

# The **MICRO-TRAINS<sup>®</sup>** LINE Micro-News<sup>®</sup>

April 2013



**NEW**

## 40' Modern Log Cars



These bodystyles were typical of the log cars used on standard gauge railroads across the United States. These carry variable log loads.

**WITH LOG LOADS**



#114 00 150...\$19.50  
#114 00 160...\$19.50

**NEW**

## New York Central Road Number NYC 87572



This 50' box car from series 87455 - 87669 was built by the NYC Despatch Shops in East Rochester, NY. It bears the "SL" insignia on the Youngstown doors which designates its as being used for Frigidaire (appliance) service. It runs on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. New York Central primarily connected greater New York and Boston in the east with Chicago and St. Louis in the midwest along with the intermediate cities of Albany, Buffalo, Cleveland, Cincinnati, and Detroit.



#037 00 110...\$21.10

**NEW**

## Canadian National Road Number CNA 623052



Built by Gunderson Manufacturing in October 1987, this Centerbeam flat car is lettered all in black and runs on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. It was designed for carrying bundled building supplies such as dimensional lumber, wallboard and fence posts. Both sides must be loaded symmetrically to avoid tipping over. Canadian National is the largest railway in Canada, in terms of both revenue and the physical size of its rail network; It's currently Canada's only transcontinental railway company, spanning Canada from the Atlantic Coast in Nova Scotia to the Pacific Coast in British Columbia.



#053 00 530...\$26.20

**NEW**

## Missouri Pacific<sup>®</sup> Road Number 13676



This bay window caboose is painted red with white Missouri Pacific 'Buzz Saw' logo. It was built in December 1976 and serviced in the 1980s. It's lettered in white and runs on Swing-Motion trucks. Missouri Pacific owned many bay window cabooses formerly built and owned by other shops. They were purchased, rebuilt and returned to service in 'like new' condition in December 1976.



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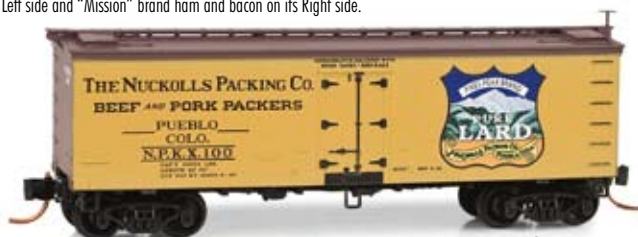
#130 00 110...\$29.80

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## Nuckolls Packing Co. Road Number NPKX 100



This meat reefer was built by the Pressed Steel Car Co. in Sept. 1925 for the NACC (North American Car Corporation), and leased to Nuckolls Packing Co. When new in September 1925, Nuckolls advertised "Pikes Peak" brand lard on its left side and "Mission" brand ham and bacon on its right side.



Side A



Side B

**MPS CAR #12**  
#058 00 536...\$26.95

**NEW**

## Smithsonian Civil War Series Car #8: Battle of Gettysburg



The Battle of Gettysburg had the largest number of casualties of the war and is often considered the turning point of the war. After General Lee's victory in Chancellorsville, VA, and with the Confederate spirits high, he led his army in its second invasion of the North, hoping to take the fighting away from Virginia and into Northern cities. By July 3rd the Union Army defeated attacks of the Confederate Army which ended Lee's invasion of the North.



Smithsonian

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#101 00 708...\$24.95

Accepting Orders for April Releases Beginning March 29th • All Prices U.S. Dollars

**NEW****Burlington Northern Santa Fe  
Road Number BNSF 434654**

This 100 ton three bay covered hopper with elongated hatches is painted brown and bears the white BNSF logo and white lettering. It runs nationally on Barber Roller bearing trucks. Built in September 1971 as part of a combined order from the Burlington Northern Railroad and CB&Q subsidiary Colorado & Southern Railway, this car represents the sole merger-acquired high-capacity grain hoppers representing Gunderson. Cars in these series were assigned different car number series by BNSF due to the slightly different load volume capacities.



#099 00 140...\$21.55

**NEW****Southern Railway  
Road Number 21047**

This box car was built in September 1944 and serviced in December 1965 and runs on Bettendorf trucks. It was part of a fleet of 550 cars assigned to pulp loading, as indicated by the note to the left of the door. Built by Mt. Vernon Car, these cars were upgraded in capacity based on axle sizes these cars became 55-ton boxes.



#020 00 896...\$17.50

**Chicago & North Western®  
Road Number CNW 155393**

This is one of 100 cars built in May 1974 and serviced in January 1989 by Chicago & North Western. It's painted yellow with black ends, aluminum roof and runs on Barber Roller Bearing trucks. In 1972 C&NW purchased the transportation assets of the Chicago & Northwestern Railway and changed its name to Chicago & North Western Transportation Co. By the 1980s, the preferred car color was yellow and a three-color "Chicago System" herald was in use.



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#025 00 670...\$29.15

**Great Northern  
Road Number GN 36866**

This Great Northern box car with plug door bears the GN tri-colored herald and Rocky pointing to the label 'Cushioned Ride', a new lettering scheme representing GN's innovative underframe that was developed in 1962. The car was built in April 1964 by American Car & Foundry and runs on Roller Bearing trucks. Between 1961 and 1967, Great Northern painted most newly refitted and rebuilt box cars Glacier Green, a shade of light green similar to the color of the glacial melt water of the Rocky Mountains, through which the GN passes.



#032 00 340...\$28.10

**NEW****Canadian Pacific  
Runner Pack****AVAILABLE  
MID-MONTH!**Pre-orders were taken for  
this in October 2012

**Canadian Pacific**  
40' Box Car, Plug Door, No Roofwalk  
Road Numbers: 165165, 165198, 165222, 165223  
#993 00 075 (4-pk)...\$89.95

**NEW****Union Pacific®  
Runner Pack****NOW  
AVAILABLE!**Pre-orders were taken for  
this in October 2012

**Union Pacific®**  
60' Bulkhead Flat Car  
Road Numbers: 262113, 262126, 262150, 262174  
#994 00 052 (4-pk)...\$74.95





## Union Pacific® F7 A&B Unit Powered Locomotives Road Numbers 1474 / 1474B



This exciting release represents the livery of the multi-colored Union Pacific F-Series locomotives. The body is painted UP Harbor Mist Gray and Union Pacific Yellow with red edging. Equipped with Blomberg trucks, many of these 1951 UP units joined the immense F3 fleet and some of the F3s were improved to F7 standards. The UP F7 fleet worked for only ten to eleven years before they were traded-in for GP30s and GP35/DD35s.

**Attention Dealers:** These locos were previously advertised in March and will ship with Standing Orders this month.



**NOW AVAILABLE!**

#980 01 010...\$129.95  
#980 02 010...\$99.95

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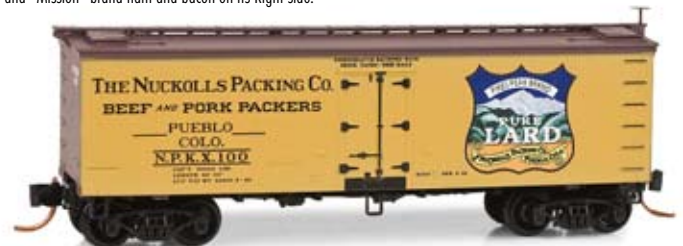
#538 00 140...\$19.35  
#538 00 150...\$19.35



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Side A



Side B

**MPS CAR #12**

#518 00 190...\$26.95

\*N scale car shown for representation.

## Z Scale Loads



**STILL AVAILABLE!**



**BH Lumber Load 2-pack**  
#799 43 944...\$9.95



**Log Load #7 2-pack**  
#799 43 943...\$9.95



**Railroad Tie Load 2-pack**  
#799 43 942...\$9.95

## Z Container 4-Packs



**STILL AVAILABLE!**

761 00 110...Genstar  
(4 pack)...\$19.95



760 00 120...CAST/ACL  
(4 pack)...\$19.95



## N Scale Civil War Era Mess Hall Kit



**NEW** N Mess Hall Kit  
#499 90 952...\$29.95



**STILL AVAILABLE!**

Civil War Era Fence & Wagon Kit  
#499 90 951...\$14.95

\*Kits come unassembled and undecorated.



**STILL AVAILABLE!**

Civil War Era Store House Kit  
#499 90 944...\$31.95



**STILL AVAILABLE!**

Civil War Era Freight House Kit  
#499 90 945...\$28.95



## Western & Atlantic Railroad



**NOW AVAILABLE!**



Box #151 00 020...\$17.70



Cab #152 00 020...\$17.70



Flat #153 00 020...\$16.90

These were pre-ordered in November 2012



## Civil War Era Truck & Coupler Packs



**NOW AVAILABLE!**



**NEW!** Rigid Wood Beam Truck w/o coupler (1 pair)  
#003 02 190...\$3.95



**NEW!** Link & Pin Style Couplers (2-pair)  
#001 02 060...\$8.95



# Ringling Bros. and Barnum & Bailey™ P.T. Barnum Circus Train Set



**Accepting Pre-Orders thru April 30th**

In the early 1870s after a lifetime of world renowned showmanship, P.T. Barnum created his first circus show. P.T. Barnum quickly recruited friends and performers from his past to share in this new and exciting adventure that would become the "Greatest Show on Earth". Traveling by rail helped to bring the ever growing popular show to the masses around the country.

This colorful train set includes a 4-4-0 steam locomotive\*, period specific box car, 3 flat cars and a caboose. Also included are 2 all new calliope wagons and the golden "Old Women in the Shoe" wagon specific to P.T. Barnum's circus.

Contact your local dealer today to be sure not to miss out on this exciting new set!

**AVAILABLE AUGUST 2013**

**993 21 190...\$229.95**

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\*Locomotive is a Bachmann® 4-4-0



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## New N & Z 4-Car Runner Packs! Accepting Pre-Orders thru April 30th

**COMING OCTOBER 2013**



**Pennsylvania Railroad**

50' Box Car, Double Doors

Road Numbers: 32129, 32144, 32152, 32163

**#993 00 081 (4-pk)...\$64.95**



**Pennsylvania Railroad**

50' Box Car, Double Doors

Road Numbers: 32129, 32144, 32152, 32163

**#994 00 058 (4-pk)...\$69.95**



# N Rolling Stock Review



40' Standard Box Car, Plug Door  
**Northern Pacific** • Rd# 98522  
Item# 021 00 170...\$24.30



50' Standard Box Car, Double Door w/o Roofwalk  
**Erie Lackawanna w/Load** • Rd# 67018  
Item# 037 00 100...\$20.85



39' Single Dome Tank Car  
**Colorado Animal By-Products** • Rd# 8401  
Item# 065 00 720...\$20.90



40' Standard Box Car, Plug and Sliding Doors  
**Chicago, Burlington & Quincy** • Rd# 41554  
Item# 022 00 130...\$22.30



40' Outside Braced Box Car, 1 1/2 Door w/ vertical brakewheel  
**MTL Anniversary** • Rd# 2012  
Item# 040 00 020...\$22.45



2 Bay ACF Centerflow Covered Hopper  
**Burlington Northern Santa Fe** • Rd# 405426 / 405430  
Item# 092 00 281...\$27.35 • Item# 092 00 282...\$27.35



50' Standard Box Car, Single Door w/o Roofwalk  
**Missouri Pacific/Union Pacific** • Rd# 357200  
Item# 025 00 760...\$23.45



50' Flat Car, Fishbelly Sides w/ Side Mount Brakewheel  
**Western Pacific w/Load** • Rd# 1906  
Item# 045 00 230...\$17.85



PS2 3 Bay High Side Covered Hopper  
**Farmrail** • Rd# 1087  
Item# 096 00 040...\$28.60



50' Standard Box Car, Single Door w/o Roofwalk  
**Missouri Pacific/Union Pacific** • Rd# 357198  
Item# 025 00 770...\$22.15



50' Flat Car, Fishbelly Sides w/ Side Mount Brakewheel  
**Conrail w/Load** • Rd# 716190  
Item# 045 00 410...\$21.05



PS2 3 Bay High Side Covered Hopper  
**Burlington Northern Santa Fe** • Rd# 417579  
Item# 096 00 080...\$27.75



50' Standard Box Car, Plug Door w/o Roofwalk  
**Missouri Pacific** • Rd# 253515  
Item# 027 00 140...\$20.20



50' Flat Car, Fishbelly Sides w/ Side Mount Brakewheel  
**Baltimore & Ohio** • Rd# 8408  
Item# 045 00 420...\$18.85



40' Hy Cube Box Car, Single Door  
**Denver & Rio Grande Western** • Rd# 67420  
Item# 101 00 130...\$28.65



40' Outside Braced Box Car, Plug Door  
**Chicago & North Western** • Rd# 78212  
Item# 028 00 190...\$21.85



61' Bulkhead Flat Car  
**Golden West Service** • Rd# 459001  
Item# 054 00 080...\$26.75



60' Excess Height Box Car, Double Plug Door, Waffle Sides  
**Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe** • Rd# 37562 / 37565  
Item# 103 00 061...\$23.70 • Item# 103 00 062...\$23.70



50' Standard Box Car, Single Door  
**Atlantic Coast Line** • Rd# 31111  
Item# 031 00 140...\$17.15



33' Twin Bay Hopper, Offset Sides  
**Illinois Central Gulf** • Rd# 322200  
Item# 055 00 140...\$25.90



50' Steel Side, 15 Panel, Fixed End Gondola w/ Low Cover  
**Detroit, Toledo & Ironton** • Rd# 9505  
Item# 106 00 260...\$22.60



40' Despatch Stock Car  
**Norfolk & Western** • Rd# 33033  
Item# 035 00 150...\$17.90



40' Steel Ice Reefer w/ Preco Fan  
**Illinois Central** • NRC 16753  
Item# 059 00 546...\$24.10



100 Ton 3 Bay Open Hopper, Rib Sides w/ Coal Load  
**Delaware & Hudson** • Rd# 1199  
Item# 108 00 220...\$20.40



**NEW**

# Mid-March Released Weathered Cars



Contact Your  
Local Dealer  
for Availability!



**N Norfolk Southern 3-Pack**  
#993 05 140...\$99.95



**N Union Pacific®**  
#020 44 296...\$23.95



**Z Great Northern**  
#501 44 130...\$30.80

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## N & Z Brewery Reefer Series!

Next month, Micro-Trains will launch its second reefer series; the Brewery Reefer Series! This 12-month series will consist of 12 prototypically accurate and unique reefers and will not include a locomotive or caboose. Our first release will be the Lemp Brewery Company's 'Falstaff Beer' reefer. Don't miss out on what is sure to be another popular reefer series; contact your local dealer today!



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**COMING MAY 2013**

**All Cars...\$26.95**



### Canadian Pacific Grain Box Cars 4-Pack—Pacific Western Rail Systems

We are pleased to debut our fourth pack of Limited Run Pacific Western Rail Systems - Micro Trains Cars.

This limited run of 40 ft Standard Canadian Pacific Grain Boxcars with a minimum run of 50 sets, will be an excellent gift for all CPR and CP Rail fans! Order yours today through your PORTERS account and earn valuable Micro-Trains Manufacturers Credits towards select PWRS PORTERS Micro Trains Club Lounge Cars. This 4 Pack sells for \$107.95

Grain boxcars were the freight car of choice; they required wooden or cardboard grain doors to hold the cargo in while the car was being loaded. They were later replaced by more efficient gravity-discharge covered hoppers. Terminal car dumpers still existed in the '80s for boxcar unloading, but they were aging and costly to repair and operate. After 1986 grain boxcars were used only on branchlines unable to accommodate the heavier covered hoppers. The Canadian Federal government boxcar rehabilitation schemes were undertaken in 1979-80. A smaller version yellow wheat sheaf was applied to the left of the door.

To order your cars, you can send us your information at [http://www.pwrs.ca/client\\_services/](http://www.pwrs.ca/client_services/) and we will contact you. You can sign up at PWRS website below, and learn how you can start earning cars! [http://www.pwrs.ca/client\\_services/index.php](http://www.pwrs.ca/client_services/index.php)

## Previously Released Rolling Stock

### SOON TO BE OUT

#### N Scale

025 00 650	Canadian National
031 00 400	New York Central
032 00 170	Canadian Pacific
046 00 080	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
047 00 407	Ringling Bros.™ Billboard Car #7
065 00 711	St. Louis-San Francisco
071 00 090	Burlington Northern Santa Fe
071 00 110	Southern
075 00 180	Wisconsin Southern
078 00 010	Pennsylvania Railroad
096 00 101	Union Pacific®
105 00 200	SOO Line
109 00 010	Pennsylvania Railroad
109 00 240	Norfolk & Western
112 00 720	Ringling Bros.™ White Autorack
130 00 080	Milwaukee Road
145 00 091	Baltimore & Ohio®

#### Z Scale

515 00 604	Ringling Bros.™ Billboard Series Car #4
518 00 110	Meat Packers Series—St. Louis
518 44 060	Weathered—Swift
524 00 070	Ringling Bros.™ Flat Car
530 00 320	Animal By Products
533 00 011	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe
533 00 012	Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe

#### H0n3 Scale

850 00 070	Colorado Southern
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### OUT OF STOCK

#### N Scale

025 00 780	Milwaukee Road
027 00 352	Union Pacific®
049 00 630	Meat Packers Series—Rath
049 00 640	Meat Packers Series—Decker
054 44 020	Southern Pacific®
054 00 080	Golden West Service

059 44 160	National Packing
084 44 050	Northern Pacific
094 00 362	Potash
096 00 110	St. Louis-Santa Fe
470 00 069	Ringling Bros.™ Wagons—Purple/Turquoise

#### Z Scale

507 00 560	Union Pacific®
511 44 010	Pennsylvania Railroad
518 00 061	Swift
518 00 120	Meat Packers Series—Kingdon
518 00 170	Meat Packers Series—Decker
520 00 170	Canadian National
534 00 021	Southern Pacific®

#### Nn3 Scale

800 00 190	Southern Pacific®
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