

**FCa**

**9900 - 9908**

(9 cars)

TRAILER FLAT CAR

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46' 7" I.L.,    70 ton capacity,    \_\_\_\_\_ Floor

9900 - 9904    built 1954    under AFE #19342    by    READING COMPANY  
9905 - 9906    built 1955    under AFE #19550    by    READING COMPANY  
9907 - 9908    built 1955    under AFE #19704    by    READING COMPANY

Converted from GM1 gondolas for TOFC service!

Longevity of FCa

9    = January 1957.

9    = January 1964.

AFE #19342    Convert 5 all steel gondolas, class GM1, into flat cars,  
=====    class FCa, and equip with special Tie-Down equipment.  
Authorized on 1-28-55 for \$7722 expenditure.  
Started 12- 6-54...completed 12-14-54.

GM1 23669    to    FCa 9900    on    12- 6-54  
GM1 21206    to    FCa 9901    on    12- 8-54  
GM1 24048    to    FCa 9902    on    12-13-54  
GM1 20251    to    FCa 9903    on    12-13-54  
GM1 25210    to    FCa 9904    on    12-14-54

AFE #19550    Convert 2 all steel gondolas, class GM1, into flat cars,  
=====    class FCa, for Rail Trailer service.  
Authorized on 6- 8-55 for \$3180 expenditure.  
Started 5-23-55...completed 7-18-55.

GM1 20903    to    FCa 9905    on    7-18-55    new Lt Wt = 52,200#  
GM1 21914    to    FCa 9906    on    7-18-55    new Lt Wt = 51,900#

AFE #19704    Convert 2 all steel gondolas, class GM1, into flat cars, class  
=====    FCa, by cutting sides from 51" to 24.25", removing ends doors,  
etc... Install tie down equipment.  
Authorized on 11-21-55 for \$3200 expenditure.  
Started 11-21-55...completed 12-30-55.

GM1 24099    to    FCa 9907    on    12-30-55  
GM1 20669    to    FCa 9908    on    12-30-55

READING COMPANY FREIGHT CAR DATA, CLASS FCa, COMPILED BY JOHN W. HALL

number	built	retired / sold	notes	FCa
9900	12- 6-54	7-22-65	retired	
9901	12- 8-54	7-22-65	retired	
9902	12-13-54	7-22-65	retired	
9903	12-13-54	7-22-65	retired	
9904	12-14-54	7-22-65	retired	
9905	7-18-55	7-22-65	retired	
9906	7-18-55	7-22-65	sold.....to Kennedy Van Saun Manfg...\$1500	
9907	12-30-55	3- 8-65	retired	
9908	12-30-55	4- 1-65	retired	

Kennedy Van Saun Manufacturing; Danville, PA.