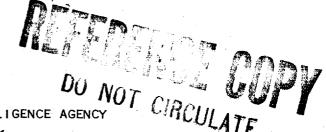
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	tion of the Paraguayan Cabinet has no important poli So far as the military order is concerned, the Army predominantly Colorado in sympathy. Nevertheless, i to the government, it is believed that these Cabinet replacements are the beginning of changes in the Arm of the establishment of a military government in Paraguayan	tical significance. continues to be n sectors opposed dismissals and y, in anticipation	
2.	Some conspiratorial activities are bound to exist in having for their purpose the re-establishment of Arm the government, and, consequently, the constitution ment. However, so long as the present composition of it is, loyal to the Colorado Party and the government of the Colorados would be a very difficult thing to March 1947, anti-Colorado elements within the Army have placed by loyal Colorados.	y predominance in of a military govern- f the Army remains as t, the displacement accomplish. Since	y
3.	General Alfredo Stroessner, present Commander-in-Chidirecting a pro-militarist movement. Nevertheless, Stroessner is considered loyal to the Colorado Party	er, is reportedly in Colorado spheres	(b)(1) (b)(3)
ų.	former Particle Morinigo, presently exiled, had contacted Brato obtain backing for himself in connection with plane over control of the government of Paraguay. Reported no encouragement by the Brazilians.	ns he had to take	(b)(1) (b)(3)
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