



Fig.6

moulded onto both sidewalls. **#40 Flanged Wheel** is a solid, nickelled steel casting 9mm thick. The flange is 30mm Ø, the tread tapers from 27 to 26½mm. **#46 Hole Punch** (left). It worked well and gave clean holes accurately spaced at 10mm pitch. Very useful in making neat cladding.

SET E. The lid has the 'Motorway' scene and the box, 350*320*47mm, has 2 layers of parts. The photos of the base & tray (Figs.4 & 5), together with the Illustrated Parts shown in 26/772, give a good idea of the different parts. The gear module is, as expected, a nominal 2.5. The manual with Jean-Pierre's set is the Plain C-D one shown earlier but an accompanying leaflet says that Set E

would be available for Xmas but that an 'E' manual would not be ready until the Spring of 1954. A coupon was attached to request that one be sent when available. The E (Portrait) manual with an Ebay Set E is shown right, as in MCS, and it looks to be about A5 in size.

USING the PARTS I made the Hammer Mill shown in 26/774, slightly elaborated to take advantage of the available parts. Despite the absence of slotted holes it seemed quite easy to build the basic model and to find suitable parts for various 'improvements'. The weight-driven TREL Motor drove the model admirably.



Fig.7

BENCO: S3

OSN 51/1576

Snippet. 'New' German System:

WIR BAUEN AUF! The Ebay photos here show an architectural system, said to be from the 1940s. The name could translate as We Are Rebuilding! – apposite perhaps for Germany in the late 1940s. Fig.4 shows the open box plus the manual and a corner of the lid.

The PL under the Summer House in Fig.2 lists 16 PNs: #1-6, 12-16, 18-22.

Some of the black parts support the grey Wall Panels. There are 2 types of Upright, the Flat ones in Fig.6 & Flanged ones in the top bay of Fig.4. Quite how the Panels are fixed



Fig.1

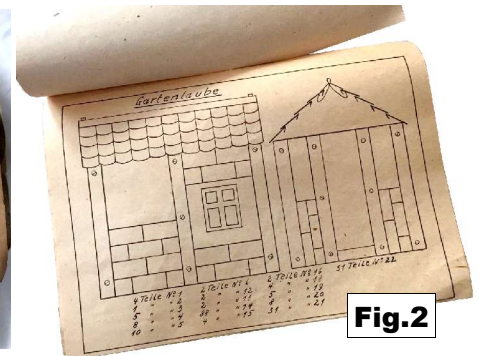


Fig.2



Fig.3



Fig.4



Fig.5

isn't clear but perhaps with Clips bolted to the Uprights. 31 N&B are called up in the PL.

The tabs on the red Roof Tiles presumably engage Roof Battens which would slide into the narrow slots in the top edges of the Gable Ends, but no parts that definitely look like Battens can be seen, though there



Fig.6

are some long parts in Fig.4's top bay. A Roof Ridge would also be needed and again this part may be in the top bay. The small, whitish parts half hidden in Figs.3 & 6 are square tiles with an alphabet letter on their under faces. A number of these can be seen in a photo not shown here and it seems unlikely that they are part of the Set.

Thank you to Urs Flammer & Thomas Morzinck for their help over Wir Bauen Auf!



Fig.7

WIR BAUEN AUF: S1

OSN 51/1576