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Here are a couple that are close to or just a bit more than your price point. Spending the extra 30-100 will get you a better all around set up that should last you for years. TFO and Cortland are pretty good with warranty repair / replace of their stuff.

Temple Fork Pro Series 2-Piece Fly Rod with a Greys G-Series Fly Reel and Fly Line with Backing for a 8'6", 6 Weight. \$131

TFO Lefty Kreh Professional Special 4-Piece Fly Rod with an Orvis Encounter Large Arbor Reel and Fly Line with Backing for a 9', 6 Weight. \$149

Cortland Big Sky 4-Piece Fly Rod with Rod and Reel Carrier and Orvis Large Arbor Encounter Reel and Fly Line with backing for a 9', 6 Weight. \$203

Just looked on Ebay and the Cortland rod alone sells for \$260. If I'm not mistaken, that was their "flagship" model. I think they've closed out that model.