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**Title:** Pacific Electric Railway Company Records

**Creator:** Pacific Electric Railway Company

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**Date (inclusive):** 1908-1964

**Date (bulk):** 1940-1950

**Abstract:** The Pacific Electric Railway Company, established by Henry Huntington, connected cities across the Los Angeles metropolitan area. The records in this collection consist of information about rules and regulations governing employees, timetables and vehicle information, financial, operation, and service reports, as well as contracts and agreements made during the sale of Pacific Electric Railway Company property and stock to Metropolitan Coach Lines.

**Physical Location:** LACMTA Research Library and Archive

**Biographical / Historical**

Pacific Electric Railway (PERy) was created in 1901 with Henry Edwards Huntington as principal stockholder. Huntington completed the first PE line in 1902 which ran from Los Angeles to Long Beach. He later sold his shares to Southern Pacific in 1910.

In 1911 the “Great Merger” took place. Although continuing to operate under the Pacific Electric name, Southern Pacific Railway merged PERy with nearly all of the interurban railways in a four-county region of Southern California. PERy grew to connect various cities across the Los Angeles metropolitan area. PERy vehicles were commonly known as the Red Cars, the most obvious feature distinguishing PERy cars from the “Yellow Car” vehicles operated by the Los Angeles Railway.

As patronage on passenger rail lines declined after the second World War, PERy began converting rail routes to bus service. Eventually, in 1953, PERy sold its passenger operations to the Metropolitan Coach Lines. Metropolitan Coach Lines continued the conversion from rail passenger service to bus passenger service and the final former Pacific Electric Railway passenger rail line was converted to bus service in 1961. Southern Pacific Railway eventually abolished the Pacific Electric Railway Company in 1965, folding what little mileage remained of PERy’s freight operation into Southern Pacific’s own operation.

**Immediate Source of Acquisition**

The Pacific Electric Railway Company was sold to the Metropolitan Coach Lines bus company, which was later acquired by the Los Angeles Metropolitan Transit Authority (LAMTA). LAMTA was superseded by the Southern California Rapid Transit District (SCRTD) in 1964. SCRTD’s library and its materials were retained by the successor agency, Los Angeles County Metropolitan Transportation Authority, also known as Metro.

**Separated Materials**

Oversized material is located in the flat maps drawer.

**Conditions Governing Access**

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**Processing Information**

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**Related Materials**

Records created by the Los Angeles railway Corporation, which operated local rail passenger cars at the same time as the Pacific Electric Railway Company, and records created by Metropolitan Coach Lines, the company that acquired Pacific
Electric's passenger rail cars and buses, may be found in this repository.

**Arrangement**
The collection is arranged in the following series:
1. Reports, 1906-1954
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**Scope and Contents**
This collection consists of records created during the operation of the Pacific Electric Railway Company. Such records include examinations, application materials, and rules and regulations for employees, time tables, vehicle specifications, fare information, and service announcements, 26 issues of “Pacific Electric Magazine,” reports on accidents, finances, operations, and service, correspondence and interlining arrangements between the Pacific Electric Railway Company, Motor Transit Company, and Pacific Greyhound Lines, contract containing the agreements made in the sell of Pacific Electric Railway Company rail passenger cars to Metropolitan Coach Lines.

**Subjects and Indexing Terms**
Electric railroads -- Cars
Labor unions -- California -- Los Angeles County
Local transit -- California -- Los Angeles County
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Pacific Electric Railway Company

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1928 January
Scope and Contents
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Report of Committee on Coordination of Station Facilities and Operations at Common Points in Southern California Not Including Los Angeles and Glendale 1934 March 15
Scope and Contents
A report created by a committee made of employees from AT & SF Railway, UP System, Pacific Electric Railway, and SP Company to investigate the possibility of consolidating stations throughout Southern California

California Railroad Commission, Application No. 21656 1938 November 18
Scope and Contents
Report on engineering survey, section A, General Problem and Historical Data and section E, Service and Operating Conditions, Volume 10, Sections F and G, Conclusions and recommendations
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-26, 70-27, 70-28

Rehabilitation Program 1942 January 28
Scope and Contents
A report titled, "Pacific Electric Railway Company's Rehabilitation Program Showing Applications Made to and Decisions Rendered by the California Railroad Commission and Progress Made in Making the Various Items of the Plan Effective."
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-12

Breakdown of Man Hours Involved in Estimated Full Year of all Motor Coach Operations 1942 June 01
Scope and Contents
Report from the Pacific Electric Railway Company's Bureau of Research titled "Breakdown of Man-Hours Involved in Estimated Full Year of All Motor Coach Operations (Based on Analyses of Schedules in Effect as of March 15, 1942)"

Transportation Survey of Main Street and Rerouting of Pacific Electric Railway Coach and Rail Lines 1942 August 07
Scope and Contents
A report in connection with Application No. 17984. Contains a plate with a map of LARy and PERy routes.
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-13.

Appraisal Report, M-2 Parcels, "Vineyard" District 1948 September 09
Scope and Contents
Appraisal of "three parcels of M-2 zone land" performed by Geo. H Coffin & Son Realtors/Appraisors for Los Angeles Transit Lines and Pacific Electric Railway
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-32
Series 1 Reports 1906-1954

box 8, folder 4 Survey of Conditions of tracks on Lines Proposed for Abandonment 1949 December 14

Scope and Contents
Submitted as part of Application No. 30095 to entirely abandon and remove tracks of specific PERy rail lines

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-123

box 8, folder 5-6 Finance Docket No. 15606 circa 1950

Scope and Contents
Finance Docket No. 16506 submitted before the Interstate Commerce Commission as part of the requirements to authorize abandonment of rail lines in Los Angeles. This includes the Pasadena Short Line, Pasadena Oak Knoll Line, Monrovia-Glendora Line, Sierra Madre Line, Sierra Vista Line, Alhambra Line, Venice Short Line, Subway - Hollywood Blvd. - San Vicente Blvd. - Echo Park Avenue Line, and the Subway - Santa Monica Blvd. - West Hollywood - Van Nuys Line

box 12, folder 6 Condition of Overhead Facilities – Southern District 1954 September 15

Scope and Contents
2 copies of a table titled “Pacific Electric Railway Company, Condition of Overhead Facilities – Southern District – as of September 15, 1954”, listing sections, miles spanned in each section, number of main tracks, the type of overhead construction for each section, and the estimated cost to bring to standard for five years of continued operations in terms of overhead, spans, poles, anchors, bonding, and signals

Series 2 Employees 1908-1953

box 2, folder 2 Train Orders 1908 April - 1908 August

Scope and Contents
36 forms indicating the meeting of trains

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-6

box 2, folder 3 Exams circa 1915 - circa 1950

Scope and Contents
1 booklet titled, "Motormen's Examination on Equipment: Questions and Answers Covering the Equipment Used on the Pacific Electric System", 1 "Examination on Rules and Regulations of the Transportation Department for Brakemen, Firemen, Yardmen, and Hostlers" This was the written portion of an applicant exam that was followed by an oral exam. Green pen and red pencil markings on some pages

Processing Information
Item no. 70-85, 70-1.

box 2, folder 4 Pacific Electric Magazine 1922 September - 1938 December

Scope and Contents
1 copy of the September 1922 issue, 1 copy of the June 1937 issue, 1 copy of the January 1938 issue, 1 copy of the March 1938 issue, 1 copy of the April 1938 issue, 1 copy of the May 1938 issue, 1 copy of the September 1938 issue, 1 copy of the October 1938 issue, 1 copy of the November 1938 issue, 2 copies of the December 1938 issue
box 2, folder 5  Pacific Electric Magazine 1939 January - 1941 March
Scope and Contents
1 copy of the January 1939 issue, 1 copy of the February 1939 issue, 1 copy of the August 1939 issue, 1 copy of the February 1940 issue, 1 copy of the March 1940 issue, 1 copy of the May 1940 issue, 1 copy of the August 1940 issue, 1 copy of the October 1940 issue, 1 copy of the November 1940 issue, 1 copy of the February 1941 issue, 1 copy of the March 1941 issue

box 2, folder 6  Pacific Electric Magazine 1941 April - 1942 May
Scope and Contents
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box 2, folder 7  Pacific Electric Magazine 1942 June - 1943 August
Scope and Contents
1 copy of the June 1942 issue, 1 copy of the September 1942 issue, 1 copy of the November 1942 issue, 1 copy of the December 1942 issue, 1 copy of the April 1943 issue, 1 copy of the May 1943 issue, 1 copy of the June 1943 issue, 1 copy of the July 1943 issue, 1 copy of the August 1943 issue

box 2, folder 8  Pacific Electric Magazine 1943 September - 1944 June
Scope and Contents
1 copy of the September 1943 issue, 1 copy of the October 1943 issue, 1 copy of the November 1943 issue, 1 copy of the December 1943 issue, 1 copy of the January 1944 issue, 1 copy of the February 1944 issue, 1 copy of the March 1944 issue, 1 copy of the April 1944 issue, 1 copy of the May 1944 issue, 1 copy of the June 1944 issue

box 2, folder 9  Pacific Electric Magazine 1944 July - 1945 January
Scope and Contents
1 copy of the July 1944 issue, 1 copy of the August 1944 issue, 1 copy of the September 1944 issue, 1 copy of the October 1944 issue, 1 copy of the November 1944 issue, 1 copy of the December 1944 issue, 1 copy of the January 1945 issue

box 2, folder 10  Pacific Electric Magazine 1944 February - 1945 August
Scope and Contents
1 copy of the February 1945 issue, 1 copy of the March 1945 issue, 1 copy of the April 1945 issue, 1 copy of the May 1945 issue, 1 copy of the June 1945 issue, 1 copy of the July 1945 issue, 1 copy of the August 1945 issue

box 2, folder 11  Pacific Electric Magazine 1945 September - 1946 February
Scope and Contents
1 copy of the September 1945 issue, 1 copy of the October 1945 issue, 1 copy of the November 1945 issue, 1 copy of the December 1945 issue, 1 copy of the January 1946 issue, 1 copy of the February 1946 issue

box 2, folder 12  Pacific Electric Magazine 1946 March - 1946 December
Scope and Contents
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Agreement Between Pacific Electric Railway Company and its Terminal Foremen, Station Masters, and Train Dispatchers 1949 September
Scope and Contents
Agreement met by PERy and the American Train Dispatchers Association regarding Hours of Service - Overtime, Rest Days and Relief Service, Rates and Application of Pay, Seniority, Discipline - Investigations, and Attending Court
Processing Information
Cataloged with other PERy/Union agreements as Item no. 70-31

Agreement Between Pacific Electric Railway Company and the Employees of the Mechanical Department 1949 September
Scope and Contents
Agreement met by PER and System Federation No.159, Railway Employees’ Department, A. F. of L. Mechanical Section regarding employment rules
Processing Information
Cataloged with other PERy/Union agreements as Item no. 70-31

Agreement Between Pacific Electric Railway Company & its Agents, Assistant Agents, Ticket Agents, Assistant Ticket Agents, and Towermen 1949 September
Scope and Contents
Agreement met by PERy and the Order of Railroad Telegraphers regarding employment and compensation
Processing Information
Cataloged with other PERy/Union agreements as Item no. 70-31

Agreement Between Pacific Electric Railway Company and Foremen and/or Supervisors of Mechanics 1952 December
Scope and Contents
Agreement met by PERy and the American Railway Supervisors Association, Incorporated regarding Basis of Pay, Preservation of Rates, Rating New Positions, Hours of Service, Rest Days and Relief, Personal Expenses, Seniority, Positions Abolished, Vacations, Transportation free Committee, Official Positions - Leaves of Absences, and Grievances
Processing Information
Cataloged with other PERy/Union agreements as Item no. 70-31

Fare Collection circa 1940
Scope and Contents
8 8x10 black and white photographic prints and 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting Pacific Electric Railway conductors and bus operators collecting fare from patrons

Personnel circa 1940
Scope and Contents
26 8x10 black and white photographic prints, 19 5x7 black and photo negatives, and 7 3x4 black and white photographic prints depicting employees of the Pacific Electric Railway Company

Agreements with Employee Unions 1944
Scope and Contents
1 copy of an “Agreement Between Pacific Electric Railway Company and the American Train Dispatchers Association, Station Masters, Effective November 1, 1936 (corrected to include revisions to March 4, 1944)”
Pay and Regulations for Trainmen 1946 October
Scope and Contents
1 booklet detailing schedule of pay and regulations for trainmen effective January 1, 1942 with revisions to October 1, 1946

Bowling circa 1950
Scope and Contents
1 5x7 black and white photo print, 1 newspaper clipping, and 1 8x10 black and white photo print depicting Pacific Electric Railway’s employee bowling team Joint Passenger Tariff, 1932 - 1952 Box 4, Folder 12 Joint Passenger Tariff No.1109, March 22, 1932, March 21, 1934 Details of the joint passenger tariff accepted by PERy, Motor Transit Company, and Pacific Greyhound Lines
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-24

Joint Passenger Tariff No. 1109 1932 March 22 - 1934 March 21
Scope and Contents
Tariff document naming fare changes for Pacific Electric and Pacific Greyhound lines, marked with pencil annotations (1932), and “Supplement No. 2” amendment to tariff regarding Pacific Greyhound Lines and Laguna Beach-Santa Ana Stage Line (1934).

Correspondence 1935 January 14-1956 November 02
Scope and Contents
Correspondence between H.O. Marler (Motor Transit Company), D.W. Pontius (Pacific Electric Railway Co.), and R.R. Wilson, W.E. Travis (Pacific Greyhound Lines), L.D. Jones (Pacific Greyhound Lines), F.W. Ackerman discussing the details of joint passenger tariff
Processing Information
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Local Passenger Tariff No. 1390 1942-06
Scope and Contents
Pacific Electric Railway (West Beach Lines) Local Passenger Tariff No. 1390 naming one-way and round-trip fares also fares for ten-ride, thirty-ride, and forty-ride school commutation tickets between points on Venice Short Line, Santa Monica via Beverly Hills Motor Coach Line, Redondo Beach via Del Rey Motor Coach Line, Redondo Beach via El Segundo Motor Coach Line, Santa Monica Air Line, Hollywood-Beverly Hills-University Motor Coach Line

Local Passenger Tariff No. 1449 1946 August 10
Scope and Contents
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Cover and beginning of Section 1 are missing
Local Passenger Tariff No. 1492 1952 January 18
Scope and Contents
Pacific Electric Railway (Northern District) Local Passenger Tariff No. 1492 cancels local passenger tariff no. 1462, one way fares, also, fares for thirty-ride commutation tickets and forty-ride school commutation tickets between stations on northern district lines - not including Los Angeles local lines - also fares and optional route arrangements applying to and from certain points on motor transit district lines.
Processing Information
Deteriorating cover removed and photocopied

Local Passenger Tariff No. 1493 1952 January 18
Scope and Contents
Pacific Electric Railway (Southern District) Local Passenger Tariff No. 1493 cancels local passenger tariff no. 1463. One way fares, also, fares for thirty-ride commutation tickets and forty-ride school commutation tickets between stations on Southern District lines, not including Los Angeles local lines.
Processing Information
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Local Passenger Tariff No. 1464 1952-01
Scope and Contents
Pacific Electric Railway (Motor Transit District) Local Passenger Tariff No. 1494 cancels local passenger tariff no. 1494. One way fares, also, fares for thirty-ride commutation tickets and forty-ride school commutation tickets between stations on Motor Transit District Lines. Also, fares and optional route arrangements applying to certain points on Northern District Lines.
Processing Information
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Mileage Revenue Tables circa 1943
Scope and Contents
Recaps for various groups including mileage and revenue
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-24

Circular P.D. No. 1850 1946 October
Scope and Contents
Pacific Electric Railway Company Passenger Traffic Department Circular P.D. No. 1850 cancels circular p.d. no. 1761. Instructions for conductors, operators, and agents

Interlining Agreements 1948 July
Scope and Contents
List of PE stations at which Pacific Greyhound Lines' tickets are to be sold and where Pacific Greyhound Lines' buses and passengers may use terminal facilities, draft of contract containing details of arrangements between PERy and Pacific Greyhound Lines.
Processing Information
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Series 2 Employees 1908-1953

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Series 3 Vehicles and Line Locations 1910-1950

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Scope and Contents
11 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Pacific Electric Railway balloon route trolley trip, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting passengers on Balloon Route trips

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Scope and Contents
10 5x7 black and white photo negatives, 6 8x10 black and white photographic prints, 6 3x4 black and white photographic prints, and 1 5x7 black and white print depicting Pacific Electric Railway service to Glendale

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Scope and Contents
28 5x7 black and white photo negatives, 32 black and white 8x10 photographic prints, and 4 5x7 black and white photographic prints depicting Pacific Electric Railway service to Mount Lowe including photos depicting Echo Mountain and the Rubio Canyon Station, 1 postcard addressed to Mr. Silliman from H.R. Sturtevant (?) thanking him for a copy of the April P.E. Bulletin and providing a reference to Chas S. Lawrence as the official photographer for PERy who might have pictures for a "possible future article on the Mt. Lowe Trip.", handwritten notes containing names and addresses of A.P. Smith, Fred Roberts, Claude Latham (?), Dave Claudin, and Chas Lawrence, 1 page of handwritten notes about the Mt. Lowe Line, 15 pages with numbers and captions

Processing Information
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Scope and Contents
Specifications about 400 Class Cars, 450 Class Cars, 496 Class Cars, 1252 Class Cars, Press information about improvements made to interurban passenger cars

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-23. Pages with numbers and captions had a note from a previous processor saying that they referred to numbers written on a set of negatives. Those negatives were not found in this collection

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Scope and Contents
13 black and white 8x10 photographs, 1 3x4 black and white photographs and 1 3x4 black and white photo negative depicting Pacific Electric Railway Service in the Western District
box 9, folder 1  
**Bascule Bridge circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

5 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting Pacific Electric Railway service over the Henry Ford Bridge (a bascule bridge also known as the Badger Avenue bridge) connecting Terminal Island and San Pedro.

box 9, folder 2  
**Catalina Dock circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

2 8x10 black and white photographs and 1 5x7 black and white negative depicting Pacific Electric Railway streetcars at the Catalina Dock.

box 9, folder 3  
**Freight circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

12 5x7 black and white photographic negatives, 1 3x4 black and white photographic print, 1 8x10 black and white photographic print depicting Pacific Electric freight trains.

box 9, folder 4  
**Monrovia Line circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

7 8x10 black and white photographs, 1 5x7 black and white photo print, 6 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting Pacific Electric Railway service in Monrovia.

box 9, folder 5  
**Northern District circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

5 3x4 black and white photographs and 4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting Pacific Electric Railway service in the Northern District.

box 9, folder 6  
**San Fernando Valley Line circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting Pacific Electric Railway Service in the San Fernando Valley.

box 9, folder 7  
**Southern District circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

2 8x10 black and white photographic prints and 1 3x4 black and white photographic print depicting Pacific Electric Railway streetcars operating in the Southern District.

box 9, folder 8  
**Wilmington - San Pedro circa 1940**

Scope and Contents

4 8x10 black and white photographic prints and 8 3x4 black and white photographs depicting the Henry Ford Bridge, also called the Badger Avenue Bridge: a bascule bridge used by Pacific Electric Railway streetcars to access the San Pedro harbor.

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**Subseries 3.1 Streetcar Photographs circa 1943**

box 9, folder 9  
**Streetcar Photographs circa 1943**

Scope and Contents

20 8x10 black and white photographic prints, 1 7x4 black and white photographic print, 11 5x7 black and white photographic prints depicting Pacific Electric Railway streetcars.
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Series 3Vehicles and Line Locations 1910-1950
Subseries 3.1Streetcar Photographs circa 1943

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box 9, folder 14  
Streetcar Photographs circa 1943
Scope and Contents
1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 683, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 691, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 693, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 701, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 707, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 719, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 722, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 729, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 732, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 736, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 749, 4 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 752, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 885, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 952, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 960, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 982, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 989

box 9, folder 15  
Streetcar Photographs circa 1943
Scope and Contents
1 5x7 black and white negative depicting streetcar 1262, 4 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 1263, 1 5x7 black and white negative depicting streetcar 1373, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 1439, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 4514, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 4515, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 4516, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 4602, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 4643, 16 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5000, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5004, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5005

box 9, folder 16  
Streetcar Photographs circa 1943
Scope and Contents
6 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5005, 5 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5006, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5018, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5020, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5022, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5025, 9 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5050, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5054, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting streetcar 5063, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5084, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting streetcar 5092

box 10, folder 1-2, box 12, folder 10  
Motor Coach Rosters circa 1945
Scope and Contents
Specifications about 220, 225, 315, 1685, 1910, 2000, 2100, 2200, 2220, 2261, 2300, 2320, 2380, 2395, 2400, 2410, 2500, 2600, 2619, 2639, 2678, 2701 - 2800, 3000 class motor coaches, 1 spreadsheet containing information about how many motor coaches of each type and class were operated by Los Angeles Motor Coach and owned by Pacific Electric Railway Company
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-135, 70-136, 70-137, 70-138, 70-139, 70-140, 70-141, 70-142, 70-143, 70-144, 70-145, 70-146, 70-147, 70-148, 70-149, 70-150, 70-151, 70-152, 70-153, 70-154, 70-155, 70-156, 70-157, 70-158, 70-159, 70-160, 70-161
Bus Photographs Subseries 3.2 circa 1950

Box 10, Folder 3

Bus Photographs circa 1950
Scope and Contents
2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 20, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 303, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 315, 3 8x10 black and white photo negatives depicting the exterior of bus 372, 1 8x10 black and white photo negative depicting the exterior of bus 405, 1 8x10 black and white photo negative depicting the interior of bus 405, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 1652, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 1691, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 1920, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2004, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2074, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2077, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2120, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2125, 9 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2129, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2150, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2200, 4 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2230,

Box 10, Folder 4

Bus Photographs circa 1950
Scope and Contents
2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2240, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2241, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2245, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2248, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2280, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the interior of bus 2307, 4 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2335, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2335, 2 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting the interior of bus 2339, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2340, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2345, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2382, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting the exterior of bus 2385, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2386, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2399, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2403, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the interior of bus 2610, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2622, 2 8x10 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2664, 2 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting the interior of bus 2692, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2700, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2710, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2740, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2779, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2823, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2838, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2845, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2849, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2904, 1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting bus 2906, 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 2907, 2 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting the interior of bus 3003, 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting bus 3004
Bus Photographs Subseries 3.2 circa 1950

**Box 10, Folder 5**

**Bus Photographs circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

5 7x9 black and white photographic prints depicting early models of Pacific Electric Railway buses, 1 7x9 and 1 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting bus 55 and other buses of the same model, 1 5x7 black and white photographic print depicting bus 69, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting the interior of bus 208, 4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 220, 4 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting bus 228, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 315, 4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 372, 4 8x10 black and white photographic prints and 10 5x7 black and white photographic prints depicting bus 405

**Box 10, Folder 6**

**Bus Photographs circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 1686, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 1911, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2000, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2007, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2070, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 209, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2043, 5 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2050

**Box 10, Folder 7**

**Bus Photographs circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2056, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2056, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2082, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2084, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2100, 5 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2125, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2206, 5 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2230, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2272, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2280

**Box 10, Folder 8**

**Bus Photographs circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2307, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2307, 4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2320, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2339, 4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2351, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2351, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2399, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2403, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2418, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2502

**Box 10, Folder 9**

**Bus Photographs circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

4 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2533, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2610, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2622, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2664, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2692, 5 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 2712, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2781, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2903, 1 8x10 black and white photograph depicting bus 2918, 3 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 3003, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting bus 3004

**Box 11, Folder 1**

**Hollywood Line circa 1950**

Scope and Contents
5 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting Pacific Electric Railway service on the Hollywood Line

box 11, folder 2

**San Fernando Valley Line circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

8 8x10 black and white photographs and 4 5x7 black and white photographic negatives depicting Pacific Electric Railway service to the San Fernando Valley

box 11, folder 3

**Sierra Madre line circa 1950**

Scope and Contents

3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting Pacific Electric Railway service to Sierra Madre

box 11, folder 4

**Dimensions undated**

Scope and Contents

Dimensions, including measurements, material, equipment, weights, and number of seats for 650 - 749, 5000-5029, 1001-1027, 1100-1149, 1200-1221 series cars

Processing Information

Previously cataloged as item 70-83. Appears to be scanned from a book. If we have this book, we do not need these copies in the archive

box 11, folder 5

**Sold to other agencies undated**

Scope and Contents

7 8x10 black and white photographs depicting streetcars that had been sold to Portland Traction, 3 5x7 black and white photographs, 7 black and white 8x10 photographic prints, 1 5x5 black and white photographic print, and 2 5x7 black and white negatives depicting Pacific Electric vehicles sold to FC Urquizen in Buenos Aires, Argentina

box 12, folder 7

**Sold to other agencies undated**

Scope and Contents

magazine template for PE magazine featuring a story about sending cars to Buenos Aires

box 11, folder 6

**Non-revenue Cars undated**
Scope and Contents

1 8x10 black and white photographic prints, 2 3x4 black and white photographic prints depicting Pacific Electric Railway Company non-revenue cars

Series 4 Maps and Routes 1915-1917

box 5, folder 1  Timetables bulk

Scope and Contents

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-27, 70-60, 70-22, 70-33, 70-57, 70-58, 70-70, 70-52, 70-54, 70-55, 70-56, 70-44, 70-45, 70-42, 70-68, 70-60, 70-59, 70-65, 70-17, 70-51, 70-48, 70-50, 70-47, 70-76, several items written on by previous archivist
**Series 4 Maps and Routes 1915-1917**

**box 12, folder 3**  
**Timetables 1937-1948**

Scope and Contents
Glendale Local Motor Coach Lines timetable (August 9, 1937), Los Angeles - Fullerton - Santa Ana Line timetable (July 14, 1939), Los Angeles - San Bernadino - Riverside - Redlands Motor Transit Line timetable (November 6, 1939), Los Angeles - Fullerton - Santa Ana Line timetable (July 14, 1939), Venice Short Line timetable (July 1, 1940), Whittier Blvd. Local Motor Line (October 6, 1948).

Separated Materials
Separated from timetables in Box 5, Folder 1 due to size.

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as 70-51, 70-48, 70 – 50, 70-47, 70-76

**box 12, folder 4**  
**Profile maps 1919-02**

Scope and Contents
Condensed profile of the Hawthorne El Nido Line

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-138

**box 5, folder 2**  
**Official Distance Table 1929-03**

Scope and Contents
Official Distance Table for Passenger Rate Purposes

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-10

**box 5, folder 3**  
**New Service Announcements 1950 September -1953-06**

Scope and Contents

Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-123, 70-128, 70-125, 70-124, 70-126

**box 5, folder 4**  
**Maps circa 1952**

Scope and Contents
1 35mm color slide depicting a map of Pacific Electric service circa 1952, 1 1952 map of the Pacific Electric Lines

**Series 5 Public Relations 1915-1950**

**box 5, folder 5**  
**Publicity Photos circa 1915 - circa 1950**

Scope and Contents
1 8x10 black and white photo print and 2 5x7 black and white photo prints depicting a “bathing beauties” contest, 1 8x10 black and white photo print and 1 3x4 black and white photo negative depicting passengers sitting inside of a Pacific Electric Railway streetcar, 2 8x10 black and white photo prints and 1 3x4 black and white photo negative depicting passengers exiting a Pacific Electric Railway streetcar, 2 8x10 black and white photographs depicting Pacific Electric Railway employees at the L.A. County Fair

**box 5, folder 6**  
**Rose Hill Station circa 1935**

Scope and Contents
3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting passengers boarding at Rose Hill Station
Series 5 Public Relations 1915-1950

**Temple City Line Extension Ceremony 1946**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 4 black and white 8x10 photographs depicting the Temple City Line extension ceremony

**Newspaper Clippings Re: Modernization Program 1949 February 28-1950 January 01**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - Newspaper clippings of articles mentioning the replacement of Pacific Electric rail lines with bus service.

**PERy Scope 1950 September**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 1 issue of "PERy Scope"
- **Processing Information**
  - Previously cataloged as item no. 70-4

**Advertisements undated**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 4 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting advertisements printed by the Pacific Electric Railway company

**Rerouting of bus line in Fontana undated**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 8 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting publicity stills taken for the rerouting of bus lines in Fontana

**Posters undated**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 8 black and white 5x7 photo negatives and 2 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting courtesy posters, employee morale posters, a bond poster, and safety posters

**Series 6 Corporate Culture 1920-1954**

**Pacific Electric Hill Street Station circa 1920 - circa 1940**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 2 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Hill Street Station, 9 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting passengers in the interior of the Pacific Electric Railway Hill Street Station.

**Butte Street Yards circa 1940**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Butte Street Yards.

**Supervisor’s Car circa 1940**
- **Scope and Contents**
  - 4 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting Pacific Electric supervisor’s cars and radio controls
Series 6 Corporate Culture 1920-1954

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box 1, folder 4-6  Pacific Electric Railway and WWII circa 1942
Scope and Contents
Folder 4: 25 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting WWII soldiers boarding Pacific Electric Railway vehicles at the 6th and Main Street Station Folder 5: 6 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting WWII soldiers boarding Pacific Electric Railway vehicles at the 6th and Main Street Station, 7 8x10 black and white photographic print depicting WWII soldiers boarding Pacific Electric Railway vehicles at the San Bernardino station, 3 black and white photographic prints depicting the Navy Car, 5 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting WWII soldiers boarding streetcars at the San Bernardino Station, 6 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting Victory in the Pacific Day celebrations outside of the Pacific Electric Railway Building at 6th Street and Main Street in downtown Los Angeles Folder 6: 6 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting WWII soldiers boarding streetcars, 1 8x10 black and white photographic print depicting the “Victory Train/Tokyo Special” locomotive running through downtown Los Angeles with a layout superimposed to be used as the cover for the September 1945 issue of Pacific Electric Magazine

box 1, folder 7  Token Storage 1943
Scope and Contents
3 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting token storage at the Pacific Electric Railway building

box 1, folder 8  Pacific Electric Subway Terminal 1946 May 1954
Scope and Contents
15 5x7 black and white photo negatives, 5 8x10 black and white photographic prints, 1 3x3 black and white photographic print, and 1 5x7 black and white photographic print depicting the interior lobby, track level, and the main concourse

box 1, folder 9-13  Pacific Electric Railway Building, Sixth and Main circa 1943 - circa 1950
Scope and Contents
Folder 9: 34 8x10 black and white photographic prints and 1 5x7 black and white photographs depicting the exterior of the Pacific Electric Railway Building at 6th and Main in downtown Los Angeles, 1 4x4 black and white photographic print and 9 8x10 black and white photographic prints depicting the interior of the Pacific Electric Railway Building at 6th and Main in downtown Los Angeles Folder 10: 30 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Pacific Electric Railway building at 6th and Main in Downtown Los Angeles Folder 11: 19 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Pacific Electric Railway building at 6th and Main in Downtown Los Angeles Folder 12: 36 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Pacific Electric Railway building at 6th and Main in Downtown Los Angeles Folder 13: 20 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Pacific Electric Railway building at 6th and Main in Downtown Los Angeles

box 1, folder 14  Logos undated
Scope and Contents
1 35mm color slide depicting the Pacific Electric Railway logo, 1 35mm color slide depicting the Pacific Electric Railway logo and the Los Angeles Motor Coach Lines logo

Series 7 Facilities 1940-1950

box 1, folder 17  Dolores Yard circa 1940
Scope and Contents
10 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Dolores Yard
box 1, folder 18  **San Bernardino Yard and Shops circa 1940**
Scope and Contents
4 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the San Bernardino Yard, 7 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting San Bernardino Station

box 1, folder 19  **Macy Yard & Shops circa 1943 - November 1950**
Scope and Contents
19 5x7 black and white photo negatives depicting the Macy Yard and Shops

box 1, folder 20  **Divisions and Buildings circa 1950**
Scope and Contents
21 8x10 black and white photo prints, 1 5x7 black and white photo print depicting unidentified Pacific Electric Railway Divisions and Buildings

box 2, folder 1  **Divisions and Buildings circa 1950**
Scope and Contents
16 8x10 black and white photo prints, 5 4x5 black and white photo negatives depicting unidentified Pacific Electric Railway Divisions and Buildings

**Series 8 Correspondence 1952-1954**

folder 1, folder 15  **Buenos Aires 1952 May 15**
Scope and Contents
Cover letter from A. Lastiri Ruiz, representative of Transportes de Buenos Aires that accompanied photographs of PE streetcars in Buenos Aires, 1 typed caption attached to square piece of cardstock, 1 empty envelope labeled, "old time car", 1 piece of lined paper with typed and handwritten questions about PE Passenger Rail Cars in Buenos Aires, 1 magazine cover layout drawn on paper.
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-31

folder 1, folder 16  **Public Utilities Commission 1954 September 14**
Scope and Contents
A cover letter addressed to William H. Gorman of the Public Utilities Commission and two copies of "Condition of Overhead Facilities - Southern District" presented "in connection with applications of the Metropolitan Coach Lines"
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-24

**Series 9 Contracts and Agreements 1953-1956**

box 12, folder 8  **Master Agreement circa 1953**
Scope and Contents
Documentation of agreements made during the sale of Pacific Electric Company to Western Transit Systems, Inc.
Processing Information
Previously cataloged as item no.70-15

box 12, folder 9  **Contract with Metropolitan Coach Lines 1956 December 26**
Scope and Contents
Contract between Pacific Electric Railway Company and Metropolitan Coach Lines in which PE sells 78 rail passenger cars and electrical facilities to MCL.

box 13, box 14  **Small Books Series 10 1905-1951**
box 13  Bates List Finder undated  
Scope and Contents  
1 Bates List Finder containing contact information for various individuals and organizations

box 13  Rules and Regulations for the Government of Employees 1905 February 01  
Scope and Contents  
1 booklet containing rules and regulations for employees of the Pacific Electric Railway Company and Los Angeles Inter-Urban Railway Company  
Processing Information  
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-84

box 13  Gillespie's Guide circa 1916  
Scope and Contents  
Information about taking streetcars to various destinations in Los Angeles

box 13  Pacific Electric Railway Hospital Association Rules and Regulations 1951 July  
Scope and Contents  
1 booklet informing PE employees about the Hospital Association’s rules and procedures  
Processing Information  
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-18

box 13  The Electric Railway Instructor circa 1917  
Scope and Contents  
1 book by Byron Dixon created to help new employees of electric railways companies learn about train dispatching  
Processing Information  
Previously cataloged as item no. 70-86

box 13  Construction and Operation of Passenger and Freight Equipment 1917  
Scope and Contents  
2 copies of book by Byron Dixon created to help employees of electric railways companies learn about freight equipment

box 14  Agreement Between Pacific Electric Railway Company and Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen 1951 May 01  
Scope and Contents  
1 book by the Pacific Electric Railway Company containing a schedule agreed upon by the Pacific Electric Railway Company and the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen

box 14  Pacific Electric Railway Company Special Instructions to Employees of the Transportation Department Relating to (1) Preparation and use of Trainmen's Daily Time and Car Movement Report (Form 2370-K) (2) Regulations for Employees' Uniforms (3) Merit System of Discipline (4) Federal Hours of Service Act 1945 February 01  
Scope and Contents  
1 booklet created for the Pacific Electric Railway Company Transportation Department
box 14

**Pacific Electric Railway Company Rules and Regulations of the Transportation Department 1943 November 15**

Scope and Contents

Book containing rules and regulations of the transportation department. 1 update pasted into the front of the book. Inscribed "No. 1307," "E. Lamp," "G. R. Watkins," "C. A. Morine, 4/21/44"

box 14

**Pacific Electric Railway Company Rules and Regulations of the Transportation Department 1946 June 01**

Scope and Contents

Book containing rules and regulations of the transportation department, inscribed "No. 3238" and "K. E. McCollum"

**Miscellaneous Series 11 1945-1964**

box 11, folder 7, box 12, folder 11

**Howard Francis Christenson 1945-1961**

Scope and Contents

1 issue of a California State Employee newsmagazine, 1 document containing Christenson's employment history, 11 receipts for registering as a professional engineer, 1 certificate issued to Christenson recognizing him as a registered professional engineer in electrical engineering in the state of California, personal materials belonging to Howard Francis Christenson including California State Employee magazines, certificate of twenty-five years of service, and notes on a circuit distance table, material related to Christenson's application for registration as a professional engineer in the state of California

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**Train Tickets, Northern/Eastern Division undated**

Scope and Contents

Train tickets from San Bernardino-Redlands-Riverside form ET1B; Pasadena local lines forms JT-10, JT-11; Suburban Transfer forms TN-4. A, B, C, E, F, G; TN-5. C, D, F, I, J, C, M, P, U; TN-6; Motor Transit District Transfer form TMT1; South Pasadena/ Avenue 64 Line forms T.N.S.2 A, C, D, E, G.

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**Train Tickets, Western Division undated**

Scope and Contents

Train tickets from Hollywood local and transfer lines forms JT-1 A, E; JT-2 A, JT-3 C, I, M; JT-4 A; C; JT-5; JT6 B, E, I, K, N, S, U; JT-12 A; TW-1 G; TW-3 D, F; TW-6 D, G; TW-9, San Fernando Valley Transfer line form TW-7; Glendale-Burbank line forms JT-7 A; JT-9 A, C, D, E; TW-2 G, I, J; TW-5; TW-8.

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**Train Tickets, Southern Division undated**

Scope and Contents

Train tickets from Southern Division form TS-1; Long Beach line forms TS-3 F, H, I, K.

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**Brief History of Pacific Electric Railway Company Fares undated**

Scope and Contents

1 photocopy of a document titled "Brief History of Pacific Electric Railway Company Fares"

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| box 11, folder 12 | Signs undated  
Scope and Contents  
2 5x7 black and white photo negatives and 1 8x10 black and white photographic print depicting bus stop signs |
| box 11, folder 13 | Notes undated  
Scope and Contents  
Handwritten notes  
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Previously cataloged as item 70-23, difficult to read |
| box 11, folder 14 | Miscellaneous 1948-1964  
Scope and Contents  
1 5x7 black and white photo negative depicting a "History Chart" of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, 2 lists of locations, miles, and revenue, 2 copies of a joint passenger tariff for Pacific Greyhound Lines INC. in connection with Motor Transit Company for the honoring of Pacific Greyhound lines tickets via the Motor Transit Company between station in California, 1 introduction card for C.C. Potts at the Golden Gate International Exposition to introduce Charles F. Quirmbach of the Pacific Electric Railway Company, 1 postcard depicting an accident involving a Pacific Electric Railway car, 3 group photos depicting unidentified persons on unidentified Pacific Electric Railway Company excursions, 4 tickets for one fare on Pacific Electric Railway Co., 1 sheet of paper containing a request from the traffic manager and passenger traffic manager requesting the public to vote no on propositions 1 and 2, a Jitney proposition and a bus proposition, 1 photocopy of a notice posted March 27, 1948 to trainmen in the Southern District notifying them of complaints made by the Long Beach Police Department about motormen running red traffic signals on American Avenue, 1 photocopy if a traffic survey given to passengers, 1 notice of the annual meeting of stockholders and special meeting of stockholders  
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| box 14 | Tokens undated  
Scope and Contents  
1 token, for one fare on the Pacific Electric Railway Company |
| box 14 | Cuff links undated  
Scope and Contents  
Set of two gold-colored cuff links with "PE" in script on the face. Back engravings read "Waterbury Co's Inc. Conn." and "Superior Quality." |