New York State Canal Commissioners Calendar of Petitions A1195

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The Canal Commissioners' powers and duties are spelled out in laws of 1816, 1817, and 1820. The original petitions to the Canal Commissioners appear to be lost, but a few may be found in Series #A1440.

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