

# Customer Instructions

## Railroad Jacks



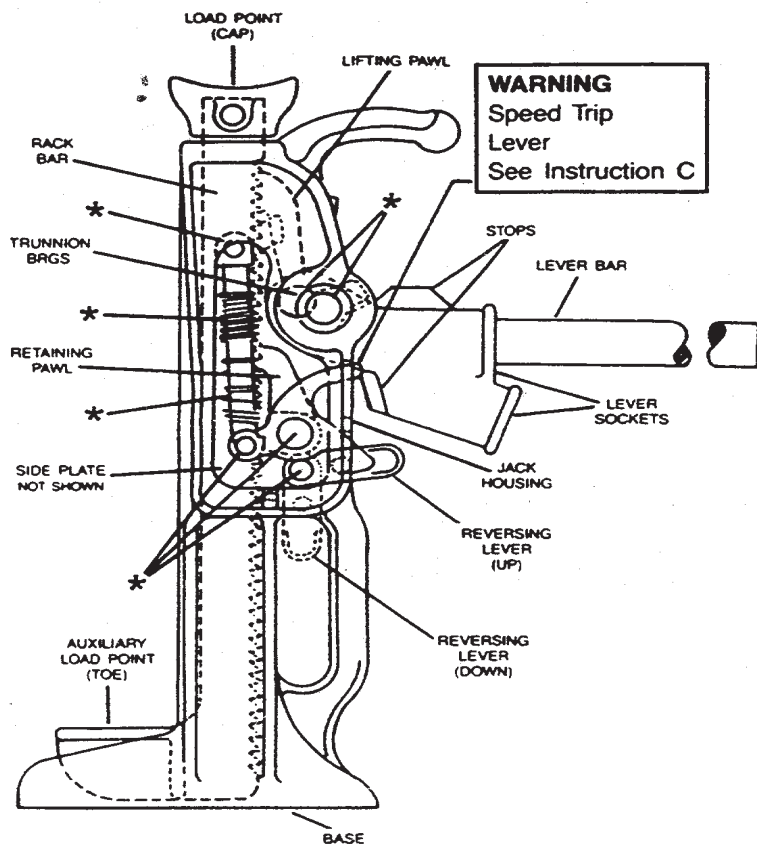
1. TO RAISE: move reversing lever to the up position. Select the appropriate socket and inset lever bar, making certain that lever bar engages the depth of the socket. Grip the lever firmly and make up and down strokes exerting a controlled force. Complete each stroke and assure pawl engagement prior to each stroke reversal.

**CAUTION:** After each down stroke, gradually release the downward force on the lever bar, taking care that the holding pawl has engaged, and the lever is free of load prior to completing the upward stroke. Should the lever bar be released while under load, it will suddenly "kick up," presenting a personal injury hazard

2. TO LOWER: move the reversing lever to a down position, insert the lever bar as detailed in step 1. Grip the lever firmly and exert a controlled downward force making up and down strokes. Complete each stroke and assure pawl engagement prior to each stroke reversal.

**CAUTION:** The down stroke release the retaining pawl and transfers the load reaction to the lever bar in the operators hands. The lever must be allowed to raise slowly by exerting a controlled downward force throughout the up stroke. Should the downward force be released before completion of the up stroke, the lever will suddenly "kick up," presenting a personal injury hazard.

3. OPERATING THE SPEED TRIP: **WARNING** - do not operate the speed trip to lower a load. This feature is to be used for dropping the rack bar under no-load conditions only. Before using the speed trip, be certain that the load is properly blocked. Move reversing lever to down position. Operate the



lever bar per instruction 2 above and ratchet lower the load onto substantial load supports. Continue to lower until load point of jack clears the load. When jack is no longer under load, then - to release the rack bar, move the lever bar to the down position, hold the speed trip lever down, and gradually push the lever bar upward. At the point of pawl disengagement, the rack bar will suddenly drop.

**CAUTION -** Keep all parts of the human body clear of rack bar action during release.

Disclaimer:

*These instructions are intended as a helpful reminder. They do not replace the full operating instructions found in the owners manual, which is available at the rental counter.*

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