

Great Northern Railway - Papers Stack III, Tiers 3,
35 vols., 4 packages 4 and 5
63 boxes

Box 1, Historical Data re railroad
Printed article [by G.R. Martin] in Ship-
per and Carrier 7 pages Feb., 1925
Printed short account of road, ca. 1890, with
portraits of Sir Donald Smith, Lord Mt.
Stephen, N.W. Kittson, & Henry White Can
non.

First Report of the Chief Engineer to the
President of the Minnesota and Pacific R.R.
Co. (reprint, 1901)

Photostatic copy of Statement of the Minn-

esota and Pacific Railroad, 1858

Reminiscences of James Morrison (d. June 6, 1906), fireman on Wm. Crooks' engine, July 21, 1862, typed, 7 pp.

Digest of Abstract of Deeds of Gt. Nor. Ry. Co. to Dec. 31, 1921, prepared by accounting dept. of road, June 6, 1922

Map of the Gt. Nor. System, printed, 1928, with Burlington System added in blue ink.

Blueprint, "Great Northern Railway Line Record of Original Track Laying in Different Years map and index by mileage., 1862-1929

Box 2 1892-1912 correspondence, etc.

"Record of station earnings, 1894-96
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Box 2 (cont'd) in 1904 folder: Harriman's and
Equitable Trust Co.'s suit vs. Nor. Securities
& Nor. Pac. Ry. Co.
In folder 1912 2 copies of printed Code
of Organization for Conducting the Business
of the Great Northern Railway Company and
1 copy of printed By-Laws of Great Northern
Railway Company adopted Oct. 10, 1912
Sketch & portrait of L. C. Gilman.
Aug. 7, 1915 "Twelfth Annual Outing, Spring
Park, Lake Minnetonka" Gt. Nor. Ry. Co.'s
Gen. Office Employees Assoc.
Sept. 16, 1916 Pension system announced in

"Veterans Association of N. Nor. Ry." annual meeting
with lovely colored show of Glacier National
Park, site of next year's meeting.

Data on Ernest Kurth, former butler of J.J.Hill
family, re Kurth's bomb sent to Mrs. Rodman Wan-
namaker in N.Y.City and letter thereon, Oct.16, '19
also letter of recommendation of Nov. 30, 1917.

1918 List of medals sent to veterans showing J.J
Hill. See also Sept.14, 1918

Wm.P. Kenney becomes pres. of RR. Feb.2, 1918

June 1, 1918 typed list of members of Veterans
Organization with their addresses and dates
of beginning work with road.

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March 1, 1919 List of Stockholders holding 300 shares of more, & list of Bankers & Brokers holding less than 300 shares.

boxes 4-42 routine correspondence, &c., application for passes and thanks for sending; application for jobs; attempted unification of roads in late 1920's; routine notices of meetings of Executive Committee; carbons of data sent to all executives; carbons of L.W.H.'s routine answers to letters, &c. probably also to be found in his letterbook

Box 43. L.W. Hill's important "Corporation Data Book" (taken apart and filed alphabetically

It gives the name of the railroad or corporation of the System, names of directors according to date, date of incorporation, capital stock, funded debt, history of its existence, etc. Very important record.

- Box 44 Miscellany by topic, e.g. folder A to Est: Alberta Coal Lands, Crows Nest Pass Coal Co., East Wenatchee Land Co., Embarrass
- Box 45 Lake Iron Properties; etc. (history in folder no. 2)
- Box 46 Gerard Scrip, with history from 1792, when originally granted to Jos. Gerard, messenger of U.S. to Indians killed and land grant to heirs. Son Wm. in 1880 had certificate from whom Gt. Nor. got almost 10,000 acres in West St. Paul, purchased in 1880's

- Great Northern Ry. - Papers Card 4
- Box 46 (cont'd) Land grants of Great Northern and associated roads.
- Box 47 Pacific Coast railroad companies, mostly re extensions from Wishram, Wash., to San Francisco, 1929-31; Al.G. Ray's reports, 1912-1913 (of Pinkerton's National Detective Agency, tho' ostensibly only a CPA for road) re burglaries, etc. along line.
- Box 48 Retirement of Employes & their pensions appeals for pensions from former employes, pension rules of 1927 (printed) another copy of 1916 Vets' Assoc. meeting with colored Glacier Park pictures Venner lawsuits and re the man; St. Paul

Foundry Co. (Gt. Nor. owned 40%) with history (Dec 2, 1933; St. Peter Co., an important charter for Gt. Nor. road, March 1, 1856; South Butte Mining Co. (includes letter re its lands and others shown on colored map of Mesabi Range in LWH's office; these were Mpls & St. Cloud Rr. swamp lands sold to So. Butte Co. in 1915) Sweet Grass Mineral Claim in Hill Co., Montana (owned by Dakota & Gt. Nor. Townsite Co. after JH's death by transfer to his heirs) owned half by JH and Half by W.C. Conrad 1897-1902, after which JH bought Conrad's half, see history in document of Feb. 1, 1923 re marble there also onyx & granite, near Radersburg; personal letter from Jack Monroe recalled days & Two Guns White Calf & M's white, St. Paul wife; Somers Lumbe

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Company near Flathead Lake and other timber in
Montana (L.P. Sanders, old classmate at Exeter);
Agreement Relating to Chicago, Burlington & Quincy
between N.P. and G.N. roads, July 1, 1921 (printed
Twin City Belt Line data and its Ry. Co. with
blueprint map of Ramsey County portion.

Box 49 Cipher and code books and correspondence
thereon. Slater's Telegraphic code, 3d
edition, 1888; Harris " ". 1901,
Arnold's, 1903, Frank Shay, 1931; and 9
small paperback editions of various ones

Boxes 50-53 Passes data
Box 54 C.B. & Q road and Colorado and Southern road

- Box 55 Gt. Northern reports of earnings, 1922-1929; cash state mt, 1935-6.
- Box 56 Minutes of Meetings of Exec. Committee, 1937-45;
- Box 57 Annual Reports 1897-99, 1902-1905
- Box 58 " " 1906-1910
- Box 59 " " 1911-15
- Box 60 " " 1921, 23, 1925-33, 1937-46
- Box 61 Approximate earnings, 1907-20
- Box 62 L.W.H.'s expense vouchers; 32nd & 34th annual reports of Nor. Pac. Ry. Co, 1928 & 1930
- Box 63 J.D. Armstrong's borrowing of records and return of same. Taxes, 1906-1910 approx.

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Box 1 History

Boxes 2-63

Correspondence and miscellaneous reports;
papers, clippings, charts, tabulations,
minutes of meetings of executive commit-
tee of the Great Northern, the Burling-
ton, and other railroads.

Volumes in Tier 5

3 vols of Great Nor. Semaphore, 1926,
1927, 1928

Annual Reports, 1916(2), 1919, 1926, 1938
1930, 1934, 1940-43, 1945, 1948

(over)

Official printed list of officers, agents,
& stations of Gt. Nor Road.

Bound Volumes

annual reports of Gt. Nor. Ry. 1913-18

report of the road to the Reconstruction Finance Corp; annual reports to the Interstate Commerce Commission, 10 vols., 1919-1928

1 looseleaf vol. of graphs of average tons per train mile by ry. divisions, found in the black leather notebook containing information on the history, stockholders, etc. of Great Northern Iron Ore Properties.

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Contents of large, heavy, wrapped package of
Oversize Gt. Nor. records, 1919-1929

A. Summary of operating expenses

B. Comparative income statements

C. Comparative statement of payrolls

D. Burlington Road's investment in road and
equipment, 1923-5

E. Statement showing contrasted statistics of
revenues, expenses, etc. for various roads,
1922-24

Other oversize records(wrapped)

Survey of G.N., Feb. 15, 1937

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Gt.Nor. adjourned meeting of Board of
Directors, June 18, 1936

1 pkge. of Annual Meetings of Board, 1939-46

1 pkge. financial records of CB&Q road, 1922-
1930