

POLICY OF U. S. JOLT TO ALLIES

Statement of Opposition to All Secret Treaties By Amer- ica Causes Stir.

Lausanne.—America gave Great Britain, France and Italy a hard jolt when her spokesman, Richard Washburn Child, declared that the United States government has the support of the American people in its opposition to all secret treaties and agreements, particularly those designed to create zones of economic and commercial influence such as the San Remo tripartite agreement of 1920, which apportioned the Mesopotamian oil fields among the three big powers.

Mr. Child's exposition was merely a restatement of Secretary of State Hughes' aide-memoire of October 30, in which he defined for the benefit of the British, French and Italian governments the functions of the American observers to the Lausanne conference and broadly outlined America's open door policy for the near east—but it was a restatement under conditions that made it sensational.

It came as the conference was about to begin consideration of Turkey's Asiatic boundaries and it was a clear warning that America will not remain silent if the three inviting powers insist upon preferential rights in oil, mineral, railway and power development in present Turkish territory or in that which was lopped off by the war.

It was not possible for the delegates of the inviting powers to conceal their impatience at America's insistent reiteration of her policy which they resent especially because of her refusal to accept a vote in the conference, to sign any report or to accept any responsibility further than to act as an adviser.

The American new attitude, however, is according great satisfaction to the neutral countries represented here.

Asks More Specific Case on Daugherty
Washington, D. C.—Congressman Oscar E. Keller, republican of Minnesota, must be more specific in his impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty, the house judiciary committee decided in a resolution unanimously adopted.

Ritner Will Act For Olcott.
Salem, Or.—Roy Ritner of Pendleton, president of the state senate, will act as governor during the absence of Governor Olcott, who has gone to West Virginia to attend a meeting of governors. Governor Olcott expected to be away from the state for a month.

\$8,826,000 SLATED FOR PACIFIC SLOPE

Washington, D. C.—Appropriations totaling \$8,826,000 for reclamation projects in Pacific slope states were recommended to congress by President Harding in presenting the budget for the next fiscal year.

These appropriations were divided by states as follows:
Idaho, \$2,000,000; Oregon, \$1,400,000; Washington, \$1,357,000; Arizona, \$430,000; California, \$549,000; Nevada, \$735,000; Utah, \$45,000; Oregon and California jointly, \$700,000; Nebraska and Wyoming, jointly, \$1,420,000.

The budget for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1923, provided for appropriations aggregating \$3,078,940,331 for the operation of the federal government by President Harding.

The total estimate is \$195,298,359 less than the appropriations already made for the current fiscal year. This reduction was made possible, the president said in a message accompanying the budget, by pursuing a policy emphasizing the "need of more rigid economy in the expenditure of public funds."

He took occasion at the same time, however, to warn congress that further slashes would not be approved by the administration.

DAUGHERTY QUIZ ORDERED

House Gives Authority to Send for
Persons and Papers Needed.

Washington, D. C.—The house directed its judiciary committee to send for all the persons and papers it needed in its investigation of impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty, as filed by Representative Keller, republican of Minnesota.

Appearing before the committee with Jackson H. Ralston as his counsel, Mr. Keller declared that he was not prepared to proceed at once, and December 12 finally was fixed as the time for taking up the charges.

The bill of particulars, in which Mr. Keller set forth 14 charges against the attorney-general and the latter's answer, were formally filed with the committee.

During the general discussion in open session Mr. Ralston and Mr. Keller said they would like to have Chief Justice Taft, George W. Wickensham, ex-attorney-general; Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, and Guy Oyster, Mr. Gompers' secretary, summoned.

The district attorneys of Oregon will hold their annual convention in Eugene December 15 and 16, according to announcement by Clyde N. Johnston, Lane county prosecutor, who is secretary and treasurer of the state association.

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President Harding had an Oregon turkey for his Thanksgiving dinner, a twenty-two pound tom grown on the country place at Hood River of the Rev. William A. Sunday. The bird was expressed to the White House as a Thanksgiving gift of the evangelist and "Ma" Sunday.

Record-breaking cattle fattened on the range at the headwaters of Butte creek, Jackson county, were purchased last week by Nichols & Ashpole of Medford from Mrs. Julia Doubleday. The average weight of the cows was 1170 pounds and the average weight of the steers was 1270 pounds.

After months of negotiations and conferences, the primary and secondary highway systems on which federal money can be spent in the future were adopted by the state highway commission and the map was sent to Washington, D. C., to receive the O. K. of the secretary of the department of agriculture.

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