

At a meeting of the Gold Export Committee of the Federal Reserve Board held in the office of the Governor on Thursday, February 28, 1918, at 10:35,

PRESENT:

Mr. Harding, presiding, Mr. Willis, Secretary.

Mr. Hamlin,

Present also, Mr. Strauss and Mr. Kent.

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

A letter from Department of Commerce, dated February 26, replying to Board's letter of February 18, re domestic consumption of dental gold. Ordered that Department proceed to get the proposed data.

A letter from the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco transmitting letter from Governor Van Zandt to the Federal Reserve Bank of San Francisco re request of First National Bank of Del Rio, Texas, for gold from Seattle Branch, etc. Del Rio Bank to be requested to apply to Dallas for gold.

A letter from Los Angeles Tanning Co., of Nogales, Arizona confirming their telegraphic application (#1202) and transmitting Mexican Customs receipt showing uss of

money previously granted. (Note: #1202 granted for \$15,000 for duties only) Noted.

A letter February 23, by Fco. Echeguren y Cia, Succ^s requesting amendment of license 1145 so as to permit shipment of gold coin instead of silver. Declined.

A letter by Senator Poindexter transmitting letter J. E. Chilberg, of Scandinavian-American Bank, Seattle, re shipments of gold to orient. Secretary to reply, stating that no gold is going at present.

A letter of Secretary of State February 26, inclosing copies despatches (2) from Legation at Berne re transactions Martin Luther Stuart. Referred to Mr. Kent.

1228. Lionello Perera & Co., New York to Colonial Bank, Kingston, Jamaica, during March, \$2,375 English silver coin. Granted.

1229. Compania Metalurgica Mexicana, New York, from Laredo, to Mexico, during March, \$50,000 gold coin. Tabled, pending further information.

1230. Chase National Bank, New York, to Royal Bank of Canada, Cuba, \$300,000 paper currency. Granted.

1231. G. Amsinck & Co., New York to Banco Comercial y Agricola, Guayaquil, Ecuador, about \$32,000 nickel coin. Granted.

1232. Chartered Bank of Australia, India & China, New York through Selby Smelting Co., San Francisco, to Shanghai, 102,000 ounces silver bullion (\$90,908). Granted.

1233. Chartered Bank I. A. & C., through Anglo & London Paris National Bank, San Francisco, to Shanghai, 358,000 ounces silver bullion. (\$322,200). Granted.

1234. Handy & Harman, New York to Mocatta & Goldsmid, London, \$150,000 silver bullion. Granted.

1235. Handy & Harman, New York, to Mocatta & Goldsmid, London, \$150,000 silver bullion. Granted.

1236. Handy & Harman, New York, to Mocatta & Goldsmid, London, \$100,000 silver bullion. Granted.

1237. Standard Oil Co., New York to Tampico, from Jacksonville, \$6,000 currency. Granted.

1238. El Potosi Mining Co., New York through El Paso, during March, to Mexico, \$38,250 gold coin. Granted.

1239. Bank of New York, N. B. A., to Bank of Nova Scotia, San Juan, \$4,200 nickels and pennies. Granted.

1240. National Park Bank, New York to Banco Nacional de Cuba, Havana, \$300,000 currency. Granted.

1241. Chase National Bank, New York to Royal Bank of Canada, Santiago de Cuba, \$100,000 currency.

Granted.

1242. Mrs. Erika Tomingas, San Pedro, Cal., to Russian-Asiatic Bank, Vladivostok, Russia, 2,485 roubles.

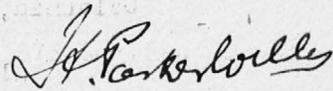
Granted.

A letter from Musher & Company, stating that they had no facts, further than those stated in letter of November 28th, 1917, to submit in writing, was presented. After discussion it was agreed to hear Mr. Musher at 12 Noon, Saturday, March 2.

At 10 a. m., the Committee adjourned.

APPROVED:


Chairman


Secretary