

### 3. Alex Belida's Little Flatcars



Aside from a scratchbuilt log-carrying flatcar, the only flatcars I have are these little ones I acquired back in 2017 when I started making my Eureka and South Pass Railroad layout set in Nevada in the late 1890s. In reacquainting myself with model vendors at the time, I stumbled upon E.J. Brannan's Cache Creek Scale Models. I was struck by his craftsmanship in making old-time HO, O and narrow-gauge logging, mining and maintenance of way cars—some of them just a scale 10' in length supported by a single truck. I couldn't resist putting in an order that including the water car and box car besides the flats. Sadly, Cache Creek is no longer in business. *Alex Belida, MMR*