



SPECIFICATION FOR TAGS.

The tags shall be made of No. 16 blue enameled iron, with white enameled letters and figures. Punch eight holes in each tag 5/32 diam. as shown. Dimensions of tags and spacing of figures and letters as detailed on sheet No. 41. Letters and figures to be of sizes and style as given in full size on sheet No. 42.

Each car to have two tags, one on each side of car secured to side of seat box at the most conspicuous location. For cars of the Velocipede Type apply tag to the top rail.

When motor cars have steel frame, numbers and lettering may be painted on the frame using same colors as tag.

NOTE:-

Tags for motor cars belonging to operating department should be applied for to Division Superintendent, and for other cars apply to head of department. Record shall be kept of the tags distributed.

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SCHEDULE SHOWING TYPICAL METHOD OF NUMBERING MOTOR CARS ON THE NORTHERN PACIFIC SYSTEM.

NAME OF DEPARTMENT AND DIVISION.	LETTERING + NUMBERING OF TAGS			DESIGNATION OF CAR NUMBERS.	PRIVATE AND JOINT OWNERSHIP MARKING.
	NAME OF R.R. ON ALL TAGS.	CAR NUMBER	DEPT. OR DIV. LETTER		
Signal Department	NP	125	S	The numbers on motor cars for Signal, Telegraph and Engineering departments shall begin with No. 1 for each department, and shall be divided in three series, thus:- For Eastern district numbers 1 to 299 inclusive. For Middle " " 300 to 599 " For Western " " 600 and upwards. The numbers of operating department cars shall begin with No. 1 and upwards for each division.	If Ry. Cos. car is equipped with motor belonging to employee, add letter J, if both car and motor belong to employee, add letter P. (See typical detail)
Telegraph	NP	8	T		
Engineering	NP	76	E		
St. Paul Division	NP	2	SP		
Lake Superior "	NP	9	LS		
Minnesota "	NP	123	MN		
Fargo "	NP	27	FO		
Dakota "	NP	53	DA		
Yellowstone "	NP	90	YS		
Montana "	NP	4	MT		
Rocky Mountain "	NP	38	RM	OPERATING DEPARTMENT.	
Idaho "	NP	6	ID		
Pasco "	NP	21	PA		
Seattle "	NP	42	SL		
Puget Sound "	NP	16	PS		
Tacoma "	NP	2	TA		

N.P.Ry.
Standard Plan
of Track Tools.
Motor Car Tags.

Scale: Half Size. Sept. 16th 1915.

Approved:-
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