

Despite Its Small Size, Uruguay Is A Land Of Big Accomplishments

This is the first in a series of five articles dealing with the five countries from which Roseburg's sister city will be chosen. Readers are asked to read these reports as bases for a vote which will be taken next week through The News-Review. Reports on the other four countries being considered by the Sister City Committee will appear daily through Friday.

Uruguay is a land of gauchos which can brag of mighty accomplishments despite its small size. It's about the same size as South Dakota, but despite being threatened and harassed by two big neighbors (Brazil on the north and Argentina on the south), it has emerged as a true republic with some of the most advanced ideas in the western hemisphere. The country's profile reads much like that of the United States. Against great odds, it achieved in-

dependence in 1828. The country has complete religious freedom, although most of its 2,800,000 people are Catholic. It has a high standard of living and social welfare programs far surpassing that of any other country in the western hemisphere. Its literacy rate is high, and everyone over the age of 18 is allowed to vote. The eight-hour day was established in Uruguay even before the United States had such a law. Politically, it is not as stable as the United States, but is considered more stable than most Latin American countries. Like the United States, it has set up strong safeguards against the military in governmental operations. Instead of a president, the country is guided by a nine-man elected council. This council has more power than the U.S. President, but because nine men must cooperate to

Two Persons Suffer Hurts In Separate Auto Crashes

Two persons suffered injuries in separate accidents in Douglas County over the weekend according to state police reports, but other persons in the cars involved were not hurt. An accident Saturday at 11:50 p.m. on U.S. Highway 99 at its intersection with Chestnut Street, Roseburg, involved vehicles operated by Erma Samarron, 209 E. Central Ave., Sutherlin, (not injured), and by Lowell Little, 111 E. Rhodes, 18, Star Route Box 460, Winston. Beatrice Smith, Sutherlin, a pas-

senger in the Samarron station wagon, suffered a severe cervical strain and was taken to Douglas Community Hospital. Ramona Varra, Oakland, another passenger was not injured. Both vehicles were traveling north on U.S. Route 99, with the Rhodes auto following the Samarron car. Mrs. Samarron came to a sudden stop to avoid striking the rear end of a vehicle in front of her, which was making a left turn onto Chestnut St. Rhodes could not stop and struck the rear of the station wagon. The latter vehicle was driven from the scene, but the Rhodes car had to be towed away. Passengers with Rhodes were Carroll Snarr, Roseburg; Jerry Lee Hawkins, Myrtle Creek, and Ronald Eugene Miner, Milo.

Oregon May Get Federal Civil Defense Funds

SALEM (UPI) — Federal civil defense officials may reverse their earlier stand and provide matching funds for Oregon's stripped-down CD agency, it was revealed today. State Director Robert W. Sandstrom told UPI that he submitted a request for matching funds to regional civil defense headquarters on June 3. On Friday two federal officials came to Salem to discuss the state's proposed new organization, requested additional information, and indicated a decision would be made by Friday of this week. Meantime, Sandstrom gave nine state civil defense employees termination notice Friday, and said three more would get notice at the end of this week if federal matching funds were refused.

The other accident, which occurred on Old Highway 99 opposite the Keller Lumber Co. near Winchester, involved a single vehicle, operated by James Edwin Gillette, 18, Myrtle Point. A passenger, John Marvin Gillette, 17, Roseburg, suffered abrasions to his right knee and contusions to the chest. He was taken to Mercy Hospital by ambulance. The police report states the car was northbound on U.S. 99 near the Go-Kart track. The operator passed another vehicle and when he entered a curve in the road lost control and rolled over. The car came to rest in the ditch on the west side of the highway. The auto had to be towed from the scene.

Road Mishaps Claim Seven

At least seven persons died in Oregon highway accidents over the weekend. Robert Lee Williams, 37, Klamath Falls, was killed Sunday on Highway 66 about three miles east of Ashland when he was thrown from his car as it rolled over. Delbert Ross Jennings, 56, McDoel, Calif., and Simon B. Riddle, 33, Klamath Falls, passengers in the car, were hospitalized at Ashland in good condition. Ross, Rogers, 82, Dayton, and his wife, Josephine, 74, were killed Sunday in a two-car, head-on collision on the Hopewell-Lafayette secondary road at Hopewell near McMinnville. Marshall Pelouquin, 51, Portland, died in a hospital Sunday of injuries suffered Saturday night when his car left a Multnomah County road and hit a utility pole. John Dykstra, 67, Portland, was killed in a one-car accident on U.S. Highway 30 near Arlington Saturday. Patrick Young, 20, Bend, lost his life in Upper Shevlin Park near Bend when a car struck a group of trees. Deo Shankles, 69, Portland, died in a three-car collision in Portland Saturday. The body of Ben Schomberg, 72, of Junction City was found Sunday night in his auto at the junction of U.S. Highway 99W and State Highway 36 just south of Junction City. Witnesses said his car went through a stop sign and came to rest in a ditch. Sheriff's deputies said the driver may have suffered a heart attack.

At present only 15 persons remain on the staff. Others quit earlier when the legislature voted to strip the 18-member staff to a three-person unit. Sandstrom said if federal funds are refused, he planned to keep himself, radio technician Joseph Vogt, and bookkeeper Donna Casey on the staff. If federal matching funds are approved, three others will be retained: Radiological defense and shelter officer W. F. Coleman, information director Gerald Clausen, and property records clerk Fay Millie. Sandstrom said the state organization would move to new headquarters in the capitol basement June 21. Workmen are now completing the \$36,000 project. Sandstrom said the Lincoln and Multnomah County civil defense organizations are being dropped, the future of the Deschutes County organization was in doubt, and that the Klamath County organization was shifting from a full to part-time county director. He said budget hearings on other county CD organizations will be held later this month.

Warmer Weather Due

The five-day weather forecast, according to the Weather Bureau station at the Roseburg Airport, calls for temperatures averaging near or a little above normal with highs ranging in the 70's or low 80's and minimums in the 40's. Little if any precipitation is expected.

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'Bus Stop' Due For Extra Run

Merely Players will meet at the new Umpqua West Theater at 7:30 tonight and make a decision on whether to have a three-night or four-night re-run of their highly successful production of the play "Bus Stop." A capacity audience was on hand for Saturday night's presentation, and enthusiastic response of the audience and popular demand have resulted in a decision to prolong the run, according to Glen Yates, publicity chairman. Also at tonight's meeting, preliminary planning will be made on the Players' summer musical production, "Flower Drum Song." Casting will be done right after the conclusion of the current production and early summer presentation is planned for the musical. Don Baile will direct and Bob Robins will direct musical numbers.

New Pastors Due For Methodists

The Rev. Clark Enz of Oregon City will replace the Rev. H. James Jenkins as minister of the Roseburg First Methodist Church. The appointment was announced at the Oregon Annual Conference of the Methodist Church held last week in Salem. Jenkins recently took an appointment as superintendent of the Forest Grove District. The churches at Sutherlin and Wilbur will be pastored by the Rev. Richard Case, who replaces the Rev. Eugene Groves. Groves has accepted an associate pastorate at Anchorage, Alaska. Other appointments throughout the county, all continuations of present pastorate, include Everett Gardner, Dillard-Winston; W. M. Parker, Drain; J. Palmer Sorlien, Yoncalla-Elkton; J. T. Dixon, Camas Valley-Teafield; and Alice May Wooley, Days Creek. The new ministers for the area are due to arrive this week and are scheduled to preach at services this coming Sunday.

Eugene Rejects Budget

EUGENE (UPI) — Voters in the Eugene school district turned down a 1963-64 operating levy for the second time Friday. The vote on a tax levy to provide \$5,931,865 above the six per cent limitation was 3,451 yes and 4,154 no. A separate \$90,000 levy to provide salary increases was beaten by a vote of 4,011 to 3,577.

Discharged

Randy Butler, Mrs. Johnny Dodson and son Craig Burton, Mrs. Allen Sullivan, Lefloy Gram, Mrs. Clarence Bassmussen, Mrs. Wilham Smith, Mrs. Bill Paxton, Mrs. William Long and son William Andrew, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Paul Pratt and son Paul Richard, Mrs. Isaac Thomas and daughter Faye Ella, Ronda Beck, all of Sutherlin; Billy Pruitt, Mrs. Norman Walker and daughter Betty Louise, all of Winston; Elton Colter, Riddle; Lloyd Pope Sr., Mrs. James Jones and son Gregory Paul, Camas Valley; Eugene Alexander, Everett, Wash.

Mersey Hospital Admitted

Medical: Mrs. Chester DeWitt, John Schinsoy, Jack Gillette, Mrs. Elmer Pierce, Mrs. David Harris, Herbert Sanders, Mrs. Phillip Sprando, all of Roseburg; John Traub, Myrtle Creek; Bennie Bennett, Sutherlin. Surgery: Mrs. Alexander Meyer, Timothy Kilkenny, both of Roseburg; William McCauley, Myrtle Creek. Discharged: Mrs. James Wright, Mrs. Herman McDowell, and son Duane Lee, Jack Gillette, Dwight Roberts, Mrs. Raymond Martin and son Timothy John, Susan Danchok, Mrs. Mollie Renfro, Mrs. George Grubb, Joseph Schultz, Joe Fabian, Ada Burd, Mrs. Homer Keene, Mrs. Daisy McLean, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Thomas Whisenand, Winston; Kenneth Hodje, Sutherlin; Mrs. Dodge Emerson, Myrtle Creek; Mrs. Gordon Smith and son Vernon Lee, Riddle; James Spackman, Winchester; Arthur Cunningham, Camas Valley.

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GREETING CAMPERS — George Alexander, Eugene Boy Scout executive for the Oregon Trail Council, greets scouts of Explorer Post 109 as they get off a bus at the Boy Scout camporee, held Saturday and Sunday on the ranch of Charles (Chub) Church at Melrose. Total of 17 Boy Scout troops and 210 scouts took part in the camporee, which was concluded with the presentation of awards Sunday afternoon. The bus, owned by the Latter Day Saints troop, is used for all of the post's outings. It was just secured this year. (News-Review photo)



TROOP 16, GLENDALE, camp at the Boy Scout camporee Saturday and Sunday is shown above. This camp is typical of those at the camporee, which was reported as highly successful. Jim Fowler, Riddle, district commissioner, was in charge of the camporee. (News-Review photo)

Hospital News

Visiting Hours
2 to 3:30 p.m. and 7 to 8 p.m.

Douglas Community Hospital Admitted

Medical: Mrs. Bill Paxton, Robert Ellenwood, Barry Payton, Mrs. Mavis Chittum, Robin Conn, Mrs. Jerome Langsdorfer, Mark Walpole, Mrs. Raymond Greene, Mrs. Howard Leverett, George Huntley, Mrs. Ronald Zeissler, Evelyn Talon, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Earl Keele, Riddle; Rose Miller, Winston; Mrs. Everett Blondell, Wilbur; Ronda Beck, Sutherlin. Surgery: Royal Low, Patricia Wilson, both of Roseburg; Amos McDonald, Winston. Discharged: Randy Butler, Mrs. Johnny Dodson and son Craig Burton, Mrs. Allen Sullivan, Lefloy Gram, Mrs. Clarence Bassmussen, Mrs. Wilham Smith, Mrs. Bill Paxton, Mrs. William Long and son William Andrew, all of Roseburg; Mrs. Paul Pratt and son Paul Richard, Mrs. Isaac Thomas and daughter Faye Ella, Ronda Beck, all of Sutherlin; Billy Pruitt, Mrs. Norman Walker and daughter Betty Louise, all of Winston; Elton Colter, Riddle; Lloyd Pope Sr., Mrs. James Jones and son Gregory Paul, Camas Valley; Eugene Alexander, Everett, Wash.

THE LONG STRETCH

LONDON (UPI) — The following ad appeared in the Sunday Times: "Trombone player wishes to sell 28 sports jackets with one arm longer than the other."

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Attorney General, Dixie Solons Talk Civil Rights Legislation

WASHINGTON (UPI) — Atty. Gen. Robert F. Kennedy met for nearly two hours today with Southern senators to discuss the administration's forthcoming civil rights legislation. He told them final details still had not been worked out. Details of the closed meeting at the Capitol were skimpy. But one participant, Sen. Allen J. Ellender, D-La., conceded dryly after the session that "there wasn't much meeting of the minds." The attorney general's session with about a dozen Dixie senators came as President Kennedy was

appealing anew for peaceful solution of spreading racial strife in the nation. The President told the graduating class of American University here that in seeking world peace, the nation must look inward to assure that there also is peace at home. With reference to the administration's forthcoming civil rights proposals to be presented to Congress, the President said the government has a responsibility to see that freedom is guaranteed to all citizens. He said Congress also must do its part in this respect and correct inadequacies where they exist. Senate Democratic Leader Mike Mansfield, Mont., said the attorney general told the Southern senators, however, that no "final conclusions" have yet been reached on details of the civil rights package. His statement reinforced other signs that the proposals would not be submitted to Congress until late in the week. The President has scheduled another meeting Tuesday with a group of business executives with operations in the South to appeal for voluntary desegregation of public facilities. He also will meet later in the week with union leaders to seek equal job opportunities for Negroes. There appeared no doubt that Southern senators would attempt to filibuster the plan to death in the Senate. Mansfield said this was not discussed at today's session but made clear there was no question in his mind about the Dixie tactics. In the Senate today, a Southern senator predicted that the Senate would enact an administration civil rights program this year. Sen. George A. Smathers, D-Fla., said it appeared that the lawmakers would override any Southern-backed attempt to filibuster the program to death.

Storms Leave Death Trail In Midwest

By United Press International
Thunderstorms and tornadoes left a trail of death and destruction in the Midwest today. Tornadoes touched down in Michigan, Minnesota and North Dakota Sunday. The twisters struck three times in the area around Grand Rapids, Mich., and 1.70 inches of rain fell there in six hours ending this morning. The tornado caused \$100,000 damage at Belmont, Mich., five miles north of Grand Rapids. Lightning destroyed a service station and several persons were injured, two seriously. A tornado also was sighted near Cascade Twp., east of Grand Rapids, and at Hudsonville, on the southwest edge of town. Unconfirmed tornadoes were reported over Howard City and in Michigan's Newaygo County. The drowning toll alone ran into the dozens during the weekend. Two accidents in Wisconsin took three drowning victims each. Three men drowned in Lake Winnebago Saturday night. A father and his two children drowned in the Wisconsin River near Spring Green. Ten persons drowned in Ohio, and the toll in Indiana was nine water deaths. A powerful wind shook an American Airlines plane that was landing in Chicago's O'Hare Field. A stewardess and two passengers suffered bruises and were treated at a hospital. Thunderstorms lashed scattered parts of New England Sunday on the 10th anniversary of the Worcester tornado. That twister, in 1953, killed 94 persons, injured 140, and did about \$75-million damage. A teen-ager was killed in a head-on collision in Tyngsboro, Mass., during a driving rainstorm. Minor flooding and washouts were reported in the same western Massachusetts area. Rainfall amounts for the 24 hours ending late Sunday included: Denver .90, Milwaukee .87, Amarillo, Tex., .78, Boston .69, Cleveland .66 and Detroit .56. A severe thunderstorm hit Cambridge, Ohio, which already had floods from heavy rains last week. Firemen went to the municipal park pond to pump out some of the rain so the dam would not break. A tornado blew down a barn and damaged the house on a farm near Janesville, Iowa. A Jackson, Mich., man was killed early Sunday when he tried to move a downed electrical wire carrying 4,000 volts.

Police Probe Report Auto Hit Mail Boxes

Roseburg City Police were called to 286 NE Rifle Range Road Saturday about 7:05 p.m., when Darvan Shoemaker that address reported a car had struck and knocked over several mail boxes along the road. A suspect car was traced and the owner and an occupant questioned. Several minor burglaries and disturbances were investigated by officers over the weekend.

Cardinal Asks End To Promises Of Non-Catholics In Marriages

BOSTON (UPI) — Richard Cardinal Cushing urges abolition of the "famous promises" which the Catholic church asks of a non-Catholic in a mixed marriage. The cardinal described as "an irritant to many" the promises which primarily require that children of a mixed marriage be baptized and reared as Catholics. Cardinal Cushing made known his views in two interviews with the Rev. Walter M. Abbott, S.J., feature editor of the Catholic weekly publication America. The high prelate placed himself on the side of the church fathers who want a resumption of Vatican Council II. The first council was convened by Pope John XXIII. If the council follows the pastoral approach of the late pontiff, Cardinal Cushing said, "there should be considerable changes in church law." Chief among these, he said, should be a rewriting of church law on mixed marriages and abolition of the church's index of prohibited books. The cardinal said "the requirement that a non-Catholic partner make the famous promises before marriage is an irritant to many, and some... make the promises in bad faith. "If we no longer required the promises, we would not be revoking any divine law; we would not be changing any dogma of the church." The cardinal said the index of prohibited books has caused many problems. For example, he said, "some Catholic scholars want to read Communist publications to obtain a clear understanding of the enemy."

Famed Youth Choir In Concert Tonight

The touring Westminster Youth Choir of the Oak Cliff Presbyterian Church of Dallas, Tex., will sing at the Roseburg First Presbyterian Church tonight at 8 o'clock. The public is invited to attend. The sixth annual tour of this group is taking them into eight western states. Director of the 75-voice choir is William C. Everett and accompanist is Eilan Smith. Five previous tours have taken the choir into 24 states and they have given concerts in more than 50 churches and impromptu concerts in such places as the rotunda of the Senate office building in Washington, D.C., legislative building of the Manitoba Province in Canada, Illinois Monument of the Vicksburg National Military Park, Don McNeill's Breakfast Club which is broadcast from Chicago and a 30-minute program of spiritual and secular music in Disneyland, Calif. The purposes of this group are to serve the church through music, to develop a closer fellowship with people of other churches and to project the part that youth can take in the leadership and growth of the church.

Larceny Suspect Held After Escape From Law

EUGENE (UPI) — A larceny suspect who escaped, handcuffed, through a small window in the Lane County courthouse Sunday was recaptured by police south of Cottage Grove early today. Larry Miller, 23, of Creswell was re-arrested in a car near the Douglas County line about 3:45 a.m. Miller was left alone briefly Sunday morning in an interrogation room in the county courthouse after his arrest on a grand larceny charge. He apparently squirmed through a small transom window and dropped 5 1/2 feet to the ground, even though his hands were manacled behind his back. FOR THE BIRDS VERWOOD, England (UPI) — Stephen Morey has two garages but birds have built nests in both of them so he parks his car outside.

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