Second. Should the charge upon the rail road be fixed at $1\frac{1}{2}$ cents per ton per mile, add to the above	≨. 41., *`·	$07\frac{1}{2}$
The total cost will then be Third. Should the charge upon the railroad be fixed	\$2	38
at $1\frac{3}{4}$ cents per ton per mile, add the further sum of		114
And the total cost will then be Fourth. Should the charge upon the railroad be fix-	\$2	491
ed at 2 cents per ton per mile, add as before		$11\frac{1}{4}$
The total cost from Cumberland to Georgetown will then be Fifth. And should the road be extended to the	\$2	$60\frac{1}{2}$
mines, add for transportation and charges from the mines to Cumberland—say		20
Making the entire cost from mines to Georgetown The cost of conveying a ton of coal from Cumberland	\$2	$80\frac{1}{2}$
to Georgetown by the canal alone, at the rate above assumed, distance 184½ miles, would be - Add to this the cost upon rail road from the mines to Cumberland, which upon a road so short as 10	\$2	31
miles, with no other support than that derived from the coal trade, and to be worked independently of		
the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road cannot be much, if any less than		30
And we have as the cost to Georgetown, by rail road to Cumberland and thence by canal	\$2	61

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I have carefully examined the preceding estimates and have confidence in their sufficiency for the purposes intended.

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