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## THE PLANTS OF PROSPECT PARK.

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**Phanerogamia—Flowering Plants.**

## EXOGENS.

- Clematis Virginiana.*  
*Anemone nemorosa.*  
     " *Hepatica.*  
*Anemone thalictroides.*  
*Aquilegia caerulea.*  
*Ranunculus fascicularis.*  
     " *abortivus.*  
     " *bulbosus.*  
     " *acris.*  
     " *recurvatus.*  
*Magnolia glauca.*  
     " *purpurea.*  
     " *tripetala.*  
*Liriodendron Tulipifera.*  
*Berberis vulgaris.*  
     " *Mahonia.*  
*Akebia quinata.*  
*Chelidonium majus.*  
*Sanguinaria Canadensis.*  
*Sisymbrium officinale.*  
*Draba verna.*  
*Capsella bursapastoris.*  
*Barbarea vulgaris.*  
*Viola lanceolata.*  
     " *palmata, var. cucullata.*  
     " *sagittata.*  
     " *pubescens.*  
     " *tricolor.*  
*Tamarisk Gallica.*  
*Cerastium viscosum.*  
     " *arvense, var. oblongifolium.*  
*Scleranthus annuus.*  
*Stellaria, sp.*  
*Claytonia Virginica.*  
*Tilia Americana.*  
     " *heterophylla.*  
     " *Europea.*  
*Geranium maculatum.*  
*Impatiens biflora.*  
*Oxalis violacea.*  
     " *stricta.*  
*Ilex opaca.*  
*Ptelea trifoliata.*  
*Ailanthus glandulosus.*  
*Ampelopsis quinquefolia.*  
*Acer rubrum.*  
     " *dasycarpum.*  
     " *saccharinum.*  
     " *campestris.*  
     " *pseudo platanus.*  
     " *platanoides.*  
     " *circinatum.*  
     " *polymorphum.*  
     " *macrophyllum.*  
*Negundo aceroides.*  
*Rhus glabra.*  
     " *toxicodendron.*  
     " *copallina.*  
*Æsculus Hippocastanum.*  
     " *flava.*  
     " *Pavia.*  
*Trifolium pratense.*  
     " *repens.*  
     " *procumbens.*  
     " *hybridum.*  
*Melilotus alba.*  
*Wistaria frutescens.*  
     " *Sinensis.*  
*Robinia pseud acacia.*  
*Caragana arborescens.*  
*Colutea arborescens.*  
*Lophara Japonica.*  
*Amorpha fruticosa.*  
*Vicia sativa.*  
*Americarpæa monoica.*  
*Cercis Canadensis.*  
*Gleditsia triacanthus.*  
*Cladrastis tinctoria.*
- Gymnocladus dioica.*  
*Prunus Virginiana.*  
     " *nana.*  
     " *serotina.*  
*Pyrus arbutifolia.*  
     " *ducuparia.*  
     " *malus.*  
     " *Americana.*  
*Spiræa chamædrifolia, var.*  
     " *simplex.*  
     " *hypericifolia.*  
*Amelanchier Canadensis.*  
*Potentilla Canadensis.*  
*Geum vernum.*  
*Cydonia Japonica.*  
*Fragaria Virginiana.*  
     " *vesca.*  
*Rubus strigosus.*  
     " *odoratus.*  
*Cratægus Oxyantha.*  
     " *Crus galli.*  
     " *coccinea.*  
     " *tomentosa.*  
     " *cordata.*  
*Calycanthus floridus.*  
*Ribes aureum.*  
*Saxifraga Virginicensis.*  
*Tiarella cordifolia.*  
*Itea Virginica.*  
*Philadelphus coronarius.*  
*Deutzia gracilis.*  
*Sicyos angulatus.*  
*Hamamelis Virginica.*  
*Liquidamber Strycificua.*  
*Pothergilla alnifolia.*  
*Oenothera biennis.*  
*Circæa Lutetiana.*  
*Daucus Carota.*  
*Thaspium aureum.*  
     " *var cordatum*  
*Hydrocotyle Americanum.*  
*Osmorrhiza longistylis.*  
*Cryptotenia Canadensis.*  
*Aralia spinosa.*  
     " *racemosa.*  
*Cornus florida.*  
     " *alter. ifolia.*  
     " *Mas.*  
     " *alba.*  
     " *stolonifera.*  
*Lonicera Tartarica.*  
*Diervilla Japonica.*  
*Viburnum Lantana.*  
     " *opulus.*  
*Symphoricarpos racemosus.*  
     " *vulgaris.*  
*Sambucus Canadensis.*  
*Eupatorium ageratoideis.*  
*Aster corymbosus.*  
     " *sagittifolias.*  
     " *patens.*  
     " *cordifolius.*  
     " *var. laevigatus*  
     " *diffusus.*  
     " *Tradescanti.*  
*Ambrosia artemisiaefolia.*  
     " *trifida.*  
*Xanthium spinosum.*  
     " *strumarium.*  
*Solidago rugosa.*  
     " *nemorosa.*  
     " *cæsia.*  
     " *bicolor.*  
     " *Canadensis.*  
     " *lanceolata.*  
*Helianthus annuus.*  
*Anthemis Cotula.*  
*Achillea millefolium.*  
*Gallsoga parviflora.*  
*Antennaria plantaginifolia.*  
*Rudbeckia hirta.*  
*Bidens cernua.*  
     " *frondosa.*
- Chrysanthemum Leucanthemum.*  
*Cichorium Intybus.*  
*Erigeron Canadensis.*  
*Lappa, Arctium, officinalis.*  
*Taraxacum officinalis.*  
*Vaccinium corymbosum.*  
*Azalea Indica.*  
     " *Amæna.*  
*Rhodadendron nudiflorum.*  
     " *viscorum.*  
     " *maximum.*  
     " *Catawbiense.*  
*Andromeda floribunda.*  
*Clethra alnifolia.*  
*Kalmia latifolia.*  
*Stachyris præcox.*  
*Rhodora Canadensis.*  
*Halesia tetraptera.*  
*Fraxinus Americana.*  
     " *ornus.*  
*Paulownia imperialis.*  
*Olea Europæa.*  
*Syringa vulgaris.*  
     " *Persica.*  
*Forsythia viridissima.*  
     " *suspensa.*  
*Chionanthus Americana.*  
*Ligustrum vulgare.*  
*Vinca minor.*  
*Aphyllon uniflorum.*  
*Linaria vulgaris.*  
*Cedrela glabra.*  
*Pedicularis Canadensis.*  
*Verbascum Thapsus.*  
*Veronica peregrina.*  
     " *agrestis.*  
*Tecoma radicans.*  
*Catalpa bignonioides.*  
*Mentha Canadensis.*  
*Brunella vulgaris.*  
*Nepeta Cataria.*  
     " *Glechoma.*  
*Lycium vulgare.*  
*Plantago major.*  
     " *lanceolata.*  
*Phytolacca decandra.*  
*Polygonum aviculare.*  
     " *dumetorum.*  
     " *sagittatum.*  
     " *Persicaria.*  
     " *sp.*  
*Sassafras officinale.*  
*Ulmus Americana.*  
     " *campestris.*  
*Euphorbia Cyparissias.*  
*Morus alba.*  
*Celtis occidentalis.*  
*Platanus occidentalis.*  
*Juglans nigra.*  
*Hicoreus albus.*  
     " *porcina.*  
*Quercus palustris.*  
*Castanea vesca.*  
*Fagus ferruginea.*  
     " *pendulis.*  
     " *sylvatica purpurea.*  
*Ostrya Virginica.*  
*Carpinus Americanus.*  
     " *petullis.*  
*Betula lenta.*  
     " *alba.*  
     " *nigra.*  
*Alnus serrulata.*  
*Salix cordata.*  
     " *Babylonica.*  
*Populus monilifera.*  
     " *heterophylla.*  
     " *argentea.*  
     " *balsamifera.*  
     " *dilatata.*

THE PLANTS OF PROSPECT PARK—Continued.

**ENDOGENS.**  
 Iris versicolor.  
 Sisyrinchium angustifolium.  
 Narcissus poeticus.  
 " pseudo-narcissus.  
 Hypoxys erecta.  
 Smilax glauca  
 Muscari botryoides.  
 Convallaria majalis.  
 Allium Canadensis.  
 " vineale.  
 Polygonatum bifloro.  
 Unifolium racemoso.  
 " Canadense.  
 " bifolium.  
 Ornithogalum umbellatam.  
 Erythronium Americanum.  
 Scilla sp.  
 Uvularia perfoliata.  
 Oakesia sessifolia,  
 Crocus vernus.  
 Commelina Virginica.  
 Typha latifolia.  
 Arisaema triphyllum.  
 Luzula campestris.  
 Carex vulpinoidea.  
 " laxiflora  
 " canescens.  
 " Pennsylvania.  
 " tentaculata.  
 Poa annua  
 Phleum pratense.  
 Anthoxanthum odoratum.  
 Setaria glauca.  
 Panicum crus-galli.  
 Cynodon Dactylon.  
 Thuja occidentalis.  
 Juniperus communis.  
 Taxus baccata.

Pinus Strobus.  
 " Austriaca.  
 " sylvestris.  
 Tsuga Canadensis.  
 Larix laricina. = 86

**Cryptogamia—Flowerless Plants.**

**FERNS.**  
 Pteris aquilina.  
 Asplenium Filix-foemina.  
 " platyneuron.  
 Aspidium Noveboracense.  
 " acrostichoides.  
 " marginale.  
 Onoclea sensibilis.  
 Osmunda regalis.  
 " cinnamomea. )

**MOSESSES.**  
 Weisia viridula.  
 Dicranella heteromalla.  
 Ceratodon purpureis.  
 Barbula unguiculata.  
 Catharinea undulata.  
 " angustata.  
 " crispa.

Pogonatum brevicaulis.  
 Polytrichum juniperinum.  
 " commune.  
 Bryum argenteum.  
 Mnium cuspidatum.  
 " affine.

**HEPATICS.**  
 Physcomitrium pyriforme.  
 Cylindrothecium seductrix.  
 Amblystegium serpens.  
 Eurhynchium Boscii.  
 Brachythecium plumosum. )  
 Riccia nutans.

Fegatella conica.  
**FUNGI.**  
 Agaricus campestris. Mush-room edible.  
 Coprinus sp.  
 Boletus sp.  
 Geaster hygrometricus.  
 Polyporus rimosus.  
 Dædalia pinicolor.  
 Lenzites betulina.  
 Clavaria sp.  
 Puccinia graminis.  
 " suaveolens.  
 " xanthii.  
 Uredo Potentillarum.  
 Cæoma luminatum.  
 Phragmidium mucronatum.  
 Plowrightea morbosa.  
 Roestelia coronaria. )

**LICHENS.**  
 Ramalina calicaris.  
 Theloschistes parietinus.  
 " chrysoththalmus.  
 Parmelia conspirta.  
 Physcia stellaris.

**FRESH WATER ALGÆ.**  
 Sticta pulmonaria.  
 Lecanora subfusca.  
 Cladonia pyxidata.  
 " cristatella.  
 Opegrapha varia. )

**FRESH WATER ALGÆ.**  
 Conferva vulgaris.  
 Protococcus sp.  
 Stigeoclonium sp.  
 Hydrodictyon utriculatum.  
 Batrachosperma mouilliforme.  
 Draparnaldia glomerata. )

**BROOKLYN PARKS.**

Prospect Park contains 516½ acres. In woodland, 110 acres; in lakes and watercourses, 77 acres; in meadows, 70 acres; in plantations, 259½ acres; in drives, 8¾ miles; bridle roads, 3½ miles; walks, 10¼ miles.  
 Ocean Parkway is 5½ miles long and 210 feet wide. Eastern Parkway is 2½ miles long and 210 feet wide.

**Area of Other Parks.**

Coney Island Concourse.....	70 acres.
Parade Ground .....	40 "
Washington Park .....	30 "
Tompkins Park .....	7¾ "
City Park .....	7½ "
Carroll Park .....	1½ "
City Hall Park .....	1½ "
Small inclosures .....	about 4 "
Total .....	161½ "

The construction of Prospect Park began in June, 1866, and ceased in 1874, being about two-thirds finished. The land cost \$3,919,370.70; construction cost \$5,239,964.11. Total, \$9,159,334.81.

**Visitors, 1889.**

Month.	Carriages.	Equestrians.	Pedestrians.	Total.
Nov . . . . .	415,458	4,617	109,376	529,454
Dec . . . . .	532,618	8,133	127,064	667,815
Jan . . . . .	547,826	5,559	119,467	672,852
Feb . . . . .	198,651	2,790	148,630	350,071
March . . . . .	571,500	6,645	173,146	751,291
April . . . . .	441,095	5,717	174,401	624,213
May . . . . .	646,817	7,837	309,850	964,504
June . . . . .	586,869	12,922	646,320	1,246,111
July . . . . .	480,548	4,222	758,087	1,242,857
August . . . . .	640,833	6,534	821,810	1,469,177
Sept. . . . .	538,911	4,743	359,041	902,695
October.. . . .	509,016	2,936	193,073	705,025
Total .. . . .	6,113,142	72,655	3,940,265	10,126,065

Total number visitors on Sundays, 2,364,135. Total number visitors on concert days, 907,873. Largest number in one day, June 23, 117,533.

**SATURDAY CONCERTS.**

Prospect Park, 15; first concert, June 8; last concert, September 28.  
 Washington Park, 16; first concert, June 8; last concert, September 28.

**SUNDAY CONCERTS.**

Prospect Park, 13; first concert, July 7; last concert, September 29.  
 Two concerts for benefit of Johnstown Sufferers, Sunday, June 16 and Sunday, June 23.

**SPORTS AT PROSPECT PARK.**

Picnics, 390; base ball games, 1,295; foot ball games, 34; cricket games, 92; lacrosse games, 18. Number of skating days, 3; first day's skating, February 15; last day's skating, February 25.

**PARK POLICE FORCE.**

One captain, 7 sergeants, 62 patrolmen. Total force, 72. Distributed as follows: Prospect Park, 6 sergeants, 49 patrolmen; Washington Park, 1 sergeant, 6 patrolmen; City Park, 2 patrolmen; Tompkins Park, 2 patrolmen; Eastern Parkway, 1 patrolman; Ocean Parkway, 1 patrolman; Carroll Park, 1 patrolman.

**ACCIDENTS.**

Carriages and sleighs, 127; saddle horses, 16; bicycles and tricycles, 8; fell in lake, 6; fell in Park, 8; fell on ice, 1; taken sick in Park, 8; fracture of leg by falling from wall of Washington Park, 1; drowned on East side lands, 1; hurt on ball grounds, 1; struck with stone, 1. Total, 178.

