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WABASH AVENUE IN FRONT OF FIELD BLDG. SINKING---FEAR PIPE-BURST

*Commissioner of Public Works Says Pavement Has Sunk
Eighteen To Twenty-four Inches—Immediate
Preventative Action Ordered—Field
Officials Concerned.*

Wabash avenue, in front of Marshall Field's new building, is sinking! A cave-in similar to the one which wrecked Randolph street, might occur, and the possibility of a street collapse that might cause the loss of life is feared.

Commissioner of Public Works Joseph O. Kostner has given orders to John Griffiths, the contractor, that immediate measures to protect the street must be taken. The bursting of the water main is feared.

The street is sinking in precisely the same manner that Randolph street was sinking before the collapse. The west side of Wabash avenue has already sunk from 18 to 24 inches.

An excited conference was held this morning by Kostner with City Engineer John Ericsson and "Dapper Jimmy" Simpson, head of Marshall Field. A large force of workmen worked like beavers in an effort to raise the