

Two Giant Airships.

News from England tells us that the British government is having constructed the "largest airship the world has ever known," to be twice the size of the ZR-3. A sister ship is also to be built.

These new liners are to be 700 feet long with the capacity to carry 150 passengers. The trip to the United States is expected to take only two days.

It is a long cruise from the little, cigar shaped dirigibles that visited our

fairs some decades ago to those super Zeppelins. The beginning of aerial construction is at hand. Larger and larger are the plans laid, and faster and faster are the speed requirements. The age of the automobile will not last as long as the age of the locomotive. The age of the air will supplant both.

Let's not fight for more liberty until we learn to handle what we've got.—Cedar Fall (Iowa) Record.

It's the fat-head, not the over-head, that makes government costly.—Columbia Record.

HERE'S A GOOD ONE

Early to bed and early to rise, may do very well with old folks and guys but it makes a man miss all the fun till he dies. Go to bed when you please and thereby at your ease but don't sleep too late and miss the bargains I am offering in farm lands elsewhere in this issue.

I sold Mr. R. L. Gold of Lattimore a farm this week and I will sell you one if you will come and see them. This land would bring \$100.00 per acre anywhere in Cleveland county. The buildings on No. 1 would cost \$12500.00 to put them up and the timber delivered at R. R. will pay for the place and the land will produce twice as much as the average land in Cleveland county. Come and see and buy.

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The White House and the Congressional building are several blocks apart—Manila Bulletin.

MYSTERY SHIP IN PORT AT HALIFAX

Halifax, N. C., Nov. 28.—The four-masted British schooner Veronica was under command of a band of armed liquor pirates for three weeks before it was deserted and left drifting, a cripple of the seas crying for help, it was reported here when the craft was towed into port.

The master of the schooner and the two supercargoes refused to talk, but he mate, a Scotchman who claimed years of service on the seven seas, told a story of modern pirates, compared to whom, he said oriental pirates of "chinese sea, with whom he had come in contact, were "gentlemen."

According to the mate, the Veronica was boarded on October 24 off Montauk Point by 15 men who came ostensibly to purchase liquor with which he said the craft was loaded. When they were aboard, the mate related, the men covered the crew with pistols.

Taking complete charge of their prize the hi-jackers proceeded to conduct a wholesale liquor business with small craft, the mate said, until nearly all the cargo was sold.

While the pirates were in command, it was said, the officers were kept locked in the chain locker and the crew was forced under threat of violence to assist in disposing of the cargo. Every night, it was reported, the entire crew was locked in a compartment and kept under guard until morning.

Then after crippling the engines of the vessel, smashing her compass, chronometer and other instruments by which she might be guided to port the pirates went over the side as casually as they had arrived, leaving their victims an aimless hulk at the mercy of the elements.

The mate said the Veronica drifted about, her officers unable to take their bearings, until flares and rockets they sent up every night were seen by the "Pier President Harding" Wednesday night, three days after they had been cast loose by their captors.

When the Veronica arrived here tonight it was reported that not a drop of water remained aboard and that the supply of provisions was very low. Champagne and whiskey had been used by the crew to assuage their thirst in the absence of water, it was said.

The crew of the schooner, mostly foreigners who could speak little English, said that they had shipped on the Veronica four months ago to Bremen, ostensibly for a cruise to Morocco.

They said, however, that they had not seen land since the day of their sailing. They reported enormous hardships at the hands of the pirates.

When the craft dropped anchor tonight customs officers sealed up the remaining liquor. No estimate was available of the value of the cargo which had been looted, or the amount the pirates received for what they had sold over the side.

Even those who deny that woman is qualified for high executive office admit that she might qualify as speaker of the house.—Norfolk Virginian-Pilot.

Another especially pathetic little feature of every day life is a materialist who fails to succeed in collecting any material.—Columbus Ohio State Journal.

NOTICE OF SALE UNDER MORTGAGE

Under and by virtue of the power conferred upon me by the provisions of a certain chattel mortgage executed to the Cleveland Motor Company by L. F. Neal and Son on November 27, 1923, said mortgage being on record in the office of the Register of Deeds for Cleveland County, N. C. in Book of Mortgages 127, at page 65, and default having been made in the payment of same, I will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, on Saturday, December 13, 1924, at 12 o'clock noon, or within legal hours, in order to satisfy the claim of the undersigned, at the Court House Door in Shelby, N. C., the following described personal property, to-wit:—
One Dodge Brothers Sedan Automobile, No. 579151.
This November 20, 1924.
C. P. PEELER, Mortgagee.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as Administrator of G. P. Hamrick, deceased, late of Cleveland county, N. C., this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said decedent to exhibit them to the undersigned on or before the 14th day of November, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This the 14th day of November, 1924.
E. A. HAMRICK, Admr. of G. P. Hamrick, deceased.
Quinn, Hamrick & Harris, Attys.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Mrs. Louisa Y. Stockton, deceased, late of Cleveland county, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned at his residence at R. F. D. 5, Shelby, N. C. on or before November 20, 1925, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.
This 20th day of November, 1924.
Andrew J. Elliott, Executor of the Last Will and Testament of Mrs. Louisa Y. Stockton.
O. Max Gardner, Attorney.

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