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SPEED KING TESTS NO-ROLL SHIP

The Venturi - a revolutionary twin-hulled ship which neither rocks nor rolls in the roughest seas - makes her debut at Miami Beach, Florida. She's the outcome of 28 years experimenting by Gar Wood, retired speedboat King. When the Venturi gets up speed, air rushing under the deck (which connects her twin hulls) acts as a shock-absorber and prevents rolling. Her unique design allows higher speeds and greater passenger capacity than was hitherto thought possible.

Designer Wood puts through her paces a seagoing oddity which may prove to be the luxury-liner of the day-after-tomorrow.