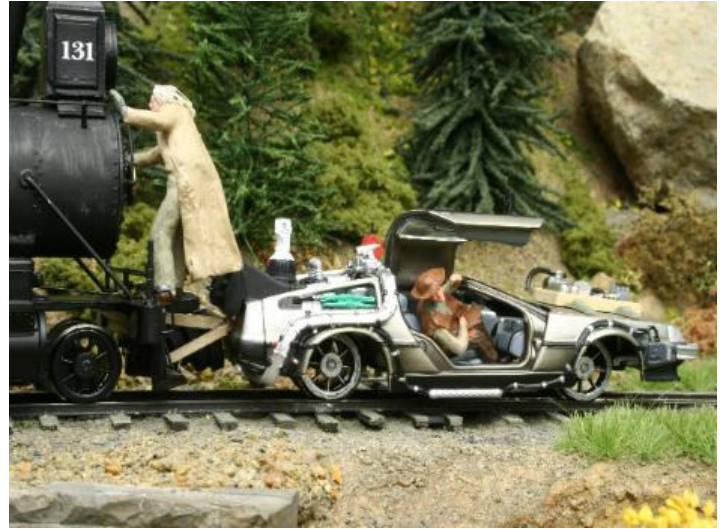


BACK TO THE FUTURE III PART III

While sitting on my butt and scrolling through the channels one Sunday afternoon, I stumbled upon the movie, "Back to the future III". As I watched the Delorean being pushed down the track I thought to myself, "That would be really cool to have an engine push a Delorean around my layout". Well here is the result of that idea. I started searching the web for pictures of the locomotive and stumbled across a young mans You tube video on how he made an HO version of the Scene. With it he also gave a down-load <http://i221.photobucket.com/albums/dd232/dafanimationstudios/loco1.jpg> of the proper decals to put on the engine.



All I had to do was tweak them to O' Scale to accommodate a Bachmann On30 Undecorated 4-6-0. The engine is not the correct engine nor the correct gauge, however this was just for fun. All I wanted was a representation of the final scene in the movie. The Delorean was a 1/43rd scale model that I put the extra pilot trucks that came with the engine and the smoke stack was turned out of plastic by a freind of mine. For those of you that have not seen the movie, here is quick breakdown. The scientist Doc and his friend Marty are trying to get back to the future. The Delorean was needed to get the time machine



up to the speed of 88 miles an hour. Problem was, when the Delorean came to the past it lost it's fuel so they needed to find a way to get the Delorean up to 88 miles an hour. They use a steam engine with special logs that boost the temperature in the boiler. While in the past, Doc falls in love with Clare a school teacher. Doc and Marty hi-jack the train to Push the Delorean. Clare finds out that they are leaving and chases Doc down and ends up on the steam engine also. This is the scene I chose to model. Doc is trying to get into the Delorean and Clair blows the whistle causing Doc to realize that she has climbed aboard the train as it barrels down the track to an unfinished trestle. Of course they all make it out fine.

with the train to an unfinished section. Of course they all have to say "no."

