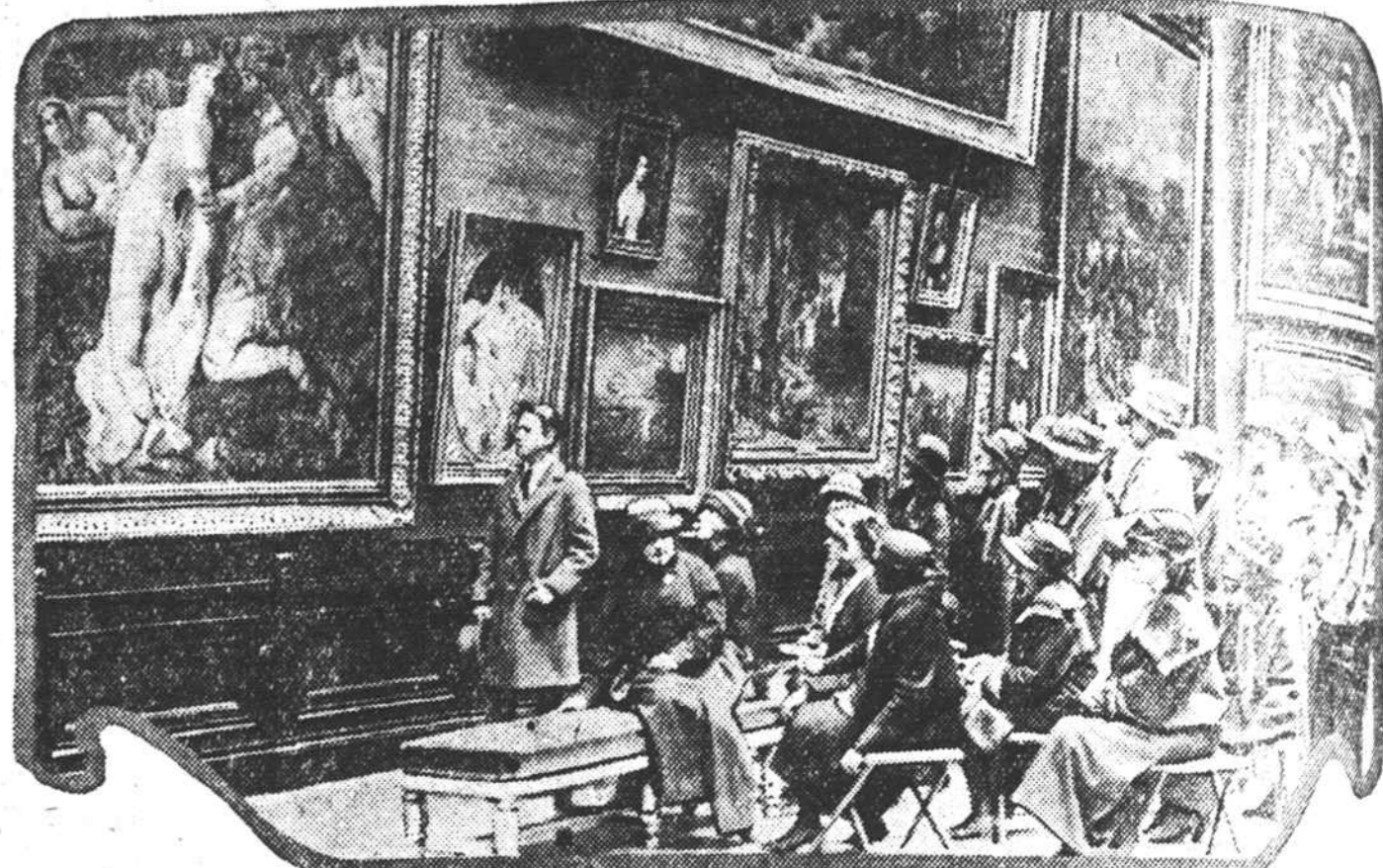


Plan to Capture World Markets for America



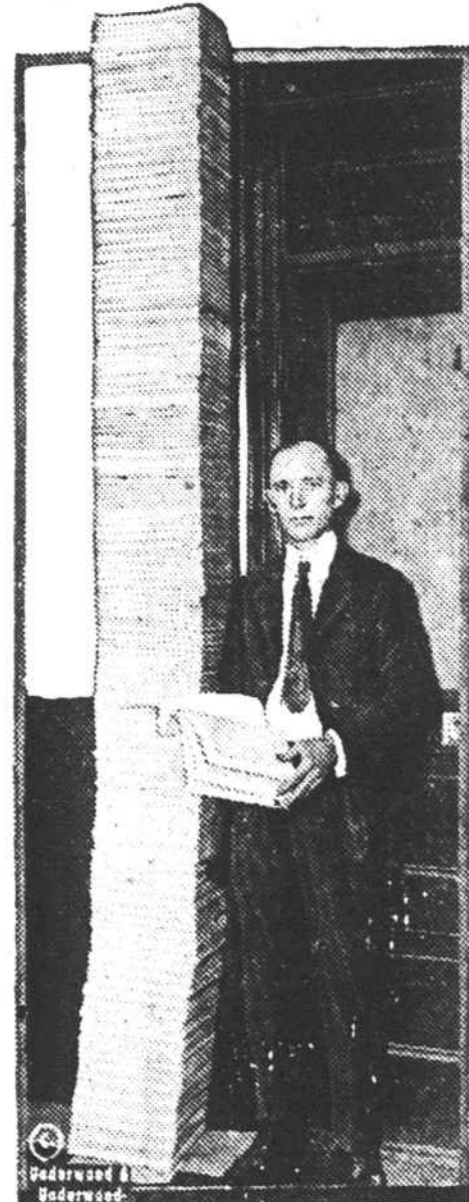
"We'll 'sell' the world!" said Dr. Julius Klein, director of the bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, shown here, third from left, with his assistant directors as they completed their preliminary work on the 1923-24 Hoover program for making the world America's market place. Left to right, they are: Thomas Taylor, Louis Domeratzky, Dr. Klein, O. P. Hopkins and Robert A. Jackson.

American Guide in the Louvre Museum



Harold Van Doren, holder of an American field service scholarship in France, and now the only official American guide in the Louvre, with his peripatetic class in one of the picture galleries of the museum.

SOME SHORTHAND WORK



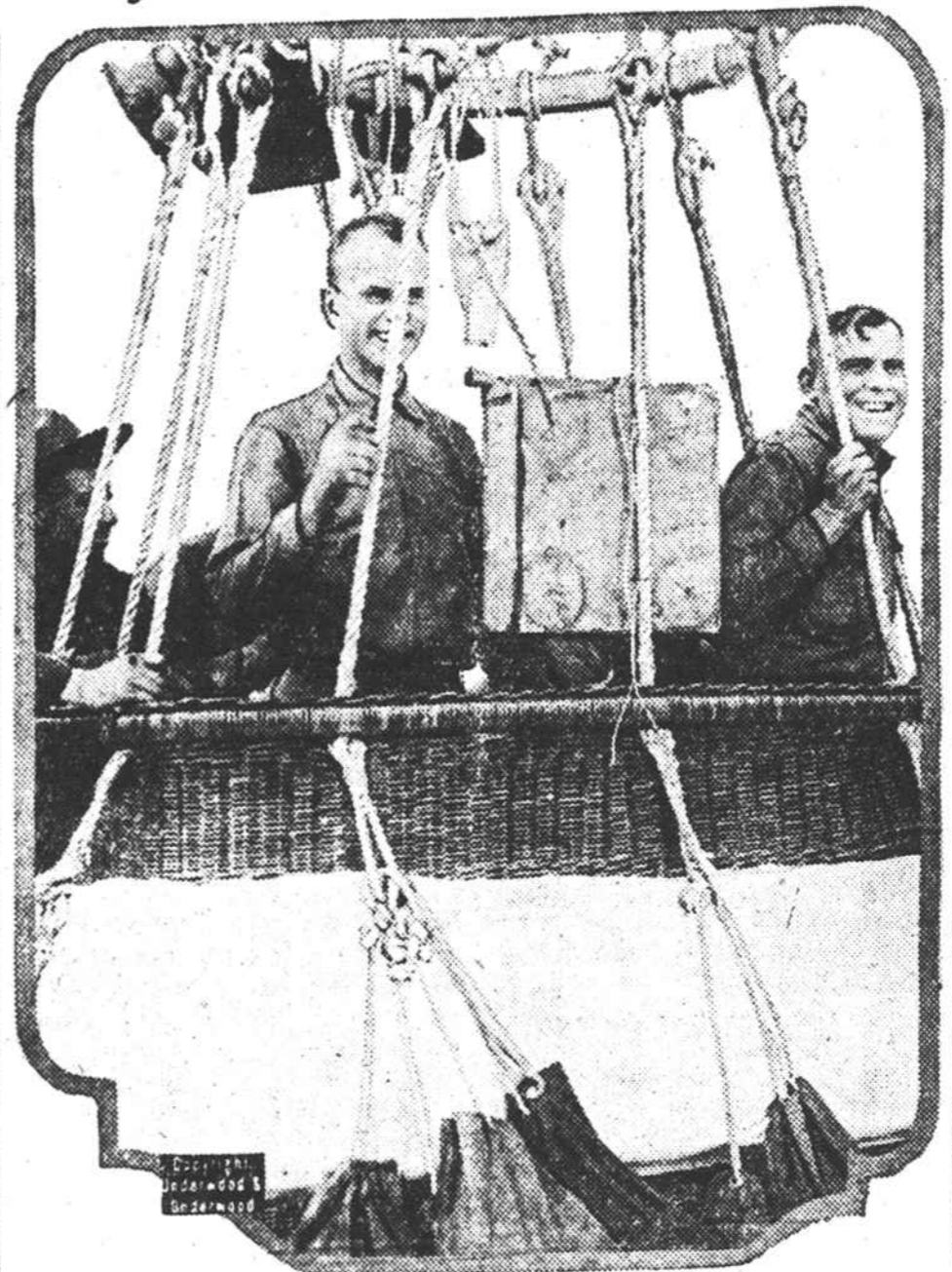
William M. Day of Washington, president of the Shorthand Reporters' Association, standing beside 60,000 pages of shorthand which he personally recorded during the proceedings of the commission for the adjustment of foreign claims in London.

Cherokee Princess Is a Seer



Princess Wahletka, of the Cherokee Indian tribe, who is a halfbreed, her father being a French Canadian and her mother a daughter of Spy Buck of the Cherokees, has just proved before such research workers as Dr. Walter F. Prince, director of the American Society of Psychical Research, Professor Hodge and others, that she possesses peculiar powers of seeing into the future and also delving into the past. Her ability to read minds is remarkable. She is seen here reading the mind of Mrs. John Westfield in New York.

Army Balloon Wins National Contest



Lieut. R. S. Olmstead, pilot (left), and Lieut. J. W. Shoftan, aid, in the basket of the army balloon S-6 with which they won the national elimination contest which started at Indianapolis. They descended at Marilla, N. Y., about 500 miles by airline.

THE GOLDEN ROSE



The Golden Rose, awarded by the pope to the queen who has done most for the Catholic Church, has been sent this year to Queen Victoria of Spain. It is fashioned of gold and precious stones by a family that has had the making of it for generations.

IN PRISON, BUT HONORED



A year ago R. V. Bray, Jr., of Spartanburg, S. C., was fined \$10,000 and sentenced to serve a year in the federal penitentiary for striking a spectator of internal revenue. Bray offered for defense the fact that a federal officer had intimidated him and was a liar. Just to show what the townspeople thought of the affair, they elected him mayor in the last election. Recently he surrendered and was taken to the United States marshal and served his sentence. He performed his mayoral duties in his cell.

PRETTY DANCER ELOPED



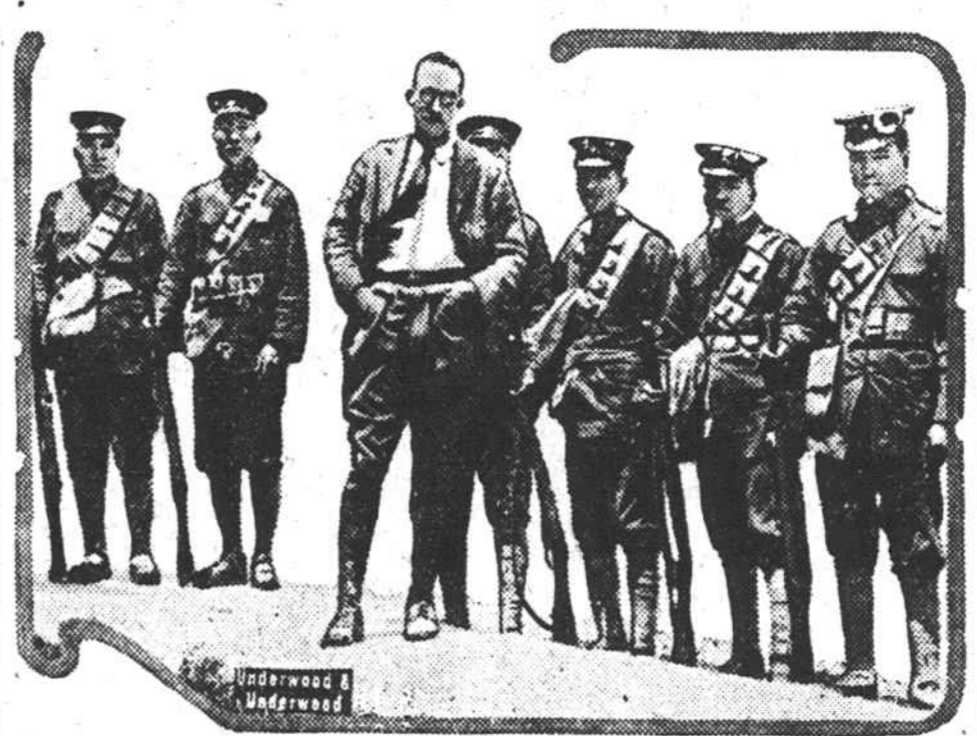
Fearing that a London trip would delay their marriage, Charles E. Brown, student at the University of Pennsylvania and a son of a millionaire banker, eloped with a specialty dancer in a diving suit and they were secretly married in Baltimore, Md.

Ruins of Hotel Where Four Perished



This shows the ruins of Hotel Schmidt, McKeesport, Pa., near Pittsburgh, where four persons are known to have lost their lives and where others may have perished.

Relief Work Director Out in China



Walter H. Mallory of New York, director of the China International Family Relief commission, traveling in the bandit-infested interior of China with his soldier guard.

"SPIRIT OF MUSIC"

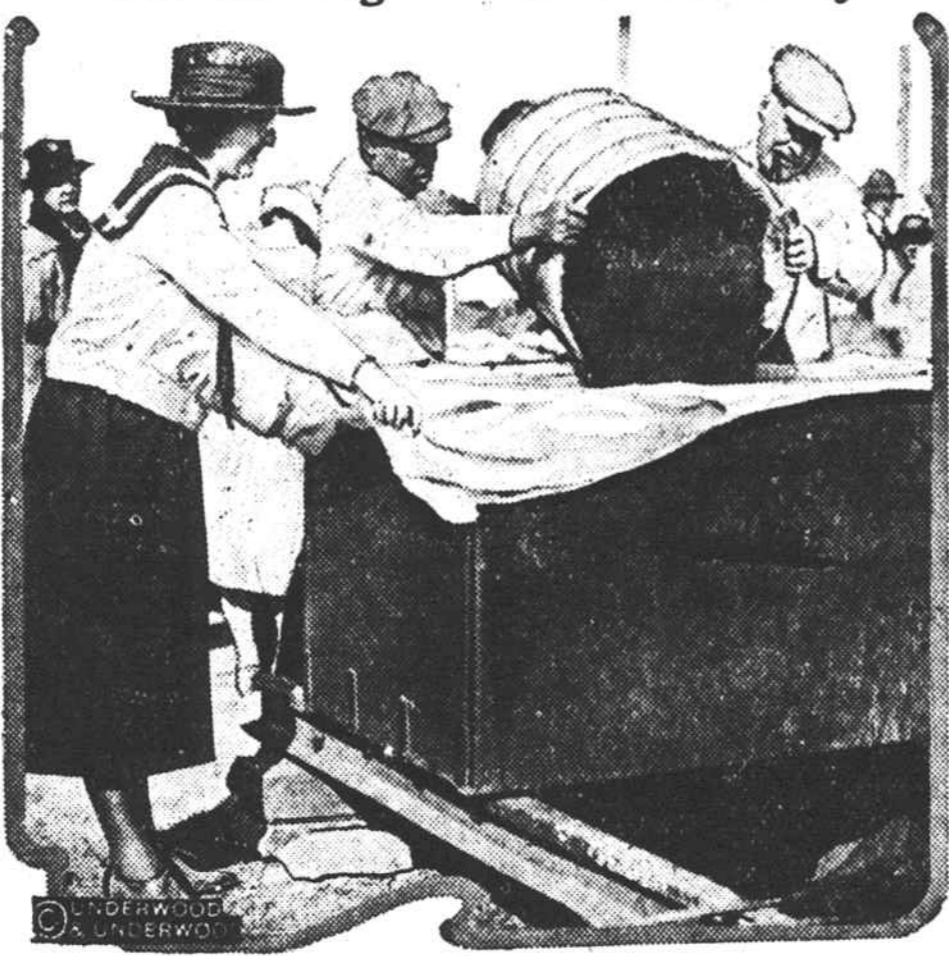


Here is the clay model by Albin Polasek, well-known sculptor, which is to be cast in bronze to adorn Michigan avenue in Chicago. It is called the "Spirit of Music." The statue is sixteen feet high and will be placed on a granite platform five feet high. Polasek thinks music a sexless art and for this reason he has combined in his statue the strength of the male and the beauty and grace of the female form.

Curious Use for Ice.

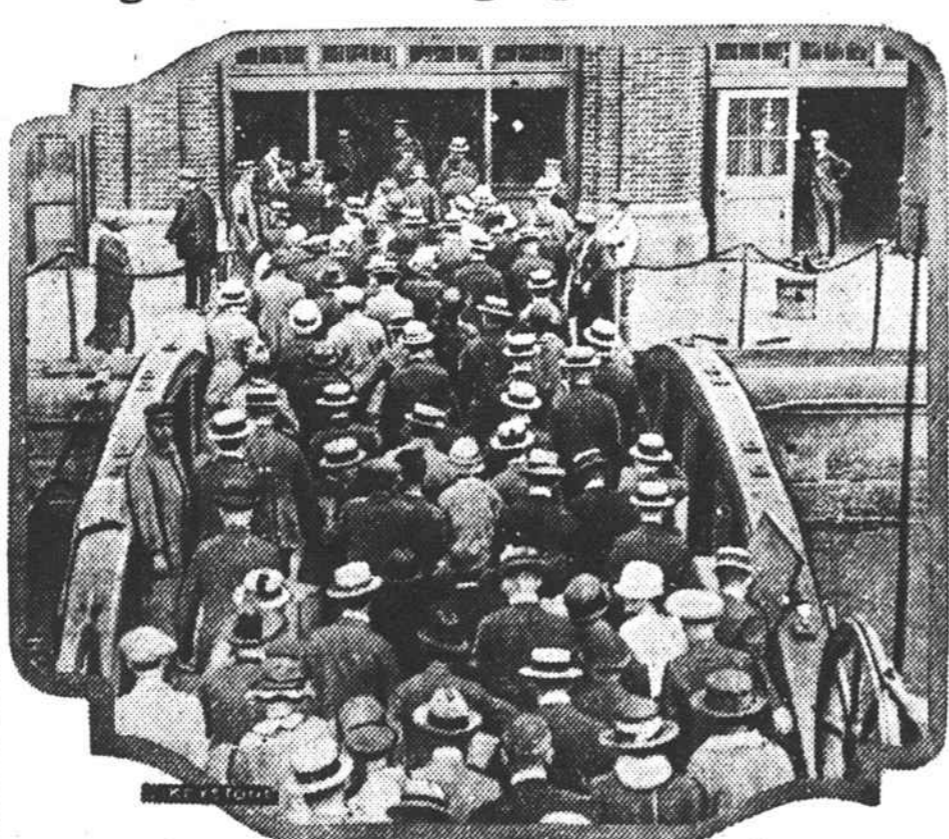
Up to the present it has been possible to leave only small cavities in concrete, but a big advance has been brought about by a new foreign method. Pieces of ice that correspond to the measurements of the cavity required are embedded in the concrete mass, and small channels are left to allow the water to run off when the ice melts. The process is of particular advantage in reinforcing concrete with iron. The iron parts are not built in during the stamping, but are attached to the blocks of ice before the work is begun. The repeated moistening usually necessary in concrete work is not required in this process, for the melting of the ice makes up the loss by evaporation.

Celebrating Green River Day



Starting with a pageant of the overland trail, in which pioneers, trappers and pony express riders took part, the "Green River Day" celebration at Green River, Wyo., finished with a good old-fashioned western barbecue. This photograph shows "Doc" Frye, famous cook, making coffee for 5,000 assembled ranchers, shippers and railroaders.

Immigrants Thronging Into America



Already the new quotas of immigrants have been filled in the case of most foreign countries, and many will have to return to their native lands. Here are a lot of fortunate ones who have passed the examination at Ellis Island and are going ashore at the Battery, New York.