

PRODUCT REVIEW

Peter Arnold Photo CDs

FRRS member Peter Arnold has been a prolific photographer since the late 1960s. During the past few years he has been scanning photos from his collection and making them available on CD. There are several CDs available that should be of interest to WP modelers and historians. Most of the photos are taken by Peter or are from his collection, though photos from other photographers are included which make the coverage more complete. All photos are color, and with a few exceptions, most of the photos were taken between the late 1960s and mid 1980s.

Each CD contains high-resolution scans that can be enlarged to the point where the smallest lettering can be easily read, limited by the sharpness of the original images. The photos are a definite asset to anyone who wants to accurately model WP equipment. The following Western Pacific CDs are available, and also include Sacramento Northern and Tidewater Southern subjects:

- Cabooses – 145 images
- Boxcars (two CD set) – 252 images
- Flatcars and Hoppers – 190 images

- Covered Hoppers and Gondolas – 190 images
- Maintenance of Way – 171 images
- GP35/GP40/GP40-2 - 291 images

And while not WP, the most recent release should also be of interest to those interested in WP in the 1970s:

- Burlington Northern ALCO locomotives – 270 images

Each of the above sets are \$19.95 (except for the boxcar set which is \$34.95) each, plus shipping. The subjects are in most cases long-gone and the price of the CD is much less than you would pay trying to assemble a collection of original images.

The CDs can be obtained from the FRRS museum store, or directly from Peter Arnold. He has a website where information is available on the complete line of CDs and they can be ordered: <http://www.rrimages.net/>

or via U.S. Mail to
 Prototype Railroad Images
 440 Hillcrest Drive
 Prescott, AZ 86303

Peter will undoubtedly be adding more CDs to his product line in the future. We look forward to additional offerings.

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VOLUNTEER DAY 2013

April 27, 2013 will be our first VOLUNTEER DAY. On that day, FRRS members can come to the museum and learn what each department does, participate in special events, sign up for a guided viewing of the FRRS Archives and sign on to help with various projects and programs. Please join us in April to learn more about our on-going programs and find out how you can help! More details coming soon!