

# CURVE AT JUNCTION OF SPENCER AND LONSDALE ST<sup>TS</sup>

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DESCRIPTION B 8. 5.

PLAN B<sup>8</sup>

CURVE. - JUNCTION of SPENCER STREET with LONSDALE STREET.

1. The Checks of Special Check-Rails of Nos. 1 and 3 Rails are worn to varying degrees, and in centre of each curve, the check is badly worn.
2. The sides of heads of opposite rails (Nos. 2 and 4) are grooved to varying amounts, and on No. 2 Rail the side of head is badly grooved for a length of about 39 feet.
3. No. 3 Rail is 37 Miles. below gauge, and is bottoming in places over a length of 63 feet.
4. No. 4 Rail. The special check to check-rail is loose and ineffective in places.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove; also

SUPER-ELEVATIONS, taken April 6th, 1916.

The Sets of Tests taken opposite M.C.C. Pole No. 43, are as follows :-

	<u>CLEARANCE</u>	<u>SUPER-ELEVATION</u>
No. 1 Rail	.264"	
" 2 "	.109"	$1\frac{1}{16}$ " (R)
" 3 "	0	$1\frac{1}{4}$ " (B) <small>M.C.C. POLE NO. 43.</small>
" 4 "	.250"	

The Sets of Tests taken, opposite Pole No. 1, are as follows :-

	<u>CLEARANCE</u>	<u>SUPER-ELEVATION</u>
No. 1 Rail	.562	
No. 2 "	.357	$\frac{1}{2}$ " (R)
No. 3 "	.531	
No. 4 "	.342	$4\frac{1}{2}$ " (R)

CURVE 140' 8" LONG

30'-0" RADIUS

DATES OF CURVE RAIL RENEWALS.

Full renewal both Tracks Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4. - July 26th, 1908.

Length of Curve 140' 8"

Radius of Curve 90' 0"

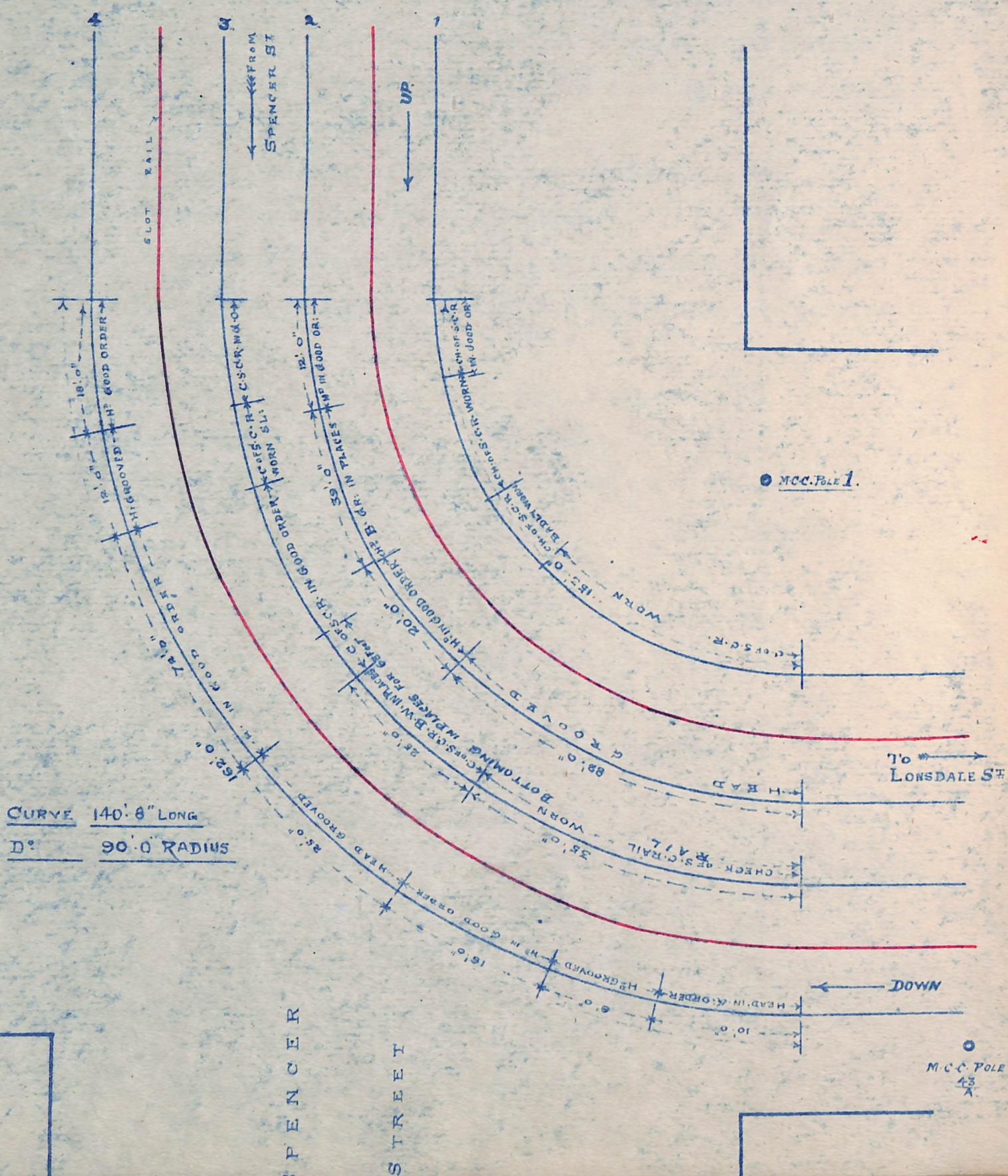
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**CURVE** AT JUNCTION OF **SPENCER**  
AND **LONSDALE S<sup>TS</sup>**

LINE 5.

**PLAN B8.**



CURVE AND JUNCTION AT JUNCTION OF  
ELIZABETH STREET WITH LONSDALE ST

ALSO EMERGENCY SHUNT ELIZABETH ST.

LINE 5.

(BRUNSWICK LINE)

DESCRIPTION B.9.

CURVE - at JUNCTION of ELIZABETH ST. with LONSDALE ST.

1. The Checks of Special Check Rails of Nos. 2 and 4 Rails, are worn to varying amounts, and badly so in places. The sides of Heads of opposite Rails (Nos. 1 and 3) are grooved to varying degrees, and badly so in places, as a result of the above Check-Wear.
2. In three places, lengths of Tram-rails are pumping, resulting in loosening of adjacent paving. Fishplates are presumably loose.
3. 13 of the Joints of rails, adjacent to Crossing-intersections, and Points, are wide (varying from  $1/8"$  to  $5/8"$ ) and in many cases are hammered.
4. The heels of the four Points to Curve are of loose fit, and rocking. Tongues are worn to varying degrees.
5. At the Crossing-intersections, also at intersections of Slot-rails with Tram-rails, hammering and wear are taking place to varying degrees.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove, also

SUPER-ELEVATIONS taken April 13th. 1916.

The sets of Tests taken on Curve (opp. door of No. 269) are as follows :-

	CLEARANCE	SUPER-ELEVATION
No. 1 Rail	.295	
No. 2 "	.512	2 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (R)
No. 3 " <sup>badly. Tongue worn</sup>	.295	1 $\frac{5}{8}$ " (R)
No. 4 " <sup>badly. D. D.</sup>	.574	

NOTE. - Nos. 1 and 2 Rails. - Slight Down Gradient.

D Distance D' D" D'

DATES OF CURVE RAIL RENEWALS.

E Hammering at Head Intersection

Full renewal both Tracks - Rails 1, 2, 3 and 4 - March 19th. 1908.

F D" D' D" D'

Length of Curve 141' 3"

G D" D' D" D'

Radius " " A 90' 0"

H D" D" D" D'

I D" D" D" D'

J D" D" D" D'

K D" D" D" D'

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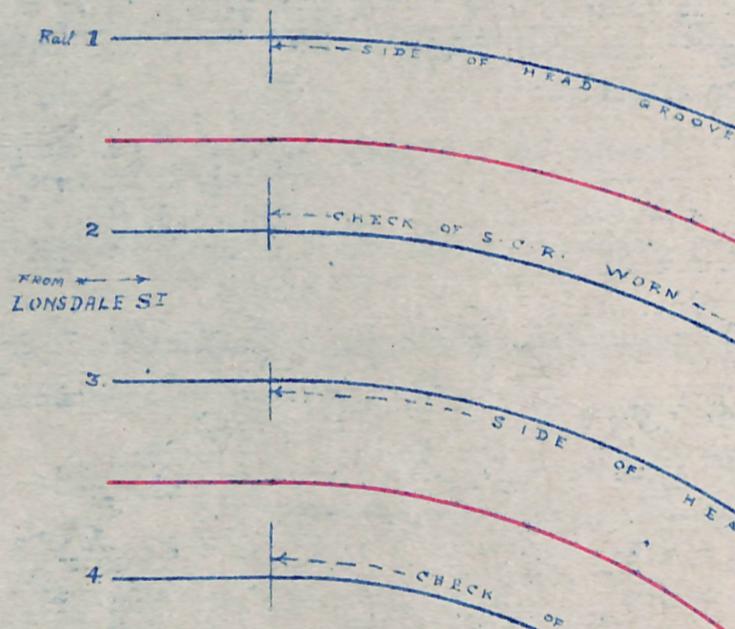
CURVE AND JUNCTION AT JUNCTION OF  
ELIZABETH STREET WITH LONSDALE ST<sup>T</sup>

ALSO EMERGENCY SHUNT - ELIZABETH ST

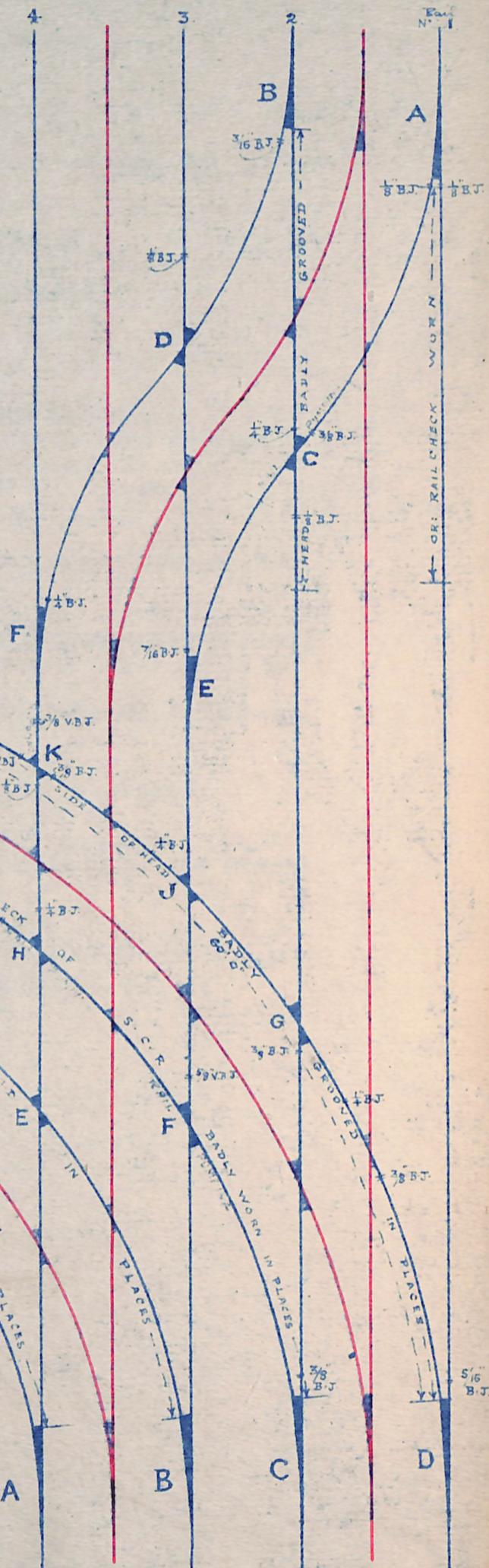
# (BRUNSWICK LINE)

- A { Front Casting  
Lowered Tie Rail. . Tongue Worm.
  - B Ordinary Heel Rocking. Tongue Worm.
  - C Very Bad Hammering at Rail Intersections.
  - D Hammering at Rail Intersection
  - E Tongue Worm.
  - F Tongue Worm.

CURVE 141.3' LONG  
D° 90.0' RADIUS



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|---|-----------------------|----------------------|----|----|
| A | Lipped Heel Rocking.  | Tongue, Worn.        |    |    |
| B | Ordinary Heel Rocking | D:                   | D: |    |
| C | Lipped Heel Rocking   | D:                   | D: |    |
| D | Ordinary              | D:                   | D: | D: |
| E | Hammering             | at Rail Intersection |    |    |
| F | D:                    | -                    | D: | D: |
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| J | D:                    | -                    | D: | D: |
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SINGLE SHUNT AT TERMINUS

JOHNSTON STREET

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SCHEDULE OF SHUNTS,CROSSINGS AND CURVES.

1. A few special checks to the two inner Curve-rails are badly worn  
in places, whilst the CARLTON LINE, of the two opposite No. 6. (Outer-

(ABBOTSFORD BRIDGE to LONSDALE STREET)

(Via Johnston Street and Elgin Street).

2. Single Shunt at Terminus (for Johnston Street about 28 yards) (near Abbotsford Bridge)
3. "Turn-In" and "Turn-Out" to Tramcar Depot do do
4. Curve Junction of Elgin Street with Lygon Street
5. Curve in Lygon Street (opposite Mackenzie Street)
6. Curve Junction of Russell Street with Lonsdale Street.
7. Emergency Shunt Lonsdale Street (opposite Hospital).
8. Curve & Junction Junction of Lonsdale Street with Swanston Street.

152 (B)

The outer check of No. 6 rail is very very thin.

152 (C)

152 (D)

SINGLE SHUNT AT TERMINUSJOHNSTON STREETLINE 6. Taking. Tongue wornDESCRIPTION 1.~~Shunt Rail Rightly~~SINGLE SHUNT at TERMINUS - JOHNSTON STREET.

1. The Special Checks to the two Inner Curve-rails are badly worn in places, whilst the sides of heads of the two opposite rails (Outer-curves) are badly grooved in places, as a result of the above check-wear.  $9/16''$  is worn off side of Tread of curved rail adjacent to No. 4 Straight rail.
2. Nos. 1 and 2 Rails. (Up Track). The rail check of No. 2 rail, between Point of Shunt and Terminus (for a distance of about 28 yards) is worn badly in places, and the side of head of opposite rail (No. 1) is grooved as a result of the above check-wear, and badly so in places.
3. At the Crossing-intersections, also at intersections of Slet-rails with tram-rails, hammering, to varying degrees, is taking place.
4. Some of the Joints of Tram-rails, adjacent to Crossing-intersections, and Points, are wide, and, in several cases, are hammered.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove, also  
SUPER-ELEVATION, taken April 28th, 1916, at Terminus, (opposite "Ravarnette"),

	CLEARANCE	SUPER-ELEVATION
No. 1 Rail	.016	$1\frac{1}{8}''$ (R)
No. 2 "	.186	

NOTE. The ordinary Check of No. 1 Rail is worn very thin.

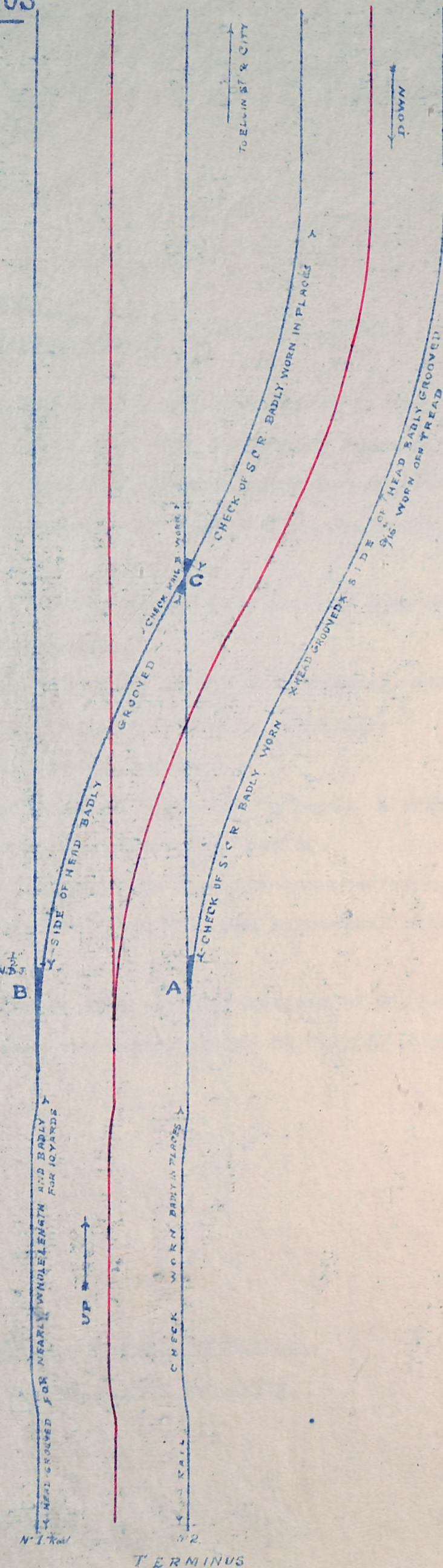
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## SINGLE SHUNT AT TERMINUS

# JOHNSTON STREET

- A Lipped Heel Rocking. Tongue Worm
  - B Ordinary Heel Rocking Slightly.
  - C Slight Hammering at Rail Intersection



LINE 6.  
PLAN 2.

TURN AND TURN-OUT TO CAR DEPOT  
JOHNSTON STREET

A Heel below level of Rail. Tongue St. Worn.

B Heel F.G. Onder.

C Points Slightly Hammered.

LINE 6.

DESCRIPTION 2. Badly at Heel.  
Heel Tongs and Below heel of Rail

F Heel loose fit. Point Worn.

JOHNSTON STREET - "TURN-IN" to }  
and "TURN-OUT" from }

G N.F.

H Points Slightly Hammered

1. ~~The Checks of Special Check Rails of Inner-Curves to "Turn-in" to, and "Turn-Out" from Tram Car Depot, are worn to varying degrees, and badly so in places. The sides of heads of opposite rails are grooved in places. Checks to Special Check-rails of Inner Curves are loose, and ineffective, in places.~~
2. ~~A length of rail (about 15' 0") of No. 4 Rail, on each side of Point of "Turn-In" to Depot, is bottoming.~~
3. ~~The heels of 2 of the four Points are of bad fit, rocking, and below level of adjacent rails, resulting in excessive hammering. Tongues of all Points are worn to varying degrees.~~
4. ~~On No. 3 Rail, adjacent to Point of "Turn-In" to Depot, a short length (about 3" long) of rail-check is broken and missing.~~
5. ~~10 of the Joints of rails, adjacent to Crossing-Intersections, and Points, are wide (varying from 1/4" to 5/8"), and in several cases are hammered.~~
6. ~~At the Crossing-intersections, also at intersections of Slot-rails with tram-rails, hammering and wear are taking place, to varying degrees.~~

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LINE 6.  
PLAN 2.

TURN AND TURN-OUT TO CAR DEPOT  
JOHNSTON STREET

A Heel below level of Rail. Tongue Sl. Worn.

B Heel F.G. Order

C Points Slightly Hammered.

D Nil.

E Point Rocking Badly at Heel.  
Heel Loose and Below level of Rail.

F Heel loose fit. Point Worn.

G Nil.

H Points Slightly Hammered.

I Points Hammered.

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# CURVE - JUNCTION OF LYGON AND ELGIN ST<sup>TS</sup>

LINE 6. PLAN 3.

LINE 6.

DESCRIPTION 3.

CURVE .... at JUNCTION of ELGIN and LYGON STREETS.

1. The Checks of Special Check-rails (Nos. 1 Up and 3 Down Rails) are worn to varying amounts, and badly so, in places.
2. The sides of heads of opposite rails (Nos. 2 Up and 4 Down Rails) are grooved to varying degrees, and badly so in places, as a result of the above Check-wear.
3. No. 2 Rail is 60 mils lower than Gauge, and is bottoming for 2 yards.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove, also  
SUPER-ELEVATIONS, taken April 27th, 1916.

The sets of Tests taken on Curve, opposite 202 Elgin Street) are as follows :-

<u>CHECK</u>	<u>CLEARANCE</u>	<u>SUPER-ELEVATION</u>
No. 1 Rail	.248	
No. 2 "	0	3" (R)
No. 3 "	.341	
No. 4 "	.202	

CURVE 142 ft Long  
30 ft RADIUS

Rail No. 4	Renewed	Feby. 25th. 1906
Rails Nos. 1, 2 & 3 "	"	Novr. 25th. 1906
13 ft. Check Rail "	"	Decr. 31st. 1913

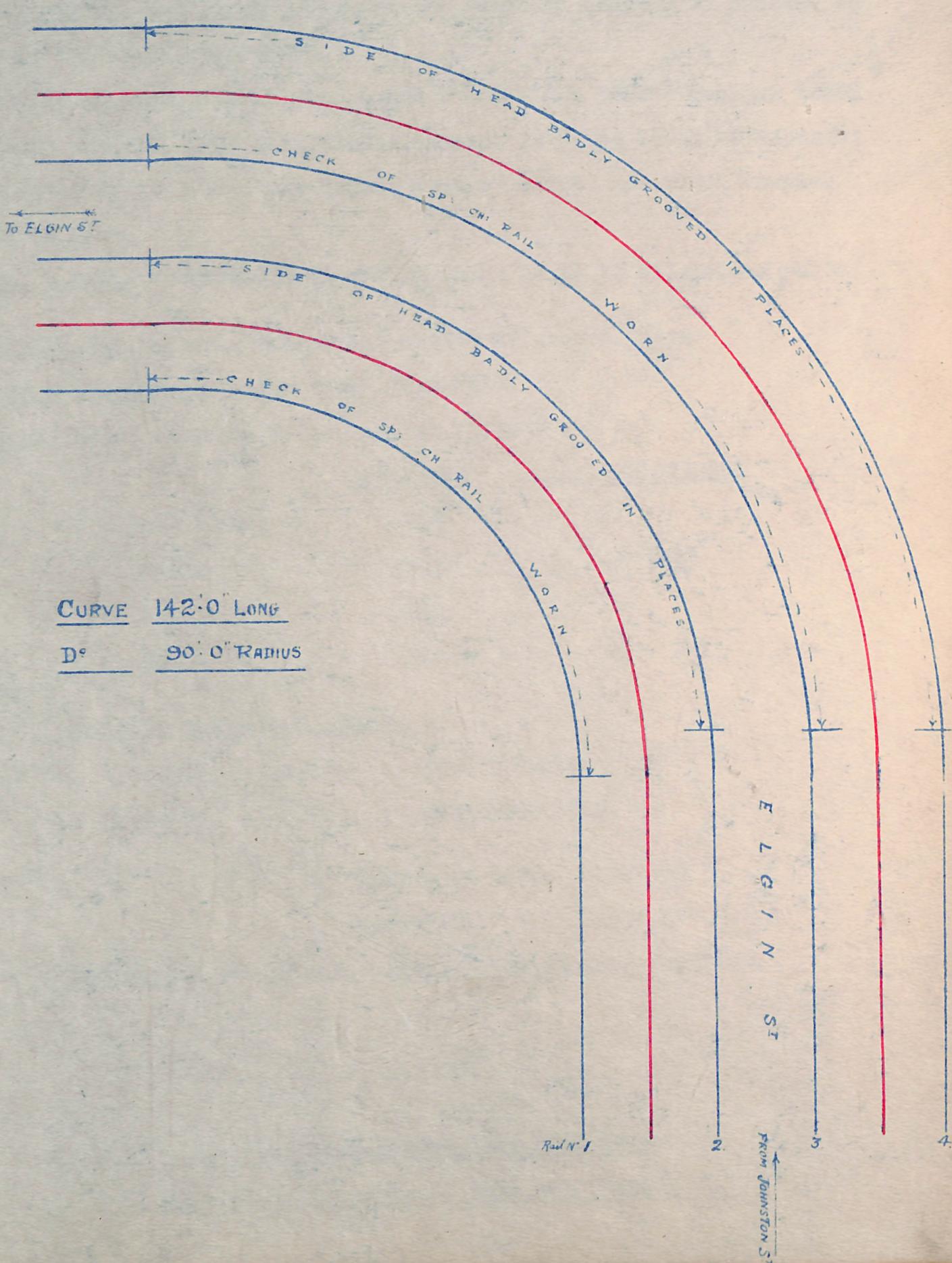
Length of Curve 142' 0"  
Radius of " 90' 0"

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# CURVE JUNCTION OF LYGON AND ELGIN ST<sup>TS</sup>

LINE 6. PLAN 3.



LINE 6. PLAN 4.

CURVE IN LYGON ST

AT JUNCTION WITH RUSSELL ST (OPP MACKENZIE ST)

LINE 6.

DESCRIPTION No. 4.

CURVE - RUSSELL STREET, at JUNCTION with LYGON STREET

(opposite MACKENZIE STREET)

1. The special Checks to Old Rails, of Nos. 1 Up and 3 Down Rails, are worn in places.
2. The sides of heads of opposite rails - No. 2 Up-Rail - are badly grooved in places, and No. 4 Down-Rail, is slightly grooved in places, as a result of the above check-wear.
3. Paving on each side of Nos. 1 and 2 Rails (Up Track) has been taken up and badly re-laid. In many places, paving is below level of adjacent rails (varying up to  $3/8"$ ), and Joints between blocks are wide, varying from  $1/4"$  to  $5/8"$ .
4. No. 2 Rail. Corrugations are apparent up to 15 mils along Curve.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove, also  
SUPER-ELEVATIONS taken April 26th. 1916.

The sets of Tests, taken on Curve, are as follows :-

NOTE.

	<u>CLEARANCE</u>	<u>SUPER-ELEVATION</u>	<small>TAR SURFACE OVER WHOLE AREA OF CURVE SHATTERED AND BROKEN.</small>
No. 1 Rail	.434		
No. 2 "	.163	3" (R)	
No. 3 "	.310		
No. 4 "	.310	$\frac{5}{8}$ " (R)	

DATES OF CURVE RAIL RENEWALS.

Rails Nos. 1 and 2      Renewed      June 5th. 1910  
" Nos. 3 and 4      "      June 30th. 1915.

Length of Curve    128' 0" MACKENZIE ST  
Radius "        264' 0"

Gradient - Nos. 1 and 2 Rails - Slight Down Gradient.

DATE First Inspected - June 14th. 1916.

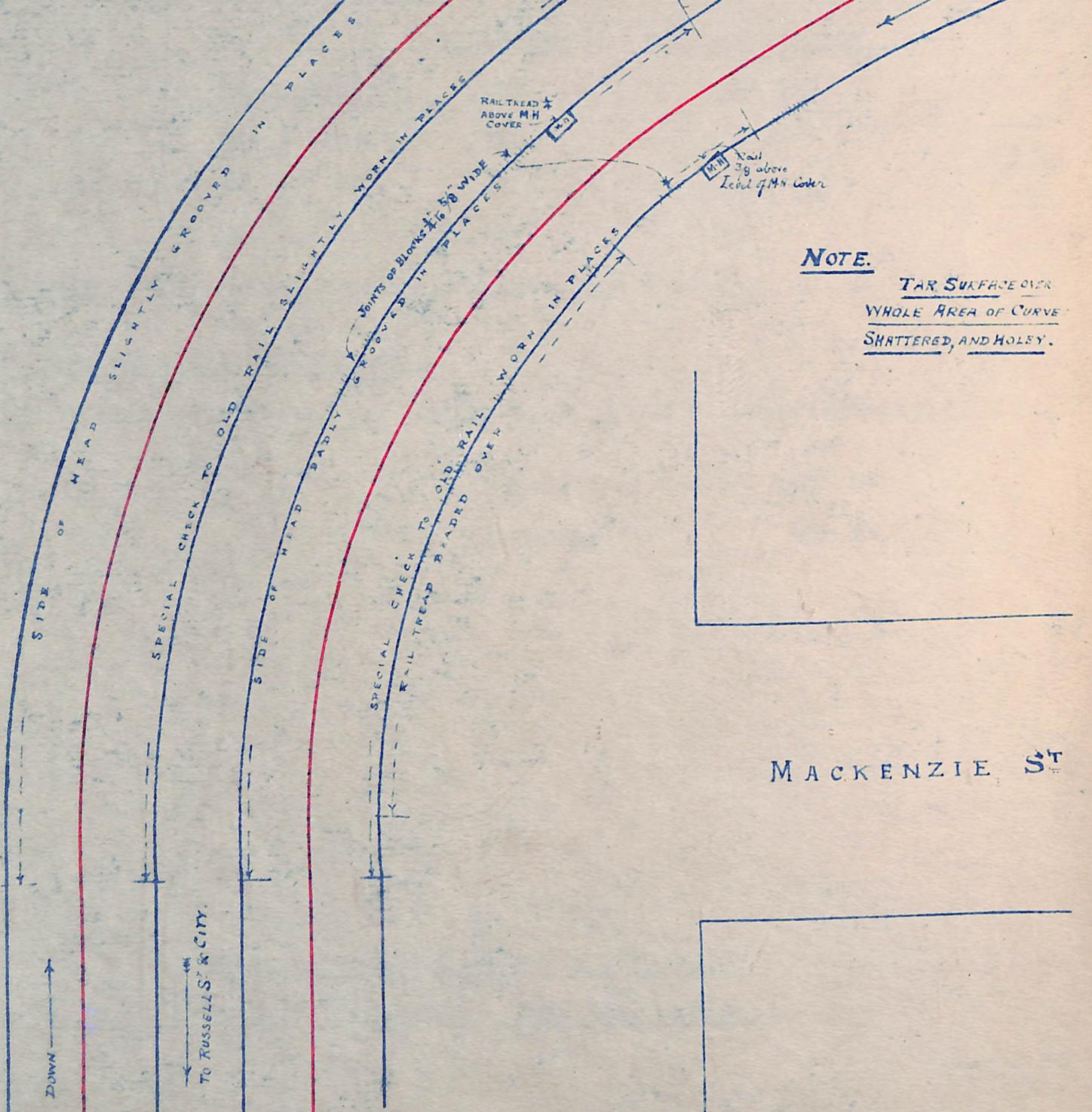
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LINE 6. PLAN 4.

CURVE IN LYGON ST

AT JUNCTION WITH RUSSELL ST (OPP MACKENZIE ST)

CURVE 128' 0" LONG  
D<sup>2</sup> 264' 0" RADIUS



# RIGHT ANGLE CURVE

JUNCTION OF RUSSELL AND LONSDALE ST<sup>S</sup>

LINE 6.

DESCRIPTION 5.

CURVE - JUNCTION of RUSSELL and LONSDALE STREETS.

1. The Checks of Special Check-rails of Nos. 2 and 4 Rails are worn to varying degrees, and in places badly so.
2. The sides of heads of opposite rails (Nos. 1 and 3) are grooved to varying amounts, and in places badly so, as a result of the above check-wear.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove, also  
SUPER-ELEVATIONS, taken April 26th. 1916.

The Sets of Tests taken on Curve are as follows :-

	<u>CLEARANCE</u>	<u>SUPER-ELEVATION</u>
No. 1 Rail	.295	$3\frac{1}{2}$ " (R)
No. 2 "	.372	
No. 3 "	.217	$3\frac{3}{8}$ " (R)
No. 4 "	.434	

NOTE. Nos. 1 and 2 Rails - Slight Down Gradient.

DATE of CURVE RAIL RENEWALS.

Full Renewal both tracks ... Rails 1, 2, 3 and 4 Sept. 30th. 1914.

Length of Curve 141' 0"

Radius " " 90' 0"

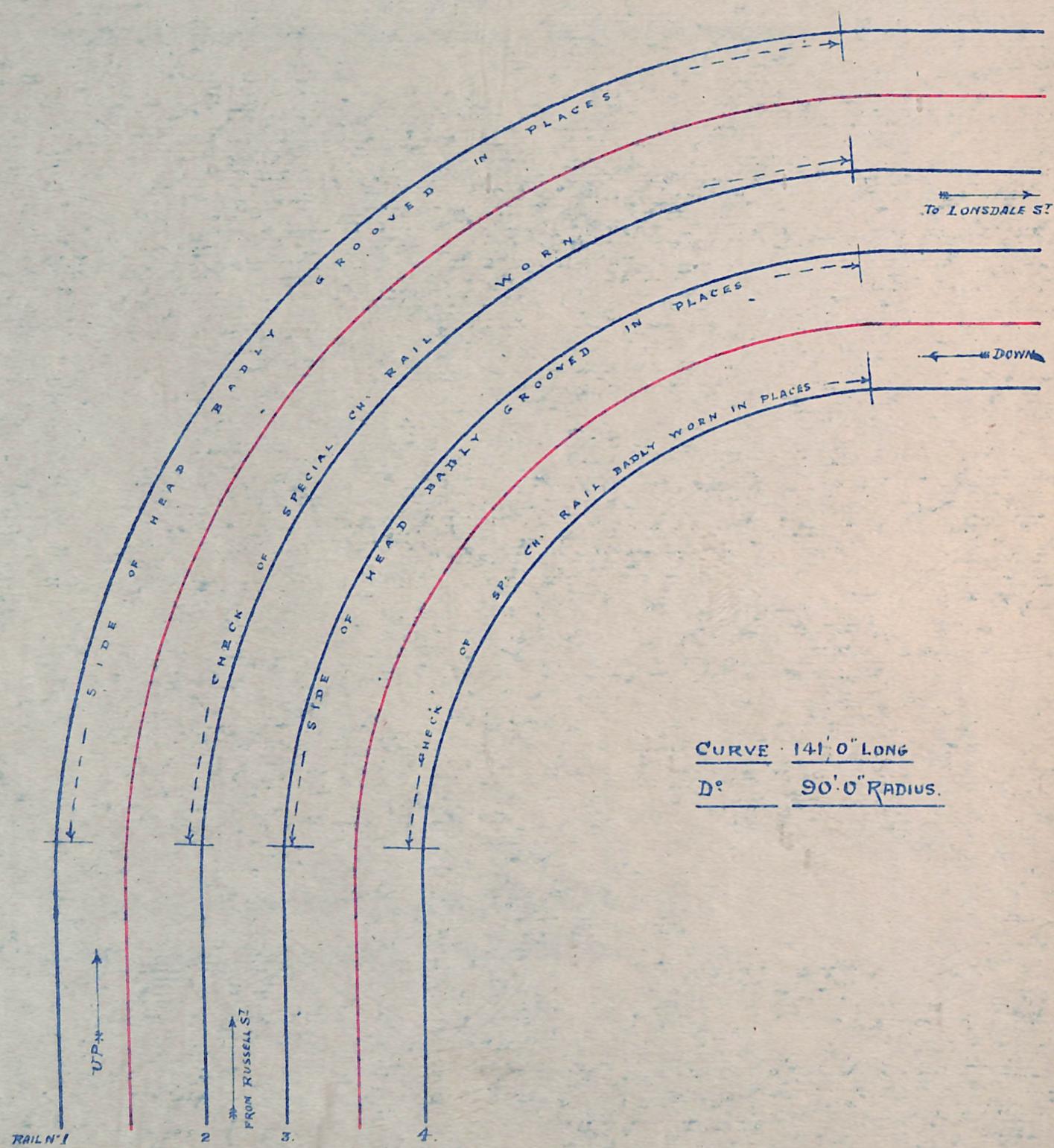
CURVE 141' 0" LONG  
D° 90' 0" RADIUS.

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# RIGHT ANGLE CURVE

JUNCTION OF RUSSELL AND LONSDALE ST<sup>S</sup>



## EMERGENCY SHUNT

## LONSDALE STREET - OFF HOSPITAL

LINE 6.A DESCRIPTION 6.

B Tongue of EMERGENCY SHUNT - LONSDALE STREET (Opposite Hospital).

1. No. 2 Rail (Up Track). Ordinary rail, for a short length on each side of Crossing-intersection, has the rail-check badly worn.
2. At the Crossing-intersections, also at intersections of Slot-rails with Tran-rails, hammering, to varying degrees, is taking place.
3. The joints of Tran-rails, adjacent to Crossing-intersections, and Points, are wide (varying from  $1/4"$  to  $3/4"$ ), and in many cases are hammered.
4. Tongues of Point-Castings are worn to varying degrees.

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DATE Last Inspected - July 4th. 1916.

## EMERGENCY SHUNT

LONSDALE STREET - OPP: HOSPITAL

A Tongue Slightly Worn.B Tongue Slightly Worn.C Hammering at Rail Intersections.

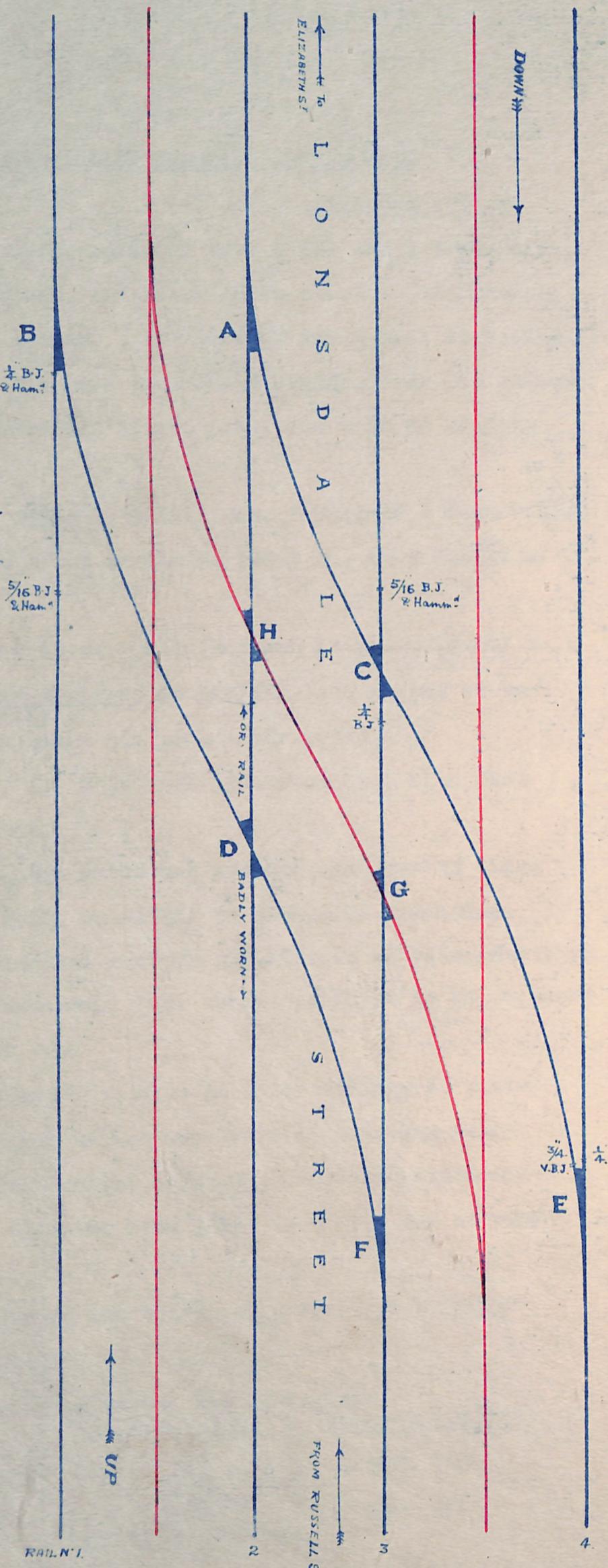
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G Hammering at Rail & Slot Intersection.

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CURVE AND JUNCTION AT JUNCTION OF  
LONSDALE AND SWANSTON STREETS.

LINE 6.DESCRIPTION 7.

A	Tongue badly worn Side & Head Diagonally Grooved.
B	Lipped Rail Rocking Tongue worn Ordinary Head Rocking Tongue worn
C	Side of Head Diagonally Grooved.
D	Head Rocking Tongue badly worn

CURVE and JUNCTION - JUNCTION of LONSDALE STREET with  
SWANSTON STREET.

1. The Checks of Special Check-rails of Nos. 1 Up, and 3 Down-Rails, are badly worn to varying degrees, and badly so in places. The Checks are loose and ineffective in places. The head of No. 3 Rail is beaded over, on greater length of curve, and on a short length, near its intersection with No. 1 Up-Rail, Swanston Street Line, the side of head is grooved.

2. The sides of heads of opposite rails (Nos. 2 Up, and 4 Down-Rails) are grooved to varying amounts, and in places badly so, as a result of the above check-wear.

3. A short length of No. 4 (Down) Rail, (between intersection of No. 1 Up-Rail and Slot-Rail Swanston St. Line) is pumping, and paving on each side of rail is loose. Fishplates are presumably loose.

4. At the intersection of No. 2 Up-Rail (Swanston St.) with Slot-rail, the rail-tread is cracked.

5. The heels of 4 Points, are loose and rocking, and two of these are below level of adjacent rail, resulting in excessive hammering. There is also considerable diagonal wear on rail-treads of Point-Castings. Tongues are worn to varying amounts. The tongue of Point to No. 4 Down-Rail, is very badly worn, and low.

6. At the Crossing-intersections, also at intersections of Slot-rails with tran-rails, hammering to varying degrees is taking place.

7. 14 of the Joints of Tran-rails, adjacent to Crossing-intersections and Points, are wide, (varying from  $3/16"$  to  $5/8"$ ), and in many cases are hammered.

CLEARANCES, between flange and bottom of groove, also SUPER-ELEVATIONS, taken April 26th, 1917.

The Sets of Tests, taken on Curve, are as follows -

	CLEARANCE	SUPER-ELEVATION.
No. 1 Rail	.310	
No. 2 "	.217	$3\frac{1}{2}''$ (R)
No. 3 "	.434	
No. 4 "	.250	$2\frac{7}{8}''$ (R)

NOTE. Nos. 1 and 2 Rails - Slight Down Gradient.

DATES of CURVE RAIL RENEWALS

Rail No. 1 Renewed Aug. 17th, 1902

Rails Nos. 2, 3 and 4 Renewed Aug. 11th, 1907.

DATE Last Inspected, July 4th, 1916.

CURVE AND JUNCTION AT JUNCTION OF  
LONSDALE AND SWANSTON STREETS.

## LINE 6. PLAN 7.

- A { Heel below level of adjacent Rail, and Rocking.  
Tongue badly worn. Side of Tread Diagonally Grooved.

B Lipped Heel Rocking.    Tongue worn.

C { Ordinary Heel Rocking.    Tongue worn.  
Side of Tread Diagonally Grooved.

D Heel Rocking.    Tongue Badly worn.

E Hammering at Rail Intersections.

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F D° - D° D°

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G D° - D° D°

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H Slight Hammering.    D° D°

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I Hammering at Rail Intersections.

