

19. Deane Mellander's Shay



This is a Kemtron Shay in On3, from the kit they once produced. It took me about four years to build it, including a little help from my friends. The late Charlie Eckstein counter-bored the crankshaft bearings casting for a smooth run. Bill Day had machined an aluminum bending form to make the tank, which was a great help. There is full cab detail, a Grandt Line Micro-mo drive, a speaker in the firebox, and I scratched the cinder screen for the stack. This was more than 30 years ago, and it still runs like a watch. **Deane Mellander, MMR**