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WASHINGTON---Former Ambassador Davila has turned down several offers to write the story of the Chilean Socialist Revolution and also to go to Hollywood. There seems to be some possibility that he may be called back to Chile, although probably not for some time. There has been a decided drift toward Socialism since his departure. All three candidates in last month's election ran on what they called Socialistic tickets. Chile is probably worse off than most Latin-American countries due to the fact that her chief industries, nitrates and cooper, are both badly depressed.

Former President Davila refrained from taking these over as government enterprises not because they were chiefly American-owned, but because they were in such depressed condition that it would have been impossible for his government to resuscitate them, and he did not want the credit of a failure on his hands. Undoubtedly it is merely a matter of time before both industries are taken over, and the United States will then be confronted by a situation similar to that in Mexico during the petroleum controversy.

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