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1. The major reasons for the lack of large scale immigration to Latin America were:

1. People knew very little about Latin America

2. The United States seemed far more inviting

3. Latin America wanted English-speaking people, if possible

4. Political conditions in Latin America were often insecure

5. The United States was closer to Europe

6. Although the Latin Americans offered inducements, those of the United States seemed better

7. Often farmers only were wanted

land
schools
transport

2. The role of the elite in Haiti has been a role similar to that of the Conservatives in white Latin countries.

Imitating French models of speech, dress, and behavior, this group, traditional in essence, has dominated the rodun-worshipping majority that dominates the island.

It has favored all the aspects of government and society usually attributed to traditionalists and conservatives.

little influence
professionals

3. In solving the Indian problem, the significance of Manuel Pardo's opinion that every white is a Pizarro is that every white is a destroyer of the Indian.

The comparison with Pizarro implies that the white has taken over the Indian's rights and position and has reduced him to the class of what could almost be called a slave.

This was particularly true in the Peru of Pardo's day in which the Indian lived in subjugation and humiliation for the most part.

It implies that the Indian has a right to live free from the hand of the white.

but must fight for it

4. The special value of Irish immigrants to 19th century Argentina is that they formed a highly important middle class group that was useful in industry and urban life.

Then, too, the concentration of Latins in Argentina was high, and these Anglo-Saxon (physically) people offered some mixture.

sheep farmers
but protected

- 5 1. Dominican Republic X
2. Cuba
3. Guatemala
4. Panama X

6. Costa Rica differs from the rest of Central America in that it is a relatively peaceful land. Government has become a fairly democratic procedure - at least more democratic than the governments of its neighbors.

The people of Costa Rica have a greater predominance of white, European blood than do the people of the remainder of Latin America, also.

Then, too, Costa Rica has been a relatively efficient, progressive land.

education
industrial
small farms

7. The contributions to Paraguay of the two dictators Lopez were not generally beneficial.

They left the nation in a state of almost complete exhaustion. A depleted treasury and heavy losses of life were two of their contributions.

Their "hierarchy" included boys' being appointed to responsible positions. The end of their regime was welcome.

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9. Basically, Latin America's Indian problem means an economic problem.

Because the Indian does not produce much, he does not buy much. Therefore, he occupies the peculiar position of being almost non-existent, so far as economics goes.

Naturally, any large number of people who live in a country but take almost no part in its commercial life constitutes a major problem.

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