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### MONSTER AIRSHIP.

The incorporation, at St. Louis, of the Universal Aerial Navigation Company has revealed plans for a commercial passenger airship that will rival the wildest dreams of Jules Verne. Officials of the company declare that within a year they will have a ship that will carry over a hundred passengers in a forty-mile wind and at a speed of 100 miles an hour.

The machine is the invention of J. W. O'Connell, formerly of San Antonio, Texas, but at present at St. Louis, Ohio, in progress of construction in the shops of the inventor in St. Louis.

The inventor claims that his ship can start either from the land or water. He declares it will ascend straight into the air or can be launched in the manner of an aeroplane.

The new airship is called a gyroplane, so named from the fact that it is a combination of gyroscope, the helicopter and the aeroplane. Its promoters say it can be built in any size from a two-man "runabout" or seven-passenger "touring car" to a monster of the air that will carry 50 or 100 passengers.

It is planned to construct machines that will maintain a regular passenger service between cities and states, and even countries. The gasoline supply may be unlimited. The model of the ship is fitted with four huge propellers, 12 feet in diameter, which may be used in turn for drawing the machine from the ground or carrying it through the air. The machine has been inspected by government engineers and pronounced superior to all others.

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The company is capitalized at \$5,000,000.

### THE HEAT WAVE.

Yesterday was the hottest day of the year in New York. Three persons went mad with the heat and 10 others died of it.

Ten deaths and many prostrations occurred in Philadelphia yesterday, a result of the excessive heat.

The thermometer at Middletown, N. Y., touched 102 degrees in the shade yesterday afternoon.

Washington yesterday sweated in torrid heat which caused one death, that of a colored infant, and the prostration of four other persons. On Pennsylvania avenue the thermometer registered 102 degrees.

That the present hot wave reaches an altitude of 2,100 feet was the discovery made at Lowell, Mass. yesterday by Charles J. Glidden, who made an ascension in the balloon Massachusetts.

One murder, a shooting which probably will result fatally, three suicides and another attempt at self-destruction which may yet end successfully, is the record of crime in Detroit for Saturday.

### PASTOR'S HOME WRECKED.

The home of Rev. R. B. Fisher, pastor of the Neoga, Ill., Presbyterian Church, was dynamited early Saturday morning. The building was partly wrecked and Rev. Fisher's wife was badly injured. No clue has been found to the person who threw the bomb, fragments of which were found later near the wrecked building.

Rev. Fisher had been leading a crusade against bootleggers, and it is believed foes of the local option law wrecked his home, as he had received a number of letters threatening him on account of his attitude.

Rev. Fisher was sued for \$500 damages last Friday by Jacob Strohl, a wealthy German farmer, and Cumberland Presbyterian. Strohl charged that Rev. Fisher had prayed to the Lord "to make Brother Strohl a better man."

"Now you would better make another prayer and straighten things up with the Lord," Strohl declared when Fisher concluded his prayer. Fisher, it is alleged, refused to comply and the suit followed.

Their differences followed the refusal to permit Cumberland Presbyterians to use the church building near Neoga after their consolidation with the Presbyterian Church. This action is believed to have started their trouble.

### HAWK KILLS RATTLER.

With a chicken for a prize, a battle royal was waged by a hawk and a rattlesnake along the banks of the Juniata at Coveville, Pa., Saturday. It was witnessed by Walter C. Wykekoop, of Altoona, and he says he never saw a fight so fierce.

Wynekoop was fishing, and, while waiting for a "bite," his attention was directed to a commotion in a clump of bushes nearby. He walked quietly near the spot to investigate. He found the snake in possession of a spring chicken, but the meal was disturbed by the hawk,

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which evidently also had designs on the dainty meat.

Circling around the reptile and the chicken, the hawk would fly close enough to snag the snake's body with its beak. Once it flew too close, and quick as a flash the snake struck it, knocking it to the ground.

With its beak and claws the bird fought, while the snake wrapped its coils around it. It seemed an hour but it was only 15 minutes when, in a last desperate effort, the hawk sank its talons into the snake's throat, and the battle ended.

Freeing itself, the bird seized the prize and flew away to enjoy it. The snake, measured 4 feet 1 inch.

**TRAIN ROBBERS FOILED.**

Cleverness on the part of the engineer prevented three youthful and apparently inexperienced bandits from robbing the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Southwestern flyer near Larimore, 15 miles from St. Louis, early yesterday. Three men were arrested later as suspects and placed in jail pending investigation.

Engineer Quinn, through a ruse, prevented the looting of the baggage car and the passenger coaches. The bandits compelled the engineer and the fireman, at the point of revolvers, to descend from the cab and made the men accompany them back to the baggage car to help in uncuppling it.

While tinkering about the coupling the engineer and the fireman, in the darkness, managed to glide away from the bandits. The two started on a run for the cab. The bandits opened fire on the engine.

The engineer and the fireman, undeterred, scrambled into the cab. The engineer threw the throttle wide open and dashed away with the train.

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It is Ordered: That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect her interest in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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**VIRGINIA.**—In the Clerk's Office of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, on the 28th day of June, 1910, Lillian E. Mansfield vs. Robert N. Mansfield. In chancery.

Memo. The object of this suit is to obtain for the complainant an absolute divorce from the defendant on the ground of adultery committed by him, and for general relief.

It appearing by an affidavit filed in this cause that the defendant, Robert N. Mansfield, is a non-resident of this State; It is Ordered: That said defendant appear here within fifteen days after due publication of this order, and do what is necessary to protect his interests in this suit, and that a copy of this order be forthwith inserted in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper published in the City of Alexandria, once a week for four successive weeks, and posted at the front door of the Court House of this city.

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