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AMERICAN CONSULAR SERVICE Buenos Aires, Argentina, July 19, 1939.

Mr. W. C. Simons, c/o Daily Journal-World, Lawrence, Kansas.

Sir:

I have to refer to the Consulate General's letter to you of July 5, 1939, concerning your desire to obtain copies of social security legislation enacted in Argentina during the last ten or fifteen years, as well as information regarding the reported practice of the Argentine Government of financing the construction of new highways and streets by the purchase and resale of bordering property.

Information concerning the second of the above two subjects was furnished you in the Consulate General's letter to you of July 5, 1939. With respect to the first this office has just been advised by the Argentine National Department of Labor that the supply of collections of labor laws and regulations is now exhausted, but that the Consulate General will be furnished with this material whenever it is again published. This office will, of course, forward this publication to you as soon as it is received.

Very truly yours,

Monnett B. Davis

American Consul General