

**LEGION NEWS**

*From Winnetka Post Headquarters*

Have you paid your 1925 dues? We have repeatedly requested that all members pay their dues early, but the result, so far, is not very gratifying. Last year our membership increased nearly 100 percent, but we don't wish to again undertake another drive to collect dues. Don't put this important duty off any longer! Mail your check, and don't finish there, but secure the application and check of your neighbor if he is eligible! It should not be necessary to sell him the idea.

Attend the meetings and find out what your Post is actually doing and we are sure you will feel honored. We have a program with no end in sight, and all constructive work, but your commander has the endurance of only a human being. He requires help to carry on his work.

Our indoor team fared forth to Waukegan recently and returned on the short end of a 10 to 9 score in a fast encounter with the famous Keller Colts of that city. The pastime extended over ten innings. Dehmlof fanned 20 of the opposing batters.

Gedge will make out your bonus, but you will have to see Bryant for your income Tax. You get something when you fill out a bonus, but they get it back later.

Our bowling five dropped a match to the Wilmette Doctors last week, but the boys showed up pretty well and hope to get into great shape before many more matches are concluded.

Lloyd Hollister has been missing at our meetings lately. Understand he has a new radio set which keeps him at home. We hope there will not be many other radio installations.

**"ABE" BELIEVED IN DREAMS**

The opening of "Abraham Lincoln" recalls that the martyr President was a believer in dreams and it is of record that he was the subject of two dreams equally remarkable.

After he went to the White House, Mr. Lincoln dreamed one night that he was on a big ship sailing away in strange waters, he knew not whence or whither. The next morning good news came from the army. Many times thereafter President Lincoln had the same dream, and it was always followed by good news.

Toward the close of the war the weary President had a terrible dream that upset both Mrs. Lincoln and himself for several days. One night he seemed to be aroused from his sleep by the voices of many people in mourning and lamentation. The voices came from all sides as a choir invisible of woe, and he went out to inquire the cause. He descended the stairs to the east room and there, in the middle of it, stood a black catafalque upon which rested a corpse in grave clothes. The President asked of an attendant: "Who is dead in the White House?" "The President," replied the man. This is the last recorded dream of President Lincoln, and there is evidence that he accepted it as a premonition of the future.

**'TENSION NO-TOBAC FANS**

George A. Billings, creator of the role of Abraham Lincoln in the First National picture of the same name, wondered for a long time whether the famous President used tobacco in any form or not.

Mr. Billings' anxiety was set at rest when he met two men in Los Angeles who were able to assure him that Lincoln never used tobacco in any form—and this includes snuff—in a day when most people used snuff—and even many excellent women smoked pipes.

These two men are Cornelius Cole, ex-United States Senator from California, who celebrated his one hundred and first birthday anniversary, September 17, 1923, and Dr. Gilbert Ellis Bailey of the University of Southern California.

Senator Cole was an intimate friend and political associate of Lincoln for many years, while Dr. Bailey in his youth was a neighbor of Lincoln in Springfield, and is an authority on Lincolniana by virtue of his deep research in the interest of the production of "Abraham Lincoln."

Mrs. J. B. Coombs of Church road is convalescing at her home after an operation for appendicitis recently undergone at the Evanston hospital.

**Otto Dovidat**

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**High School Dramatists Present Series of Plays**

"Lemon Drops" and "The Captain of the Gate," two one-act plays, will be presented by the Dramatic club of New Trier high school in the school auditorium this afternoon.

These are the first of a series of plays which will be given during the school year by New Trier students.

"Lemon Drops," was written by Gertrude Jennings, who wrote "The Rest Cure," one of last season's hits in this annual series of plays.

The stage settings for the productions are being managed entirely by members of the stagecraft class at the school.

**Telephone Directory is Most Widely Read Book**

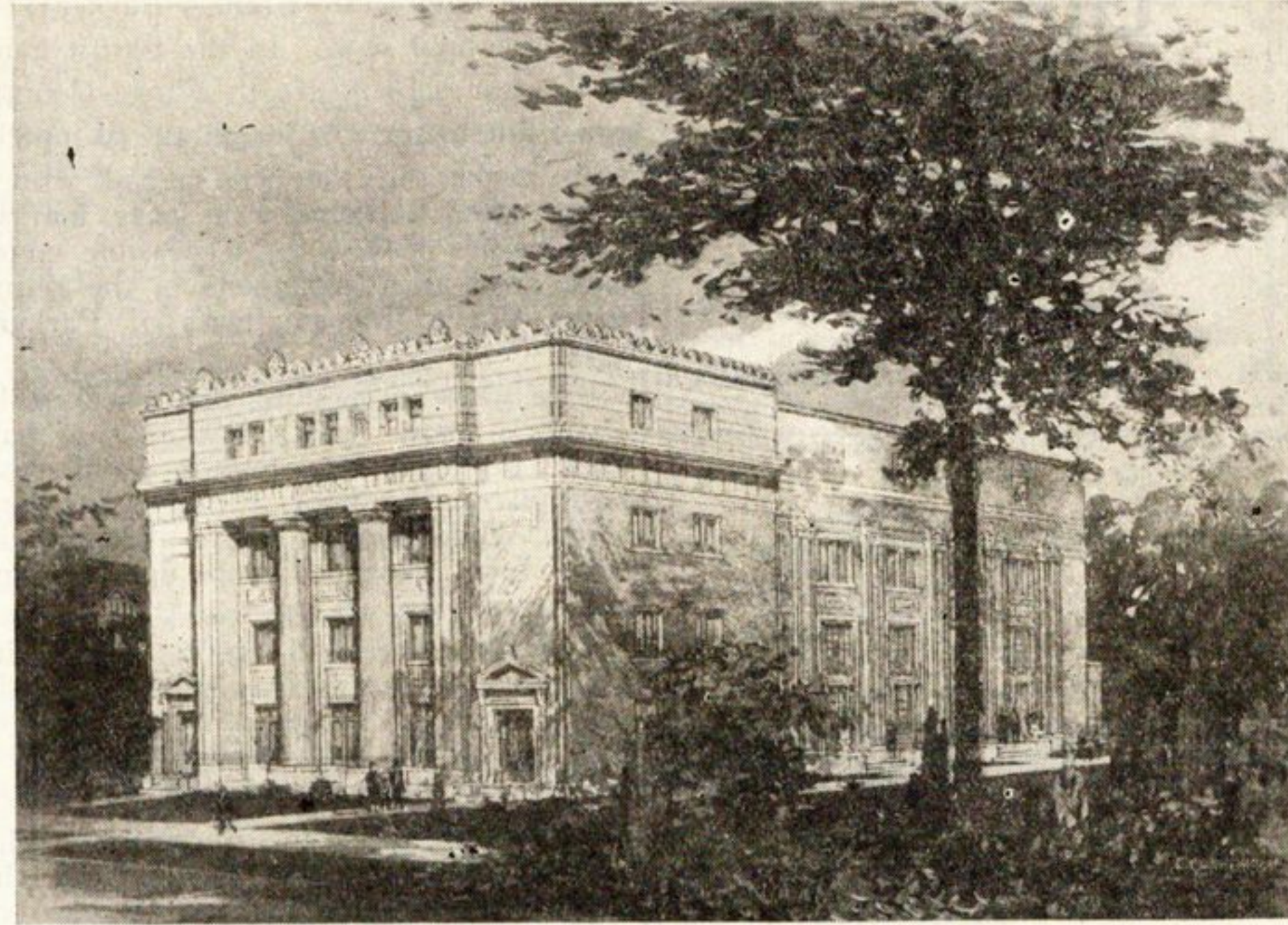
Next to the Bible the best circulated book in America is the telephone directory.

While it is never mentioned as a "best seller," the American telephone directory possibly, is used more than any other publication. About 25,000,000 copies are published and circulated each year.

Large clerical forces are employed constantly on the directory work in the various cities of the country. Changes in names of subscribers, in address and in number are kept up day by day so that when a new directory is issued the contents are accurate and up-to-date.

Mrs. Harry E. Miller of 670 Walden road entertained at luncheon and bridge at her home on Friday, February 13.

**Wilmette's Masonic Temple**



A fund campaign is in progress to finance the new Wilmette Masonic temple, ground for which is to be broken this spring at 1010 Central avenue. Most directly across the street from the edifice of the First Church of Christ, Scientist.

The above architect's perspective pictures what promises to be one of the most beautiful structures on the entire north shore. Included in the facilities of the building will be a large auditorium, with stage, providing seating capacity of 650.

The Masonic temple will cost approximately \$150,000. Working plans have been completed and the local Masonic orders are prepared to push through a whirlwind fund campaign to finance the project.

Mrs. Chas. Jacobs, 860 Burr avenue, left Saturday for Richmond, Va. After a short stay she will sail for Europe.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. K. Bennett, 579 Hill terrace, will entertain their Bridge club Saturday evening.

**NORTH SHORE BOOTERY**

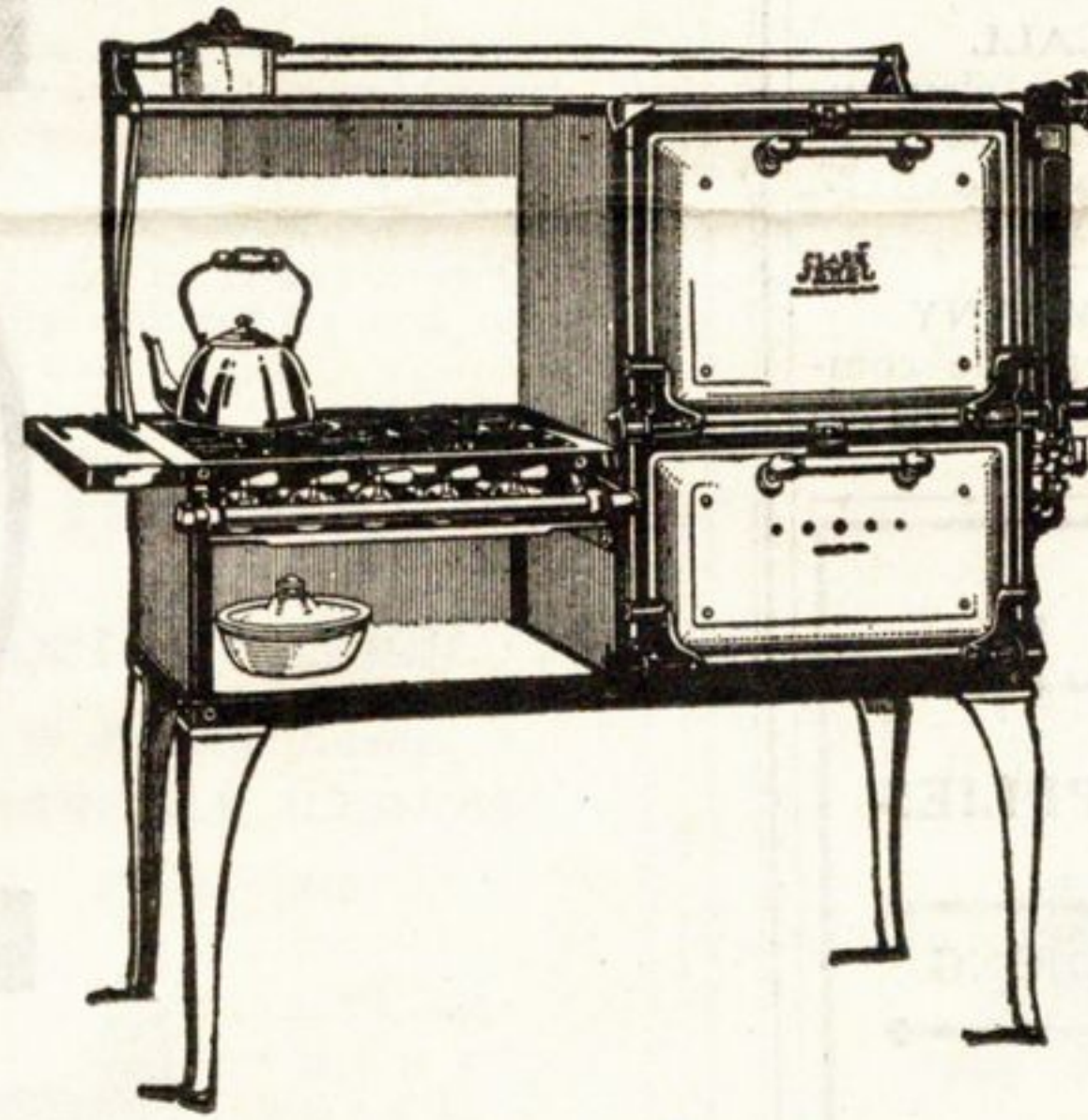
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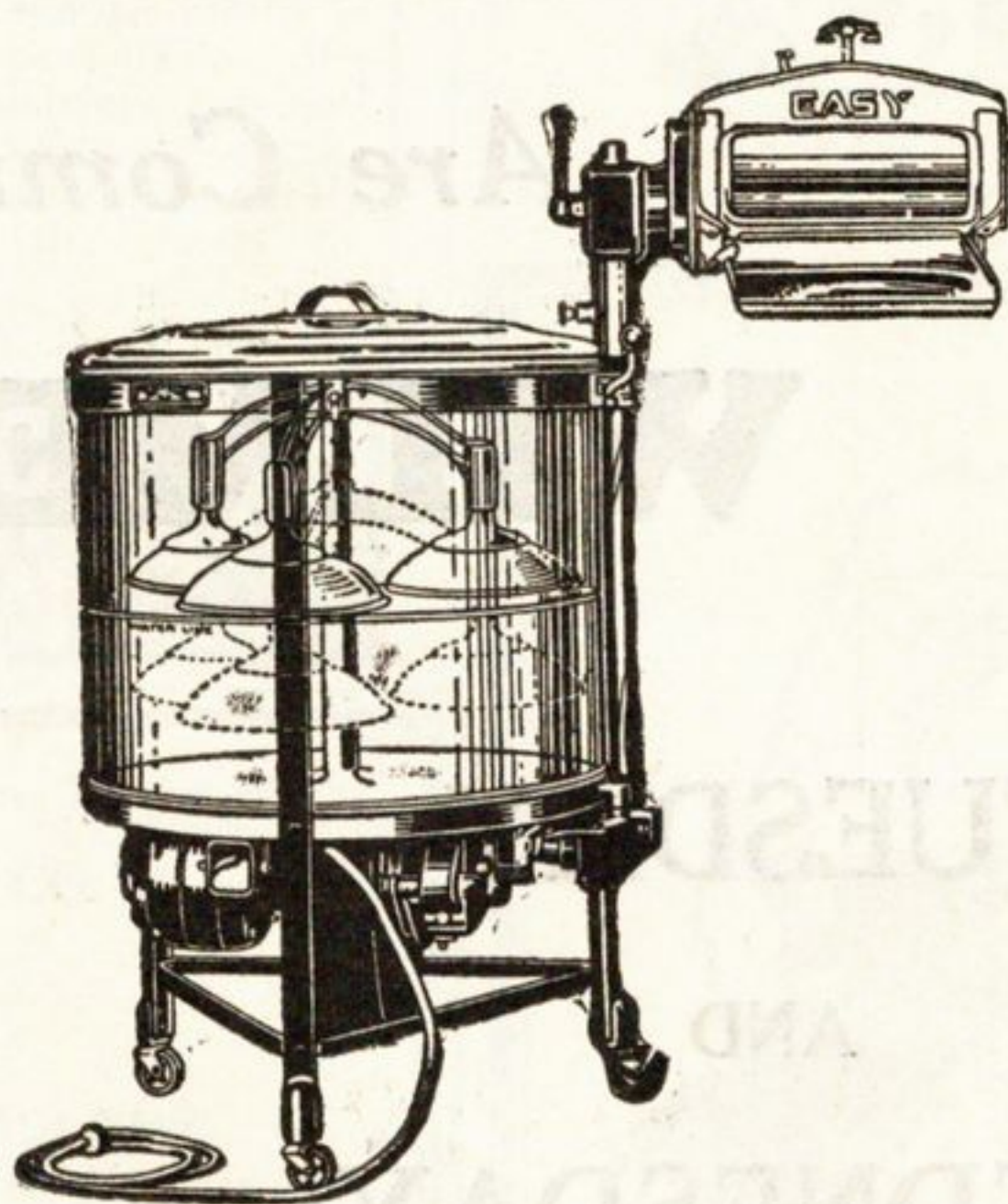
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