

Many Men at Work In Parks of City

Prison Labor in Riverdale Park May be Abolished

There are now between 400 and 500 men employed in the various city parks, grading and levelling, according to a statement made by Parks Commissioner Chambers to-day. This is an exceptionally large number for this time of the year, but is in keeping with the city's efforts to provide work for the unemployed.

The Commissioner is also considering the advisability of discontinuing the use of prison-labor in the grading work at Riverdale Park. Such labor, it is claimed, unfairly deprives quite a number of legitimate workmen of employment.