

SEC.	DESCRIPTION OF ROUTE.	MILES	RISE.	DAMS	LOC.	AMOUNT.
No. 1	From Rice Lake to Peterborough, including the bar at the mouth of the Otonabee, Danger's Field, Robinson's and Yankee Bonnet Shallows, Whitlaw's Rapids, &c.	21 ²² ₈₀	ft. in. 4 6 3 locks	2	1	4,246 19 0
No. 2	From Peterborough to Clear Lake, including the Nine-mile Rapids, Herriott's Rapids, Katchiwanoo Lake, and Young's Rapids.	14 ³⁴ ₈₀	147 6	6	11	66,524 14 1
No. 3	From Young's outlet of Clear Lake to Bobcaygeon, including Clear and Stoney Lakes, Peninsular Falls, Burleigh Chutes, Buckhorn's Rapids, Buckhorn's Lake, Chemong and Pigeon Lakes.	31 ⁴⁰ ₈₀	38 4	2	5	21,102 2 5
No. 4	From Bobcaygeon to Cameron's Falls and Balsam Lake Portage, including Sturgeon Lake, with Bobcaygeon Rapids, Shallows above Rapids, Dam there, Dam at or below mouth Little Bobcaygeon, navigation of Sturgeon Lake, Cameron's Falls and Shallows, Cameron's Lake, Balsam Rapids and Balsam Lake.	26 ²⁴ ₈₀	34 0	3	5	22,546 16 2
No. 5	From Balsam Lake to Lake Simcoe, including collateral Cut to Talbot River, Locks thereon, Clearing of Flood Wood, and piers at the mouth of Talbot Harbour.	16	Fall of col. cut 118 5		12	121,212 18 1
	Amounting to.....					235,643 9 10
	Lock Master's Houses, &c.					2,600 0 0
						238,243 0 10

To which add contingencies of management, &c. 10 per cent.. 23,824 6 6

Total Amount of Estimate 262,067 16 4

The estimate for the works east of Rice Lake upon the River Trent was £233,447 6s. 11d. which added to the estimate, a detail of which is published above, made the entire proposed cost of opening up an uninterrupted Water Communication between the Bay of Quinte and Lake Simcoe, a distance of about 165 miles, and 706—4 feet of lockage, £495,515.

Mr. Baird, however, appears to have feared that the amount of the estimate might deter the Government from prosecuting the work, to which he attached very considerable importance. He therefore made the suggestion that