

or agents, the following sums shall and may be deducted by the said Commissioners or their successors from the money payable to him as hereinafter mentioned, viz :

For a vessel of twenty-five tons and under, five shillings per hour ;

For a vessel over seventy-five tons and under ninety tons, six shillings and three pence, per hour ;

For a vessel over ninety tons and under one hundred and ten tons, seven shillings and six pence, per hour ;

For a vessel over one hundred and ten tons, and under one hundred and twenty-five tons, eight shillings and nine pence, per hour ;

For a vessel of one hundred and twenty-five tons and under one hundred and fifty tons, ten shillings per hour ;

For a vessel of over one hundred and fifty tons, eleven shillings and three pence, per hour.

And it is hereby agreed, that the said Commissioners and their successors shall and may decide in all cases whether such detention was caused by the act or default of the said party of the first part, his servants or agents, but the deduction of any sum as aforesaid shall not discharge the said party of the first part from any claim by other parties for damages, for, or on account of such detention, but all persons injured by such detention shall be entitled to recover in any action as if such deduction by the Commissioners as aforesaid had not been or could not be made.

And it is further agreed by and between the said parties, that the rates per mile which may be charged for the towage of all such vessels as pass through the Canals, or either of them, shall not exceed the sum specified in the Schedule hereunto annexed and signed by the parties to these presents, for towage upwards, and shall not exceed one third of such rates for towage downward, and the following shall be deemed and taken to be the number of miles respectively for which such rates may be charged on the following routes respectively :

From Lachine to the lower entrance of the Beauharnois Canal, Nineteen Miles ;

From the upper entrance of Beauharnois Canal to Cornwall, Forty Miles ;

From Dickinson's Landing to Prescott, Forty-one Miles ;

From Prescott to Kingston, Sixty-one Miles.