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

A letter February 23, by Fco. Echeguren y Cia,
Suez requesting amendment of license 1145 so as to per-
mit shipment of gold coin instead of silver. Declined.

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

A letter of Secretary of State February 26, includ-
ing copies despatches (2) from Legation at Berne re trans-
actions 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 Comer-
cial y Agricola, Guayaquil, Ecuador, about $32,000 nickel
coin. Granted.


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