

**ACTION ON DYE BILL
BLOCKED BY MOORE**

Philadelphian on House Ways and Means Committee Opposes Licensing System

WOULD END WARTIME BOARD

By a Staff Correspondent
Washington, July 22.—A meeting held by the ways and means committee today to agree upon the form of a bill to protect the dressmaking industry was unproductive of results, owing to the opposition of Congressman J. Hampton Moore of Philadelphia, in the plan for adopting a licensing system, which is objectionable to the greater part of the dressmakers' manufacturers and consumers of Pennsylvania, New York and New England.

It became apparent early in the meeting, attended by both the Republican and Democratic members, that Congressman Moore was not in sympathy with the proposed Longworth dressmaking bill, which is favored by Chairman Fordney.

Mr. Moore stated that he was opposed to the licensing system provided in the Longworth bill, and expected to continue to fight it because, he said, it provides for the continuance of the wartime bureau activities and control over business in peacetime times.

The Philadelphia congressman contended also that it was going a step too far after fixing the highest possible tariff rates on dyes to add a licensing board which would have entire control over the industry.

It appeared at the meeting that the du Ponts, the National Aniline and Chemical Company and other large concerns are pressing the Longworth bill, and that a large number of Pennsylvania, New York and New England textile manufacturers and others are opposing it on the ground that it will bring about increased prices and restrict their right to do business.

Mr. Moore stated at the close of the meeting that efforts are being made to introduce the licensing system in other measures like the potash bill and glassware bill, which would keep the industries under control of a federal bureau.

The committee failed to reach any conclusions in the matter and recessed to meet again, probably Thursday.

LIKENS BERGER TO PARTY

Socialists Would Be Held Unfit If He Is, Says Counsel

Washington, July 22.—(By A. P.)—Continuing argument in behalf of Victor Berger, whose seat in the House from the Fifth Wisconsin district is contested because of his conviction on disloyalty charges, Henry F. Coehems, his counsel, told the House investigating committee today his client had merely expressed the views of his party.

If Mr. Berger was held unfit to be seated in the House, Mr. Coehems said, a million Socialists would be held unfit and "none of the 18,000 Socialists who elected him could sit here."

"I wholly disagree with that view," interrupted Representative Eagle, Democrat, Texas, "we are not trying the Socialist party or attempting to say whether it should be represented in Congress."

WANTS ADMIRALS NAMED

Daniels Indorses Bill for Rewarding Benson and Sims

Washington, July 22.—(By A. P.)—Secretary Daniels approved today before the House naval committee a bill giving Admiral William S. Benson, chief of naval operations, and Rear Admiral William S. Sims, who commanded American naval forces abroad during the war, permanent rank as admirals.

He submitted a detailed report of the war services of the officers. He urged that the resolution be amended to provide full pay for life instead of active service, with authority for the President to recall them to duty at need.

"The policy of placing any officer permanently on the active list is open to grave objection," he said.

WILL MARCH ON BUDAPEST

General d'Esperey Prepares to Advance With 150,000 Troops

Vienna, Saturday, July 12 (re-layed).—(By A. P.)—General Franzer d'Esperey, commander of the allied forces in the Near East, announces that he is preparing an advance upon Budapest, the Hungarian capital, with 150,000 troops. The army is made up of French colonials, Rumanians, Jugoslavs, Italians and Hungarians. The Hungarians are commanded by General Krotobwill.

Special dispatches within the last ten days reported that General d'Esperey was contemplating such a movement, but no definite announcement, such as contained in the foregoing, had previously been received.

Sunken Barge Will Be Raised
Arrangements have been made to raise the barge Donaldson No. 12, which sank Saturday night at Pier 24, North Wharves. The cause of the barge sinking is unknown. It was laden with 280 tons of bunker coal and was tied up alongside of the steamer Lake Winthrop, which was to have received the cargo.

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**BERLIN TROOPS
FIRE ON STRIKERS**

Processions Carrying Red Flags Broken Up in Various Parts of City

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Paris, July 22.—(By A. P.)—Firing took place yesterday afternoon in Berlin between troops and processions of parts of the city, according to a Harndispatch from Berlin under Monday's date.

U. S. AID FOR FRANCE ASKED

Former French Minister of Subsidies Makes Appeal

Paris, July 22.—A speech which has given a million and a half of its children to liberty can demand from the great, rich and generous republic means of saving from the financial paralysis with which it is struggling, writes Senator Edouard Herriot, formerly minister of national subsistence and labor, in a letter to the United States.

From the United States, the senator concludes, "can come liberating collaboration. I ask it frankly and with the question put: while the war spirit still lasts and before the merchant has replaced the soldier."

JUSTICE HENDRICKSON DEAD

Former Jersey Supreme Court Justice Dies at Red Bank

Red Bank, N. J., July 22.—Former Justice Charles F. Hendrickson, of the New Jersey supreme court, died here today after an illness of six weeks.

Justice Hendrickson is survived by his widow, Mrs. Sarah W. Hendrickson, three sons, Charles E. J., George B. and James A., and one daughter, Mrs. William J. Hand, this city. Three of his grandchildren are Philadelphians: Mrs. Harrison K. Cannon, Jr., and William J. and Charles H. Hand.

The justice graduated at Princeton in 1880. He was prosecutor at Mr. Holly for twenty years and served one term in the Assembly. In March, 1896, he was appointed to the court of errors and appeals, and before the expiration of his term he was appointed justice of the supreme court, from which office he retired in 1908 because of illness.

**50 AMERICANS SLAIN
IN MEXICO SINCE 1916**

50 Americans Slain in 3 Years, Ambassador Informs House Committee

NOT ONE PROSECUTION

By the Associated Press

Washington, July 22.—Henry P. Fletcher, American ambassador to Mexico, told the House rules committee today that since his appointment three years ago about fifty Americans had been killed in Mexico without a single prosecution being made by the Mexican authorities.

Replying to questions by Chairman Campbell, Ambassador Fletcher said withdrawal of recognition of the Carranza Government by the United States would only increase the turmoil in the southern republic. He added that he did not know of any revolutionary movement capable of establishing a permanent government.

Ambassador Fletcher said he had not noticed any special anti-American feeling in Mexico and explained that the presence of more United States citizens there than other foreigners probably accounted for the greater number of outages affecting Americans.

States Facts, Not Opinions

The ambassador was summoned before the committee in connection with a resolution introduced by Representative Gould, Republican of New York, proposing appointment of a joint congressional committee to investigate relations between this country and Mexico.

Mr. Fletcher repeatedly declined to express opinions on conditions in the southern republic, insisting that he furnished only facts. He also told the committee that he had no statement to make, but would answer any question he could.

"Do you regard the situation in Mexico as improved in the last three years?" asked Chairman Campbell.

"Oh, yes," was the quick reply.

"In what respect?"

"Columbus has not been raided," the ambassador answered.

When Chairman Campbell called attention to the recent murder of an

AMERICAN CITIZEN AND THE MURDER OF HIS WIFE IN MEXICO, THE AMBASSADOR SAID THIS DID NOT INVOLVE RELATIONS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND MEXICO.

Authorities Fail to Act
Pressed further as to improvement in conditions in the Mexican situation, the ambassador said that, among other things, agencies by which the United States was better able to transact business with Mexico had been established during the last three years.

"Are the murders of American citizens as numerous as they were?" asked Chairman Campbell.

The ambassador replied he would refer the committee to the list of Americans who had been killed.

"Many of these outrages," Mr. Fletcher said, "were committed by bandits. These bandits have been pursued, but it was difficult to tell if they had gotten the man who committed the murder."

Representations in each case, he said, had been made to the Carranza government, which in turn communicated with local authorities, who failed to take action.

"And you don't recall one prosecution?" asked Chairman Campbell.

"I don't at this time."

"What avenue has been given in official circles for lack of arrests and prosecution?"

"This usually explained that the murder had been committed by bandits and that every effort would be made to run down the bandits."

El Paso, Tex., July 22.—(By A. P.)—Americans here today from Ciudad Juarez, Mexico, brought news of the accidental bombing of General Pablo Quegan's federal infantry by the government's military forces.

The soldiers were marching overland from Jimenez to Paral, the Americans said, when they were sighted by the airplanes and bombs were dropped among the infantrymen. No estimate of the casualties was known by the Americans.

Japan's New Navy Program

Tokyo, July 22.—(By A. P.)—The naval department has drawn up a three-year building program, according to the newspaper Nichi Nichi.

**CHAMBER WAITS
TIGER'S POLICIES**

Clemenceau to State Case Before Deputies Cast Vote of Confidence in Cabinet

AMNESTY BILL IMPENDING

By the Associated Press

Paris, July 22.—In readiness to hear the government's declaration of its policy, on which it will be announced today, a vote of confidence would be asked, the Chamber of Deputies met this morning. Premier Clemenceau, it developed, was not ready to make his statement at the meeting session, and the chamber adjourned until noon to await the premier's pleasure.

There was much interest in the expected developments of the day, to which great importance was attached, as it was expected that the motion for an interpellation of the government on its general policy, which M. Francois-Francois, Independent Socialist, had given, might precipitate an animated debate.

The agitation against the government has been most marked on the question of the high cost of living, the feeling of the members on this issue having recurred last week in a vote adverse to the government. The issue was met, temporarily at least, by the withdrawal of Victor Borot as food minister, M. Noulens, former ambassador to Russia, taking his place. The government, however, made it known that it desired a further evidence of the chamber's support, if that could be obtained, and that it would ask a vote of confidence at today's session, at which the fate of the government seemed thus likely to be decided.

Chief among other governmental policies objected to, particularly on the

Socialist side, are the slow progress of reconstruction and demobilization.

It was announced early in the afternoon that at the second session of the day the government would introduce an amnesty bill.

The question of amnesty, grown more acute since the German treaty was signed, is another of the issues on which the government has been criticized.

Premier Clemenceau passed yesterday in the House district, where he listened to the expressions of leaders there on economic reconstructive work. He asked the people to have patience and not to despair. France, he said, will be rebuilt in all her grandeur and historic nobility.

Summer Burlesque

Ethel Shuttin, with her company of "Parisian Wives," came to town last night and pleased the Gaiety audiences with the general novelty and up-to-dateness of her show. The music is catchy, the chorus attractive and the investiture new and elaborate. A real summer treat is provided for patrons of burlesque.

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