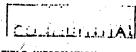
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FIELD INFORMATION REPORT

COUNTRY: Argentina/Spain/Germany REPORT NO.

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SUBJECT:

Otto SHORKEMY in Argentina

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Para. 1: Local press. Appraisal of Content: Documentary

Para. 2: Local representative of European steel company. / Appraisal of Content: 2.

- 1. On 18 October 1954 the Buenos Aires German-language daily, Argentiniches Tageblatt, under a Madrid date-line amounced that former SS Colonel Otto SKORZENY, who liberated MUSSOLINI in 1945, left by air 16 October 1954 for Buenos Aires, adding that SKONZEMY has been living in Spain for several years, where he has been working as an engineer and an industrial representative. Mention was made that he had recently visited Germany.
- 2. A Buenos Aires representative of an established European steel company confirmed a report that SKORZENY had come to Argentina as a representative of the KRUPP interests in Essen, Germany, Confirmation was obtained from a local KEUFF representative who told source the natter had come as a surprise which had been arranged in Essen and about which they were very unhappy "Firther inquiries regarding the permanence of SKCRZEMY's representation failed to elicit additional information and it was obvious that the local KRUPP representative was reluctant to discuss the situation.

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