



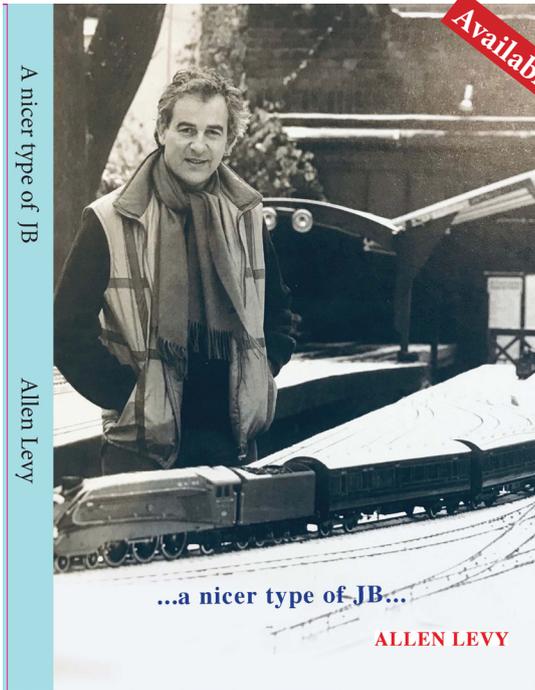
EMR/1 108 Metropolitan maroon gloss or matt Issued in 1996. This model was based on the No.2 Tank Engine in the pre-war Hornby Series, which went out of production in 1929. The original models were available only with a clockwork mechanism but the E/1 locomotives by ACE Trains have 20v electric mechanisms with remote control in AC/DC.

ACE TRAINS NEWSLETTER

Brilliantly Old-Fashioned

To the ACE Fraternity April 2021

ACE Trains did not exactly hibernate during the locked-up Covid interlude. I took the opportunity of writing my memoirs as I had reached a point where I could not envisage any more dramatic thrusts into the unknown. I did not want to become a latter day Don Quixote taking on any further conquests of derelict castles and windmills. Hornby and Bassett-Lowke were enough for one lifetime.



...a nicer type of JB...

ALLEN LEVY

Allen Levy, founder of New Cavendish Books, London Toy & Model Museum and ACE Trains memoir.

Picture of sample E/38 8F Price £695 see web site for livery variations, ie. LMS/BR and loco numbers and available from ACE Trains on 020 7727 1592 or mail your orders to PO Box 2985, London W11 2WP. This is another ACE interpretation that Hornby should have pursued as their client base grew older! We have now cloned the following former Hornby-Dublo creations namely our A4 range, Duchess range, N2, Castle, the pre nationalisation Stanier based 2-6-4 tank and now the 8F and in the future the rebuilt Merchant Navy.

The Ivatt 10000/1 will be coming through in July 2021 and the dummy version was cancelled. The retail price for all fully powered versions is £595.

Thus in March 2021 I ordered a small edition of my completed memoir and published it under the name Ladbrooke Grove Books which is an entirely owned subsidiary activity of the Allen and Charlotte Levy Partnership. The book comprises of 195pp, over 167 illustrations inc. 77 in full colour. It is a A4 hardcover and available via Charlotte Levy - charlotteamlevy@gmail.com or tel: 020 77271592 and hopefully some good book shops around the country.

Price inc. UK post is £12.95.

Please phone or mail your orders to PO Box 2985, London W11 2WP.

ISBN 978-1-80049-295-0.

For the sake of clarity and to avoid gossip being converted into fact I would state that the founders of ACE's policy going forward is as follows: At all times the name ACE Trains will be under the quality supervision of the original founders and likewise they will be responsible for any future editions being selected. All current and future production will be placed with our existing manufacturing sources which have served us well over the years. We have given our authority for the existing non delivered range namely the 8F expected late Spring 2021, the 10000/1 Ivatt Diesel expected July 2021 and the commencement of the C/19 Golden Arrow 40cms sets expected Autumn 2021. All these projects have been franchised and financed via Station Masters Rooms subject to the conditions set out above.

Although originally listed the rather exotic liveries of the E/34's namely red and white were cancelled by ACE Trains as they bore no relationship with the history of our previously issued Pink Schools which was based on a similar project by Lionel in the pre war (WW2) period in order to encourage wives to take part in their husband's hobby.

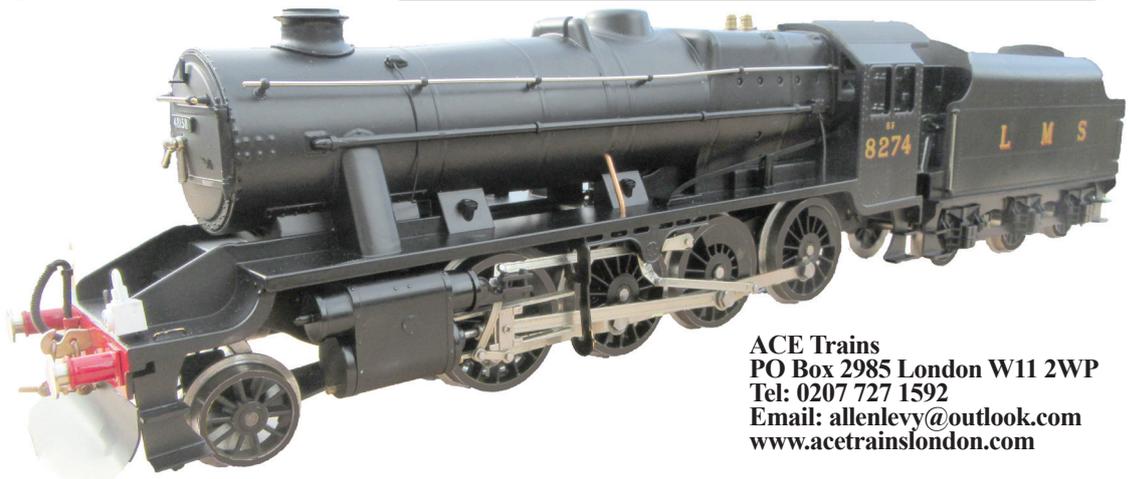
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