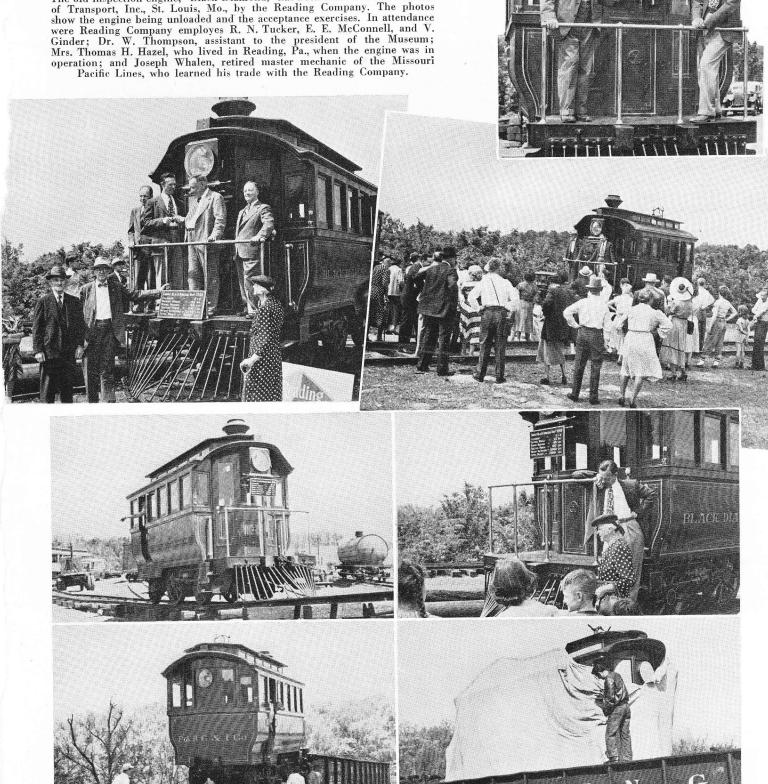
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"Black Diamond" Now a Museum Piece

The old inspection engine, "Black Diamond," has been loaned to the Museum of Transport, Inc., St. Louis, Mo., by the Reading Company. The photos show the engine being unloaded and the acceptance exercises. In attendance were Reading Company employes R. N. Tucker, E. E. McConnell, and V. Ginder; Dr. W. Thompson, assistant to the president of the Museum; Mrs. Thomas H. Hazel, who lived in Reading, Pa., when the engine was in operation; and Joseph Whalen, retired master mechanic of the Missouri Pacific Lines, who learned his trade with the Reading Company.



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