

the assessment proceedings and assessment area for the establishment of building lines herein provided for shall be the same as that provided in section sixteen hundred and eight j of said Code for assessments in the opening, extension, widening, and straightening of alleys or minor streets, in the same manner as if the establishment of building lines had been included in said section.

SEC. 4. That said Commissioners, whenever they deem it desirable in the interest of economy, may permit buildings existing at the time said building lines are established and which project beyond said lines to remain until such time as the owner of said buildings desires to reconstruct or substantially alter the said buildings: *Provided*, That the Act of Congress approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, providing for certain projections upon street parkings shall apply to all parkings established under the Act, and the control of said parkings otherwise shall be vested in the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, who are hereby authorized to make and enforce all reasonable and necessary regulations for their care and preservation.

Projecting buildings.

Proviso.
Projections on street parkings.

Control of.
Vol. 26, p. 868.

SEC. 5. That the appropriation available for opening alleys and minor streets in the District of Columbia is hereby made available for the purpose of establishing building lines as provided for herein.

Funds available.

SEC. 6. That the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to provide for the establishment of building lines on certain streets in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes," approved January twelfth, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

Repeal.
Vol. 30, p. 802.

Approved, June 21, 1906.

CHAP. 3506.—An Act To amend an Act approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, entitled "An Act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and for prior years, and for other purposes."

June 21, 1906.
[S. 4170.]
[Public, No. 260.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act of Congress approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, entitled "An Act making appropriations to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and for prior years, and for other purposes," be, and it is hereby, amended so that the first paragraph under the heading "District of Columbia" in said Act shall read as follows:

District of Columbia.
Extension of buildings beyond building line.
Vol. 26, p. 868, amended.

"That the action of the Commissioners of the District of Columbia in heretofore granting permits for the extension of any building or buildings, or any part or parts thereof, in the District of Columbia, beyond the building line and upon the streets and avenues of said city, is hereby ratified, without prejudice, however, to the legal rights of the Government in the event of the destruction by fire or otherwise of any such structure. And hereafter no such permits shall be granted except upon special application and with the concurrence of all of said Commissioners and, where such extensions are to be placed upon buildings to be erected on land adjoining United States public reservations, the approval of the Secretary of War."

Ratification of permits extended throughout District.

Approval of future permits.

Approved, June 21, 1906.

CHAP. 3507.—An Act Changing the name of Douglas street to Clifton street.

June 21, 1906.
[S. 4268.]
[Public, No. 261.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this Act the street extending from Fourteenth street, west, to University place, in the District of Columbia, now known as Douglas street, shall be known and designated as Clifton street.

District of Columbia.
Douglas street changed to Clifton.

Approved, June 21, 1906.