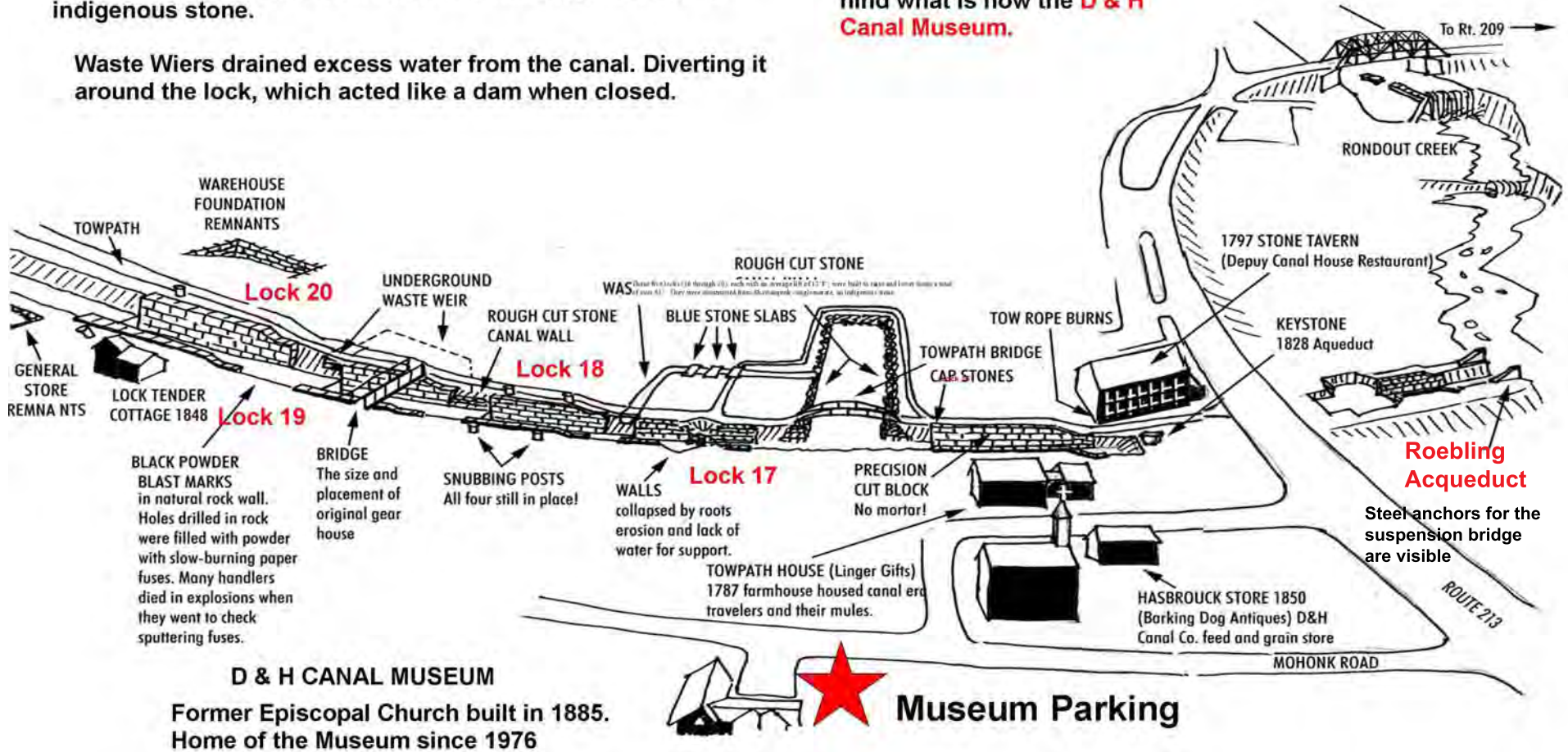


## The D&H Canal Five Lock Walk

These five locks (16 through 20), each with an average lift of 12'8", were built to raise and lower boats a total of over 63'. They were constructed from Shawangunk conglomerate, an indigenous stone.

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**Trail Smarts**

- No Bikes or Motorized Vehicles
- Pets must be leashed
- Watch your step, the path is uneven
- Look out for ticks and poison ivy
- Respect private property and restricted areas

