



CONDITION EVALUATION AND LOAD RATING REPORT 2014

CITY OF MILL CITY

HISTORIC PEDESTRIAN RAILROAD BRIDGE

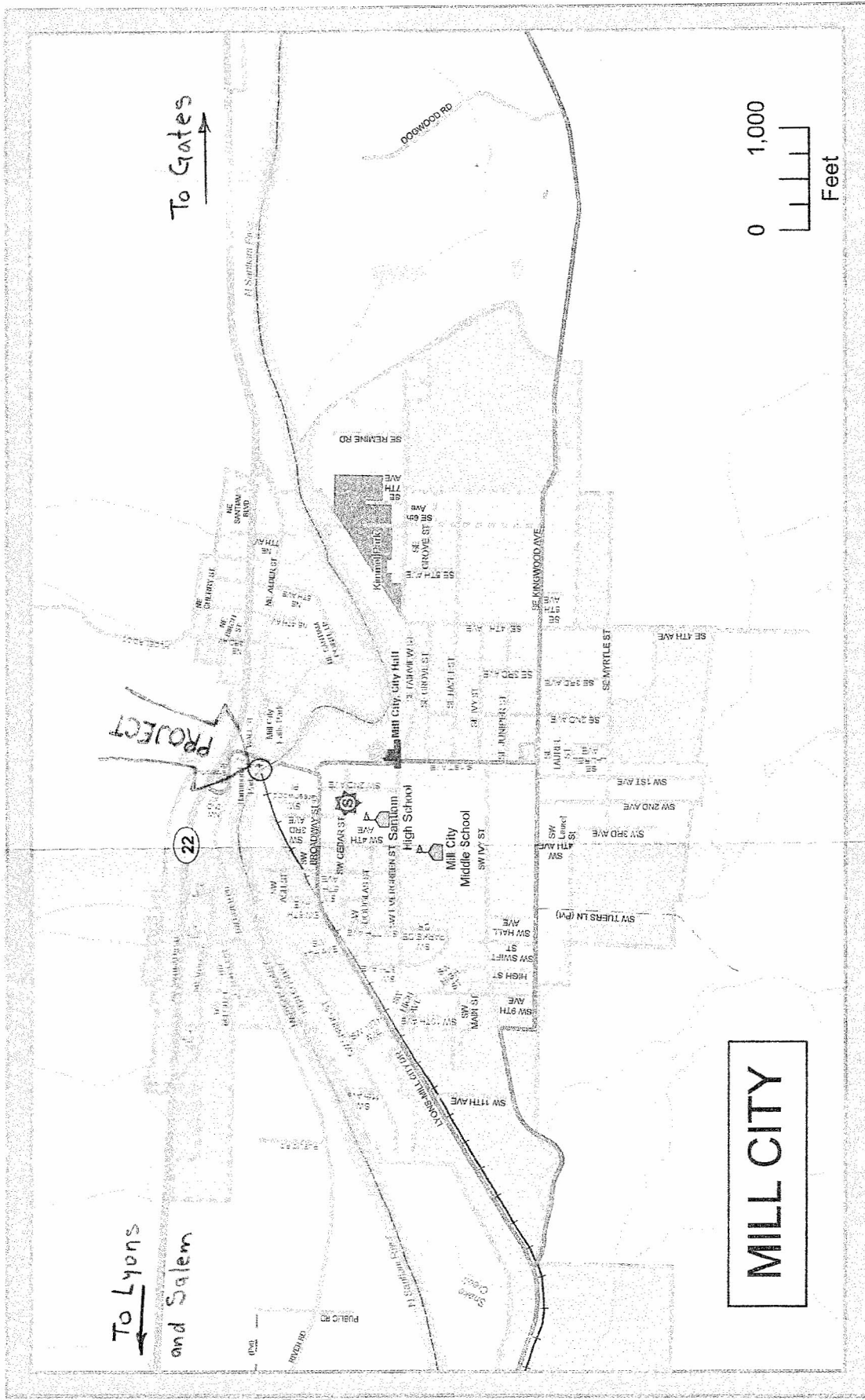
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APPENDIX A

FIELD NOTES



VICINITY MAP

MILL CITY

PROJECT: Mill City Bridge

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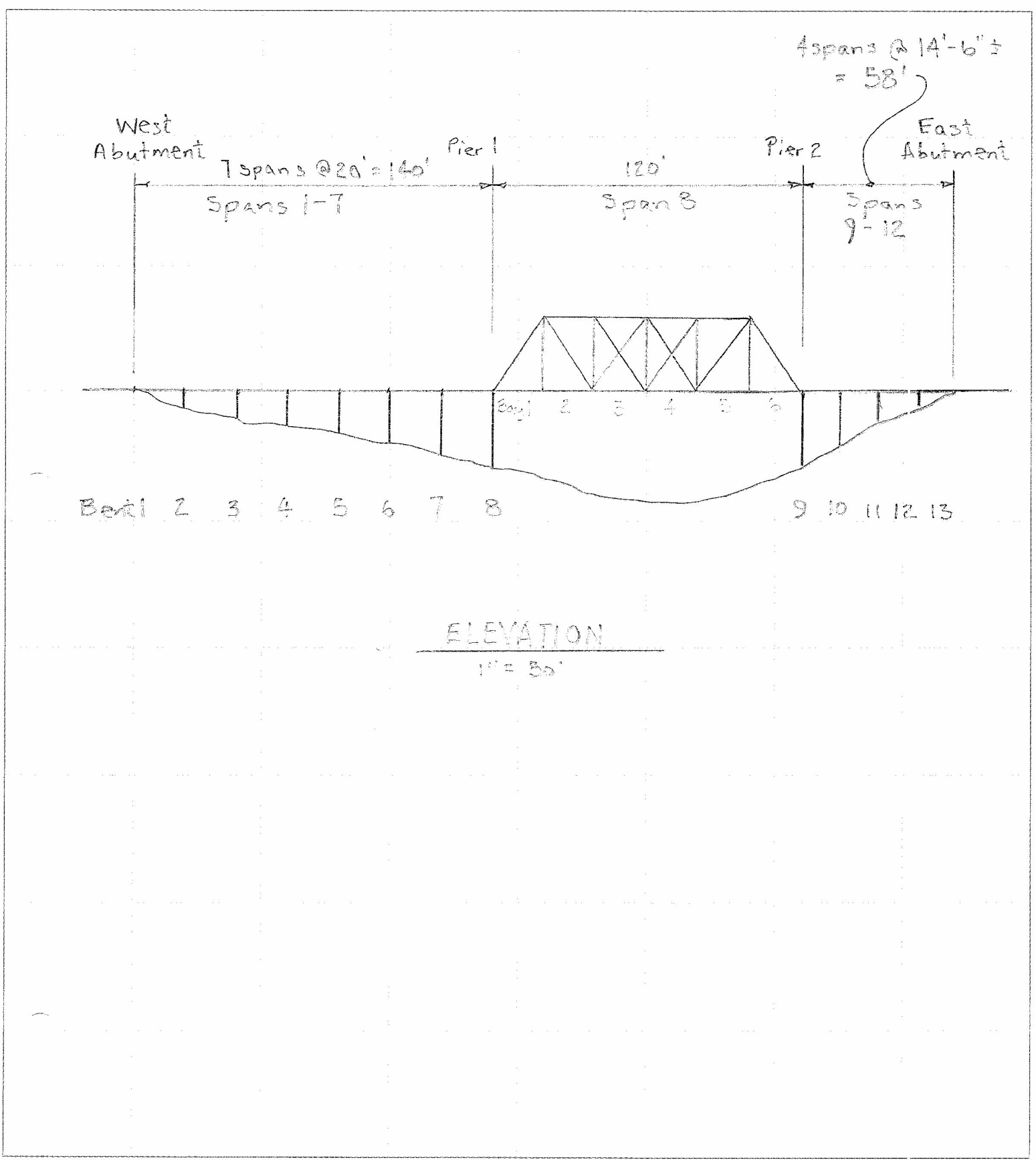
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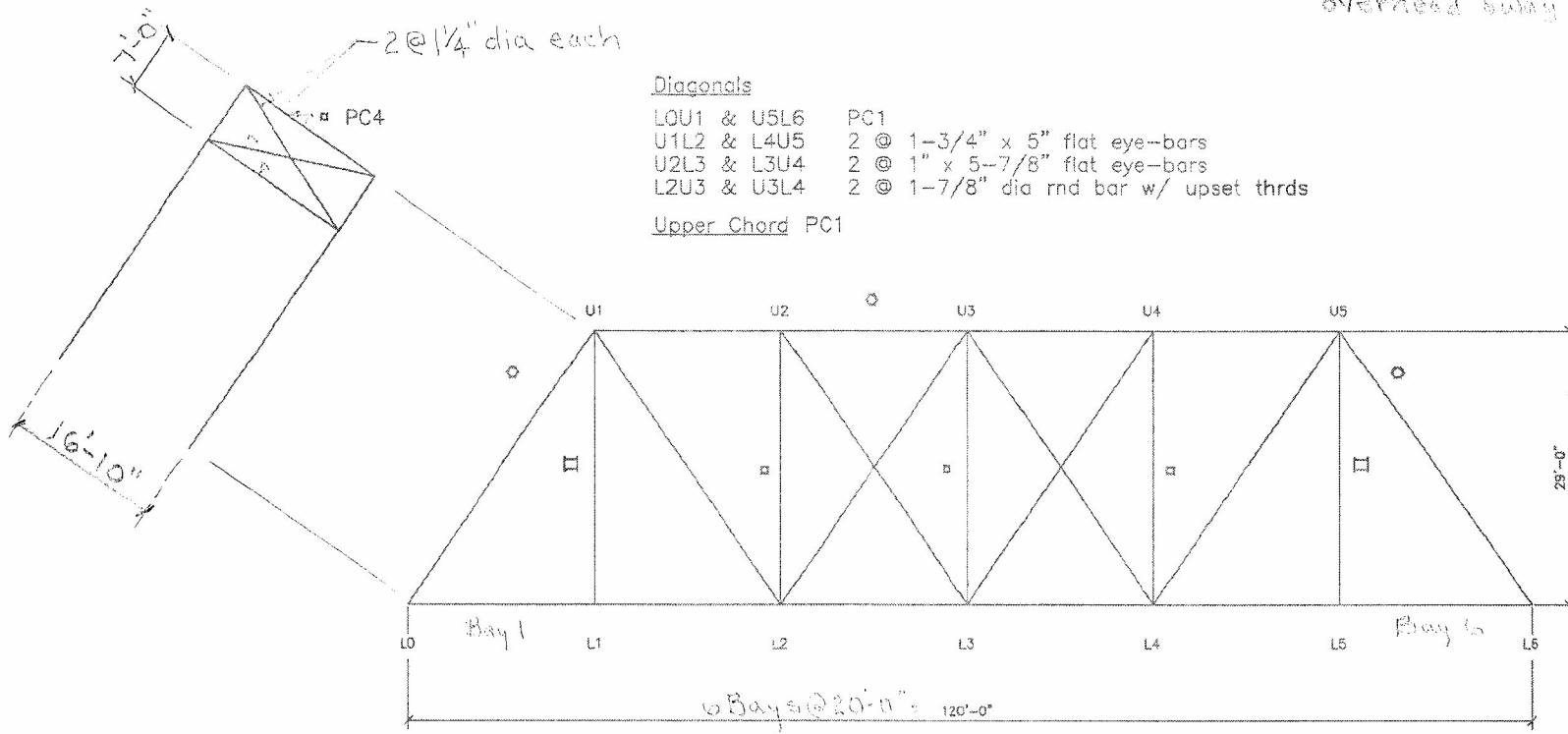
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Mill City Pedestrian Bridge Truss Elevation

overhead runway bracing 1 1/4" dia



Diagonals

- LOU1 & U5L6 PC1
- U1L2 & L4U5 2 @ 1-3/4" x 5" flat eye-bars
- U2L3 & L3U4 2 @ 1" x 5-7/8" flat eye-bars
- L2U3 & U3L4 2 @ 1-7/8" dia rnd bar w/ upset thrs

Upper Chord PC1

Bottom Chord - flat eye-bar

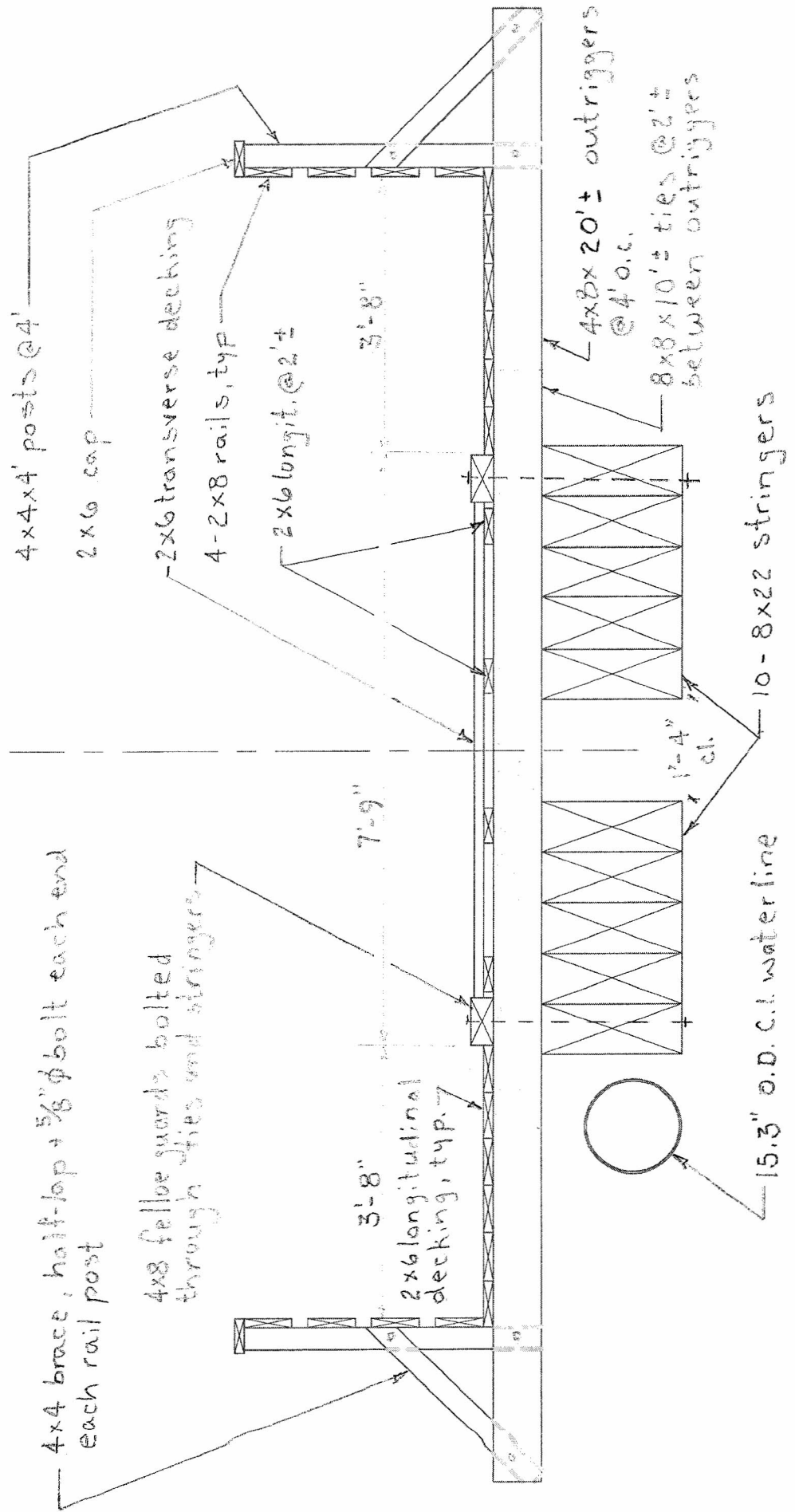
- L0L1, L5L6, L1L2 & L4L5 2 @ 1-3/8" x 5-1/8"
- L2L3 & L3L4 2 @ 1-3/8" x 5" + 2 @ 1-1/4" x 4"

Verticals

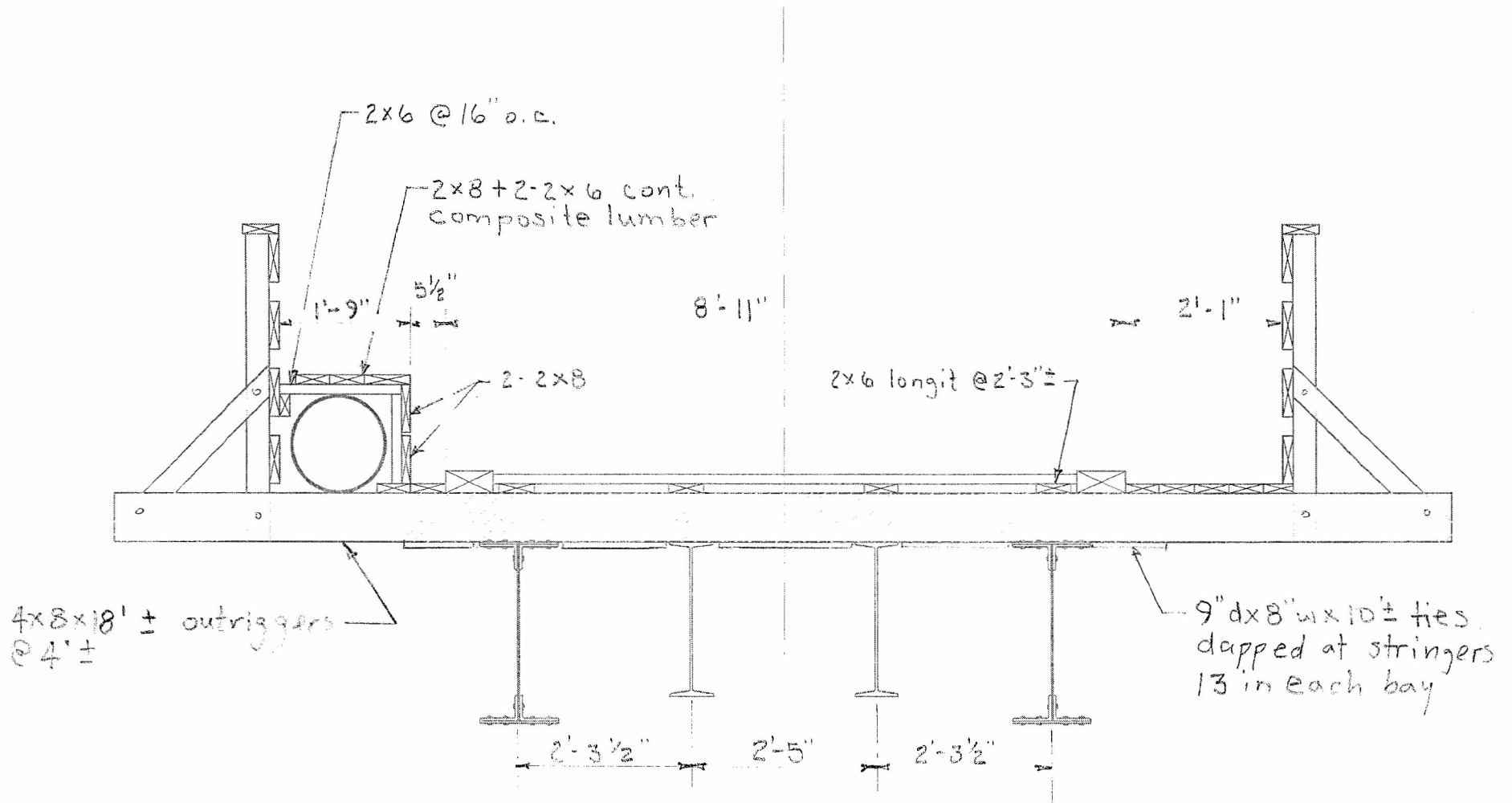
- L1U1 & L5U5 BUC
- L2U2 & L4U4 PC2
- L3U3 PC3

Concrete piers are worn but do not show distress

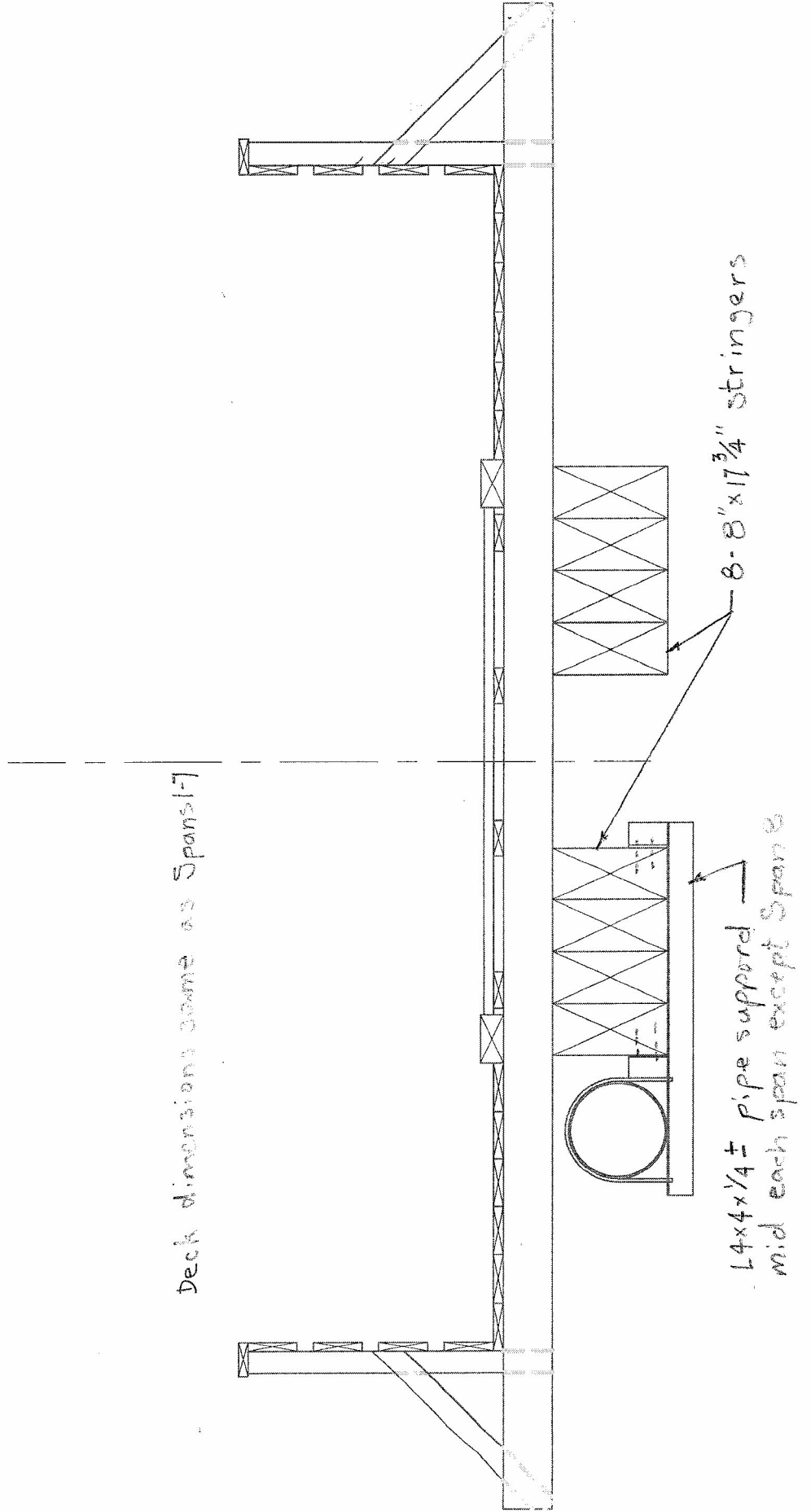
DECK SECTION SPANS 1-7



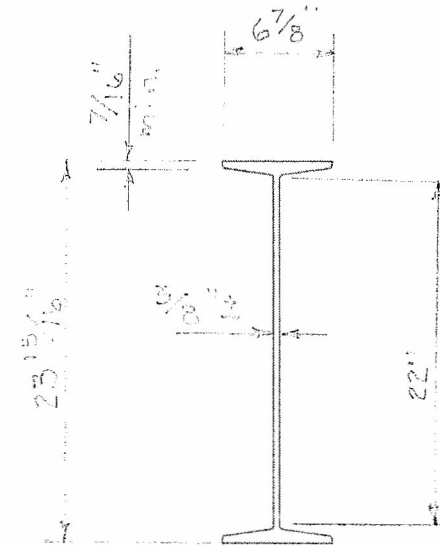
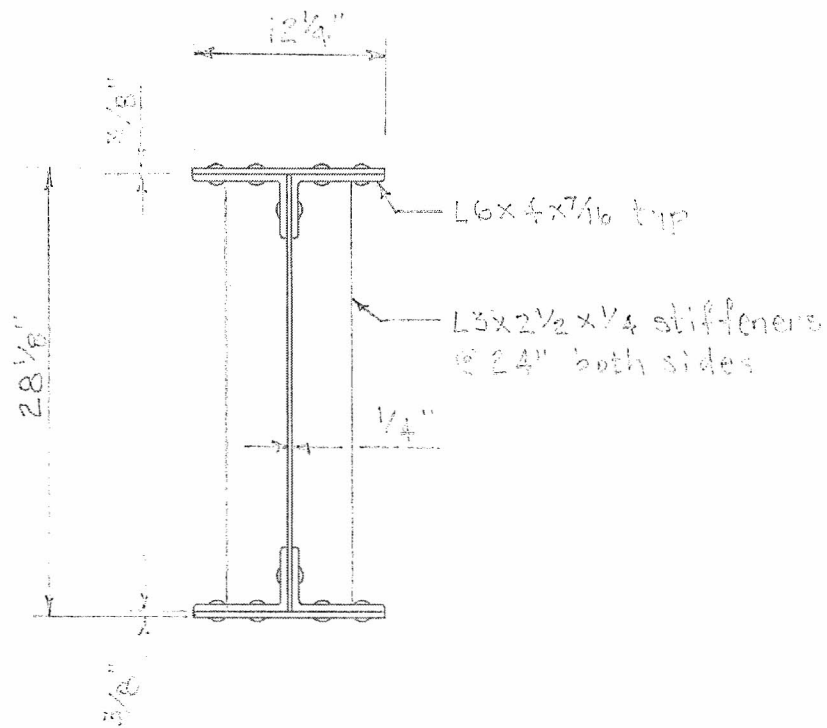
DECK SECTION SPAN 8



DECK SECTION SPANS 9-12



SPAN 8 STRINGERS

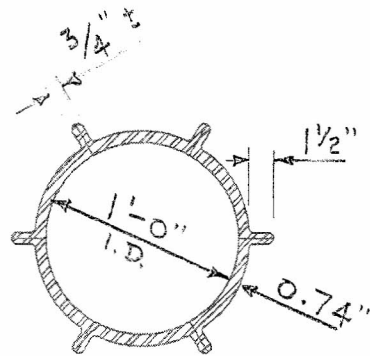


Rolled section - No stiffeners

TYPICAL STRINGER IN SPAN 8

STRINGERS 2 & 3 IN BAYS 1 & 6

PHOENIX COLUMN SECTIONS

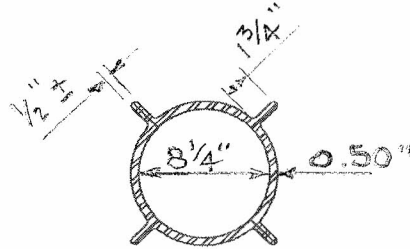


Segments riveted, typ

UPPER CHORDS (U1U5) AND END DIAGONALS (L0U1 & U5L6)

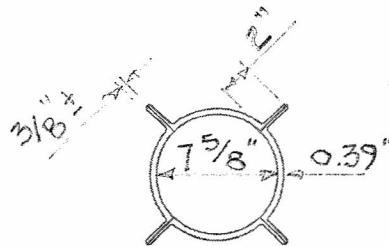
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PHOENIX COLUMN SECTIONS



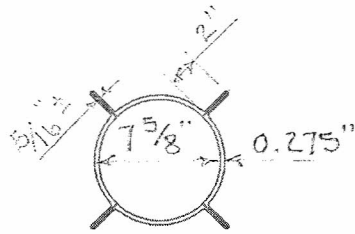
VERTICALS L2U2 & L4U4

PC2



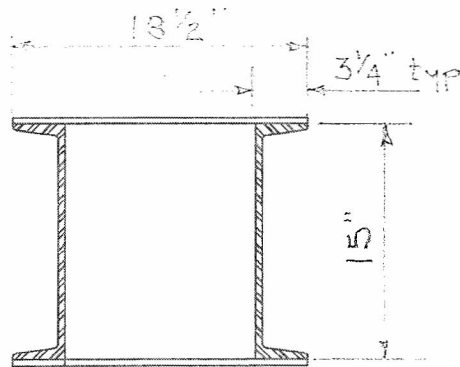
VERTICALS L3U3

PC3



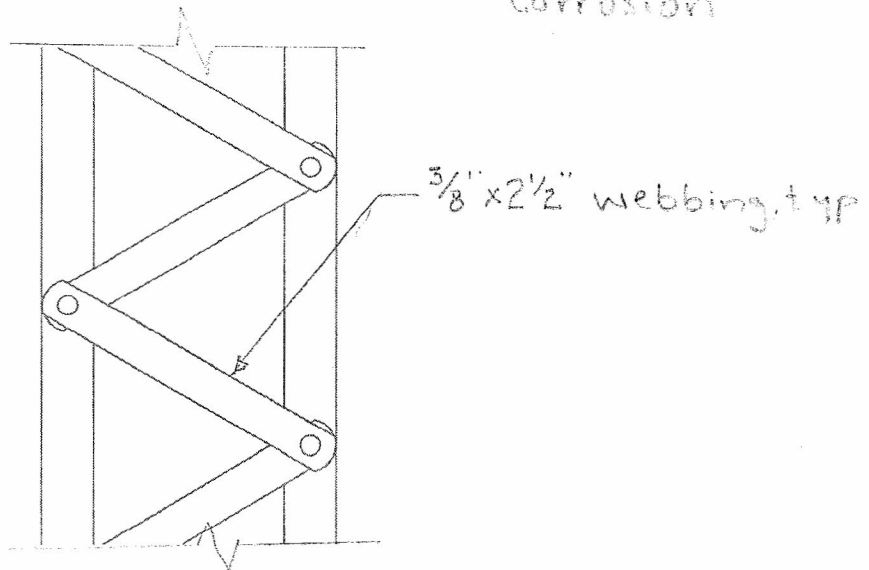
UPPER TRANSVERSE BTW TRUSSES AT U1 & U5
AND 7' BELOW ALONG LOU1 & U5L6

PC4



Channel flanges taper
 $\frac{5}{8}$ " \rightarrow $\frac{3}{4}$ "

Channel webs stamped
 "ILLINOIS USA-S"
 Some show minor
 corrosion



BUILT-UP COLUMNS AT L1U1 & L5U5

BUC

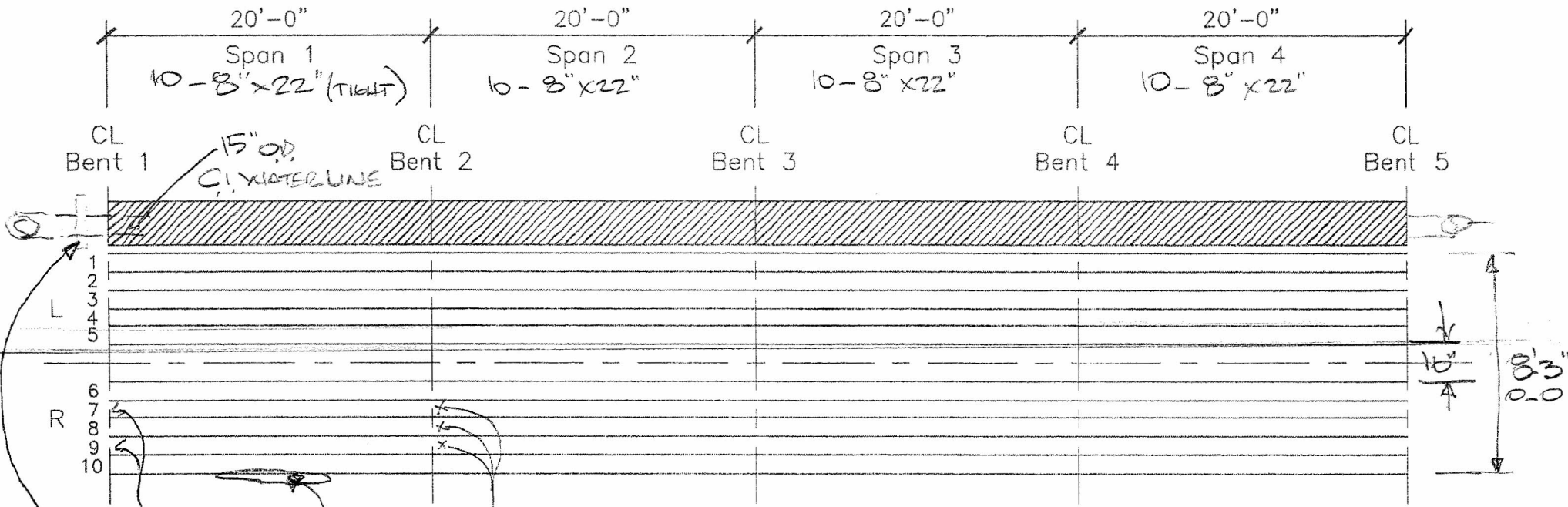
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Drilled "X"

Drilled 7, 8, 9 - All X
(WET ON UNDERSIDE)

FOUND OLDER TERMITE DAMAGE.

FOUND DECAYED LAGGING
BEHIND BACKWALL @ W/L

TIES ARE MIXED 8" x 8" x 9' @ 24" CTRS. WITH
4" x 8" x 20' OUTRIGGERS @ 48" CTRS (TYPICAL)

NOTE! EXT. BEAMS 1-10 APPEAR TO BE
REUSED W/ EXTRA BOLT HOLES, TYPICAL - ALL SPANS.

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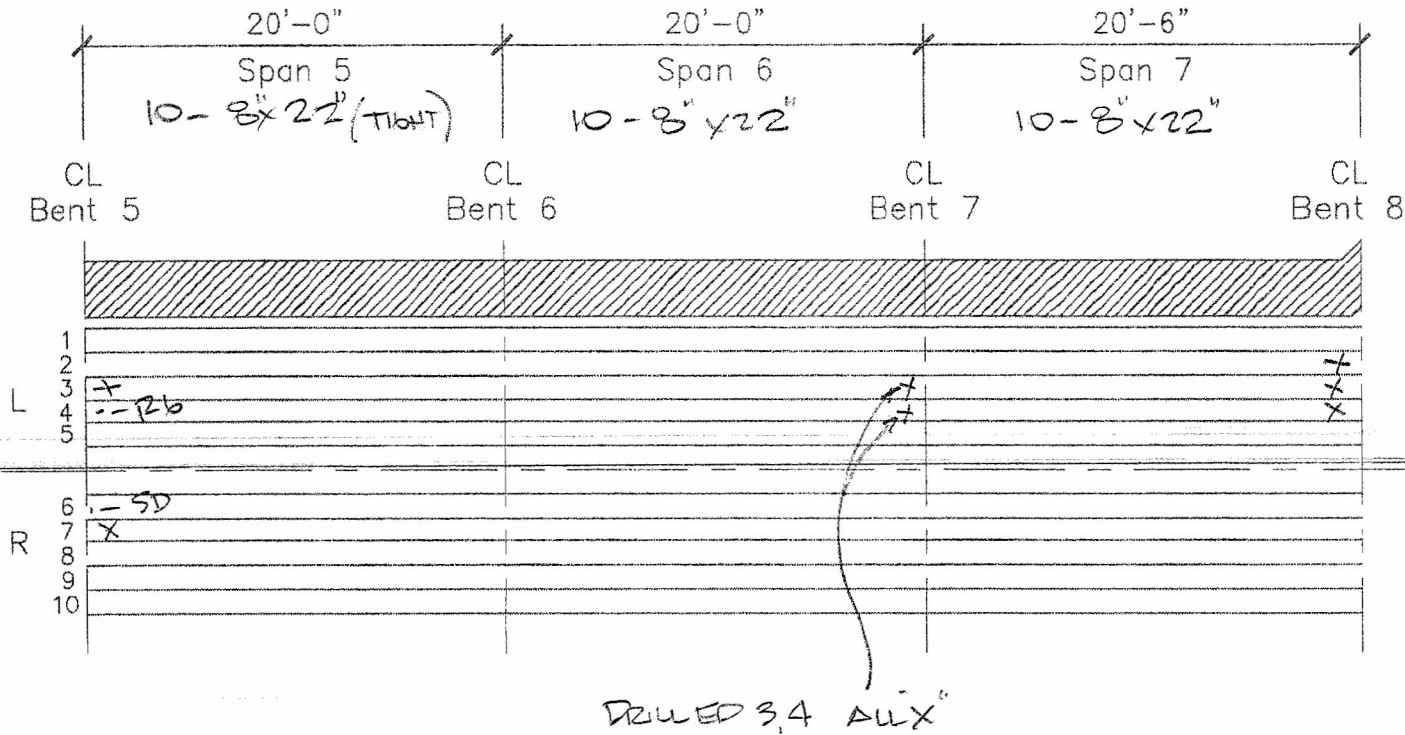


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DECK PLANKS WERE REMOVED WHERE SUSPICIOUS
CONDITIONS EXISTED, REMOVED AND REPLACED
BY CITY MAINTENANCE FORCES.



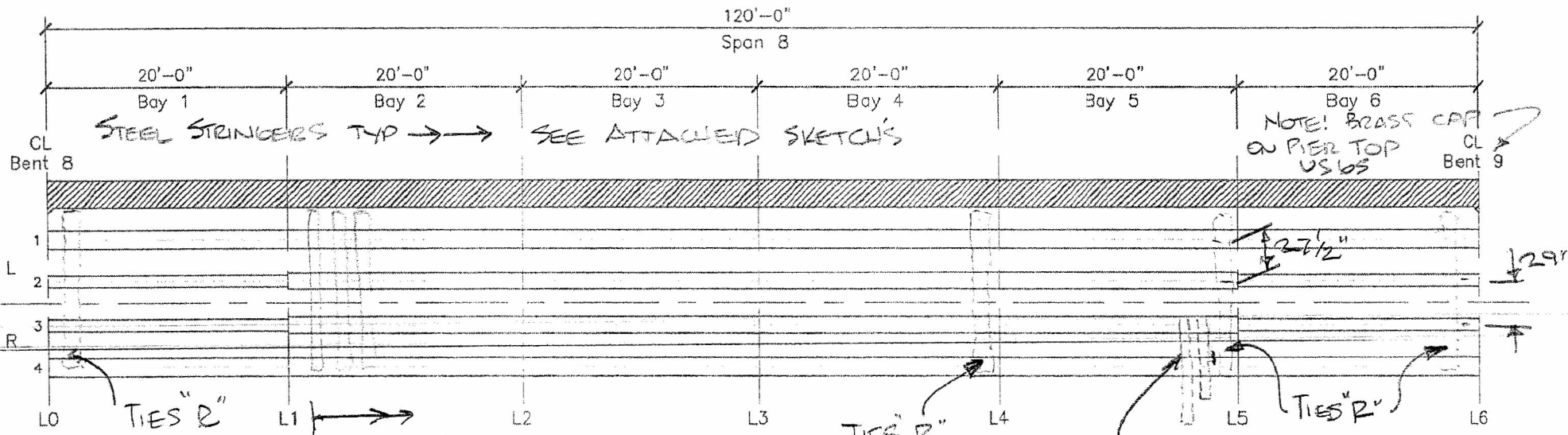
X = GOOD WOOD
R = DECAYED
SD = STARTING
DECAY
W = WET

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DECK PLANKS WERE REMOVED AT RANDOM
 FOR OBSERVATION AND REPLACED
 BY CITY MAINTENANCE FORCES.



13 TIES EA. BAY
 9" DEEP X 8" WIDE X 10' LONG
 1" DAP OVER STRINGERS HOLDS TIES IN PLACE
 4" X 8" X 13' JOISTS & OUTLOOKER BETWEEN (TYPICAL)

NOTE: TIES ARE GENERALLY DRIER AND SOMEWHAT
 BETTER CONDITION THAN APPROACH SPAN TIES
 HOWEVER STILL DECAYED IN TOPS @ L0, L4, L5, L6,

R = ROTTEN DECAY
 SD = STARTING DECAY
 X = GOOD

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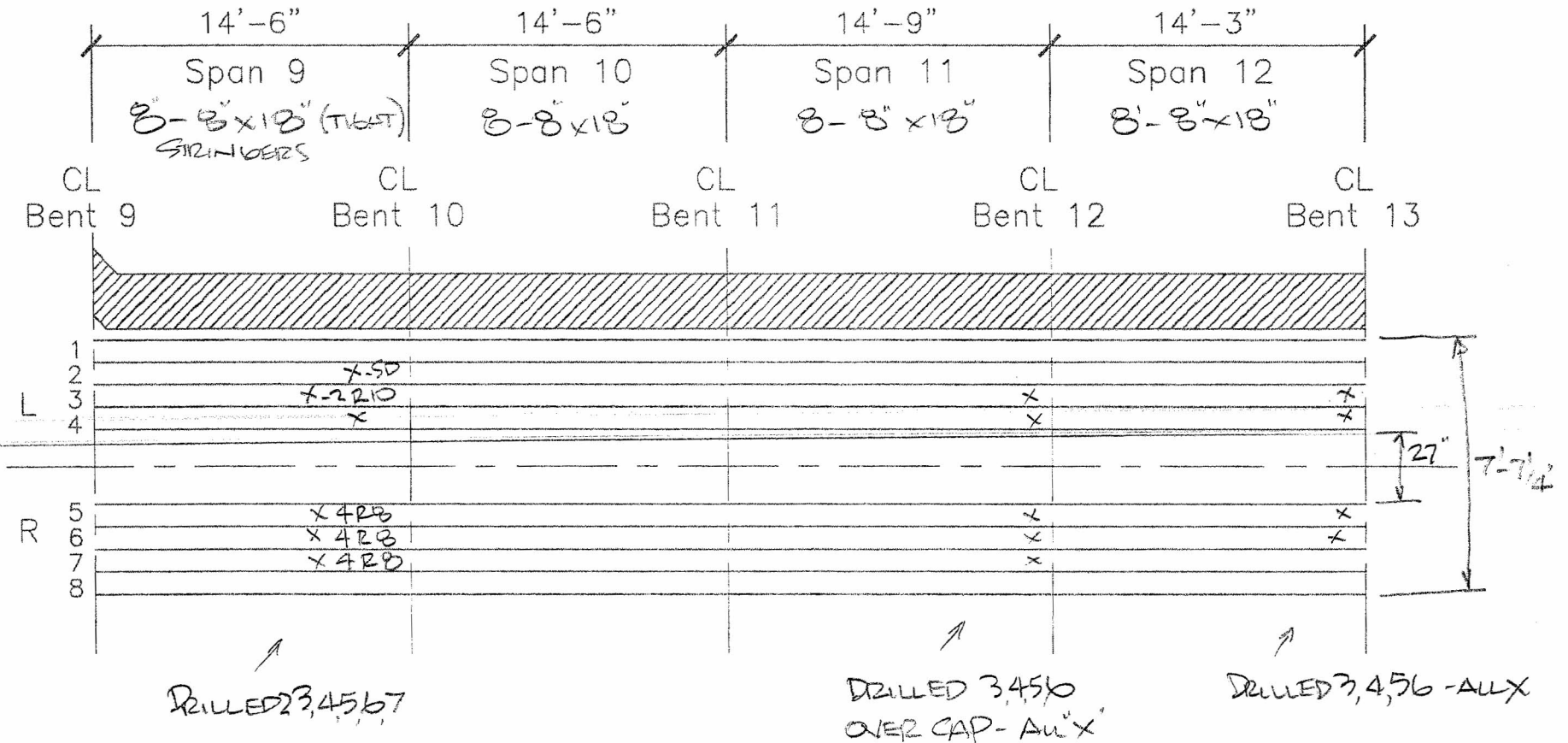


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FOUND

- #2 OK - STARTING DECAY WITHIN
- 3 2" X - 10" ROTTEN
- 4 DRILLED OK
- 5 4" X - 8" + ROTTEN
- 6 4" X - 8" + ROTTEN
- 7 X-4" - 8" + ROTTEN

NOTE: FOUND TIES TO BE SOFT AND DECAYING IN "TOPS" TYPICAL.

X = GOOD WOOD
 R = DECAYED
 SD = STARTING DECAY
 W = WET

Item no.	Description	Quantity	Thickness	Width	Length	Condition
	Base Plate and Bearing	4	2"	22"	21"	CS 1
	Pin at support	4	2 1/2" φ			CS 1
	Bottom Chord Eye Bars		IRON			
	Panel L0 - L1	4	1 3/8"	5 1/8"		CS 1
	Panel L1-L2	4	1 3/8"	5 1/8"		"
	Panel L2-L3	34	2 - 1 3/8" 2 - 1 1/4"	5 4		"
	Panel L3-L4	34	2 - 1 3/8" 2 - 1 1/4"			"
	Panel L4-L5	4				"
	Panel L5-L6	4				"
	Diagonal Eye Bars					
	Mem U1-L2	4	1 3/4"	5"		CS 1
	Mem U2-L3	4	1"	5 7/8"		"
	Mem U3-L2	4	1 7/8" φ	W/UPSET THREADS		"
	Mem L3-U4	4	1 1/4"	5"		"
	Mem L4-U5	4	1 3/4"	5"		"
	Built-Up Lattice Verticals L1-U1, L5-U5 (STEEL)	4	15"	18 1/2"	26'	CS 1
	Pheonix Verticals L0-U1 6 SEGMENT IRON	2	0.74			"
	Mem L2-U2 4 SEGMENT "	2	0.50			"
	Mem L3-U3 "	2	0.39			"
	Mem L4-U4 "	2	0.50			"
	Top Chord Pheonix Section U1-U5 6 SEGMENT	2				CS 1
	Top Chord Pins U1-U5	10				"
	Top Chord Lateral Braces U1, U2, U3, U4, U5	5				"
	Wind Brace Rods (Top) U1, U2, U3, U4, U5	10	1 1/2" φ			"

Description	Quantity	Thickness	Width	Length	Condition
Sway Brace Rods (Bot) L0-L6	12	2 1/4" ϕ			
Portal Brace (Each End) 3 SIDED PLATE	2				CS 1
Creel Brace (Each Corner) 4" x 2" x 3/8" L	4				CS 1
Top Chord Pins SEE TEST RESULTS	10				CS 1
Floorbeams SEE DWG					CS 1
Bottom Chord Pins L1, L2, L3, L4, L5 SEE REPORT	10				
Floor Beam Saddles L2, L3, L4 CASTINGS	12				
Floor Beam "U" Bars L2, L3, L4	12	2 1/4" ϕ			CS 1
Main Stringers (Exterior) SEE DWG	12				CS 1
Interior Stringers SEE DWG	12				CS 1
End Beam Supports (Between Support)	2				

	Description	Quantity	Thickness	Width	Length	Condition
	Bent1					
	Sill	1	6"	12"	12'	DELUS, APPROX. DIE CS2
	Bent 2					
	Sill	1	12"	14"	16'	"12" CS4
	Posts	5	12"	14"	6'	#1 IS CUT OFF CS2
	Cap	1	12"	14"	18'	DAMAGED TO BRACE CS2
	Bent 3					
	Sill	1	12"	14"	21'	CS2
	Posts	5	12"	14"	12'	POST 4 1/2" "2" CS4
	Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	CS2
	Bracing	2	4"	8"	22'	CS2
	Bent 4					
	Sill	1	12"	14"	24"	"12" - REPLACE CS5
	Posts	5	12"	14"	22'	POST 5 - "2" CS4
	Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	CS2
	Bracing	5	4"	8"	24'	CS2
	Bent 5					
	Sill	1	12"	14"	24'	"12" - REPLACE CS5
	Posts	5	12"	14"	26'	CS2
	Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	CS2
	Bracing	5	4"	8"	24'	CS2
	Bent 6					
	Sill	1	12"	14"	19'	"12" - REPLACE CS5
	Posts	5	12"	14"	14'	#3, #4 CHECKED CS2
	Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	CS2
	Bracing	2	4"	8"	24'	CS2

NOTE: REPLACE ALL LINE BRACING PTS 3-6
 ALL 5 6" 8" 300'

CS5

Description	Quantity	Thickness	Width	Length	Condition
Bent 7					
Sill	1	12"	14"	18'	"R" REPLACE CS5
Posts	5	12"	14"	10'	#2 CHECKED CS4
Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	
Bracing	2	4"	8"	18'	
Bent 8 - Pier 1					
Sill	1	6"	12"	12'	"R" REPLACE CS5
Bent 9 - Pier 2					
Sill	1	6"	12"	12'	"R" REPLACE CS5
Bent 10					
Sill	1	12"	14"	23'	"R" REPLACE CS5
Posts	5	12"	14"	24'	POSTS 1,4,5 "R" CS5
Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	CS2
Bracing	5	4"	8"	24'	CS2
Bent 11					
Sill	1	12"	14"	22'	"R" REPLACE CS5
Posts	5	12"	14"	18'	#3, #4 CHECKED REPLACE CS4
Cap	1	12"	14"	16'	CS2
Bracing	5	4"	8"	20'	HORIZ/MIDWAY "R" CS5
Bent 12					
Sill					
Posts					
Cap					
Bracing					

NOTE: REPLACE ALL LINE BRACINGS BT'S 9"-12"
 ALL 5 6" 8" 300' CS5

Description	Quantity	Thickness	Width	Length	Condition
Bent 13					
Sill	1	6"	12"	12'	SILL IS "R" CS5
Line Bracing	ALL	6"	8"	300 LF	"R" @ ENDS CS5
BACKWALL LAGGING & WINGS	ALL	4"	12"	200 LF	"R" - HOLLOW CS5
Decking					
Ties 4x8" @ 8" - 8" x 9"		8"	4-8"	9'-0"	SPANS 9, 10, 11, 12 CS4
Running Plank	NONE				CS3
Hand Rail Ties (BRACES @ 45°)	1	4"	4"		CS3
Bull Rail (FELLOW - SUBMERGED)	ALL	4"	8"		"R" w/TERMITES CS5
External Decking	ALL	2"	6"	9'	CS3
Seating (Trex Simulated)	ALL	2"	6"	VARIES	CS2
Rail Posts		4"	4"	4'	CS3
Railing (TIMBER)	5	2"	6"	Lx5	CS3
METAL Meal Railing LIGHT WT / STEEL				120'	CS2
Strip Decking - UNDER TOP DECK	Lx5	2"	6"	9'	SOFT/MOSSY CS3



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BENT 1 - SOUTH END (LOOKING BACK)

R = ROTTEN

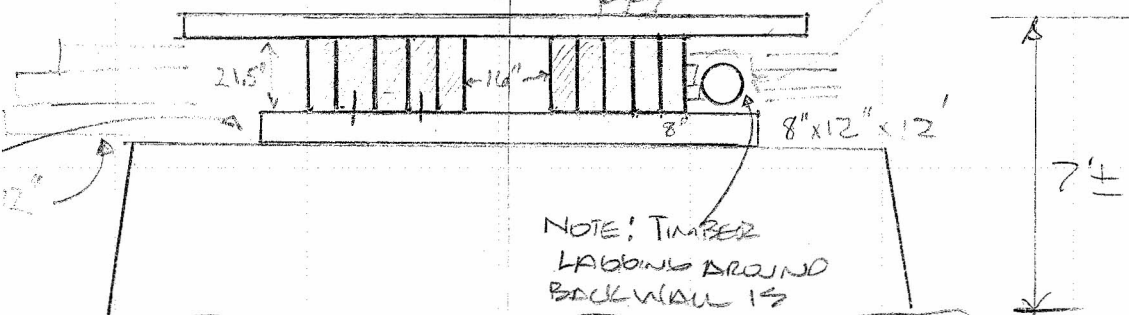
PIPE = 4" ϕ CONC.

4" ϕ 8" Decking

1 \rightarrow Drill

Dirt on sill

Backwall 4" x 12"



NOTE: TIMBER LAGGING AROUND BACK WALL IS

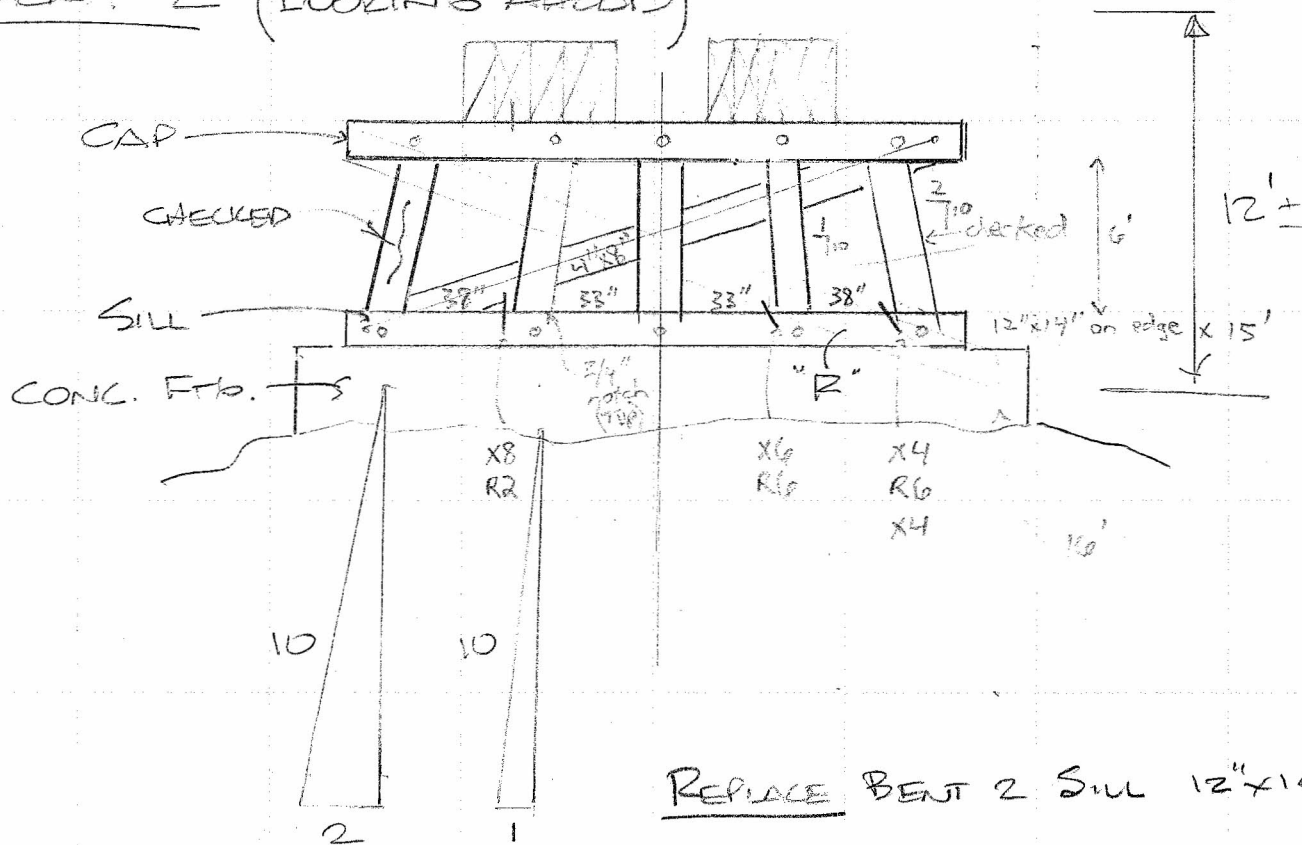
RETAINED - ALLOWING FUEL TO SPILL THROUGH

TIMBER WINDOW WALLS

ARE IN POOR CONDITION

14" DRIVEN PILES W/ 4" x 12" LAGGING IN PLACE.

BENT 2 (LOOKING AHEAD)



REPLACE BENT 2 SILL 12" x 14" x 16"



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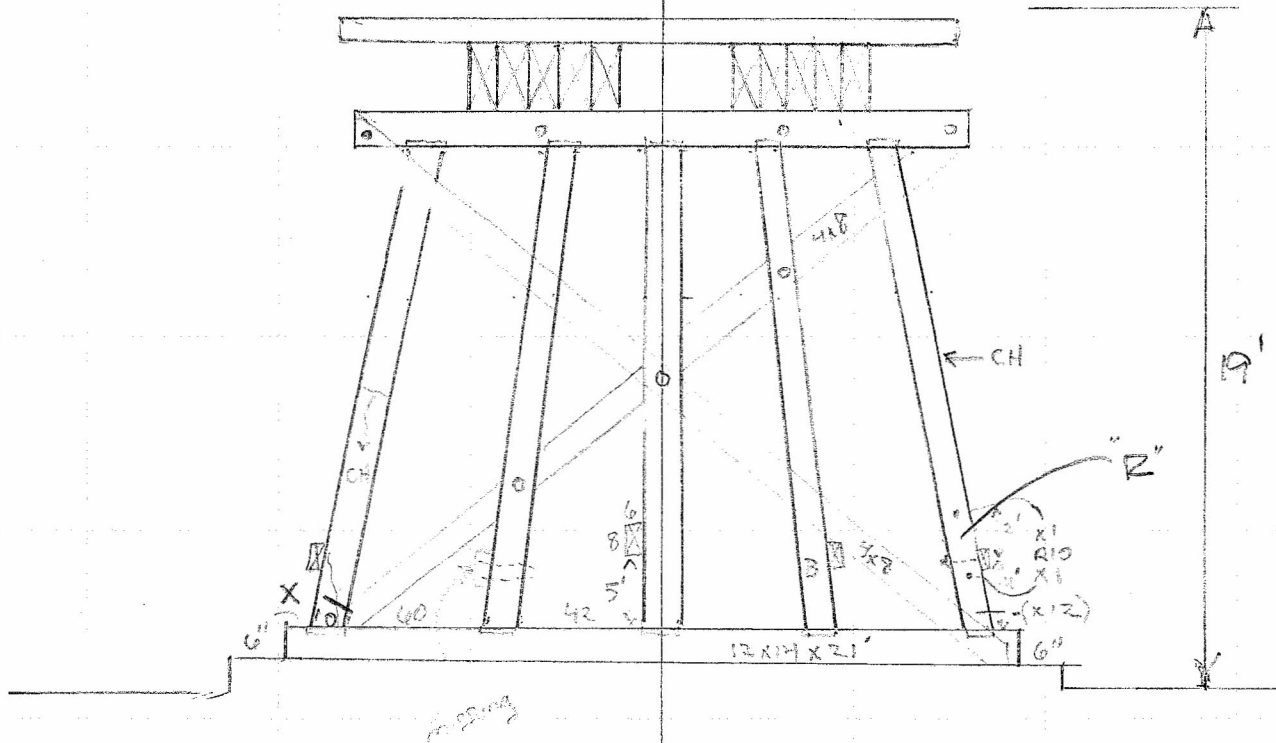
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BENT 3

B = BAD
CH = CHECKED
R = ROTTEN



REPLACE POST # A & #5 12"x14"x18'

REPLACE 6"x8" BRACING.

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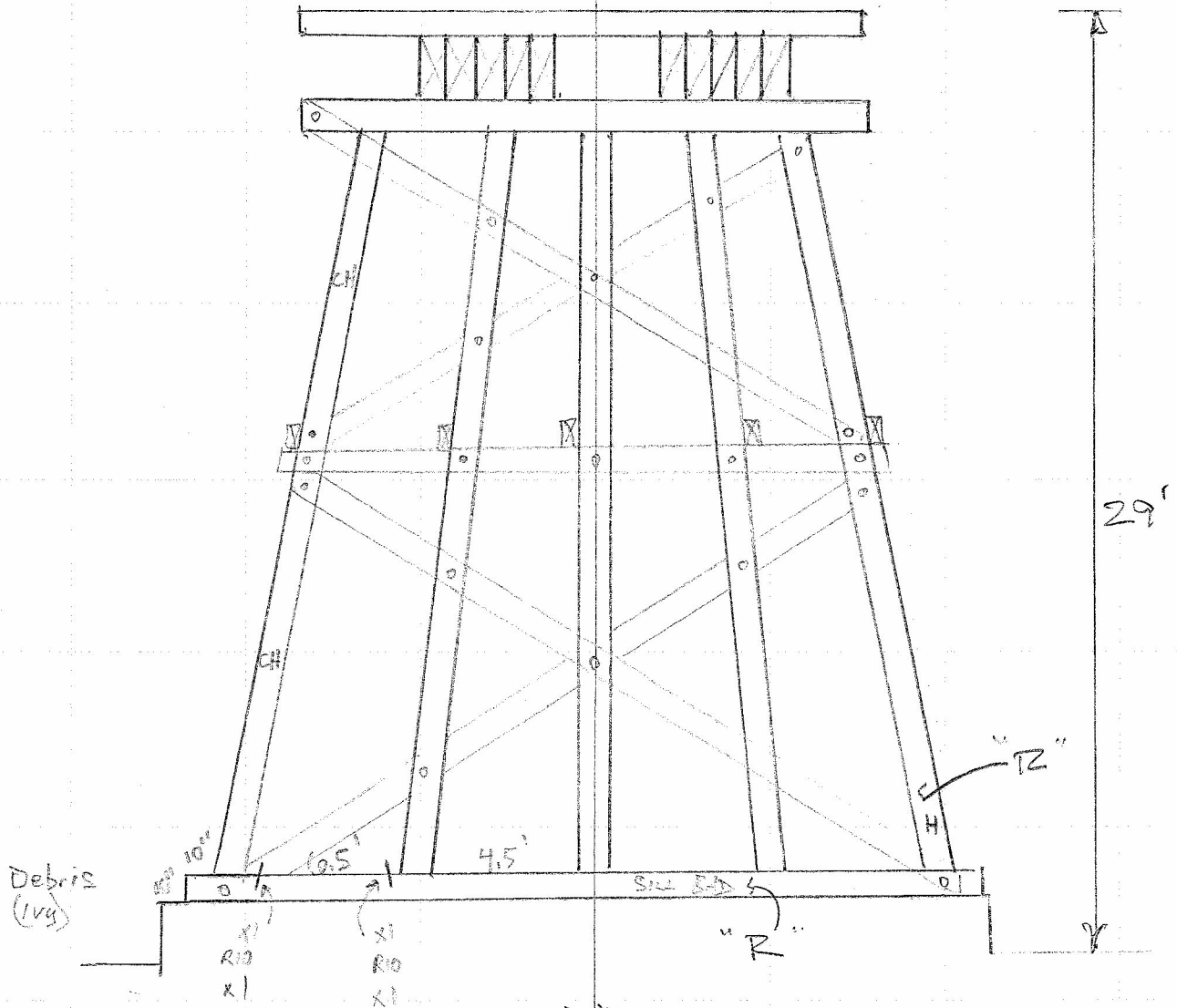
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BENT 4

H = Hollow
CH = checked
R = ROTTEN



REPLACE 12" x 14" x 24' LONG SILL

REPLACE ALL 5-6" x 8" LINE BRACING

REPLACE 12" x 12" x 24' LONG POST #5



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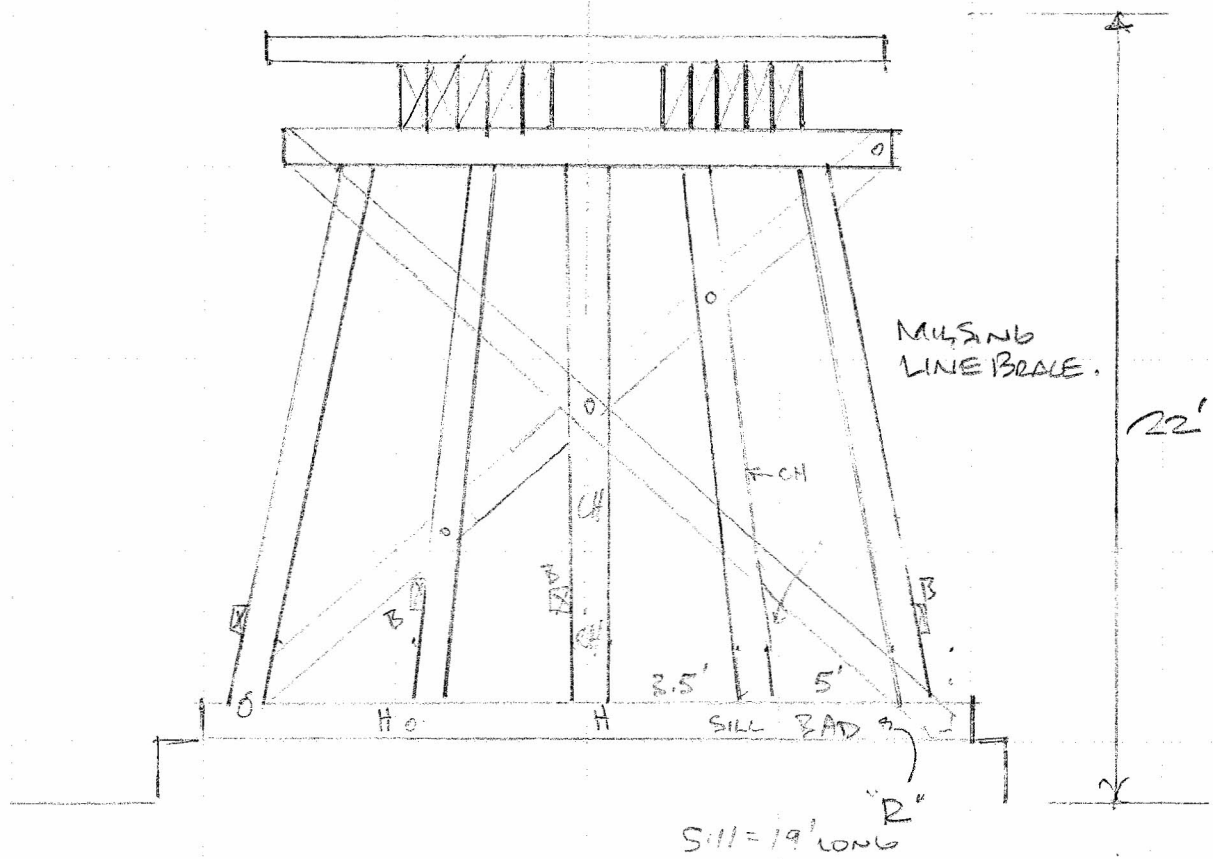
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BENT 6

H = HOLLOW
R = ROTTEN
CH = CHECKED
B = BAD



REPLACE 5 - 6" x 8" LINE BRACES

REPLACE 12" x 14" x 20' LONG SILL

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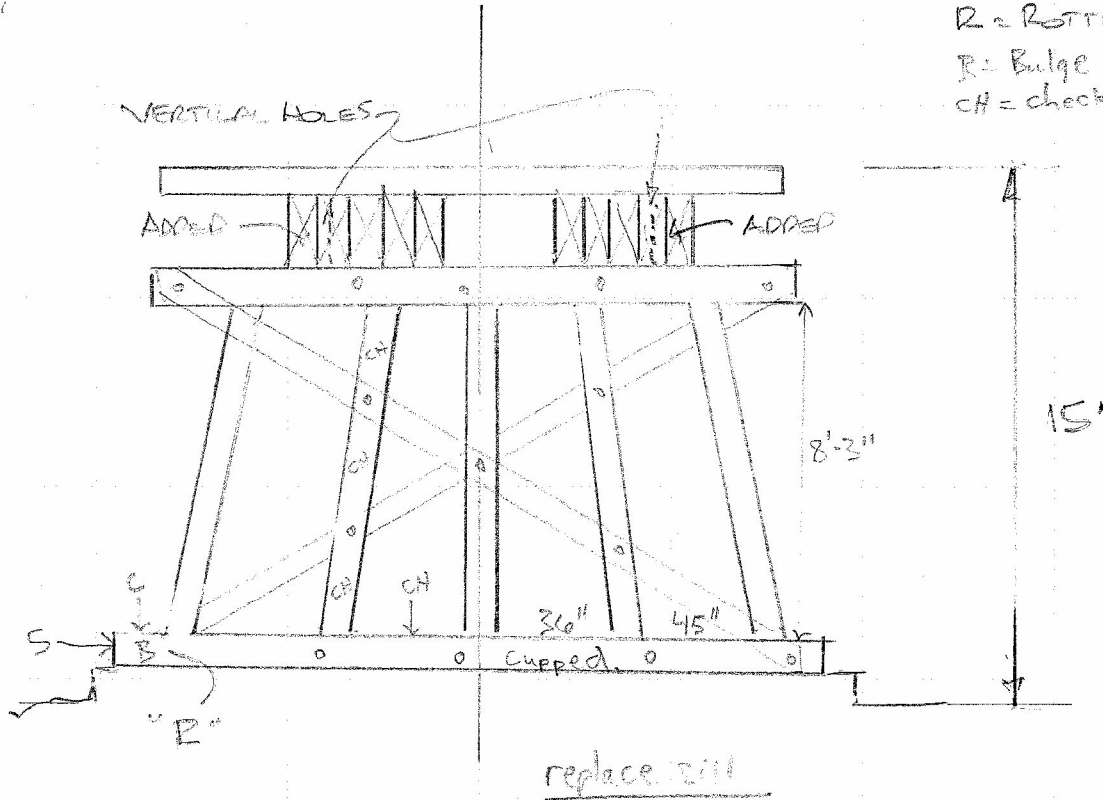
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S = Shattered
 C = crack
 R = ROTTEN
 B = Bulge
 CH = checked

BEAM 7



Note: S1 & S10 (entire bridge) vertical bolts @ 4' o.c. ±

REPLACE 12" x 14" x 18' LONG SILL

REPLACE POST #2 12" x 14" x 10' LONG



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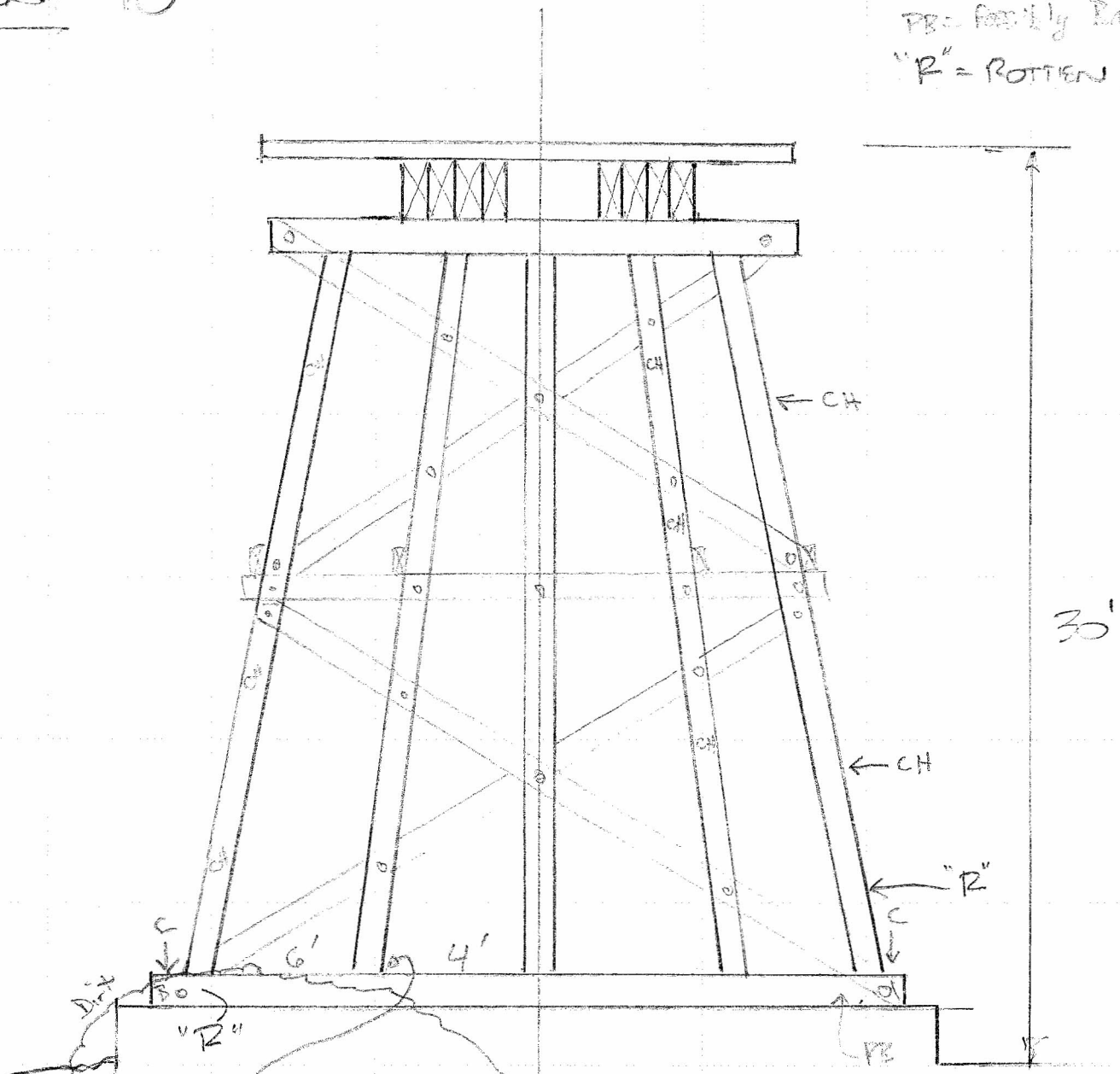
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Bent 6

CH = checked.
C = crack
PB = possibly End
"R" = ROTTEN



NOTE: POSTS ARE WEDGED TIGHT WITH CEDAR SHIMMLES UP TO 1/2" THICK.

Sill = 23'

REPLACE 12" x 14" x 24' LONG Sill

REPLACE Posts = 145 (3) 12" x 14" x 24' LONG.

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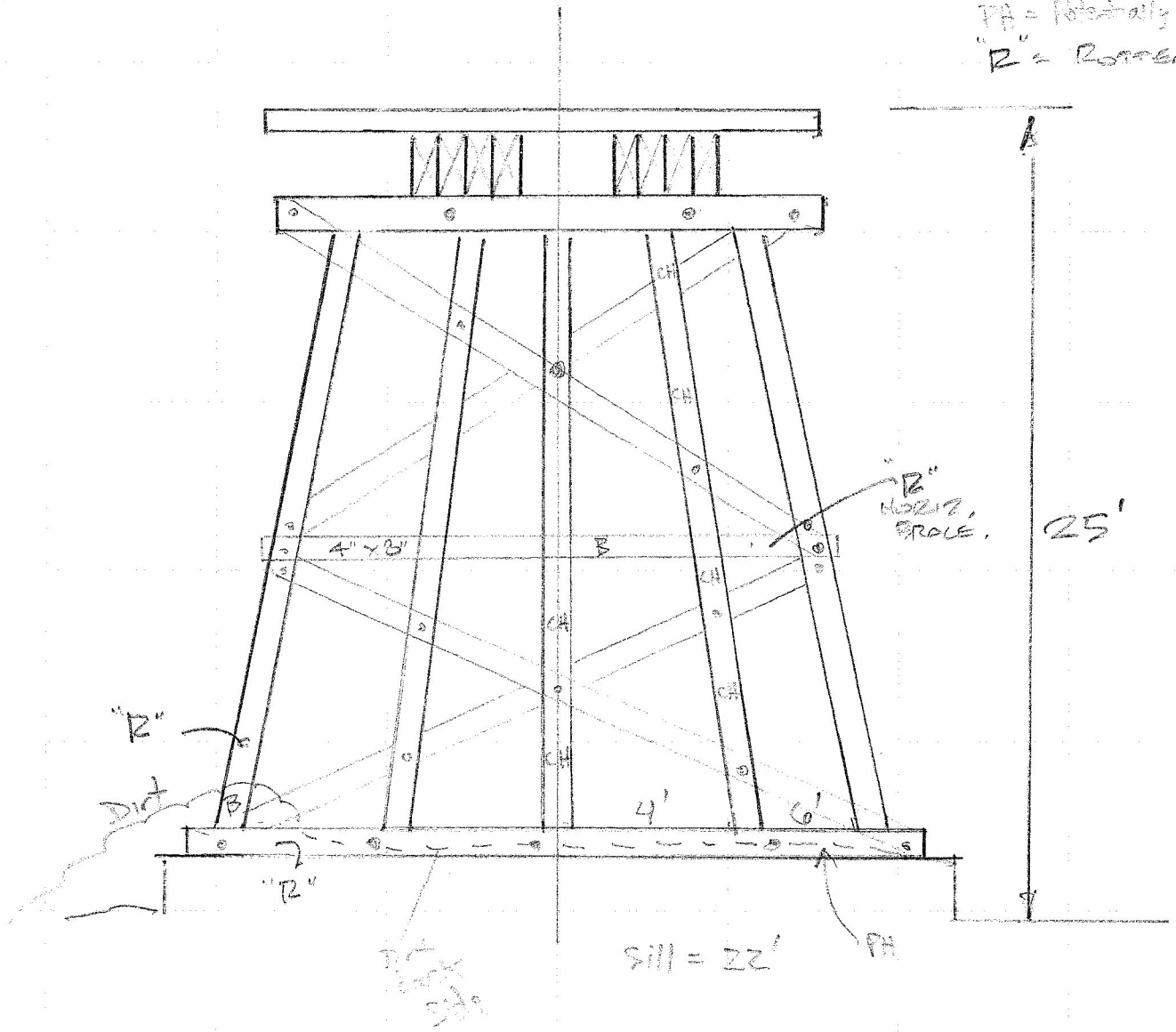
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BENT 11

B = Bad
CH = checked
PH = Potentially Hazardous
"R" = Rotten



REPLACE 12" x 14" x 22' LONG SILL.

REPLACE 4" x 8" x 20' LONG HORIZ. BRACE

REPLACE POSTS 3, 4, 12" x 14" x 20' LONG X(2)



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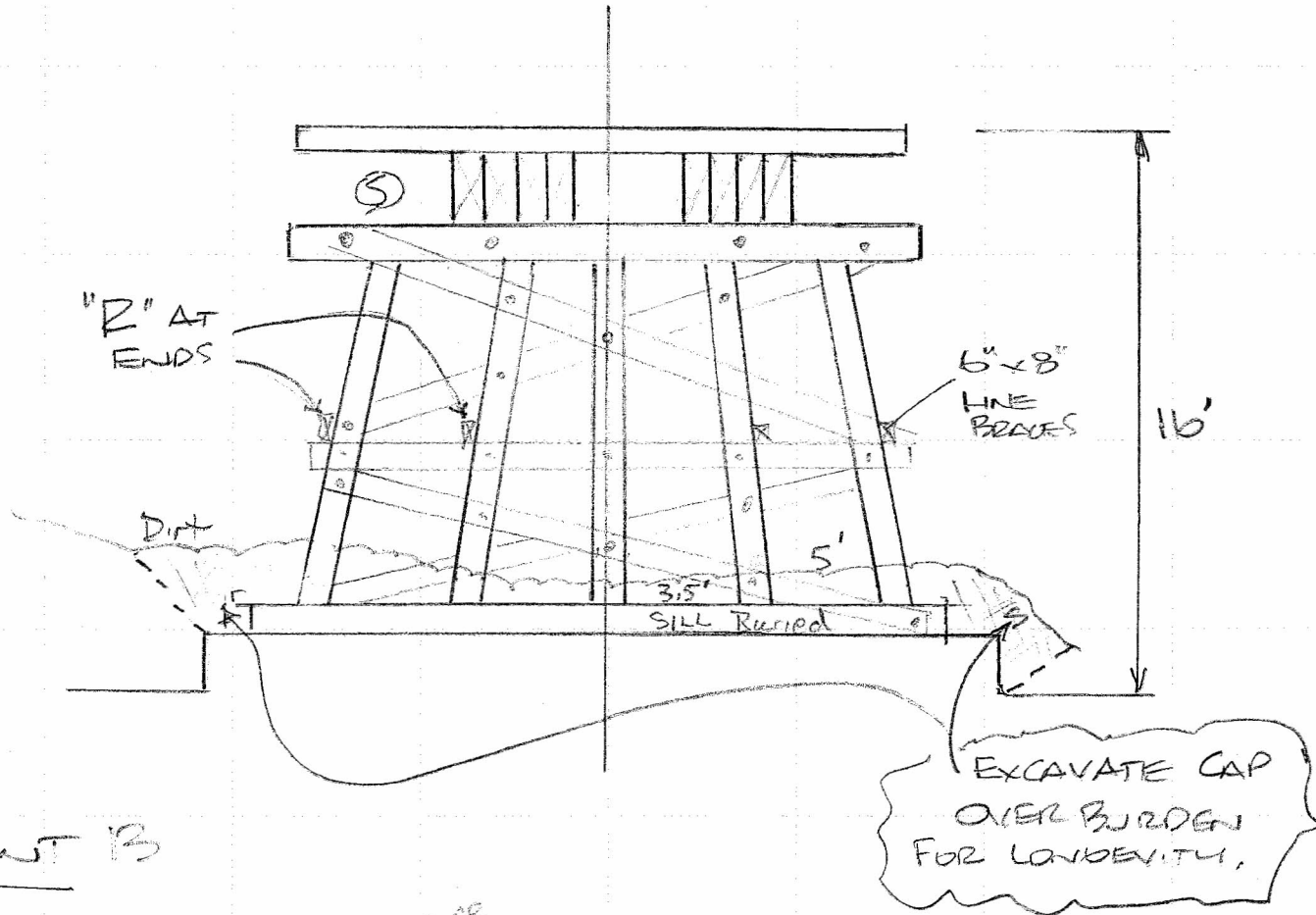
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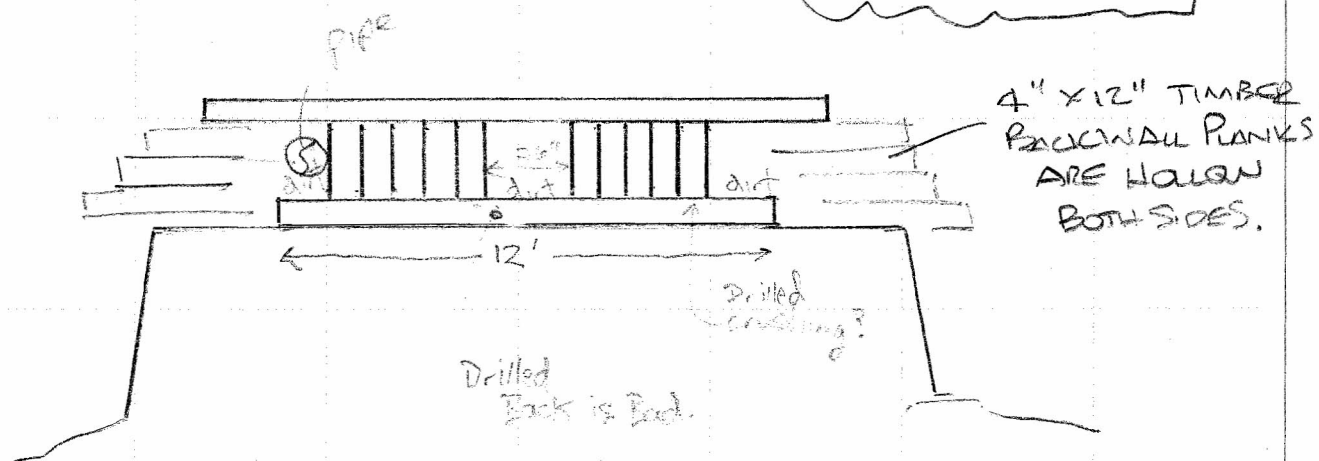
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BENT 12



BENT 13



REPLACE LINE BRACING AT 10-12 6" x 8" x _____
REPLACE 6" x 12" x 12' LONG SILL @ 13