L. W. Savage, Ben Beall, Ann Beall, and each and all of them; also all other persons or parties unknown claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in the real estate described in the complaint herein, Defendants.

To each, every and all of the above named Defendants:

IN THE NAME OF THE STATE OF OREGON, You and each and you are hereby required to appear and answer the complaint filed against you in the above entitled suit on or before the last day of four weeks from the date of the first publication of this summons, and if you fail so to appear and answer said complaint, for want thereof, the Plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in his complaint, succinctly stated as follows, to-wit: That a decree be entered adjudicating any and all right, title, estate, lien or claim which you, or any of you, have, or claim to have, in, to, or upon the real property situated in Jackson County, Oregon, described as follows, to-wit:

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And declaring any and all such claims to be null and void; and decreeing that the said Plaintiff is the owner, in fee simple, of said premises, and of the whole thereof, free and clear of any and all right, title, estate, lien or interest of said Defendants, or any of them, and that each and all of the Defendants herein, and each and all persons claiming, or to claim by, through or under them, or any of them, be forever enjoined, restrained and barred from asserting, attempting to establish, or claiming any right, title, estate, lien or interest in or to said property, or any portion thereof, and that Plaintiff's title to said premises be forever quieted and set at rest.

The date of the order for publication of this summons is February

10th, 1945; the time prescribed for publication of this summons is once each week for four consecutive weeks. The date of the first publication of this summons is February 15th, 1945.

HARRY C. SKYRMAN

Attorney for Plaintiff.

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