

Office Building Towers Ancient Grave of Pioneer

TORONTO — There is a piece of ground in the heart of the city un-der the giant commercial buildings that surround it. It is 12 by 14 feet, is do-veloped by the Bank of Com-merce, and is the tallest building in the city. It is the General Trust building, and it is the grave of a girl, Stella, daughter of one of the city's pioneers, John Van-zant, who came from New York in 1772.

was observed. A protective shed was built over the grave and construction went on around the shed. Mrs. Gerald Johnson of Toron-to, a descendant of John Van-zant, knows something of the family legend. The pioneer was of Dutch extraction and his family helped found New Am-sterdam on the Hudson River. He arrived when Toronto was a fur-trading post. Later he es-tablished a tannery at the cor-ner of the present Adelaide and Yonge Streets some 10 years be-fore the future town plot of York was surveyed. Actual settlement of the area was delayed until 1793 so John Vanzant was one of the first to live there. York later became part of Toronto. The Vanzants left Toronto and returned to the United States when the Mackenzie rebellion broke out in 1837. Mrs. Johnson believes the tannery and Van-zant's residence a block away may have passed into the hands of Jesse Ketchum, philanthro-pist and reformer. The family returned to Canada about 1850 and some of its members settled in the Markham district.

Fighting Girls Wear Airmen's Wings, Range Foreign Guns



For the first time in its long history Britain is giving the coveted wings of the Royal Air Force to women pilots and sending girl gunners overseas to "man" front line defenses.

TOP: Pilot Officer Jean L. Bird of the Women's Royal Air Force Volunteer Reserve, first woman to be given the flyers' wings, proudly wears them on her chest at the presentation. Jean has more than 3,000 flying hours, accumulated in 90 different types of aircraft, to her credit.

LEFT (from left to right): Lance-Corporal Grieg and Privates Bull and Taylor of the Women's Royal Army Corps and the 46th Heavy Anti-Aircraft Regiment, the only regular "mixed" regiment in the British Army. The "46th Heavy" is being sent to Gibraltar where its girl gunners will—as shown in picture—and as women so gallantly did in Britain in the last war—operate predictors and supply ranges to the guns which will be fired by men.

Judgment Reserved

VANCOUVER — Judgment was reserved here by Mr. Justice J. O. Wilson in an application to strike out certain paragraphs from the defence in the pre-lection libel suit of Gordon S. Wismer.

Mr. Wismer was attorney-general of British Columbia in the Coalition government defeated then. He alleges he was libelled as attorney-general.

He is suing Maclean-Hunter Publications Co. Ltd., Toronto, and Blair Fraser, Ottawa journal-ist, for unstated damages for libel alleged to have been con-tained in the Feb. 15 issue of the polls in the June 12 elec-tion Maclean's magazine. The article was headed "Back Stage at Ottawa," and sub-titled "B.C. Coalition Commits Suicide." It was published following a break-up of Coalition in late January.

Application to have the para-graphs struck out was made by T. G. Norris, counsel for Mr. Wismer. He said that Mr. Wismer should not have to go to court to justify his whole life.

The pleadings should be re-stricted to the exact charges made by Mr. Wismer and the de-fence "so that a man's whole life is not gone into."

Mr. Norris said another para-graph in the defence would re-quire Mr. Wismer to prove malice against the defendants whereas the law imposed no obligation on the defendant to disprove malice.

Counsel also objected to a de-fence set up by Mr. Fraser that he was employed by the defend-ant company and had written and submitted the article to his employer.

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Divorcees' Club Great Success in Sweden

By EINAR PRAVITZ STOCKHOLM (AP)—About a year ago a Stockholm merchant got an idea—why not start a club for divorced persons? Himself divorced, he had much experience of the loneliness that results after severance of marital ties and most of the contacts any couple holds in com-mon. There were many persons, both men and women, in the same predicament who rallied to help him with his project.

'Millionaire Cruises Today Only Use for Zeppelin Ships

By HANS NEUERBOURG FRIEDRICHSHAFEN, Germany (AP) Dr. Hugo Eckener, who built most of the zeppelins, thinks the only future left for new ones is as novelty airships for "millionaire cruises."

"Zeppelin flight is a wonderful experience which cannot be matched by other craft," said the 84-year-old former com-mander of the Graf Zeppelin. "Because of this, a world dirigible tour might have a future. It would be wonderful, but expensive, a round-the-world ticket would cost about \$30,000. But I believe this is the only zeppelin project which could be realized. Otherwise, the day of the zeppelin is definitely past."

Eckener was the first zeppelin pilot to cross the Atlantic in a non-stop flight from east to west. He commanded Germany's ZR III in 1924 when it was flown to America as war reparations. It later became known as the "Los Angeles."

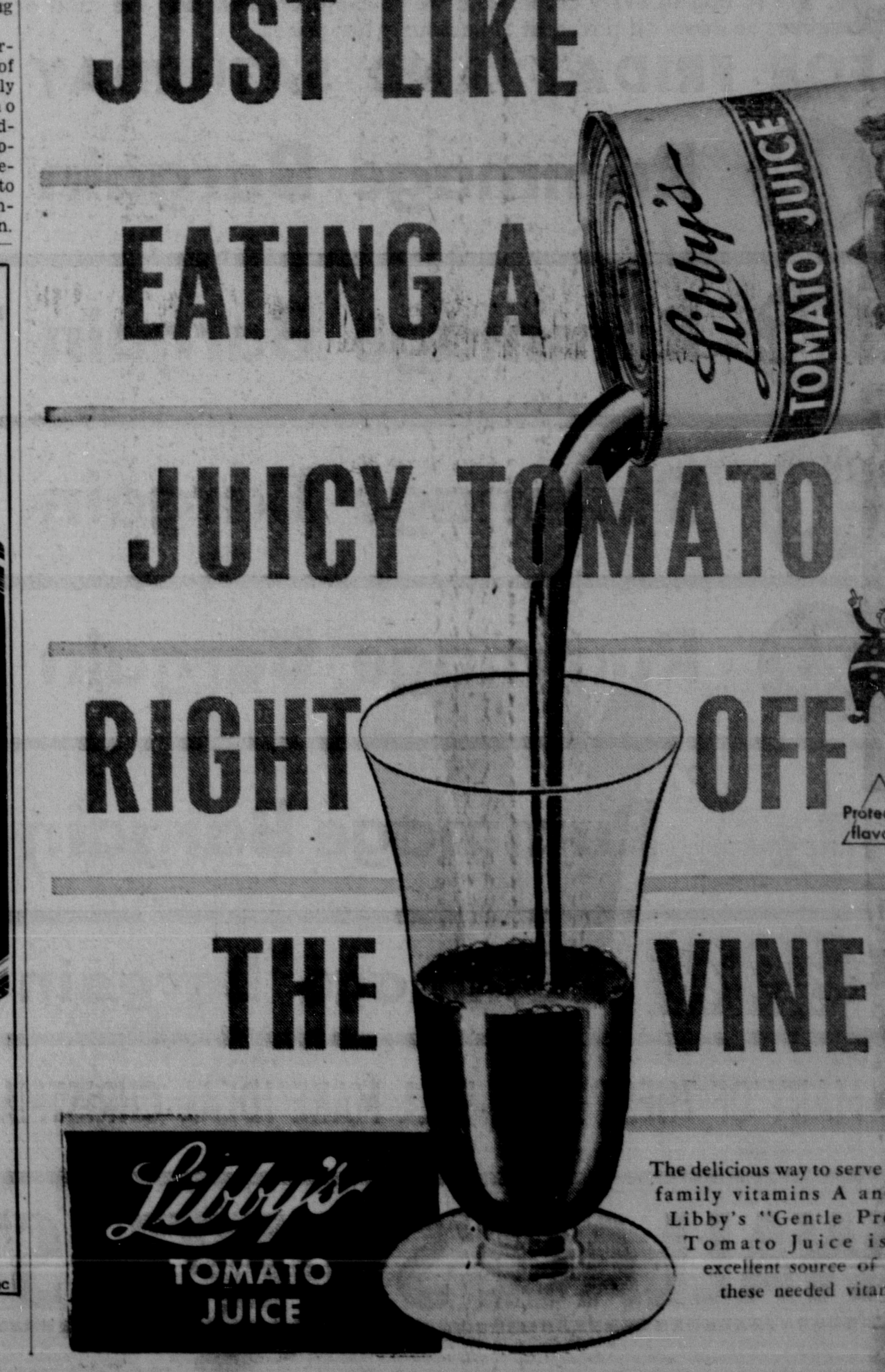
Thirteen years later Germany stopped building zeppelins after the May 6, 1937, tragedy at Lakehurst, N.J., when the Hindenburg was destroyed by fire and explosion which killed 36 of its 97 passengers.

Recently two German experts were reported to have drawn plans for the construction of new zeppelins to be used in a future German airline. The two are former zeppelin captain Max Pruess and Rudolf Sauter, a dirigible engineer.

"Sauter visited me several times and showed me his plans," Eckener said. "I told him he had my blessing but that I do not want to have anything to do with it. Today, a zeppelin would not have a chance against an airplane."

"Imagine the expense: the Hindenburg cost 10,000,000 reich-marks. Today, a zeppelin would cost 25,000,000 to 30,000,000 marks (\$5,950,000 to \$7,140,000) because of higher construction costs. It would have to be filled with helium which is not cheap either. Then a dock would have to be built because the old one here was destroyed in allied air raids during the last war. Such a dock would cost at least 15,000,000 to 20,000,000 marks (\$3,570,000 to \$4,760,000)."

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