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Subject: Ferdinand DURCANSKY.

1. Professor Ferdinand DURCANSKY, president of the Slovak Action Committee who recently arrived in Argentina to coordinate activities of scattered Slovak groups in their struggle to liberate Slovakia, is reported to have left the Hginkla National Popular Party and to be currently attempting to form a new Slovak party with himself as the leader. It is also reported that he is working toward the ultimate establishment of himself as president of Slovakia.

2. DURCANSKY's ambitions have not been favorably received by local Slovak leaders and his project has been emphatically condemned by a former Slovak Minister of War who is now a resident of Buenos Aires.

3. Sources close to DURCANSKY report that he makes no effort to conceal his anti-Semitism.

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