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THE SHAY LOCOMOTIVE endures among modelers as one of the most popular of all time. Perhaps the T-boiler, two cylinder design, first appearing in 1883, even more than the traditional three cylinder Shay, embodies the backwoods charisma many narrow gaugers seem to prefer. A history and pictorial begin on page 31. Russ Reinberg photographed the On30 Bachmann model appearing on our cover.

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