

MANHATTAN'S ADDED ACREAGE

The blackened areas indicate either marshland and inland-river reclamation or landfill into the Hudson and East rivers since 1874. According to Michael Danielson and Jameson Doig, authors of a study on development in New York City, a total of 3,650 acres has been added to Manhattan since the city's founding in the 17th century.

KEY

- Landfill
- Former marshland

Scale 1:24,000

1 1/2 0 1 Mile

Source: Topographical Atlas of the City of New York, 1874; Topographical Bureau of the Office of the Borough President and "New York: The Politics of Regional Development," by Michael Danielson and Jameson Doig.