

HOQUAT HOBBIES SPRING 2010 Newsletter

We are starting to get back into our usual state of partial confusion after the total confusion caused by recent local flooding which left us with several feet of water in the basement at home. My apologies for the slow service, while I've been spending time cleaning up at home.

Catalog corrections/additions

First order of business is to correct some bloopers in the catalog. The biggest blooper is forgetting to put a list of the Raggs to Riches kits in the catalog. I did manage to get some pictures in the catalog, but totally forgot to include the list of kits and the prices. Ooops! Ragg's makes some very nice laser cut structure kits. Below is the missing price list.

Raggs to Riches:

Structure kits

ODU-S Ouray Depot \$185	AGS-S Aladdin General Store \$155	DUD-S Durango Depot \$239
PLD-S Placerville Depot \$145	AGS-SD Detail set for above \$30	DP2011 Depot detail set \$65
DSH-S Delores Section House \$95	RND-S Randolph Depot \$145	WBH-S Westside bunkhouse \$28
BTH-S Telluride Baths \$85	STE-S Sanders Tank: early \$45	DCP-S Delores Conoco Plant \$220
BRN-S Brunswick Saloon \$70	STL-S Sanders Tank: late \$45	HUK-S Hukill Mine \$195
FDW-S F.D. Work building \$155	DUT-S Durango 75t coal tower \$240	DP1007 Billboards (3) \$12
OUE Ouray engine house \$140	KIM-S Gordon Kimball's store \$	

Parts/details

SHS-S Shake shingles* \$10	3TS-S 3 tab shingles* \$10	DIP-S Diamond pattern shingles*\$10
DP0002 Log set (4) #1 \$6	DP0003 Log set (4) #2 \$8	DP2013 Chairs (6) \$8
DP2014 Tables (3) \$4	DP2015 Platform scale \$4	

*SHS-S covers approx. 60" sq, 3TS and DIP approx. 80" sq.

S Helper

Freight trucks should have been listed at \$9.95, not \$6.95 and cabbosse and tender trucks should be \$12.95, not \$10.95

Flat car should be \$49.95, not \$42.95

Passenger Cars:

A correction and clarification in the photo section: the American Models smooth side car shown is obviously a baggage car not a coach. Items available individually include heavy weight coaches, Budd coaches, Amtrak coaches and Amtrak diners. All other hw, Bod and Amtrak cars are available only in sets.

Pine Canyon

My listing of older kits still available was not done correctly. In the older kits, the following are still available (most only one or two kits):

S621 Gas Station (w/o canopy) \$74; S330 Greasy Spoon \$59.00, S549 Pickles Delight \$59.00; #S641 Howard's Drive In \$129.00; S643 Doug's Diner \$79.00.

All the gravel and coal bins are also still in stock.

All the Cruising Main Street buildings are in stock as of today.

M2

The price got left off the M2 Autoauthentics – all cars are \$5.50 each. We are now out of all **except** the following: Release 1: #08-02 – Pontiac Star Chief, 08-09 Oldsmobile 98 and 08-11 Ford Fairlane.

We are out of the following later releases: Release 4: 08-39, Release 5: 08-49, 08-50, 08-55

New/Back in stock

American Models:

Box cars #1102 B&O B&O Time Saver Service, #1116L SAL R.E. Lee and #1147 B&M are back in stock (\$36.95/\$36.95 and \$41.95 respectively)

New releases – box cars: #01151 B&O Sentinel Service and # MKT@ \$36.95

Artista Accessories

Artista has released some new figures, we have placed an order from them and expect to have them in May. These figures can be ordered in either painted or unpainted versions:

#788 Engineer leaning \$5.99/\$3.99	#793 Sitting couple \$11.99/\$6.50	#798 Fire chief \$5.99/\$3.99
#789 Fireman leaning \$5.99/\$3.99	#794 Railfan w/camera, stooping \$6.25/\$3.99	#799 Firefighter w/nozzle \$5.99/\$3.99
#790 Brakeman w/ flag \$5.99/\$3.99	#795 Railfan w/camera standing \$6.25/\$3.99	#800 Firefighter climbing \$5.99/\$3.99
#791 Man asleep in chair \$8.75/4.99	#796 Dog house \$7.25/\$5.25	#801 Firefighter driving \$5.50/\$3.50
#792 Man sitting backward on chair \$8.75/\$4.99	#797 Three more dogs \$6.99/\$3.99	

Imagine That Laser Art

#7026 Park bench kit (makes 4) @\$5.25 and wagon kits @ \$6.00 each - #7015 closed milk wagon, #7016 open hay wagon and #7017 closed wagon have arrived.

Almost Gone list

Banta Model Works

These are the building kits we still have in stock – in most cases, only one left of each:

#4001 CB&S Ash Pit - \$24.95	#4086 Sumner-Plant House \$69.95	#bmw 122 Ridgeway Yard Structures - \$89.95
#4016 Lizard Hd Bunk House - \$26.95	#4104 Gato Depot - \$89.95	#bmw 123 Delores Depot - \$149.95
#4020 5 in 1 Outhouse set - \$32.95	#4105 Strong Depot - \$89.95	#bmw 126 RGS Water Tanks - \$79.95
#4021 6 in 1 outhouse st –	#4109 Gas Station - \$32.95	#bmw 127 Rico Depot - \$179.95
#4024 Elev. Crossing Shanty – 32.95	#bmw105 RGS House at the Trestle \$36.95	#bmw129 Telluride Depot – \$225.00
#4025 Dallas Divide Section House - \$60.00	#bmw 107 Oilton Club Saloon - \$100	#bmw134 Pandora Boiler House - \$74.95
#4031 Crossbucks - \$9.95	#bmw108 Mrs Skillen's Store - 98.95	#bmw 138 Stock Pens - \$89.95
#4044 Bridge Abutment set \$34.95	#bmw 109 Ophir General Merch. - \$99.95	#bmw140 Rico Wood Coal Bin – 49.95
#4051 Building in a Bag #2, Garage \$14.95	#bmw110 Ridgeway Sand House - \$39.95	#bmw 141 Rico Section Car Shed - \$44.95
#4080 Two Story Factory - \$100	#bmw 115 Ridgeway Office/Warehouse - \$120.00	
#4081 Silver Plume Bakery - \$68.95	#bmw120 Ridgeway Depot - \$300	

Grand River Models

Gregg's Grocery – one left

One of a kind items:

American Models

A local collector asked me to sell off some of his excess stock, this includes a number of older PA units (hi rail DC, all units powered) and Pacifics (also DC hi rail). These units have seen little if any run time:

Alco PA

Santa Fe ABA, freight scheme (blue and yellow) - \$650

New Haven ABA \$650

PRR ABBA \$750

ATSF AA war Bonnet (red and chrome) \$500

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Baltimore and Ohio (blue) – limited edition # - \$325

Southern ((Southern Crescent – green). Have two, limited edition #092 - \$275 and #098 - \$250 (#098 box has slight musty odor).

New Haven - \$275

Passenger cars

Also some original S helper/American Models 5 car heavy weight passenger sets, still in the original SHS corrugated shipping boxes (these cars are not lighted and do not have silhouettes like the current American Models sets).

Lackawanna, Missouri Pacific, Pullman (tuscan) - \$285/set

S Helper Service

We also just picked up a few new in box CHS cars - \$55.00 each

Original issue Ballantine Beer reefer SHS#00517 (#2)

#00050 UP stock car

#00066 PRR ss box car

#00131 PRR ss box car

#00548 NYC ds box car

S Scale America

Sinclair Oil tank car – NASG 2003 convention car #8831 (hi rail) \$50.00

American Flyer/Lionel

A couple of new pieces came in last month:

#48236 2004 TTOS BNSF icicle reefer - \$90

#48364 Gilbert 60 Anniversary box car – \$45

#48013 Conrail GP-7 - \$225

#48010 Milwaukee Road EP-5 electric locomotive - \$200

#48715 Milwaukee Road caboose - \$50

(Milwaukee loco & caboose \$240)

Pacific Rail Shops

Two assembled Erie 50' double door box cars. One is less trucks and couplers. The steps have been glued on backwards - \$20. The other has scale trucks and Kadee couplers installed. Inside it has visible a couple of pallets loaded with sacks. Roof walk needs to be reglued on one end. It also sports two different styles of steps on the opposite ends. - \$35.00

Personal items/Brass Stuff

While doing flood clean up and household reorganization, I decided there are a number of items that have been in the personal collection that will never get painted or run. Therefore, I am weeding out the following (shipping will be included in the price, if you pay by check):

Omnicon RDC-2 and RDC-3, one each - \$475 each..

Southwind Models PRR R50B express reefer \$250

Southwind Models Central of GA pulpwood car, factory painted _ \$150.

River Raisin Milwaukee Rd box cars, three different versions 40' 6" Youngstown doors, 40' 6" Superior doors and 50' 7" w/ double doors (Superior). All are factory painted, first car has been lettered (so so job) with C-D-S transfers, 2nd car partially lettered, 3rd car untouched. I'll toss in some CDS sets, if I have them, for any of these cars. \$225 each.

I also have a total of six River Raisin B&O N34 wagon top covered hoppers, factory painted grey, but not lettered.. Since I also have two lettered cars I am keeping, I am willing to part with four of the unlettered ones. John Hall has agreed to rerun the lettering sets he produced for these cars (the decals will be here in about 6 weeks). The painted cars with decals will be \$250 each. Since I had to get more decals than 6 produced, the decal sets will also be available separately for \$5.75 (I will have about 15 sets extra – if there is a lot of demand for these sets, it may be possible to increase the order, (which will decrease the cost), but I will need to have a flood of requests in the next week or two for me to increase the order size.

Gone List

SHS Undecorated horizontal ribbed trailers, Hamm Brewing refrigerator, LNE offset hoppers.

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