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Dear said the passage of the bill would bring a true catastrophe on New York City, even though everyone concedes that the majority of New Yorkers oppose the bill. New Yorkers should not and would not forget, he said, the perfidy being perpetrated on them.