



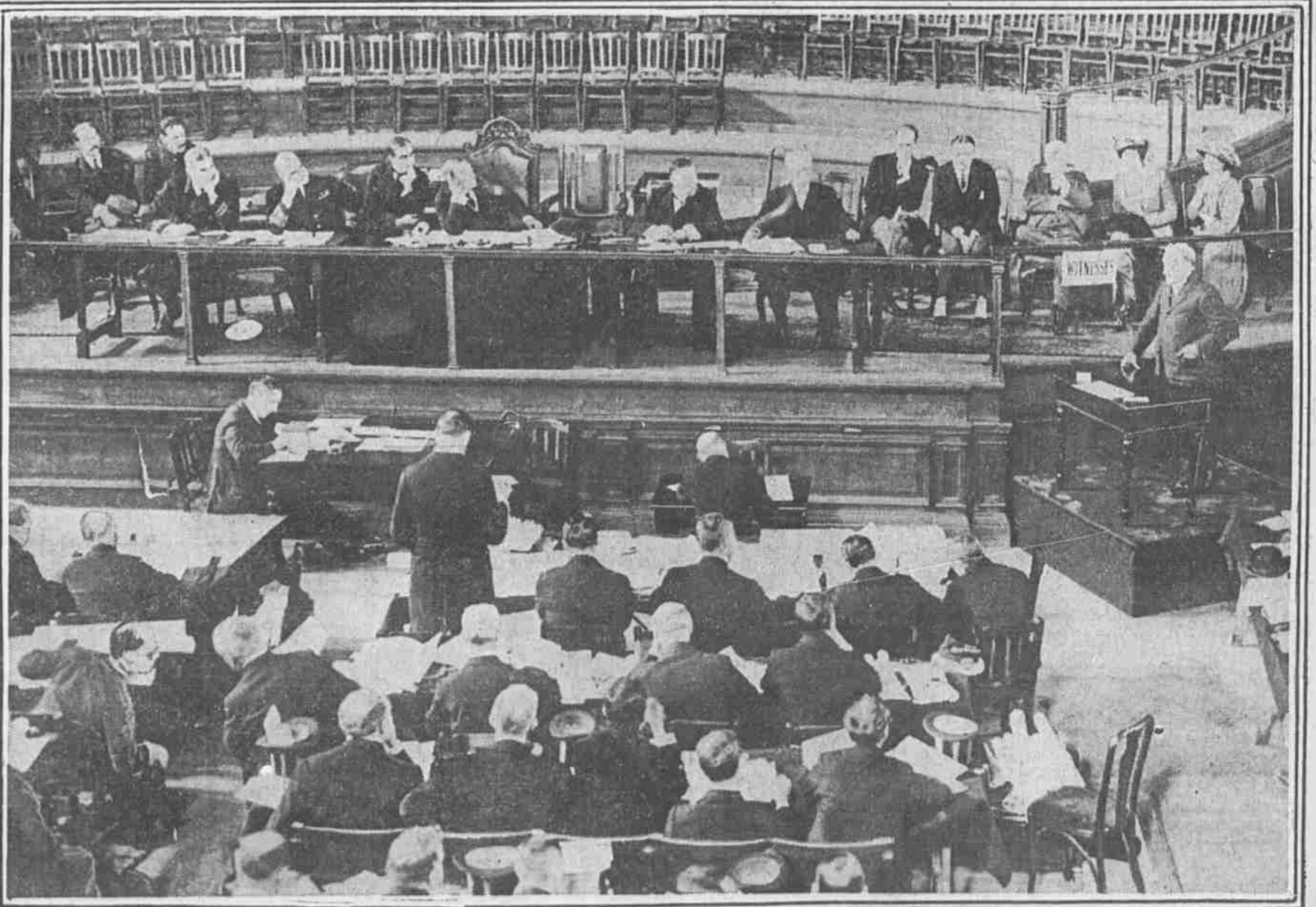
PERSONS AND SCENES THAT FIGURE IN THE VARIED NEWS OF THE DAY FROM FAR AND NEAR



**THE MOST TALKED-OF COLLEGE PROFESSOR IN THE COUNTRY**  
This is Scott Nearing, who was dropped from his post as assistant professor of economics in the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, by the trustees for reasons not yet announced. The photo was taken on the step of Logan Hall at the University by an Evening Ledger staff photographer. It shows that he is a young man of athletic build.



**CITY'S LITHUANIANS TO BUILD A NATIONAL HALL**  
Members of the Lithuanian Real Estate Society are shown at the start of the excavation for the foundation of the building on Moyamensing avenue. There are 20,000 Lithuanians in Philadelphia and they intend this hall to be the centre of their life in this city. They have been looking forward to it for many years.



**LUSITANIA DISASTER INQUIRY BEGINS IN LONDON**  
The photo shows the Court of Inquiry on the sinking of the Lusitania, presided over by Lord Mersey, who also presided over the inquiry after the sinking of the Titanic. Captain Turner, commander of the Lusitania on her fatal trip, is on the witness stand telling of the voyage which ended in the sinking of his vessel by a German submarine and the loss of more than 1000 lives.

Photo by International News Service.



**PITMAN GROVE BOY SCOUT FIFE AND DRUM CORPS IN NEW OUTFIT**  
This outfit was presented to the troop by the Evening Ledger, as the sign indicates. Grouped around the scouts are the ladies who gave their assistance in the carnival held by the Jersey town's volunteer firemen.



**HE MAKES BASEBALL FICTION REAL**  
Charles E. Van Loan is the country's cleverest builder of baseball stories with a plot. They are full of human nature. His serial, called "Little Bunsel," starts in the Evening Ledger today.