

The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad "The Nickel Plate"

NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD.

- Art. of consol, 1923 (after date of valuation)
 - New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad (8/12/1922)
 - The Lake Erie and Western Railroad (8/12/1922) (FD2471)
 - Chicago & State Line Railroad (6/18/1923) (FD 2919)
 - Ft. Wayne, Cincinnati & Louisville Railroad (6/18/1923) (FD 2919)
 - Toledo, St. Louis & Western Railroad (6/18/1923) (FD 2919)

THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD. New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR

- Art. of consol. in PA, OH and IN, September 24, 1887
- Art. of consol. in NY, September 27, 1887
- Trackage, June 30, 1918:
 - 498.174 mi. First main track
 - 78.219 mi. Second main track
 - 298.930 mi. Yard track and sidings
- Equipment

Steam locomotives	284
Freight cars	11,760
Passenger cars	94
Work equipment	481
Miscellaneous	4
- Equipment, leased

Freight cars	152 from The Streets Company
Freight cars	130 from Mather Humane Stock Transportation Co.
- Leased, jointly used with another carrier

Freight cars	105 from Midwest Dispatch Car Company
Freight cars	198 from Atlantic Seaboard Dispatch
- By construction:
 - 3.05 mi. Sheffield to South Lorain, OH, 1904
- Abandoned:
 - 7.78 mi. Silver Creek to Dunkirk, NY
- The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad (9/24/1887)
- The Cleveland and State Line Railroad (9/24/1887)
- The Fort Wayne and Illinois Railroad (9/24/1887)

THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD. New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR

- Art. of consol. in NY, August 15, 1887
 - No property constructed
- The Erie and State Line Railroad (8/15/1887)
- The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railroad (8/15/1887)

THE ERIE AND STATE LINE RAILROAD. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR

- Inc. in PA, June 27, 1887
 - No property constructed
- The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway (6/2/1887)

THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILROAD... . . . New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR
Inc. in NY, June 22, 1887

No property constructed
The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway (6/2/1887)

THE CLEVELAND AND STATE LINE RAILROAD. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR
Inc. in OH, August 15, 1887

No property constructed
The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway (6/2/1887)

THE FORT WAYNE AND ILLINOIS RAILROAD. The New York, Chicago & St. Louis RR
Inc. in IN, June 28, 1887

No property constructed
The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway (6/2/1887)

THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY.....
The Erie and State Line RR, The New York, Chicago and St. Louis RR, The Cleveland and State Line
RR, The Fort Wayne and Illinois RR

Art. of consol. in NY, IL and In, April 12, 1881
Art. of consol. in OH, April 13, 1881
Art. of consol. in PA, April, 1881
112.18 mi. Buffalo Jct., NY to PA/OH state line, 1881-1882
239.97 mi. completed, OH/PA state line to OH/In state line, 1881-1882
151.08 mi. completed, OH/IN state line to IN/IL state line, 1881-1882
Upon Foreclosure, the property of this company was divided along state lines to succeeding
companies listed, plus The Chicago and State Line RR
The New York and Chicago Railway Company of Illinois (4/12/1881)
The New York and Chicago Railway Company of Indiana (4/12/1881)
The New York and Chicago Railway Company of Ohio (4/12/1881)
The Buffalo, Cleveland and Chicago Railway Company of Pennsylvania (4/12/1881)
The Buffalo, Cleveland and Chicago Railway Company of New York (4/12/1881)
The New York, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad (5/12/1881)

THE NEW YORK AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY OF ILLINOIS. . The NY, Chi. & St. L Ry
Inc. in IL, March 23, 1881

No property constructed

THE NEW YORK AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY OF INDIANA. . The NY, Chi. & St. L Ry
Inc. in IN, March 4, 1881

No property constructed

THE NEW YORK AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY OF OHIO..... The NY, Chi. & St. L Ry
Inc. in OH, March 15, 1881

No property constructed

THE BUFFALO, CLEVELAND AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY OF PENNSYLVANIA. . . .
. . . . The New York, Chicago & St. Louis Ry

Inc. in PA, January 15, 1881
No property constructed

THE BUFFALO, CLEVELAND AND CHICAGO RAILWAY COMPANY OF NEW YORK.....
... The New York, Chicago & St. Louis Ry
Inc. in NY, January 15, 1881
No property constructed

THE NEW YORK, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD..... The NY, Chi. & St. L Ry
Inc. in PA, January 15, 1881
No property completed
The Ohio Railway (12/7/1880)
The Ohio, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railway (12/7/1880)

THE OHIO RAILWAY..... The New York, Fort Wayne and Chicago RR
Inc. in OH, May 29, 1879
No property completed
The Cleveland, Fort Wayne and Chicago Railroad (8/29/1879)

THE CLEVELAND, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILROAD..... The Ohio Ry
Inc. in OH, (reorganization of predecessor) August 17, 1865
No property completed
American Central Railway (8/12/1864)

AMERICAN CENTRAL RAILWAY..... The Cleveland, Fort Wayne and Chicago RR
Name change, March 15, 1859
No property completed
The Tiffin and Fort Wayne Railroad (3/15/1859)

THE TIFFIN AND FORT WAYNE RAILROAD. American Central Ry
Art. of consol. in IN, September 9, 1856
Art. of consol. in OH, August 14, 1856
No property completed
The Tiffin and Fort Wayne Railroad (8/14/1856)
The Tiffin and Fort Wayne Railroad (8/14/1856)

THE TIFFIN AND FORT WAYNE RAILROAD. The Tiffin and Fort Wayne RR
Inc. in OH, February 7, 1854
Partially graded, no location listed

THE TIFFIN AND FORT WAYNE RAILROAD. The Tiffin and Fort Wayne RR
Inc. in IN, November 10, 1853
Partially graded, no location listed

THE OHIO, FORT WAYNE AND CHICAGO RAILWAY. ... The New York, Fort Wayne and Chicago
Inc. in IN, October 26, 1880
Partially graded, no location listed

Nickel Plate, Lessor:
The Chicago and State Line Railroad
Control to Nickel Plate 6/18/1923 FD 2919

THE CHICAGO AND STATE LINE RAILROAD.
 Inc. in IL, June 30, 1887
 Trackage, June 30, 1918:
 10.470 mi. First main track
 10.488 mi. Other Main tracks
 31.344 mi. Yard track and sidings
 Equipment
 No equipment owned
 No property constructed
 The New York, Chicago and St. Louis Railway (6/2/1887)

THE NEW YORK, CHICAGO AND ST. LOUIS RAILWAY..... The Chicago and State Line RR
 Art. of consol. in NY, IL and IN, April 12, 1881
 Art. of consol. in OH, April 13, 1881
 Art. of consol. in PA, April, 1881
 10.47 mi. IL/IN state line at Hammond, In to Chicago, IL, 1881-1882
 Upon Foreclosure, the property of this company was divided along state lines to succeeding companies listed, plus The Chicago and State Line RR. See New York, Chicago and St. Louis (above) for predecessors

The Lake Erie and Western Railroad
Control to Nickel Plate by means of operating contract, 8/12/1922 (FD 2471)

THE LAKE ERIE AND WESTERN RAILROAD.....
 Inc. in IL, February 10, 1887
 Trackage, June 30, 1918:
 708.250 mi. First main track
 9.015 mi. Second main track
 251.611 mi. Yard track and sidings
 Equipment
 Steam locomotives 142
 Freight cars 3,373
 Passenger cars 60
 Work equipment 121
 Equipment, leased
 Steam locomotives 10 from The Northern Ohio
 Freight cars 11 from The Northern Ohio
 Freight cars 2,077 from The New York Central Railroad
 Freight cars 119 from Mather Humane Stock Transportation Co.
 Passenger cars 3 from The Northern Ohio
 Work equipment 60 from The Northern Ohio
 By construction:
 30.11 mi. Bloomington to Peoria, IL, 1888
 The Lake Erie and Western Railway (2/21/1887)
 The Chicago, Cincinnati and Louisville Railroad (3/30/1887)
 Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville Railroad (5/28/1890)
 The Michigan City and Indianapolis Rail Road (4/8/1887)
 The Indianapolis, Peru and Chicago Rail Way (4/8/1887)

THE LAKE ERIE AND WESTERN RAILWAY..... The Lake Erie and Western RR
 Inc. in OH, IN and IL, May 19, 1885
 No property constructed
 Lake Erie and Western Railway (5/19/1885)
 Lake Erie and Mississippi Railway (5/19/1885)

LAKE ERIE AND WESTERN RAILWAY. The Lake Erie and Western Ry
 Inc. in OH, IN and IL, December 11, 1879
 22.48 mi. completed, Sandusky to Fremont, OH, 1880
 Sandusky and Fremont Railway (12/23/1880)
 The Lake Erie and Western Railway (12/11/1879)
 LaFayette, Bloomington and Muncie Railway (12/11/1879)

SANDUSKY AND FREMONT RAILWAY. Lake Erie and Western Ry
 (city of Sandusky, OH)
 22.48 mi. begun, Sandusky to Fremont, OH

THE LAKE ERIE AND WESTERN RAILWAY..... Lake Erie and Western Ry
 Inc. in OH and IN, August 4, 1879
 53.78 mi. completed, Celina, OH to Muncie, IN, 1879
 Indianapolis and Sandusky Rail Road (8/4/1879)
 Lake Erie and Louisville Railroad (8/4/1879)

INDIANAPOLIS AND SANDUSKY RAIL ROAD..... The Lake Erie and Western Ry
 Inc. in IN, September 3, 1887
 53.78 mi. begun, Celina, OH to Muncie, IN

LAKE ERIE AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD. The Lake Erie and Western Ry
 Inc. in OH, March 14, 1877
 10.00 mi. St. Mary's to Minster, OH, 1878
 9.85 mi. St. Mary's to Celina, OH, 1878
 Lake Erie and Louisville Rail Way (3/14/1877)

LAKE ERIE AND LOUISVILLE RAIL WAY..... Lake Erie and Louisville RR
 Inc. in OH and IN, April 12, 1872
 52.42 mi. Findlay to St. Mary's, OH, 1873
 Lake Erie and Louisville Railway (4/12/1872)
 The Fremont, Lima and Union Railroad (4/12/1872)

LAKE ERIE AND LOUISVILLE RAILWAY. Lake Erie and Louisville R W
 Inc. in IN, October 30, 1871
 No property constructed

THE FREMONT, LIMA AND UNION RAILROAD.. Lake Erie and Louisville R W
 Inc. in OH, November 4, 1871
 No property constructed
 Lake Erie and Louisville Rail Road (12/26/1871)

LAKE ERIE AND LOUISVILLE RAIL ROAD..... The Fremont, Lima and Union RR
 Inc. in OH and IN, February 4, 1865

No property constructed
The Fremont, Lima and Union Rail Road (2/4/1865)
Lake Erie and Pacific Rail Road (2/4/1865)

THE FREMONT, LIMA AND UNION RAIL ROAD. Lake Erie and Louisville R R
Inc. in OH, January 21, 1862
No property constructed
The Fremont and Indiana Rail Road (3/6/1862)

LAKE ERIE AND PACIFIC RAIL ROAD. Lake Erie and Louisville R R
Inc. date and state unknown
The Lake Erie and Western RR management states that no part of this company went in to making
The Lake Erie and Western RR, disposition of the property owned by this company is unknown

THE FREMONT AND INDIANA RAIL ROAD. The Fremont, Lima and Union R R
Inc. in OH, April 25, 1853
34.87 mi. Fremont to Findlay, OH, 1859

LAFAYETTE, BLOOMINGTON AND MUNCIE RAILWAY. Lake Erie and Western Ry
Inc. in IN and IL, April 30, 1879
No property constructed
Muncie and State Line Railroad (4/30/1879)
LaFayette, Bloomington Mississippi Rail Road (4/30/1879)

MUNCIE AND STATE LINE RAILROAD. LaFayette, Bloomington and Muncie Ry
Inc. in IN, April 28, 1879
No property constructed
The LaFayette, Muncie and Bloomington Rail Road (4/29/1879)

THE LAFAYETTE, MUNCIE AND BLOOMINGTON RAIL ROAD. Muncie and State Line RR
Inc. in IN, July 13, 1869
35.78 mi. IN/IL state line to LaFayette, IN, 1872
85.01 mi. LaFayette to Muncie, IN, 1876

LAFAYETTE, BLOOMINGTON AND MISSISSIPPI RAIL ROAD. LaFayette, Blmngtn & Mnce Ry
Inc. in IL, September 29, 1876
No property constructed
Lafayette, Bloomington and Mississippi Railway (12/21/1876)

LAFAYETTE, BLOOMINGTON AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY. LaFayette, Bloomington & MS R R
Inc. in IL, February 28, 1867
80.47 mi. IN/IL state line to Bloomington, IL, 1872

LAKE ERIE AND MISSISSIPPI RAILWAY. The Lake Erie and Western Ry
Inc. in IL, January 7, 1884
No property constructed

THE MICHIGAN CITY AND INDIANAPOLIS RAIL ROAD. The Lake Erie and Western RR
Inc. in IN, June 4, 1870
12.54 mi. Michigan City to La Porte, IN, 1871

THE INDIANAPOLIS, PERU AND CHICAGO RAILWAY. The Lake Erie and Western RR
Inc. in IN, March 11, 1864
No property constructed
Presidents and Directors of the Peru and Indianapolis Railroad (3/11/1864)

PRESIDENTS AND DIRECTORS OF THE PERU AND INDIANAPOLIS RAILROAD.....
. . . The Indianapolis, Peru and Chicago Ry
Inc. in IN, January 19, 1846
21.42 mi. Indianapolis to Noblesville, IN, 1854
51.66 mi. Noblesville to Peru, IN, 1851

THE CHICAGO, CINCINNATI AND LOUISVILLE RAILWAY. The Lake Erie and Western RR
Inc. in IN, October 12, 1866
44.33 mi. completed, Plymouth to Peru, IN, 1869
The Indianapolis, Rochester and Chicago Rail Road (10/9/1867)
The Cincinnati, Peru & Chicago Rail Way (9/6/1867)

THE INDIANAPOLIS, ROCHESTER AND CHICAGO RAIL ROAD. . . The Chicago, Cinci & Lsvl Ry
Inc. in IN, June 11, 1863
44.33 mi. begun, Plymouth to Peru, IN, 1869

THE CHICAGO, PERU & CHICAGO RAIL WAY.. The Chicago, Cincinnati & Louisville Ry
Inc. in IN, June 23, 1853
28.57 mi. Plymouth to LaPorte, In, 1855

FORT WAYNE, CINCINNATI AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD. The Lake Erie and Western RR
Inc. in IN, November 11, 1886
No property constructed

NOTE:

This corporation maintains corporate existence
Merged into Nickel Plate 6/18/1923 (FD 2919)
The New Castle and Rushville Rail Road (11/11/1886)
The Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville Railroad (11/11/1886)

THE NEW CASTLE AND RUSHVILLE RAIL ROAD. Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville RR
Inc. in IN, December 4, 1879
24.04 mi. New Castle to Rushville, IN, 1881

THE FORT WAYNE, CINCINNATI AND LOUISVILLE RAILROAD. . . Ft. Wayne, Cinc. & Lsvl RR
Inc. in IN, December 6, 1881
No property constructed
Indiana Southern Railway (9/4/1884)
Fort Wayne, Muncie and Cincinnati Rail Road (12/6/1881)

INDIANA SOUTHERN RAILWAY..... The Fort Wayne, Cincinnati and Louisville RR
Inc. in IN, January 20, 1866
No property constructed

FORT WAYNE, MUNCIE AND CINCINNATI RAIL ROAD. The Ft. Wyn, Cincinnati & Louisville RR
Inc. in IN, June 9, 1869

63.51 mi. completed, Muncie to Fort Wayne, IN, 1870
The Fort Wayne, Muncie and Cincinnati Railway (1/4/1871)
Cincinnati, Connersville and Muncie Rail Road (1/4/1871)

THE FORT WAYNE, MUNCIE AND CINCINNATI RAILWAY. . . . Ft. Wayne, Muncie and Cinc. R R
Inc. in IN, October 3, 1868

63.51 mi. unfinished RR, Muncie to Fort Wayne, IN
The Fort Wayne and Southern Rail Road (11/7/1868)

THE FORT WAYNE AND SOUTHERN RAIL ROAD. . . . The Fort Wayne, Muncie and Cincinnati Ry
Inc. in IN, January 15, 1849

Unfinished grading, Muncie to Fort Wayne, IN

CINCINNATI, CONNERSVILLE AND MUNCIE RAIL ROAD. . . . Ft. Wayne, Muncie and Cinc. R R
Inc. in IN, January 2, 1868

16.03 mi. New Castle to Muncie, IN, 1868
The New Castle and Muncie Rail Road (1/2/1868)
The Connersville and New Castle Junction Railroad (1/2/1868)
Cincinnati and Chicago Rail Road (2/12/1868)

THE NEW CASTLE AND MUNCIE RAIL ROAD. . . . Cincinnati, Connersville and Muncie R R
Inc. in IN, July 3, 1867

No property constructed

THE CONNERSVILLE AND NEW CASTLE JUNCTION RAILROAD.
. . . . Cincinnati, Connersville & Muncie R R

Inc. in IN, October 23, 1863
25.05 mi. Connersville to New Castle, IN, 1865
Cincinnati and Chicago Rail Road (2/26/1864)

CINCINNATI AND CHICAGO RAIL ROAD. Cinc, Cnrsvl & Mncc/The Cnrsvl & N.Cstl Jct
Inc. in IN, May 1, 1854

No property completed

Note:

Upon foreclosure:

Property formerly belonging to Cincinnati and Chicago Short Line conveyed to The Connersville
and New Castle Jct. RR.

Property formerly belonging to Cincinnati, New Castle and Michigan conveyed to Cincinnati,
Connersville and Muncie R R.

Cincinnati and Chicago Short Line Railway (5/1/1854)
Cincinnati, New Castle and Michigan Rail Road (5/1/1854)

CINCINNATI AND CHICAGO SHORT LINE RAILWAY. Cincinnati and Chicago R R
Inc. in IN, February 12, 1853

Some grading done

CINCINNATI, NEW CASTLE AND MICHIGAN RAIL ROAD. Cincinnati and Chicago R R
Inc. in IN, April 11, 1853

Some grading done

**The Lake Erie and Western Railroad, Lessor:
The Northern Ohio Railway**

THE NORTHERN OHIO RAILWAY.

Inc. in OH, August 14, 1895
 Trackage, June 30, 1918:
 161.744 mi. First main track
 21.833 mi. Yard track and sidings
 Equipment
 Steam locomotives 10
 Freight cars 11
 Passenger cars 3
 Work equipment 60
 No property constructed
 The Pittsburgh, Akron & Western Railroad (8/14/1895)
 The Akron and Pittsburgh Railroad (8/15/1899)

THE PITTSBURGH, AKRON & WESTERN RAILROAD..... The Northern Ohio Ry

Inc. in OH, March 11, 1890
 106.64 mi. Akron to Carey, OH, 1890
 The Pittsburgh, Akron & Western Railway (3/11/1890)
 The Cleveland and Western Railroad (3/11/1890)

THE PITTSBURGH, AKRON & WESTERN RAILWAY. The Pittsburgh, Akron & Western RR

Name change, July 1, 1887
 No property completed
 The Ohio Railway (7/1/1887)

THE OHIO RAILWAY..... The Pittsburgh, Akron & Western Ry

Inc. in OH, November 10, 1883
 No property constructed

THE CLEVELAND AND WESTERN RAILROAD. The Pittsburgh, Akron & Western RR

Inc. in OH, December 30, 1884
 No property constructed
 The Cleveland, Delphos and Saint Louis Railroad (1/6/1890)
 The Pittsburgh and Chicago Railroad (5/21/1887)

THE CLEVELAND, DELPHOS AND SAINT LOUIS RAILROAD. ... The Cleveland and Western RR

Inc. in OH, March 9, 1881
 54.10 mi. Delphos to Carey, OH, 1882

THE PITTSBURGH AND CHICAGO RAILROAD. The Cleveland and Western RR

Inc. in OH, January 13, 1882
 1.00 mi. in Delphos, OH, 1882

THE AKRON AND PITTSBURGH RAILROAD. The Northern Ohio Ry

Inc. in OH, October 4, 1895
 1.00 mi. in Akron, OH (reclassified as yard tracks)