NOTES

1-Turnout plates shall conform to current AREA Specifications for low-carbon steel tie plates with copper.

2-Each plate shall be marked by deeply cut characters, not less than 1/4" high, with plate number and rail designation in the position indicated on this plan.

3-All plates are to be stamped with prefix "15" or "20" for a No.15 turnout or 20 for a No.20 turnout, then a "0" followed by the plate number.

4-Plates No.2 thru No.8 shall be stamped on the field end of the plate.

5-Plates No.9 thru No.20 shall have the plate number stamped on the "L" end of the plate with "L" on the field end behind a left hand point and "R" on the opposite end.

6-Plates No.7 thru No.20 are to be placed with "L" on the field side behind a left hand point and "R" on the field side behind a right hand point. This applies to either a RH or LH turnout.

7-All round plate holding holes for spike spikes are to be 1/4" dia. All rail holding holes for spike spikes are to be 1/8" dia. No "H" or "F" dimension to be under the rail base.

8-Beams must not project beyond the vertical face of the rail seat.