

NEWS OF WORLD AS SEEN By CAMERA



Heart Of Galveston Business Section Flooded In Disaster.

THE business section of Galveston was flooded by the disastrous tidal wave that swept the Gulf coast and caused loss of life and great damage at Corpus Christi. The new seawall at Galveston has prevented greater damage, although considerable loss was caused by the waters.

As a means of partially overcoming the high cost of slippers some genius has invented an electric spanker. It is not expected to gain popularity with youth of the world, but may lessen the strain on tired mothers.

Vice-president and Mrs. T. R. Marshall have adopted a three-year-old boy. He was an underfed baby in a Washington diet kitchen when he attracted the interest of the vice-president.

The first women's post of the American legion has been organized in New York, and has been designated Betsy Ross Post No. 1. Mrs. Kate A. Claggett, president of Yeoman "G" battalion, U. S. N. R. F., presented the flag of that battalion to Miss Annie Sharp Solts, vice-commander of the new post.

Lady Lowther, of the British peerage is classed as among the most beautiful women of that distinguished social set. She was formerly Miss Blight of Philadelphia, and is now visiting in this country. The gorgeousness of the jewels Lady Lowther wears, especially pearl ornaments, attracts much attention and comment.

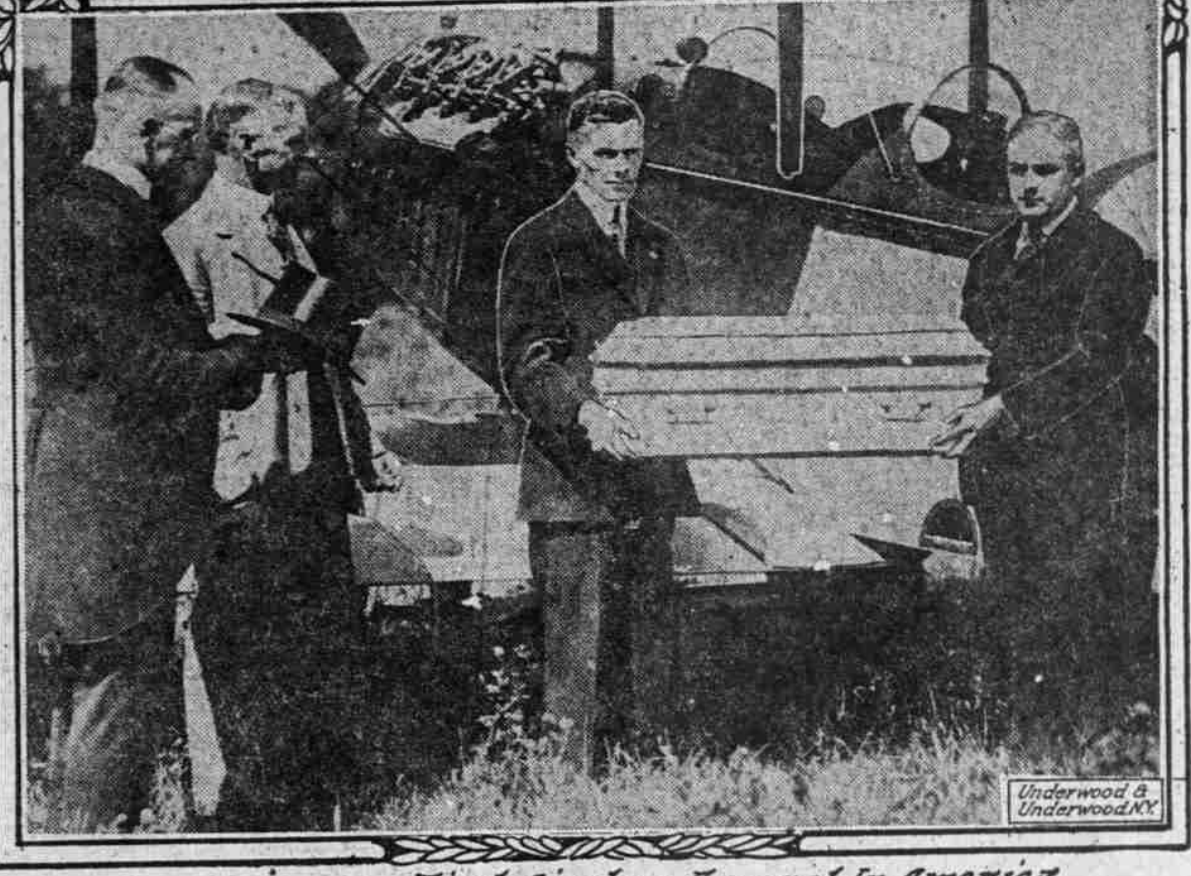
What is said to have been the first airplane funeral in the world took place recently at Toronto, Canada, when the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Allan was carried three miles to Mount Pleasant cemetery for interment.

Busses were the salvation of cross town travel in New York during the tieup of street railways. Permission was given by the mayor for the busses to operate over the old car lines. So great were the crowds trying to ride on the busses that 40 boarded those designed for carrying 15 passengers and policemen had to regulate loads and schedules.

General Pershing was greeted by crowded galleries when at a joint session of senate and house he thanked congress for the cordial reception extended to him. This was the final ceremony of the official reception to the American commander.

James J. McCabe, composer of the American music for "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," is a school superintendent in New York. He is almost a perfect double of President Wilson and is frequently embarrassed by the attentions showered upon him.

In New York a recent conference was held that attracted a group of the most famous women physicians and surgeons in the world. The convention was called by the social morality committee of the Young Women's Christian association.



First Airplane Funeral In America



Electric Speaker Is Late Inventor.

Adopted Son Of Vice-President Marshall.



New York Trolleys Stop! Busses Take Their Places.

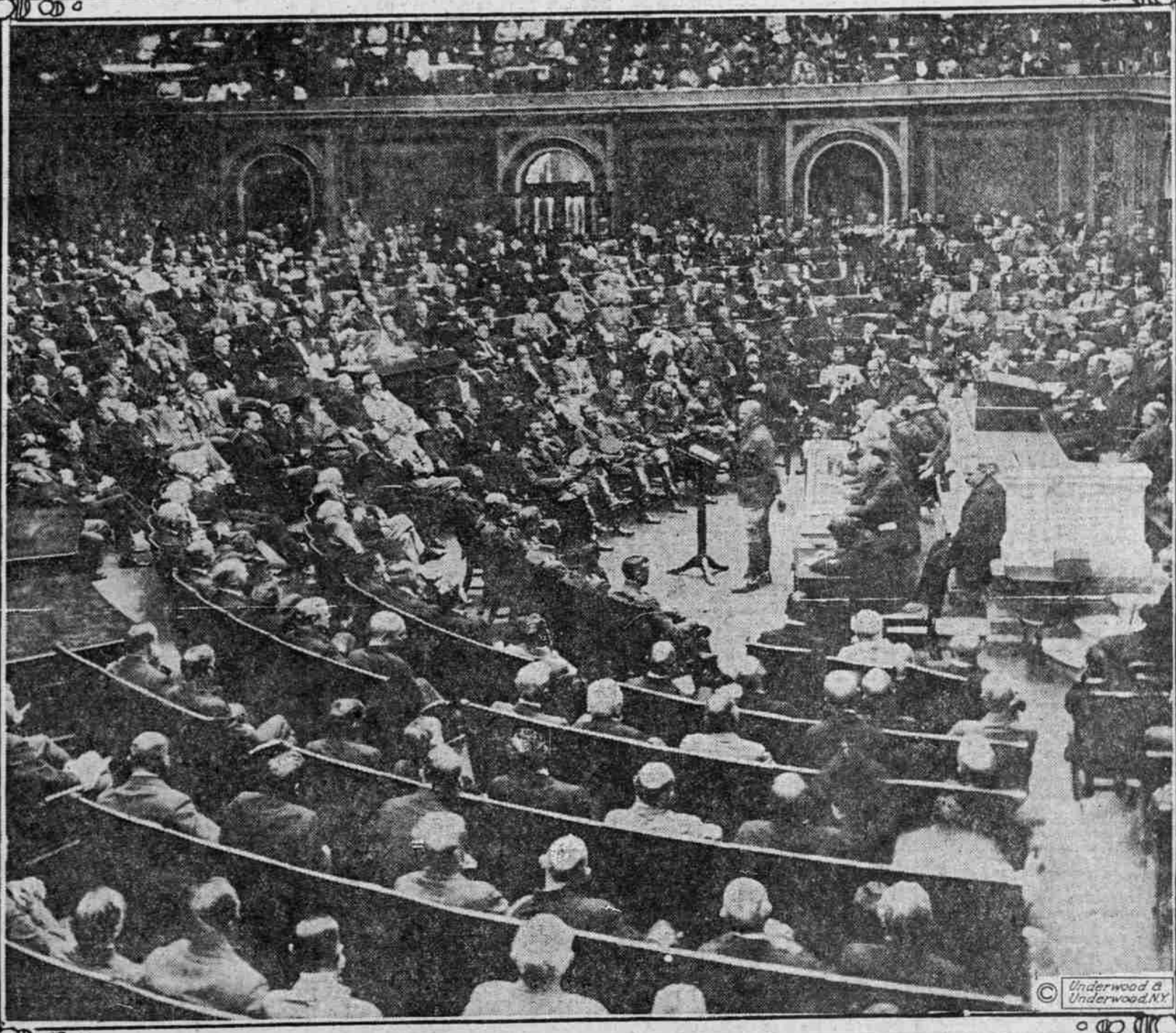


First Women's Post Of American Legion Gets Flag.



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Pershing Thanking Congress For Wonderful Welcome.