

Winnetka Woman's Club

THE first meeting of the music department of the Winnetka Woman's Club was held on Thursday, November 23, at 3 o'clock, at the clubhouse. The meeting was in charge of Mrs. Roland D. Whitman, chairman of the music department. A large audience was present to enjoy the varied program which was given by Mr. Carleton Kaumeyer, violinist; Mr. Weissert, 'cellist; Mr. Eugene Dressler, tenor, and the mechanical piano player, the Ampico.

The program was an interesting demonstration of the great strides which mechanical piano playing has taken in the past few years. The Ampico is operated by electricity and the roll is inserted under the keyboard. With no one at the keyboard, it gives one an unusual sensation to see the keys rise and fall, to hear the effect of the loud and soft pedals, and to hear the accents and themes played in a louder tone.

The piano solos were delightful, played originally as they were by Rachmaninoff, Godowsky, Livitski and Grainger. The mechanism is so delicate that one can easily detect differences in the touch and tone of the players.

Mr. Kaumeyer played his group of violin pieces in an artistic manner. The trios played by Mr. Kaumeyer, Mr. Weissert and the Ampico were interesting. Mr. Dressler sang two groups of songs in an entertaining manner. He has a pleasing, fresh and resonant tenor voice, and he sang with good interpretation. The most attractive song to the audience was Spross' "Will o' the Wisp."

All the accompaniments were played by the Ampico. The rolls for them were made by such artists as Richard Hagemann, and so the interpretation and technique were fine, but one was conscious always of a lack of freedom on the part of the soloists, for the usual order was reversed, and the soloist must follow the accompaniment, and not as usual, the accompaniment follow the soloist.

Following the program tea was served in the parlors, and the following members served as hostesses: Mrs. Percival Hunter, Mrs. Benjamin Kellum, Mrs. Asa B. Cooley and Mrs. Arthur R. Dean.

INTERESTING TALKS AT VOTERS' SESSION

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from three to five months, awaiting trial, and 47 and one-half per cent of these suspect cases were either released or found "not guilty." Dr. Kirchwey gave an outline of the recommendations sent to the Board of Cook County Commissioners. A few of these recommendations are: A more thorough investigation by the Courts of those brought before them on suspicion. Ample area for groups of buildings so that hardened criminals can have no communication with first offenders. No juveniles should ever be confined in jail. There should be Detention homes for boys.

The Social features of the Convention were the two large luncheons and evening banquet. At first day's luncheon the women of the National Board who were in executive session during the Convention brought informal messages and greetings to the women of Illinois.

At the banquet given on Wednesday evening, Miss Ruth Morgan, Chairman of Committee of International Cooperation for Prevention of War, for National League of Women Voters, spoke on "What Can Women Do to Bring About Established World Peace?"

"A League in Every County" luncheon was given on the last day of the Convention.

A rare good fortune has come to the Illinois League in being able to have Miss Julia Lathrop, as its new president. Miss Lathrop was formerly at the head of the Children's Bureau at Washington and is known, not only in our own country but in the countries of Europe, for the work she is doing for humanity.

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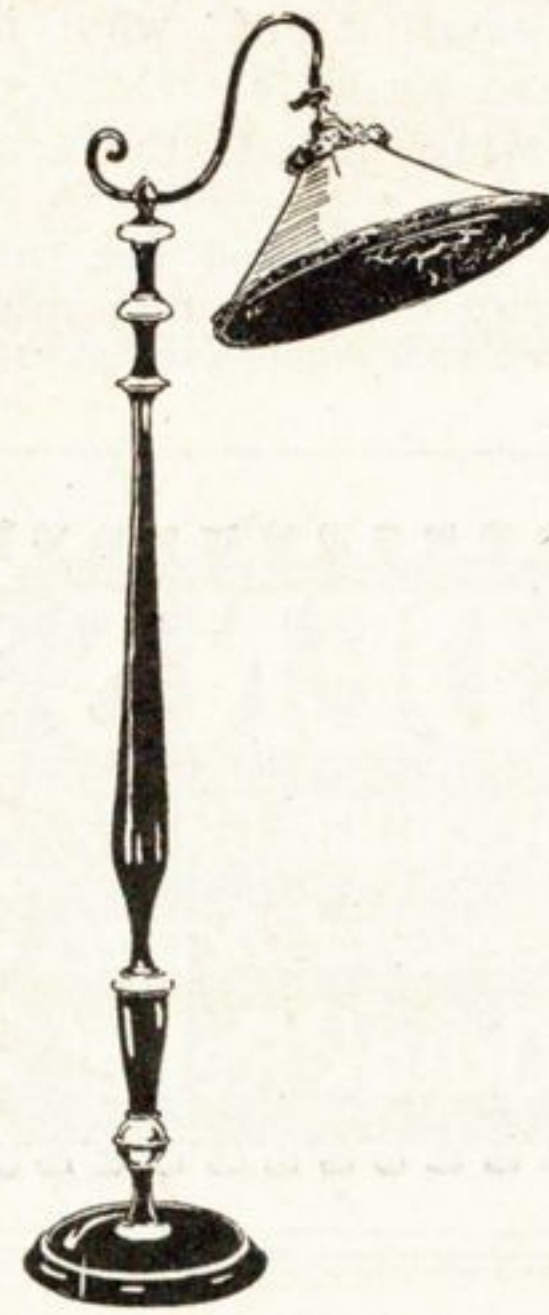
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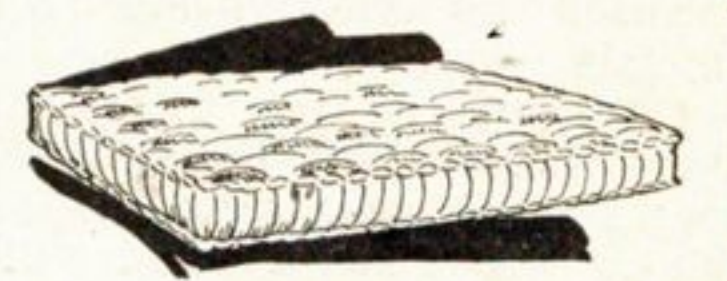
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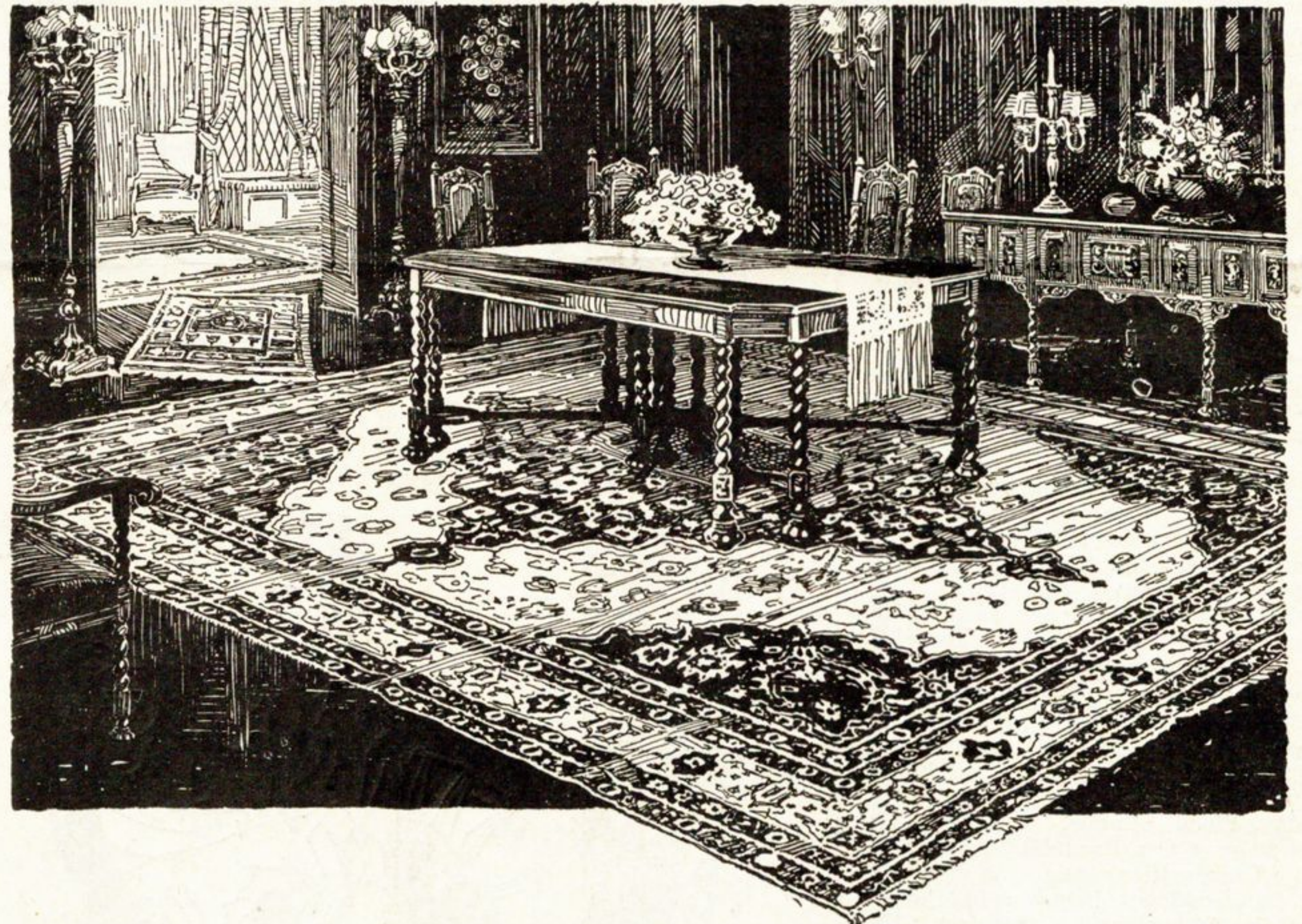
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