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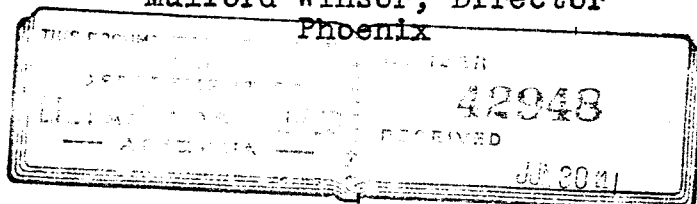
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Introduced by Mr. Rapp of Pima.

**A Joint Memorial**

Requesting the appointment of Wirt G. Bowman as Ambassador  
 to the Republic of Mexico.

*To the President and the Senate of the United States of America:*

- 1 Your memorialist respectfully represents:
- 2 It has come to the attention of this body that the Hon-
- 3 orable Josephus Daniels, who has served faithfully for
- 4 eight arduous years as the Ambassador of the United
- 5 States of America to the Republic of Mexico, may soon
- 6 wish to retire.
- 7 In the present state of troubled world affairs, and in
- 8 view of the praiseworthy efforts of the government of
- 9 the United States to achieve closer cooperation with Latin-
- 10 American nations, which policy should not be jeopardized
- 11 at this time, it is imperative that a person of extraordinary
- 12 qualifications be selected as a successor to Mr. Daniels.
- 13 It is the belief of your memorialist, and of all who know
- 14 him, that Wirt G. Bowman, of Arizona, is exceptionally
- 15 well qualified to serve his country as its Ambassador to
- 16 the Republic of Mexico.
- 17 Mr. Bowman has a long and honorable background of
- 18 experience in state and national affairs, extending as far
- 19 back as 1904. In filling responsible positions in both gov-
- 20 ernment and party, he has repeatedly demonstrated an un-
- 21 excelled ability to promote harmony and to serve with
- 22 unswerving loyalty.
- 23 Even more important, Mr. Bowman has a knowledge

1 of and friendship for the Mexican nation and the Mexican  
2 people equaled by few, if any, Americans. Long a resi-  
3 dent of a border community, he is personally acquainted  
4 with and admired by countless Mexican citizens and of-  
5 ficials, and was a personal friend and counselor of at least  
6 three Presidents of the Republic of Mexico. He speaks and  
7 writes Spanish fluently. In addition, he is a firm champion  
8 of the foreign policy of this nation, particularly as it  
9 touches Latin-American relations.

10 *Wherefore your memorialist, the Legislature of the State*  
11 *of Arizona, urgently requests:*

12 That, if and when the Honorable Josephus Daniels re-  
13 tires, Wirt G. Bowman be nominated by the President, and  
14 confirmed by the Senate, of the United States of America,  
15 as this nation's Ambassador to the Republic of Mexico.

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