

PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD TECHNICAL & HISTORICAL SOCIETY

1993 ANNUAL MEETING ... PROGRAM HIGHLIGHTS

CONRAIL TOUR: Conrail is offering a tour of two former PRR facilities in the area, the Juniata Locomotive Shops and the Hollidaysburg Car Shops (formerly the Samuel Rea Shops). The tour will take place Friday, April 30, 1993 and the buses will leave the Ramada Hotel at 9:30 A.M. You will not be able to drive your car and must ride the buses that will be provided. In order to meet scheduling requirements, there will not be time to stop for lunch, but you should be back at the Hotel around 2:30 P.M. Picture taking will not be permitted inside the shop areas, but is permissible in the yards outside the buildings. Conrail requires that you wear hard shoes, meaning no tennis shoes or sneakers. Conrail will provide hard hats and goggles for the tour. For any women making the tour, please wear slacks and flat hard shoes, no high heels or sandals.

MODEL LAYOUTS: The Altoona Association of Model Railroaders will be open Friday evening and Sunday afternoon. They have 2-rail layouts in O and HO gauges and you are welcome to bring equipment along to operate. There are PRR hardware and paper items on display. A map will be included in your registration packet.

HOSPITALITY ROOM: A room where you can sit & relax or just visit, will be open Friday evening at the Ramada. Coffee, tea and light snacks will be provided.

MIDNIGHT MOVIES: A room will be set up Friday evening to share movies and slides you may bring. Chairs, a projection stand and screen will be provided. You will have to provide your own projector and/or audio-visual equipment. A sign-up list will be provided to help keep things in order.

To the Ladies: From Claramae Shaefer,

A "Trolleybus" tour is planned for Saturday, May 1, 1993, 9:00 A.M. to 12 Noon at a cost of \$10.00 per person. Included are tourist sights of the area.

Seating on this special bus is limited and will be on a first come, first served basis.

Saturday afternoon is free for shopping at our Logan Valley Mall nearby.

Following the banquet Saturday evening, in a separate room, entertainment for the ladies is planned followed by dancing to a D.J. in the "Grouse's Nest" if you desire.

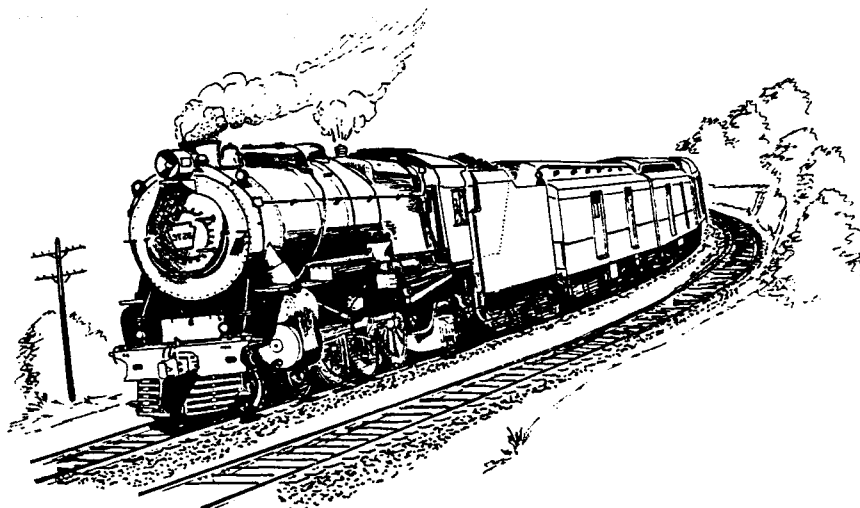
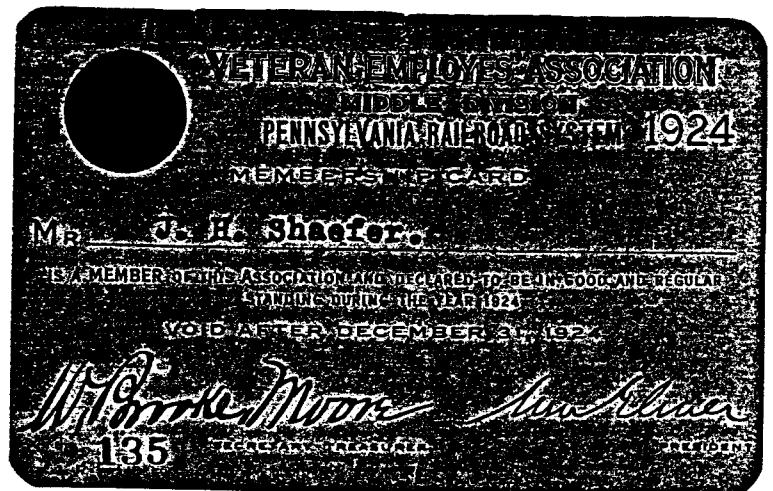
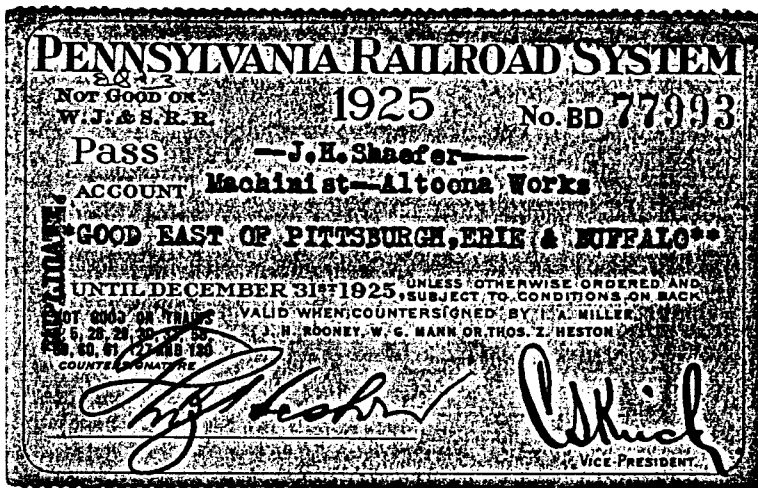
Please let me know as soon as possible if you're interested in going on the "Trolleybus".

Claramae

PROGRAMS: Richard Adams will present "Early PRR Steam Locomotives". Dick has been collecting information for a book on the first 25 years of PRR locomotives. Now we will have a chance to find out how he has been doing and learn something about those early tea kettles in the process.

For the freight car fans, John Teichmoeller will talk on "PRR Open Hopper Cars of the 20th Century". This program is on the 12 major classes of hoppers in service at various times since 1900. There will be an historical overview of each, then physical spotting features will be covered. Finally, modeling notes and ideas will be illustrated. A series of articles on this subject by John has started in the February issue of MODEL RAILROADING magazine and it might be helpful for you to bring this along as a guide to the program. John presented this program at the 1992 NMRA Convention and information was printed in their convention clinic book.

We have invited Robert Emerson, Director of the Railroad Museum of Pennsylvania, to be our After Dinner Speaker. Bob is a hometown (Hollidaysburg) boy and was Director of the Railroaders Memorial Museum in Altoona before moving to Strasburg. He will cover the development of the PRR shops in Altoona and we will provide some written material to supplement his presentation.



Pennsylvania Railroad Technical & Historical Society
 1993 Annual Meeting Schedule of Events
 April 30, May 1, and May 2, 1993
 Ramada Hotel, Altoona, PA

Thursday - April 29, 1993

8:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.	Registration Open	Rear Foyer
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Friday - April 30, 1993

8:00 A.M. to 8:00 P.M.	Registration Open	Rear Foyer
9:30 A.M.	CONRAIL Tour Leaves Ramada Hotel Return 2:30 P.M.	Rear Foyer
11:00 A.M. to 10:00 P.M. (Set Up 9:00 A.M.)	Vendor's Room Open	Ballroom
1:00 P.M. to 7:00 P.M.	Model & Craft Room Open	Conference Room DE
5:00 P.M. to 9:00 P.M.	Hospitality Room Open	Conference Room ABC
6:00 P.M. to ----	Director's Meeting	Room 110
8:00 P.M. to ----	Altoona Association of Model Railroaders Open	Map Provided
9:30 P.M. to ???	Midnight Movies	Conference Room ABC

Saturday - May 1, 1993

8:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.	Registration Open	Rear Foyer
9:00 A.M.	Annual Membership Meeting	Grouse's Nest
9:00 A.M.	Spouses' Tour leaves Hotel	Rear Foyer
10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.	Vendor's Room Open	Ballroom
10:00 A.M. to 4:00 P.M.	Model & Craft Room Open	Conference Room DE
12:30 P.M. to 2:00 P.M.	"Early PRR Steam Locomotives" by Richard Adams	Grouse's Nest
2:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M.	"PRR Hopper Cars" by John Teichmoeller	Grouse's Nest
6:00 P.M. to 6:30 P.M.	Cash Bar	Ballroom
6:30 P.M.	Banquet	Ballroom
After Banquet	"The Development of the Altoona Shops" by Robert Emerson	Ballroom
After Banquet	Spouses' Program	Conference Room ABC

Sunday - May 2, 1993

THE FOLLOWING AREA ATTRACTIONS WILL BE OPEN:

Railroaders' Memorial Museum	12:30 P.M. to 5:00 P.M.
Altoona Association of Model Railroaders	11:00 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
Horseshoe Curve Visitors Center	10:00 A.M. to 7:00 P.M.
Allegheny Portage Railroad National Historical Site	8:30 A.M. to 5:00 P.M.
PRRT & HS Lewistown Station	10:00 A.M. to 3:00 P.M.

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Several Reminders for P.R.R.T. & H.S. Members

1. Send the meeting registration form with a check for the proper amount, to:

P.R.R.T. & H.S.
c/o Fred Shaefer
116 Aldrich Avenue
Altoona, PA 16602

2. The usual display set up for models and crafts will be followed in the Model Room. Prizes will be awarded in each category by popular vote.
3. The Ramada will supply 6 foot tables for the vendors room, not 8 foot tables like many of you are used to. Tables will be limited to three (3) per registration. Please note on your form if you need electricity, or wish to be placed next to someone. If all tables are not reserved, the extra tables will be made available at the registration desk in the Ramada Lobby.
4. Send your hotel reservation form directly to the Ramada Hotel.
5. No specific Chapter is hosting this meeting. Because of this, help is needed from the members to man the registration table and the model room. Please volunteer an hour of your time to help with this. Your time will be scheduled around any tours you wish to take so as not to conflict with them.
6. There is no registration charge for your spouse or children, but banquet tickets must be purchased for each person attending the banquet.

25th Annual Meeting of the P.R.R.T & H.S.
 Registration Form Worksheet
 (Keep This Portion For Your Records)

Registration (Member)	\$20.00	No. _____	Total _____
Registration (Non-Member)	\$30.00	No. _____	Total _____
Vendor Table (Limit 3) Need Electricity _____	\$20.00	No. _____	Total _____
Banquet Ticket	\$25.00	No. _____	Total _____
Chicken		No. _____	
N.Y. Strip Steak		No. _____	
Conrail Tour	\$10.00	No. _____	Total _____
Spouses' Tour	\$10.00	No. _____	Total _____
Total Cost			\$ _____

I will volunteer one hour to help with Registration _____

 25th Annual Meeting of the P.R.R.T. & H.S.
 Registration Form

Send This Portion With Payment By April 15, 1993 to:

P.R.R.T. & H.S.
 c/o Fred Shaefer
 116 Aldrich Avenue
 Altoona, PA 16602

Name _____ Membership No. _____

Address _____

Registration (Member)	\$20.00	No. _____	Total _____
Registration (Non-Member)	\$30.00	NO. _____	Total _____
Vendor Table (Limit 3) Need Electricity _____	\$20.00	NO. _____	Total _____
Banquet Ticket	\$25.00	NO. _____	Total _____
Chicken		No. _____	
N.Y. Strip Steak		No. _____	
Conrail Tour	\$10.00	No. _____	Total _____
Spouses' Tour	\$10.00	NO. _____	Total _____
Total Cost			\$ _____

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