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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
<b>Title:</b>	Pittsburgh and West Virginia Railway Company Drawings
<b>Date:</b>	1948-1950
<b>Identifier:</b>	NMAH.AC.0279
<b>Creator:</b>	Pittsburgh and West Virginia Railway Company (Creator)
<b>Extent:</b>	1 Cubic foot (2 oversize folders)
<b>Language:</b>	English .
<b>Summary:</b>	Engineering drawings of the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Railway Company (later Norfolk and Western Railway Company).

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

This collection was donated by Norfolk & Western Railway Company in conjunction with Centralized Traffic Control Machine which was donated to Smithsonian in May 1978.

### Provenance

Collection transferred to the Archives Center from the Division of Transportation (now Division of Work and Industry), November 28, 1987.

### Processing Information

Collection processed by, NMAH Staff, 1987

### Preferred Citation

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## Biographical / Historical

The Pittsburgh & West Virginia was merged into the Norfolk & Western in 1964.

## Scope and Contents

Engineering drawings (81) of the Centralized Traffic Control Machine electrical circuits of the Pittsburgh and West Virginia Railway Company (later Norfolk and Western Railway Company). The circuits extend from Connellsville, Pennsylvania to Pittsburgh Junction, Ohio and include those for mechanical controls, electrical signals, and telephone communications. The drawings were made in 1948-1950. The drawings are in ink on paper, mostly in the dimension 23" x 28", although some are larger.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Electric circuits
- Railroads

Types of Materials:

- Drawings -- 1940-1950

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## Container Listing

Map-folder 1	<p>Designation: <a href="#">K31, 1948-1950</a> 58 Drawings (visual works) (23 x 28)</p> <p><a href="#">Diagram of machine circuits, K31 [engineering drawing], September 13, 1948</a> 1 Item (Ink on paper.; 23.0" x 28.0") Creator: Pittsburgh and West Virginia Railway Company Language: English. Notes: AC0279-0000001 (AC Scan) In Box 1. Topic: Electric circuits Genre/Form: Technical drawings</p>
Map-folder 2	<p>Designation: C9282, 1948 December 23 1 Drawings (visual works) (20 x 26)</p>
Map-folder 2	<p>Designation: E5818, 1948 7 Drawings (visual works) (17 x 38)</p>
Map-folder 2	<p>Designation: D2499, 1948 December 28 1 Drawings (visual works) (26 x 40)</p>
Map-folder 2	<p>Designation: D2577, 1948 14 Drawings (visual works) (27 x 41)</p>