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President's Message

The March meeting was a very successful affair with seventy-one members coming out. I hope everyone enjoyed themselves and hopefully we can top that number for the April meeting.

It was good to see **Jim Flett** make it out to the meeting; he seems to be recovering well.

I received a telephone call from **Ted Kozar** last week. He is out of the hospital and plans to make our next meeting.

Ernie Schmid, whom we haven't seen in quite some time, was also present, and from what he tells me he and his better half are off to warmer climes again in the near future.

When I wrote this column last month, it was just before the Cameron Show, The TTOS Canadian Division won second place in "BEST of Show". **Gerry** and **Patricia Shaw** placed first, all in all a good showing for the Canadian Division.

We had a great time running trains that day. There was a lot of diversity as far as the age of the trains on club tracks, I would guesstimate that the trains riding the rails spanned about eighty years of toy train manufacturing. Thanks to everyone who helped setup and tear down. A few of the set up crew traveled quite a distance to help out and then came back to help tear down. Thanks again for a job well done.

Bill Spaulding and his wife **Judy** hosted the **Pacific Northwest's Division** monthly meeting at their home on April 1. **Mark Horne** and I made the trip down and spent the day enjoying Bill and Judy's hospitality and of course running trains on Bill's layout.

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David Cook, TTOS Canadian Division President

2007 TTOS Canadian Division Meets

All meetings take place
at **Charles Rummel
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Meeting 13:00

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April 29

May 27

June 24

August 5 - 12, 2007

TTOS National Convention

Altoona, PA, USA

September 30

October 28

November 25

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PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE *continued from front page*

There are advantages to being able to hold a meeting at a member's home. Meeting new people, seeing old friends and running trains is a good day any day. I should also mention that the meal Judy served was terrific and my compliments to her for being such a good hostess.

If you haven't already reserved your club car then you should do so. Mark will be happy to accommodate your request.

The registration forms for the TTOS National Convention are now on line, if you have a computer you can check out the tours etc and it would be great to have more Canadian Division members in Altoona this August.

I hope to see as many of you as possible at the next meeting, we only have three meetings before the summer break, and so if you haven't made an appearance yet, now is the time.

Regards, David Cook

TOY TRAIN OPERATING SOCIETY

2007 NATIONAL CONVENTION

Altoona, PA

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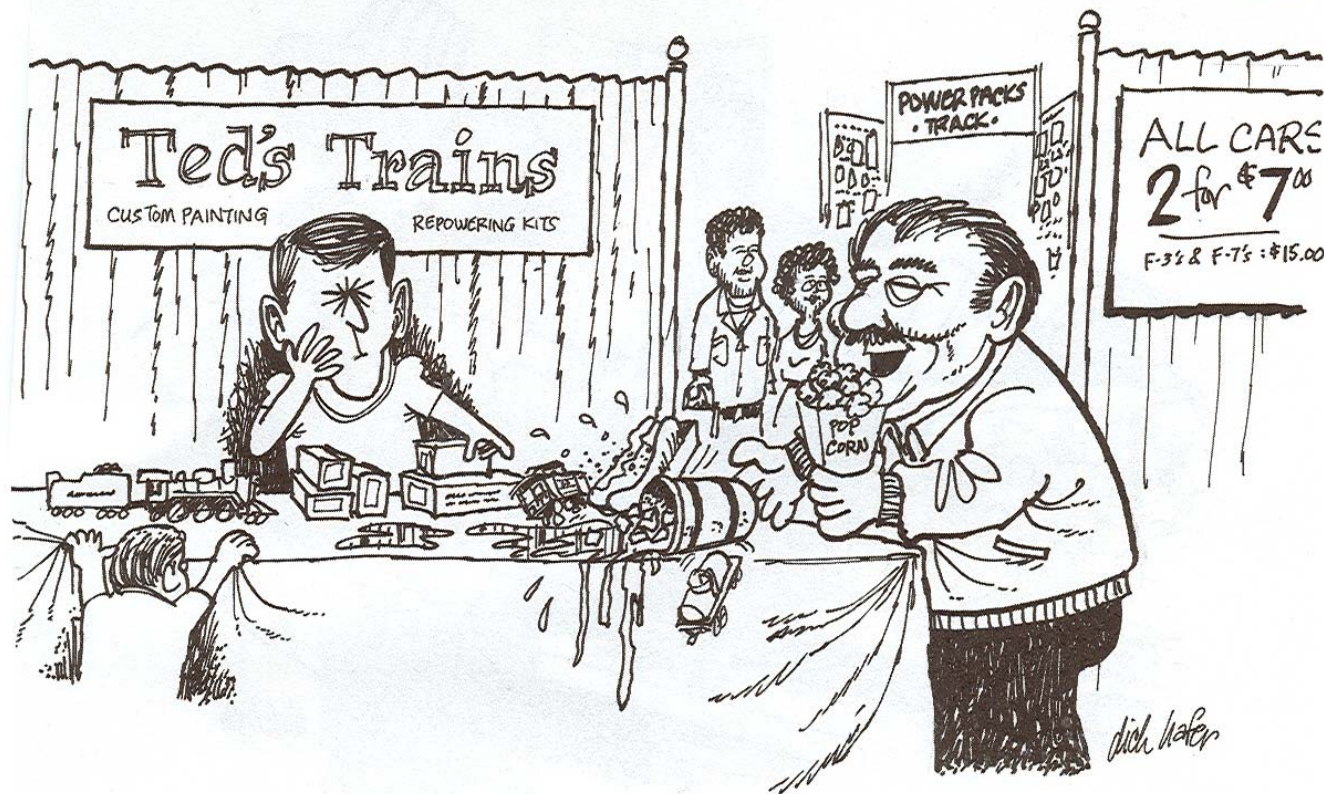
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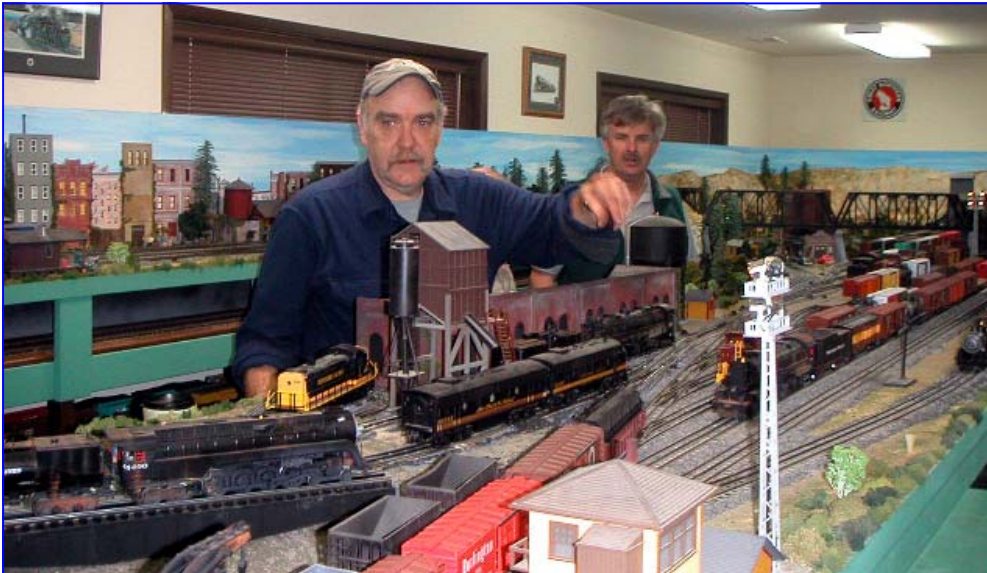
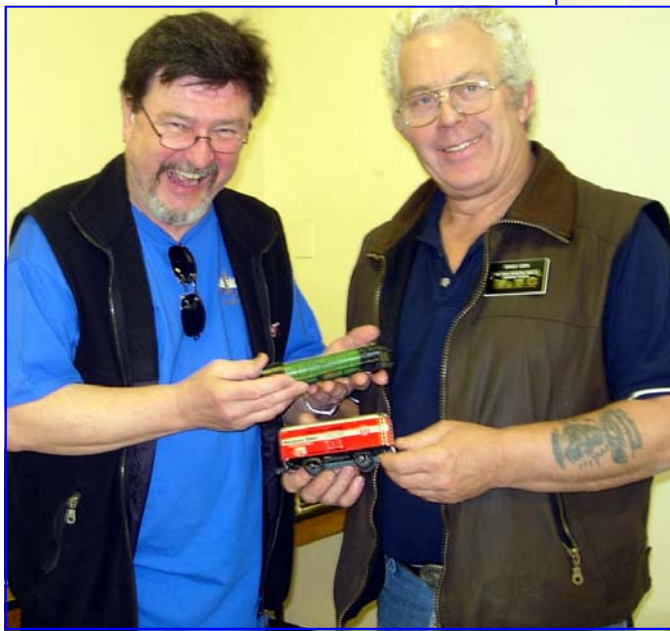


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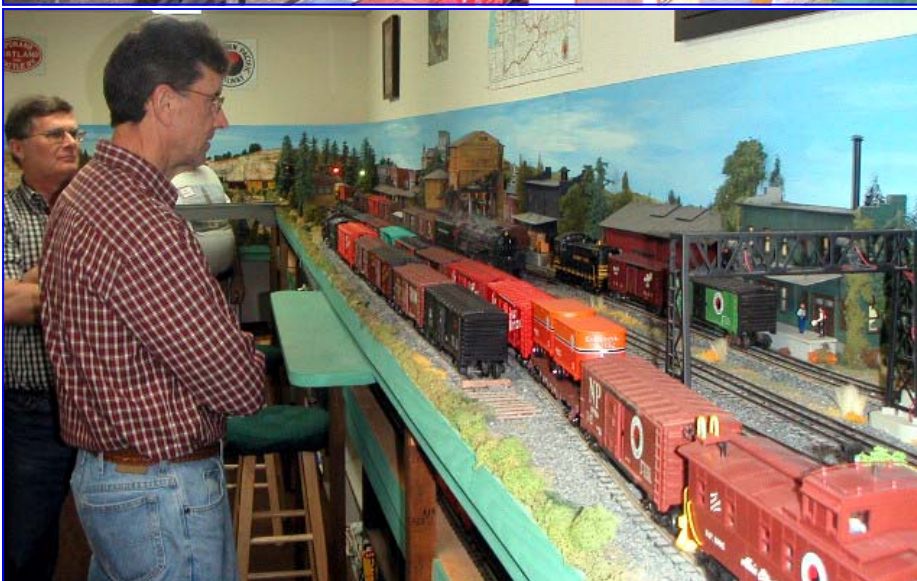
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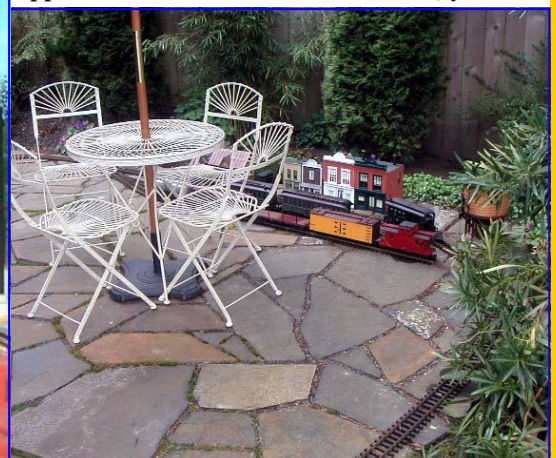
Above: **Vies Szalanski** brought in some of the toy trains he bought while he was in Europe last year for show and tell. Great Stuff!

Left & Below: **Bill Spaulding's** layout sure was a great outing for **Mark Horne** & the photographer — **David Cook** — who went down to Seattle for the Pacific Northwest Division Meet on April 1... Seems Bill even has toy trains in his backyard.

There were some great photos taken at the Cameron Show... Ernie will have them all online on the club website www.ttoscanada.org



Be sure to come to the June Club meet when we will have a slide show of all the photos that have appeared in the newsletter for the last 5 years.



TTOS CONVENTION NEWS

TOY TRAIN OPERATING SOCIETY NATIONAL CONVENTION

• Altoona, PA -

August 6—12, 2007

Schedule of Tours

Monday, August 6, 2007

Lewiston Rail Tour
Altoona Cultural Tour
Home Layout Tours

Tuesday, August 7, 2007

PRR Historical Tour & Layout Tour
Home Layout Tours

Wednesday, August 8, 2007

East Broad Top RR & Rockhill Trolley Museum
Proud Mary Lake Raystown Cruise
Lakemont Park Hospitality Night

Thursday, August 9, 2007

Rail Tour Around Horseshoe Curve
Women's English Tea & Fashion Show

Friday, August 10, 2007

Johnstown Flood Tour
Western Maryland Scenic Railroad Tour
Home Layout Tours

Saturday, August 11, 2007

Norfolk Southern Shop Tour
Everett Railroad Train Tour
Steam Excursion Behind PRR K4s #1361

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Sunday, April 15, 2007 **10: am - 4: p.m.** **23rd Annual Vancouver Island** **Spring Model Railroad Show**

Beban Park Recreation Center
2300 Bowen Rd., Nanaimo, BC
Canada

Admission: Adults - \$5, Family - \$10,
Child (6 to 12) - \$ 1.00,
Senior - \$ 4.00 NMRA - \$ 3.00

Info:

Ken Rutherford - 250 724-4698 or

Sunday, May 20, 2007

10 am—4 pm

Pacific Rails 2007

Model Railway Show

McKinnon Building Gym,

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