

NORTHERN PACIFIC RAILWAY COMPANY.

Auditor's No. 863

Montana Division.

Superintendent's No. 48

Livingston, Montana, June 3, 1898 189

To W. G. Pearce, Esq.,

Asst. Genl. Superintendent, Tacoma.

I respectfully recommend the improvement described below, and request special appropriation to cover cost of same:

1. Location (with regard to nearest station) East head block 1/2 ft. West of M. P.
2. Title. (Side Tracks and Spurs to be named)
3. Description. (Give description of proposed New Work. If Building or Spur, make sketch below showing Points of Compass; if Standard Building, no description is necessary, but give Plan Nos.)

Ballasting - 20 miles on First District.

M. P. 34 to M. P. 54

Approved by

4. New Work, Additions or Repairs. Renewing ballast.
5. Necessity for proposed Work: (If increase of Business, give particulars.) To relay 11 1/2 miles of rail. This it is considered advisable to commence now so as to avoid having to do it all in one season, as amount available for ballast is limited.
6. Is Improvement on Right-of-way or Land owned by this Company? Company property.
If not, what can be done to secure Title?
7. Estimate of Cost: Material (as itemized on next page) Labor \$7000.00 Total \$7000.00
8. Work should be commenced. Soon as equipment ~~xxxxxxxx~~ can be furnished.
9. Length of Time required to complete Work
10. Remarks: (Note here if any Material or Labor is to be furnished by outside parties, and whether work should be done by contract or with Company men.)

Chief Engineers Office.

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Chas. B. Allen

Division Engineer.

W. G. Pearce

Superintendent.

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