



YORK · 1831

ENCOURAGED by the success of the tiny *Tom Thumb* the Baltimore and Ohio offered a prize of \$3500 for the best locomotive that should be built for it. Phineas Davis, a watchmaker at York, Pennsylvania, devised an engine which was hauled by oxen for sixty miles to Baltimore over a hilly road and which went at once into successful operation.



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