Donald T. Hehman was apparently a dispatcher with several railroads including the Chicago and Eastern Illinois, Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, the Pennsylvania, and the Union Pacific. He resided and worked around Terre Haute, Indiana, from the 1930s to the 1960s. He was also a collector and historical researcher in the area of railroad history, particular interests in the Milwaukee Road, interurbans and train accidents.

Source: Information from collection.
SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE


Also included are general railroad records and historical research compiled by Hehman.

Materials comprise Interstate Commerce investigations of railroad accidents, 1922-1955, employee safety and benefit manuals, 1938-1967, timetables, 1907-1966, and general railroad publications, 1908-1968. The collection also contains Hehman's correspondence and research notes regarding railroad history. Also contained in the collection are scrapbooks compiled by Hehman on railroad history. Items in the scrapbooks include newsclippings, original records and correspondence, printed items, and photographs, 1922-1966. Subjects of the scrapbooks include the Terre Haute Division of the Milwaukee Road, train routes, interurbans, and train wrecks.

In addition to photographs in the scrapbooks, there are several hundred loose visual items including Hehman's original photographs, and original and copies of historical railroad related visuals. Subjects of the visual materials include engines, interurbans, tracks and stations, bridges, accidents, and banquets and awards, 1910s-1960s. There is also a vinyl record honoring the Milwaukee Road.

BOX AND FOLDER LISTING

**BOX 1: Milwaukee Road Materials, 1917-1968**

**FOLDER CONTENTS**

1 Hehman's Personnel Records, 1938-1963
2 Hehman's Membership Cards, Calendars, & Related Materials, 1926-1959
3 Milwaukee Road, Manuals, 1917-1936
4 Milwaukee Road, Manuals, 1940-1967
5 Milwaukee Road, Manuals, 1950-1962
6 Milwaukee Road, Dispatchers & Telegraph Operators Information, 1918-1968
7 Milwaukee Road, Train Orders & Reports, 1940-1968
8 Milwaukee Road, Train Schedules, 1941-1966
9 Milwaukee Road, Chicago to Puget Sound (Illustrated Book), n.d.
10 Milwaukee Road, Freight Equipment Manual, 1966
11 Milwaukee Road, Improvement Budget, 1956

**BOX 2: Milwaukee Road Materials, 1921-1969**

**FOLDER CONTENTS**

1 Clearance Orders, 1957
2 Clearance Orders, 1967
3 Railroad Yard Mine Jobs, 1944

4 Milwaukee Road Magazine, 1938-1969
5 Milwaukee Road Publications, n.d.
6 Milwaukee Road, Engineer's Schedules, 1913 & 1929
7 Milwaukee Road, Condensed Profile, Terre Haute Division, 1950
8 Milwaukee Road, I.C.L. Merchandise Schedules, 1953
9 Milwaukee Road, Accident Reports, 1954-1956
10 Milwaukee Road, Accident Reports, 1957
11 Accident Reports (Wires), 1966-1969
12 Milwaukee Road, General Information, 1933-1969
13 Milwaukee Road, General Printed Materials, 1921-1967
14 (PC) Vinyl Recording "Hiawatha Centennial March"/ "On the Old Milwaukee Road" (See: M1978.2.R3 H6)

**BOX 3: Railroad Records & Historical Materials, 1883-1969**

**FOLDER CONTENTS**

1 Railroad History Materials, 1936-1969
2 ICC Rules & Monthly Accidents, 1922-1955
3 ICC Investigation, 1944
5 Railroads, Employee Safety & Benefits, 1939-1967
6 Notebooks, 1948 & n.d.
7 Morse Telegraph Club, 1966-1967
8 Right of Way Notebook, n.d.
9 Railroad Timetables, 1907, 1915, 1937
10 Railroad Timetables, 1883-1963
11 Railroad Timetables, 1933-1966

**BOX 4: Railroad Research & Historical Materials, 1894-1982**
FOLDER CONTENTS

1 Railroad History, Correspondence, & Notes, 1894-1982
2 "A Synopsis of the Terre Haute Division, Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railroad Co.," 1965
3 History of the Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, Feb., 1965
4 Research, Railroad Locomotive Characteristics & Time Tables, ca. 1926-ca. 1938
6 Evansville & Richmond Railroad, Way Bill, 1894
7 Railroad History, Research & Writings, 1966
8 Railroad Newscloppings, 1908-1968

BOX 5: Railroad History Scrapbooks, 1922-1966
FOLDER CONTENTS

1 Railroad Scrapbooks, 1963-1964 (Routes), Folder 1
2 Railroad Scrapbooks, 1963-1964 (Routes), Folder 2
3 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Folder 1
4 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Folder 2 (also VC, Box 7, Folders 7-9)
5 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Folder 3
6 Scrapbook, Interurbans & Train Wrecks, 1936-1963
8 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, 1965-1966, Folder 1
9 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, 1965-1966, Folder 2 (also VC, Box 7, Folders 10-11)
10 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, 1965-1966, Folder 3 (also VC, Box 7, Folder 12)

BOX 6: Railroad Publications, 1934-1969
FOLDER CONTENTS

1 Railroad Publications, 1934-1954
2 Railroads, General Printed Materials, 1946-1969
3 Rules & Manuals, 1934-1951
4 Railroad Officials, 1962
5 Railroad Magazine, 1962, 1966
6 Howell, Along the Line: Interurbans to Clinton, 1967
8 U.S. Railway Guide, 1868 (1968 Reprint)
9 Railway Age, 1967
10 Kentucky Railway Museum, n.d.

FOLDER CONTENTS

1 Engines & Accidents, 1918, 1938, n.d.
2 Photograph Album, 1916-1918
3 Banquets & Awards, 1940-1962
4 Engine (8" X 10" Print), n.d.
5 Office Photographs, ca. 1949-1950
7 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Folder 2 (A) [Photographs Removed from Box 5, Folder 4]
8 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Folder 2 (B) [Photographs Removed from Box 5, Folder 4]
9 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Folder 2 (C) [Photographs Removed from Box 5, Folder 4]
10 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, 1965-1966, Folder 2 (A) [Photographs Removed from Box 5, Folder 9]
11 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, 1965-1966, Folder 2 (B) [Photographs Removed from Box 5, Folder 9]
12 Scrapbook, Railroad History, Terre Haute Division, Milwaukee Road, 1965-1966, Folder 2 (C) [Photographs Removed from Box 5, Folder 10]
13 Olympian Transcontinental Train Miniature Photographs, 1.75x 2.5

BOX 8: (VC) Railroad and Related Photographs, Black & White (4" X 6") and Smaller

BOX 9: (VC) Railroad and Related Photographs, Colored (4" X 6") and Smaller

CATALOGUING INFORMATION

MAIN ENTRY: Hehman, Donald T.

SUBJECT ENTRIES: Hometowners (Musical group)
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Railroads--Indiana--Terre Haute--Employees
Railroads--Indiana--Terre Haute--Timetables
Railroads--Indiana--Terre Haute--Trainmen's manuals
Railrods--Indiana--Photographs
Railfans--Indiana--Terre Haute
Railroads--Collectors and collecting--Indiana--Terre Haute
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