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INQUIRY REJECTS MOSELEY'S PAPER AS ANTI-SEMITIC

Statement Doesn't Deal With Un-Americanism, Says Dempsey

WASHINGTON, June 2 (AP).—The Dies Committee has rejected as anti-Semitic a prepared statement with which Major General George Van Horn Moseley, retired, climaxed two days of denunciation of Communism and "international Jewry."

The statement, Representative Dempsey (Dem., N. M.) said late yesterday, contained "not a single sentence dealing with un-American activities." He moved that it be stricken from the record, and after a short conference the committeemen agreed.

Moseley, called for questioning about a campaign against a purported plot to overthrow the government, had insisted repeatedly that he be permitted to read his statement of the dangers confronting the nation. Finally the committee agreed to hear a limited version.

Amused by Questions

Reading in a sonorous, oratorical manner instead of his customary high-pitched voice, Moseley declared Jews maintain "a state within a state." His statement asserted that they cannot pay allegiance to both "international Jewry and the United States," and that they are fomenting international war and domestic revolution.

"The handwriting on the wall is as clear as a bell," he said.

Moseley's testimony ended, for the time being, the committee's hearings. Chairman Dies (Dem., Tex.) is at his home in Texas, and prior to his departure he indicated no more sessions would be held until August.

Moseley alternated between indignation over the committee's conduct of the inquiry and amusement over its questions.

Although he repeatedly had disclaimed any anti-Jewish or other racial prejudices, the General asserted the Jews had forced him to "discuss the problem in self-defense" because they had criticized him as a Fascist and "threatened me with bodily harm."

Quotes Brandeis Book

Feeling against the Jews is growing from coast to coast, he declared.

He argued that Jews who ally themselves with "organized Jewry" and agree to be its nationals should

"DON'T DRINK THAT, GENERAL!"



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MOSELEY AIDE SUSPECTS DRINKING WATER

A mysterious aide of Major General George Van Horn Moseley is shown here as he reached to prevent the retired army man (right) from drinking a glass of water, because he feared it might contain

poison. General Moseley was testifying before the committee investigating un-American activities, and wanted to refresh himself.

be denied suffrage, the right to hold public office and other rights.

The sixty-four-year-old retired officer quoted British Government "white papers" of World War vintage, as well as a book by Supreme Court Justice Louis D Brandeis, retired.

Asserting it was "courting national disaster" to permit dual or divided loyalties in any group, Moseley said the United States must not be "taken over by either the Semitists or anti-Semitists."

He said he wanted to see control "revert to truly loyal, Christian Americans."

Praise for Hitler

Earlier Moseley said that while he disliked some of Adolf Hitler's methods, he approved his restoration of control over Germany to "the hands of the German people."

He said Hitler had "solved the racial problem in his own way" and had overcome problems in international trade and finance "apart from the rest of the world and without an ounce of gold."

Moseley hotly denied, however, that he was pleading Hitler's cause and demanded to know why he should not be friendly in his public remarks about Hitler and Germany.

"I have absolutely no personal feeling of animus in this matter," he said with emphasis.

"Cool off and answer the questions," advised Representative Healey (Dem., Mass.), the acting chairman.