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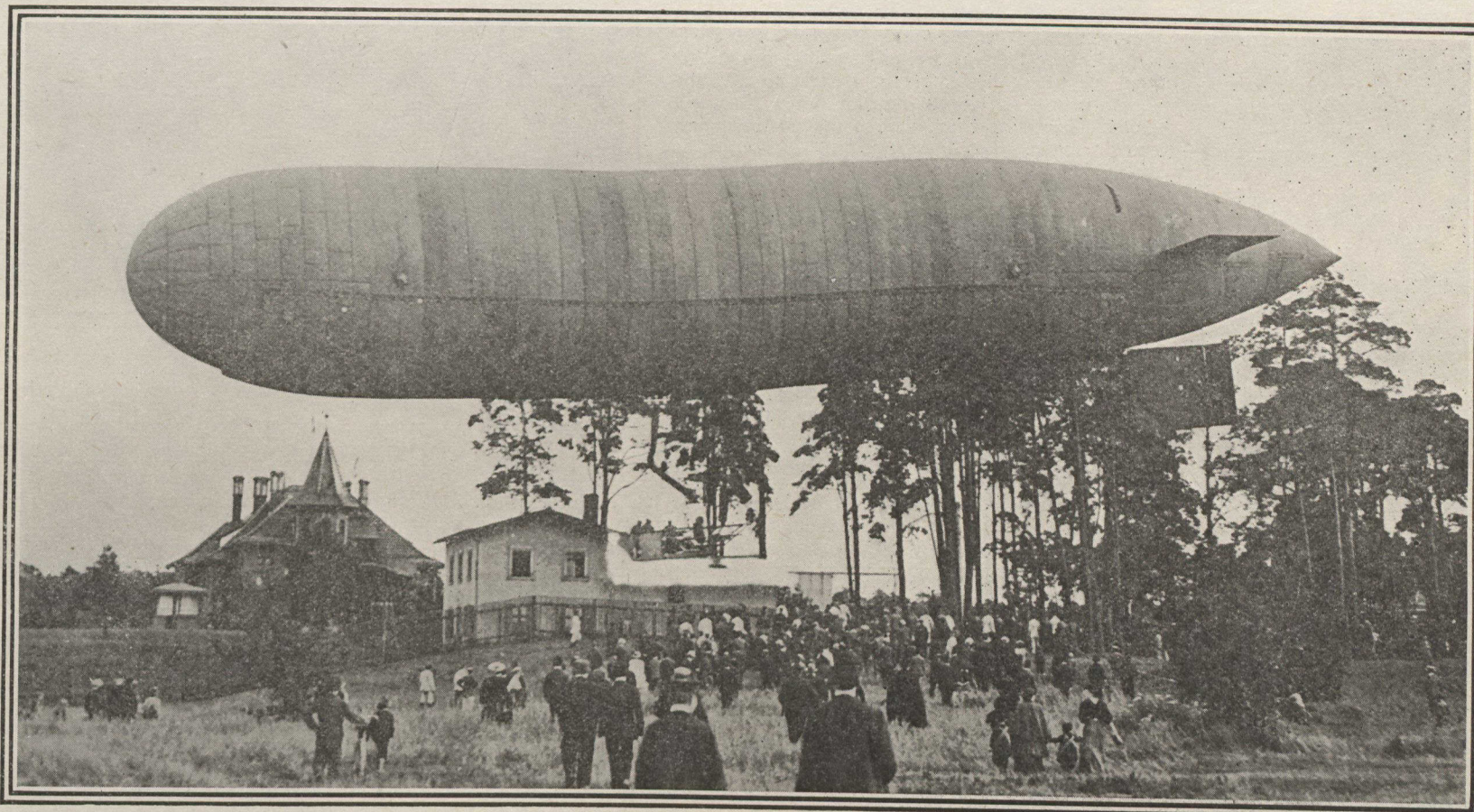


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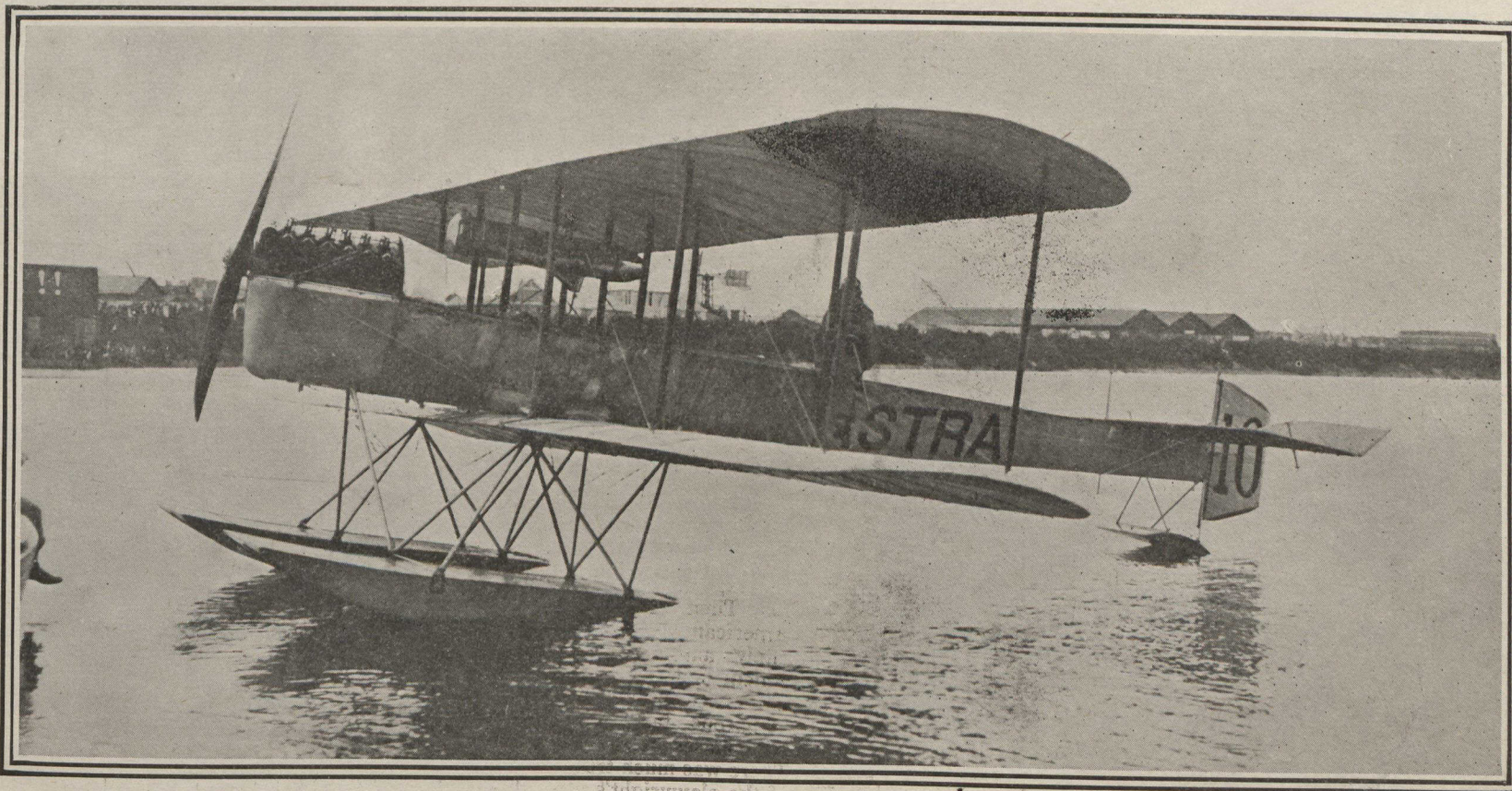
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NOW WE ARE PLACING ORDERS—WHY NOT AN AIRSHIP?



Great Britain is said to have Given an Order in Germany for this dirigible of the Parseval type. Why shouldn't Canada—not being strong on balloon-building as Mr. Borden might say—order another dirigible? Great Britain has only 45 airships as against Germany's 120.



Or, if a Dirigible Really Won't Fill the Bill, Why Not Order a Hydroplane Like this from France? Of Course, we Couldn't Supply the Crew, but if we Make a Present of a Hydroplane to the Admiralty, we Really Think it's up to Great Britain to Get Either Germans or Frenchmen for that Purpose.