

ity that the Fonck Museum, housed in a handsome old, once-private home, may be torn down and replaced by a glass-and-aluminum structure. It is believed that the city's mayor, Rodrigo Gonzalez, has only twice set foot in the Museum, once during a cocktail party inaugurating an exhibition of Peruvian antiquities. He has, however, given assurances (no promises!) that if the current Museum building is demolished, the Fonck will be given new and maybe even enlarged space in the new, modern edifice. An earlier suggestion, that the Museum be moved to the "Quinta Vergara," a park-like area located on the other side of the city center, has apparently been nixed. Part of the reason is the expense (and risk) involved in moving the authentic Rapa Nui *moai* that stands in the front yard, and the inaccessibility to the park area for tour buses. Museum officials as well as some of the people living in the neighborhood, are fighting the proposed demolition and "modernization."

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