Is this anything? Brendan Owens (Glasgow)

In 1967, Hosokawa described an equivalence relation on links in S^3 whose equivalence classes form a group L containing the knot concordance group C as a subgroup, and in fact proved that L is a direct sum of C and the integers. I will describe a different link concordance group (or two) containing C as a subgroup. It is hoped that the audience will help to answer the question in the title.