

## JOINT MEETING OF CITY CLUB, COUNCIL

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the cost of producing gas in the company's plants and would probably cost in the neighborhood of five thousand dollars. This cost would be borne by the various towns in proportion to their population. It is estimated that the cost to Highland Park might amount to about nine hundred dollars. The City Club recommends that the City Council take this matter under advisement and take such steps as may seem to be justified.

### Water Rates

Mr. Kline further stated that it was the thought of the City Club that since the construction of the new water works and filtration plant, the rate for water in Highland Park has become very high and the club recommends that the Council investigate the operating expenses of the plant to determine whether or not some economies might be effected which would result in a reduction of the present rates.

Mr. Kline also discussed the annual appropriation bill. For the past few years the amount appropriated in the annual bill as passed by the Council has totaled about two and one half times the amount of the entire tax levy for the year. The Appropriation Bill is prepared in the form of a budget and it is the opinion of the City Club that the Council should so consider it, fixing the amount appropriated each year at a figure somewhere near the amount of the tax levy in order that economy in the conduct of the city's business might result. It is also the opinion of the Club that the accounts of the city should be so arranged that an operating statement of total receipts and expenditures might be presented to the public at regular intervals.

### Discuss Fee System

Another important suggestion made by President Kline related to

the fee system. The City Club suggests to the Council that they discontinue the practice of paying the legal, engineering and roll spreading on a percentage basis. During each of the last two years, nineteen thousand dollars has been appropriated for legal expense, fifteen thousand dollars for spreading assessment rolls and commissioners in special assessment matters and fifteen thousand dollars for engineering expense, in addition to about six thousand dollars for the building department. It was pointed out by Mr. Kline that in one of the larger cities on the North Shore, legal and engineering work is done on a salary basis for much smaller amounts and the spreading of assessment rolls is done on a daily charge basis. It is the thought of the City Club that the building department might be consolidated with an engineering department under a man qualified to operate both of these departments and that such man be placed on a salary basis. Such a procedure would result in all the records relative to improvements being in the possession of the City and always available for public use.

### Mayor Metzel Talks

Mayor Metzel responded and gave those present some insight into the matters being considered and discussed by the Council. Short talks were given by Commissioners Taylor, Greenslade, Zimmer and Gourley. Mayor Metzel asked for the co-operation of the City Club and urged that members be present at Council meetings so that the citizens of Highland Park might be in closer touch with the workings of the municipal government.

Mayor Metzel also spoke of the grade crossing hazards along the North Shore and the advisability of continuing the investigation dealing with grade separation as only about twenty per cent of the work of this investigation remains to be done.

All present expressed themselves as happy over this meeting. Secretary Vigeant reported that new applications for membership continue, in-

dicating a growing interest in the activities of the City Club. A general meeting of the members of the organization is expected to be held in the near future.

**Redeemer Lutheran Church**  
West Central Avenue  
Rev. W. F. Suhr, Pastor

Sunday school at 9:30.

Morning service at 10:30.

Today (Thursday) being Ascension day, we shall celebrate this event with an appropriate service this evening at 8.

This afternoon the Ladies Aid will be entertained by Mrs. Albert Ahrens in the assembly room of the church.

This evening after the service the regular meeting of the Luther league will be held.

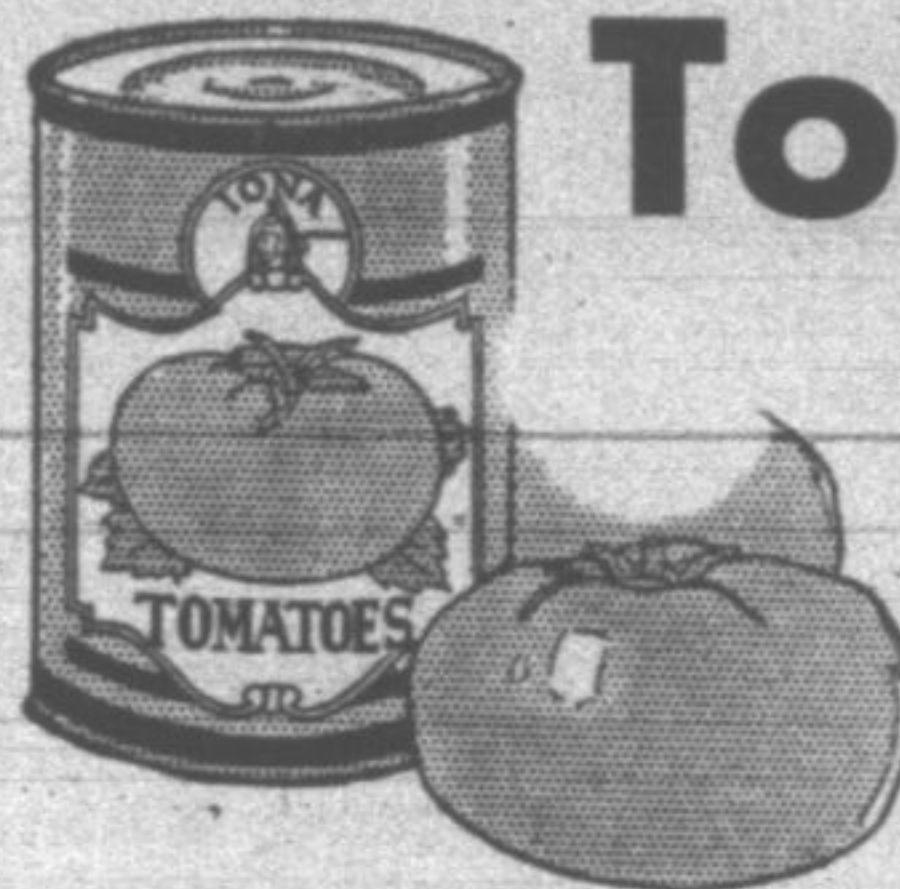
Friday evening the teachers of the Sunday school will give a party to the children from 7 until 9. Games will be played, stunts performed, and refreshments served.

## Work and Play in Filming Scenes

Members of the cast of "Stepping Out," combined business with pleasure during filming of the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer comedy romance.

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