

BORAH WINS IN ARMAMENT ISSUE WITH PRESIDENT

By David Lawrence

Washington, July 1.—Senator Borah of Idaho, champion of disarmament, stands out today as victor in the first contest with the Harding administration. Reluctant for reasons never divulged, the administration at first frowned upon Mr. Borah's efforts to push the disarmament question to the front, then conceded the point and passed word to Republican senators that no objection was entertained to their support of the measure and finally made an effort through Republican Leader Mondell of the house to get a broad resolution passed which would cover military as well as naval disarmament.

That last proposal of the administration was finally abandoned in the house, and the Borah resolution came through with flying colors.

TANGLE AVOIDED

The reasons that lie back of the administration's change of policy have not been on the surface at all, and several Republicans who watched the rising tide of disarmament sentiment in the house have insisted that whatever the form which the disarmament proposals may take, the house could not afford to get into a tangle on the question by voting down the Borah idea of a three-power conference—Great Britain, Japan and the United States.

The truth is the Borah resolution doesn't prevent the executive from summoning a conference of all the powers, nor does it inhibit Mr. Harding from including land armament as well.

YIELD TO BORAH

The president has the right to negotiate with foreign powers about any subject under the sun, and no matter what agreement he negotiated congress would have the final say as to the stoppage of appropriations for naval or military armament.

The administration forces have not relished the idea of being led by Senator Borah. In the past all important policies sanctioned by an administration have been initiated by the spokesman of the administration in the house or senate. In this case Senator Lodge took little part in the proceeding and Republican Leader Mondell's efforts to broaden the resolution were abandoned. It was decided to yield to Mr. Borah.

Explanations given today vary. Some said the desire of the executive was to get congress busy on much more vital matters of business than a mere expression of opinion, which, after all, is what the Borah resolution does.

It doesn't accomplish disarmament. It requests the president to confer with other powers and discuss the matter. It's always a long way from discussion to achievement in foreign affairs.

Nevertheless the forcing of the administration's hand on a problem so big in the public mind as disarmament has not passed without significant comment on all sides to the effect that Republican leadership in congress is not making the most of Republican opportunities.

OPPORTUNITY LOST

The chance to grasp the disarmament question and make it an administration policy from the start was politically an excellent one. Members of the house recognized it by their refusal to sidetrack the Borah measure for any new proposition that might mean a delay in getting a vote.

From all sides President Harding has been urged from the very beginning of his administration to assume the leadership in disarmament throughout the world. It has been pointed out that his opportunity to rid the European countries of the heaviest part of their tax burden has been greater than vouchsafed any American president.

The question has, indeed, been brought

closer home by the announcement of Secretary Mellon that the European countries owe the United States more than a billion dollars in interest since the war. MEMBERS APPREHENSIVE

The ability of Europe to pay that interest depends upon the amounts needed for domestic appropriations on armies and navies. If America could have received a billion dollars in interest, income taxes would have been correspondingly decreased in the United States because there would have been just a billion dollars less to raise from American taxpayers.

The overwhelming votes for the Borah resolution in the senate and the house are not altogether the expression of a new sentimentality about armament and the prevention of war. The votes are really the expressed apprehension of members of congress that they will not be reelected unless they at least make gestures in the direction of disarmament and government economy.

ISSUE IS POPULAR

The subject is now transferred to the White House. The president has been canvassing the other powers through the supreme council on which Ambassador Harvey, great friend of Senator Borah, is the American representative. But the Borah resolution will make necessary something more than informal feelers.

The Idaho senator is not the kind who will allow his resolution to be passed and pigeon-holed. At the proper time he will make his point in the negotiations. Mr. Borah has grasped a popular issue and will tenaciously cling to it until something concrete is accomplished.

UNION HEADS AVOID RAIL STRIKE TALK

Chicago, July 1.—(I. N. S.)—As a majority of the 1,500,000 railway workers throughout the country reported for work today at reduced wages, their representatives, 1000 strong, were assembled in Chicago for conferences regarding the 12 per cent wage slash that are relied upon to keep the transportation wheels turning.

The union leaders gathered here are about as talkative as clams. In no quarter is loud talk heard of "strike." The general verdict of the delegates appears to be:

"It's up to the men."

Railway officials do not appear to be worried by prospects of a strike. They pointed out today that the union leaders are cognizant of the industrial depression throughout the country and that they would hesitate long before recommending any action that would swell the ranks of jobless.

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PASTOR AND GIRL FROM SALEM ARE TO FACE CHARGES

Salem, Or., July 1.—The Rev. Fred Royston of Salem, arrested at Keiso, Wash., Thursday night, in company with Miss Frankie Edwards, daughter of a well known Salem family, will be brought back to this city today to face a charge of white slavery, preferred against him by B. F. Edwards, uncle of the girl.

Royston, who was graduated this year from the Kimball College of Theology with high honors, has a wife and 10-year-old daughter living here. He is 33 years of age and the girl is 18.

BOTH LEFT SUNDAY

The two disappeared from their respective homes Sunday. Miss Edwards is said to have left the home of her grandmother that night about 9 o'clock, ostensibly to visit a friend. Rev. Mr. Royston is said to have left his home at about 5 o'clock for the Keyser bottom country north of here, where for a year he has held a student pastorate.

Relatives of both feared foul play until the authorities, asked to aid in the search, concluded that the two, who were known to have been friendly for some time, had left the city together. Strength was added to this conclusion when neighbors informed B. F. Edwards, uncle of the girl, that she had informed them that the Rev. Mr. Royston had made efforts to persuade her to leave the city.

NOTE IS PART CLEW

The first clew as to the whereabouts of the pair was contained in a note received from Miss Edwards by her grandmother here Wednesday afternoon which read: "Don't worry; I am all right and just as good a girl as when I left Salem," signed "Frankie." Mrs. Royston, wife of the pastor, refuses to believe that her husband is guilty of any wrong.

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On July 12 the semi-annual state medical examination will be held in Olympia.

Oregon Fair Pins to Be Given Realtors; To Meet in Chicago

More than 5000 bronze pins bearing the legend "Oregon 1921" will be distributed by the Portland delegation to the annual convention of the National Association of Real Estate Boards at Chicago, July 15 to 18. The pins are being turned out by a local manufacturer and were ordered by the convention committee of the Portland Realty board. The official slogan of the Atlantic-Pacific Highways and Electrical exposition, as adopted by the publicity committee at a meeting Thursday afternoon, will be "Portland, Oregon, 1921."

Order for pins was placed by the board prior to the adoption of this slogan.

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