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CPR's First Streamlined Engine Class

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Physical Description: 2 1/2" x 5"

Material Details: Negative

History /

Biographical:

During the mid-1930s the economy and popularity of light, fast passenger trains were proven in the USA by the Burlington's "Zephyr", the Rock Island's "Rocket", and the Milwaukee Road's "Hiawatha". In 1936 the CPR built engines 3000-3004, designing each to haul a lightweight baggage car and three day coaches. Before being assigned to "The Chinook" between Calgary and Edmonton, engine 3001 and its train made an extensive publicity tour of western Canada.

[Built by Montreal Locomotive Works in 1936, this class of five F2a 4-4-4 locomotives (3000 - 3004) were named "Jubilee" type in honour of the 50th anniversary of CPR transcontinental service. P.E.]

Custodial History:

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Scope and Content:

CPR streamlined engine No. 3001 & train

Notes: Canadian Pacific Railway's first streamlined engine [class] on display in Brandon

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