

EPKE MODEL TOYS. It was in 1946 that the first del Toy was introduced. In the few years that have ssed since, Model Toys have become recognized oughout America for their exceptional quality, irstible appeal and superb functional play features, see toys are true working models of familiar equipnt. They offer the kind of realism demanded by ungsters "who know."

-AMERICAN-LAFRANCE AERIAL LADDER TRUCK. is authorized reproduction of the famous American-France Aerial Ladder Truck is constructed of heavy uge steel and aluminum. The 6 die-cast wheels are ed with famous-make rubber tires. Details are razingly true, even to the diamond-tread, non-skid ning boards and ladder base. Scaling ladders, erating siren, bell and mock searchlight are stander equipment. Ladder lifts and extends by thumbew action; front wheels steerable. Overall length, ',' overall height, 42". \$14.95*.

-UNIT CRANE. Adjustable outriggers and jacks able crame to lift astounding weights, just like the al Unit Mobile Crane. Cab swings in full circle. anks control boom, hook and clam shell. Solid steel ith die-cast, steerable wheels and Goodyear tires. rerall length, 19½". \$12.95*.

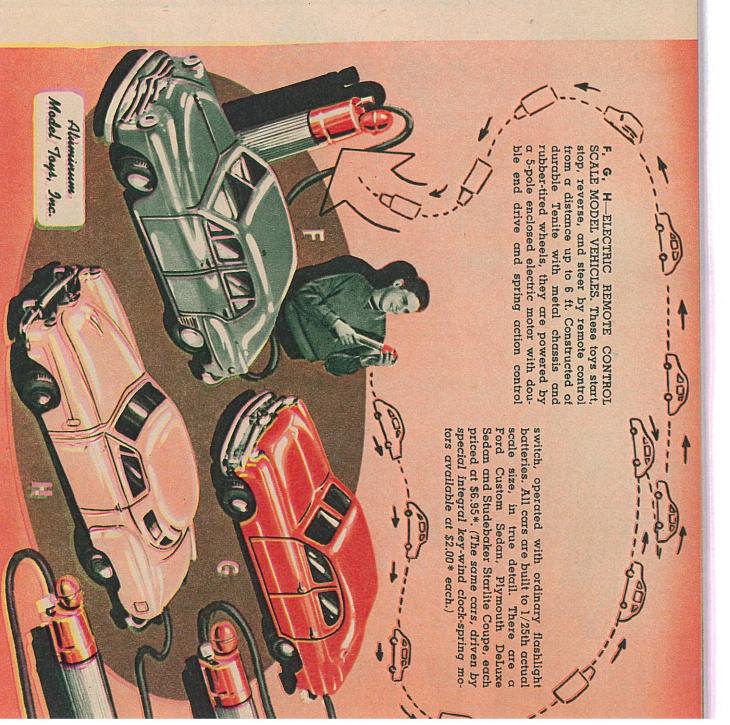
—BUCKET IOADER. Modeled after the well-known rber-Greene High Capacity Bucket Loader. 18" high heavy gauge steel, with caterpillar treads and ain drive. Buckets collect gravel, etc., then dumpads automatically into spout. \$11.95*:

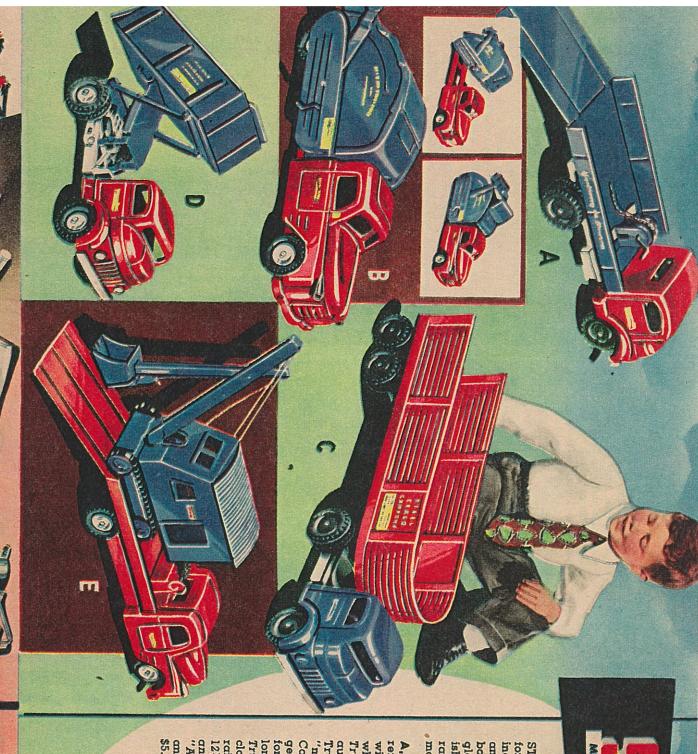
-EUCLID TRUCK. 27" all-steel scale model of the ant Euclid Bottom-dump Hauler. Hand lever consis dumping, tractor detaches. Rubber tires, steerble front wheels. Has many unusual play features id is built to withstand normal abuse. \$12.95*.

-ROAD GRADER. Authorized scale reproduction of e giant Adams Diesel Road Grader. Solid steel with ndem mounted wheels, 3-way adjustable scraper ade that turns in a 90° arc, and Goodyear tires. This citing toy measures: 26" long, \$12.95%.

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STRUCTO "LIVE-ACTION" TOYS are built for service. Among their many outstanding features are die-cast aluminum cabs and chassis, heavy-gauge stamped steel bodies, genuine rubber tires and high gloss, chip resistant baked enamel finishes. Additional realism is afforded by raisable hoods which reveal imitation motors on many of these models.

A, B, C, D, E. (A—Machinery Truck.) Has removable loading skid, crank operated winch with steel chain and 6 rubber wheels. 1234" long, \$2.19*. (B—Utility Truck.) Bucket raised by arank, top opens automatically, allowing bucket to dump. Truck also dumps. Raised hood reveals "motor". 21½" long, \$5.49*. (C—Steel Cargo Trailer.) Has retractable landing gear, floating tandem duals and reinforced trailer. 14 rubber wheels. 20¾" long, \$4.39*. (D—Mechanical Hi-Lift Dump Truck.) Also operates as pull toy. Sturdy clock-spring motor and brake. Dump body raises by crank. Front wheels adjustable. 12½" long, \$3.29*. (E—Machinery Truck as item "A". Cab on Steam Shovel revolves and crank controls automatic unloading. \$5.49*. (Shovel only, 21½" long, \$2.98*.)

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No. 151 Automatic Semaphore 4.95

When train is near blade is upright, and bulls-eye glows green. After last car passes, blade drops to horizontal position, and red danger light glows. Colorful, and handsomely detailed.

No. 310 Billboard Frames, Set of 5 for 1.00

Authentic outdoor billboard frames, designed to hold colorful advertising panels. Set furnished with each purchase. Place them all around your layout for realism.

No. 456 Operating Coal Ramp and Operating Hopper Car 15.95

and Operating Hopper Car 13.73

Here's exciting fun. Back your train up the ramp. The hopper car

couples, and by remote control you uncouple your train from the car and run it to a siding. By pressing another button the bottom of the Hopper car opens and the coal dumps to the waiting bin. A third button releases the empty Hopper car, and it rolls down the ramp to couple on the waiting train. All sturdily constructed and magnificently detailed throughout.

No. 397 Diesel Type Operating Coal Loader 11.95

This Lianel loader can be placed anywhere on the layout — no sidings are necessary. Realistic artificial coal is fed to rubber endless conveyor belt by clever vibrating mechanism. The coal is carried up the belt and emptied into waiting car. (Hopper car and

track section is NOT furnished with No. 397.) Included with accessory are controller and bag of artificial coal.

No. 145 Illuminated Automatic Gateman 5.95

Exciting action every time the train goes by. As the speeding train nears, door opens automatically and gateman rushes out swinging red lantern. After train passes, he goes back into his shack.

No. 252 Crossing Gate 3.25

This automatic gate lowers at the approach of the train, and raises when the train has passed. Correctly proportioned lamp on gate arm glows red.

TURN PAGE FOR LIONEL TRAINS





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Lionel "0" Gauge Four Car Freight with Smoke and Built-in Whistle 52.50

No. 2173WS is powered by the Lionel Penn R.R. Steam Turbine Loco — 20 wheels of great power, supplemented, as is every Lionel Engine, by "Magne-Traction". This set is almost 56 inches long. It consists of Loco and Tender, Milk Car and Platform (the milk man pushes the cans out on the platform at the touch of a remote control button), Oil car, remote control operating coal dump car, and illuminated Caboose. There are 8 sections curved track, 7 sections straight track, and UCS remote control track section; also lockon, lubricant, track clips, and instruction booklet.

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remote control track section, lockon, lubri-

track clips, and instruction booklet.

nopper car, oil tank car, gondola car, and ose. Complete with Lionel No. 1032 90 watt

a wealth of detail. Famous 2-6-4 type with KE and built-in remote control whistle. There

Lionel "027" Four Car Freight ith Smoke and Built-in Whistle 39.95 469WS features a massive, powerful engine

- ★ Giving added power to your Locomotives.
- ★ Enabling you to pull longer lines of cars.
- ★ Increased grade-climbing ability.
- * Much higher speeds without derailing on the curves

With "Magne-Traction" you can do at scale speeds what even the great locomotives on the real railroads cannot do. You can run your trains at far higher scale speeds without derailing on the curves. You can climb steeper grades — why a Lionel Locomotive and tender will climb a 20% grade with ease.

"Magne-Traction" is Sensational
See it demonstrated at your dealers. Get
a new Lionel Train this year equipped with
"Magne-Traction" and watch the wonderful things you can do with it. Now you can
build pikes with grades up, which your
Lionel will roll with the greatest ease. And
as for "spotting" your train at a given
stop — it is easy with "Magne-Traction".

Lionel Trains have EVERYTHING ELSE that makes for realistic rail-roading. Smoke—Built-in Whistle—Real R.R. Remote Control knuckle couplers, solid steel wheels, die cast trucks, and the most perfect scale detailing.

A—No. 6½A ERECTOR—THE ELECTRIC ENGINE SET. Build exciting action models like the Airplane Ride, Lift Bridge, Windmill Pump and hundreds of others with this big Erector Set. Packed with huge parts assortment. Heavy metal Chest, hinged cover. Has Electric Engine. \$10.95*.

B—GILBERT No. U-239 GEIGER COUNTER. Not just a toy—a real professional Geiger Counter that de-tects radioactivity like instruments costing \$100.00 and more! Clicks amplified in earphone headset; neon light flashes simultaneously. Battery operated. Prospect for Uranium, maybe win \$10,000. Gov't reward! \$18.50*.

C—GILBERT No. U-238 ATOMIC ENERGY LAB. See Paths of Alpha particles speeding at 10,000 miles per second; watch actual atomic disintegration; Spinthariscope, Gei Spheres, etc. \$42.50*. harmless and fascinating, Has Cloud Chamber, Spinthariscope, Geiger Counter, Electroscope, measure radioactivity of ores! Completely safe, Geiger

D—No. 1032 GILBERT PUZZLE SET. Big assortment of twisters and teasers. Have hours of fun with

AND HUNDREDS

OF OTHER

MAKE THESE

MODELS WITH

ERECTOR

Mysto Crosses, Spiral Wire, Twin Links Puzzle and others. \$1.50*.







WALCO—World's largest suppliers of beads and supplies for craft purposes to Boy Scouts, Girl Scouts, 4.I Clubs. Camp Fire Girls, School Systems, etc.—nov furnishes the same quality craft material in complet outfits, as shown on the opposite page.

C—CHARM CRAFT. A new handicraft for making charm jewelry—necklaces, bracelets, earrings brooches, pins, etc. Equipment includes 54 charm in plated metallic colors, also gold plated metal chain jump rings, clasps, beads, thread and needle. Instructions included \$2.19*.

D—SEQUIN CRAFT. This craft is a favorite with yound sters who like to decorate clothing, design their ow jewelry, etc. Includes vari-colored sequins, perforate sequin material, earring buttons and clips, colore beads, sewing implements and instructions. \$2.19

E—INDIAN BEADCRAFT. Beaded fobs, bags, belt rings, etc., can be made with these fine, colorful India seed beads and jewel stones. Patented plastic loon sewing implements, beeswax, ring kit and instruction included. \$2.19*.

F—SEA SHELL JEWELRY. Fashionable costume jewelr can be made with these delicate, pastel-colored, genuine seashells. Equipment and instructions include with this modern craft set. \$1.59*.

G—SNOWFLAKE JEWELRY. These dainty, colorfi "snowflakes" can be made into lovely necklace bracelets, and other costume jewelry pieces, also tin dolls! Illustrated instructions included, \$1.59*.

H—BEAD JEWELRY and MARIONETTES. Enable youngsters to make beaded animals, figures to be use as marionettes, also charm necklaces, bracelets, corpulls, etc. Material includes wood beads in varie shapes, special cord and needle, necklace clasp and illustrated instruction sheets. \$1.59*.

Replacement beads, stones, sequins, etc., are avaable at the store at all times. Prices on request.

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