SPINNING WHEEL ASSEMBLY INSTRUCTIONS

Please read these instructions carefully, and make use of the photograph

- 1 Check all the parts against this master list:
 - 1 base
 - 2 short legs (numbered 1 and 2)
 - 1 long leg (numbered 3)
 - 1 pedal assembly (numbered 5)
 - 2 wheel locking pegs (3" long)
 - 1 wheel
 - 2 wheel supports (numbered 4a, 4b)
 - 1 bobbin assembly (includes spindle, bobbin and flyer)
 - 1 threaded tensioning handle (numbered 6)
 - 1 driving band
- 2 Place the base so that holes No. 1, 2 and 3 are uppermost, fit legs (numbered 1, 2 and 3) into their respective positions, turn the base so that the three legs are now on the floor and twist Nos. 1 and 2 so that the angled ends are flat on the floor.
- 3 Fit the two wheel supports (numbered 4a, 4b) into their sockets and place the wheel (having removed packing piece) in position with the crank (No. 7) on the same side as the No. 7 on the base.
- 4 Connect the pedal assembly (numbered 5) with the numbered end in the hole marked X at the bottom of long leg, put the other end in the slot at the bottom of leg 1. Connect the arm to the crank.
- 5 Place bobbin assembly in the square hole on the base so that the small pulley is in line with the wheel, the driving band should pass around the wheel then round the small driving pulley, then around the wheel again and round the driving flange on the bobbin.

A spacer is fitted on the spindle between the driving pulley and the leather bearing. This helps the spindle to run smoothly.

The two wheel locking pegs should now be inserted at the top of the wheel supports.

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

A piece of strong yarn should be passed through the spindle and tied securely to the bobbin. The wheel should be slowly turned clockwise by hand to ensure that the tension is sufficient on the driving band to turn the driving pulley (whorl).

The carded fibre can then be introduced by lightly knotting it to the yarn. It is vital to have instruction or a reference book, preferably both.

Your dealer will probably have various books on spinning but in case of difficulty the following are available from Haldanes.

Your Handspinning Handspinning Hand Woolcombing and Spinning Spinning and Dyeing the Natural Way by Elsie Davenport by Eliza Leadbeater by Peter Teal by Ruth Castino

Spare bobbins, lazy kates, carders and fleece are also available on request.



