

PROVIDENCE PRESERVATION SOCIETY

Records of

Plat 49  
Lot 306

807 BROAD STREET  
"HOME FOR AGED MEN AND COUPLES"

Built by the Home in 1896

- 1891 The Home for Aged Men and Couples buys Broad Street property from Mary J. McNeely, Elizabeth C. McNeely, Ellen J. McNeely, and Annie T. McNeely for \$1,000. The property is described as "a certain tract of land in said City of Providence bounded by Broad Laura and Niagara Street and laid out and designated as lots Nos. . . . (77) . . . (78) . . . (79) . . . (80) . . . (81) . . . (82) . . . (83) and . . . (84) on a plat of the Hoyle Farm in Cranston formerly belonging to the heirs of the late Governor James Fenner surveyed and platted February 28, 1849 and recorded in the book of plats Number 1 for said Cranston a copy of said plat being on record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds in said City of Providence in plat book No. 9 page 8 and on card 236" (Deed Book 363.464).
- 1895 Tax records show no building standing on the property purchased by the Home in 1891 (Tax Ledger E5.456).
- 1896 Tax records show that a building was constructed on the property; building is valued at \$50,000 (Tax Ledger E5.456).

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First name: Home for Aged Men  
Architects: Stone, Carpenter and Willson