

Theodore Roosevelt Rides Again on the Historic Saratoga & North Creek Railroad

As the first rays of sunlight began to pierce the curtain of fog that covered the Adirondack forest, Vice President Theodore Roosevelt hurried up the platform of the North Creek, NY depot. The station agent handed him a telegram, bearing the sad news that President William McKinley had died during the night, the victim of an assassin's bullet. With barely a nod of acknowledgement, Roosevelt quickly climbed aboard a special train that was waiting to carry him to McKinley's deathbed in Buffalo, and onward into history.

The date was September 14th, and the scene was almost identical to that of well over a century ago, but the year was 2013, and the special train was actually an excursion on the Saratoga & North Creek Railroad, with a Teddy Roosevelt reprisor playing the role of the president. This re-creation of the historic early morning trip was one of the many activities



Teddy Roosevelt delivers a speech on the very spot where he received the telegram informing him that he had become the President of the United States. Dave Hamilton photo.



A large crowd welcomes the Leviathan on its arrival at the historic North Creek, NY depot on September 14th for the museum's annual railroad festival. Photo by Dave Hamilton.

that were part of the "Teddy Roosevelt Rides Again" Festival at the North Creek Depot. With entertainment, food, craft vendors, and perfect early fall weather, those who attended couldn't have asked for a better weekend.

In addition to the regular exhibits at the North Creek Depot Museum, which includes a large model railroad layout and displays of memorabilia about the railroad and local history, a special "Delaware & Hudson Rail Fair" was held in a nearby building. Model railroad and railroadiana vendors offered a variety of merchandise, and a large collection of memorabilia from the D&H was on display.

Retired Delaware & Hudson conductor Bill Bibby gave an excellent presentation on the history of the line to North Creek, including reminiscing about his personal experiences working on the mine runs to Tahawus. From stories of making venison stew in the caboose, to a demonstration

Key, Lock & Lantern Would Like to Hear from YOU!

While it seems as though the summer was over before it even began this year, I did have the opportunity to take a trip or two to some railfan events and antique shows around the northeast. At many of them, I ran into other members of Key, Lock & Lantern, and I was also able to see some of their collections. While it doesn't really come as a surprise, many KL&L members have historically significant artifacts in their collections that could easily be considered "museum pieces." Often, these items were headed for the trash heap, and were salvaged at the last minute by those of us who recognized their value. Although in some ways we may be collectors of "junk," we are in fact preserving an important part of railroad history.

While all types of antiques have monetary value, I think that most of us collect railroadiana because we are interested in the history that it provides a connection to. In that regard, when it is finally time for us to make that final run to the freight yard in the sky, we would like to see the memorabilia in our collections passed along to others who will respect and care for it like we did. This summer, I heard several horror stories about collections where this did not happen. Take a minute to review your will, loan arrangements with other collectors/organizations, and related legal matters (see *KL&L News* Issue #17 for more on this subject).

In the meantime, why not share your collection with others who will truly appreciate it? Send in a few photos, with brief descriptions, to Key, Lock & Lantern. Short articles about railroad subjects that you may have conducted research on are also much appreciated. Also, don't forget to send in news items and photos for the *KL&L News* (it's free advertising for your museum or group). The mission of our organization is to share information about railroad history and collecting, and we can't do it without YOU!

Dave Hamilton KL&L President & Editor



Railroad Event Calendar



Upcoming historical society conventions, special events, railroadiana shows & auctions. Listings subject to change. Check show web sites before traveling and visit www.klnl.org for updates. See submission guidelines at the end of the calendar.

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Oct 12	Altoona, PA - Amtrak Exhibit Train. Norfolk				
	Southern Rose Yard.				
	Info: http://history.amtrak.com.				
Oct 12	Brookline, NH - Railroadiana Consignment				
	Auction. Brookline Auction Gallery.				
	Info: www.tagtown.net.				
Oct 20 Kingston, NY - Kingston Railroad Hobby S					
	Murphy Midtown Center.				
	Info: www.kingstontrainshow.com.				
Oct 20 St. Charles, IL - Chicago Railroadiana Sh					
	Kane County Fairgrounds.				
	Info: www.chicagorrshow.com.				
Oct 26	Ft. Wayne, IN - Maumee Valley Railroad Club				
	Model Railroad Show & Swap Meet.				
	Info: http://maumeevalleyrailroad.com.				
Oct 26	Hamlet, NC - Amtrak Exhibit Train. Hamlet				
	Seaboard Festival.				
	Info: http://history.amtrak.com.				
Oct 26	Phoenixville, PA - Railroadiana Auction. Maurer				
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- **Dct 26** Phoenixville, PA Railroadiana Auction. Maure Auctions. Ridge Fire Hall. Info: www.maurerail.com.
- Oct 26 Walnut Creek, CA San Francisco Bay Area Railroadiana Show. Walnut Creek Elk's. Info: www.sfbarailroadianashow.com.
- Oct 27 Indianapolis, IN Railroadiana Show. Ramada Inn East. Info: www.indyrrshow.com.
- Nov 1-3 Gaithersburg, MD Railroadiana Show & Sale. Montgomery County Fairgrounds. Info: www.gserr.com.
- Nov 2 Meridian, MS GM&O Historical Society Train Show, Railfair & Amtrak Exhibit Train. Info: www.gmohs.org.



Key, Lock & Lantern magazine Issue #171 has been mailed to current members, kicking off the 2013-14 membership year with a variety of interesting articles. As noted above, though, we thought that our readers deserved a warning that this issue contains stories of graphic violence, images that depict nudity, and gritty railroad language. Well, perhaps its not as bad as it sounds, but it makes for a good headline.

Railroad baron James Fisk, Jr. led a flamboyant lifestyle and made extravagant use of the funds of the Erie Railway, which led him to be known as the "Prince of Erie." In this issue, we explore the life of one of railroad history's more interesting characters, including his violent death at the hands of a business associate. We then visit the monument that was erected on his grave in Brattleboro, Vt, and discover the meaning of the sculptures of four partially clothed women that adorn it (thus our warning about violence and nudity).

Also on the topic of the more colorful aspects of railroading, we take a look at some of the different forms of local railroad slang. While most of us are familiar with general terms, such as "cabin," "crummy," and "hack," the lingo commonly used in specific regions is not as well documented. After reading this article, it should be clear what is expected when the pulldown needs a bob at the jack. Just don't forget to slow down for whorehouse curve (gritty language warning!).

In several past issues, Mike Yetter has shared his extensive knowledge of Western Maryland lanterns, and in this edition we have an excerpt from his out of print book on the subject. Lantern enthusiasts will enjoy seeing rare examples from the Steam Gauge & Lantern Company, Star Headlight, and C.T. Ham of Rochester, NY.

Collectors of older styles of lighting will also be interested in an article about early punched tin lanterns. While this type of lamp was less commonly used on railroad lines than later whale oil versions with glass globes, it is still an interesting example of early americana, and makes a nice edition to any lantern collection.

Several recent auctions have included large collections of ticket dater dies, so it seemed appropriate to include a short article about the care and maintenance of dater machines. Originally published in the Buffalo, Rochester & Pittsburgh Railway's employee magazine, "Watch Your Ticket Dater" instructs agents how to make a "good impression."

Also on the subject of making a good impression on the railroad's customers is an interesting story about the most recent style of Long Island RR uniform badges. The railroad's management decided to give passengers a way to identify crewmembers when making complaints (or compliments), but the plan backfired. The result was a cap badge dilemma.

Larry Davis has contributed another nice studio portrait for our "Photos from Along the Line" column, this time with a wealth of information about the Baltimore & Ohio brakeman who is pictured. We ran out of space for the "Questions and Answers" column in this issue, but it will return next time, with some new questions and several answers.

The printed *Key, Lock & Lantern* magazine is only sent by mail to members, and is not available for download. If you are not currently a member of KL&L, there is no better time than the present to join. As a reminder to 2012-2013 members, Issue #171 is the first magazine of the new 2013-2014 membership year. Check your mailing label - if it still shows Issue #170, you are overdue to renew. A membership form is included on the last page of this newsletter. If you have any questions, contact KL&L VP-Membership Marie Brainard at j944wb@aol.com.

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Railroad Memories Catalog Auction #87 Includes Many Scarce and Unusual Lots

While many collectors specialize in particular areas, such as dining car china, timetables, or lanterns, most of us have a difficult time resisting scarce or unusual items that fall outside of our typical limits of collecting. The recent Railroad Memories catalog auction (#87) must have put the resolve of many narrowly focused collectors to the test, as it contained many lots of "out of the ordinary" memorabilia.

From a Great Northern baked potato porcelain inkwell to a monad logo spark plug from the same line, there were plenty of unusual artifacts to bid on. Add the usual selection of rare lanterns, keys, and china, mostly from western roads, and it was no surprise that many lots brought high prices. The following photos represent a small selection of railroadiana from the catalog. *Photos, descriptions, and prices realized are courtesy of Railroad Memories Auctions.*



One of the "big ticket" items of the sale, this Santa Fe plexiglass drumhead from the Super Chief - El Capitan train went to a new home for a high bid of \$4250.



Several early stereo cards by Watkins Pacific with construction views of the Central Pacific Railroad were listed in the auction, with this example selling for \$170.



A \$1300 bid was needed to take home this rare Missouri Kansas & Texas RR Kornette biscuit warming oven.



No collection of Northern Pacific memorabilia is complete without a Baked Potato inkwell, which sold for \$550.



Colorado memorabilia is always popular, with this rare builders plate from a Denver & Salt Lake Railroad Lima 2-8-2 steam locomotive bringing in a high bid of \$8000.

Railroad Preservation & Museum News

Roanoke is Next Stop for the Norfolk Southern Exhibit Car



The Norfolk Southern Exhibit Car will wrap up a five state public tour with a trip to the Virginia Museum of Transportation in Roanoke during the month of November. The Exhibit Car is a restored 1926 Pullman passenger car that was converted to a mobile museum in 1971. In its 41 years of service as a display car, more than 1.5 million people have viewed it in hundreds of cities across NS the railway system. The Exhibit car is scheduled to arrive in Roanoke, Va. on November 8th, where it is expected to spend the remainder of the month.

As NS celebrated its 30th anniversary last year, the company introduced 20 locomotives painted in the color schemes of some of its most prominent predecessor companies. Among new features added to the Exhibit Car in 2012 were models of all heritage locomotives - a collection completed this year with addition of the Veterans locomotive model - and digital images of the actual locomotives. Guests can view historical information about each railroad and watch a new video that demonstrates how a locomotive is painted.

The Exhibit Car also features images and information about Norfolk Southern's employee volunteer program and its sustainability and safety initiatives. "Explore the Line" highlights how NS benefits local communities and creates jobs, and "Protect the Line" invites guests to help keep the rails safe.

Everyone's favorite display - the locomotive simulator, complete with throttle, brake, and horn - puts guests in control of a virtual freight train. A new game, "Load the Line," challenges players to match freight products with the correct type of rail car in a race against time. Guests can snap several quick photos against a train backdrop in a photo booth, which later sends the photos via email. Visitors are able to comment about their favorite display in an electronic guestbook.

Norfolk Southern provides the Exhibit Car at no cost for community events throughout its service territory. For more information on arranging for a visit by the car and for updated schedules, visit www.nscorp.com. *News and photo courtesy of Norfolk Southern Corporation*.



Plans Underway to Replace Historic Erie Portage Viaduct

Work on the replacement for the historic Erie RR bridge over the Genesee River gorge at Portageville, NY is slowly advancing, with a New York State environmental impact review currently in progress. Built in late 1875, after the original wooden trestle burned, the bridge continues to carry traffic on Norfolk Southern's key Southern Tier route. Lower weight limits, deterioration that caused the bridge to be taken out of service for a brief period several years ago, and high maintenance costs have accelerated the schedule for constructing a new bridge.

While several groups have advocated for the preservation of the old structure, as an attraction in Letchworth State Park, the expected liability and expense of maintaining it has thus far made such a project appear to be unlikely. Time is quickly running out to view and photograph this marvel of railroad engineering.

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Railroad Preservation & Museum News



Public Meetings Held on Plan for Adirondack Rail Corridor

The New York State Department of Transportation recently conducted a series of meetings that were held for the purpose of gathering comments regarding the state's management plan for the Remsen-Lake Placid Travel Corridor. Owned by New York State, the former New York Central route through the Adirondack Mountains is currently served by trains operated by the Adirondack Scenic Railroad, with provisions for limited joint use as a hiking and snowmobile trail. However, several local trail advocacy groups have joined together in an attempt to have the railroad removed, and the right-of-way converted into a recreational trail.

Despite this potential obstacle, the future of the railroad remains bright. With the long-term goal of restoring through train service between the Olympic village of Lake Placid and the Amtrak network at Utica, the line has been reopened as far north as Big Moose (see *KL&L News* Issue #21), along with a separate segment that is currently in operation between Lake Placid and Saranac Lake. Trains are routinely sold out during the fall foliage season, providing an environmentally friendly and universally accessible alternative to congested highways through the Adirondack Park.

A recently conducted independent study found that the restoration of the entire route from Utica to Lake Placid would be feasible, and would make a positive contribution to the economic development of the region (see *KL&L News* Issue #14). The current management plan was developed with input from various parties interested in the preservation of the corridor, and substantial progress has been made in reaching its goals. Hopefully, the New York State DOT will allow this successful plan to remain in place.



CSX Continues to Install New Signals as Part of PTC Project

In preparation for the installation of the Positive Train Control system that has been mandated by recent federal regulations, CSX continues to replace the various original signals along its lines with a new uniform model. The result is that classic styles such as the familiar B&O position lights and New York Central searchlight signals (pictured above at Depew, NY) are slowly disappearing. On the former New York Central, the Utica-Rome segment was the latest to receive the new standard signals. The same scenario is taking place on each of the major railroads, with older signal installations being replaced by modern, electronic versions. Another link to railroading's past will soon be gone.



Renovations Taking Place on DL&W Mount Morris Station

In the "good news" department, the long-neglected station on the former Delaware, Lackawanna & Western mainline at Mount Morris, NY was recently sold, and is being renovated for future commercial use. According to the current owners, the interior of the building suffered a fair amount of water damage due to a leaking roof, but efforts are now underway to stabilize the structure and make much needed repairs.

Railroad Preservation & Museum News



Meridian to Host Railfest and GM&O Historical Society's 24th Annual Convention

The 24th Annual Meeting of the Gulf, Mobile & Ohio Historical Society will be held on November 2, 2013, at the Holiday Inn in Meridian, MS. This year's event is planned to coincide with Meridian's annual Railfest, which includes a variety of activities for the entire family. The new Amtrak Exhibit Train is among the many attractions scheduled to be a part of the festival.

The society's annual railroadiana show will be held at the Holiday Inn Meridian from 9am to 3pm on Saturday. Vendors of a variety of memorabilia are expected, offering everything from dining car china to timetables. A GM&O model display is also planned, along with the meeting and banquet in the evening. For more information, visit the GM&O Historical Society web site at www.gmohs.org.

2014 NRHS Annual Convention Planned for Springdale, AR

The National Railway Historical Society has announced that its 2014 Annual Convention has been scheduled for the week of June 10-14, 2014, in Springdale, Arkansas. Preliminary plans for the convention include three days of charter passenger trains on the Arkansas & Missouri Railroad, featuring their fleet of Alco locomotives.

Other events under consideration include train rides on the Branson Scenic Railroad, Fort Smith Trolley Museum, and the Eureka Springs & North Arkansas Railroad. Also planned are special tours of the Fort Smith Frisco Depot and the shops of the Arkansas & Missouri. Plans are also being developed for the first ever behind-the-scenes tour of the steam railroad at Silver Dollar City in Branson, Missouri.

The convention will be based at the Holiday Inn Northwest Arkansas in Springdale, as well as the adjacent Hampton Inn & Suites. All convention meetings will take place at the Holiday Inn Northwest Arkansas, including business meetings, seminars, and the annual banquet. Further details and prices for the convention activities will be released later this year, and will be available at www.nrhs.com. *News courtesy of the NRHS*.

Museum of the American Railroad Completes Move

With the arrival of Union Pacific Big Boy locomotive 4018 on August 25th, and the transfer of the last track structures and related equipment on September 10th, the Museum of the American Railroad has finally completed its move to its new location in Frisco, Texas.

In 2006, it was determined that the museum had outgrown its home at Fair Park in Dallas, and needed additional space to display its 42-piece collection of rolling stock. At the same time, the City of Frisco was beginning the development of



a "Heritage Village" and a program to promote the railroad history of the community. An agreement was reached that provided almost 15 acres of space in downtown Frisco for the museum, and preparations for the move began in 2009.

With the completion of this phase of the project, the entire collection of the museum can now be housed and displayed in one location, with over 5000 feet of exhibit trackage. The next step is the construction of permanent museum facilities and the further development of the site. In the meantime, the Museum of the American Railroad maintains interim offices and exhibits at the Frisco Heritage Museum, located just north of its new home.

From its beginnings as the "Age of Steam" exhibit at the 1963 State Fair of Texas, the museum has worked to preserve the history of railroading for almost five decades. For more information, visit the Museum of the American Railroad web site at www.museumoftheamericanrailroad.org.

Lanterns For Sale

A collection of 40 lanterns: 14 railroad, 22 industrial & general purpose, & 4 marine, some dating back to the 19th Century, is being sold by the owner, who has been collecting since 1939. 37 are oil burners, 3 are electric; 4 brass, 1 of brass/copper. Some spare

globes & parts. Call 910-392-9595 or e-mail robertewinkler@bellsouth.net for list & photos.



KL&L Members Gather for Memorial to Matt Wronski

Members of Key, Lock & Lantern were among the dozens of family, friends, and railroad enthusiasts who gathered along the riverfront in Buffalo, NY on September 8, 2013, to celebrate the life of fellow railroad historian and collector Matt Wronski. Matt passed away on August 4, 2013, after a brief illness.

A lifelong career railroader, Matt most recently served as Superintendent and Road Foreman of Engines on several lines operated by the Genesee Valley Transportation Co. in New York and Pennsylvania. Known to many for his interest in railroad memorabilia, particularly locomotive builders plates, Matt was always happy to share his knowledge of railroad history with others.

He and his father spent many days capturing the railroads of western New York on film, during the twilight of Buffalo's industrial heyday. Some of the artifacts from Matt's collection will be on display at the Western New York Railway Historical Society's new Heritage Discovery Center in Buffalo.

Following the memorial service, which was held along the Buffalo River near the old Lackawanna Railroad terminal, those in attendance stopped for refreshments at a nearby "working man's" pub in South Buffalo, an appropriate way to bid farewell to a fellow railroader and friend.

Railroad Museums & Historical Societies Send in news & photos to KEY LOCK & LANTERN E-mail KL&L Editor Dave Hamilton at: transportsim@aol.com



"Double Exposure" Exhibit Opens in California Museum

Sacramento's California State Railroad Museum is proud to debut a powerful new exhibit titled "Double Exposure: Photography and the Transcontinental Railroad," which opened on September 14, 2013. The exhibition examines the emergence of photography and the ways in which the Central Pacific and Union Pacific Railroads used the new medium during the construction of America's First Transcontinental Railroad. Ultimately, the technology of photography not only helped to tell the story of the construction of the Transcontinental Railroad, but also helped to shape public perception and foster acceptance for this massive endeavor that encouraged westward travel and settlement.

The new exhibit showcases a timeline of the development of photography from 1839 through today, along with a wide range of photography elements, including original daguerreotypes, ambrotypes, stereographs, albumen prints and tintypes, high quality photographic reproductions, illustrations in popular newspapers and booklets, cameras and equipment, historic graphics, and maps. The science and optics behind early photography are covered and visitors will learn to tell the various types of photographs apart.

It also shows how the leaders of both railroad companies used the photos for specific purposes – raising capital in Central Pacific's case and (for both) showing proof of their progress, making the landscape seem tame, and later, encouraging people to settle along the route. In addition, the exhibit illuminates how artists' woodcuts (line art renditions of photos) in the popular press changed the supposed reality of the photos, and sometimes conflicted with the railroads' desired messages.

The "Double Exposure" exhibit is located in the Mezzanine Gallery of the museum and will remain on display through October 5, 2014. For more information about the California State Railroad Museum, visit the museum's web site at www.californiastaterailroadmuseum.org. *News & photo courtesy of California State Railroad Museum*

Amtrak Dome Car Returns to Adirondack Service Upstate New York Fall Foliage Trips to Run Through October 29th



Passengers riding the Amtrak *Adirondack* north of Albany will once again have the unique opportunity to experience the spectacular view of New York State's fall foliage season when the historic "Great Dome" car makes a special return appearance through October 29th.

With the New York State Department of Transportation and the National Park Service Trail & Rails program, Amtrak has worked cooperatively to bring its only dome car back to upstate New York again this year. The car provides passengers with panoramic views of the changing colors of the trees and of Lake Champlain as the train travels from Albany and across the Canadian border into Montreal.

The refurbished vintage car dates back to 1955 and has a dome section that runs the full length of the car, a rare feature, even when dome cars were more numerous on the nation's railroads. The dome car will operate northbound from Albany to Montreal on Thursdays, Saturdays and Mondays. It returns south from Montreal on Fridays, Sundays, and Tuesdays. No dome car trips are made on Wednesdays. All passengers traveling on the Albany-Montreal segment of the route are welcome to enter the dome car to enjoy the view. Seats in the dome car are not reserved and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

Trails & Rails volunteers will also be aboard most dome car trips, offering scenic and historical commentary between Saratoga Springs, N.Y. and Port Henry, N.Y. "The Great Dome car and the overall traveling experience on our *Adirondack* service continue to be a favorite among passengers as the recent ridership trends would indicate," said Kevin Chittenden, Amtrak District Superintendent.

"This unique equipment provides our passengers with a spectacular view of the changing of the seasons that should not be missed." New York Department of Transportation Commissioner Joan McDonald said, "Amtrak's Great Dome car is the best way to witness New York State's spectacular fall colors, making for one of the most scenic train trips in the nation. We are pleased to partner with Amtrak to support this unique fall tradition that highlights the greatness of New York State."

Editor's Note: In the past, the dome car has been assigned to the Cardinal out of Washington, DC, following service on the Adirondack. Check www.amtrak.com for announcements. News courtesy of Amtrak, photo by David Hamilton.

FOR SALE: ANTIQUE RAILROAD PASSENGER CAR INTERIOR HARDWARE

Ideal for a Museum or Historical Society Restoration Project

Mostly brass (some Victorian - Eastlake?) original antique hardware pieces, salvaged from a scrapped railroad passenger car. Items include sash locks, sash lifts, sash lock stops; door lock parts, handles, pr. hinges, and knobs. Two pieces have "B&O" cast on them. Over 100 pieces in all. Condition varies from broken/missing parts, bent, to useable, and some nicer pieces. Some have the Adams & Westlake Co. hallmark. Also available separately is a Northern Electric wooden dovetailed RR telephone ringer box.



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Book Reviews

John Taibi's *The Oneida Railway Co: From Horsecars to Interurbans* Explores History of West Shore Third Rail Line

When reading news reports about the recently completed New Jersey Transit light rail line that utilizes a former freight-only Conrail branch, it is easy to get the impression that joint transit/freight routes are a novel concept. Actually, the San Diego trolley had NJT beat by several decades, but most students of modern urban transportation are probably unaware that a similar system was in operation well over a century ago.

In 1907, an electrified interurban route opened on the New York Central's West Shore line between Syracuse and Utica, NY, with steam powered freight and passenger trains sharing the rails with the third rail cars of the Oneida Railway. This interesting and unusual operation is the subject of a new book by noted author John Taibi. With the assistance of fellow railroad historians Paul DeAndrea, A. Bruce Tracy, and Jim Georges, Taibi provides us with a comprehensive and long overdue history of the construction and operation of this line in *The Oneida Railway Company: From Horsecars to Interurbans.*

Beginning with a short history of the New York, West Shore & Buffalo Railway, and the early street railroads of the area, we are guided through the development of central New York's regional transit network. The formation of syndicates and the consolidation of the various local companies is



An Oneida Railway interurban car arrives at the Oneida Castle station on the West Shore third rail route, in one of the many photos in John Taibi's excellent new book.

discussed, along with the eventual involvement of the New York Central Railroad. The conversion of this section of the West Shore route to a third rail interurban line is covered in great detail, including the workings of the electric power distribution system, and the application of the many innovative equipment designs of Frank Sprague.

Taibi then takes us on a tour of the line, with detailed maps and photos of the various station stops, and an overview of the joint interurban and train operations. The changes in the passenger transportation market that led to the demise



of New York State's trolley network are discussed, along with the resulting discontinuance of service on the Oneida Railway's third rail line. In a chapter that is often missing from railroad history books, we then explore the abandoned right of way, discovering the many remnants of this once vital part of the transportation system.

While the history of this line has been discussed in other publications, it has never before received the in-depth coverage that this book provides. Readers of John Taibi's other works are already familiar with the quality of his research and his comfortable writing style, and *The Oneida Railway* is no exception. It also contains a wealth of photos that have not been previously published. The subject itself is interesting enough that the reader does not have to be a traction fan or New York Central history buff to enjoy it.

One unique feature of the book is that it has been published in digital format as an Acrobat PDF file. When preparing the book for printing, the author discovered that production costs would result in a retail price in excess of \$80, which he thought would be too high in today's market. In order to make the results of his work more accessible to a wider audience, he decided distribute it on a \$20 computer CD. For those who prefer a paper version, the PDF file may be printed at any convenient copy center.

The Oneida Railway Co.: From Horsecars to Interurbans is available directly from author John Taibi, by visiting his web site at http://oneidarailway.wix.com/thirdrailsystem. This is a "must have" book for anyone with a specific interest in New York State's transit systems or the New York Central Railroad, and will be enjoyable reading for anyone with even a passing interest in railroad or trolley history.

Teddy Roosevelt Rides Again

of the operation of a train order delivery fork, his lecture recalled an era in the history of railroading that has recently come to an end.

The story of Theodore Roosevelt's midnight wagon ride down from the mountains, then aboard a waiting train, and onward to the presidency was the subject of another lecture, delivered by the former president himself. Following these programs, a ragtime band entertained the crowd on the station platform, while a barbershop quartet wandered among the vendors. Younger visitors enjoyed "rough rider" pony rides, and a special "Teddy Bear" theme excursion was operated by the Saratoga & North Creek Railroad.



Passengers board the afternoon excursion run on the Saratoga & North Creek Railroad. Photo by Dave Hamilton.

For many railfans, the highlight of this year's event was the arrival of the replica 4-4-0 steam engine *Leviathan*. In a scene that hasn't been witnessed in North Creek since the 1880's, the classic locomotive arrived in mid-afternoon, pulling a wooden coach on a railfan photographer's special. North Creek's turntable has been restored to operating condition, and the *Leviathan* took a spin on it, before coupling back onto its train for the return trip to Corinth, NY.

The festival at North Creek, which has become an annual event, seems to get bigger and better every year. Even on days when special activities are not taking place, the North Creek Depot Museum is worth a visit, and there is no better way to arrive in town than by train. The Saratoga & North Creek Railroad's regular schedule continues through the end of October, when it changes to winter holiday and ski train runs. Most trains offer full dining service in full length dome cars, providing an excellent view of the scenic upper Hudson River valley.

For more information, visit the North Creek Depot Museum web site at www.northcreekdepotmuseum.com, and current Saratoga & North Creek Railroad schedules are available on their web site at www.sncrr.com.

For Additional Photos, Visit the KL&L Page on Facebook. Use the link at www.klnl.org.

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Retired D&H conductor Bill Bibby gave an excellent presentation on the history of the North Creek Branch, including demonstrations of the use of tools & hardware.



The replica 4-4-0 American steam locomotive Leviathan takes a spin on the North Creek turntable, in a scene that hasn't been witnessed here since the early 1880's.



Diesel fans had plenty to enjoy, with locomotives such as an Alco switcher and this rare BL-2 in operation on the Saratoga & North Creek RR. Photos by Dave Hamilton.

Railroad Memories Auction



A \$140 bid was needed to purchase this Nickel Plate Road Cleveland pattern creamer, with a hairline crack and chip.



Some of the many switch keys in the sale included: Adams Express Co. (\$300), Carson & Colorado RR (\$1300), and Chicago, Milwaukee & Saint Paul "Car" cut (\$400).



In the "there's something you don't see every day" category, this unusual Northern Pacific Railroad Monad logo spark plug sold for a high bid of \$300.



An antique Hopkins & Allen 38-caliber revolver, marked for the Union Storage & Transit Co., a subsidiary of the Oregon Railroad & Navigation Co., went to a new home for \$700.



A \$1300 bid was needed to purchase this 12" bronze restored Howard locomotive bell, complete with yolk.



A rare matching brass heart lock & tapered barrel key set from northwestern Pennsylvania short line Mt. Jewett, Kinzua & Riterville Railroad brought a high bid of \$850.

2013 Key, Lock & Lantern Advertising Guide Highlights New Web Site Opportunities

The 2013 *Key Lock & Lantern Advertising Guide* has been posted on the KL&L web site at www.klnl.org, highlighting new internet advertising options, and an improved discount program that provides lower rates for repeat advertisers.

The Key, Lock & Lantern web site is updated on a regular basis with a variety of fresh content, including a railroad event calendar, railroad history links, and free online publications. Almost 70% of the 1000 monthly visitors are new to the site, making it an excellent way to reach both serious railroad researchers and casual web browsers. Site maps, key words, and participation in Google programs all optimize search engine results and drive new traffic to the site. An advertisement on the KL&L web site reaches a broad audience of hobbyists and those interested in learning more about railroad history and collecting.

Key, Lock & Lantern offers a variety of internet resources to railroad enthusiasts, including pages on the social media site Facebook, the video web site YouTube, and the Flickr photo sharing site. The KL&L Facebook page provides a forum for interaction between railroad history buffs and collectors, including messages, photos, and event calendars. The Key, Lock & Lantern Flickr page contains photos of recent events for railroadiana collectors, and the KL&L YouTube "channel" offers video, audio, and photos of various subjects related to railroad history. These online resources serve as an extension of the KL&L web site, drive traffic to its home page, and appear prominently in search engine results. Advertisers on the KL&L web site benefit from the additional exposure that these internet sites provide.

The bimonthly *Key Lock & Lantern News* is published in digital PDF format, and is distributed by e-mail to over 200 KL&L members and friends of the organization. Members are encouraged to forward the newsletter to fellow collectors and other e-mail lists. It is also posted for download on the KL&L web site. During the two month period following publication, the newsletter typically receives from 200 to 300 downloads. Past editions remain archived on the web site, appearing in internet search engine results. An advertisement in the *Key Lock & Lantern News* reaches an audience of serious antique collectors and railroad buffs, with the wide distribution and timeliness of an electronic publication.

The Key, Lock & Lantern magazine remains the cornerstone of the organization, with a quarterly press run of 300, of which about 250 copies are mailed directly to members. The remainder are sold by mail order through the KL&L web site. Most members retain their magazines as a reference source, and back issues are always popular items at railroadiana auctions. A display advertisement in the print edition of the Key, Lock & Lantern magazine is viewed by the most serious researchers of railroad history and collectors of railroad memorabilia. Advertising in the KL&L magazine is



an excellent way to reach this highly focused market and to establish long-term visibility for products and services related to railroad history and collecting.

An advertisement with Key, Lock & Lantern is an easy and cost-effective way to reach the most serious railroadiana collectors and railroad history buffs. For the price of one train show vendor's table, the buyer's premium on a brass top lantern, or a family admission to a museum, your message can be delivered to the group of railroad enthusiasts who are most likely attend railroad shows, auctions, and related events, and purchase railroad memorabilia. An advertisement with Key, Lock & Lantern can quickly pay for itself by bringing in new buyers, vendors, and attendees at events.

With highly competitive rates, and a variety of formats, there are advertising options available for almost any budget and marketing goal. Details and rates are listed in the 2013 *Key Lock & Lantern Advertising Guide*, or contact KL&L president & editor Dave Hamilton at transportsim@aol. com, to learn how Key, Lock & Lantern can be a partner in the promotion of your business or organization. KL&L is on track for growth during this era of change in the antique collecting and railroad hobbies. We invite you to get on board with us today!

Railroad Memories Auction



Some of the lanterns listed in the catalog included (left to right): An 1866 patent nickel plated bellbottom with a red cut Chicago & Northwestern globe (\$1300), an Adams marked for the Soo Line with clear cast globe (\$800), a brass top wire bottom marked MK&T RR, with a red cast globe (\$850), and an A&W Denver & Rio Grande with red cast globe (\$4250).



A rare Santa Fe System brass heart lock by SB Co., with an Adams & Westlake key, sold for a high bid of \$6000.

KEY LOCK & LANTERN Can Help Promote Your Auction, Show or Event

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A \$700 bid took home this Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Golden Rocket cobalt teapot with a silver frame.



This Baldwin Locomotive Works builders plate from a 1943 AT&SF 1000 hp diesel switcher sold for \$500.

Railroad Memories Auction



A nice Chesapeake & Ohio Railroad George Washington bottom stamped teapot made by Buffalo sold for \$240.



This nicely marked Great Northern Railway brass heart switch lock sold for a reasonable high bid of \$250.

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Membership Renewals Are Overdue!

Membership renewal forms were sent with Issues #170 & #171, and are included on the last page of this newsletter or renew online with PayPal at: www.klnl.org



The new owner will be the envy of the neighborhood with this vinyl Union Pacific Railroad shield logo flag flying over their house, after submitting a high bid of \$40.



Bidders knew that this Chicago Burlington & Quincy RR Aksarben 10" service plate by Bauscher, with a 1930 date, was scarce, with it bringing in a high bid of \$3000.



We saw some New York Central dater dies bring high prices at the recent Brookline Auctions, and Colorado collectors seem to like them as well, with this example from Longmont on the Colorado & Southern bringing \$375.

Reminder: Key Lock & Lantern 2013-2014 Membership Renewals are Now Overdue!

For those 2012-2013 members who may have forgotten to send in their dues, this is a reminder that membership renewals for the 2013-2014 year are now due. Renewal forms were sent out again in Issue #171, but members who do not renew before the mailing of the next issue may be dropped from the mailing list. Please check the label on your envelope; if it still shows Issue #170, you still must renew your membership. If you have any questions regarding your dues status, contact KL&L VP-Membership Marie Brainard at j944wb@aol.com.

For the convenience of our members, KL&L has now added an online payment option to our web site at www.klnl.org. Simply follow the "About KL&L/Membership" link and then click on the "Add to Cart" button for the appropriate



membership category. You will be directed to the PayPal web site, where a secure payment can then be made with a credit card or PayPal account.

Your membership in Key, Lock & Lantern is vital to the ongoing success and growth of our organization. KL&L members play an essential role in the preservation of railroad history, through our individual efforts in the conservation



and restoration of railroad artifacts, historical research, and sharing our interest in railroading with others.

Since it was founded in 1966, Key, Lock & Lantern has offered railroad historians and collectors the opportunity to exchange information, share the results of their research, and expand their knowledge of railroad history and memorabilia. While KL&L has introduced digital publications and online tools in recent years, the print edition of the Key, Lock & Lantern magazine remains *the* essential resource for railroad historians and collectors.

Don't risk missing even one issue of the KL&L magazine, which is only available in high-quality print format and is sent exclusively to KL&L members. Renew your membership in Key, Lock & Lantern today! Your ongoing membership will make it possible for KL&L to continue providing the many educational resources that it now offers and assist in achieving its goal of promoting the preservation of railroad history and memorabilia. Thank you for your support!



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Nov 2-3	Syracuse, NY - Great NYS Model Train Fair.	Dec
	New York State Fairgrounds.	
	Info: www.modeltrainfair.com.	
Nov 9-1	0 Allentown, PA - ATMA First Frost Train Meet.	Jan
	Allentown Fairgrounds.	
	Info: www.allentowntrainmeet.com.	
Nov 9	Lone Jack, MO - Railroadiana Auction. Dirk	Jan
	Soulis Auctions.	
	Info: www.dirksoulisauctions.com.	
Nov 9	Bowling Green, KY - Sou. Kentucky NRHS Train	Jan
1101 2	Meet. L&N Station Museum. Info: www.	
	facebook.com/SouthernKYChapterNRHS.	
Nov 9	Stamford, CT - New Haven RR T&HS Reunion	Jan
	& Train Show. Sheraton Stamford Hotel.	
	Info: www.nhrhta.org.	
Nov 10	Batavia, NY - Fall Great Batavia Train Show.	Jan
	Clarion Hotel.	
	Info: www.gsme.org.	
Nov 10	Dalton, OH - Wayne County Train & Toy Show.	Jan
	Buckeye Event Center.	
N 10	Info: www.cjtrains.com.	
Nov 10	Poughkeepsie, NY - Annual Railroad Expo. Mid Hudson Civic Center.	Jan
	Info: www.hydeparkstation.com.	
Nov 16	St. Cloud, MN - Granite City Train Show.	
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	Info: www.granitecitytrainshow.com.	The
Nov 16	New Braunfels, TX - Fall Train Show.	rai 0
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	www.newbraunfelsrailroadmuseum.org.	grouj rela
Nov 23-2	24 Buffalo, NY - Greater Buffalo Train Show.	List
	Erie County Fairgrounds Event Center.	
	Info: www.wnyrhs.org.	
Nov 30	Joplin, MO - Joplin Museum Train Show. Joplin	
	Museum Complex.	
	Info: www.tristatemodelrailroaders.com.	
Nov 30	Sharpsburg, MD - Hagerstown Model RR Mus.	
	Train Sale. Washington County Ag Center.	
	Info: www.antietamstation.com.	
Dec 1	Albany, NY - Great Train Extravaganza. "The	
	Egg" at the Empire State Plaza.	
	Info: www.gtealbany.com.	
Dec 7-8	Marlborough, MA - New England Model Train	
	Expo. Best Western Royal Plaza.	
	Info: www.hubdiv.org.	
Dec 7-8	Oklahoma City. OK - OKC Train Show. State	
Decro	Fairgrounds Transportation Building.	
	Info: www.okctrainshow.com.	
Dec 14	Columbus, OH - Buckeye Railroadiana Show.	
200 17	Ohio Expo Center.	
	Info: www.gserr.com.	
Dec 14	Rochester, NY - RIT Tiger Tracks Train Show.	

RIT Gordon Field House. Info: www.rittrainshow.com.

- c 21-22 Tampa, FL Tampa Rail Fair. Florida State Fairgrounds. Info: www.gserr.com.
- 11-12 DeLand, FL Florida Rail Fair. Volusia County Fairgrounds. Info: www.gserr.com.
- 12 Lansing, MI Lansing Train Show. Michigan State University Pavilion. Info: www.lmrc.org.
- 18 Atlanta, GA - Atlanta Railroad Show. North Atlanta Trade Center. Norcross, GA. Info: www.gserr.com.
- Utica, NY TTCS Annual Train Show. Utica 19 Union Station. Info: www.facebook.com/ TTCSUticaTrain Show.
- 19 Vermillion, OH - 3rd Annual Train Show. German's Villa. Info: www.norwalkandwesternrr.com.
- 25 LaCrosse, WI - Tri-State Rail Sale. LaCrosse Center. Info: http://4000foundation.com.
- 25-26 Springfield, MA 2014 Railroad Hobby Show. Eastern States Expo. Info: www.railroadhobbyshow.com.

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re is no charge for calendar listings. Train shows must include dealers of authentic ilroad memorabilia or related material, and auctions must include at least 20 lots f railroadiana. Other events must be directly related to railroad history (special ibitions, lecture programs, conventions, limited excursions, etc.). Regular monthly p meetings, model train meets & scheduled tourist train trips are not eligible, unless ted to a special event. Events are listed space permitting, at the editor's discretion. tings are subject to error or change. Always check show web sites before traveling.

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For Sale

For Sale: Railroad Artifacts & Memorabilia: Everything from keys, locks & hardware to china, paper, and more. Jane Silvernail. Website: http://timestreasures.rubylane.com or contact by e-mail at timestreasures@sohotechnical.com.

For Sale: Switch Lamps, Markers & Parts. Website: JerrysRRStuff. com. Phone: 206-778-0386. E-mail: jerry@JerrysRRStuff.com.

For Sale: CB&Q RR Special Police badge and CB&Q RR Special Watchman badge. Will consider trade for other RR police badges. Dan Pottebaum. windsor5207@yahoo.com or call 712-274-8847.

For Sale: Keys, Locks, Lanterns, Ephemera, etc. Mostly NE including ME narrow gauge. Jerry Devos, PO Box 376, Towaco, NJ 07082. 862-222-5264. jdevos99@aol.com.

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Wanted

Wanted: Tokens from North American electric & street railways, interurbans, elevated lines, trolleys lines, etc. One or a collection. Josh Linenbroker, 98 E. Market St #F9, Hyde Park, NY 12538.

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Wanted

Wanted: Keys, locks, lanterns, fly fishing leader boxes, passes, buttons & other from the Denver, South Park & Pacific Ry - Denver, Leadville & Gunnison Ry - Union Pacific Denver & Gulf - Colorado & Southern Ry. Leonard Walmsley, 11044 Claire Circle, Northglenn, CO, 80234. 303-429-8674.

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Wanted: Switch key for the PCRY (Pacific Coast Railway), not PCRR (Penn Central), probably made by Fraim. Contact Steve Mott at 805-544-5339 or by e-mail at sjmott2359@sbcglobal.net.

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