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Meadow River Lumber Co. # 1

2-truck Shay, Builder: Lima Locomotive Works, May 1910. Builder's no. 2317.

Cylinders: 10 x 12

Boiler Pressure: 180

Drive Wheels: 29 ½

Tractive Effort: 16,900

Weight on Drivers: 86,000

Sewell Valley Railroad # 1, Sewell Valley became Meadow River Lumber Company of East Rainelle, WV. Used as a switcher in Meadow River's mill yard. Shay patent geared locomotive typical of engines used on industrial railroads and a few common carriers. Huge Radley and Hunter balloon smokestack fitted with screen to curb hot cinders. Acquired by Nelson Blount in 1959. Only geared locomotive in collection.