

At a meeting of the Gold Exports Committee of the Federal Reserve Board held in the office of the Governor on Thursday, February 21, 1918, at 10:30 a. m.,

PRESENT:

- Mr. Harding, presiding, Mr. Warburg,
- Mr. Miller, Mr. Willis, Secretary.

Present also, Mr. Strauss.

Applications for permission to export coin, currency and bullion, together with papers in connection therewith, were presented and acted upon as follows:

Typical payrolls for December, 1917, of Huasteca Petroleum Co., Tampico, Mex., submitted by H. Walker, in substantiation of statement showing uses of currency and coin made in letter of January 23, 1918, (payrolls to be returned to Mr. Walker after examination by Committee).  
Noted and ordered returned.

Letter transmitted by Federal Reserve Bank of New York, from Equitable Trust Co., re license No. 944.  
Noted.

1182. National City Bank, New York to Havana, \$3,000,000 currency except gold certificates. Granted.

1183. Maitland, Coppell & Co., New York, to Banco del Ecuador, Guayaquil, Ecuador, by mail, \$5,000  
Granted.

1184. Irving National Bank, New York, to Banco Espanol de la Isla de Cuba, Havana, \$500,000 paper currency except gold certificates. Granted.

1185. Standard Oil Co., New York, to same, Tampico, Mex., by steamer sailing from Baton Rouge, about March 4, \$5,000 paper currency except gold certificates. Granted.

1186. Standard Oil Co., New York to Tampico, by steamer from New York, about March 1, \$6,000 paper except gold certificates. Granted.

1187. Robert L. Halliday, El Paso, Texas, to Collector of Taxes, Juarez, Mexico, \$4,640 gold coin. Granted.

1188. Equitable Trust Co., New York to Societe Commerciale Francaise, Valparaiso, Chile, 1,000 pounds sterling in gold sovereigns. Declined.

1190. Farmers Loan & Trust Co., New York to Compania Exportadora de Veracruz, Vera Cruz, Mex., about February 28, \$7,500 gold. Granted.

1191. Guttag Brothers, New York, to L. H. B. Levi Brothers, Winnipeg, Canada, \$250 in gold (100 gold dollars). Granted.

1192. Canadian Bank of Commerce, San Francisco,

to the Mint Master, Calcutta, India, 2,000,000 ounces silver or 2,900,000 Mexican dollars. Granted.

1195. The National Park Bank, New York, to Mr. Pedro Gomez Mena, Havana, Cuba, United States currency, \$300,000,000. Granted.

1196. Lionello Perera & Company, to Colonial Bank, Kingston, Jamaica, Five Hundred Pounds English Silver, (\$2,375.00). Granted.

1197. Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China, New York, through the Anglo & London Paris National Bank, San Francisco, to Chartered Bank of India, Australia & China, Shanghai, Silver Bullion (Bars), ounces 152,000, value, United States, \$136,800. Granted.

Letter from War Trade Board transmitting letter from Messrs. Hannevig & Co., bankers, 139 Broadway, New York, relative to purchases and sales of exchange by them on Neutral Countries since January 2nd. Referred to Mr. Kent.

Letter from Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco listing applications granted for shipments of Canadian coin and currency to Canada. Noted.

A letter from Bureau of Enemy Trade re dealings of the Wiegmans Bank of Amsterdam. Referred to Mr. Kent.

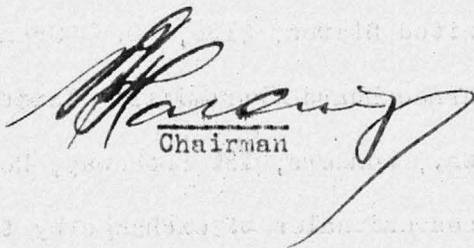
A letter from Nosawa and Company, asking as to expert licenses - referred to New York Federal Reserve Bank.

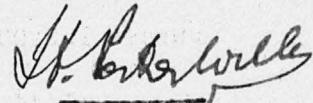
A letter from the Royal Bank of Canada February 19th asking extension of license for shipment to San Pedro de Macoris \$20,000 March 7. - Granted.

A letter from the Royal Bank of Canada re shipment of gold to Venezuela in reply to letter of Governor Harding. Ordered that copy be sent to National City Bank and Mercantile Bank of Americas.

At 10:55 the Committee adjourned.

APPROVED:

  
Chairman

  
Secretary