

DUPON

THE DUKE ACCLAIMED.

Montevideo, capital of Uruguay, city of one million people, turned its attention to the Carrasco airport to welcome the Duke of Edinburgh. President Faustino Harrison, as head of the state was the first to greet him, in the name of government and people.

Then followed a triumphal drive into the city, and a reception greater perhaps than any accorded to Prince Philip on the tour so far.

The Duke called at the headquarters of the National Council, Central governing body of Uruguay. As usual, he was a great favourite with the younger generation, especially the school-girls.

In the Plaza de la Independencia a huge crowd awaited Prince Philip's arrival, to lay a wreath at the statue of General Artigas, venerated as the Liberator of Uruguay. Through him the country achieved independence in 1825.

What a personality the Duke has. And how fortunate we are that he is so great a success everywhere he goes in Latin America.