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Citation for source 1:

Visual Source

<http://digitalcollections.nypl.org/items/7ac9917a-035f-0aeb-e040-e00a18063919>

Plan of the town of Brooklyn and part of Long Island.

This Map is the plan of the town of Brooklyn, which is combined with long Island as well. In This map we can see all the farmland which got surveyed in the year of 1766 & 1767 and this map drawn by Ratzer, Bernard. This map really help us to understand, how brooklyn farmland turned into blocks.

"Plan of the town of Brooklyn and part of Long Island." *The New York Public Library Digital Collections*. 1767.

Wikipedia link: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New_York_Public_Library
https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Bernard_Ratzer

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url=http://digitalcollections.nypl.org/items/871fda48-ba46-c1d9-e040-e00a18064c0a | title= (still image) Plan of the town of Brooklyn and part of Long Island., (1767) }} |author=Digital Collections, The New York Public Library |accessdate=April 16, 2016 |publisher=The New York Public Library, Astor, Lennox, and Tilden Foundation}}</ref>
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Citation for source 2:

Primary source, Artifact

<http://bklyn.newspapers.com/image/50307779>

The Brooklyn Daily Eagle, 27 Nov 1940, Wed, Page 11

This is the clipped photo of the Brooklyn Daily Eagle newspaper, in which you can see the specific farmland which was in brooklyn area vinegar hill, bought by two brother Comfort and Joshua sands. And later sand street name was given as an honer of those two brothers in vinegar hill. This clip is helpful for my research about two brothers comfort and joshua sands who were the owner of land where today vinegar hill is located.

Wikipedia link: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brooklyn_Eagle
[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joshua_Sands_\(politician\)](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Joshua_Sands_(politician))

http://www.nyc.gov/html/lpc/downloads/pdf/reports/VINEGAR_HILL_HISTORIC_DISTRICT.pdf

Citation for source 3:

Primary source, Artifact

http://bklyn.newspapers.com/clip/4755136/the_brooklyn_daily_eagle/

The Brooklyn Daily Eagle, 1 Aug 1877, Wed. Page 2

After looking at this photo, i told myself that urban renewal in new york is not new it was part of new york from long time and it is still exist today. The best example you can see in this photo the oldest episcopal church in brooklyn, which was named in the honor of joshua sand's wife. This church been removed as well with other building, because they had to make the way for brooklyn approach to the east river bridge.

<http://thesixthborough.weebly.com/history-of-fulton-ferry-landing.html>

Wikipedia link: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brooklyn_Eagle

citation for source 4:

Secondary Source

http://bklyn.newspapers.com/clip/4756021/the_brooklyn_daily_eagle/

The Brooklyn Daily Eagle, 7 March 1886, Sun. Page 15

My time period of research was really critical so it was hard to find the information about the farmland and the owners of their land, but this newspaper brooklyn eagle was really helpful. In this clip of newspaper you will find the farm line history of old brooklyn, for example the fulton ferry neighborhood, Kings Highway, Hicks Mansion, The Sands Property, City of Olympia etc. Later in the article the author mentioned about the comfort and joshua sands who bought the land from Rapalje commissioner of forfeited estates in \$12,430 total land they bought was 160 acres.

Wikipedia link: https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Brooklyn_Eagle

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Citation for source 5:

Secondary Source:

http://bklyn.newspapers.com/clip/4755846/the_brooklyn_daily_eagle/

The Brooklyn Daily Eagle, 8 Dec 1927, Thu Page 8

Another really interesting fact i found in this newspaper was about rope walking, In this article by Grace Cutler Cutler he mentioned that joshua sand was the first person who established

Rop walk near wallabout, for importing from England for workmen and machinery, that he might manufacture cordage (cords or ropes, especially in a ship's rigging) and rigging.

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