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LINDSAY WANTS INDUSTRIAL PARK AT OLD NAVY YARD



JOHN F. KENNEDY MEMORIAL MEDICAL CENTER
O'CONNOR and KILHAM, ARCHITECTS

THE JFK CENTER—This is the artist's drawing of what the John F. Kennedy Memorial Medical Center will look like when built at the site of the now demolished St. Catherine's Hospital.

Hospital Committee Still Moves Ahead

The long-proposed, much-discussed, John F. Kennedy Memorial Center took shape this week under the pen and brush of an artist as the JFK Committee reports it is making "steady progress towards making the center a reality."

Dr. Leon Nadrowski, spokesman and sparkplug for the proposed center said the drawing of the 12-story structure was provided by the architects O'Connor and Kilham who have described the center as "a trailblazer among American hospitals."

Planned for the site of the now demolished St. Catherine's Hospital, at Bushwick avenue and Maujer street, the center will be built on the tract which is 675 feet by 190 feet and will hold 400 beds, as a starter.

Architect Robert O'Connor, of O'Connor and Kilham, said: "the revolutionary changes which are taking place in science, medicine and technology will thus be served by facilities

designed to both accommodate the latest developments in these specialized and rapidly expanding fields as well as to provide flexibility for unseen direction of growth and their increasing essential synthesis."

JULY 1ST MARKED one year since the closure of St. Catherine's Hospital in Greenpoint and Williamsburg. Development of a replacement for the distressing medical needs for this community in the form of a voluntary, non-profit, non-sectarian, 400 bed John F. Kennedy Memorial Medical Center has reached the state of planned fruition," said Dr. Nadrowski.

"The ultimate goal however, is to merge the three smaller hospitals in the area to provide an all encompassing 700 bed Medical Center complex. The John F. Kennedy Memorial Medical Center will fulfill the dire needs of adequate and modern Brooklyn hospital beds as described by the Hospital Review and Planning Council."

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Save Your Medicare Book

Study Your Medicare Handbook—save it for further reference. It has the form you use to apply for medical insurance benefits.

It explains both hospital insurance and medical insurance.

Extra X-Ray Units Move Into W'sburg

As part of Mayor Lindsay's "crash program" to rehabilitate certain areas of Brooklyn, extra mobile X-ray units will be on hand in Williamsburg during July and August.

Williamsburg is one of a number of Brooklyn neighborhoods with an increasing incidence of tuberculosis. Having the mobile X-ray units at the same location on successive days increases the likelihood of reaching those people most likely to have TB.

The X-ray units will be at the following locations in Williamsburg area during July and August:

● July 18th and 19th

Flushing avenue & Throop avenue, 11 A.M.-6 P.M.

● July 28th and 29th, Graham avenue and Broadway, 11 A.M.-6 P.M.

● Aug. 1st and 2nd, Throop avenue & Myrtle avenue, 11 A.M.-6 P.M.

● Aug. 10th and 11th, Bushwick avenue & Moore street, 11 A.M.-6 P.M.

The X-rays are given by the Department of Health with the cooperation of the Brooklyn Tuberculosis and Health Association.

The chest X-rays given are free to all persons 15 years of age or over. The X-ray takes only a moment, there is no undressing, and all reports are confidential.

Will Mean Thousands Of Jobs

The Brooklyn Navy Yard which was closed less than two weeks ago may soon re-open as an industrial park and create thousands of new jobs.

That announcement was made late Wednesday by none other than Mayor John V. Lindsay.

Reportedly, the city has entered into negotiations with the federal government to take over the 292-acre shipyard with the idea of developing a modern industrial park complex and creating "badly-needed, high-wage, steady jobs," said the mayor.

Two years ago the Navy Yard employed close to 10,000 persons. The last of these workers lost their jobs when the yard was closed on June 25.

MAYOR LINDSAY'S announcement followed a conference with General Lucius Clay, head of the recently-formed New York City Public Development Corporation, a quasi-public corporation that would lease the land from the city.

The mayor explained that the corporation of businessmen, financiers and public officials would negotiate an agreement with the Commerce, Labor and Industry Corporation of Kings County to take over direct responsibility and the job of transforming the shipyard into an industrial park.

Like the development corporation, CLICK is made up of businessmen, public officials and trade union leaders in Brooklyn.

"Constructive use of the former Navy Yard will be the first step in relieving the unemployment and poverty which affects nearly a million people in Brooklyn. It

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Farewell PAL Party

The PAL of the 92nd precinct on Bedford avenue of which Mrs. Stasia Kenney is Director, held a farewell party for the summer months at the Cabana Club-house, on Grand street.

About 75 children attended.

The Rev. Joseph Landing of the Russian Orthodox Church and Mr. Mendez of the Teaching Staff of Public School 37 and Frank Brucella, youth patrolman were in attendance.

Refreshments were served.



POOL PALS

With the temperatures soaring over the century mark quite frequently these days, these young friends are keeping cool by dousing themselves in McCarren Park Pool all day long. The pool handled record crowds this past weekend. On Sunday 5,000 got into the swim but, 3,000 persons had to be turned away.

Watch Out For Danger

You have to see danger to avoid it. That's why all-around visibility is essential to safe driving. The Auto Club of New York cautions motorists to make sure their windshields are clean and their windshield wipers and defroster are in perfect condition.

Luke Kenny Will Lead Lexington Knights

Luke V. Kenny has been elected grand knight of Lexington Council Knights of Columbus. Elected to serve with him are: William Dawson deputy grand knight; Frank Boyle, chancellor; Louis Saverly, warden, and Raymond Sowinski, recording secretary.

Also John Pallace, treasurer Chester; J. Straub, advocate; Al Kennedy, inside guard; and trustee, three years, past grand knight Frank Nappi.

Chapter delegates, grand knight and deputy grand knight by virtue of office, past grand knight Frank J. Nappi and past grand knights Philip Carney and Joseph E. Finley and Thomas M. Dougherty.

State convention delegates are grand knight Luke Kenny and past grand knight Frank J. Nappi; alternate to the grand knight Chris J. Fardy and alternate to past grand knight Philip Carney.

Joseph Finley was elected admiral of Long Island general assembly, fourth degree, and William Talkington was elected president of Lexington 1897 Club Inv. Stephen Nacklicki is vice-president.

Driver Fatigue Leads to Speed

Driver fatigue and speed go hand in hand. The Auto Club of New York reports that, as a driver gets weary, he often becomes impatient to reach his destination.

Thus, he increases his speed at a time when his alertness decreases. The best solution is to pull off the highway for a short rest stop.

LS D COULD LEAD TO DEATH

LS D is a harmful, dangerous drug which may cause hallucinations, nightmares and even suicidal and homicidal tendencies, warns the Health Department.

Recently a child who accidentally took the drug was disoriented and emotionally disturbed for a week. Continued use of LSD causes mental damage.

To help a person who has taken LSD, call your doctor, your local hospital or the NYC Health Department's Poison Control Center, dial 536-8020.

POPCORN

CLEARWATER, Fla. (AP) — Popcorn is what American servicemen in Vietnam long for, according to the Clearwater Navy Mothers club. The club plans to ship to Vietnam plastic bags containing enough popcorn to satisfy 30 servicemen.



LUKE KENNY

Whitney's Cafe GoGo Tremendous Success

Mr. Sidney Platt, principal of Eli Whitney Vocational High School, 257 North 6th street, is proud to report on the tremendous success of its recent CAFE A-GO-GO.

CAFE A-Go-Go, or "Prom with a Heart" as Mr. Platt sentimentally refers to it, was a "first" at Whitney and is believed to be a first in the City of New York and possibly the country.

The gymnasium was decorated in Night Club and Discotheque decor; lighting, balloons, table ensembles, band stand, Go-Go Girls... the works.

The underlying objective, however, was to get all Senior students to attend, irrespective of means. Seniors were, therefore, invited with or without dates, the handicapped classes came and provision was made for a

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HIS DAY — Fred Berling, executive director of the Greenpoint "Y," proudly displays the plaque he received when the Greenpoint Lions Club held "Fred Berling Day" at Rovnak's. Watching are Richard Kussin, Lion president, (left), and Leon Warshawer, program chairman for the day.

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