



# Long Island Rail Road Collection, 1880 -

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Long Island Rail Road Collection, 1880-  
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This collection contains legal documents, a correspondence register, an accident log, ephemera, and memorabilia relating to the history of the Long Island Rail Road. The legal documents are particularly interesting in that they contain inventories of the entire Long Island Rail Road as of December 1880.

Box and Folder List

**Box 1 - Oversize**

Legal documents – signed affidavit with Long Island Railroad inventory attached, **Dec. 29, 1880**. The affidavit, which was signed by Samuel M. Hankin, a clerk in the office of the receiver of the Long Island Railroad, Thomas R. Sharp, concerned the case of “James Hood Wright against The Long Island Railroad.” The case was being heard at the Supreme Court of Kings County, NY.

Legal documents – signed affidavit with Long Island Railroad inventory attached, **Dec. 30, 1880**. (Note: The affidavit was signed by Austin Corbin, the new receiver of the stock, property, things in action and effects of the Long Island Railroad Company. This affidavit also concerned the “James Hood Wright agst. The Long Island Railroad Company” case that was being heard at the Supreme Court of Kings County, NY.

**Box 4 - Oversize**

Accident Report Book, Jul. 1904-Nov. 1905

**Box 1 - Oversize**

Correspondence register – *Long Island Rail Road Book No.1, 1910-1947*. (Note: book contains register documents on a case by case basis of hearings regarding the building or elimination of Long Island Rail Road track across Long Island. Lists case numbers, dates, cost, and locations.

## **Box 2**

Ephemera – L.I.R.R. Time Tables, **May 1925, Jun. 1943**. The 1925 Time Table includes schedules of the Bridgeport and Port Jefferson Steamboat Co., and the Collins Bus Co., Inc.

Booklet – *Suburban Transit Relief for the Long Island Sector of the Metropolitan District*, **Dec. 28, 1928**. An address delivered at the Second Annual Meeting, Long Island Chamber of Commerce, Nov. 21, 1928 by Daniel L. Turner.

Bulletin – Long Island Railroad Information Bulletin, Vol. VII, No.1, **Jan.-Feb., 1931**

Ephemera – cash fare receipt, **Apr. 1934**

Manual – Long Island Rail Road Manual of Instructions, **Aug. 1954**

## **Box 3 - Oversize**

Memorabilia – commemorative English Hi-Ball glasses (2), **1959**. (Note: glasses feature “The Route of the Dashing Commuter” graphics as well text that reads, “For 125 Years Main Line to the Mainland.”)

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Brochure – *1961 Sunday Tours of Long Island on the Long Island Rail Road*

*See also:*

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