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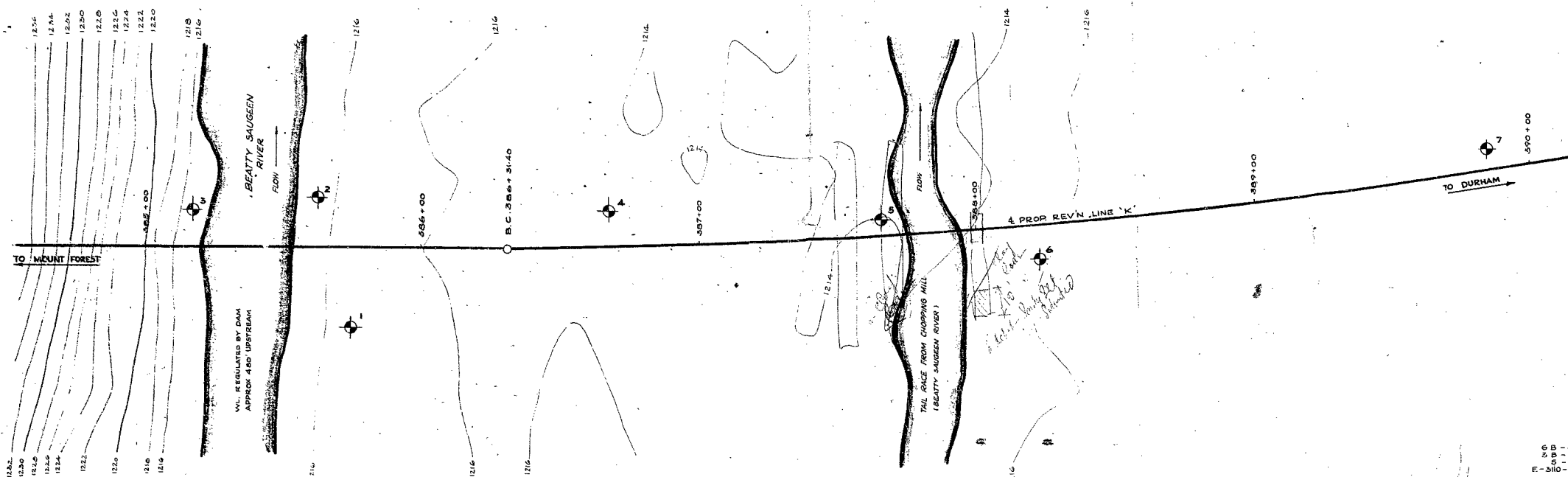
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Hwy #6

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BEATTY SAUGEEN
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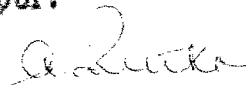
Foundation Report - Hwy. No. 6,
Beatty Saugeen River -
Tail Race - 7 Miles North Mt. Forest.
W.P. 548-56 W.J. F-56-24 & 25

Attached herewith is the foundation report for the above mentioned structures.

The subsill conditions are such that spread footings are recommended. In the case of the Beatty Saugeen River structure, it is pointed out that there is a dam upstream and that it might be advisable to consider securing action at this site should the dam, for some reason, fail. In the case of the tail race structure, a culvert may be considered adequate. If such is the case, 2.5 tons per square ft. is considered to be a fairly conservative bearing value. If a box culvert is constructed, the elevation of this box foundation could be placed at a higher elevation than that for the spread footing foundation in view of the lesser bearing value required.

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FOUNDATION REPORT

on

New Bridges at Highway No. 6
crossing Beatty Saugeen River,
about 7 miles North of Mount Forest.

Site Plan No: E-3110-1

Stations: 385/40
387/90

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W.P. 548-56

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I. INTRODUCTION:

Subsoil investigation was carried on to determine the bearing value of the layers to support the foundations of the proposed bridge.

The site is some 7 miles north of Mount Forest, where Highway No. 6 crosses Beatty Saugeen river and its tail race, (profile No. 68-40, stations 385/40, and 387/90).

II. PROCEDURE:

The subsoil investigation was carried out by means of a skid mounted core drill machine. In all, seven boreholes were made to investigate the bearing value of the layers, both for supporting the foundations of the structures and for stability of the approach fills to these structures.

The locations and elevations of the boreholes are shown in Drawing No. F-56-24A, and their logs under Appendix I.

III. SUBSOIL FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS:

The Beatty river is a tributary of the Saugeen river. The revision line is some 350 ft. west of the existing highway. Some 500 ft. to the east the river is dammed and forms a pond whose waters are used to run the existing mill. Starting from this mill, a tail race flows parallel to and 200 ft. to the north of the river.

The site is within the Saugeen Kame Moraine area. The valley is glacial spillway covered with cedar trees.

The investigations revealed the subsoil to be till formation with sand, silt and clay loams full of gravel and boulders. No defined stratification was apparent. The

III. SUBSOIL FINDINGS AND ANALYSIS: (Cont'd.)

penetrations and boreholes were pushed down as far as the boulders would allow. No bedrock was encountered.

The nature of the soil prevented the extracting of undisturbed samples. The extracted samples were tested in the laboratory to classify the soil and determine its density and moisture content. From the laboratory tests, the moisture content of the soil is not higher than 10% and its density not less than 150 p.c.f. No plastic or liquid limits could be determined, nor any dependable unconfined compression results could be obtained. The subsoil, in general, is hard till made up of silt, sand, and some clay in the form of loam with numerous gravel and boulders. The indications are that the subsoil is to a certain degree saturated but not submerged.

Spread footing foundations would be considered. The minimum average penetration resistance is found to be 25 blows per foot. For a 7 ft. wide spread footing placed on this soil, the bearing value will be 2.6 t.s.f. for one inch settlement and with a safety factor of 3.

Due to the fact that the river water is dammed some 500 ft. to the south, there is no substantial variation in the water level at the bridge crossings. So long as this situation exists, the structures will not be subjected to any scouring hazards.

IV. CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS:

From the above discussion it will follow that:

1. The terrain is glacial spillway. The subsoil is made up of dense sand, silt, and clay loams, mixed with gravel and boulders.
2. As undisturbed samples could not be extracted, the bearing value calculations are solely based on field standard penetration results.
3. To support a bridge over the Beatty Saugeen river (boreholes No. 1, 2, 3) the spread footing foundations could be placed at elevation 1209 ft. At this level the soil can provide a bearing value of 2.5 t.s.f. for one inch settlement with a safety factor of 3.
4. To support the bridge over the tail race (boreholes No. 5, 6), the spread footing foundations could be placed at elevation 1209. At this level the soil can provide a safe bearing value of 2.5 t.s.f. for one inch settlement, with a safety factor of 3.
5. For this second site (tail race), the use of a box culvert could be considered adequate. In which case, the footings could be placed at higher elevation.

V. APPROACH FILL STABILITY:

The nature of the subsoil, investigated from stations 385/00 to 390/00 for fill stability considerations, does not present any special foundation difficulty.

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Foundation Engineer.

APPENDIX I

DEPARTMENT OF HIGHWAYS - ONTARIO
MATERIALS & RESEARCH BRANCH - FOUNDATIONS SECTION - DOWNSVIEW
OFFICE REPORT ON SOIL EXPLORATION

DRILL RIG 54-2 OPERATION BORE & PENETR. JOB F-56-24 W.P. 548.56 BORING 1 STA. 385+75 (29' RT.)
CASING BX (standard samplers to fit unless noted) DATUM GEODETIC DATE REPORT JAN. 1957
SAMPLER HAMMER WT. 250 LBS. DROP 24 INCHES COMPILED BY H.S. CHECKED BY AL. DATE BORING 1 DEC. 1956

ABBREVIATIONS

V - INSITU VANE SHEAR TEST Q - TRIAXIAL QUICK K - PERMIABILITY
M - MECHANICAL ANALYSIS S - TRIAXIAL SLOW C - CONSOLIDATION
U - UNCONFINED COMPRESSION WL - WATER LEVEL IN CASING CA - CASING
Qc - TRIAXIAL CONSOLIDATED QUICK WT - WATER TABLE IN SOIL γ - UNIT WEIGHT

SAMPLE TYPES

C.S. - CHUNK	S.S. - SLEEVE SAMPLE
D.O. - DRIVE OPEN	P.S. - PISTON SAMPLE
D.F. - DRIVE FOOT VALVE	W.S. - WASHED SAMPLE
T.O. - THIN WALLED OPEN	R.C. - ROCK CORE

SAMPLE CONDITION



- DISTURBED
- FAIR
- GOOD
- LOST

SOIL PROFILE

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DRILL RIG 54-2 OPERATION BORE & PENET'N JOB F-56-24 W.P. 548-56 BORING 2 STA. 385+62.5 (17.5' LT)
CASING Bx (standard samplers to fit unless noted) DATUM GEODETIC DATE REPORT JAN. 1957
SAMPLER HAMMER WT. 250 LBS. DROP 28 INCHES COMPILED BY H.S. CHECKED BY AL DATE BORING 4. DEC. 1956

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SAMPLE CONDITION

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SOIL PROFILE				SHEAR STRENGTH IN LBS PER SQ. FT. ★		CASING BLOWS (ACTUAL)	SAMPLES								
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DRILL RIG 54-2 OPERATION BORING & PENET'N JOB F-56-24 W.P. 548-56 BORING 3 STA. 385+16.5 (13 LT.)
 CASING Bx (standard samplers to fit unless noted) DATUM GEODETIC DATE REPORT JAN. 1957
 SAMPLER HAMMER WT. 250 LBS. DROP 22 INCHES COMPILED BY H.S. CHECKED BY A.L. DATE BORING 7 DEC. 1956

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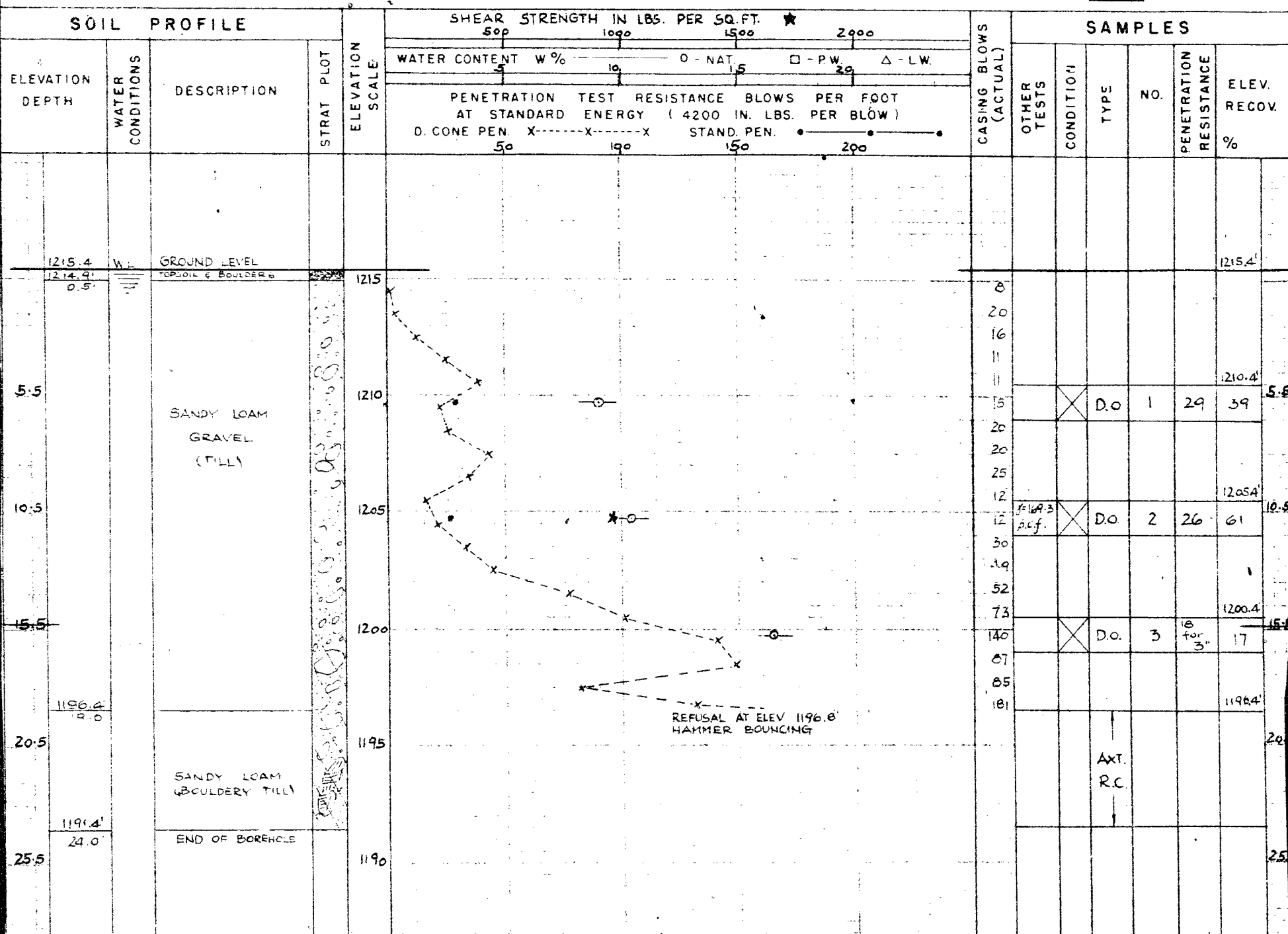
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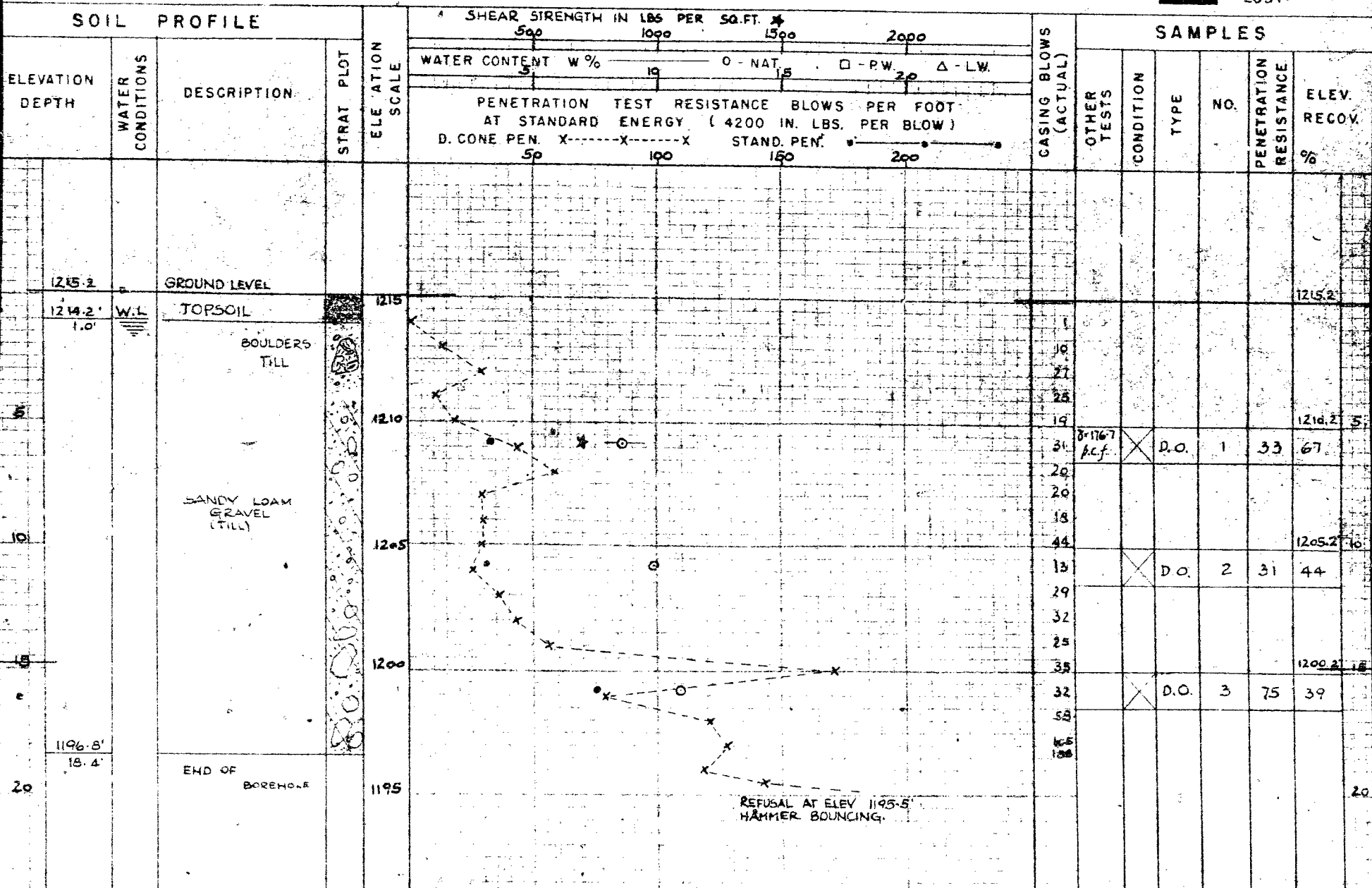
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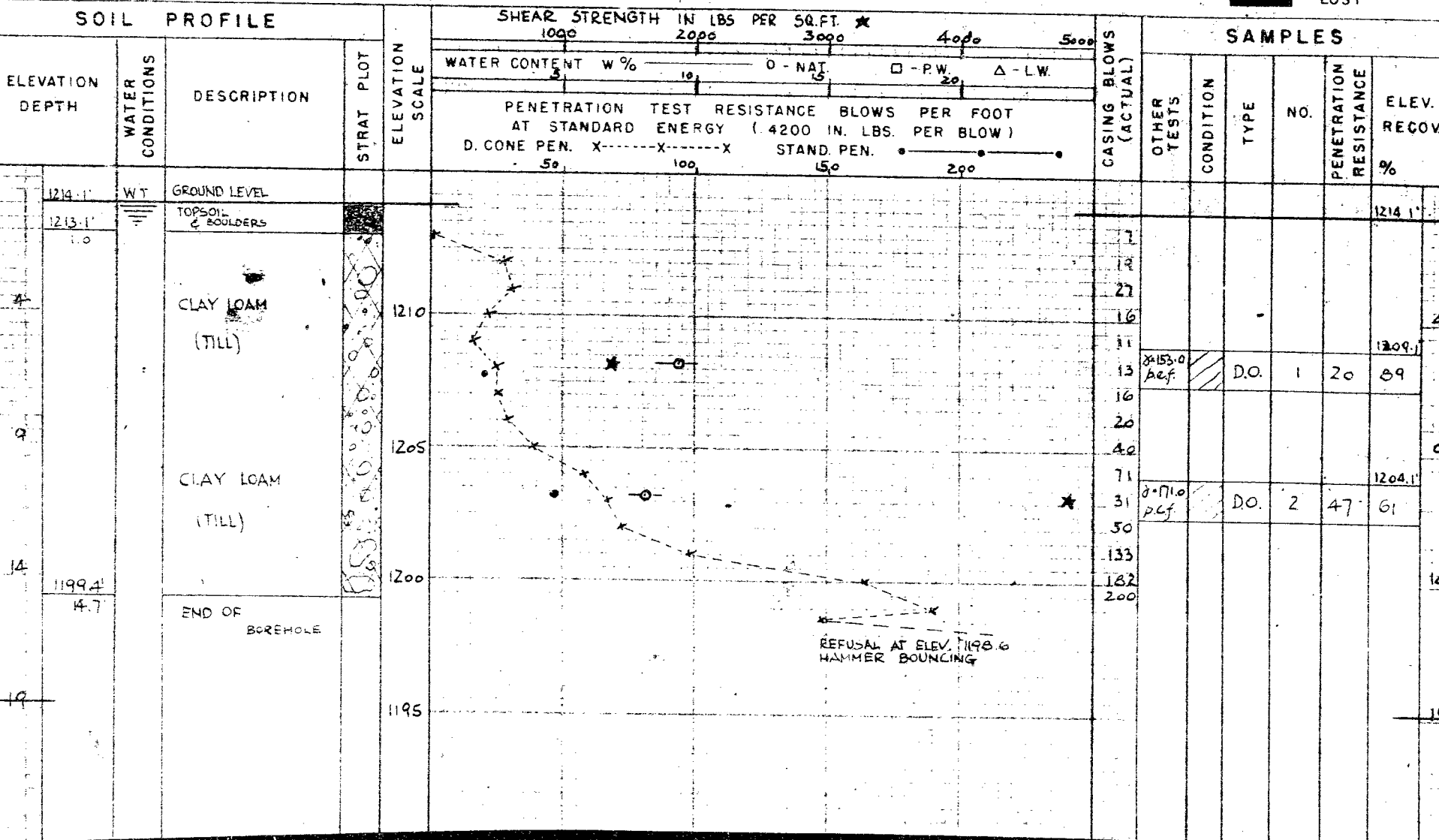
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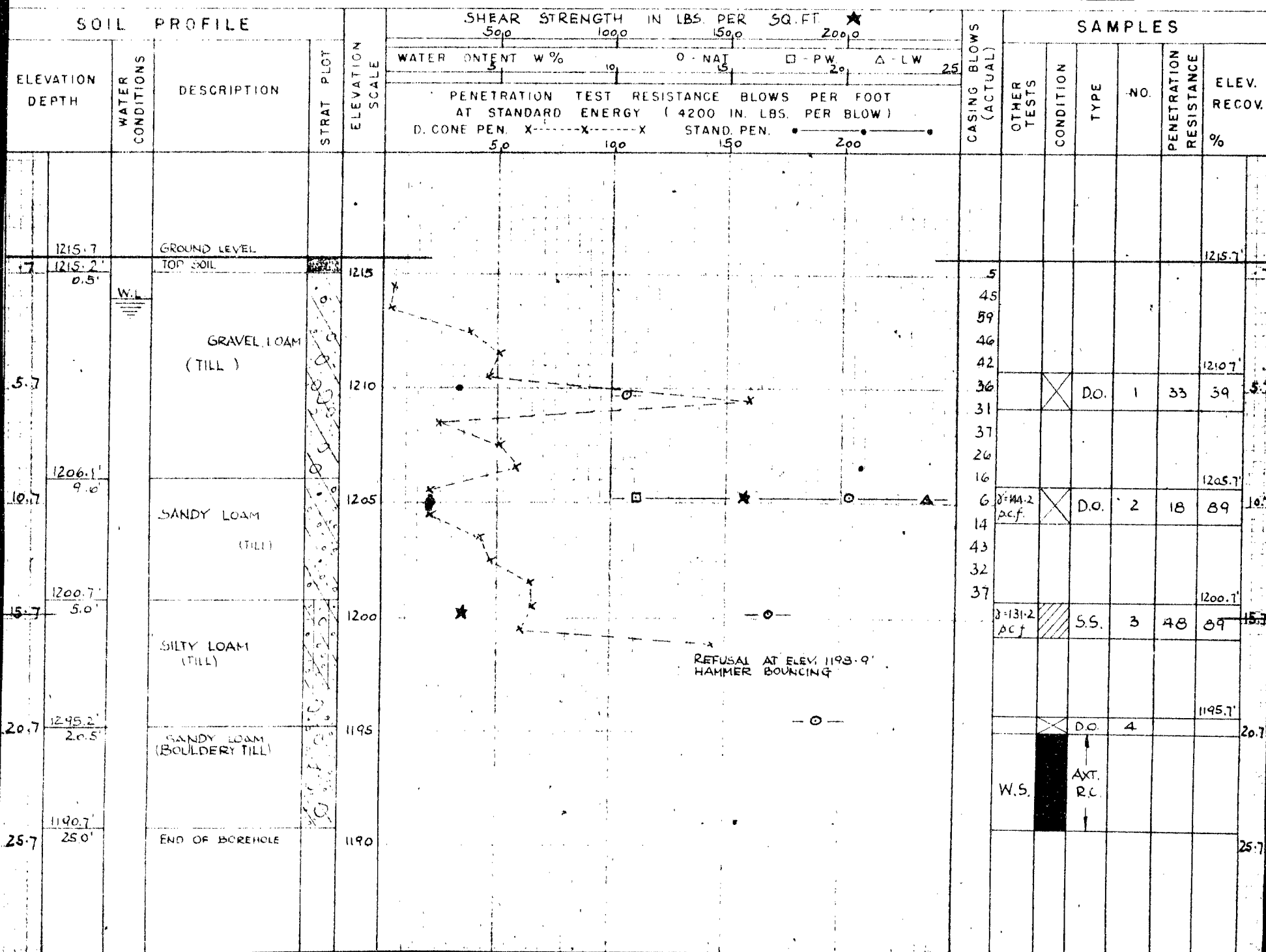
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DRILL RIG 54-2 OPERATION BORE & PENETIN JOB F-56-24 W.P. 548-56 BORING 7 STA. 389+85.5 (7' LT.)
 CASING BX (standard samplers to fit unless noted) DATUM GEODETIC DATE REPORT JAN. 1957
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SOIL PROFILE

SAMPLES

