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I should be obliged if you would kindly arrange for Notices to be issued for carrying out the following work:-

The Down Relief line will become a non-passenger line and this and the Down Reception line will both be re-named Down Goods. The facing trap points in the present Down Reception line will be secured in the closed position pending recovery at a later date. New connections, signals and A.W.S. equipment will be brought into use in accordance with the attached diagram.

A new ground frame to be known as 'Down Yard' Ground Frame will be provided to operate the existing connection Down Yard to Down Goods at 76m.64c.

A new ground frame to be known as 'Down Siding' Ground Frame will be provided to operate the new connection from Down Siding to Down Goods at 77m.10c. The ground frames will be released by Annetts keys held in instruments adjacent to each ground frame and electrically released from the signalbox.

The new connection Down Goods to Down Main at 77m.7c. will be operated by style 63 point machines Emergency operation of these points may be carried out with the hand crank obtainable from the existing instrument adjacent to the new Down Siding Ground Frame. Instructions for emergency working are shown in the booklet 'Manual Operation of Power Worked Points' (BR 13108).

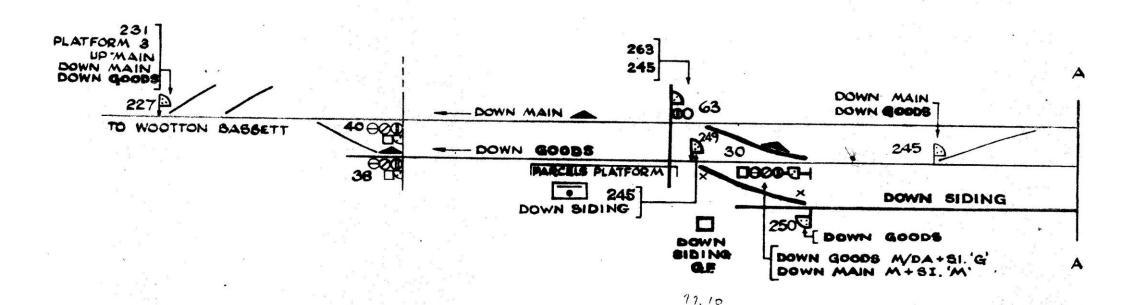
Telephones giving exclusive communication with the signalman will be provided at signals 26 and 30. Automatic telephones will be provided at the new ground frames. The new Down Goods line will be fully track circuited and operated by track circuit block.

Occupation of the Panel will be required for the purpose of testing the interlocking.

The work can be carried out by the D.S. & T.E. Bristol between Saturday 1 May at 20.00 hrs and Friday 8 May at 07.00 hrs, or until the work is completed and all arrangements for the safe working of the line including the appointment of any Handsignalmen should be made by the D.M. in accordance with Section E of the Rule Book.

For A R Brown

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