Pennsylvania Railroad Technical & Historical Society LINES WEST – BUCKEYE REGION CHAPTER

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September 2019 Chapter Meeting:

The Next Lines West meeting will be held on Sunday, Sept 8, 2019, 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm at the Upper Arlington Main Library, Friends Meeting Room —

2800 Tremont Road Upper Arlington, Ohio

The business meeting will start at 1:30pm.

The meeting program will be presented by the always interesting **Russ Thompson**. The title is *A Railroad Hodge Podge of Photographs*.

Bring your models, photos and artifacts

We encourage members to bring in models, photos and artifacts for display at the gathering.

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The Columbus Metropolitan Library recently scanned and posted nearly 40 images from a patron who loaned them images that her relative took while being a foreman for the PRR company for 40 years in Columbus. The photos date from the 1930s and 40s. If you would like to look at them use the link listed below.

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There are two photos labeled "PRR Coal Dock". Can any of you PRR experts out there confirm that this structure was in Columbus? And, does anyone know where is was located?

Photos from the Columbus Metropolitan Library Collection



Why would the PRR even have such a small capacity coal dock in Columbus?



It looks like there was a small bunker at ground level. Maybe this was for coaling up cabin cars