

Program To Equalize Tax Burden Is About Halfway Through One Of Eight Phases

A program to equalize the tax burden on real and personal property in Douglas County is about halfway through one of the eight major phases, according to County Assessor Morris C. Bowker.

The program, to be completed about 1960, is part of a statewide effort to bring appraisals of property in line with their true cash values. The program in this county was started last May.

The first phase, the appraisal of residential property, is about half complete, Bowker said. It is tentatively scheduled for completion next June.

Bowker said about 20 per cent of all residences in the county have up-to-date appraisals and these will be continued on the tax rolls.

Results of the reappraisal of the remainder of the homes show that, in nine communities, appraisals on 2,258 houses have been raised by \$178,000. The figure includes 111 new houses completed so far this year.

The appraisals on 1,041 more homes were reduced by a total of \$150,500.

The nine communities are: Reedport, Drain, Yoncalla, Oakland, Sutherlin, Glendale, Canyonville, Riddle and Tri-City. Appraisers from the assessors' office and the State Tax Commission will be inspecting homes in the Roseburg area in March or April, the assessor said.

The appraisal of urban and suburban lots will begin after the reappraisal of residences and will be the second stage of the program. Simultaneously, work will start on the evaluation of commercial buildings, the third phase.

One phase already has been completed—the placing of assessed values on timber lands. That was finished last October by the forest appraisal section of the assessor's office.

Other stages will be:

The reappraisal of industrial property, to be performed by State Tax Commission appraisers when available.

The valuation of farm and grazing lands, to be started sometime early in 1956.

Reappraisal of farm buildings, an activity started two years ago and scheduled for completion early in 1956.

Personal property appraisals of exclusive inventories of merchandise. The work, said Bowker, hasn't been done in the past and inequality has resulted because of the opinion owners have as to the value of their property.

Purpose of the program, the assessor explained, is to equalize assessed value of property so each will pay taxes in proportion to true cash value.

The program will have no effect on the amount of taxes to be raised, since they are fixed in the various budgets of taxing districts and authorities.

Bowker said the program is the "first complete review" of property values throughout the county. He said the office has been "whittling" at the problem for about five years.

He also said it's the intent to keep a crew of appraisers busy keeping tax rolls up to date.

Four-H Clubbers Honored At Lions Annual Dinner

Four-H club members who made outstanding showings at the Douglas County Fair were honored by the Roseburg Lions Club at their annual 4-H dinner Thursday night in the Hotel Umpqua.

County 4-H agent Frank von Borstel introduced the members and presented them with the Lions club plaques for their achievements.

The members were Barbara Knechtel, Wilbur, project sheep; Wilson Allen, Hayhurst Valley, dairy showmanship; Ronald Clack, Myrtle Creek, tractor driving and livestock judging; Glen Jones, Camas Valley, beef and wine showmanship; and the Yoncalla 4-H Livestock Club's horseman-ship team, represented by Roger Russell and Jean Mills.

Jones, in a brief acknowledgment pretty well summed up the Lions participation in the promotion program, when he said that it gives the 4-H workers additional encouragement when they know an organization of businessmen such as the Lions are back of them in their projects.

Von Borstel also spoke briefly on 4-H work, and Lee Allen, leader of the Yoncalla Livestock Club, gave a brief discourse on the importance of the youth program, citing also the advantage of having a businessmen's backing to the farm program.

Woman Hurt, Others Escape As Cars Collide

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of traffic. He said his front wheels locked.

The accident happened about 7:15 p.m.

A report late this morning from Mrs. Berge's doctor revealed she is in no danger of losing the child. He told correspondent Evans she will probably be released from the hospital in two or three days. He said she was doing well.

Berge had cuts and bruises on her face, Lindsay and his passenger were not hurt.

Two spectacular accidents in Roseburg early Saturday caused considerable property damage, but drivers escaped unhurt.

In one mishap, a car driven by Charles Ray Lewis Jr., 17, 813 S. Box 780, was hit broadside by a 1948 Buick sedan at the Oak Avenue crossing, city police said.

Fireman Ralph Richardson, 1132 Garden Valley Rd., said he saw the car slow down, then speed up as the engine approached. He said he thought the car would hit the side of the engine instead of getting part way across the tracks. Engineer Bruce McKinzie of Eugene said he didn't know the accident was going to happen until Richardson yelled.

Lewis said he was the train, but thought it was stopped. The mishap occurred at 12:01 a.m., officers said.

Mrs. Virginia Ellen Welch, 37, of Roseburg, was headed west off the end of the Oak Avenue Bridge about 2 a.m. when the steering gear of her car locked, she told police.

The car skidded sideways and backwards across a sidewalk on Military Avenue, struck a sign in front of Dr. Roy Hanford's office and ended up against a telephone pole. Car damage was estimated at \$400. Damage to the sign was estimated at \$25.

Another accident just north of the Roseburg city limits caused slight damage to two cars. A car driven by Earl Carlos Plummer of 1981 NE Winchester St. was attempting to pull away from the curb headed north when it was bunched by a car driven by James Melvin Haney of 806 SE Kline St. No citations were issued.

Britain's sleek new jet boats records by 2 hours

VANCOUVER, B.C. —The Comet III, Britain's sleek new jet airplane, trimmed 2 hours and 18 minutes from the record Friday as it whizzed in here to complete the Honolulu-Vancouver leg of its round-the-world flight.

The big silver and blue craft made the 2,780-mile trans-Pacific run in 3 hours and 35 minutes for an average speed of slightly under 492 miles per hour. A Canadian Pacific DC-6B set the old record last January.

The Comet III heads for Montreal Sunday on the next to last leg of its globe-circling flight.

British Troops Seize Six Members Of Greek Gang

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BIKE STOLEN

A bicycle owned by David Gilks, 613 N. Ball St., was stolen from Central Junior High School Friday, Roseburg police were told.

Days Creek High School Presents Hillbilly Play

By JEAN YODER

The Days Creek High School play, "Hillbilly Wedding," presented this month, portrayed the efforts of a hillbilly father to "marry off" his eldest, unwashed daughter.

The play was directed by high school teacher Loren Sheldon and Mrs. Beulah Meyer and netted over \$40 to the student body. The play cast included: Warren Snyder, Pat Slater, Howard Dunlap, Joanne Abbaugh, Don Lee, Grady Gauke, Carrie Schaefer and others. Arline Schaefer was student director.

Permanent stage scenery was designed and built by Floyd Heckman, school maintenance man.

Martin Reyes Sentenced To Life In Prison

CORVALLIS — Martin B. Reyes, 23, Seattle, stood expressionless in court Friday as he was sentenced to life in prison.

The sentence was mandatory after a jury earlier in the week convicted him of second-degree murder in the slaying of James R. Applegate, 39, Corvallis, Oct. 24 here.

Applegate was shot to death when he tried to stop Reyes, who was fleeing in a police chase which had led from Eugene, from commandeering his car.

Reyes' only comment to reporters was, "You'll get a big story when this is all over." He did not elaborate. His attorneys did not indicate whether they will seek a new trial.

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Times Story Says Kefauver To Enter Primary In Oregon

PORTLAND — The Coos Bay Times said Saturday in a copy-righted story that Sen. Kefauver (D-Tenn.) would enter the Oregon presidential primary election for the Democratic nomination.

Party leaders here said this came as news to them.

The Times story said that "Kefauver's campaign in Oregon will be headed by William L. Josselin, Portland attorney and secretary to the late Gov. Charles H. Maclean. Josselin directed the senator's primary campaign in Oregon in 1952."

Josselin said that while "I am sympathetic to Sen. Kefauver, my personal problems prevent me from directing the campaign."

Josselin was the general chairman in 1952 and Jack Bain, Multnomah County commissioner, was campaign manager. Bain said Saturday he had not heard that Kefauver would run in Oregon and "I should assume that I would know" if a decision had been made. However, he added, he had not heard from the senator for about 10 days.

The Times story, for Forrest Amesen, news editor, said that Kefauver will campaign both in California and in Oregon "with vigor."

Kefauver announced in Washington Friday that he would enter the Oregon primary, as well as those of Minnesota, Pennsylvania, Illinois and Florida.

These are states in which Adlai Stevenson also will seek the Democratic Party nomination. Stevenson has not yet said he would run in Oregon but neither has he said he would not.

NAMES REDS — Herbert Fuchs, 50, of Washington, D.C., an admitted Communist testified before a House un-American activities subcommittee that he was a leader of Communist cell of 17 attorneys on the staff of the National Labor Relations Board from 1937 to 1942. He named other party members he knew in other cities, many of them in government agencies but added he didn't think any of them were disloyal to the United States. He said he quit the party in 1946.

Arroused Arabs Press For Israel Ouster From U. N.

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. — Aroused Arab members of the United Nations pressed today for Israel's ouster from the world organization because of a bloody raid on Syrian posts.

There was, however, little indignation that the Arab bloc would muster enough support to carry through with the move.

The ouster campaign got under way after Syria's chief delegate Ahmed Shukairy called on the Security Council yesterday to apply economic sanctions against Israel. He told the council that 49 Syrians were killed in an Israeli attack Sunday night on Syrian positions near the east shore of the Sea of Galilee.

Ten of the 11 council members decried the attack. They made it plain that they intend to censure Israel if the facts bear out Syria's charges. The council agreed to call, however, for a full report from Palestine trustee chief, Maj. Gen. E. L. M. Burns before taking any action.

Burns flew to Damascus yesterday. He conferred with Gen. Shaukat Shuqair, Syrian army chief of staff. Informal sources said Shuqair demanded release of Syrians captured in the raid Sunday.

Jordan Rioting Sparks Sympathy Demonstration

DAMASCUS, Syria — Unconfirmed reports that antigovernment rioting blazed up in Jordan Friday sparked off sympathy demonstrations here Saturday. Syrian students marched through the streets shouting slogans against the Baghdad pact and mobbed the Jordanian legation.

Press reports reaching Damascus and Beirut, the Lebanese capital, earlier said 40 persons were killed or injured in clashes with Arab legion troops in Jordan Friday. The demonstrators were reported protesting against moves to bring Jordan into the five-power Baghdad pact, which joins Iraq, Turkey, Iran, Pakistan and Britain in a Middle East defense alliance.

Jordanian information minister Wafsi Altall, in a telephone conversation with the Associated Press in Beirut denied the reports of riots and said there had only been a partial strike in Amman. The situation was now normal, Altall said.

In London, a foreign office spokesman said according to inquiries made by Britain, there had been only small scale demonstrations.

The Jordan government fell Wednesday after a cabinet split over the question of accepting Britain's offer to supply Jordan with new heavy arms and jet fighters if it would agree to come into the Baghdad alliance.

Biologist Will Report On Tenmile Fish Studies

PORTLAND — John Rayner, a biologist, will report Saturday to the State Game Commission on his studies of fishlife in Tenmile Lake on the Oregon Coast.

His report, together with testimony taken at a public hearing here Friday, will be considered by the commission before a final decision is reached on whether the lake should be poisoned and restocked with trout.

Salmon industry spokesmen and sports fishermen who like perch oppose the plan.

Trout fishermen generally favor it.

Singer Gordon Macrae Guilty Of Drunk Driving

SAN FERNANDO, Calif. — Singer Gordon Macrae, who police said flunked a sobriety test following a traffic accident Tuesday, has been convicted of drunk driving and fined \$315.

Macrae had pleaded innocent and demanded a jury trial. Yesterday he waived trial and submitted the case to Judge Julian Beck.

LARCENY COUNT ENDED

A larceny charge against Ralph Potter was dropped by Justice of the Peace Clarence Leonard Thursday in Drain at the end of a preliminary hearing. Potter had been charged with removing furniture not belonging to him from a house.

New Engine Design May Revolutionize Auto Industry

LONDON — Granville Bradshaw, chief research engineer for Britain's Royal Navy during World War II, said Saturday he has invented a new type of motor "which will completely revolutionize the world's automobile industry."

Bradshaw, 67-year-old millionaire designer and the men who built the world's first radial airplane engine, said his new power plant is only one third the size of a normal auto engine. He said it develops 30 per cent more power, weighs 70 per cent less and runs on any liquid fuel.

Bradshaw, in a statement issued by his press representative, said: "Leading engineers to whom I have shown my new engine agree it will revolutionize the automobile industry in the same way that the jet engine changed the scene in aviation."

He said he conquered the biggest bug in internal combustion engine design—friction.

The inventor said the new engine has only nine moving parts.

Instead of pistons being forced up and down with great waste of power, he said, "they merely float between gasses in my 'Omega' As a result the engine will last for over 200,000 miles without reconditioning. This is longer than the life of a car."

Bradshaw said he will demonstrate his engine publicly in London Jan. 4.

"I will bring a 65 horsepower prototype with me in a biscuit box," he said.

Bradshaw's previous inventions range from 3-D television and penny slot machines to airplane engines. For his work in developing the radial engine, he received a \$1,000,000 (\$120,000) grant from the British government.

Oregon Polio Committee Urges Retaining Vaccine

PORTLAND — The Oregon Polio Association today urged the state board of health to retain all its Salk vaccine.

The U. S. health bureau has requested that any excess supplies in Oregon be returned for redistribution elsewhere. The request came after it became apparent that the state's quota was not being used.

Since the request was made, however, usage has nearly doubled, health officials said.

Children from 1 to 15 and pregnant women are eligible for the shots.

No Income Tax Reduction Seen By Investigator

WASHINGTON — Rep. Mills (D-Ark) said today his just-ended hearings on tax policy have convinced him he is right in advocating a reduction of the national debt before income taxes are cut.

Mills, an influential member of the tax-writing House Ways and Means Committee, heads a Senate-House economic subcommittee on tax policy which yesterday wound up two weeks of hearings. He said the subcommittee's findings will be announced in early January.

6,000 Plywood Workers Approve New Contract

OLYMPIA — Some 6,000 plywood workers in Washington and Oregon have approved a new contract calling for wage increases of 5 to 15 cents an hour, a union official announced Friday.

Gordon Johnson, district secretary of Plywood District No. 9 of the International Woodworkers of America, announced ratification of the agreement reached with operators at Portland Nov. 23.

Johnson said the vote was about five to one in favor of acceptance.

4 ELDERLY WOMEN BURN

BEAUMONT, Tex. — Four elderly women burned to death Saturday when fire swept through a 10-room frame nursing home. Dead were Mrs. Emma L. Harper, 82; Mrs. Betty Ann Cox, 80; Mrs. E. E. Perry, 76 and Mrs. Annie Kratzer, 80.

The roof collapsed on the rooms in which the four died.

Mental Patient Killer Escaped Is Recaptured

SYRACUSE, N. Y. — A brilliant one-time Texas college student who killed his parents in 1935 and escaped twice from a mental institution was captured a third time yesterday.

Howard Merritt Pierson, 41, had been at large for three years this time. He was arrested when he visited a psychiatrist. He surrendered quietly.

His father, William Pierson, was an associate justice of the Texas Supreme Court.

Howard, 29 and a student at the University of Texas at the time, took his parents to a lonely road and shot them.

Syracuse detective Francis Garn said an attorney here tipped Texas authorities after Pierson had come to him and told his life story. The attorney, Garn said, advised Pierson to consult the psychiatrist.

Garn decided to identify either professional man.

At the murder trial, one of the most sensational of the 1930s, Pierson was adjudged insane. He was committed to the Austin, Tex., State Hospital.

Man Confesses Setting Fire In Which Two Die

OAKLAND, Calif. — Police said Friday a 33-year-old man had confessed he fired a bedroom with gasoline, resulting in the death of a divorcee, 35, and an ex-aiman, 27.

Anthony J. Bolger, captain of inspectors, said the confession was made by Gerald Cornwall, a Key transit system mechanic who had been living with Mrs. Alice Franklin, the divorcee, in her apartment unit Oct. 5.

Mrs. Franklin died early Friday of burns received after gasoline was thrown over her bed as she and Robert L. Hand lay asleep. He died Thursday shortly after the fire was found off. His entire body was blistered.

833 Civilian Employees To Be Laid Off At Depot

HERMISTON — A Defense Department personnel reduction, announced two months ago by Secretary Wilson, will result in the layoff Feb. 9 of some 80 of the 833 civilian employees at the Army Umatilla Ordnance Depot near here.

Lt. Col. James Guthrie, commanding officer, said Friday he had received orders to make the cut from the chief of Ordnance at Washington, D. C. All departments probably will be affected, he said.

Bodies Of Two Duck Hunters Are Recovered

HILLSBORO — Bodies of two duck hunters, who drowned in the Tualatin River along Wednesday, were recovered Friday.

They were John Mason Jr., 28, Beaverton, and Ray Blohm, 38, Portland. Blohm's twin brother, Roy, was a member of the grappling crew that recovered the bodies.

The hunters' boat apparently overturned when a strong wind storm hit the slough.

Turkey's Premier Gets Big Confidence Vote

ANKARA, Turkey — Supporters of Premier Adnan Menderes beat down strong opposition attacks in Parliament last night to give a 308-58 confidence vote on his new Cabinet and economic policies.

Menderes' previous Cabinet resigned two weeks ago because of the country's economic situation. The present Cabinet is the fourth in the premier's five years in power.

PLANNER APPOINTED

The Douglas County Court Thursday appointed Alfred A. Rear, Reedport, to be a member of the County Planning Commission to replace Tom Lillebo, Reedport, who resigned. The term will expire Feb. 28, 1957.

TO INSTALL LIGHTS

The Steeck Electric Co., Roseburg, has been awarded a contract by the Oregon Highway Commission to install traffic signals at the intersection of the Pacific Highway and Riverside Avenue in Medford. Their winning bid was \$6,600.

TWO BURN TO DEATH

MASHPEE, Mass. — Two men burned to death and three persons were injured Saturday as fire destroyed the historic Attiquin Hotel.

Negro Minister's Son Confesses Extortion Attempt

MIAMI, Fla. — A Negro minister's son arrested here Friday night has admitted that he tried to extort \$600,000 from publisher John S. Knight by threatening his family, the Federal Bureau of Investigation said Saturday.

The Negro, 20-year-old Peter Napoleon Williams Jr., was captured when he picked up a dummy package which had been placed on a garbage rack behind a row of houses.

FBI agent Charles E. Weeks said Williams at first told officers he had opened the package only out of curiosity, but later admitted that he wrote the extortion note to Knight, publisher of the Miami Herald, the Chicago Daily News, the Detroit Free Press and the Akron Beacon-Journal.

Extortion charges will be filed against Williams, Weeks said.

Knight received a crudely written two-page letter in Chicago after it had been mailed in Miami. The FBI said the letter threatened death to Knight's family unless the demand for the \$600,000 was met. The letter was signed "Extortioners, Inc." Weeks said.

A map specified where the money was to be put at 9:30 p.m. Friday.

The package was to include \$300,000 in \$1 bills and the remainder in \$5, \$10 and \$20 denominations. The letter warned that all Knight's telephone wires were tapped and said that both he and his family were under constant watch.

Manager Of Hotel Dies Here Friday

Annabelle Niles, 65, manager of the Valley Hotel, died Friday evening at her residence in the hotel. She was born July 20, 1890 at Danneberg, Neb. She was a member of the Lutheran Church and of the Royal Neighbors of Woodcraft, Portland.

Survivors include the husband, Edwin Niles of Roseburg; a daughter, Mrs. Floyd (Grace) Kinners of San Francisco; a grandson, two sisters, Mrs. H. A. Peterson of Dallas, Ore., and Mrs. Mary Jensen of Danneberg; and one brother, Pete Envelidsen of Omaha, Neb.

The body has been removed to The Chapel of the Roses. Funeral arrangements will be announced after arrival of relatives.

Rural Fire Hall Takes On Festive Appearance

The Roseburg Rural Fire Hall on Garden Valley Road took on a festive Christmas appearance Saturday.

Firemen were busy putting up outdoor decorations which include a 15-foot lighted tree, a cross and stars on the siren tower, three big lighted candles and lights for the hall front.

They extended a special invitation to area residents to drive by and see the decorations.

Lookingglass School Leads For Jr. Red Cross

The Lookingglass School has gained at least the temporary distinction of turning in the largest amount of money from any school in the county in the Junior Red Cross enrollment drive.

Two checks totaling \$42.97 have been received from the school. One is for \$20.17 collected by H. H. Eskridge, teacher-sponsor, and the other is \$22.80 from the Lookingglass Activity Club. The school is in District 116.

The money collected in the enrollment drive over the county during November and December goes for gift chests for needy children in foreign lands. The chests contain food, clothing, concentrates, etc. Ruth Swinney, county Junior Red Cross chairman, says the chests help promote friendship between the children of the U.S. and other countries.

Woman Injured Fatally When Automobile Skids

BURNS — Mrs. Clinton Van Cleef, 38, of Hines, was injured fatally when an automobile she was driving skidded and overturned on an icy highway Friday night.

Two passengers, Mrs. Everett Twinn and Mrs. John Woods, also Hines, were injured, Mrs. Twinn seriously.

The women were returning from a shopping trip at Bend when the accident occurred 40 miles west of here.

Beaver Platoon Is Being Formed

A new Beaver Platoon, the fifth is being formed by U.S. Marine Corps recruiters in Oregon, according to Sgt. Barney Shanks, recruiter here.

Shanks said enlistment for recruits joining the platoon will be Jan. 11. No applicants will be taken after Jan. 5. Shanks' office is in the county courthouse.

The platoon will consist of about 75 men to be enlisted from Oregon, southern Washington and northern California. Enlistments may be made for three or four years.

Shanks said the first four Beaver platoons have been "tremendous successes." The story of forming such platoons is that new Marines will become more easily adjusted to military life by going through basic training with "hometown buddies."

General Assembly Bogs Down Again

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y. — The U. N. General Assembly bogged down in a diplomatic tangle late last night over a lottery scheme designed to break the deadlock on a disputed Security Council seat.

Instead of winding up the 13-week old 10th session, Assembly delegates recessed and agreed to come back Monday morning to vote all over again on a holly-contested plan to give Yugoslavia the council seat next year and the Philippines the seat in 1957.

Assembly President Jose Maza of Chile proposed the lottery plan after 34 ballots failed to elect the third nonpermanent member of the Security Council for 1956-57. The proposal drew immediate protests from a dozen delegates and the adjournment until Monday came after the 35th ballot failed to produce a winner.

Higher Foreign Spending Planned

WASHINGTON — Top administration officials are reported drafting a stepped-up foreign aid request to Congress of nearly five billion dollars for next year—some \$2,200,000,000 more than the legislators voted last session.

Informants said the big new program, partly in answer to Russia's tougher anti-Western policies, would be divided up this way:

Military assistance—about three billion dollars, triple the amount Congress approved for the present fiscal year which began last July 1.

Economic aid—some \$1,900,000,000, about \$300,000,000 more than this year's appropriations for such purposes.

High ranking administration sources who disclosed the size of the foreign aid plans acknowledged many congressmen would be surprised—perhaps shocked—by any move to push foreign aid appropriations that high.

Sherry Fong Sentenced To Life Imprisonment

PORTLAND — Sherry Fong, 24, was sentenced Friday to life in prison in the 1954 death of Diane Irvin Goodman, her attorney, was given 10 days in which to file motions to set aside the sentence and for a new trial.

Mrs. Fong was convicted by a jury earlier in the week of second-degree murder. It was her third trial. In the first a jury found her and her husband, Wayne, guilty of first-degree murder. But Judge Alfred Dobson set aside the verdict. The second proceeding, against Mrs. Fong alone this time, was declared a mistrial.

Her husband's retrial probably will be next month.

The prosecution contends that the Fongs killed the Hank girl, whose body was found alongside a road near Washougal, Wash., because the girl had knowledge that Fong was connected with a narcotics ring.

FIVE PERSONS KILLED

BELTON, Tex. — Five persons were killed in a collision between two automobiles 10 miles south of here Saturday.

Killed were Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Love, Greenville, Tex., their two sons, Rufus Jr., 15, and Sammie, 13; and Joseph P. Lyvera, 24, a Ft. Hood, Tex., soldier.

Dulles Throws U. S. Support Behind Plan

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expanding threat from the East. The statement said all members were determined to see the Atlantic forces equipped with the most modern weapons, with special emphasis on air defense and warning in Europe.

The council "noted with regret" that Russia at the Geneva Big Four foreign ministers meeting had repudiated proposals for negotiating German unification and opposed any effective system for controlling armaments. It reaffirmed its determination to roll back the Russians from German territory by peaceful means and to reunify the country under the West German Federal Republic.

The council also cited "recent provocative moves and declarations by the Soviet Union regarding the Middle East and Asia" and said their tactics coupled with Russia's steadily growing military power, presented "a new challenge to the free world."

Argentina Smashes Plot, 500 Persons Arrested

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gathered by the plotters. It was mostly instructions for coordinating the plot. Apparently those involved are largely civilians linked with the former regime of Juan Peron, but there are some military and police elements included.

Gen. Aramburu has been in office since Dec. 3 when he and a group of military and civilian leaders ousted Gen. Eduardo Lonardi from the provisional presidency.

The leaders of the coup charged that Lonardi's regime was being infiltrated by "totalitarian influences." Lonardi was the main-spring of the revolt which overthrew the dictatorship of Juan Peron on Sept. 19. Peron now is living in exile in Panama.

At least one other plot against the government has been reported since Aramburu took over direction of the government. On Dec. 7 the Sporill News Agency said a plot involving several army officers had been uncovered at Mendoza in western Argentina.

The government denied the report. The next day, however, the federal administrator in Mendoza took temporary control of the city's police headquarters, explaining that it still had "some characteristics" of the Peron dictatorship.

Roseburg Telephone Exchange Increased 9.7 Per Cent

The number of telephones in the Roseburg exchange increased 9.7 per cent in the past year, reported J. S. McGowan, exchange manager for the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Co.

The number in use went up from 11,350 to 12,432, he said. Roseburg now has 10,387 telephones, Oakland-Sutherlin 1,613, Camas Valley 145 and Glade 277.

MISSIONARY All Day SUNDAY, DEC. 18 Sunday School 9:45 a.m. A special missionary feature WORSHIP SERVICE 11 a.m. Pastors Ministerial Service "The Sin of Doing Nothing" From II Kings, 6-7 EVENING MISSIONARY SERVICE 7:45 Presenting Sound Film "Adventures With Christ in Africa" A film on Pioneer Missions SEE

Female With Doctor Secret Hallowed Rites Pygmy Jungle Hunt Mission Development Don't miss this picture! Christian & Missionary Alliance Church Labor Temple, S.E. Cobb St. Rev. A. Hornish, pastor Phone OR 3-5389 Gospel Broadcast, KRXL 6:35 a.m.

SPECIAL CHRISTMAS SERVICES

DECEMBER 18th

10:00 a.m.—COMBINED WORSHIP HOUR

- ★ Children's Christmas Program
- ★ Christmas Sermon by the Pastor
- ★ Distribution of Christmas Treats

7:00 p.m.—CHRISTMAS CAROL SING by 27-Voice Robed Junior Choir

7:30 p.m.—"GLORY TO GOD", a Biblical Drama presented by the Young People

DECEMBER 25th

9:45 a.m.—SUNDAY SCHOOL

10:45 a.m.—CHRISTMAS DAY WORSHIP

- ★ Special Music by the Choir
- ★ "The Offing Wise Man" narrated by the Pastor
- ★ Sermon: "THANK GOD FOR JESUS!"

4:00 p.m.—CANDLELIGHT VESPER SERVICE

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