

CARDINAL O'CONNELL FOR TEMPERANCE BUT NOT PROHIBITION

Full Text of Pronouncement of Prelate of the Catholic Church in the United States on Matter of Keen Interest.

IN view of the interest in the prohibition situation, The Times-Star here publishes the full text of a pronouncement on the subject by Cardinal O'Connell of Boston, ranking prelate of the Roman Catholic Church in the United States. Reference was made to it in the despatches. Here is his complete statement:

"I have been asked repeatedly of late to give my views with regard to compulsory universal prohibition," said the Cardinal. "Up to the present I have preferred to keep silence, but the misrepresentation, whether due to ignorance or malice, of the position of the church generally, and especially in these United States, would seem to require some clear statement on the subject."

SEES CONFOSSION

"I have read the controversial attitudes pro and con as voiced by prominent laymen and also by Protestant ecclesiastics of different denominations, and I think that on account of these declarations coming from people of various walks of life, while they surely indicate a deep agitation on the part of the public, also manifest an extraordinary amount of confusion, both of principle and of fact. That, I suppose, is to be expected from sources which depend more upon emotional rather than doctrinal principles. "If this most important matter of enforced prohibition were merely a question of personal conduct or personal taste, we might wait for the time when the public would arrive at settled convictions concerning it, and hope for sane legislation. But some of the utterances, especially those purporting to give a Catholic point of view, are so distorted from the Catholic principle that it may be of interest to the general public to know the Catholic standpoint."

CATHOLIC VIEW

"Now, I know of no better way for the present to set the Catholic standpoint forth than by reproducing an article entitled 'Catholics and the Prohibitionists,' printed in the London Tablet of Jan. 23, 1926."

"The statement is so clear and so comprehensive that I do not hesitate to make it my own and to take my position alongside of it as enunciating genuine Catholic doctrine. I do not give the whole article, though it would be worth while reading, but I will epitomize it in the following form:

"The Catholic church is the oldest and largest ethical society in the world. Therefore, Christianity, moral reformers, both the right-headed and wrong-headed, ardently desire Catholic co-operation."

"From their pulpits, their theologians brand us as traitors to the gospel, but on the public platforms our active partnership is acclaimed with delight. Their cry is that we are the Scarlet Woman, but they find she is quite prettily clad in pale pink when they want her to march with them in a temperance crusade."

GOSPEL AND WINE

"Not that the church needs persuading to fight against intemperance! From the days when St. Paul warned the Ephesians not to be drunk with wine, the church's pastors have dealt faithfully with this ugly vice, but—and here is the real principle—'Abusus non tollit usum' (the abuse of a thing does not destroy its use)—ale, wine and their like are not in themselves evil. They have their lawful uses, ranging down from the supreme honor paid to wine along with bread as the matter of the Holy Eucharist to their general work of moistening and enlivening the laborer's rough fare."

"Unhappily this is the view of some Protestants with whom we are asked to associate ourselves for temperance progress. Reviving the hoary heresy of the Aquarians, they would banish wine even from the sacrifice of the altar as 'Neo-Manichees,' they would have us err and stray with them in the thornbushes of false physics and false metaphysics."

"To these appeals the Catholic church cannot accede. Voluntary total abstinence she applauds as in the case of a strong-willed man who renounces fermented liquor for the sake of a weak-willed brother."

"But compulsory universal prohibition is a different thing! For compulsory prohibition in general is flatly opposed to Holy Scriptures and to Catholic tradition. Moreover, it is grossly untrue to say that pathology and dietetics have brought in a verdict of guilty against the immortal beverages of the Old World."

"Although it has been made clear

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St. Adolphe, Manitoba. "I was very weak and had great pains during my periods so that I could not sweep the floor. The pains were in the right side and extended to the left and then down wards. It seemed as if the body was heavy upon my feet and I was down. It is for these troubles I took the Vegetable Compound. I saw about it in a paper and one woman prevailed on me to take it. It has helped me in every way, the pains are less, and I have more appetite. It is a pleasure to recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound to other women."—LEA DILORNE, St. Adolphe, Manitoba.

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Toronto, Ont. "I am at the Change of Life with hot flashes, dizziness, weakness and nervousness. I had head noises and was short of breath. I was this way about six months when I read about Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound in the newspapers. I have taken eight bottles so far and found great relief."—Mrs. R.J. Saiton, 112 Lavelle Ave., Toronto, Ont.

LENROOT AND CAHAN WILL ADDRESS CLUB

Canadian Press Despatch.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The annual dinner of the Canadian Club of New York is announced for March 11, and will be held in the Hotel Biltmore.

United States Senator Lenroot and Hon. C. H. Cahan, K.C., M.P., St. Lawrence, St. George, Montreal, will be the guests of honor and head the speakers list.

The dinners of the Canadian Club have for many years been features of the social and political life of the city and the presence of Senator Lenroot and Mr. Cahan will give this year's banquet a decidedly international flavor.

GREB WON

PHOENIX, Ariz., Feb. 12.—Harry Greb won a ten round decision over Owen Phelps, Arizona middleweight champion, here last night.

Next Governor?



Viscount Willingdon, who has recently arrived in Quebec from England, may be appointed governor-general of Canada to succeed Baron Byng.

NEW Y.M.C.A. HOME AT MONCTON OPENS

More Than 500 Citizens Entertained at Banquet—Greetings Extended

MONCTON, Feb. 12.—The newly reconstructed Moncton Y.M.C.A. building was officially reopened here tonight. The exercises opened with a banquet staged in the new gymnasium with more than 500 citizens in attendance. J. Fred Edgett, president of the institution and chairman of the building committee, presided. The dedicatory prayer was pronounced by Rev. J. A. Ramsay, St. John's, who gave the invocation. The exercises were given by the members of the building committee, A. H. Graham, A. T. Weidon, J. L. MacDonald, C. C. Hayward, J. E. Masters and C. H. Blakeney.

Greetings were extended from the Ministerial Association, the Y.W.C.A., the Ladies' Auxiliary, and the Y.M.C.A. Club, by Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. W. A. Humphrey and H. D. Adamson. Greetings were also

brought from the Junior Y's Men's Club, the girls of the institution and the National Council, Y.M.C.A., by Phillip Drader, Miss K. Jefferson and D. Patton, territorial secretary. H. G. Hope, general secretary of the local institution, outlined the program for the future and Harry Bantyne, national secretary of the Y.M.C.A., gave an address on the aims of the Y.M.C.A., its national and international strength and its worth to the community and the country. There was also a musical program.

TERRITORIAL MEETING

Coinciding with the official exercises celebrating the three days' opening of the newly reconstructed Y.M.C.A. building here, there is also meeting in this city the territorial convention of the association. The convention is composed of the employed officers and the laymen members of the territorial committee, and their first session, held yesterday afternoon, included only employed officers as follows: Donald MacPhail, associate secretary, Halifax; A. T. Weidon, physical director, Halifax; Ray Pendleton, general secretary, Charlottetown; H. H. Simpson, general secretary, Summerside; Robert Morton, general secretary, North Sydney; W. J. Murphy, general secretary, Truro; C. M. McCully, boys' work secretary, Saint John; J. D. Patton of Toronto, territorial secretary, was also present. Matters affecting the interior economy of the or-

ganization in the Maritimes were discussed. Today the laymen members of territorial committee in the Maritimes gathered to join the employed members in further discussion of their internal matters. Those who arrived today are Andrew W. Roby, H. Crowell, Halifax; John MacKinnon, A. N. Gregg, Hunter White and Walter Pierce, Y. M. C. A. president, Saint John; J. W. McConnell, Truro; H. W. Julien, North Sydney; J. D. Jenkins and A. E. MacLean, Charlottetown, as well as Harry Bantyne, national secretary Y. M. C. A., Toronto. All the members of the committee participated in the official re-opening functions this evening.

COURT ORDERS FEES ON RADIO PAID BY 7

Canadian Press Despatch. MONTREAL, Feb. 12.—Determined to collect the \$1 tax from approximately 40,000 owners of radio receiving sets in Montreal, officials of the Department of Marine and Fisheries prosecuted seven owners in the police court this morning. Judge Cusson ordered them to pay their licenses and court costs with the option of eight days in jail. It is estimated by the government authorities that only ten per cent. of the radio fans in Montreal have taken out licenses.

HALIFAX TEACHERS FACE BOOST IN PAY

HALIFAX, N.S., Feb. 12.—At a meeting of the Halifax School Board, held this afternoon, the members by a vote of 8 to 4 decided to restore 5 per cent. of the 10 per cent. reduction made in the teachers' salaries two years ago. The move will require the sanction of the Common Council before it is put into operation.

Weddings

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized at Trinity church, Boston, Mass., on January 30, by Rev. G. C. Gibbs, when C. Howard Holcombe, of Montreal, was united in marriage to Mrs. Rheta A. Hall of Saint John. Miss Ernestine Fyres, sister of the bride, acted as bridesmaid and Donald Plummer, of Boston, supported the groom. The bride looked charming in a madonna blue embroidered georgette gown with hat to match, and carried a bouquet of orchids and roses, while the bridesmaid looked very becoming in a costume of sand crepe with hat to match, and carried American beauty roses. After the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Holcombe left for upper Canada cities. Going away the bride wore a Russian caracul coat, trimmed with fox and French hat.

SPLIT THREATENS BRITISH LABORITES

Trade Union Section at Odds With Political Group of Party

British United Press. LONDON, Feb. 12.—The Labor party is now threatened with a split similar to that which has long paralyzed the effectiveness of the Liberals. The trades union element is most anxious to keep up the present high scale of wages and is at odds with the political group of the party which is fighting for national interests and national support at the next general election. Although Ramsay MacDonald has so far managed to keep the fight within the ranks from transferring itself to the floor of the House of Commons, the speech delivered by Mitchell Banks, who is known as the dandy of the Labor party and who was greeted with cries of "Tory" when he rose to speak, revealed that this split existed.

PROTECTION ASKED FOR N. S. PRODUCTS

Foster Says Dairy Industry There is Threatened, in House Speech

OTTAWA, Feb. 12.—Mr. A. D. Foster, Conservative, Hants-Kings, addressing the House of Commons today on the Sutherland amendment to the address, said that the amendment calling for the protection of Canadian dairy products involved a subject of vital interest to the province of Nova Scotia. At present the dairy industry there was being threatened. Nova Scotia products should be protected in order to maintain the local markets. Sixty per cent. of all wheat entering the United Kingdom, according to a statement read by Mr. Foster, was from foreign sources, while only 40 per cent. was produced within the empire. On this 60 per cent. the English people paid 35 cents a bushel more than was paid for wheat grown within the empire. Mr. Foster suggested co-operative action with the British people for the development of trade for Canadian goods under the lines of preference. He was willing to assist the West in this respect in return for their support in developing the industries of Nova Scotia.

RETIRE AFTER 45 YEARS SEA SERVICE

Veteran Commander Has Traveled More Than 2,000,000 Miles to and From S. Africa

LONDON, Feb. 13.—Capt. D. H. Hoskins, commander of H.M.S. Castle liner Windsor Castle, has retired after 45 years' seafaring service, in the course of which he has traveled more than 2,000,000 miles to and from South Africa—a record without parallel in the history of United Kingdom sailors. He was at sea throughout the war, serving in the Glenora Castle, which was used as a hospital ship, and saw many fights between merchantmen and enemy submarines. "It was most gallant not to be able to lend a hand," he said to a reporter, but we could not for fear that we might be sent to the bottom with our cargo of precious lives."

TIES WITH GERMAN

BERLIN, Feb. 12.—Pauli Uzzadun, the Spanish heavy-weight, who is expected soon to visit the United States, was held to a draw by the German heavyweight Diener in a 10-round bout here tonight.

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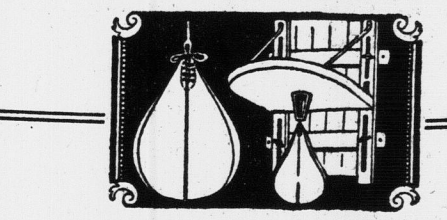
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- HOME SEWING WEEK** will be continued until Feb. 20.



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