

TABLE OF OFFICERS.

RANK.	In employ, July 1, 1839		In employ, Feb. 1, 1840		In employ, Oct. 1, 1840		In employ, Jan. 1, 1840	
	No.	Annual Pay.	No.	Ann'l Pay.	No.	Ann'l Pay.	No.	Annual Pay.
Commissioner, - - - .	1	\$2000	1	\$1000	1	\$1000	1	\$1000
Chief Engineer, - - - .	1	5000	1	4000	1	4000	1	4000
Principal Assistants, - - - .	4	8000	2	4000	none		none	
Assistant Engineers, - - - .	6	6600	4	4800	2	2400	2	2400
Draughtsman, - - - .	1	1277 50	none		none		none	
Rodmen, - - - .	7	4200	4	2160	2	1080	2	1080
Volunteer Rodmen, - - - .	5	1800	none		none		none	
Chain and Axemen, - - - .	13	4750	4	1460	2	730	2	730
Chief Sup. of Masonry, - .	1	1800	none		none		none	
Assist. Sup. of Masonry, .	7	4770 50	2	1363	2	1363	none	
Section Inspectors, - - .	9	5110	5	2920	4	2190	none	
Totals,	55	45308 00	23	21703	14	12763	8	9210

One of the rodmen acted as clerk to the chief engineer until Oct. 1st 1840, when that office was abolished, he also acted for a short time as commissioner; and since Oct. 1840, the chief engineer is required to do the duties of chief engineer, principal assistant engineer, and clerk, these three offices having been merged in one.

So far have the works upon your canal now advanced towards completion, that it must be a source of sincere satisfaction to all who are really interested in its welfare, to know that the cumbrous and expensive corps of engineers and superintendents formerly upon the construction, *will never again be necessary.*

For the information of the directors, whenever they may place under contract all their unfinished work, I have laid in the subjoined table, an organization of officers for superintendence, which, supposing a due degree of industry on the part of the several individuals—experience upon the line, and a perfect knowledge, of the present condition and future wants of every work, enables me to pronounce with confidence, *amply sufficient* for a vigorous and efficient supervision of all the work yet to be done.