

Allegheny Yard branch

A forgotten B&O industrial line

Eric Hansmann

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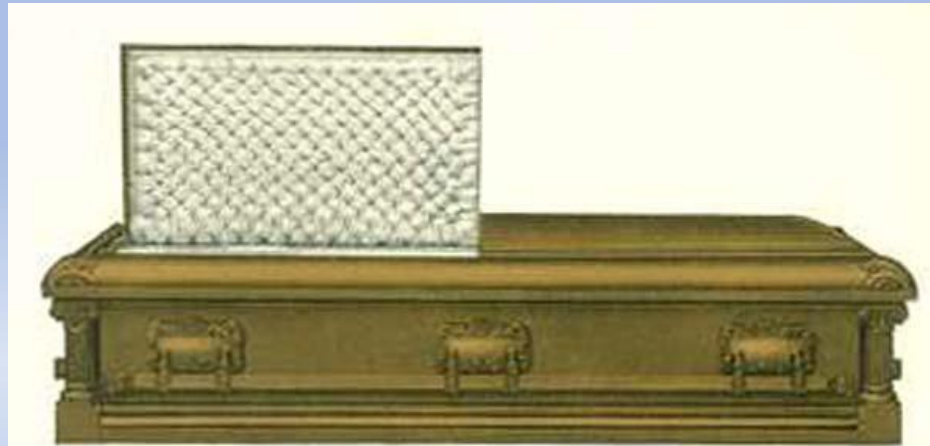
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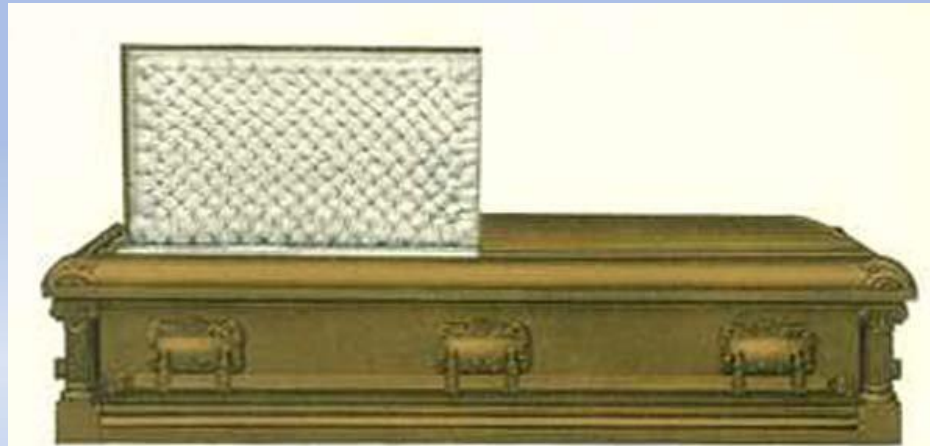
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 - US Rubber warehouse
 - May-Stern warehouse
 - Kaufmann's warehouse
 - United Storage

- Pittsburgh Stove
- Carnegie Steel Star rolling mill
- Crucible Steel LaBelle works
- Pittsburgh Clay Pot
- Standard Sanitary Manufacturing
- City of Pittsburgh asphalt plant
- Rodgers Sand & Gravel
- Rosedale Foundry
- B&O Stores
- BR&P freight house
- Team yards

PENNSYLVANIA DISTRICT

PITTSBURGH TERMINAL DIVISION

Index Reference	SIDING CAPACITY Cars 42 feet long					Telegraph Call	Station Number	STATIONS AND SIDINGS with character references, population (census of 1920), and additional index references	County	Miles from		AGENTS, Etc.	Foreign Lines and Track Connections
	Passing	Company	Joint	Private	Loading or Unloading Capacity								
								Allegheny Yard			Grove		
3770							517 D	Willow Grove (3881).....	Pa.	425.6	0.0	See Index 3681.....	
3772		6		11			K 96	Herrs West Penn Transfer (Re- ceiving Track).....	"	426.1	0.5	.....	P. R. R.—a.
3773				2	2		K 93	The P. McGraw Wool Co. No. 1....	"	426.6	1.0	.....
3774				12	8		K 92	Lutz & Schramm Co.....	"	426.7	1.1	.....
3775				4	3		K 91	National Lead & Oil Co.....	"	426.7	1.1	.....
3776		7			6		K 89	Callery Siding.....	"	426.8	1.2	.....
3777				4	4		K 89A	M. Streng Sons Co.....	"	426.8	1.2	.....
3778		11			4		K 89B	J. K. Davison & Brothers.....	"	426.8	1.2	.....
3779				6	2		K 89C	The P. McGraw Wool Co. No. 2....	"	426.9	1.3	.....
3780				27	22		K 88	H. J. Heinz Co. No. 1.....	"	427.1	1.5	.....
3781				19	15		K 88A	H. J. Heinz Co. No. 2.....	"	427.1	1.5	.....
3782							K 88B	Chestnut Street Scale—S (used as 2nd track).....	Pa.	427.1	1.5	.....
3783				15	15		K 87A	Western Electric Co.....	"	427.1	1.5	.....
3785				11	10		K 87C	H. J. Heinz Co. No. 3.....	"	427.3	1.7	.....
3786								Simmons Co.....	"	427.6	2.0	.....
3787				4	3		K 86A	J. B. Jones & Co.....	"	427.6	2.0	.....
3788				5	4		K 85	May-Stern Co. Warehouse E. E. Zimmerman.....	"	427.6	2.0	.....
C3788				2	2		K 84A	H. J. Heinz Co.....	"	427.8	2.2	.....
3789		15					K 84	River Track.....	"	427.9	2.3	.....
3790							K 80	Allegheny—C D K P T W.....	"	428.0	2.4	P. Colligan.....	F.
3792		13			12		K 30A	Pittsburgh North Side Stores: Sels, Schwab & Co.....				.....	P. R. R.—a.
3794								H. W. Johns-Manville Co.....	Tenants "	428.0	2.4	.....	PA&McKR-a
3796								Frick & Lindsay.....	"			.....
3798								Arbuthnot, Stevenson Co.....	"			.....
3800								United Storage Co.....	"	428.0	2.4	.....
3801				3	3		K 31	Hay Track.....	"	428.0	2.4	.....
3802		7			7		K 32	Colliseum Delivery Track.....	"	428.2	2.6	.....
3804		7			6		K 35	Alling & Cory Co.....	"	428.2	2.6	
3805				5	4		K 85A	B. R. & P. Freight House.....	"	428.2	2.6	
3806				22	22		K 36		"	428.2	2.6	

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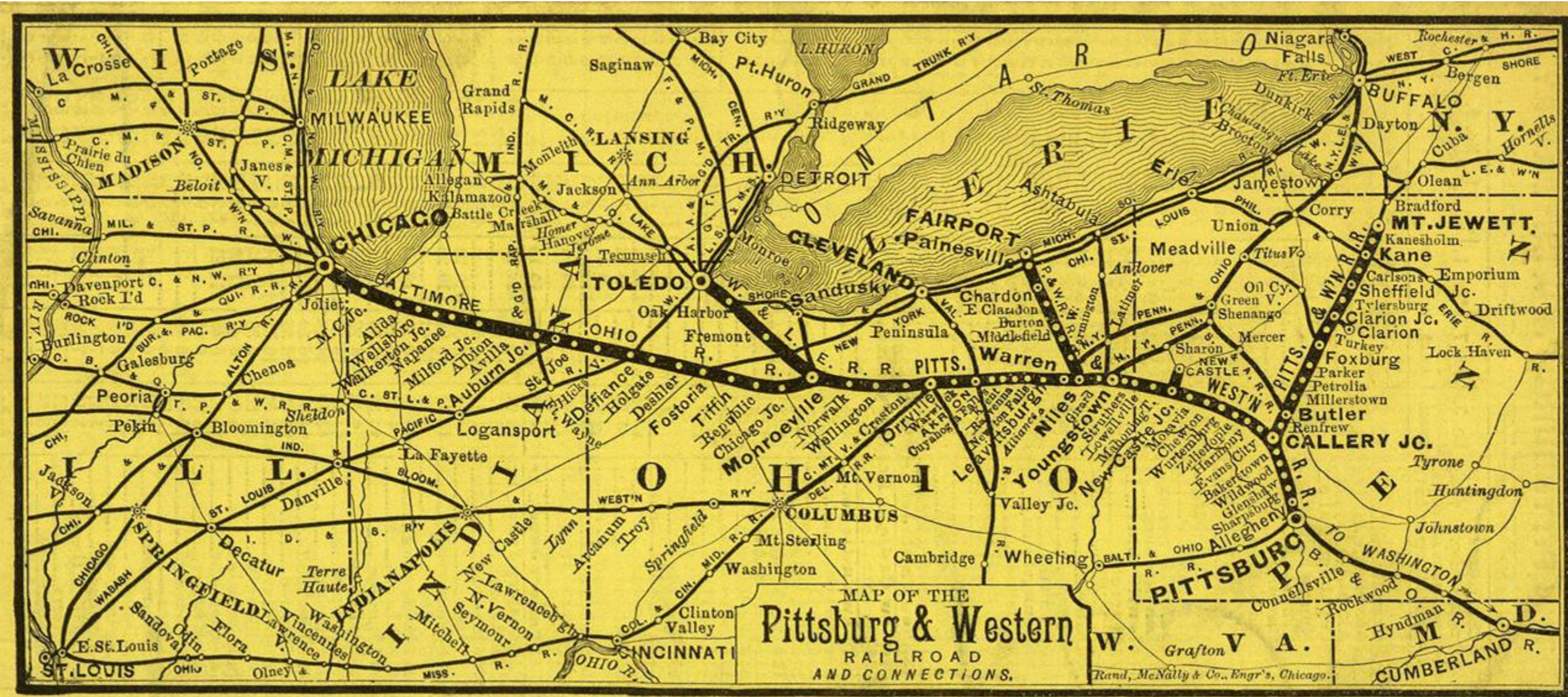
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Pittsburg & Western

- Built to access oil fields with a 3-foot gauge line
- Western route went to Butler and beyond on standard gauge
- Buffalo Rochester & Pittsburgh arranged trackage rights to enter Pittsburgh market
- B&O took control in 1902

P&W map from an 1887 timetable















WP 22

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Pittsburgh & Western Railroad Co.
(Baltimore & Ohio R.R.)

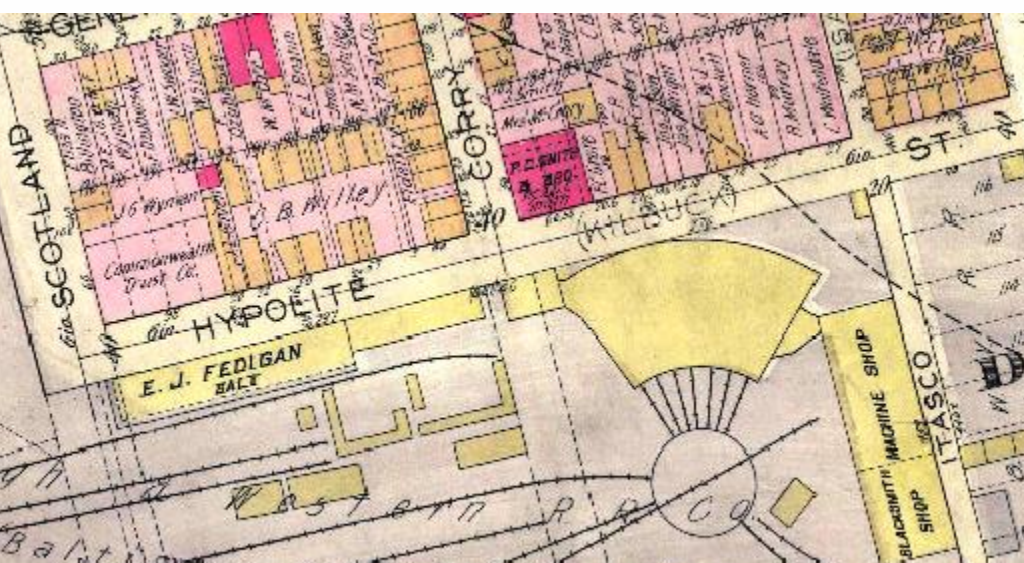
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PITTSBURGH & WESTERN RAILROAD
Line

Hanson





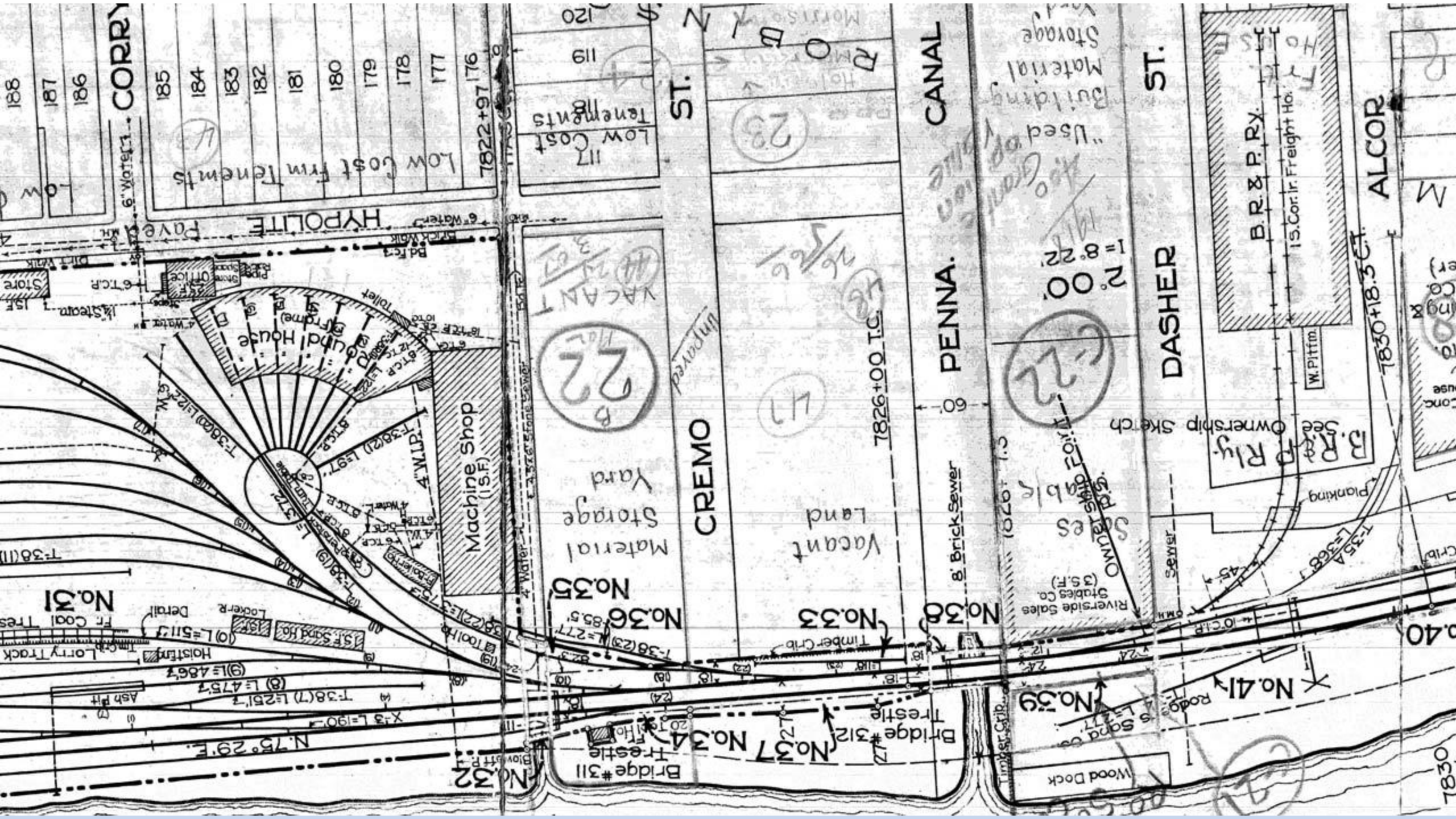


THE D.L. CLARK CO. CLARK'S TEABALLS

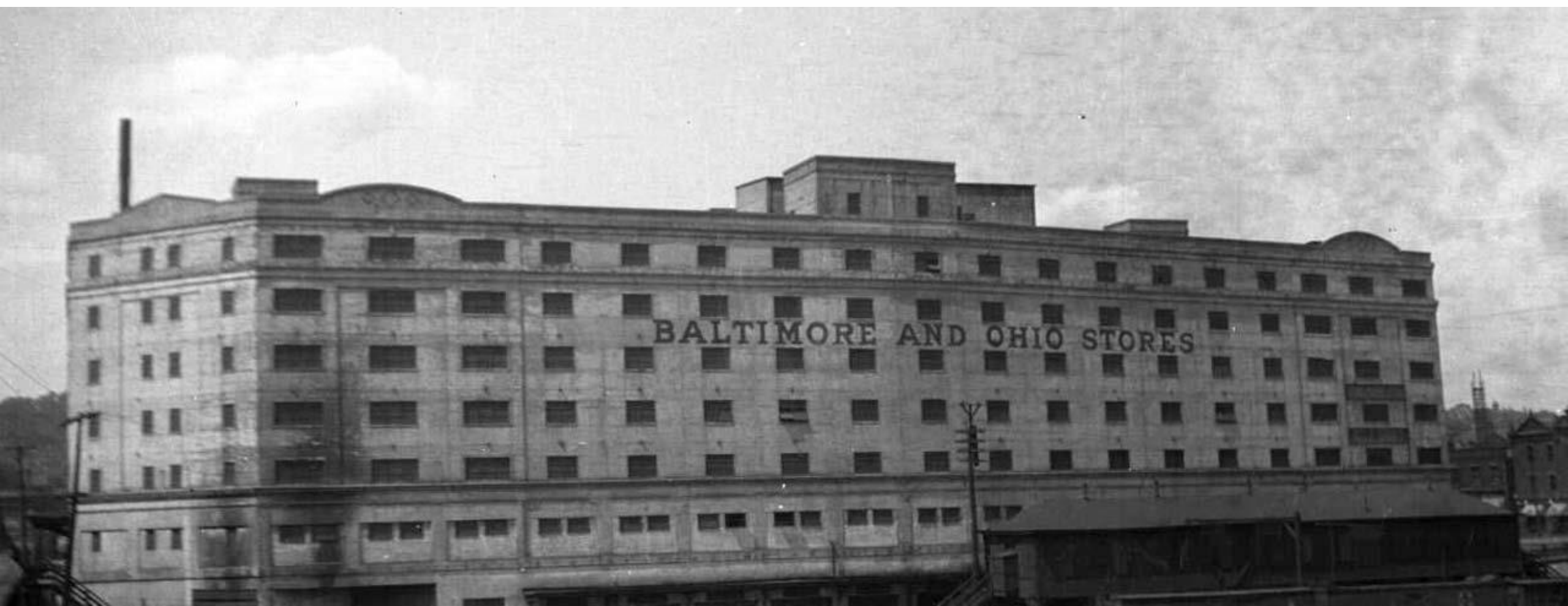
H.J. HEINZ CO.
PICKLES

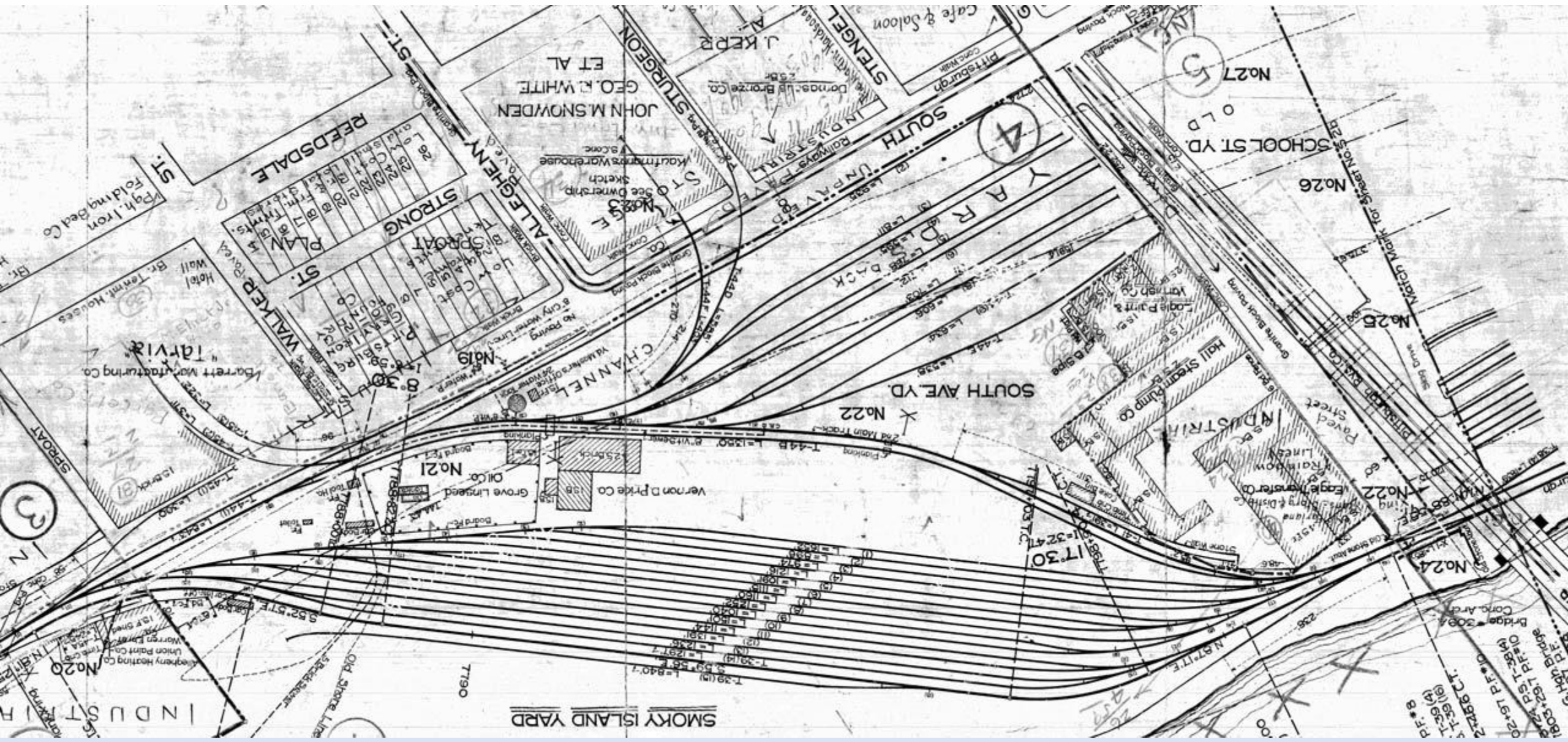
GRAND TRUNK
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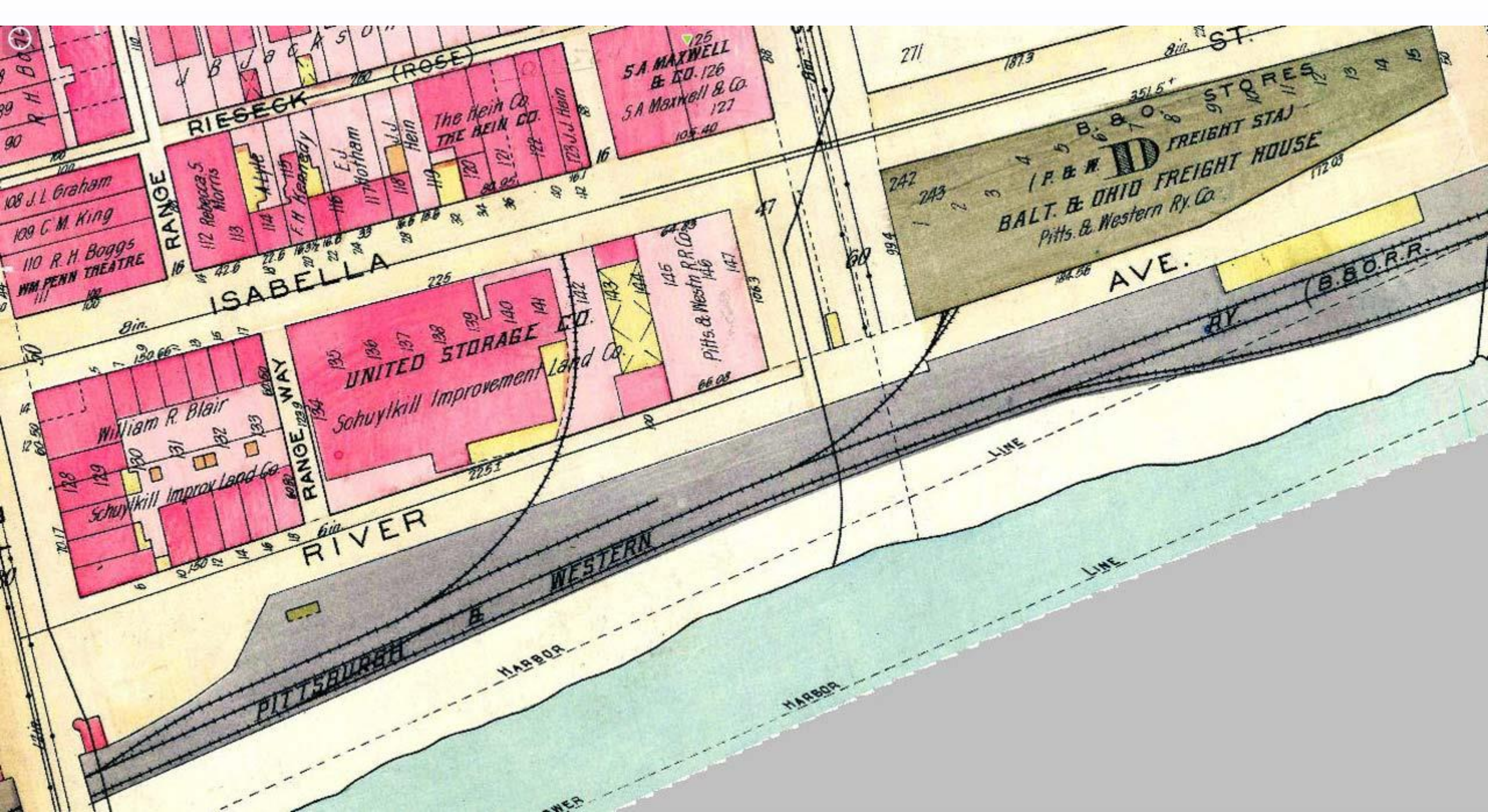


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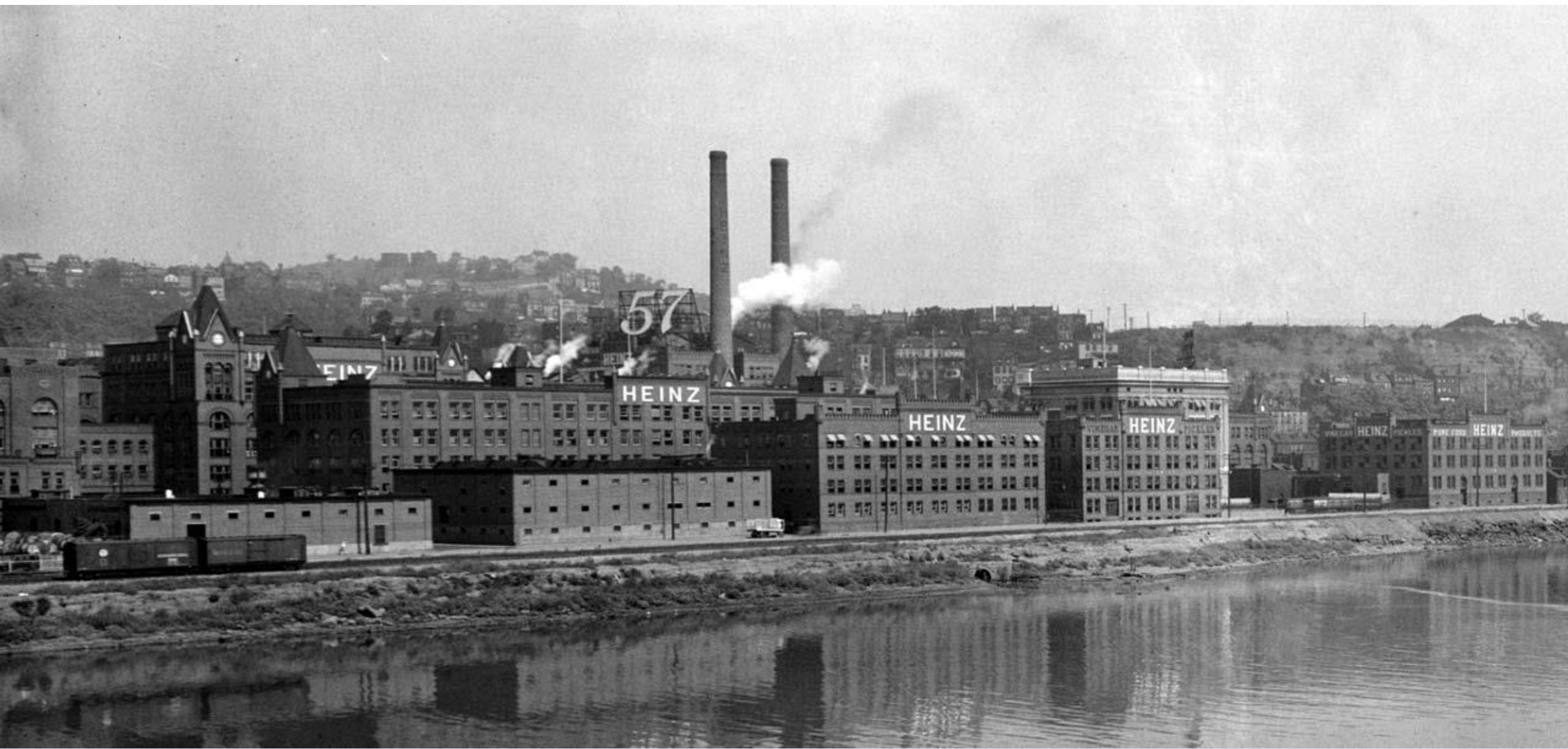










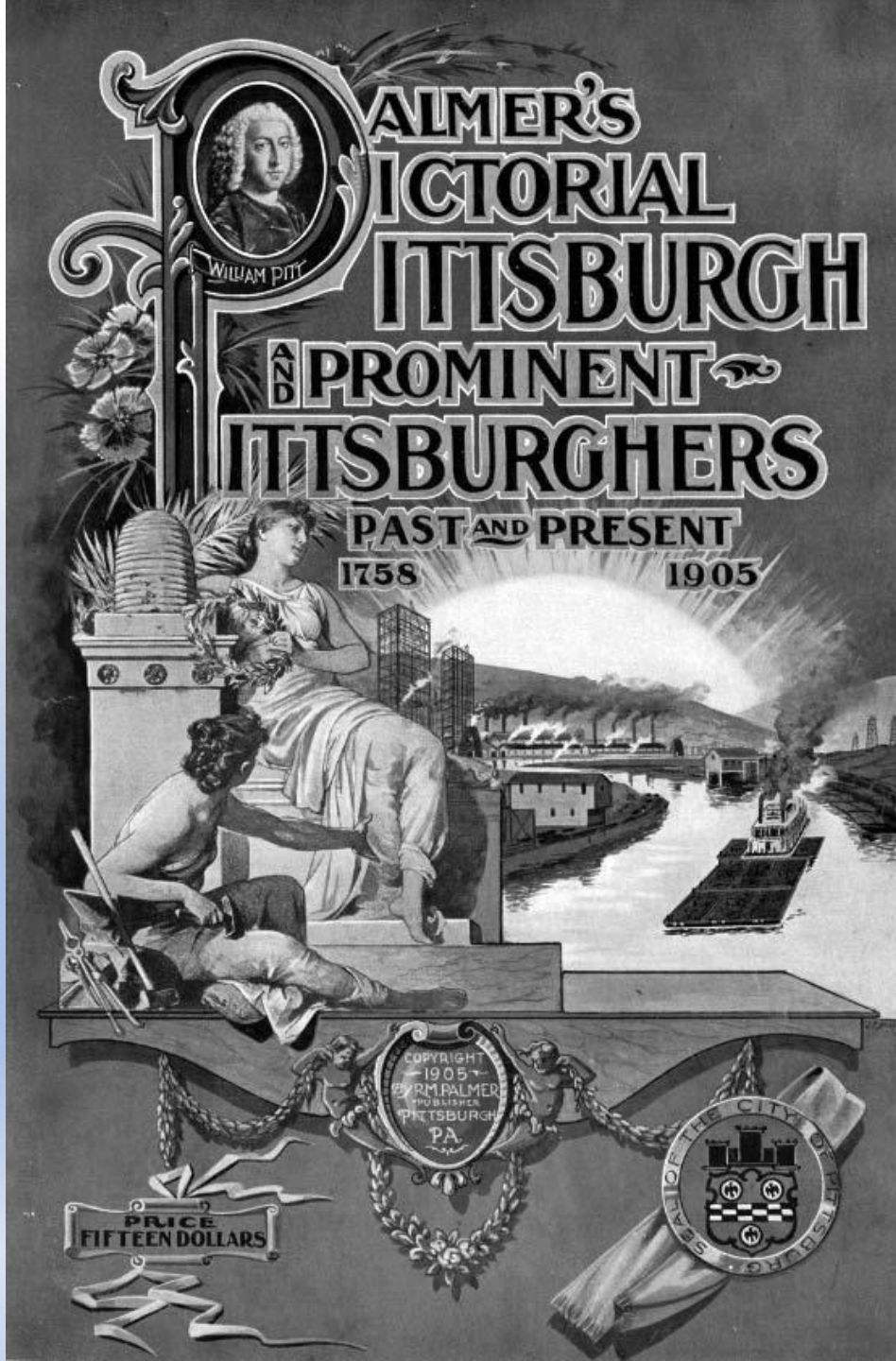






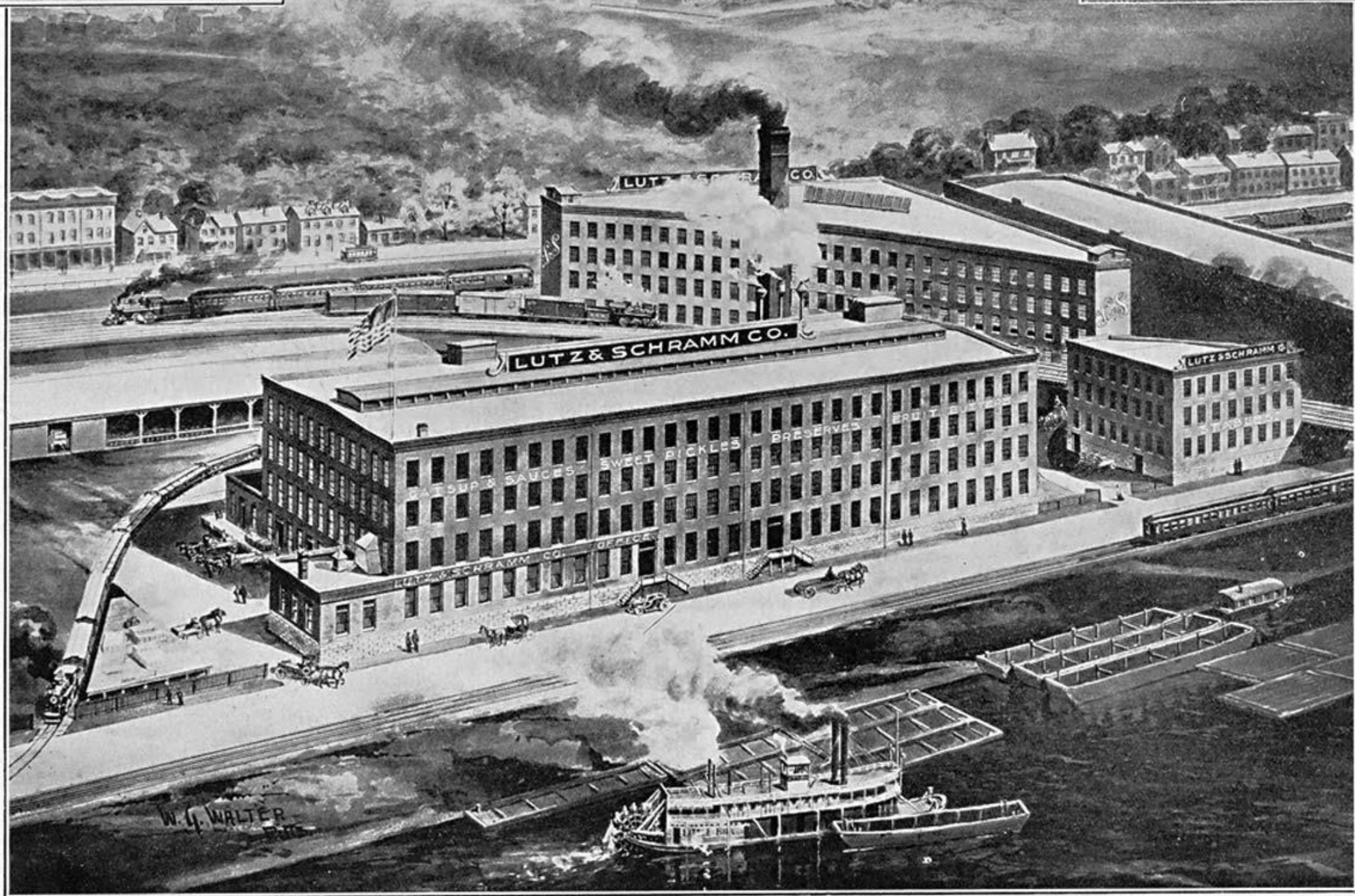


H.J. HEINZ CO



Palmer's Pictorial Pittsburgh and Prominent Pittsburghers Past and Present 1758 - 1905





THE PRESENT BUILDING, SINCE 1901

To West Pittsburgh:

U.S. Harbor Line

No. 1

Timber Cribbing

T-93
L=218'

Lutz & Schramm Co.
4 Sty. Brick

1°30'

T=14°37'

2 S.B.

1 S.B.

T-92 L=552'

Derail

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T-91 L=318'

National Lead & Oil Co.

WATER

AL

7906+28 T.C

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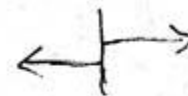
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MAP
V95-1
S3a



MAP
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S3b

P. MCGRAW #2
WOOL
Co.

M. STRENG & SONS
JUNK YARD

NATIONAL
LEAD

LUTZ & SCHRAMM

P. MCGRAW #1
WOOL
Co.

TO
WILLOW
GROVE

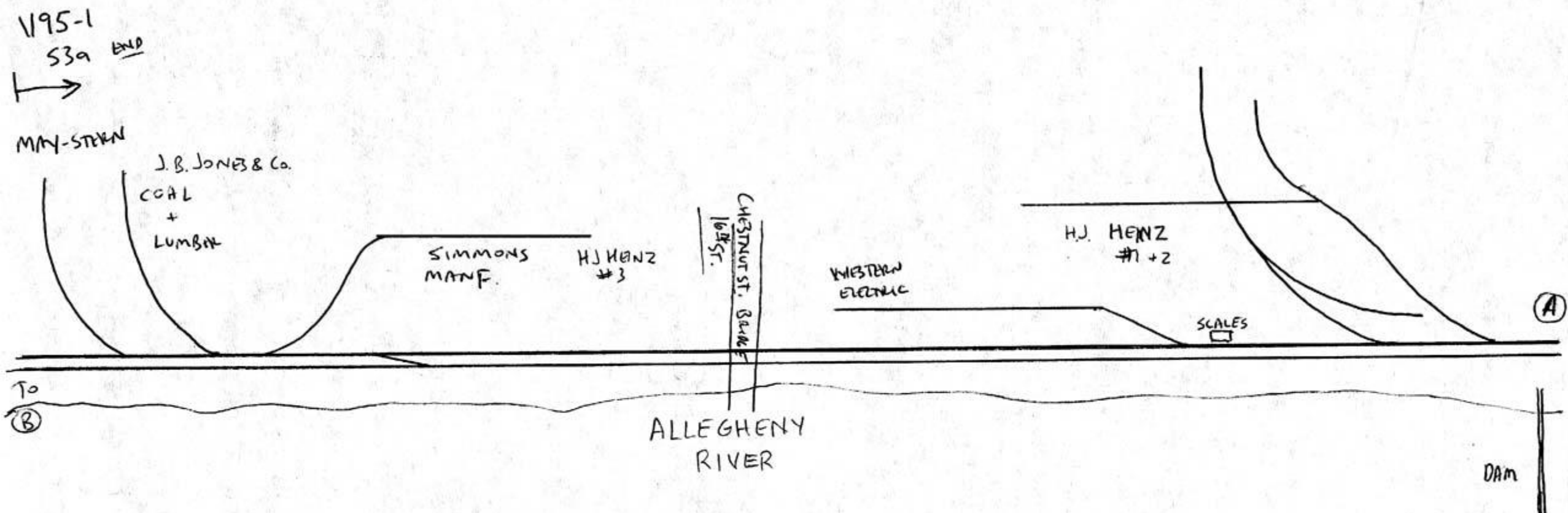
CALLEY SIDING

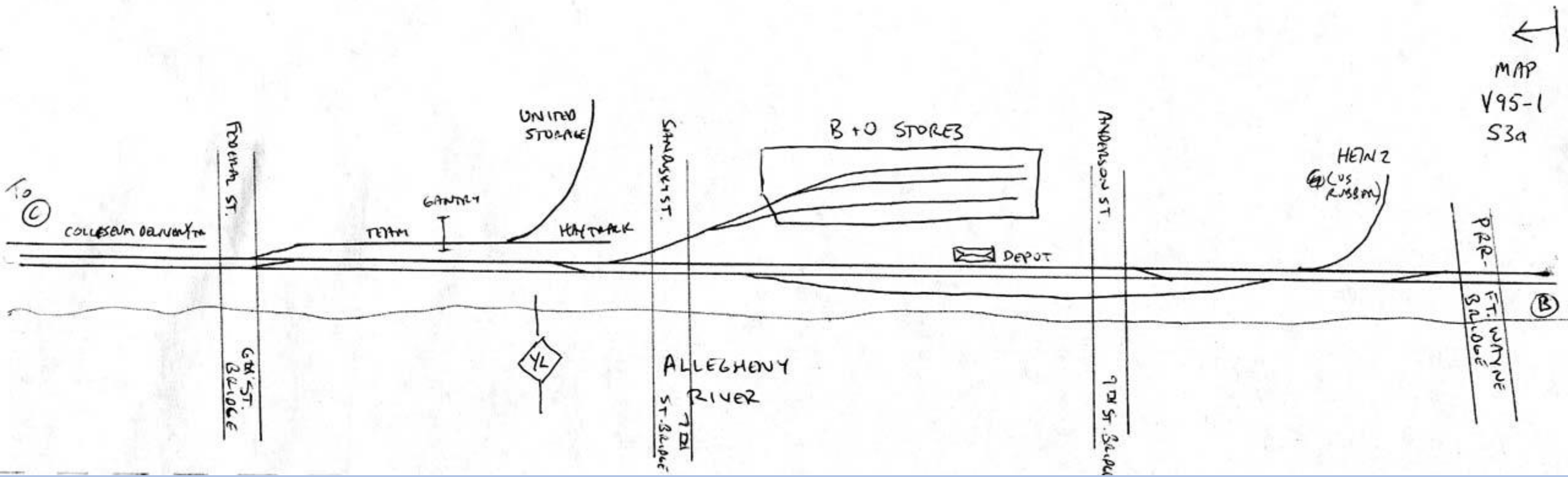
J. K. DAVIDSON & BROS

ALLEGHENY
RIVER

PRR HERR'S
ISLAND BRIDGE

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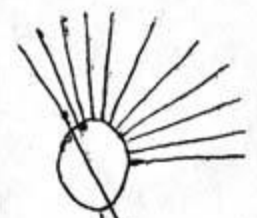
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MANCHESTER BRIDGE

BRTP
~~SCHOOL ST.~~ YARD

Brewing
SCHOOL ST
YARD

RTP
COAL



BRTP
FRAGHT
HOUSE

ALLIM
&
CONY
PAPER

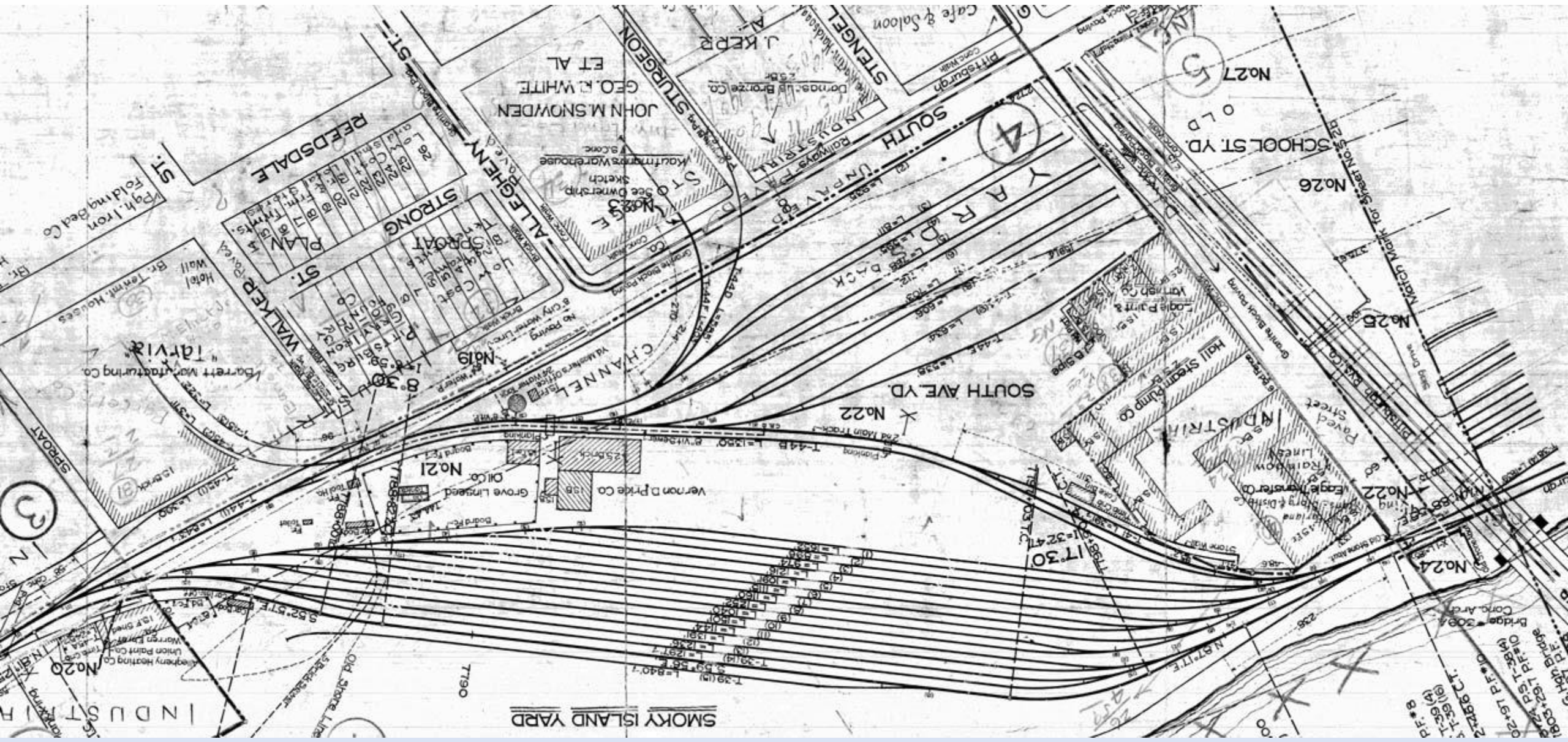
COLLISEUM DR/VENT

RODGEN'S SAND

ALLEHENY
RIVER

To
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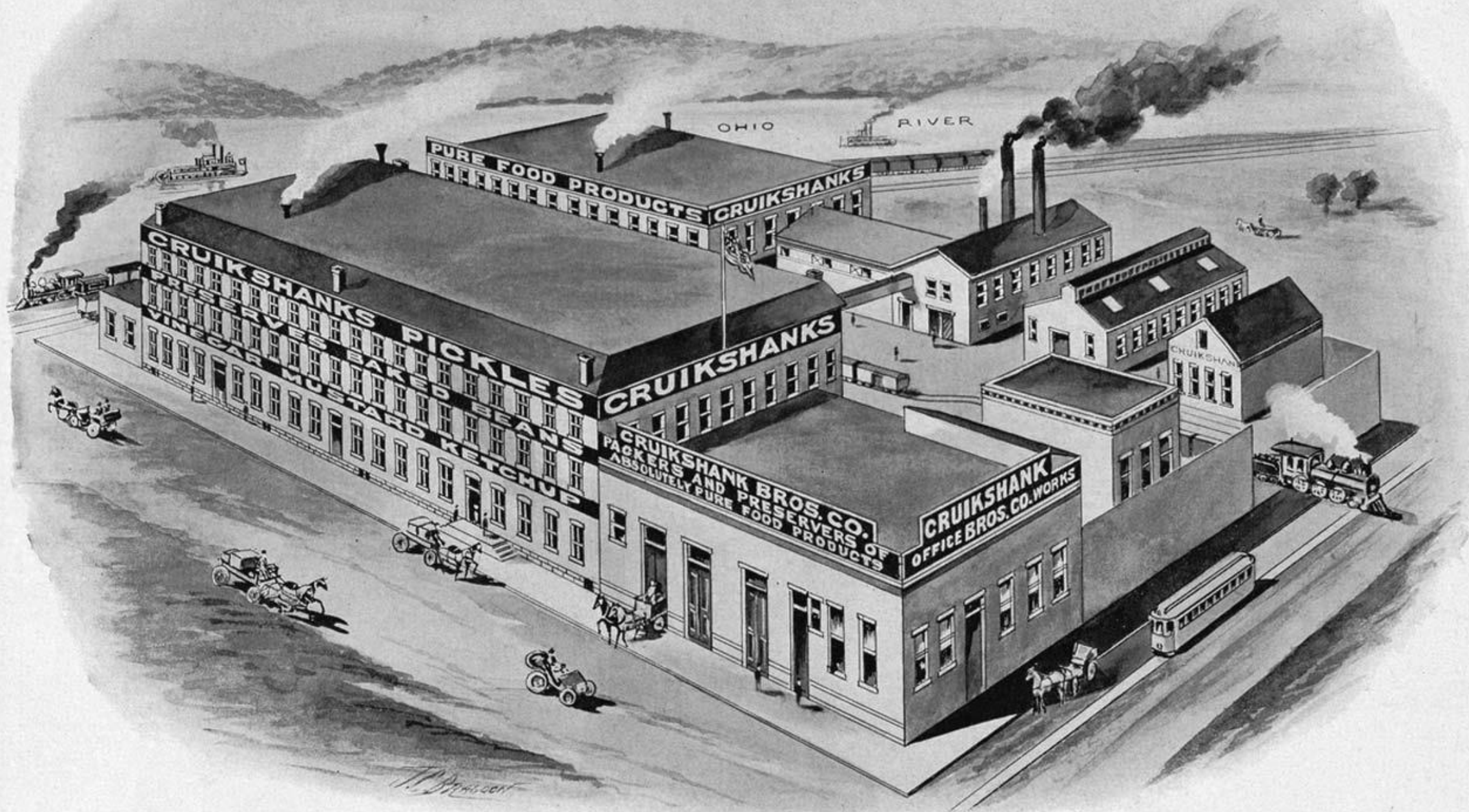
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3811	4	48	16	K 40	Luria Bros. & Co. Inc.....	428.6	3.0	
3812		3	3	K 41	{ McFarland Transfer, Storage & Distributing Co..... }	428.7	3.1	
3813		2	2	K 42	{ L. A. Green Rail & Machine Co.... }	428.7	3.1	
3814	18		12	K 43	Hall Steam Pump Co.....	428.8	3.2	
3815	137			K 44	Company Siding.....	428.9	3.3	
3816	3	3	3	K 44A	South Avenue Yard.....	428.9	3.3	
3817		7	3	K 44B	Kaufman Dept. Store—Warehouse No. 1.....	428.9	3.3	
3818	6		6	K 44C	Damascus Bronze Co.....	428.9	3.3	
3819	6		4	K 44D	South Ave. Team Track.....	428.9	3.3	
3820	6		6	K 44E	Eagle Paint & Varnish Co.....	428.9	3.3	
3821				K 44E	{ Vernon D. Price Co..... }	428.9	3.3	
3822		11	9	K 44F	{ American Linseed Co..... }	429.0	3.4	
3823	4		4	K 45	The Barrett Co.....	429.0	3.4	
3824		3	3	K 45A	Warren Ehert Co.....	429.0	3.4	
3825			16	K 46A	{ Allegheny Heating Co..... }	429.0	3.4	
3826		42	30	K 47	{ Allegheny County Light Co..... }	429.0	3.4	
3827	5		4	K 48	{ Allegheny Gas Co..... }	429.0	3.4	
3828	28	12	20	K 49	{ Philadelphia Company..... }	429.2	3.6	
C3828	14			K 49A	{ Consolidated Gas Co..... }	429.2	3.6	
3829		9	5	K 49B	{ Allegheny Illuminating Co..... }	429.3	3.7	
3830	5		5	K 49C	{ Pittsburgh Railways Co..... }	429.3	3.7	
C3830		11	5	K 49D	{ Union Paint Co..... }	429.4	3.8	
3831	4		4	K 49E	{ Pittsburgh Clay Pot Co..... }	429.4	3.8	
					{ Carnegie Steel Co. (McCutcheon Mills)..... }	429.4	3.8	
					{ City of Pittsburgh Asphalt Plant No. 2..... }	429.5	3.9	
					{ Crucible Steel Co. of America (LaBelle Works).. }			
					{ Pittsburgh Knife and Forge Co..... }			
					{ Rogers Sand & Gravel Co..... }			
					{ National Casket Co..... }			
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					{ Beaver Avenue Team Track..... }			

Allegheny

Allegheny Yard Limits
P. Assistant Train Master

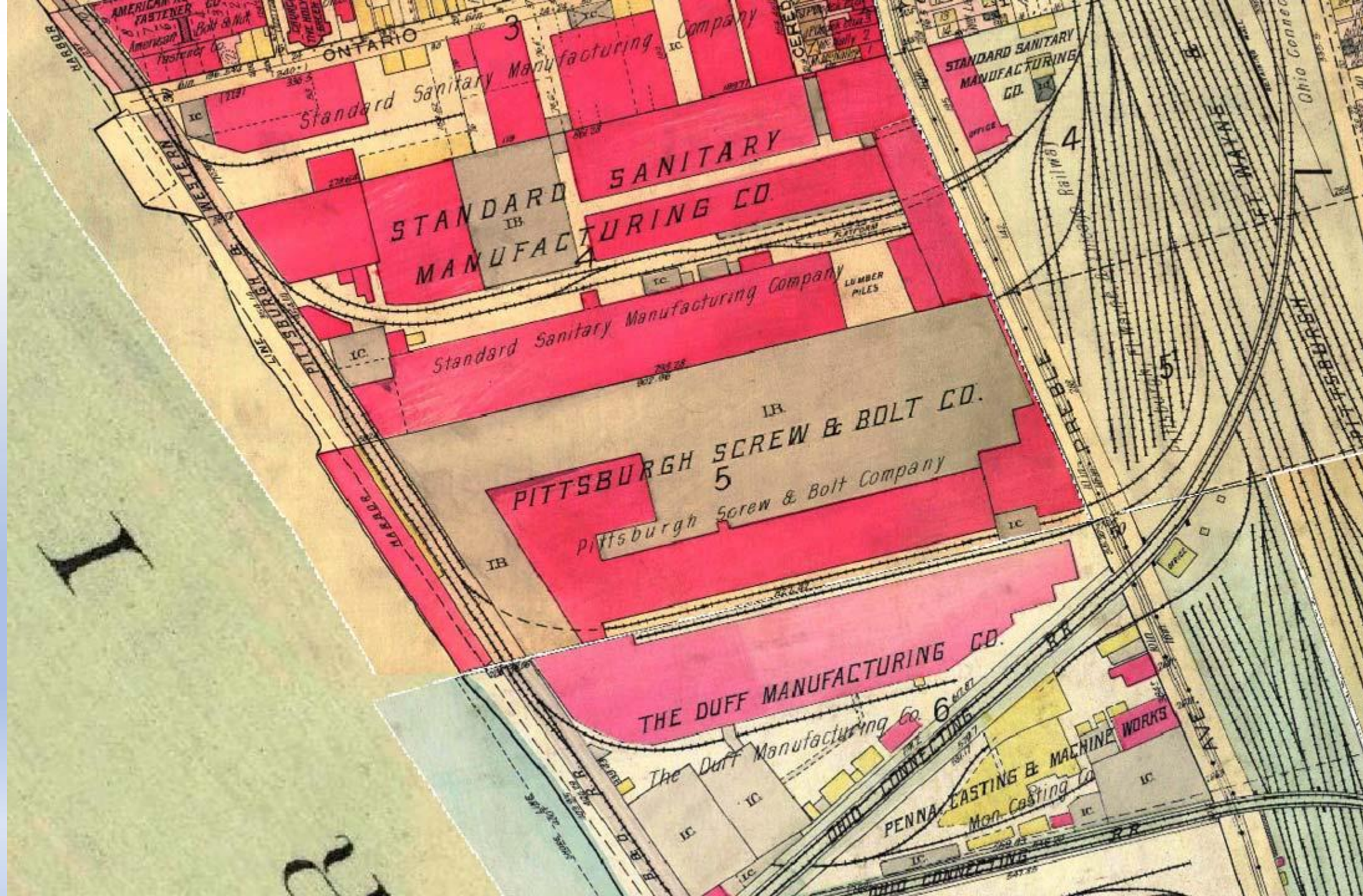


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3832	3	2	K 49F	Union Ice Co. (Plant No. 2).....	429.6	4.0	
3833		2	K 50A	Power Piping Co.....	429.6	4.0	
3834	9	6	K 50	Lysle Storage Siding.....	429.6	4.0	
3835		7	K 51	Pittsburgh Annealing Box Co.....	429.6	4.0	
3836		19	K 54	Independent Bridge Co.....			
				Geo. A. McLean & Co.....	429.6	4.0	
				Beckwith Machinery Co.....			
3837		12	K 58	Bell Telephone Co.....	429.7	4.1	
				McClure Lumber Co.....			
				Thompson Starrett Co.....			
3838		3	K 58A	Allegheny Forging Co.....	429.7	4.1	
3839		9	K 59	Stalnaker Steel Co.....			
				C. M. McKinney, Jr.....			
3840		7	K 60	Penna. R. R. (Delivery Track) "C" Station.....	429.7	4.1		Switching interchange only.
				Penna. R. R. (Receiving Tracks) "C" Station.....			
3841		6	K 61	Heyl & Patterson Inc.....	429.8	4.2	
3842	13	13	K 62	Locust Street Team Track.....	429.8	4.2	
3843		4	K 63	Wilson & Co.....	430.0	4.4	
3844		13	K 64	Rosedale Foundry & Machine Co....	430.0	4.4	
3845		13	K 65	A. D. Miller Sons Co.....	430.1	4.5	
3846	1	5	K 65A	Transcontinental Oil Co.....	430.2	4.6	
3847	19		K 66	Company Storage Track No. 2.....	430.3	4.7	
3848		9	K 67	P. Duff & Sons Co.....	430.3	4.7	
				Steel & Wire Products Co.....			
3849	8	24	K 68	American Locomotive Works.....	430.3	4.7	
3850		5	K 69	T. H. Nevin Co.....	430.4	4.8	
3851		2	K 70	Cruikshanks Bros. Co.....	430.4	4.8	



3852	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	K 71	Company Storage Track No. 1.....Pa.	430.5	4.9	.....
3853	.....	.....	.....	14	9	K 72	Brackman Lumber Co.....	430.5	4.9	.....
3854	.....	70	.....	.....	.....	K 73	Preble Avenue Yard.....	430.6	5.0	.....
3855	.....	6	.....	.....	5	K 74	Jiles Sand Co.....	430.6	5.0	.....
3856	.....	7	.....	.....	4	K 74A	Stove & Range Co. of Pittsburgh...	430.6	5.0	.....
3857	.....	9	.....	.....	3	K 74B	A. F. Schwerd Mfg. Co.....	430.6	5.0	.....
3858	.....	19	.....	133	.....	K 75	Carnegie Steel Co. (Edith Furnace).	430.6	5.0	.....
3859	.....	.....	.....	5	5	K 75A	Duff Mfg. Co.....	430.8	5.2	.....
3860	.....	.....	.....	20	16	K 77	Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt Co. No. 1.	430.9	5.3	.....
C 3860	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	K 77A	Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt Co. No. 2.	.....	.....	.....
E 3860	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	K 77B	Baltimore & Ohio Sand Siding.....	431.0	5.4	.....
3861	.....	.....	.....	31	24	K 78	Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co. No. 1..	431.0	5.4	.....
3863	.....	.....	.....	8	6	K 79	Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co. No. 2..	431.0	5.4	.....
3864	.....	3	.....	.....	1	K 79A	Standard Sanitary Mfg. Co. No. 3..	431.0	5.4	.....
3865	.....	2	.....	.....	2	K 79B	American Nut & Bolt Fastener Co..	431.1	5.5	.....
C 3865	.....	.....	.....	24	.....	K 79C	Western Penna. Penitentiary.....	431.1	5.5	.....
E 3865	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	K 79D	Commonwealth Real Estate Co....	431.3	5.7	.....
3866	.....	.....	.....	457	.....	K 80	Liquid Carbonic Co.....	431.3	5.7	.....
3867	100	K 80A	Pressed Steel Car Co.....	431.5	5.9
3868	K 81	Pittsburgh Forge & Iron Co.....	431.5	5.9
		Stieron Street.....

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AMERICAN FASTENER CO.
Bolt & Nut
American Fastener Co.
ONTARIO

3
Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company

4
STANDARD MANUFACTURING CO.
SANITARY

Standard Sanitary Manufacturing Company
LUMBER PILES
5
PITTSBURGH SCREW & BOLT CO.
Pittsburgh Screw & Bolt Company

6
THE DUFF MANUFACTURING CO.
The Duff Manufacturing Co.

PENNA. CASTING & MACHINE WORKS
Mon. Casting Co.
OHIO CONNECTING

STANDARD SANITARY MANUFACTURING CO.
OFFICE

4
Erie Railroad
PITTSBURGH

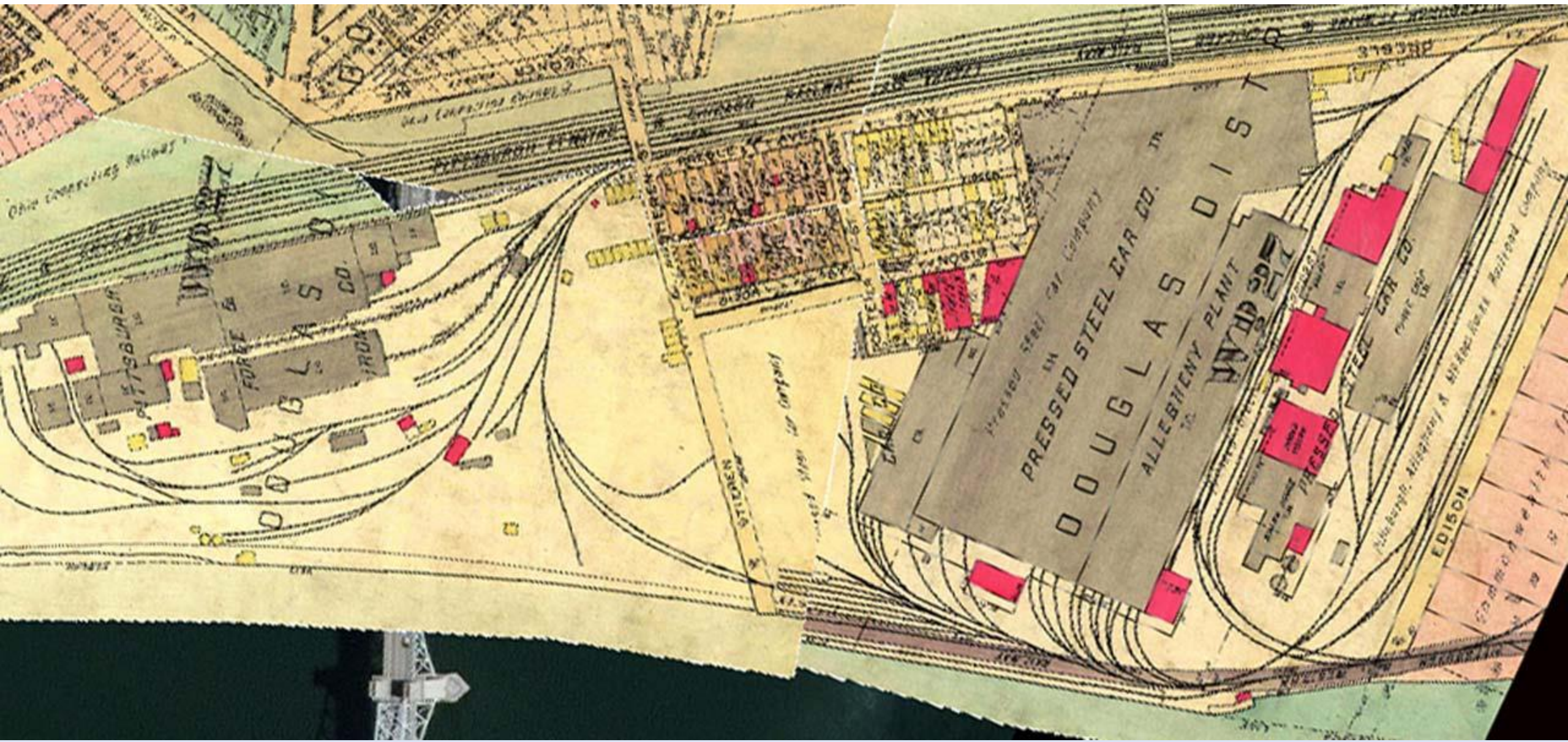
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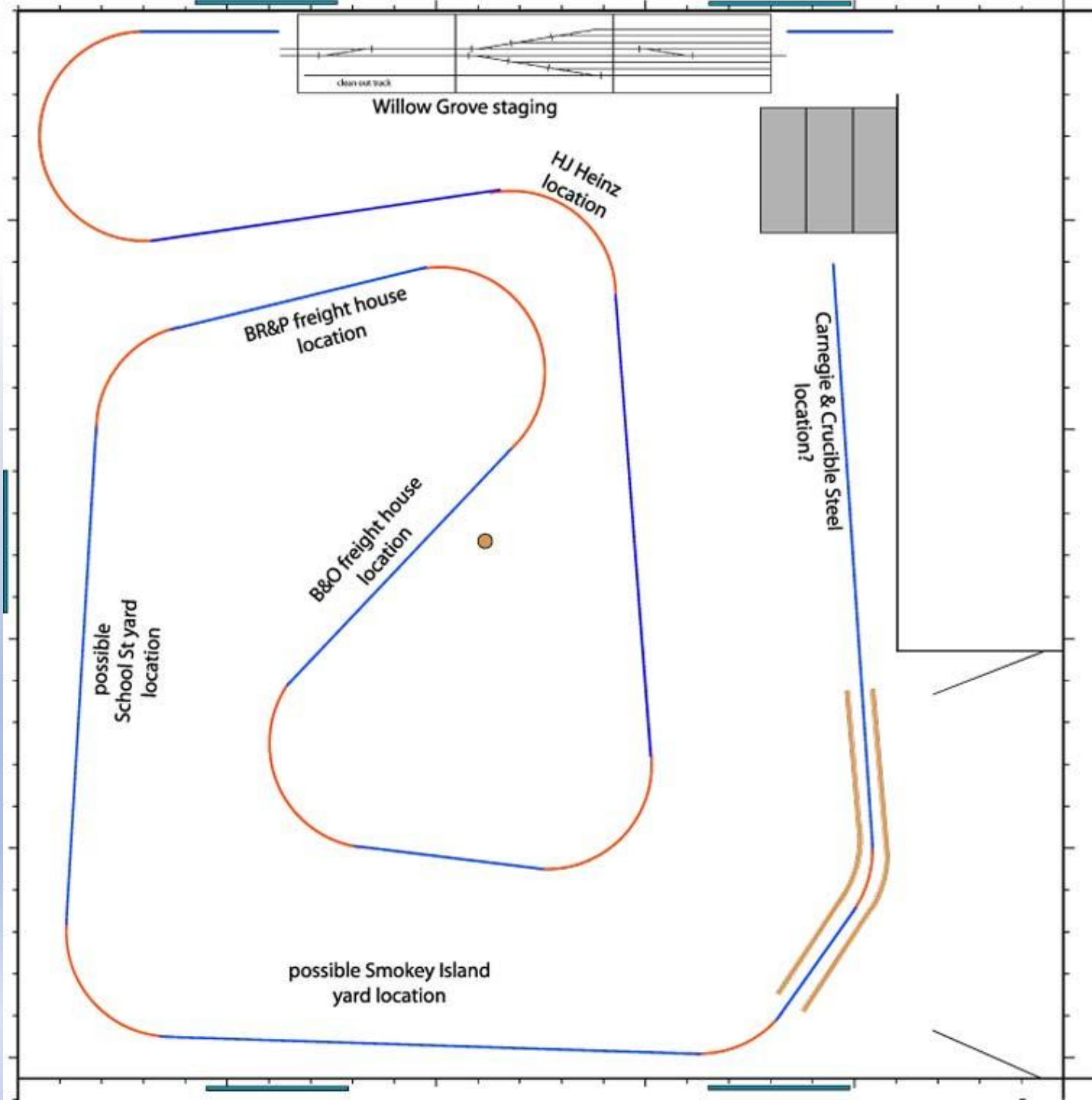


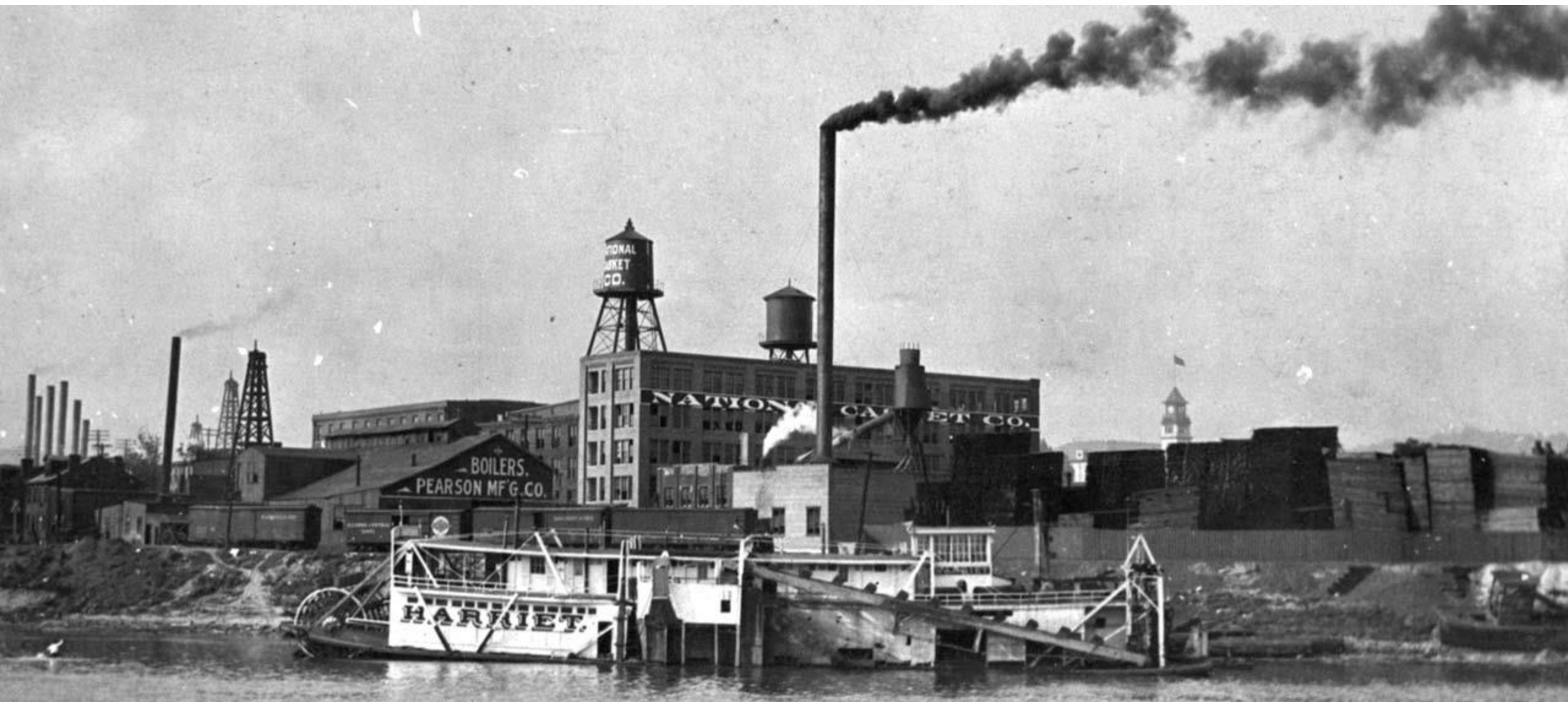


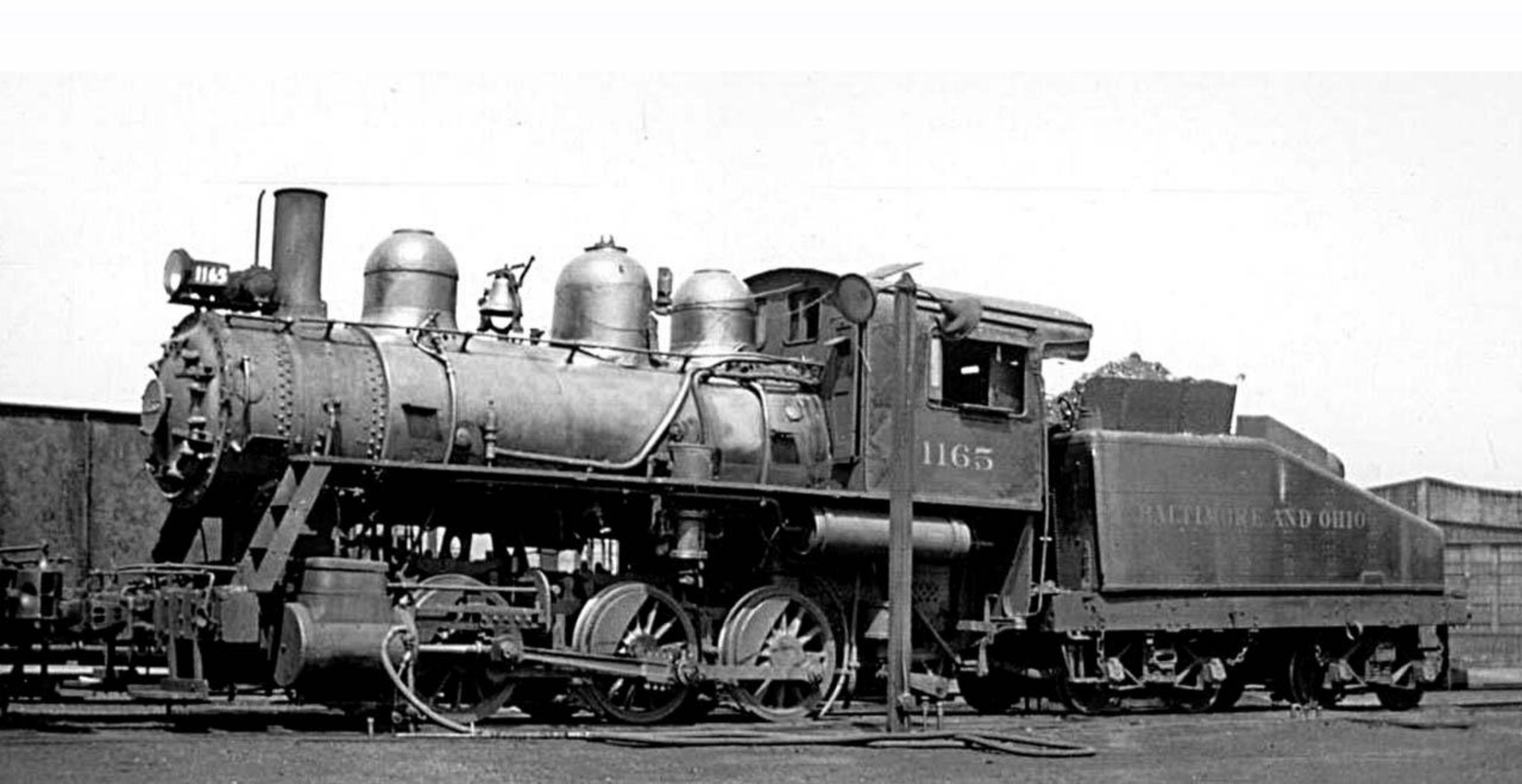


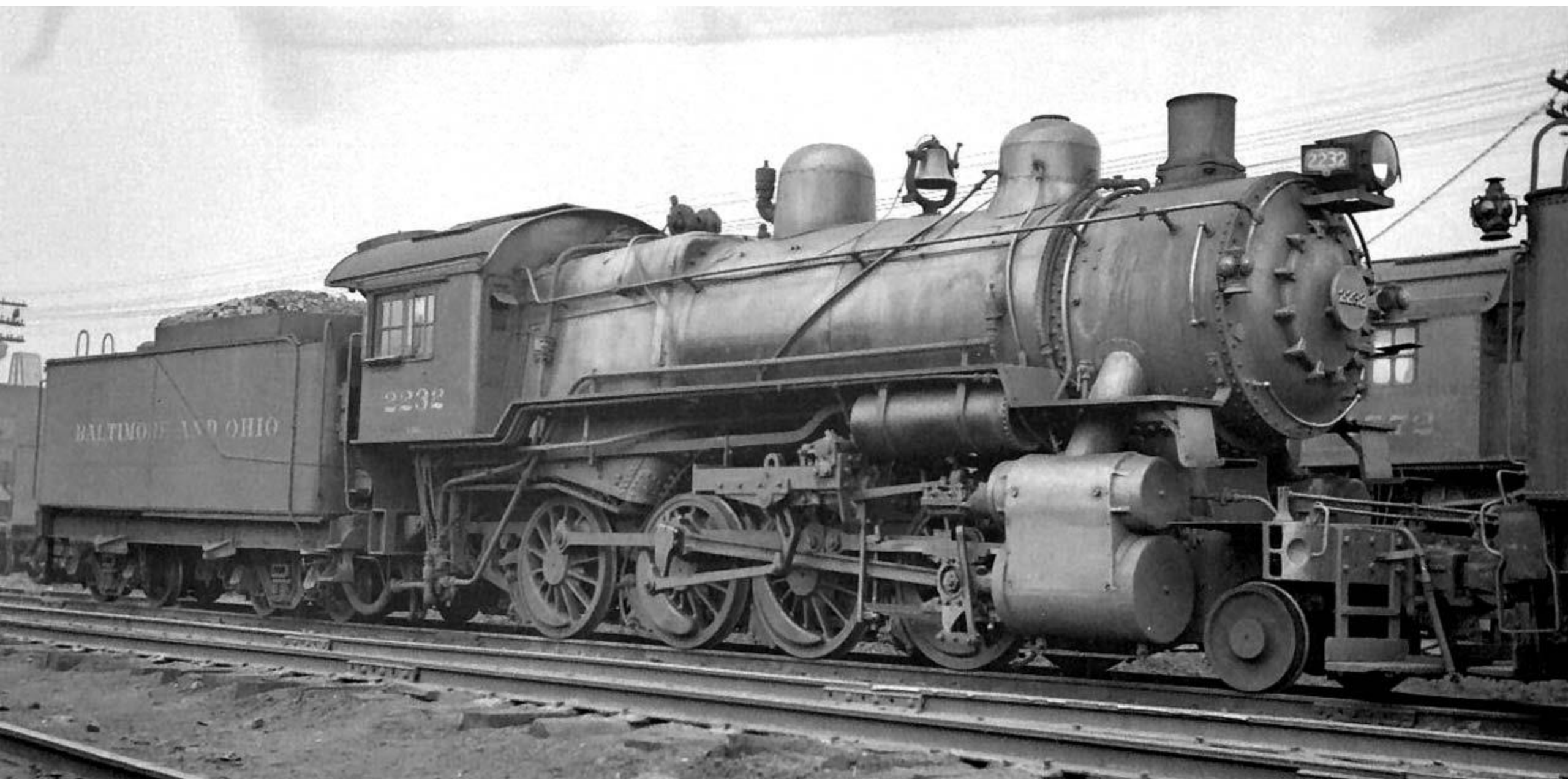


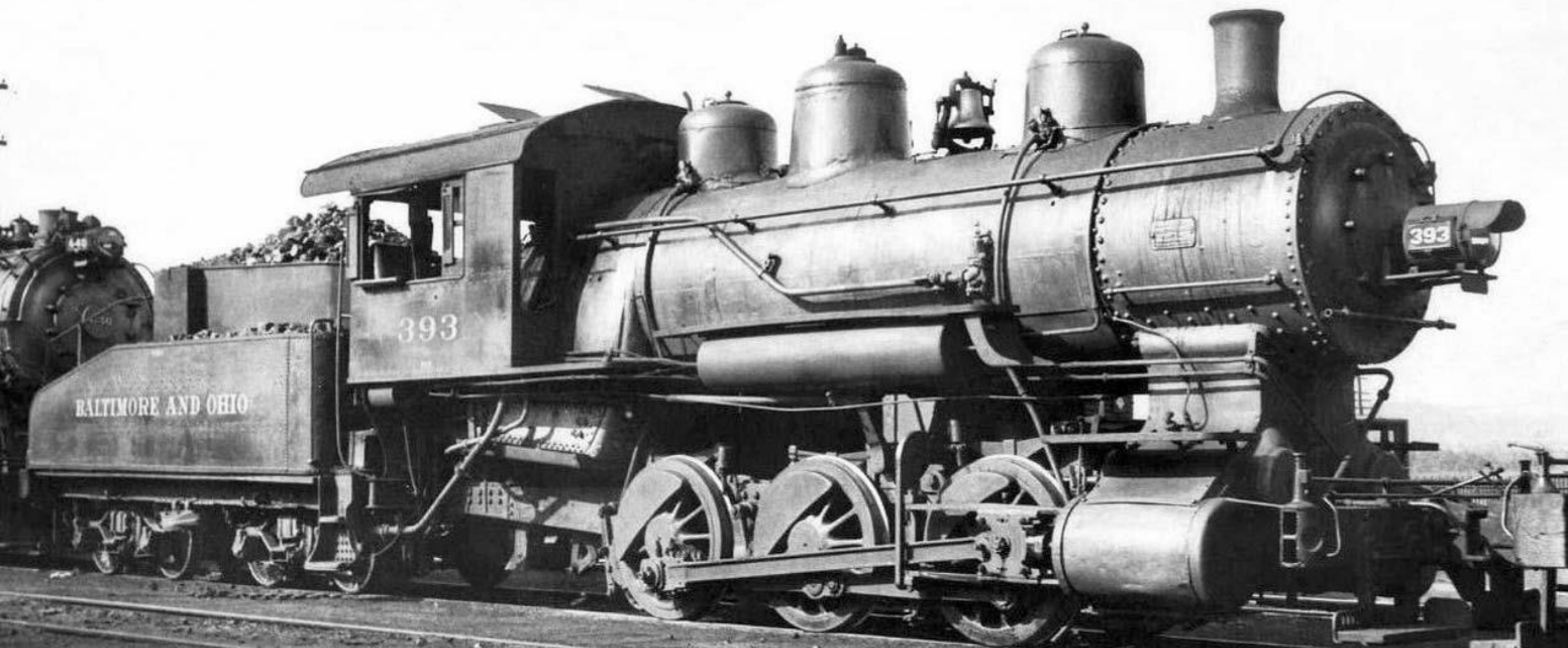












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SAVE THE DATES!

- RPM Chicagoland, Lisle – October 24 – 26
- RPM Carolinas, Winston-Salem – November 8 & 9
- Prototype Rails, Cocoa Beach – January 9 – 11, 2020
- RPM Valley Forge, Malvern – March 27 – 29, 2020