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NOTE FOR: General Walters

Dick:

The attached was pulled together for me by [redacted]. To your knowledgeable eye is there anything to this allegation of a pro-Nazi group hibernating in Chile, or is it the product of someone's over-active imagination?

[redacted]
George A. Carver, Jr.
D/DCI/NIO

cc: ER

Sounds totally phony to me. W.

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CHILE

[REDACTED] in Chile reported on the activities of a Nazi colony, known as La Dignidad, located at Parral about 200 miles south of Santiago on the Pan-American Highway. The colony was founded by former Luftwaffe pilots after World War II, and is run by Franz Pfeiffer Richter, head of the Chilean Nazi Party. The colony, with a population of about 250, covers an area of over 3,000 acres. (c)
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[REDACTED] May 1976, the colony maintains radio contact with other pro-Nazi groups in Chile, in other Latin American countries and in Europe. It allows the Chilean Directorate of National Intelligence (DINA) to draw on their national and international contacts, and cooperates with DINA officials by turning over to them information on subversives in the area.

In mid-1975, [REDACTED] said that DINA maintained a detention center inside the colony. It is not known if this center is still functioning. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] stated that two Catholic bishops told the President of the Supreme Court that they had evidence that detainees were being held at two unauthorized detention centers, one near La Dignidad.

The former Luftwaffe pilots at La Dignidad maintain good contacts with the Chilean Air Force, and specifically with General Gustavo Leigh, the Air Force member of the Junta.