

INVENTORY OF RAILWAY EQUIPMENT—(concluded)

	On hand Jan. 1, 1956	Placed in service	Retired	Converted		On hand Dec. 31, 1956	Orders out- standing Dec. 31, 1956
				Added	Retired		
WORK EQUIPMENT							
Units in work service.....	9,161	32	320	494		9,367	139
FLOATING EQUIPMENT							
Car ferries.....	8					8	
Barges.....	6					6	
Steamers.....	13	2				15	
Tugs.....	5					5	
Work.....	2					2	
Total.....	34	2				36	

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STATISTICS OF RAIL-LINE OPERATIONS

	1956	1955
TRAIN-MILES		
Freight service.....	47,944,638	43,128,824
Passenger service.....	24,268,051	23,559,606
Work service.....	2,377,562	2,036,573
Total train-miles.....	74,590,251	68,725,003
LOCOMOTIVE-MILES		
Freight service.....	50,322,972	45,212,159
Passenger service.....	23,632,672	23,418,612
Train switching—Freight.....	3,722,022	3,569,167
—Passenger.....	120,059	114,310
Yard switching—Freight.....	18,979,856	17,234,617
—Passenger.....	1,805,446	1,791,016
Work service.....	2,463,917	2,081,240
Total locomotive-miles.....	101,046,924	93,421,121
CAR-MILES		
Freight Service:		
Loaded freight cars.....	1,417,709,588	1,267,764,373
Empty freight cars.....	711,181,806	623,226,168
Passenger coach and combination cars.....	5,206,310	5,315,029
Other cars.....	10,436,049	11,003,436
Caboose cars.....	48,270,164	43,340,952
	2,192,803,917	1,950,649,958
Passenger Service:		
Loaded freight cars.....	879,553	662,094
Empty freight cars.....	54,245	105,029
Passenger coach and combination cars.....	54,977,530	52,947,710
Sleeping, parlor and observation cars.....	57,654,261	57,100,362
Dining cars.....	9,090,836	9,010,964
Motor unit cars.....	1,916,297	1,264,116
Other cars (baggage and express cars, etc.).....	92,501,172	87,441,875
	217,073,894	208,532,150
Work service.....	4,810,716	4,058,029
Total car-miles.....	2,414,688,527	2,163,240,137
AVERAGE MILEAGE OF ROAD OPERATED.....	24,270.56	24,231.19
FREIGHT TRAFFIC		
Tons carried—Revenue freight.....	99,033,731	87,606,859
Ton-miles—Revenue freight.....	41,935,388,811	35,677,183,245
Revenue per ton.....	\$ 6.18746	\$ 6.15281
Revenue per ton-mile.....	\$ 0.01461	\$ 0.01511
Average haul.....	423.45	407.24
Ton-miles—Revenue freight per mile of road.....	1,721,343	1,466,853
Ton-miles—All freight per mile of road.....	1,823,510	1,544,752
Gross ton-miles of cars, contents and cabooses.....	95,956,149,254	83,490,960,359
Net ton-miles of freight (revenue and non-revenue).....	44,257,605,305	37,431,169,271
Train-hours in freight road service.....	2,731,939	2,458,225
Gross ton-miles per freight train hour.....	34,742	33,597
Average speed of freight trains (miles per hour).....	17.5	17.5
Average gross load—Freight trains (tons).....	1,980	1,915
Steam locomotive miles per serviceable day (excluding stored).....	122	115
Diesel unit miles per serviceable day (excluding stored).....	251	269