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The following items are attributed to a Swiss intelligence report received in Rome on 25 January 1947:

1. In September 1946, the Swiss Minister to Argentina turned over to the Argentine Government funds previously deposited with the Swiss Legation including:

gold coins
54 Peruvian soleils d'or
22,000 Chilean gold piastres *pieces*
3,500 gold dollars (20 dollar gold pieces ?)
4,196 gold sovereigns

2. Agents of Fritz MANDL are contacting former Nazis, SS officers, and German technicians of various categories, offering to facilitate their emigration to the Argentine and to place them in former German enterprises nationalized by the Argentine Government.

3. Close contact is maintained by a group of German Protestant pastors, recently arrived in Argentina, and a Protestant Missionary Society with headquarters at Basel, which is suspected of serving as cover for neo-Nazi propaganda.

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