



**ELECTRIC RAILROADERS'
ASSOCIATION, INC.**

FIFTIETH ANNIVERSARY CONVENTION TORONTO, CANADA JUNE 30 — JULY 4, 1984

Convention Headquarters

The Delta Chelsea Inn, conveniently located in the center of Toronto, on Gerrard Street between Bay and Yonge. The hotel has complete recreational facilities, including a large indoor swimming pool (bring your bathing suits), exercise room, whirlpool, sauna's and sundeck. The closest subway station is at Yonge and College Streets.

Sat., June 30

Chartered buses leave from the hotel entrance on Gerrard Street at 10:30 AM for The Ontario Electric Railway Historical Association's museum in Rockwood, Ontario. The museum has a fine collection of streetcars, interurbans and work equipment, which will be operated along their mile long railroad. Of special interest in the OERHA collection are a London and Port Stanley interurban, which has been rewired for D.C. operation and Toronto open car No. 327.

Box lunches will be served to those indicating their interest on our reservation coupon.

Sun., July 1 & Mon., July 2

Two streetcar journeys leave Bay & Dundas Streets at 9:30 AM each day for a tour over the rails of the Toronto Transit Commission. A wide variety of equipment, not used in regular service, will be used if patronage warrants. Included are:

- +the UTDC ALRV. The only articulated streetcar in Totonto, this unit is the prototype for the TTC's latest order of railcars.
- +Peter Witt car 2424, the last remaining "large" Witt on the TTC's roster, painted in the 1930's color scheme.
- +One or two "small" Peter Witt cars.
- +A TTC PCC, to be painted in Toronto's Bicentennial color scheme.
- +A Canadian Light Rail Vehicle (CLRV), painted in the Province of Ontario's color scheme.
- +Plus other attractions.

Sun. night July 1

The ERA's tradition of free movie entertainment continues. At 7:30 PM Ted Wickson will provide some rare film of TTC streetcar operation in bygone eras. FREE - all are welcome.

Mon. night July 2

E.R.A.'s Fiftieth Anniversary banquet begins with a reception and cash bar at 7:00 PM and dinner at 8:00 PM. Our after dinner speaker will be long-time ERA member Ray Corley. Ray, a native of Toronto, joined Canadian General Electric in 1948, where he was involved in the design of the propulsion systems for rapid transit cars, trolley coaches, and diesel-electric locomotives. Since 1974 Ray has been with the TTC, as Superintendent of Design and Development, and has closely worked on all TTC rail vehicles, including the CLRV.

Tue., July 3

Chartered buses will leave our hotel at 9:45 AM for Buffalo, NY, where we will be the guests of the Niagara Frontier Transportation Authority. The NFTA will provide a tour of the new Light Rail system nearing completion in Buffalo and its suburbs. In addition to visits to the yard and shop, we will inspect several underground stations, and possibly ride one of the new Japanese-built LRV's.

Wed., July 4

Buses will leave the hotel at 9:00 AM for the short trip to Hamilton, Ontario where we will tour all of the cities trolley-coach routes. After the trip we will have time for a late lunch in Hamilton before the buses depart for our return to Toronto. On the return trip we will make a stop at Toronto International Airport at About 3:00 PM.

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The Delta Chelsea Inn

CONFERENCE GROUP: Electric Railroaders Association

OCCUPANCY	ACCOMMODATIONS		
	Regular	Deluxe	Studio/Kit.
SINGLE - One person	<input type="checkbox"/> \$65	<input type="checkbox"/> \$70	<input type="checkbox"/> \$75
DOUBLE - Two persons - one bed	<input type="checkbox"/> \$77	<input type="checkbox"/> \$82	<input type="checkbox"/> \$87
TWIN - Two persons - two beds	<input type="checkbox"/> \$77	<input type="checkbox"/> \$82	

Please check desired rate - If room is not available at rate requested reservations will be made at nearest available rate.

- ☐ 6 p.m. or prior arrival
- ☐ Guaranteed - after 6 p.m. arrival
Rooms held until 6 p.m. unless guaranteed - after 6 p.m. arrival. rooms must be guaranteed by credit card or deposit.

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No. _____

SEND THIS COUPON TO THE HOTEL AT:
DELTA CHELSEA INN
33 GERRARD ST. WEST
TORONTO, ONTARIO
M5G 1Z4

Name _____

Company _____

Address _____ City _____

Arrival Date _____ Time _____ ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m.

Length of Stay _____ Nights _____

PLEASE NOTE: Check out time 1 p.m. Check in time 3 p.m.
Reservations should be received not less than 21 days prior to conference.

SEND THIS COUPON TO E.R.A.

ELECTRIC RAILROADERS' ASSN. INC.
c/o William J. Madden
28-53 Utopia Parkway
Flushing, NY 11358

Please send the following:

_____ OERHA Museum Trip tickets	Sat. June 30	@\$16.00	_____
_____ TTC Streetcar Trip tickets	Sun. July 1	@\$17.00	_____
_____ TTC Streetcar Trip tickets	Mon. July 2	@\$17.00	_____
_____ Banquet tickets	Mon. July 2	@\$17.00	_____
_____ NFTA Buffalo trip tickets	Tue. July 3	@\$15.00	_____
_____ PACKAGE (all of the above trips)		@\$76.00	_____

EXTRAS

_____ Box lunch at Museum	@\$ 3.00	_____
_____ Hamilton Trolley-Coach trip Tue. July 4	@\$13.00	_____

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO E.R.A. Inc.

NAME _____

ADDRESS _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

AREA CODE & PHONE _____

I WILL _____ WILL NOT _____ BE STAYING AT THE DELTA CHELSEA INN.

PLEASE ENCLOSE STAMPED, SELF-ADDRESSED ENVELOPE WITH ORDER.

All prices except for the hotel, are quoted in U.S. Dollars. The hotel rates are in Canadian dollars, which are currently equivalent to 80 cents U.S. (thus the \$77 hotel rate is equivalent to about \$62, U.S.).