



*New York State Archives*

**Toll collectors' annual accounts A1157**

---

New York State Archives  
222 Madison Avenue  
Albany, NY 12230  
[archref@nysed.gov](mailto:archref@nysed.gov)  
URL: <http://www.archives.nysed.gov/>

---

## Table of Contents

---

Overview of the Records .....	3
Scope and Contents .....	3
Use of Records .....	4
Access Terms .....	4

## Overview of the Records

---

<b>Repository:</b>	New York State Archives
<b>Summary:</b>	These annual accounts include two documents: a monthly summary of debits for refunded tolls, salary of collector, pay of clerks, and deposits of tolls in designated banks; and of credits for tolls collected, clearances issued, and penalties levied; second document provides summary totals under each debit and credit column for the Erie and branch canals.
<b>Creator:</b>	New York (State). Comptroller's Office
<b>Title:</b>	Toll collectors' annual accounts
<b>Quantity:</b>	0.3 cubic feet
<b>Inclusive Date:</b>	1853, 1878-1879
<b>Series:</b>	A1157

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

---

## Scope and Content Note

---

Annual accounts of toll collectors encompass two documents. The first is a monthly summary of debits for refunded tolls, salary of collector and pay of clerk, and deposits of tolls in designated banks; and of credits for tolls collected, clearances issued, and penalties levied. The second document gives summary totals under each debit and credit column for the Erie and various branch canals. Each document includes a sworn affidavit of the collector. Year and location of toll collector's office appear on the verso. This series is fragmentary; only accounts for 1853, 1878-79 are found, and not all toll collections are represented. A few other toll collectors' accounts, prior to 1825, are found in Series A1125, Canal Commissioners Contracts and accounts for construction and repair.

[^ Return to Table of Contents](#)

---

## Use of Records

---

### Access Restrictions

There are no restrictions regarding access to or use of the material.

---

## Access Terms

---

- Accounting
- Accounts
- New York (State)
- Canals--Rates and tolls
- New York (State). Department of Audit and Control