

Sacramento Southern Railroad - MOW Update May 20, 2013

Hello All,

Tuesday night we went out to our lay down yard north of the shop and dug out the pieces of the 136 lb. switch for the lead going to the turntable. We have located all the main pieces; all that is left is to sort through bins to find all of the plates and other pieces. Thursday night they got the gauge plate out and brought to the shop to remove the bracket from the switch machine. Saturday we went down to Setzer with the green machine to get the frog and a couple of switch points for our new yard switch. We also collected two transit clips for the 136 switch for the turntable lead over at the shop. After that I worked on taking off the bracket for the switch machine only to find out that it was welded. The rest of the crew went back down to Setzer to move ballast from two big ruts that we imagine the city did getting a piece of equipment stuck in the ballast while they were cutting grass on the levy. That task completed we cleaned up and called it a day.

This will be my last e-mail as Richard Paul is taking over sending out the e-mail every week. I would like to thank everyone for the support while I have been doing the e-mails.

See you out on the line,
Alan, Richard and Chris

