EQUIPMENT NEEDED FOR PURCHASE

# OF	DOT /				
CARS	CLASS	CAPACITY	COMMENTS	PRODUCT	REF#
6	111A100W3	16,000	Non-Coiled, Insulated, Lined, Top & Bottom Unloading	Caustic Soda	11993
2	111A100W2	16,000- 20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Top Unloading Only	Phosphoric Acid	11342
2	111A100W1	20,000- 26,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Storage Only	Water	11808
2-3	111A100W1	20,000- 27,000	Storage Only, Must Be Coiled	Wax	11878
ANY	112J340W	33,500	Insulated, Top Unload Only	LPG	10734, 11143
56	FLAT	60'	60' Between Couplers, 100 Ton Trucks, 50 Year Cars		11143
100	FLAT	89'	100 Ton Trucks		11894
100+	GONDOLA	52'	5' or Less Sides, 286,000 Capacity		11842
60	GONDOLA	2,200- 2,600	100 Ton Trucks, 1980 or Newer		11983
30	GONDOLA	4,000	Flat Bottom, Older Cars, For Interchange	Rail Ties	11800
4-6	GONDOLA	6,500+	Need End Gates, 100 Ton Trucks	Tree Bark	11871
10-80	GONDOLA	7,000+	Flat Bottom, With or Without End Gates	Woodchips	11882
10	HOPPER	2,100- 2,400	2 Pockets, Gravity Gates	Aggregate	11948
30-40	LO	2,850- 3,200	Round Hatches, Gravity Gates, 2 Compartment	Sand	11938
10	LO	3,000	Round Hatches, Gravity Gates	Sodium Sulfate	11939
10	LO	4,000+	Trough or Round Hatches, Gravity Gates	Road Salt	11711
30	LO	5,150	Trough Hatches, 286,000 Capacity	Meat / Bone Meal	11963
20	LO	5,250	Gravity Gates	Calcium Chloride	11942
10-12	PD	2,600- 3,000	Round Hatches, 15 PSI, Must be Interchangeable		11915

THE GREAT RAILROAD STRIKE OF JULY 1877

After the Civil War ended there was a period of extreme growth and over expansion of the railroads. In 1873, the failure of financial giant Jay Cooke & Company created the spark the set off the Panic of 1873. The US economy collapsed. The NYSE closed for ten days. A quarter of all railroads in the US went bankrupt. Unemployment reached 14% by 1876.

By July of 1877 tensions had grown between the B & O Railroad and it's employees. The Statesman newspaper of Martinsburg, WV chronicled the events leading up to the Great Strike. In an article dated July 24 1877, The Statesman related that in their most recent report, the B & O had shown no reduction in earnings. B & O president, John W. Garrett had declared the previous year's earnings were "entirely satisfactory". Shortly thereafter a reduction in wages was issued to all train hands. Because of the economy of the time, this was accepted by the employees. Almost immediately thereafter a second reduction was put into effect. Again the reduction was accepted. On Monday July 16, a third reduction was issued. This time the employees could no longer survive. Having reason to suspect the greed of management, the reduction was resisted and a strike ensued.

Upon arriving in Martinsburg each of the train crews quietly ran their trains onto sidings and shut them down. The mayor of Martinsburg, Major A. P. Shutt, appealed to the train hands to move their consists along, but his appeals were ignored. The mayor then ordered the police to intervene, but they were also unable to convince the train crews to continue. Seventy engines and six hundred freight cars quickly massed in the Martinsburg yard.

To be continued.....

http://www.wvculture.org/HISTORY/labor/bandostrike01.html http://www.nysl.nysed.gov/teacherguides/strike/background.htm http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Great_Railroad_Strike_of_1877

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EQUIPMENT AVAILABLE FOR LEASE

# OF CARS	DOT / CLASS	CAPACITY	COMMENTS	LAST CONTENTS	REF#
6	111A100W2	13,300	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Top Unloading Sulfuric Acid Only, 5 Year Minimum Lease		11627
7	111A100W3	17,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, New Phenolic Epoxy Linings, Top & Bottom Unloading	11881	
20+	111A10W6	20,800	Non-Coiled, Insulated, Top Unloading Only, Stainless Steel	11836	
2	111A100W3	21,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top & Bottom Molasses Unloading		11927
8-10	111A100W3	23,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Plasite 3070 Lined, Top & Bottom Unloading	11978	
5	111A100W3	25,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top & Bottom Unloading, Non-hazardous Only	Tallow / Vegetable	11860
3	111A100W1	30,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, 2-3 Year Term	Fuel Oil	11956
15	FLAT	66'	Bulkheads, Cushioned Underframe, 100 TonTrucks		11628
41	GONDOLA	2,244	100 Ton Trucks, 4'6" Sides	Aggregate	11755
20	GONDOLA	2,494	Flat Bottom Mill Gons, 5' Sides		11781
19	GONDOLA	4,240	Single Tub, Rotary Unload		11987
38	HOPPER	3,850	50 Year Cars, Rapid Discharge	Coal	11550
10	LO	2,931	Round Hatches, Gravity Gates, 100 Ton Trucks	Sand	11549
23	LO	3,000	Round Hatches, Gravity Gates, 100 Ton Trucks		11984
200+	LO	3,000	2 Compartment, 286,000 Capacity, Gravity Gates		11974
130+	LO	4,750	Trough Hatches, Gravity Gates Grain		11959 / 11986
100+	LO	5,701	Round Hatches, Pneumatic Gates Plastic Pellets		11925
10-20	PD	2,785	Round Hatches, 14.7 PSI, 5 Year Minimum	Cement	12000
35	PD	3,000	North American Built, 15 PSI Cement		11920
16	PD	3,500	125 Ton Trucks, ACF Built Cement		11830
6	PD	5,000	15 PSI, Food Grade Linings	Organic Flour	11874
50	PD	5,150	Round Hatches, 14.7 PSI		11988

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# OF CARS	DOT / CLASS	CAPACITY	COMMENTS	PRODUCT	REF#	# OF CARS	DOT / CLASS	CAPACITY	COMMENTS	PRODUCT	REF#
3	111A100W2	13,000	Non-Coiled, Lined, Short Term	Sulfuric Acid	11889	46	PD	5,500- 6,000	Round Hatches, 15 PSI, 286,000 Capacity	Limestone	11979
4	111A100W2	13,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top Unload Only	Oleum	11923			6,000			
2-3	111A100W3	16,000+	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Lined, Top & Bottom Unloading	Calcium Chloride	11252						
2	111A100W2	16,000- 20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Top Unloading Only, Lined	Phosphoric Acid	11341	# 0 F	DOT /	EQI	JIPMENT <i>AVAILABLE</i> FOR	SALE	
8	111A100W3	17,000	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Lined	Sodium Hydroxide	11784	# OF CARS	DOT/ CLASS	CAPACITY	COMMENTS	LAST CONTENTS	REF#
4-5	111A100W3	17,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top & Bottom Unloading, Plasite 4100 or Equivalent Lining	Sodium Bisulfite	11922	17	105J500W	10,000	Insulated, Top Unloading Only, 55 Ton Trucks	Chlorine	11853
10-20	111A60W7	20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Top Unloading Only	Nitric Acid	11999	80	111A60W2	13,600	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, No Lining, Top Unloading Only	Virgin Sulfuric Acid	11961
5+	111A100W1	20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Plasite 3070 Lined	Ethylene Glycol	11517	200	115A60W6	20,800	Non-Coiled, Insulated, Bottom Load Only, Stainless Steel Inner Tank	Beer	11835
2-4	111A100W3	20,000	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top & Bottom Unloading, Plasite 4100 or Equivalent Lining	Sodium Bisulfite	11854	3	111A100W3	23,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top & Bottom Unloading, Storage Only	Lube Oil	12001
100+	111A100W3	20,000	Exterior Coils, Insulated, 3-7 Year Term	Molasses	11776	7	111A100W3	23,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated	Tallow / Vegetable Oil	11930
6+	111A100W3 111A60ALW3	20,000	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Lined or Aluminum Cars, 3-5 Years	Ammonium Thiosulfate	11906	30+	111A100W3	23,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Lined, Stainless Steel Valves	Various Chemicals	11885
ANY	111A100W5	20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Rubber Lined, Top & Bottom Unloading	Hydrofluorosilicic Acid	11980	21	111A100W1	30,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Top & Bottom Unloading		12003
10	111A100W5	20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Rubber Lined, Top Unloading Only	Hydrochloric Acid	11932	14	FLAT	52' 8"	70 Ton Trucks, Bulkheads, Steel/Wood Floors		11764
1	111A100W5	20,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Top Unload Only, Rubber Lining	Hydrochloric Acid	11765	12 30	FLAT FLAT	60' 66'	52' 8" Between Bulkheads, 100 Ton Trucks66' Between Bulkheads, 100 Ton Trucks		11763 11947
5-10	111A100W3	20,000- 24,000	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Top & Bottom Unloading, Plasite 3070 Lined	Ethylene Glycol	11928	1 100	FLAT FLAT	66' 89'	21' Depressed Center, 150 Ton Trucks 70 Ton Trucks, Steel Decks		11822 11971
ANY	111A100W1/3	•	Coiled or Non-Coiled, 2-4 Compartment Cars,	Lube Oil	11940	50+	FLAT	89'	70 Ton Trucks, COFC		11982
		26,000	Top & Bottom Unloading			17	FLAT	89'	100 Ton Trucks, Side Stakes		11944
10	111A100W1	20,000- 25,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Must be 3 Compartment Cars	Motor Oil	11828	46	FLAT	92'	Straight Steel Decks, 100 Ton Trucks, 286,000 Capacity		11802
2-3	111A100W3	23,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated	Tallow	11943	11	GONDOLA	65'	Flat Bottom, 5' Inside Height, 100 Ton Trucks		11883
4	111A100W1	25,000	Non-Coiled, Non-Insulated, Single Trip Term	Bio-Diesel	11827	12	GONDOLA	1,290	5'5" Inside Height, 100 Ton Trucks, Covers	Steel Coils	11693
20	111A100W3	25,000- 26,500	Exterior Coils, Insulated, Bottom Unloading, Short Term	Bio-Diesel	11601	16	GONDOLA	2,024	7'2" Inside Height, 100 Ton Trucks, Wood Floors	Steel Coils	11694
1	111A100W1	25,500	Exterior Coils, Cars Must Be Lined, Top & Bottom Unloading, Short Term	C-12 Lauryl Alcohol	11870	18	GONDOLA	2,494	Flat Bottom, 100 Ton Trucks		11935
1-2	112J340W	33,500	Insulated, 3-5 Year Term	Anhydrous Ammonia	11631	200+	GONDOLA GONDOLA	4,000	Flat Bottom, 100 Ton Trucks		11991 11745
30	112J340W	33,500	Insulated, Top Unloading Only, 3-5 Year Term	Anhydrous Ammonia	11572	100	GONDOLA	4,170- 4,240	100 Ton Trucks, Single Tub, Rotary Dump		11745
36	GONDOLA	52'	Flat Bottom, 4'-5' Sides, 100 Ton Trucks	Concrete Sand	11886	100+	GONDOLA	4,300	Single Tub, Rotary Dump, ACF Built	Scrap Metal	11952
50	LO	2,900	Round Hatches, Sparger System	Sodium Chlorate	11941	16	HOPPER	2,000	2 Compartments, 100 Ton Trucks		11972
30+	LO	3,000	Round Hatches, Gravity Gates, 286,000 Capacity, 2 Compartments	Sand	11657	66 20	HOPPER LO	4,000 2,700	Gravity Gates, 3 Pocket, 100 Ton Trucks 2 Compartments, Gravity Gates, Round Hatches	Western Coal	11899 11725
2-3	LO	3,200+	Round Hatches, Gravity Gates	Clay	11421	27	LO	4,600	Trough Hatches, Gravity Gates, 100 Ton		11964
	LO	6,000- 7,000	Round Hatches, Pneumatic Gates, 3-5 Year Term	Plastic Pellets	11816	47	LO	5,250	Trucks, 3 Compartments Round Hatches, Pneumatic Gates	Plastic Pellets	11902
10+	PD		Round Hatches, 15 PSI, 286,000 Capacity	Limestone	11979	200+	LO	5,850	Trough Hatches, Gravity Gates	Plastic Pellets	11820
	_	3,000- 3,300	200,000 Oapasily			9-13	PD	2,785	3 Compartments, 15 PSI	Cement	11918
20	PD	5,100+	Round Hatches, 15 P.S.I	None Food Grade	11662	3	PD	3,300	Round Hatches, 14.7 P.S.I.	Cement	11626