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VENIOT SAYS ACCOUNT OF HIS SPEECH WRONG

Declares Whole Story Relative to Liquor and French Question Error.

Premier Veniot in a telegram last night in connection with his reported statement at Quebec, published by the Canadian Press and carried yesterday, said: "The press dispatch from Quebec quoting me as saying that in a Quebec liquor law for New Brunswick, is absolutely false and without any foundation, whatever. The only reference made by me at that meeting to liquor law was to the 'wet condition' existing there."

"Prohibition in New Brunswick was not discussed by me in private or public. The statement in the despatch touching regulation seventeen of Ontario school law is equally false. I discussed informally with Premier Ferguson the question of teaching French in schools generally, but he never proposed himself to me on the regulation in question. I was very much impressed by his broadness of view touching the relations that should exist between English and French people in Canada and when I spoke at the Reform Club I felt it my duty to refer to his attitude in this respect, which I interpreted as referring to the Ontario school question, much less the repeal of regulation seventeen. I entirely refused to give interviews on any subject while in Montreal or Quebec."

(Special to St. John Globe.)

Fredericton, Oct. 12.—Premier Veniot, returned from Quebec to Edmundston yesterday and went through to Moncton by C. N. R. today on his way to his home in Bathurst.

"As a matter of fact what happened at the Reform Club in Quebec was that Premier Veniot was invited to meet a number of young men there who had arranged an oyster supper and afterwards asked the Premier to speak to them in their meeting room, which he did," said Mr. Hill.

"Mr. Veniot's speech was not a serious one, but it was an informal speech in which, he, for the most part, spoke in an amusing manner. It was not the kind of speech in which a Premier reveals his policies or tells of his intentions, and he seems to have been completely misunderstood as to what he said in respect to the liquor question."

Mr. Veniot told them that he hoped with a construction of the Good Roads Movement New Brunswick would soon become an active competitor with Quebec for the heavy and profitable stream of tourist traffic which their province now enjoys; but he didn't say or intimate that New Brunswick would seek tourists by means of a more open sale of liquor than any other means than improving its highways and letting the world know what New Brunswick has to offer for the tourist.

In fairness to Premier Veniot The Evening Times asked the Canadian Press for its explanation of the story from Quebec.

Mr. Andrew Merkle, Superintendent of the Atlantic division, in a message said:

"Veniot story was received from News Editor, Quebec, on the heavy and carried it in all his editions. Efforts on our part to check are unsuccessful because Veniot had had Quebec correspondents the only alternative with a statement of so much New Brunswick interest was to carry it and credit to page publishing it. We are investigating further."

An explanation sent to the editor of the Quebec Telegraph last night asking for a statement of the time of going to press. T. P. Ragan Adds Statement.

T. P. Ragan, who was with Premier Veniot at all the meetings where the latter delivered addresses, told The Times-Star this morning that he wished to go on record as saying that the Premier made no such statement as was reported to have come on the liquor question, nor was it discussed at all except in a purely jocular way by one or another of the speakers.

The S. S. Dorte is scheduled to sail from Montreal today with three lots of silver foxes, which are being shipped from a ranch in Moncton to Sussex, England.

CLINCH!



"Young" Stribling of Georgia and Mike McTigue, world's light heavy champion, lock arms during an exciting moment of their bout in which the decision was changed twice.

U.S. TO LEAD IN MILITARY FLYING

Secretary Denby Speaks at Christening of ZR-1 as Shenandoah.

Lakehurst, N. J., Oct. 12.—Standing under the massive gray bow of the newly christened Shenandoah, formerly the ZR-1, world's greatest dreadnought, Secretary of the Navy Denby here served notice on other powers that the United States intends to lead in military aeronautics.

"Any enemy of the United States," Secretary Denby said, pointing with upraised arm to the billowing great ship overhead, "that invites a trial of power with this country will have its hands full. We expect to equal and surely hope to surpass all others in military aviation."

This vessel now is a ship of the United States navy. It represents the newest, latest and perhaps the most terrible weapon of offense. But I pray that it never may have to be used in attack on an enemy or in the defense of this country."

Christened by Mrs. Denby.

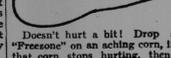
Mr. Denby's speech, delivered from a flag-draped platform in the gigantic hangar, followed brilliant ceremonies in which the ZR-1 exchanged its prosaic service designation for the poetic name Shenandoah, meaning "Daughter of the Stars," at the word of Mrs. Denby, the Secretary's wife.

Included in the crowd of 5,000 persons who observed the christening and heard Mr. Denby's challenging address were naval attaches from the embassies of Great Britain, Japan, France, Italy and Brazil. Governor George S. Sizoo of New Jersey, five admirals and a general of the marine corps as well as scores of officers of lesser ranks also were present.

Later the giant dirigible, with Secretary Denby, a family party and high officers aboard, soared over the near-by Atlantic coast at Barnegat Bay, playing aloft for an hour. Half of the time Mrs. Denby was at the steering wheel. The Secretary also stood a short watch at the wheel. The land-nosing deeply downward out of a violet sky, resembling a detached gray cloud earthward bound.

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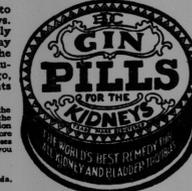
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SINGLE G. MAKES NEW MAINE RECORD

Thrilling Races at Lewiston Yesterday—John R. Braden Beaten.

Racing enthusiasts in Lewiston, Me., yesterday were given a rare treat when they witnessed a special race between Margaret Dillon, Single G. and Sir Roch, and a free-for-all between the Grattans and John R. Braden. The former event was won by Margaret Dillon, who captured the second and third heats. In the first heat Single G. established a new state record, 2:03.4, due to a challenge by Sir Roch on the home stretch, who was ahead of the champion at the wire, but went up and ruled back to third position.

In the free-for-all John R. Braden won out, handily defeating the favorite, John R. Braden.

Special 1.00 Class, Purse \$3,000. Margaret Dillon, b. m., by Dillon Axworthy (McMenemen) 2 1 1 Single G. 1 2 1 Wilkes (Allen) 1 2 2 Sir Roch, b. g. (McMenemen) 3 3 3 Time—2:03.4 (new state record); 2:04.3-4; 2:04.1-2.

Free-for-all, Purse \$3,000. Roy Grattan, b. g., by Grattan Royal (Gerow) 1 2 1 Jackson Grattan, b. m., by Grattan (Willard) 3 1 2 John R. Braden, b. s. (Willard) 2 4 4 Dan Hedgecroft, b. m. (Cameron) 4 8 8 Time—2:07.8-4; 2:07; 2:08.

2.18 Pace, Purse \$5,000. Northern Mac, b. g., by Northern Mac (Wain) 1 1 1 Hedgewood Lassie, ch. m., by Hedgewood Boy (Simmons) 3 2 1 Northern Belle, b. m. (Cameron) 2 8 2 Miss Simons, b. m. (Willard) 4 4 4 Dean Dewey and Elizabeth Watts also started.

Time—2:18.1-4; 2:12.1-4; 2:12.1-4; 2:14.8-4.

RECENT DEATHS

Halsey M. Steward. Upper Hampstead, N. B., Oct. 12.—The death of Halsey M. Steward, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Steward, of White's Cove, N. B., occurred at Upper Hampstead on Oct. 8 after a lingering illness. He was 21 years of age and is survived by his wife, his parents, one brother, Beverly B. Steward, a member of the United Baptist church and was held in high regard by the community. The funeral was held at Rev. T. D. Bell and was largely attended by sympathizing relatives and friends.

Miss Agatha Marion Sollows. Miss Agatha Marion Sollows, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. Sollows, of Tiverton, N. S., died yesterday at the General Public Hospital after an illness of only a few days. She was in her twenty-first year and was first taken ill on Monday. She was an employe of the S. H. Hayward Company, a member of the Main street Baptist church and an active member of the Sunday school. Until the time of her death she lived with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sollows, at 142 Victoria street. She is survived by her parents, one brother, Elverson, and one sister, a bright, active girl and will be missed by a host of friends. Deep sympathy is extended to the bereaved family.

NON-COMMITTAL

(Montbata Free Press.) Mr. King stepping out of the train at Boston station. "And so this is dear old London, what a charming place. (I think I do not commit myself to anything in saying that.) The houses look rather old, and perhaps a trifle seedy (but, really, they are, you know, so I am sure when you say 'I am not committing myself in any way'). And so this is the Tower of London; well, well, well, what a fine old building, perfectly wonderful (it is safe enough to say so), perfectly safe (as a matter of fact it is rather, no exception to be taken to that). What a magnificent sight to the grand old abbey, whose traditions stretch their hands through time and connect us with the great institutions and personages of the remote past (that commits me to nothing at all). Yes, indeed, I think London is a city filled with interesting associations. And so this is No. 10 Downing street; another very historic domicile (nobody can deny that). What's that you say, 'am I going to help make more history in it?' Ah! It is not historic just visiting London; that means nothing on earth). Well, good-bye; oh, that's all right; it was a pleasure."

The Crisis

(Montbata Free Press.) First Citizen—"The situation as I see it is the most acute in a number of years." Second Citizen—"It really amounts to a crisis!" Third Citizen—"Absolutely. The slightest turn one way or the other would change the whole outlook."

"I Had Terrible Backache From Kidney Disease"

Mrs. M. A. McNeill, Canadian Sta., N.B., writes: "I was troubled for years with terrible backache, resulting from kidney disease. At times in each month I remained in bed, the pain was more than I could stand, and to walk was almost impossible. I used about \$50.00 worth of other medicines, but with little result. Now I am completely better, after using only five boxes of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills."

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