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1. Since returning to Argentina from his last trip to Germany, RUDEL has openly occupied himself with the formulation of a plan for the infiltration of the West German political parties by "reliable" young students. He has held several conferences regarding this, principally with members of his inner circle, Hans MAHNER, Eberhard BRITSCH, and Johann von LEERS, as well as with Hans KOCH and Anton BRUGEL, secretaries of the newly-founded Argentine-German society for student exchanges. A week ago RUDEL conferred with Minister of Political Affairs, Roman SUBIZAN and Minister of Education, Armando MENDEZ SAN MARTIN, then subsequently with Guillermo KUBITZ, Secretary of the Alianza Libertadora Nacionalista (ALN) concerning this plan.
2. The most important part of RUDEL's plan is the "exchange" of young intellectuals from Germany, drawn from every stratum of the population and from every province of West Germany, for the purpose of ideological and tactical training. These young intellectuals are to return to Germany after one or two years and enter the various political parties, in which they are to work themselves up into the front ranks of the politicians as fast as possible.
3. A similar "exchange" program is to be initiated in several other South American republics, which purportedly will be supported by the West German diplomatic representatives in these countries. The plans for this program are to be discussed at the South American Conference of the Lutheran World Association to be held in July 1954 in Madrid, Spain, with a view to organizing this "exchange" of young people between Germany and South America on a religious basis.
4. Pauline von MENTZ is reported to have remarked maliciously that the manner RUDEL hopes to increase his personal following and expand his intelligence net inside Germany, since he has been losing personal support little by little as a result of his erstwhile plans.

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