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Rolling Stock Work and Move!! Brooklyn Yards

A great deal of work and activity is going on in order to abide by Southern Pacific's request that we vacate Brooklyn Yard. An ongoing process to find at least a temporary place or places for our equipment is under way. Pete Rodabaugh and Richard Gray need all the help they can get to ready the cars for the move A.S.A.P. If you don't mind getting your hands a little soiled, show up in your grubbies on a Tues., Wed., or a Saturday morning by 10 A.M. and they will give you an assignment. This invitation is not for MEN ONLY. Our cars must meet with an inspectors approval, so we need your help. Thanks to the people who have been pretty faithful in showing up to help, so far, but the job is not done.

The Rolling Stock Committee

The 1994 Tillamook Saltair Special

After a slight delay, waiting for one of our cars to arrive, the Tillamook Excursion came off very smoothly - even with beautiful Fall weather in the mountains and the creeks and rivers rippling by. The Blimp hanger tour was very interesting and informative. Those of us at the beach in Rockaway found very nice weather for a beach walk or at least for the walk to dinner and breakfast. Then on our return, we stopped at the Nehalem Winery, to bob for bottles of wine and paint our own pumpkins to take home. You could have also purchased any available wine if you cared to. It was a real highlight of the weekend for most passengers. Also, this was the first time for First Class passage on this excursion, and it seemed very well received. Overall, despite the glitches, we're glad we did it, and we look forward to more such trips in the future.

The Excursion Committee

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The Editor reserves the right to edit or hold material at his discretion.

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REGULAR RUNS

BOARD OF DIRECTORS MEETING Thursday, November 10, 7:00 P.M., at Room 208, Union Station. Enter through the main entrance, turn right two times, past the magazine stand, first door on left at hallway to Wilfs.

MONTHLY MEMBERSHIP MEETING Friday, November 18, 7:30 P.M., at St. David's Episcopal Church at 2800 S.E. Harrison. The business meeting will start promptly at 7:30, with the newsreel and program following after a short break. refreshments will be available; please bring some money to feed the "kitty" so the kitty can continue to feed you.

WEEKLY NO-HOST LUNCHEON every Saturday, 12:00 Noon, at the Semaphore Restaurant at S.E. 17th & Holgate Blvd. Our group is in the back. Come on down!

ROLLING STOCK WORK SESSIONS every Wednesday and Saturday, at the chapter's tracks in Brooklyn yard. Working hours are 9:00 A.M. to 3:00 or 4:00 P.M. on Wednesday, 10:00 to late afternoon on Saturday. There's a lot of work of all kinds to be done. Contact Richard Gray (452-8936) to see what you can do.

LIBRARY/ ARCHIVES WORK SESSION: Thursday, November 10, 1:00 P.M. to 4:00 P.M. at Room 1 & 1A, Union Station. Help is needed to get things organized and catalogued. Contact Bob Weaver (654-4274) for more information, or just show up! there's a lot of work to do.

CHAPTER LIBRARY OPEN HOURS Saturday, November 19, 1:30 to 4:00 P.M. at Room 1, Union Station.

EXTRA BOARD

1994 Election of Officers, coming in December.

Future Excursions to be announced.

NOVEMBER MEETING PROGRAM

Program begins after business meeting

Presented by David Stimac and Bob Terkelsen

Railroad Slide Auction

Notice: Programs are needed for future meetings. Anyone who is willing to present a program (slides, film, etc.) at a chapter meeting, please contact the President.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST CHAPTER- NATIONAL RAILWAY HISTORICAL SOCIETY

ELECTION OF OFFICERS COMING IN DECEMBER

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