

HARDING IS SILENT ON WORLD MENACE, WAITING FOR ROOT

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Marion, Ohio, Aug. 13.—World politics, the menace of Bolshevism, and the American government's note refusing to recognize the Bolshevik regime and expressing again friendship for the Russian people, have failed to draw any comment from Senator Harding, the Republican candidate for the presidency. Beyond the general statement made in his speech at Columbus, the senator declined to say a word on what he considers a pending matter of state.

When he said, "There is just as much menace in the world today as there was in the turbulence of war, civilization has not settled down," his hearers interpreted that utterance as having been inspired by a reading of the distressing reports from Poland.

REMEDY IS AVOIDED
The senator confined himself to the hope that America would "stand as a barrier to revolution and disorder throughout the world," but did not go into detail as to how the United States might use her influence in that direction most effectively. The mention of the use of force in fighting Bolshevism by aiding foreign armies is just as much taboo in Republican as Democratic circles.

For the campaign against the League of Nations has been carried on so much in theory that the United States would have to send soldiers across the seas to mix in European quarrels that neither candidate is to be found urging military aid for Poland.

Senator Harding, however, did not even estimate that America should do more than protect her own boundaries against the spread of Bolshevism by standing on firm foundations and settling affairs at home.

FOREIGN PROBLEM LIVE
The Democratic doctrine is that unrest in America is partially the result of disorder abroad, and that the possible spread of Bolshevism across Poland and into Germany and the continent of Europe, cannot but affect the economic life of America through depreciation of foreign currency and the continued activity of European countries to pay her interest on the \$10,000,000,000 loaned them during the war, a factor which it is contended has much to do with the depreciation of Liberty bonds.

Of course, the Democrats claim, too, that had there been an effective concert of power in Europe, had the present League of Nations not been impaired in functioning through the failure of the American senate to permit the United States to throw her moral force in the scales of Europe, the new republic of Poland might have been saved long before this.

But the Republican doctrine on such things is as yet undefined for, while Senator Hiram Johnson has given his pledge to take an extremely active part in the campaign against the League of Nations and the treaty, another element in the Republican party looks forward

with keen anticipation to the return of Elihu Root from Europe with a new plan to preserve world peace.

Root, it will be remembered, thought the covenant should be qualified by reservations, and while he was willing at the outset to take article X with a reservation, he later denounced the whole thing and finally wrote the League of Nations plank which was embodied in the Republican national platform at Chicago last June.

Since that time he has been actively engaged in drawing up in company with the jurists of other countries a constitution for the permanent court of international justice the establishment of which was provided for in the League of Nations covenant brought back by President Wilson.

DEPENDENT ON ROOT
But Root's journey to Europe has meant conferences with many of the statesmen over there who think he will be the biggest influence in the Harding administration if the senator is elected—and European diplomats usually take no chances. They try to get in on the ground floor with whatever administration seems likely to be in power in the United States. Root has outlined in conversation with European officials and public men the objections which the Republican party has to the Wilson covenant, and the expectation is that Europe, in order to get American support, will be more than willing to accept the modifications which Elihu Root suggests.

Already there is a feeling here that Senator Harding will be materially assisted by the return of Root, for if the man who wrote the platform pledge for "A" League of Nations comes back with a set of amendments to "The" League of Nations, as it exists at present, there would be little doubt of Harding's readiness to urge the entrance of the United

States into "The" League of Nations at an early date.

HARDING TO GAIN
With extreme opponents like Hiram Johnson, the impression which such a proposal by Root would make is conjectural, but with friends of the league and treaty, the help to Senator Harding by a concrete interpretation of the platform pledge would be immeasurable. The Democratic surge, however, by the effect of Root's return will be to revolve both Republican and Democratic candidates as in favor of "The" League with reservations. If generally accepted the effect would be to neutralize the issue and turn the campaign to domestic questions altogether.

Chairman Will Hays, who twice persuaded Root to outline Republican policy on the league at critical moments and who got from him the League of Nations plank for the Republican platform, probably will be in communication again with the former secretary of state.

While here the other day, Mr. Hays maintained a mysterious silence on the subject of Root's activities in Europe. Moral—Watch for Root's return in the middle of the campaign.

Coral Necklace to Be Feature in Trial

John Salle, 60, a gardener, was arrested by Inspectors Abbott and Tichenor at East Twenty-second street and Alameda drive Thursday afternoon, charged with larceny by bailie of a coral necklace said to belong to Victor Heinze, 905 East Thirty-first street north. The necklace is valued at \$200. Salle was released on his own recognizance.



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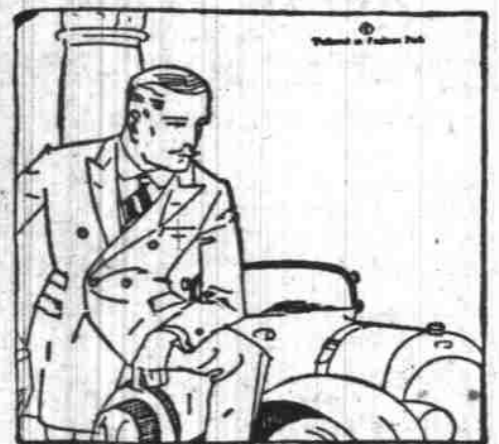
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