

Capt. Rieber's Ouster Asked As Asphalt Firm Head

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TRENTON, N. J., June 30.—Capt. Torkild Rieber, who resigned as chairman of the Texas Co. in 1940 after disclosure of his connections with Adolf Hitler's personal commercial representative in this country, was named yesterday in a Chancery Court action seeking to oust him as president and director of the Barber Asphalt Corp. of Perth Amboy.

Capt. Rieber was charged in a bill of complaint filed by Joseph Slutzker of South Orange, a stockholder, as head of a conspiracy to dismantle plants of the corporation at Perth Amboy.

The court was asked to remove Capt. Rieber and 10 fellow directors, appoint an equity receiver and en-

join further dismantling of Barber plants.

Vice Chancellor Wilfred H. Jayne signed an order directing Capt. Rieber and his associate directors to show cause July 7 at the State House why transfer of the corporation's roofing plant to Bonafide Mills, Inc., New York, for \$500,000 and the dismantling of any plant or removing of machinery from any plant should not be enjoined.