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Mr. A. M. Toye,

January 12, 1960.

Bridge Engineer.

Materials & Research Section.

Attention: Mr. S. McCombie.

Re: Hwy. 76 & Thames River Crossing (Simpson's Bridge)
W.P. 142-59 -- W.J. F 59-19.

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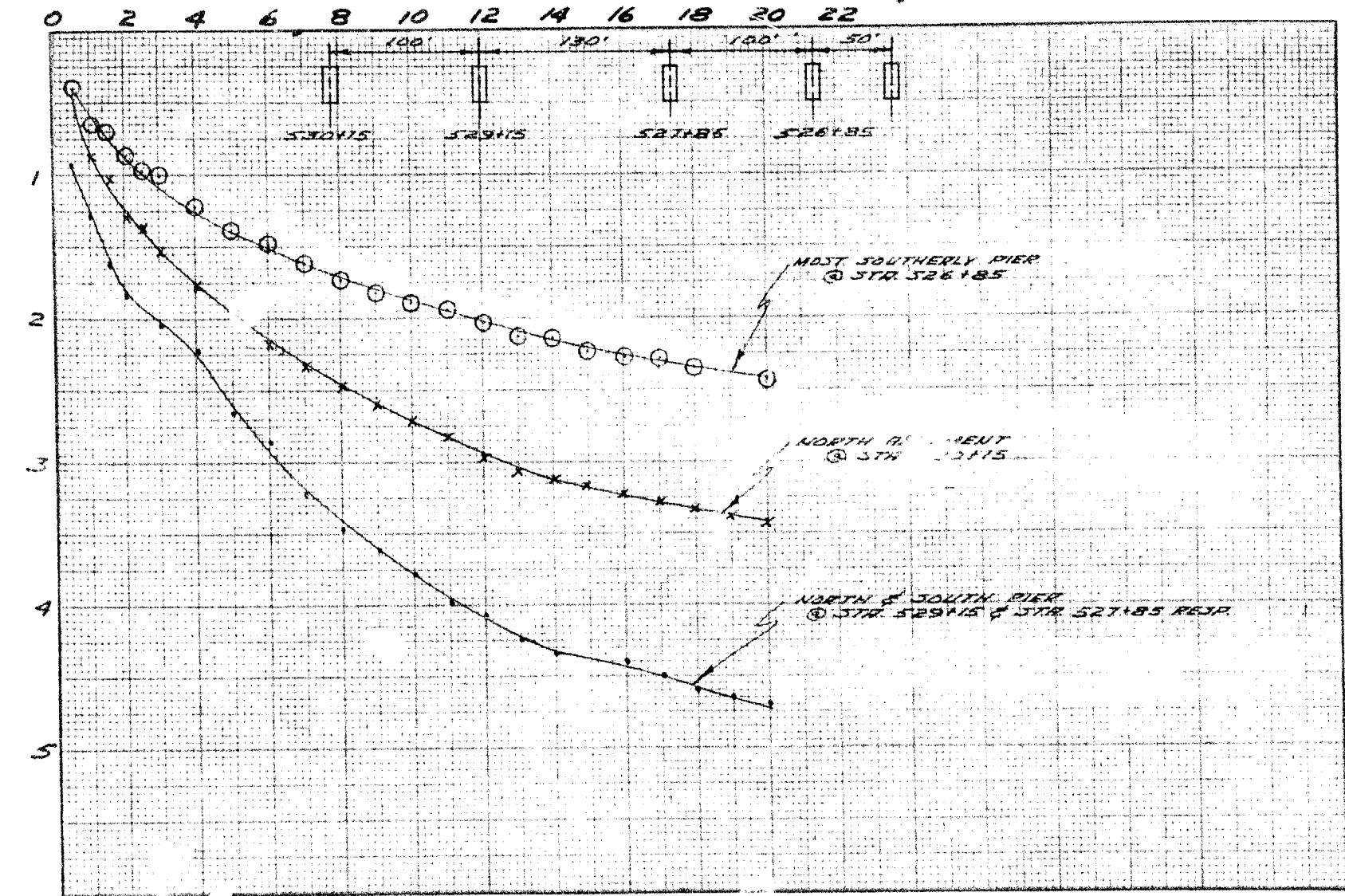
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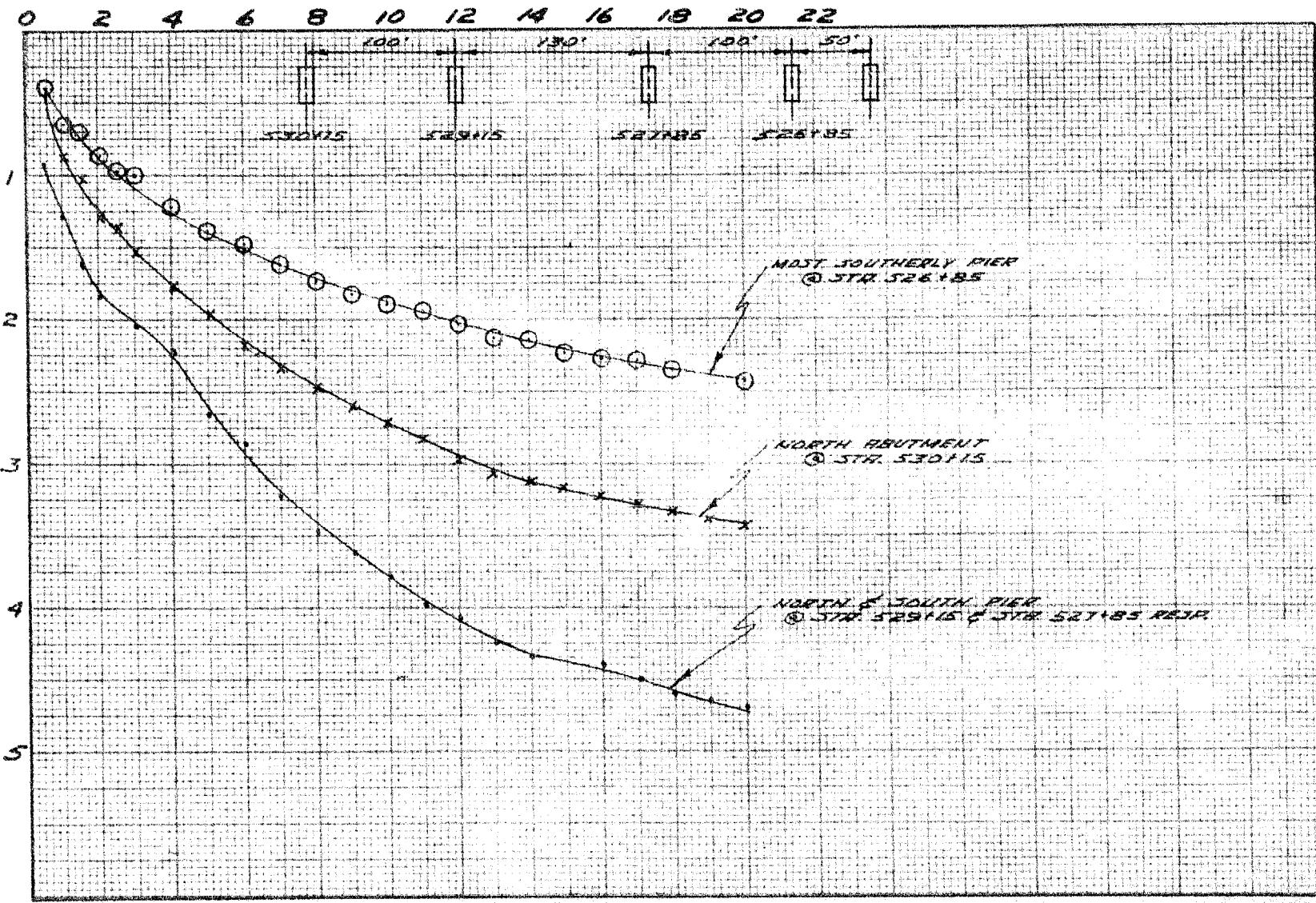
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SETTLEMENT VS TIME PLOT

Mr. C. L. Fraser,
District Engineer,
London, Ontario.

Materials & Research Section,
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Attention: Mr. J. S. Colchester, Const. Engg.

August 28, 1961.

SITE VISIT --

(Slope Failures)

Re: Simpson Bridge over the Thames River,
Contract No. 61-79 - District No. 6.

In response to a request by the District, the undersigned has visited the site of the above mentioned bridge on August 22nd, and again on August 24th.

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Mr. W. L. Fraser,
District Engineer,
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August 10, 1961.

Materials & Research Section,
(Foundations Office).

Attention: Mr. J. S. Callaghan, Const. Engr.

Re: Simpson Bridge over the Thames River,
Contract No. 61-79 -- District No. 2.

This is to confirm the contents of the telephone conversation on August 10, 1961, between Mr. W. Zonnenberg, Simpson's Bridge Project Supervisor and the undersigned.

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Memo to Mr. A. G. Stermac,
Principal Foundation Engineer. **Date** September 14, 1961.
From Mr. M. Devata,
Sr. Project Foundation Engineer. **Subject** SITE VISIT - SEPT. 7th, 1961.

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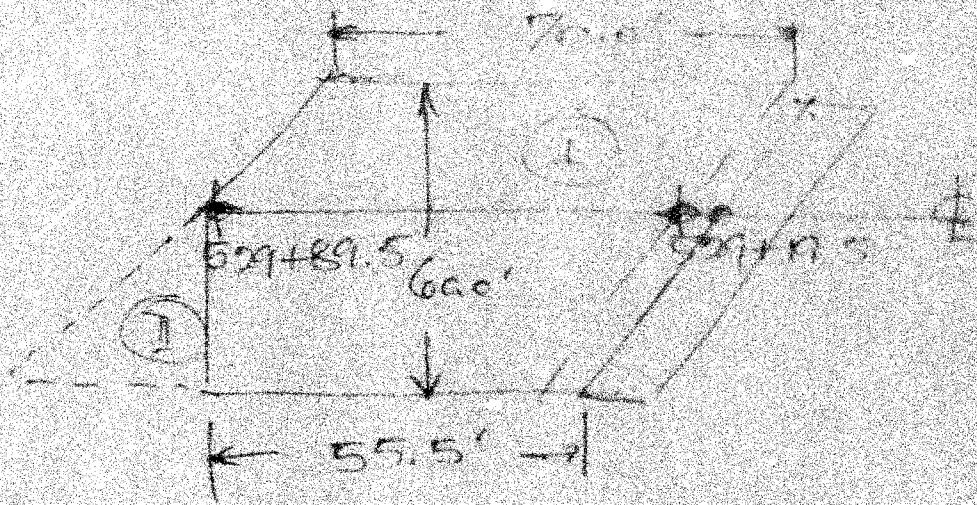
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Date December 3, 1959.
Subject D.H.O. FOUNDATION INVESTIGATION
W.P. 142-59 -- W.J. F-59-19.

Re: Hwy. #76 Rev'n. Line 'A' & Thames River Crossing,
(Simpson's Bridge)
Approx. 8 Miles North of Wallacetown.
London -- Dist. #2.

As requested, we have carried out 4 borings at the above noted structure location where revised Hwy. #76 crosses the Thames River. Attached hereto, are the detailed results of our field and laboratory findings as presented in the borehole logs and summarized in Table No. 1. The locations of the boreholes and their subsoil profiles are shown in the accompanying Drawing F-59-19B.

Subsoil consists of fluvial and alluvial deposits of loose silty sand, sandy silt and gravel overlying a deep glacial deposit of stiff silty clay. This stratum of glacial till was explored to a depth of approximately 100 ft. below the ground surface - (i.e., at approx. Elev. 545') during the exploration programme. A layer of medium sand and gravel, varying in thicknesses of 7 ft. in Boring 3-A to 11 ft. in Boring 1-A, was encountered in the stiff silty clay at approximately Elev. 600'.

The upper layer of fluvial and alluvial deposits of silty sand, sandy silt and gravel contains a considerable amount of organic matter and decayed vegetation and is in a loose state of packing with an average 'N' value (standard penetration resistance expressed in number of blows per foot) of 6 registered during the

sampling operations. Its thickness varies from 4 ft. in Boring 2-A to 27 ft. in Boring 4-A.

The stratum of stiff silty clay was encountered immediately below the upper loose granular stratum in each of the sampled boreholes. The silty clay contains a small amount of fine to medium gravel and exists in a stiff condition. It grades into a dense sandy silt below approx. Elev. 567'. Laboratory triaxial and field vane test results show that the silty clay has a shear strength of approx. 2000 p.s.f. throughout. A plot of shear strength and consistency versus depth has been presented and is included under Appendix I.

Foundation Considerations:

The upper stratum of loose fine-grained granular material, varying from silt to gravel sizes, cannot be relied upon to support simple spread footings. The strength and compressibility characteristics of the stiff silty clay stratum underlying the upper granular layer, can be used for direct support of spread footings provided that net footing pressures do not exceed 2 1/2 tons/sq. ft. (i.e., a pressure of 2 1/2 tons in excess of existing total overburden pressure).

Pier Footings (Chainage 527+70 to 529+25)

It is understood that a multi-span structure is being considered with piers located at approximate chainages of 527+70 and 529+25. At or between these two chainage points the upper sand layer is 10 feet thick or less. Recommended placement footing elevations at these locations is 605.0'. A layer of water-bearing sand was encountered below elevation 603.0' in Boring 2-A, and below elevation 600.0' in Boring 1-A. Footings should be founded at least 2 feet above this water-bearing layer. In order to found footings at the recommended placement depth, it will be necessary to excavate through the upper layer of granular material. A sheeted excavation appears necessary, and we suggest that steel sheet piling be used. Piling should be driven to at least five feet below footing elevation.

Abutment Footings

For footings located North of Station 529+60 and South of Station 527+20, the use of spread footings does not appear economically feasible. Use of spread footings in these areas would necessitate sheeted excavations to a depth of the order of 20 feet. An alternative means of footing support which we recommend is that of using displacement piles driven into the stiff clay stratum. Timber piles driven into the stratum of stiff silty clay should develop 20 tons/pile capacity with tip elevation at 595' or above. The capacity of 'H' piles, if used, as friction piles, cannot be predicted without the use of static load tests.

Approach Embankment Stability

The subsoil underlying approach embankment fills is essentially granular and standard 2:1 side slopes will be adequate. Rip-rap protection of the side slopes should be provided up to High Water Elevation.

Summary of Recommendations:

1. Simple spread footing support is recommended for piers placed between Chainages 527+70 and 529+25. The safe net bearing pressure has been determined at 2 1/2 tons/sq. ft. for footings founded at Elev. 605.0'. In order to place footings at this depth, it appears necessary to use a sheet excavation with sheet pile tips driven to at least Elev. 600.0'. It is our recommendation that the sheet piling be left in place to serve as scour protection for the footings. *Bed cl. 610*
2. For piers or abutment position North of Station 524+60 and South of 527+20, pile-supported footings are recommended. Large displacement timber piles loaded to a capacity of 20 Tons/pile will obtain this capacity at or slightly above Elevation 595.0'. Steel 'H' piles are not recommended unless design capacities for specific length can be determined prior to construction by dynamic and static load testing.

Summary of Recommendations: (cont'd.) ...

3. Standard 2:1 approach fill slopes will be stable.
Slope protection by means of rock rip-rap should be
used up to the High Water Level.

If we can be of assistance in the interpretation of data
contained herein, or in substantiating recommendations made,
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APPENDIX I.

SUMMARY OF FIELD & LABORATORY TESTS

JOB F 59-19

W.P. 142-59

HOLE NO.	SAMP NO.	SAMPLE DEPTH (FEET)	MATERIAL DESCRIPTION	PENET'R RESIST. BLOWS FT	MOIST. CONT. %	PLASTIC LIMIT %	LIQUID LIMIT %	SHEAR STRENGTH PSI	UNIT WEIGHT pcf.	REMARKS
1 A	S1	3'-4.5'	Loose silty sand & gravel with organic matter	6	9.2	-	-	-	-	
	S2	6'-7.5'	"	9	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	S3	6'-7.5'	"	7	19.7	-	-	-	-	
	T4	9'-10.5'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	P	19.2	-	-	1800	131.0	
Vane	11.3'		"	-	-	-	-	>2000	-	Approximately 10% fine to medium gravel throughout.
T5	15'-16.5'		"	P	19.6	-	-	-	133.0	
T6	20'-21.5'		"	P	18.9	-	-	2060	134.0	
T7	25'-26.5'		"	P	13.2	-	-	-	142.0	
T8	30'-31.5'	Med. to dense sand & gravel		30	-	-	-	-	-	No Recovery'
S9	30'-32'	Medium sand and gravel		18	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
S10	30'-32'	"		19	11.7	-	-	-	-	
S11	35'-37'	Dense sand & gravel		50	22.4	-	-	-	-	
S12	40'-41.5'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)		26	23.4	-	-	-	-	Approximately 10% fine to medium gravel throughout.
T13	45'-56.5'	"		P	21.0	-	-	2230	132.0	
T14	50'-51.5'	"		P	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
S15	50'-51.5'	"		27	16.9	-	-	-	-	

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2 A	S1	3'-4.5'	Gre sandy clay and gravel	9	18.4	-	-	-	-	
	T2	6'-7.5'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	14	19.9	18.1	26.0	-	136.0	
	T3	9'-10.5'	"	25	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	S4	9'-10.5'	"	-	23.4	-	-	-	-	
	T5	12'-13.5'	"	P	21.1	19.4	29.3	1710	126.0	-
	Vane	14.8'	"	-	-	-	-	>2000	-	
	T6	15'-16.5'	Medium sand and gravel	16	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	T7	15'-16.8'	"	-	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	S8	15'-16.8'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	14	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	S9	20'-22'	"	67	17.6	-	-	-	-	Approximately 2% to 3% fine to medium gravel throughout.
	S10	25'-27'	"	28	-	-	-	-	-	
	T11	30'-31.5'	"	P	21.6	-	-	1945	129.0	
	T12	35'-36.5'	"	P	21.2	-	-	-	132.0	
	T13	40'-41.5'	"	P	15.5	15.8	21.3	2430	136.5	-
	T14	45'-46.5'	"	29	17.3	-	-	-	-	
3 A	S1	3'-4.5'	Loose grey sandy silt and clay with organic matter	7	17.8	-	-	-	-	
	S2	6'-7.5'	"	4	21.3	-	-	-	-	
	T3	9'-10.5'	"	P	24.0	-	-	983	126.0	

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3A	T4	12'-13.5'	Loose grey sand silt and clay with organic matter	P 25.4	-	-	948	123.0		
	T5	15'-16.5'		P 21.1	18.0	23.0	-	126.3		
	T6	20'-21.5'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	P 19.4	-	-	2610	132.0		
	T7	25'-26.5'	"	P 19.7	18.5	27.1	2010	132.2		
	S8	30'-31.5'	"	21	-	-	-	-		No recovery
	S9	35'-36.5'	"	20	21.1	-	-	-		
	T10	41'-42.5'	Medium silty sand with clay	P 9.7	-	-	1793	148.0		Approximately 2% to 3% fine to medium gravel.
	S11	45'-46.5'	"	24	8.9	-	-	-		
	S12	50'-51.5'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	35	18.1	-	-	-		
	T13	60'-62'	"	P -	-	-	-	-		
4A	S1	3'-4.5'	Loose grey-brown sandy silt and silty sand.	4	13.6	-	-	-	-	
	S2	6'-7.5'	"	6	16.1	-	-	-	-	
	S3	9'-10.5'	"	5	16.9	-	-	-	-	
	S4	12.5'-14'	"	P 21.6	-	-	-	128.3	-	
	T5	15'-17'	"	P -	-	-	-	-		No recovery
	S6	15'-17'	"	P 20.9	-	-	-	-		
	T7	20'-22'	"	P 21.0	-	-	-	132.0		
	T8	25'-27'	"	P -	-	-	-	-		

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4A	T9	30'-32'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	P	20.9	17.6	31.0	2160	131.0	-
	T10	35'-37'	"	P	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	S11	35'-37'	"	P	-	-	-	-	-	
	T12	40'-42'	Medium silty sand	P	-	-	-	-	-	
	T13	45'-47'	"	P	-	-	-	-	-	No recovery
	S14	45'-47.3'	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	P	-	-	-	-	-	
	T15	50'-52.5'	"	P	-	-	-	-	-	
	T16	55'-57.5'	"	P	21.8	18.6	27.3	2050	-	
	T17	61'-63.5'	"	P	16.0	-	-	1860	135.0	
	T18	66'-68'	"	13-3"	-	-	-	-	-	
	S19	70'-72'	Dense grey sandy silt (till)	39-6"	-	-	-	-	-	
	S20	75'-77'	"	41 for 11.9 5½"	-	-	-	-	-	
	S21	80'-82'	"	39 for 14.5 4"	-	-	-	-	-	
	S22	85'-87'	"	30 for 17.7 6"	-	-	-	-	-	
	S23	90'-92'	"	16	16.6	-	-	-	-	

S denotes Split Spoon Sample
T denotes Shelby Tube Sample

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1A	4	0-10.5	Consolidation Characteristics: Compression index 0.09 Coeff. of consolidation 0.0192 in ² /min. Coeff. of volume compressibility 0.0141 Ft ² /Ton Probable Preconsolidation pressure 0.8 T.S.F.							
1A	13	45-46.5	Compression index 0.093 Coeff. of consolidation 0.022 in ² /min.							
3A	7	25-27.5	Compression index 0.095 Coeff. of Consolidation 0.014 in ² /min.							
4A	16	55-57.5	Compression index 0.124 Coeff. of consolidation 0.016 in ² /min.							

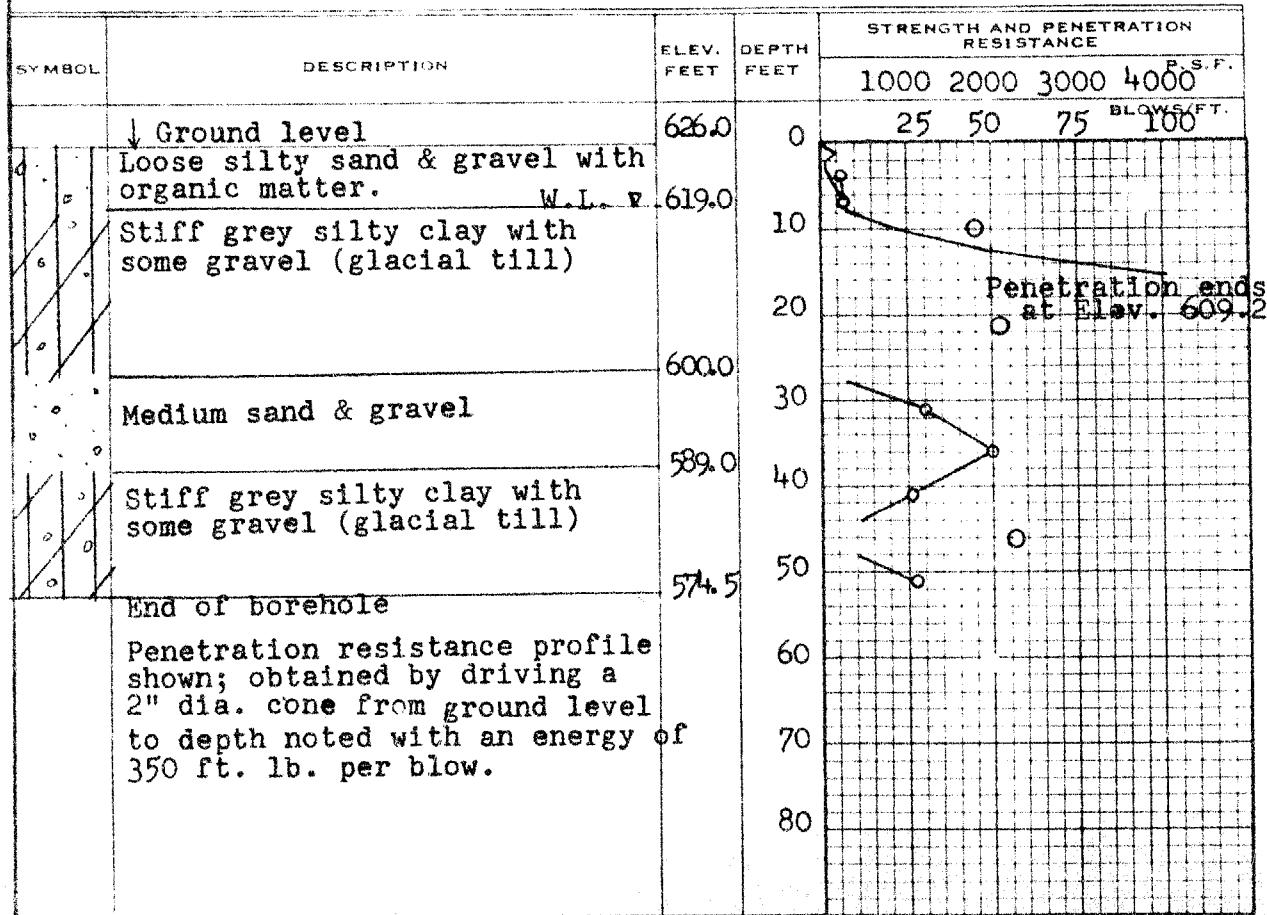
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NATURAL MOISTURE AND LIQUIDITY INDEX	X
LIQUID LIMIT	-
PLASTIC LIMIT	†



SAMPLE	CONSISTENCY			NATURAL UNIT WT. P.C.F.	
	MOIST. CONTENT - % DRY WT.	10	20	30	
S1	-	x	x	x	-
S3	-	x	x	x	-
T4	131.0	x	x	x	-
T5	133.0	x	x	x	-
T6	134.0	x	x	x	-
T7	142.0	x	x	x	-
S10	-	x	x	x	-
S11	-	x	x	x	-
S12	-	x	x	x	-
T13	132.0	x	x	x	-
S15	-	x	x	x	-

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SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	ELEV. FEET	DEPTH FEET	STRENGTH AND PENETRATION RESISTANCE			
				1000 P.S.F.	2000	3000	4000
	Groundlevel W.L.	618.0	0	25	50	75	100
	Grey sandy clay & gravel	614.0					
	Stiff grey silty clay with some gravel (glacial till)	603.0					
	Medium Sand & Gravel	590.0					
	Stiff grey silty clay (glacial till)	582.0					
	End of borehole						
	Penetration resistance profile shown; obtained by driving a 2" dia. cone from ground surface to depth noted with an energy equal to 350' lb. per blow.						

CONSISTENCY	SAMPLE	NATURAL UNIT WT. P.C.F.	MOIST. CONTENT - % DRY WT.		
			10	20	30
S1	T2	136.0	X	O	
T3	Post	-	X	O	
S4	T5	126.0	X	O	
	S8	-	X	O	
	S9	-	X	O	
	S10	-	X	O	
	T11	129.0	X	O	
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	T13	136.5	X	O	
	T14	-	X	O	

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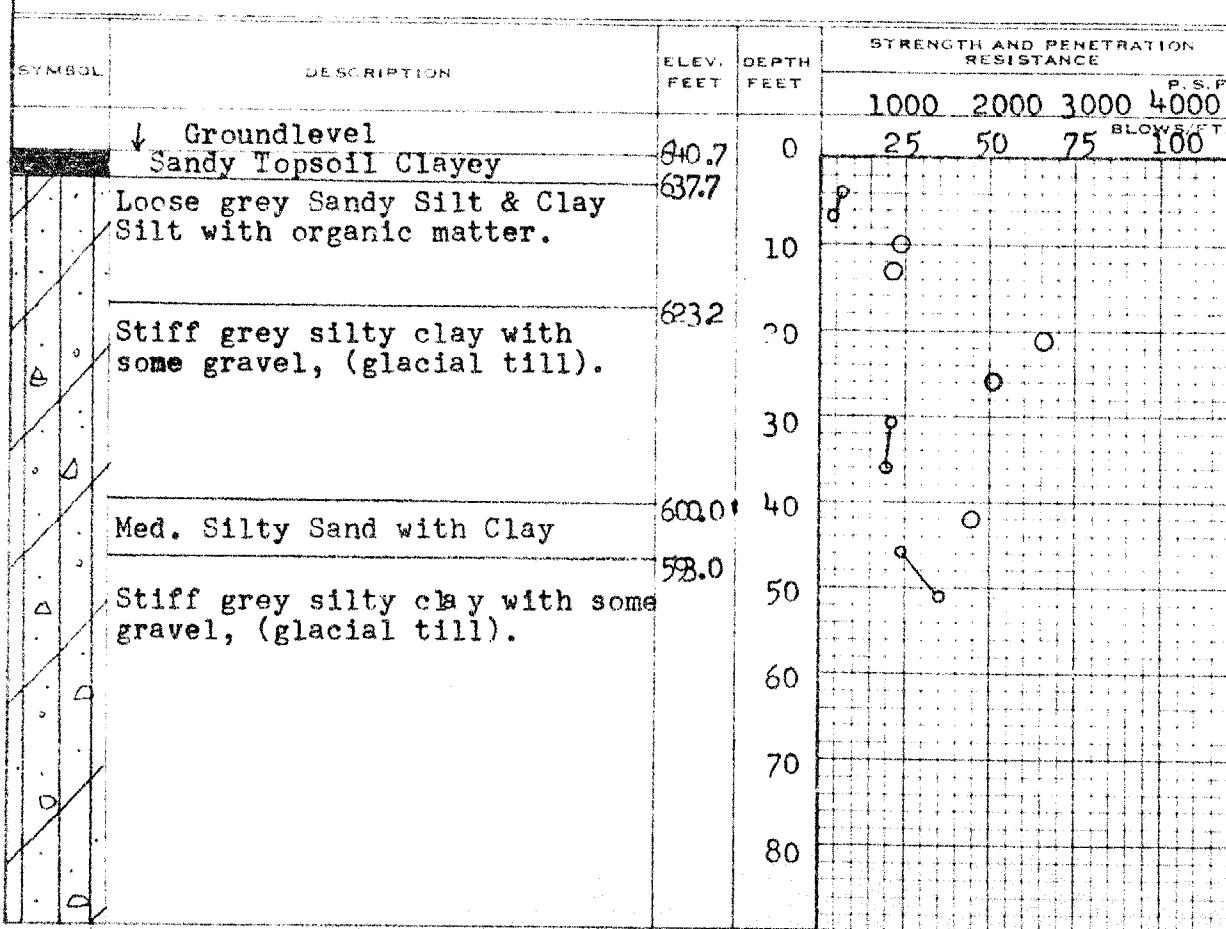
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CONSISTENCY	SAMPLE UNIT WT. P.C.F.	MOIST. CONTENT % DRY WT.		
		10	20	30
S1	-	X	.	
S2	-	X	X	
T3	126.0		X	
T4	123.0		X	
T5	126.3	X	X	
T6	132.0		X	
T7	132.2	X	X	
S8	-			
S9	-		X	
T10	148.0	X		
S11	-	X		
S12	-		X	
T13	-			

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SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	ELEV. FEET	DEPTH FEET	STRENGTH AND PENETRATION RESISTANCE	
				P.S.F.	BLOWS/FT.
	Borehole Continued		90		
1/4	Stiff grey Silty Clay (glacial till).	550.7	100		
	End of borehole	537.7	110		
			120		
			130		
			140		
			150		
			160		
			170		

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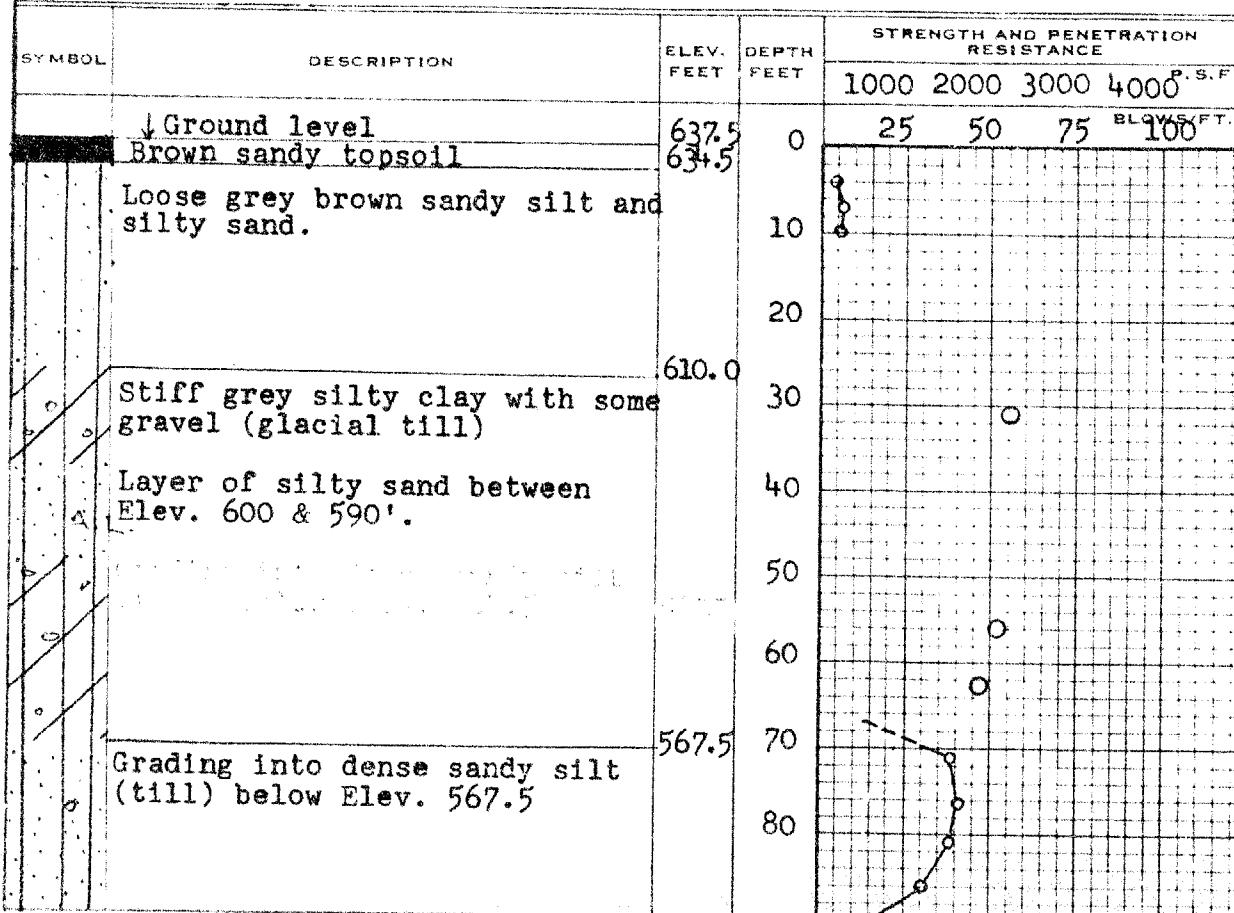
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LIQUID LIMIT	X
PLASTIC LIMIT	P



SAMPLE	CONSISTENCY			NATURAL UNIT WT. P.C.F.	
	MOIST. CONTENT- % DRY WT.	10	20	30	
S1		*			-
S2		*			-
S3		*			-
T4		*			128.3
S6					-
T7		*			132.0
T8		*			-
T9		*			131.0
S11		*			-
T12		*			-
S14		*			-
T15		*			-
T16		*			-
T17		*			135.0
T18		*			-
S19		*			-
S20		*			-
S21		*			-
S22		*			-

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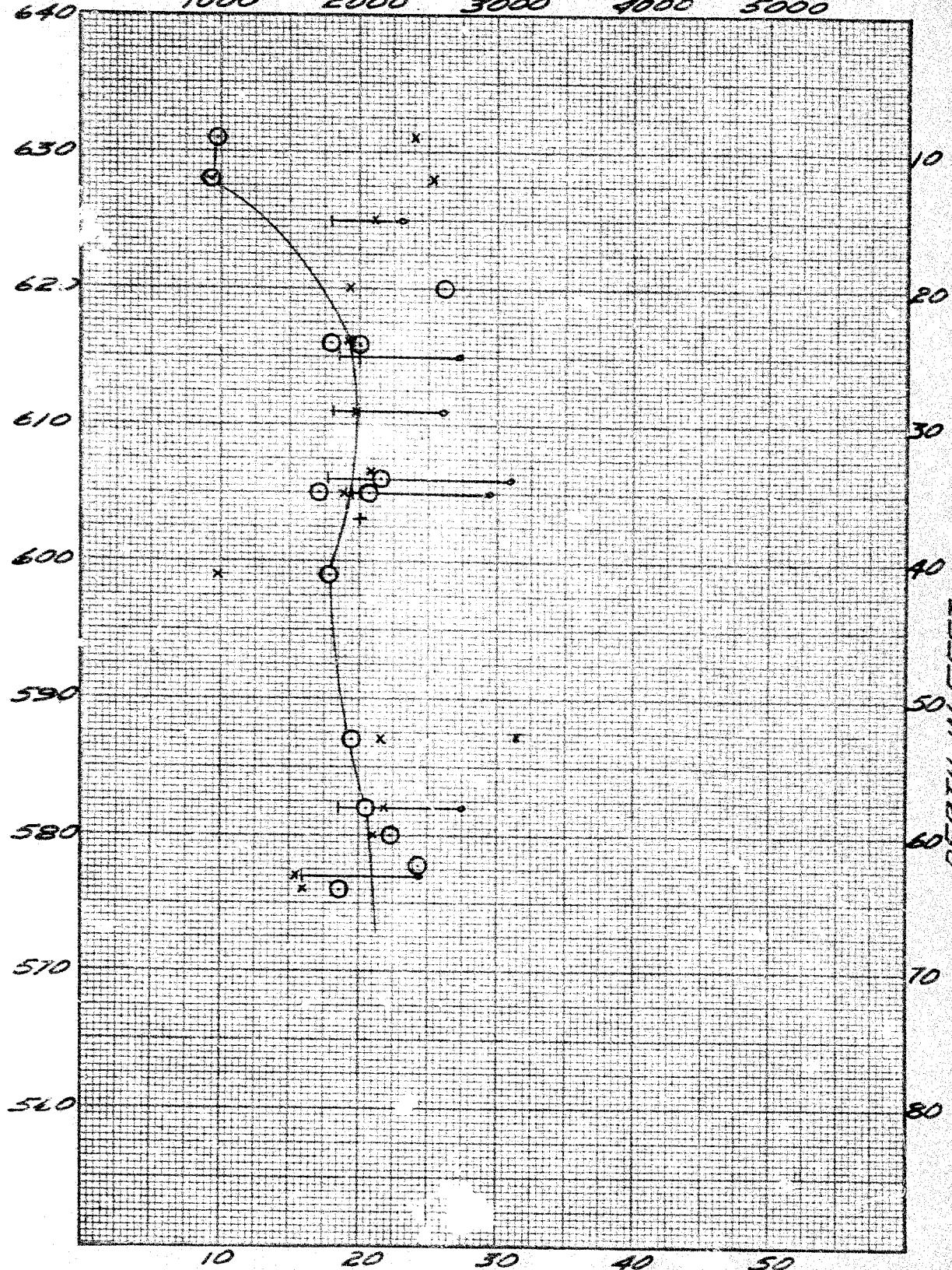
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SYMBOL	DESCRIPTION	ELEV. FEET	DEPTH FEET	STRENGTH AND PENETRATION RESISTANCE	
				P.S.F.	
1:16	Borehole Continued Dense Sandy Silt (fill)	5475	90		
		5455.5	100		
	End of borehole		110		
			120		
			130		
			140		
			150		
			160		
			170		
				BLOWS/FT.	

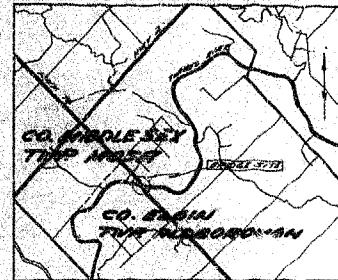
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LEGEND				
WATER WELLS				
WATER DISTRIBUTION POINTS				
WATER DRAWDOWN POINTS				
WELL	ELEVATION	SECTION	DRAWDOWN DATE	NAME
1A	626.0	SIXTH	5/17	
2A	610.0	SEVENTH	10/17	
3A	640.0	SIXTH		
4A	637.0	SIXTH		

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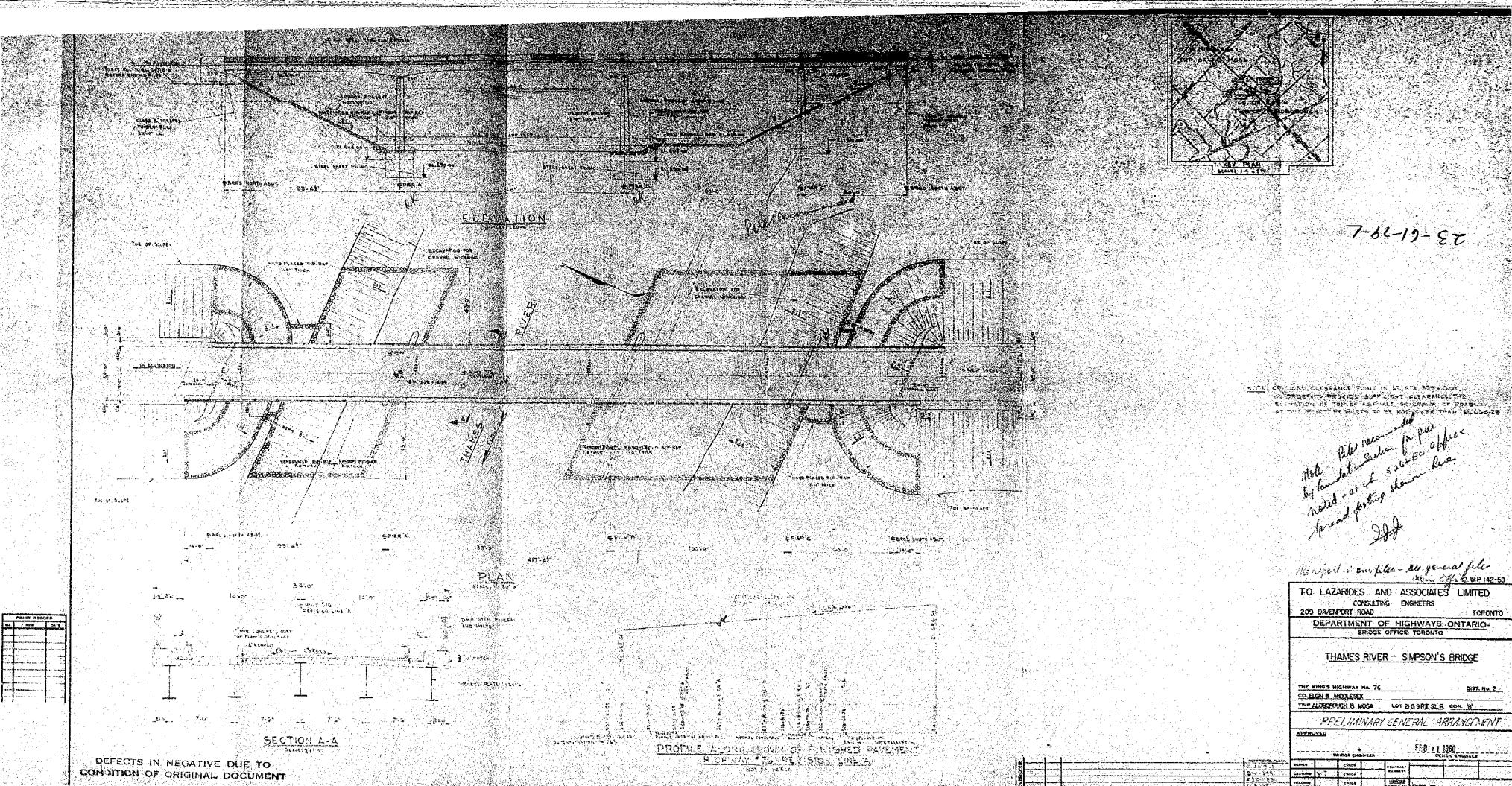
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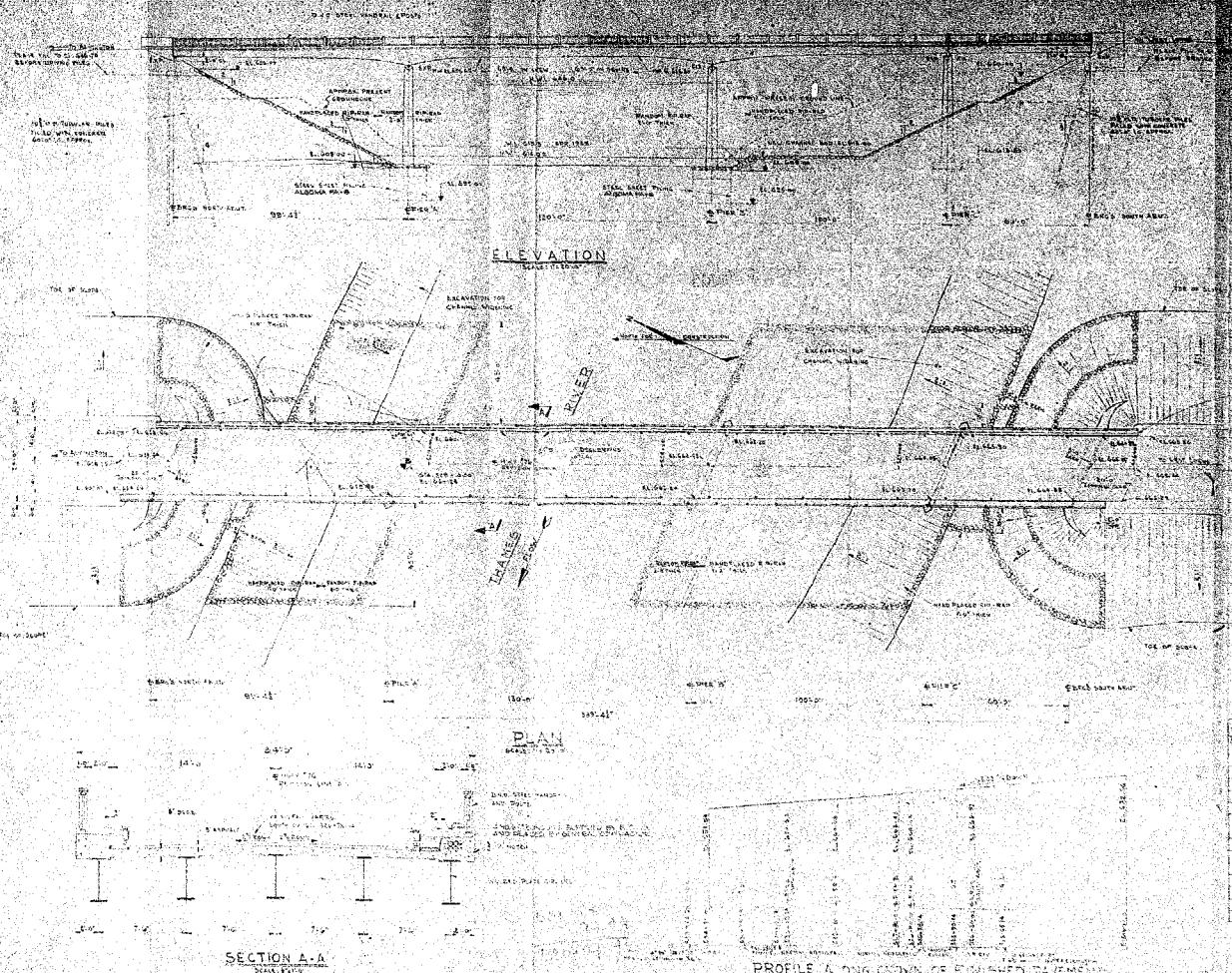
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