To: FRRS Board of Directors, *Headlight* Team From: Paul Finnegan, Acting *Headlight* Editor

Re: Historical/Archive Department Headlight Magazine Report

Date: February 10, 2022

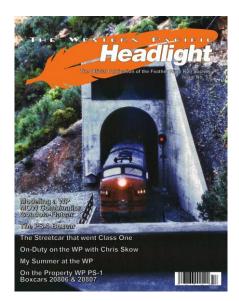
THE WESTERN PACIFIC Headlight Issue #53

Headlight issue 53's second review copy was sent out to the Headlight Team on 1/28/22. The issue has grown to be 36 pages, which is twelve more than the recent issues that were 24 pages. The addition of a map drawn by Eugene Vicknair and several more photographs accounts for the growth.

I have gotten feedback from all of the review team. Several minor fixes were made based on the feedback and the cover was significantly reworked (special thinks to Eugene Vicknair). What I hoped was the final review copy was sent to the team on 2/7/22. More changes were made and Review 4 was sent late on the 7th.

I met with Hassan of Pine Press on Tuesday, 2/8/22 to discuss some details for printing this issue. For discussion, he created a hardcopy proof copy of a preliminary file I sent him to prepare our invoice. Using this proof, I am doing a final review and have made a few more changes based on it. The last 2% seems to take the most work!

The original idea was to have some color and some B&W "sheets". But in discussions with Hassan, and looking at the proof, I decided to have all pages printed as color. It turned out the additional labor to do a mix of B&W and color made up for the cost savings since we print only 681 copies. I like the very slight blueish tint printing some of the old B&W photos in color. They looked much nicer.



I have gotten the current membership list and have an invoice from Pine Press. Unless I hear otherwise, I plan to publish on 2/14/22.

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The invoice for this issue is follows at the end of this report. The current estimate is \$6,990.27. The exact amount may differ slightly when we get the exact postage costs back from the mail house. Six hundred four issues are for members and two issues are for the archives. We will have 75 "left over" for sale in the Museum Store, the online store, at the convention and at vendors.

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the HEADLIGHT December 1941 (Editorial – from *the HEADLIGT* December 1941 READY FOR REVIEW)

Mileposts – Western Pacific Mileposts (from *WP Mileposts* October 1949 READY FOR REVIEW)

Modern Freight Cars of the Sacramento Northern and Tidewater Southern (Eugene Vicknair – needs a lot of photos and layout work still to be done. This is a very large article, current estimate is 28 pages.)

Pacific Fruit Express 52138 (Eugene Vicknair – draft completed, need to start layout.)

Publication target for issue #54 is in Q3/Q4-2022.



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