WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY



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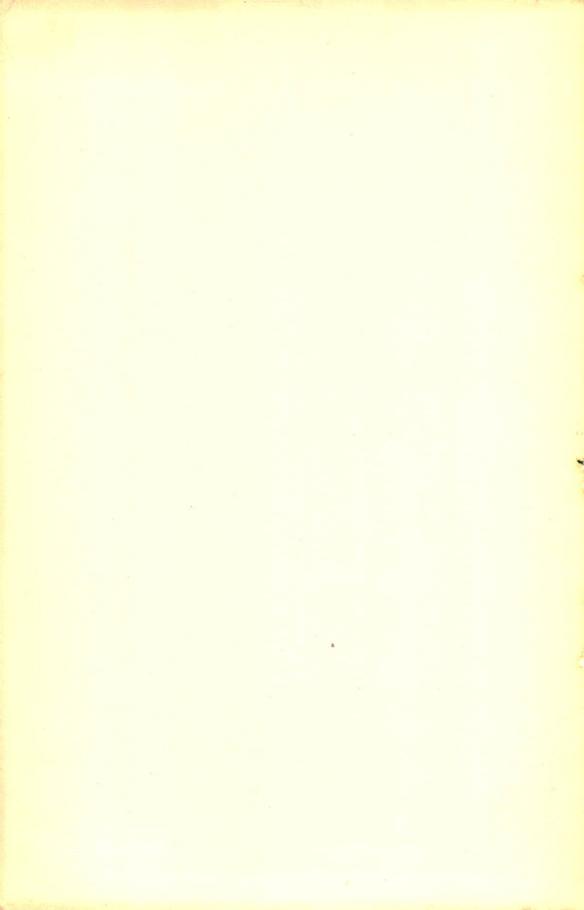
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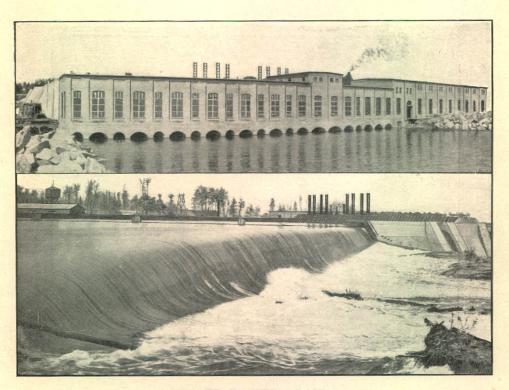
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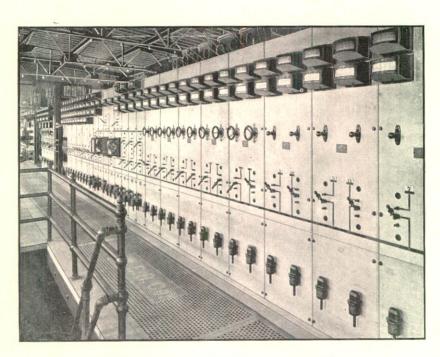
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WATER POWER PLANT
PINAWA CHANNEL, WINNIPEG RIVER
30,000 H.P.



SWITCH BOARD, WINNIPEG SUB-STATION

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY

FOR THE

FISCAL YEAR ENDED DECEMBER 31st, 1912

Submitted at the 20th Annual Meeting, held on the 12th day of February, 1913

DIRECTORS:

Sir Wm. Macken	zie	-	-	-	-	-	- F	resident
Sir Wm. Whyte	-	-	-	-	-	-	Vice-P	resident
F. Morton Morse	-	-	-	-	-	8	Secretary-T	reasure

Sir W. C. Van Horne

Sir D. D. Mann D. B. Hanna A. M. Nanton Hugh Sutherland R. J. Mackenzie

Manager:

Wilford Phillips

WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY

REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT AND DIRECTORS

For the Year ending 31st December, 1912

To the Shareholders:

Your Directors beg to submit a statement of the past year's business, showing gross earnings of \$3,765,384.06, as compared with \$3,829,749.67 last year.

After providing for the percentage on earnings accrued to the City and interest on bonds, your Directors declared four quarterly dividends, amounting to \$720,000.00, leaving a surplus of \$474,463.12, which has been transferred to the credit of Profit and Loss Account, making a total credit to this account to December 31st, 1912, of \$2,091,236.37

All the properties of the Company have been efficiently maintained.

In accordance with the plan of extensions adopted at the last annual meeting, the following improvements and additions to the Company's equipment and system have been made in the various departments.

TRACK AND ROAD-BED

9.235 miles of track was laid as follows: 6.92 miles with 80-lb. rails with concrete foundation and asphalt pavement; 2.157 miles with gravel ballast; 0.158 miles with creosote block pavement.

ROLLING STOCK

33 large double-truck closed motor cars with wide vestibules equipped with air brakes and all other modern appliances to insure the comfort and safety of passengers and trainmen, were constructed in the Company's Winnipeg Shops and put in service. Two new snow sweepers and one 5,000-gallon pneumatic Street Sprinkler were purchased and put in service.

ELECTRIC LIGHTING AND POWER DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

1852 new poles were erected and 409,066 lbs. of wire with 114 transformers put up in extension of the Company's ight and power distribution system.

Transmission line 4½ miles long with necessary transformers to serve the plant of the Canada Cement Company and the new industrial town site in the Municipality of Assiniboia was constructed.

Three new motor generator sets were installed, one in the St. James Sub-station, one in the new Sub-station on Logan Avenue and one in the Assiniboine Avenue power house.

GAS DISTRIBUTION SYSTEM

79,890 feet of new gas mains were laid, and 1,478 new gas services were installed in extension of the Company's gas distribution system. In addition to the extensions to the Exhauster House and the Purifying House at the Gas Works, the necessary equipment to increase the capacity of this portion of the Gas Works by 2,000,000 cubic feet per day was installed.

CONSTRUCTED

Gas Works—Extension to Exhauster House, Extension to Purifying House.

Stores and Offices at South Main Street Car Barns, of steel and brickwork with concrete foundations.

Sub-station on Logan Avenue of steel and brick with concrete foundation.

Six-track addition to North Main Street Car Barns to house 22 additional cars. Construction is of brick and steel with concrete foundation. 5 tracks are constructed with pits for convenience when repairing or adjusting cars.

Offices and Employees' Waiting Room constructed at North Car Barns.

Twenty-horse Stable on Kylemore Avenue, Ft. Rouge, two storeys in height. Upper storey used for hay loft and grain and for storage of wagons. Construction is of re-inforced concrete with brick veneer exterior. Four-storey Warehouse on Assiniboine Avenue in course of construction, of re-inforced concrete and brick veneer exterior.

Addition to the St. James Sub-station.

NEW OFFICE BUILDING

Owing to the increase in the Company's business, the Directors thought it advisable for the Company to secure its own office premises and therefore purchased a lot on the corner of Notre Dame Avenue and Albert Street, in the heart of the City of Winnipeg, and on June 13th commenced the construction of a fully modern 10-storey fireproof office building. The Company will use the basement and two first floors for its own offices, the balance will be rented, and on account of the great demand for office space it is estimated that the rentals received from the building will make it self sustaining. The Company expect their portion of the building to be ready for occupation by April 1st, and the portion to be rented by May 1st, 1913.

(Signed) WM. MACKENZIE, President.

AUDITORS' REPORT

Winnipeg, Manitoba, February 7th, 1913.

To the President and Shareholders, Winnipeg Electric Railway Company, Winnipeg.

Gentlemen:

We beg to report that we have made a monthly audit of the accounts of your Company and also of its subsidiary Companies, viz.:—Winnipeg, Selkirk and Lake Winnipeg Railway, and the Suburban Rapid Transit Company, for year ending 31st December, 1912, and that our requirements as Auditors have been complied with.

STATEMENTS

The accompanying statements, viz.:-

WINNIPEG ELECTRIC RAILWAY COMPANY

Assets and Liabilities Receipts and Expenditures Profit and Loss Capital Account

WINNIPEG, SELKIRK AND LAKE WINNIPEG RAIL-WAY COMPANY

Assets and Liabilities
Receipts and Expenditures
Profit and Loss
Capital Account

SUBURBAN RAPID TRANSIT COMPANY

Assets and Liabilities Receipts and Expenditures Profit and Loss Capital Account

have been examined by us, and we are of opinion that the said statements are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct state of the Company's affairs according to the best of our information and as shown by the books of the Company.

RECEIPTS

The cash in the hands of the Cashiers was counted on the afternoon of the 31st of December last and found to agree with the day's receipts as entered in the cash books. The working funds held by the Cashiers were checked and duly accounted for.

The Bank Accounts of the three Companies have been examined, and it has been found that all sums received were deposited daily and that the balances in the Bank Pass Books, after deducting the outstanding cheques, agree with those shown in the Cash Books.

The Supplementary Cash Books have been checked daily with the Cashier's tickets. The Incandescent Power and Gas Bills have also been checked and only authorized discounts have been allowed.

The postings in the Customers' Ledgers have been verified, as also have the entries in the General Cash Book.

EXPENDITURE

Vouchers duly approved by the General Manager have been produced for all disbursements of the Companies and the entries in the Ledgers agree with those in the books of original entry. Each month's pay rolls have been checked and it has been found that all amounts unpaid were deposited to the credit of Unpaid Wages Account, with the exception of November and December, which have been deposited since the first of the year.

TICKETS

On the 1st of January last the stock of tickets on hand was examined by us and found to agree with the stock as shown in the Stock Books.

CAPITAL STOCK

The returns of the transfer agents were examined quarterly and the number of shares stated therein agreed with the amount of Paid-Up Capital.

DIVIDENDS

The Dividend Sheets for the four quarterly dividends paid during the year have been audited and found correct.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed) W. A. HENDERSON & CO., Chartered Accountants.

Winnipeg Electric Railway Company

STATISTICAL STATEMENT

Years 1908-1912

	1912	1911	1910	1909	1908
Decrease 1912 over		\$3,829,749 67	\$3,284,341 83	\$2,623,731 41	\$2,206,094 88
1911—1.68% Operating Expenses Increase 1912 over 1911	2,004,147 92	1,900,967 67	1,654,833 60	1,320,665 09	1,088,872 50
-5.43% Operating Expenses Per cent of earnings		49 64	50 39	50 34	49 35
Net Earnings Decrease 1912 over 1911—9.13%	1,761,236 14	1,928,782 00	1,629,508 23		
Net Income per cent of Capital	16 75		15 58	14 39	13 14
1912, 7,131,047 average 1911, 6,000,000 1910, 6,000,000 1909, 6,000,000 1908, 5,669,541 average					
Passengers Carried	51,106,017		31,369,421	26,382,773	22,019,507
Increase 1912 over 1911 Transfers	10,824,772 11,858,213		8,003,038	8,925,849	7,777,315
Railway Earnings per capita	13 58	10 46	10 02	10 03	9 80

Correct,

(Sgd.) F. MORTON MORSE, Secretary-Treasurer.

Winnipeg Electric Railway Company

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1912

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Cost of Property: Street Railway, Buildings, Plant and Equipment Electric Lighting, Plant and Equipment Electric Power, Plant	Capital Stock \$9,000,000 00 LessUnpaid 631,225 \$8,368,775 00 B o n d s 5% ——————————————————————————————————
and Equipment Gas, Buildings, Plant and Equipment \$18,217,689 23 Stores 244,602 54 Accounts Receivable 218,745 64	Jan. 1935. 4,000,000 00 Debenture Stock 4½% Perpetual. £500,000 2,434,602 62 A c c o u n t s
Cash on hand in office 13,807 26 Conductors' Working 10,642 85 Subsidiary Companies 638,270 16	payable \$ 388,830 23 Dividend paid 2nd Jan. 1913 180,000 00 Wages for December . 58,932 70 627,762 93
	December. 58,932 70 627,762 93 Interest on Bonds paid 2nd Jan. 1913 \$ 125,000 00 Accrued in-
	terest on Debenture Stock 27,450 00 Interest on New Stock
	issue paid 2 n d Jan. 1913 52,025 25 204,475 25 Car License due 1st Feb. 1913 \$ 5,700 00 City Percent-
	age Feb. 1913 105,748 74 111,448 74
	Unredeemed tickets. 9,282 63 Suspense. 297,980 76 Bank of Montreal 198,193 38
	\$17,252,521 31 Surplus as per Profit and Loss Account
\$19,343,757 68	\$19,343,757 68

CONTINGENT LIABILITY

Suburban Rapid Transit Co.'s Bonds..........\$500,000 00 Winnipeg, Selkirk & Lake Winnipeg Railway Co.'s Bonds 400,000 00 \$900,000 00

INTEREST AND PRINCIPAL GUARANTEED

Winnipeg Electric Railway Company

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE

Gross Expenses for Year			
Net Earnings for Year	02	\$1,761,236	14
Dividends			02
Surplus for Year		\$ 474,463	12

PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT

Balance at Credit 31st December, 1911	\$1,616,773	25
Net Earnings as per Revenue Account	474,463	12
Balance at Credit 31st December, 1912	\$2,091,236	37

CAPITAL STOCK

Authorized Capital Stock	\$10,000,000	00
Subscribed and Paid in	8,368,775	00
Subscribed and in course of Payment	631,225	00
	\$ 9,000,000	00

Correct,

Certified Correct,

W. A. HENDERSON & CO., Chartered Accountants F. MORTON MORSE, Secretary-Treasurer.

Winnipeg, Selkirk and Lake Winnipeg Railway

Directors:

F. Morton Morse	-		-	-	-	-	- President
D. H. Laird -	-	-	-		_	-	Vice-President
		Si	r Wm	. Wh	yte		
					-		

A. M. Nanton

J. H. Munson

L. J. Loader

Hugh Sutherland

Manager:

Wilford Phillips

Secretary:

G. A. Henson

Winnipeg, Selkirk and Lake Winnipeg Railway Company

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1911

ASSETS	LIABILITIES
Cost of Property \$1,118,966 Stores 3,557 Cash—Bank of Montreal \$2,761 98 Cash on hand 1,003 57 Agents' Balances: Winnipeg \$73 35 Selkirk 43 10 Accounts Receivable 1,204	Bonds
\$1,127,609	\$1,127,609 8

Interest and Bonds guaranteed by Winnipeg Electric Railway Company

Certified Correct,

W. A. HENDERSON & CO., Chartered Accountants Correct,

G. A. HENSON, Secretary-Treasurer.

Winnipeg, Selkirk and Lake Winnipeg Railway Company

Gross Earnings for Year \$106,181 24		
Gross Expenses for Year 52,648 22		
Net Earnings for Year	\$ 53,533	02
Fixed Charges:		
Interest on Bonds \$ 20,000 00		
Taxes, etc		
	44,033	48
Surplus for Year	\$ 9,499	54
PROFIT AND LOSS ACCOUNT		
Balance at Credit 31st December, 1911	\$27,409	42
Net Earnings as per Revenue Account	9,499	
Balance at Credit 31st December, 1912.	\$36,908	96

Suburban Rapid Transit Company

Directors:

A. M. Nanton - - - - - - President

F. Morton Morse - - - - - Secretary

Sir Wm. Whyte

D. B. Hanna Hugh Sutherland

Manager:

Wilford Phillips

Suburban Rapid Transit Company

FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER, 1912

ASSETS		LIABILITIES
Cost of Property	\$468,477 77 4,574 20 123,887 64 3,717 78	Bonds 500,000 00 Accounts Payable 41,233 45 Ticket Account 190 46 Suspense 2,602 84
Balance as per Profit and Loss Account	\$600,657 48 43,369 30 \$644,026 78	

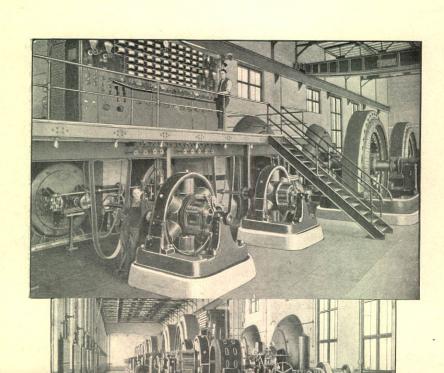
Bonds and Interest guaranteed by Winnipeg Electric Railway Company

Certified Correct,

Correct,

W. A. HENDERSON & CO., Chartered Accountants. F. MORTON MORSE, Secretary-Treasurer.

Suburban Rapid Transit Company



SWITCH BOARD AND GENERATOR ROOM WATER POWER PLANT





