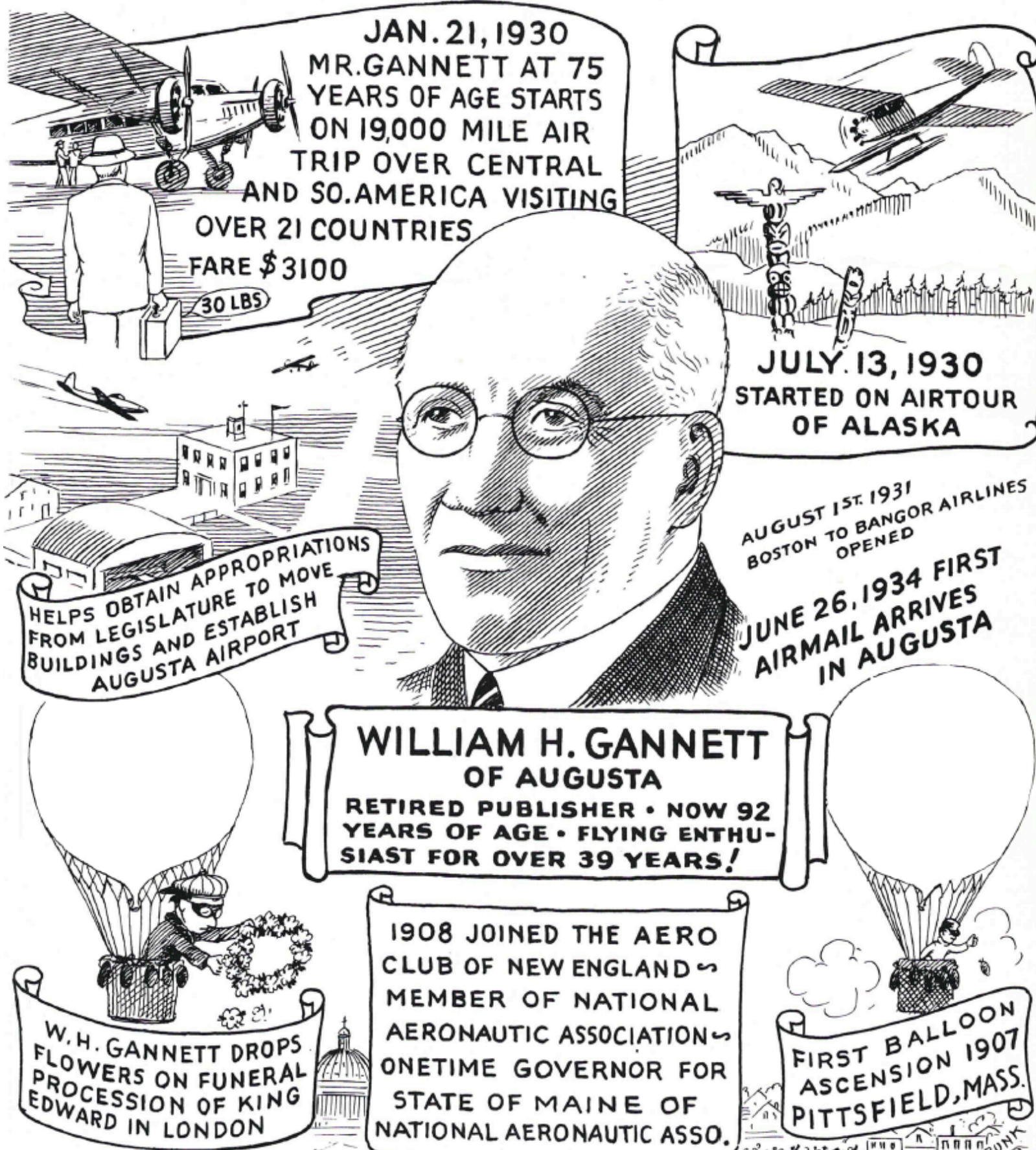


# William H. Gannett Coloring Page

William H. Gannett built the house where the First Amendment Museum is now. He was a fascinating man who loved flying. This fact sheet is from 1946! That's a long time ago!

\*Note: the artist of this image utilized an image of Guy Gannett, William's son, instead of William. Whoops! This print was found in the First Amendment Museum but the artist is unknown.



**JAN. 21, 1930**  
**MR. GANNETT AT 75**  
**YEARS OF AGE STARTS**  
**ON 19,000 MILE AIR**  
**TRIP OVER CENTRAL**  
**AND SO. AMERICA VISITING**  
**OVER 21 COUNTRIES**  
**FARE \$3100**

30 LBS

**JULY 13, 1930**  
**STARTED ON AIRTOUR**  
**OF ALASKA**

**AUGUST 1ST, 1931**  
**BOSTON TO BANGOR AIRLINES**  
**OPENED**

**JUNE 26, 1934 FIRST**  
**AIRMAIL ARRIVES**  
**IN AUGUSTA**

**HELPS OBTAIN APPROPRIATIONS**  
**FROM LEGISLATURE TO MOVE**  
**BUILDINGS AND ESTABLISH**  
**AUGUSTA AIRPORT**

**WILLIAM H. GANNETT**  
**OF AUGUSTA**  
**RETIRED PUBLISHER • NOW 92**  
**YEARS OF AGE • FLYING ENTHU-**  
**SIASIT FOR OVER 39 YEARS!**

**1908 JOINED THE AERO**  
**CLUB OF NEW ENGLAND**  
**MEMBER OF NATIONAL**  
**AERONAUTIC ASSOCIATION**  
**ONETIME GOVERNOR FOR**  
**STATE OF MAINE OF**  
**NATIONAL AERONAUTIC ASSO.**

**W. H. GANNETT DROPS**  
**FLOWERS ON FUNERAL**  
**PROCESSION OF KING**  
**EDWARD IN LONDON**

**FIRST BALLOON**  
**ASCENSION 1907**  
**PITTSFIELD, MASS.**