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FLOATING FLIERS HAVE FLING

The Governor's Cup race for speedboats gets under way at Lake Hopewong, New Jersey, with some of the speediest fliers in the country warming up for the 35 mile trip. And it's rough going most of the way. A strong favourite is Frank Ribb in his Meadowhead III. Down the straight speed the furies, throttles full open and gathering even more speed. The rest of the field has been left behind and now it's a tussle between Ribb and Cooper, last year's winner. Excitement reaches bursting point as Ribb noses ahead. It's a break neck race between champions and Meadowhead makes it, an average speed of over 57 miles per hour. What a battle, what a boat.