By resolution No. 91 of 1851, the Register was directed to sell fourteen hundred shares of the dividend stock of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad company, at a rate of not less than seventy-eight dollars per share. Bids to the amount required were received, and the proceeds, amounting to one hundred and nine thousand four hundred and fifty-nine dollars and ninety cents, were passed to the credit of interest on the stock debt for account of internal improvements.

There are now standing in the name of the city, seven thousand and forty eight shares, and scrip certificates for one hundred and sixty-three dollars for fractions of shares, of said dividend stock, say at their par, seven hundred and four thousand nine hundred and sixty-three dollars.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN J. GRAVES, Register.

The existing claims against, and estimated expenses of the city, for the payment of which the receipts from direct tax and other sources, as specified, are applicable, are as follows:

EXISTING CLAIMS.

Due to the trustees of the poor, and to the German and Hibernian Societies for foreign passengers, of which amount $157 50 was paid under protest.	$12,662 79	
Due to owners of property sold for city taxes,	3,855 77	
Due to owners of property sold for paving taxes, ...	1,557 08	
Due to owners of property for opening streets,	3,697 80	
Due quarters interest December 31st, 1851, on city stock other than court house and internal improvements, ...	5,845 24	
		$27,618 68

ESTIMATED EXPENSES.

For interest on stock debt, other than court house and internal improvements, . .		23,380 95
Port Warden's department, per estimate A.		
For deepening the harbor, ...	25,000 00	
For repairs of public wharves, . . .	1,000 00	
For repairs of mud machines, . . .	2,000 00	
For dam at mouth of Harford run, Res. 128 of 1851.	500 00	
		28,500 00
City Commissioner's department, per estimate B.		
For paving and repaving cross streets, .	25,000 00	
For paving and repaving in front of city property, ...	3,400 00	
For repairs of paved streets, . . .	38,000 00	
For repairs of unpaved streets, . . .	700 00	
For repairs of bridges, ...	1,500 00	
For repairs of sewers, ...	1,000 00	
For repairs of fire plugs and cisterns, . .	750 00	
For repairs of pumps, ...	9,000 00	
For flags and stepping stones, . . .	1,800 00	
For erection of fire plugs, ...	750 00	
For city's proportion of repaving streets, .	1,000 00	
For purchase of oak timber, . . .	700 00	
For tunneling Harford run, . . .	2,000 00	
For ornamental structure over fountain at Union Square, ...	450 00	