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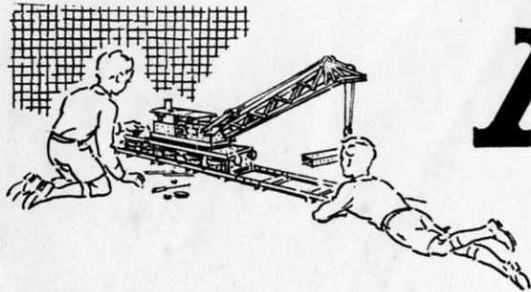
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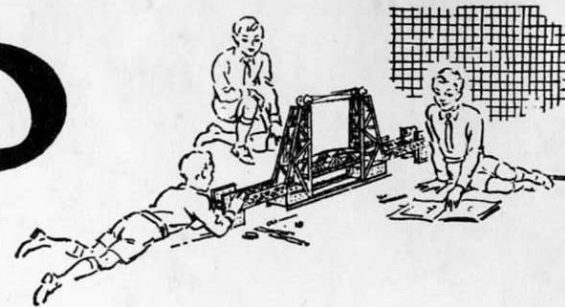






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*Real Engineering in Miniature*



## MODEL-BUILDING WITH MECCANO

There is no limit to the number of models that can be built with Meccano—Cranes, Clocks, Motor Cars, Aeroplanes, Machine Tools, Locomotives—in fact everything that interests boys. A screwdriver and a spanner, both of which are provided in each Outfit, are the only tools necessary.

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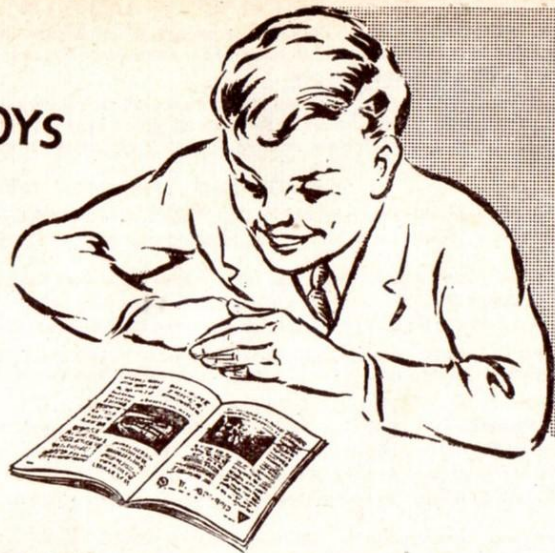
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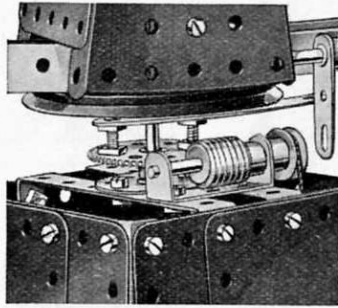
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# HOW TO BEGIN THE FUN



*A Worm and a 57-tooth Gear give a useful drive ratio for many models*

## THE MOST FASCINATING OF ALL HOBBIES

Meccano model-building is the most fascinating of all hobbies, because it never becomes dull. There is always something new to be done. First of all there is the fun of building a new model, and watching it take shape as part after part is added. Then, when the model is complete, comes the thrill of setting it to work just like the real structure it represents, by means of a Meccano Motor.

## A FEW USEFUL HINTS

Beginners sometimes wonder which section of a model should be built first. There cannot be any definite rule for this, as it depends on the design of the model. In stationary models the base usually should be built first. In most of the smaller models a  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flanged Plate forms an important part of the structure, and often the best plan is to start building by bolting parts to this Plate. For other models a good general rule is that the sections that form supports for a number of other parts should be built first.

Flexible Plates are sometimes used for forming curved surfaces in models, but they are not intended to be bent at right angles. With careful handling a Plate can be bent to the required curve and after use straightened again.

All Outfits from No. 2 upward include a Cord Anchoring Spring, Part No. 176. This part provides a neat and positive method of fastening a length of Cord to a Rod. When pushing the Spring on to a Rod or Crank Handle, turn left so that its coils tend to unwind; turn it in the same direction when pulling it off the Rod.

## THE IMPORTANCE OF "LOCK-NUTTING"

In some models it is necessary to join certain parts together so that, although they cannot come apart, they are free to pivot or move in relation to one another. To do this the parts are bolted together as usual but the nut is not screwed up tightly, so that the parts are not gripped. Then, to prevent the nut from unscrewing, a second nut is screwed up tightly against it, the first nut being held with a spanner. This method of using a second nut is known as **Lock-nutting**.

A Rod is usually mounted in a support or bearing, such as a hole in a Strip, so that it is free to revolve. The Rod is then said to be **journalled** in the Strip.

During the construction of a model it is best to screw up the nuts with the fingers, followed by just a light turn with the screwdriver, leaving the final tightening with spanner and screwdriver until all the parts are connected up.

## DRIVING YOUR MODELS

Models can be driven by means of either Clockwork or Electric Motors.

Small and light models may be driven direct from the driving pulley of the Motor or through a belt running over two pulleys of the same size, giving what is known as a 1 : 1 (one-to-one) ratio. For large models it is necessary to take the drive from a small pulley on the Motor shaft to a larger pulley on the driving shaft of the model. In most cases a 1" Pulley on the Motor shaft and a 3" Pulley on the model shaft will be found satisfactory. This provides a reduction ratio of approximately 3 : 1.

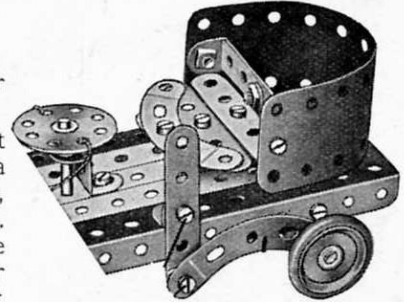
Rubber bands are very convenient for driving belts. Sometimes, however, a rubber band of the right length is not available, and then Meccano Cord or thin string is used. To tie the Cord to form an endless belt, use the familiar reef knot.

With the larger Outfits, belt drive can be replaced with advantage by gearing. To operate a slow-moving model demanding great power, such as a traction engine, gears that will provide a considerable reduction must be used. For example, a Worm meshed with a  $\frac{1}{2}''$  Pinion will give a 19 : 1 reduction; a Worm meshed with a 57-tooth Gear will give a 57 : 1 reduction.

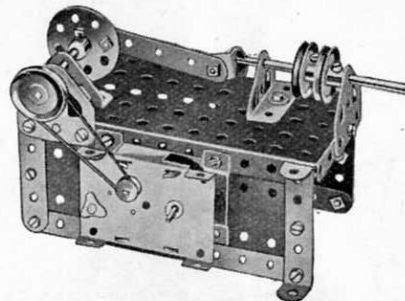
All the models in this Book were built up and tested in our model-building department. Some of them are shown fitted with a Motor, and provided that they are properly constructed the Motor will drive them satisfactorily.

If the Motor is to operate successfully however, there must be no excessive friction in the mechanism of the model. This can be caused by shafts and their bearings being slightly out of line, or by a belt or Cord drive being too tight. Before condemning the Motor therefore, first make sure that every revolving shaft moves quite freely in its bearings, and that the bearings are in line with one another. The bearings can be brought into line by pushing through them a Drift (Part No. 36c) or a Rod, before the bolts holding the various parts are tightened up. To make the running perfectly smooth, apply a little light machine oil to every bearing or pivot on which moving parts are mounted.

The models included in this Book give a good idea of the various types of Meccano construction, and provide a guide to the building of a large number of other models with this Outfit. If any difficulty should arise in planning a new model, write to Information Service, Meccano Ltd., Binns Road, Liverpool 13, and all possible help will be given.



*A Flexible Plate used to form a curved surface.*

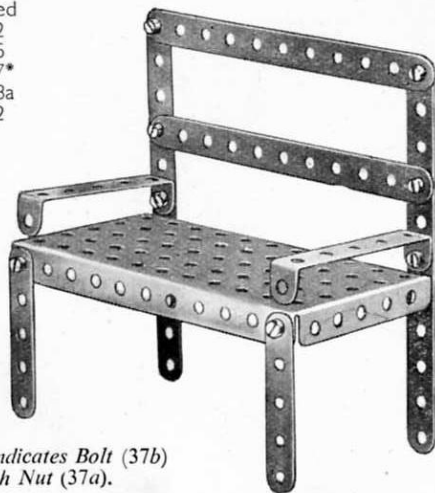


*A Magic Motor fitted to drive a Steam Engine.*



## O.1 GARDEN SEAT

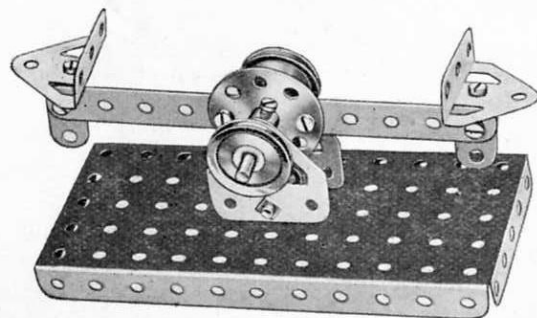
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 4 of No. 2  
 2 " " 5  
 10 " " 37\*  
 2 " " 48a  
 1 " " 52



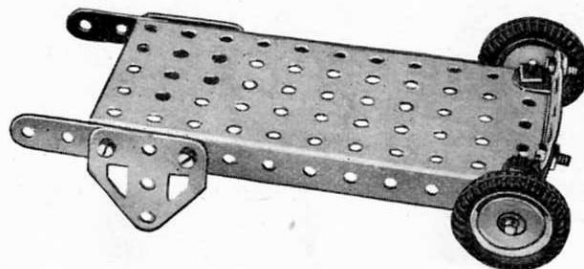
\*No. 37 indicates Bolt (37b)  
 fitted with Nut (37a).

## O.4 COUNTER SCALES

Parts required		
1 of No. 2	2 of No. 22	1 of No. 52
2 " " 10	1 " " 24	2 " " 126
4 " " 12	9 " " 37	2 " " 126a
1 " " 17	2 " " 38	



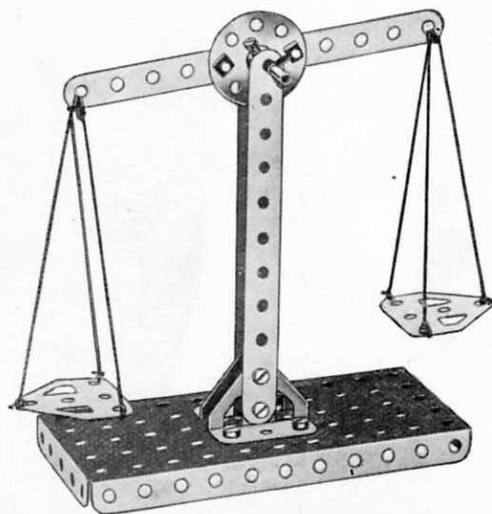
## O.2 FLAT TRUCK



Parts required		
2 of No. 5	2 of No. 22	1 of No. 90a
2 " " 12	8 " " 37	2 " " 126a
1 " " 16	1 " " 52	2 " " 142c

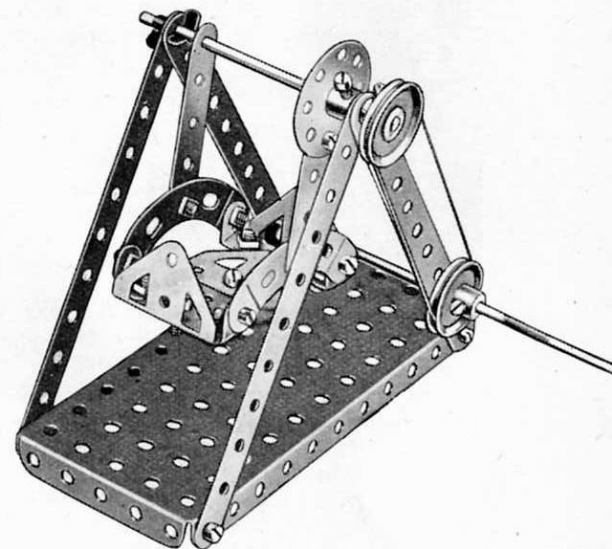
## O.5 SCALES

Parts required		
3 of No. 2	2 of No. 35	2 of No. 126
1 " " 17	10 " " 37	2 " " 126a
1 " " 24	1 " " 52	



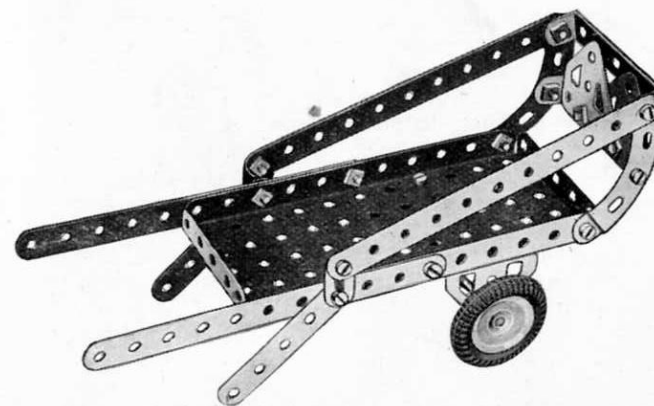
## O.3 SWING BOAT

Parts required  
 4 of No. 2  
 2 " " 5  
 4 " " 12  
 1 " " 16  
 1 " " 19s  
 2 " " 22  
 1 " " 24  
 3 " " 35  
 18 " " 37  
 1 " " 52  
 2 " " 90a  
 2 " " 126  
 2 " " 126a



## O.6 COSTER'S BARROW

Parts required		
4 of No. 2	2 of No. 22	2 of No. 90a
2 " " 5	16 " " 37	2 " " 126
2 " " 10	2 " " 48a	2 " " 126a
1 " " 16	1 " " 52	2 " " 142c

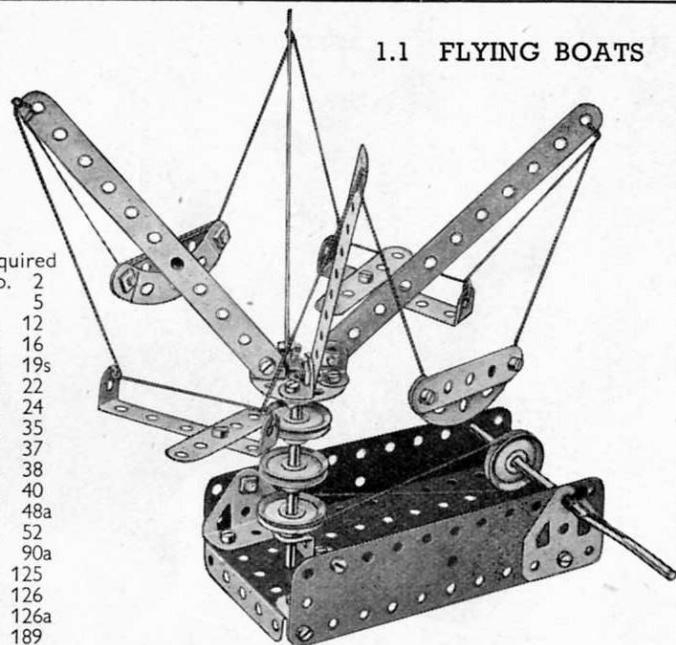




## 1.1 FLYING BOATS

Parts required

4 of No.	2
4 "	5
4 "	12
1 "	16
1 "	19s
4 "	22
1 "	24
3 "	35
24 "	37
1 "	38
1 "	40
2 "	48a
1 "	52
2 "	90a
1 "	125
2 "	126
2 "	126a
2 "	189

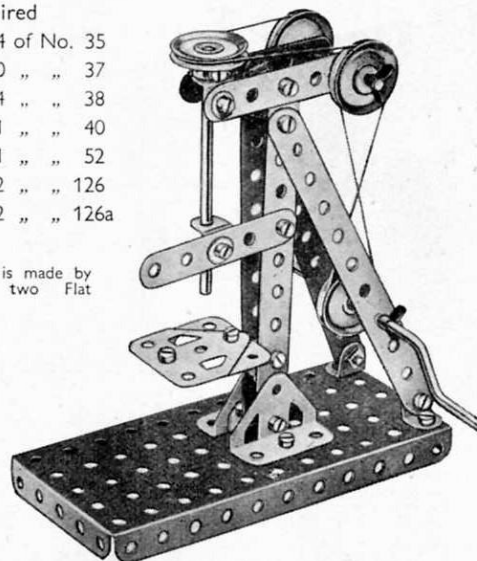


## 1.2 DRILL

Parts required

4 of No.	2	4 of No.	35
3 "	5	20 "	37
8 "	12	4 "	38
1 "	16	1 "	40
1 "	17	1 "	52
1 "	19s	2 "	126
4 "	22	2 "	126a

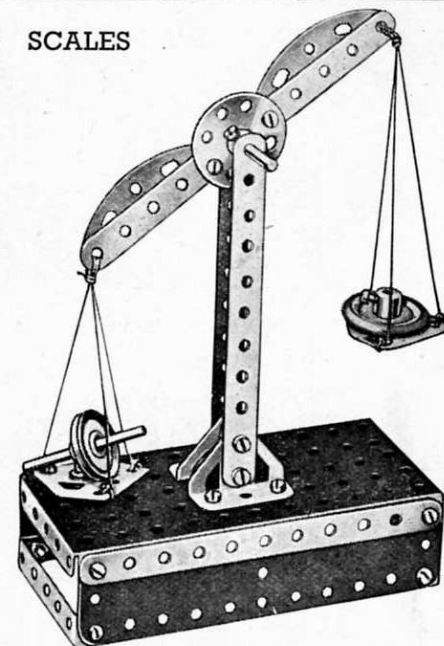
The drill table is made by bolting together two Flat Trunnions.



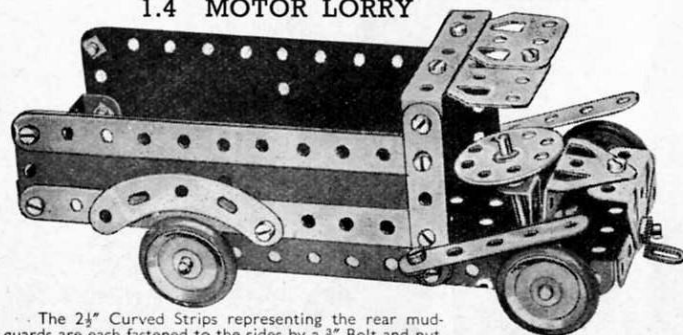
## 1.3 SCALES

Parts required

4 of No.	2
2 "	5
2 "	17
2 "	22
1 "	24
19 "	37
1 "	38
1 "	40
2 "	48a
1 "	52
2 "	90a
1 "	111c
2 "	126
2 "	126a
1 "	155
2 "	189



## 1.4 MOTOR LORRY

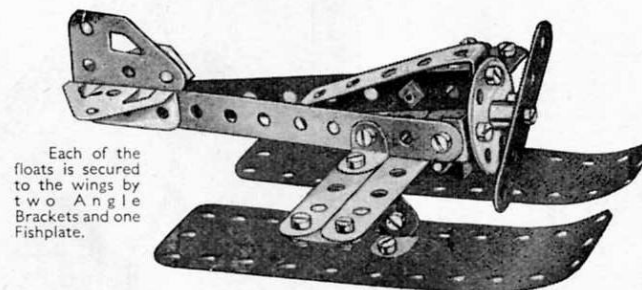


The 2½" Curved Strips representing the rear mudguards are each fastened to the sides by a ½" Bolt and nut, with a Spring Clip between the mudguards and the 5½" Strip to form a distance piece.

Parts required

4 of No.	2	1 of No.	17	19 of No.	37	2 of No.	90a	2 of No.	126a
4 "	5	4 "	22	4 "	37a	3 "	111c	4 "	155
3 "	12	1 "	24	2 "	48a	1 "	125	2 "	189
2 "	16	2 "	35	1 "	52	2 "	126		

## 1.5 RACING SEAPLANE



Each of the floats is secured to the wings by two Angle Brackets and one Fishplate.

Parts required

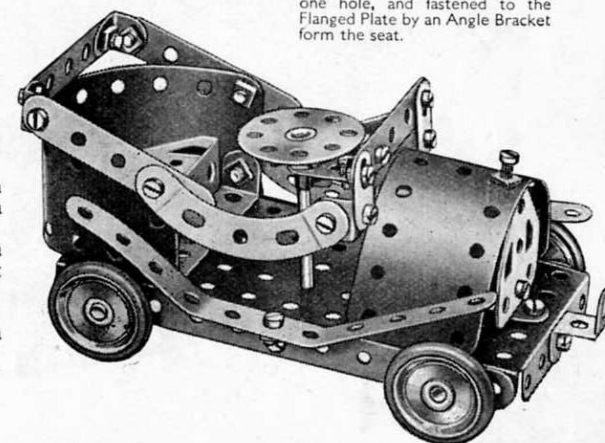
3 of No.	2	1 of No.	24	2 of No.	111c
3 "	5	19 "	37	2 "	126
4 "	10	1 "	37a	1 "	126a
8 "	12	1 "	48a	2 "	189

## 1.6 KIDDIE CAR

Parts required

4 of No.	2
4 "	5
3 "	10
7 "	12
2 "	16
1 "	17
4 "	22
1 "	24
1 "	35
24 "	37
3 "	37a
2 "	48a
1 "	52
2 "	90a
2 "	111c
1 "	125
2 "	126
1 "	126a
4 "	155
2 "	189

Two Trunnions overlapped one hole, and fastened to the Flanged Plate by an Angle Bracket form the seat.





## 1.7 SIDE TIPPING WAGON

## Parts required

3 of No. 2	1 of No. 40
4 " " 5	2 " " 48a
4 " " 10	1 " " 52
7 " " 12	2 " " 90a
2 " " 16	4 " " 111c
1 " " 17	1 " " 125
4 " " 22	2 " " 126
1 " " 24	2 " " 126a
24 " " 37	4 " " 155
4 " " 37a	2 " " 189
3 " " 38	1 Magic Motor

(Not included in Outfit)

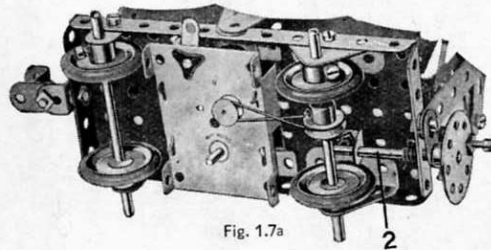
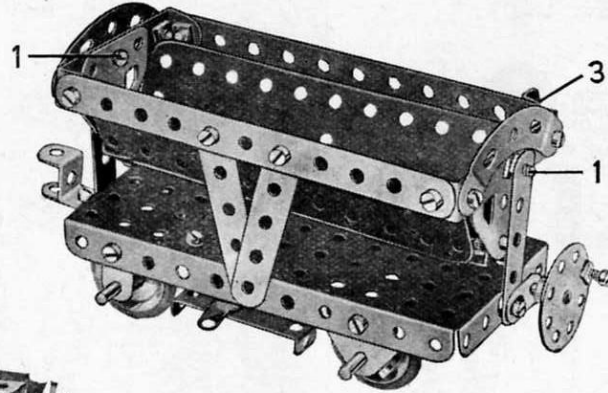


Fig. 1.7a



Each of the Bolts 1 is lock-nutted. A piece of Cord is fastened to the Rod 2 (Fig. 1.7a) wrapped round it two or three times, and then is taken through the hole in the Flanged Plate above the Rod and secured to the Angle Bracket 3.

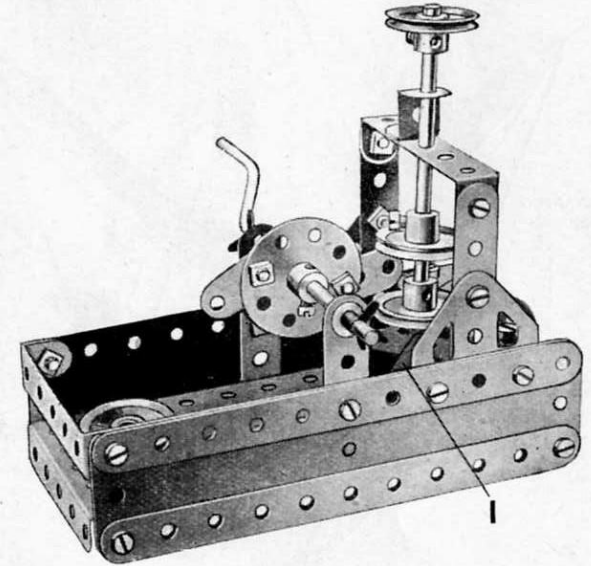
By turning the Bush Wheel the container is tipped sideways.

## 1.8 STAMPING MILL

The anvil 1 is made up of two Trunnions bolted together. When the Crank Handle is rotated, the Fishplates bolted to the Bush Wheel strike the centre 1" Pulley on the hammer shaft and cause it to rise and fall.

## Parts required

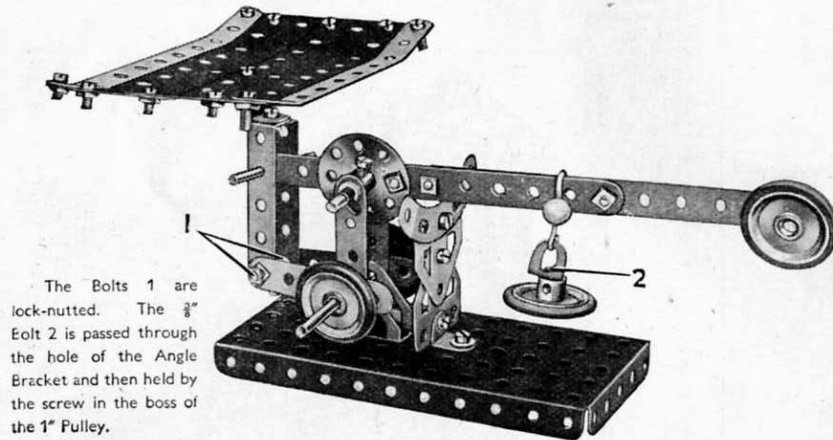
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4 " " 10	2 " " 48a
4 " " 12	1 " " 52
1 " " 16	1 " " 90a
1 " " 19s	4 " " 111c
4 " " 22	1 " " 125
1 " " 24	2 " " 126
2 " " 35	2 " " 126a
24 " " 37	2 " " 189



## 1.9 LETTER BALANCE

## Parts required

4 of No. 2	4 of No. 22	1 of No. 40	1 of No. 125
4 " " 5	1 " " 24	2 " " 48a	2 " " 126
4 " " 10	2 " " 35	1 " " 52	2 " " 126a
2 " " 12	20 " " 37	1 " " 57c	4 " " 155
1 " " 16	4 " " 37a	2 " " 90a	2 " " 189
2 " " 17	2 " " 38	4 " " 111c	
4 " " 22	1 " " 37		
1 " " 24	4 " " 37a		
4 " " 35	4 " " 38		
24 " " 37	2 " " 48a		
4 " " 37a	1 " " 52		
4 " " 38	1 " " 57c		
2 " " 48a	1 " " 90a		
1 " " 52	4 " " 111c		
1 " " 57c	1 " " 125		
1 " " 90a	2 " " 126		
4 " " 111c	2 " " 126a		
1 " " 125	4 " " 155		
2 " " 126	2 " " 189		
2 " " 126a			
4 " " 155			
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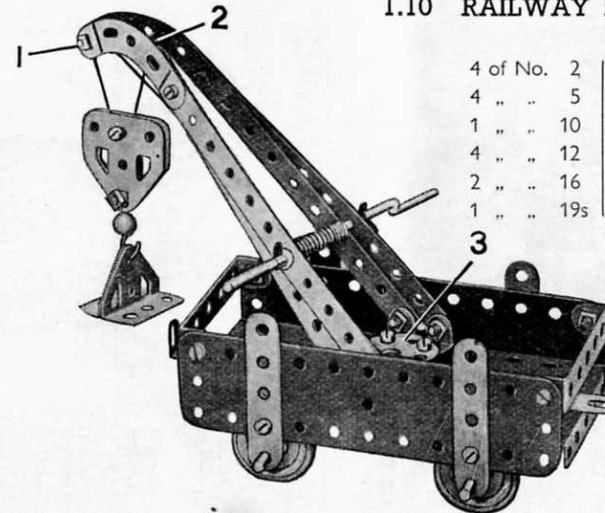


The Bolts 1 are lock-nutted. The 3/8" Bolt 2 is passed through the hole of the Angle Bracket and then held by the screw in the boss of the 1" Pulley.

## 1.10 RAILWAY BREAKDOWN CRANE

## Parts required

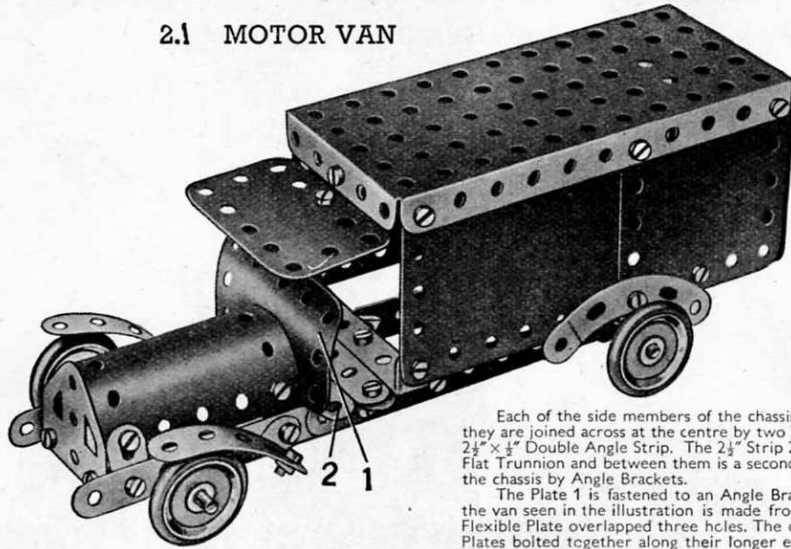
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4 " " 5	1 " " 24	2 " " 48a	2 " " 126
1 " " 10	2 " " 35	1 " " 52	2 " " 126a
4 " " 12	20 " " 37	1 " " 57c	4 " " 155
2 " " 16	4 " " 37a	2 " " 90a	2 " " 189
1 " " 19s	2 " " 38	4 " " 111c	



The hoisting Cord is secured to the Crank Handle, and then led over the 3/8" Bolt 1. It is then passed through the pulley block and fastened to the jib at 2. The jib is attached to the Bush Wheel 3 by means of Angle Brackets, and the complete unit is pivoted as follows. A 3/8" Bolt is passed through the 5 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flanged Plate from the underside, and is secured in the boss of the Bush Wheel by its screw.



## 2.1 MOTOR VAN



## Parts required

4 of No. 2	1 of No. 52
4 " " 5	2 " " 90a
4 " " 10	1 " " 126
8 " " 12	2 " " 126a
2 " " 16	4 " " 155
4 " " 22	2 " " 188
4 " " 35	2 " " 189
40 " " 37	2 " " 190
4 " " 38	1 " " 191
2 " " 48a	1 " " 199

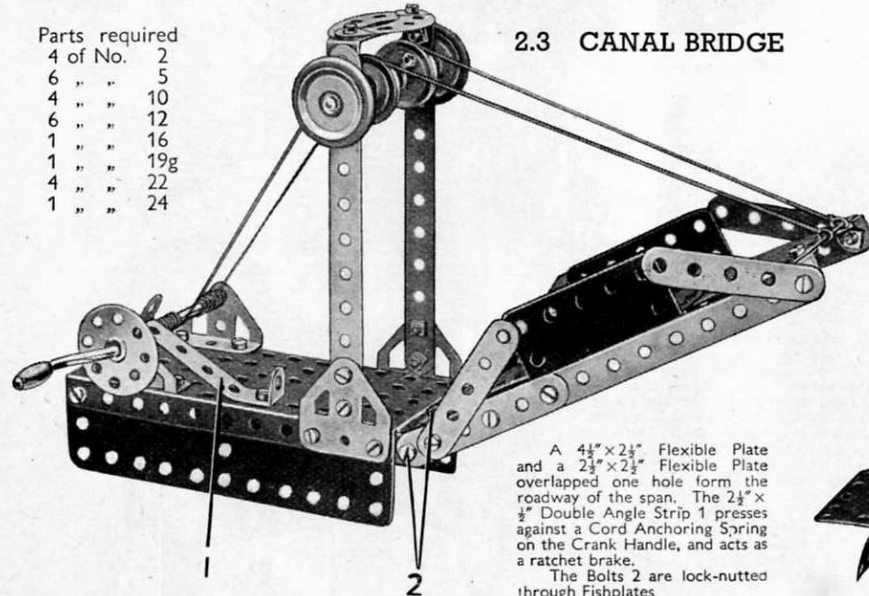
Each of the side members of the chassis consists of two 5 1/2" Strips overlapped, and they are joined across at the centre by two 2 1/2" Strips, one of which is shown at 2, and a 2 1/2" x 1/2" Double Angle Strip. The 2 1/2" Strip 2 and the Double Angle Strip are bolted to a Flat Trunnion and between them is a second 2 1/2" Strip, which is fastened at each end to the chassis by Angle Brackets.

The Plate 1 is fastened to an Angle Bracket that is bolted to Strip 2. The side of the van seen in the illustration is made from a 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate and a 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate overlapped three holes. The other side consists of two 5 1/2" x 1 1/2" Flexible Plates bolted together along their longer edges. The body is fixed to the chassis by a Double Angle Strip and an Angle Bracket.

## 2.3 CANAL BRIDGE

Parts required

4 of No. 2
6 " " 5
4 " " 10
6 " " 12
1 " " 16
1 " " 19g
4 " " 22
1 " " 24



A 4 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate and a 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate overlapped one hole form the roadway of the span. The 2 1/2" x 1/2" Double Angle Strip 1 presses against a Cord Anchoring Spring on the Crank Handle, and acts as a ratchet brake.

The Bolts 2 are lock-nutted through Fishplates

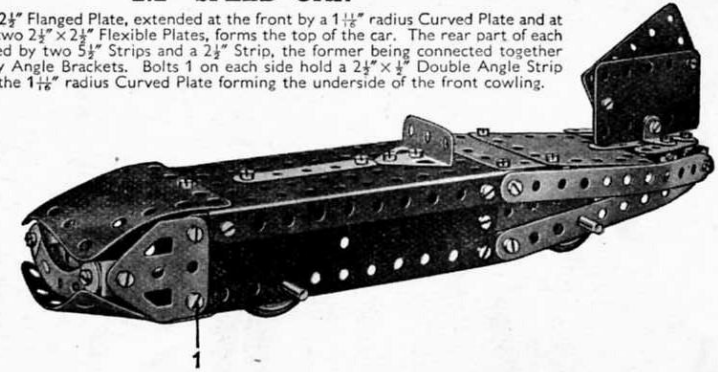
## Parts required (continued)

39 of No. 37
2 " " 37a
2 " " 38
2 " " 48a
1 " " 52
2 " " 90a
2 " " 126
2 " " 126a
2 " " 155
1 " " 176
2 " " 188
2 " " 189
2 " " 190
1 " " 191
1 " " 199
1 " " 200



## 2.2 SPEED CAR

A 5 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flanged Plate, extended at the front by a 1 1/2" radius Curved Plate and at the rear by two 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plates, forms the top of the car. The rear part of each side is formed by two 5 1/2" Strips and a 2 1/2" Strip, the former being connected together at the tail by Angle Brackets. Bolts 1 on each side hold a 2 1/2" x 1/2" Double Angle Strip that carries the 1 1/2" radius Curved Plate forming the underside of the front cowling.



## Parts required

4 of No. 2	4 of No. 22	1 of No. 52	2 of No. 188
6 " " 5	38 " " 37	2 " " 90a	2 " " 189
2 " " 10	1 " " 37a	1 " " 126	2 " " 190
4 " " 12	4 " " 38	2 " " 126a	2 " " 200
2 " " 16	2 " " 48a	4 " " 155	

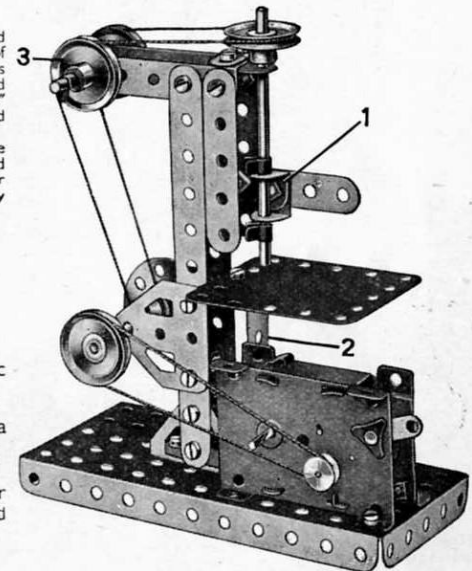
## 2.4 DRILLING MACHINE

The horizontal 2 1/2" Strips at the top of the drill are joined together, and also to the vertical 2 1/2" Strips, by means of Angle Brackets. The lower bearings 1 are two Angle Brackets bolted to a 2 1/2" Strip, and the Rod forming the drill is journaled in these, and in a Fishplate at its upper end. A 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate is supported by a Double Angle Strip 2, and represents the table.

The drive is taken from the Motor to the 1" Pulley on the lower shaft. A second driving belt passes round the 1/2" fixed Pulley supplied with the Motor, which is also fixed on the lower shaft, round the two Pulleys at 3, and finally round the 1" Pulley fastened on the vertical drill shaft.

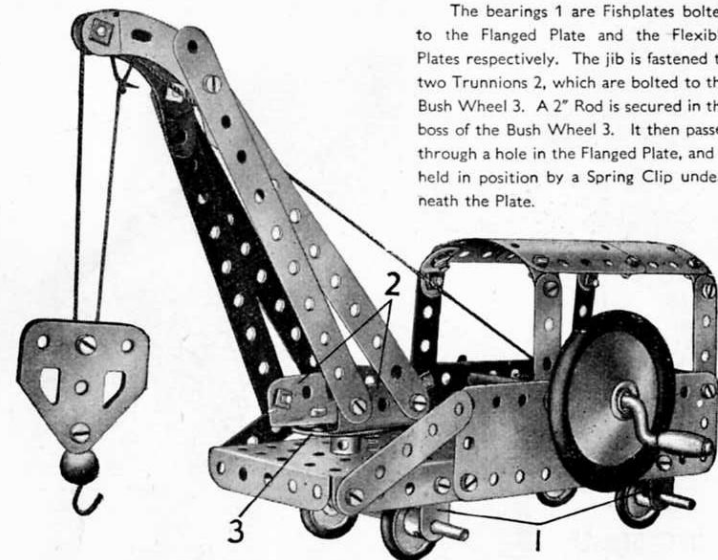
## Parts required

2 of No. 2	1 of No. 24	1 of No. 111c
5 " " 5	4 " " 35	2 " " 126
1 " " 10	22 " " 37	2 " " 126a
5 " " 12	2 " " 37a	1 " " 190
1 " " 16	1 " " 40	
2 " " 17	1 " " 48a	1 Magic Motor (Not included in Outfit)
4 " " 22	1 " " 52	





## 2.5 RAILWAY BREAKDOWN CRANE



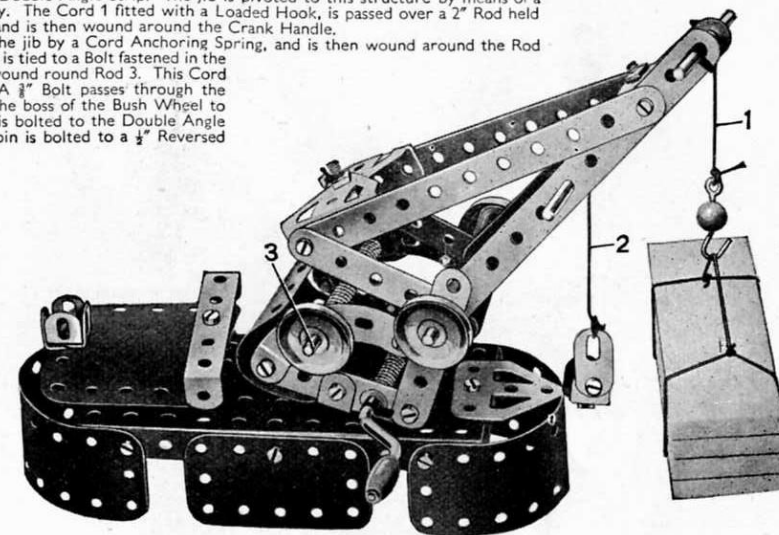
The bearings 1 are Fishplates bolted to the Flanged Plate and the Flexible Plates respectively. The jib is fastened to two Trunnions 2, which are bolted to the Bush Wheel 3. A 2" Rod is secured in the boss of the Bush Wheel 3. It then passes through a hole in the Flanged Plate, and is held in position by a Spring Clip underneath the Plate.

Parts required	
4 of No.	2
6 " "	5
4 " "	10
4 " "	12
2 " "	16
1 " "	17
1 " "	19g
4 " "	22
1 " "	24
2 " "	35
39 " "	37
3 " "	37a
3 " "	38
1 " "	40
2 " "	48a
1 " "	52
1 " "	57c
2 " "	90a
3 " "	111c
2 " "	126
2 " "	126a
1 " "	155
1 " "	176
1 " "	187
1 " "	188
2 " "	189
1 " "	190
2 " "	200

## 2.6 FLOATING CRANE

The jib consists of 5 1/2" Strips and 2 1/2" Strips. At its upper end these are joined by Angle Brackets, and at its lower end by Trunnions. Each side of the lower part of the crane consists of 2 1/2" Strips and a 2 1/2" stepped Curved Strip, the two sides being connected by a 2 1/2" x 1/2" Double Angle Strip. The jib is pivoted to this structure by means of a 3 1/2" Rod, which carries at each end a 1" Pulley. The Cord 1 fitted with a Loaded Hook, is passed over a 2" Rod held in place in the jib by means of Spring Clips and is then wound around the Crank Handle.

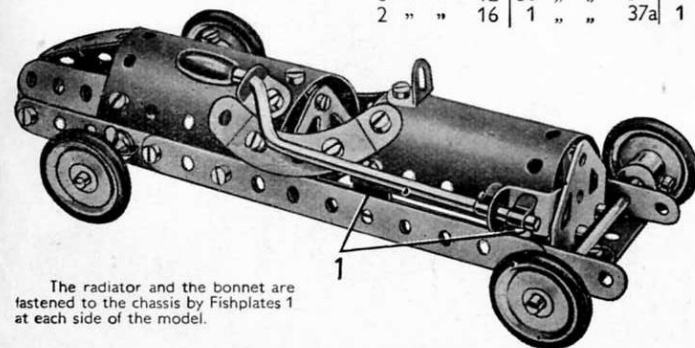
The Cord 2 passes over a Rod held in the jib by a Cord Anchoring Spring, and is then wound around the Rod that forms the pivot for the jib. A third Cord is tied to a Bolt fastened in the two Trunnions at the base of the jib, and is wound round Rod 3. This Cord controls the luffing motion of the crane. A 1" Bolt passes through the Flanged Plate and is held by a set screw in the boss of the Bush Wheel to which the jib is fastened. The Bush Wheel is bolted to the Double Angle Strip below the Rod 3. The roof of the cabin is bolted to a 1/2" Reversed Angle Bracket fixed to the Flanged Plate.



## Parts required

Parts required		Parts required	
4 of No.	2	2 of No.	48a
6 " "	5	1 " "	52
3 " "	10	1 " "	57c
8 " "	12	2 " "	90a
2 " "	16	4 " "	111c
2 " "	17	1 " "	125
1 " "	19g	2 " "	126
4 " "	22	1 " "	126a
1 " "	24	1 " "	176
4 " "	35	2 " "	188
29 " "	37	2 " "	189
4 " "	37a	1 " "	199
4 " "	38	1 " "	200
1 " "	40		

## 2.7 RACING CAR



The radiator and the bonnet are fastened to the chassis by Fishplates 1 at each side of the model.

Parts required	
4 of No.	2
5 " "	5
4 " "	10
8 " "	12
2 " "	16
1 of No.	19g
4 " "	22
4 " "	35
30 " "	37
1 " "	37a
2 of No.	38
1 " "	48a
2 " "	90a
1 " "	125
1 " "	126
1 of No.	126a
4 " "	155
1 " "	199
1 " "	200

The Strips forming the side members of the chassis are fixed at the rear to a U-shaped bracket made from two Angle Brackets bolted together. The tapered tail is formed by three 2 1/2" Strips slightly curved.

## 2.8 BACON SLICER

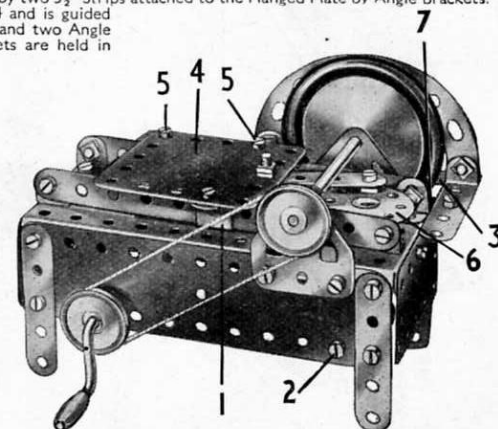
The base of the model consists of a Flanged Plate fitted with four 2 1/2" Strips for legs. Two 5 1/2" x 1 1/2" and two 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" Flexible Plates are bolted to the flanges of the Plate.

The guides for the sliding carriage 4 are formed by two 5 1/2" Strips attached to the Flanged Plate by Angle Brackets. The carriage consists of a 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate 4 and is guided along the Strips by the Reversed Angle Bracket 1 and two Angle Brackets on the opposite side. The Angle Brackets are held in place by Bolts 5.

The cutting blade is represented by a Road Wheel fixed on a 3 1/2" Rod journaled in two Flat Trunnions. A Pulley on this Rod is connected by a belt of Cord to a second Pulley on the Crank Handle.

The carriage is moved backwards and forwards by a crank consisting of a Bush Wheel 6 fixed on a 2" Rod. This Rod is journaled in the Flanged Plate and in the centre hole of a Double Angle Strip fixed across the interior of the base by the Bolt 2 and another in a similar position on the opposite side. A 1" Pulley on the 2" Rod is connected by a crossed belt of Cord to a further 1" Pulley secured to the Crank Handle between the 5 1/2" Flexible Plates.

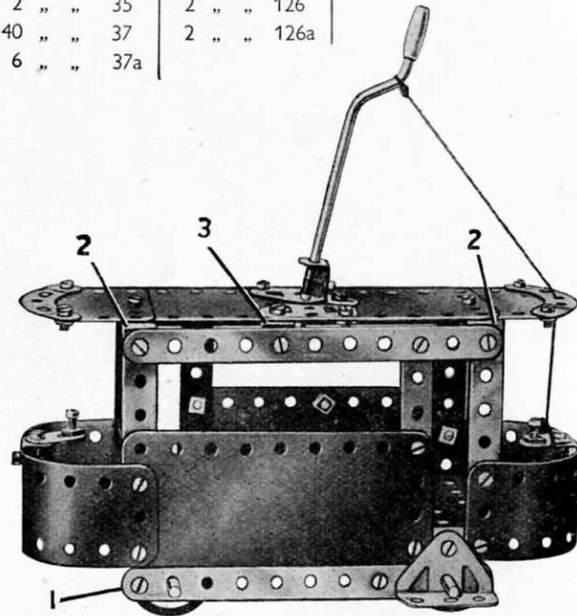
A guard for the rotating blade is provided by two Curved Strips attached to a 5 1/2" Strip 3. This Strip is fastened at one end to the Flanged Plate by a 2 1/2" Strip and a Fishplate 7, and at its other end it is attached to a 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" Flexible Plate bolted horizontally to the Flanged Plate.





## 2.9 TRAMCAR

Parts required	
4 of No. 2	4 of No. 38
6 " " 5	1 " " 40
2 " " 10	2 " " 48a
4 " " 12	1 " " 52
2 " " 16	2 " " 90a
1 " " 19g	4 " " 111c
4 " " 22	1 " " 125
2 " " 35	2 " " 126
40 " " 37	2 " " 126a
6 " " 37a	

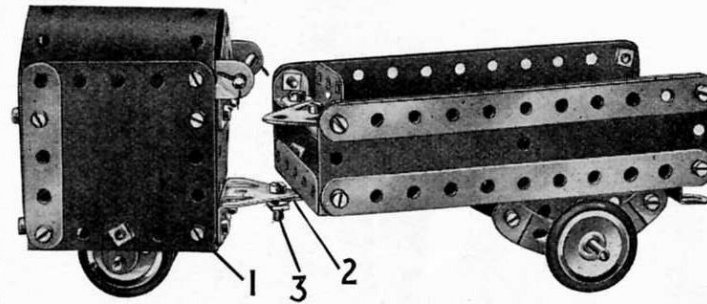


Two  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plates are curved and bolted across the ends of a Flanged Plate to form the driving compartments at each end, and a  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate is used for one side of the model. This also is bolted to the Flanged Plate. The other side consists of two  $1\frac{1}{2}''$  radius Curved Plates, flattened and bolted in position. Both sides are strengthened by a  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Strip, one of which is seen at 1.

The roof is supported on each side by three  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips, connected at their upper ends by a  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Strip. The roof is in halves, each half consisting of a  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  and a  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate. The halves are joined at the centre by two Flat Trunnions, and the roof is secured to the Double Angle Strips 2 and Angle Brackets 3 on each side. A Crank Handle is used to represent the trolley pole and it is held in the Flat Trunnions and a Reversed Angle Bracket by Spring Clips.

The wheels are 1" Pulleys fixed on  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Rods that run in holes in the sides of the model.

## 2.10 PETROL-ENGINE STATION TRACTOR



Each side of the tractor unit consists of a  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate bolted to a Double Angle Strip 1. A  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate is curved and attached to each side to form the top. The front and rear of the unit are each filled by a  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate and a Flat Trunnion. The front axle is mounted in two Fishplates.

The load carrier is made by bolting  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plates to the sides of a Flanged Plate. The rear axle is carried in two Curved Strips, which are attached to  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips and secured to the Flanged Plate by Angle Brackets.

The tractor unit and the load carrier are connected by a Trunnion bolted to the tractor and a  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  Strip 2 secured to the base of the load carrier. The  $\frac{3}{8}''$  Bolt 3 is passed through holes in these parts and is fitted with lock-nuts.

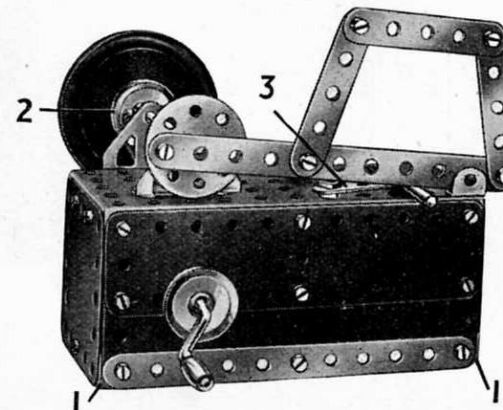
Parts required	
4 of No. 2	
6 " " 5	
4 " " 10	
8 " " 12	
1 " " 16	
2 " " 17	
4 " " 22	
2 " " 35	
40 " " 37	
4 " " 37a	
4 " " 38	
2 " " 48a	
1 " " 52	
2 " " 90a	
3 " " 111c	
1 " " 125	
2 " " 126	
4 " " 126a	
2 " " 155	
2 " " 188	
2 " " 189	
2 " " 190	
1 " " 191	

## 2.11 MECHANICAL HACKSAW

The base consists of Flexible Plates bolted to a Flanged Plate. One side is formed by a  $4\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  and a  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate, and the other by two  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Plates. A  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plate is bolted to each end. The base is strengthened at each end by Double Angle Strips 1 and a  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Strip on each side. The saw is actuated by a crank formed from a Bush Wheel fixed to a  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Rod. The Rod rotates in a Trunnion and a Flat Trunnion. The Trunnion is raised from the Flanged Plate by two Washers. The Rod carries a 1" Pulley 2 and a Road Wheel. The Pulley 2 is connected by a belt of Cord to a similar Pulley fixed on the Crank Handle.

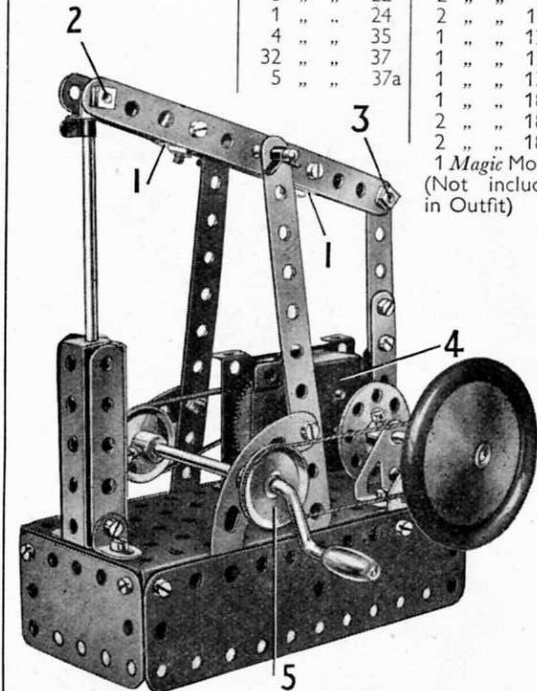
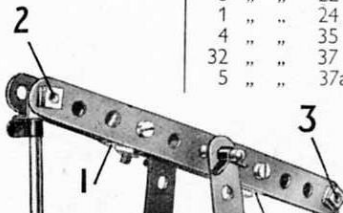
The material to be sawn is clamped to the base by means of two  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips, one of which is shown at 3.

Parts required	
3 of No. 2	1 of No. 40
6 " " 5	2 " " 48a
2 " " 12	1 " " 52
2 " " 16	4 " " 111c
1 " " 19g	1 " " 126
3 " " 22	1 " " 126a
1 " " 24	1 " " 187
30 " " 37	1 " " 188
8 " " 37a	2 " " 189
4 " " 38	2 " " 190
	1 of No. 191



## 2.12 BEAM ENGINE

Parts required					
4 of No.	2	1 of No.	16	3 of No.	38
4 of	5	2 "	17	1 "	40
7 "	"	1 "	19g	1 "	52
7 "	12	3 "	22	2 "	90a
		1 "	24	2 "	111c
		4 "	35	1 "	126
		32 "	37	1 "	126a
		5 "	37a	1 "	176
				1 "	187
				2 "	188
				2 "	189
				1 Magic Motor (Not included in Outfit)	



The engine bed or base consists of two  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  and two  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plates bolted to the sides of a Flanged Plate. Two  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips form the supports for the beam, which pivots on a 2" Rod held in position by Spring Clips.

The beam is made from two  $5\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips held together by four Angle Brackets 1, which are bolted in pairs to form two U-shaped pieces.

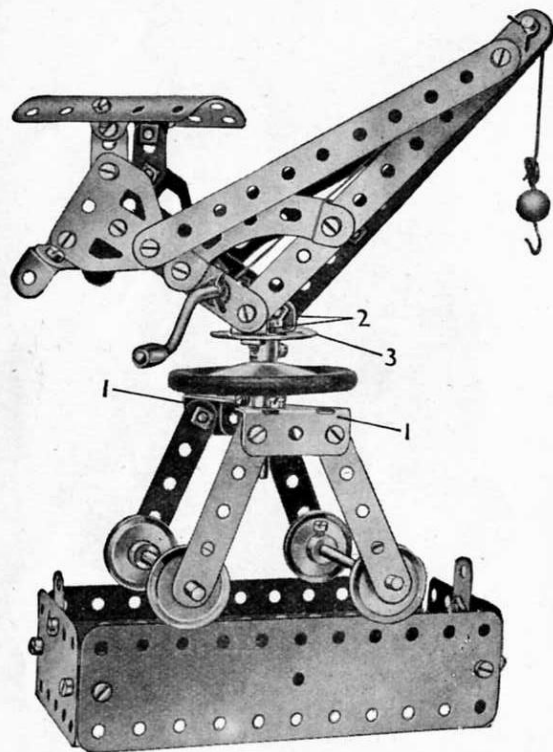
The cylinder consists of two  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times \frac{1}{2}''$  Double Angle Strips and two  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips. The piston rod is a  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Rod attached to the beam by an Angle Bracket, the Bolt 2 that holds the Bracket being lock-nutted. The Rod is held in the Angle Bracket by Spring Clips. The connecting rod is pivoted on a bolt lock-nutted to a Bush Wheel held on a 2" Rod journaled in a Trunnion and a Flat Trunnion. This Rod also carries a 1" Pulley and a Road Wheel. At its upper end the connecting rod is attached to the beam by the lock-nutted bolt 3.

The Magic Motor 4 is bolted to the base by its flanges, and its pulley is connected by a Driving Band to a 1" Pulley on the Crank Handle. A further 1" Pulley 5 on the Crank Handle is connected by a belt of Cord to the Pulley on the 2" Rod.



## 2.13 TRAVELLING CRANE

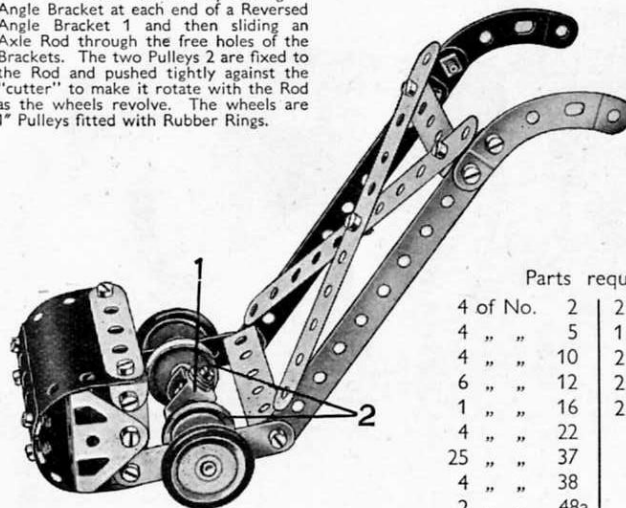
A 2" Rod is secured in the boss of the Bush Wheel 3. It then passes through the Road Wheel and through the centre of a  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times \frac{1}{2}"$  Double Angle Strip bolted between the two Trunnions 1. A Washer and a Cord Anchoring Spring are pushed on to the Rod to hold it in position. The crane jib is attached to the Bush Wheel by the Angle Brackets 2.



Parts required				
4 of No. 2	4 of No. 22	2 of No. 48a	1 of No. 176	
6 " " 5	1 " " 24	1 " " 52	1 " " 187	
4 " " 10	4 " " 35	1 " " 57c	2 " " 188	
6 " " 12	38 " " 37	2 " " 90a	2 " " 189	
2 " " 16	2 " " 37a	2 " " 111c	1 " " 200	
2 " " 17	3 " " 38	2 " " 126		
1 " " 19g	1 " " 40	2 " " 126a		

## 2.14 LAWN MOWER

The "cutter" is made by bolting an Angle Bracket at each end of a Reversed Angle Bracket 1 and then sliding an Axle Rod through the free holes of the Brackets. The two Pulleys 2 are fixed to the Rod and pushed tightly against the "cutter" to make it rotate with the Rod as the wheels revolve. The wheels are 1" Pulleys fitted with Rubber Rings.

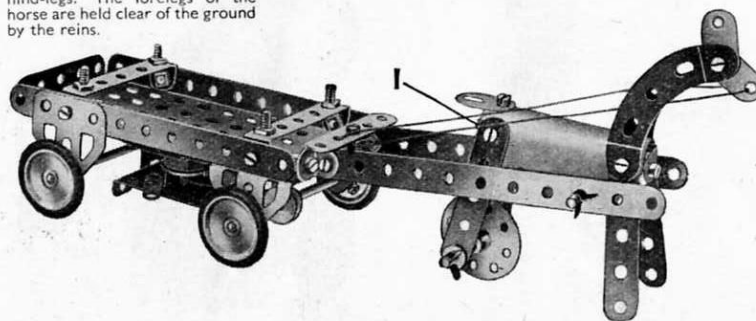


Parts required			
4 of No. 2	2 of No. 90a		
4 " " 5	1 " " 125		
4 " " 10	2 " " 126		
6 " " 12	2 " " 155		
1 " " 16	2 " " 200		
4 " " 22			
25 " " 37			
4 " " 38			
2 " " 48a			

## 2.15 LUMBER TRUCK AND HORSE

A Magic Motor is mounted beneath the cart, and the Driving Band is taken from the pulley on the Motor to a  $\frac{1}{2}"$  fixed Pulley (supplied with the Motor) fastened on the  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  Rod that forms the front axle.

The forelegs of the horse are held together by means of two Angle Brackets bolted in the positions shown. This construction is duplicated at 1 for the hind-legs. The forelegs of the horse are held clear of the ground by the reins.

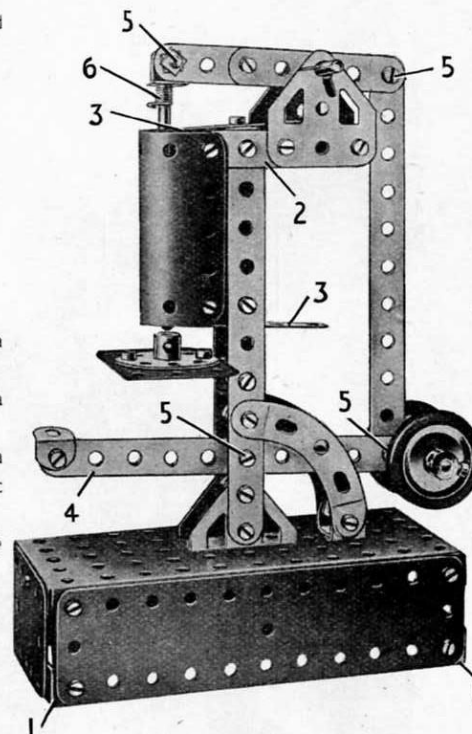


Parts required			
4 of No. 2	4 of No. 35	2 of No. 126a	
5 " " 5	23 " " 37	4 " " 155	
3 " " 10	4 " " 37a	1 " " 199	
6 " " 12	2 " " 48a	1 Magic Motor	
2 " " 16	1 " " 52	(Not included in Outfit)	
2 " " 17	2 " " 90a		
4 " " 22	4 " " 111c		
1 " " 24	2 " " 126		

## 2.16 PUNCHING MACHINE

Parts required

4 of No. 2	
6 " " 5	
2 " " 10	
8 " " 12	
1 " " 16	
2 " " 17	
4 " " 22	
1 " " 24	
4 " " 35	
40 " " 37	
4 " " 37a	
3 " " 38	
2 " " 48a	
1 " " 52	
2 " " 90a	
3 " " 111c	
2 " " 126	
2 " " 126a	
4 " " 155	
1 " " 176	
2 " " 188	
2 " " 189	
1 " " 199	



The base consists of a Flanged Plate, which is edged with two  $5\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{4}"$  and one  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{4}"$  Flexible Plates. The  $5\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{4}"$  Plates are braced together by the Double Angle Strips 1 at each end.

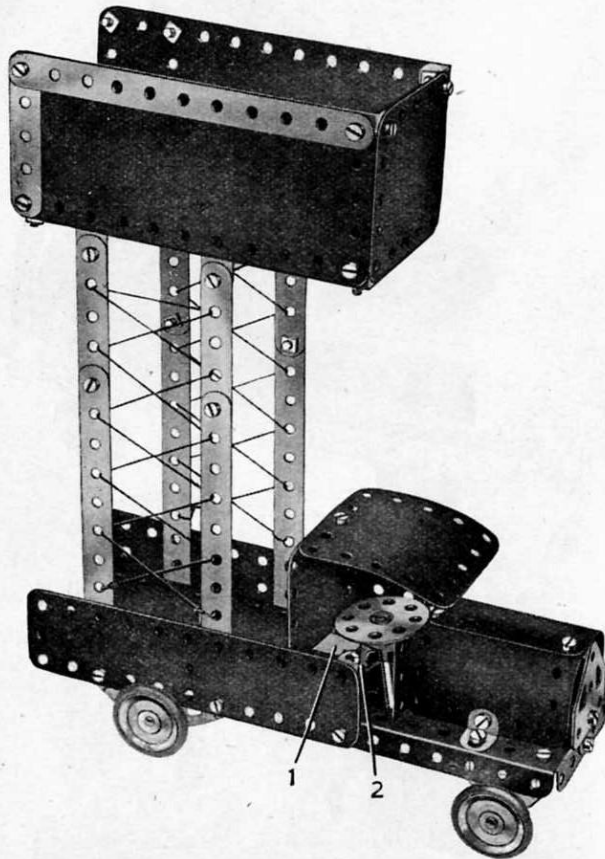
An upright column is formed from two  $5\frac{1}{2}"$  Strips fastened to two Trunnions attached to the base. They are joined at their upper ends by two Angle Brackets fixed together to form a U-shaped piece. A  $\frac{3}{8}"$  radius Curved Plate is attached to the column at the top by a  $2\frac{1}{2}"$  Strip 2 and at its lower end by two Fishplates. The punch rod passes through holes in  $2\frac{1}{2}"$  guide Strips 3.

Strips 2, one at each side of the machine, provide supports for two Flat Trunnions that carry a rocker arm. This is formed by two  $2\frac{1}{2}"$  Strips overlapped three holes, and it is pivoted on a 2" Rod held in the Flat Trunnions. One end of the arm is connected by an Angle Bracket to a  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  Rod representing the punching tool. The Rod is held in a hole of the Angle Bracket by means of a Spring Clip and a Cord Anchoring Spring 6. The rear end of the arm is connected to the foot-operated lever 4 by a  $5\frac{1}{2}"$  Strip. The lever is weighted by four 1" Pulleys fixed on a 2" Rod.

The Bolts 5 seen at different points of the model are each lock-nutted.

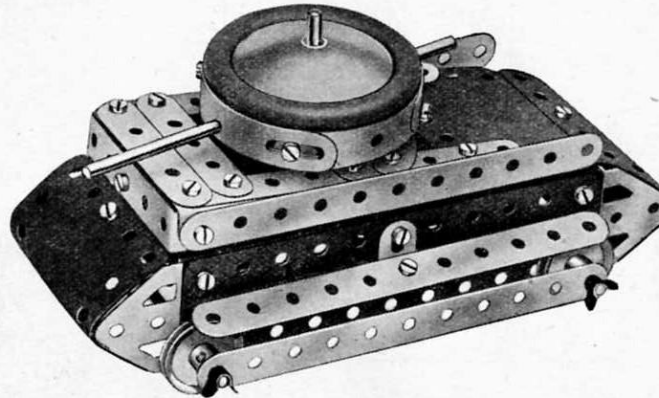
The punching table is formed by a Bush Wheel bolted to a  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{4}"$  Flexible Plate attached to the column by a Fishplate and Angle Bracket.

## 3.1 TOWER WAGON



A Stepped Bent Strip 1 is bolted in a horizontal position in the centre of the Flanged Plate, and a 2 1/2 inch Curved Strip is bolted on top of it by the centre hole, to form a seat. A Reversed Angle Bracket 2 is then bolted in one of the elongated holes of the Curved Strip to form a bearing for the Rod carrying the Bush Wheel.

## 3.2 TANK



Construction of the gun turret is commenced by bolting a 2 1/2 inch Strip across a Bush Wheel. Four 3 inch Formed Slotted Strips are bolted together to form a circle and fastened to the 2 1/2 inch Strip by means of Angle Brackets. Next two Angle Brackets are bolted to the Bush Wheel in the positions shown in Fig. 3.2a. Two Rods are pushed through holes in the Formed Slotted Strips and through the free holes of the Angle Brackets, and are fastened in position by means of Spring Clips. The turret is held in place by a 3 1/2 inch Rod that is locked in the boss of the Bush Wheel and then passed through the 5 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flanged Plate and through a hole in a Reversed Angle Bracket. A Cord Anchoring Spring is then screwed on to it to hold it in position. To complete the turret a Road Wheel is fastened on the upper end of the 3 1/2 inch Rod. The Reversed Angle Bracket is bolted to the 5 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flanged Plate.

The *Magic* Motor is bolted to the Flanged Plate, and the drive is taken to the back axle by means of a Driving Band.

**Note:** The Motor used in this model is not included in the Outfit.

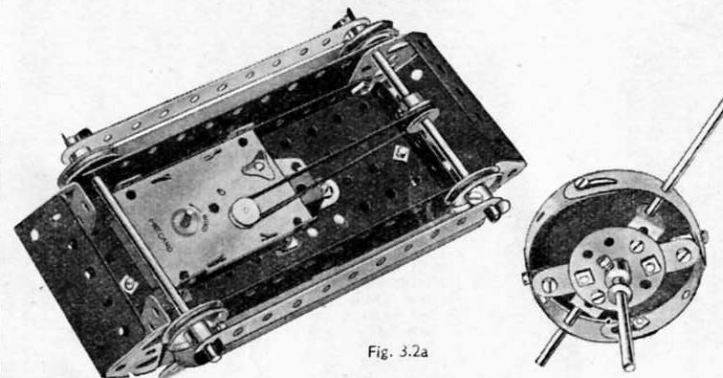


Fig. 3.2a

## 3.3 PORTABLE GARAGE CRANE

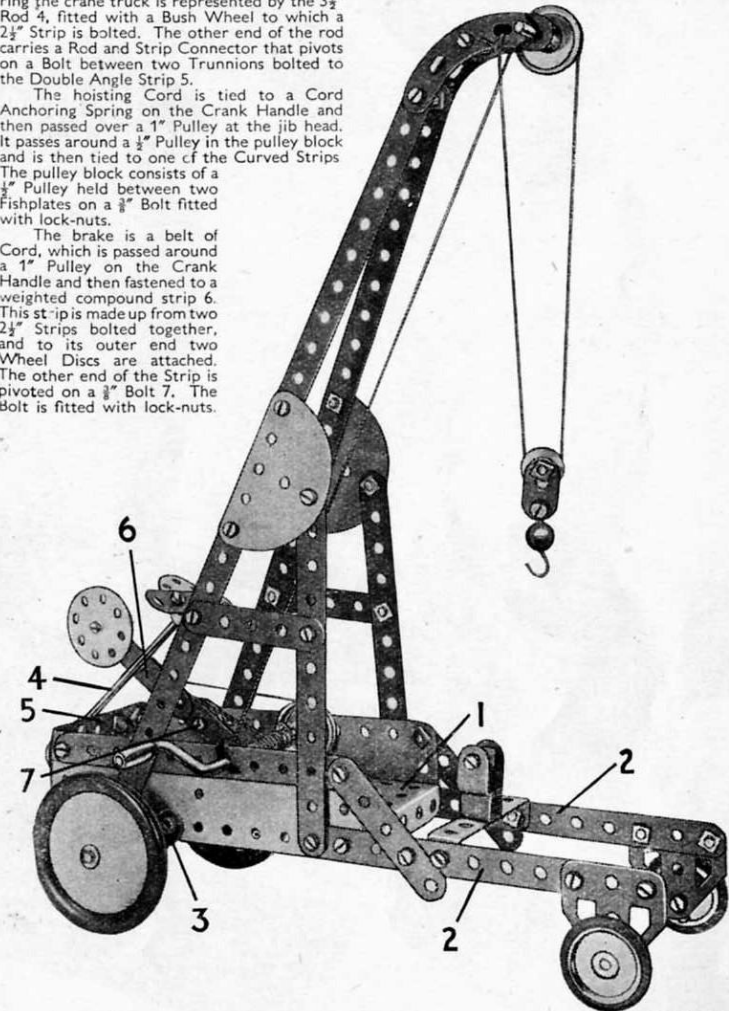
A Flanged Plate 1 is extended on each side by 5 1/2 inch Strips 2. The Road Wheels are locked on a 3 1/2 inch Rod supported in 2 1/2 inch Curved Strips 3 on each side of the model. The 1 inch Pulleys rotate on 3 inch Bolts passed through Flat Trunnions.

The jib is built up from two 12 1/2 inch Strips bolted to the sides of the Flanged Plate and extended at their upper ends by Curved Strips. It is held rigid by 5 1/2 inch Strips fixed to the Flanged Plate and also to Semi-Circular Plates fastened to the 12 1/2 inch Strips.

The handle used for hauling and manoeuvring the crane truck is represented by the 3 1/2 inch Rod 4, fitted with a Bush Wheel to which a 2 1/2 inch Strip is bolted. The other end of the rod carries a Rod and Strip Connector that pivots on a Bolt between two Trunnions bolted to the Double Angle Strip 5.

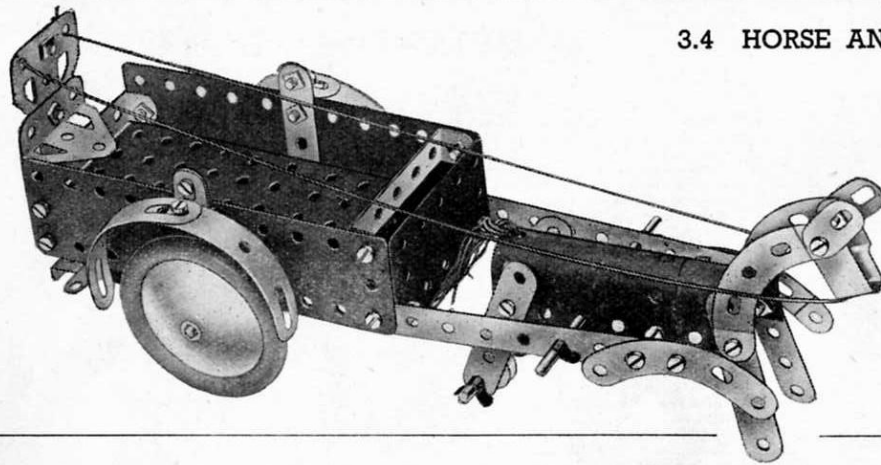
The hoisting Cord is tied to a Cord Anchoring Spring on the Crank Handle and then passed over a 1 inch Pulley at the jib head. It passes around a 1/2 inch Pulley in the pulley block and is then tied to one of the Curved Strips. The pulley block consists of a 1/2 inch Pulley held between two Fishplates on a 3/8 inch Bolt fitted with lock-nuts.

The brake is a belt of Cord, which is passed around a 1 inch Pulley on the Crank Handle and then fastened to a weighted compound strip 6. This strip is made up from two 2 1/2 inch Strips bolted together, and to its outer end two Wheel Discs are attached. The other end of the Strip is pivoted on a 3/8 inch Bolt 7. The Bolt is fitted with lock-nuts.





### 3.4 HORSE AND CART

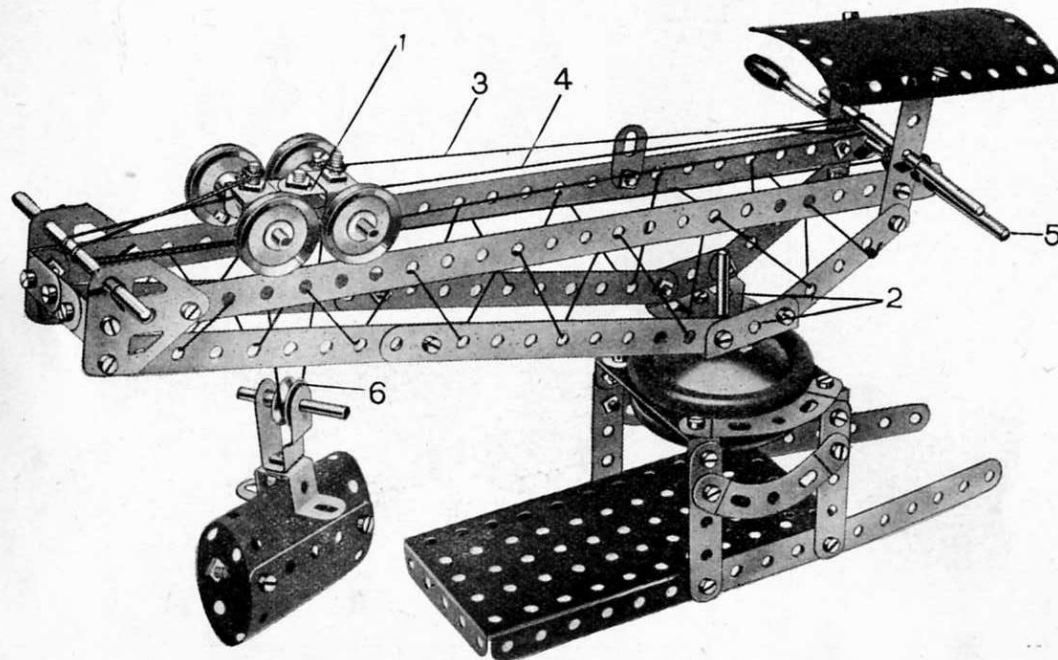


The model is driven by a *Magic Motor* fastened underneath the  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 2\frac{1}{2}''$  Flanged Plate that forms the bottom of the cart. The drive is taken by a Driving Band from the pulley of the Motor to a  $\frac{1}{2}''$  fast Pulley on the back axle. A  $\frac{1}{2}''$  loose Pulley is fitted on a  $2''$  Rod journaled in the bottom holes of the Strips forming the hind-legs of the horse, so that the model will travel smoothly along the ground.

*Note:* The Motor used in this model is not included in the Outfit.

### 3.5 BLOCK-SETTING CRANE

The travelling bogie 1 consists of two Fishplates bolted together by their elongated holes, and at each end of it Double Brackets are fastened by  $\frac{3}{8}''$  Bolts. Two  $2''$  Rods are pushed through the Double Brackets and carry  $1''$  fast Pulleys spaced so that their grooves fit on the two  $12\frac{1}{4}''$  Strips that form the top of the jib. The Trunnions 2 at the base of the jib are secured to a Bush Wheel mounted on a Rod held in the bosses of two Road Wheels.

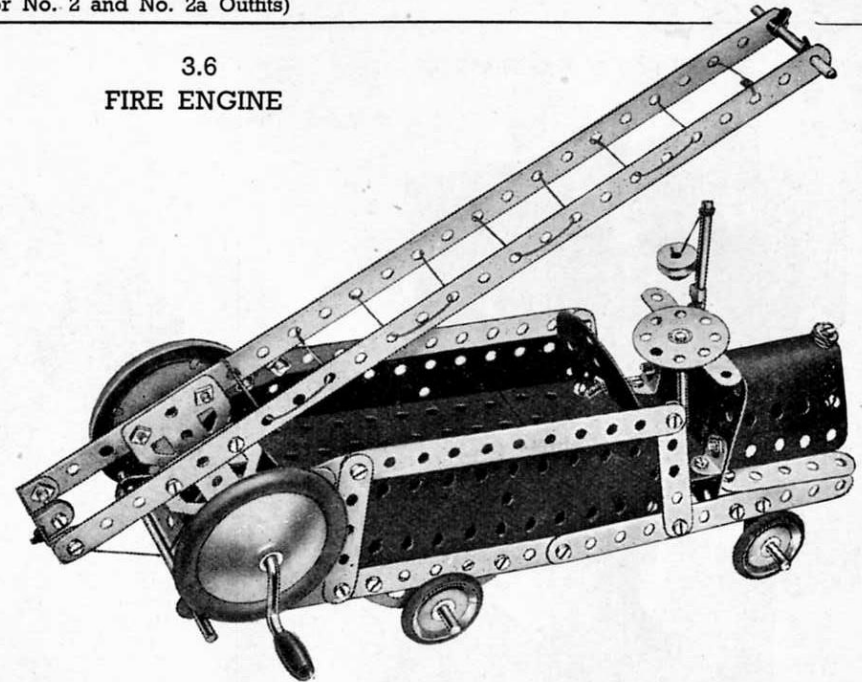


The Road Wheels are placed one above and one below the  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plates that form the top of the tower.

Cord 3 is first fastened to the  $\frac{3}{8}''$  Bolt at the rear end of the travelling bogie, and then wound three times around the Crank Handle 5. It is then led around the Rod journaled in the Fish Trunnions at the front end of the jib and brought back and tied to another  $\frac{3}{8}''$  Bolt at the front of the bogie.

Cord 4 is first fastened to a Rod, passed through the vertical Strips at the rear of the jib and is then led over the rear axle of the bogie. It is then passed around the  $\frac{1}{2}''$  Pulley 6, led over the front axle of the bogie, around the Rod at the front end of the jib, and finally tied to the bogie. The  $\frac{1}{2}''$  loose Pulley 6 and its Rod are held in the Stepped Bent Strip by a Cord Anchoring Spring.

### 3.6 FIRE ENGINE



Two Flat Trunnions are bolted to the bottom of the ladder, and the shaft of the Crank Handle shown in Fig. 3.6a passes through the holes at their narrow ends. The bonnet, which is formed from a U-Section Curved Plate and two  $2\frac{1}{2}'' \times 1\frac{1}{2}''$  Flexible Plates, is fastened to the frame by Reversed Angle Brackets. These latter also support the  $2\frac{1}{2}''$  Strips at the sides of the bonnet.

The  $3\frac{1}{2}''$  Rod representing the steering column passes through the free hole of a Fishplate bolted to the dashboard, then through a hole in the Flexible Plate at the bottom of the cab. It is fastened in position by a Cord Anchoring Spring.

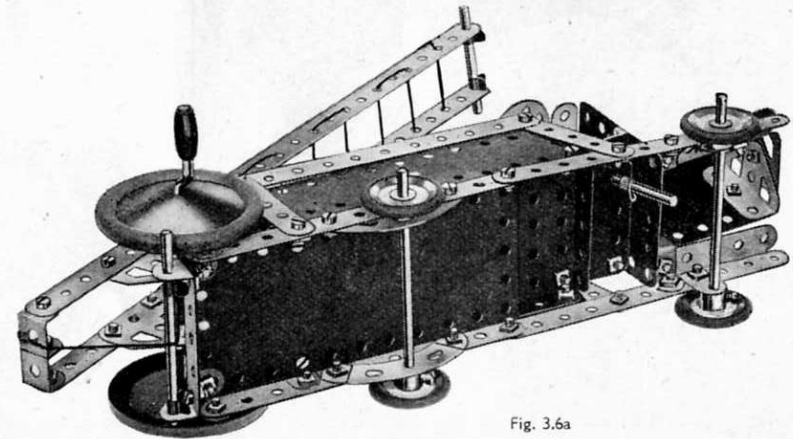


Fig. 3.6a

## 3.7 SIMPLE HAND LOOM

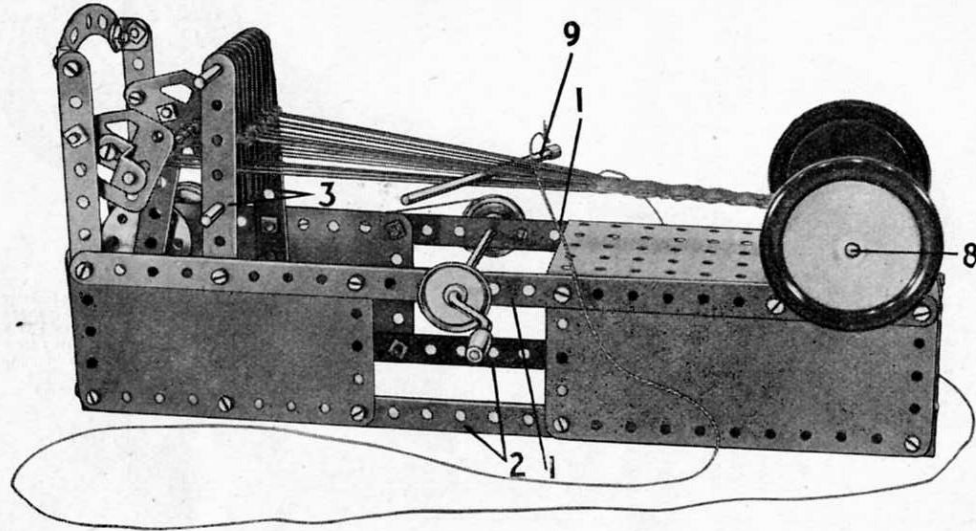


Fig. 3.7a

This interesting model is designed to demonstrate the principles of hand weaving. The base is formed by two 12 1/2 inch Strips (1) bolted to a Flanged Plate at one end and joined by a 2 1/2 inch x 1/2 inch Double Angle Strip at the other. Two 5 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch and two 4 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flexible Plates are bolted to the Strips and joined at their lower edges by the 5 1/2 inch Strips (2).

The 5 1/2 inch Strips (3) form a support for the head frame, which consists of eight 2 1/2 inch Strips held by two 3 1/2 inch Rods. The Strips are separated by Spring Clips and Washers as shown, these parts being placed between the Strips on the upper Rod.

The warp separating movement is operated from a Crank Handle. A 1 inch Pulley on this is connected by a belt of Cord to a similar Pulley (4), which is locked on a 2 inch Rod that carries also the Bush Wheel (5). A 2 1/2 inch Strip lock-nutted to the Bush Wheel links it with the Rod (6). This Rod is mounted in two Flat Trunnions, each fitted with a Reversed Angle Bracket. The Trunnions are free to turn on the shanks of 3/8 inch Bolts fastened in the Strips (7).

A 4 inch Rod (8) fitted with two Road Wheels passes through two Semi-Circular Plates bolted to the sides of the Flanged Plate.

A length of Cord taken from each of the 2 1/2 inch Strips forming the heads is tied to the Rod (8). A second set of similar Cords is taken from the Rod (8), passed between the heads and fastened to Rod (6).

To operate the model the two sets of warp threads are separated by turning the Crank Handle slightly. A length of Cord is then passed between the layers by means of the 3 1/2 inch Rod (9). The Crank Handle is then again turned slightly, thus changing the positions of the warp layers, and the Rod (9) is again passed through.

Cord is used in the illustrations to show the positions of the threads more clearly, but in actual operation it is better to use wool as this will give a closer and finer texture to the woven material.

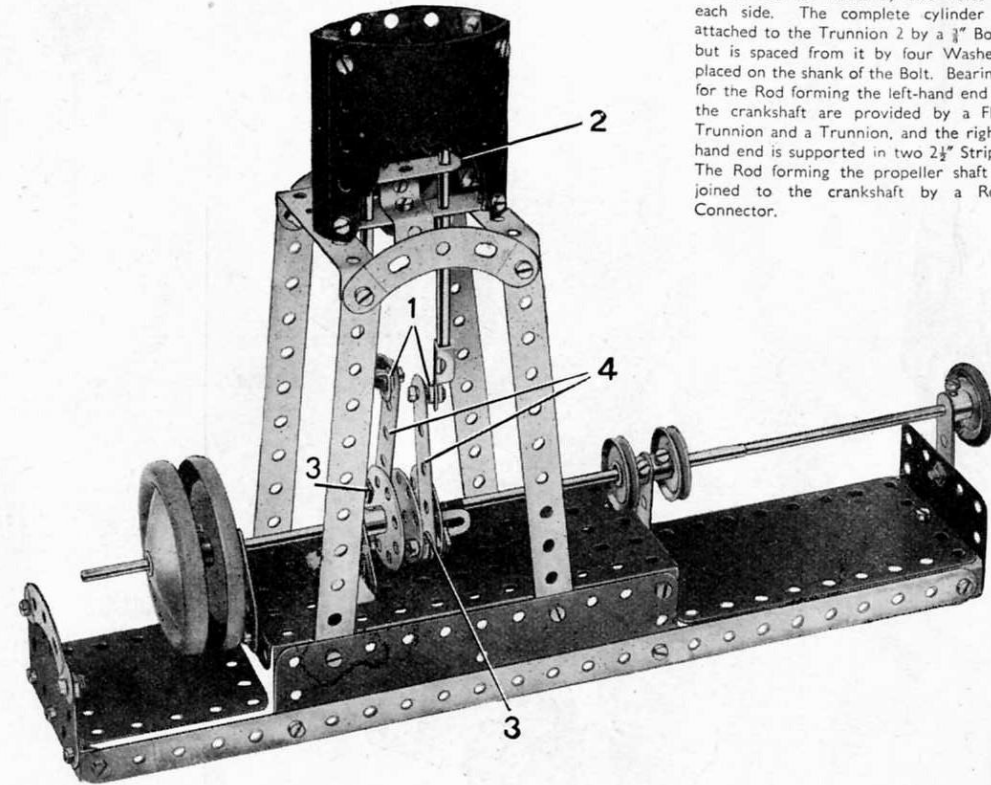
## 3.8 MARINE ENGINE

Bolts (1) are lock-nutted. The Bolts (3) are 3/8 inch long and are lock-nutted twice as shown. The 2 1/2 inch Strips (4) must be quite free to move when the crankshaft is rotated.

The piston rod is held by two Spring Clips, one at each side of the Angle Bracket pivotally fastened by one of the Bolts (1). Inside the cylinder the Rods slide through holes in a 2 1/2 inch Strip and a Trunnion (2). In order to show the construction clearly, part of the cylinder has been cut away in the illustration.

The Rod carrying two 1 inch Pulleys passes through the centre hole in the outer Wheel Disc. A 1/2 inch x 1/2 inch Angle Bracket is bolted to the Disc in such a position that when the Disc is turned the Angle Bracket engages with a Spring Clip on the Rod. It is important that all nuts and bolts are made quite secure with the spanner and screw-driver.

The cylinder consists of two U-Section Curved Plates, and two 1 1/2 inch radius Curved Plates, the latter overlapping the U-Section Curved Plates by two holes at each side. The complete cylinder is attached to the Trunnion (2) by a 3/8 inch Bolt, but is spaced from it by four Washers placed on the shank of the Bolt. Bearings for the Rod forming the left-hand end of the crankshaft are provided by a Flat Trunnion and a Trunnion, and the right-hand end is supported in two 2 1/2 inch Strips. The Rod forming the propeller shaft is joined to the crankshaft by a Rod Connector.

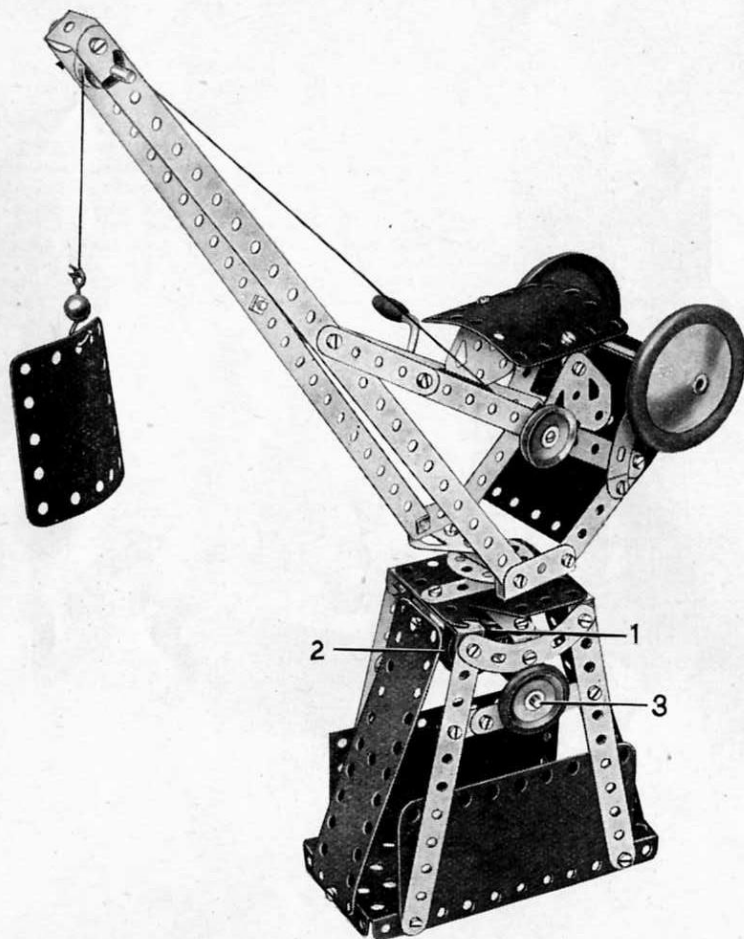




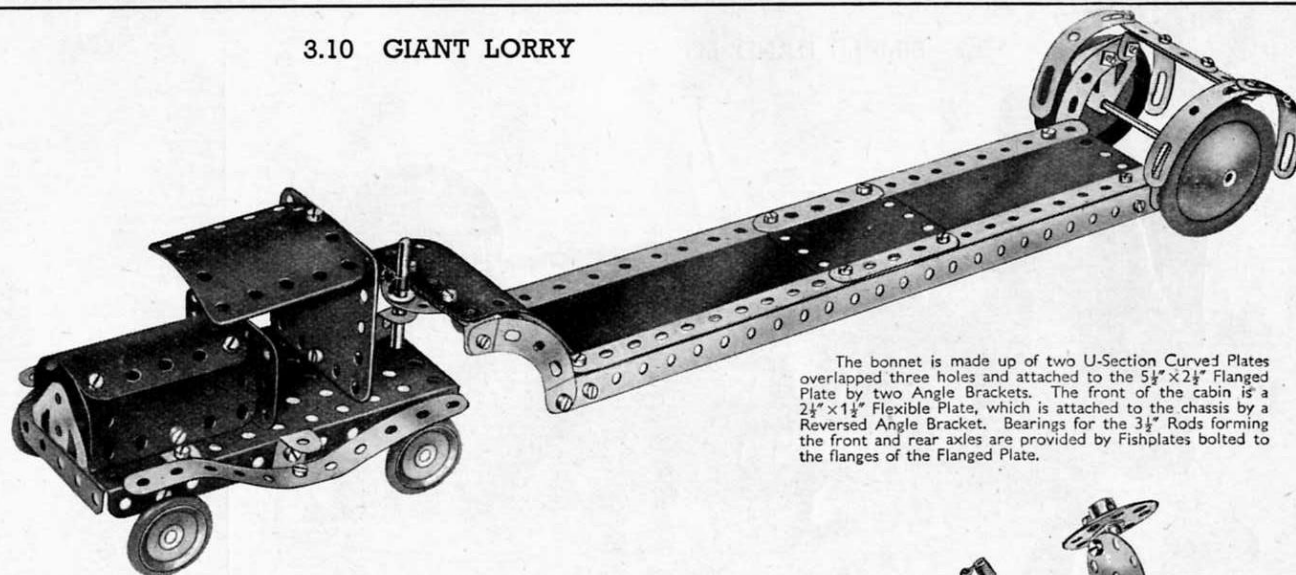
### 3.9 SWIVELLING JIB CRANE

A 1" fast Pulley 1 is fastened to the lower end of a 2" Rod, which passes into and is held in the boss of the Bush Wheel. The Pulley rests on the tyre of Pulley 2, which is fastened on Rod 3. When the Rod 3 is rotated the jib is caused to swivel. Supports for Rod 3 are formed by Fishplates, which are bolted through their elongated holes to the 2½" Strips shown in the illustration. The roof of the cab is fastened by means of Angle Brackets to two Flat Trunnions, and these in turn are bolted to the compound strips bracing the jib.

The top of the tower consists of two 2½" x 1½" Flexible Plates, strengthened along the join at the centre by a 2½" Strip.



### 3.10 GIANT LORRY



The bonnet is made up of two U-Section Curved Plates overlapped three holes and attached to the 5½" x 2½" Flanged Plate by two Angle Brackets. The front of the cabin is a 2½" x 1½" Flexible Plate, which is attached to the chassis by a Reversed Angle Bracket. Bearings for the 3½" Rods forming the front and rear axles are provided by Fishplates bolted to the flanges of the Flanged Plate.

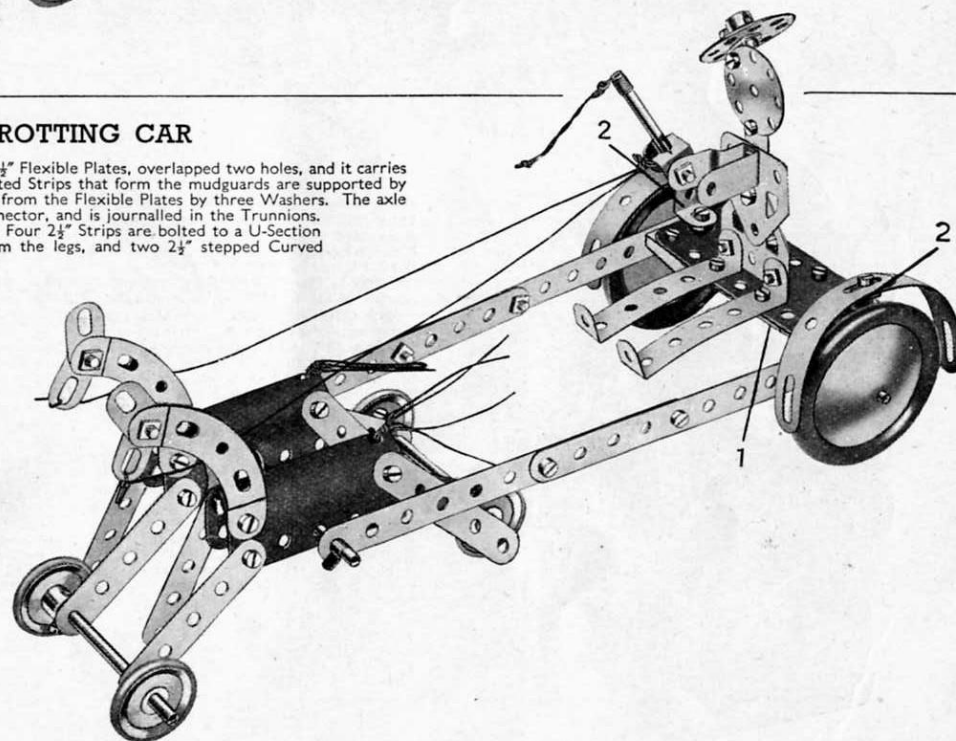
### 3.11 TROTTING CAR

The seat of the car consists of two 2½" x 1½" Flexible Plates, overlapped two holes, and it carries at each end a Trunnion. The 3" Formed Slotted Strips that form the mudguards are supported by Reversed Angle Brackets 2, which are spaced from the Flexible Plates by three Washers. The axle consists of two 2" Rods joined by a Rod Connector, and is journaled in the Trunnions.

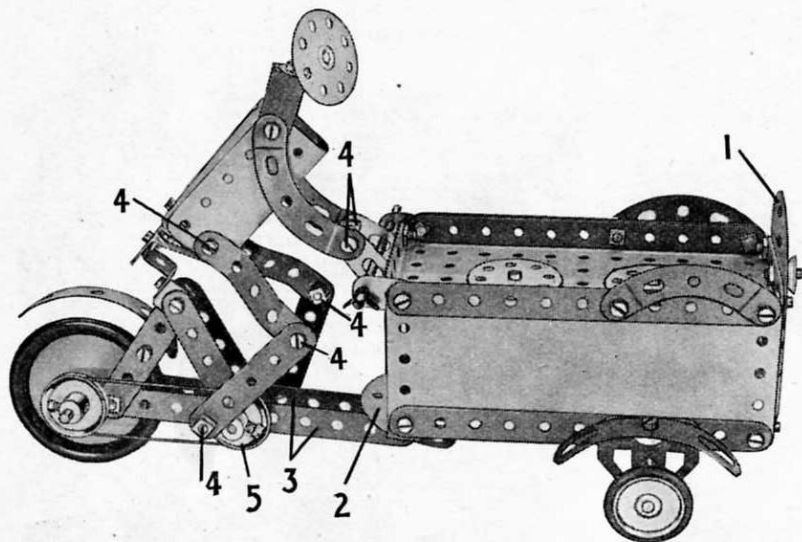
Each of the horses is built up as follows. Four 2½" Strips are bolted to a U-Section Curved Plate in the positions shown to form the legs, and two 2½" stepped Curved Strips represent the neck. A Rod is pushed through the centre holes of the U-Section Curved Plates and is supported in the end holes of the shafts. Two 3½" Rods carrying 1" Pulleys at each of their ends are journaled in the end holes of two of the forelegs and two of the hind-legs of the horses, as shown.

The driver's body is made from two Flat Trunnions, which are bolted together and then fitted with 2½" x ½" Double Angle Strips to represent legs. The Bolt that fixes the Stepped Bent Strip to the body holds also a Fishplate that supports a Wheel Disc representing the head. An Angle Bracket bolted to the Disc secures a Bush Wheel that has a ½" Bolt fixed in its boss by its screw.

The whip is a 1½" Rod held by Spring Clips in a Double Bracket, and the lash is attached to it by a Cord Anchoring Spring. The reins are fastened to the Fishplates that form the horses' heads, and also to the Double Bracket to which the whip is fixed. Short lengths of Cord fastened to the U-Section Curved Plates represent the horses' tails.



## 3.12 ICE CREAM VENDOR AND VAN



The carrier box of the tricycle is made by bolting two  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $2\frac{1}{2}$ " and two  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Flexible Plates to a Flanged Plate. The wheels are made fast to a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Rod that rotates in Flat Trunnions. A Semi-Circular Plate 1 is attached to the front of the carrier, and a similar part 2 is bolted to a Double Angle Strip that spans the sides of the carrier.

The  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips 3 are secured to a Double Bracket pivotally attached to the Semi-Circular Plate 2. The supports for the saddle consist of four  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips, and a Trunnion is attached to these by a Reversed Angle Bracket and an Angle Bracket.

The body of the rider is formed by two U-Section Curved Plates, and is attached to the Trunnion by an Angle Bracket. His legs are made from four  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips. It is important to note that all the Bolts numbered 4 are lock-nutted so that the parts they hold are free to pivot.

The rear wheel is fixed on a 2" Rod fitted with a 1" Pulley. This Pulley is connected by a belt of Cord to a second Pulley 5 on a  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Rod. An Angle Bracket is bolted to the boss of Pulley 5 and attached to one of the rider's legs, see Fig. 3.12a. The other leg is attached to a Reversed Angle Bracket. The slotted hole of the Bracket is fitted with a nut and bolt, and is then pushed on to the  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Rod. The effect of this is that the nut presses against the Rod and locks the Bracket firmly so that it rotates with the Rod.

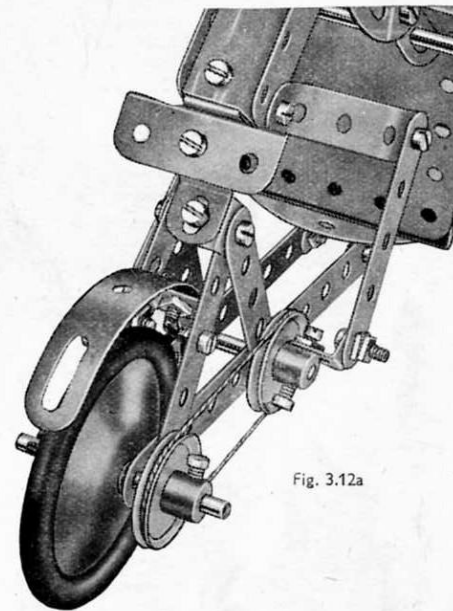
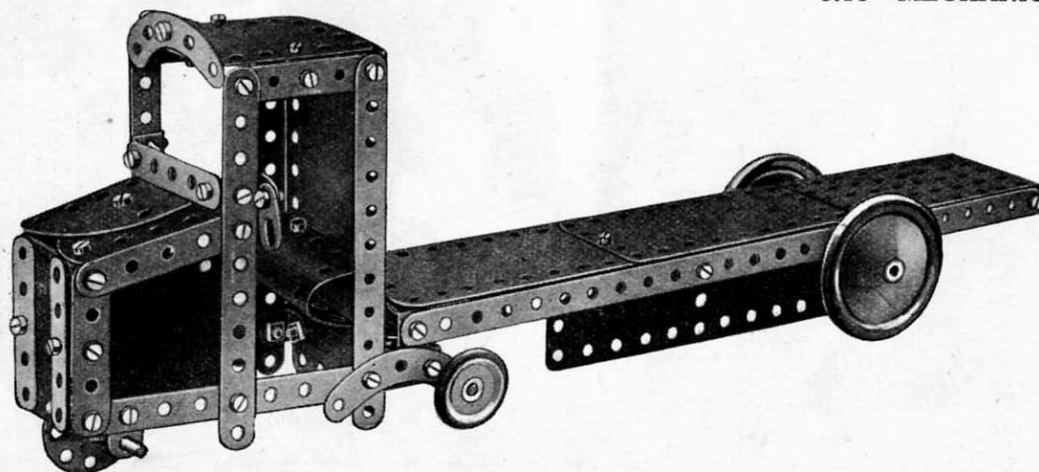


Fig. 3.12a

## 3.13 MECHANICAL HORSE AND TRAILER



The chassis of the mechanical horse is built up on two  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips extended at the rear by  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Curved Strips that provide bearings for the rear axle. The method of building up the bonnet and cab is clear from the illustration. The rear ends of the  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips are joined by a Curved Strip and two Double Brackets. At the centre of the Curved Strip is bolted a Wheel Disc, through which passes a  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Rod 1 (Fig. 3.13a). This Rod engages the centre hole of the plate at the front of the trailer, and is retained in place by a Spring Clip and a Cord Anchoring Spring. A 1" Pulley and two Washers space the end of the trailer from the Wheel Disc. Bearings for the rear axle are provided by Flat Trunnions.

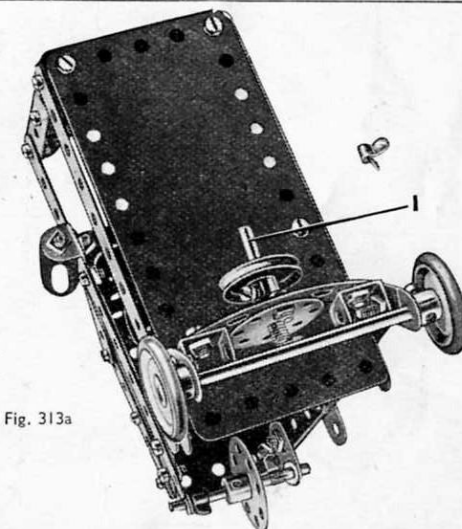


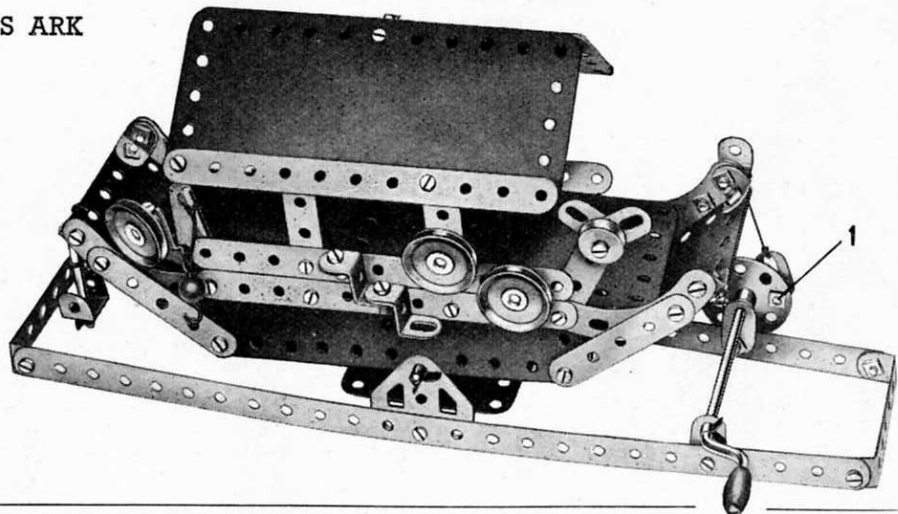
Fig. 3.13a



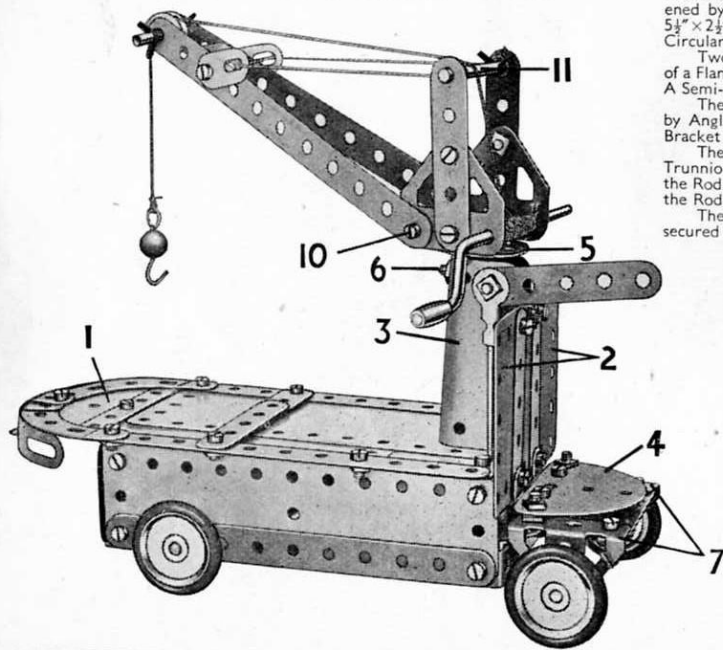
### 3.14 NOAH'S ARK

A  $5\frac{1}{2}" \times 2\frac{1}{2}"$  Flanged Plate is used for the bottom of the ark and  $5\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{2}"$  Flexible Plates and  $5\frac{1}{2}"$  Strips form the sides. The deck is fastened to the sides by  $\frac{1}{2}" \times \frac{1}{2}"$  Angle Brackets.

The ark is pivoted on a  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  Rod journalled in Flat Trunnions, the Rod passing through the flanges of the baseplate at the fifth hole from the end near the Crank Handle. The Crank Handle carries a Bush Wheel, and to this a Fishplate is lock-nutted at 1. A length of Cord is attached to the free hole of the Fishplate and is then tied to a Double Bracket bolted to the side of the ark. When the Crank Handle is rotated, the downward motion of the Fishplate causes one end of the ark to be pulled down, but as the Fishplate rises again, the ark returns to its original position.



### 3.15 ELECTRIC CRANE TRUCK



The electric truck is built up first by bolting a  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{2}"$  and two  $5\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{2}"$  Flexible Plates to the flanges of a Flanged Plate. At their lower edges the Flexible Plates are strengthened by  $5\frac{1}{2}"$  strips and two  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times \frac{1}{2}"$  Double Angle Strips. The platform consists of two  $5\frac{1}{2}" \times 2\frac{1}{2}"$  and two  $4\frac{1}{2}" \times 2\frac{1}{2}"$  Flexible Plates overlapped, and these are extended by a Semi-Circular Plate 1.

Two  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times 2\frac{1}{2}"$  Flexible Plates 2, overlapped three holes, are bolted to the front end of a Flanged Plate, and a U-Section Curved Plate 3 is attached to these by a Double Bracket. A Semi-Circular Plate 4 is attached to the Flanged Plate by Angle Brackets.

The crane jib is supported by Flat Trunnions, which are attached to a Wheel Disc 5 by Angle Brackets. The Wheel Disc is lock-nutted through its centre hole to an Angle Bracket held by the Bolt 6.

The  $5\frac{1}{2}"$  Strips forming the jib pivot on a  $2"$  Rod 10 passed through holes in the flat Trunnions, and the jib is held at the required angle by a length of Cord. This Cord is tied to the Rod 11 and then passed through the Fishplates at the jib head, finally being tied again to the Rod 11.

The Trunnions 7, which form part of the steering device, are free to turn on  $\frac{1}{8}"$  Bolts secured to the Semi-Circular Plate 4, and they carry  $\frac{1}{8}"$  Bolts that form stub axles for the  $1"$  Pulleys. The  $2\frac{1}{2}"$  Strip 8, seen in the underneath view of the model, is bolted to a Bush Wheel, and is connected to each Trunnion by Cord as shown. The Bush Wheel is fixed on a  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  Rod passed through the Flanged Plate and an Angle Bracket 9.

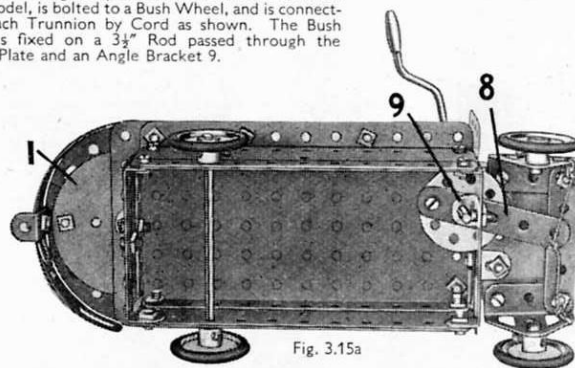


Fig. 3.15a

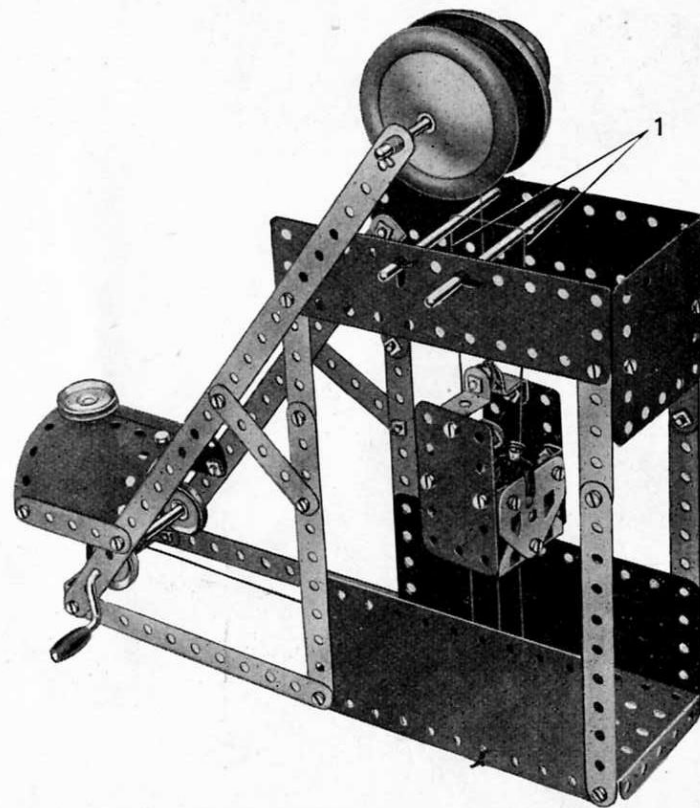
### 3.16 PITHEAD GEAR

A  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  Rod is journalled in the top holes of the  $12\frac{1}{2}"$  Strips. Between the two Road Wheels on this Rod is a  $1"$  fast Pulley, over which the Cord controlling the cage passes. A Cord Anchoring Spring is pushed on one end of the rod, and a Bush Wheel is fixed to the other end. The cage is built up from Trunnions and Flat Trunnions, and the  $2\frac{1}{2}" \times 1\frac{1}{2}"$  Flexible Plates that form its sides are fastened to the Flat Trunnions by Angle Brackets.

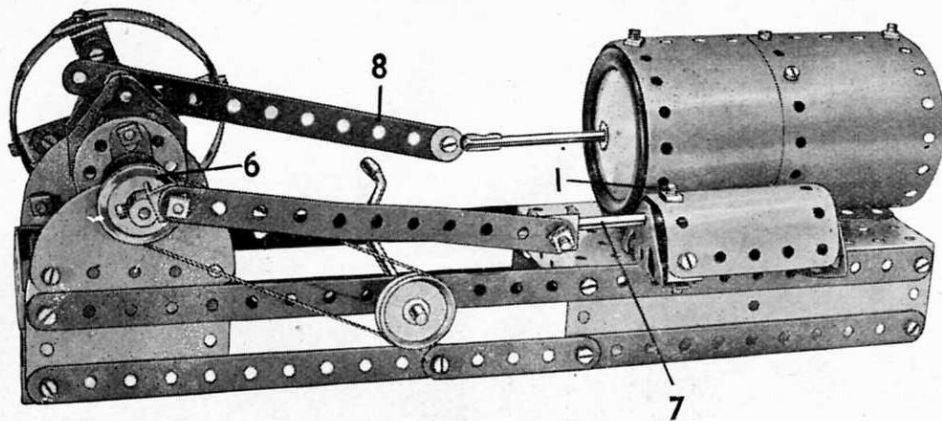
A  $\frac{3}{8}"$  Bolt is passed through the holes of Reversed Angle Brackets bolted to the top of the cage, and Washers are placed on its shank for spacing purposes.

The guides 1 for the cage consist of a piece of Cord, which is passed over two Rods as shown and then led downward and through two holes in the Flanged Plate that forms the base. Washers are tied to each end of the Cord, underneath the Plate, to maintain it in tension.

The Cord used for elevating the cage is wound round the Crank Handle, and one end is passed over the  $3\frac{1}{2}"$  Rod and tied to the top of the cage. The other end of the Cord is passed through a hole in the Flanged Plate and tied to the underneath of the cage.



## 3.17 MILL ENGINE



The bed of the engine is built first. For this two 12 1/2 inch Strips are bolted one to each side of a Flanged Plate. A 5 1/2 inch x 1 1/2 inch Flexible Plate also is attached to each side of the Flanged Plate, and to the lower edges of the Flexible Plates are bolted built-up strips, each consisting of two 5 1/2 inch and one 2 1/2 inch Strip. At the front end of the model the 12 1/2 inch Strips are connected by a 2 1/2 inch x 1 1/2 inch Double Angle Strip, and a similar part is used to connect the ends of the built-up strips. At the front end of the bed a 2 1/2 inch x 1 1/2 inch Flexible Plate is bolted to each side. A Semi-Circular Plate is attached to each Flexible Plate by a Fishplate. The Semi-Circular Plates provide the bearings for the crankshaft.

The cylinder is made from two 5 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch and two 4 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flexible Plates bolted together and curved around the rims of two Road Wheels. The cylinder is bolted to the Flanged Plate.

The valve chamber is represented by a U-Section Curved Plate and two Trunnions. The Curved Plate is attached to one of the Trunnions by an Angle Bracket, and a second Angle Bracket held by the Bolt 1 provides a guide for the valve rod.

The crankshaft is built up from two 2 inch Rods, one of which is fitted with a Bush Wheel 2 and two 1 inch Pulleys. These

Pulleys grip the flywheel, which is built up from four Formed Slotted Strips attached to 2 1/2 inch Strips by Angle Brackets. A Flat Trunnion is bolted to the Bush Wheel as shown. The other 2 inch Rod carries a Wheel Disc 3, similarly fitted with a Flat Trunnion and also an Angle Bracket 4 held by the same bolt. A Spring Clip is placed on the Rod so that its lugs press against the Angle Bracket 4, thus locking the Wheel Disc to the Rod.

The connecting rod is a 5 1/2 inch Strip which is free to turn on a 1 1/2 inch Rod 5 held by Spring Clips in the Flat Trunnions.

The valve gear is operated by an Angle Bracket bolted to the boss of a 1 inch Pulley 6. A 5 1/2 inch Strip is attached loosely by a lock-nutted bolt to this Angle Bracket, and also to a Double Bracket on the Rod 7. A Cord Anchoring Spring is placed on this Rod inside the Double Bracket.

The connecting rod 8 is lock-nutted to a Rod and Strip Connector on a 4 inch Rod representing the piston rod.

The engine is set in motion by a belt of Cord running around a 1 inch Pulley on the Crank Handle and the Pulley 6.

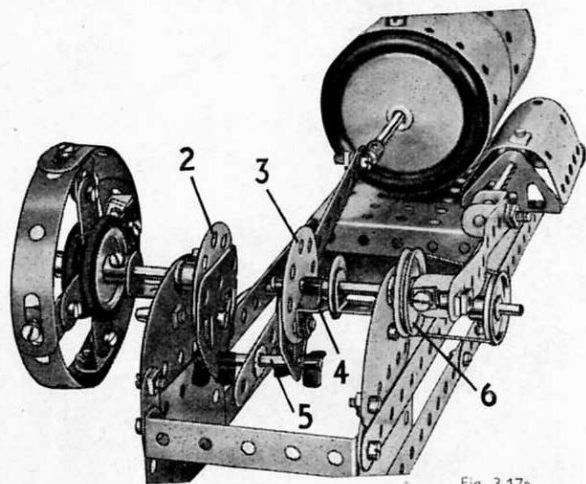


Fig. 3.17a

## 3.18 SHOVEL EXCAVATOR

The tractor unit is made by bolting two 5 1/2 inch x 1 1/2 inch and two 2 1/2 inch x 1 1/2 inch Flexible Plates to the sides of a 5 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flanged Plate. It is fitted with wheels consisting of 1 inch Pulleys fixed on 3 1/2 inch Rods, and a belt of cord is passed around each pair of these to represent creeper tracks.

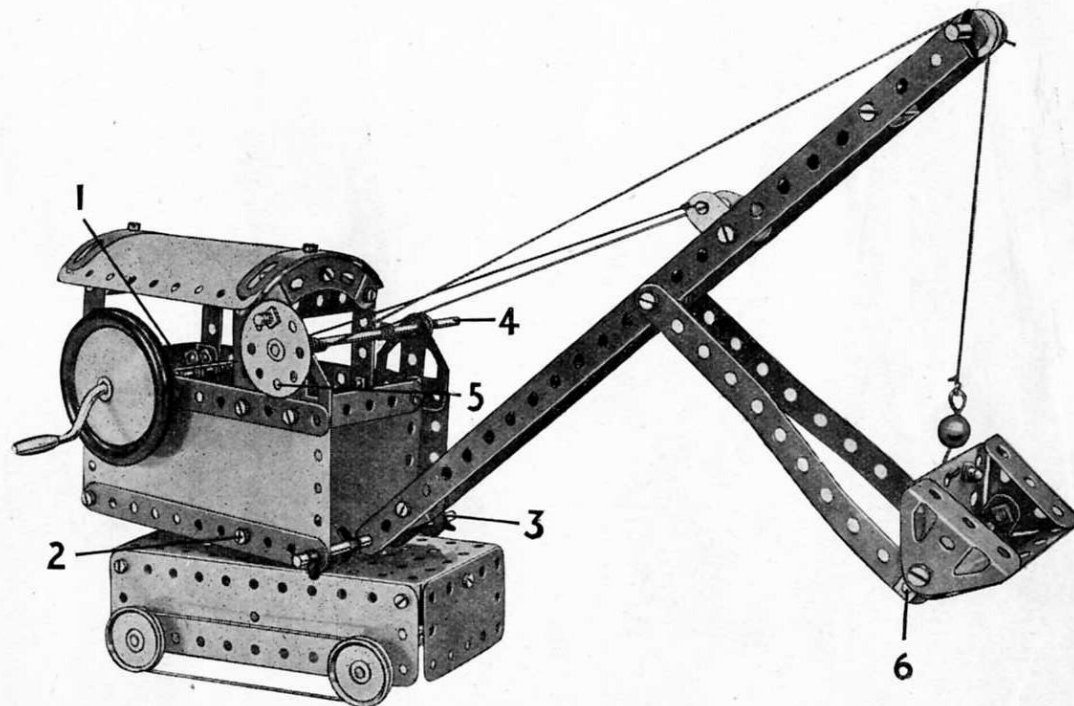
The cab sides consist of two 5 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flexible Plates edged with 5 1/2 inch Strips. These are joined by a Double Angle Strip 1 and a similar Double Angle Strip held by a Bolt 2 on each side of the cab. A 3/8 inch Bolt passed through this Double Angle Strip is used to attach the cab to the tractor unit; two Wheel Discs being used for spacing purposes. The 3/8 inch Bolt is lock-nutted. The back of the cab is a 2 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flexible Plate bolted to the Double Angle Strip 1.

The roof is made from two 4 1/2 inch x 2 1/2 inch Flexible Plates, and is attached at each end to a Curved Strip by an Angle Bracket. The Curved Strips are connected by Angle Brackets to four 2 1/2 inch Strips that support the roof.

The jib consists of two 12 1/2 inch Strips joined by Double Brackets. It pivots about a 3 1/2 inch Rod 3, and is luffed by two Cords extending from a Rod 4 to the Fishplates bolted to the 12 1/2 inch Strips. This Rod is fitted with a Bush Wheel and can be prevented from rotating by engaging a 3/8 inch Bolt 5 in one of the holes in the Bush Wheel. By this means it is possible to maintain the jib at any desired angle.

Two 5 1/2 inch Strips lock-nutted to the jib form the arm that carries the shovel. The shovel consists of a U-Section Curved Plate, and the 5 1/2 inch Strips are attached to it by two Reversed Angle Brackets, one of which can be seen at 6. The sides of the shovel are formed by two Trunnions.

The shovel arm is raised or lowered by a length of Cord, which extends from the Loaded Hook attached to the shovel, over a 1/2 inch Pulley at the jib and is then fastened to the Crank Handle.



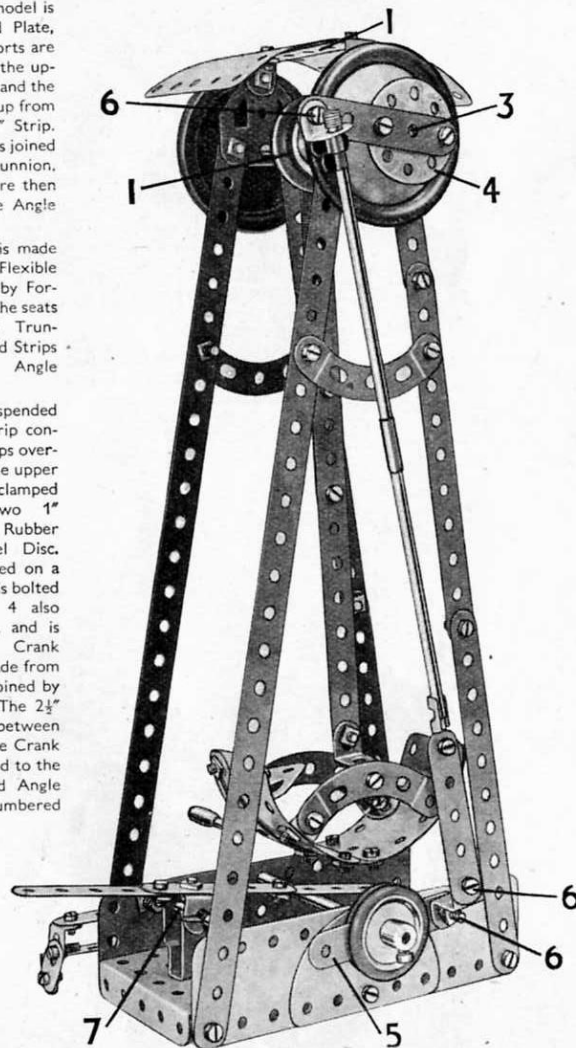
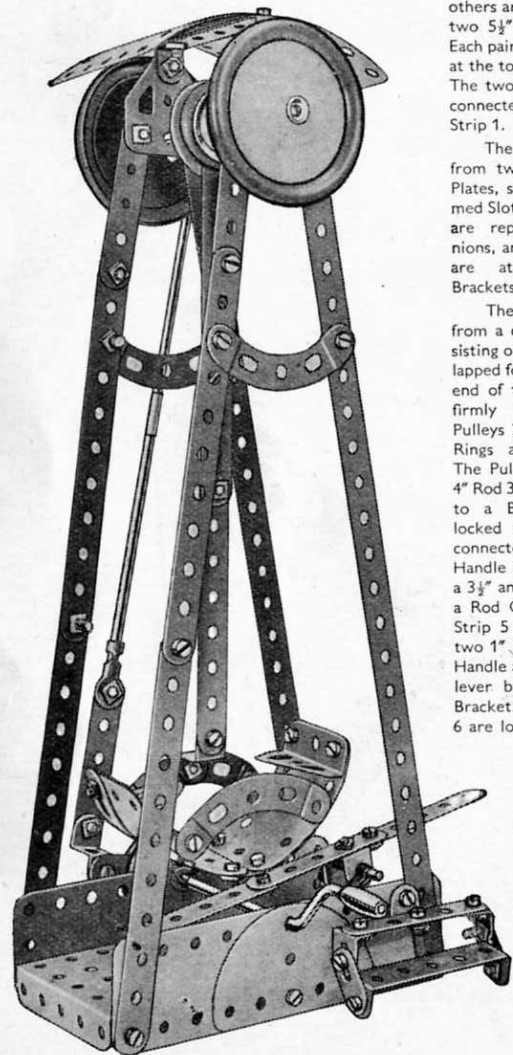


## 3.19 SWING BOAT

The base of the model is formed by a Flanged Plate, and the upright supports are bolted to it. Two of the uprights are  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips, and the others are each built up from two  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " and one  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strip. Each pair of supports is joined at the top to a Flat Trunnion. The two Trunnions are then connected by Double Angle Strip 1.

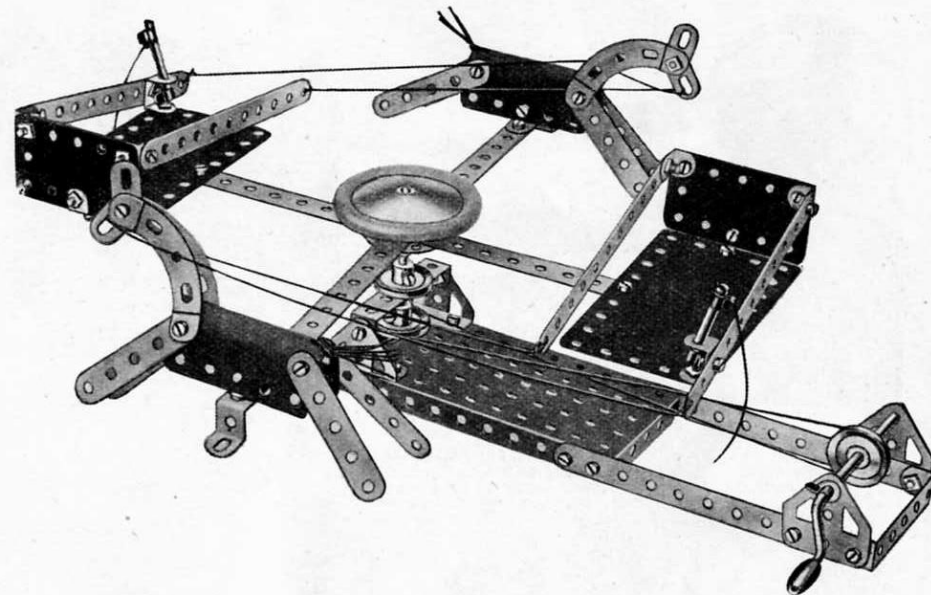
The swing boat is made from two  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Flexible Plates, strengthened by Formed Slotted Strips. The seats are represented by Trunnions, and the Curved Strips are attached by Angle Brackets.

The swing is suspended from a compound strip consisting of two  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips overlapped four holes. The upper end of this strip is clamped firmly between two 1" Pulleys 2 fitted with Rubber Rings and a Wheel Disc. The Pulleys are locked on a 4" Rod 3. A  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strip is bolted to a Bush Wheel 4 also locked on this Rod, and is connected to the Crank Handle by a lever made from a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " and a 4" Rod joined by a Rod Connector. The  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strip 5 is clamped between two 1" Pulleys on the Crank Handle and is attached to the lever by a Reversed Angle Bracket. All Bolts numbered 6 are lock-nutted.



The brake for bringing the boat to rest is formed by three  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips joined together, and is bolted to a Double Bracket held by the Rod 7.

## 3.20 ROUNDABOUT



The two horses and the two cars are each fixed to  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips bolted at right angles to each other to a Bush Wheel that is fixed on a vertical  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Rod. The Rod is passed through a  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $\frac{1}{2}$ " Double Angle Strip and a hole in the Flanged Plate forming the base.

The model is driven by a belt of Cord passed around a 1" Pulley fixed on a Crank Handle supported in two Flat Trunnions bolted to the base and also around a further 1" Pulley fixed on the centre Rod of the roundabout.

Fig. 3.20a shows how the model roundabout can be fitted with a *Magic* Motor if this is available. The Motor is bolted to the  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips of the base, and the drive is taken to a second 1" Pulley fastened on the Crank Handle and spaced from the Flat Trunnion by a Spring Clip and a Washer. This Pulley is removed from the end of the pivot rod of the roundabout underneath the  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Flanged Plate.

*Note:* The Motor used in this model is not included in the Outfit.

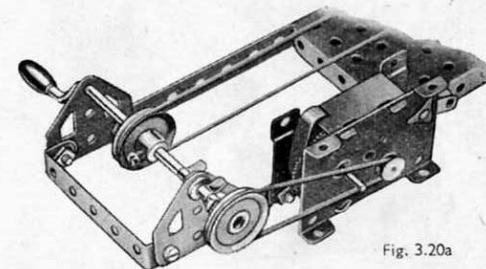
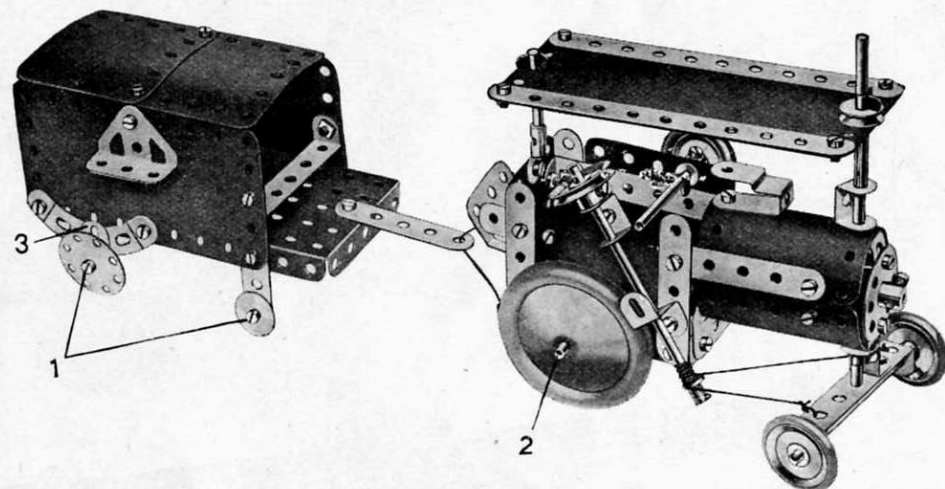


Fig. 3.20a

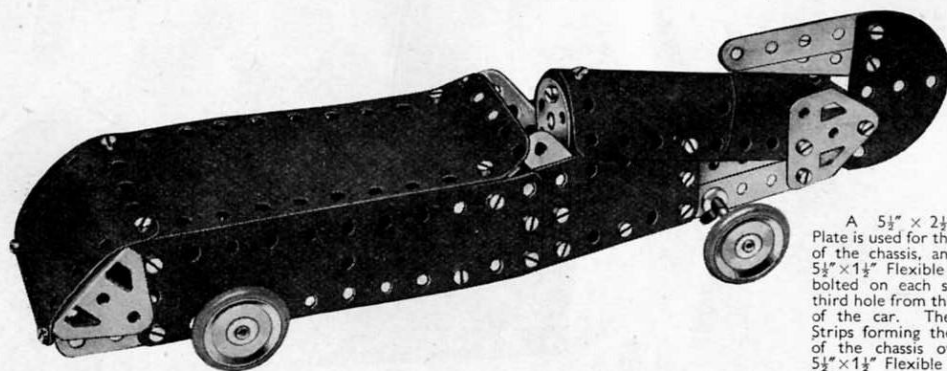
## 3.21 STEAM TRACTOR AND TRAILER



The steering column, a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Rod, is supported in the holes of a Double Bracket and a Reversed Angle Bracket bolted to the side of the cab. Cord is wound round the lower part of the Rod and its ends are tied to the  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $\frac{1}{2}$ " Double Angle Strip that carries the front axle. Care must be taken that the Cord is wound tightly round the Rod, or it will slip when the steering wheel is rotated. The Rod 2 is supported in holes in the Flexible Plates that form the sides of the cab.

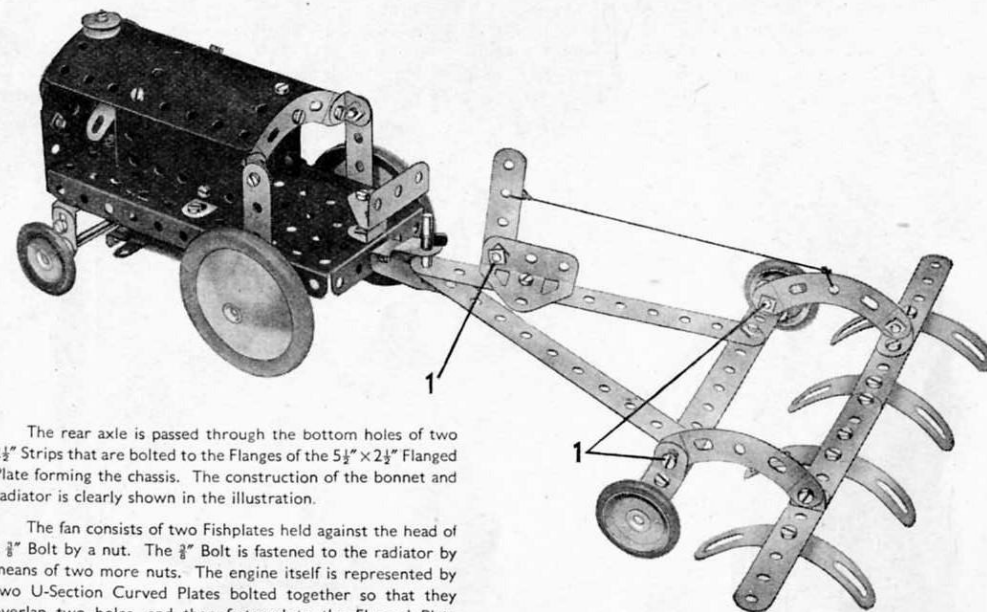
The Bush Wheel that forms the front of the Boiler has two Angle Brackets bolted to it and a Rod passes through the free holes of these Brackets to hold the Bush Wheel in position. This Rod is joined by a Rod Connector to a 2" Rod that forms the chimney. The roof of the cab consists of a  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Flexible Plate, and is held in position by Spring Clips placed on the two rods that pass through it. The Fishplates 3 are bolted in the centre holes of the  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Curved Strips on each side of the model. The Bolts 1 are lock-nutted in position and the Wheel Discs and  $\frac{3}{4}$ " Washers turn freely on them.

## 3.22 RACING CAR



A  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Flanged Plate is used for the front end of the chassis, and the two  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Flexible Plates are bolted on each side in the third hole from the front end of the car. The two  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips forming the rear end of the chassis overlap the  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $1\frac{1}{2}$ " Flexible Plates one hole.

## 3.23 TRACTOR AND HARROW



The rear axle is passed through the bottom holes of two  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Strips that are bolted to the Flanges of the  $5\frac{1}{2}$ "  $\times$   $2\frac{1}{2}$ " Flanged Plate forming the chassis. The construction of the bonnet and radiator is clearly shown in the illustration.

The fan consists of two Fishplates held against the head of a  $\frac{3}{8}$ " Bolt by a nut. The  $\frac{3}{8}$ " Bolt is fastened to the radiator by means of two more nuts. The engine itself is represented by two U-Section Curved Plates bolted together so that they overlap two holes, and then fastened to the Flanged Plate by two Angle Brackets.

The wheels of the harrow are held by  $\frac{3}{8}$ " Bolts in Reversed Angle Brackets at each end of a  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " Strip. Small radius Curved Strips are fastened to the Reversed Angle Brackets by lock-nutted bolts, and Cord is attached to the centre holes of one of these and also to the operating lever, which is held by lock-nuts to a Trunnion. By moving the lever forward the harrow may be raised from the ground when not in use.

The Bolts 1 shown in both illustrations are lock-nutted.

**Note:** The Motor used in this model is not included in the Outfit.

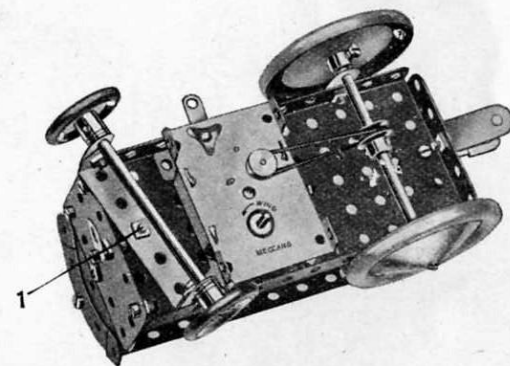


Fig. 3.23a



### 3.24 WINDMILL PUMP

Up and down motion of the pumping shaft is obtained from a crank fastened to the end of the Crank Handle. The crank is formed by securing an Angle Bracket to the boss of a 1" Pulley, two Washers being used between the Bracket and the boss. A 2½" Strip is pivoted to the Crank and the pumping beam, the other end of which is pivotally attached to a Double Bracket on the pump rod. The Bolts 1 are lock-nutted.

The 1" Pulley on the Crank Handle is connected by a belt of Cord to the shaft carrying the sails. The *Magic Motor* is bolted by its flanges to the baseplate, and the drive is taken from the pulley of the Motor to a ½" Pulley fixed on the shaft of the Crank Handle.

If a Motor is not available the model may be operated by hand.

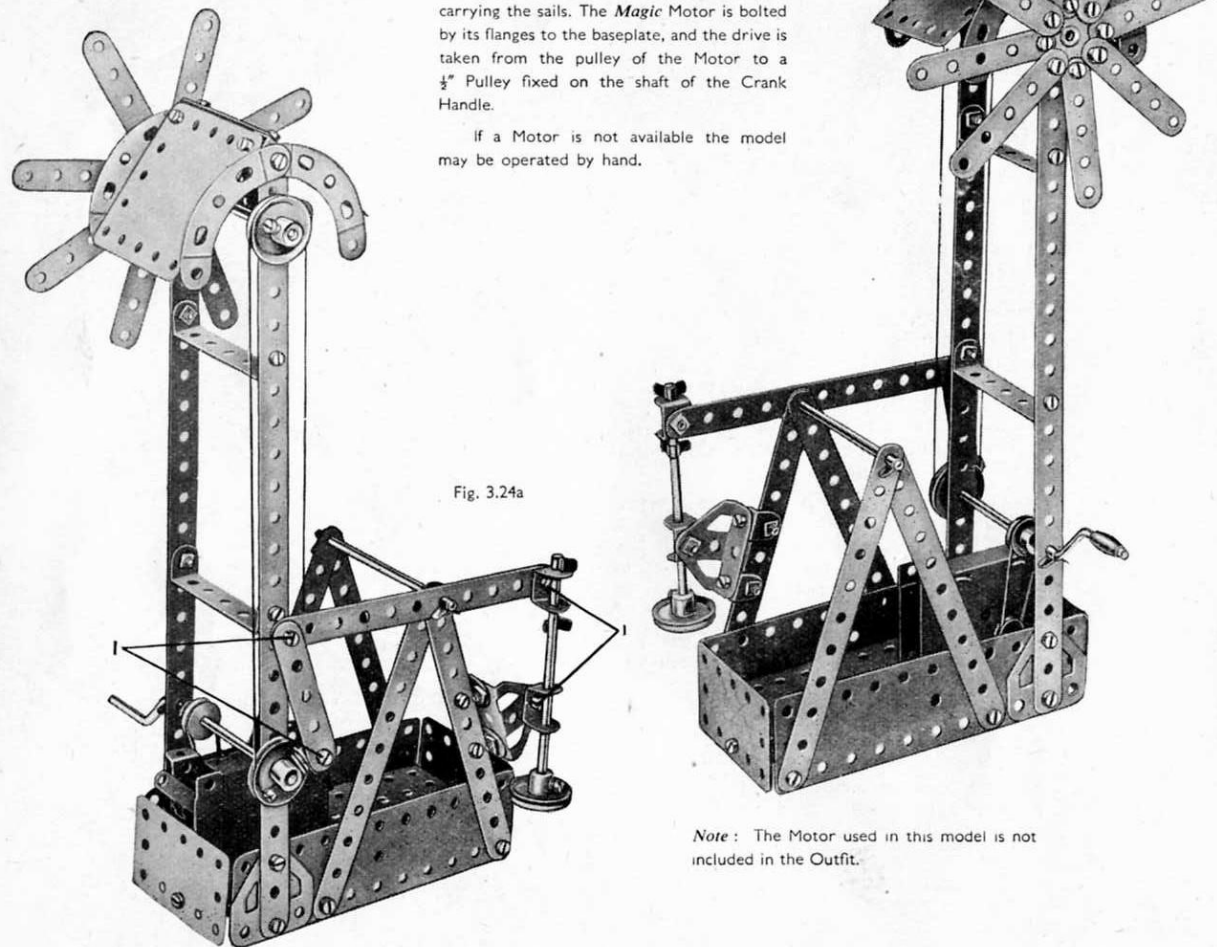


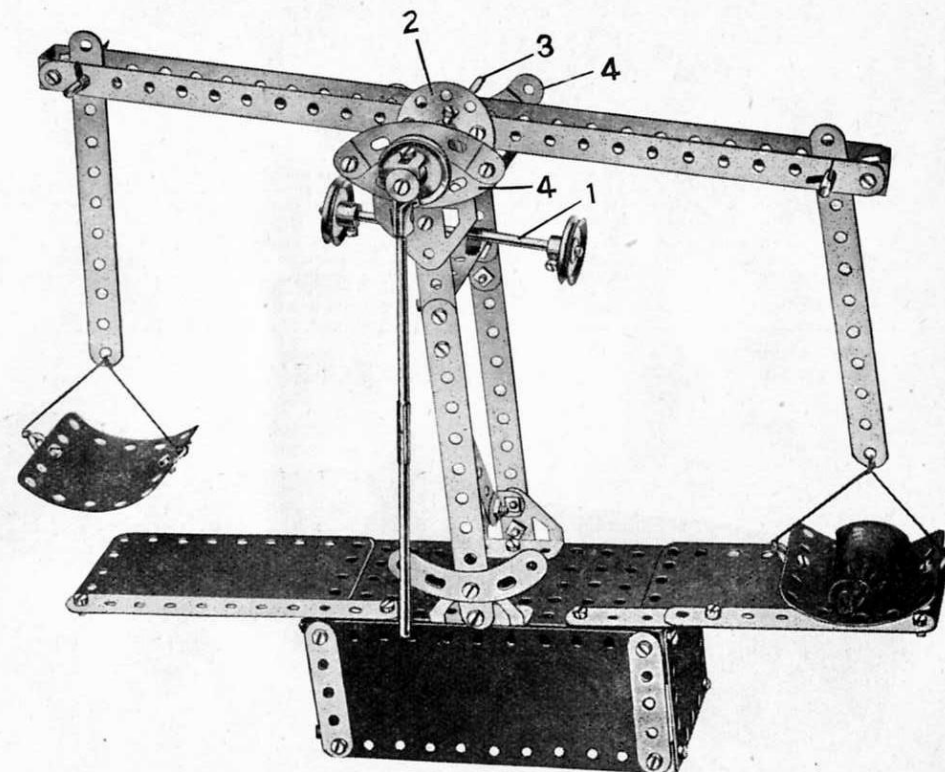
Fig. 3.24a

*Note:* The Motor used in this model is not included in the Outfit.

### 3.25 BALANCE

One of the 12½" Strips that form the beam of the balance is bolted across a Bush Wheel 2. The 3½" Rod 3 that is locked in the boss of the Bush Wheel rests on the two Curved Strips 4.

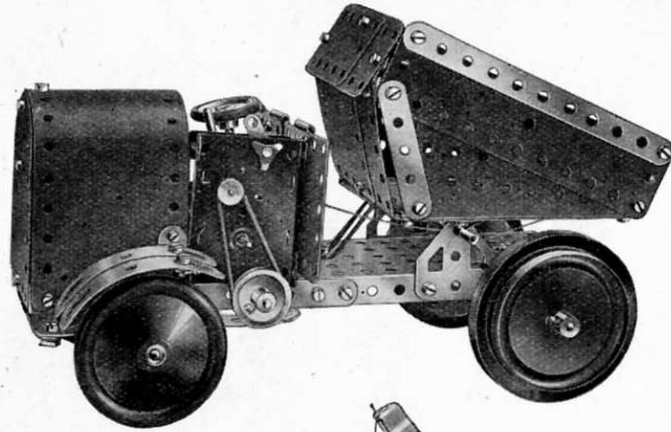
The Rod 1, by which the balance is adjusted, is pushed through the two holes of a Stepped Bent Strip fastened to the Bush Wheel 2 by a Reversed Angle Bracket. The 5½" Strips from which the scale pans are suspended are pivoted at their upper ends on 2" Rods, which are passed through holes in the 12½" Strips of the beam.



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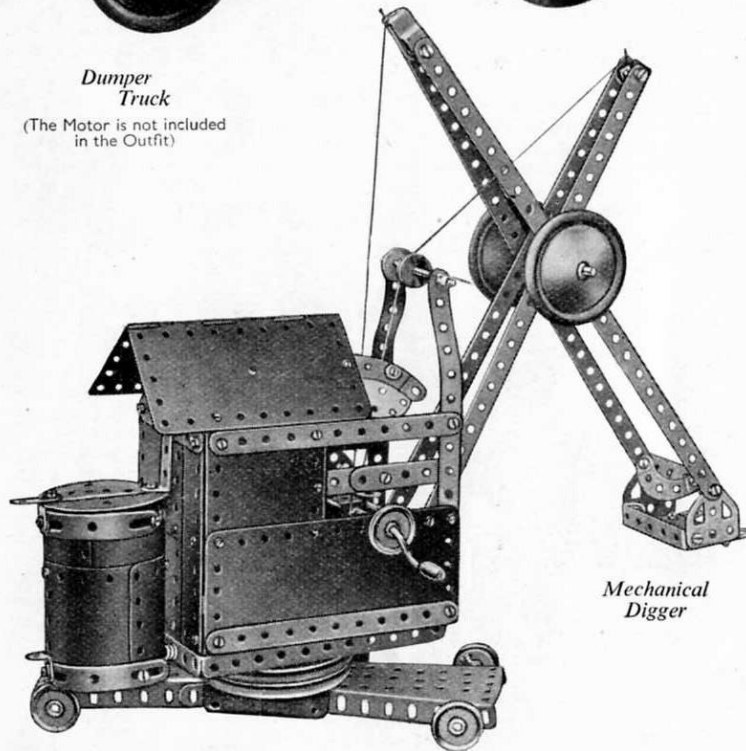
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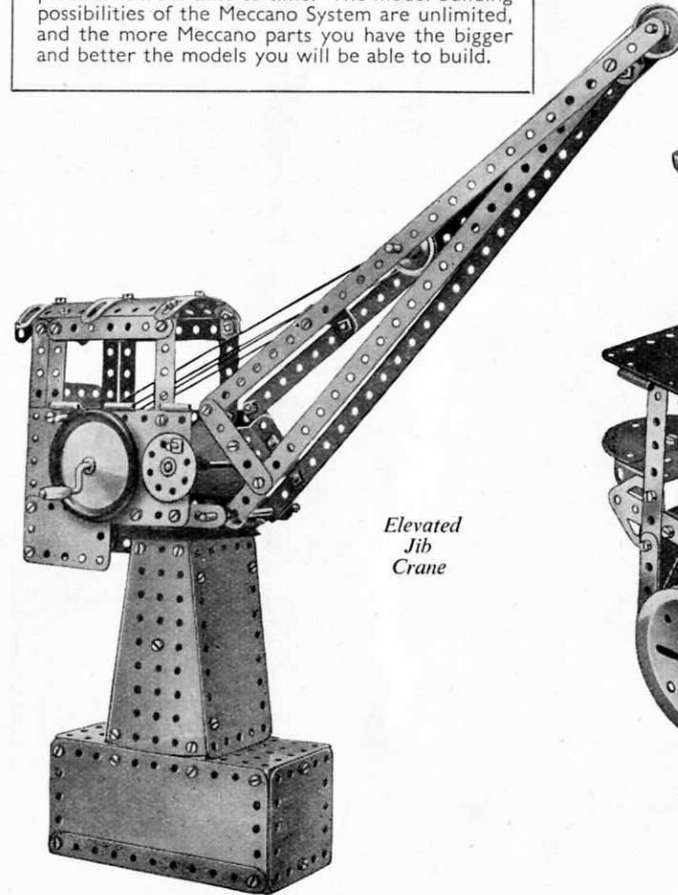


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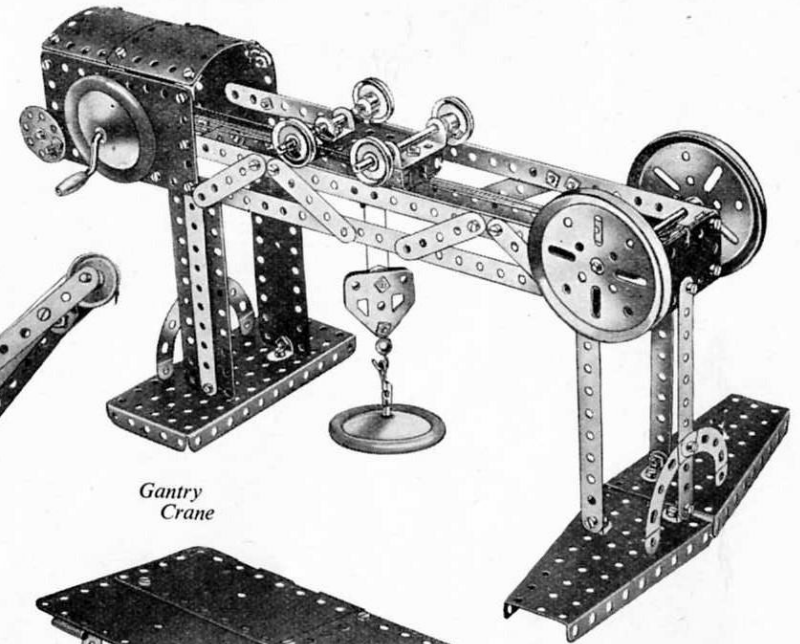
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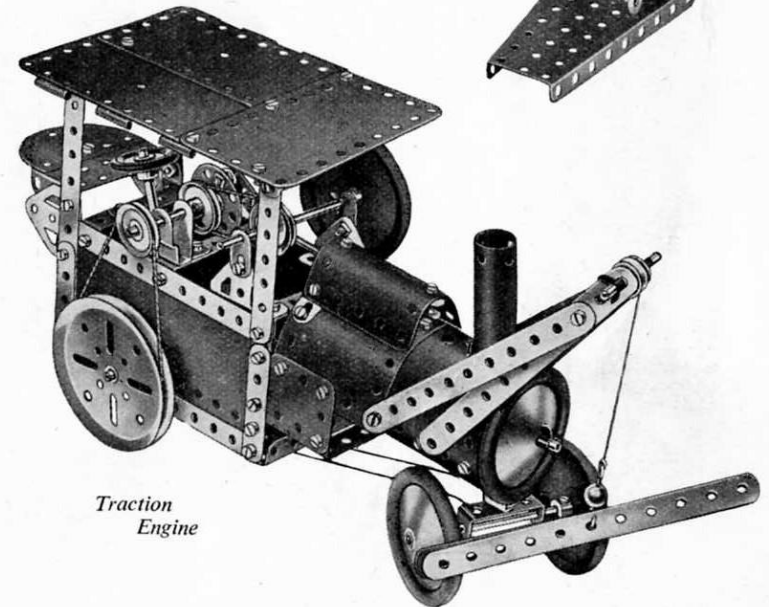
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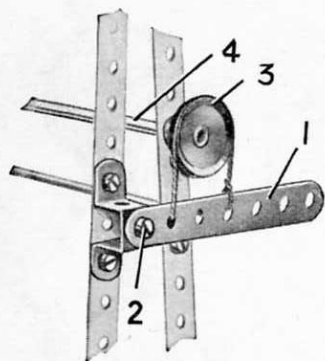


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Here are a few simple and interesting movements showing how easily real mechanisms can be reproduced with Meccano:

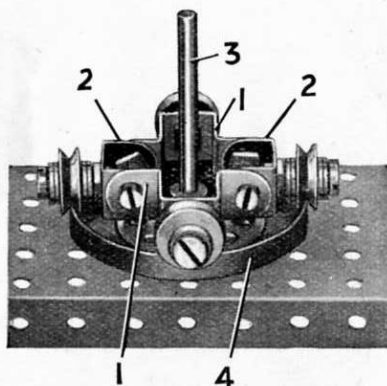
### USEFUL BAND BRAKE



S.M.111. The brake lever consists of a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Strip 1, pivotally attached at a suitable point on the frame of the model, to be fitted, by means of a lock-nutted  $\frac{3}{8}$ " Bolt 2. The driven shaft 4 is fitted at one end with a 1" fast Pulley 3 round which a short length of cord is passed. The two ends of this Cord are secured to the brake lever at the points shown in the illustration.

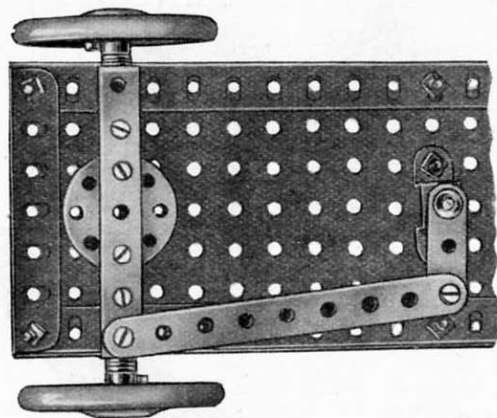
If increased braking effect is desired a larger Pulley may be used in place of the 1" fast Pulley 3, the brake lever 1 being attached in a lower position if necessary. Alternatively a weight can be hung from the end of the brake lever.

### BUILT UP ROLLER BEARING



S.M.136. The spider frame is built up from Double Bent Strips 1 connected together by two Double Brackets 2. The four wheels used are represented by  $\frac{1}{2}$ " loose Pulleys journalled on Pivot Bolts secured to the outer ends of the four arms of the frame. Four Washers, two on each side of the Pulleys are passed on to the shank of each of the Pivot Bolts that are attached to the Double Brackets 2. In the case of the other two Pivot Bolts, two Washers are placed against the external side only of the Pulley.

### SIMPLE STEERING GEAR



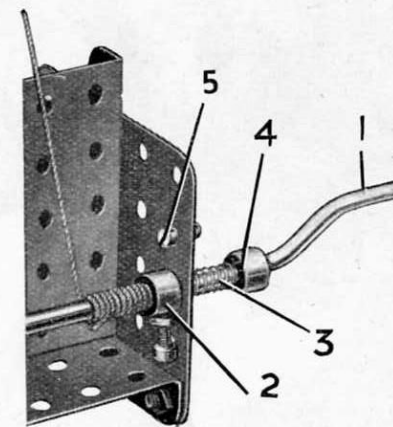
S.M.162. The simple steering gear will be found suitable for most small model vehicles.

In this example the two front wheels are mounted on separate stub axles that are secured to each end of a rigid front axle. The base of the chassis consists of two long Angle Girders connected together at the front end by a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Angle Girder and filled in along their length by means of  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " Flat Plates.

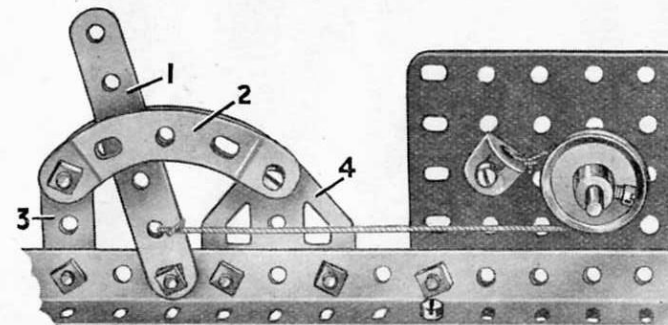
The front axle, a  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Double Angle Strip, is pivotally mounted at its centre on a Bush Wheel and short Rod. It is fitted,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " from each end, with a  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Angle Bracket, this forming the inner bearing for its respective stub axle. The outer bearing for the axle consists of the upturned lug of the Double Angle Strip. One end of this latter part is fitted with a pivotally attached  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " Strip, by means of which the front axle is linked up to a Crank fixed to the steering column.

### SAFETY CATCH FOR CRANE WINDING GEAR

S.M.125. The Compression Spring 3 is mounted on the Crank Handle 1 between the Collar 4 and a Washer, and normally holds the Collar 2 against the inner side of the plate. The Collar 2 is fitted with a  $\frac{3}{8}$ " Bolt, and if the Crank Handle commences to rotate, the head of this Bolt strikes against the stop 5 and prevents further movement.



### BRAKE LEVER and QUADRANT



S.M.112. This mechanism is a form of band brake in which the lever 1 can be held in any position by means of the quadrant 2. In this way varying pressures can be applied to the Pulley forming the brake drum.

One end of the brake Cord is attached to a  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " Angle Bracket bolted in a suitable position on the model. After passing round the 1" fast Pulley forming the brake drum the Cord is secured at the next to bottom hole of a 3" Strip 1. This Strip forms the brake lever, and it is secured to the frame of the model by a lock-nutted Bolt.



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## MECCANO PARTS

<p><b>3</b> Perforated Strips</p> <p>No. 1. 12" 3. 3 1/2" 1a. 9" 4. 3" 1b. 7" 5. 2 1/2" 2. 5" 6. 2" 2a. 4" 6a. 1 1/2"</p> <p><b>9</b> Angle Girders</p> <p>7. 24" 9a. 4 1/2" 7a. 18" 9b. 3 1/2" 8. 12" 9c. 3" 8a. 9" 9d. 2 1/2" 8b. 7" 9e. 2" 9. 5" 9f. 1 1/2"</p> <p><b>10</b> Fishplate <b>11</b> Double Bracket <b>12</b> Angle Bracket, 1/2" x 1/2" 12a. " " 1" x 1" 12b. " " 1" x 1 1/2" 12c. Obtuse Angle Bracket, 1/2" x 1/2"</p> <p><b>17</b> Axle Rods</p> <p>13. 11 1/2" 16. 3 1/2" 13a. 8" 16a. 2 1/2" 14. 6 1/2" 16b. 3" 15. 5" 17. 2" 15a. 4 1/2" 18a. 1 1/2" 15b. 4" 18b. 1"</p> <p><b>19h</b> Crank Handle, 3 1/2" Shaft with grip 19h. " " 5" " without grip 19s. " " 3 1/2" " without grip</p> <p><b>20</b> 19a. Spoked Wheel, 3" diam. 20. Flanged Wheel, 1 1/2" diam. 20b. " " " "</p> <p><b>22</b> Pulleys 19b. 3" diam. with boss and screw 19c. 2" " " " 20a. 2" " " " 21. 1 1/2" " " " 22. 1" " " " 22a. 1" " without " " 23. 1" " " " 23a. 1/2" " with " "</p>	<p><b>24</b> Bush Wheel, 1 1/2" diam. 24a. Wheel Disc, 1 1/2" diam., without bush</p> <p><b>26</b> Pinion, 3/4" diam., 1/4" face, 25 teeth 25a. " " " 25 " 25b. " " " 19 " 26. " " " 19 " 26a. " " " 19 " 26b. " " " 19 "</p> <p><b>27</b> 1 1/2" diam. 50 teeth, 27a. 1 1/2" 57 " 27b. 3" 133 " 27c. 3 1/2" 95 "</p> <p><b>28</b> Contrate Wheel, 1 1/2" diam., 50 teeth 29. " " 1/4" 25 "</p> <p><b>30</b> 30. Bevel Gear, 3/4" diam., 26 teeth (for use in pairs) 30a. " " 1 1/2" 16 " Can only be used together 30c. " " 1 1/2" 48 "</p> <p><b>31</b> Gear Wheel, 1" diam., 1/4" face, 38 teeth 32. Worm, 1/2" diam.</p> <p><b>34</b> Spanner 34b. Box Spanner</p> <p><b>35</b> Spring Clip 36. Screwdriver 36a. " longer 36c. Drift (for levering bolt holes into line) 37. Nut and Bolt, 1/4" 37a. Nut 37b. Bolt, 1/4" 38. Washer 38d. " 3/8" 40. Hank of Cord</p>	<p><b>41</b> Propeller Blade</p> <p><b>43</b> Tension Spring, 2" long</p> <p><b>44</b> Bent Strip, stepped 45. Double Bent Strip 46. Double Angle Strip, 2 1/2" x 1" 47. " " 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" 47a. " " 3" x 1 1/2" 48. " " 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" 48a. " " 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" 48b. " " 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" 48c. " " 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" 48d. " " 5 1/2" x 1 1/2"</p> <p><b>50</b> Slide Piece</p> <p><b>52</b> Flanged Plate, 2 1/2" x 1 1/2" 52. " " 5 1/2" x 1 1/2" 52a. Flat Plate, 3 1/2" x 2 1/2" 53. Flanged Plate, 3 1/2" x 2 1/2" 53a. Flat Plate, 4 1/2" x 2 1/2"</p> <p><b>54</b> Flanged Sector Plate, 4 1/2" long</p> <p><b>55</b> Perforated Strip, slotted, 5 1/2" long 55a. " " " 2 "</p> <p><b>57b</b> Hook, Loaded, Large 57c. " " Small</p> <p><b>58</b> Spring Cord, 40" Length 58a. Coupling Screw for Spring Cord 58b. Hook for Spring Cord</p> <p><b>59</b> Collar, with screw</p>	<p><b>61</b> Windmill Sail</p> <p><b>62</b> Crank 62a. Threaded Crank 62b. Double Arm Crank</p> <p><b>63</b> Coupling 63b. Strip Coupling 63c. Threaded Coupling</p> <p><b>64</b> Threaded Boss 65. Centre Fork 69. Set Screw, 1/4" 69a. Grub Screw, 1/4" 69b. " " 3/8" 69c. " " 1/2"</p> <p><b>76</b> Flat Plate, 5 1/2" x 2 1/2" 72. " " 2 1/2" x 2 1/2" 73. " " 3" x 1 1/2" 76. Triangular Plate, 2 1/2" " 1"</p> <p><b>80</b> Screwed Rods 78. 11 1/2" 80b. 4 1/2" 79. 8" 80c. 3" 79a. 6" 81. 2" 80. 5" 82. 1" 80a. 3 1/2"</p> <p><b>90</b> Curved Strip, 5 1/2", 10" radius 89a. " stepped, 3", 1 1/2" radius 89b. Curved Strip, stepped, 4", 4 1/2" radius 90. Curved Strip, 2 1/2", 2 1/2" radius 90a. " stepped, 2 1/2", 1 1/2" radius</p> <p><b>94</b> Sprocket Chain, 40" length 95. " Wheel, 2" diam. 36 teeth 95a. " " 1 1/2" 28 " 95b. " " 3 1/2" 56 " 96. " " 1" 18 " 96a. " " 3/4" 14 "</p>	<p><b>99</b> Braced Girders 97. 3 1/2" long 99a. 9 1/2" long 97a. 3" " 99b. 7 1/2" " 98. 2 1/2" " 100. 5 1/2" " 99. 12 1/2" " 100a. 4 1/2" "</p> <p><b>101</b> Heald, for looms 102. Single Bent Strip</p> <p><b>103</b> Flat Girders 103. 5 1/2" long 103e. 3" long 103a. 9 1/2" 103f. 2 1/2" " 103b. 12 1/2" 103g. 2" " 103c. 4 1/2" 103h. 1 1/2" " 103d. 3 1/2" 103k. 7 1/2" "</p> <p><b>104</b> Shuttle, for looms 105. Reed Hook, for looms</p> <p><b>106</b> Wood Roller 106a. Sand Roller</p> <p><b>108</b> Corner Gusset 109. Face Plate, 2 1/2" diam.</p> <p><b>110</b> Rack Strip, 3 1/2" long 110a. Bolt, 3/4" 111c. Bolt, 3/4" 111. " 1/2" 111d. " 1 1/2"</p> <p><b>113</b> Girder Frame</p> <p><b>114</b> Hinge 115. Threaded Pin 116. Fork Piece, Large 116a. " " Small</p> <p><b>118</b> Hub Disc, 5 1/2" diam.</p>
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## MECCANO PARTS

- No. 120b. Compression Spring,  $\frac{1}{8}$ " long
122. Miniature Loaded Sack
123. Cone Pulley,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ ", 1" and  $\frac{3}{4}$ " diam.
124. Reversed Angle Bracket, 1"
125. " " "  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
126. Trunnion
- 126a. Flat Trunnion
127. Bell Crank
128. Bell Crank, with Boss
129. Toothed Segment,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " radius
130. Eccentric, Triple Throw,  $\frac{1}{2}$ ",  $\frac{3}{4}$ " and  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
- 130a. Eccentric, Single Throw,  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
131. Dredger Bucket
132. Flywheel,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
133. Corner Bracket,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ "
- 133a. " "  $\frac{1}{2}$ "

- No. 134. Crank Shaft, 1" stroke
136. Handrail Support
- 136a. Handrail Coupling
137. Wheel Flange
- 138a. Ship's Funnel
139. Flanged Bracket (right)
- 139a. " " (left)
140. Universal Coupling
142. Rubber Ring (to fit 3" diam. rim)
- 142a. Motor Tyre (to fit 2" diam. rim)
- 142b. " " " 3" " "
- 142c. " " " 1" " "
- 142d. " " "  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " " "
143. Circular Girder,  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.

- No. 144. Dog Clutch
145. Circular Strip,  $7\frac{1}{2}$ " diam. overall
146. " Plate 6" " "
- 146a. " " 4" " "
- 147 & 148. Pawl, with Pivot Bolt and Nuts
- 147a. Pawl
- 147b. Pivot Bolts with 2 Nuts
- 147c. Pawl without boss
148. Ratchet Wheel
151. Pulley Block, Single Sheave
152. " " Two " "
153. " " Three " "
- 154a. Corner Angle Bracket,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " (right-hand)
- 154b. Corner Angle Bracket,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " (left-hand)
155. Rubber Ring (for 1" Pulleys)
157. Fan, 2" diam.
160. Channel Bearing,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
161. Girder Bracket,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ "

163. Boiler, complete, 5" long x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
162. " Ends,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " diam. x  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
- 162a. " without ends,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " long x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
163. Sleeve Piece,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " long x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
164. Chimney Adaptor,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " diam. x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " high
165. Swivel Bearing
166. End
- 167b. Flanged Ring,  $9\frac{3}{4}$ " diam.
168. Ball Thrust Bearing, 4" diam.
- 168a. " Race, flanged disc,  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
- 168b. " " toothed " 4" diam.
- 168c. " Cage,  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " diam., complete with balls.
- 168d. Ball,  $\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
171. Socket Coupling
175. Flexible Coupling Unit
176. Anchoring Spring for Cord
179. Rod Socket
180. Gear Ring,  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " diam. (133 ext. teeth, 95 int.)

- No. 185. Steering Wheel,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
186. Driving Band,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " (Light)
- 186a. " " 6" " "
- 186b. " " 10" " "
- 186c. " " 10" (Heavy)
- 186d. " " 15" " "
- 186e. " " 20" " "
187. Road Wheel,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
- 187a. Conical Disc,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.
192. Flexible Plates
190.  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ "
191.  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
192.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
196.  $9\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
197. Strip Plates
- 190a.  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
191.  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
192.  $5\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
197.  $12\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
198. Hinged Flat Plate,  $4\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
199. Curved Plate, U-Section
200. " "  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $\frac{1}{2}$ " radius
200. " "  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " radius
- 211a & 211b. Helical Gear,  $\frac{1}{2}$ "
- 211b. " " 1" {Can only be used together}
212. Rod and Strip Connector
213. Rod Connector
214. Semi-Circular Plate,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ "
215. Formed Slotted Strip, 3"
216. Cylinder,  $2\frac{1}{2}$ " long,  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " diam.