

U.O.Reports - 1951

XC 1-1-51 Mon X-707 South: 707-713-164-177 Mot Quick Cond Luzar Coll Auston  
Left Milw 2:00 AM, to Chgo. Trainmaster Bykirk operating train

Tr. 714: Car 734 Delayed 58 mins. Greenhouse, stuck in snow drift

XC 1-2-51 Tues Tr. 405 726-741-758  
Tr. 801 804-803  
Tr. 522 409-712  
Tr. 803 802-801  
Tr. 428 754-760-251-741 4 cars ran thru, except 741 hot journal, cut  
off at Howard St.

Tr. 583 ar. NCJct 25 mins late. Tr. 437 not instructed to wait for connection. 437 held at  
Kenosha 40 mins., waiting for extra train to bring psgrs from Tr. 583. 583 late a/c struck by  
eastbound auto on St. Johns Ave at Central St., HiPk, while standing still

XC 1-3-51 Wed Sleet starting at about midnight and until about 5:00 AM, resulted in glazed  
streets and sleet on wire with resultant delays to trains. *Chrm*

Tr. 708 754-409-721  
Tr. 721 713-732-705-719-725  
Tr. 423 254-761-751-759-769-758

XC 1-4-51 Thurs Tr. 402: 749-738-756-766  
Tr. 423: 743-251-764 Head car cut off at EdCt a/c B.O. electric heating system  
Tr. 435: 747-748-175-744-700-169

9:30 AM, Extra 455, Mot Fitch, Cond. Webster, pushing 36 cars, ran thru rigid switch at  
south end of Pettibone Yd. Switch OK at 11:30 AM

1-5-51 Fri Nothing to report except a five inch snow fall in Milw during the last 24 hours. *Chrm*

1-6-51 Sat Tr. 409: 251-766-754-748-730-743  
Tr. 546: 158-253  
Tr. 555: 162-411-177-704-741  
Tr. 428: 771-742-726-252

1-7-51 Sun Milw City Car 356 Opr Schwigel SB 5<sup>th</sup> between Grant & Beecher  
Tr. 547 168-159-167  
Tr. 423 250-761-709-153 Mot Carter Cond Graf Coll Pedigo  
Tr. 429 252-730-753-773-157  
Tr. 437 739-747-761-709

1-8-51 Mon Milw City Car 356 Opr Moblow NB on 5<sup>th</sup> at Lincoln

Tr. 416 756-775-252  
Tr. 804 803-804 Mot Crowe Cond Heiderich Coll Knauff  
Tr. 551 164-172-150-722

1-9-51 Tues Tr. 514 155-733-760  
Tr. 516 751-153  
Tr. 543 751-193-704-192

1-10-51 Wed Milw City Car 354 Opr Schweigel SB 5<sup>th</sup> at Chase

1-11-51 Thurs Tr. 575 162-776-701-747-709

At about 5:45 PM, Extra 454 North, Mot. Fitch, Cond. Webster, stopping at south end of C&NW transfer, pulled drawhead on south end of GA 20288. Crew pulled head end of train into transfer and when returning for balance of train, burned up ribbon fuse and fuse box, motor 454. No. 807 delayed 20 mins. and No. 425 delayed 25 mins.

1-12-51 Fri Tr. 414 766-737

1-13-51 Sat 9:57 PM, Cond. E. J. Keesling, working as switchtender at 6<sup>th</sup> & Clybourn, Milw, was struck by a southbound auto....

1-14-51 Sun Tr. 421 755-739-740 Mot Bryant Cond Jacobs Coll Sullivan  
Tr. 427 770-720-756-753  
Tr. 432 car 753 Mot G. Palmer, Cond Sherman

✓ 1-15-51 Mon Nothing to report

✓ 1-16-51 Tues Milw City Car 355 Opr Platz NB on 6<sup>th</sup> St. Viaduct

1-17-51 Wed At about 10:05 PM, heavy frost set in with delays to late evening trains.

✓ 1-18-51 Thurs Milw City Car 355 Opr Schreiner SB 6<sup>th</sup> & National

Train No. 200 annulled N.C.Jct to Skokie, account rec'd late from Train No. 2, due to heavy frost on trolley wire.

Tr. 604 151-197-180-420 Mot Belcher Cond Kiehl Stanley Sullivan Debeh  
Tr. 803 802-801 Mot. Papp Cond A.L.Johnson Coll Carty  
Tr. 538 car 160 Changed up at Hwd, three B.O. brake shoes  
Tr. 574 car 169

Milw City car 355 Opr Schreiner  
1-19-51 Fri Nothing of value

Chim

✓ 1-20-51 Sat Heavy sleet storm on entire system, starting in at about 11:15 AM, on North end and moving southward, resulted in delays to trains. Electroliner Trains Nos. 806, 808 and 809 operated with standard equipment

Milw City Car 355                      Opr Nybrg                      NB 5<sup>th</sup> & Lincoln 2:13 PM

Tr. 404      746-760-769    Mot A.H.Smith    Cond B.Shaffer

Tr. 816: 751-726-758 Mot McNally, Cond. Glascock, at Davidson Rd, Racine County, collided with an auto [male driver & 2 children]. Auto had stalled on tracks and occupants got out. Driver went up track in effort to flag train but train struck his hand.....Auto demolished. Head truck derailed on car 751; rerailed at 11:15 PM. Single track operated using NB track from 6:00 PM to about 9:45 PM, between Four Mile Rd and Racine Quarry. Train No. 816 annulled Davidson Rd to Chicago. Trains No. 424 and 426 annulled Edison Court to Chicago and operated as an extra train.

Chrom

Tr. 425: 251-750-771-767, Mot. Palmer Cond Sherman. At about 6:30 PM, at Snap-On Wrench, Kenosha, pulled down 2,000 feet of wire. Trains Nos. 425 and 427 annulled Kenosha to Milwaukee and operated as extra train Kenosha to Milwaukee. Train No. 428 annulled Milwaukee to Chicago. Wire O.K. at 9:45 PM. 2300 V line out and blocks and gates B.O. until about 11:15 PM.

Chrom

Tr. 432: Electroliner Units 801-802 Mot Calvert, Cond Kromer. At about 9:35 PM, in backing over crossover at Four Mile Rd, was derailed. Rerailed at 2:49 AM, 1/21/51. Train No. 432 annulled Four Mile Rd to Chicago. Single track operated using NB track between Six Mile Rd and Racine Quarry from about 9:45 PM to about 4:00 AM, 1/21/51 and 25 MPH speed restriction in effect on SB track from about 3 ½ miles north of Racine to Campers Road until about 10:30 AM, 1/21/51.

Chromo

✓ 1-21-51 Sun Electroliner Units 801-802 out of service and standard equipment operated on Trains Nos. 801-802-805-816-809 and SB extra scheduled to leave Milwaukee at 10:20 PM.

Tr. 420      742-749-738

Tr. 428      768-748-775-744-770-250

✓ 1-22-51 Mon Strong winds starting in at about 9:00 PM, with heavy snow at about 10:30 PM.

Chrom

Extra 702 North      702-173-705-152-183-709, morning drag of empty cars to Mundelein

Tr. 702                      173-702-734-722-773

Tr. 421                      255-766-740-755

11:40 PM, Extra 456, at Vine Ave., HiPk, Brakeman Ray Bartlett, blinded by snow while giving proceed signal struck his head on canopy....

✓ 1-23-51 Tues    Tr. 555                      179-704-163-191-711  
                         Tr. 435                      766-756-182

✓ 1-24-51 Wed Tr. 514 157-162-705

new  
Tr. 543 155-709-176 Mot. H. Wilson, Cond H. Peterson Stanley Schuler  
Tr. 554 172-410-700-412 Mot. Bryant Cond Jacobs McCombs R. Murphy Walden  
X-719 N 719-736 Drag from Mund to EdCt. Psgr Coll. Mrs. Linhart  
Tr. 809 802-801  
Tr. 435 760-761-746

1-25-51 Thurs Tr. 530: 707-182-190-730-763  
Mot Belcher Cond. Leis Colls V.A. Hamilton Menk Holquist Falcon

✓ 1-26-51 Fri Tr. 804: 803-804

6:29 PM, third rail sleet scrapers ordered down on NB Milwaukee trains a/c snow on third rail; ordered up at 8:00 PM. At 10:30 PM, Milwaukee reported about 3 1/2 inches of snow on ground and snow sweeper to go out after passage of Train No. 435. chron

× 1-27-51 Sat Tr. 411: 254-750-759-776 Mot Odinius Cond Pike Coll A. Wilson

8:40 AM, Extra 459 South, Mot Gibson, Cond H. Hangebrauck, Brakemen Senn, Anderson and Lujanac, at 23<sup>rd</sup> St., Zion, was struck by an eastbound 1941 Ford.....auto damaged.... Steps bent on car MILW 23661. Driver of auto attempted to stop but slid on icy pavement, skidding into 2<sup>nd</sup> car of freight train.

2:04 PM, Extra 454 North, motors 454-457-452, Mot. S. DelBene, Cond Webster, at Main Street, Skokie, reported 100 ft of wire down on top of train; 2:35 PM wire tied up to permit trains to coast thru. Electrical Dept. notified and wire O.K. at 4:30 PM.

Tr. 635 150-173-190  
Tr. 429 253-775-752-742  
Tr. 566 704

✓ 1-28-51 Sun Tr. 404 747-775

Tr. 420 758-768-763-164-746-168  
Tr. 425 750-152-712

Tr. 809 802-801, delayed 28 mins. Zion-Milw, overload switch kicked out and would not reset. Standard equipment operated on SB extra train scheduled to leave Milwaukee at 10:20 PM. Units 802-801 OK'd in Milw and came out on Tr. No. 438 with an extra train operated out of Milw to make #436 from Edison Court.

Extra 168 N. 168-187-413-154  
Tr. 435 775-739 Mot Berndt, Cond. Glascock, Coll Butts

Tr. 436: 761-160-772 (operated Milw-EdCt as an extra train). Rec'd at EdCt 27 mins. late, account late arrival of Extra 761 South; delayed 11 mins. NCJct-Hwd, controller stuck on first point, car 761; repaired at Hwd.



xc 1-29-51 Mon Extremely cold weather all day with temperature ranging from three to fourteen degrees below zero. [Many power failures, listed on U.O.Report]

Chiron

Tr. 411: 253-746-730  
Tr. 421 754-755-756-774  
Tr. 807 771-769-760

xc 1-30-51 Tues Continued cold weather with temperature at 22 degrees below zero in AM; Temperature 2 degrees above zero at Hwd at 4:00 PM, with temperature reading of 8 degrees below zero again at 10:00 PM, at Hwd.

Chiron

Tr. 702 734-713-714-721-727  
Tr. 401 254-752-715-750 Mot Wylie, Cond Leuthesser Coll Lyons  
Tr. 206 420-166-193-158-177-710

Electroliner units 802-801 B.O. returned to service on Train No. 802 a/c Electroliner units 804-803 B.O. on arrival of Train No. 801 at Milwaukee. Units 801-802 returned to service on Train No. 802 were B.O. on arrival of train at Chicago. Units 803-804 returned to service on Train No. 804. Standard equipment operated on Trains 800-803-805-816 and 809.

11:00 AM. Extra 452. Mot Quick, Cond. Webster, ran thru west switch on Rondout scalehouse track. Sectionmen notified and switch OK at 2:39 PM.

Tr. 551 412-155-172  
Tr. 725 717-725-702-760  
Tr. 427 744-769-719  
Tr. 432 720-251

Trains No. 432 and 724 coupled together at Howard St.; no crew at Howard St.  
Trains No. 437 and 733 coupled together at R.Rd., no crew at R.Rd.

xc 1-31-51 Wed Weather - sub zero weather most of day with snow and strong winds starting in early evening.

Chiron

Tr. 404 730-741-767-776  
Tr. 516 160-178-158  
Tr. 707 775-760  
Tr. 535 182-168-416  
Tr. 805 804-803  
Tr. 719 722-727-702  
Tr. 33 707-175-196-163 B.O. car 707, delayed PM rush hour trains  
Tr. 426 776-738-409  
Tr. 575 711-173-184-197  
Tr. 436 771-759

✓ 2-1-51 Thurs	Tr. 706	732-721-702-727-722	
	Tr. 414	741-769	(add at EdCt)
	Tr. 416	768-251	(change up car 768 at Ed Ct)
	Tr. 715	734-728	
	Tr. 33	177-176-189-157	
	Tr. 426	752-740-766	
	Tr. 566	730	(add at Hwd)
	Tr. 731	719-763	
	Tr. 409	756-737-775-746	
	Tr. 434	768-748	

10:15 PM, Extra 452, motors 452-454-453, Mot Glines, Cond. Wintz, at west end of Rondout Scale track, derailed motor 454; rerailed at 11:05 PM. Train 724 delayed 6 mins. at Rondout, single tracking.

✓ 2-2-51 Fri	Tr. 527	Car 709	Changed up at Hwd
✓ 2-3-51 Sat	Tr. 800	742-415-771-774	
	Tr. 411	253-762-758-759-757	
	Tr. 530	150-768-775	
	Tr. 416	757-759-758-254	change-up car 757 and add
		747-746-748-180	at Ed.Ct.
	Tr. 421	774-758-766-768	
	Tr. 423	748-746-747-775-722	
	Tr. 722	734	
	Tr. 808	775-747	
	X-167 S	167-190-173-164	(Ahead of Tr. 434)

Tr. 807 771-415-742 Mot Calvert, Cond Kromer, Coll Armstrong, struck auto at Main Street, Skokie.....Auto completely demolished. Pilot dropped and air hose broken, car 771. Train annulled Main St. Skokie to Milw. B.O. cars added to Tr. 425 and dragged to Milw.

✓ 2-4-51 Sun	Tr. 501	169-757-705-157	
	Tr. 709	729-705	
	Tr. 546	716-412-750	
	Tr. 554	414-757	
	Tr. 514	169-757	
	Tr. 434	761-720, with 746-180-722-703	add at Harrison St.
✓ 2-5-51 Mon	Tr. 702	736-724-718-712-721	
	Tr. 415	753-744	
	Tr. 420	720-758	
	Tr. 322	409	also on Trains 323 and 325
	Tr. 555	750-184-185-155	
	Tr. 807	726-772-764	
	Tr. 433	738-754-776-755	

2-5-51 (con't)

Electroliner units 803-804 out of service; standard equipment operated on Tr. 801-802-805. Electroliner units 802-801 arrived in Milw, Tr. 803, with B.O. heating unit, unit 801, and units 801-802 changed up with units 803-804. Train 804, units 803-804, delayed 9 mins. Ed.Ct - Howard, unit 804 dropping out and standard equipment operated on Trains 816-807-808-809. Units 804-803 deadheaded to Harrison St. Shops.

1:30 PM, Milw City Car ~~no~~ 353, Opr. Rozek, south of Fowler Street curve ran over a piece of pipe buried in snow. Pipe came thru floor of car piercing seat, pinning it to the ceiling and pipe went thru roof. No psgrs on car at time of occurrence.

2-6-51 Tues    Milw City Car 353    Opr Momblow            6<sup>th</sup> @ National

10:15 AM, Extra 455, Mot. Peters, Cond G.Noske, dropping a car in Northfield Yard, switch lever slipped out of G. Noske's hands, and empty car SOU 110967 derailed. Rerailed by wrecker at 1:35 PM.

Tr. 416	741-774-744-767-251
Tr.805	737-755
Tr. 550	164-414

✓ 2-7-51 Wed    Tr. 402            774-744-739-776  
                    Tr. 423            253-764-763-748-771  
                    Tr. 613            179-175-197-168-712  
                    Tr. 425            746-768-751-769-753-758-760  
                    Tr. 563            704-720-150-172  
                    Tr. 571            182-411-723  
                    Tr. 437            764-749-744

9:20 AM, Extra 456, Mot. H.E.White, Cond Palmer, at Haake Coal Yard, Ed.Ct., Wkgn, derailed car of coal, due to ice on track. Rerailed at 10:20 AM

✓ 2-8-51 Thurs            Tr. 549            163-414-711  
                                    Tr. 207            173-153-187-151

3:45 PM, CTA switchman Johnston, switching 9 cars in center track at R.Rd., cars 722-729-725-734-731-150-172-152-154, knuckle broke on north end of car 152, causing train to break in two, breaking jumper.

2-9-51 Fri            Milw City Car 353    Opr Plimpton            SB on 5<sup>th</sup> between Rogers & Beecher

Tr. 708	751-409-716	
Tr. 527	179-709	
Tr. 717	714-733-713	
Tr. 562	165	changed up at Hwd
Tr. 432	720-771-254	Mot. Palmer, Cond Curley, Coll Armstrong
Tr. 578	169-159	

YC 2-10-51 Sat Tr. 802 803-804  
Tr. 416 767-757-738-251  
Tr. 422 766-768-748-761-254

xc 2-11-51 Sun Tr. 411 250-775-762-776-737  
Tr. 427 761-757-726-744  
Tr. 578 420-153

2-12-51 Mon Cloudy with light mist which turned to sleet at about 4:30 PM and extremely heavier sleet later on; slight power interruptions noted; trains delayed.

*Chrm*

Tr. 405 761-757-769-748-758-743  
Tr. 606 182-414  
Tr. 534 711 changed up at Hwd  
Tr. 808 803-804  
Tr. 434 747-764-744

8:55 PM, Extra 459, Mot. Gibson, Cond. Hangebrauck, at Rondout crossover when 110 feet of trolley wire came down. #731 in single track. Wire OK at 12:50 AM, 2/13/51.

xc 2-13-51 Tues Heavy sleet Chicago to Waukegan and heavy snow Waukegan to Milwaukee from about 12:01 AM to 3:00 AM.  
7:18 PM, CTA ordered scrapers down; up at 9:40 PM.

*Chrm*

Tr. 202 750-768-728-767-748-718  
Tr. 801 804-803  
Tr. 411 253-726-758-770  
Tr. 415 757-753  
Tr. 421 755-756-776-772  
Tr. 611 746-730-157  
Tr. 552 158-700 Mot. Bryant Cond Jacobs Coll Sutter  
Tr. 555 160-164-188-708-155-189  
Tr. 432 751-254  
Tr. 434 764-744

xc 2-14-51 Wed Tr. 402 756-755-738-754  
Tr. 414 754-738-776  
Tr. 579 759-168-162-707-164

2:35 AM, Extra 456 South, Mot. Gibson, Cond. Hangebrauck, derailed in Pipers siding, ice and snow on rails. Rerailed at 4:30 AM. W&S Dept notified.

2-15-51 Thur Light freezing rain – sleet scrapers ordered down at 3:50 PM and up at 8:00 PM.

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Tr. 404 743-753-761-771  
Tr. 408 756-775-250  
Tr. 423 254-767-743-756-758-741  
Tr. 574 701-710-416-150

2-16-51 Fri Tr. 427 749-760-773-766-761-741

xc 2-17-51 Sat Tr. 208 160-191-162  
Tr. 801 804-803 Mot Huegel Cond Leed Coll Howk

9:15 AM, Extra 235 Mot Schaal, Cond Cairns, ran thru rigid switch at south end of Downeys West. W&S Dept notified and switch OK at 11:40 AM.

xc 2-18-51 Sun Tr. 539 165-706-764  
Tr. 429 252-746-770-768  
Tr. 562 413-706-756  
Tr. 437 772-761-775

1:00 PM, Extra 456 North, 13 cars in train, Mot. Glines, Cond. Wintz, Brakemen Barr, G. DelBene and S.Kiehl, on Sheridan Rd at Gate #4, U.S. Naval Training Center, was struck by a southbound DeSoto taxi.....Taxi damaged. Air hose broken on freight car BLE 3565. Taxi slid on wet pavement.

xc 2-19-51 Mon Tr. 706 715-717-722-734-716  
Tr. 803 804-803  
Tr. 417 251-758-770-768  
Tr. 550 167-413-708-414-755

2-20-51 Tues Tr. 575 184-178-177

yc 2-21-51 Wed Tr. 437 738-720-753-717

yc 2-22-51 Thurs Milw City Car 360 Opr Rozekl 100 feet south of Harrison St., gear pan fell off, derailing rear truck. Rerailed at 5:40 PM. Tracks OK at 5:49 PM. Trains delayed: 422 - 48 mins. 14 - 44 mins. 816 - 43 mins. 424 - 45 mins.

yc 2-23-51 Fri Extremely heavy frost in early A.M. with consequent delay to early morning trains. Light fog during day, with heavy fog starting in early evening, causing delays to late night trains. *Chrs*

At about 12:25 AM, Extra 179 South: 179-195-155-166-168-751, Motorman Sargent, Cond. Hardy, Coll Neil, backing in on south end of passing track at Washington St., Hwd, Coll Neil threw derail under car 179, derailing one pair of trucks. No delay to trains.

Tr. 602 712-197-161  
Tr. 202 704-187-184-740-176-175  
Tr. 436 749-730-741

yc 2-24-51 Sat Tr. 417 251-750-742-759-775-734  
Tr. 550 166-711

YC 2-25-51 Sun Tr. 523 166-758  
Tr. 558 703 Mot. Olsen Cond Greenfield  
Tr. 434 741-770-748-168-179-706

2-26-51 Mon Tr. 714 702  
Tr. 554 154-709-411

2-27-51 Tues Nothing of value

YC 2-28-51 Wed 5:12 PM, sleet cutters ordered down on all trains.

Beach, McKeon and Bose Road substations down from 5:40 PM to 7:19 PM, lightning grounded AC bus at McKeon. Lightning striking high line, College Ave., Four Mile and Carrollville down from 5:40 PM to 5:55 PM, Milwaukee down from 5:40 PM to 5:58 PM, and Racine down from 5:40 PM to 6:00 PM.

Tr. 421 739-738-740-770

3-1-51 Thurs Tr. 509 180-744  
Tr. 402 740-738-774-756  
Tr. 401 252-751-753-763  
Tr. 551 157-168-179-410  
Tr. 433 756-738-741

3-2-51 Fri Extra 703 N 703-420  
Tr. 808 803-804

YC 3-3-51 Sat Tr. 539 736-710-411  
X-707 N 707-185-165-187-150-176-191-762 SVRt  
Mot. Keller Cond Luzar

YC 3-4-51 Sun Tr. 523 703-700  
Tr. 535 717-169-773  
X-164 S 164-191-176-150-187-165-185-707 Shore Line  
Mot. Keller Cond Czajkowski

3-5-51 Mon Tr. 208 708-714 Mot. Trout Cond Agrella Coll Bandy  
Tr. 411 254-756-776

3-6-51 Tues Tr. 522 168-409  
Tr. 538 175

2:10 PM to 3:35 PM, single track operated using SB track between Oakton Street and Church Street crossovers, northbound trolley wire shorted and burned down for a distance of approximately 1,500 feet. Wire O.K. at 4:30 PM. Trains delayed: 416 - 4 mins.  
804 - 6 mins. 715 - 14 mins. 805 - 7 mins.

3-7-51 Wed Tr. 802 801-802 Mot. Homer Wilson Cond H. Peterson Coll Armstrong

Tr. 421 740-756-776-738

3-8-51 Thurs Tr. 539 251-711-193  
Tr. 435 762-760-730

3-9-51 Fri Tr. 539 256-412-161-411  
Tr. 558 154-156  
Tr. 563 757-420-710-411  
Tr. 562 410

3-10-51 Sat Tr. 518 152-770

5:45 AM, Extra 456 Mot Gibson, Cond. Senn, switching at Nash Plant, Kenosha, CMStP&P 63733 caught and broke north gate at the north entrance into Nash yard. No damage to flat car which was spotted at the City Lumber siding, Kenosha.

3-11-51 Sun Nothing of value

XC 3-12-51 Mon Milw City Car 354 Opr Plimpton SB 5<sup>th</sup> & Lincoln

Tr. 414 737-774 Mot Challenger Cond V. Nelson

4:50 PM, Train No. 14, car 744, Motorman Kosler, Cond. O. Nietzsche, at Old Davidson Rd., collided with a delivery truck.....Driver instantly killed and truck demolished. Car 744 badly damaged and taken to Milw shops. Truck, traveling northbound, crossed in front of train and motorman unable to stop in time to avoid collision, carrying the truck to Campers Rd and derailing car 744, blocking both main line tracks. Track cleared at 8:50 PM and 25 M.P.H. speed restriction issued from Rapids Road to 3-Mile Road. Signal inspected by Smitana and reported OK at 7:30 PM. Trains Nos. 14-816-424-426 southbound, and 807-425 northbound, transferred passengers around accident and changed up equipment.

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Extra 457 North, Mot. Gibson, Cond Senn at Hough Mfg. Co. siding at Libertyville, at 10:00 PM, derailed WABASH box car 49029. Car rerailed at 10:20 PM.

3-13-51 Tues Sleet cutters ordered down on all NB trains starting with Train No. 579

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Tr. 562 759

3-14-51 Wed Nothing of value

3-15-51 Thurs Nothing of value

3-16-51 Fri Nothing of value

XC 3-17-51 Sat Tr. 401 253-741-733  
Tr. 412 723-736-728-732-731-710  
Tr. 534 724-176-704-194-167-155

Mot. R. T. Smith Cond Patton Trudeau Austin

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VC 3-18-51 Sun Tr. 410 738-771-755-760  
Tr. 428 755-760-738-771-770-250

3-19-51 Mon Tr. 402 762-755-740-756-739-737  
Mot. A. H. Smith, Cond B.E.Shaffer Carty Kelly  
Tr. 526 412-255  
Tr. 531 744-743-731

3-20-51 Tues Nothing of value

3-21-51 Wed Tr. 415 743-744 Mot Taylor Cond West Coll Oeldemann  
Tr. 547 156  
Tr. 428 764-253-182 Mot Haake Cond Hanson Coll Luzar

3-22-51 Thurs Tr. 515 155  
Tr. 538 166  
Tr. 417 253-772-761-751  
Tr. 562 160

VC 3-23-51 Fri Sleet from Racine to Milwaukee; beginning at about 3:30 PM, changing to snow at about 6:00 PM, accompanied by high wind; caused delays to Milw trains.

Third rail sleet scrapers ordered down on Elevated structure at about 7:00 PM.

Tr. 808 803-804  
Tr. 809 802-801

3-24-51 Sat Milw City Car 355 Opr W.E.McCue 5<sup>th</sup> & Chase  
Tr. 509 162-170-766  
Tr. 567 711-707-188  
Tr. 437 758-743 beyond Ed Ct Mot Coris Cond Stadler Horbinski

3-25-51 Sun Nothing 3-26-51 Mon Nothing 3-27-51 Tues Nothing of value

VC 3-28-51 Wed Extra 235, Mot. Justen, Cond Colby, ran thru switch at Downeys West, at south end of high platform track. MofW dept notified and OK at 11:23 AM.

9:20 PM, Extra 455, Mot Peters, Cond Hangebrauck, pushed GA 40914, loaded with cement, off end of track at Economy Coal Co. siding. Truck of car imbedded in soft mud and crew unable to rerail car.

7:10 AM, Tr. 514: 169-740-175, Mot Huegel, reported wire break at 2<sup>nd</sup> Ave. N.Chgo, with wire welded to roof of car and down on both sides of train. Tr. 513 picked up 514's psgrs and boosted as No. 514 from NCJct. Tr. 606 annulled NCJct to Hwd and boosted from Hwd. Single track in operation between 10<sup>th</sup> St. and NCJct, using NB track, starting with Tr. 518. Normal operation resumed with Tr. 526.

Tr. 559 750-172-187-156

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VC 3-29-51 Thurs Tr. 415 770-771-772-752

Train No. 2/802, cars 747-749, Mot. Male, Cond Keesling, Coll Hickey, at a point just south of College Ave, Wis, struck a speeder, wedging same under train. No injuries, but pilot swinging on car 747. Train 2/802 was jacked up, speeder removed and Tr. 414 coupled into Train 2/802. 2/802 delayed 1 hr 38 mins., and No. 414 delayed 25 mins. Car 747 changed up at Edison Court.

3-30-51 Fri Tr. 538 159-185-183 Mot Ray, Cond. Hill Coll Ardelean Sullivan

3-31-51 Sat 12:50 PM, trolley wire fell on engine 459 while it was switching in yard at Northfield. Line Car 606 sent to make repairs.

4-1-51 Sun Tr. 550 716-413 4-2-51 Mon Nothing to report

4-3-51 Tues Tr. 422 757-759-726-253  
Tr. 423 250-748-740-755-769-741  
Mot. Palmer Cond Patton Colls Lujanac Sheppard

4-4-51 Wed 11:55 PM, Extra 452 South, Mot Parks, Cond Grube, at Rondout, 100 feet of trolley wire down on top of engine. Line car called out and wire OK at 2:01 AM, 4/5/51.

VC 4-5-51 Thurs Tr. 3 708  
Tr. 514 706-709-163 Mot Crabb Cond Giefer  
Tr. 518 420-719-151-180-173  
Mot Odinius, Cond Neil, Colls Auston, Herrell, Salter, Leuthesser

3:00 PM, Extra 459 South, Mot. White, Cond Palmer, reported they had the main line switch open backing into Sorenson's at South Racine Wye. Sectionmen were coming thru and were stopped at telephone booth and notified switch was open. However, sectionmen ran thru switch, injuring one man's hip and breaking one man's finger.

4-6-51 Fri Tr. 429 253-753-759-762-712  
Tr. 434 767-757

VC 4-7-51 Sat Tr. 414 776-754-766-738 Mot. Male, Cond V.Nelson Coll Tapp  
Tr. 539 163-162-192  
Tr. 809 804-803  
Tr. 808 801-802 Mot Calvert Cond Kromer Coll Armstrong  
Tr. 433 766-754 Mot. J.D.Wilbanks Cond H.Cawley Coll Moss

Train No. 808, units 801-802, Motorman Calvert, Conductor Kromer, Collector Armstrong; passengers in unit 802 smoking, playing cards and drinking beer in passenger compartment. Police met train at Howard St. and confiscated cards and money; passengers continued journey to destination.

✓ 4-8-51 Sun Tr. 411 251-720-771-701-171  
Tr. 805 802-801

✓ 4-9-51 Mon Tr. 401 252-762-720-771-764  
Tr. 411 250-730-750-773

Tr. 2/434, Chicago Symphony Orchestra Special, cars 749-748-747, at Edison Court, changed up car 748, hot journal.

✓ 4-10-51 Tues Tr. 405 747-755-749  
Tr. 522 153-156  
Tr. 803 802-801 Cond A.L. Johnson

✓ 4-11-51 Wed 5:25 AM, Extra 153 North, car 153, Motorman J. G. Carter, Conductor P. P. Czajkowski, Collectors W. J. Quinn, K. L. Stark and D. J. Mitchell, collided with cars 721-714-727 at Mundelein Station. Motorman Carter instantly killed. All other members of crew were injured and Libertyville Police had them taken to Condell Memorial Hospital, Libertyville. Cars 153-721 derailed. All cars damaged.

As a result of Train No. Extra 153 North colliding with cars in Mundelein Station, following trains annulled: No. 700 - Mundelein to Chicago. No. 304 - Mundelein to Lake Bluff, and No. 307 - Lake Bluff to Mundelein. Train No. 702 delayed 24 mins. Mundelein and 9 mins. Seminary Gate, trolley wire down [1,000 feet of trolley wire down east of Mundelein Station.] Train No. 708 left Mundelein 10 mins. late, arrived late on Train No. 311.

Tr. 435 761-702-715-164

4-12-51 Thurs Tr. 707 732-710

4-13-51 Fri Tr. 509 416

4-14-51 Sat Tr. 715 719-724

4-15-51 Sun Tr. 436 161-732-740

4-16-51 Mon Tr. 408 750-757-252

4-17-51 Tues Nothing of value 4-18-51 Wed Nothing of value

4-19-51 Thur Tr. 527 760-730  
Tr. 566 159 plus add at Hwd

4-20-51 Fri Tr. 579 150-193-178

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VC 4-21-51 Sat Tr. 816 766-415-776 Mot H.F.Davis Cond Donelson Coll Jennings  
 Tr. 436 757-742-764

VC 4-22-51 Sun Tr. 802 801-802 Unit 802 B.O. Units deadheaded to Harrison St.  
 for repairs and standard equipment operated on Trains 805-816-809 with units  
 returned to service on SB extra scheduled to leave Milwaukee at 10:20 PM

4-23-51 Mon Tr. 555 711-165-195-166

4-24-51 Tues Tr. 402 756-739-754  
 Tr. 514 167-183-749 Arrived at Hwd Office 25 mins. late, B.O. train.  
 Pushed into west siding by Tr. 516. Tr. 514 annulled Hwd  
 Office to Chgo and Tr. 516 left Hwd 18 mins late, with six cars.  
 Tr. 409 755-754

4-25-51 Wed Tr. 708 733-722-703 Wire fell on train when leaving Thornbury Village.  
 Tr. 417 252-775-759  
 Tr. 422 742-761-250 Mot Belcher, Cond Graf, Coll Jennings  
 Auto struck train between cars 742-761 at Nechuta Rd.

4-26-51 Thurs Nothing of value

4-27-51 Fri Tr. 526 709-710-188-173-730  
 Mot H.W.Taylor, Cond West, Colls Sutter, Oeldemann W.Smith

XC 4-28-51 Sat Substations down at Four Mile Rd., Carrollville and College Ave late evening,  
 all due to lightning puncturing a power transformer lead on #2 rotary at  
 Carrollville, also setting dash pot on fire on #2 rotary oil switch at Racine.

VC 4-29-51 Sun Tr. 534 182-159

VC 4-30-51 Mon Nothing of value

5-1-51 Tues Tr. 803 802-801 Unit 801 went dead; used later on Tr. 808  
 Tr. 417 252-775-759

XC 5-2-51 Wed Tr. 4 703  
 Tr. 522 712-183  
 Tr. 526 167

5-3-51 Thur Tr. 701 731-707  
 Tr. 708 707-709-731  
 Tr. 547 175-171-188

While emergency crew was crossing over cars 420-412 at Hwd Yards, for the school tripper,  
 C&NW brakeman opened the protection gates. East gate caught car 420, breaking gate;  
 grab handle broken, door and trap door bent on car 420.

Yc 5-4-51 Fri Tr. 510 722-705  
X-160 N 160-186-731-175 Ar. Milw 6:15 P.M.  
Mot. Lustbader, Cond Cairns, Coll Huff Inspected at Milw by Popa

Yc 5-5-51 Sat Extra 256 North: 256-192-728-713-707-727 Mot. Trout, Cond. Knight  
Pulled draw bar on car 728 while taking crossover at NCJct. Car 728 set out  
at Downeys West.

Tr. 420 772-752-743-746 Mot G.W.Smith Cond Ortmann Colls Keesling, Leuthesser

Yc 5-6-51 Sun Electroliner units 803-804 out of service for general overhaul. Silverliner  
equipment used on Trains No. 800-803-804-807-818 and northbound extra  
scheduled to leave Adams & Wabash at 10:25 P.M.

Tr. 444 757-752-167-171 Mot. Lundy Cond Stadler Coll Hickey  
Tr. 430 744-768-731-186-160-175 Mot Palmer Cond Kromer

5-7-51 Mon Tr. 802 801-802 Mot H. Wilson, Cond. H. Peterson  
Tr. 421 739-755-737

5-8-51 Tues Tr. 444 772-763-758

5-9-51 Wed Tr. 404 775-743-759-739

Yc 5-10-51 Thur Tr. 426 755-738-740-772 Mot Lundy, Cond Stadler, Coll Butts  
Tr. 559 709 Mot. Challenger, Cond Maechtle

4:45 PM, two CTA trains in collision at Chicago Ave. and Franklin Street, Chicago,  
derailing cars and tying up both main line tracks. All northbound trains delayed and no  
northbound trains left the Loop between 4:15 PM and 9:15 PM. Six Shore Line, four  
Milwaukee Limiteds and four Mundelein northbound trains operated from Wilson Ave.  
Standard equipment operated on Train No. 808. Single track operated starting at 9:09 PM,  
using northbound track. Normal operation resumed at 10:12 PM. *Chicago*

5-11-51 Fri Tr. 570 251 5-12-51 Sat Nothing of value

5-13-51 Sun Tr. 515 163-158  
Tr. 809 802-801

5-14-51 Mon Tr. 563 179-734-194  
Tr. 562 710-155 Mot. Schaal Cond Nietzke Coll kéane

5-15-51 Tues Nothing of value 5-16-51 Wed Milw City 353 Opr Rozek at Harr.

5-17-51 Thur Tr. 613 151-178-192-162

Yc 5-18-51 Fri Tr. 202 763-715-733-762-764  
Tr. 559 411-159-196-707

YC 5-19-51 Sat Nothing of value

YC 5-20-51 Sun Tr. 437 761-760-748 (of 5-19-51) Mot Lundy, Cond Stadler, Coll Butts  
Tr. 804 766-415-737-739  
Tr. 420 761-770-752-749  
Tr. 423 253-711-769-748  
Tr. 730 727-719 Mot. Norton, Cond Cairns, Coll Fiedorowicz  
Tr. 434 762-764-753-178-767-760

Silverliner equipment used on Trains No. 800-803-804-807-818 and NB extra scheduled to leave Adams & Wabash at 10:25 PM.

5-21-51 Mon Tr. 411 252-726-746

5-22-51 Tues Tr. 702 733-701-715-725-732

5-23-51 Wed

10:20 AM, Extra 459, Mot. Coris, Cond. Colby, ran thru open switch on No. 9 track, near enginehouse at Pettibone Yard, and on reverse movement derailed one pair of wheels on engine 459. Rerailed at 11:35 AM and track OK'd at same time by Section Foreman Adams.

new 5-24-51 Thur Tr. 523 150-420-729-416 Mot Challenger, Cond. Maechtle,  
Colls Sullivan, Hill, Murphy, Cavender

5-25-51 Fri Train 401 delayed 18 mins Downeys West by Extra 457 North, B.O. engine 457.

5-26-51 Sat Milw City Car 355 Opr McCue SB 5<sup>th</sup> at Chase

Tr. 558 154-729-736

5-27-51 Sun Tr. 518 773  
Tr. 803 804-803 Retriever trouble 1<sup>st</sup> round trip after o'haul.

5-28-51 Mon Nothing of value 5-29-51 Tues Nothing of value

YC 5-30-51 Wed Nothing to report

YC 5-31-51 Thur Tr. 437 (of 5/30/51) 757-720-770 Mot Lundy, Cond Stadler, Coll Kelly  
1:48 AM, Train No. 437, at Grange Ave., Milwaukee, collided with a Kaiser auto.....  
Auto demolished (2 in auto instantly killed). All cars damaged. Auto was standing on crossing without lights and motorman unable to see it until too late to avoid collision. Auto piled under car 767, exploded, causing a flash fire in car 767. Car 767 derailed, rerailed at 5:45 AM. Train No. 437 annulled Grange Ave. to Milwaukee Terminal. Single track operated between Grange Ave. and Austin until 6:00 AM. All blocks out between College Ave. and Austin. Track OK at 5:00 AM by S. P. Shafer. Crossing protected by one Model I autoflag and bell on SE corner; one standard crossing sign on NW corner; two standard 2-bar advance signs and overhead crossing lights, all in good working order.

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xc 6-1-51 Fri Heavy rain storm accompanied by severe electrical storm starting about 4:30 PM.

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Tr. 806 803-804 struck by lightning near Tobin Road. Changed up at EdCt.  
Tr. 617 420-155 struck by lightning at Lincoln Ave, HiPk; car 155 dead.  
Tr. 444 715 struck by lightning at Zion; changed up at EdCt.  
Tr. 563 157-169-189 struck by lightning at Central St., Evanston

McKeon Substation down from 6:10 PM to 7:17 PM, line trouble caused by lightning.  
Bose Rd substation down from 6:10 PM to 7:20 PM, line trouble caused by lightning.

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xc 6-2-51 Sat Electroliner units 803-804 out of service, struck by lightning 6/1/51. Silverliner equipment used on Trains No. 800-803-804-807-808.

vc 6-3-51 Sun Tr. 575 159-414-741-192-732

6-4-51 Mon Tr. 706 728-722-702-724-718

6-5-51 Tues Tr. 428 743-252 Mot. Bryant, Cond Dodge

6-6-51 Wed Tr. 562 420-413-150 Mot A.Smith, Cond. V.A.Hamilton,  
Collectorette Janet Stalnack and Coll. L. W. Stanley

6-7-51 Thur Tr. 411 251-768-757 Mot H.F.Davis  
Tr. 808 803-804 Mot. Palmer, Cond Kromer, Coll Moss

6-8-51 Fri Tr. 426 756-738-754-740-755  
Tr. 809 804-803 Mot G.W.Smith, Cond. Ortmann, Coll G.W.Kelly

6-9-51 Sat Tr. 427 771-753-743-761-727

6-10-51 Sun Nothing to report

6-11-51 Mon Tr. 708 735-731-715

Crew on Extra 452 South reported heat kink in SB track at Lake Bluff, Shore Line Station.  
W&S Dept notified and 5-mile per hour speed restriction in effect from about 3:15 PM.

6-12-51 Tues Tr. 613 162-413-171-728 Mot D.F.Ray, Cond. W.N. Barr,  
Colls Pedigo, Keane and Grogan

6-13-51 Wed Tr. 808 801-802 Mot Calvert, Cond Dodge

Lost U.S. Report - J.J. Deen

vc 6-14-51 Thur Tr. 7 757-762 Train parted while stopping at Tobin Rd, pulling  
jumper in two. Train made up at Edison Court.  
Tr. 805 802-801 Mot. Farnworth, Cond. Neil, Coll Jennings

xc 6-15-51 Fri Tr. 725 716-706-734-709  
drag 178-185-156-735 Mot. C. Powell, Milw Term to Harrison St.



✓ 6-16-51 Sat Tr. 608 746  
Tr. 805 802-801  
Tr. 571 171-162

✓ 6-17-51 Sun Tr. 408 762-772-250  
Tr. 437 747-761-764-759-725

6-18-51 Mon Tr. 706 731-716-409-703-700 Mot Loesch, Cond MacMillan, Coll Bartlett  
Tr. 527 747-162

Condr. H. Peterson, Train No. 409, reported a passenger's coat blew out of window between Highmoor and Deerpath. Coat was retrieved by Extra 606 and delivered to the owner, Mr. Bock, at Briergate. Owner claimed coat contained valuable papers and a wallet containing \$100.00 and had asked conductor to stop Train No. 409 to look for it.

At about 6:00 PM, Extra 456, Mot. Gibson, Cond. Wintz, spotting NYC 191118 at Crane Siding, Waukegan, switch ties holding switchstand rotted to extent the switchstand moved about 1 1/2" allowing heel of switchpoint to drop down and points came up, derailing car. Rerailed at about 6:30 PM.

✓ 6-19-51 Tues Tr. 579 762-172

6-20-51 Wed Tr. 721 737-718-719-722-729  
Tr. 427 772-746-775-744

6-21-51 Thur Tr. 706 709-729-722-719-718  
Tr. 538 724-414  
Tr. 546 150-173  
Tr. 583 169-411-150-176

4:10 PM, Extra 456 North, Mot. H. White, Cond. F. Palmer, reported that north of C&NW underpass, at N.C.Jct., a high box car caught a low span wire, pulling down ten span wires and 50 feet of wire. Electrical Dept. notified and wire O.K. at 5:18 PM.

6-22-51 Fri Tr. 807 802-801 B.O. unit 802 cut out. Silverliner equipment operated on Tr. 808 and units 803-804 sent to Chgo on Tr. 434, with units 801-802 returned to service on Tr. 800 of 6-23-51.

✓ 6-23-51 Sat Tr. 434 of 6-22-51: 803-804. North Shore Dining car Waiter Thomas Hadden  
Extra 170 170-196-705-410 Mot. Huegel, Cond Bartlett  
Tr. 421 756-755-738

✓ 6-24-51 Sun Tr. 531 164 Mot. H. Wilson, Cond. Maechtle  
Tr. 431 776-756-706-731

6-25-51 Mon Nothing of value

6-26-51 Tues Milw City Car 356 Opr Platz SB @ Canal St.  
 Tr. 539 254-152-185  
 Tr. 416 760-748-253

xc 6-27-51 Wed Tr. 202 176-738-150-750-730  
 Tr. 411 253-744-752  
 Tr. 710 711-718  
 Tr. 425 750-776-763-771-764-767  
 Tr. 210 184-177

At about 8:10 AM, SB CTA Jackson Park Subway "B" train, with 8 cars, at Lawrence Ave., third car dropped gearcase, derailing car fouling both SB tracks. Single track in operation using NB track between Howard St. and Lawrence until 11:07 AM when normal operation resumed. North Shore SB trains arrived late at R.Rd as follows: 202 - 142 mins. 604 - 121 mins. 706-104 mins. 514 - 82 mins. 206 - 64 mins. 516 - 24 mins. 404 - 23 mins. 606 - 31 mins. 708 - 28 mins. 518 - 34 mins., 800 - 46 mins. 208 - 33 mins. 522 - 28 mins. 408 - 24 mins. Following North Shore NB trains received late at Howard Street account difficulty in obtaining crews at Roos.Rd: 409 - 17 mins. 603 - 31 mins. 527 - 20 mins. 411 - 8 mins.

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6-28-51 Thurs Tr. 708 701-725-730

At about 1:25 PM, C&NW shoved two cars over derail at north end of C&NW Transfer, Gt. Lakes; one car entirely derailed and leaning out about a 45 degree angle, one truck derailed on other car, leaving about 5 1/2 feet of clearance to Main Line.

6-29-51 Fri Tr. 807 804-803 Mot Schaal, Cond Patyk Collectorette M. B. Stevens  
 Tr. 428 774-752-251  
 Tr. 571 177-410

12:10 PM, Extra 457, Mot. Fitch, Cond. Webster, attempting to stake by caboose and 3 cars near Mundelein Station, stake slipped and derailed one truck on caboose #1005; rerailed at 12:50 PM.

Cars derailed on C&NW transfer track rerailed at 3:00 PM and 3:40 PM. Track OK'd by W.& S. At 5:00 PM.

6-30-51 Sat Tr. 422 720-747-251 Mot Berndt Cond Glascock Coll J. J. Schuler

7-1-51 Sun Nothing of value

7-2-51 Mon

9:10 PM, Motor 455, Mot. Bryant, Cond. Kolar, Brakemen Lyons, Bunch and Saunders, pulling out of siding at Downeys West, SB track, derailed south pair of wheels at inside switch. Rerailed at 10:00 PM. Switch spiked and W&S Dept. notified.

xc 7-3-51 Tues Tr. 428 770-773-252-160 unable to cut car 160 off at EdCt a/c broken draw bar pin, motor 252

VC 7-4-51 Wed 9:15 PM, Extra 416 South, Mot. Belcher, broke trip target #64 at Armitage Ave. Tower.

Tr. 432 748-747-770-752-730-748-251  
Mot. Palmer, Cond Bench, Colls Stanley and Patton

7-5-51 Thur Tr. 702 736-713-731-172-746  
Tr. 522 754-772

7-6-51 Fri Tr. 526 150  
Tr. 583 177-728-175 Mot Palmer, Cond Bench, Colls Stanley Michela

VC 7-7-51 Sat Tr. 420 760-758-773-764-762  
Tr. 806 801-802

VC 7-8-51 Sun Tr. 438 761-759-755-775 Mot Wilbanks, Cond Neil Coll Moss  
Extra 802 N 802-801 Auto drove around Extra 802 N, colliding with  
head car of Tr. 438, 12:10 AM, at 5<sup>th</sup> & Chase

At about 4:30 AM, heavy rain and wind storm. Misc. electrical problems.

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7-9-51 Mon Tr. 423 253-760-769-768-773  
Tr. 718 716-177  
Tr. 425 750-772-771-762-776-766

7-10-51 Tues Tr. 410 772-750-730  
Tr. 416 763-768-250

Train Extra 235 North, weed killer, delayed at Glen Flora from 9:50 AM to 12:16 PM,  
hot journal, tank car 4000.

7-11-51 Wed Tr. 516 181-182

7-12-51 Thur Tr. 807 804-803

VC 7-13-51 Fri Tr. 601 736-172-708-190-155  
Tr. 801 804-803  
Tr. 802 803-804 Mot H. Wilson, Cond. Maechtle, Coll Howk  
Tr. 539 256-159 Mot Norton, Cond Agrella, Coll Koon  
Tr. 550 184-178-195-172-175-734

7-14-51 Sat Tr. 809 802-801 Mot Brynn, Cond Sesterhenn Coll Hickey

7-15-51 Sun Tr. 501 152-707 Mot Keller, Cond. Walden, Coll Corrigan  
Tr. 417 748-762-772-726-703  
Tr. 555 160-169

7-16-51 Mon Tr. 802 803-804

7-17-51 Tues	Tr. 803	804-803	Mot Quick, Cond Horbinski, Coll Ortmann
	Tr. 423	251-767-752-741-749	
	Tr. 718	715-732	Mot Glines, Cond Bandy, Coll Murphy
	Tr. 559	739-188-154	
7-18-51 Wed	Tr. 420	763-742-759-747-753-722	
	Tr. 210	734-729	Mot. Chubb, Cond Hanson, Collectorette M.B.Stevens
	Tr. 426	774-766-737-740-756	
	Tr. 427	753-747-759-742	
7-19-51 Thur	Tr. 800	803-804	Mot Wyle, Cond. L.S.Smith, Coll A.Wilson
	Tr. 411	252-752-768-761	
			Mot Shine, Cond. Mead. Colls Herrell and Bennett
	Tr. 719	732-705-735	
	Tr. 558	151-162-739-168	

7-20-51 Fri Milw City Car 354 Opr L. Schweigel NB 5<sup>th</sup> & Greenfield

7-21-51 Sat Tr. 432 743-742-751 Mot Palmer, Cond Bench, Luzar, Stanley

7-22-51 Sun Nothing of value

7-23-51 Mon Tr. 423 251-772-730-773-747

4:40 AM, Extra 458 North, Mot. Bryant, Cond. Kolar, at Consumers, Kenosha, spotted MRS 8013 which was too high to clear; tore rafters, drain pipe, and electrical fixtures.

2:55 PM, Extra 455, Mot. Kellner, Cond G. Noske, Brakemen Perry, Homan, Dowden, at Wyeth Siding, Skokie, collided with International truck....which in turn was pushed into another Int. truck. Right side step bent on motor 455. Extra 455 backing west on Wyeth siding with 7 cars; motorman on south side of engine could not see parked trucks not in clear of tracks.

7-24-51 Tues Milw City Car 356 Opr Platz NB 100 ft N of south drawbridge

7-25-51 Wed Nothing of value

7-26-51 Thur	Tr. 527	735-703	Mot McNally, Cond. A.L. Johnson, Armstrong
	Tr. 805	802-801	
	Tr. 421	776-739-720	
	Tr. 423	252-767-748-763-744	

11:30 PM, Extra 456 North, Mot. Gibson, Cond. Wintz, pushing 28 cars in on transfer track at Mundelein, struck NYC 824677, damaging end of car. B.O. hopper brought to Pett.

✓ 7-27-51 Fri Severe electrical storm, following substations down account lightning and equipment failure: McKeon Rd, 2:15 AM to 6:40 AM. Racine 5:05 AM to 6:00 AM. Four Mile Road, 5:05 AM to 6:49 AM. Carrollville, 5:05 AM to 6:49 AM. College Ave., 5:05 AM to 5:27 AM. Milwaukee, 5:05 AM to 5:38 AM., 12:01 PM to 12:11 PM, and again from 2:32 PM to 2:50 PM. *chron*

5:50 AM, received report 25-cycle line out from Racine north; gates and blocks out of service. Trains operated with two motors working between NCJct north, with trains operating in series from State Line, north. 6:58 AM, power back excepting at College Ave. *chron*

Tr. 512, car 750, struck by lightning at Arden Shore  
Car 722 struck by lightning at Mundelein, group switch and air burned up.

Tr. 603 413-750

Extra 151 South: 151-165 Mot H.G.Murphy, Cond. Colby, Coll Nietzsche, 50 feet south of 25<sup>th</sup> St. bridge, Zion, struck a Holstein cow; cow badly hurt had to be killed. Right front step damaged on #1 end of car 151.

7-28-51 Sat Tr. 415 743-769-774-747

Extra 459, Mot. Parks, Cond. H. Hangebrauck, at Rondout with CMStP&P 95511 consigned to Economy; hopper door opened spilling gravel on track; inspected by Sowatzke.

7-29-51 Sun Tr. 551 414-170-413-751

7-30-51 Mon Tr. 527 173-168

7-31-51 Tues Milw City Car 353 Opr Schweigel NB on 6<sup>th</sup> at Canal  
Tr. 808 803-804

✓ 8-1-51 Wed Extra 174 S 174-192-169 (ahead of Tr. 546)  
Mot. Ray, Cond. Barr, Colls Keane and Koon  
Tr. 423 250-749-755-768-750  
Mot. G.W.Smith, Cond. Kromer, Colls Patton and R.G.Johnson

Extra 456, Mot Gibson, at Haake Lumber Co. siding, Grand Ave., Wkgn, ran thru rigid switch. W&S Dept. notified.

8-2-51 Thur Nothing of value 8-3-51 Fri Nothing of value

8-4-51 Sat X-701 South 701-195-166-175-196-161 Military extra

8-5-51 Sun Nothing to report

8-6-51 Mon Tr. 807 802-801

8-7-51 Tues Tr. 530 171

8-8-51 Wed Nothing of value

8-9-51 Thur Tr. 563 183-702-733-170-727

8-10-51 Fri 10:35 AM, Extra 454 North, with 2 engines and 18 cars with caboose, Mot. Fitch, Cond. Webster, heading into lead crossover at Downeys, pulled over south switch, derailing EJ&E 34511, loaded with slag, which was the 18<sup>th</sup> car in the train. North pair of wheels derailed and rerailed at 10:50 AM.

8-11-51 Sat Tr. 538 180

8-12-51 Sun Tr. 518 414  
Tr. 414 737-754-739-766-170-702 Mot Hamilton, Cond Benson  
Tr. 542 413-157-156 Mot G.W.Smith, Cond. Kromer Leuthesser Auston  
Tr. 570 253

8-13-51 Mon Nothing to report 8-14-51 Tues Nothing of value

8-15-51 Wed Tr. 808 801-802 Mot. Calvert, Cond. Patton, Coll. Stolnack

At 7:30 AM, Engine 455, Mot. White, Cond. Palmer, derailed in Pettibone Yard, account split switch. Rerailed at 9:32 AM.

At 9:19 AM, a south side, two car steel train, cars 4370-4239, NB, intending to go through the Loop, failed to stop at 15<sup>th</sup> Street, Chicago, and collided with North Shore cars 420-171-195-184-771-743-740-763-726-764, which were standing on the Main Line. Car 420 had broken anti climbers, car 171 had water pipes broken and car 195 had draw bar No. 1 end down, the remainder of the cars found to be OK.

At 5:09 PM, Train No. 33: 761-420-184-195, with CTA crew at Adams & Wabash Station, motorman took hand signal from porter in error, and departed, leaving Conductor, Collector and passengers on station platform. Train waited for crew at Madison and Wabash, delaying trains 721-207-559.

8-16-51 Thur Nothing of value

8-17-51 Fri X-173 South 173-184-416 Mot Ray, Coll Barr, Hill, Stevens

Following substations down due to lightning: Beach, McKeon, Bose Road, Racine, Four Mile, Carrollville, College Ave., Milwaukee [10:02 AM for a few minutes]

8-18-51 Sat Nothing to report

8-19-51 Sun Tr. 422 767-775-758-254 Mot Berndt, Cond Glascock, Coll Jennings  
Tr. 434 743-775-770-750-757-764

8-20-51 Mon Nothing of value

8-21-51 Tues          Train 3          173

8-22-51 Wed Tr. 579          172-411-160 Mot Calvert, Cond Patton, Fiedorowicz MacMillan

8-23-51 Thur Tr. 546          701

8-24-51 Fri Tr. 206          749-168-196-169

8-25-51 Sat Tr. 208          752-153-157-717 Mot Burtchby, Cond Holquist Durr

8-26-51 Sun Tr. 437          770-755-754-769-177 (of 8-25-51) stopped in street at  
Milw Term to cut car off in street. Auto stopped behind train and was  
struck by another auto and pushed into car 177.

2:00 AM, Extra 459, Mot. Parks, Cond. G. Anderson, in Pettibone Yard, reported three  
box cars got away from them crashing into engine 455 in enginehouse. Running board  
and pilot damaged on engine 455.

8-27-51 Mon Tr. 411          250-771-775 Mot Shine, Cond Mead Coll Stokes  
Tr. 420          771-759-760

1:30 PM, Extra 457, engines 457-454-452, Mot. Boyer, Cond Webster, shoving a box car  
loaded with lumber, GN 50156. Box car struck a baggage truck which was standing on  
northbound platform but not in clear of track at Downeys West.

8-28-51 Tues Tr. 718          712-718  
Tr. 426          776-754-755

8-29-51 Wed Nothing of value

8-30-51 Thur Tr. 416          730-773-758-253

2:30 PM, Extra 453, engines 453-457-452, Mot. Boyer, Cond Webster, ran over derail at  
south end of C&NW transfer track, Downeys, derailing all wheels on engine 453 and south  
truck of engine 457. No damage to track or equipment. Rerailed at 4:45 PM. Train 805  
delayed 15 mins. at above location, pushing caboose from Extra 453 in clear.

8-31-51 Fri Tr. 601          179-181-197-177-411

9-1-51 Sat Tr. 423          750-730-771-744-716-719  
Tr. 575          770-156

9-2-51 Sun Tr. 437          757-767-752 (of 9-01-51) Mot Lundy, Cond Stadler, Coll Butts  
Tr. 411          250-767-752-704-736-713

9-3-51 Mon Tr. 411          253-769-772-759 Mot Burtchby, Cond Neil, Coll Sutter  
Tr. 415          764-751-748-773  
Tr. 426          737-755-740-776-754-766



9-4-51 Tues Nothing of value 9-5-51 Wed Nothing to report

9-6-51 Thur 1:00 PM water tank reported on fire at Hwd Yard. Fire out at 2:30 PM. Fire started in wood insulated housing about six feet above groundhouse and spread up housing to base of wooden tank.

11:40 AM, Extra 459, Mot. Kellner, ran thru inside rigid switch at Oakton St. OK at 2:17 PM.

9-7-51 Fri

4:25 PM, Extra 455 North, Mot. C. Holm, Cond. G. Noske, Brakemen Dowden, Perry and W.W.Smith, at north end of C&NW transfer, Oakton St., derailed south truck of StLBN 11262 loaded with sand, and north pair of wheels of north truck of empty CNS&M 7001, breaking rail and fouling C&NW lead. Rerailed at 12:30 PM, 9/8/51. Track OK at 3:23 PM 9/8/51.

9-8-51 Sat Tr. 567 413-169

9:10 PM, Extra 454, Mot. Kellner, Cond. Grube, reported they had torn down 300 feet of trolley wire at Flexicore siding, South Upton. Electrical Dept. notified and inspected wire after crew had tied it up.

9-9-51 Sun Tr. 409 737-756-766-739-754-712

Motorman F. Gibson ran thru switch leading to main line from Economy Coal Co., siding. Switch spiked.

9-10-51 Mon Tr. 721 724-171-762-707-710

8:30 PM, Extra 455, Cond Wintz, reported two crs broke loose from train, striking bumping post on outside track at Rynksel Coal Co. siding, Waukegan. Bumper moved about two feet and rail will have to be replaced before cars can be taken out.

9-11-51 Tues Nothing of value

9-12-51 Wed Tr. 542 716-256  
Tr. 807 804-803  
Tr. 562 151-164-180-170 Mot Adam H. Smith, Cond. G.W.Kelly,  
Colls. Keane and Schuler  
Tr. 20 764

Strong winds in late afternoon preceded rain and electrical storm, starting in early evening. Train 20 struck by lightning south of Kenosha. Harrison substation down from 8:10 PM to 9:55 PM and College Ave substation down from 8:10 PM to 1:30 PM 9/13/51.

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9-13-51	Thur	Tr. 563	717-195-410	✓ 9-14-51	Fri	Nothing of value
✓ 9-15-51	Sat	Tr. 413	737-767-751	Mot H.F.Davis,	Cond Herrell,	Brown, Giefer
✓ 9-16-51	Sun	Tr. 527	733-171	✓ 9-17-51	Mon	Nothing of value
		Tr. 421	776-754-755			
9-18-51	Tues	Tr. 519	150-151-152-192-164	Mot R. T. Smith,	Cond MacMillan,	
				Colls. Smagon,	Stevens, Gilmore,	Keane

2:30 PM, Extra 455, Mot White, Cond Palmer, switching at building #209, USNTC.....

9-19-51	Wed	Tr. 423	253-750-720-726-772
9-20-51	Thur	Tr. 708	734-705-733
✓ 9-21-51	Fri	Tr. 806	801-802 Mot H.F.Davis, Cond C.L. Donelson, Jennings

At about 4:30 AM, received report Extra 458, Mot. Parks, Cond H. Hangebrauck had arrived at Pettibone Yard from Rondout with a drag of 46 cars. When they were about to switch some of the cars, motorman experienced trouble with locomotive 458 and on inspection found king pin sheared on north truck.

9-22-51	Sat	Tr. 547	160-151-165
9-23-51	Sun	Nothing of value	9-24-51 Mon Nothing of value
✓ 9-25-51	Tues	Tr. 803	802-801
		Tr. 429	254-730-760

5:50 AM, Extra 452, Motorman Bryant, Cond. Kolar, switching at Oakton Street, derailed an empty gondola on the north end of the C&NW transfer track; rerailed at 6:45 AM. C&NW dispatcher and W&S Dept. notified.

11:30 PM, EJ&E, pushing cars in on the empty track at Rondout, cornered CP 254399 damaging grab handle and corner; CP 253276 damaging corner, ladder and pin lifter, and B&O 253066, bending corner; also pushed track about four inches out of line.

9-26-51	Wed	Tr. 423	250-742-759-774-752
		Tr. 562	177-162
9-27-51	Thur	Tr. 409	756-740
9-28-51	Fri	Extra work train, motors 235-229, delayed 30 mins Highwood Office, hand brake stuck on car 229.	
		Extra 235 235-229, Mot R. T. Smith, Cond. Agrella, failed to use gauntlet at East Prairie Road, Skokie, and bent stirrups on cars L&N 64385 and SOU 104580.	

10 9-29-51 Sat Considerable frost on wire on the Skokie Valley Division, Lake Bluff-Mundelein Division, and also between Racine and Harrison St., Milwaukee. *chm*

Extra 704 North 704 Mot. H.L.Davis, Cond Leed, crossing over at Lake Bluff against trolley, trolley derailed and bent pole and stand. Car brought back to Highwood Office and changed up.

xc 9-30-51 Sun Nothing of value

yc 10-1-51 Mon 6:30 AM, between Belvidere and South Ave., Wkgn, NB C&NW freight train ran into caboose on main line track, derailing several C&NW cars and tying up traffic on both their main line tracks. C&NW passengers diverted to our line at Edison Court, NCJct and Downeys, causing overloads to Trains 402-202-206-404-602-512-604 and 514.

10-2-51 Tue Nothing of value

10-3-51 Wed Tr. 559 157-715-192-409

10-4-51 Thur Tr. 424 726-770 Mot. A.N.Justen, Cond Glascock, Coll J. A. Nelson

10-5-51 Fri Tr. 555 410-727-190-179  
Tr. 425 769-749-767-737-738-752  
Tr. 617 162-744

1:30 PM, Extra 456, Mot. C. Holm, Cond Webster, derailed one truck of PRR 121477, empty box car, at frog in Gas House siding leading to C&NW transfer, south of Skokie.

xc 10-6-51 Sat Tr. 427 746-752-753-729-182

xc 10-7-51 Sun Tr. 518 166-165

Crew on Tr. 428 reported 1,000 feet of trolley wire down on NB track at Nechuta. Single track operated, using SB track between Six Mile Rd and Oak Creek. Trains delayed as follows: 428 - 81 mins. 818 - 49 mins. 430 - 50 mins. 432 - 10 mins. 434 - 24 mins. 427 - 51 mins. 429 - 78 mins. 809 - 52 mins. 431 - 45 mins. 433 - 41 mins. *chm*

10-8-51 Mon Tr. 538 162  
Tr. 805 802-801 Mot Wilbanks, Cond Donelson, Coll Moss

10-9-51 Tues Electrical Dept stringing wire at Briergate. 5 trains delayed a few minutes. *chm*

*new* Tr. 547 178-411-701 Mot Powell, Cond Hardy, Coll MacMillan, Ballenger

Tr. 437 769-759-184

10-10-51 Wed Nothing of value

10-11-51 Thur Tr. 514 176-171-711

VC 10-12-51 Fri Coll. T. W. Meimar injured working as switchtender at NCJct.

VC 10-13-51 Sat Tr. 531 702-173-193

XC 10-14-51 Sun Tr. 411 252-769-751-702  
Tr. 803 804-803  
Tr. 416 751-762-753

VC 10-15-51 Mon Tr. 311 768

VC 10-16-51 Tues Tr. 601 170-187-736-725-177  
Mot. Tarrant, Cond Holquist, Oeldemann Dodge MacMillan, Huff  
Tr. 411 254 - 762 - 409 Cond Mead, Psgr Coll Janet Stalnack  
Tr. 437 751-752-753

7:30 PM, Extra 456, Mot. White, Cond. Noske, Brakemen Schaefer, Bowers and Bell, at Pettibone Yard, arrived with four cars and caboose, derailed one pair of wheels on caboose 1006 at switch by lead track and track No. 1, due to foreign matter in switch. Rerailed at 7:48 PM; track OK at 8:44 PM by R. Pavletic.

10-17-51 Wed Tr. 546 700-705-701

10-18-51 Thur Tr. 535 181

VC 10-19-51 Fri Tr. 401 250-762-770  
Tr. 546 164-416  
Tr. 583 173-151

Tr. 423 252-750-770-409-769 Mot. A.R. Calvert, Cond. F. A. Kromer  
Colls. G.H. Auston and Morrison. Struck by eastbound 1941 Ford  
at 32<sup>nd</sup> St. Zion. 4 fatalities, all teens.

12:45 AM, Extra 453, Mot. Kellner, Cond. H. Hangebrauck, at Rondout, split the SB east crossover switch, crossover rail turned over. Train 733 delayed 10 mins.

VC 10-20-51 Sat Tr. 538 162-152 Mot Lustbader, Cond Maechtle Coll Clifford

XC 10-21-51 Sun Tr. 530 758-157  
Tr. 430 748-744-181-193-174-736  
X-159 South 159-732-196-169 8:30 PM military extra from Milw.

10-22-51 Mon Nothing of value

10-23-51 Tues Tr. 571 181-180 Mot A.H.Smith, Cond. Carty  
Tr. 435 726-751-771

Extra 455, Mot. Gibson, Cond. Kolar, Brakemen C. Austin, W. Smith and O. Ballenger, in Acme Coal & Bldg Material Co. siding, Wkgn, tore down trolley wire and power off from 10:55 PM to 11:55 PM between Substation A-24 and Public Service Substation No. 43. Train 434 delayed 30 mins. Tr. 578 held 14 mins NCJct, connection with Tr. 434. Tr. 435 delayed 31 mins.

10-24-51 Wed Tr. 425 726-751-746-749-771-772  
Tr. 583 166-410

10-25-51 Thur Tr. 405 757-761-759 Mot Mink, Cond L.S.Smith, Coll Leis  
Tr. 718 767-763 Mot Carlson, Cond Barr, Coll Falcon

Starting about 9:15 AM, Elec. Dept renewing trolley wire from Deerpath south, one mile. *Chrs*

8:10 PM, Extra 456, Mot. Parks, ran engine over derail at Acme Lumber Co. siding, at Dugdale Rd., damaging derail and derailing engine. Rerailed at 8:50 PM.

At about 9:45 PM, C-4, Mot. Justen, Cond Jacobs, Brakemen S. Kiehl, G. DelBene and Knauff, switching out empties at Pettibone Yard, let empty gondola ERIE 10462 get away from them and derailed on back lead at the barn.

*X C* 10-26-51 Fri Tr. 550 410-158-715-189-157-420

9:00 PM, Extra 455, Mot. Parks, Cond. Cairns, Brakemen Brown, Keane and Saunders, shoving five cars of stone in on main side at U.S. Naval Training Center, pushed thru rigid switch; pulled back, derailed gondola ATSF 166077. Both rails turned over under car. Rail broken in two places.

*X C* 10-27-51 Sat Nothing of value

*VC* 10-28-51 Sun Tr. 807 804-803 Mot G.W.Smith, Cond Curley Coll Luzar  
X-162 South 162-186-152-184-196-170 Mot. Ray, Cond. Blomeyer,  
Coll. Price, Psgr Collector Stevens

Tr. 709 delayed 12 mins. returninmg to Steward Ave. crossover and running on wrong main Libertyville-Mundelein, account NB track filled with freight cars.

10-29-51 Mon Tr. 432 770-252-182 Mot Conder, Cond Patton, Coll Stanley

8:10 PM, Extra 459 Mot Gibson, ran thru rigid switch at Haake Coal Co. siding, Grand Ave.

10-30-51 Tues Tr. 571 173-411

4:00 AM, C-6, on arrival at Siljestrom Coal & Ice Co., found ATSF 78174 with one pair of wheels derailed on south track. Rerailed at 5:15 AM.

10-31-51 Wed	Tr. 501	173
	Tr. 559	410-162-185-711
	Tr. 433	776-739
	Tr. 579	176-420-156

11:15 AM, Extra 229, unloading stone at south crossover at Oakton Street, stone unloaded faster than sectionmen could handle required single track operation using NB track between Oakton and Dodge until 11:47 AM Train 410 delayed 3 mins., Tr. 803 - 5 mins.

11-1-51 Thur	Tr. 552	171-165	add 723-196 on head end at Hwd
	Tr. 563	182-411-420-156	
	Tr. 583	180-163-150	

YC 11-2-51 Fri	Tr. 411	254-726-747	
	Tr. 422	763-775-768-741-760-254	six cars from Milw
	Tr. 435	757-751-169-708	

Tr. 555 159-164-177-171-179 in curve between Linden Ave. and Greenleaf Ave, all trolleys dewired, broken span wire which wrapped around trolley pole, car 179, tearing off trolley base. Trains delayed as follows: 555 - 29 mins. 613 - 9 mins. 33 - 4 mins. 559 - 3 mins. 550 - 19 mins. 552 - 4 mins. 554 - 4 mins. 558 boosted from Hwd on time, left 10<sup>th</sup> St. 33 mins. late, late arrival of #555.

YC 11-3-51 Sat	Tr. 608	729	
	Tr. 426	755-776-738-764	Mot. L. Roberts, Cond Stadler, Coll Horbinski
	Tr. 558	171-183	
	Tr. 808	801-802	Mot. G.W.Smith, Cond. Curley, Coll Luzar
	Tr. 809	804-803	

YC 11-4-51 Sun	Tr. 501	164-411-176-172	
	Tr. 800	803-804	BO on arrival R.Rd. Deadheaded to Milw for repairs. Standard equipment operated on Trains 803-804-817-818 and NB extra scheduled to leave Chicago at 10:25 PM., with units returned to service on Tr. No. 800, Monday, 11/5/51.

After Extra 454 South passed South Upton, towerman reported he could not clear plant. Maintainer called and on inspection found impedance bonds torn up and found part of brake rigging. Inspection at Pettibone disclosed it was from car L&N 75729. Train No. 403 delayed 4 mins.

YC 11-5-51 Mon	Tr. 519	413-180-190-177-186-157
	Tr. 425	747-773-748-772-760-762-757

11-6-51 Tues Some delay to trains account heavy wet snowfall accompanied by strong winds. Milwaukee Dispatch line out from 5:00 PM to 9:04 PM.

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XC 11-7-51 Wed Continued unseasonable weather with snow, strong winds; sleet between Six Mile Road and Grange Ave. chr

Tr. 800	803-804	Put on sleet cutter at Harrison St.
Tr. 527	704-150	
Tr. 415	761-769	
Tr. 19	707-177	Mot Blackmore Cond Morrill, Coll Morrison
Tr. 725	724-713-735-715	
Tr. 435	751-757-710	

Tr. 433, rear car 776: Psgr told Cond. Cawley a westbound auto had run into rear truck of car 776 at 75<sup>th</sup> St., Kenosha. Kenosha police investigated and found headlight at 73<sup>rd</sup> St., fender at 67<sup>th</sup> St., but no auto and no report had been turned in to Police Dept as of 11:00 PM.

11-8-51 Thur	Tr. 804	801-802
	Tr. 809	804-803
	Tr. 579	163-194-416-723

1:30 AM, Extra 456, Mot. Parks, Cond. Cairns, Brakemen Keane, Brown and Hooper, front pair of trucks of Engine 456 derailed at road crossing inside Ft. Sheridan Gate, due to accumulation of ice and snow. Rerailed at 2:30 AM.

XC 11-9-51 Fri	Tr. 706	167-735-713-724-736
	Tr. 415	772-750-251
	Tr. 547	722-154-420
	Tr. 421	737-739-776-740
	Tr. 558	161-162

XC 11-10-51 Sat	Tr. 571	167-156
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XC 11-11-51 Sun Tr. 402 arrived Howard St. 6 mins late and Tr. 403 arrived at Milwaukee 25 mins. late due to heavy frost and changing sleet cutters.

XC 11-12-51 Mon	Extra 257 South	157-191-155-192-256 TN-397	Cond R. Bell
	Tr. 424	762-753	Mot. Quick, Cond Nietzsche, Coll A.R. Butts

XC 11-13-51 Tues Rain with exceptionally heavy downpour in afternoon resulting in delays to trains account B.O. block signals; strong wind in late evening. Water level with top of rail between 29<sup>th</sup> and 33<sup>rd</sup> Streets, Zion in mid afternoon. chr

1:20 AM, at Rondout, Extra 454, Mot. Kellner, Cond Hangebrauck, kicking SOU 105705, loaded with coal, hopper door came open, spilling contents.

11-14-51 Wed	Tr. 570	168-253	11-15-51 Thur	Nothing of value
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11-16-51 Fri Tr. 404 742-757-750-763-712  
Tr. 416 760-761-759-250

11-17-51 Sat Military Extra 703 South: 703-193-158-159-191-157 scheduled to leave Milw at 10:20 PM, car 191 on fire due to overheated stove. No. 434 delayed 10 mins at Harrison St., behind Extra 703 South.

Tr. 801 804-803 Mot Trout, Cond. Leed, Coll Howk 8:50 AM struck westbound auto at Woodridge Station. Unit 804 badly damaged, brought to Highwood Shops. Auto drove on to tracks directly in front of train, derailing 2<sup>nd</sup> pair of wheels on 1<sup>st</sup> truck of unit 804. Single track operated using SB track between Northbrook and Briergate, with normal operation resumed starting with Train No. 411. Unit 804 rerailed at 10:31 AM, track OK at 11:00 AM by R. Pavletic, bondings OK at 2:27 PM. *chron*

Trains delayed: 707 - 45 mins. 409 - 14 mins. 411 - 19 mins. 708 - 5 mins.  
710 - 11 mins Mund., received late from #707. Silverliner equipment used on Trains Nos. 802-805-816-809.

11-18-51 Sun Electroliner units 803-804 out of service; Silverliner Equipment used on Trains Nos. 800-803-804-807-818 and NB extra scheduled to leave Adams & Wabash at 10:25 PM.

Tr. 409 737-756-764  
X-700 N 700-151-150-189-732-161 Military Extra leaving Downeys at 11:11 AM, developed hot journal, car 189. Oiled at Ryan Tower and car set out at Harrison St.

11-19-51 Mon

At about 10:30 PM, Mot. Gibson, Cond. Kolar, Brakemen C. Austin, McGaha and Hans, going into Sackman's siding, twice derailed loaded car, UP 454461. W&S Dept and Mech Dept. Notified to check to see if car or tracks B.O.

8:10 AM, Extra 456, Mot. H. White, coming up to lead from Pettibone shops with light motor, in front of Pettibone Yard Office struck sectionmen's speeder. No personal injuries. No damage to speeder. Piece chipped off footboard on Engine 456.

At about 11:48 PM, Extra 458 North, at Zion, engine developed contactor trouble. Engine deadheaded to Pettibone Yards and changed up.

11-20-51 Tues Tr. 617 176-703

2,000 feet south of Sheridan Elms, trolley wire came down behind Train No. 402, cars 776-739-756-737-755-774. Power off for 72 mins. Single track operated using NB track between South Upton and Briergate. Normal operation resumed at 2:12 PM. Trains delayed: 402, 202, 706, 206, 404, 708, 800, 208, 405, 707. Tr. 801 delayed 21 mins, operating via Shore Line. *chron*

VC 11-21-51 Wed Electroliner units 803-804 out of service; Silverliner equipment used on Trains 800-803-804-807-808.

8C 11-22-51 Thurs Sleet, which was exceptionally heavy between Milwaukee and Waukegan, started in at about 1:00 PM, causing delays to trains in both directions. Sleet also rather heavy in Libertyville-Mundelein area. *chrv*

Silverliner equipment used on Trains 801-802-805-816-809 and SB extra scheduled to leave Milwaukee at 10:20 PM.

Tr. 802 755-766-416-754-774-739 Psgr Collector Monroe

Tr. 426 767-762-769-763-758-771 Mot Keller, Cond Greenfield

VC 11-23-51 Fri Sleet on trolley wire caused delays to trains pulling out of Mundelein. *chrv*

Tr. 702 737-722-717-729-731-724

Tr. 514 706-167-179-736 Mot. Powell, Cond Maechtle, Colls Falcon, Kook, Stoll

Tr. 567 251-170-168-181

VC 11-24-51 Sat Tr. 522 700-742  
Tr. 554 181-168-711

VC 11-25-51 Sun Temperature variation 18 to 33 degrees. Rain, hail, sleet and snow, causing some delay to trains. Heavy frost between College Ave and Racine. Tracks 1 and 4 closed 4:48 PM to 6:20 PM from Howard St. south, and sleet scrapers ordered down. *chrv*

Tr. 543 708-412-152-414

11-26-51 Mon Tr. 402 766-774-739-755-754

Tr. 571 182-416-738-185

Tr. 432 761-253-760 Mot Conder, Cond Patton, Coll Stanley

11-27-51 Tues Mentions Psgr Collector Mrs. H. Barnett

VC 11-28-51 Wed Tr. 206 708-189-728-162-751-160  
Tr. 411 250-752-758

11-29-51 Thur Tr. 700 709-719-713

Tr. 816 801-802

Tr. 426 766-754-739 Mot Coris, Cond Stadler

Crew on Tr. 435 reported heavy frost on trolley wire, Racine to Milwaukee. *chrv*

2:25 AM, Brakeman Wade Smith, Extra 455 North, went out to set trolley over at underpass at NCJct and was knocked off engine; skinned his knee.

Crew on Extra 457, Mot Kellner, Cond Hangebrauck, switching in Pettibone Yard, trolley pole caught in span wire tearing trolley base off Engine 457.

11-30-51 Fri Exceptionally heavy frost on trolley wire delayed early morning trains on Milw Divison.

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Tr. 551 176-150-168-178 B.O., pushed Glencoe-Hwd by Tr. 611. Train 423 not held for connection with 551 and equipment from Tr. 19 operated as extra Zion to Kenosha for passengers from Train 551. Tr. 16 annulled Zion to Edison Court.

Tr. 424 754-739-767

Extra 744 S 744 Mot. Sargent, Cond Agrella [6:45 PM from Milw]

Tr. 435 768-756-168-178

12-1-51 Sat Tr. 437 761-759 [of 11-30-51] Mot Allen, Cond Stadler, Horbinski  
Tr. 546 701-251

12-2-51 Sun Tr. 534 705

12-3-51 Mon Tr. 416 760-753-253

12-4-51 Tues Tr. 405 767-763-751-744-743  
Tr. 424 772-773

*XC* 12-5-51 Wed Tr. 202 768-753-175-743-700-723

7:05 AM, Motorman Odinius, moving cars 766-774-253-764 south at Canal Street on Milwaukee Viaduct, collided with SB 1948 Plymouth.

12-6-51 Thur X-159 South 159-192-708-184 [X ahead Tr. 422, EdCt to Chgo]  
Tr. 426 756-737  
Tr. 808 803-804

Tr. 808, units 803-804, Mot. G. W. Smith, took wrong line up at NCJct. Train 809 delayed 6 mins at NCJct waiting for Tr. 808 to back up for Skokie Division.

*XC* 12-7-51 Fri Nothing of value

*XC* 12-8-51 Sat Tr. 733 705

*XL* 12-9-51 Sun Tr. 804 801-802 Mot Palmer, Cond Knight, Coll Kelly

*XC* 12-10-51 Mon Nothing of value

12-11-51 Tues Tr. 402 756-737-755-739-730  
Tr. 530 165 703-704-162 added at Hwd  
Tr. 421 755-737-756-774

*XL* 12-12-51 Wed Nothing of value

VL 12-13-51 Thur Tr. 401 254-768-767-762 Mot Wylie, Cond Pearson, Coll Wilson  
 Tr. 522 158-717  
 Tr. 535 766-197-168-197-250  
 Tr. 615 175-191-172-159  
 Tr. 551 168-197-766  
 Tr. 717 736-412-715  
 Tr. 425 742-763-737-755-746-770-740  
 Mot. Challenger, Cond Bench. Stanley Grogan Patyk  
 Tr. 619 179-185-735 Mot Haake, Cond Cawley

4:30 PM, Extra 604, Mot. Ardelean, Cond Koon, Coll Meimar, failed to clear switch point on #1 track south end of Highwood Yard, derailing north pair of wheels of north truck. Rerailed at 5:00 PM. W&S Dept notified and track OK at 5:32 PM by Section Foreman George Kallas.

XC 12-14-51 Fri Third rail sleet cutters ordered down on CTA at 5:42 AM, up at 10:50 PM. Snow practically all day, stopping at about 11:00 PM, by which time about 10" accumulated. Some delay to trains due to poor visibility, autos stalled on tracks and heavy traffic because of storm. *chron*

Tr. 523 184-182-769-728-713 Mot Powell, Cond Maechtle Hill Giefer Sullivan Keane  
 Tr. 804 801-802 Mot Karas, Cond Selin, Coll Kelly  
 Tr. 420 739-760-752-704  
 Tr. 421 754-764-737-766  
 Tr. 551 165-410-154  
 Tr. 559 420-709-192-178 Mot Boyer, Cond Graf, Coll Hill, Fiedorowicz, Bunch  
 Tr. 429 252-741-772-761-728-713

VC 12-15-51 Sat 4:00 AM, fire started in basement at Adams & Wabash Station with additional fire fighting equipment called for at 4:20 AM. Damage quite extensive. *chron*

Tr. 405 756-742-746-759  
 Tr. 801 802-801  
 Tr. 530 700-183  
 Tr. 534 178-192-154  
 Tr. 429 253-753-776-751-175  
 Tr. 432 769-771-754-172  
 Tr. 437 742-756-746-178-182

XC 12-16-51 Sun Tr. 519 728-165  
 Tr. 522 728-420  
 Tr. 410 759-751  
 Tr. 413 758-731-167  
 Tr. 709 736-715  
 Tr. 563 256-705-178  
 Tr. 429 254-742-741-769-183  
 Tr. 433 776-739-740-738-756-771  
 Tr. 434 770-726-768  
 Tr. 435 764-737-752-173

XC 12-17-51 Mon Snow starting again in early afternoon with heavy accumulation on top of previous heavy snowfall.

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Tr. 401	252-743-746-768-726
Tr. 405	760-409-720-761-725-702
Tr. 801	804-803
Tr. 530	707
Tr. 546	754-730
Tr. 731	723-412-705
Tr. 432	726-192-254

Tr. 423 254-192-738-775-181 Rec'd 4 mins. late at Howard St. Delayed 10 mins Howard to Ed.Ct., car 738 bucking. Delayed 5 mins. Layton for Tr. 426. Delayed 33 mins. Milwaukee, train cut at Harrison St. between cars 738-775 and car 738 went dead on hill, had to back down hill and make up train.

12:40 PM, Extra 454, engines 454-457-453, Mot. Fitch, Cond Palmer, Brakemen Kneifel, Dowden and Senn, dropped their caboose into spare siding just south of Oakton, caboose went over hump and derailed one truck, knocking pole down at end of track. Rerailed at 1:05 PM

XC 12-18-51 Tues Snow Plow #231 on Mund Branch with controller resistance burned out.

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2:20 AM, Extra 455 North, Mot. S. DelBene, Cond. Cairns, Brakemen Brown, McGrath and Hooper, at Downeys Crossover, West Line, derailed rear trucks on loaded hopper CC&O 45073, turning over rail on SB track. Car rerailed at 3:40 AM. Single track in operation using NB track between Valley Jct. and Downeys West, starting with Train No. 200.

3:30 PM, Extra 456 North, Mot. Holm, Cond. Webster, Brakemen Perry, Graham, Homan, at Weissenberg siding, Northfield, derailed south pair of trucks of empty box car NYC 146267, caused by accumulation of snow in switch. To be rerailed 12/19/51.

5:15 PM, Train No. 816, units 801-802, at Austin, derailed one truck; rerailed at 9:40 PM. Trains 816-424-426-428-808-432 annulled Milwaukee to Chicago. Trains 423-807-425-427 operated to Austin then turned back, operating as extra trains to Chicago. Standard equipment used on Train No. 809.

Chrm

Tr. 809 769-409

XC 12-19-51 Wed	Tr. 1 701	Mot Tanney, Cond Leed
	Tr. 522	162-703
	Tr. 411	251-767-775
	Tr. 802	803-804
	Tr. 538	175
	Tr. 805	804-803 B.O. until Tr. 800 of 12-20-51
	Tr. 421	740-738-770-176
	Tr. 554	161-196-169
	Tr. 721	724-705-722-718-729-420
	Tr. 570	151-252

✓ 12-20-51 Thur At about 1:15 AM, Snow Plow Extra 231, Motorman Kellner, at Liberty Lake, knocked off switch lights on crossover and siding switches.

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Sleet cutters ordered down at 5:40 AM; snow and occasional rain most of day with slippery streets by late evening.

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Tr. 702	730-735-413-410-736-732	
Tr. 417	250-771-770	Mot Boyer, Cond Graf, Coll Bunch
Tr. 424	759-173	
Tr. 559	764-740-194-154	
Tr. 722	715	
Tr. 731	409-702-728	

✓ 12-21-51 Fri

7:08 AM, Extra 458 North, Mot. Kellner, Cond. Harwood, Brakemen Lujanac, G. Anderson and Meimar, at 21<sup>st</sup> Street, Racine, derailed one set of wheels of north truck of Engine 458, due to accumulation of snow on crossing. Rerailed at 7:22 A.M.

Tr. 512	155-709	189-156 added at Hwd
Tr. 405	753-757-767-771-183	
Tr. 603	700-409	
Tr. 409	766-772-774-737-739-746	
Tr. 415	726-768-756-727	
Tr. 543	163-161-196-180	Mot A. Schaal, Cond Quinn
Tr. 325	716	Annulled Lake Bluff-Mundelein, car 716 dead
Tr. 435	776-768-725-723	
Tr. 437	739-744-730-770	

4:50 PM, trolley wire fell on Engine 459 while on loop track in Highwood Yards; power off until 5:08 PM.

✓ 12-22-51 Sat

Tr. 401	250-766-772
Tr. 517	156-189-709
Tr. 754	717-736-702
Tr. 413	752-742-771-755-720-775
Tr. 535	168-151-150
Tr. 411	254-754-739-744-730
	Mot Blackmore, Cond Morrill, Colls Sutter and Pike
Tr. 555	155-176-171-193-159
Tr. 432	767-773-737-707

5:30 AM, Extra 456, Mot. Gibson, Cond Kolar, Brakemen C. Austin, McGaha and Hans, derailed PA 704301 south of Glen Rock Ave., Waukegan.

10:45 PM, Extra 456, Mot. Gibson, Cond Kolar, at Haake Coal Co., derailed engine because of ice and snow on crossing. Rerailed at 11:30 PM.

✓ 12-23-51 Sun Tr. 422 718-717-763-409-747-251 4 from Milw  
 Tr. 428 742-752-773-737-738-254  
 Tr. 432 743-760-768-775-720-250  
 Tr. 434 409-747-753-759-770-757

✓ 12-24-51 Mon Tr. 401 250-720-775-768  
 Tr. 800 801-802 802 dead. Standard equipment operated on  
 Trains 2/411 and 804; units returned to service on Tr. 2/423.  
 Tr. 538 183-163-160-740  
 Mot Crabb, Cond Colby, Colls Giefer, MacMillan, Ward.  
 Tr. 411 253-769-746-774  
 Tr. 416 753-730-774-746-769-251

5:45 PM, Tr. 2/423, units 802-801, Mot. A. H. Smith, Cond. H. Peterson, Psgr. Coll.  
 Miss Fiedorowicz, 5,000 ft south of Briergate Station, struck and killed 90 year old man  
 walking in center of tracks. NB trains 807, 425-721-725 delayed.

✓ 12-25-51 Tues Snow starting in at about 5:00 PM previous evening continued thru until  
 morning with vehicular traffic tied up to such an extent that men, particularly  
 CTA men in Chicago, were unable to get to their reporting terminal with consequent heavy  
 delays to trains. Numerous cases of BO train equipment also resulted from extremely  
 heavy accumulation of snow in entire area.

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Tr. 402 756-754 Mot McNally, Cond A.L. Johnson, Coll. Oeldemann  
 Tr. 543 412-711-183  
 Tr. 551 752-701-163 Mot Tanney, Cond Blomeyer, Colls Jennings and Maechtle  
 Tr. 424 770-169-727-729 Mot A.H. Smith, Cond. Carty, Coll. Butts

✓ 12-26-51 Wed Tr. 1 409 Mot. Tanney, Cond Leed.  
 Tr. 512 165-762  
 Tr. 202 705-179-738-743-737 Train BO, annulled Wkgn-Chgo  
 Tr. 519 733-717-150-715-192-760  
 Tr. 543 252-168-717 Mot Palmer, Cond H. Peterson, Sullivan, Bandy  
 Tr. 426 753-761-755  
 Tr. 563 717-189-709-256  
 Tr. 722 728-705  
 Tr. 432 764-767  
 Tr. 583 739-420-776

Electroliner units 803-804 out of service for rewiring. Silverliner equipment operated on  
 Trains 800-803-804-807, with units returned to service on Train No. 808.



12-27-51 Thur Tr. 404 409-160-177-161 Mot Sargent, Cond Leed, Coll Keesling  
                           Tr. 708 733-756-170-719  
                           Tr. 417 254-757-767-701  
                           Tr. 717 734-743-728  
                           Tr. 424 767-757  
                           Tr. 725 730-716-769-760  
                           Tr. 429 250-163-176  
                           Tr. 434 737-762-752 Mot. Brynn, Cond. Sesterhenn, Coll. Jennings  
                           Tr. 437 763-701-722

Train 436 delayed 9 mins. Ed.Ct. and Highwood, backing in at Ed.Ct. to pick up dead car 725 for Highwood shops.

12-28-51 Fri Tr. 547 177-168-192-707  
                           Tr. 428 743-174-254  
                           Tr. 575 162-704-416-768

CTA cars derailed at Gas House, Skokie, rerailed at 5:19 PM. C-2 delayed approximately one hour.

12-29-51 Sat Tr. 405 766-760-773-758-748  
                           Tr. 414 726-744-720-737-766-735  
                           Tr. 714 732-730  
                           Tr. 713 716-712  
                           Tr. 422 763-743-174-251  
                           Tr. 423 771-736-741-757-166-742  
                           Tr. 809 804-803

12-30-51 Sun Tr. 402 737-766  
                           Tr. 514 704  
                           Tr. 803 804-803  
                           Tr. 414 739-755-775-758  
                           Tr. 551 182-156-162  
                           Tr. 807 804-803 Mot G.W.Smith, Cond Curley, Coll Michela  
                           Tr. 429 252-711-768

8:45 PM, Extra 452, Mot. Gibson, ran thru and broke stiff switch at west end of Rondout scale track. W&S Dept. notified.

XC 12-31-51 Mon Tr. 404 753-773-763-710  
Tr. 206 164-703-722-727-728  
Tr. 535 150-728-727  
Tr. 534 176

Tr. 551 165-194-178-169 Delayed 12 mins. Wilmette, repacking hot journal car 178.  
Delayed 5 mins. Hwd Office, cutting off cars 194-178-169 and adding car.

Tr. 552 705-411 Delayed 14 mins. Highwood Office, switching and reswitching  
cars, B.O. headlight circuits, cars 705 and 411.

XC 1-1-52 Tues 2:00 AM extra from Milwaukee, Extra 746 South: 746-162-177-724  
At Highwood Office, set out car 162, hot journal.

Tr. 566 707-253

Extra 802 North 802-801, delayed 35 mins. Chgo-Ed.Ct., frozen air valve unit 802.  
Tr. 435 delayed 30 mins Skokie-Racine, behind Extra 802 North.

XC 1-2-52 Wed Tr. 510 705

1:10 AM, R.Rd. Towerman reported car 181 on fire, stored at about 15<sup>th</sup> St., Chicago.  
Fire extinguished by Chgo Fire Dept. Fire started around stove, and smoking compartment  
and roof badly damaged.