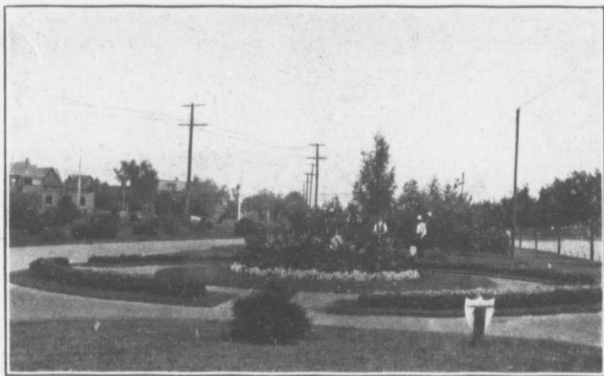

fact of being a child is the all-sufficient reason why play should be encouraged, and every facility provided.

CREATE PUBLIC INTEREST.

To secure the proper number of playgrounds, rinks, toboggan slides, gymnasiums, bath houses, etc., will require constant agitation for years to come. If the enthusiasm lags they will not be provided, for large expenditure will be necessary. Therefore may we not appeal confidently on behalf of the children to men in authority, aldermen, school trustees, editors, business men, educators—to keep the playground movement constantly in view, giving it their endorsement and advocacy whenever possible, remembering that the best type of citizen can be evolved only from the healthy, robust child, who has had a free and well-rounded youth spent in cheerful and clean moral environment.



BEAUTIFUL HOME SURROUNDINGS, BUT NO CHILDREN IN SIGHT.