

The Hornby-Dublo Two-Rail 0-6-0 Rail a Locomotive crosses Girder Bridge above a busy roadway. Dublo The Dinky Toys A . E . C . Mercury Tanker prominent on the road below.

HORNBY RAILWAY

By the Secretary

BY the time you read this more Hornby-Dublo Two-Rail equipment will have become available, and many of you will already have had the opportunity of examining these in our dealers. Some of you indeed will already have become the fortunate owners of a new Train Set, or a Locomotive. If not, you are probably hoping to be very soon.

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Last month I wrote about the first Hornby-Dublo Two-Rail locomotive to appear, the 0-6-0 Tank, a handy little engine that has been welcomed with delight and deserves to find its way on to practically every Hornby-Dublo Two-Rail system, as indeed it no doubt will. It is the first Hornby-Dublo Two-Rail locomotive to appear, and is only made in this form. With one other exception that I will deal with later, the other engines in the Two-Rail system have their counterparts in the familiar Three-Rail range.

As you may have noticed from the illustrations that are a feature of the Hornby-Dublo Two-Rail coloured folder, the Two-Rail locomotives in Hornby-Dublo bear names and numbers different

Two-Rail Sets and Locomotives

from the corresponding members in Three-Rail. The upper picture on the next page shows Denbigh Castle, which is the Two-Rail version of the Hornby-Dublo Castle already familiar in Three-Rail. The train set in which this fine new engine is included bears the name Torbay Express, and the engine and stock are appropriately provided with the necessary train name labels.

A small point to note in this connection is that the name of the train is a sufficient indication of the district that it serves, so there are no actual destination labels for the coaches. The title *Torbay Express* says exactly what it has to in the clearest

possible manner.

Freight traffic in Two-Rail is well served by the Hornby-Dublo Train Sets in which the powerful 2–6–4 Tank and 2–8–0 freight locomotives are included. The rolling stock in these sets is nicely varied. The 2–6–4 Tank Set has two wagons with new loads. One of them is the useful Low-Sided Wagon on which is mounted Dublo Dinky Toys No. 068, Massey-Harris-Ferguson Tractor, a dainty little model that looks well when conveyed in this way. The load