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Chileans Say 1,000 Arrested

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SANTIAGO, Oct. 6—More than 1,000 supporters of the late President Salvador Allende were rounded up in southern Chile in massive police and troop raids, the ruling military junta announced here today.

The announcement said large caches of arms were unearthed in schools, shops and even a cemetery in the provinces of Cautin, Valdivia and Osorno. It added that 1,094 people were arrested and the raids were continuing to prevent militant leftists from organizing resistance against the military authorities.

The four-man ruling junta also announced five more executions of persons charged with resisting the new government, bringing to more than 40 the number of persons officially listed as having been executed or shot while fighting junta forces this week. Opponents of the new government have charged that the number of such killings is much higher than the numbers released by the authorities.

Meanwhile, the death penalty for car theft went into force today in a bid by the junta to curb what was described as a wave of robberies of vehicles in recent years. Authorities are searching in particular for more than 300 state-owned vehicles which they said could not be traced since the Sept. 11 coup which ended Allende's three-year-old attempt to lead Chile on a peaceful road to socialism. The junta has charged that officials and supporters of the Allende government were responsible for the thefts.

The interim president of neighboring Argentina added his voice today to the many statements by foreign leaders and international organizations expressing concern about the killings that have followed the coup. Raul Lastiri asked junta leader Gen. Augusto Pinochet "to consider the possibility of ceasing to apply the death penalty."

The U.S. embassy said today that Frank Teruggi, an American student in his 20s whose body was found recently in the Santiago morgue, was shot to death after being arrested by the military. The embassy

said it was still trying to unravel conflicting reports about the details of Teruggi's death. The colonel in charge of prisoners at the National Stadium where Teruggi was held, has said that the student was released alive and his body was found in the street later.

International concern has also centered on the case of Luis Corvalan, leader of the Chilean Communist Party, who is being held for a military trial on charges of treason. The party was one of the major ones in Allende's ruling coalition which came to power in an election in 1970.

In an interview with Associated Press, Corvalan, 57, said: "I have a very tranquil conscience because, as the whole world knows, we organized a revolution without violent action, without having to use arms. We made errors. I don't dispute this. We don't wash our hands in respect to the errors."

Chile's Envoy in China Assails Military Junta

Reuter

PEKING, Oct. 6 — Chilean Ambassador Armando Uribe today condemned the recent military coup in Chile and said his embassy in Peking would continue to operate as the "loyal and sole representative of Chile in China."

Uribe said at a press conference that documents would be published in Rome in a few days proving United States involvement in the last month's coup.

He added that resistance to the coup inside Chile was continuing and would continue until "we, the people of Chile, arrive at final victory."

Uribe, who was in Western Europe when the coup took place, said a provisional secretariat which he helped to set up in Rome and which was linked to the resistance movement in Chile was the direct successor of Allende's government. He added that he did not expect government-in-exile to be formed.

Argentine Diplomats Ordered Home

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BUENOS AIRES, Oct. 6—Argentina's Foreign Ministry has ordered home three of its diplomats who were instrumental in arranging for many exiles to flee Chile following the military coup there. A source close to the ministry said they were being "punished."

Meanwhile there was considerable criticism of the conditions under which refugees from Chile were being held under armed guard at a hotel near the airport. The refugees, and Brazilians, have reportedly been given 10 days to find asylum in some other country.