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A Proposed Highway Underpass for the
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in Jackson, Michigan

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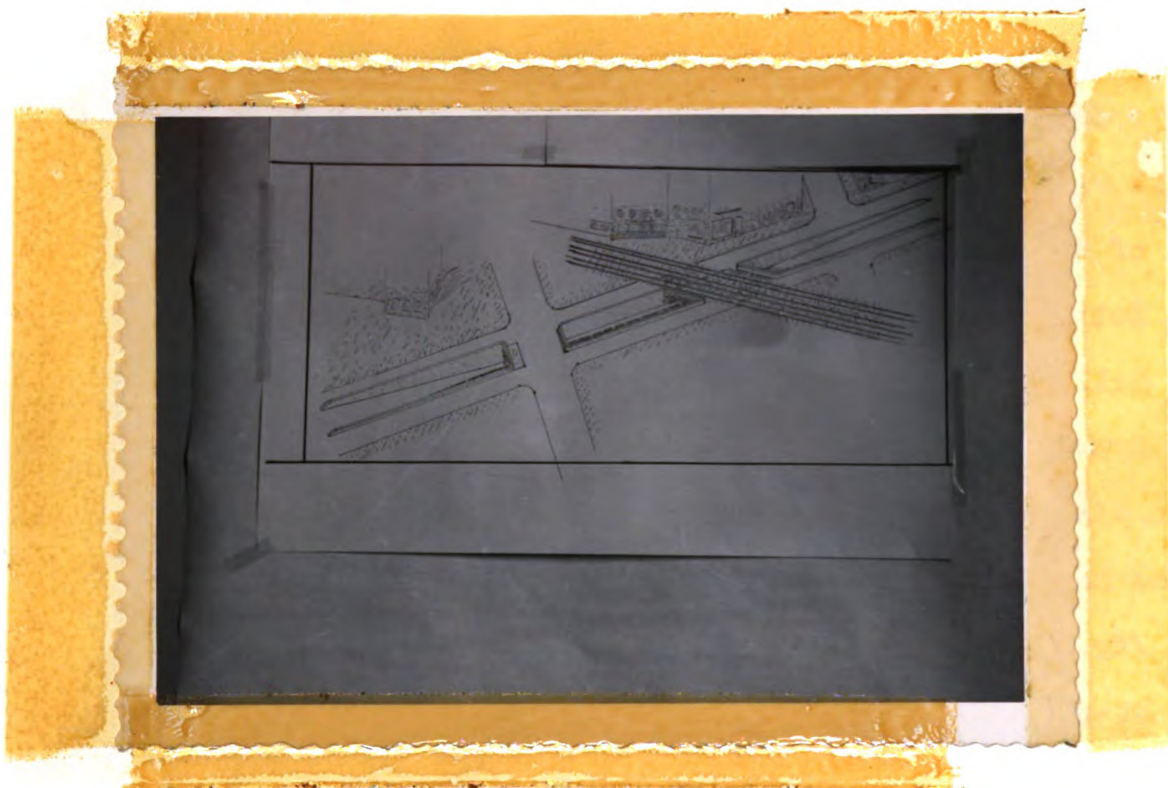
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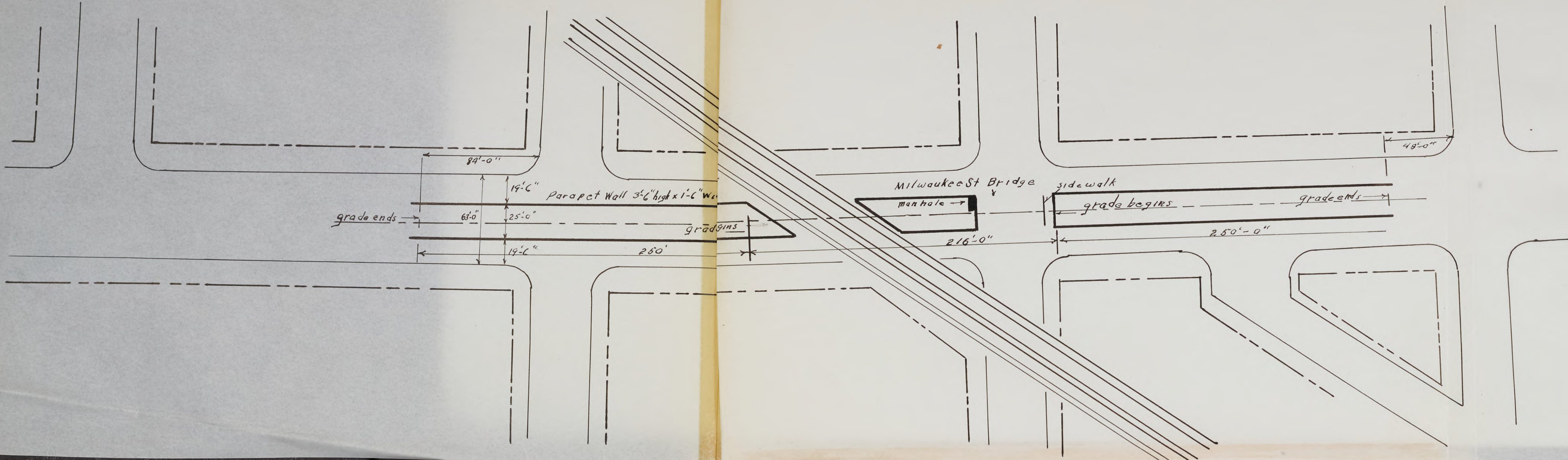
INTRODUCTION

Due to the vast amount of railroad traffic and also the even larger volume of automobile traffic that must have a rightaway between Milwaukee and Columbus street in The Middle of Jackson Michigan and due to the economical impossibility of raising the tracks above their present grade an under-pass for the street is the only solution. The possibility of such a pass has been discussed for many years. Nothing has ever been done about the situation however. The most important reason for this is the fact that too much valuable property would be ruined should the whole street be dropped below the present grade. As far as the author knows the design offered as a compromise to the situation is original. It is believed that such a project would not only relieve the traffic situation but also do very little damage to the value of the abutting property.

The under-pass suggested here-in consists of dropping the two middle lanes of the street and leaving the two outside lanes at the present level thus leaving access roads to the abutting property. The entire length of the project would be seven-hundred and sixteen feet long. Such a length would allow a grade of less than 8% at both ends of the project. This grade is relatively steeper than is recommended in most designs but is well within the maximum range as specified by the Michigan State Highway Dept. It is also less than several grades already existing in the city. The design will of necessity include suggestions for rerouting a main sewer

which now exists in the area, design of a bridge to carry the railroad and one to carry Milwaukee Street over the depressed road. Due to the fact that very few persons ever use that section of Columbus Street between Michigan Avenue and Pearl Street it is not thought necessary to provide a crossing at this location. If such crossing was provided it would be necessary to carry the underpass for a distance of two-hundred and fifty feet beyond the intersection and into the already congested area between Cooper and Francis Streets which would also bring it into higher-valued sections.

A plan view of the proposed project is shown on the following page.



84'-0"
19'-6"
Parapet Wall 3'-6" high x 1'-6" wide
grade ends
63'-0"
25'-0"
19'-6"
260'

Milwaukee St Bridge

manhole

sidewalk

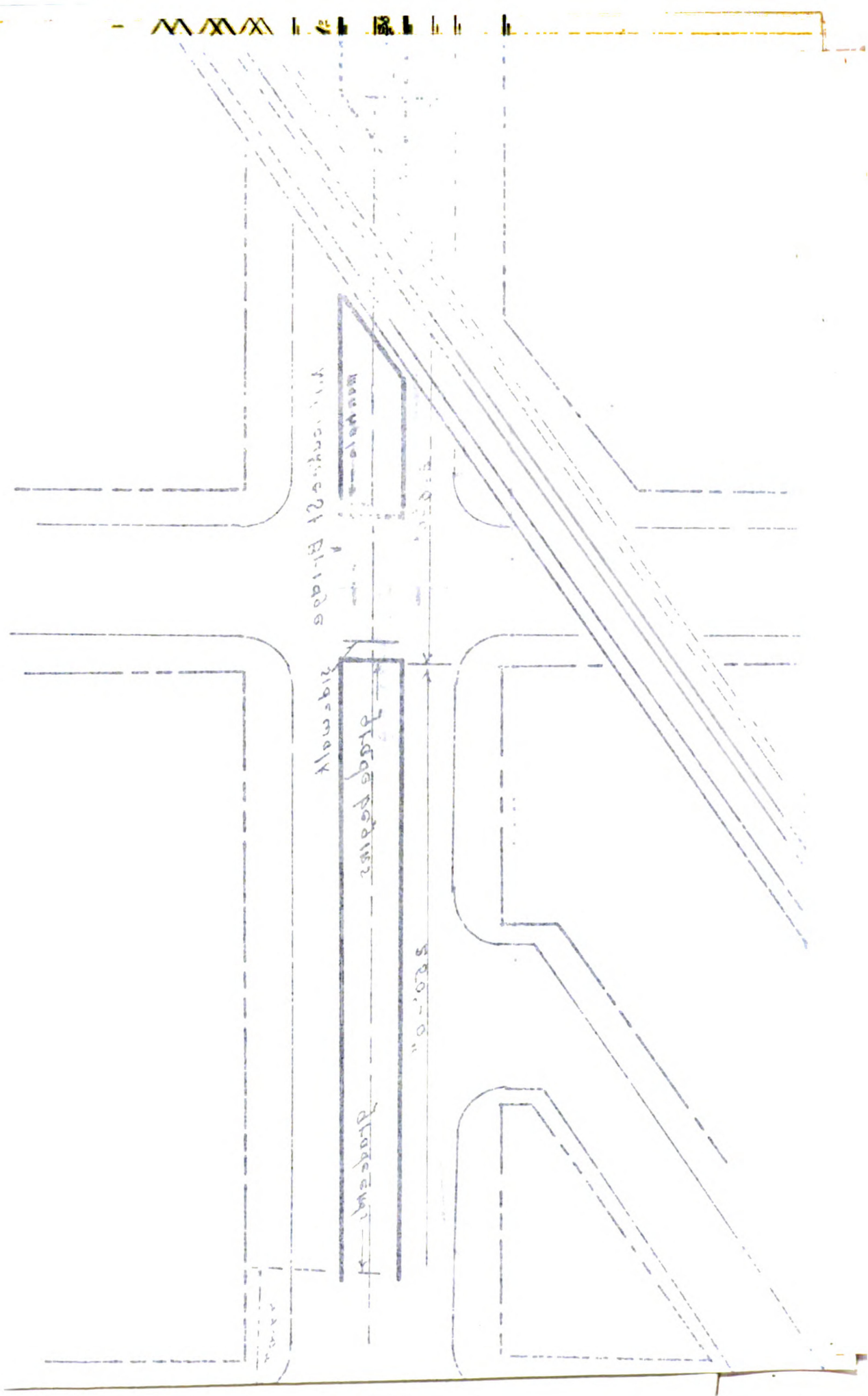
grade begins

grade ends

216'-0"

250'-0"

48'-0"



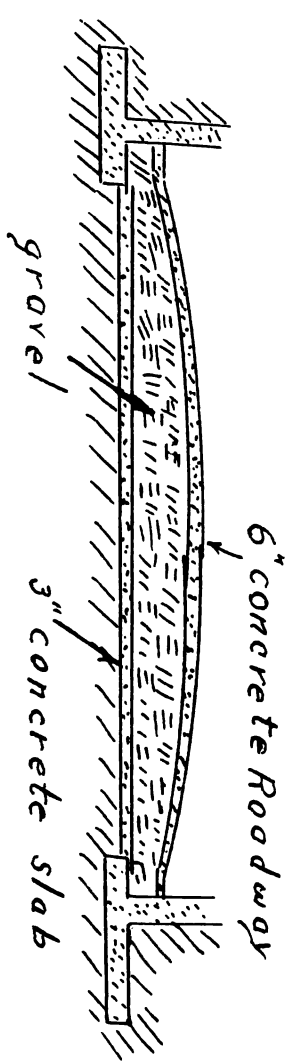
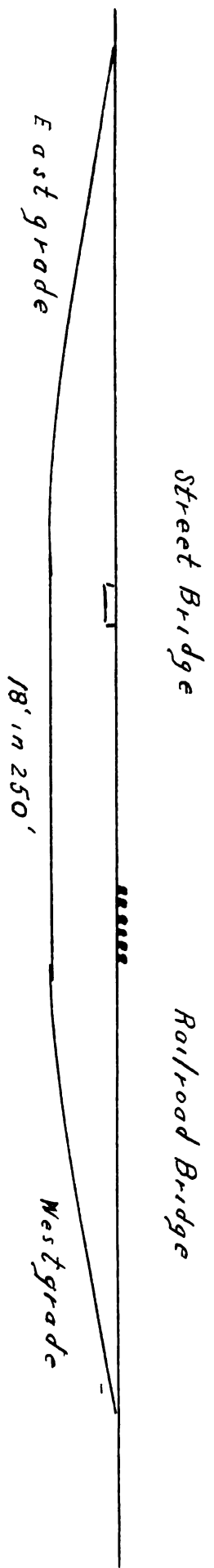
SEWER RELOCATION

Due to the fact that there are no natural grades to relocate the sewer around there are many possibilities to consider in changing the sewer system to make way for the underpass. It is thought that the relocation as suggested in red on the sewer map is the best. (See map in back)

#2 manhole is moved to the north to the center of Van Dorn Street and the sewer (24" V.P.) is swung to it from "1. A new manhole is located on the south side of the main street and a 12" V.P. sewer is connected directly to the #4 manhole. No other change in this run is then necessary as the present sewer will take the flow. From the relocated #2 a 36" concrete sewer is run to Pearl Street and thus to #9 . #4 manhole will be moved west about twenty feet . The present sewer crossing Michigan Avenue at Columbus St. is ten feet below the surface grade. This is sufficient as the elevation of the underpass will be only six feet lower than present grade at this point giving enough frost protection. Two new manholes will have to be constructed to join the two 12" V.P. secondary sewers and they will both then flow into #8 and thus to #9. The present large sewer between Milwaukee and Columbus Streets will be needed to carry the drainage pumped to it from the underpass.

DESIGN OF THE ROADWAY

The road way of the underpass shall be constructed as shown on the following page. Except where necessary for construction purposes the grade will not be excavated below the bottom of the waterproofing slab and will then be back-filled with gravel and compacted. A three inch slab of concrete will then be poured two inches below and over the top of the wall footing. This slab will then be waterproofed by the best methods available preferably with cement grout. Eight inches of gravel will then be placed over this slab and the roadway shaped with a crown of three inches at center. The wearing surface shall be of placed 3000# concrete at least six inches thick and designed to take the full H-20 plus impact loading. The grades leaving the underpass shall begin clear of the bridges and extend for two-hundred and fifty feet to the present road level. The lowest elevation of the grade will be just west of the Milwaukee Street bridge where a drain will carry the drainage water to a dry well outside the wall. Electrically driven sump pumps will carry the sewage from the well to the newly relocated number four manhole. The motors of the pumps will be elevated above the water table and housed in a special manhole. Open tile drains at least four inches in diameter will criss-cross under the middle third of the under pass to carry any seepage through the water proofing to the dry well. Gutters at least six inches wide will be provided on both sides of the roadway. The two lanes will be separated by raised buttons along the middle line and the center line will be painted .



DESIGN OF MILWAUKEE STREET BRIDGE

The Milwaukee Street bridge was design according to the specifications set forth by the American Association of State Highway Officials. The existing street is forty-three feet in width. The width of the bridge was determined from the specification that states that all new bridges shall be at least four feet wider than the approaching roadway. The length of the bridge was set by the width of the underpass. This in turn was determined by the specifications making the minimum width of lane eleven feet and by the fact that it was thought twelve foot clear lanes should be used for the underpass. The standard H-20 loading was used to compute all bending moments and shear stresses in the bridge. This loading is shown diagrammatically in the sketch. All welds were designed according to the specifications of the American Welding Society.

In computing the bending moment and shear in the girders it was assumed that the loads from one wheel were resting directly on the girder and the reaction due to the load on the other wheel was added to this load. (See moment diagram)

The seats for all floor beams and stringers should be fabricated to the girders and floor beams at the shop before delivery to the job.

The two exterior girders are placed higher than the interior girders and a cement curb placed over the flanges. Expansion joints should be provided every five feet to allow for the difference in the expansion of concrete and steel.

The wearing surface of the bridge should be of the bituminous type placed over steel plates. It should be sloped from the center to the edges and also toward the ends. This will prevent water from settling in the center of the bridge. Angles are provided to support the mat plates at the exterior girders.

The West girder will be placed behind a concrete guard wall. This wall shall be at least one foot and a half wide to agree with the retaining wall extensions. It shall have a slightly arched under surface, the center of which shall be at least three inches below the bottom of the lowest girder. Besides performing an architectural duty of covering the steel work, it will act as a hinderance to prevent any extra high vehicles from disturbing the bridge. The same type of guard shall be constructed on the East side but it shall be part of the concrete sidewalk bridge. A space of at least six inches should be left between the guard or the sidewalk to facilitate painting the girders.

SYMBOLS AND FORMULAS USED

L.L. = Live load

D.L. = Dead load

fs = Allowable unit stress in steel = 18,000 #/in²

T = Tension in member

C = Compression in member

h = Height of member

P = Stress in pounds per square inch

t = Thickness

Z = Section modulus

Value of fillet welds.

From specifications

Length of weld required.

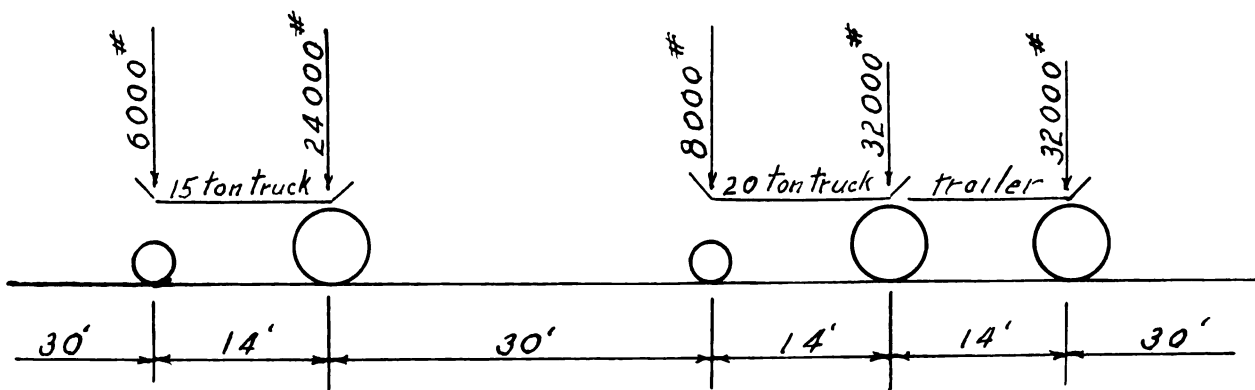
Pull in pounds / value of weld used.

Section modulus

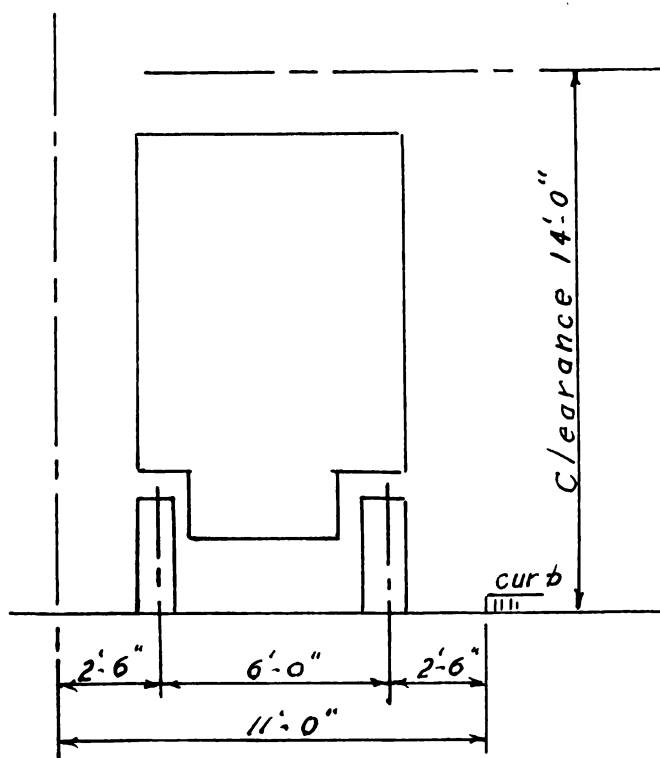
Moment / allowable stress/square inch.

Resisting moment = T = C.

Moment / 2 x height



H - 20 LOADING



SPECIFICATIONS

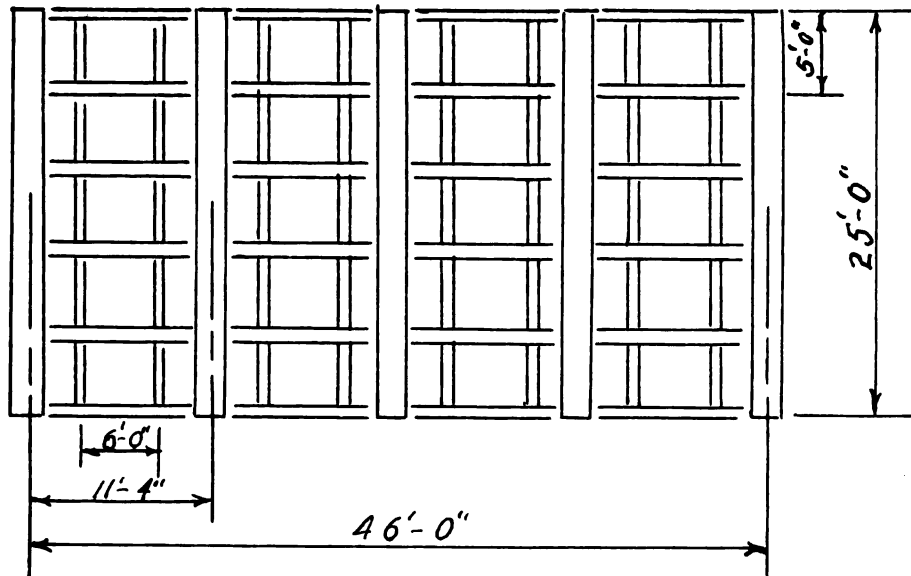
$$\text{Impact} = \text{Live load} \times \frac{50}{L + 125}$$

Longitudinal forces = 10% live load

Members shall be as deep as is economical with
a minimum web thickness of rolled sections of 0.231 in.

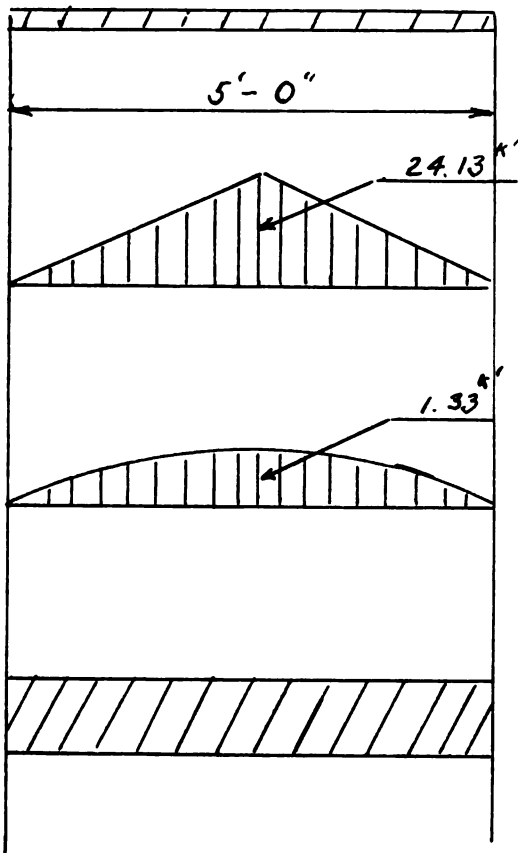
$$\text{Tension } f_s = 18000 \text{ #/in}^2$$

No distribution of loads are to be made in computing
the bending moment in any member.



GENERAL LAYOUT OF MILWAUKEE STREET BRIDGE
GIRDERS FLOOR BEAMS STRINGERS

STRINGERS



Maximum bending moment
with load at center.

Live load	16,000 #
Impact	1,260
Longitudinal	1,600
Dead load	<u>2,125</u>
Total load	20,355 #

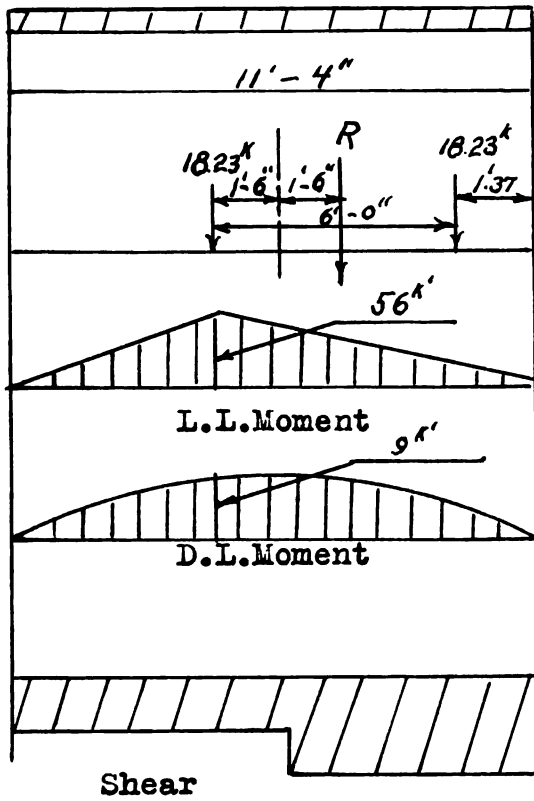
Maximum moment	
Live load	24,130' #
Dead load	<u>1,330</u>
Total	290,000" #

Section modulus req'd. = 16.1

Use 8"WF20# rolled beam

$$Z = 17.0 \text{ "}^3$$

FLOOR BEAM



Live load 18230#/wheel

Dead load 585#/ft.

Maximum Moments

Live load 56000' #

Dead load 9000' #

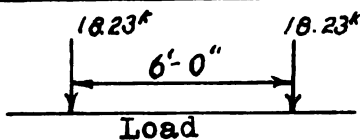
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780000" #

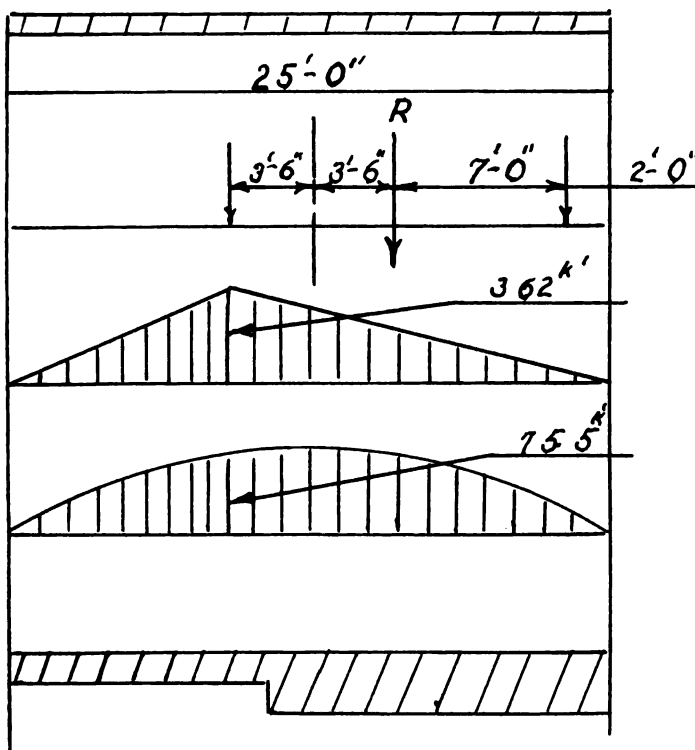
Section modulus req'd.
43.4" ³

Use--12"WF36# rolled beam

Z = 45.9" ³



GIRDER



Live load = (18.23 k 9.65 k x2)
= 55800 #

Dead load = 1000#/ft.

Maximum moments

Live load 362000' #

Dead load 75500' #

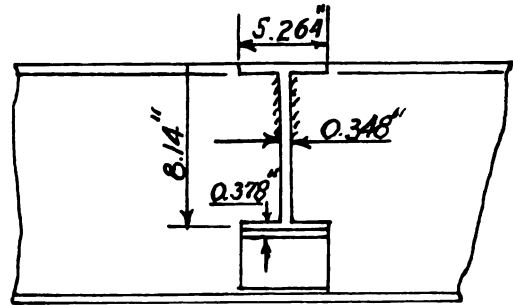
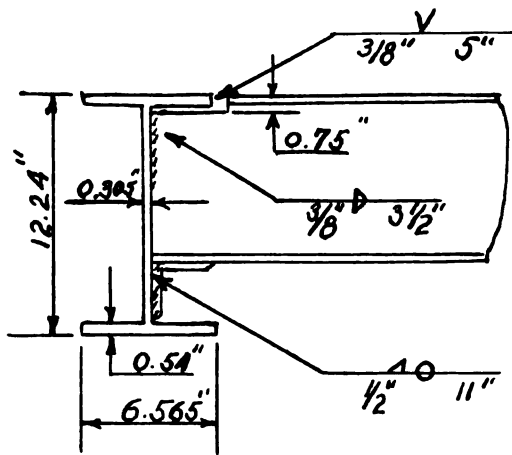
Total 437500' #

5240000" #

Section modulus req'd.
292" ³

Use-- 24"WF120# rolled beam

Z = 299.1" ³



STRINGER CONNECTION

Shear

live load	32000 #
dead load	1260 #
impact	1060 #
Total	<u>34320 #</u>

Value of 1/2" fillet weld

4000 #/in²

Length req'd. $\frac{34320}{4000} = 8.58"$

Use a 3 1/2" x 3 1/2" x 1/2" angle 5" long.

Weld all around with 1/2" fillet weld.

Fabricate seat before placing floor beam.

Moment

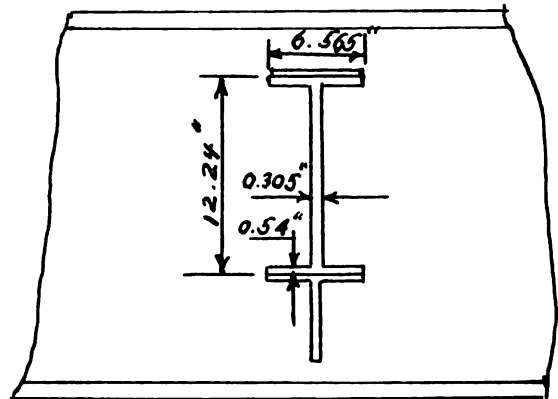
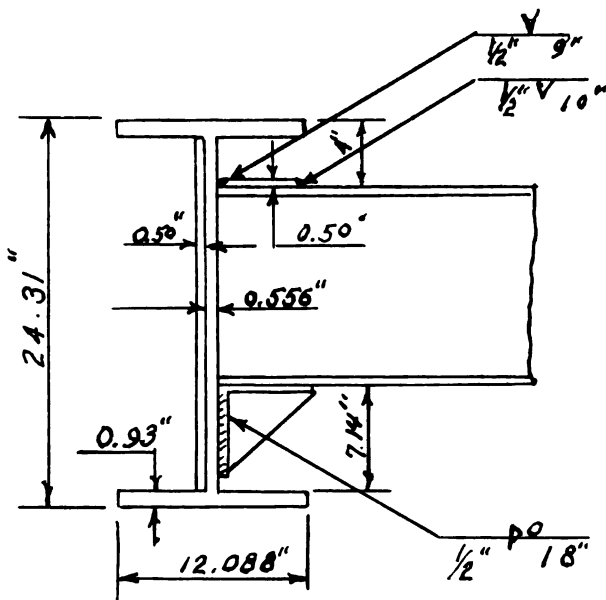
Value of stringer to resist moment $= 17 \times 18000$
 $= 306000 \text{ #}$

$$T = C = \frac{306000}{2 \times 8.14} = 18,850 \text{ #}$$

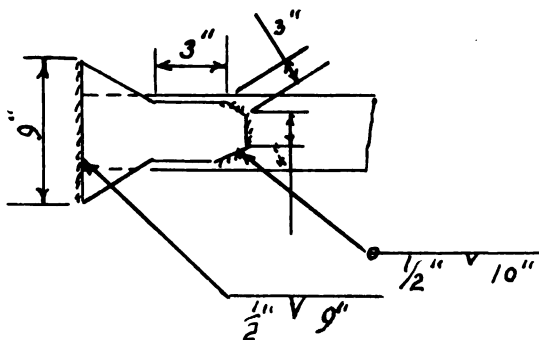
Value of 3/8" fillet weld $= 3000 \text{ #}$
 Length req'd. $= \frac{18,850}{3,000} = 6 \frac{1}{2}"$

Use 3/8" fillet weld 3 1/2" both sides of top of web.

Butt-weld flange to flange of floor beam.



Exterior floor beam connection



Shear

Live load & Impact	55800 #	Value of 1/2" fillet weld
Dead load	6600 #	4000 #/in ²
Total	62400 #	Length req'd. $\frac{62400}{4000} = 15.6"$

Use a 12"WF36# split beam connection seat fabricated before placing on both exterior and interior beams.

Weld all around with 1/2" fillet weld as shown.

Moment

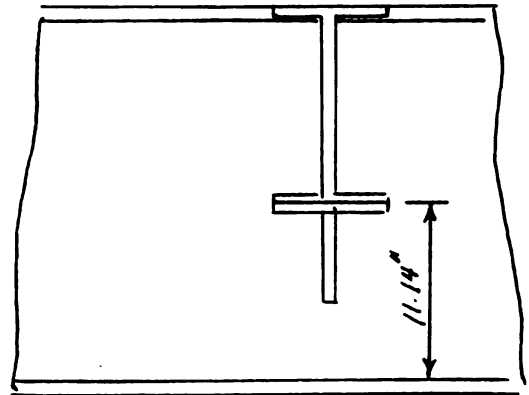
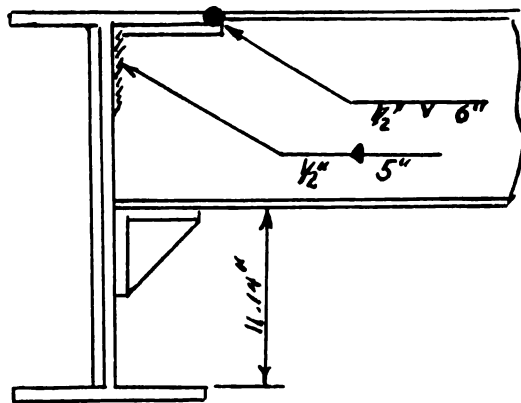
Resisting moment of beam = $45.9 \times 18000 = 830,000$ in-lb

$$T = C = \frac{830,000}{2 \times 12.24} = 34200 \text{ #}$$

Length 1/2" weld req'd. $\frac{34200}{4000} = 8.55 \text{ in.}$

Use a 1/2" plate connection as shown, welded with 1/2" weld.

NOTE - Use 1/2" x 6" plate stiffeners on outside of girder opposite the floor beams. Tack stiffeners with 1/2" welds 3" long on 6" c.c.



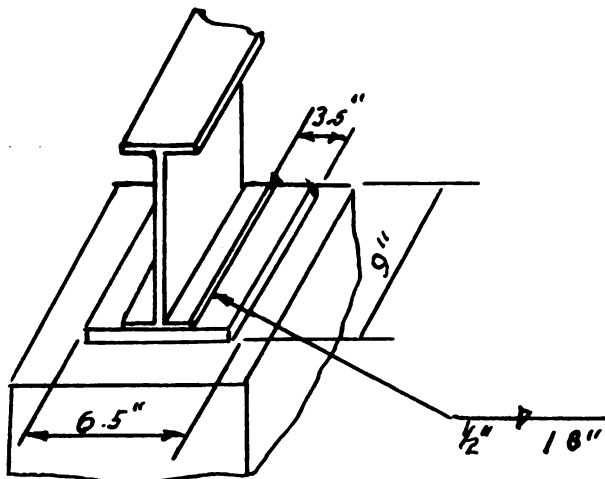
INTERIOR FLOOR BEAM CONNECTION

Use same seat as on the exterior connections.

Length of weld needed same as exterior.

Use 1/2" fillet weld both sides and at top of web as shown. Butt-weld flanges of floor beam and girder.

Design of bearing plate



Reaction

L.L. & I	55800 #
D.L.	<u>15000 #</u>
Total	70800 #

$$\text{Area req'd. } 70800/600 = 118 \text{ sq.in.}$$

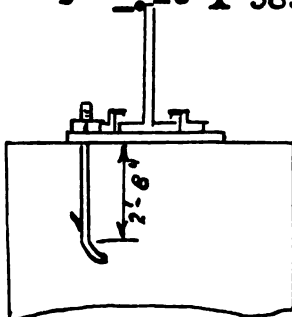
Use a plate 9" x 13 1/2"
Area = 121.5 sq.in.

$$P = 70800/121.5 = 585 \text{ \#/sq.in}$$

$$\text{Moment} = \frac{585}{9} \times 3.5 \times 1.75 = 400 \text{ \#}$$

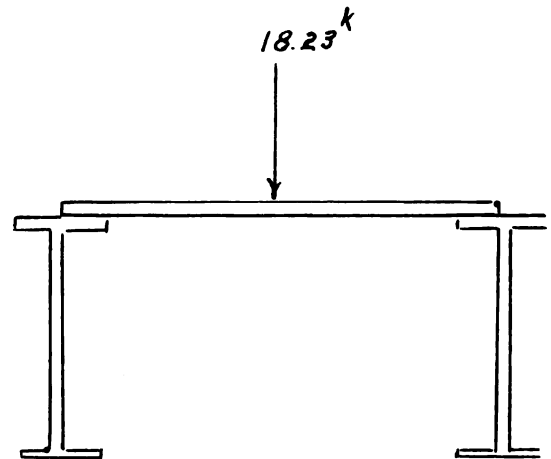
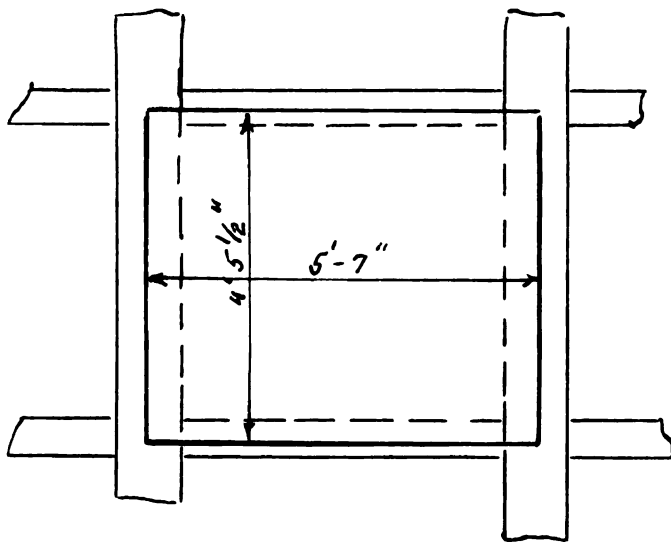
$$t^2 = 15 \times 585 \times 3.5^2 = 1.08 \text{ sq. in.} \quad t = 1.04 \text{ in.}$$

Use a bearing plate 1 1/4" x 9" x 13 1/2"



Anchor plate to abutement with four 1/2" bolts.

Weld girder to plate at one end and secure free end with connections similar to those shown in such a way as to allow for expansion but to take side thrust.



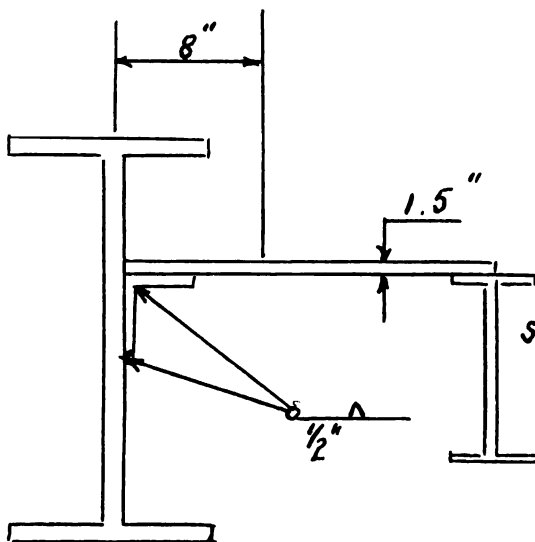
FLOOR PLATE

$$\text{Max. moment} = 9.12 \times 3 = 27360 \text{ '}\# = 328320 \text{ ''}\#$$

$$\text{Section modulus req'd.} = 18.25 \text{ ''}^3$$

$$M^2 = \frac{18.25 \times 6}{53.5} = 2.04 \text{ sq.in.} \quad h = 1.43 \text{ in.}$$

Use plates 6'-0" x 5'-0" x 1 1/2".



Provide angles along the web of the exterior girders.

$$\text{Shear} = \frac{18.23 \times 18}{28} = 11800 \text{ '}\#$$

$$\text{Length of } 1/2" \text{ weld needed} = \frac{141600}{4000} = 37 \text{ in.}$$

Use 1/2" fillet weld 12" long on 24" c.c.

Curb is to be placed concrete over upper flange of exterior girder. Provide expansion joints every five feet.

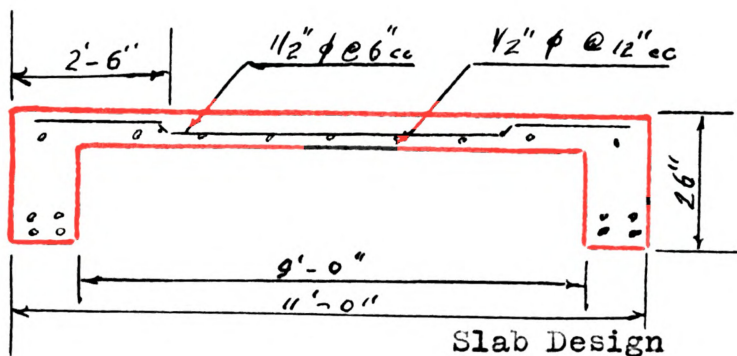
SIDEWALK BRIDGE

The sidewalk bridge crossing the underpass at the intersection of Milwaukee Street was designed as a one-way slab supported on two simple concrete beams. The beams were extended upward on the east side to provide a guard rail.

Width between curb and guard = 10'- 0"

Span length = 25'- 0"

Loading = 200"/ "2



fc	--	3000	psi/"2
fs	--	18000	
fc'	--	1000	
v	--	90	
u	--	150	
R	--	157	

Assumed a 12" width for the beams, clear span = 9'- 0"

$$\text{Moment} -- \frac{1}{8} w l^2 \quad \frac{1}{8} \times 200 \times 9^2 = 2025 \text{ ' \#/'}$$

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{M}{R b}} = \sqrt{\frac{2025 \times 8}{157 \times 1}} = 3.7" \text{ Used } 4"$$

$$As = \frac{M}{fs j d} = \frac{2025 \times 8}{18000 \times 7 \times 4} = 0.0322 \text{ "2/"}$$

$$\text{Use } 1/2" \phi \text{ --- } 6" \text{ c.c.} = 0.0334 \text{ "2/"}$$

Longitudinal steel --- use 9 1/2" ϕ -- 12" c.c.

DESIGN OF BEAMS

$$\text{Load} = 200 \times 4.5 \quad 150 = 1050 \text{ \#/' } = 26250 \text{ \#}$$

$$\text{Moment} = 1050 \times 9^2 \times 1/8 = 82000 \text{ ' \#}$$

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{82000}{157 \times 1}} = 23" \quad \text{Add 2" for insulation}$$

$$v = \frac{V}{b \cdot j \cdot d} = \frac{26250 \times 8}{12 \times 7 \times 23} = 109 \text{ \#/'"}^2$$

Use an effective depth of 24"

$$A_s = \frac{82000 \times 8 \times 12}{18000 \times 7 \times 24} = 2.72 \text{ "}^2$$

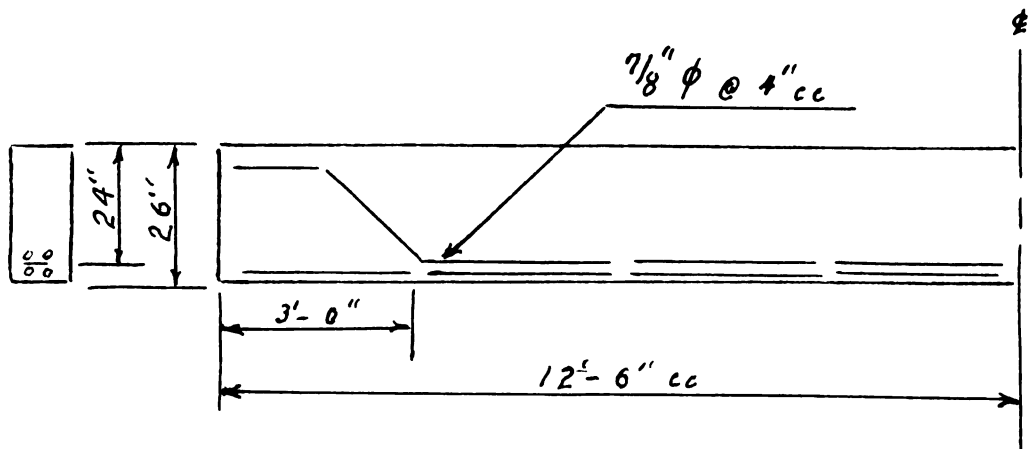
Use 4 7/8" ϕ in two rows at 4" c.c.

$$u = \frac{V}{z \cdot o \cdot j \cdot d} = \frac{26250 \times 8}{3.141 \times \frac{12}{4} \times 7 \times 24} = 13.8 \text{ \#/'"}^2$$

Design of Bearing Seat

$$\text{Area req'd} = \frac{1050 \times 25}{2 \times 600} = 22 \text{ "}^2$$

Set beams on wall with a length of 19" resting on wall.

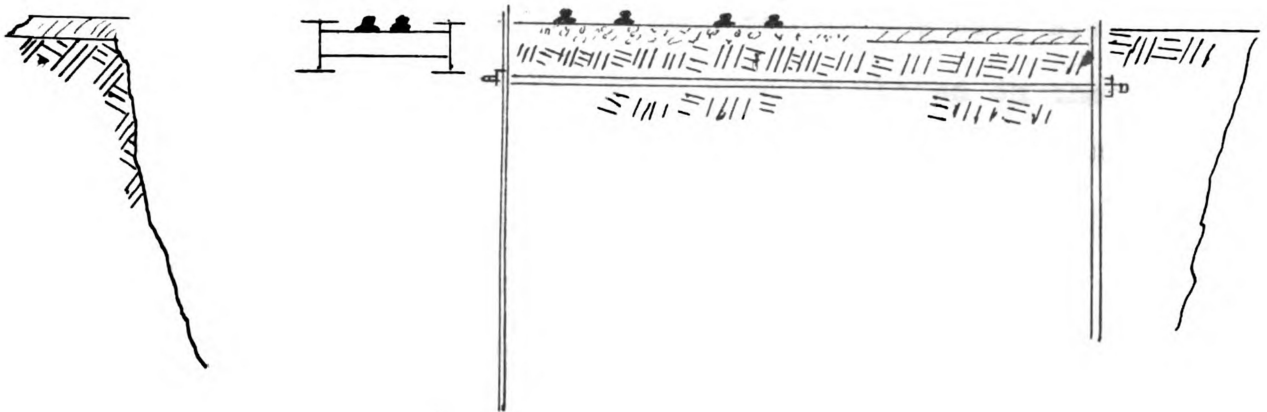


DESIGN OF THE RAILROAD BRIDGE

The railroad bridge was designed according to the specifications set forth by the American railroad Engineering Association. (See sketch). The present grade and line will be held for all three tracks. An increase in stress equal to twenty percent was used to provide for the lurching effect of the engines and cars. Vertical impact was taken at eighty percent although this was less than the percent found from the formula for impact. This was to keep the increase in stress within the hundred percent maximum specified.

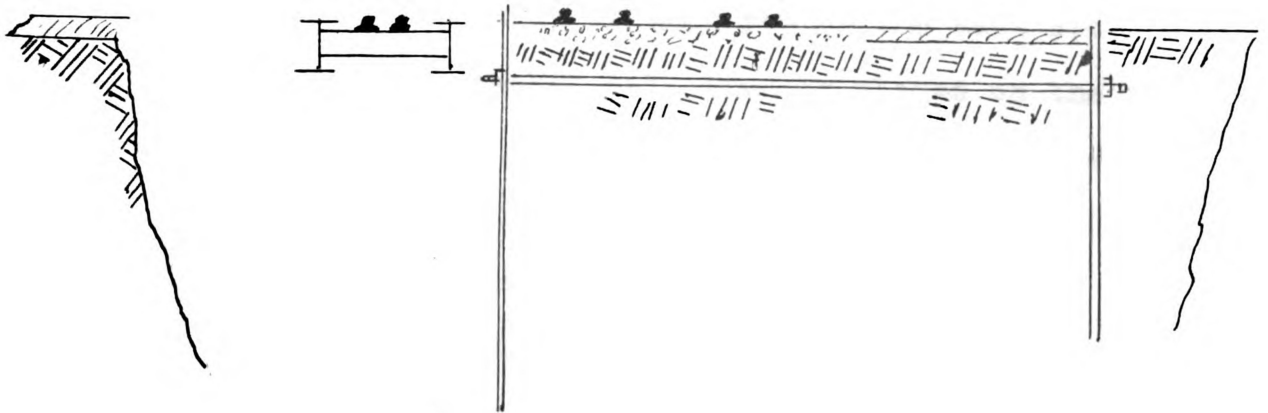
The bridge shall be of the open-floor rolled beam type. There shall be a separate span for each set of tracks and it shall be prefabricated either in the shop or at the job before erection. This is to facilitate better welding methods. The rails shall be supported 8" x 8" ties resting on the stringers and clamped to them with suitable holding-down bolts. They shall be spaced with not more than six inch openings. The ties should be capable of carrying the maximum wheel load plus one-hundred percent impact assumed to be distributed over three ties. They should extend the full width of the span. Wooden wheel guards shall be attached to the ties flush with the inside flange of the girders. They shall be secured with bolts thru every third tie.

The bearing plate for the girders shall be anchored to the abutments with anchor bolts sunk at least two feet into the concrete and hooked. The free end of the girders shall be secured as was the street bridge and the other welded.



Due to the impossibility of delaying the railroad traffic even for a half day some method of construction must be devised for supporting the tracks during the construction period. The following method is suggested. The bridge for #1 track will be constructed first. All switching for which this track is used will be done from the other two tracks.

First a row of MZ-32 piling will be driven between the #1 and #2 tracks and at a distance of eight feet from the center line of the #2 track. This will give the required clearance for the trains. (See sketch above) A row of similair piling will be driven fifteen feet east of the center line of the #3 track. #1 track will then be removed and the earth excavated to a depth of six feet. One and three-quarter inch tie rods will be driven under the two tracks. As each ten-foot length is driven another section will be attached with a suitable sleeve. Eight rods on five-foot



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centers will be needed. They will be driven through holes burned in the piling and will be held to grade and line as close as possible. After all are driven a 12"-CB section is to be driven each side of each rod on the east side to act as an anchor. A washer will then be placed on the rod and a nut drawn up. Similiar wales will then be placed on the west side.

The remaining excavation under track #1 can then be excavated and the bridge and abutements constructed without danger of the other two tracks failing under load.

After track #1 is completed and ready for use all the through traffic can be routed over this bridge by means of existing switches while the other bridges are constructed.

The construction on the Milwaukee street bridge and the rest of the project can be carried on at the same time .

Counterforts will be provided at that section of abutment where the bridge girders rest on the wall. An extra pile will be driven directly under each girder to take the excess load due to the bridge.

SYMBOLS AND FORMULAS USED

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D.L. = Dead load

Z = Section modulus

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f_c = Allowable stress in concrete

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h = Height

T = Tension

C = Compression

Value of welds.

Specifications

Length of welds required.

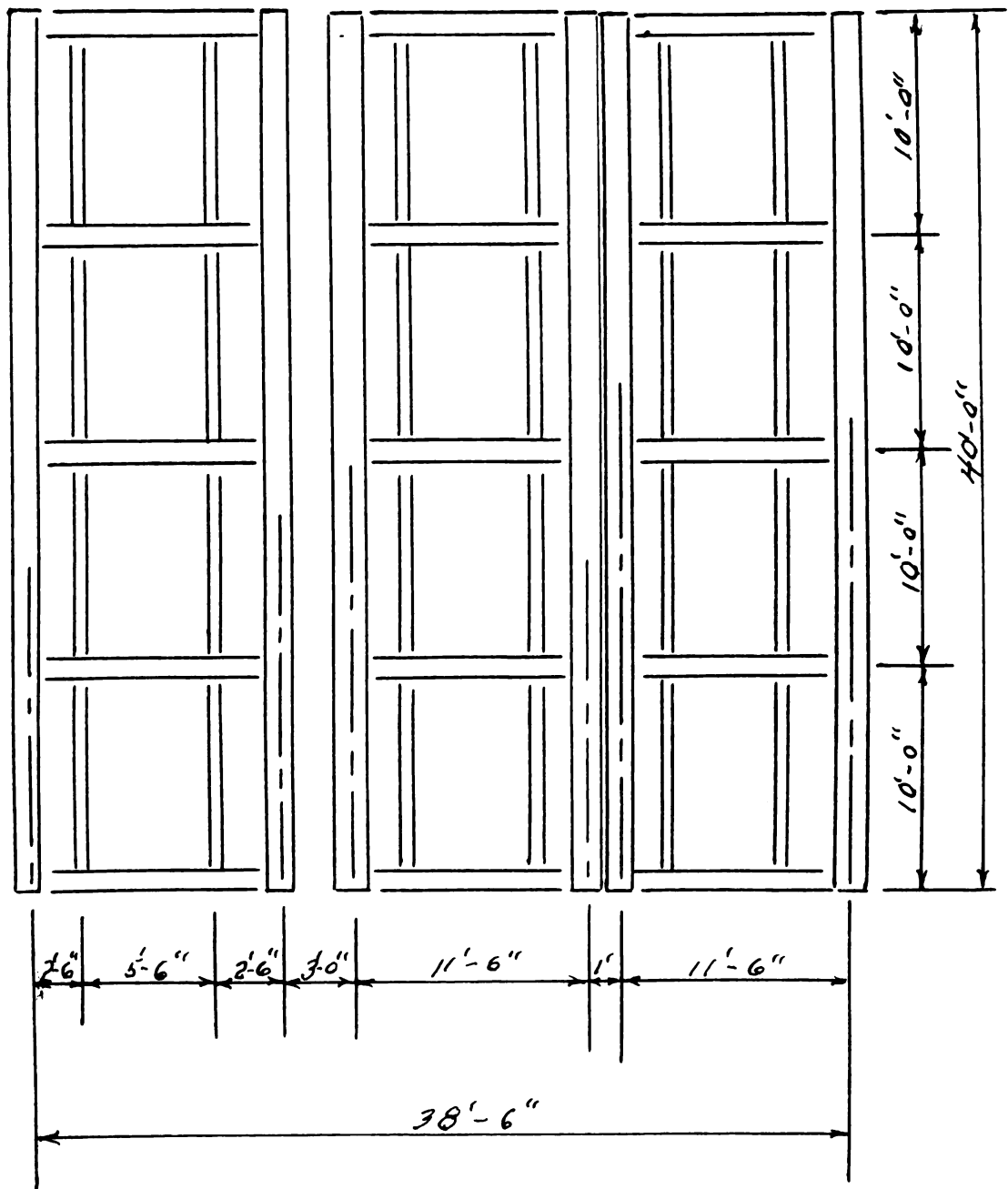
Stresses in pounds / value of welds used

Resisting moment = $T = C$.

Moment / $2 \times h$

Safe area for bearing

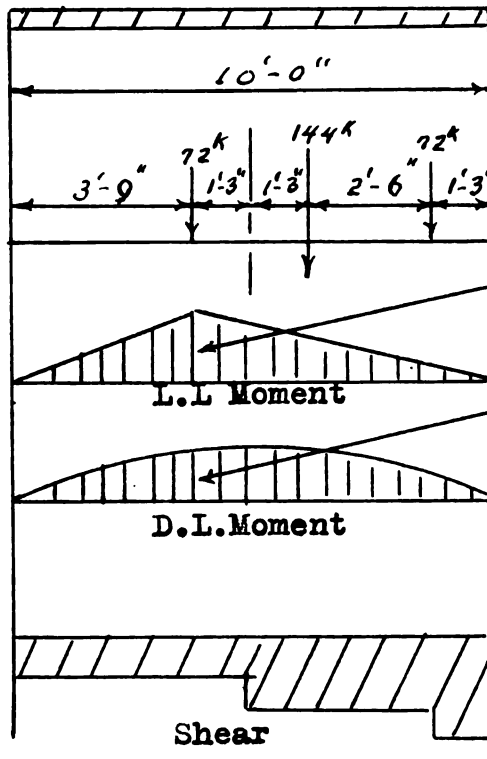
Load / safe bearing pressure.



GENERAL LAYOUT OF RAILROAD BRIDGE GIRDERS, FLOOR
BEAMS AND STRINGERS

Axial Tension
18,000 #/sq.ft.

STRINGER



Dead load 325#/ft
Live load E-72

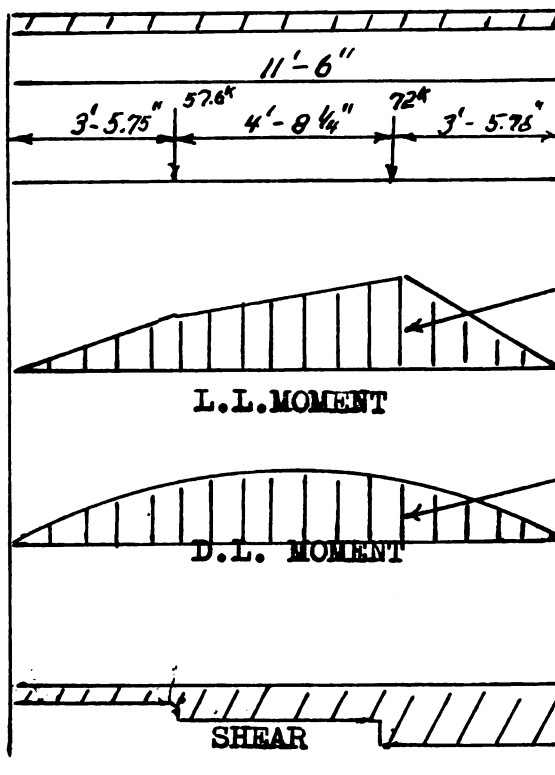
Maximum Moment
Live load 87750 '#
Lurch (20%) 17550 "
Impact (80%) 70200 "
Dead load 5750 "
Total 181250 '#
2175000 "#

Section modulus req'd.
120.8 cu.in.

Use- 14"WF84# rolled beam
Z = 130.9

Maximum shear 144600 #

FLOOR BEAM



Dead load 600 #/ft.
Live load E-72

Use 20% for lurch effect
added to one side and
subtracted from the other

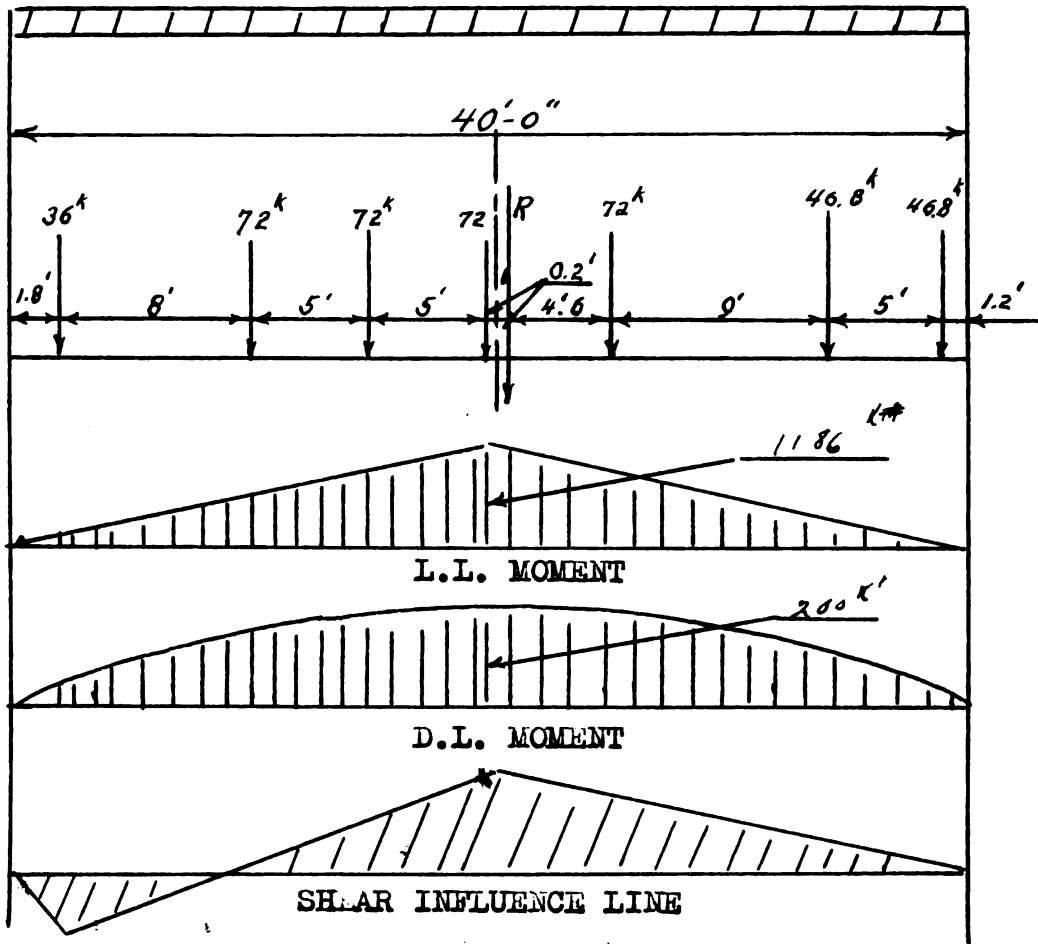
Maximum Moment
Live load 237000 '#
Dead load 8400 "
Total 245400 '#
2944800 "#

Section Modulus req'd.
163.5 cu.in.

Use 21"WF96# rolled beam
Z = 168 cu.in.

Maximum shear 144600 #

GIRDER



Dead load 1000 #/'
Live load E-72

Maximum Moment

Live load	1186000	'#
Lurch	237200	"
Impact	948800	"
Dead load	<u>200000</u>	"

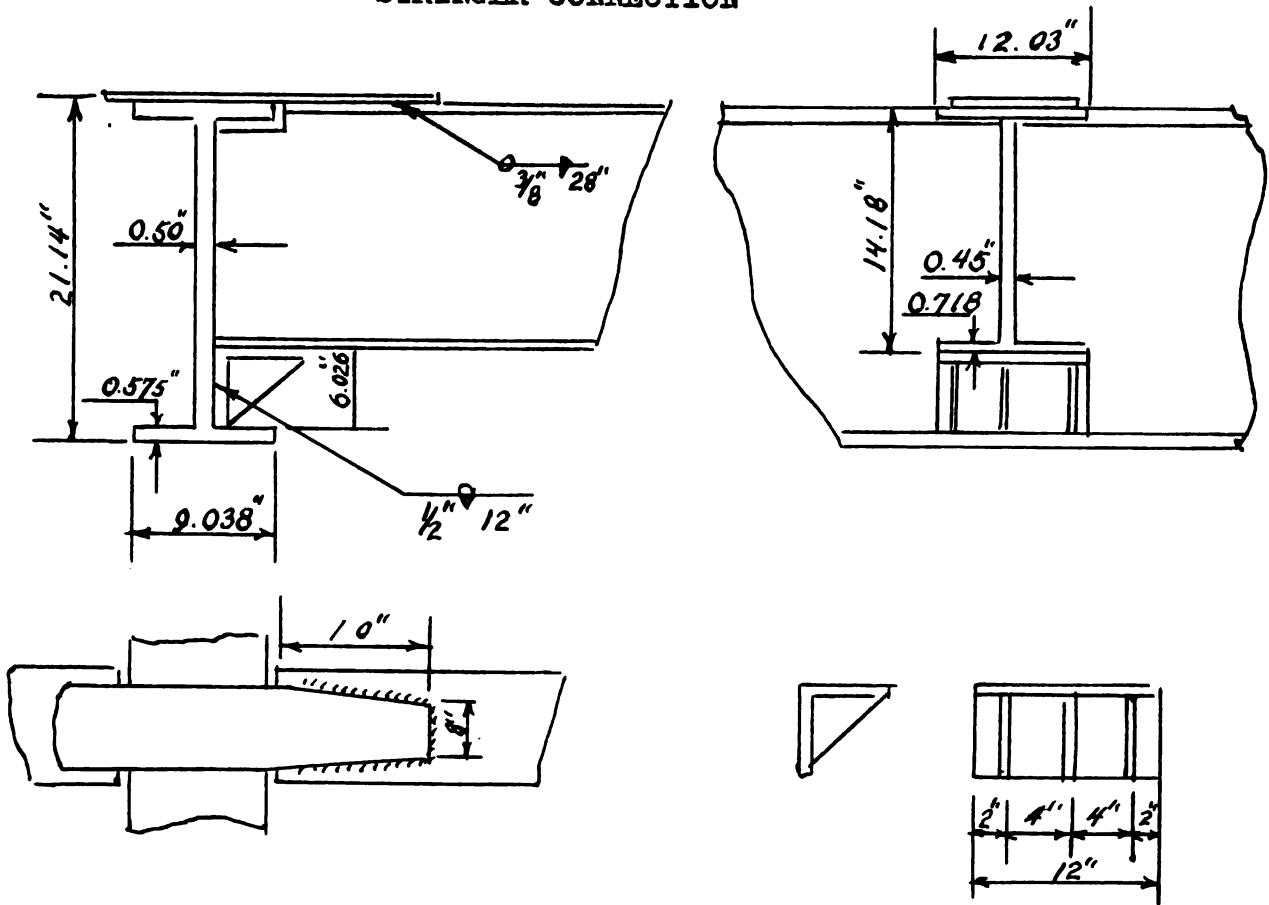
Total 2572000 '# ± 30,864,000 "#

Section modulus req'd. = 1045 cu.in.

Use 36"WF300# rolled beam
Z = 1105.1 cu.in.

Maximum shear = 244000 #

STRINGER CONNECTION



Shear = 144600 #
 Value of 3/8" fillet weld 3000 #/sq.in
 Value of 1/2" fillet weld 4000 #/sq.in
 Length 1/2" weld req'd. = 36.15 in.

Use a 6"x6"x1/2"x12" angle for seat reinforced as shown with 1/2" plate. Weld all around.

Moment = 2175000 #

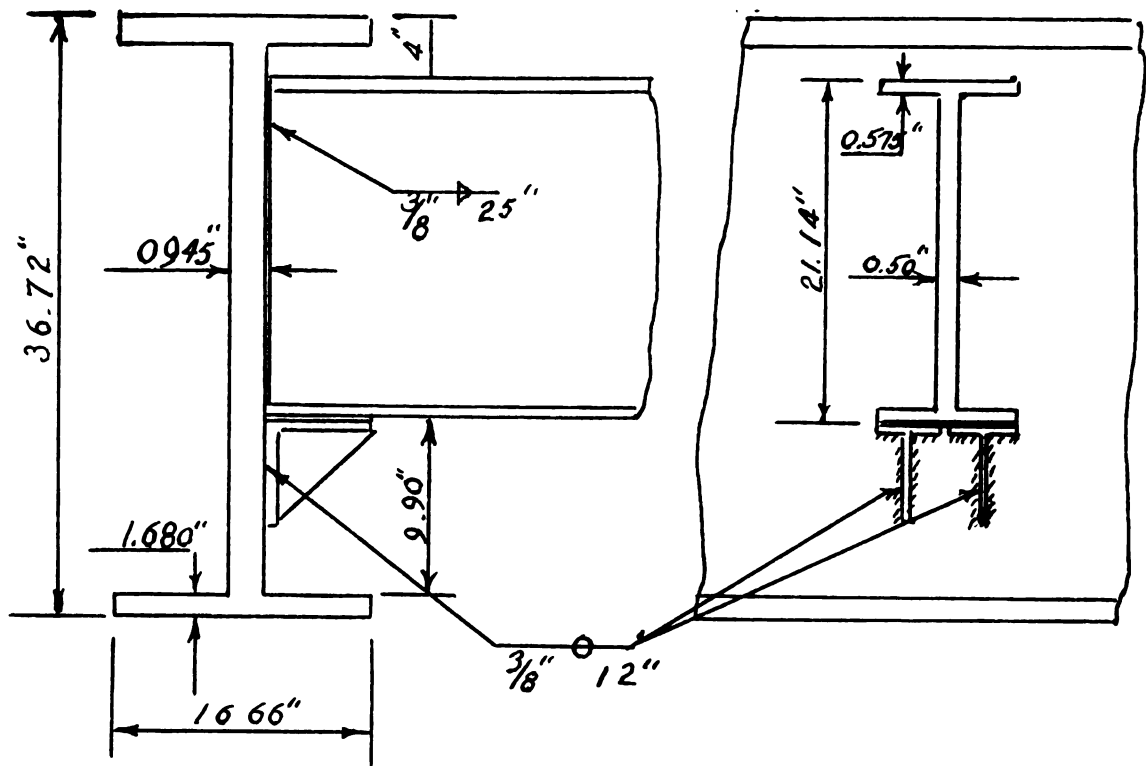
$$T = C = \frac{2175000}{2 \times 14.18} = 155000 \#$$

$$\text{Length of } 3/8" \text{ weld req'd.} = \frac{155000}{3000 \times 2} = 26"$$

Value of 3/8" plate 9" long = 60800 #
 Value of 1" plate 9" wide = 162000 #

Use a 1" thick plate cut as shown and welded with 3/8" fillet weld as shown.

FLOOR BEAM CONNECTION



SHEAR = 144600 #
 Value of $\frac{1}{2}$ " fillet weld = 4000 #/ sq.in.

Length of weld req'd. = $\frac{144600}{4000} = 36.15$ in.

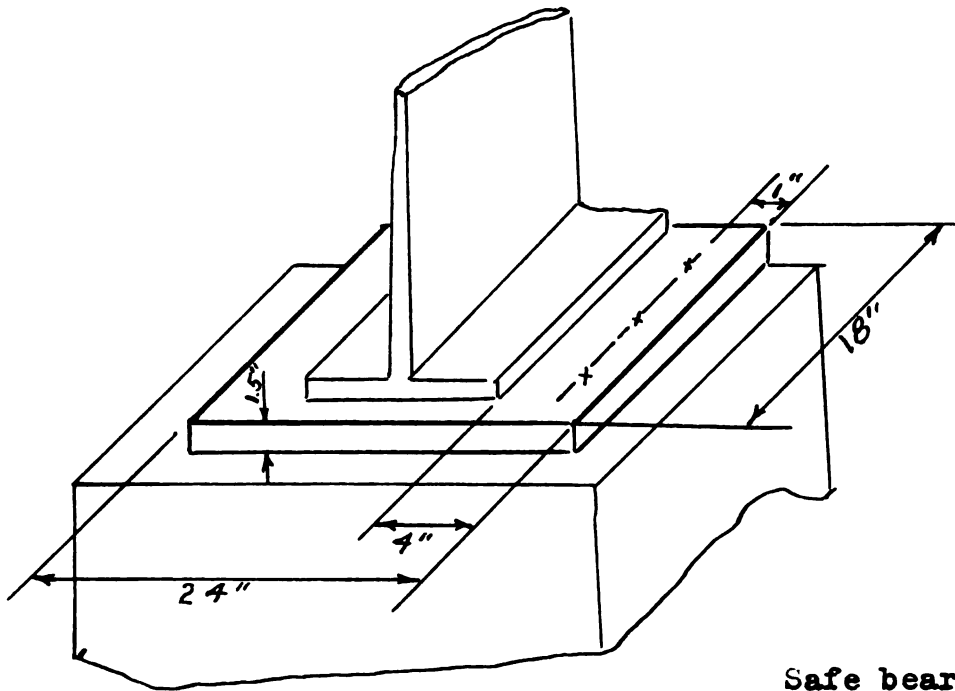
Use 2 ST 7WF split beam tees with a $\frac{1}{2}$ " plate seat. Cut flanges of tees to 10". Weld all around as shown with $\frac{1}{2}$ " fillet weld.

Moment = 2944800" #
 $T = C = \frac{2944800}{2 \times 21.14} \leq 70,000$ #

Length of $\frac{3}{8}$ " weld req'd. $\frac{70,000}{3,000} = 23.3$ in.

Weld both sides of web for a distance of 8" from top and butt weld flange to web of girder.

GIRDERSEAT AND CONNECTION



Safe bearing of concrete
600#/sq.in.

$$\text{Maximum shear} = 244000 \#$$

$$\text{Bearing area req'd.} = \frac{244000}{6000} = 407 \text{ sq.in.}$$

A plate 24" x 18" furnishes 430 sq.in.

$$\text{Moment in plate} = 4" \times 18" \times 567 \#/\text{in}^2 \times 2" = 82.000 \text{ in}^2 \#$$

$$\text{Section modulus req'd.} = 4.59 \text{ in}^3$$

$$S^2 = \frac{4.59 \times 6}{18} = 1.54$$

$$t = 1.24 \text{ in.} \quad \text{Use } 1 \frac{1}{2}" \times 18" \times 24" \text{ plate}$$

Secure as for Milwaukee Street bridge.

DESIGN OF RETAINING WALLS AND ABUTEMENT

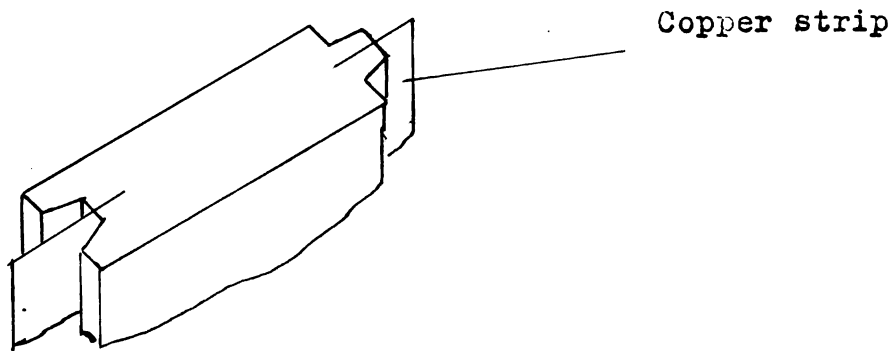
The retaining walls and abutements were designed as counterforts wall due to the height that is necessary for proper clearance under the bridges. The loads acting on the walls were computed graphically by the Culmann's method. See following pages for computations. The resultant of all the forces falls well within the middle third of the base.

The vertical slab was designed as a simple slab supported by the counterforts. The thickness of the slab was governed by the fact that the water table is high. It was designed in one foot strips taken at different heights. Maximum bending moment was computed assuming the load to act on the clear distance between counterforts. The load was assumed to be acting as hydrostatic pressure.

The rear portion of the base slab was designed as a simple beam supported by the counterforts. The load on the slab is equal to the difference between the upward earth pressure and the downward load from the earth and surcharge above it.

The toe slab was designed as a simple counterfort with only the upward earth pressure acting. To satisfy requirements of bond and to provide traverse reinforcement in the heel every fourth bar was continued into the heel.

Moment in the counterfort was assumed to be due to the pressure of the earth on the vertical slab over a length of wall equal to the distance between counterforts. Effective depth is the perpendicular distance from the front of



of the vertical slab joint to the steel allowing three inch insulation at the surface.

The walls are to be built in sections and each section will be constructed so as to provide joints similar to that shown above. This will provide a more water-tight joint than could be obtained by ordinary construction. Before back-filling the walls will be given two three-eighth inch coats of cement grout plaster and covered with burlap soaked in bituminous material. An additional coat of the same material will be placed over this. All back fill will be good quality gravel and sand. These walls must be well water-proofed because of the fact that the water table is only seven feet from the surface. The Grand River flows almost parallel with the walls and is only two-hundred and eighty feet from the center of Michigan Avenue at its closest position.

Concrete piles will support the toe of the wall base and should be capable of supporting eight tons. They will be placed in line with each counterfort which will be on eleven foot centers except under the bridges where they will be under each girder. Additional piles will be provided directly

under the vertical section supporting the girders. These piles should be capable of supporting at least ten ton. All of the piles will be imbedded at least six into the base slab. The steel in the slab will be at a distance of three inches from the pile where the effective depth of the slab was assumed in the design.

Both the vertical slab and the rear portion of the base slab will be tied to the counterforts as shown in the steel arrangement diagram.

The concrete used in the walls should be capable of developing a compressive stress of at least twenty-five hundred pounds per square inch at the end of twenty-eight days. It should be placed in as high and as long a section as is economically possible.

The wall will extent past the upper road level for three and one-half feet to act as a guard rail. This extention will be reinforced with five-eighth inch round bars on six inch centers and placed in a horizontal position. This extention will tie into the guard rails of the bridges. This joint will be rounded with a radius of curvature of the outside not less two feet.

SYMBOLS AND FORMULAS USED

E = Pressure of earth acting on the wall at the angle of repose assumed to be 34° .

f = Pressure per square foot acting on the base.

$$f = P/A (1 - 6e/b)$$

P = Total load acting---- p_1 & p_2 = maximum and minimum soil pressure.

A = Area.

e = eccentricity.

b = Width.

M = Bending moment. = $1/8 wl^2$ or $P \times \text{Distance acting.}$

w = Load per foot of length.

l = Length.

u = Bond stress.

$$u = V / z_0 \times j \times d .$$

V = Total shearing load.

z_0 = Summation of perimeters.

j = Ratio of the resultants of the compressive and tensile stresses to the effective depth. (Assumed to be $7/8$ in all computations.)

d = Effective depth or distance from steel to opposite side.

A_s = Area of steel required to take tensile stress.

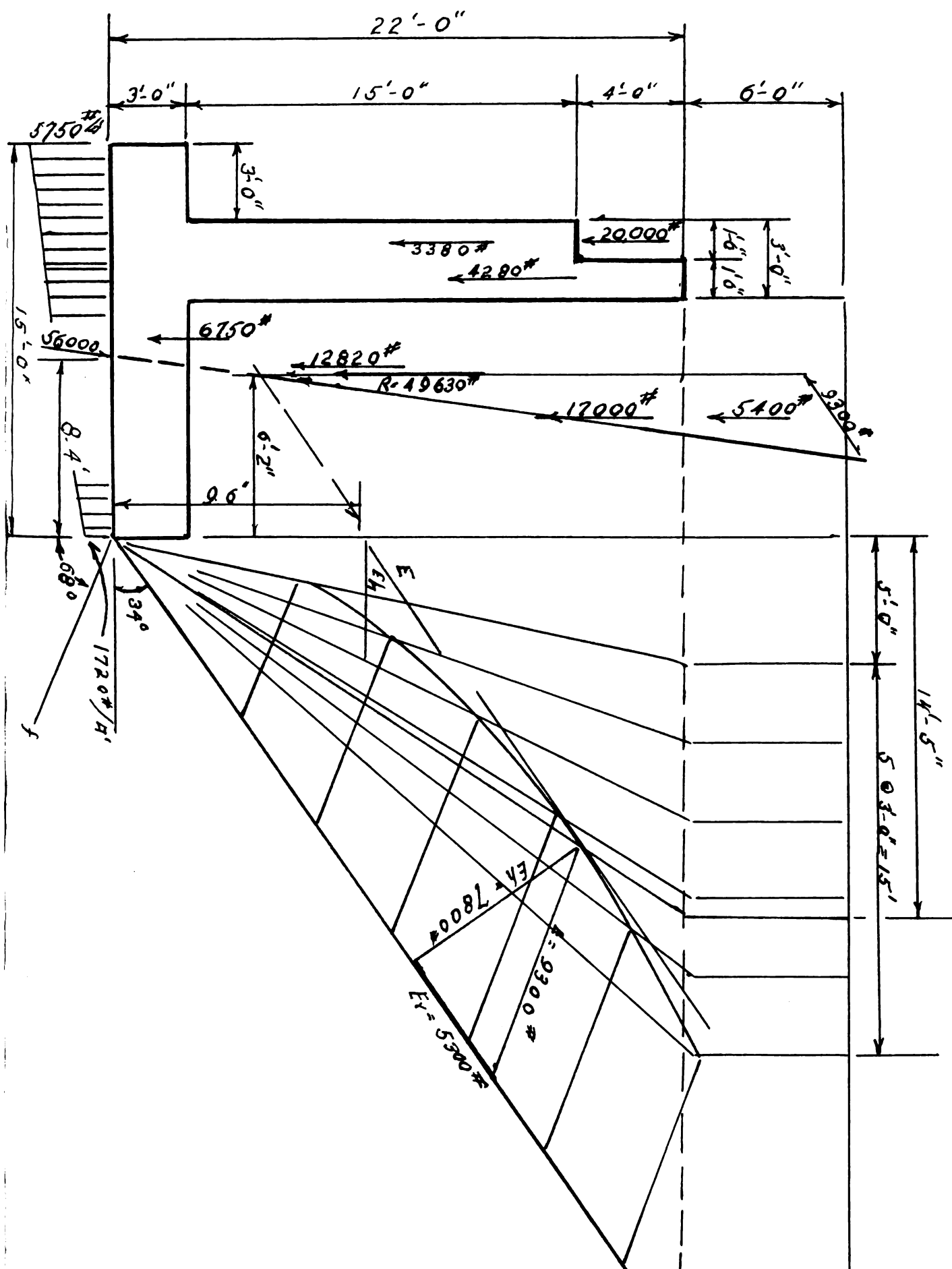
$$A_s = M / f_s \times j \times d$$

f_s = Allowable tensile stress in steel (18,000 #/in²)

ϕ = Round bars.

= Square bars.

c.c. = Center to center distance.



ABUTMENTS AND RETAINING WALLS

Earth pressure

$$1 - 5' \times 6' \times 1' \times 100 = 3000 \#$$

$$5' \times 22' \times 1\frac{1}{2} \times 1' \times 100 \underline{5500 \#}$$

$$8500 \#$$

$$2 - 8500 \quad (3' \times 6' \times 1' \times 100) \quad 3' \times 11' \times 1' \times 100 = 13600 \#$$

$$3 - 13600 \quad 5100 = 18700 \#$$

4-5-6- Add 5100# for each increment to the last weight.

E-pressure of the earth on the wall = 9300# acting at an angle equal to 34° .

Pressure was computed by means of Culman's method. (see sketch)

Weight resisting earth pressure.

Weight of wall -- concrete as summed at 150 #/'³

1.5 x 15 x 1.50	=	3380	x	11.25	38000
1.5 x 19 x 1 x 150	=	4280	x	9.75	41800
0.5 x 19 x 9 x 150	=	12820	x	6.00	76920
3.0 x 15 x 1 x 150	=	6750	x	7.5	50600

Weight of soil

9 x 6 x 1 x 100	=	5400			
9 x 19 x 1 x 100	=	17000			
		<u>22400</u>	x	4.5	101000
		<u>49630</u>			<u>308320</u>

Resultant of resisting weight acts 6.2' from end of heel.

Resultant of all forces acting on the wall = 56000 #
Acts at a point 8.4' from the end of the heel which is well within the middle third of the base.

$$f = \frac{P}{A} \left(1 \pm \frac{6e}{b} \right) = \frac{56000}{15 \times 1} \left(1 \pm 6 \times \frac{0.9}{1} \right)$$

$$p_1 = 5750 \#/\text{sq.ft.}$$

$$p_2 = 1720 \#/\text{sq.ft.}$$

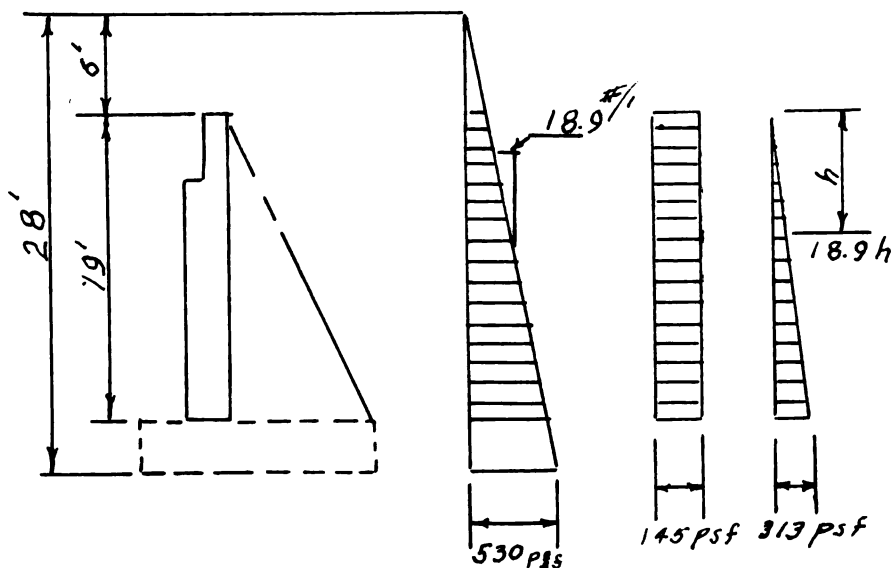
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DESIGN OF VERTICAL STEM

$$A = 6/28 \quad B = 0.214 \quad B$$

$$Eh = 7800 \pi = \frac{28}{2} (p + 0.214p) \quad p = 675 \text{ psf}$$

$$Ap = 0.214 \times 675 = 145 \text{ psf}$$

$$Bp = 22/28 \times 675 = 530 \text{ psf}$$

$$Cp = 19/28 \times 675 = 458 \text{ psf}$$

$$\text{slope} = 18.9 \text{ \#/ft.}$$

Shear at any section of stem

$$Vx = 145h - 9.50h^2$$

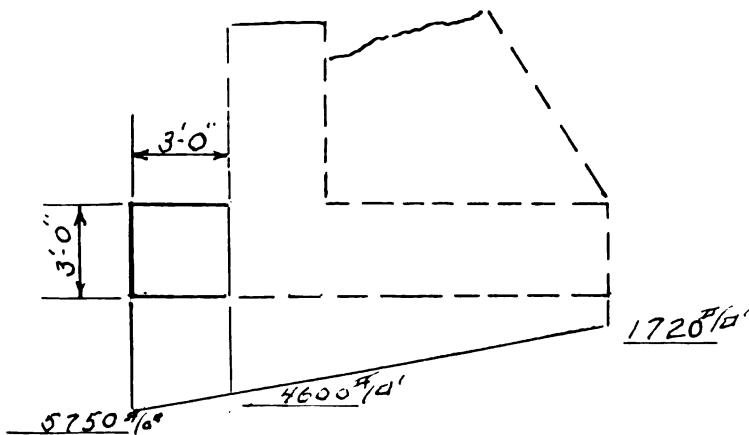
Moment at any section of stem

$$Mx = 1/8 \times Vx \times l^2 = 13.8 \text{ v}$$

STEM SCHEDULE

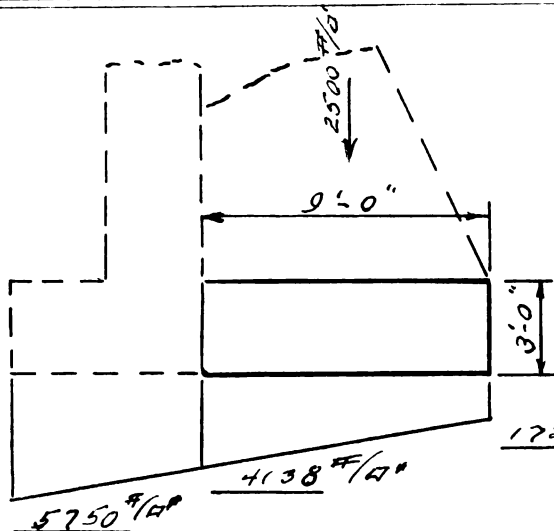
H	V	v	M	As	
4'	732#	1.62	1010"#	0.0234"²	1" ∅ -- 24"c.c.
8'	1767	3.92	24400	0.5200	1" -- 15"c.c.
12'	3120	6.92	43000	0.9950	1" -- 10"c.c.
19'	5190	11.50	71500	1.6500	1" -- 5"c.c.

DESIGN OF TOE SLAB



$$\begin{aligned}
 & 5750 - 1720 = 4030 \\
 & x = \frac{12' \times 4030}{15'} = 3230 \\
 & P = \frac{3230 \times 1720 \times 5750}{2} = 5350
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 P' &= 5350 \times 3 = 15150 \# \\
 \text{Mom.} &= 15150 \times 2.25' = 34000' \# \\
 u &= \frac{15050 \times 8}{2.356 \times 27 \times 7 \times 12} = 100 \quad A_s = \frac{34000 \times 12 \times 8}{18000 \times 27 \times 7} = 0.96''^2 \\
 & \text{Use } 3/4'' \phi^{4.5} \text{ to satisfy bond. Place on } 4 1/2'' \text{ c.c.}
 \end{aligned}$$



Design of Heel Slab

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= \frac{9 \times 4030}{15} = 2418 \\
 w_u &= \frac{(2418 \times 1720) \times 5750}{2} = 2929 \#/' \\
 w_d &= \frac{22400}{9} = 2500 \#/'
 \end{aligned}$$

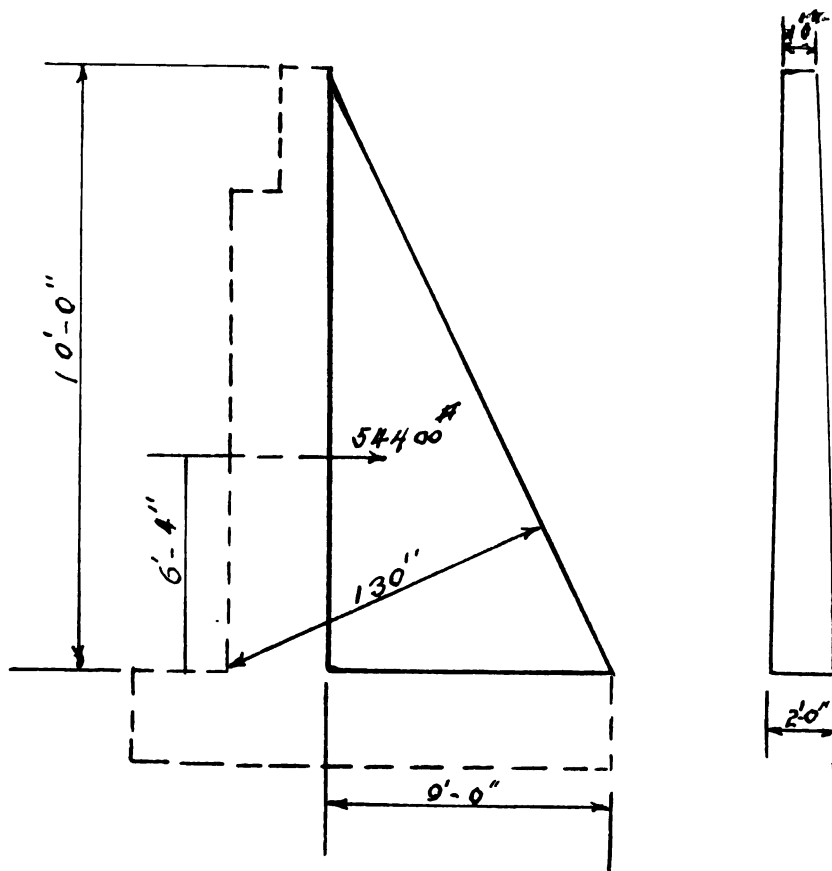
$$\text{Mom.} = \frac{1}{8} \times (2920 - 2500) \times 2 \times 12 \times 10.5^2 = 142000'' \#$$

$$A_s = \frac{142000 \times 8}{2 \times 18000 \times 7 \times 27} = 0.168''^2$$

$$\text{Shear} = \frac{858 \times 10.5}{2} = 4500 \#$$

$$u = \frac{4500 \times 8}{2.356 \times 1 \times 7 \times 27} = 81 \#/\text{sq.ft.}$$

Use 3/4# ϕ at 12" c.c.



COUNTERFORT DESIGN

$$d = 12' \times \frac{19'}{19^2 - 9^2} \times 12'' - 3'' = 127''$$

$$P = 0.143 \times 100 \times 19^2 \times 10.5 = 544000 \#$$

$$y = 1/3 \times 19 = 6.33'$$

$$\text{Mom.} = 54400 \times 6.33 \times 12 = 413000'' \#$$

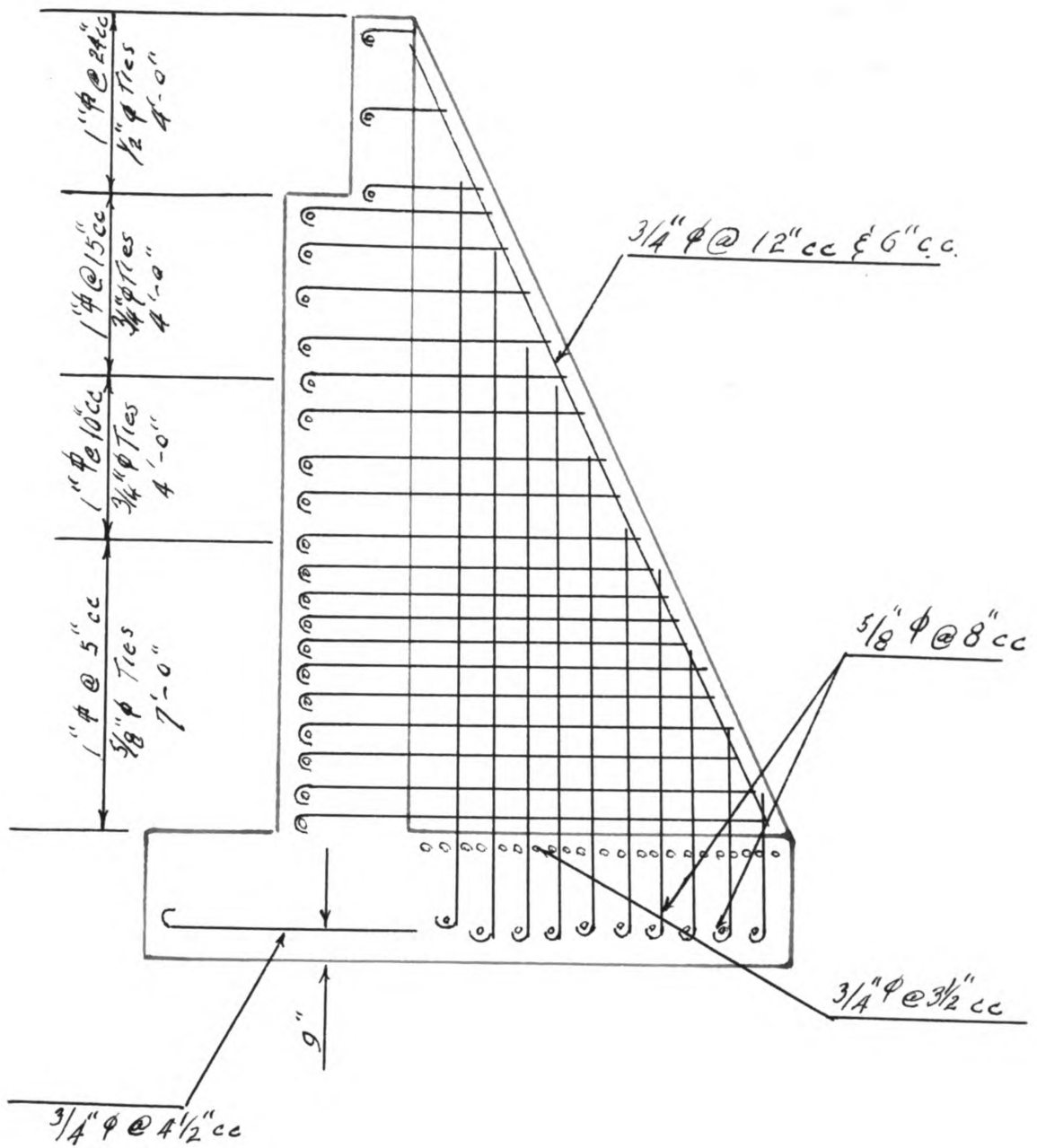
$$A_s = \frac{413000 \times 8}{18000 \times 7 \times 127} = 0.207 \text{ sq. in.}$$

$$u = \frac{54400 \times 8}{2.356 \times 1 \times 7 \times 127} = 200 \#/\text{sq.in.}$$

$$A_s = \frac{413000 \times 8}{18000 \times 7 \times 127} = 0.207 \text{ sq.in.}$$

$$u = \frac{544000 \times 8}{2.356 \times \frac{12}{6} \times 7 \times 127} = 100 \#/\text{sq.ft.}$$

Use 3/4" ϕ at 6" C.C.



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