

CHURCHILL
TRAVELS IN
CANADA

CONFERS WITH F. D. R.

Quebec, Sept. 1. — Prime Minister Churchill left for Washington and another meeting with President Roosevelt last night, after declaring in a world broadcast that he and the President would "persevere" in efforts to meet Premier Stalin of Russia.

Give Full Information

The British Prime Minister said that the conferences held here dealt mainly with means of stimulating the flames against Japan, and for that reason it would have been "embarrassing" to send Premier Stalin an invitation to the conference because Russia has a non-aggression pact with Japan.

Nevertheless, everything of a political nature arising from the Quebec discussions would be communicated to Russia, and pending the hoped-for tri-country conference he would not blame Russia for reproaches of failure to establish another front in Europe.

The Prime Minister spoke from a room in the Citadel here, and then conferred again with Prime Minister King and the Canadian War Cabinet before he and Mrs. Churchill made their farewells to Quebec.

Leave for Washington

The Churchills, with many of the British service chiefs and advisers who participated in the discussions here, left for Washington aboard an eight-car special train.

Route of the special to Washington was not revealed, but the train went through Montreal's Park Avenue station late last night without stopping. A fairly large crowd of Montrealers, apparently working on the assumption that the Park Avenue station would be a likely stopping place for the special, had gathered during the evening, but practically all of them had dispersed

before the train went through at 11:30 p.m.

Has Fine Rest

Shortly before the departure from Quebec, it was revealed that the Laurentian mountain vacation site where the Prime Minister spent the last six days actually consisted of two separate camps, Cabane de Montmorency and Camp Lac des Neiges, the mountain resorts of Col. Frank W. Clarke, of Anglo-Canadian Pulp and Paper, Limited.

Mr. Churchill spent three days at each camp, one 35 miles from Quebec and the other 65 miles, and described the six days as his first real rest since the war started. His crowded 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. days at the camp included a good deal of fishing, with several three-pound trout as a result, but also a definite period each day when he went through dispatches and followed the course of the war.

Speed New Meeting

Washington, Sept. 1. — (UP) — Prime Minister Winston Churchill was en route to the White House to-day for new conferences with President Roosevelt and to arrange a meeting soon of British, American and Soviet political experts.

When Mr. Roosevelt and Churchill meet they are expected to devise plans for speeding up a three-nation meeting of foreign ministers, who presumably will tackle political questions and prepare for a Roosevelt-Churchill-Stalin conference.

The arrangements for a tri-partite meeting of foreign secretaries, however, did not bring particularly closer a meeting of the three leaders themselves. Observers here

doubt that a British-American Soviet military conference will be held until joint military operations are up for discussion.

Sees No Collapse

Bracken Bracken, the British Minister of Information, said at a press conference that political post-war problems must be discussed by Mr. Roosevelt and Churchill "because you never know when the war might end." He emphasized that he held no hope for an early end of the war, but a consideration of political and post-war problems now was necessary so that the Allies are not caught by a surprise ending as they were in 1918.

Bracken said he did not believe the German army was "going to collapse in a very short space of time." The same thing, he added, applied to the Japanese.

"I do not believe," he said also and with emphasis, "that there is any possibility that our Axis enemies will be destroyed this year."

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"God Bless You All," Churchill Says, Concluding Memorable Stay at Quebec

Ottawa, Sept. 2.—Prime Minister Churchill's last words to Canadians as his train pulled out of Wolfe Cove at Quebec last evening for Washington were "God bless you all." Prime Minister Mackenzie King told reporters on his arrival here at noon yesterday.

"And I know he meant it," Mr. King said.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Churchill were obviously and sincerely delighted with their stay in Canada.

"And the same was true. I am certain of President Roosevelt, who was good enough to come here for a one-day visit a week ago."

Mr. King paid tribute to the officers of Canada's public service for the arrangements they made for the conference. The committee was headed by Dr. E. H. Coleman, Under-Secretary of State, who also returned yesterday.

"I think the people of Canada are very proud to have had the opportunity to extend their hospitality to the President and Mr. Churchill, and particularly happy that the visit enabled Mr. Churchill to get a little rest and change."

"Not that he did not do plenty of work—but it was work under different and restful conditions."

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waters and then said: "It certainly does live up to my expectations. It's wonderful. It's super!"

At Brock's Monument, with its hundreds of steps leading to an observation platform, some one suggested to Mr. Churchill that he might like to walk up and see the view. "It might be good for you," "Good for me," chuckled the Prime Minister. "It might be good for some people, but it certainly wouldn't be good for me."

And since it was a blazing hot day, the escorting party were more or less thankful that Mr. Churchill didn't "go" for the idea.

At the restaurant near Brock's Monument, Mr. Churchill and his daughter went out on the porch and looked at the view of the Niagara escarpment below. Then they raided the postcard racks and selected a number of pictures to send home to friends. When the Prime Minister offered to pay for them, James Brown, superintendent of the restaurant, refused to accept the money. There was a short argument, with Mr. Churchill insisting and Mr. Brown equally insistent that the cards were "on the house."

"All right, that's fine," said the Prime Minister. "But I'm going to send you a book for a souvenir. What's your name and address?" He carefully looked down the information and tucked it in a capacious pocket. Then he shook hands cordially with Mr. Brown.

En route back to the city and his train, the party passed a Niagara Falls munitions plant. Surprised workers quickly recognized the gray-clad figure and started to cheer. Mr. Churchill responded with his famous "V for Victory" sign, and minutes after he had passed, the workers, including overalls and turbaned girls, were still gasping with excitement.

Arrives in Early Morning

The special train carrying the Churchill party made a fast run from Toronto, arriving here shortly after eight a.m. There was little excitement. Maj.-Gen. C. F. Constantine and his aide-de-camp, Lieut. D. A. Baldwin, were waiting on the platform at Victoria Park Station, situated just above the Oakes Garden. There were a few officers of R.C.M.P. city and Provincial police and an escort of members of the police department from Niagara Falls, N.Y. About 100 persons had gathered at the station, evidently "tipped off" that important visitors were arriving by the fact that police were present. Mayor and Mrs. George Dudge of the city were waiting to greet Mr. Churchill on behalf of the city.

First person on the train was Subaltern Churchill, looking fresh as a daisy. She stood and chatted with Mrs. Inglis and newspaper reporters, stating this was her first trip to Canada and that she was "terribly impressed." The crowd cheered her but waited respectfully. Suddenly, the stocky man with the tiger which has now become a world trademark, came down the steps of the car. There was spontaneous applause as he descended, which increased when Mr. Churchill waved his head in greeting.

Visit Table Book

The party climbed into cars immediately and head for Table Rock, barricaded since the war because of power houses planned near by.

Accompanying Mr. Churchill in his car were an R.C.M.P. officer acting as his personal bodyguard, General Constantine, Subaltern Churchill and the driver, Staff Ser-

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City Station Guarded For Churchill Train

Prime Minister Winston Churchill passed through Toronto en route to Niagara Falls early yesterday—but you'd have a hard time proving it. Not a single person, so far as is known, actually saw the British leader in the city.

Preceded by a flock of rumors, all unverifiable, his special train had slipped quietly into the closed North Toronto station, last opened for the Royal train of 1839. There were guards in and around the station for blocks. All blinds were drawn and no unauthorized persons were allowed on the station platform or, for that matter, within blocks of the station.

The special left Toronto by the Canadian Pacific line which passes near West Toronto station and linked up with the C.N.R. track to Hamilton and Niagara Falls.

Actually, the train arrived here at 5:30 a.m. Previously, it had been reported from various sources that he would pass through the Union Station at 7:15 a.m. on the first section of the Montreal train and would stay here 45 minutes. After that, there were reports the Prime Minister was already here; that he had travelled by plane; that he had gone directly to Washington.

Engines Changed Quickly.

When the special did arrive here, however, there was no 45 minutes wait. Engines were changed quickly, with Engineer F. Sclyen, Clendenan Avenue, and Fireman W. T. Evans of Westholme Avenue, turning over their precious cargo to Engineer E. J. Griffith, 576 Runnymede Road, and Fireman Earl du Maresq, Bartlett Avenue, who piloted the six-car train to Niagara Falls.

Long before the train was due city, Provincial, Federal and railway police under the command of the local R.C.M.P. commissioner, had taken up their posts quietly. So smoothly did they take over that early-morning pedestrians and motorists on Yonge Street had no idea they were there. Officers from Belmont Street, North Toronto stations and detectives from headquarters were assigned to their posts along the railway right of way. Traffic was not tied up or diverted in any way, which probably aided the secrecy of the Churchill arrival.

Almost 14 years ago to the day

Mr. Churchill visited Toronto. At that time he was the luncheon guest of the Canadian and Empire Clubs and the Board of Trade at the Royal York on Aug. 18, 1929.

The late R. S. Eayrs, as president of the Empire Club, referred then to Mr. Churchill as "the gentleman of superb courage—the great ambassador of the British Empire," and John A. Tory, for the Board of Trade, said "no statesman of the British people appeals more to Canadians."

Mr. Churchill had come to the United States on a lecture tour shortly after his retirement from service as Chancellor of the Exchequer under Prime Minister Stanley Baldwin.

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Toronto Globe

Nova Scotia Southern Ry.—In the course of railway construction work in Caledonia, Queen's county, before the acquiring, completing or construction of the New Germany and Caledonia branch by the Halifax and South Western Ry., certain work was done by the N.S.S. Ry. or by R. G. Hervey, beyond the line since acquired by the H. and S. W. Ry. with resulting injury to the lands of several persons. No claims for these injuries were made at the time the commissioner was appointed in 1903 to adjust the claims. Some of the claimants, to whom awards were made, have failed to apply for the money awarded them, and last session of the Nova Scotia Legislature an act was passed authorizing the use of the unclaimed awards for compensating the owners of lands who did not put in claims originally.

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Cars of Canadian Pacific Semi-Streamlined Trains

The Jubilee (4-4-4) type locomotives built by Montreal Locomotive Works for the Canadian Pacific, with semi-streamlined external form, and designed to haul semi-streamlined cars, were described in great detail in Canadian Railway and Marine World for September, beginning on page 397, and illustrations, including an elevation drawing, were given. The three classes of cars composing these trains are described and illustrated in the following.

For its four semi-streamlined trains, the Canadian Pacific purchased a total of 16 cars. There are four mail and express cars, four baggage and buffet cars and eight first class cars, and all are now in service. As described in the September issue article, the four mail and express cars were built complete by National Steel Car Corporation, Hamilton, Ont., that builder having built also the frames for the four baggage and buffet cars and eight first class cars, these twelve cars having been finished at the Canadian Pacific Angus shops in Montreal. Each of the four semi-streamlined trains consists of locomotive, one mail and express car, one baggage and buffet car and two first class cars. The purchase of five locomotives gives the railway management a spare locomotive for use in connection with the trains.

The interior arrangement of all three classes of cars is exhibited by the accompanying floor plan drawing. All three classes are mounted on 4-wheel trucks, all with 4 ft. 6 in. wheel base, and in all classes the journals operate in roller bearings, each class of car employing a different make of the latter.

Each train made up as above stated weighs approximately half as much as a standard train of the same capacity; the economy in operation is at once evident, and it is readily apparent that these trains mark a distinct forward step in railway passenger transportation; recognition of this fact is hastened upon consideration of the fact that the baggage and buffet cars and first class cars are air-conditioned throughout, ensuring that their interiors will be comfortably warm in winter and pleasantly cool in summer. In the design, the clerestory type roof has been departed from, and the round top or turtle-back type has been adopted. Height from rail to roof in all three classes of cars is 12 ft. 11 in. Width of car at windows is a little greater than with the standard equipment, and the car sides are built with a bow extending from roof edge to window line and from the bottom line of windows to the lower extremities of the side sills.

Mail and Express Cars
These cars have the following chief dimensions:—

Length over end frames	70 ft. 7 in.
Length inside coupler knuckles	73 ft. 10 1/2 in.
Distance between truck centers	48 ft. 8 in.
Height, rail to top of roof	12 ft. 11 in.
Height, rail to top of floor	8 ft. 5 3/4 in.
Height to roof edge	11 ft. 0 1/2 in.
Height, extreme	13 ft. 4 in.
Width over steps	9 ft. 8 in.
Width, extreme	10 ft. 1 1/2 in.
Weight	109,000 lb.

These cars, of all steel construction, have standard 30 ft. mail compartments, while the express compartments are 39 ft. 9 in. long. In the under frame, the center sills are 12 3/4 in. 36.1 lb. Z bars welded together along the top flanges, continuous from end to end of car. The side sills are 5 x 3 1/4 x 5/16 in. Z bars and the floor beams are 5 in. 6.7 lb. channels. The body bolsters, of welded construction, are of 5/16 in. web with 12 x 9/16 in. top and bottom cover plates. At each end of the cars are end or platform castings furnished by Canadian Steel Foundries, Ltd., the casting at each end being secured to the center sills by rivetting and welding, and forming housing for the buffer. In the framing, the posts are 4 in. channel pressings. The bottom chord sills are 8/16 x 2 x 2 1/2 in. material, and the side

Simplex clasp brakes are fitted, with Dominion Brake Shoe Co.'s C-50-X shoes. In the interior, the car is finished in 16-gauge steel to 7 ft. above the floor, and above in 20-gauge steel, and the walls are painted in buff color. The floor is of hardwood. By way of insulation in the floor there is one layer of Salamander, and one layer of 1 in. Salamander, the roof being insulated similarly. Around the entire structure there is one layer of No. 65 Jiffy deerskin felt, adhering to the inside of the exterior sheathing.

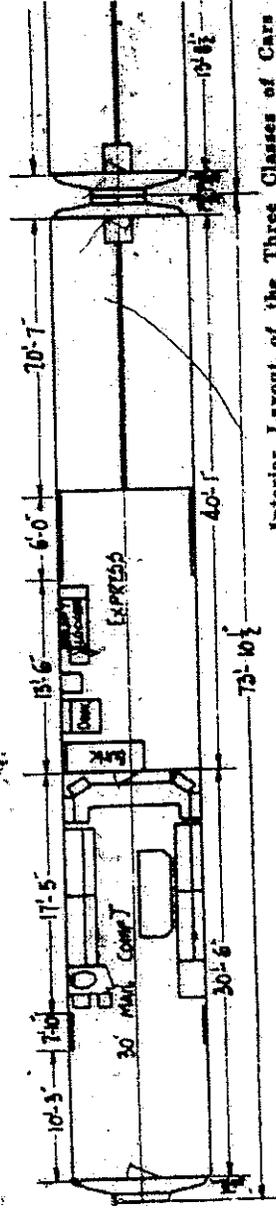
A feature of these cars is that they are electrically lighted; heterofore gas illumination has been the rule in cars in mail and express service. The cars are heated by thermostatically-controlled Vapor Car Heating Co. apparatus, employing fin tube radiation.

Equipment in the mail and express cars, not specifically mentioned in the foregoing, includes the following:—16 cells of Exide Ironclad MV, M.F. type battery, 29 plates in single cell units; Peacock hand brakes; Miner special spring buffing gear; Fabreksa buffer system guides; C.P.R. standard buffer upper springs; Safety Car Heating and Lighting Co. no. 282 candle brackets; De Witt cinder guards; A.A.R. type E. swivel butt couplers; C.P.R. standard coupler centering device; Vapor Car Heating Co. no. 313 steam heat couplers; Cardwell P.F.6 draft gear; Safety Car Heating and Lighting Co. fans; Pyrene

with cupressus a prominent feature. The floor is covered with a green carpet, and the floor is covered with a great deal of Monel metal in the buffet section. In the main section, the sides are in Masonite, and the windows are painted a dark green; from the windows to the frieze the finish is in a lighter green, and the green used on the ceiling shades into a cream color, this color scheme being a very attractive one. The baggage racks in the car are of cast aluminum, of Robert Mitchell Co. manufacture, and the lighting fixtures are integral with the baggage racks. There is an individual switch for each lighting fixture. The seats, of the Heywood-Wakefield reversible bucket type and with cushions in Dunlopillo cushioning material and with spring backs, are upholstered in green frieze. The floor is covered with linoleum. The blinds are of silk-faced Pantasote, in green. An arrangement of small tables at the seats is provided, with the table support aided

of the mail and express cars, like the mail and express cars, are 10 1/2 ft. in length inside couple knuckles, and have the same distance between truck centers, viz., 49 ft. 8 in. The length over end frames, however, is a little less than in the mail and express cars, being 47 ft. 9 1/4 in. Height from rails to roof is the same, at 22 ft. 11 in., but extreme height, 13 ft. 2 in., is 2 1/2 in. less than that of the mail and express cars. The width dimensions are the same in both classes of cars.

The baggage and buffet car interior arrangement in the baggage section is 25 ft. 6 in. long. The buffet space is 7 ft. 6 in. long, and is so arranged that there is aisle space around it of one side of the car. The main room, with seating capacity of 28, occupies 28 ft. of the car length, and at the end of the car are arranged the men's and women's toilet facilities, occupying 6 ft. 3 in. of the car length. These cars, like the mail and



Interior Layout of the Three Classes of Cars
Left, mail and express car; center, baggage

plates are 4 in. 5.4 lb. channels, back to back. The outside sheathing is 1/4 in. copper bearing steel, welded to the posts, side sills and side plates. A feature of these cars is the large amount of welding employed in their construction, the rivets in the side framing being confined to three horizontal rows. The roof is of the round or turtle-back type, of 1/2 in. plate, with the carlines, of the same section as the posts, extending across the car. The hoods are not rounded off in the conventional manner, but are practically square with the car end. The vestibule end posts are 8 in. 21.4 lb. ship channel, of Man-Ten steel. Holco one-fold, open-top diaphragms are applied.

The trucks are of the Commonwealth 4-wheel type, fitted with Timken roller bearings. The journals are 5 1/2 x 10 in. and the wheels are of the rolled steel type, A.A.R. standard, 36 in. diam. The air brakes are the Westinghouse UC-4 schedule, with 8 x 8 in. cylinders, truck-mounted, two cylinders per truck, and Simplex clasp brakes are fitted, with Dominion Brake Shoe Co.'s C-50-X shoes.

In the interior, the car is finished in 16 gauge steel to 7 ft. above the floor, and above in 20 gauge steel, and the walls are painted in buff color. The floor is of hardwood. By way of insulation, and one layer of 1/2 in. Salamander, and in the sides there is one layer of 1 in. Salamander, the roof being insulated similarly. Around the entire interior there is one layer of No. 65 lead depending felt, adhering to the inside of the exterior sheathing.

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fire extinguishers; Safety Car Heating and Lighting Co. letter bag rack, storage fixtures, letter case and door fixtures; Safety Car Heating and Lighting Co. gas equipment with one tank and 2-burner gas plate; Safety Car Heating and Lighting Co. 4 kw. electric generator complete with control switch; Pitt type generator drive; Duner double pan gravity type hopper; Rex pouch racks; Westinghouse Air Brake Co. schedule K signal equipment; Kendal sorting table; Barco 2 in. steam heat connectors; Vapor Car Heating thermostats and heating valves; C.P.R. standard ventilators; fold-in type wash basins; water coolers as per C.P.R. drawing; Stucki type A-5010 side bearings; Commonwealth cast steel truck bolsters; A.A.R. 5 1/2 x 10 in. axles; Commonwealth cast steel truck frames; Fabreka truck friction plate pads; alloy steel elliptical and helical springs.

The Baggage and Buffet Cars

The baggage and buffet cars, one of which occupies a position behind the mail and express car in each of the train, are, like the mail and express cars, 13 ft. 10 1/2 in. long, made up of knuckle-ends, and have the same distance between truck centers, viz., 49 ft. 8 in. The length over end frames, however, is a little less than in the mail and express cars, being 67 ft. 0 1/2 in. Height from floor to top of roof is the same, at 11 ft. 11 in., but extreme height, 13 ft. 2 in., is 2 in. less than that of the mail and express cars. The width dimensions are the same in both classes of cars.

The baggage and buffet cars, in their arrangement, are 25 ft. 6 in. long. The baggage section is 7 ft. 6 in. long, and is so arranged that there is aisle space around it of one sixth of the car. The main room, with seating capacity of 28, occupies 28 ft. of the car length, and at the end of the car are arranged the men's and women's toilet facilities, occupying 6 ft. 3 in. of the car length. These cars, like the mail and

express cars, are of all-steel construction, and the bodies are mounted on 4-wheel cast steel trucks.

The bottom, side and end framing details as given above for the mail and express cars are generally applicable to the baggage and buffet cars. In the baggage and buffet cars, the window sills are continuous from one end of the car to the other, and the windows are set flush; the window arrangement includes Thermosash with aluminum frames and dehydrated air space, the sash being of Robert Mitchell Co. manufacture. The car insulation is generally the same as that applied to the mail and express cars, but there is an extra layer of 1/2 in. Salamander throughout. The interior finish of the baggage compartment, of the baggage and buffet cars is the same as that of the express end of the mail and express cars, there being hardwood floor and interior steel sheathing painted the same buff color. The baggage compartment is fitted with fish racks. The buffet section is lined with Masonite, painted green, and the floor is covered with linoleum. A great deal of Monel metal is used in the buffet section. In the main section, the sides are in Masonite, below the windows the surface is painted a dark green; from the windows to the frieze the finish is in a lighter green, and the green used on the ceiling shades into a cream color, this color scheme being a very attractive one. The baggage racks in the car are of cast aluminum, of Robert Mitchell Co. manufacture, and the lighting fixtures are integral with the baggage racks. There is an individual switch for each lighting fixture. The seats, of the Heywood-Wakefield reversible bucket type and with cushions in Dunlopillo cushioning material and with spring backs, are upholstered in green frieze. The floor is covered with linoleum. The blinds are of silk-faced Pantasote, in green. An arrangement of small tables at the seats is provided, with the table support aided



by wall brackets. Sixteen persons may be accommodated at table at one time. The buffet counter is 7 ft. 6 in. long and opens into the coach; the arrangement is ideal for the serving of light meals and refreshments, which are provided at moderate rates. The buffet equipment includes all necessary culinary appliances, and, as indicated above, Monel metal fittings are the general rule.

The baggage and buffet cars and the first class cars are air-conditioned throughout, the Sturtevant water-sprayed ice system being employed, and the air conditioning unit in the baggage and buffet cars is located over the buffet section. Ice is carried under the car body; air is brought in through a central diffusing duct, and expelled via ventilators in the roof, at the four corners of the car body. Heating is by Vapor Car Heating Co. equipment, with fin tube radiation, employing thermostatic control. The pressure ventilation system of air conditioning ensures maximum comfort in summer travelling. The air supplied the car interior is not only clean and fresh, but in hot weather is cooled to desirable temperature.

The baggage and buffet car trucks, with Commonwealth cast steel frames and bolsters, have A.A.R. 5 x 9 in. axles operating in Sheppard no. 514-A roller bearings. Side bearings are the Stucki A-5010 type. The air brake equipment is the same as that on the mail and express cars; also, as on the mail and express cars, the trucks include Fabreka friction plate pads, alloy steel elliptical and helical springs, and rolled steel wheels.

The equipment on the baggage and buffet cars, not specifically referred to in the foregoing, includes Peacock no. 320 hand brakes; Miner special spring buffing gear; Fabreka buffer stem guides; C.P.R. standard buffer upper springs; A.A.R. type E, swivel butt, bottom-operating couplers; C.P.R. standard coupler centering device; cast steel, swivel butt coupler yokes; Cardwell PF-6 draft gear; Westinghouse Air Brake Co. schedule K signal equipment; Canadian Car and Foundry Co. steam train line

car length is occupied as follows:—Men's toilet facilities at one side of the aisle, 8 ft. 9½ in.; men's lounge, with seating capacity of 10 (with aisle at one side), 12 ft.; main room, with seating capacity of 36, and with central aisle, 36 ft. 10 in.; women's lounge, with five seats (with aisle at side of car opposite to that which it occupies at opposite end), 8 ft. 6½ in.; women's toilet facilities, at one side of aisle, 8 ft. 9½ in. Total seating capacity of car is 51. The layout is shown on the accompanying floor plan.

As concerns underframe, side and end framing, etc., the construction is generally the same as in the mail and express cars and baggage and buffet cars, and the same bowed sides and rounded roof are in evidence. As in the other cars, much welding has been employed. As in the baggage and buffet cars, the heating is by Vapor Car Heating Co. equipment, with fin tube radiation and thermostatic control, and the cars are air-conditioned throughout by the Sturtevant water-sprayed ice system, the conditioning unit being at the end of the car containing the men's lounge. As in the baggage and buffet cars, the baggage racks and lighting fixtures are integral, the fixture over each seat being controlled by individual switch. The seats, particularly comfortable and attractive, are of the individual, self-adjustable, reclining and rotating type, spaced much farther apart than usual and providing maximum of comfort for the passengers. The occupants can arrange the seats at any angle or facing any direction desired. The seat cushions are of Dunlopillo cushioning material, and the seats (excluding those in the men's lounge, which are upholstered in leather) are upholstered in brown friezette. In the men's and women's lounges, sofas are provided.

The car floor is covered with linoleum. The hoppers and basins throughout are of porcelain. The car interior, as in the baggage and buffet cars, is painted, but the color arrangement is a series of browns, with the upper portions of the walls and the ceiling in a lighter shade than that employed below the window

swivel butt, bottom-operated couplers cast steel swivel butt coupler yokes Miner A-5-X B draft gear; Westinghouse schedule K signal equipment and Canadian Car and Foundry Co. steam train line anchors.

The car exteriors are finished in Tuscan red, with black striping and gold lettering, and at each side the Canadian Pacific emblem is prominently displayed.

As stated, the seating capacity in the main room of the baggage and buffet car is 28, while the total seating capacity in the first-class car is 51 (36 in main room plus 10 in men's lounge plus five in women's lounge). As there are two first-class cars in each train, the total passenger seating capacity per train is 28 plus 102, or 130.

Operation.—Advice from the Canadian Pacific management near the end of August was that the trains were scheduled for operation as follows:—Between Montreal and Quebec, between Toronto and Windsor and between Calgary and Edmonton. Our advice stated that schedules had not been finally determined upon, pending actual road trials of the trains' capabilities, and that the initial operation would be in local service.

Inspection by public.—As stated in our September issue, in connection with the description of the locomotive, the first of the complete trains to be acquired was placed on display at the Windsor Street Station, Montreal, at the beginning of August, and during the few days it remained there it was inspected by some 60,000 people. A train was exhibited at Toronto on Aug. 26 and 27 and was viewed by many thousands of citizens; it was shown in London, Ont., on Aug. 29, and in Windsor, Ont., on Aug. 31, and attracted large crowds of people.

Another train left Montreal on the afternoon of Aug. 21 bound for Western Canada. It was exhibited at North Bay, Ont., on Aug. 24, and at Sudbury, Ont., on the following day. It was then displayed at Port Arthur and Fort William, after which it continued to various western Canadian points, where it attracted as much attention and was the

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The First-Class Cars

The first-class cars, of which eight were required, and two of which operate as the last two cars of each of the complete semi-streamlined trains, have the same dimensions as the mail and express cars, as concerns length inside coupler knuckles (78 ft. 10 1/2 in.) and distance between truck centers (49 ft. 3 in.), but are only 54 ft. long over end frames, compared with 70 ft. for the mail and express cars and 67 ft. 9 in. for the baggage and buffet cars. These cars, like the other two classes, are of all-steel construction. Light weight is 112,000 lb., the baggage and buffet car weight being the same; this compares with 109,000 lb. for the mail and express cars. Extreme width of the first-class cars and width over steps is the same for the mail and express cars.

From one end to the other, the total

ing Co. equipment, with air valve regulation and thermostatic control, and the cars are air-conditioned throughout by the Sturtevant water-sprayed ice system, the conditioning unit being at the end of the car containing the men's lounge. As in the baggage and buffet cars, the baggage racks and lighting fixtures are integral, the fixture over each seat being controlled by individual switch. The seats, particularly comfortable and attractive, are of the individual, self-adjustable, reclining and rotating type, spaced much farther apart than usual and providing maximum of comfort for the passengers. The occupants can arrange the seats at any angle or facing any direction desired. The seat cushions are of Dunlopillo cushioning material, and the seats (excluding those in the men's lounge, which are upholstered in leather) are upholstered in brown friezette. In the men's and women's lounges, sofas are provided.

The car floor is covered with linoleum. The hoppers and basins throughout are of porcelain. The car interior, as in the baggage and buffet cars, is painted, but the color arrangement is a series of browns, with the upper portions of the walls and the ceiling in a lighter shade than that employed below the window line. The window blinds throughout the car are in silk-faced material.

The bodies of the first-class cars are mounted on Commonwealth cast steel trucks, with 5 x 9 in. axles; they have rolled steel wheels, clasp brakes, and roller bearings for the journals. However, whereas the mail and express cars are fitted with Timken roller bearings, and the baggage and buffet cars with Sheppard no. 514-A roller bearings, the roller bearings for the first-class cars are of Fafnir manufacture. The truck side bearings, as in the other two classes of cars, are the Stucki A-5010 type; the brake shoes are the Dominion Brake Shoe Co.'s G-50-K type, and Fabreka friction plate pads and alloy steel elliptical and helical springs are employed. The cars are equipped with the Westinghouse schedule UC-4 air brake equipment, with 8 x 8 in. cylinders; Peacock no. 320 hand brakes; Miner special spring buffing gear; A.A.R. type E,

scheduled for operation as follows: Between Montreal and Quebec, between Toronto and Windsor and between Calgary and Edmonton. Our advice states that schedules had not been finally determined upon, pending actual road trials of the trains' capabilities, and that initial operation would be in local service.

Inspection by public.—As stated in the September issue, in connection with the description of the locomotive, the first of the complete trains to be acquired was placed on display at the Windsor Street Station, Montreal, at the beginning of August, and during the few days it remained there it was inspected by some 60,000 people. A train was exhibited at Toronto on Aug. 26 and was viewed by many thousands of citizens; it was shown in London, Ont., on Aug. 29, and in Windsor, Ont., Aug. 31, and attracted large crowds of people.

Another train left Montreal on the afternoon of Aug. 21, bound for Western Canada. It was exhibited at North Bay, Ont., on Aug. 24, and at Sudbury, Ont., on the following day. It was then displayed at Port Arthur and Fort William after which it continued to various western Canadian points, where it attracted as much attention and was the cause of as much favorable comment as in Eastern Canada. This train, the one to operate between Calgary and Edmonton, has been named "Chinook", according to announcement by W. M. Nease, Vice President, Canadian Pacific Line West of Port Arthur, made in Winnipeg on Sept. 11. To that date the train has been exhibited at many Prairie Province points, and was en route to British Columbia lines. By actual count more than 160,000 people passed through the train while it was on exhibit in the various towns and cities on the prairies.

The public acceptance of the trains has been remarkably favorable. During the last two or three years, the streamlined trains operated on U.S.A. railways have received a great deal of publicity in the daily press, and it was only natural that Canadian citizens should avail themselves of the opportunity to see the first light-weight high-speed train built for service in Canada. The many thousands

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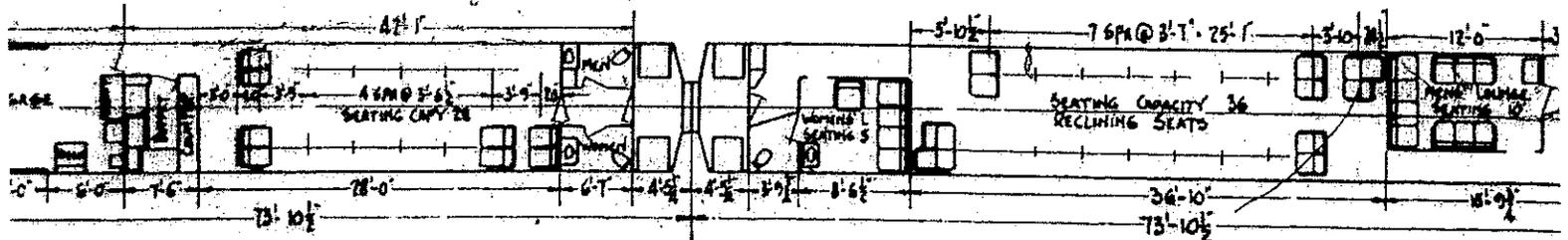
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width and overhang is a trifle more than that employed below the window line. The window blinds throughout the car are in silk-faced panels.

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which, Canadian points, attracted as much attention and caused as much favorable comment in Eastern Canada. This train, to operate between Calgary and Edmonton, has been named "Hornet", pending announcement by W. M. Vice President, Canadian Pacific West of Fort Arthur, made in W on Sept. 11. To that date the train has been exhibited at many Prairie points, and was en route to Columbia lines. By actual count more than 160,000 people passed through the train while it was on exhibit at various towns and cities on the prairie.

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Canadian Pacific Semi-Streamlined Trains. Left car; right, first-class car.

Views of the Interiors of the Baggage and Buffet Car and First-Class Car.
Portion of the baggage and buffet car interior is shown in the view at the left, while the view at the right is of one end of the first-class car.

who inspected the Canadian Pacific's semi-streamlined equipment were impressed equally by the handsome lines of the 8000 class locomotives and by the attractive exterior appearance and the interior refinements of the cars. It is evident that the Canadian Pacific management, in designing and producing these trains, has not only contributed materially to progress in railway transportation in Canada, but has also produced in the public mind a realization of just what the railways have to offer in the way of fast and comfortable passenger transportation.

Board of Railway Commissioners' Western Trip

Dr. S. J. McLean, Assistant Chief Commissioner, F. N. Garceau, K.C., Deputy Chief Commissioner, and J. A. Stoneman, Commissioner, Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, accompanied by W. E. Campbell, the Board's Chief Traffic Officer, left Ottawa, Sunday, Sept. 6, at 9.50 p.m., for western Canada, to hold hearings at a number of places.

The hearings scheduled were as follows:—At Brandon, Man., Sept. 8, on application by Canadian National Ry., under secs. 181 and 200 of the Railway Act, for an order authorizing construction of a spur to serve Central Refiners Ltd., at Brandon, and also authorizing the crossing of a street on application by City of Deloraine, Man., for an order to relieve the cost of maintaining the street crossing over the Canadian Pacific Ry.

At Saskatoon, Sask., Sept. 10, on application by city of Saskatoon for an order approving the straightening out of the crossing at 33rd Street and 3rd Avenue intersection, and entrance from Memorial Avenue to 33rd Street across Canadian National Ry. tracks.

At Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 11, on application by Alberta Public Works Department for an order covering proposed crossing over C.N.R. at Foothills, Alta., and dealing with apportionment of cost of building and maintaining the crossing;

consideration of abandonment of Colebrook-Ladner branch of Vancouver, Victoria and Eastern Ry. and Navigation Co., approved by Board's order no. 52,120, July 31, 1936; on application by Canadian Car Demurrage Bureau, Winnipeg, for ruling on interpretation of the car demurrage rules applying on bulk grain consigned to Midland Pacific Terminal, Ltd., Vancouver; on application by C. C. Moore Co., engineers, Vancouver, for ruling on classification ratings applicable under the Canadian Freight Classification on shipments of boiler parts from Galt, Ont., to Picture Butte, Alta.

At Fernie, B.C., Sept. 19, in the matter of the proposed discontinuance of train service on the Crow's Nest Southern Ry. (Great Northern Ry.) between Fernie and Newgate, B.C.

At Calgary, Alta., Sept. 21, on application by Canadian Pacific Ry. for an order directing that cost of maintenance of public crossing over the railway at Bow Valley be paid by the municipal district; on complaint by Central Alberta Dairy Pool, Ltd. and Sunny Alberta Creameries, Ltd., Alix, Alta., for rates on butter from Alix and Bow Valley, Alta., to Vancouver.

At Swift Current, Sask., Sept. 23, on application by Canadian Pacific Ry. for an order directing that the cost of maintenance of public highway crossings over Canadian Pacific Ry. in S.W. ¼ sec. 30-15-23, W. 3 M., Sask., be borne and paid by the City of Swift Current or by the Saskatchewan Government.

At Winnipeg, Man., Sept. 24, on application by Fort William Elevator Co., Ltd. for free switching to and from its elevator at Fort William, Ont.

At the time of writing, Sept. 15, the party is scheduled to return to Ottawa, Sunday, Sept. 25, at 3.40 a.m.