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(FSN 3530-819-2008), AND
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TM 10-3530-203-24, 1 June 1966, is changed as follows:

Pages 10 thru 24 are deleted.

Page 165.

Section II is superseded as follows:

Section II.
PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE
CHECKS AND SERVICES

7-3. General.

To insure that the Clothing Repair Shop is ready for operation at all times, it must be inspected systematically so that the defects may be discovered and corrected before they result in serious damage or failure. Defects discovered during operation of the unit shall be noted for future corrections, to be made as soon as an operation has ceased. Stop operation which would damage the equipment if operation were to continue. All deficiencies and shortcomings shall be recorded together with the corrective action taken on DA Form 2404, Equipment Inspection and Maintenance Worksheet at the earliest opportunity. When performing your quarterly PMCS, always keep in mind the CAUTIONS and WARNINGS. If your equipment fails to operate, troubleshoot with proper equipment. Report any deficiencies using the proper forms, see TM 38-750.

7-4. Preventive Maintenance Checks and Services.

Refer to Table 7-1 for Preventive Maintenance Checks and Services.

a. Item Number Column. Checks and services are numbered in chronological order regardless of interval. This column will be used as a source of item numbers for the TM Item Number column on DA Form 2404 in recording results of PMCS.

b. Interval Columns. The column headed Q will contain a dot (•) opposite the appropriate check indicating it is to be performed Q-Quarterly (250 hours).

c. Item to be Inspected Column. The items listed in this column are divided into groups and identifies the items to be inspected.

d. Procedures Column. This column contains a brief description of the procedure by which the check is to be performed.

e. Equipment will be Reported Not Ready/Available Column. This column will contain the criteria which will cause the equipment to be classified as not Ready/Available because of inability to perform its primary mission.

NOTE

If the equipment must be kept in continuous operation, check and service only those items that can be checked and serviced without disturbing operation. Make the

complete checks and services when the equipment can be shutdown.

NOTE

Refer to the daily preventive maintenance checks and services for the generator set in TM 5-6115-271-12, and cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.

Pages 166 and 167 are superseded as follows:

Table 7-1. ORGANIZATIONAL PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES

INTERVAL Q-QUARTERLY (250 HOURS)

ITEM NO.	Q	ITEM TO BE INSPECTED	PROCEDURE CHECK FOR AND HAVE REPAIRED OR ADJUSTED AS NECESSARY	EQUIPMENT IS NOT READY/ AVAILABLE IF:
1	•	CLOTHING SEWING MACHINE Faceplate Assembly	a. Inspect presser bar and spring for loose mounting and damage. b. Inspect needle bar for improper alinement (para 3-52). c. Check takeup lever for excessive play. d. Make certain the presser bar lifter has a 1-inch play before meeting resistance.	
2	•	Balance Wheel, Pulleys, and Drive Belt	a. Inspect balance wheel for loose mounting or binding when being turned. b. Inspect pulleys for cracked, burred, and chipped edges. c. Inspect drive belt for fraying or excessive wear. d. Check belt for proper adjustment, 1-inch deflection of the belt, midway between the pulleys.	
3	•	Bobbin Winder	a. Inspect for bent, broken, loose, and missing components. b. Inspect for excessively worn leather brake. c. Check for improper alinement of pulley with drive belt.	

Table 7-1. ORGANIZATIONAL PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES--continued

ITEM NO.	Q	ITEM TO BE INSPECTED	PROCEDURE CHECK FOR AND HAVE REPAIRED OR ADJUSTED AS NECESSARY	EQUIPMENT IS NOT READY/ AVAILABLE IF:
4	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • • 	Motor, Clutch, Rod, and Treadle	<p>a. Inspect for bent, broken, and loose components.</p> <p>b. Observe motor during operation for unusual noise or excessive vibration.</p> <p>c. Operate treadle and see that the pulley brake lever engages the motor drive pulley with the drive motor when the treadle is released.</p>	
5	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Thread Tension, Stud, Thumbnut, and Thread Control spring	<p>a. Inspect thread control spring for broken, bent, and corroded coils.</p> <p>b. Inspect thread tension, stud, and thumbnut for stripped threads and make certain thumbnut turns with tension on stud.</p>	
6	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Throat Plate and Feed Dog	<p>a. Inspect for broken, bent, nicked, corroded, and improperly installed plate.</p> <p>b. Inspect feed dog for excessively worn or broken teeth. Make certain teeth show their full length above the throat plate.</p>	
7	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • • 	Shuttle Race and Bobbin Case	<p>a. Inspect for improperly installed shuttle.</p> <p>b. Check for nicked or burred shuttle race, back and body, and for chipped and broken body point.</p> <p>c. Check bobbin case for loose, damaged, or missing parts.</p>	

Table 7-1. ORGANIZATIONAL PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES--continued

ITEM NO.	Q	ITEM TO BE INSPECTED	PROCEDURE CHECK FOR AND HAVE REPAIRED OR ADJUSTED AS NECESSARY	EQUIPMENT IS NOT READY/ AVAILABLE IF:
8	•	DARNING MACHINE Thread Retainer	Inspect for bent, broken, and improperly installed thread retainer. Make certain the setscrew holds the retainer securely.	
9	•	Balance Wheel, Pulleys, and Drive Belt	a. Inspect balance wheel for loose mounting or binding when being turned. b. Inspect pulleys for cracked, burred, and chipped edges. c. Inspect drive belt for fraying or excessive wear. d. Check belt for proper adjustment, 3/4-inch deflection of the belt midway between the pulleys.	
10	•	Bobbin Winder	a. Inspect for bent, broken, loose, and missing components. b. Inspect for excessively worn leather brake. c. Check for improper alignment of pulley with drive belt.	
11	•	Motor, Clutch, Rod, and Treadle	a. Inspect for bent, broken, and loose components. b. Observe motor during operation for unusual noise or excessive vibration. c. Press treadle and see that the motor engages, and that it disengages when the treadle is released.	

Table 7-1. ORGANIZATIONAL PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES--continued

ITEM NO.	Q	ITEM TO BE INSPECTED	PROCEDURE CHECK FOR AND HAVE REPAIRED OR ADJUSTED AS NECESSARY	EQUIPMENT IS NOT READY/ AVAILABLE IF:
12	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Knee Lifter	<p>a. Inspect for bent, broken, loose, and missing components.</p> <p>b. Operate knee lifter to see that it raises and lowers the presser foot.</p>	
13	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Thread Tension Stud, Thumbnut, and Thread Control Spring	<p>a. Inspect thread control spring for broken, bent, and corroded coils.</p> <p>b. Inspect thread tension stud and thumbnut for stripped threads. Make certain thumbnut turns with a small amount of resistance.</p>	
14	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Cylinder End Cover, Throat Plate, and Slide Stop	<p>a. Inspect cylinder end cover for cracked, bent, and broken surface.</p> <p>b. Inspect for bent, broken, or improperly installed throat plate and slide stop.</p>	
15	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	<p>BUTTON SEWING MACHINE</p> <p>Motor</p>	<p>a. Inspect for bent, broken, and loose components.</p> <p>b. Observe motor during operation for unusual noise or excessive vibration.</p>	

Table 7-1. ORGANIZATIONAL PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE CHECKS AND SERVICES--continued

ITEM NO.	Q	ITEM TO BE INSPECTED	PROCEDURE CHECK FOR AND HAVE REPAIRED OR ADJUSTED AS NECESSARY	EQUIPMENT IS NOT READY/ AVAILABLE IF:
16	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • • 	Drive Belt and Pulleys	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Inspect pulleys for cracked, burred, and chipped edges. b. Inspect drive belt for fraying or excessive wear. c. Check belt for proper adjustment, 1-inch deflection of the belt, midway between the pulleys. 	
17	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Looper	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Tilt machine on side and inspect for broken looper point. b. Inspect looper, needle guide, and thread finger for improper adjustment. 	
18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Starting Treadle and Chain	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Inspect for bent or broken links and loose mounting to the pulley shifter and to the starting treadle. b. Press treadle and make certain pulley shifter engages with the machine drive pulley. 	
19	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • • 	Button Clamp Lifter Treadle	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Inspect for bent or broken links and loose mounting to button clamp lifting rod and to button clamp lifter treadle. b. Press the treadle and make certain the lifting rod raises and lowers the button clamp. 	

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SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

BEFORE OPERATION

Provide metal-to-metal contact between the container and tank when handling fuel. This will prevent a spark from being generated when fuel flows over the metallic surfaces.

Do not operate the generator set in an enclosed area unless the exhaust gases are piped to the outside. Exhaust gases contain deadly carbon monoxide, which is colorless, odorless, and poisonous.

Do not operate the generator set until the ground terminal has been connected to a suitable ground. Electrical faults in the generator set, load lines, or equipment can cause death by electrocution when a system has not been grounded properly.

Make connections with all switches in the OFF position, and make sure the generator set is not operating or connected to another set that is operating

when making connections. A sewing machine could accidentally start and result in injury to the finger or damage to the machine.

Keep hands away from the needle when turning cycle and immediately start stitching.

WARNING

Operation of this equipment presents a noise hazard to personnel in the area. The noise level exceeds the allowable limits for unprotected personnel. Wear ear muffs or ear plugs which were fitted by a trained professional.

DURING OPERATION

Do not refuel the generator set while it is in operation as an explosion and fire from fuel vapors could result in personal injury and loss of equipment.

Do not hold face near the needle of the sewing machine while sewing as needle could break and injure eyes.

*This change supersedes C1, 10 August 1972.

Inside the cover add the following-
-continued.

Always keep fingers and hands clear of needles while sewing. The needles can cause painful injury to the fingers.

Set the button in the clamp of the button machine so that the buttonholes are centered correctly over the needle plate and straight across the button clamp. This will prevent the needle from striking the button and throwing bits of steel or button in the operator's face.

Do not operate sewing machine with scissors or tools on the table because they could get caught in the belt and be thrown into the air injuring someone or damaging the machine.

Turn off the power source when replacing bobbins and needles in sewing machine because the machines could accidentally start and result in injury to fingers or hands.

Turn off power switch and remove sewing machine belt before performing maintenance and adjustments on any sewing machine as the machine could accidentally be started and result in injury to fingers and hands.

GENERAL

Keep the cabinet doors closed at all times except when loading or unloading the cabinet to prevent anyone from accidentally walking into the doors and thus injuring himself.

Page Safety Precautions. Delete page.

Page 1.

Title is changed to the following:

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Table of contents, part one, delete chapter 1 and chapter 2.

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Chapter 3 delete sections I, IX, X, and XI.
Chapter 4 delete sections VII, VIII, and IX.

Page 3. Delete pages 3 thru 9.

Page 13, following SINGER MODEL 31-15 add ",331K1 and 331K4".

Page 18. Delete pages 18 thru 24.

Page 25, paragraph 3-5, line 3 change "textile" to "clothing".

Page 26, paragraph 3-7e delete paragraph.

Page 27, paragraph 3-9 delete paragraph.

Page 28, Delete page.

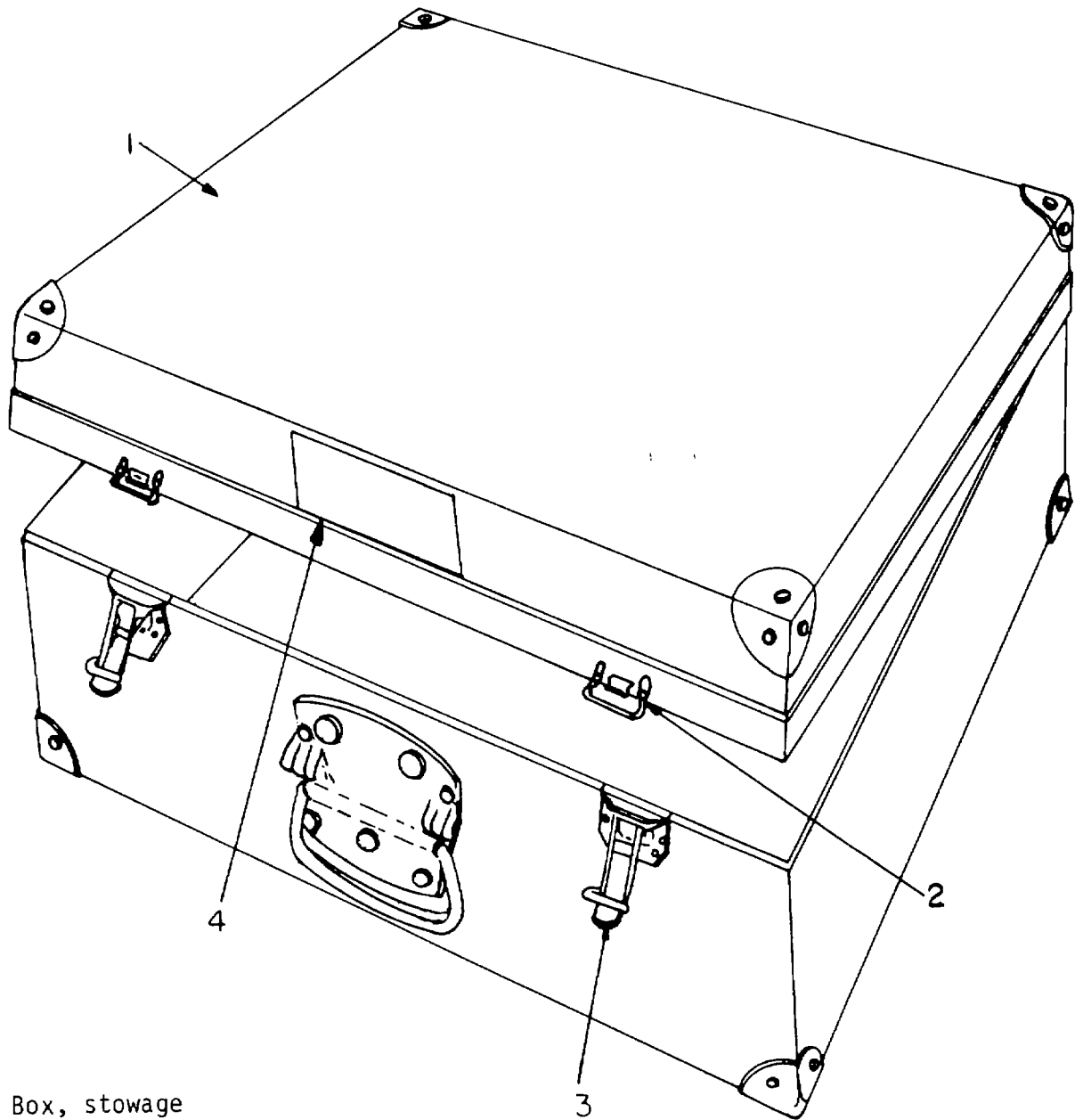
Page 29,

Paragraphs 3-11 and 3-12 delete paragraphs.

Page 29--continued.

Paragraph 3-14a following pull add "and for missing or damaged decals".

Page 30, figure 3-7 is superseded by new figure 3-7 (TS 3530-203-24/3-7.1).



1. Box, stowage
2. Hook
3. Latch assembly
4. Decal

TS 3530-203-24/3-7.1

Figure 3-7. Stowage box assembly.

Page 35, paragraph 3-20 delete paragraph.

Page 36, paragraph 3-29, second line delete "heavy-duty, overedge, and textile".

Page 38, following section VII heading add "SINGER MODELS 31-15, 331K1, and 331K4".

Page 39, following paragraph 3-39 add "Minor differences exist between singer models 31-15, 331K1, and 331K4; however, maintenance of these machines is the same".

Page 40, following figure title add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 42, figure 3-14, following figure title add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 44, figure 3-15, following figure title add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 46, figure 3-16, following figure title add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 48, figures 3-17, 3-18, and 3-19, following figure titles add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 49, figure 3-20, following figure title add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 52, figure 3-22, following figure title add "Singer Model 31-15".

Page 53, following paragraph 3-57 add the following:
"3-57.1. Reverse feed on Machine 331K4.

a. Check reverse feed for proper operation.

(1) Depress the feed reversing lever as far as it will go. Feeding in reverse continues only as long as lever is depressed.

(2) Forward feeding is resumed upon release of lever.

(3) Direction of feed can be reversed at any point in a seam while machine is in operation without disturbing the work.

b. Replace any defective parts."

Page 57, paragraph 3-63c(2)(e), fourth line delete "rise".

Page 65, paragraphs 3-71, 3-72, and 3-73, delete paragraphs.

Page 66. Delete pages 66 thru 119.

Page 120.

Paragraphs 3-133, 3-134, and 3-135 delete paragraphs.

Paragraph 3-136, third line delete "and textile".

Page 122, paragraph 3-141, second line delete "and the textile".

Page 125, paragraph 4-1, fourth line change "textile" to "clothing".

Page 126, paragraphs 4-5, 4-6, and 4-7 delete paragraphs.

Page 127, following paragraph 4-9b add "Replace damaged or missing identification decals".

Page 129, paragraph 4-17, fourth and fifth line delete "the heavy-duty sewing, the overedge, and the textile".

Page 130, following paragraph 4-19f add the following:
"4-19.1. Clutch Motor (NA-79) Disassembly and Assembly (figure 4-2.1)

a. Disassembly

(1) Remove the motor assembly from sewing machine (para 3-27a).

(2) Remove pulley guard-(1).

(3) Remove nut (2), washer (3), pulley and pulley key (4).

Page 131, following figure 4-2 add new figure 4-2.1 (TS 3530-203-24/4 2.1).

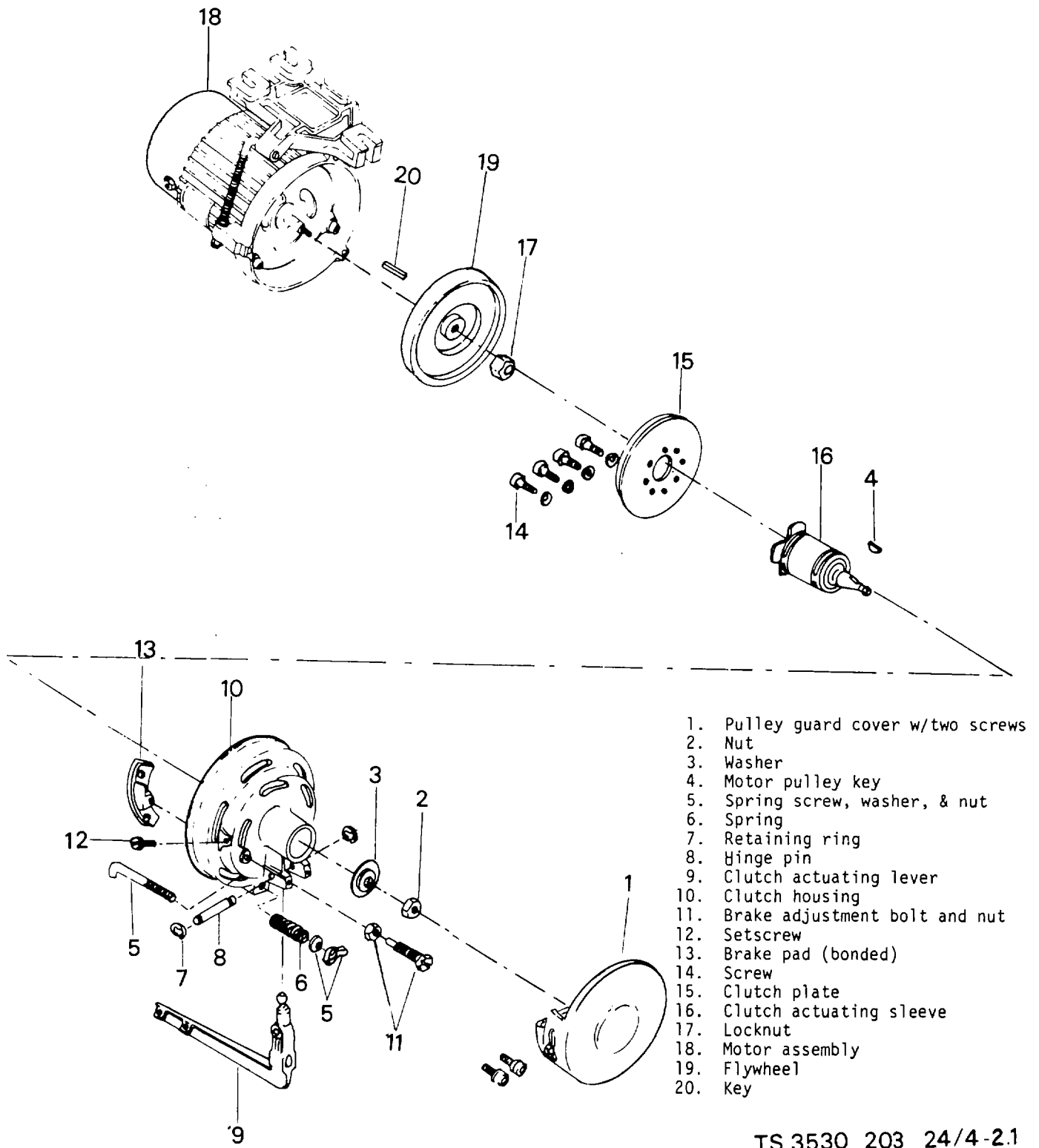


Figure 4-2.1. Clutch Motor.

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(4) Remove spring screw, washer, and nut assembly (5), and spring (6).

(5) Remove retaining rings (7) from hinge pin (8) and remove hinge pin and clutch actuating lever (9).

NOTE

Some models have bolts retaining the clutch actuating lever (9) to the clutch actuating sleeve assembly (16). Remove bolts to remove clutch actuating lever.

(6) Remove clutch housing (10).

(7) Loosen brake adjustment bolt and nut assembly (11). Remove setscrew (12) and brake pad (13).

(8) Remove screws (14) from clutch plate assembly (15) and remove clutch actuating sleeve assembly (16).

(9) Remove locknut (17) from motor assembly (18) and remove flywheel (19) and key (20).

(10) Repair or replace any damaged or worn parts.

b. Assembly

(1) Install flywheel (19) and key (20) into motor assembly (18) and secure with locknut (17).

(2) Secure clutch plate assembly (15) to clutch actuating sleeve assembly (16) with screw (14).

(3) Install brake pad (13) into clutch housing (10) and secure with setscrew (12). Install brake adjustment bolt and nut assembly (11) but do not tighten down at this time.

(4) Install clutch housing (10) onto clutch actuating sleeve assembly (16).

(5) Install clutch actuating lever (9) and secure with hinge pin (8) and retaining rings (7).

(6) Install the spring screw, washer, and nut assembly (5), and spring (6).

(7) Install pulley and key (4) and secure with washer (3) and nut (2).

(8) Install pulley guard (1).

(9) Adjust brake pad (13) so that clutch will stop when actuator lever is released."

Page 132.

Following section V heading add "Singer Model 31-15, 331K1, and 331K4".

Following paragraph 4-22 add "Minor differences exist between singer models 31-15, 331K1, and 331K4; however, maintenance of these machines is the same".

Page 136, following paragraph 4-32c (2) add the following:

"4-32.1. Reverse feed on machine 331K4.

a. Check reverse feed for proper operation.

(1) Depress the feed reversing lever as far as it will go. Feeding in reverse continues only as long as lever is depressed.

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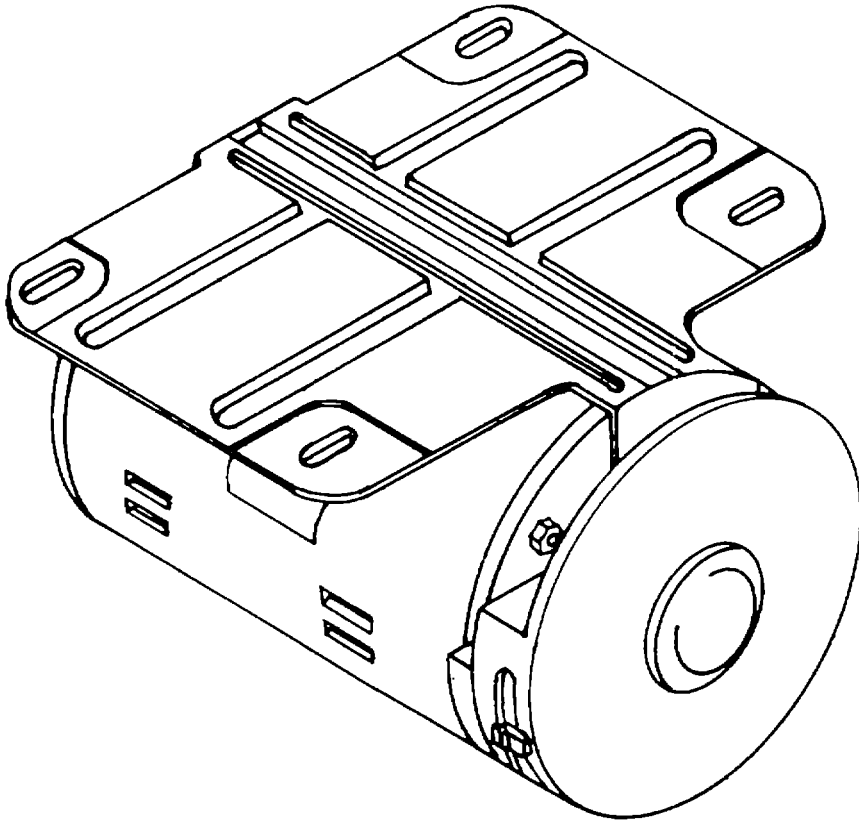
(3) Direction of feed can be reversed at any point in a seam while machine is in operation without disturbing the work.

b. Replace any defective parts".

Page 140. Delete pages 140 thru 160.

Page 170, following figure 7-2 add new figure 7-2.1 (TS 3530-203-24/72.1).

Page 170, following figure 7-2 add new figure 7-2.1 (TS 3530-203-24/72.1).



TS 3530-203-24/7-2.1

Figure 7-2.1. Button Sewing Machine AC Motor.

Page 201, following paragraph 8-40 add the following:
"8-41. 48 Series continuous running motor.

a. The new 48 series motor has sealed bearings and has no brushes; therefore, it requires no lubrication or replacement of brushes.

b. Check bearings for smooth continuous spinning. Replace defective bearings".

Page 202.

Paragraph A1-4, across from TM 10-3530-203-10 change "Textile" to "Clothing".

Paragraph A1-5 across from TM 10-3530-203-10 the title is changed to the following:

"Operator's Manual: Clothing Repair Shop, Trailer Mounted, York Astro Model D8700337, Army Model SPV 34 (NSN 3530-00-819-2007); York Astro Model D8700680 (NSN 3530-00-9998577); Natick Model NA-79 (NSN 3530-01-075-3503).

Page 207.

Line 20 change "Textile" to "Clothing".

Line 30 delete lines 30 thru 45.

Page 208.

Delete the following lines: Lines 1 thru 16 and 26 thru 33.

Section III, statement, delete "the textile and".

Page 209, line 1 delete.

Page 210. Delete the following lines:
Lines 23 and 33.

Page 211. Delete the following lines:
Lines 14 thru 18, 47, and 48.

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Lines 8 and 10 thru 48.

Page 213. Delete the following lines:
Lines 1 thru 39 and 41 thru 52.

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SAFETY PRECAUTIONS

Disconnect power cords before performing any maintenance on the sewing machines and the generator set.

Following safety precautions in TM 10-4510-201-10 as necessary and applicable for performing the maintenance instructions in this manual.

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*This manual, together with TM 10-3530-203-10, 18 April 1966, supersedes TM 10-263, 18 June 1947, including C 2, 22 September 1955, C 3, 1 June 1959, C 4, 29 December 1960, and C 5, 8 August 1962, and TM 10-264, 17 October 1949, including C 2, 14 May 1956.

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PART ONE
TEXTILE REPAIR SHOP, TRAILER-MOUNTED

CHAPTER 1
INTRODUCTION

Section I. GENERAL

1-1. Scope

The instructions in part one of this manual are published for the use of the personnel responsible for the organizational, direct support, and general support maintenance of the trailer-mounted textile repair shop. These instructions provide information on the lubrication, the inspection and maintenance of the equipment, and on the procedures for the replacement of repair parts.

1-2. Appendixes

a. Appendix I contains a list of publications applicable to the textile repair shop and available to the organizational, direct support, and general support personnel.

b. Appendix II contains the maintenance allocation chart.

c. The maintenance repair parts for the textile repair shop are listed and illustrated in TM 10-3530-203-24P. The maintenance repair parts for the generator set and the cargo trailer are listed and illustrated in the applicable technical manuals listed in appendix I.

1-3. Maintenance Forms and Records

The maintenance forms, records, and reports which are to be used by the organizational, direct support, and general support maintenance personnel in the

maintenance of the textile repair shop are listed and described in TM 38-750.

1-4. Reporting of Equipment Manual Improvements

The direct reporting of errors, omissions, and recommendations for improving this manual by the individual user is authorized and encouraged. DA Form 2028 (Recommended Changes to DA Publications) will be used for reporting these improvements. This form will be completed using pencil, pen, or typewriter and forwarded direct to Commanding General, U. S. Army Mobility Equipment Center, ATTN: SMOME-MPD, 4300 Goodfellow Boulevard, St. Louis, Mo., 63120.

1-5. Orientation

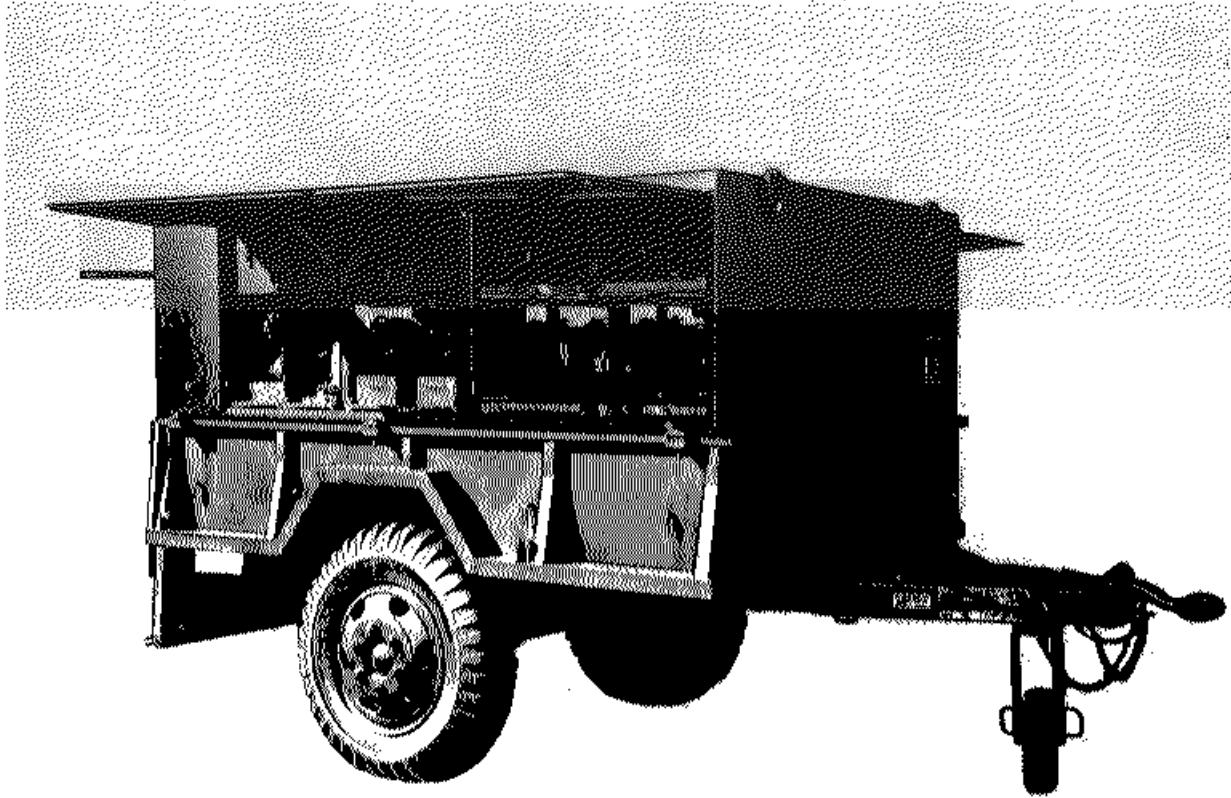
Throughout this manual, the drawbar end of the cargo trailer will be considered the front of the textile repair shop. The terms *right*, *left*, *front*, and *rear* indicate the directions from the viewpoint of the operator when he is standing at and facing the drawbar end of the cargo trailer (or the textile repair shop). These terms also indicate the directions from the viewpoint of the operator when he is in the operating position (front) of the sewing machines; the grommet press; and the tack-button attaching machine.

Section II. DESCRIPTION AND DATA

1-6. Description

A general description of the textile repair shop (fig. 1-1) and its components is found in TM 10-3530-203-10. Any additional descriptive information applicable to a particular component or assembly of the

textile repair shop will be found in the appropriate sections of this manual. The description of the generator set is found in TM 5-6115-271-15 and of the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.



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Figure 1-1. Trailer-mounted textile repair shop, three-quarter front view.

1-7. Tabulated Data

a. *General.* The tabulated data applicable to the textile repair shop and the major components is provided in TM 10-3530-203-10. The tabulated data for the generator set is provided in TM 5-6115-271-15 and for the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.

b. *Time Standards.* Table 1 lists the number of man-hours required under normal conditions to perform the indicated maintenance and repair for the textile

repair shop. Components are listed under the appropriate functional index. The times listed are not intended to be rigid standards. Under adverse conditions, the operations will take longer; but under ideal conditions, with highly skilled mechanics, most of the operations can be accomplished in considerably less time.

Table 1. Time Standards

Work to be performed	Man-hours	Work to be performed	Man-hours
Lubrication and Service:		40 ELECTRIC MOTORS	
46 REPAIR EQUIPMENT		4000 Motor	
4602 Repair Equipment (Textile)		Clothing, darning, heavy duty, over-edge, and textile sewing machine motor	4.0
Clothing Sewing Machine	0.6	(includes removal and installation of flywheel, friction pad, drive pulley and brake lever, brake lever pad and spring, and ball bearings).	
(including lubricating sewing machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).			
Darning machine	0.6		
(includes lubricating darning machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).		42 ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT	
Heavy-duty sewing machine	0.6	4216 Miscellaneous Wiring and Fittings	
(includes lubricating sewing machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).		Sewing machine motor-to-switch wiring harness.	1.0
Overedge sewing machine	0.6	46 REPAIR EQUIPMENT	
(includes lubricating sewing machine head and motor).		4603 Repair Equipment (Textile)	
Textile sewing machine	0.6	Clothing Sewing Machine, Thread tension regulator	1.0
(includes lubricating sewing machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).		(includes removal and installation of disks, guides, springs, stud and retainer and adjustment time).	
Remove and Replace:		Shuttle race body	0.5
18 BODY		(includes removal and installation of bobbin case and shuttle race).	
1808 Stowage Boxes		Shuttle race slide	0.5
Stowage box assembly	1.0	Feed dog	0.5
(includes removal and installation of latches and hooks).		(includes removal and installation of throat plate and adjustment time of feed dog).	
1812 Cabinet Assembly		Needle bar	1.0
Cabinet assembly	2.0	(includes removal and installation of needle, needle clamp, and needle bar thread guard and adjustment time).	
(includes removal of cabinet assembly from and installation of cabinet assembly into trailer bed).		Presser foot	0.2
Lifting loop assembly	0.5	Presser bar and spring	0.5
(includes removal and installation of retainer clip and spring).		Thread tension release lever	1.0
Door or panel locking latch	1.0	(includes removal and installation of needle bar).	
(includes removal and installation of rivets).		Needle bar connecting link	2.0
Holddown clamp assembly	0.5	(includes removal and installation of needle bar, presser bar, lifting lever bracket, presser bar guide bracket, thread takeup lever, and thread takeup crank).	
(includes removal and installation of capscrew).		Needle bar crank	1.5
Generator holddown assembly	0.5	(includes removal and installation of thread takeup crank).	
(includes removal and installation of heavy duty sewing machine head tray assemblies).		Feed lifting rockshaft connecting rod	1.0
Side door stay or rear door stay assembly	2.0	Feed fork	1.5
(includes removal and installation of rivets).		(includes removal and installation of feed lifting rockshaft connecting rod, feed regulator, and connecting link).	
Sewing tray assembly	0.5	Crank connecting rod	2.0
(includes removal and installation of strap assembly and sewing machine head).		(includes removal and installation of oscillating rockshaft and crank).	

Work to be performed	Man-hours
Aim shaft (includes removal and installation of thread takeup crank, needle bar crank, feed lifting rockshaft connecting rod, feed fork, and crank connecting rod).	2.0
Oscillating shaft or shuttle driver (includes removal and installation of bobbin case and shuttle body).	1.5
Feed lifting rockshaft (includes removal and installation of rockshaft crank).	1.5
Feed rockshaft (includes removal and installation of feed bar and crank).	1.5
Darning Sewing Machine, Shuttle bobbin (includes removal and installation of bobbin case and adjustment time for bobbin case lever).	0.5
Front and rear work plate slides (includes removal and installation of clamp and throat plates, slide stop, and cover slide).	0.5
Needle bar (includes adjustment time).	0.5
Presser foot	0.2
Presser bar (includes removal and installation of presser' foot and adjustment time).	0.5
Thread takeup lever (includes removal and installation of presser bar and lifting fork, needle bar, and block).	1.0
Arm shaft (includes removal and installation of pulley with balance wheel, thread takeup lever, thread unwinder base, and arm shaft pulley).	2.0
Thread hook drive shaft pulley	1.5
Thread hook drive shaft (includes removal and installation of thread hook drive shaft pulley, pinion, and collar).	2.0
Thread hook 1.0 (includes removal and installation of bobbin case).	
Thread hook saddle 1.5 (includes removal and installation of thread hook and bobbin case lever).	
Heavy-Duty Sewing Machine, Oilcup assembly (includes removal, disassembly, assembly, and installation of oilcup).	0.5
Shuttle race assembly	0.5
Feed Dog (includes removal and installation of cloth plate and throat plate body and strip and adjustment time of feed dog).	0.5

Work to be performed	Man-hours
Needle bar connecting link (includes removal and installation of needle bar and clamp and adjustment time of needle bar).	2.0
Lifting presser bar rockshaft (includes removal and installation of rockshaft crank, adjusting arm, and bracket).	2.0
Lifting presser bar crank	1.5
Lifting presser bar and vibrating presser bar (includes removal, disassembly, assembly, and installation of presser foot and vibrating presser bar, bracket, spring, and staple).	2.0
Thread takeup lever assembly	1.0
Bobbin winder (includes removal, disassembly, assembly, and installation of bobbin winder).	1.5
Thread unwinder (includes removal, disassembly, assembly, installation of thread unwinder).	0.5
Arm shaft, bushing, and feed cam.....	2.0
Feed regulation (includes removal and installation of feed fork connection).	1.5
Crank connecting rod.....	1.5
Thread takeup cam and lifting bar rockshaft eccentric strap (includes removal of vibrating presser bar; lifting presser bar bracket, and crank; and thread takeup lever).	2.5
Feed fork connection and link	1.5
Feed rockshaft and feed bar	1.5
Feed lifting rockshaft and crank with roller.	1.5
Oscillating shaft and crank and shuttle driver.	1.5
Oscillating rockshaft.....	1.5
Overedge Sewing Machine:	
Feed dogs	0.5
Left looper (includes removal and installation of throat plate, chip guard, and feed dogs and adjustment time).	2.0
Right looper (includes removal and installation of throat plate and chip guard and adjustment time).	1.5
Left thread looper thread takeup (includes removal and installation of right stripper and takeup and adjustment time).	1.5
Movable knife and holder (includes adjustment time).	0.5
Right and left thread levers	0.5
Movable knife lever and stationary knife holder.	0.5

Work to be performed	Man-hours
Feed and lifting eccentrics (includes removal of cloth plate, drive shaft, feed shaft, and feed con- nections).	1.5
Lifting lever and bracket	1.0
Textile Sewing Machine, Feed dog (includes removal of front and rear slides and throat plate and adjust- ment of feed dog).	0.5
Shuttle bobbin and case and thread hook (includes removal, disassembly, as- sembly, and installation of bobbin and thread hook and adjustment of thread hook with needle).	1.5
Thread tension disks and bracket as- sembly.	1.0
Needle bar (includes removal of rack frame and adjustment of needle bar).	2.0
Lifting presser bar	1.5

Work to be performed	Man-hours
Thread takeup lever (includes removal of needle bar and rock frame).	1.0
Presser bar lifter	0.5
Vibrating presser bar lifting rockshaft	0.5
Vibrating presser foot lifting rockshaft	0.5
Arm shaft (including adjustment of arm shaft and adjustment of thread hook with needle).	2.0
Bed thread hook shaft drive belt (includes adjustment procedures).	0.5
Hook driving shaft (includes adjustment procedures).	0.5
Feed driving rockshaft and crank (includes adjustment of feed dog).	1.5
Hook saddle (includes removal and installation of thread hook and bushings and adjust- ment of thread hook with needle).	2.0

CHAPTER 2

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Section I. SERVICE UPON RECEIPT OF TEXTILE REPAIR SHOP

2-1. General

When either a new or a used textile repair shop is received by an organization, the organizational personnel must inspect and service each component to prepare it for operation. The operator will assist the organizational personnel when he is directed to do so.

2-2. Unpacking and Unloading Equipment From Cabinet Assembly

The equipment of the textile repair shop is packed or loaded in a cabinet assembly, which is mounted on the bed of a cargo trailer.

a. Use extreme care when unpacking and installing or setting up packed components or items of equipment of the textile repair shop.

b. Remove the equipment from the cabinet assembly and set it up according to the instructions set forth in TM 10-3530-203-10.

c. Remove all protective tape and materials used in packing the textile repair shop equipment.

d. Check the components of the textile repair shop with the basic issue item list in TM 10-3530-203-10 to assure that the textile repair shop is complete.

e. Remove the SD (solvent, dry-cleaning), the preservative compound which has been sprayed on all metal surfaces.

2-3. Inspecting and Servicing Textile Repair Shop

a. Carry out a complete visual inspection of the equipment of the textile repair shop, taking special notice of any damaged or missing parts which might have been sustained in transit. Read any warning on the shipping tag to determine the condition in which the textile repair shop was shipped. Observe all precautions noted on the shipping tag.

b. Perform the quarterly preventive maintenance services described in paragraph 3-4 for the textile repair shop. Perform the quarterly preventive maintenance services and the lubrication services for the generator set as described in TM 5-6115-271-15 and for the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14. The services performed at this time will begin the cycle of regularly scheduled quarterly preventive maintenance services.

Section II. CONTROLS AND INSTRUMENTS

2-4. Controls

a. There are no controls on the cabinet assembly, the grommet press, and the tack-button attaching machine.

b. Refer to TM 10-3530-203-10 for information on the controls on the sewing machines.

c. Refer to TM 5-6115-271-15 for information on the controls on the generator set.

d. Refer to TM 9-2330-213-14 for information on the controls on the cargo trailer.

2-5. Instruments

The only instruments on the textile repair shop are those instruments on the generator set. Refer to TM 5-6115-271-15 for the information covering the instruments on the generator set.

CHAPTER 3

ORGANIZATIONAL MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

Section I. SPECIAL ORGANIZATIONAL TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

3-1. Special Tools

No special tools are authorized for the maintenance of the textile repair shop. The common tools that are used in the maintenance of the textile repair shop are authorized and listed in the appropriate table of

organization and equipment or table of allowances.

3-2. Equipment

No special equipment is authorized for the maintenance of the textile repair shop.

Section II. PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES

3-3. General

To insure that the textile repair shop is ready for operation at all times, its components must be inspected systematically so that defects can be discovered and corrected before they result in serious damage or failure. The necessary preventive maintenance services to be performed quarterly on the components of the textile repair shop are listed and described in paragraph 3-4. The item numbers indicate the sequence of minimum inspection requirements. Defects discovered must be noted and corrected as soon as possible. All deficiencies and shortcomings, together with the corrective action taken, will be recorded on DA Form 2404.

listing of preventive maintenance services which must be performed by organizational maintenance personnel at quarterly intervals. A quarterly interval is equal to 3 calendar months, or 250 hours of operation, whichever occurs first. The item numbers are listed consecutively and indicate the sequence of minimum inspection requirements. Refer to quarterly preventive maintenance services in figure 3-1 for the cabinet assembly, in figure 3-2 for the clothing sewing machine, in figure 3-3 for the darning machine, in figure 3-4 for the heavy-duty sewing machine, in figure 3-5 for the overedge sewing machine, and in figure 3-6 for the textile sewing machine. Refer to the quarterly preventive maintenance services to be performed by the organizational maintenance personnel on the generator in TM 5-6115-271-15 and on the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.

3-4. Quarterly Preventive Maintenance Services

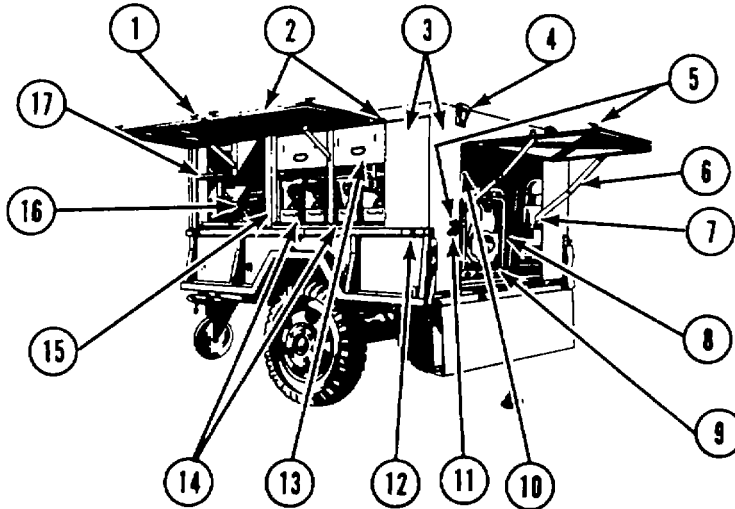
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TM 10-3530-203-24

CABINET ASSEMBLY



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM		PAR REF
1	FOLDING HANDLE LOCKS. Inspect the folding handle locks for bent, broken, or loose handles; for loose or missing nuts and screws; and for loose mounting. Check the operation of the handles to see that they unlock and lock the doors. Make certain the handles will fold into the lock wells. Slam the doors closed and make certain the doors will lock in position.	3-16
2	DOORS AND HINGES. Inspect the rear and side doors for dirty, cut, broken, or dented surfaces; for broken welds; for a rubber gasket that is deteriorated, cut, or loose on the door; and for loose mounting. Inspect for bent, broken, or loose door hinges. Inspect the hinges for loose or missing rivets and for mechanical binding. Make certain the doors are not jammed and will open and close without mechanical binding.	4-13
3	PANELS. Inspect the panels for dirty, cut, broken, or dented surfaces; for broken welds; for loose or missing rivets; and for loose mounting.	4-14
4	LIFTING LOOP ASSEMBLIES. Inspect the lifting loop assemblies for a bent, cracked, or broken lifting loop, lifting loop plate, and spring clip; for loose or missing nuts and screws; for broken welds; and for loose mounting.	3-15 4-11

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Figure 3-1. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for cabinet assembly.

ITEM		PAR REF
5	<u>DOOR AND PANEL LOCKING LATCHES.</u> Inspect For a bent or broken door or panel latch. Inspect the latches for broken welds, improper alignment of door latches with panel latches, and loose mounting.	4-13
6	<u>DOOR STAYS.</u> Inspect for bent or broken rear and side door stays. Inspect the stays for loose or missing rivets, mechanical binding, and loose mounting. Make certain the stays will lock in position and hold the door in the open position.	4-13
7	<u>CHAIR HOLDDOWN STRAP ASSEMBLIES.</u> Inspect the chair holddown strap assemblies for cracked, broken, loose, or missing footman loops; for loose or missing screws; for cut, torn, or frayed webbing straps; for broken or loose buckles; and for loose mounting.	3-18 252 253
8	<u>FIRE EXTINGUISHER AND BRACKET.</u> Inspect the fire extinguisher for a broken seal; for a bent or broken nozzle; and for loose mounting. Inspect the bracket for a bent or broken frame and locking latch, and loose mounting.	
9	<u>GENERATOR HOLDDOWN ASSEMBLIES.</u> Inspect the generator hold-down assemblies For cracked, bent, or broken tracks, stops, and hold-downs; for broken welds; for bent, broken, loose or missing wing screws; for stripped threads on the wing screws and, in the holddown clips; and for loose mounting.	3-17 254
10	<u>FOLDING TABLE SLIDES.</u> Inspect the folding table slides for broken welds and for torn, excessively worn, loose, or missing felt.	3-24
11	<u>PADLOCKS.</u> Inspect for a bent, broken, or missing brass padlock. Make certain the padlocks keys are not missing, bent, or broken. See that the padlocks open and close without mechanical binding.	
12	<u>HOLDDOWN CLAMP ASSEMBLIES.</u> Inspect the holddown clamp assemblies for cracked, broken, loose, or missing clamp plates and arms, and loose mounting. Inspect the capscrews for stripped threads and a loose or missing retaining pin. Make certain the holddown clamp assemblies lock the cabinet assembly securely to the trailer.	4-12

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Figure 3-1 - Continued

ITEM		PAR REF
13	STORAGE BOXES. Inspect the storage boxes for dirty, cut, dented and broken surfaces; for loose or missing rivets; and for bent, broken, or loose handles, hooks, latches, and hinges. Inspect for improperly installed boxes. Make certain the hooks and latches will open and lock, and the hinges operate without mechanical binding.	3-14 4-9 4-10
14	SEWING MACHINE TRAYS. Inspect the sewing machine trays for chipped, cracked or broken wood; for bent or broken steel straps and tray pulls; to for broken, loose or missing tray stops and strikes; for loose or missing screws; for stripped threads in thumbscrews; and for mechanical binding of strap hinges. Inspect for improperly installed trays. Inspect for excessively worn, torn, loose, or missing felt on the shock absorbers and the slides, and excessively worn or deteriorated rubber on the recess bumpers.	3-19 to 3-23
15	FRAMEWORK. Inspect for cracked, broken, or bent framework. Inspect the framework for broken welds and loose mounting.	4-14
16	FOLDING STAND HOLDDOWN STRAP ASSEMBLIES. Inspect the sewing machine folding stand holddown strap assemblies for cracked, broken, loose or missing footman loops; for loose or missing screws; for cut, form, or frayed webbing straps; for broken or loose strap buckles; and for loose mounting.	3-18
17	TABLE ASSEMBLY SLIDES. Inspect the sewing machine table assembly slides for broken welds, and excessively worn, torn, loose, or missing felt.	3-24

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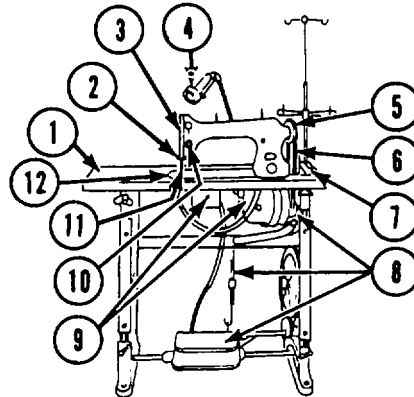
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MACHINE, SEWING, CLOTHING

SINGER MODEL 31-15



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM		PAR REF
1	<u>TABLE ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect table assembly for cut, cracked, broken, warped and dirty tabletop; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; and for loose mounting to the folding stand.	3-25
2	<u>NEEDLE, THREAD GUIDE, AND CLAMP.</u> Inspect needle for broken or excessively worn point and for bent or broken shaft. Make certain needle is installed with the long groove to the operator's left. Inspect for broken, bent, or improperly installed thread guide and clamp. (TM10-3530-203-10)	
3	<u>FACEPLATE ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect presser bar for improper alignment and loose mounting. Inspect spring for broken coil and incorrect tension, and inspect needle bar for improper alignment. Check takeup lever for excessive play. Make certain the presser bar lifter has a 1-inch play before meeting resistance.	3-53
4	<u>LAMP ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect lamp assembly and bracket for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws. Inspect electrical cord for frayed insulation and broken wiring. Inspect for broken lamp switch and for broken or burned - out lamp (bulb).	3-33 to 3-36

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Figure 3-2. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for clothing sewing machine.

ITEM		PAR REF
5	<u>BALANCE WHEEL</u> . Inspect balance wheel for loose mounting to the arm shaft. Turn the balance wheel toward front of machine and check the wheel for mechanical binding.	3-42
6	<u>DRIVE BELT AND PULLEYS</u> . Inspect for broken, frayed, and excessively worn drive belt. Inspect belt for loose mounting on the pulleys. Inspect pulleys for cracked, chipped, or broken edges. Check for a 1-inch finger-pressure reflection of the belt midway between the pulleys.	3-42
7	<u>BOBBIN WINDER</u> . Inspect bobbin winder for bent, broken, loose, or missing components. Inspect for excessively worn leather brake; for incorrect tension of thread tension spring; and for improper adjustment of the pulley with the drive belt.	3-136 to 3-140
8	<u>MOTOR CLUTCH, ROD, AND TREADLE</u> . Inspect motor clutch, rod, and treadle for bent, broken, or loose components. Operate treadle and see that the pulley brake lever engages the motor drive pulley with the drive motor when the treadle is depressed. Make certain the pulley brake lever disengages the drive pulley from the motor and stops the pulley when the treadle is released.	3-27
9	<u>ELECTRICAL MOTOR AND SWITCH</u> . Inspect electrical motor for dirty surfaces and grease deposits; for bent, cracked, or broken housing; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; for loose electrical connections; for frayed insulation and broken wiring; for improper capacity; and for loose mounting. Inspect for broken or bent motor switch. Inspect it for loose mounting in the switchbox. During operation observe the motor for unusual noise and excessive vibration.	3-27 3-31
10	<u>THREAD TENSION STUD, THUMB NUT, AND THREAD CONTROL SPRING</u> . Inspect thread control spring for broken, bent or corroded coils and incorrect tension. Inspect thread tension and stud and thumb nut for stripped threads, and make certain thumb nut turns with tension on the stud.	3-43
11	<u>THROAT PLATE AND FEED DOG</u> . Inspect for broken, bent, and improperly installed throat plate. Inspect plate for nicked or corroded surface. Inspect feed dog for excessively worn or broken teeth. Make certain teeth show their full length above the throat plate.	3-49

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Figure 3-2 - Continued

ITEM		PAR REF
12	<u>SHUTTLE RACE</u> . Inspect for improperly installed shuttle race; for nicked or burred shuttle race back and body; and for chipped or broken body point.	3-46

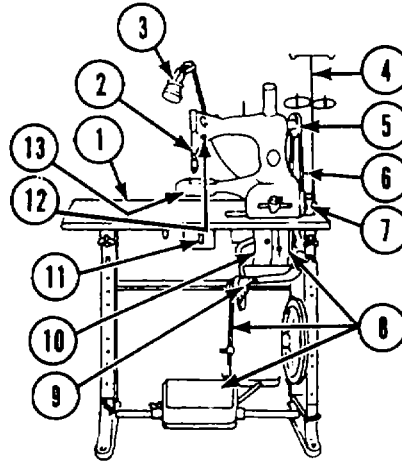
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**PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES
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MACHINE, SEWING, DARNING

SINGER MODEL 47W70



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM		PAR REF
1	<u>TABLE ASSEMBLY</u> . Inspect table assembly for cut, cracked, broken, warped, and dirty tabletop; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; and for loose mounting to the folding stand.	3-25
2	<u>THREAD RETAINER</u> . Inspect for bent, broken, and improperly installed thread retainer. Inspect for loose retainer setscrew. Make certain the setscrew holds the retainer securely in position.	3-61
3	<u>LAMP ASSEMBLY</u> . Inspect lamp assembly and bracket for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws. Inspect electrical cord for frayed insulation and broken wiring. inspect for broken lamp switch and for broken or burned-out lamp (bulb).	3-33 to 3-36
4	<u>THREAD UNWINDER</u> . Inspect thread unwinder for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws; for bent or broken components; and loose mounting.	3-142 to 3-144
5	<u>BALANCE WHEEL</u> . Inspect balance wheel for loose mounting. Turn balance wheel toward front of machine and check the wheel for mechanical binding.	3-42

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Figure 3-3. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for darning machine.

ITEM		PAR REF
6	<u>DRIVE BELT AND PULLEYS</u> . Inspect for broken, frayed, and excessively worn drive belt. Inspect belt for loose mounting on the pulleys. Inspect pulleys for cracked, chipped, or broken edges. Check for a 3/4-inch finger-pressure deflection of the belt midway between the pulleys.	3-42
7	<u>BOBBIN WINDER</u> . Inspect bobbin winder for bent, broken, loose, or missing components. Inspect for excessively worn leather brake; for incorrect tension of thread tension spring; and for improper adjustment of the pulley with the drive belt.	3-137 to 3-140
8	<u>MOTOR CLUTCH, ROD, AND TREADLE</u> . Inspect motor clutch, rod, and treadle for bent, broken, or loose components. Operate treadle and see that the pulley brake lever engages the motor drive pulley with the drive motor when the treadle is depressed. Make certain the pulley brake lever disengages the drive pulley from the motor and stops the pulley when the treadle is released.	3-27
9	<u>KNEE LIFTER</u> . Inspect knee lifter for bent, broken, loose, or missing components. Operate knee lifter to see that it raises and lowers the presser foot.	3-128 to 3-133
10	<u>ELECTRIC MOTOR</u> . Inspect electric motor for dirty surfaces and grease deposits; for bent, cracked, or broken housing, for loose or missing bolts and nuts; for loose electrical connections; for frayed insulation and broken wiring; for improper capacity; and for loose mounting. During operation observe the motor for unusual noise and excessive vibration.	3-27
11	<u>MOTOR SWITCH</u> . Inspect for a broken or bent motor switch. Inspect it for loose mounting in the switchbox. Check for loose electrical connections or broken wiring at the switchbox. Check the switch for improper operation.	3-31
12	<u>THREAD TENSION STUD, THUMB NUT, AND THREAD CONTROL SPRING</u> . Inspect thread control spring for broken or bent coils and for incorrect tension. Inspect thread tension stud and thumb nut for striped threads and make certain the thumb nut turns with tension on the stud.	3-62
13	<u>CYLINDER END COVER, THROAT PLATE, AND SLIDE STOP</u> . Inspect cylinder end cover for cracked, bent, or broken surface. Inspect for bent, broken, and improperly installed throat plate and slide stop.	3-65

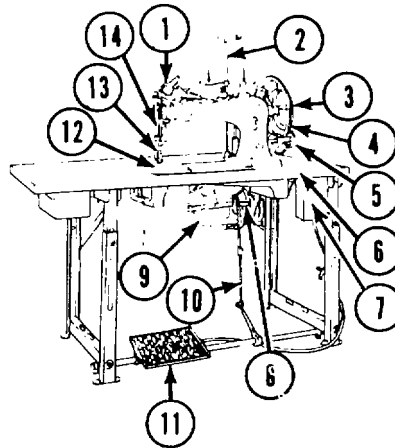
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**PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES
QUARTERLY**

MACHINE, SEWING, HEAVY-DUTY

SINGER MDL 7-33



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM		PAR REF
1	<u>LAMP ASSEMBLY</u> . Inspect lamp assembly and bracket for missing or loose bolts, nuts, and screws and loose mounting. Inspect for dirty, cracked, or lens. Inspect electrical cord for frayed insulation and broken wiring. Inspect for broken lamp switch. Check switch for incorrect operation, and make certain lamp (bulb) is not burned out.	3-33 to 3-36
2	<u>THREAD UNWINDER</u> . Inspect thread unwinder for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws, for bent or broken components, and for loose mounting to table top.	3-86 3-142 to 3-144
3	<u>BALANCE WHEEL</u> . Inspect balance wheel for loose mounting to arm shaft. Turn wheel toward the front of machine and check wheel for mechanical binding.	3-72
4	<u>DRIVE BELT AND PULLEYS</u> . Inspect for broken, frayed, and excessively worn drive belt. Inspect belt for loose mounting on the pulleys. Inspect pulleys for cracked, chipped, or broken edges, and for loose base mounting. Check for 1/4-inch finger-pressure deflection of the belt midway between pulleys.	3-72

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Figure 3-4. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for heavy-duty sewing machine.

ITEM		PAR REF
5	<u>BOBBIN WINDER</u> . Inspect bobbin winder for bent, broken, loose, or missing components, and for loose mounting. Inspect for a worn leather brake, for incorrect tension of thread tension spring, and for incorrect adjustment of pulley with drive belt.	3-85 3-137 to 3-140
6	<u>TABLE ASSEMBLY</u> . Inspect table assembly for cut, cracked, broken, warped, and dirty tabletop; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; and for loose mounting to folding stand. Make certain the table assembly is level.	3-25
7	<u>MOTOR SWITCH</u> . Inspect for bent or broken switch and for loose mounting in switchbox. Check switch for incorrect operation; make certain it turns the motor on and off.	3-31
8	<u>MOTOR CLUTCH</u> . Inspect clutch for bent, broken or loose components, and loose mounting.	3-27
9	<u>ELECTRIC MOTOR</u> . Inspect motor for dirty surfaces and grease deposits; for bent, cracked, or broken housing; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; for loose electrical connections; for frayed insulation and broken wiring; for incorrect capacity; and for loose mounting.	3-27 4-18 4-19
	<u>ROD</u> . Inspect for bent, broken, or loose rod.	
II	<u>TREADLE</u> . Inspect for bent or broken treadle and for loose mounting. Operate treadle and see that the pulley brake lever engages the motor drive pulley with drive motor when treadle is released.	
12	<u>SHUTTLE RACE</u> . Inspect for an incorrectly installed shuttle race, for a nicked or burred shuttle race back and body; and for a chipped or broken print.	3-75
13	<u>NEEDLE, THREAD GUIDE, AND CLAMP</u> . Inspect needle for broken or worn point, for bent or broken shaft, and for loose mounting. Inspect for broken, bent, or incorrectly installed thread guide and clamp.	3-77
14	<u>THREAD TENSION STUD, THUMB NUT, AND THREAD CONTROL SPRING</u> . Inspect stud and thumb nut for stripped threads and make certain thumb nut turns with tension on the stud. Inspect spring for broken, bent, or corroded coils and for incorrect tension.	3-84

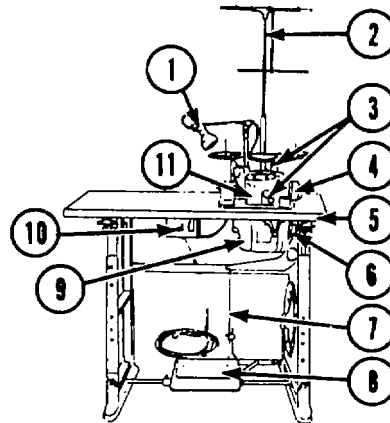
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**PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES
QUARTERLY**

MACHINE, SEWING, OVEREDGE

SINGER MODEL 246-15



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM		PAR REF
1	<u>LAMP ASSEMBLY</u> . Inspect lamp assembly and bracket for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws, and loose mounting. Inspect for dirty, cracked, or broken housing and lens. Inspect electrical cord for frayed insulation and broken wiring. Inspect for broken wiring. Inspect for broken lamp switch. Check switch for incorrect operation, and make certain the lamp (bulb) is not burned out.	3-33 to 3-36
2	<u>THREAD UNWINDER</u> . Inspect thread unwinder for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws; for bent or broken components; and for loose mounting.	3-114 3-142 to 3-144
3	<u>THREAD TENSION STUD, THUMB NUT, AND THREAD CONTROL SPRING</u> . Inspect stud and thumb nut for stripped threads and make certain thumb nut turns with tension on stud. Inspect spring for broken, bent, or corroded coils and for incorrect tension.	3-101 to 3-103

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Figure 5-5. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for overedge sewing machine.

ITEM		PAR REF
4	<u>DRIVE BELT AND PULLEYS.</u> Inspect for broken, frayed, and excessively worn drive belt. Inspect belt for loose mounting on pulleys. Inspect pulleys for cracked, chipped, or broken edges, and for loose mounting. Check for a 1/4-inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys	3-98
5	<u>TABLE ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect table assembly for cut, cracked, broken warped, and dirty tabletop; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; and for loose mounting to folding stand	. 3-25
6	<u>MOTOR CLUTCH.</u> Inspect clutch for bent, broken, or loose components, and for loose mounting.	3-27
7	<u>ROD.</u> Inspect for bent, broken, or loose rod.	
8	<u>TREADLE.</u> Inspect for bent or broken treadle and for loose mounting. Operate treadle and see that the pulley brake lever engages the motor drive pulley with drive motor when treadle is depressed. Make certain pulley brake lever disengages the drive pulley from motor and stops the pulley when treadle is released.	
9	<u>ELECTRIC MOTOR.</u> Inspect motor for dirty surfaces and grease deposits for bent , cracked, or broken housing; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; for loose electrical connections; for frayed insulation and broken wiring ;for incorrect capacity; and for loose mounting.	3-27
10	<u>MOTOR SWITCH.</u> Inspect for bent or broken switch and for loose mounting in switchbox. Check switch for incorrect operation; make certain it turns the motor on and off.	3-31
11	<u>NEEDLE, THREAD GUIDE, AND CLAMP.</u> Inspect needle for bend or broken shaft, and for loose mounting. Inspect for broken or bent or incorrectly installed thread guide and clamp.	3-103

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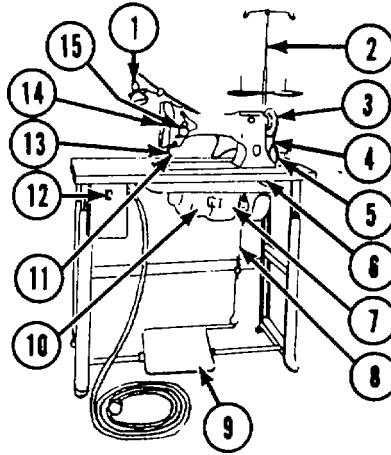
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PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES QUARTERLY

TM 10-3530-203-24

MACHINE, SEWING, TEXTILE

SINGER MDL IIIW-155



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM

PAR REF

1	<u>LAMP ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect the lamp assembly and bracket for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws, and loose mounting. Inspect for a dirty, cracked or broken housing and lens. Inspect the electrical cord for frayed insulation and broken wiring. Inspect for a broken lamp switch. Check the switch for incorrect operation, and make certain the lamp (bulb) is not burned out.	3-33 to 3-36
2	<u>THREAD UNWINDER.</u> Inspect thread unwinder for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws; for bent or broken components; and for loose mounting.	3-142 to 3-144
3	<u>BALANCE WHEEL.</u> Inspect balance wheel for loose mounting to arm shaft. Turn wheel toward front of machine and check wheel for mechanical binding	3-42
4	<u>DRIVE BELT AND PULLEYS.</u> Inspect for broken, frayed, and excessively worn drive belt. Inspect belt for loose mounting on pulleys. Inspect pulleys for cracked, chipped, or broken edges, and for loose mounting. Check for a 1/4-inch finger-pressure deflection of the belt midway between the pulleys.	3-42 3-122

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Figure 3-6. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for textile sewing machine.

ITEM		PAR REF
5	<u>BOBBIN WINDER.</u> Inspect bobbin winder for bent, broken, loose, or missing components, and for loose mounting. Inspect for worn leather to broke, for incorrect tension of thread tension spring, and for incorrect adjustment of the pulley with drive belt.	3-137 to 3-140
6	<u>TABLE ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect table assembly for cut, cracked, broken warped, and dirty tabletop; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; and for loose mounting to folding stand.	3-25
7	<u>MOTOR CLUTCH.</u> Inspect clutch for bent, broken or, loose components and loose mounting.	3-27
8	<u>ROD.</u> Inspect for bent, broken, or loose rod	
9	<u>TREADLE.</u> Inspect for bent or broken treadle and for loose mounting Operate treadle and see that pulley brake lever engages the motor drive pulley with the drive motor when treadle is depressed. Make certain pulley brake lever disengages drive pulley from motor and stops the pulley when treadle is released.	
10	<u>ELECTRIC MOTOR.</u> Inspect the motor for dirty surfaces and grease deposits; for a bent, cracked for broken housing; for loose or missing bolts, and nuts; for loose electrical connections; for frayed insulation and broken wiring; for incorrect capacity; and for loose mounting. During operation observe the motor for unusual noise and excessive vibration	3-27
11	<u>SHUTTLE RACE.</u> Inspect for an incorrectly installed shuttle race, for a nicked or burred shuttle race back and body; and for a chipped or broken body point.	3-126
12	<u>MOTOR SWITCH.</u> Inspect for a bent or broken switch and for loose mounting in the switch box. Check the switch for incorrect operation; make certain it turns the motor on and off	3-31
13	<u>NEEDLE, THREAD GUIDE, AND CLAMP.</u> Inspect the needle for a broken or worn point; for a bent or broken shaft, and for loose mounting. Inspect to for a broken, bent, or incorrectly installed thread guide and clamp.	3-119 to 3-121

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Figure 3-6-Continued

ITEM 14	FACE PLATE ASSEMBLY. Inspect the presser bar for incorrect alinement and loose mounting. Inspect the spring for a broken coil and incorrect tension and the needle bar for incorrect alinement. Inspect for a cracked and in correctly installed takeup lever. Check the lever for excessive play. Inspect for an incorrectly installed presserbar lifter.	PAR REF 3-128
15	THREAD TENSION STUD, THUMBNUIT, AND THREAD CONTROL SPRING. Inspect the stud and thumbnut for stripped threads and make certain the thumbnut turns with tension on the stud. Inspect the spring for broken, bent, or corroded coils and for incorrect tension.	3-127

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Figure 3-6-Continued

Section III. TROUBLESHOOTING

3-5. General

This section provides information useful in diagnosing and correcting unsatisfactory operation of the textile repair shop and its components. Each trouble symptom stated is followed by the probable causes of the trouble. The possible remedies recommended are described opposite the probable causes. Any trouble that is beyond the ability of the organizational maintenance personnel to remedy must be reported according to instructions given in TM 38-750. Refer to the troubleshooting information in TM 5-6115-271-15 set and in TM 9-2330-213-14 on the cargo trailer.

3-6. Cabinet Assembly

a. Holddown Clamp Assembly is Loosely Mounted.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Cap screw or arm has stripped threads.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Machine screws or nuts have stripped threads.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.

b. Rear Door or a Side Door Cannot be Opened.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Folding handle lock is defective	Install serviceable lock(para. 3-16)

c. Rear Door or a Side Door Does Not Close Securely.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Folding handle lock is defective - Hinge is bent or broken-	Install serviceable lock. (para. 3-16). Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38750.
Gasket is defective	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750. Tighten screw.
Shuttle tension regulating is loose	
Bobbin case is sticky with oil and lint	Clean bobbin case and shuttle race, and then lubricate them (LO 10-3530-203-10-series).
Bobbin case is bent or broken	Install a serviceable bobbin case (para. 3-45).

d. Stitches Skip.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle bar is out of adjustment	Adjust needle bar and time needle with shuttle point (para. 3-52).
Shuttle race is loose	Tighten shuttle race
Shuttle race is rough or has damaged	Smooth the rough point. with emery cloth. If shuttle point cannot be smoothed,

install serviceable shuttle race (para. 3-46)

e. Seams Draw.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Too much tension on presser foot	Adjust regulator screw. for correct tension on presser foot.

f. Stitches Are Uneven or Pile Up.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dog is out of adjustment.	Adjust feed dog (para. 3-49).

3-7. Clothing Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle is rubbing against presser foot	Make proper adjustment.
Feed dog is loose	Tighten feed dog.
Shuttle race is loose	Tighten shuttle race screws.
Needle bar is bent or screw bushings are excessively.	Install serviceable needle bar or. screw bushings worn (para. 3-52).
Presser foot is loose	Tighten presser foot screw.

b. Needle Thread Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Sharp edge on shuttle, bobbin case, or tension controller	Smooth the sharp edge with emery cloth.
Needle is rubbing against presser foot	Make proper adjustment..
Thread takeup spring is out of adjustment.	Adjust spring (para.3-43).

c. Bobbin Thread Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Sharp edge on shuttle, bobbin case, bobbin, or needlepoint.	Smooth the sharp edge with emery cloth.

d. Sewing Machine Head is Loosely Mounted in Wooden Tray.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Thumbscrew or tray strap assembly has stripped threads	Install serviceable thumb screw or tray strap assembly (para. 3-19).

e. Heavy-Duty Sewing Machine Head is Loosely Mounted in Tray.
Probable cause
 Screw has stripped threads.

Possible remedy
 Install serviceable screw (para. 3-20).

f. Stowage Box Does Not Close.

Probable cause
 Hinge is bent or broken
 Latch is defective.

Possible remedy
 Install serviceable stowage box assembly (para.3-14).
 Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38750

g. Generator is Loosely Mounted on Slides.

Probable cause
Probable cause

Possible remedy
Possible

Shuttle race screws are loose.

Tighten shuttle race screws.

j. Feed Dog Strikes Throat Plate.

Probable cause
 Feed dog is out of adjustment -

Possible remedy
 Adjust feed dog (para. 3.49).

k. Machine Vibrates.

Probable cause
 Belt is too tight

Possible remedy
 Adjust belt so there is a 1-inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys.

l. Lamp Does Not Light When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause
 Incandescent lamp is burned out.
 Light cord is broken
 Lamp switch is defective

Possible remedy
 Install serviceable lamp (bulb) (para. 3-35).
 Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
 Install serviceable box with receptacle (para.3-32).
 Install serviceable lamp assembly (para 3-33).

m. Motor Fails to Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Power cable is broken
 Motor switch is defective
 Motor is defective

Install serviceable cable (para. 3-31).
 Install serviceable switch (para. 3-31).
 Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

n. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Probable cause
 Motor is defective

Possible remedy
 Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

o. Motor Does Not Pull Load.

Probable cause
 Drive belt is slipping-
 Improper voltage or motor is faulty

Possible remedy
 Adjust belt so there is a 1-inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys.
 Check generator for correct voltage output. If generator voltage output is correct, check voltage at motor terminals. If voltage output is low, install serviceable cable; if voltage output is incorrect, install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

3-8. Darning Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

Probable cause
 Presser foot is loose or out of line
 Hook point is striking needle
 Needle bar is out of adjustment
 Needle bar is bent

Possible remedy
 Adjust and tighten presser foot (para. 3-70).
 Report this condition as stipulated in TM38 750.
 Adjust needle bar (para.3-67).
 Install serviceable needle bar (para. 3-67).

b. Needle Thread Breaks.

Probable cause
 Thread control spring is control out of adjustment.
 Bobbin case is defective
 Tension adjusting screw is loose.
 Tension spring is defective

Possible remedy
 Adjust thread spring (para. 3-62).
 Install serviceable bobbin case (para. 3-63).
 Tighten screw.
 Install serviceable spring (para. 3-63).

c. *Stitches Skip.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle fails to catch bobbin thread	Time needle with hook. (para. 3-63).
Sewing hook is out of time.	Time sewing hook (para. 3-63).
Needle bar is out of adjustment.	Adjust needle bar (para.3-65).

d. *Needle Strikes Hook.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Probable cause</i>
Hook saddle is out of adjustment.	Adjust hook saddle (para.3-63).

e. *Lamp Does Not Light When Switch is in ON Position.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Incandescent lamp is burned out.	Install serviceable lamp (bulb) (para. 3-35).
Light cord is broken	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Lamp switch is defective	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Power receptacle is defective	Install service able box. With receptacle(para.3-32).
Lamp assembly is defective	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).

f. *Motor Fails to Start When Switch is in ON Position.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Electrical power cable is broken.	Install serviceable power cable (para. 3-31).
Motor switch is defective	Install serviceable switch (para. 3-31).
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (3-27).

g. *Unusual Noise in Motor.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

h. *Motor Does Not Pull Load.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Drive belt is slipping	Adjust drive belt for a 3/8 inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys.
Improper voltage or motor is faulty	Check generator for correct voltage output. If generator voltage output is correct, check voltage at motor terminals. If voltage output is low, install serviceable cable (para. 3-31); if

voltage output is incorrect, install serviceable motor para. 3-27).

3-9. Heavy-Duty Sewing Machine

a. *Needle Breaks.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Presser foot is loose	Tighten presser foot screw or straighten presser foot.
Sewing hook is too close to needle	Adjust needle bar (para. 3-77).
Needle bar screw bushing is worn excessively	Install serviceable bushing (para. 3-77).

b. *Stitches Skip or Fail to Lock.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle bar is out of adjustment	Adjust needle bar and time needle with sewing hook point.
Shuttle race is loose	Tighten shuttle race assembly (para. 3-77).
Point on shuttle race assembly is rough	Smooth the rough point. With emery cloth. If shuttle point cannot be smoothed, install a serviceable shuttle race assembly (para. 3-75).
Needle bar screw bushing is worn excessively	Install serviceable bushing (para. 3-77).

c. *Stitches are Uneven or Pile Up.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dog is too low	Adjust height of feed dog (para. 3-76).

d. *Feed Dogs Strike Throat Plate.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dog out of adjustment	Adjust feed dog (para. 3-76).

e. *Lamp Does not Light When Switch is in ON Position.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Incandescent lamp (bulb) is burned out	Install serviceable lamp. (bulb) (para. 3-35).
Lamp assembly is defective	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Switch is defective	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).

f. *Motor Does Not Start When Switch is in ON Position.*

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Power cable is broken	Install serviceable cable (para. 3-31).
Switch is defective	Install serviceable switch (para. 3-31).
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

<i>g. Unusual Noise in Motor.</i>	
<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).
<i>h. Motor Does Not Pull Load.</i>	
<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Drive belt is slipping	Adjust belt for a 1/4-inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys.
Improper voltage	Check generator and make necessary adjustment.
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

3-10. Overedge Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle deflecting loopers	Adjust loopers (paras. 3-91 and 3-92).
Feed dogs are loose	Tighten feed dog screws (para. 3-90).

b. Stitches Skip.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle thread control is broken.	Install serviceable needle thread control (para. 3-107).

c. Imperfect Trimming.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Knives out of adjustment.	Adjust knives (paras. 3-96 and 3-100).

d. Machine Runs Hard.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Knife contact too great	Adjust knives (paras. 3-96 and 3-109).

e. Cloth Does Not Feed.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dogs too low	Adjust feed dogs (para.3-90).

f. Feed Dogs Strike Throat Plate.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dogs out of adjustment.	Adjust feed dogs (para.3-90).

g.Lamp Does Not Light When Switch is in ON Position.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Incandescent lamp bulb is burned out	Install serviceable lamp.(bulb) (para. 3-35).
Lamp assembly is defective.	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Switch is defective	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Power receptacle is defective	Install serviceable box. with receptacle (para. 3-32).

h.Motor Does Not Start When Switch is in ON Position.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Power cable is broken	Install serviceable cable (para. 3-31).
Switch is defective-	Install serviceable switch (para. 3-31).
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).
Sharp edge on hook, bobbin case, or tension controller.	Smooth the edge with emery cloth.
Sewing hook is out of time	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38750.
Needle bar is out of adjustment.	Adjust needle bar (para. 3-67).
Bobbin case lever is out of adjustment	Adjust bobbin case lever. (para. 3-63).
Throat plate is excessively worn.	Install serviceable throat plate (para. 3-65).
Tension springs are defective -	Install serviceable tension. spring (para. 3-62).
Needle is rubbing against presser foot	Adjust and tighten presser foot (para. 3-70).

i. Bobbin Thread Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Sharp edge on hook, bobbin and case, or needle.	Smooth edge with emery cloth.
Bobbin case is sticky with oil and lint	Clean bobbin case and hook, and then lubricate them (LO 10-3530-230-10-series).

j. Unusual Noise in Motor.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

k. Motor Does Not Pull Load.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Drive belt is slipping	Adjust drive belt with a %-inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys.
Improper voltage	Check generator and make necessary adjustment.
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27)..

l. Machine Pulley Turns Toward Operator.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Improper rotation of motor.	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

m. Machine Does Not Turn.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Loose or broken drive belt	Adjust drive belt for a Y4-inch finger-pressure deflection.
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

3-11. Textile Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Presser foot is loose	Tighten screw (para. 3-135).

b. Stitches Skip.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Needle bar is out of adjustment.	Adjust needle bar (para.3-128).

c. Stitches Are Uneven or Pile Up.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dogs too low	Adjusted dogs (para.3-125).

d. Feed Dogs Strike Throat Plate.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed dogs out of adjustment.	Adjust feed dogs (para.3-125).

e. Lamp Does Not Light When Switch is in ON Position.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Light cold is broken	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Incandescent lamp (bulb) is burned out.	Install serviceable lamp (bulb) (para. 3-35).
Lamp assembly is defective -	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33).
Power receptacle is defective	Install serviceable box. With receptacle (para 3-32).

f. Motor Does Not Start When Switch is in ON Position.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
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Power cable is broken	Install serviceable cable (para. 3-31).
Switch is defective	Install serviceable switch (para. 3-31).
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

g. Unusual Noise in Motor.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

h. Motor Does Not Pull Load.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Drive belt is slipping	Adjust drive belt for a 1/4-inch finger-pressure deflection midway between pulleys.
Improper voltage	Check generator and make necessary adjustment.
Motor is defective	Install serviceable motor (para. 3-27).

3-12. Field Expedient Repairs

The following trouble may occur to the sewing machines while the textile repair shop is operating in the field. Supplies and repair parts may not be available; therefore, normal remedial action cannot be taken. When this trouble develops, the following field repair procedure may be used for the sewing machine. Field expedients will be used only during emergency.

<i>Trouble</i>	<i>Expedient remedy</i>
Broken drive belt	Connect ends with a short piece of wile or strong thread.

Section IV. CABINET ASSEMBLY

3-13. General

This section describes maintenance instructions which the organizational maintenance personnel must perform on the cabinet assembly. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-14. Stowage Box Assembly

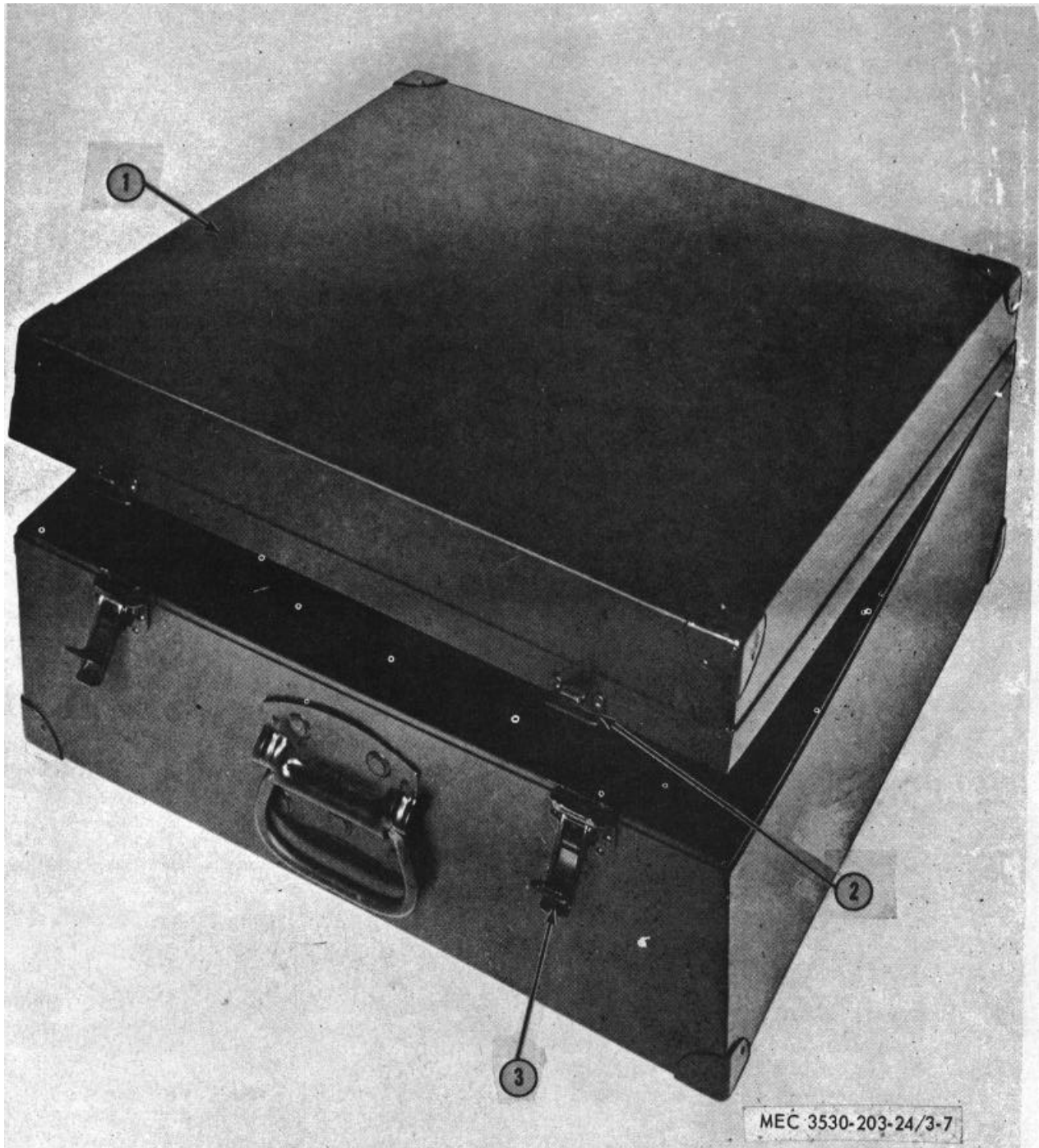
The four stowage box assemblies, located in the upper side compartments of the cabinet assembly, are used

for stowing the grommet press, tack-button attaching machine, repair parts, and accessories.

a. *Inspection.* Inspect the stowage box assembly (1, fig. 3-7) for holes and bends and for broken latches, hinges, and handle or pull.

b. *Removal.* Pull the stowage box out of the cabinet and remove the items from the box.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective box with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in b above.



1 Box, stowage

2 Hook

3 Latch assembly

Figure 3-7. Stowage box assembly.

3-15. Lifting Loop Assembly

The four lifting loops are used to lift the cabinet assembly out of the cargo trailer or to put the cabinet

assembly in the cargo trailer. A spring clip retainer is used to hold each lifting loop in place.

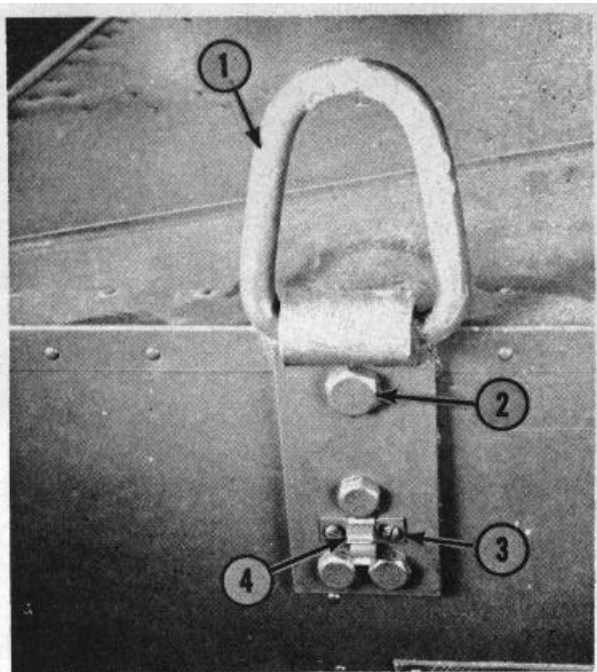
a. Inspection. Inspect the lifting loop assembly (1, fig. 3-8) for bends, broken welds, and loose mounting, and inspect the spring clip retainer for bends and breaks.

b. *Removal.*

- (1) Remove the nuts, lockwashers, and bolts (2) that hold the lifting loop assembly (1) to the cabinet.
- (2) Remove the lifting loop assembly from the cabinet.
- (3) Remove the two screws (3) and the lockwashers that hold the spring clip retainer
- (4) to the lifting loop assembly, and remove the retainer from the assembly.

Note. The spring clip retainer may be removed without removing the lifting assembly from the cabinet.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in b above.



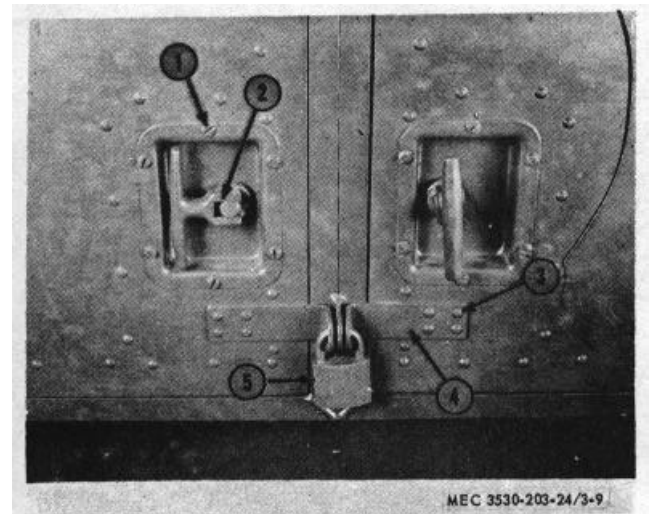
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| 1 Loop assembly lifting | 3 Screw |
| 2 Bolt | 4 Retainer, spring clip |

Figure 3-8. Lifting loop assembly.

3-16. Slam-Type Folding Handle Lock

a. *Removal.* Remove the nuts, lockwashers, and bolts (1, fig. 3-9) that secure the lock (2) to the door, and remove the lock from the door.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective lock with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Bolt | 4 Latch, side door locking |
| 2 Lock, folding handle | 5 Padlock |
| 3 Rivets | |

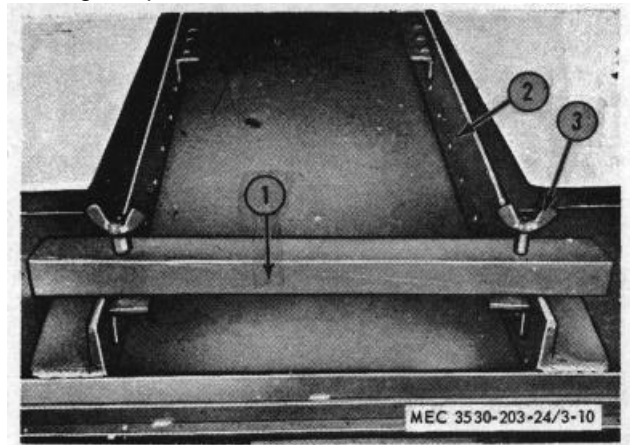
Figure 3-9. Folding handle locks and latches.

3-17. Generator Holddown Assembly

Two generator Holddown assemblies are used to fasten the generator set securely in the cabinet.

a. *Removal.* Unscrew and remove the wing screws (3, fig. 3-10) from the generator hold-down (1), and remove the generator Holddown from the tracks (2) and from the cabinet.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective generator Holddown with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Holddown assembly, generator |
| 2 Track |
| 3 Screw, wing |

Figure 3-10. Generator Holddown assembly.

3-18. Folding Stand and Chair Holddown Strap Assemblies

There are two folding stand Holddown strap assemblies (3, fig. 3-11) to hold the folding stands and two chair Holddown strap assemblies to hold the chairs in the cabinet.

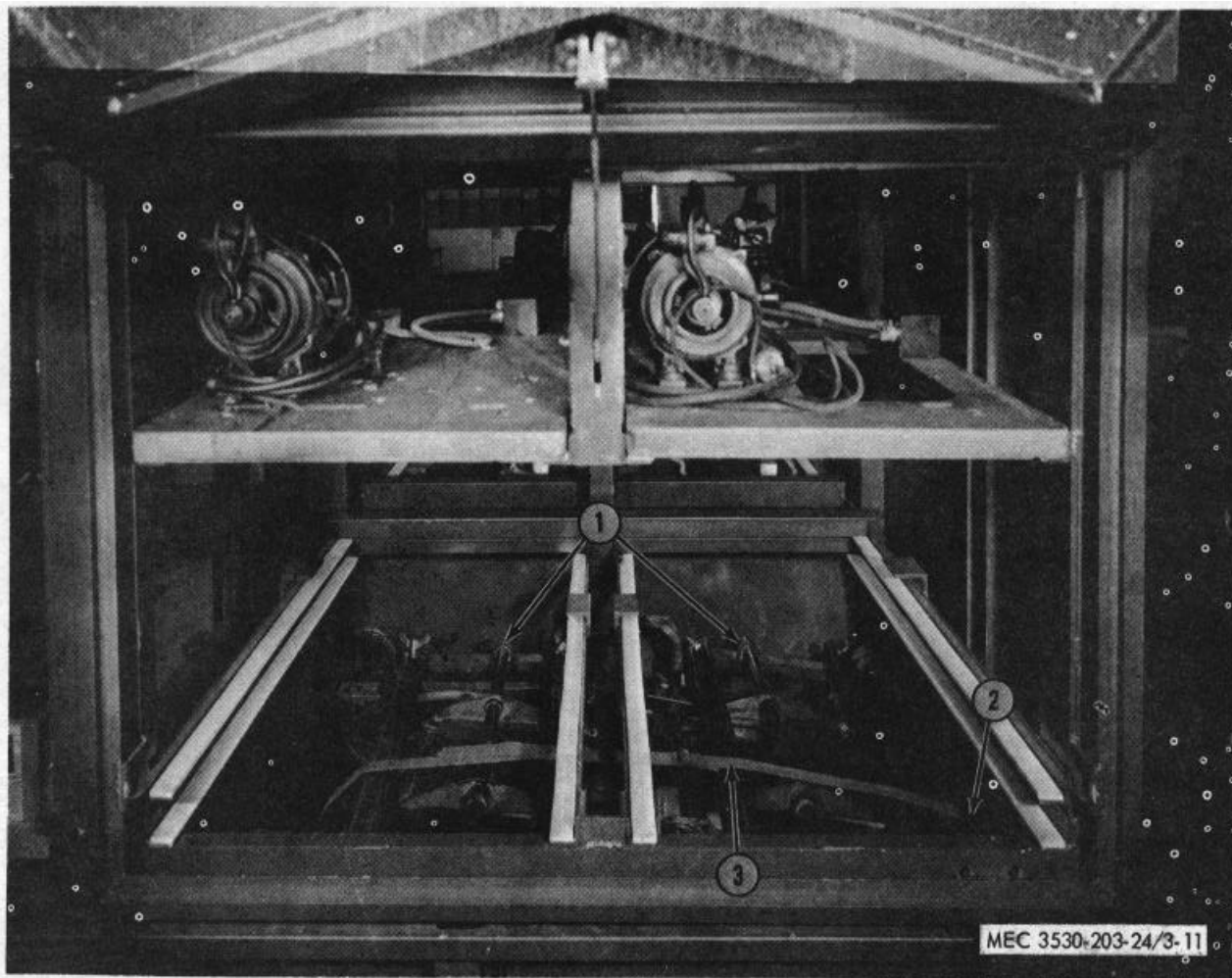
a. *Inspection.* Inspect for frayed or torn straps and for broken or missing buckles, clips, and loops.

b. *Removal.*

- (1) Remove the nuts, lockwashers, and bolts that secure the loops (2) that hold the
- (2) that hold the strap assemblies to the cabinet.

- (2) Remove the strap assemblies from the cabinet.

c. *Installation.* Fabricate a new strap from the bulk cotton webbing by cutting the new strap the length of the defective one. Replace defective buckles, clips, and loops with serviceable ones as necessary. Sew the straps in the loops, sew the buckle on the short end of the strap, and install a clip on the loose or long end of the strap. After the strap assembly has been fabricated, install it in the cabinet by reversing the procedure in b above.



1 Stand, folding

2 Loop, strap

3 Strap assembly

Figure 3-11. Interior of cabinet assembly.

3-19. Machine Tray and Strap Assemblies

Each sewing machine wooden tray assembly has a strap to hold the sewing machine head in the tray.

a. Inspection. Inspect the strap for bends, broken or bent hinges, broken welds, and torn felt. Check the tray for missing and damaged parts and for deterioration.

b. Removal.

- (1) Pull the tray (4, fig. 3-12) out of the cabinet until it hits the stop (3) mounted on the tray.
- (2) Unscrew and remove the thumbscrew (1) which holds the two straps together.

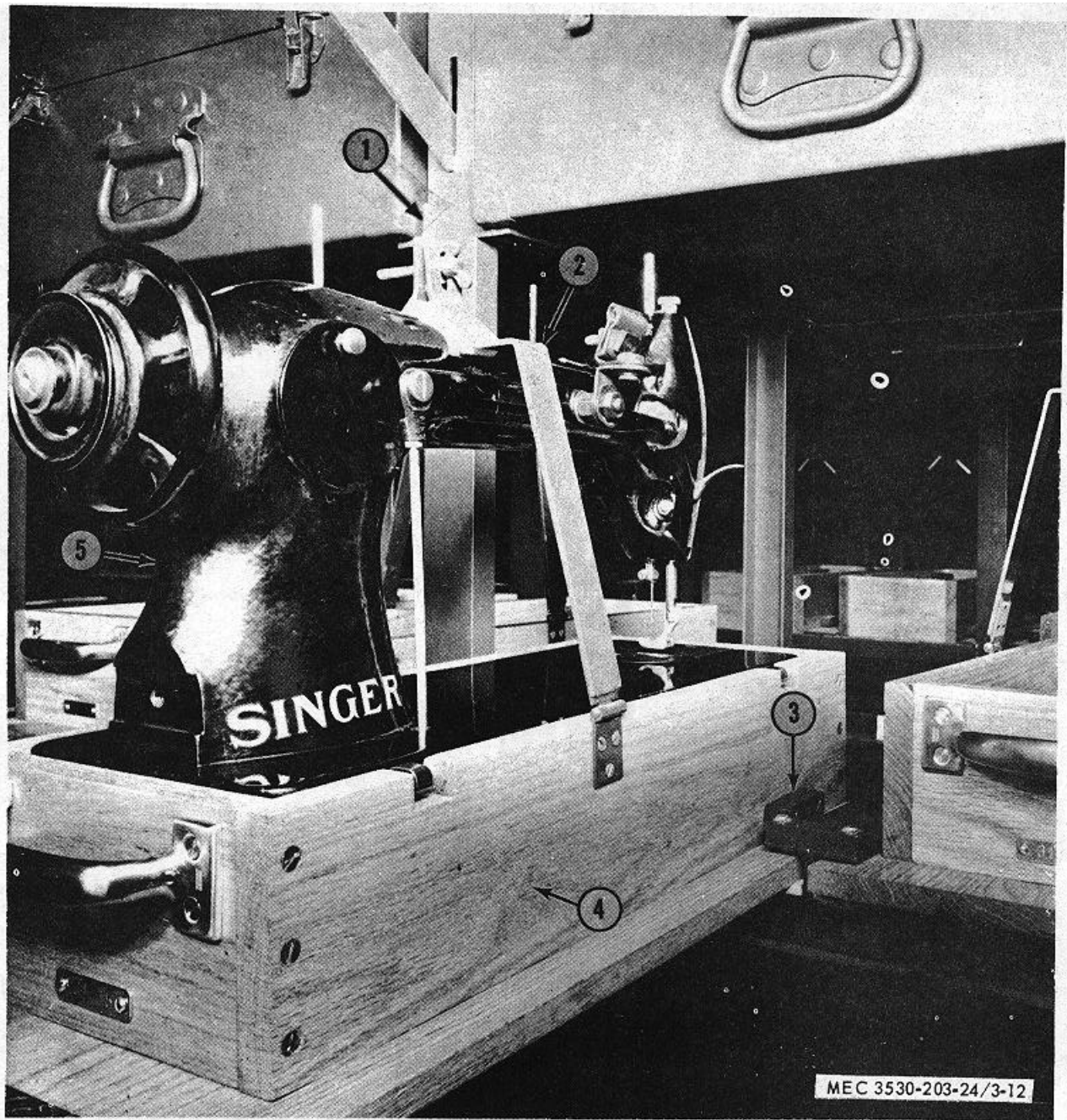
(3) Remove the screws that secure the strap (s) (2) to the tray (4) and remove the strap (s) (2) from the tray (4).

(4) Lift the sewing machine head (5) from the tray (4).

(5) Remove the screws that hold the stops (3) to the tray (4) and remove the stops (3).

(6) Pull the tray from the slides and from the cabinet.

c. Installation. Replace defective straps and trays with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in b above.



1 Thumbscrew
2 Strap assembly

3 Stop, tray assembly
4 Tray

5 Head, sewing machine

Figure 3-12. Clothing sewing machine tray assembly.

3-20. Heavy-Duty Machine Tray Assembly and Tray Holddown Strap

Each of the heavy-duty sewing machine tray assemblies has a Holddown strap to hold the machine head in the tray.

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the screw that holds the Holddown strap to the tray.
- (2) Remove the Holddown strap from the tray.
- (3) Lift the machine head from the tray and remove the tray from the cabinet.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective Holddown strap and tray assembly with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-21. Machine Tray Stop

Each wooden tray assembly has stops mounted to the tray. It prevents the tray from being pulled too far out of the cabinet.

a. Removal.

- (1) Pull the tray assembly (4, fig. 3-12) out far enough to gain access to the stops (3) and remove the screws that hold the stops (3) to the tray (4).
- (2) Remove the stops (3) from the tray (4).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective stop (s) with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in b above.

3-22. Machine Tray Pull

a. *Removal.* Unscrew and remove the screws securing the pull to the tray and remove the pull from the tray.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective pull with a serviceable one, and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-23. Tray Bumper

There are four rubber bumpers in each clothing sewing machine tray.

a. Removal.

- (1) Pull the tray out until it hits the stops.
- (2) Remove the thumbscrew that hold the two straps together.
- (3) Lift the clothing sewing machine head from the tray.
- (4) Remove the screw that holds the bumper to the tray and remove the bumper.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective bumper with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-24. Shock Absorber Felt

Shock absorber felt is used on the tray strap assemblies and on the folding table assembly slides.

a. *Removal.* Cut or scrape the defective felt from the item.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective felt with a piece of serviceable felt. Measure and cut a piece of felt from the bulk felt the same size as the defective piece. Glue or cement the piece of felt to the item with an adhesive of neoprene-base solvent cement.

3-25. Table Assembly With Folding Legs

There are two table assemblies with folding legs. One is used as a worktable and the other is used to install the press grommet at one end of it and the tack-button attaching machine at the other end of it.

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the nuts, lockwashers, and machine screw, and the wood screws that hold the leg assembly to the tabletop.
- (2) Remove the leg assembly from the tabletop.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective table assembly with a serviceable one. If only the leg assembly is defective, replace it with a serviceable one and install it to the tabletop by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section V. ELECTRIC MOTORS

3-26. General

This section describes the maintenance instructions which the organizational maintenance personnel are authorized to perform on the motors used to power the sewing machines.

Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in **TM 38-750**.

3-27. Alternating Current Motor

a. Removal.

- (1) Disconnect the power cord.
- (2) Remove the drive belt from the drive pulley. Uncouple the belt hook and remove the drive belt from the machine.
- (3) Loosen the thumbscrew on the adjustable clamp of the connecting rod and separate the two ends of the rod.
- (4) Remove the upper end of the rod from the brake lever.
- (5) Remove the two screws from the terminal box cover on the motor, and separate the cover from the motor.
- (6) Disconnect the wires from the switch to the motor.
- (7) Remove the nuts and lockwashers that secure the motor to the tabletop and remove the motor.
- (8) Remove the motor mounting bolts from the tabletop.

b. Inspection. Inspect the motor for broken housing, any evidence of excessive heating, and obstructions to ventilation. Check the wiring for cuts, frays, and any evidence of a short circuit.

c. Installation. Replace defective motor with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-28. Drive Pulley Brake Lever, Spring, and Lever Pad

The brake lever, spring, and pad are parts of the motor used to operate the clothing, darning, heavy-duty, overedge, or textile sewing machines.

a. Removal.

- (1) Unhook and remove the drive pulley brake lever spring (16) from the brake lever and from the spring hook on the motor.
- (2) Remove the lever screw nut and the shoulder screw from the brake lever.
- (3) Remove the drive pulley brake lever from the motor.
- (4) Pull out the cotter pin, and remove the lever thermoid pad from the lever.

b. Installation. Replace the entire lever if it is defective or replace the spring and pad with serviceable ones, and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-29. Drive Pulley

The pulleys used on the clothing, darning, heavy-duty, overedge, and textile machines are removed as follows:

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the drive belt from the drive pulley.
- (2) Remove the drive pulley brake lever from the motor (para. 3-30a).
- (3) Loosen the setscrew in the drive pulley, and slide the drive pulley from the motor.

b. Installation. Replace defective drive pulley with a serviceable one, and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section VI. MISCELLANEOUS WIRING AND FITTINGS

3-30. General

This section describes maintenance instructions which organizational maintenance personnel are authorized to perform on the miscellaneous wiring and fittings consisting of motor switch and power cables; box with receptacle; lamp assembly; lamp bracket; lamp (bulb), lens, reflector, and ring; and power cables and light cords with associated parts.

Any deficiencies which organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38750.

3-31. Motor Switch and Power Cable

Each sewing machine motor is equipped with a motor switch and a power cable.

a. Inspection. Inspect for broken or binding switch, for frayed insulation on the cable, and for broken or bent prongs on the cable plug.

b. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two screws that secure the switch cover to the bracket, and remove the switch cover from the bracket.

(2) Loosen the terminal screws on the switchbox, and remove and tag the power cable wires and the motor wires from the switch.

(3) Remove the power cable and wiring harness from the switch bracket, and separate the switch from the cable and the wiring harness.

c. Installation. Replace defective switch and power cable with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in b above.

3-32. Sewing Machine Table Box With Receptacle

The box with receptacle mounted under the tabletop is used to plug in the lamp assembly for each sewing machine.

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the two screws that hold the receptacle cover to the box.

(2) Loosen the two screws that hold the wires to the receptacle and remove the wires.

(3) Loosen the cord connector clamp screws and slide the cable from the box.

(4) Remove the two screws that secure the box to the tabletop and remove the box from the tabletop.

b. Installation. Replace defective box with a serviceable one, and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-33. Sewing Machine Lamp Assembly a. Removal.

(1) Unplug the light cord from the receptacle.

(2) Remove the bracket clamp screws that secure the lamp assembly to the bracket.

(3) Remove the lamp assembly from the bracket.

(4) Loosen the universal arm clamp screw, and remove the arm from the universal clamp.

(5) Loosen the bracket clamp thumbscrew and remove the lamp assembly, including the arm and the cord, from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective lamp assembly with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-34. Lamp Bracket

a. Removal.

(1) Loosen the bracket clamp thumbscrew, and remove the lamp arm from the bracket.

(2) Remove the nut from the bracket stud that secures the bracket to the machine.

(3) Remove the bracket with stud, flat washer, and friction washer from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective bracket with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-35. Sewing Machine Lamp (Bulb), Lens, Reflector, and Ring a. Removal.

(1) Remove the retaining ring from the lamp.

(2) Remove the lens, lamp (bulb), and reflector from the lamp.

b. Inspection. Inspect for broken lens, burned-out or broken lamp (bulb), and excessively worn reflector and ring.

c. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones, and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-36. Power Cable, Condulet, Cover, Connector, and Receptacles

The power cable, with three single outlets in a condulet is used to connect the generator set with the three 2-duplex power cables (para. 3-37).

a. Inspection. Inspect for frayed or worn cable insulation; for broken or burned-out receptacles; and for bent cover, connector, and condulet.

b. Removal.

(1) Turn off the generator set, and disconnect the power cable at the generator set.

(2) Unplug the sewing machine power cables from the generator power cable.

(3) Loosen the screws that hold the cover to the condulet, and remove the covers with screws from the condulet.

(4) Loosen the screws that secure the receptacles to the condulet.

(5) Lift the receptacles from the condulet, and tag the wires for identification for proper installation.

- (6) Remove the screws that secure the receptacles to the wires, and remove the receptacles from the wires.
- (7) Remove the compression nut from the conduit connector (3).
- (8) Pull the power cable from the conduit connector.
- (9) Remove the conduit connector from the conduit.

c. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *b* above.

3-37. Power Cable, Conduit, Cover, Connector, Outlets, and Plug Cap

Each of the power cables with the 2-duplex outlets have a conduit at one end and a plug cap at the other end. These cables are used to connect the sewing machines and the lamps to the power cable connected to the generator set.

a. Inspection. Inspect for frayed or worn cable insulation; broken or burned-out outlets; and bent or broken conduit, cover, connector, and plug cap.

b. Removal.

- (1) Turn off the generator set, unplug the power cables from the sewing machines and the lamps, and unplug the power cables from the power cable connected to the generator set.
- (2) Loosen the screws that hold the cover to the conduit and remove the cover with screws from the conduit.
- (3) Remove the screws that hold the outlets to the conduit.
- (4) Lift the outlets from the conduit, and tag the wires for identification.
- (5) Remove the screws that secure the outlets to the wires, and remove the outlets from the wires.
- (6) Remove the compression nut from the conduit connector.
- (7) Pull the power cable from the conduit connector.

- (8) Remove the conduit connector from the conduit.
- (9) Remove the insulating shield from the plug cap.
- (10) Remove the screws that hold the plug cap to the power cable, and pull the plug cap from the power cable.

c. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *b* above.

3-38. Light Cord, Plug Cap, Socket Handle and Lamp

The light cords connect to the three 2-duplex outlet power cables.

a. Inspection. Inspect for frayed or excessively worn insulation; for bent or damaged shield; and for broken or damaged outlet, handle, lamp (bulb), and plug cap.

b. Removal.

- (1) Unplug the light cord from the power source.
- (2) Loosen the two screws that hold the shield to the handle and remove the shield from the handle.
- (3) Unscrew and remove the lamp from the socket in the light cord.
- (4) Pry the side outlet from the handle.
- (5) Unscrew the nuts that hold the wires to the side outlet, tag and remove the wires from the side outlet.
- (6) Pull the light cord from the handle.
- (7) Remove the insulating shield from the plug cap.
- (8) Remove the screws that secure the wires to the plug cap.
- (9) Pull the plug cap from the light cord.

c. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *b* above.

Section VII. CLOTHING SEWING MACHINE

3-39. General

This section describes additional maintenance instructions which organizational maintenance personnel are authorized to perform on the clothing sewing machine. The clothing sewing machine consists of a

machine head, a motor, a table assembly, and a stand. The motor is bolted to the underside of the top of the table assembly, the machine head is mounted on the top of the table assembly, and the table assembly is mounted on the stand.

The machine head includes the bed and the

arm. The bed supports the arm and it contains the driving or oscillating shaft, the shuttle race, and the feeding mechanism. The arm is a housing which contains the upper driving mechanism and it supports the needle bar, presser bar, and the thread takeup mechanism. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-40. Side Cap

a. Removal. Loosen the screw (7, fig. 3-13) that holds the side cap (6) to the machine, and remove the cap from the machine.

b. Inspection. Inspect the side cap for bends and for irregularities such as sharp edges, cuts, or nicks.

c. Installation. Replace defective side cap with a serviceable one, and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

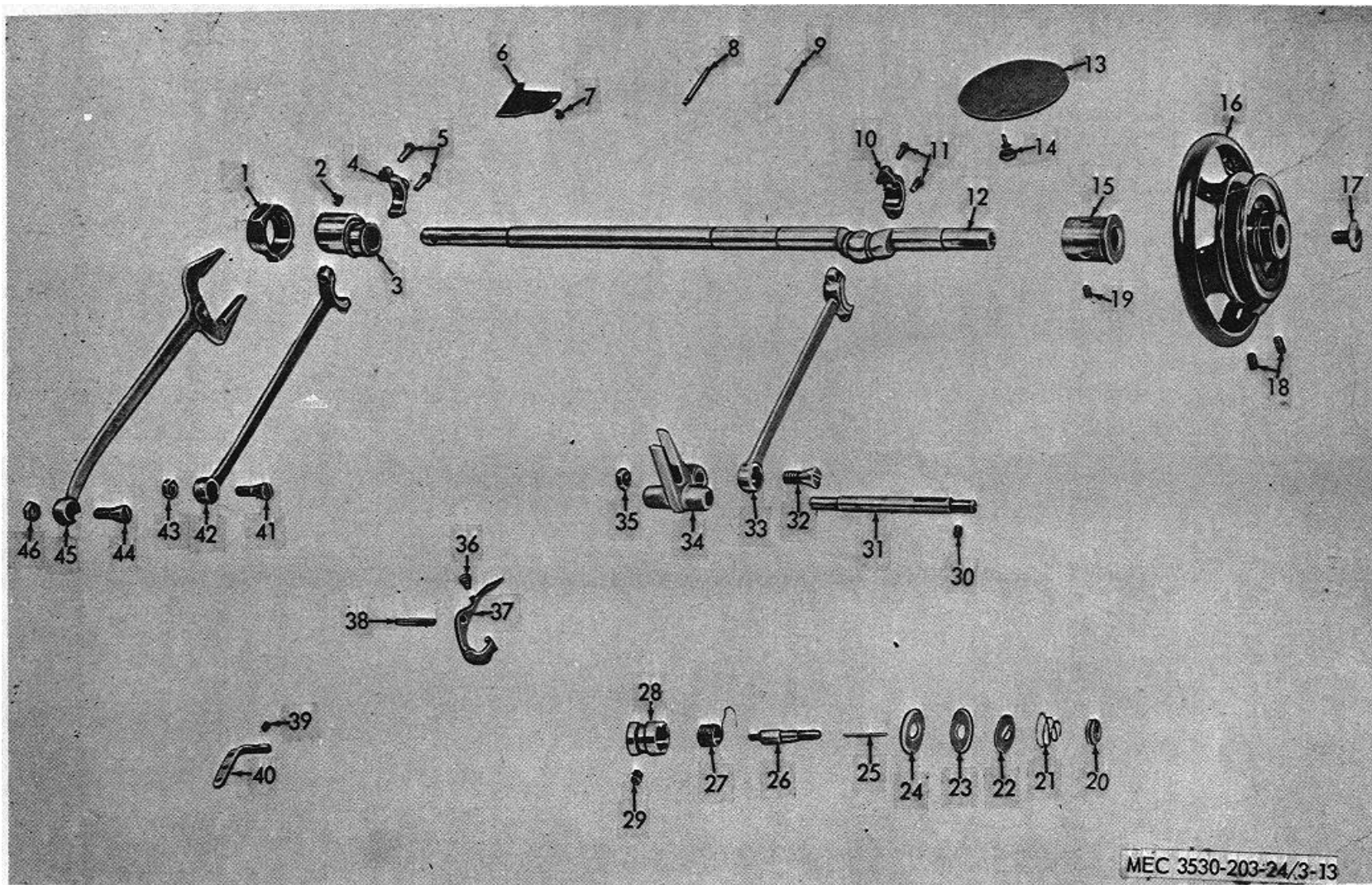


Figure 3-13. Clothing sewing machine oscillating rockshaft and crank, feed fork, and crank rods.

1 Sleeve	17 Screw, arm shaft	33 Rod, crank connecting
2 Setscrew, eccentric	18 Setscrews, drive pulley	34 Crank, oscillating
3 Eccentric, feed and feed lifting	19 Setscrew, bushing	35 Nut, hinge screw
4 Cap, rod	20 Nut, thread tension stud thumb	36 Spring, thread tension release
5 Screws, rod cap	21 Spring, thread tension	37 Lever, thread tension release
6 Cap, arm side	22 Disk, thread tension release	38 Pin, release lever hinge
7 Screw, side cap	23 Disk, thread tension	39 Setscrew, thread retainer
8 Guide, arm spool pin thread	24 Disk, thread tension	40 Retainer, thread
9 Guide, arm spool pin thread	25 Pin, thread tension release	41 Screw, hinge
10 Cap, rod	26 Stud, thread tension	42 Rod, feed lifting rockshaft crank connecting
11 Screws, rod cap	27 Spring, thread takeup	43 Nut, hinge screw
12 Shaft, arm	28 Regulator, thread takeup spring	44 Screw, hinge
13 Cover, side	29 Setscrew, spring regulator	45 Fork, feed
14 Thumbscrew, side cover	30 Setscrew	46 Nut, hinge screw
15 Bushing, rear shaft	31 Rockshaft, oscillating	
16 Pulley with balance wheel, drive	32 Screw, hinge rod	

3-41. Side Cover

a. Removal. Unscrew the side cover thumbscrew (14, fig. 3-13) that holds the side cover (13) to the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.

b. Inspection. Inspect the side cover for warping, bent edges, nicks, bends, and breaks. Check thumbscrew for stripped threads.

c. Installation. Replace defective side cover with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-42. Drive Pulley With Balance Wheel and Setscrew

a. Removal. Remove the belt, arm shaft screw (17, fig. 3-13) and setscrews (18) that hold the drive pulley to the machine arm (12), and remove the drive pulley with balance wheel (16) from the machine.

b. Inspection. Inspect the pulley and balance wheel for binding, breaks, cracks, chips and be sure the pulley edges are smooth.

c. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-43. Thread Tension Disks, Guides, Springs, Regulator, Pin, Stud, and Retainer

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thread tension stud thumb nut (20, fig. 3-13) from the stud (26).
- (2) Remove the arm thread tension spring (21), the thread tension release disk (22), the thread tension disks (23 and 24), and

the thread tension release pin (25) from the stud (26).

- (3) Remove the thread tension stud (26) and the thread takeup spring (27) from the thread takeup spring regulator (28).
- (4) Take out setscrew (29) and remove the thread takeup spring regulator from the thread retainer.
- (5) Remove the thread retainer setscrew (39) from the thread retainer (40), and remove the thread retainer from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Do not confuse the adjustments on the thread controller with tightening the tension on the thread. Move the needle downward and as it begins downward, pull on the thread so the thread takeup lever (2, fig.3-14) will pull the thread takeup spring (1) downward about even with the bottom of the thread regulator (7). As the needle approaches the material (cloth), the thread takeup lever (2) starts downward. The thread takeup spring (1) moves upward and pulls the slack out of the thread and keeps it from getting under the needle.

- (1) Setting spring in its correct position.

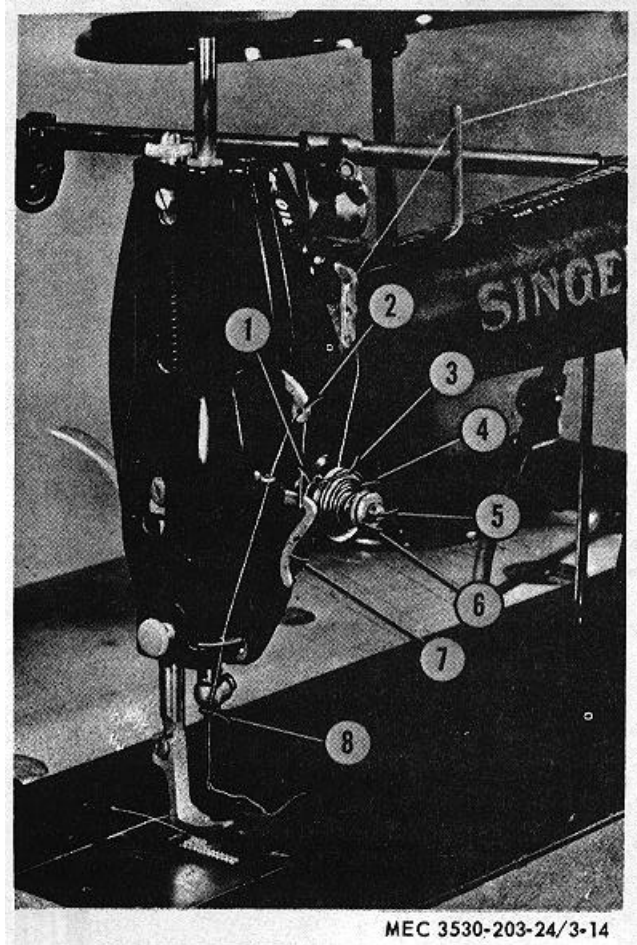
The normal position of the thread takeup spring (1) is 1/4 inch above the thread regulator (7). The thread takeup spring should be set so that when the eye of the needle reaches the material; on its downward stroke the spring will be through moving upward and will be resting upon the top of the slot in the thread takeup regulator. The position of the thread takeup spring (1) is changed by loosening the setscrew at the right of

the tension spring (4) and rotating the whole tension controller assembly to the right or to the left. To adjust the position of the spring, proceed as follows:

- (a) Loosen the setscrew at the right of the tension spring (4) in the arm of the machine.
 - (b) Insert a screwdriver in the slot of the tension screw stud (5) and turn the whole tension controller assembly to the left to make the spring come to rest farther from the thread takeup regulator (7). To make the spring come to rest closer to the thread takeup regulator, turn the tension controller assembly to the right.
 - (c) Tighten the setscrew at the right of the tension spring (4) securely when the spring (1) is in the correct position.
- (2) Changing tension of spring. The tension of the thread takeup spring (1) should be just sufficient to take up the slack of the needle thread until the eye of the needle on its downward stroke reaches the material. To change or to adjust the tension on the thread takeup spring (1), proceed as follows:
- (a) Loosen the tension regulating thumb nut (6) and force the takeup spring (1) from the recess in the regulator (7).
 - (b) Turn the spring to the right to increase the tension and to the left to decrease the tension on the spring.
 - (c) Force the spring back into the recess in the regulator and tighten the tension regulating thumb nut (6) when the spring is wound or unwound enough to put the correct tension on it.

3-44. Spool Pin Guides

- a. *Removal.* Pull the spool pin thread guides (9, fig. 3-13) out of the machine arm.
- b. *Installation.* Replace defective guides with serviceable ones. Insert the guides in the holes in the machine arm and tap them slightly to insure a secure fit.



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| 1 Spring, thread takeup | 6 Tension regulating thumb nut |
| 2 Lever, thread takeup | 7 Regulator, thread takeup |
| 3 Disks, tension | 8 Guard, needle bar thread |
| 4 Spring, tension | |
| 5 Slot in tension screw stud | |

Figure 3-14. Thread takeup regulator and tension spring.

3-45. Shuttle Bobbin and Case

a. *Removal.*

- (1) Turn the switch to the OFF position.
- (2) Turn the balance wheel toward the operator until the needle moves up to its highest position.
- (3) Remove the needle from the machine by loosening the setscrew in the needle clamp.
- (4) Pull out the slide in the bed of the machine and open the bobbin case latch (17, fig. 3-15), and lift the bobbin case

(19) from the shuttle race body (4).

- (5) Release the latch; then, turn the open-end of the bobbin case downward and the bobbin (11) will drop out.
- (6) Remove the spring screw (14) from the bobbin case.
- (7) Remove the spring (15) from the bobbin case.

b. Inspection. Inspect the bobbin and bobbin case for sharp edges, nicks, projections, or any defects that

might make operation inefficient. Inspect the latch (17) and the latch lever (16) for proper operation, and inspect the spring for fatigue and excessive wear.

c. Installation. Replace defective bobbin and case with serviceable ones. Wind the bobbin and thread the bobbin case (TM 10-3530-201-10). Take the bobbin case by the latch and place it on the center stud of the shuttle body, with the position finger opposite the notch at the top of the shuttle race. Release the latch, and press the bobbin case back until the latch catches in the groove near the end of the stud.

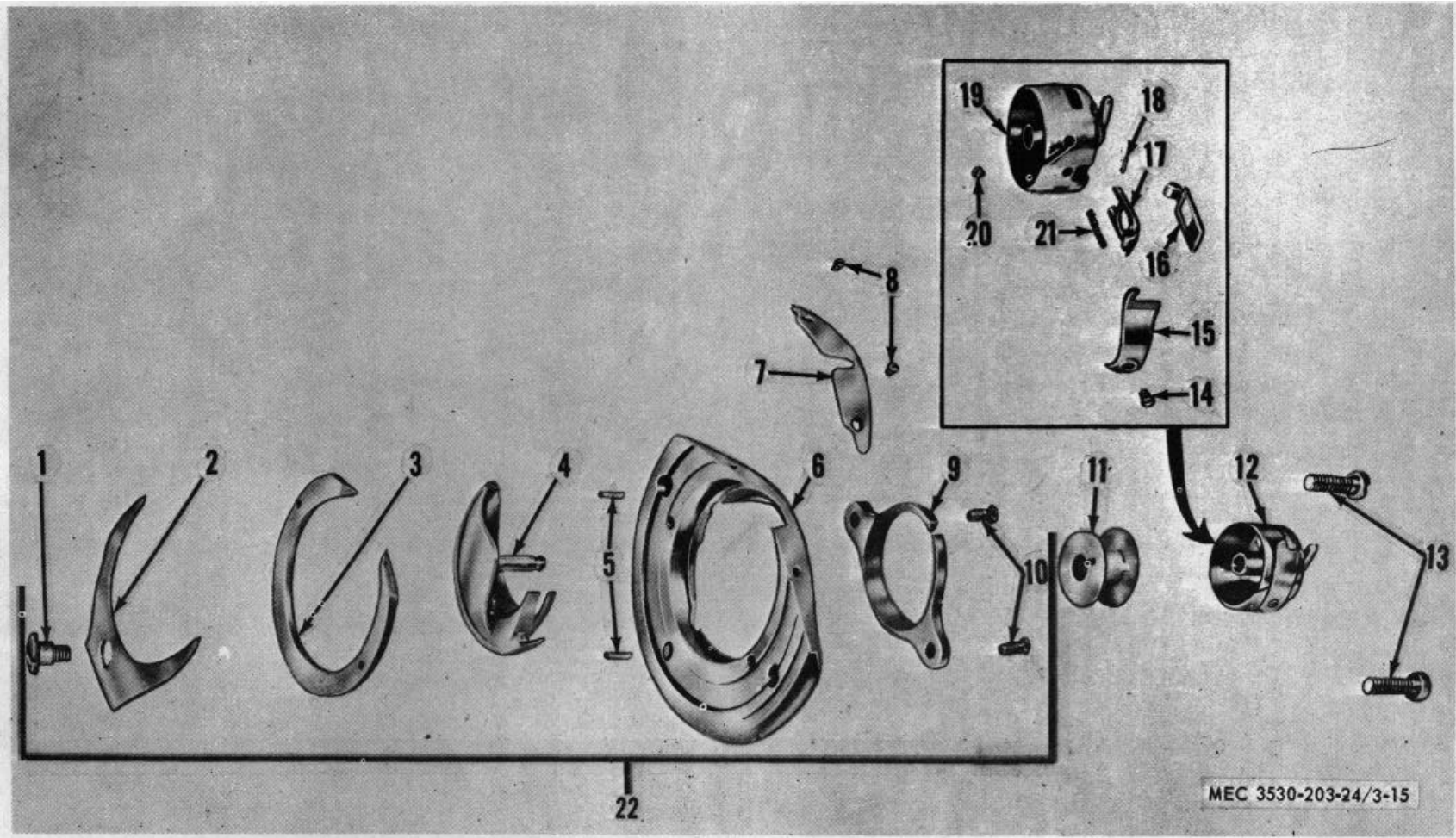


Figure 3-15. Clothing sewing machine shuttle race and bobbin case

1 Screw, shuttle race back spring	9 Plat, shuttle bobbin case position	16 Lever, latch
2 Spring, shuttle race back	10 Screws, bobbin case position plate	17 Latch, bobbin case
3 Back, shuttle race	11 Bobbin, shuttle	18 Pin
4 Body, shuttle race	12 Case, shuttle bobbin	19 Case, shuttle bobbin
5 Pins	13 Screws, shuttle race	20 Screw
6 Race, shuttle	14 Screw, shuttle race back spring	21 Spring, latch
7 Cap, shuttle race	15 Spring, shuttle race back	22 Race, shuttle
8 Capscrews, shuttle race		

3-46. Shuttle Race

The shuttle race holds the shuttle body in position. As the shuttle body is oscillated inside the shuttle race, the point of the shuttle body catches the needle thread above the eye of the needle and forms the loop, which is tightened into a lockstitch by the thread takeup lever on its upward stroke.

a. Removal.

- (1) Turn the switch to the OFF position, and remove the belt and the needle from the machine.
- (2) Turn the machine over on its side to gain access to the shuttle race.
- (3) Remove the bobbin case from the shuttle race body (para 3-45a).
Note. Be sure the needle bar is at its highest point before removing the shuttle race.
- (4) Remove the screws (13, fig. 3-15) that holds the shuttle race (6) in position in the machine bed.
- (5) Remove the shuttle race (22) as an assembly from the machine bed. Do not bend the shuttle race cap (7) against the shuttle driver point while disengaging the shuttle race from the machine bed.

b. *Cleaning.* Wash the shuttle race in SD (solvent, drycleaning) and dry it thoroughly.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective shuttle race with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedures in a above.

Note. Turn the shuttle body so the thread hook is even with the slot on the shuttle race cap before installing the shuttle race in the machine.

3-47. Shuttle Race Body

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the shuttle race from the machine bed (para. 3-46a).
- (2) Remove the screw (1, fig. 3-15) that secures the shuttle race back spring (2) to the shuttle race (6).
- (3) Remove the spring (2), the shuttle race back (3), and the body (4) from the shuttle race (6).

b. *Cleaning.* Wash the shuttle body in SD (solvent, drycleaning) and dry it thoroughly.

c. *Inspection.* Inspect the shuttle body for excessive wear, chips, burs, and bent prong.

d. *Installation.* Replace defective shuttle body with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-48. Shuttle Race Slide and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Turn the switch to the OFF position.
- (2) Remove the belt and the needle from the machine.
- (3) Remove the slide (35, fig. 3-16) from the machine bed.
- (4) Remove the screws (34) that hold the spring (33) to the machine, and remove the spring from the machine.

b. *Inspection.* Inspect the spring and the slide for rough edges, cracks, and excessive wear.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

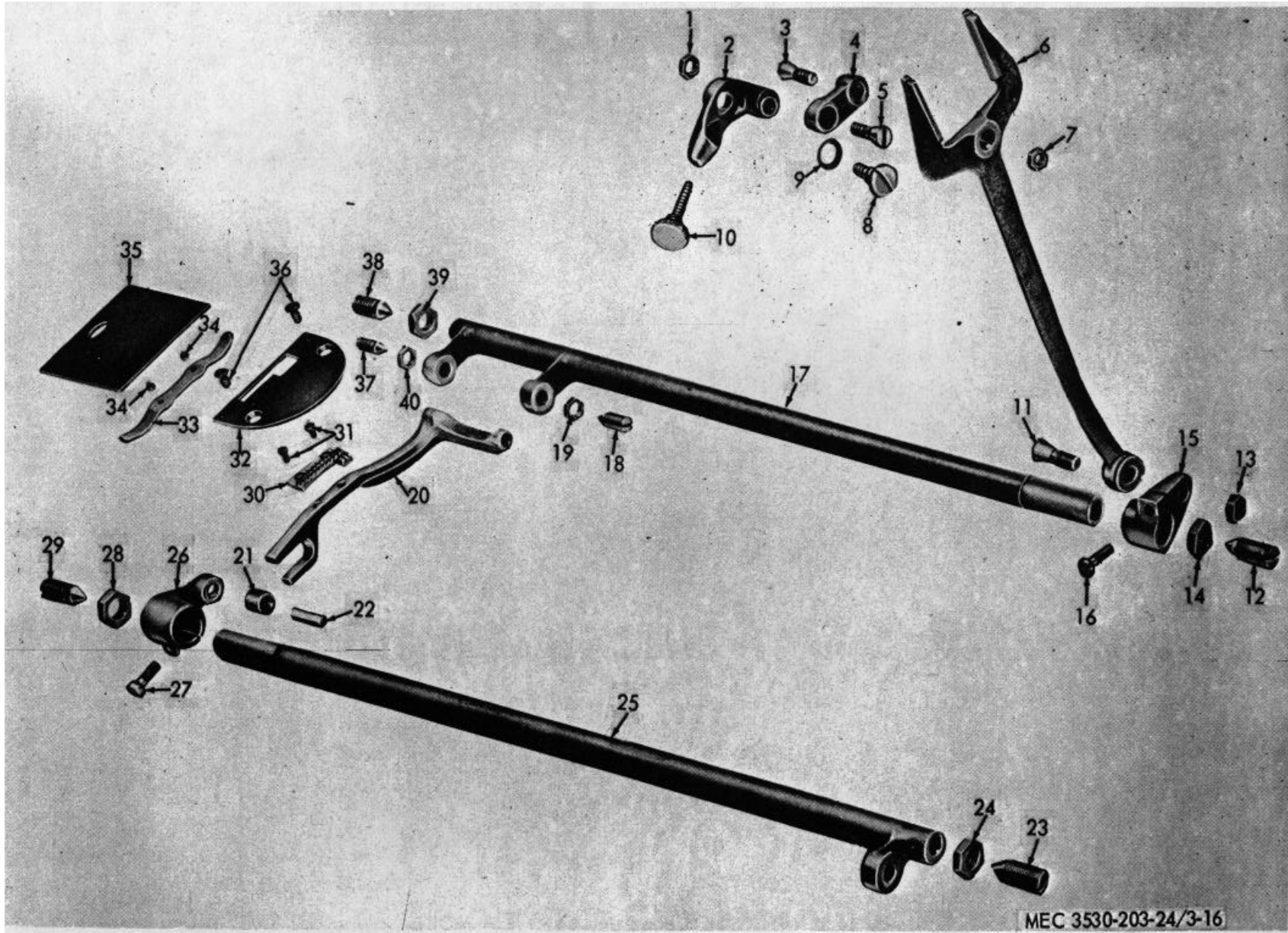


Figure 3-16. Clothing sewing machine shuttle race slide, throat plate, and feed dog.

1	Nut, hinge screw	15	Crank, feed rockshaft	28	Nut, rockshaft
2	Regulator, feed	16	Screw, rockshaft	29	Screw, rockshaft
3	Screw, link hinge	17	Rockshaft, feed	30	Dog, feed
4	Link, feed connecting	18	Screw, bar centering	31	Screws, feed dog
5	Screw, link hinge	19	Nut, centering screw	32	Plate, throat
6	Fork, feed	20	Bar, feed	33	Spring, slide
7	Nut, hinge screw	21	Stud	34	Screws, spring
8	Screw, regulator connecting	22	Roller	35	Slide, shuttle race
9	Washer, spring	23	Screw, rockshaft	36	Screws, throat plate
10	Thumbscrew, feed regulator	24	Nut, rockshaft	37	Screw, bar centering
11	Screw, hinge	25	Rockshaft, feed lifting	38	Screw, rockshaft
12	Screw, rockshaft	26	Crank, feed lifting rockshaft	39	Nut, rockshaft
13	Nut, hinge screw	27	Screw, crank	40	Nut, centering screw
14	Nut, rockshaft				

3-49. Throat Plate and Feed Dog

a. Removal.

- (1) Be sure the switch is in the OFF position.
- (2) Remove the needle and the belt from the machine.
- (3) Remove the screws (36, fig. 3-16) that hold the throat plate (32) to the machine and remove the throat plate from the machine.
- (4) Remove the screws (31) that hold the feed dog (30) to the machine and remove the feed dog from the machine.

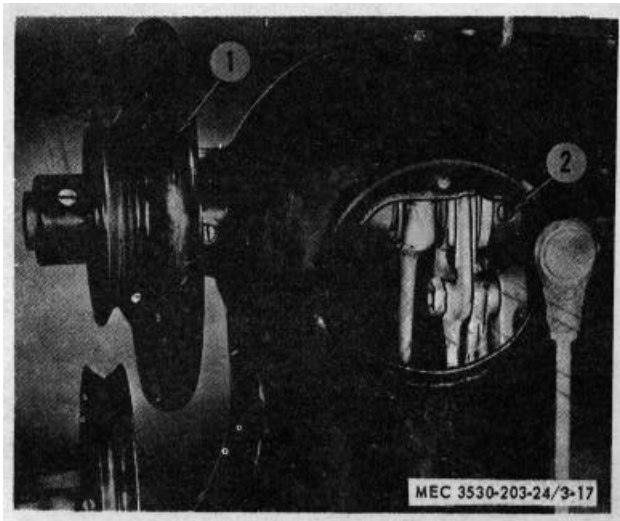
b. *Inspection.* Inspect the plate for bends, sharp edges, and rough surfaces, and the feed dog for cracks, breaks, and defective teeth.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

d. *Adjustment.* Check to see that the needle is correctly timed with the shuttle. The feed dog (30) should be on its downward stroke and level with the throat plate when the point of the needle reaches the material. If the balance wheel is turned forward, the needle should enter the material and come back up. After the needle, on its upward stroke, has cleared the material, the feed dog should then come above the throat plate and push the material forward the distance of one stitch. Time the feed dog with the needle as follows: (1) See that the needle is timed.

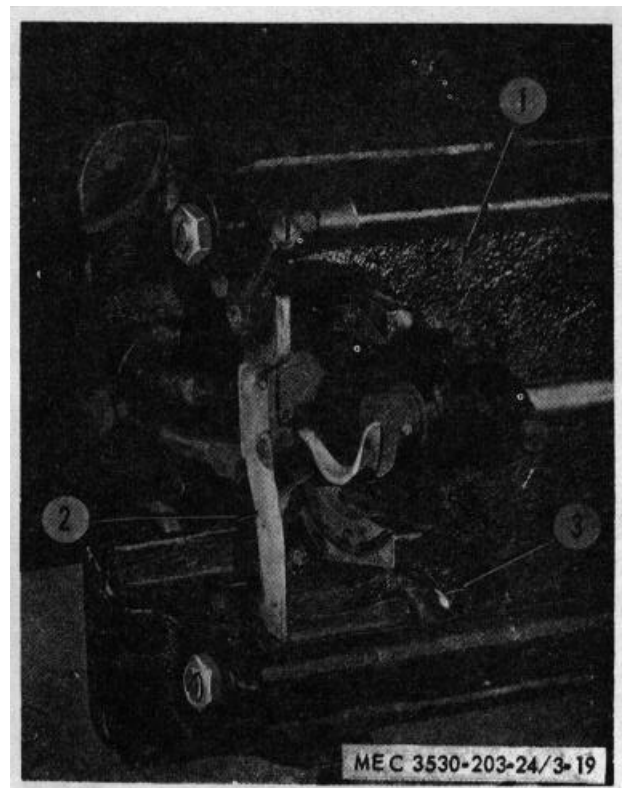
- (2) Loosen and press the feed regulator thumbscrew to its lowest point. The machine will then make its longest stitch.
- (3) Remove the round cover plate as shown in figure 3-17.

- (4) Hand-turn the balance wheel toward the operator until the feed dog (30, fig. 3-16) is even with the throat plate on its downward stroke.
- (5) Loosen the feed eccentric screw (2 fig. 3-17).
- (6) Hold the eccentric stationary and turn the balance wheel (1) toward the operator until the needle point, on its downward stroke, is even with the top of the throat plate.
- (7) Tighten the feed eccentric screw (2).
- (8) Check the feed dog timing. If the feed dog on its backward stroke reaches under and strikes the throat plate when it starts on its forward stroke, it must be adjusted forward as follows: (a) Set the feed regulator thumbscrew to its lowest point.
- (b) Loosen the feed rockshaft clamping screw (2, fig. 3-18) in the bottom of the bed (1).
- (c) Adjust the crank to align the feed dog with the throat plate and to prevent it from reaching under the throat plate when it completes its return motion.
- (d) Tighten the clamping screw (2) firmly to prevent the crank from slipping out of adjustment.
- (9) Check the feed dog timing. If the feed dog is too far either to the right or to the left to fit into the slots in the throat plate, adjust the feed bar (2, fig. 3-19) by using the centering screws (3) and nuts to set the feed dog to the right or to the left and to line it up with the throat plate.



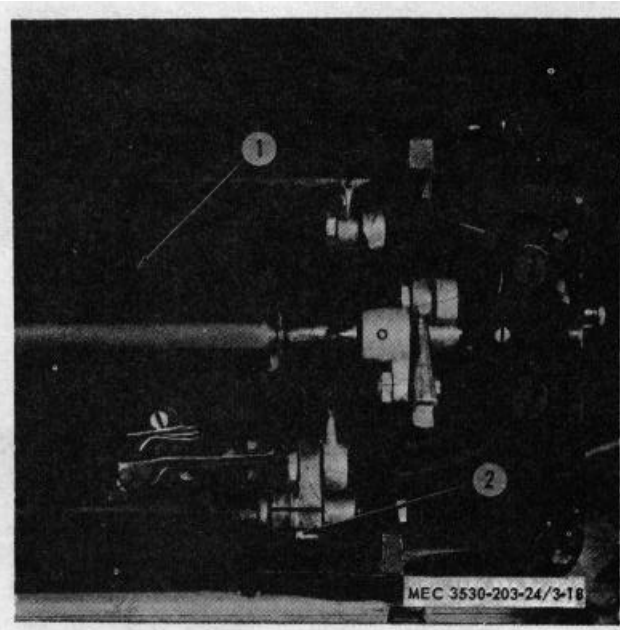
- 1 Wheel, balance 2 Screw, feed eccentric

Figure 3-17. Connecting rods and feed eccentric.



- 1 Bottom of bed 3 Screw, centering
2 Bar, feed

Figure 3-19. Clothing sewing machine bed, left-end bottom view.



- 1 Bottom of bed
2 Screw, feed rockshaft clamping

Figure 3-18. Clothing sewing machine bed, right-end bottom view.

3-50. Feed Regulator Thumbscrew

a. Removal. Unscrew the thumbscrew (10, fig. 3-16) from the feed regulator (2).

b. Installation. Replace defective thumbscrew with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-51. Needle Bar Thread Guard

a. Removal.

- (1) Loosen the setscrew in the needle clamp (29, fig. 3-20) and remove the needle from the machine.
- (2) Remove the needle clamp screw (28) from the needle clamp (29).
- (3) Remove the screw (35) from the thread guard (30) and remove the thread guard and the needle clamp from the needle bar (26).
- (4) Pull the thread guard from the needle clamp.

b. Installation. Replace defective thread guard with serviceable ones and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

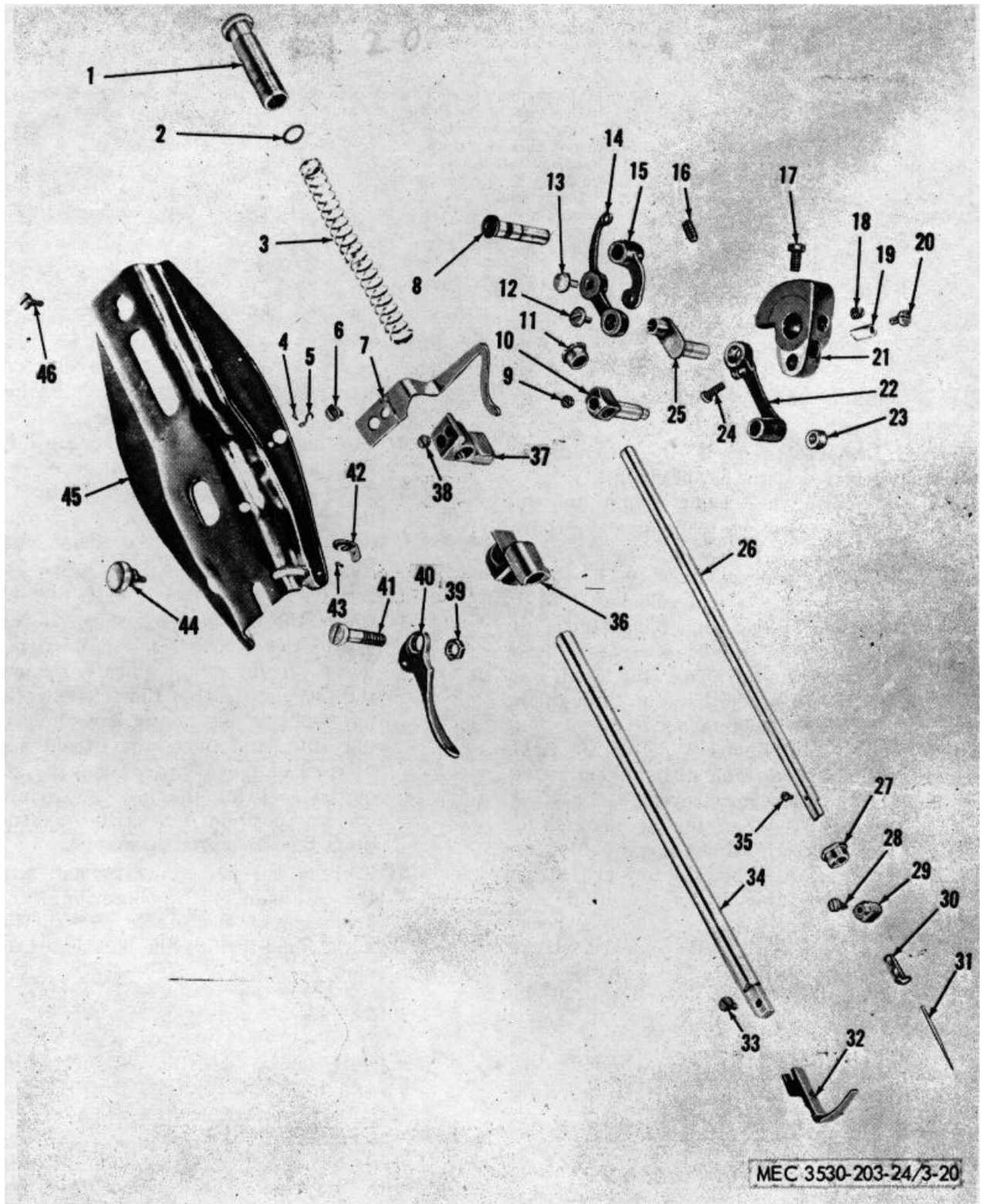


Figure 3-20. Clothing sewing machine face plate and needle and presser bars.

1 Thumbscrew, presser bar pressure regulator	16 Setscrew, link hinge pin	32 Foot hinge presser
2 Washer, presser bar spring	17 Screw, crank positioning	33 Screw, presser foot
3 Spring, presser bar	18 Setscrew, crank	34 Bar, hollow presser
4 Rivet, upper thread guard	19 Wedge, thread takeup crank	35 Screw, thread guard
5 Guard, upper thread	20 Screw, wedge	36 Bracket, presser bar lifting lever
6 Screw, regulator adjusting	21 Crank, needle bar	37 Bracket, presser bar guide
7 Regulator, slack thread	22 Link, needle bar connecting	38 Setscrew, guide bracket
8 Pin, link hinge	23 Roller, needle bar connecting stud	39 Nut, lifter screw
9 Setscrew, stud	24 Screw, adjusting link	40 Lifter, presser bar
10 Stud, needle bar connecting	25 Crank, thread takeup	41 Screw, lifter
11 Bushing, needle bar screw	26 Bar, how needle	42 Guard, lower thread
12 Screw, lever	27 Bushing, needle bar screw	43 Rivet, lower thread guard
13 Pin, lever hinge	28 Screw, clamp	44 Thumbscrew, faceplate
14 Lever, thread takeup	29 Clamp, needle	45 Faceplate
15 Link, thread takeup lever	30 Guard, needle bar thread	46 Screw, faceplate
	31 Needle, machine	

Figure 3-20-Continued

3-52. Needle Bar and Bushings

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle by loosening the setscrew in the needle clamp.
- (2) Remove the needle clamp and the needle bar thread guard (para.3-51a).
- (3) Remove the setscrew (9, fig. 3-20) that secures the needle bar (26) to the needle bar connecting stud (10).
- (4) Remove the needle bar screw bushings (11 and 27) from the needle bar.
- (5) Slide the needle bar out through the top of the machine face.

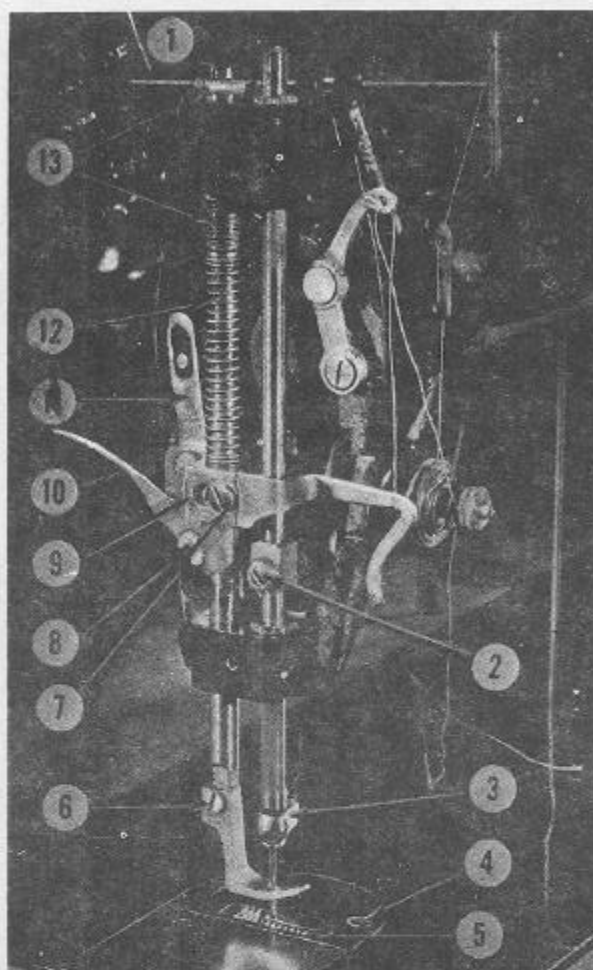
b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. When the needle and the shuttle are correctly timed (fig. 3-21), the point of the shuttle on its forward stroke passes across the diameter of the needle at a point $\frac{1}{16}$ inch above the eye of the needle when the needle is on its upward stroke. Adjust the needle as follows:

- (1) Remove the throat plate (32, fig. 3-16) from the machine base.
- (2) See that the needle is pushed up into the clamp as far as it will go.
- (3) Turn the balance wheel forward until the shuttle is on its forward stroke and is passing across the diameter of the needle, as shown in figure 3-21. Leave the shuttle in this position.
- (4) Check the eye of the needle. If the eye of the needle is not $\frac{1}{16}$ inch below the point of the shuttle, remove the faceplate, loosen the setscrew (2, fig. 3-22) in the needle bar connecting stud, and move the needle bar upward or downward as may be required to bring the needle eye into correct position when the shuttle point passes across the needle.
- (5) Tighten the setscrew (2) and test the adjustment by observing the operation of the needle and shuttle while hand-turning the balance wheel slowly.



Figure 3-21. Correctly timed needle on clothing sewing machine.



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| 1 Bar, presser | 8 Screw, presser bar lifter |
| 2 Setscrew, needle bar connecting stud | 9 Setscrew, presser bar guide bracket |
| 3 Clamp w/screw, needle | 10 Lifter, presser bar |
| 4 Screw, throat plate | 11 Regulator, thread takeup |
| 5 Dog, fee | 12 Spring, presser bar |
| 6 Screw, presser foot | 13 Thumbscrew, pressure regulating |
| 7 Screw, thread regulator adjusting | |

Figure 3-22. Clothing sewing machine with faceplate removed.

3-53. Faceplate and Thread Guards

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the faceplate thumbscrew (44, fig. 3-20) from the faceplate (45).
- (2) Remove the faceplate screw (46) and remove the faceplate with thread guards (5 and 42) from the machine.
- (3) Drive the rivets out of the thread guards, and remove the thread guards from the faceplate.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-54. Presser Foot

a. Removal. Remove the screw (33, fig. 3-20) that holds the presser foot to the presser bar (34), and remove the presser foot from the presser bar and from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective presser foot with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-55. Thread Takeup Regulator

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the faceplate from the machine (para. 3-53a).
- (2) Remove the regulator adjusting screw (6, fig. 3-20) from the thread takeup regulator (7).
- (3) Remove the thread takeup regulator from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective regulator with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-56. Presser Bar Pressure Regulator Thumbscrew

a. *Removal.* Remove the presser bar pressure regulator thumbscrew (1, fig. 3-20) from the presser bar (34) and from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective thumbscrew with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Refer to TM 10-3530203-10.

3-57. Presser Bar and Presser Bar Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the faceplate from the machine (para. 3-53a).
- (2) Remove the 1 thumbscrew (1, fig. 3-20) from the presser bar (34) and from machine.
- (3) Remove the presser bar spring (3) and the washer (2) from the presser bar.
- (4) Remove the screw (41) that secures the presser bar lifter (40) to the presser bar lifting bracket (36), and remove the lifter from the bracket.
- (5) Remove the setscrew (38) that secures the presser bar guide bracket (37) to the presser bar.
- (6) Remove the screw that secures the thread takeup regulator (7) to the presser bar guide bracket, and remove the regulator from the bracket.
- (7) Slide the presser bar out through the top of machine face; then, remove the presser bar lifting lever bracket (36) and the presser bar guide bracket (37) from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

Section VIII. DARNING MACHINE

3-58. General

This section describes the organizational maintenance instructions for the darning machine. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-59. Cap With Spool Holder and Base With Hinge Screw and Wire

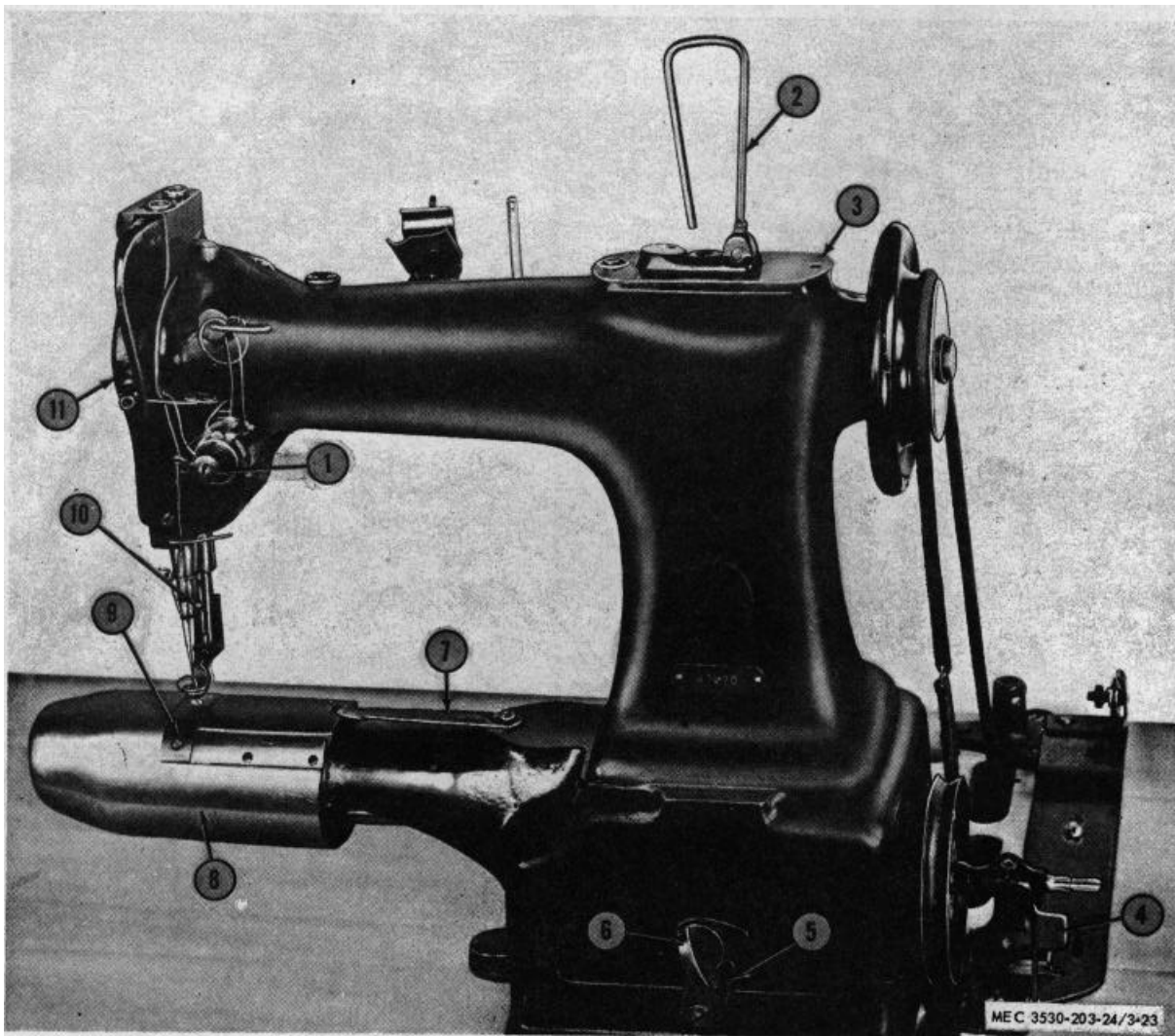
a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the capscrew and the washer that holds the cap (3, fig. 3-23) to the machine arm.

- (2) Lift the cap with spool holder and base with hinge screw and wire from the machine arm.
- (3) Remove the cap from the base with hinge screw and wire (2).

b. *Inspection.* Inspect the cap and the base for breaks, bends, or cracks, and inspect the spool holder wire for rough places, nicks, and sharp projections.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Nut, tension thumb | 4 Lever, bobbin winder stop | 6 Thumbscrew, bed clamp | 9 Plate, throat |
| 2 Wire, spool holder | latch | 7 Stop, bed slide | 10 Setscrew, needle |
| 3 Cap | 5 Clamp, bed | 8 Cover, bed end | 11 Faceplate |

Figure 3-23. Darning machine arm.

3-60. Needle Bar Guides and Thread Tension Guides

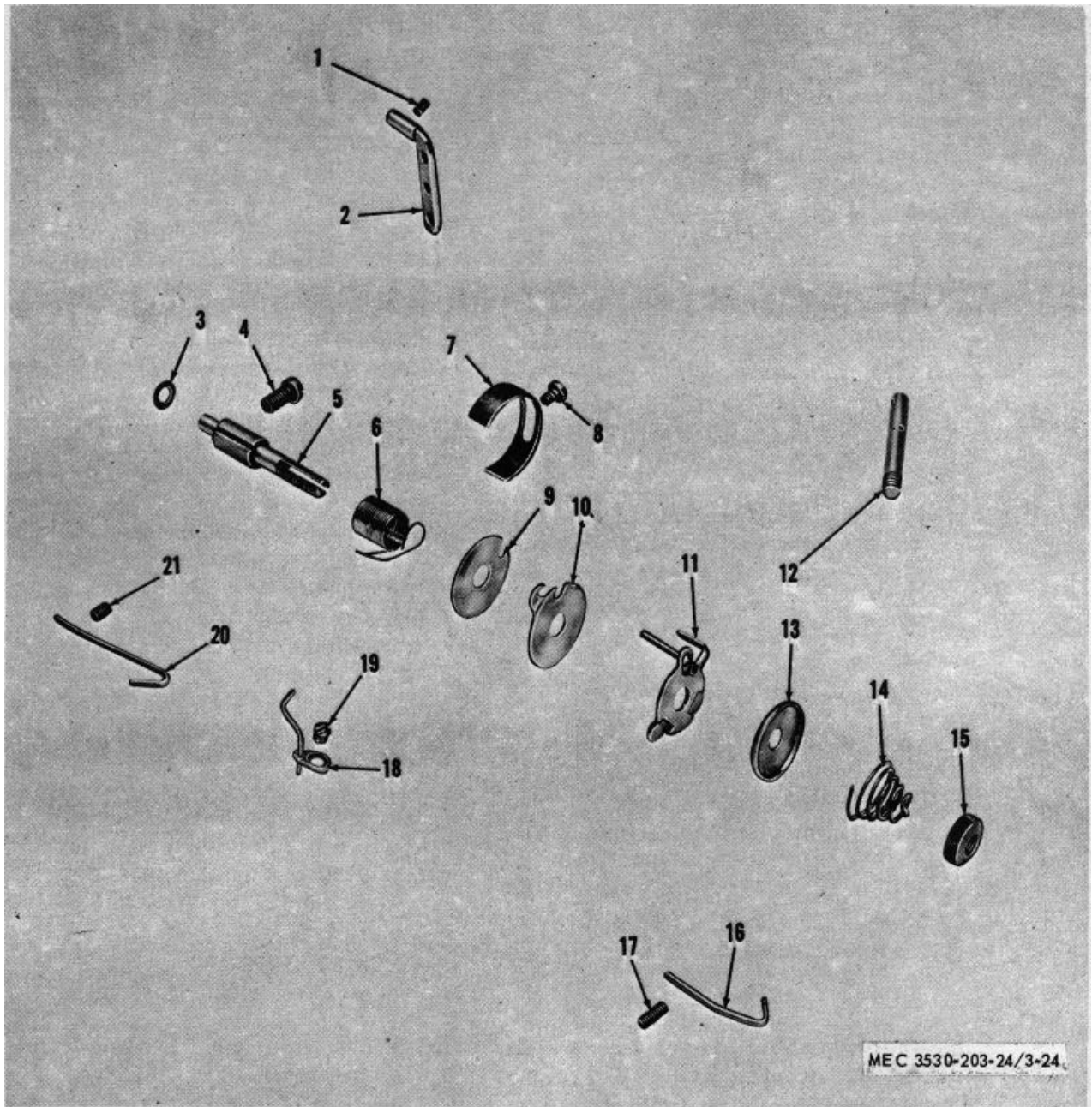
a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the setscrews (17 and 21, fig. 3-24) and the screw (19) that hold the thread guides (16, 18, 20) to the machine arm, and remove the guides from the machine arm.

- (2) Unscrew the guide (12) from the machine arm.

b. Inspection. Inspect each guide for sharp projections, cuts, nicks, and rough places.

c. Installation. Replace defective guides with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 | Setscrew, third retainer | 8 | Screw | 16 | Guide, needle bar thread |
| 2 | Retainer, thread | 9 | Disk, thread tension rear | 17 | Setscrew, needle bar thread guide |
| 3 | Washer, thread tension stud | 10 | Disk, thread tension front | 18 | Guide, lower thread |
| 4 | Setscrew, thread tension stud | 11 | Washer, thread tension release plunger | 19 | Screw, thread tension lower thread guide |
| 5 | Stud, thread tension | 12 | Guide, two-hole thread | 20 | Guide, upper thread |
| 6 | Spring, thread control | 13 | Washer, thread tension spring | 21 | Setscrew, thread tension upper thread guide |
| 7 | Stop, thread control spring | 14 | Spring, thread tension | | |
| | | 15 | Nut, thread tension thumb | | |

Figure 3-24. Darning machine feed mechanism.

3-61. Thread Retainer and Setscrew

a. Removal. Remove the setscrew (1, fig. 3-25) that secures the thread retainer (2) to the machine arm, and remove the retainer from the machine arm.

b. Installation. Replace defective retainer and setscrew with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-62. Thread Tension Thumb Nut, Springs, Washers, and Stop

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the tension thumb nut (15, fig. 3-24) from the thread tension stud (5) by turning it counterclockwise.
- (2) Remove the thread tension spring (14), the washers (11 and 13) and the disks (9 and 10) from the tension stud (5).
- (3) Remove the thread control spring (6) from the tension stud.
- (4) Remove the thread tension stud setscrew (4) and the washer (3) from the stud, and take the stud from the machine.
- (5) Remove the screw (8) that holds the stop to the machine arm, and remove the stop (7) from the machine arm.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment.

- (1) Adjust the tension on the thread while the takeup lever is moving up with the thread control spring (6) as follows: loosen the tension stud setscrew (4), insert a screwdriver in the slot in front of the tension stud (5), and turn it to the right or left as necessary to make the spring act upon the thread.
- (2) Adjust the thread control spring stop (7), until it will pull any slack from the thread while the needle is descending as follows: loosen the screw (8) and rotate the stop so the spring can act upon the thread until the needle strikes the material (or cloth).

3-63. Shuttle Bobbin, Case, Plunger, Spring, Gib, and End Cover

a. Removal.

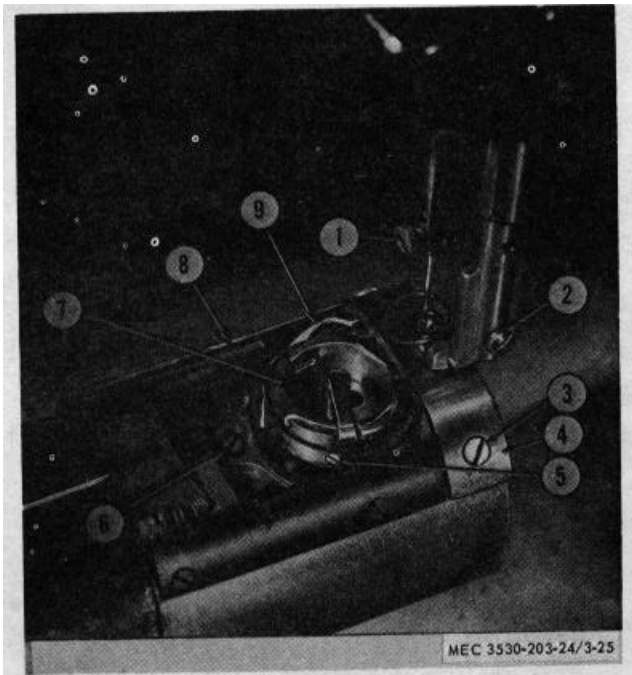
- (1) Remove the setscrew (1, fig. 3-25) that holds the needle in the needle bar, and take the needle from the needle bar.
- (2) Remove the screw (2) that holds the presser foot to the presser bar, and remove the presser foot from the presser bar.
- (3) Remove the throat plate screws (3), the throat plate (4), and the end cover (29, fig. 3-26).
- (4) Remove the two hook gib screws (5, fig. 3-25) that hold the gib (6) to the hook, and lift the gib from the hook.
- (5) Lift the shuttle bobbin case (14, fig. 3-26) out of the machine, and remove the bobbin (13) from the bobbin case.
- (6) Take off the bobbin case tension flat spring (30) by removing the tension spring screws (31) from the spring.
- (7) Remove the bobbin case latch plunger (32) from the bobbin case.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above. Be sure the triangular projection on the bobbin case fits in its notch or slot on the underside of the throat plate.

c. Adjustment (Timing.)

- (1) Adjust the bobbin case lever as follows:
 - (a) Loosen the bobbin case lever fulcrum screw (7, fig. 3-25).
 - (b) Move the fulcrum (21, fig. 3-26) forward or backward as necessary to allow the needle thread to pass between the throat plate and the projection on the bobbin case. The opening between the lever and the triangular projection on the bobbin case should be just perceptible when the bobbin case lever (9, fig. 3-25) has opened the bobbin case all the way. If the bobbin case lever is set too close to the triangular

projection on the bobbin case, it will pull the bobbin case so far back that the bobbin case bearing and the hook will bind. When the proper adjustment is made, tighten the fulcrum screw (7) securely.



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| 1 Setscrew, needle | 6 Gib |
| 2 Screw, presser foot | 7 Screw, fulcrum |
| 3 Screw, throat plate | 8 Case, bobbin |
| 4 Plate, throat | 9 Lever, bobbin case |
| 5 Screw, hook gib | |

Figure 3-25. Bobbin case installed, rear view.

- (2) Adjust or time the hook with the needle as follows:

- (a) Slip the end cover (29, fig. 3-26) off to the left.
 - (b) Push aside the slide stop (6), and remove the bed slide stop (6), and remove the bed slide and the throat plate (1).
 - (c) Loosen the pinion setscrews (28) so the pinion (27) can be rotated without moving the hook drive shaft (26).
 - (d) See that the needle is set up into the needle bar as far as it will go.
 - (e) Turn the needle bar toward the operator until it reaches its lowest position and rises $\frac{1}{16}$ inch. If the needle bar is marked, it should rise to the point where the lower mark on the needle bar is just visible below the needle bar bushing.
 - (f) Hold the needle in that position, and turn the hook (16) until the point of the hook is crossing the center of the needle $\frac{1}{16}$ inch above the eye.
 - (g) Tighten the setscrews (28) firmly to keep the pinion from slipping around on the hook drive shaft.
- (3) Adjust the hook to or from the needle so that the point of the hook will just pass the needle without touching it, as follows:
- (a) Loosen the saddle screws (24) and tap and hook saddle (22) to the right or left as necessary to bring the hook (16) the proper distance from the needle.
 - (b) Check the timing of the hook with the needle as explained in (2) above.

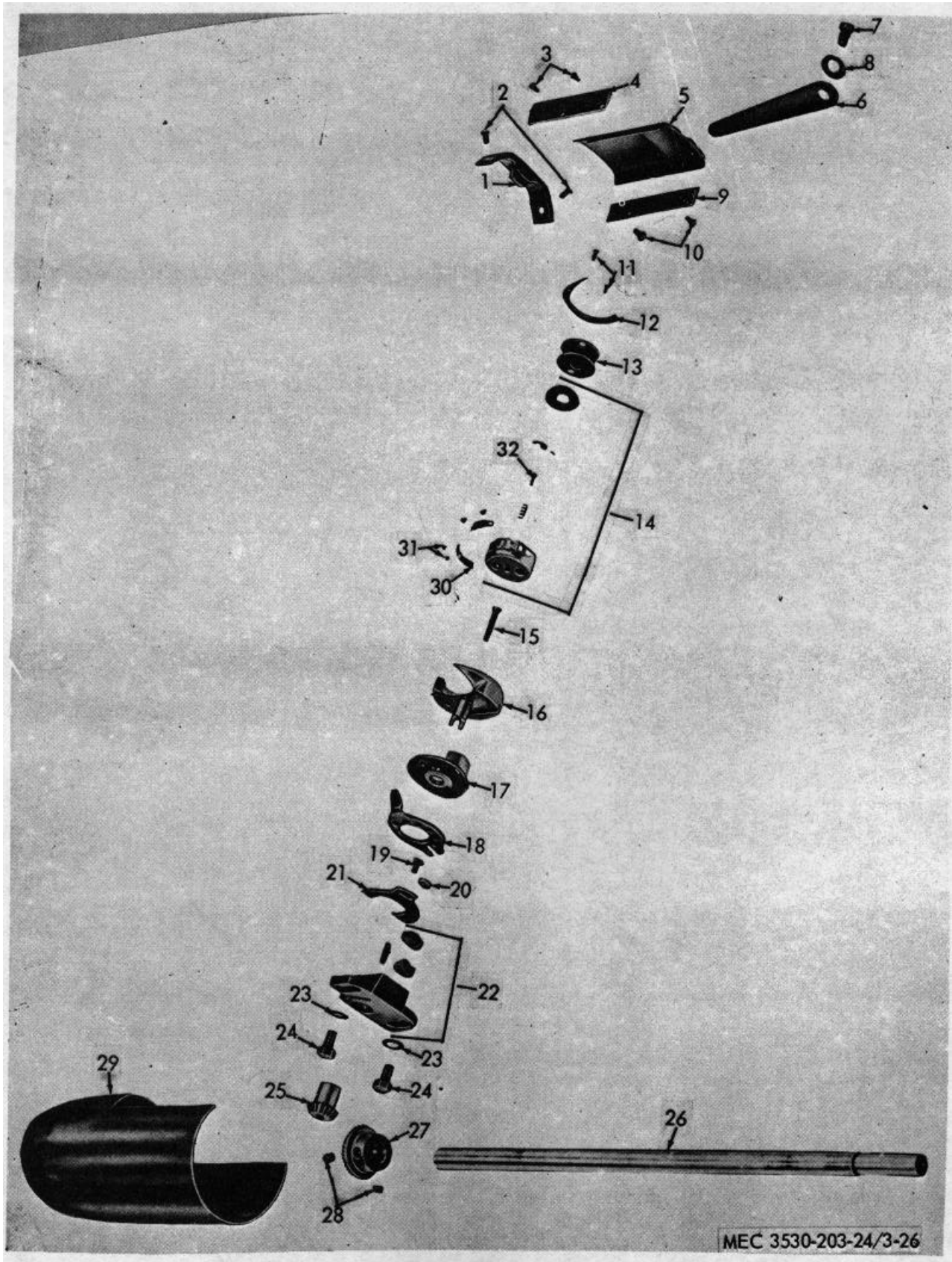


Figure 3-26. Darning machine thread hook, drive shaft, saddle, and bobbin case.

1	Plate, needle throat	10	Screws, front and rear plate	21	Fulcrum, bobbin case
2	Screws, throat plate	11	Screws, gib	22	Saddle with oiling felt and wick, thread hook
3	Screws, front and rear plate	12	Gib, thread hook	23	Washers, saddle screw
4	Plate, front slide clamp	13	Bobbin, shuttle	24	Screws, saddle
5	Slide, cylinder cover	14	Case, shuttle bobbin	25	Gear, thread hook saddle
6	Stop, slide	15	Screw	26	Shaft, thread hook drive
7	Screw, stop hinge	16	Hook, thread	27	Pinion, thread hook drive shaft
8	Washer, stop hinge screw	17	Washer with eccentric and pins, thread hook	28	Setscrews, pinion
9	Plate, rear slide clamp	18	Lever, bobbin case	29	Cover, cylinder end
		19	Screw, fulcrum	30	Spring, flat
		20	Slide, bobbin case lever	31	Screws, tension spring
				32	Plunger, latch

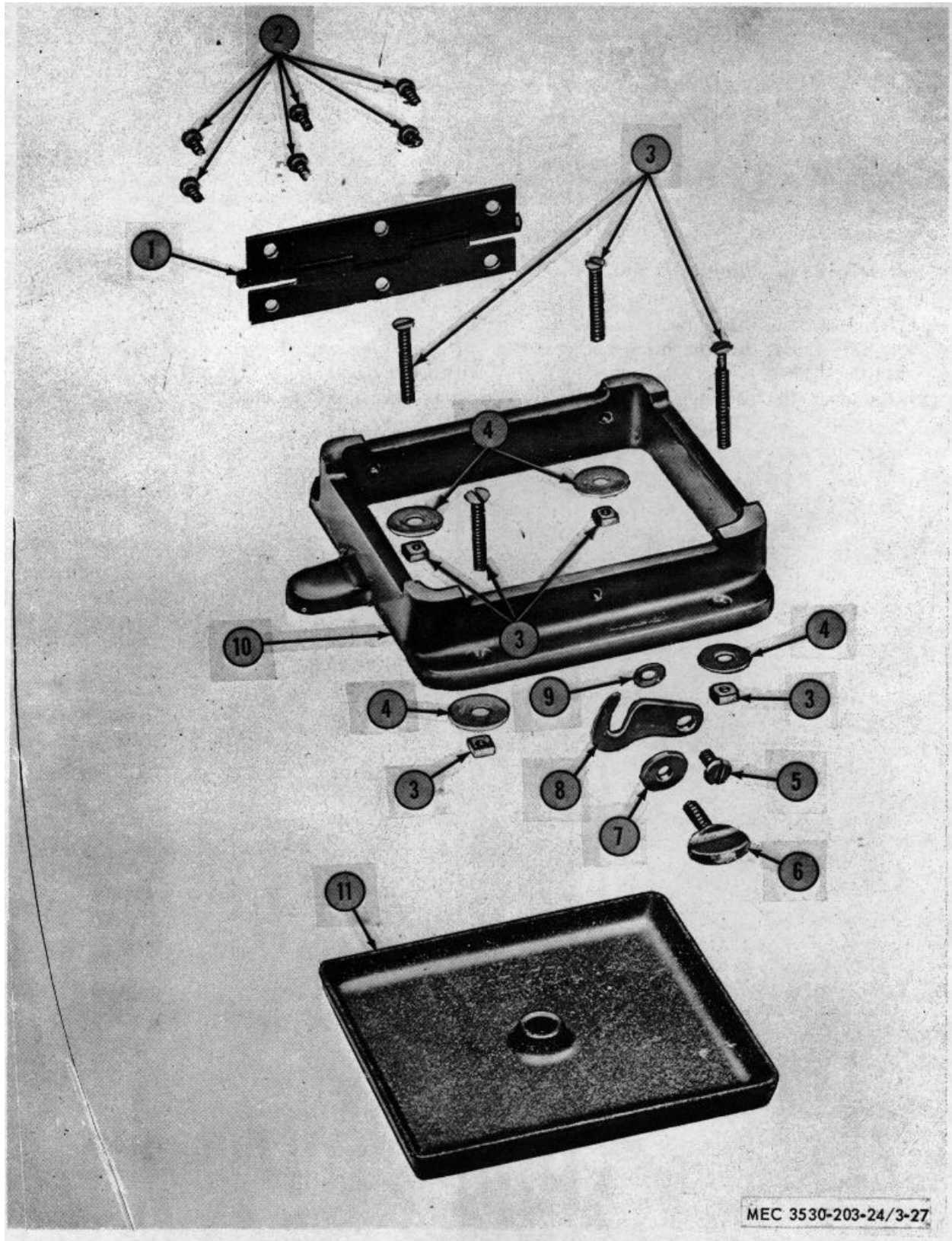
3-64. Bed-To-Base Clamp

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew (6, fig. 3-27) from the machine bed base (10).
- (2) Remove the screw (5) and the washer (9) which hold the clamp (8) to the

machine bed, and remove the clamp from the machine bed.

b. Installation. Replace defective clamp with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.



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Figure 3-27. Darning machine base and drip pan.

1 Hinge, darning machine bed	5 Screw, hinge bed clamp	8 Clamp, bed to base
2 Screws, bed hinge	6 Thumbscrews, bed clamp	9 Washer
3 Screws with nuts	7 Washer, bed clamp thumbscrew	10 Base, bed
4 Washers		11 Pan, drip

3-65. Clamp and Throat Plates, Slide Stop, Cover Slide, and Work Plate Slides

a. Removal.

- (1) Turn the starting switch to OFF position.
- (2) Remove the screws (2, fig. 3-26) that secure the throat plate (1) to the machine bed.
- (3) Lift the throat plate (1) from the machine bed.
- (4) Turn the slide stop (6) and remove the cylinder cover slide (5) from the machine bed.
- (5) Remove the four plate screws (3 and 10) that hold the clamp plates (4 and 9) to the slide (5), and remove the clamp plates from the slide.
- (6) Remove the stop hinge screw (7), the hinge screw washer (8), and the slide stop (6) from the machine bed.
- (7) Remove the front and rear work plate slides from the work plate.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-66. Cylinder End Cover

a. Removal. Slide the end cover (29, fig. 3-26) from the machine bed.

b. Installation. Replace defective end cover with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-67. Needle Bar and Thread Guides

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle setscrew (31, fig. 3-28) that holds the needle (34) to the needle bar (30), and remove the needle from the bar.
- (2) Remove the screw (32) that secures the needle bar thread guide (33) to the needle bar, and remove the thread guide and bushing (28) from the needle bar.
- (3) Pull the needle bar bushing thread guide (29) from the bushing.
- (4) Remove the thumbscrew (48) that secures the faceplate (45) to the machine arm, and remove the faceplate from the machine arm.
- (5) Loosen the connecting stud screw (4, fig. 3-29).
- (6) Slide the needle bar (5) out through the bottom of the face of the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the needle bar by raising or lowering it as follows:

- (1) Loosen the screw (4).
- (2) Move the needle bar up or down as necessary to bring the eye of the needle 1/16 inch below the point of the hook after the needle has been raised 3/32 inch from its lowest point.
- (3) A factory-installed needle bar has two lines 3/32 inch apart about .2 inches from the bottom of the needle bar. To adjust the needle bar, proceed as in (1) and (2) above except that when the needle bar is at its lowest point, the upper mark should be just visible at the bottom of the needle bar bushing.

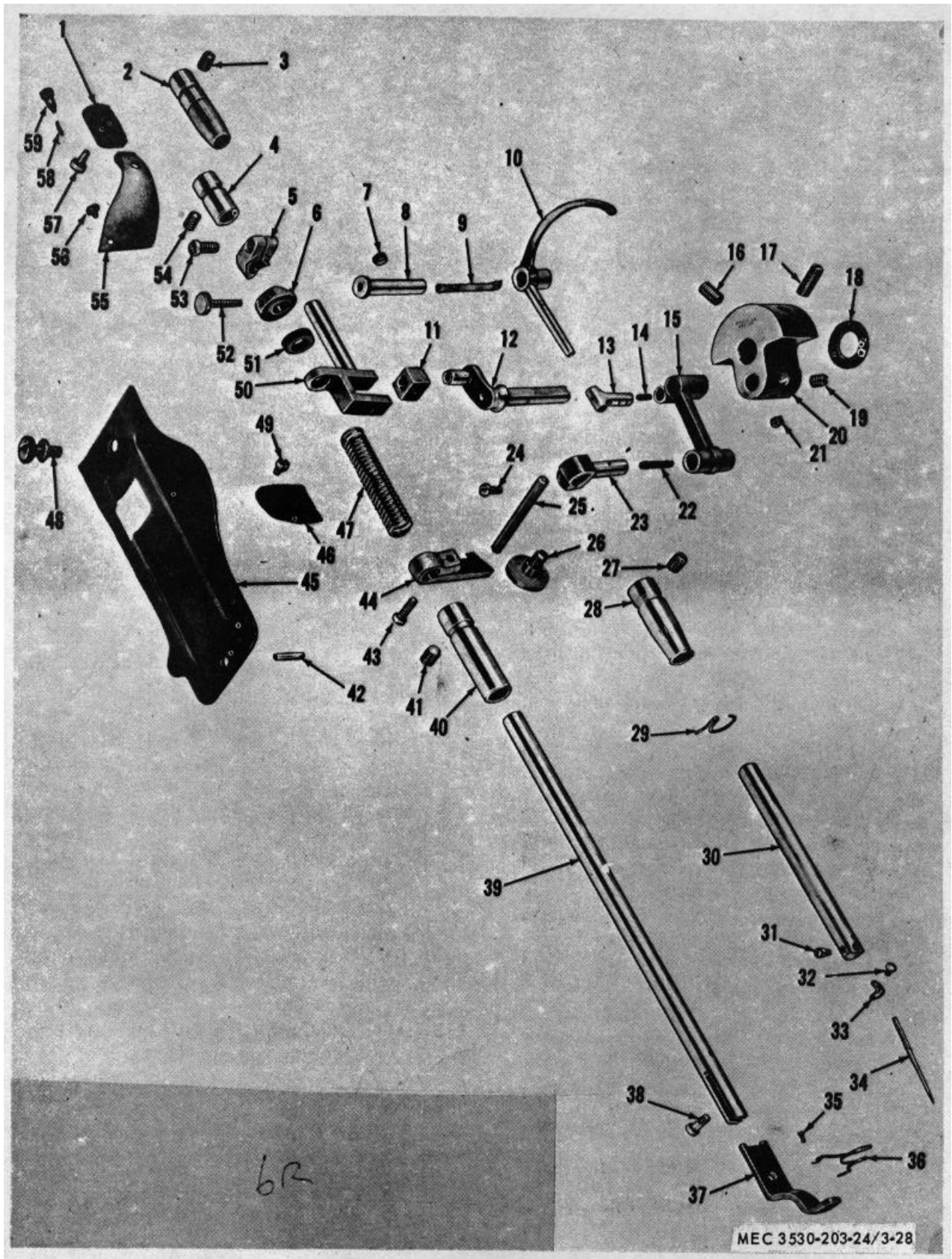
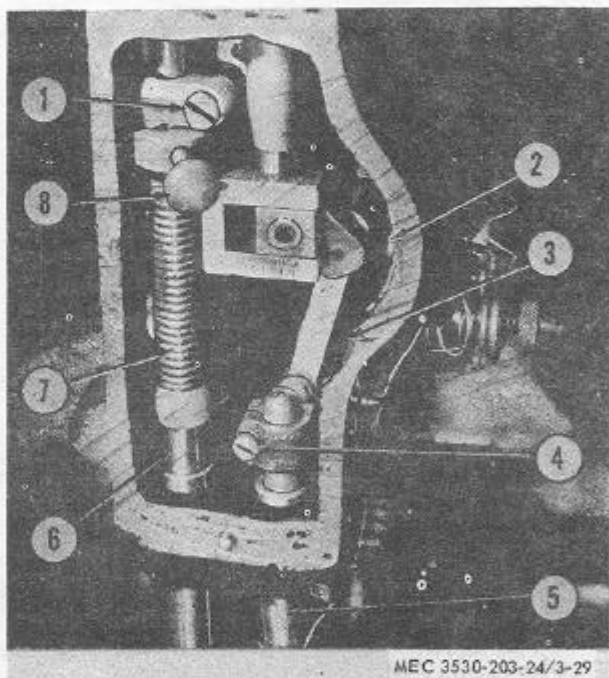


Figure 3-28. Darning machine presser bar and needle bar, disassembled.

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| 1 Felt, oil guard | 17 Screw, crank positioning | 37 Foot, presser |
| 2 Bushing, pressed bar lifting fork | 18 Washer, needle bar crank friction | 38 Screw, presser foot |
| 3 Setscrew, bushing | 19 Screw, crank positioning | 39 Bar, presser |
| 4 Bushing, upper | 20 Crank, needle bar | 40 Bushing, lower |
| 5 Collar, presser bar | 21 Setscrew, crank | 41 Setscrew, bushing |
| 6 Collar, presser bar adjusting | 22 Wick, needle bar connecting stud | 42 Pin, positioning |
| 7 Setscrew, lever hinge stud | 23 Stud, needle bar connecting | 43 Screw, lifting bracket |
| 8 Stud, lever hinge | 24 Screw, connecting stud | 44 Bracket, presser bar lifting |
| 9 Wick, lever hinge stud oil | 25 Plunger, thread tension release | 45 Faceplate |
| 10 Lever, thread takeup | 26 Screw, bracket guide | 46 Felt, oil guard |
| 11 Block, presser bar lifting fork slide | 27 Setscrew, bushing | 47 Spring, presser bar |
| 12 Crank, lifting presser bar | 28 Bushing, needle bar | 48 Thumbscrew, faceplate |
| 13 Stud, thread takeup lever drive | 29 Guide, needle bar bushing thread | 49 Screw |
| 14 Wick, thread takeup lever drive stud | 30 Bar, needle | 50 Fork, presser bar lifting |
| 15 Link, needle bar connecting | 31 Setscrew, needle | 51 Washer, head presser bar |
| 16 Setscrew, crank | 32 Screw, thread guide | 52 Thumbscrew, adjusting collar |
| | 33 Guide, needle bar thread | 53 Screw, collar |
| | 34 Needle | 54 Setscrew, bushing |
| | 35 Screw, presser foot | 55 Guard, thread takeup lever oil |
| | 36 Guard, presser foot | 56 Screw, oil guard |
| | | 57 Screw |
| | | 58 Rivet, takeup lever guard |
| | | 59 Oiler, thread takeup lever |



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| 1 Screw, collar | 5 Bar, needle |
| 2 Screw, oil guard | 6 Bar, presser |
| 3 Guard with felt and rivet, thread takeup lever oil | 7 Spring, presser bar |
| 4 Screw, connecting stud | 8 Thumbscrew, presser bar adjusting collar |

Figure 3-29. Darning machine face, inside view.

3-68. Thread Takeup Lever Oil Guard With Felt and Rivet

a. Removal. Remove the screw (2, fig. 3-29) that secures the oil guard to the face-

plate, and remove the oil guard with felt and rivet (3) from the faceplate.

b. Installation. Replace defective guard with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-69. Faceplate

The faceplate is used to cover the face of the machine to protect the parts underneath it from dust and dirt.

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumbscrews (48, fig. 3-28) that hold the faceplate (45) to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (2) Remove the screw (2, fig. 3-29) that secures the oil guard to the faceplate, and remove the oil guard with felt and rivet (3) from the faceplate.

b. Installation. Replace defective faceplate with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-70. Presser Bar, Presser Foot, Spring, and Thumbscrew

a. Removal.

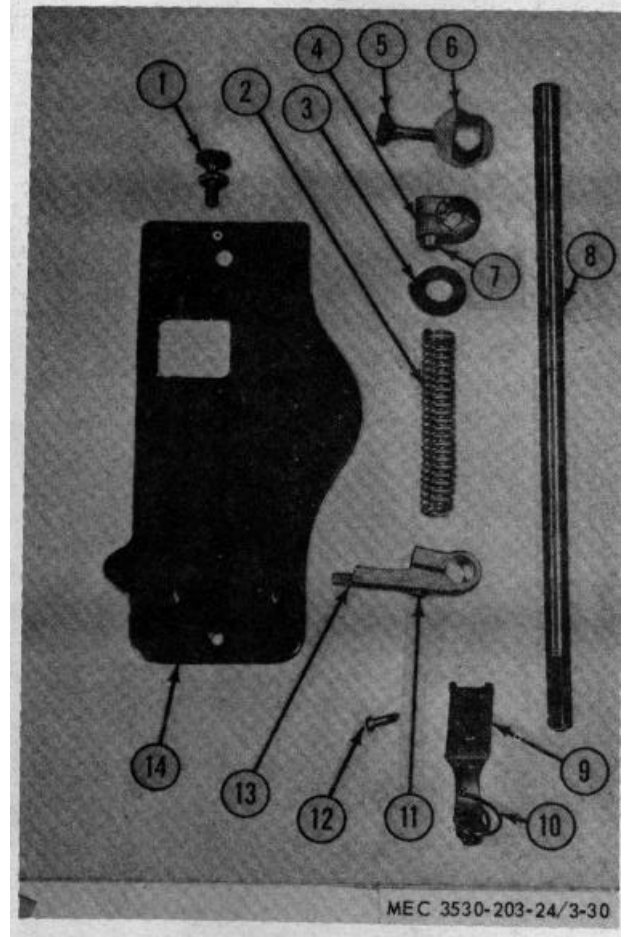
- (1) Remove the needle setscrew (31, fig. 3-28) that holds the needle to the needle bar (30), and remove the needle from the needle bar.
- (2) Remove the screw that secures the presser foot guard (10, fig. 3-30) to the presser foot (9), and remove the guard from the presser foot.

- (3) Remove the screw (11) that secures the presser, foot to the presser bar (7), and remove the presser foot from the bar and from the machine.
- (4) Remove the faceplate (14) by removing the faceplate thumbscrew (1) that secures the faceplate to the machine.
- (5) Remove the setscrew (1, fig. 3-31) that secures the presser bar lifting bracket (3) to the presser bar.
- (6) Remove the adjusting collar thumbscrew (5, fig. 3-30) from the adjusting collar (6).
- (7) Remove the collar screw (8) that secures the collar (4) to the presser bar.
- (8) Slide the presser bar out through the top of the machine and remove the presser bar washer (3) and the presser bar spring (2) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment.

- (1) Turn the balance wheel over toward the operator until the takeup lever falls to its lowest position.
- (2) Set the presser foot upon the throat plate.
- (3) Drop the presser bar lifting bracket (13, fig. 3-30) down to about 1/4 inch above the presser bar bushing.
- (4) Tighten the lifting bracket screw (11).
- (5) Turn the presser bar adjusting collar (6) and the thumbscrew (5) until the thumbscrew points straight out to the left of the machine.
- (6) Drop the presser bar collar (4) upon the presser bar adjusting collar (6) and press it down to put tension on the spring (2), and tighten the collar screw (8) securely.



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| 1 Thumbscrew, faceplate | 9 Foot presser |
| 2 Spring, presser bar | 10 Guard, presser foot |
| 3 Washer, presser bar | 11 Screw, presser bar lifting bracket |
| 4 Collar, presser bar | 12 Screw, lifting bracket collar |
| 5 Thumbscrew, adjusting collar | 13 Bracket with screw presser bar lifting |
| 6 Collar, adjusting | 14 Faceplate |
| 7 Bar, presser | |
| 8 Screw collar | |

Figure -30. Darning machine presser bar and related parts.

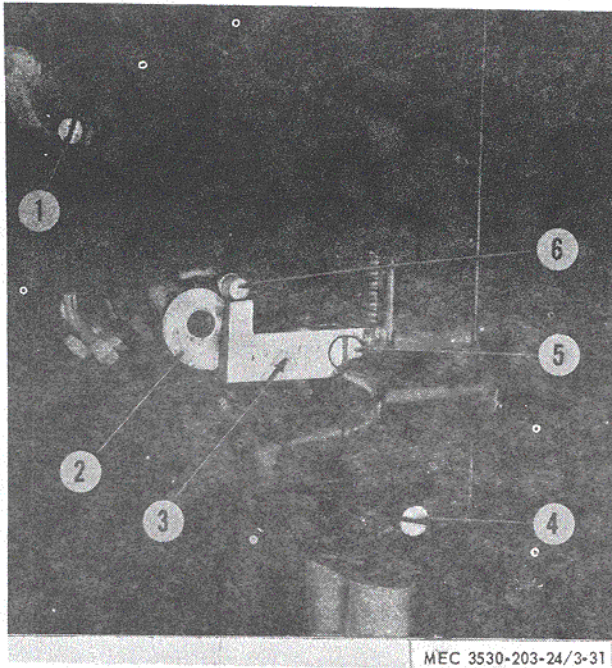


Figure 3-31. Darning machine face, rear view.

- 1 Setscrew, presser bar bushing
- 2 Guide, screw
- 3 Bracket, presser bar lifting
- 4 Setscrew, presser bar
- 5 Screw, lifting bracket
- 6 Plunger

Section IX. HEAVY-DUTY SEWING MACHINE

3-71. General

This section covers the organizational maintenance instructions for the heavy-duty sewing machine, including its bobbin winder and thread unwinder. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-72. Drive Pulley With Balance Wheel

a. Removal.

- (1) Slide V-belt from the balance wheel and from the clutch pulley, and remove V-belt from machine.
- (2) Remove setscrews that attach the pulley with balance wheel to the arm

shaft, and remove the pulley with balance wheel from the machine.

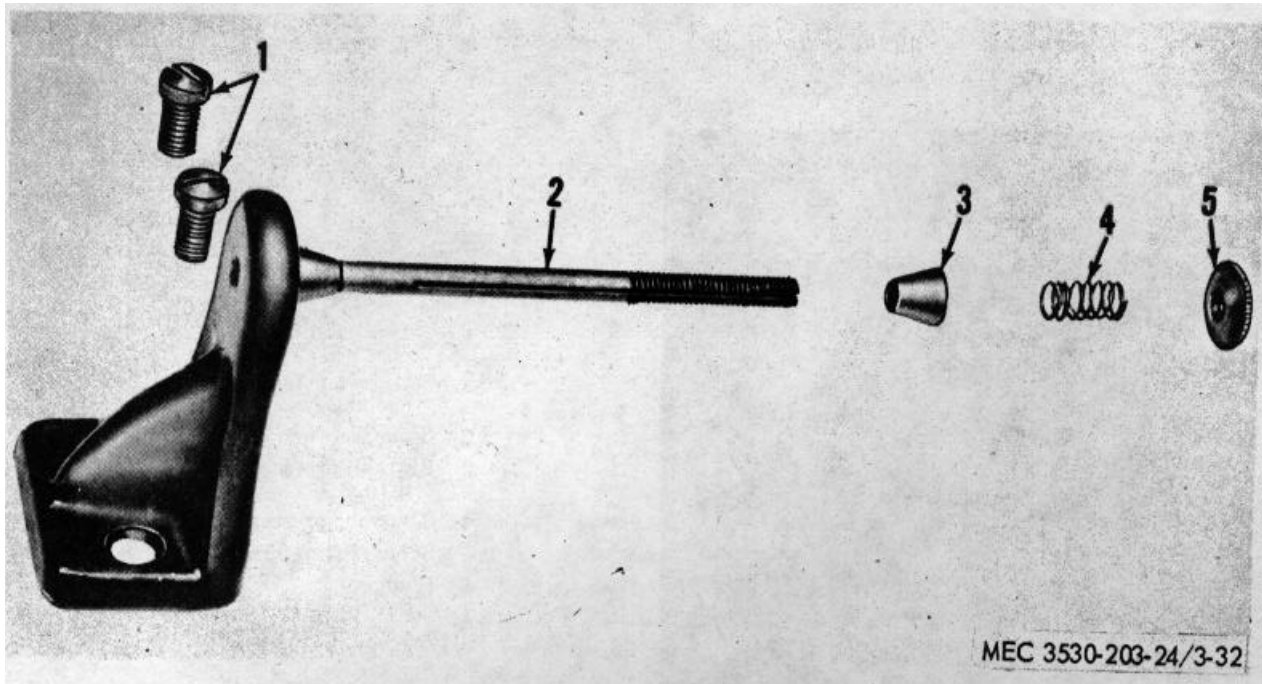
b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.

3-73. Spool Holder Bracket Assembly

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove nut (5, fig. 3-32) from bracket assembly (2), and remove spring (4) and cone (3).
- (2) Remove screws (1) that attach bracket assembly to machine arm, and remove bracket assembly.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.



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| 1 | Screws, spool holder bracket | 3 | Cone, spool holder tension spool pin | 5 | Nut, spool holder tension spool pin |
| 2 | Bracket assembly, spool holder | 4 | Spring, spool holder tension spool pin | | |

Figure 3-32. Spool holder bracket assembly, disassembled.

3-74. Oilcup Assembly

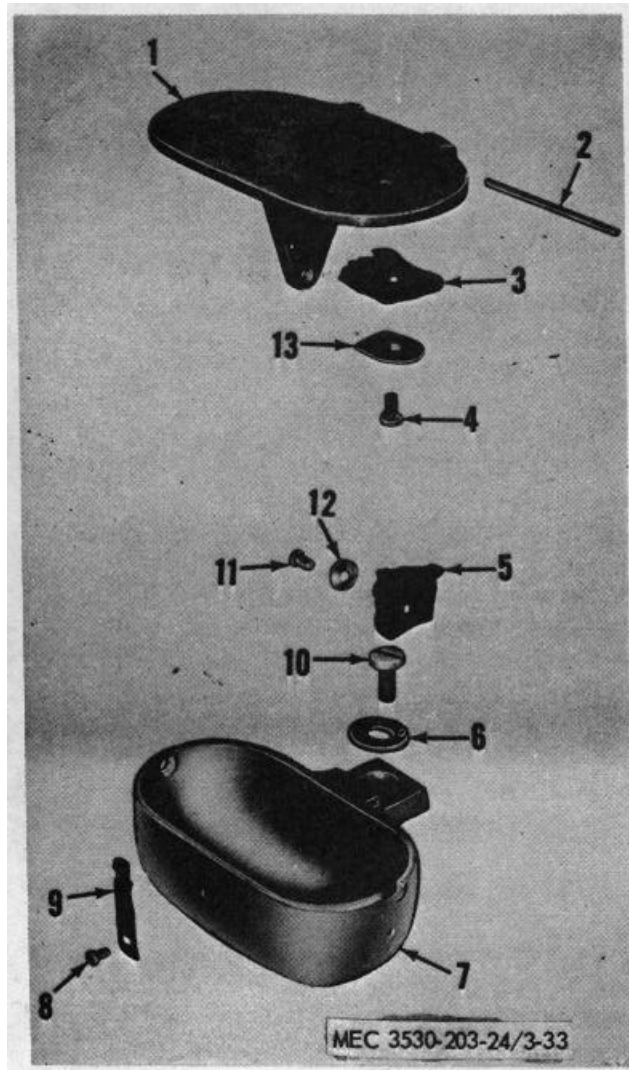
a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Remove screw (10, fig. 3-33) and washer (6) that attach oilcup to machine arm, and remove oilcup. Remove oil from oilcup.
- (2) Drive out pin (2) that attaches cover (1) to oilcup (7), and remove cover.
- (3) Remove screw (4) that attaches washer (13) and felt (3) to cover, and remove washer and felt.

- (4) Remove screw (11) that attaches washer (12) and felt (5) to oilcup, and remove washer and felt.

- (5) Remove screw (8) that attaches spring (9) to oilcup, and remove spring.

b. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.



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| 1 Cover, oilcup | 5 Felt, oilcup | 8 Screw, cover latch spring | 11 Screw, felt |
| 2 Pin, cover hinge | 6 Washer, screw | 9 Spring, cover latch | 12 Washer, felt |
| 3 Felt, oilcup | 7 Oilcup | 10 Screw, oilcup | 13 Washer, felt |
| 4 Screw, felt | | | |

Figure 8-33. Oilcup, disassembled.

3-75. Shuttle Race Assembly and Cylinder

a. Removal.

- (1) Slide V-belt off balance wheel.
- (2) Lift machine head off table and lay it front up.
- (3) Remove screw (5, fig. 3-34), that attaches spring (4) to race assembly (2), and remove spring.
- (4) Remove screws (1) that attach shuttle race assembly (2) to shuttle race frame, and remove race assembly, shuttle

cylinder (7) and race back (3) from machine.

- (5) Remove bobbin (6) from shuttle cylinder (7).

b. Installation.

- (1) Replace defective parts with serviceable parts.
- (2) Turn shuttle driver (4, fig. 3-35) to the same position as illustrated in figure 3-35.
- (3) Reverse procedure in a above.

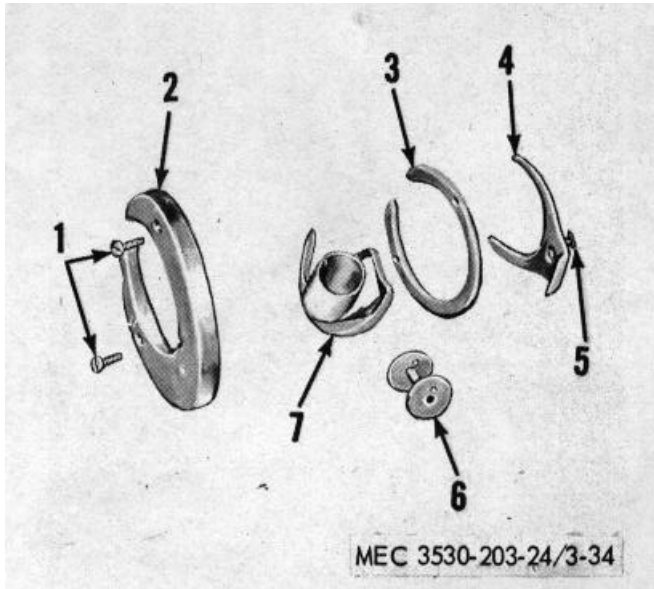
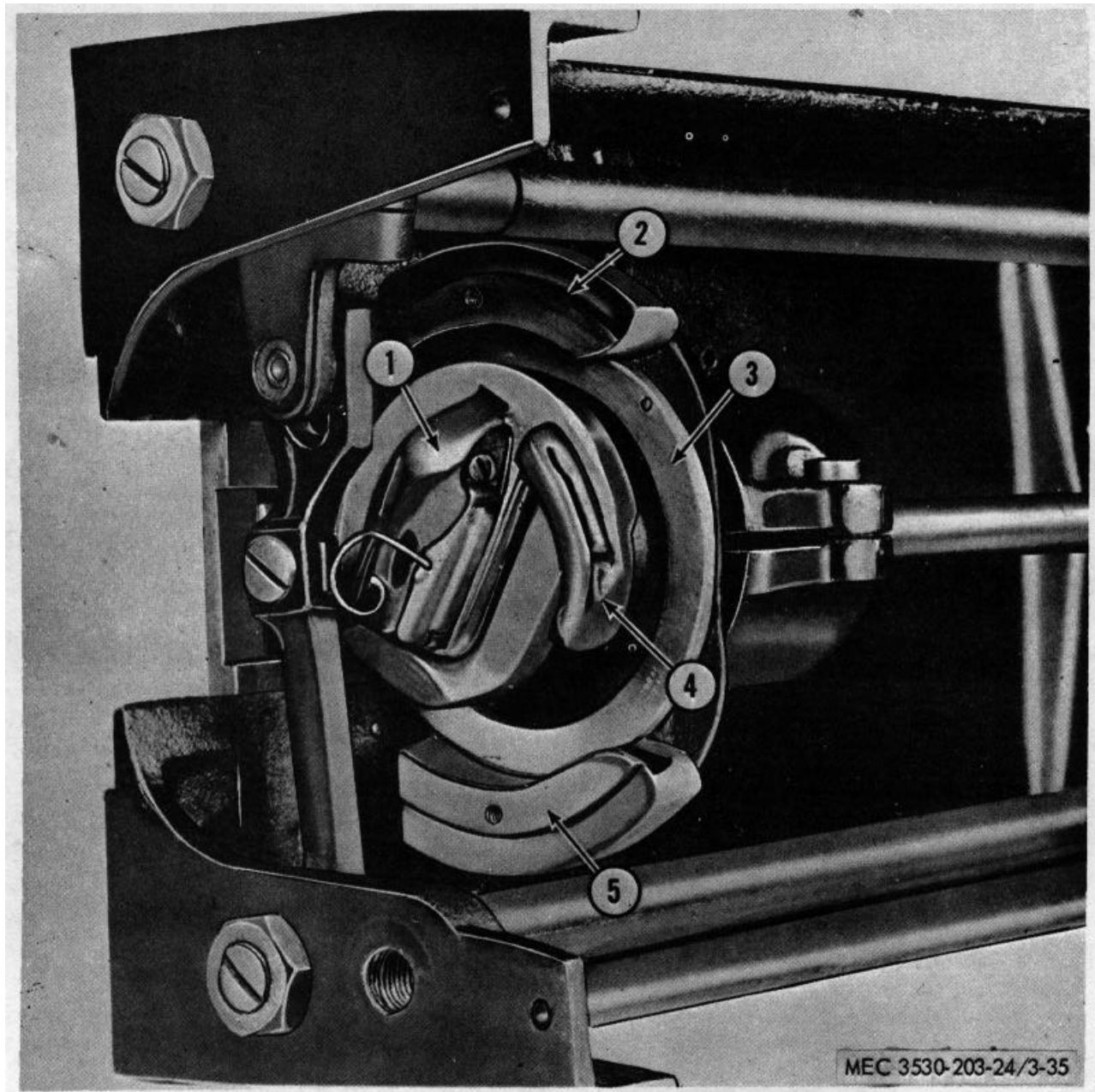


Figure 3-34. Shuttle race and cylinder, disassembled.

- 1 Screws, shuttle race
- 2 Race assembly, shuttle
- 3 Back, shuttle race
- 4 Spring, shuttle race back
- 5 Screw, shuttle race back screw
- 6 Bobbin
- 7 Cylinder, shuttle



1 Cylinder assembly,
shuttle

2 Frame, shuttle race
3 Back, shuttle race

4 Drive, shuttle
5 Race assembly, shuttle

Figure 3-35. Shuttle cylinder, installed.

3-76. Cloth Plate, Throat Plate Body and Strip, and Feed Dog

a. Removal.

(1) Remove screws (4, fig. 3-36) that attach cloth plate (5) to machine bed, and remove cloth plate.

(2) Remove screws (7) that attach body (3) to machine bed, and remove body with strip (2).

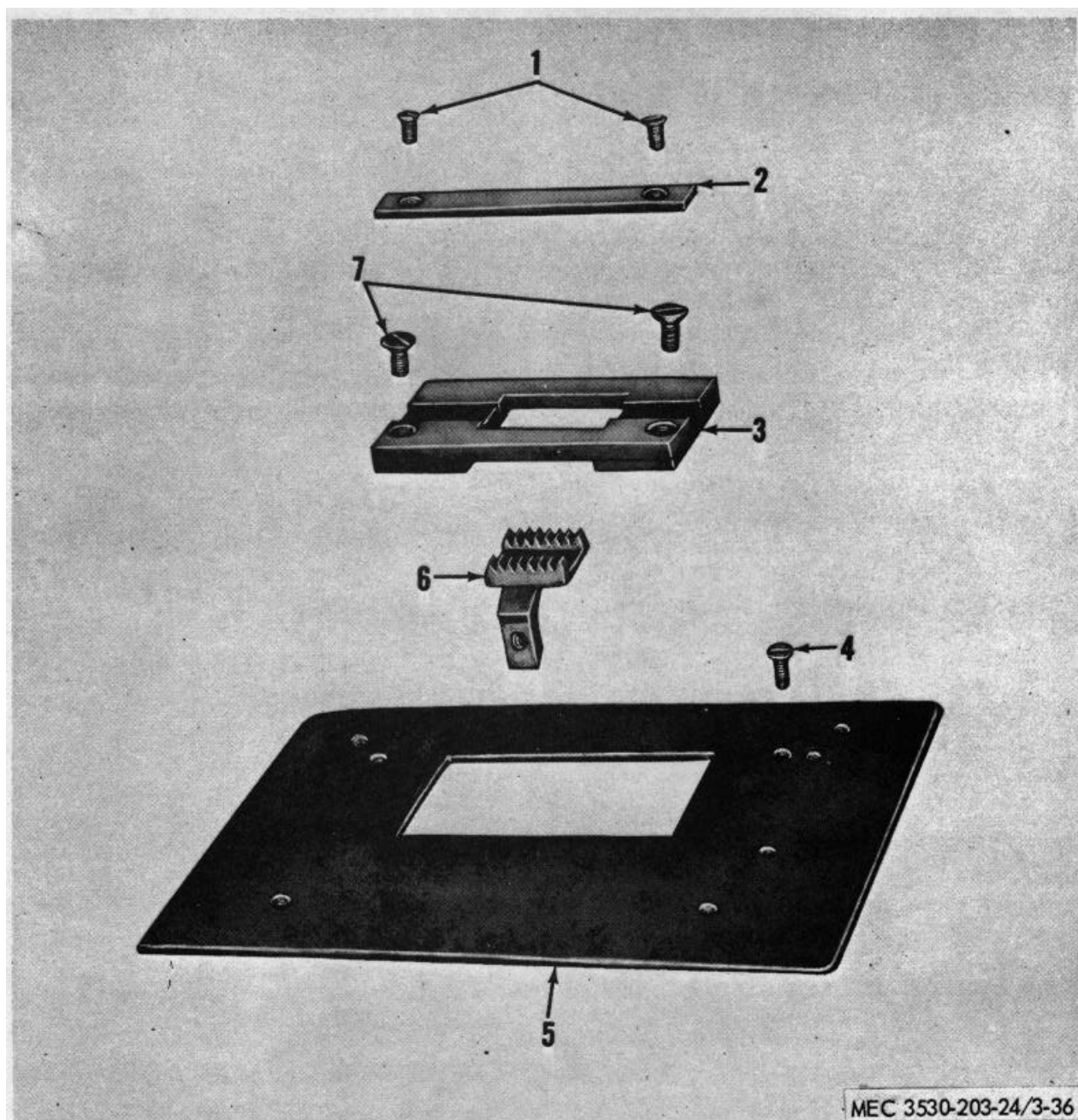
(3) Remove screws (1) that attach strip to body, and remove strip.

(4) Remove screw that attaches feed dog (6) to feed bar, and remove feed dog.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust feed dog as follows:

- (1) Raise needle bar to its highest position.
- (2) Adjust feed dog so that full length of feed dog teeth are above the throat plate body.



1 Screws, needle hole strip, throat plate

2 Strip, needle hole, throat plate

3 Body, throat plate

5 Plate, cloth

4 Screw, cloth plate

6 Dog, double feed

7 Screws, throat plate

Figure 5-36. Cloth plate, feed dog, and related parts.

3-77. Needle Bar, Clamp, and Link

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove thumbscrew (7, fig. 3-37) that attaches needle (8) to clamp (6), and remove needle and clamp.
- (2) Remove setscrews that attach stud (4) to needle bar (5), and slide needle bar out top of machine head.
- (3) Remove stud from link (3).
- (4) Remove upper and lower needle bar screw bushings from machine face.
- (5) Remove nut (2) and screw (1) that attach link to thread takeup cam, and remove link.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment.

 Adjust the needle bar as follows:

- (1) Remove throat plate body (para. 3-76) from machine.
- (2) Turn balance wheel until the point of sewing hook is in line with the needle.
- (3) Loosen setscrews in needle bar connecting stud.
- (4) Adjust needle bar so that needle eye is 'A2 inch below the point of the hook.

- 1 Screw, needle bar connecting link hinge
- 2 Nut, needle bar connecting link hinge screw
- 3 Link, needle bar connecting
- 4 Stud, connecting, needle bar
- 5 Bar, needle
- 6 Clamp, needle
- 7 Thumbscrew, needle clamp
- 8 Needle

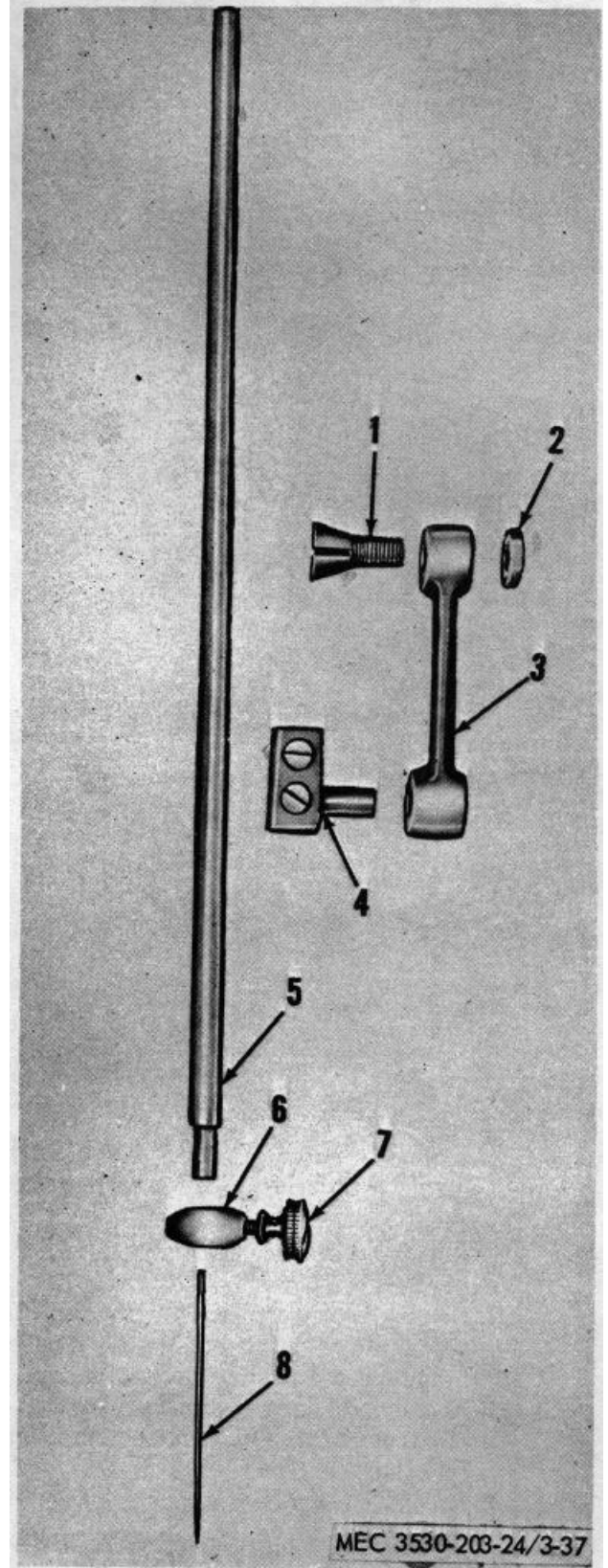


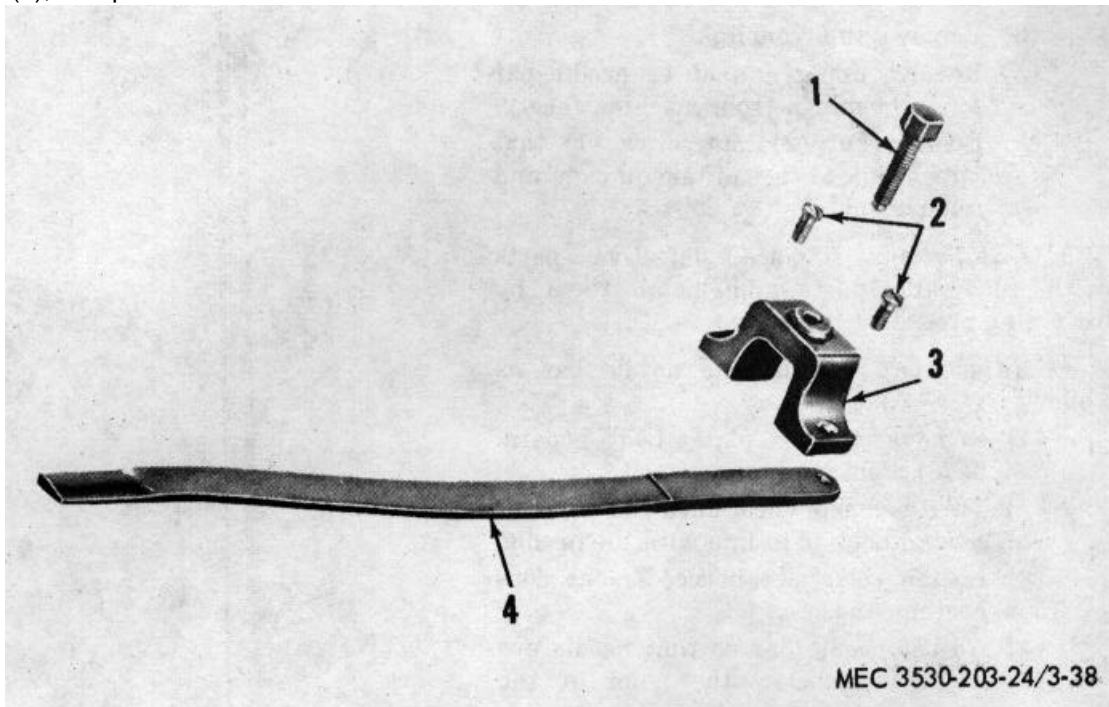
Figure 3-37. Needle bar, disassembled.

3-78. Lifting Presser Bar Spring and Bracket

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove thumbscrew (1, fig. 3-38) from bracket (3).
- (2) Remove screws (2) that attach bracket to machine arm, and remove bracket, spring (4), and pin.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedures in a above.



1 Thumbscrew, lifting presser bar spring regulating

2 Screws, lifting presser bar spring bracket

3 Bracket, lifting presser bar spring

4 Spring, lifting presser bar flat

Figure 3-38. Lifting presser bar spring, disassembled.

3-79. Lifting Presser Bar Rockshaft, Crank, Adjusting Arm, and Bracket

a. Removal.

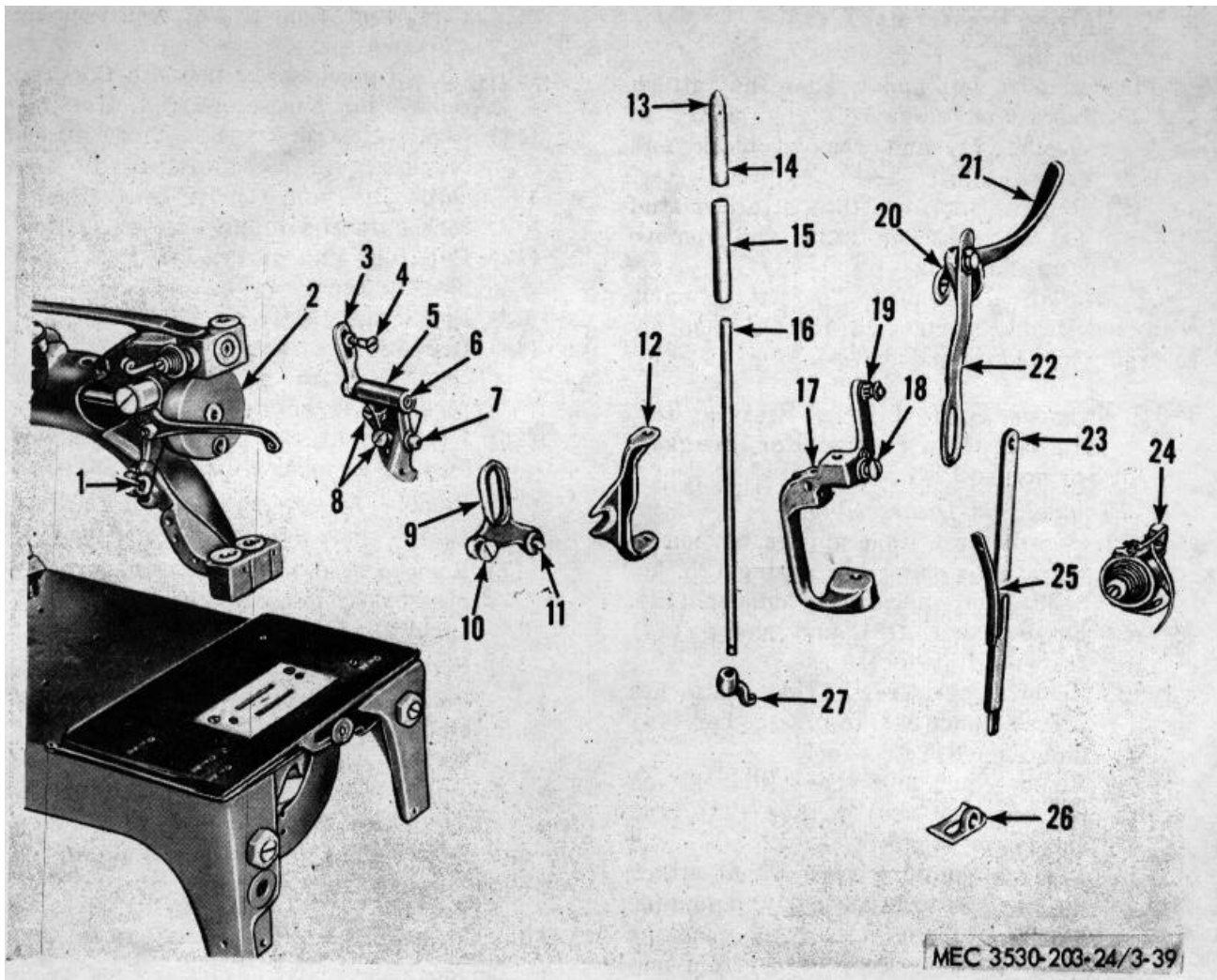
- (1) Remove nut and washer on adjusting screw (part of 4, fig. 3-39).
- (2) Remove screw on lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap, and remove hinge screw and slide block.
- (3) Remove setscrew on arm (3), drive pin from arm, and remove arm from rockshaft.

(4) Remove setscrew on crank (6), drive pin from crank, and remove crank from rockshaft.

(5) Remove rockshaft from bracket (part of 5).

(6) Remove screws that attach bracket to machine arm, and remove bracket. Remove dowel pin from bracket.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in a above.



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| 1 Strap, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric | 9 Crank, lifting presser bar | 18 Capscrew, presser bar lifting link |
| 2 Cam, thread takeup | 10 Block and screw, lifting presser bar bellcrank slide | 19 Capscrew, vibrating presser bar hinge |
| 3 Arm, lifting presser bar rockshaft adjusting | 11 Stud, lifting presser bar bellcrank hinge | 20 Washer, lifting presser bar lifter friction |
| 4 Screw and slide, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap adjusting | 12 Bracket, lifting presser bar | 21 Lifter, presser bar |
| 5 Bracket with rockshaft, lifting presser bar rockshaft | 13 Cap, upper lifting presser bar sleeve | 22 Link, presser bar lifting |
| 6 Crank, lifting presser bar rockshaft | 14 Sleeve, upper lifting presser bar | 23 Bar, vibrating presser |
| 7 Screws, lifting presser bar rockshaft bracket | 15 Sleeve, lower lifting presser bar | 24 Tension assembly, thread |
| 8 Screws, lifting presser bar rockshaft bracket | 16 Bar, lifting presser | 25 Spring, vibrating presser bar |
| | 17 Bracket, vibrating presser bar hinge | 26 Foot, double feed vibrating presser |
| | | 27 Foot, double feed lifting presser |

Figure 3-39. Lifting presser bar and vibrating presser bar, disassembled.

3-80. Lifting Presser Bar Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove nut and washer that attach block and screw (10, fig. 3-39) to crank (9), and remove block and screw.
- (2) Remove setscrew that attaches stud (11) to bracket (12), and remove stud and crank.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

3-81. Presser Foot, Lifting Presser Bar, and Vibrating

Presser Bar, Bracket, Spring, and Staple

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Loosen screw that applies tension to vibrating presser bar spring (25, fig. 3-39), and slide spring off cap (13).
- (2) Remove cap (13) and sleeve (14) from machine face.
- (3) Remove setscrew that attaches presser foot (27), to presser bar (16) and remove presser foot.
- (4) Remove nut and screw that attach presser foot (26) to bar (23), and remove presser foot.
- (5) Remove clamping screws that attach presser bar to bracket (12) and slide bar out of the top of the machine head. Remove sleeve (15) from machine face.
- (6) Remove capscrew (18) that attaches link (22) to bracket (17).
- (7) Drive out pin that attaches link to lifter (21), and remove link and washer.
- (8) Remove screws that attach tension assembly (24) to machine face, and remove tension assembly.
- (9) Remove capscrew (19) that attaches vibrating presser bar (23) to bracket (17) and remove bar with spring (25).

- (10) Loosen pinch screw in strap (1), and remove nut and screw from arm (3).
- (11) Remove screws (8) that attach bracket with rockshaft (5) to machine face, and remove bracket with rockshaft and hinge bracket (17).
- (12) Pull fork end of bracket (12) from block and screw (10).
- (13) Pull crank (9) from roller with stud.
- (14) Remove pins that hold arm (3) and crank (6) to rockshaft, and push rockshaft from bracket (5).
- (15) Unscrew lifting presser bar screw bushing from machine face.
- (16) Remove screw that attaches spring (25) to bar, and remove spring.
- (17) Remove screws that attach vibrating presser bar to the spring, and remove spring.
- (18) Remove screw that attaches vibrating presser bar spring adjusting staple to bracket (17), and remove staple.

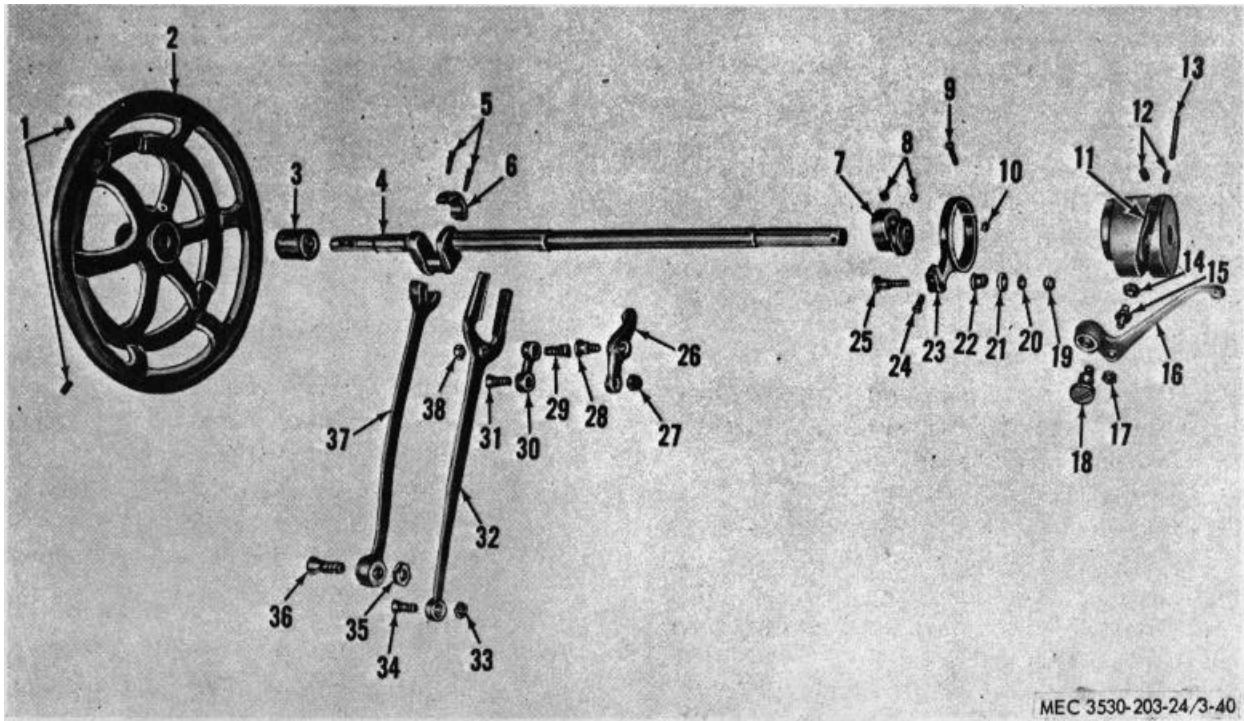
b. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

3-82. Thread Takeup Lever Assembly

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove hinge screw that attaches thread takeup lever assembly (16, fig. 3-40) to machine arm, and remove lever assembly.
- (2) Slide roller (14) off stud (15).
- (3) Remove nut (17) from stud, and remove stud from lever assembly (16).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing in a above.



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| 1 Setscrews, balance wheel | 18 Screw, thread takeup lever hinge | 26 Regulator, feed |
| 2 Wheel, balance | 19 Nut, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap hinge screw | 27 Nut, feed connecting link hinge screw |
| 3 Bushing, arm shaft | 20 Lockwasher, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap hinge screw | 28 Screw, feed regulator hinge |
| 4 Shaft, arm | 21 Washer, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap hinge screw slide | 29 Screw, feed connecting link hinge |
| 5 Screws, crank connecting rod | 22 Slide, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap hinge screw | 30 Link, feed connecting |
| 6 Cap, crank connecting rod | 23 Strap, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric | 31 Screw, feed connecting link hinge |
| 7 Cam, feed | 24 Screw, adjusting, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap hinge | 32 Connection, feed fork |
| 8 Setscrews, feed cam | 25 Screw, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap hinge | 33 Nut, feed fork connection hinge screw |
| 9 Screw, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap adjusting | 26 Regulator, feed | 34 Screw, feed fork connection hinge |
| 10 Nut, lifting presser bar rockshaft eccentric strap adjusting screw | 27 Nut, feed connecting link hinge screw | 35 Nut, crank connecting rod hinge screw |
| 11 Cam thread takeup | 28 Screw, feed regulator hinge | 36 Screw, crank connecting rod hinge |
| 12 Screws, thread takeup cam | 29 Screw, feed connecting link hinge | 37 Rod, crank connecting |
| 13 Pin, thread takeup cam | 30 Link, feed connecting | 38 Nut, feed connecting link hinge screw |
| 14 Roller, thread takeup lever | 31 Screw, feed connecting link hinge | |
| 15 Stud, thread takeup lever roller and screw | 32 Connection, feed fork | |
| 16 Lever assembly, thread takeup | 33 Nut, feed fork connection hinge screw | |
| 17 Nut, thread takeup lever roller and screw stud | 34 Screw, feed fork connection hinge | |
| | 35 Nut, crank connecting rod hinge screw | |
| | 36 Screw, crank connecting rod hinge | |
| | 37 Rod, crank connecting | |
| | 38 Nut, feed connecting link hinge screw | |

Figure 3-40. Arm shaft assembly, disassembled.

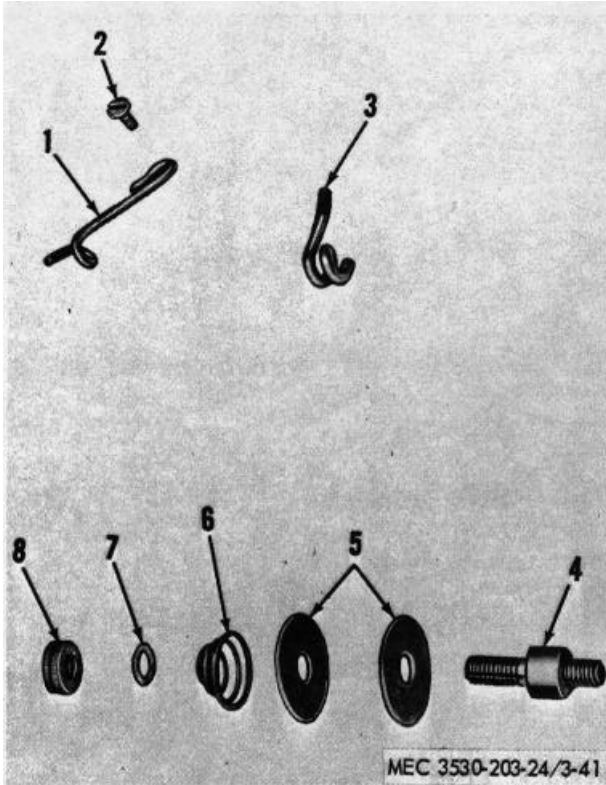
3-83. Thread Retaining Disks, Eyelets, and Stud

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove thumb nut (8, fig. 3-4) from stud (4), and remove washer (7), spring (6), and disks (5) from stud.
- (2) Unscrew stud from machine arm.

- (3) Remove screw (2) that attaches eyelet (1) to machine arm and remove eyelet.
 - (4) Unscrew eyelet (3) from machine arm.
- b. Installation.* Replace defective parts

with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.



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| 1 Eyelet, thread | 5 Disks, thread retaining tension |
| 2 Screw, thread eyelet | 6 Spring, thread retaining |
| 3 Eyelet, thread, for thread retainer | 7 Washer, thread retaining |
| 4 Stud, thread retaining screw | 8 Nut, thread retaining regulating thumb |

Figure 3-41. Thread retaining disks and eyelets, disassembled.

3-84. Thread Tension Spring, Staple, Stud, and Wheel

a. Removal.

- (1) Unscrew thumb nut (1, fig. 3-42) from stud (8), and remove washer (2), spring (3), washers (4 and 5), wheel (6), and washer (7) from stud.
- (2) Remove screw (15) and washer (14) that attach staple (13) to cap (12), and remove staple.
- (3) Remove screw that attaches stud to cap, and remove stud and spring (9). Slide spring from stud.

- (4) Remove screw (10) that attaches plate (11) to cap, and remove plate.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.

3-85. Bobbin Winder

a. Removal. Remove screw (9, fig. 3-43) and washer (8) that attach bobbin winder assembly to machine arm, and remove bobbin winder assembly.

b. Disassembly.

- (1) Remove setscrew (1) that attaches spindle (2) to shaft (17), and remove spindle.
- (2) Remove setscrews (13) that attach pulley assembly (14) to shaft, and remove pulley assembly and shaft from frame (15).
- (3) Remove setscrew (5) that attaches pin (4) to base (10), and remove pin, frame, and spring (16).
- (4) Remove screw (11) that attaches arm (12) to latch (3), and remove arm and latch from base.
- (5) Remove screws (7) that attach base to bracket (6), and remove base.

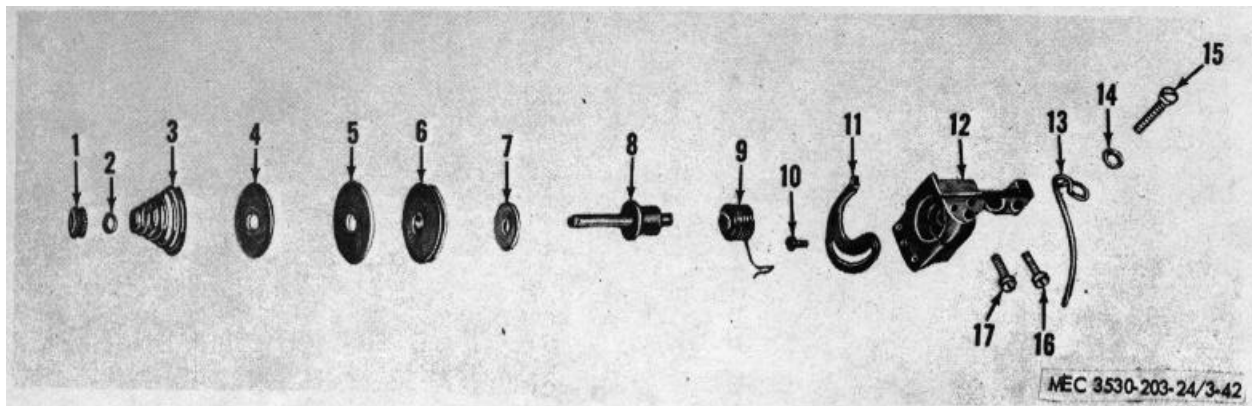
c. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and assemble and install them by reversing procedures in *a* and *b* above.

3-86. Thread Unwinder

a. Removal and Disassembly.

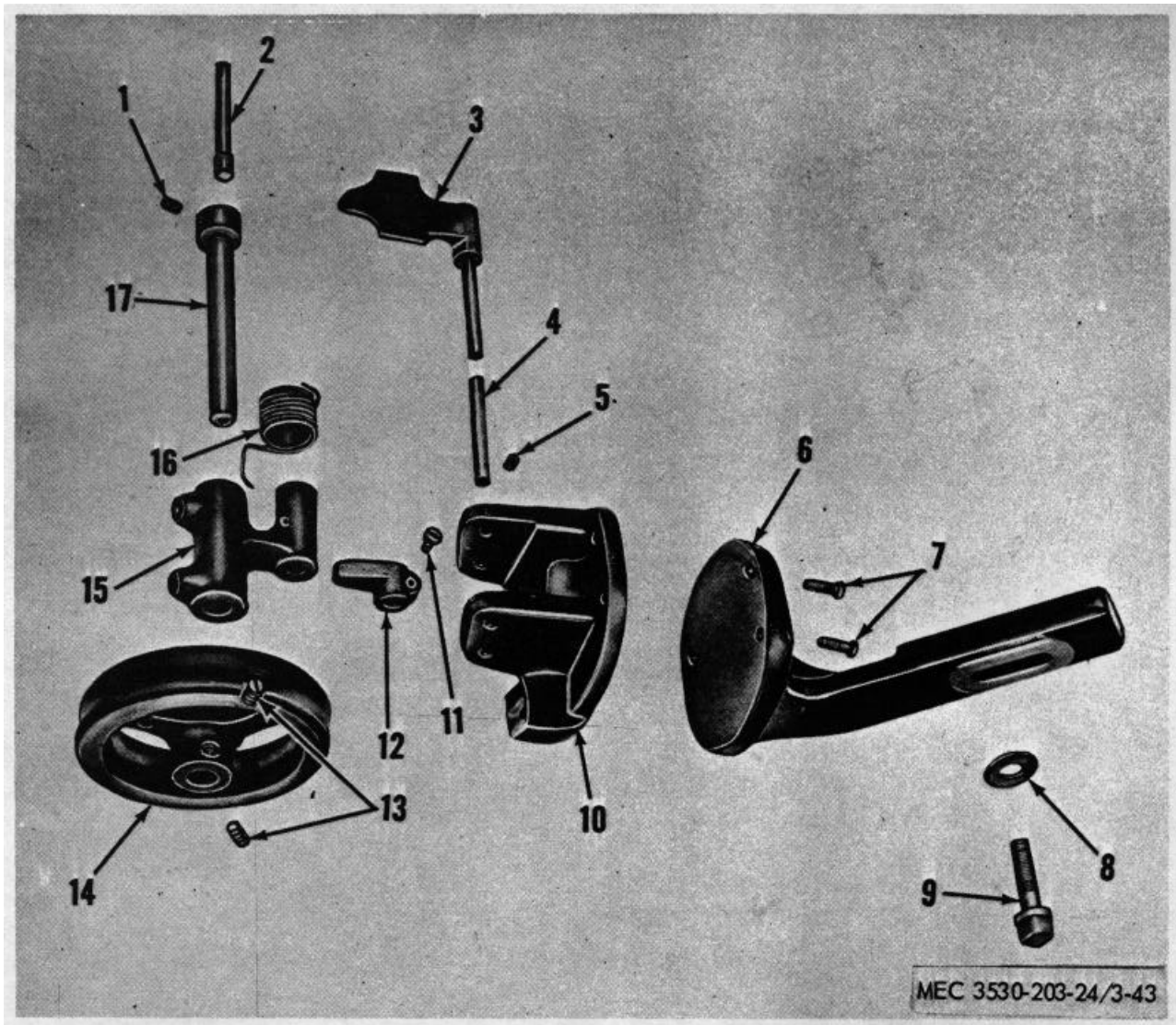
- (1) Remove setscrew (10, fig. 3-44) that attaches thread unwinder to stand (11), and remove thread unwinder.
- (2) Remove setscrew (13) that attaches rest (9) to rod (8), and remove rest.
- (3) Remove screw (1) that attaches bracket (2) to rod, and remove bracket with thread tension assembly.
- (4) Remove thumb nut (7) from stud, and remove spring (6) and disks (5).
- (5) Unscrew stud from bracket, and remove guard (4).
- (6) Remove screws (12) that attach stand to tabletop, and remove stand.

b. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.



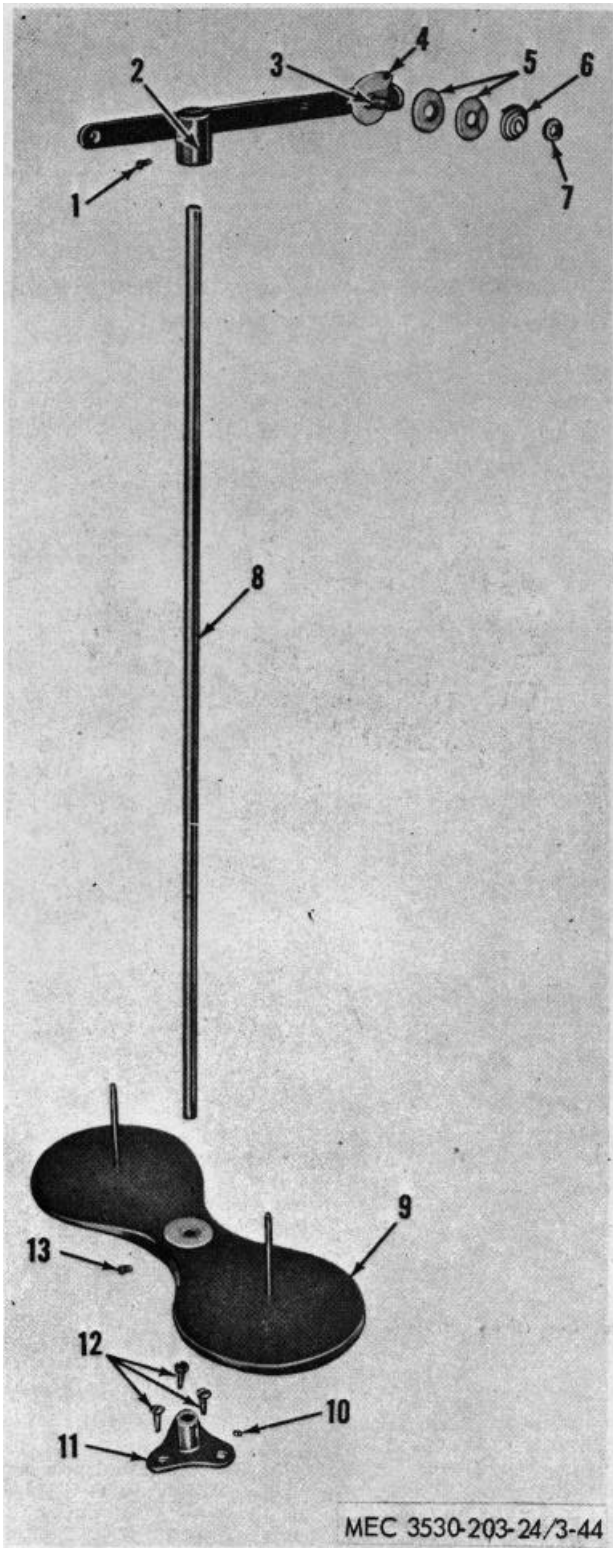
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| 1 Nut, tension regulating thumb | 9 Spring, thread takeup | 14 Washer, thread takeup spring staple |
| 2 Washer, tension regulating thumb nut | 10 Screw, thread takeup spring regulator adjusting plate | 15 Screw, thread takeup spring staple |
| 3 Spring, tension | 11 Plate, thread takeup spring regulator | 16 Screw, tension bracket and vibrating presser bar left |
| 4 Washer, steel, tension friction | 12 Cap, tension bracket and vibrating presser bar | 17 Screw, tension bracket and vibrating presser bar right |
| 5 Washer, felt | 13 Staple, thread takeup spring right | |
| 6 Wheel, tension | | |
| 7 Washer, tension friction | | |
| 8 Stud, tension screw | | |

Figure 3-42. Thread takeup assembly, disassembled.



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| 1 Setscrew, spindle shaft | 7 Screws, base | 12 Arm, tripping |
| 2 Spindle | 8 Washer, bracket screw | 13 Setscrews, friction pulley |
| 3 Latch with pins, stop | 9 Screw, bracket | 14 Pulley assembly, friction |
| 4 Pin, frame hinge | 10 Base, bobbin winder | 15 Frame, bobbin winder |
| 5 Setscrew, frame hinge pin | 11 Screw, tripping arm clamping | 16 Spring, frame |
| 6 Bracket | | 17 Shaft, spindle |

Figure 3-43. Bobbin winder, disassembled.



- 1 Screw, spool holder bracket
- 2 Bracket, spool holder
- 3 Stud, tension screw
- 4 Guard, tension thread
- 5 Disks, tension
- 6 Spring, helical, compression, tension
- 7 Nut, thumb tension regulating
- 8 Rod, thread guard
- 9 Rest, spool
- 10 Setscrew, spool stand
- 11 Stand, spool
- 12 Screws, wood, spool stand
- 13 Setscrew, spool rest

Figure 3-44. Thread cinder, disassembled.

Section X. OVEREDGE SEWING MACHINE

3-87. General

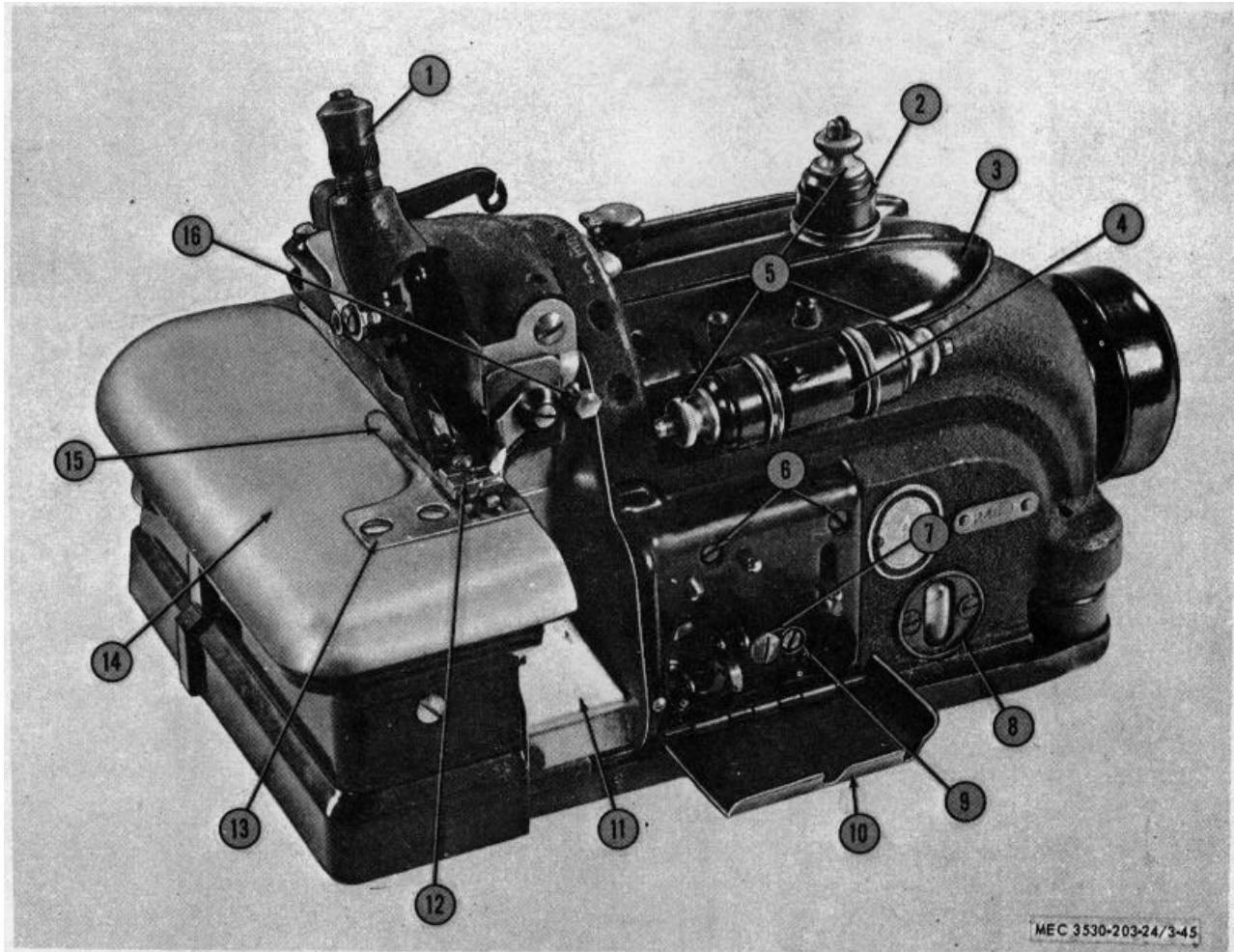
This section covers the organizational maintenance instructions for the overedge sewing machine and its three-cone thread unwinder. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-88. Throat Plate

a. Removal.

- (1) Disengage the swingout presser bar (15, fig. 3-45), and push the presser bar and the cloth plate (4) out to the left.
- (2) Remove the screws that secure the throat plate (13) to the machine, and remove the throat plate from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective throat plate with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Thumbscrew, pressure regulating | 5 Nuts, tension stud thumb | 8 Screws, oil gage | 13 Plate, throat |
| 2 Tension, needle thread | 6 Screws, looper thread plate | 9 Plate, looper thread | 14 Plate, cloth |
| 3 Cover w/eyelets, oil lead and screw top | 7 Screw, right looper thread takeup adjustable eyelet | 10 Cover, looper thread plate | 15 Bar, swingout presser |
| 4 Tension, looper thread | | 11 Guard, chip | 16 Screw, chip guard |
| | | 12 Foot, presser | |

Figure 3-45. Unmounted overedge sewing machine, three-quarter front view.

3-89. Chip Guard

a. Removal. Remove screws (16, fig. 3-45) that secure the chip guard (11) to the machine, and remove the chip guard from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace the chip guard with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-90. Feed Dogs

a. Removal.

(1) Disengage the swingout presser bar (15, fig. 3-45) and push the presser bar and the cloth plate out to the left.

(2) Remove the front feed dog screw under the feed dog (1, fig. 3-46) and remove the front feed dog from the machine.

(3) Remove the rear feed dog screw and the rear feed dog from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective feed dogs with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

c. Adjustment.

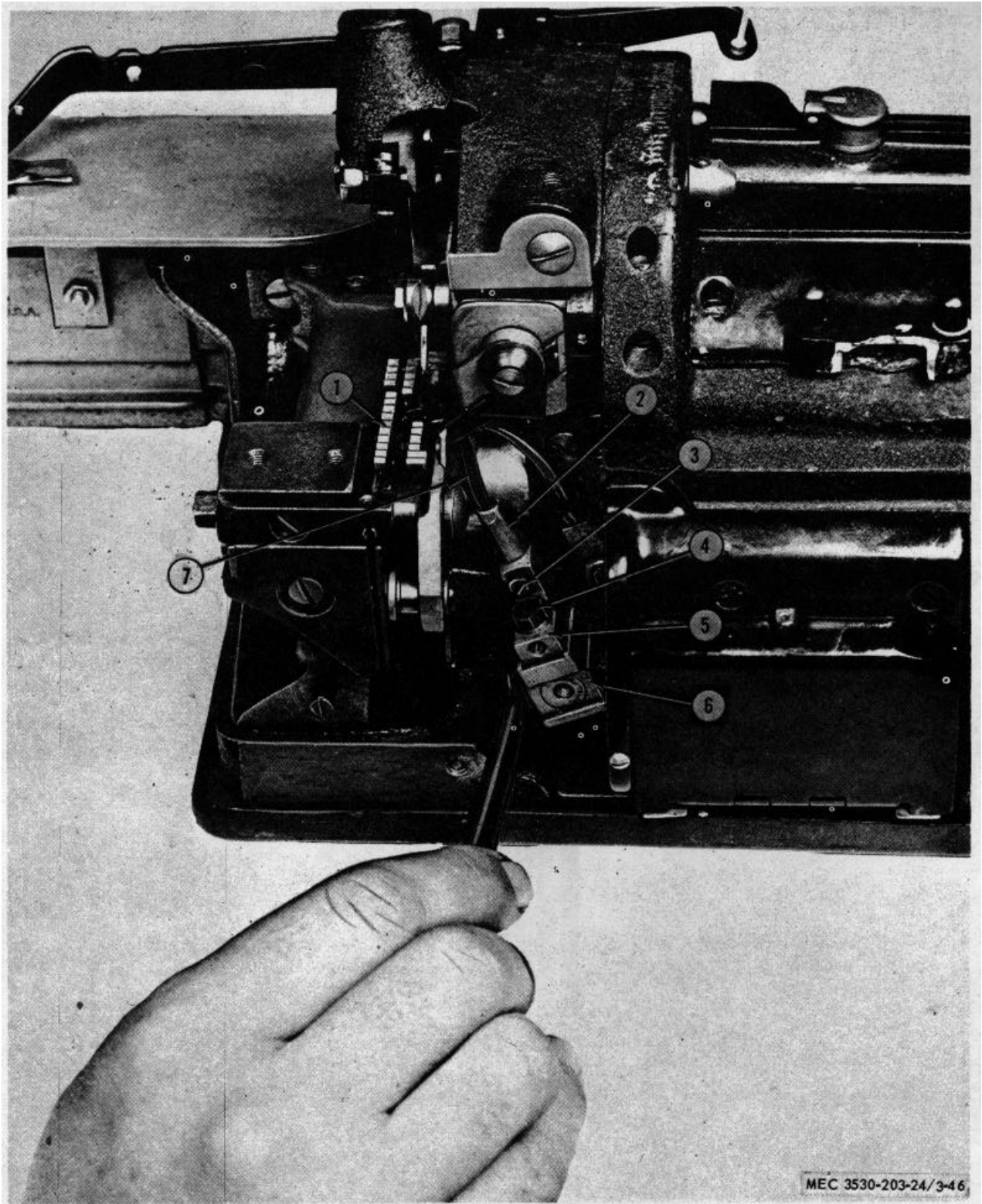
(1) Swing cloth plate to the side and remove the needle.

(2) Loosen the feed dog screw.

(3) Adjust or set the feed dog so that when it is raised to its highest point the full depth of the teeth will project above the throat plate.

(4) Tighten the feed dog screw securely.

(5) Install needle and swing the cloth plate back into position.



1 Dog, feed
2 Carrier, left thread looper

3 Setscrew, left thread carrier
4 Screw, left looper

5 Holder, left looper carrier

6 Setscrew, left thread looper carrier
7 Looper, left thread

Figure 3-46. Adjusting left looper, left and right positions.

3-91. Left Looper

a. *Removal.* The left looper is removed as follows:

- (1) Remove the throat plate (para. 3-88).
- (2) Remove the chip guard (para. 3-89).
- (3) Remove the feed dogs (para. 3-90).
- (4) Loosen the left thread looper setscrew (3, fig. 3-46).
- (5) Lift the left thread looper (7) from the left thread looper carrier (2) and take it from the machine.

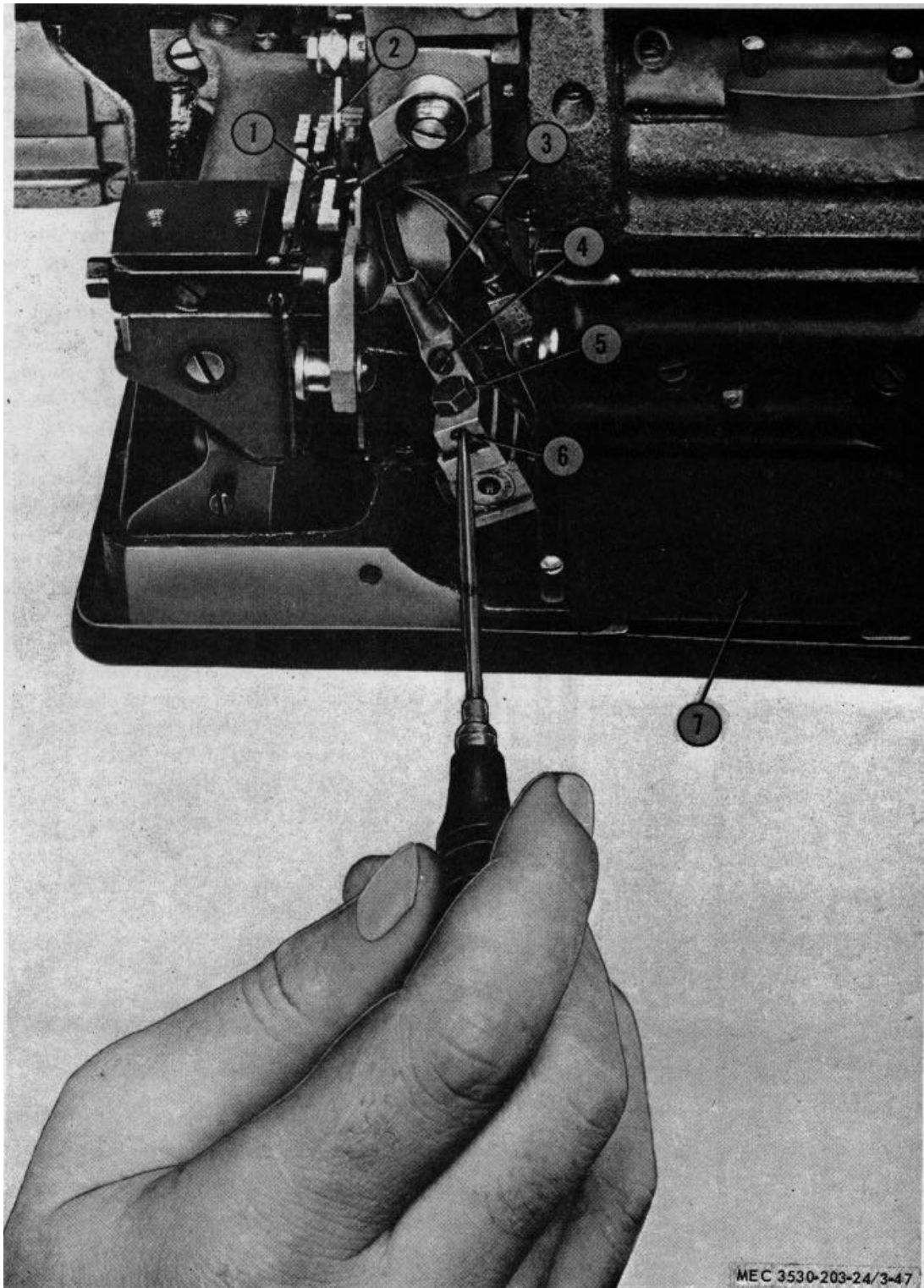
b. *Installation.* Replace defective looper with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.*

- (1) Remove the throat plate (13, fig. 3-45) and the chip guard (11) from the machine (paras. 3-88a and 3-89a).
- (2) Turn the machine drive shaft pulley away from the operator until the needle, after reaching its lowest point, is raised YJ4 inch. At this setting, the tip of the looper should just reach the middle of the needle.
- (3) Make certain the tip of the looper reaches the middle of the needle. If it does not, loosen the setscrew (6, fig. 3-46) on the right of the left looper carrier holder (5) and tighten the setscrew on the left of the

carrier holder until the tip of the looper reaches the middle of the needle.

- (4) Tighten the setscrew (6) on the right of the left looper carrier holder (5) securely and recheck the position of the looper in relation to the needle.
- (5) Loosen the setscrew on the left of the looper carrier holder (5) and tighten the setscrew (6) on the right of the holder until the tip of the looper reaches the proper position: (6) Tighten the setscrew on the left of the looper holder, and recheck the position of the needle.
- (7) Turn the machine drive shaft pulley away from the operator until the point of the left looper just passes the needle.
- (8) Loosen the left looper carrier setscrew (6) and the left looper carrier screw (4), and move the looper carrier (2) until the left looper almost touches the needle from the rear.
- (9) Tighten the carrier screw (5, fig. 3-47) and slowly tighten the carrier setscrew (6) until the left looper just clears the needle.
- (10) Install the throat plate and the chip guard on the machine.



1 Looper, left thread
 2 Needle
 3 Carrier, left thread
 looper

4 Setscrew, left thread
 looper
 5 Screw, left thread
 looper carrier

6 Setscrew, left thread
 looper carrier screw
 7 Cover, looper thread
 plate

Figure 3-47. Adjusting left looper, back and front positions.

3-92. Right Looper

a. Removal.

- (1) Swing out the cloth plate (14, fig. 3-45) and swing the presser bar and the cloth plate out to the left.
- (2) Remove the throat plate (para. 3-88a).
- (3) Remove the chip guard (para. 3-89a).
- (4) Loosen the locking stud nut (9, fig. 3-48).
- (5) Remove the looper (1) from the looper carrier (4) with positioning collar (11) attached.
- (6) Remove the setscrew and the collar from the looper.

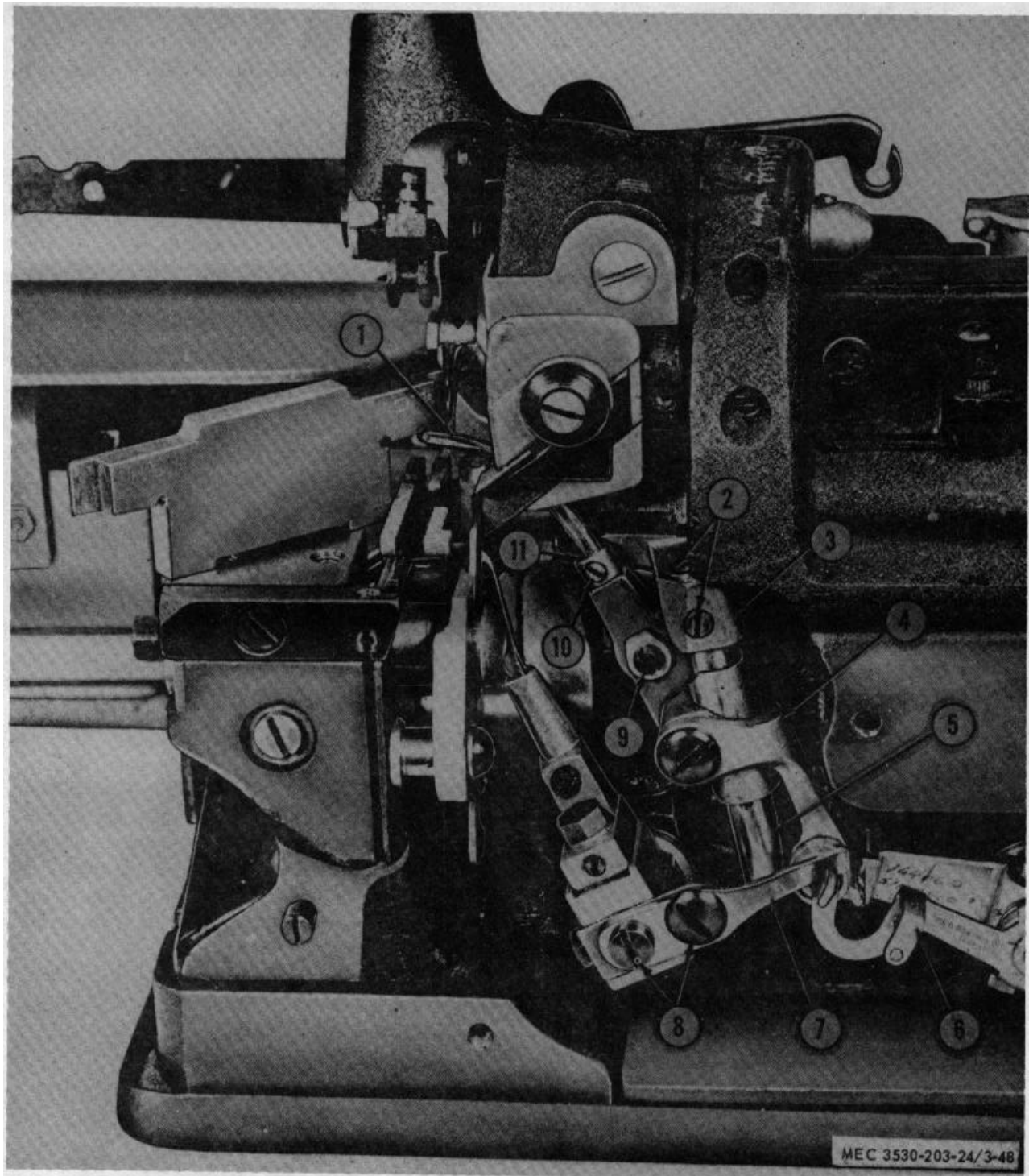
b. *Installation.* Replace defective looper with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment.

- (1) Disengage the swingout presser bar (15, fig. 52) and swing the presser bar and the cloth plate out to the left.
- (2) Remove the throat plate (para. 3-88) and the chip guard (para. 3-89) from the machine.
- (3) Loosen setscrews (2, fig. 3-48) that secure the carrier connector guide bar bracket (3) to the machine, and move the bracket to its extreme left position on the casting. Then tighten the set screws (2).
- (4) Place the gage No. 164460 on the throat plate base as shown in figure 3-49.
- (5) Turn the machine drive shaft pulley away from the operator until the right looper reaches its extreme left position. At this point, the looper should touch the

undersurface of the gage sufficiently to just barely rock the gage.

- (6) Loosen the positioning collar setscrew (10, fig. 3-48) and the locking screw stud nut (9), if the looper is not in position as described in (5) above. Making sure that the slot in the locking screw stud is in line with the looper carrier (4), set looper (1) up or down in the carrier as required, and tighten the locking screw stud nut. Press the looper positioning collar (11) firmly down against the looper carrier, and tighten the positioning collar setscrew.
- (7) When the right looper passes the left looper, it should pass behind the left looper head and just to the left of the left looper eye. Loosen the two carrier connector guide bars (5), bracket (3), setscrews (2), and move the bracket to right or left as necessary; then securely tighten the bracket screws.
- (8) Recheck and adjust the height of the looper as described in (4) and (5) above.
- (9) The right looper should brush lightly on the front of the needle. Loosen the locking screw stud nut (9), move the looper in the looper carrier as required, and tighten the stud nut.
- (10) Recheck each setting and make sure all setscrews and nuts are securely tightened.
- (11) Install the looper thread plate (9, fig. 3-45), chip guard (11), and throat plate (13) on the machine.



- | | | |
|---|---|---|
| 1 Looper, right thread | 5 Bar w/screw and oil wick,
right thread looper
carrier connector guide | 9 Nut, right thread looper
positioning collar |
| 2 Setscrews, right thread
looper carrier | 6 Stripper and takeup,
right thread looper | 10 Setscrew, right thread
looper positioning
collar |
| 3 Bracket w/oil pad and
setscrews, right thread
looper carrier connector
guide bar | 7 Screws, oil splash guard | 11 Collar, right thread
looper positioning |
| 4 Carrier w/setscrew, right
thread looper | 8 Nut | |

Figure 3-48. Adjusting right looper.

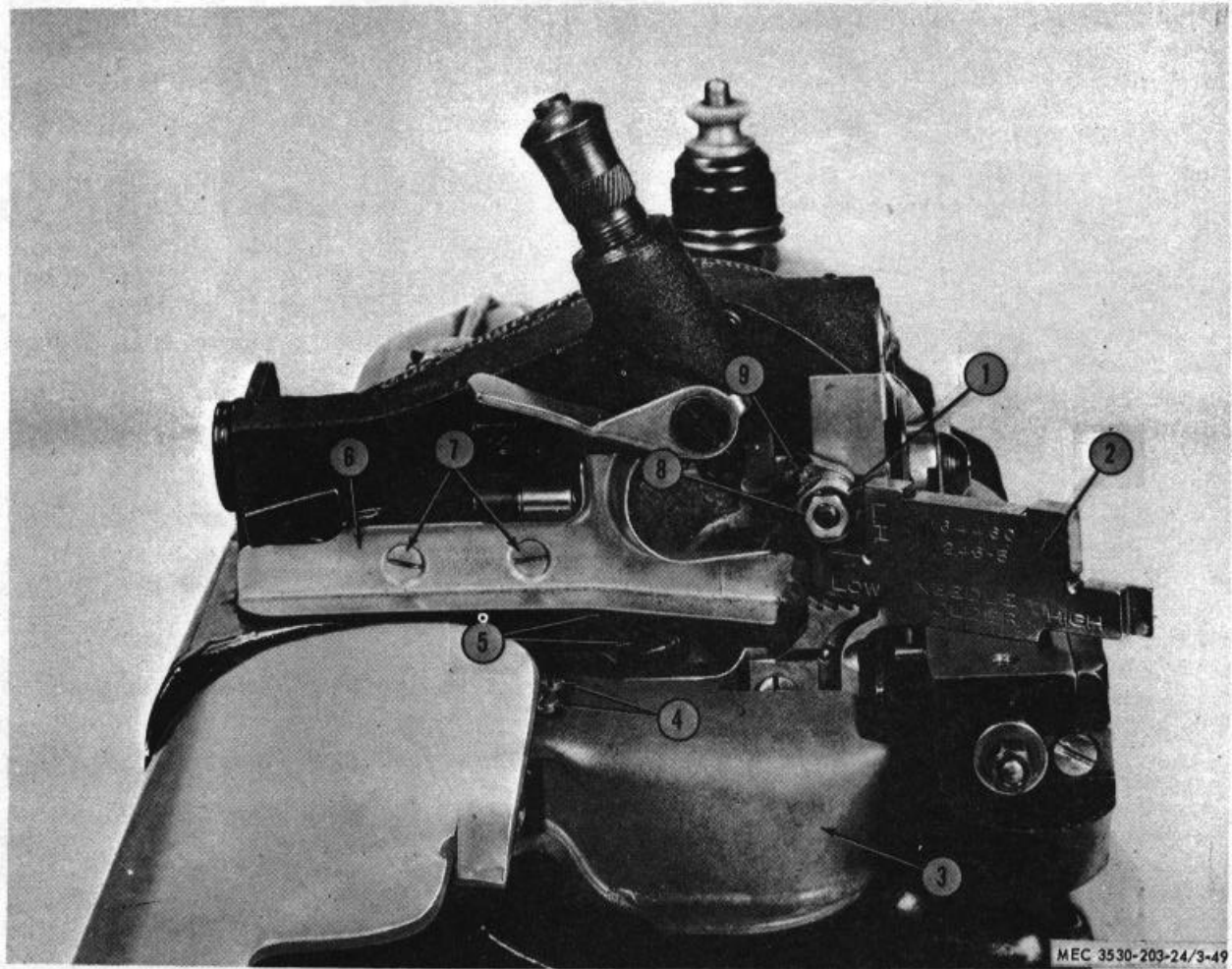
3-93. Right Thread Looper Positioning Collar Removal.

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the right looper (para. 3-92a (1) through (5)).

(2) Remove the positioning collar (11, fig. 3-48) from the looper (1) by loosening the setscrew that holds it to the looper.

b. Installation. Replace defective collar with a serviceable one, and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.



- 1 Clamp, needle
- 2 Gage
- 3 Guard, oil splash
- 4 Screws, oil splash guard

- 5 Screw, needle thread control
- 6 Guard, oil splash

- 7 Screws, oil splash guard
- 8 Nut
- 9 Pin, stop shaft

Figure 3-49. Setting needle drive shaft at correct height.

3-94. Right Thread Looper Stripper and Takeup and Left Thread Looper Takeup

a. Removal.

- (1) Swing out cloth plate (14, fig. 3-45).
- (2) Remove the chip guard by removing two screws (16).
- (3) Remove two screws (6) that secure the rear cover to the machine frame and remove the rear cover from the machine.
- (4) Remove the right thread looper stripper and takeup (3, fig. 3-50) from the right thread looper drive shaft by removing the screw (2) securing the stripper and the takeup to the shaft.
- (5) Remove the screw (5) that secure the left thread looper takeup (1) to the left looper drive shaft.
- (6) Remove the left thread looper takeup with takeup arm plate.
- (7) Remove the screw (4) that secure the takeup arm plate to the left thread looper takeup and remove the plate.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a (4) through (7) above.

c. Adjustment of Right Looper Thread Stripper and Takeup. When the left looper is at its extreme right position, the eye of the right takeup should be in line with the left looper thread bushing and the eye of the left takeup. Set the right takeup as follows:

- (1) Loosen the right looper thread takeup arm screw (2), (fig. 3-50).
- (2) Raise or lower the right takeup as required.

- (3) Tighten the takeup arm screw securely and close the plate cover.

d. Adjustment off Left Looper Thread Takeup.

When the left looper is moved to its extreme right position, the eye of the left looper thread takeup should be in line with the center of the left looper thread bushing. Set the left looper thread takeup as follows:

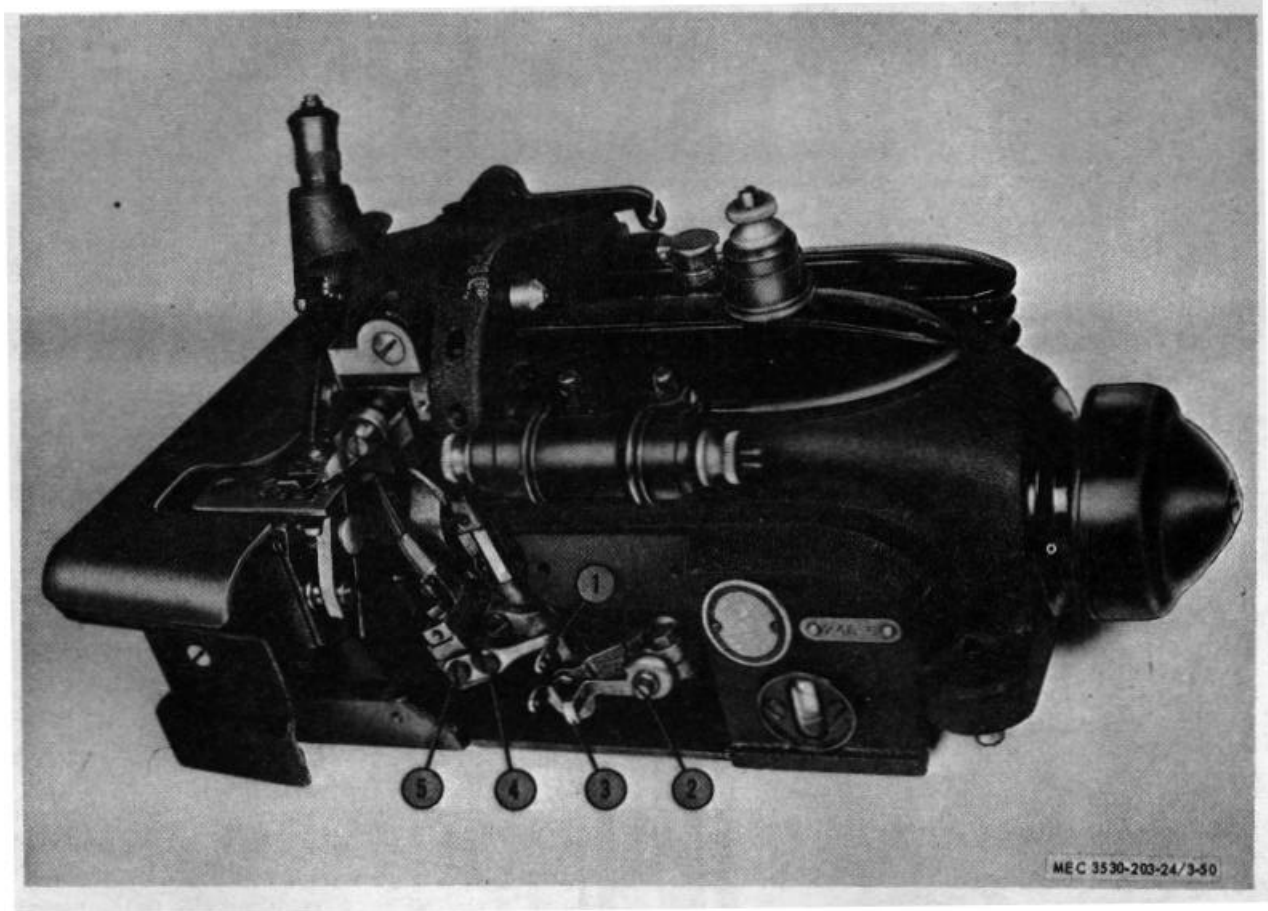
- (1) Remove the chip guard and open the looper thread plate cover.
- (2) Loosen the two thread takeup screws 2 and 5) and raise or lower the right end of the thread takeup as required.

e. Adjusting Takeup for Both Looper Threads.

- (1) Lower the right takeup or raise the left takeup to get more thread through both loopers.
- (2) Raise the right takeup or lower the left takeup to get less thread through both loopers.

f. Adjusting Slack on Right Looper Thread. When the right looper is at its extreme left position, the right looper thread between the eyelet in the right takeup and the tension disks should have a slight slack.

- (1) Lower the right looper thread movable eyelet screw to decrease the slack on the right looper thread.
- (2) Raise the eyelet screw to increase the slack on the right looper thread.



1 Takeup, left thread looper
2 Screw

3 Stripper and takeup, thread
looper right

4 Screw, upper arm
5 Screw, lower, arm

Figure 3-50. Left thread looper takeup and right thread looper stripper and takeup.

3-95. Oil Sight Gage, Retainer, and Gaskets

a. Removal.

(1) Tilt the overedge machine and drain the oil out through the screen.

(2) Remove two screws (8, fig. 3-45) that secure the oil gage retainer to the machine.

(3) Remove the retainer from the machine.

(4) Take out three gaskets and take the oil gage off of the front of the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above, and replace oil according to instructions in TM 10-3530-201-10.

3-96. Stationary Knife

a. Removal.

(1) Swing out cloth plate (14, fig. 3-45).

(2) Disengage the swingout presser bar (15).

(3) Loosen the nut (12, fig. 3-51) on the stud (6), and slide out the stationary knife (9).

b. Installation

(1) Push the knife downward into the knife holder until the cutting edge of the knife is flush with the throat plate (13).

(2) Tighten clamping stud nut (12) securely.

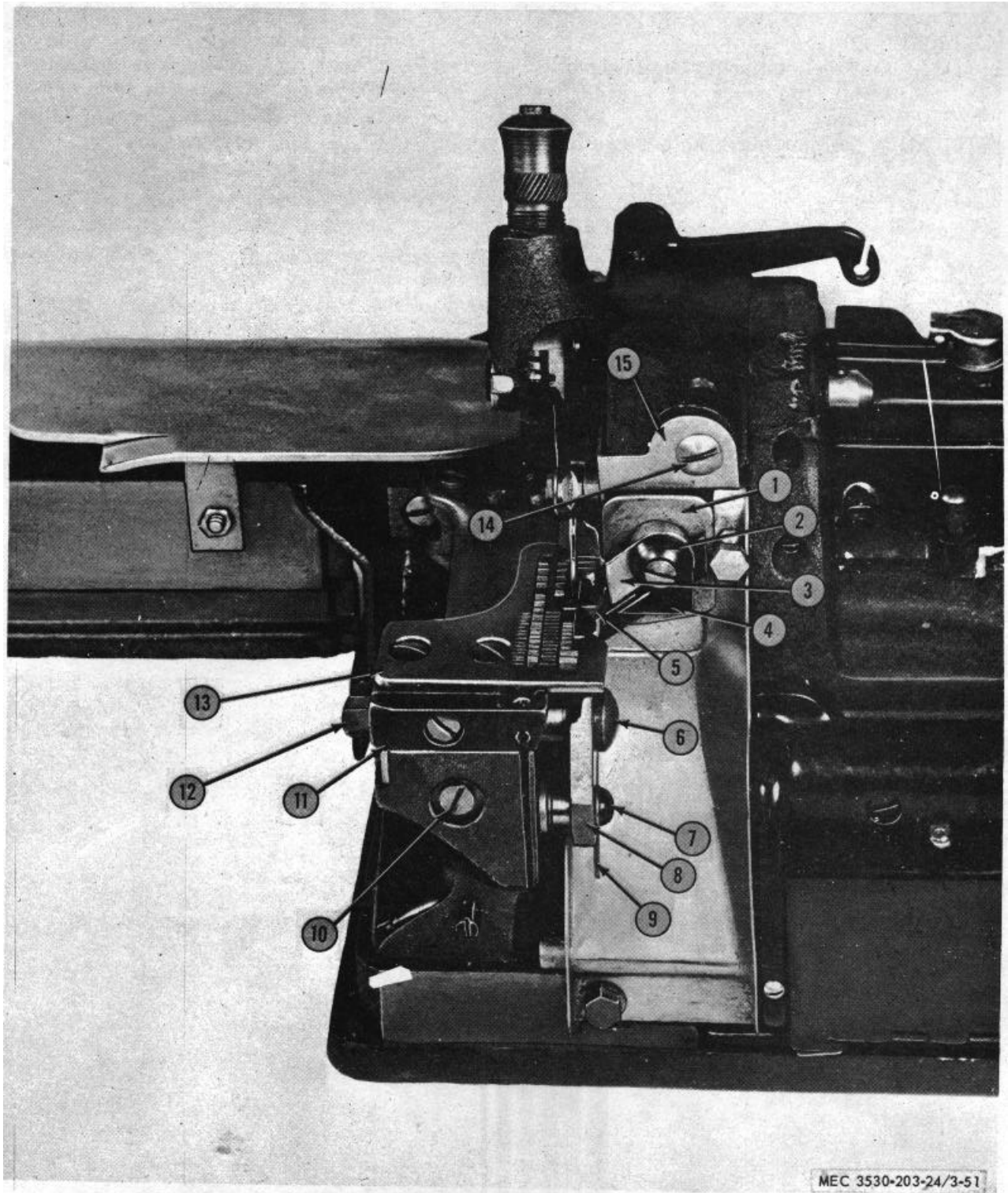
(3) Reverse the procedures in a (1) and (2) above.

c. *Adjustment.*

- (1) Loosen the stationary knife holder adjusting stud screw (10) and the sleeve screw (7).
- (2) Move the stationary knife holder so

that the right edge of the knife is flush with the right edge of the chaining-off finger on the throat plate (13).

- (3) Tighten the adjusting stud screw (10) and the sleeve screw (7).



1 Clamp, movable
knife
2 Screw, movable knife
clamp
3 Guard, movable knife
upper

4 Guard, movable knife
lower
5 Knife, movable
6 Stud, stationary knife
7 Screw, stationary
knife

8 Holder, knife
9 Knife, stationary
10 Screw, knife holder
11 Guide, throat
12 Nut, knife stud

13 Plate, throat upper
clamping
14 Screw adjusting
stud
15 Guard, finger

Figure 3-51. Adjusting knives.

3-97. Stationary Knife Holder Stud, Spring, Sleeve, and Adjusting Stud

a. Removal.

(1) Remove two screws (16, fig. 3-45) securing the chip guard to the machine frame, and remove the chip guard.

(2) Open the thread plate cover (10).

(3) Remove two screws (6) that secure the thread plate (9) to the machine frame and remove the thread plate.

(4) Open the cloth plate.

(5) Remove the knife stud nut (13, fig.3-52) and the knife holder cap (11) from the knife holder stud (2).

(6) Remove the stationary knife (1) and stud (2) from the knife holder (14).

(7) Remove the screw (12) and spring retainer (10) from the machine frame and remove the spring (9) from the knife holder.

(8) Remove the screw (3) and washer (4) that secure the knife holder (14) and the sleeve (5) to the machine frame, and remove the sleeve (5).

(9) Loosen the capscrew (8) and washer (7) from the adjusting stud (6).

(10) Separate the capscrew (8) and washer (7) from the adjusting stud (6).

b. *Cleaning.* Clean all parts with SD and wipe them dry.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

d. *Adjustment.* Adjust the stationary knife according to the instructions in paragraph 3-96c.

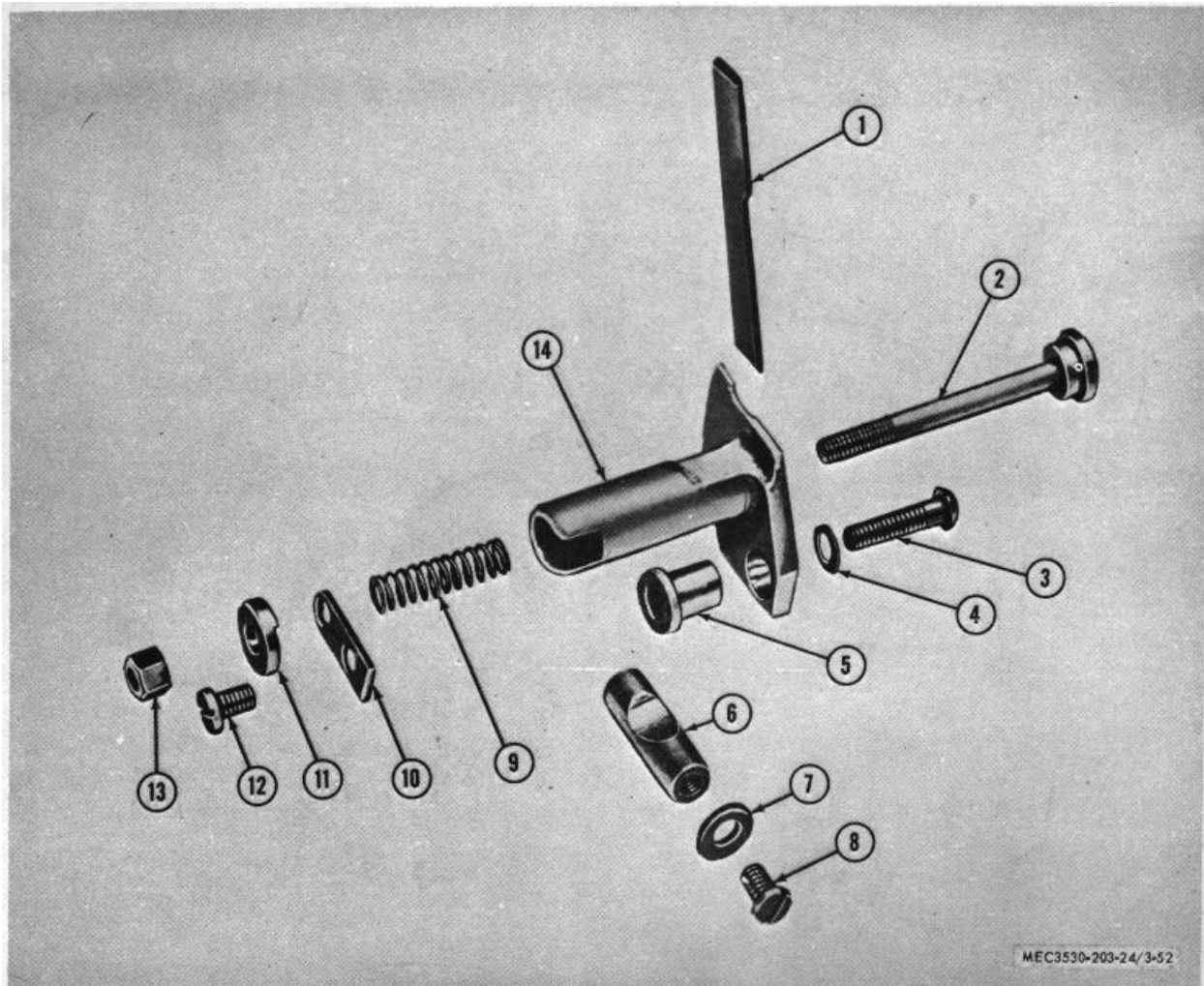


Figure 3-52. Stationary knife, disassembled.

- 1 Knife, stationary
- 2 Stud, knife holder
- 3 Screw, knife holder holder adjusting
- 4 Washer, knife holder
- 5 Sleeve, knife holder

- 6 Stud, stationary knife holder spring
- 7 Washer, stud capscrew holder
- 8 Capscrew, adjusting stud
- 9 Spring, stationary knife
- 10 Retainer, stationary knife

- 11 Cap, stationary knife sleeve
- 12 Screw, spring retainer sleeve screw
- 13 Nut, knife stud holder
- 14 Holder, stationary knife

Figure 3-52-Continued

3-98. Drive Shaft Pulley, Cap, and Stud

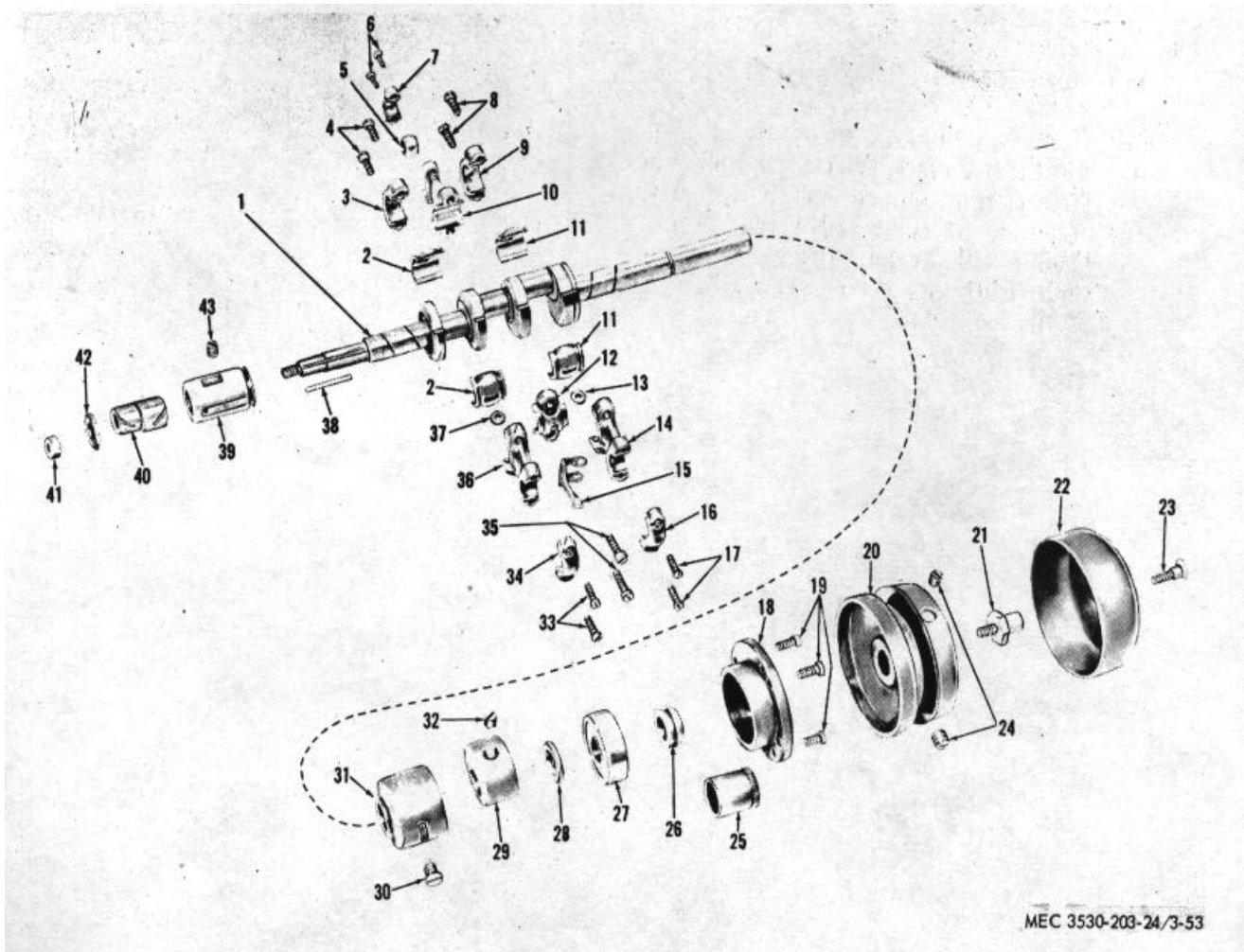
a. Removal.

(1) Remove the pulley capscrew (23, fig.3-53) that secures the drive shaft pulley cap (22) to the drive shaft stud (21) and remove the cap.

(2) Remove the stud (21) from the drive shaft (1).

(3) Remove two setscrews (24) that secure the drive shaft pulley (20) to the drive shaft (1) and remove the pulley (20).

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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Figure 3-53. Drive shaft pulley, cap, and stud.

1 Shaft, drive	12 Connector, crank	23 Capscrew, pulley	34 Connector, crank
2 Sleeve pair, drive shaft	13 Guide, drive shaft ball sleeve	24 Setscrews, pulley	35 Screws, crank connector
3 Connector, looper drive shaft crank	14 Connector, crank	25 Plug, frame	36 Connector, crank
4 Screws, connector	15 Agitator, oil	26 Retainer, ball bearing housing oil	37 Guide, drive shaft ball sleeve
5 Ball, needle drive shaft crank connector	16 Connector, crank	27 Bearing, drive shaft ball	38 Key, lever eccentric
6 Screws, crank connector	17 Capscrew, connector lower	28 Washer, drive shaft thrust	39 Bushing, front drive shaft
7 Connector, needle drive shaft crank	18 Housing, drive shaft ball bearing	29 Counterbalance, drive shaft	40 Eccentric, feed lifting and movable knife level
8 Screws, connector	19 Screws, ball bearing housing	30 Setscrew, bushing	41 Nut, lever eccentric
9 Connector, looper drive shaft	20 Pulley w/setscrews, drive shaft	31 Bushing, drive shaft	42 Washer, lever eccentric
10 Connector, crank	21 Stud, drive shaft	32 Setscrew, counterbalance	43 Setscrew, front bushing
11 Sleeve pair, drive shaft	22 Cap, drive shaft pulley	33 Screws	

Figure 3-53-Continued

3-99. Movable, Adjustable, and Stationary Eyelets

a. Removal.

(1) Open the thread plate cover (27, fig. 3-54).

(2) Remove two screws (23) that secure the thread plate (20) to the machine frame, and remove the thread plate.

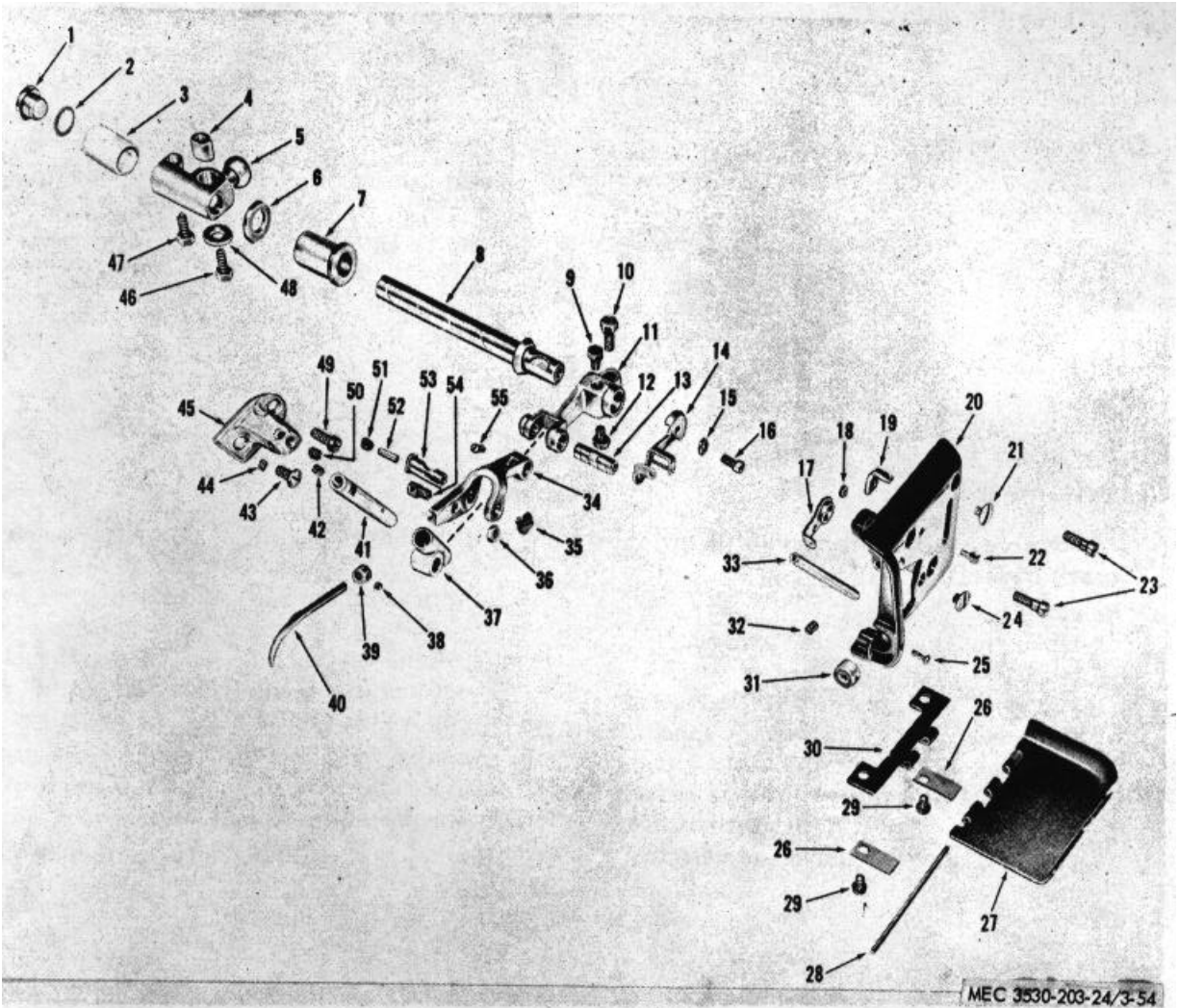
(3) Remove the screw (21) that secures the movable eyelet (19) to the thread plate (20) and remove the eyelet.

(4) Remove the screw (24) that secures the adjustable eyelet (17) to the thread plate (20) and remove the eyelet.

(5) Remove the nut (18) from the stationary thread eyelet (22), and remove the eyelet.

b. Installation. Replace defective eyelets with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 3-94e.



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|---|--|---|
| 1 Screw, rear bushing | 19 Eyelet, movable right thread looper | 38 Setscrew, positioning |
| 2 Washer, rear bushing screw | 20 Plate, thread | 39 Collar, right thread looper positioning |
| 3 Bushing, right thread looper drive shaft rear | 21 Screw, movable thread eyelet | 40 Looper, right thread |
| 4 Key, crank | 22 Eyelet, right thread looper stationary thread | 41 Bar, right thread looper carrier connector guide |
| 5 Crank, looper drive shaft | 24 Screw, adjustable eyelet | 42 Setscrew, guide bar plugging |
| 6 Washer, crank key screw | 25 Screw, thread bushing | 43 Screw, left bracket |
| 7 Bushing, right thread looper drive shaft front | 26 Springs, thread looper thread plate cover | 44 Setscrew, guide bar |
| 8 Shaft, right thread looper drive | 27 Cover, plate | 45 Bracket, right thread looper carrier connector guide bar |
| 9 Screw, lever | 28 Pin, hinge | 46 Screw |
| 10 Screw, lever | 29 Screws, cover spring | 47 Screw |
| 11 Lever, right thread looper | 30 Hinge, cover | 48 Washer |
| 12 Screw, lever | 31 Bushing, left looper plate thread | 49 Screw, right bracket |
| 13 Pin, carrier hinge | 32 Setscrew, thread tube | 50 Setscrew |
| 14 Stripper and takeup, right thread looper | 33 Tube, right thread looper thread | 51 Setscrew, connector hinge screw |
| 15 Washer, stripper and takeup screw | 34 Carrier, right thread looper | 52 Pin, connector hinge stud adjusting |
| 16 Screw, stripper and takeup | 35 Screw, connector hinge stud | 53 Stud, connector hinge |
| 17 Eyelet, right thread looper thread takeup adjustable | 36 Nut, looper locking stud | 54 Stud, looper locking |
| 18 Nut, stationary thread eyelet | 37 Connector, right thread looper carrier | 55 Setscrew, carrier hinge pin |

Figure .9-54. Right looper, crank, lever, and related parts.

3-100. Thread Plate Cover Springs

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the thread plate (para. 3-99a(1) and (2)).

(2) Remove two screws (29, fig. 3-54) that secure the thread plate cover springs (26) to the thread plate (20) and remove the springs.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

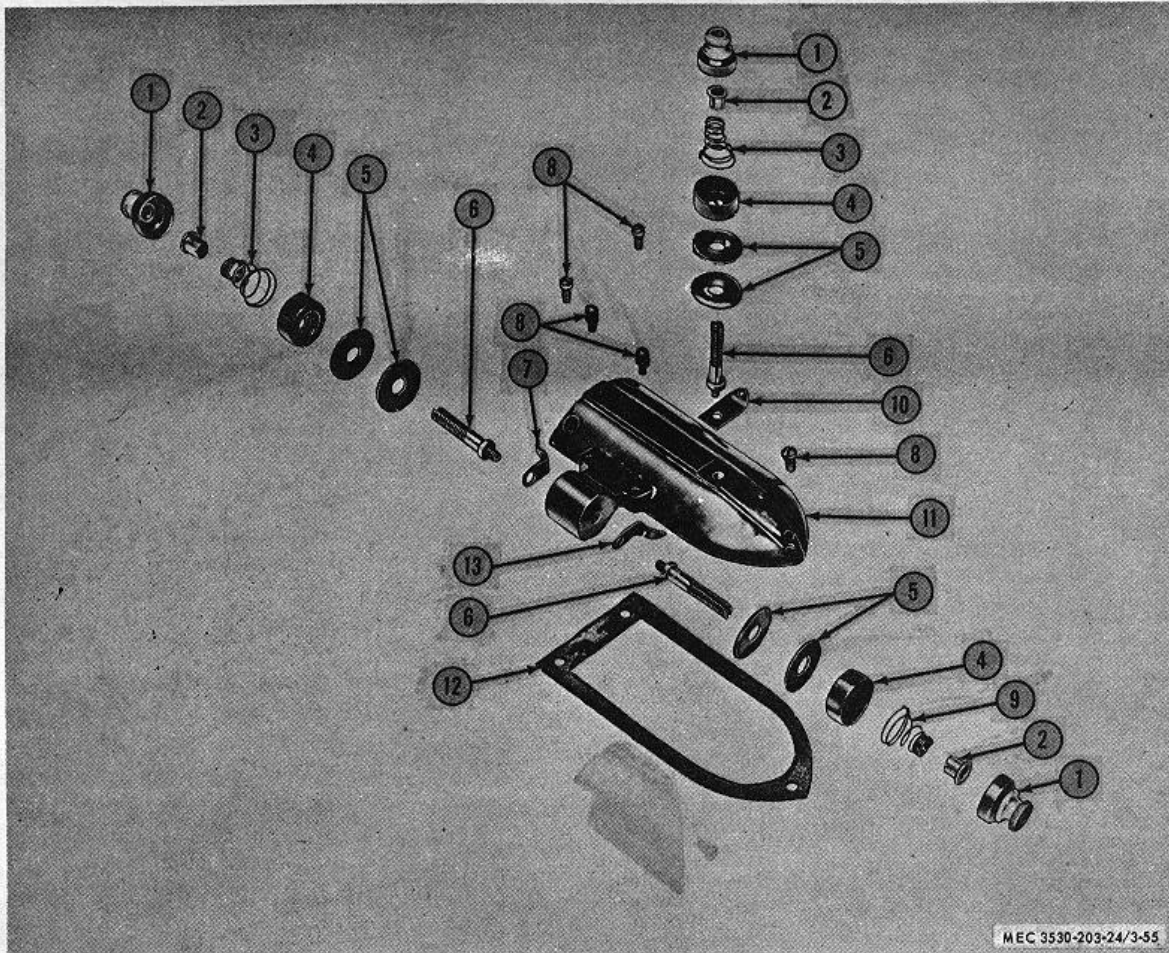
3-101. Thread Tension Stud, Thumb Nut; and Bushings

a. Removal.

(1) Unscrew and remove the thumb nuts (1, fig. 3-55) from the stud (6).

(2) Lift the bushings (2) from the springs (3 and 9).

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



- 1 Nuts, stud thumb
- 2 Bushings, thread tension spring
- 3 Springs, lift thread tension
- 4 Covers, thread tension spring

- 5 Disks, thread tension
- 6 Studs, thread
- 7 Guide, thread left looper thread tension
- 8 Screws, top cover
- 9 Springs, heavy thread tension

- 10 Guide, needle thread tension thread
- 11 Cover w/eyelets, oil lead and screw top
- 12 Gasket, top cover
- 13 Guide, thread right looper thread

Figure 3-55. Thread tension springs, disks, covers, and guide disassembled.

3-102. Thread Tension Springs

a. Removal. Remove the thumb nuts (1, fig. 3-55) and bushings (2) and lift springs (3 and 9) from their covers and remove them from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-103. Thread Tension Spring Covers, Disks, Studs, and Guides

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the spring covers (4, fig. 3-55) from the tension assembly and lift them and the disks (5) off the studs (6)

(2) Unscrew the studs (6) and separate them from the guides (7, 10, and 13).

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-104. Oil Lead Cover

a. Removal. Remove the screws (8, fig. 3-55) that secure the oil lead cover (11) to the machine and lift the cover off, separating it from the gasket (12).

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-105. Oil Cooler Cover and Gasket

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the screws (5, and 6, fig. 3-56) that hold the cover (3) to the oil cooler (8) and lift the cover (3) with gasket (7) and filler cup (4) from the machine.

(2) Unscrew and remove the filler cup (4) from the cover (3).

(3) Separate the gasket (7) from the cover (3).

b. Installation. Replace defective cover with serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

1 Screws, oil cooler long
2 Gasket, plug screw
3 Cover, oil cooler
4 Cup, filler
5 Screw, oil cooler cover
6 Screw, oil cooler short
7 Gasket, oil cooler cover

8 Cooler, oil
9 Gasket, oil cooler
10 Trough
11 Stud
12 Pipes, oil cooler
13 Screw
14 Tube

15 Wick
16 Bracket
17 Screen, frame oil
18 Gasket
19 Setscrew
20 Washer
21 Screws

22 Screws, oil screen
23 Bracket
24 Wick, oil cooler
25 Nut, oil tube
26 Screw
27 Tube, oil cooler
28 Setscrew

3-106. Oil Screen

a. Removal.

- (1) Swing out cloth plate (1, fig. 3-57).
- (2) Swing out oil splash guard (3, fig. 3-49).

(3) Remove three screws (3, fig. 3-57) that secure the frame oil screen (17, fig. 3-56) to the machine bed, and remove the screen from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective screen with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

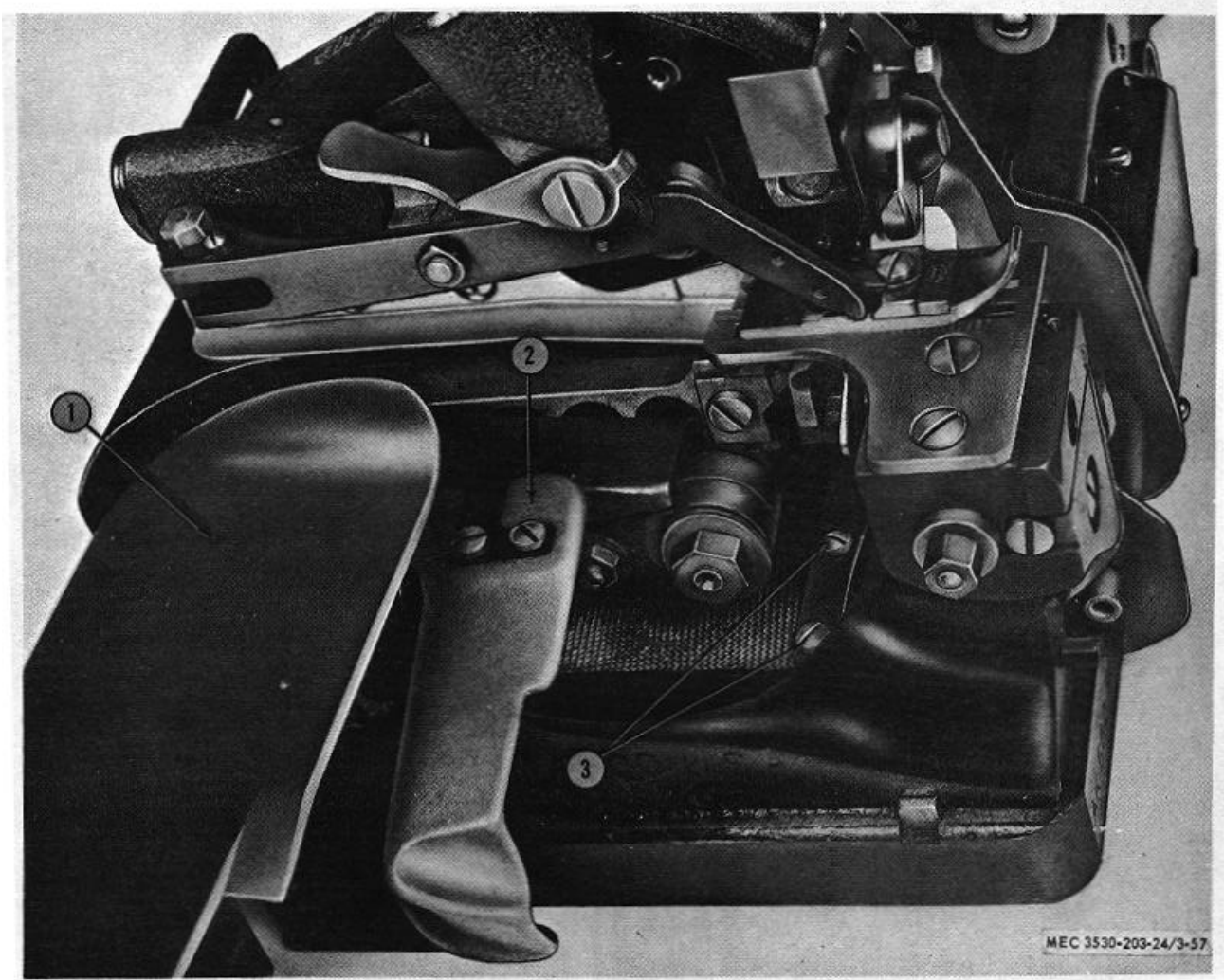


Figure 3-57. Oil screen.

3-107. Needle Thread Control

a. Removal.

- (1) Swing out the cloth plate (1, fig. 3-57).
- (2) Disengage presser bar and move it out and to the left.

(3) Remove two screws (7, fig. 3-49) that secure the oil splash guard (6) to the machine frame, and remove the oil splash guard.

(4) Remove two screws (5) that secure the needle thread control to the mov

able knife lever, and remove the thread control.

b. Installation. Replace defective thread control with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

3-108. Movable Knife and Holder

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the screw (7, fig. 3-58) the lower guard (6), the upper guard (5), and the clamp (4) that secure the knife (3) to the knife bearing, and lift out the movable knife.

(2) Remove the screw (2) that secures the knife holder (1) to the knife bearing and remove the holder.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones, and install them as follows:

(1) Slip knife into knife holder.

(2) Replace knife clamp, upper and lower guards, and knife clamp screw.

(3) Press movable knife downward against stationary knife, and securely tighten clamp screw.

(4) Turn drive shaft pulley over from operator until lowest point of movable knife just reaches cutting edges of stationary knife.

(5) Loosen stationary knife adjusting stud screw sufficiently to release knife holder spring, permitting stationary knife to make tight spring contact with movable knife.

(6) Tighten adjusting stud screws.

c. Adjustment. Adjust movable knife as follows:

(1) Remove movable knife clamp screw.

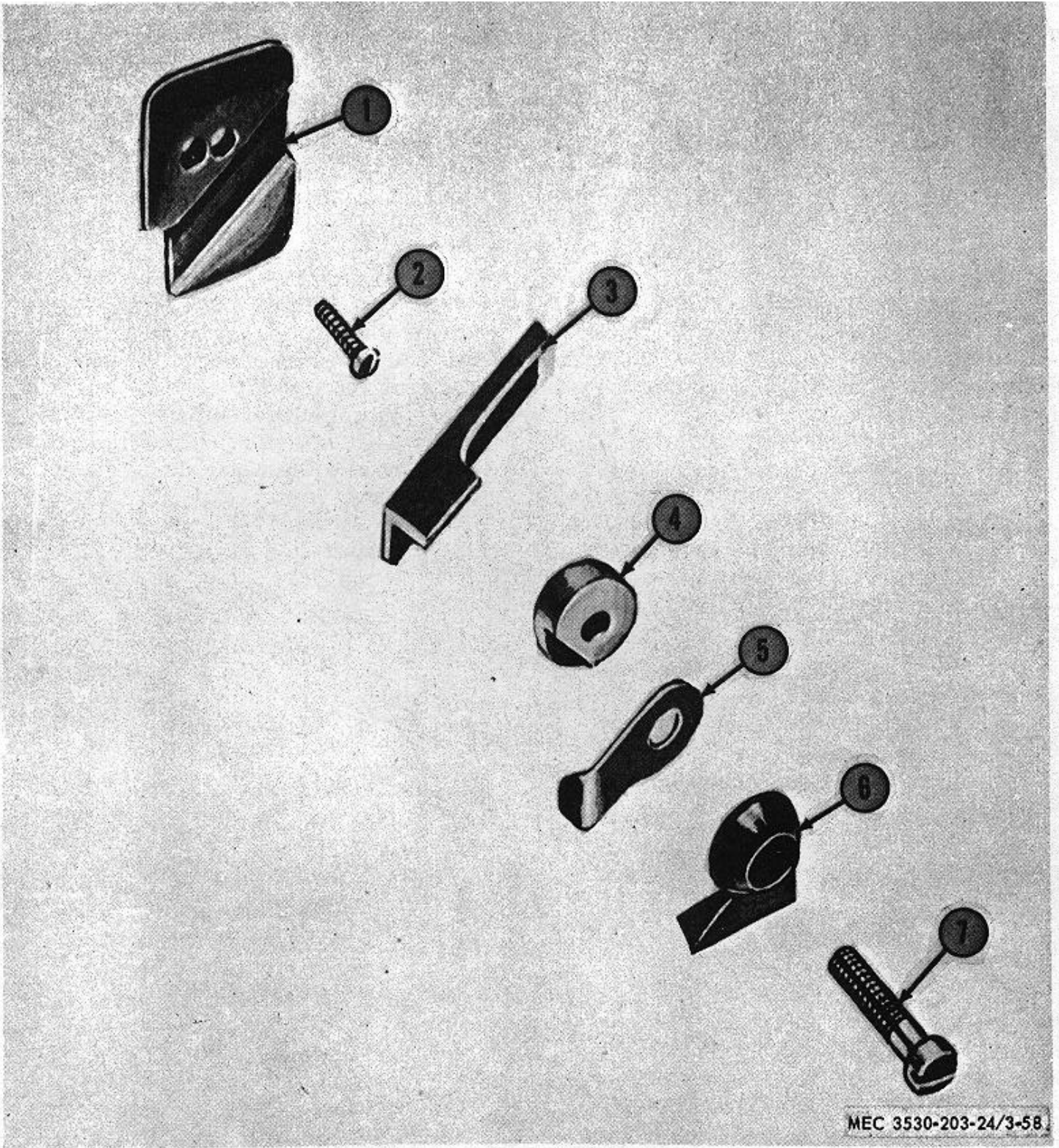
(2) Remove knife guards and knife clamp.

(3) Loosen knife holder screw.

(4) Move knife holder to right or left until cutting edge of movable knife, at its lowest point, is slightly below cutting edge of stationary knife.

(5) Tighten knife holder screw, and replace knife clamp, knife guards, and clamp screw.

(6) Press movable knife downward against stationary knife, and tighten clamp screw.



- 1 Holder, movable knife
- 2 Screw, knife holder
- 3 Knife, movable

- 4 Clamp, movable knife
- 5 Guard, movable knife upper

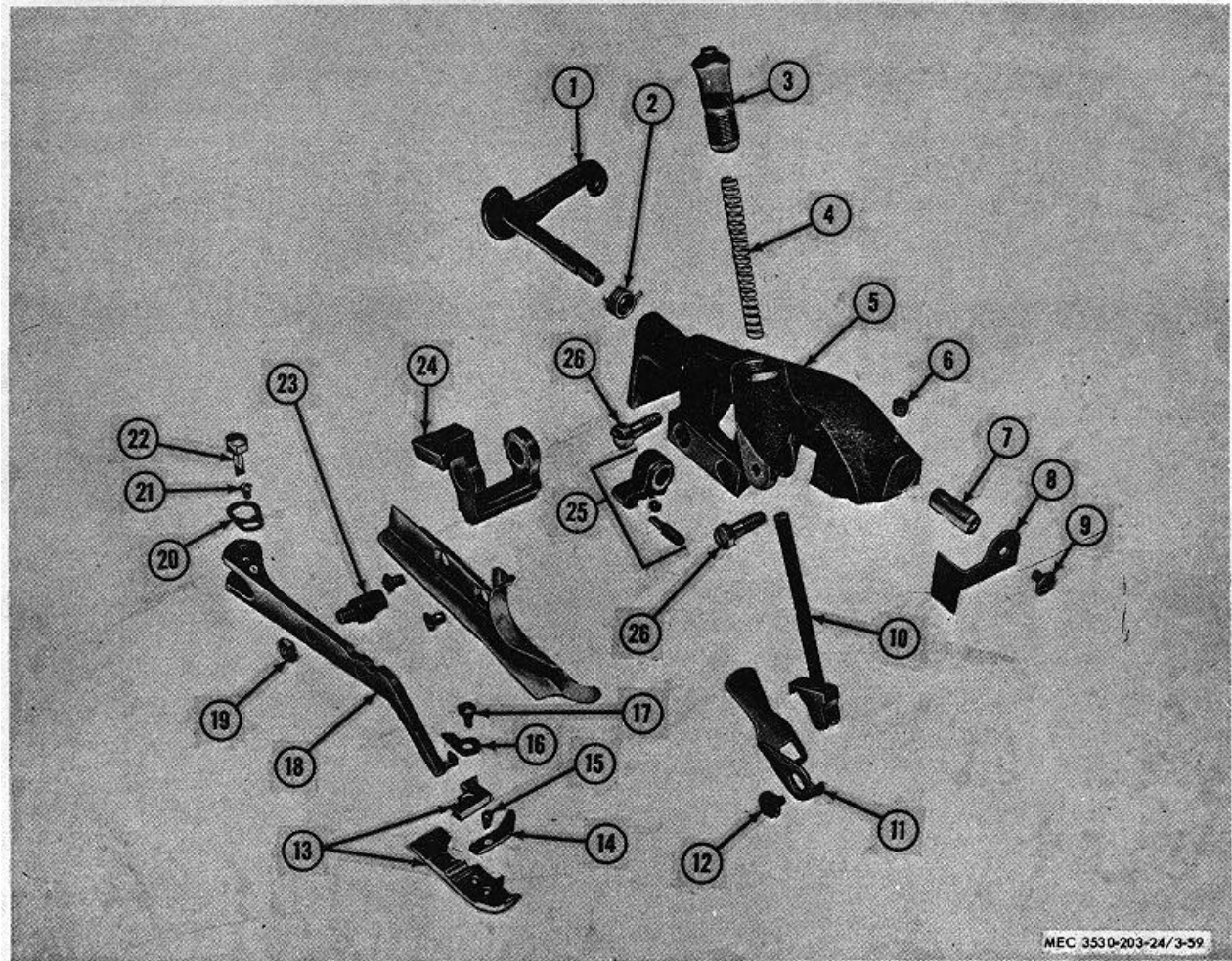
- 6 Guard, movable knife lower
- 7 Screw, knife clamp

Figure 3-58. Movable knife, disassembled.

3-109. Upright Presser Bar Thumbscrew and Spring

a. *Removal.* Remove the thumbscrew (3, fig. 3-59) from the presser bar housing (5) and lift out the presser bar lifting lever spring (4).

b. *Installation.* Replace the defective item with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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|--|--|---|
| 1 Lever, presser bar lifting | 11 Lever, presser bar swingout opening | 20 Lock, pivot screw |
| 2 Spring, presser bar lifting lever | 12 Screw, opening lever hinge | 21 Screw, pivot screw lock |
| 3 Thumbscrew, presser bar | 13 Foot, presser | 22 Screw, presser bar pivot |
| 4 Spring, upright presser bar | 14 Guide, presser | 23 Stud, presser swingout lifting |
| 5 Housing, movable knife lever and presser bar | 15 Screw, guide | 24 Bracket, head presser bar |
| 6 Setscrew, finger guard adapter | 16 Plate, presser foot clamping | 25 Bracket w/screws and stud, presser bar lifting |
| 7 Adapter, finger guard | 17 Screw, clamping plate | 26 Screws, housing |
| 8 Guard, finger | 18 Presser bar, swingout | |
| 9 Screw, guard | 19 Nut, lifting stud | |
| 10 Bar, upright presser | | |

Figure 3-59. Overedge sewing machine head, presser bar, and housing.

3-110. Finger Guard

a. *Removal.* Remove the screw (9, fig. 3-59) and take the finger guard (8) off the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective finger guard with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-111. Swingout Presser Bar Opening Lever.

a. *Removal.* Remove the screw (12, fig. 359) that secures the opening lever (11) to the presser bar (10) and remove the lever.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective lever with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-112. Presser Foot, Clamping Plate, and Guide

a. *Removal.*

(1) Raise up on the opening lever and swing out the presser bar.

(2) Remove the screw (17, fig. 3-59) that secures the clamping plate (16) and the presser foot (13) to the swingout presser bar (18), and remove the presser foot and clamping plate from the presser bar.

(3) Remove the screw (15) and the guide (14) from the presser foot (13).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-113. Needle Clamp, Nut, and Stop Pin

a. *Removal.*

(1) Remove the needle clamp (11, fig. 3-60) that secures the needle clamp (12) to the needle drive shaft (1) and remove the needle and the clamp

(2) Pull out the shaft stop pin (13).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

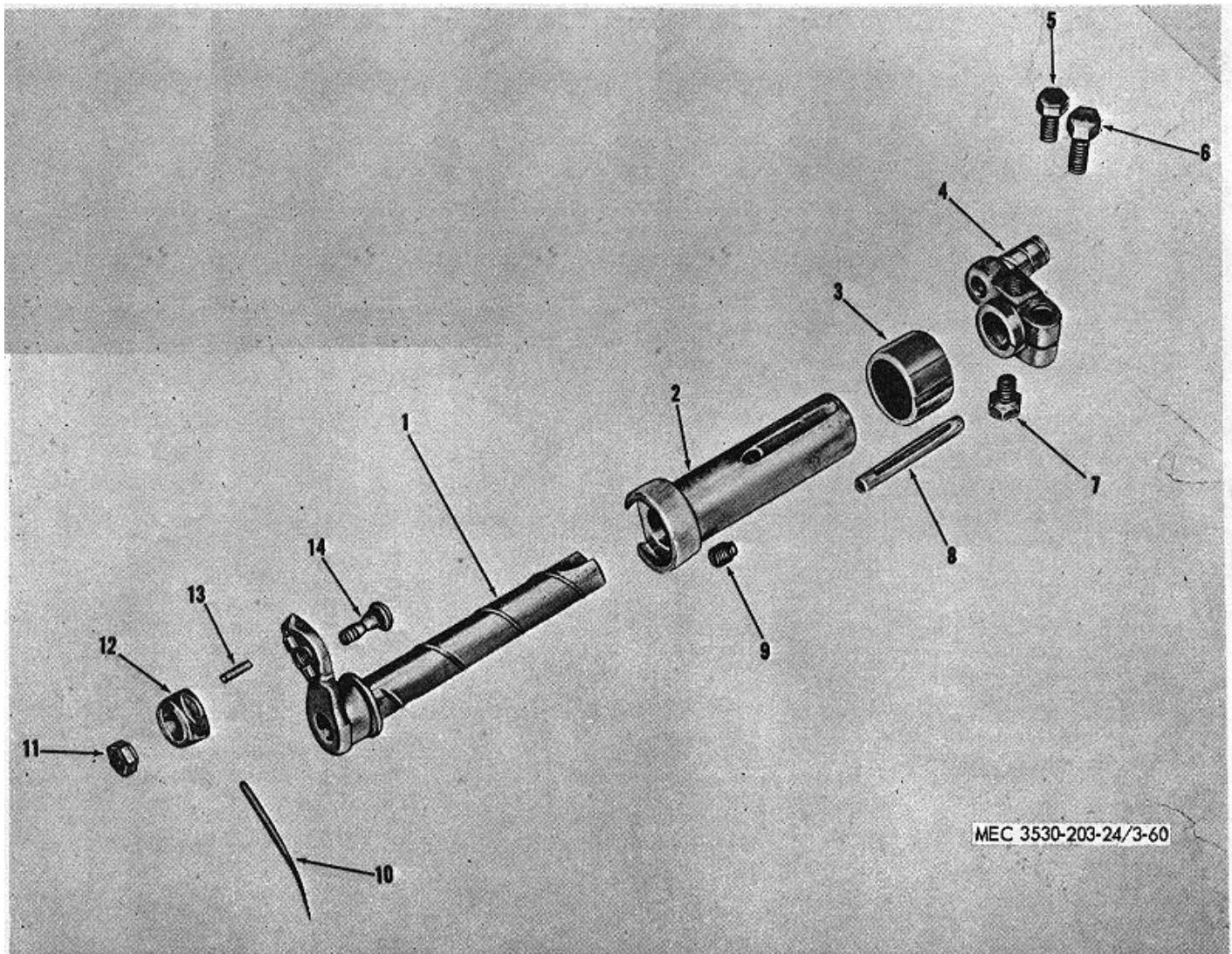


Figure 3-60. Overedge sewing machine needle drive shaft.

- 1 Shaft, needle drive
- 2 Bushing, needle drive shaft
- 3 Cap, needle drive shaft bushing
- 4 Crank, needle drive shaft
- 5 Setscrew, shaft crank

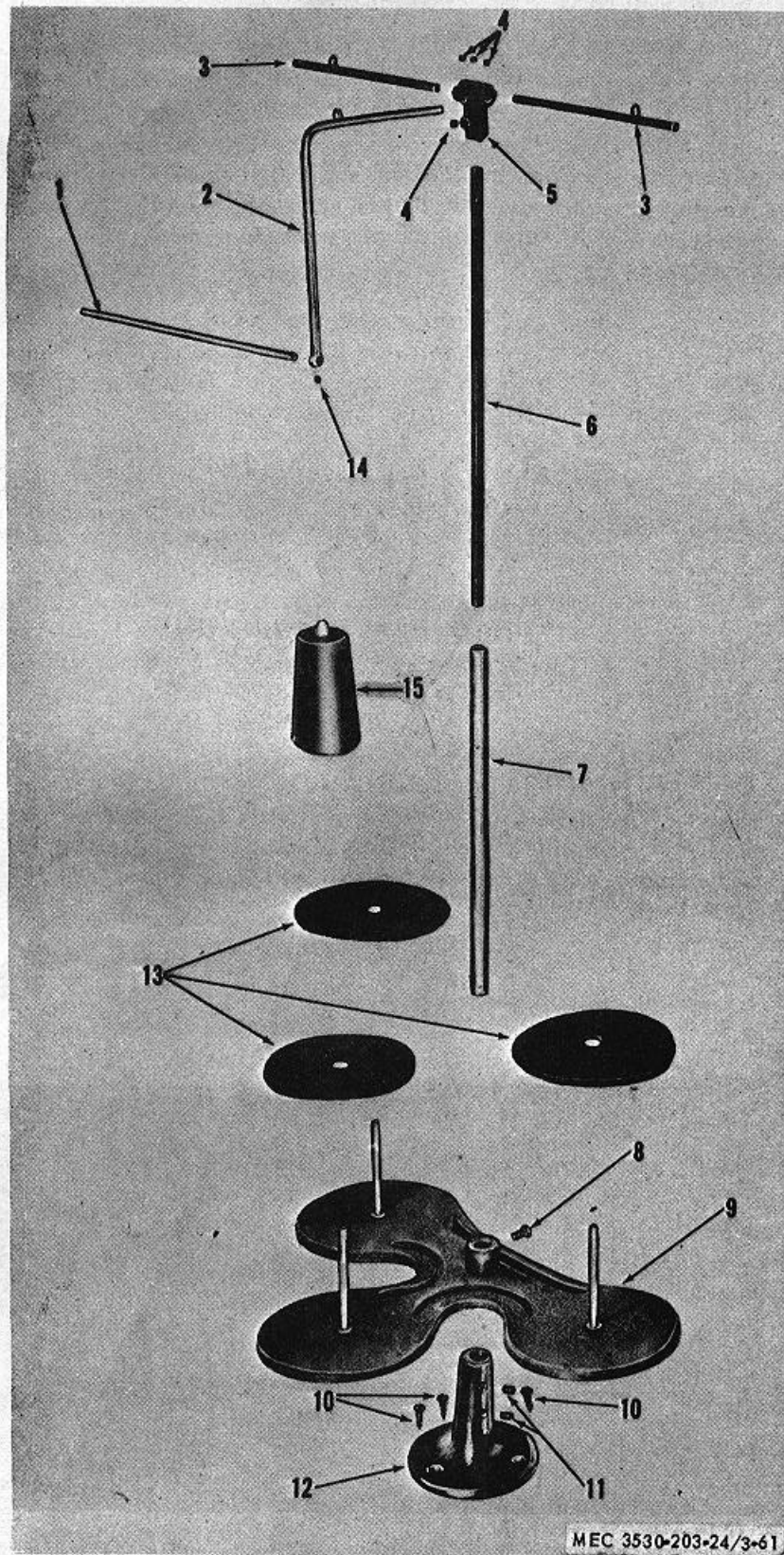
- 6 Screw, shaft crank
- 7 Setscrew, shaft crank
- 8 Lead, needle drive shaft bushing oil
- 9 Plug, needle drive shaft oil lead screw

- 10 Needle
- 11 Nut, needle clamp
- 12 Clamp, needle
- 13 Pin, shaft stop
- 14 Holder, needle

3-114. Three-Cone Thread Unwinder

a. Removal. Remove the three-cone thread unwinder by taking out the three wood screws (10, fig. 3-61) that secure it to the tabletop.

b. Installation. Replace defective thread unwinder with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.



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| 1 Guide, lower thread | 6 Rod, thread guide | 11 Setscrews, thread cone rest rod |
| 2 Support, lower thread guide | 7 Rod, thread cone rest | 12 Stand, spool rest |
| 3 Guides, upper thread | 8 Setscrew, thread cone rest | 13 Cushions, thread cone rest felt |
| 4 Setscrews, upper thread guide | 9 Rest, thread cone | 14 Setscrew, lower thread guide |
| 5 Holder, upper thread guide | 10 Screws, spool rest stand wood | 15 Cone, wood |

Figure 3-61. Three-cone thread unwinder, disassembled.

3-115. Guides, Support, and Holder

a. Removal.

- (1) Take out three setscrews (4, fig. 361) that secure the upper thread guides (3) and the lower thread guide support (2) to the upper thread guide holder (5).
- (2) Remove the lower thread guide (1) from the support (2) by loosening the setscrew (14).
- (3) Remove the setscrews (4) and the holder (5) from rod (6).

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-116. Rods, Rest, Cushions, and Stand

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the guides, support, and holder from the thread unwinder (para. 3-115).
- (2) Remove the setscrews (8 and 11, fig. 3-61) and remove the thread cone rest rod (7) and the rest (9) from the stand (12).

- (3) Separate the rods (6 and 7) from the rest (9) and take the rod (6) out of the rod (7).
- (4) Remove three thread cone rest cushions (13) from the thread cone rest (9).
- (5) Lift the rest off the stand (12) and remove the stand from table top by taking out three wood screws (10).

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-117. Thread Unwinder Wood Cone

a. Removal. One wood cone is provided for each of the uprights on the rest (9, fig. 3-61). They are removed by lifting them up and off the upright.

b. Installation. Replace defective cone with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section XI. TEXTILE SEWING MACHINE

3-118. General

This section covers the organizational maintenance instructions for the textile sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-119. Arm Cap

a. Removal. Unscrew and remove the arm capscrew that secures the arm cap to the arm, and remove the washer and lift it off the cap.

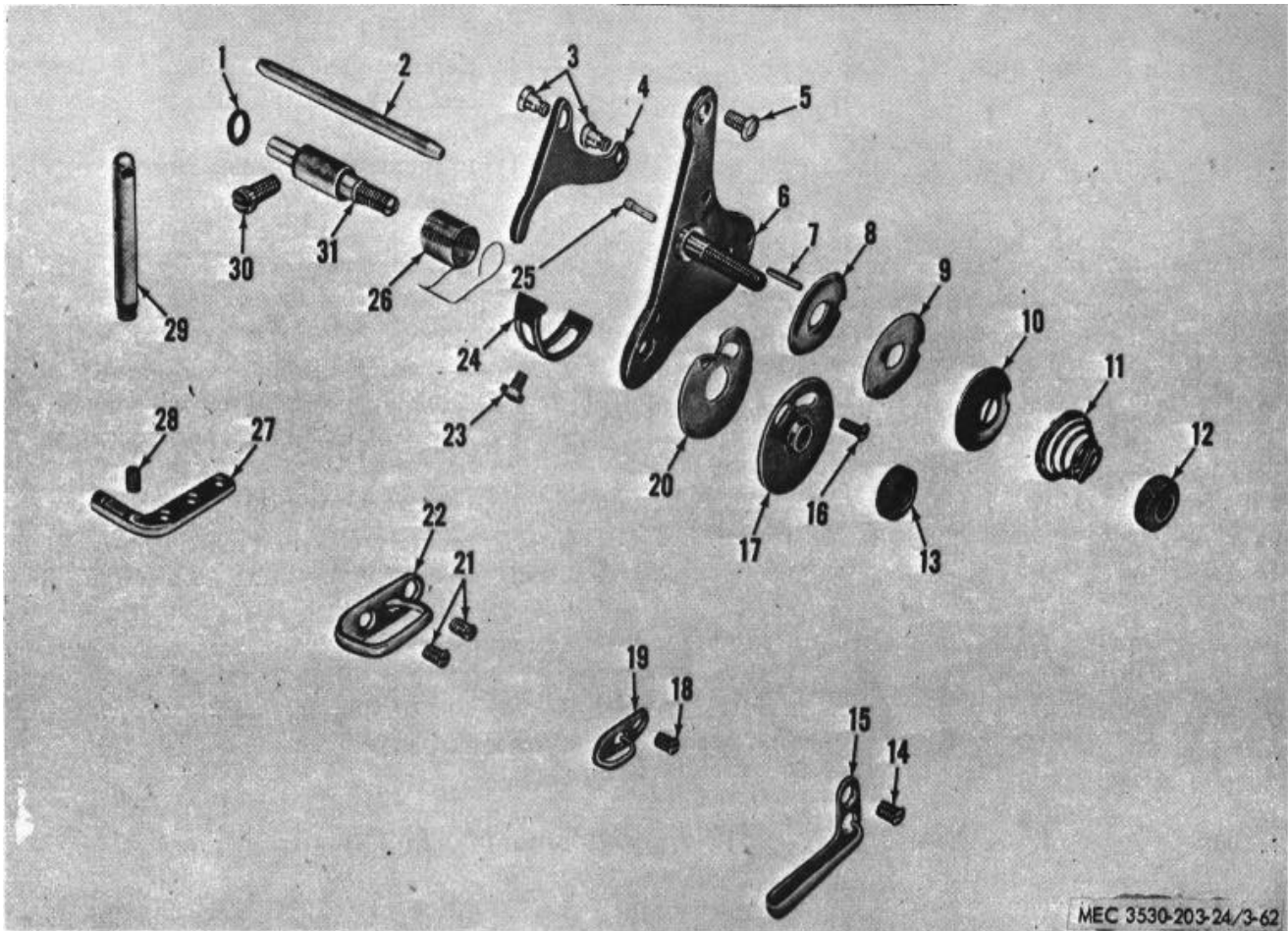
b. Installation. Reverse the procedure in a above.

3-120. Thread Guides

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the intermediate side thread guide (19, fig. 3-62) by removing the screw (18) and take the guide off the machine arm.
- (2) Remove the lower side thread guide (15) by removing the screw (14) and take the guide off the machine arm.
- (3) Remove the upper side thread guide (22) by removing the two screws (21) and take the guide off the machine arm.
- (4) Unscrew the top thread guide (29) and remove it from the top of the arm.

b. Installation. Replace defective guides with serviceable ones by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Washer, thread controller stud | 12 Nut, thread tension adjusting thumb | 23 Screw, thread controller spring stop |
| 2 Rod, tension release lever | 13 Nut, control disk adjusting | 24 Stop, thread controller spring |
| 3 Screws, tension release lever | 14 Screw, thread guide | 25 Plunger, tension release |
| 4 Lever, tension release | 15 Guide, lower side thread | 26 Spring, thread control |
| 5 Screw, tension bracket | 16 Screw, thread control disk | 27 Retainer, thread |
| 6 Bracket, tension | 17 Disk, thread control | 28 Setscrew, thread retainer |
| 7 Pin, position, tension disk | 18 Screw, thread guide | 29 Guide, arm top thread |
| 8 Disk, thread tension | 19 Guide, intermediate side thread | 30 Setscrew, thread controller stud |
| 9 Disk, thread tension | 20 Disk, thread control | 31 Stud, thread control disk |
| 10 Washer, thread tension release | 21 Screws, thread guide | |
| 11 Spring, thread control | 22 Guide, upper side thread | |

Figure 3-62. Tension assembly and thread guides, disassembled.

3-121. Thread Retainer

a. Removal. Remove the retainer setscrew (28, fig. 3-62) and take the retainer off the machine arm.

b. Installation. Replace defective retainer with a serviceable one by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-122. Drive Pulley With Balance Wheel

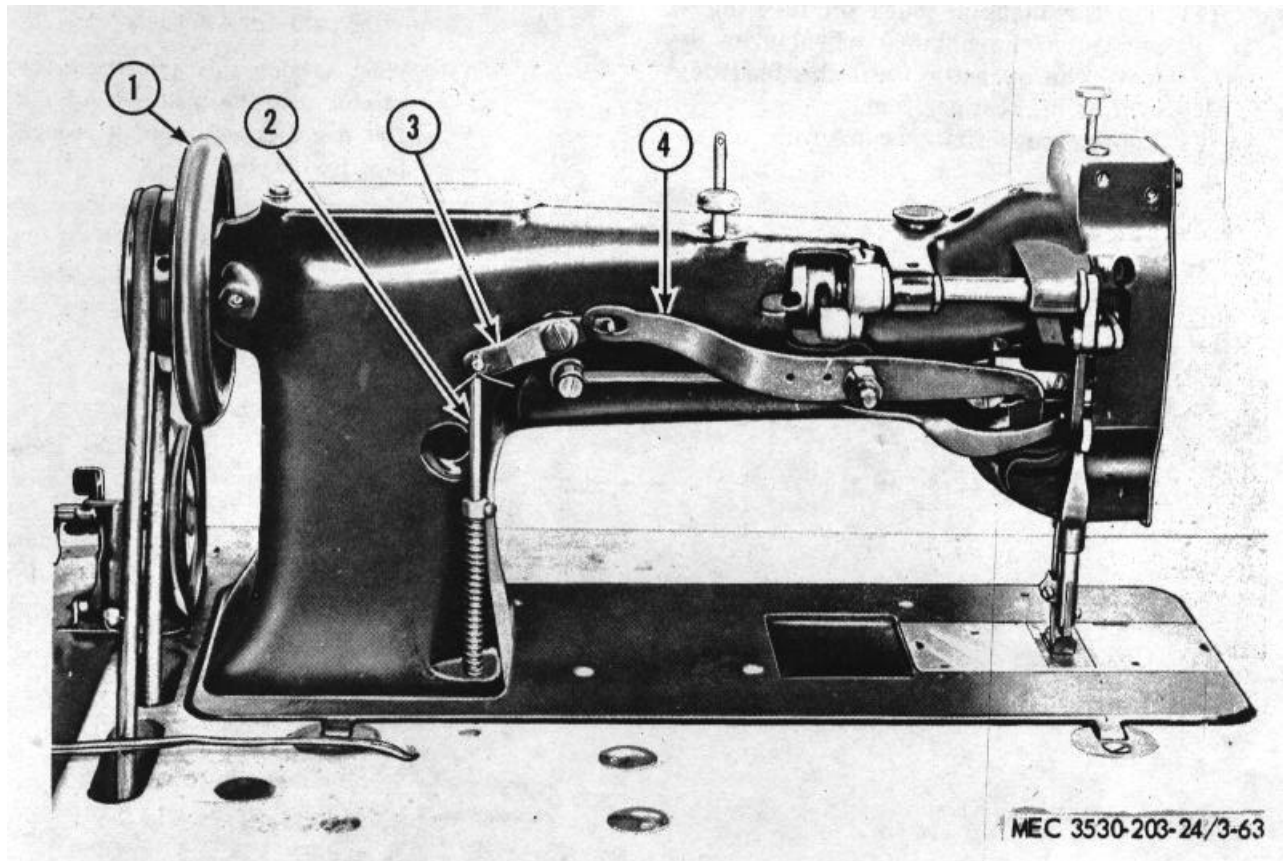
a. Removal.

(1) Slide round belt off drive pulley with balance wheel (1, fig. 3-63).

(2) Remove adjusting screw from end of arm shaft.

- (3) Remove setscrews that attach drive pulley with balance wheel to arm shaft, and remove drive pulley with balance wheel.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones by reversing procedure in a above.



1 Pulley with balance wheel,
arm shaft drive

2 Rod, lifting
3 Lever, lifting

4 Lever, connection

Figure 3-63. Textile sewing machine head, rear view.

3-123. Drive Shaft Oil Wick

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the faceplate by removing the thumbscrew which secures it to the machine.
- (2) Remove oil wick screw from end of the drive shaft.
- (3) Pull the wick from the drive shaft.

b. Installation. Reverse the procedure in a above.

3-124. Front Bushing Drive Shaft Oil Wick

a. Removal. Unscrew the thumbscrew that holds the wick to arm, and remove the wick.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-125. Front and Rear Slides, Throat Plate, and Feed Dog

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove front and rear slides (1 and 4, fig. 3-64) from machine bed.
- (2) Remove screws (2) that attach throat plate (15) to machine bed, and remove throat plate.
- (3) Remove screws (3) that attach feed dog (14) to feed bar (13), and remove feed dog.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones by reversing the procedure in a above.

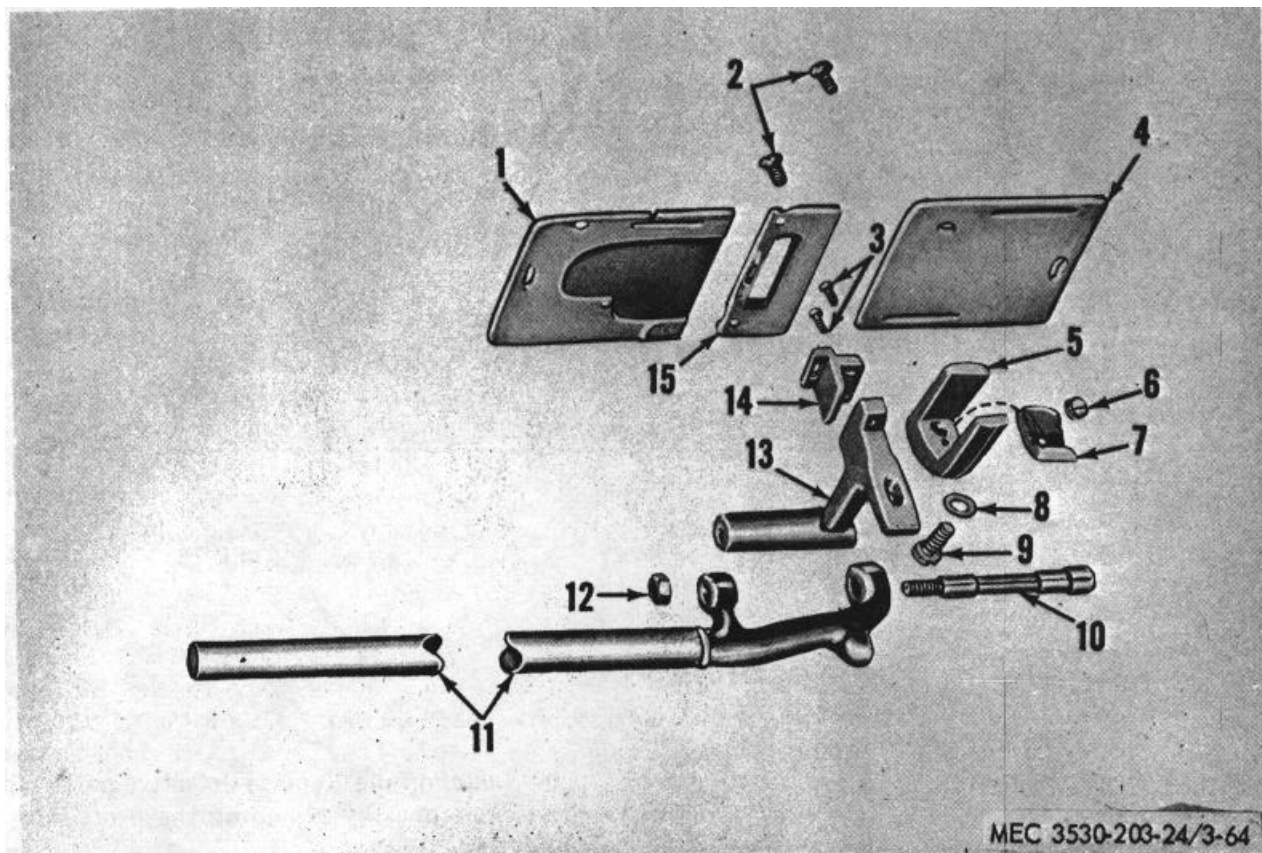
c. *Adjustment.* Adjust the feed dog as follows:

- (1) Tip the machine back on its hinges, and turn the balance wheel over toward the operator until the feed dog is at its highest position.
- (2) Loosen the lifting cam fork screw (9).
- (3) Raise or lower the feed bar (13) as necessary to make the feed dog stand the

distance of a tooth above the throat plate when the dog is at its highest position.

- (4) Tighten the cam fork screw.

Note. When making this adjustment, be careful that the underside of the feed dog does not drop low enough to strike the hook.



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| 1 Slide, front | 6 Screw, feed lifting cam oiling felt | 9 Screw, feed lifting cam fork | 12 Nut, feed driving connection hinge |
| 2 Screws, throat plate | 7 Pad, feed lifting cam | 10 Screw, feed driving connection hinge | 13 Bar, feed |
| 3 Screws, feed dog | 8 Washer, feed lifting cam fork screw | 11 Rockshaft feed driving | 14 Dog, feed |
| 4 Slide, rear | | | 15 Plate, throat |
| 5 Fork, feed lifting cam | | | |

Figure 3-64. Feed bar, fork, and rockshaft.

3-126. Shuttle Bobbin and Case and Thread Hook

a. *Removal and Disassembly.*

- (1) Remove feed dog (para. 3-125a).

- (2) Remove bobbin (3, fig. 3-65) from the machine.

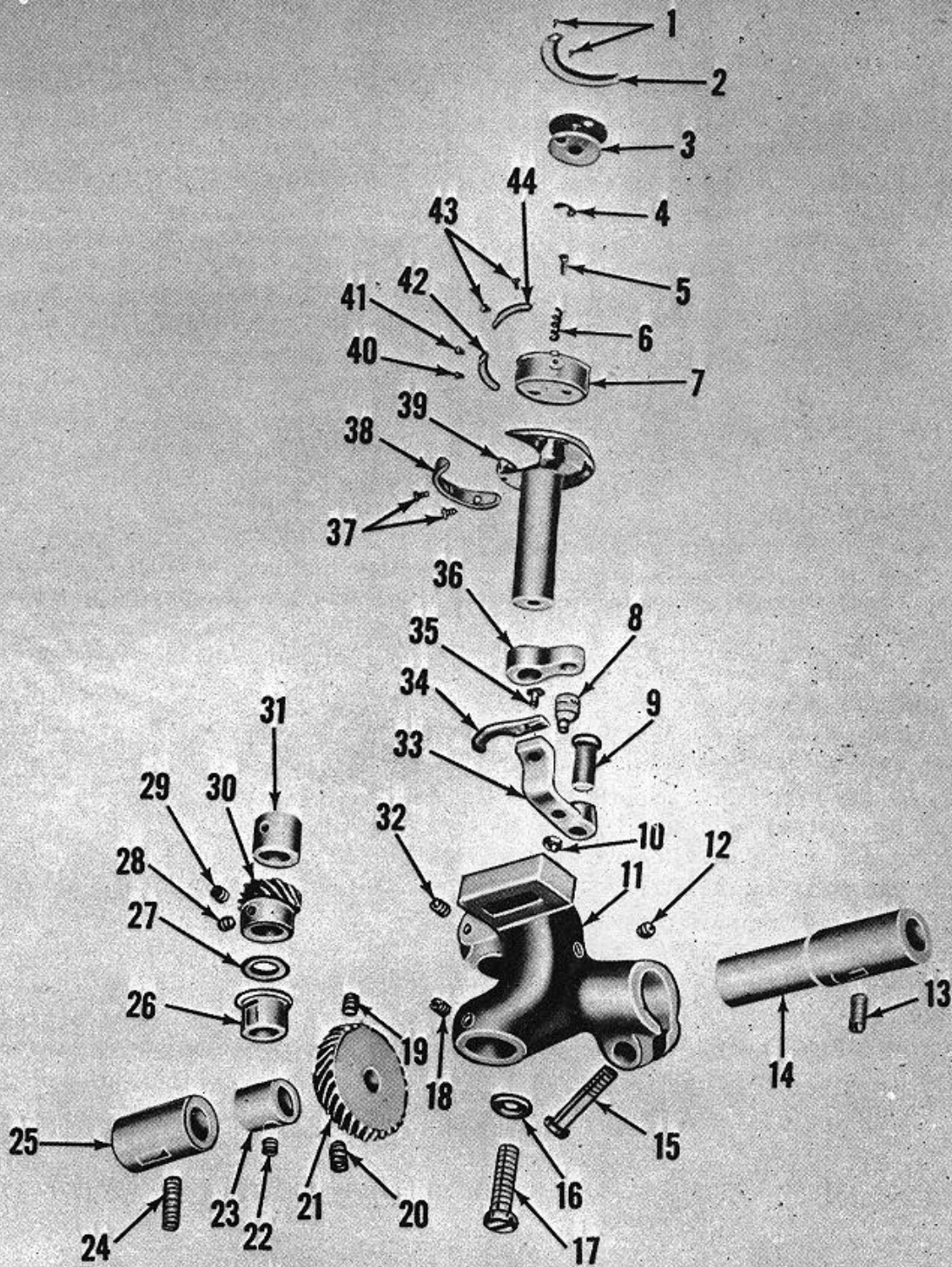
- (3) Remove screws (1) that attach thread hook gib (2) to thread hook

- (39), and remove thread hook gib.
- (4) Remove bobbin case (7).
 - (5) Remove bobbin case latch (4), plunger (5), and latch spring (6) from the bobbin case.
 - (6) Unscrew tension spring screw (40) and tension spring regulating screw (41) that attach fiat tension spring (42) to bobbin case, and remove flat tension spring.
 - (7) Unscrew retainer screws (43) that attach oiling retainer (44) to bobbin case, and remove felt retainer (44) to bobbin case, and remove felt retainer.
 - (8) Remove screw stud (8) that attaches bobbin case opener (34) to bobbin case opener lever (33), and remove bobbin case opener.
 - (9) Tilt the machine head back and loosen positioning screw (28) and setscrew (29) that attach hook driving pinion to thread hook shaft, and remove thread hook (39) from hook saddle (11).
 - (10) Remove bobbin case opener lever link (36).
 - (11) Remove setscrew that attaches bobbin case opener lever hinge stud (9) to hook saddle (11), and remove the opener lever (33) and lever hinge stud from hook saddle. Remove the lever hinge stud from the lever.
 - (12) Remove nut (10) that attaches opener lever driving screw (12) stud to opener lever, and remove opener lever driving screw stud.

b. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable one an(. assemble and install them reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the hook with the needle as follows:

- (1) Remove the slide plates and throat plate.
- (2) Check the needle for correct size and for proper installation. See that it is up in the needle bar as far as it will go.
- (3) Turn the balance wheel toward the operator until the needle is raised 3/32 inch. At this point, the hook should be directly in line with the needle.
- (4) If the hook point does not line up with the needle, loosen the setscrew (5, fig. 3-66) and positioning screw (4) in the hook drive pinion (1). Move the gear slightly to the right or left to aline the hook point with the needle. Tighten the setscrew and positioning screws.
- (5) If the hook is too far out of time, the following steps will have to be performed. The drive gear (14) must be disengaged from the hook drive pinion and the pinion must be moved either forward or backward until there are enough teeth to get the proper timing. This adjustment is made in the following manner:
 - (a) Loosen setscrew (7) and positioning screw (8) that hold drive gear to hook driving shaft.
 - (b) Loosen hook saddle screws (10 and 13) that attach hook saddle to machine bed.
 - (c) Slide drive gear to the left and hook saddle (11) to the right until the drive gear and hook drive pinion (1) become disengaged.
 - (d) Move the hook backward or forward to obtain proper timing. Slide the hook driving gear and saddle back in position, check the timing, and make final adjustments.

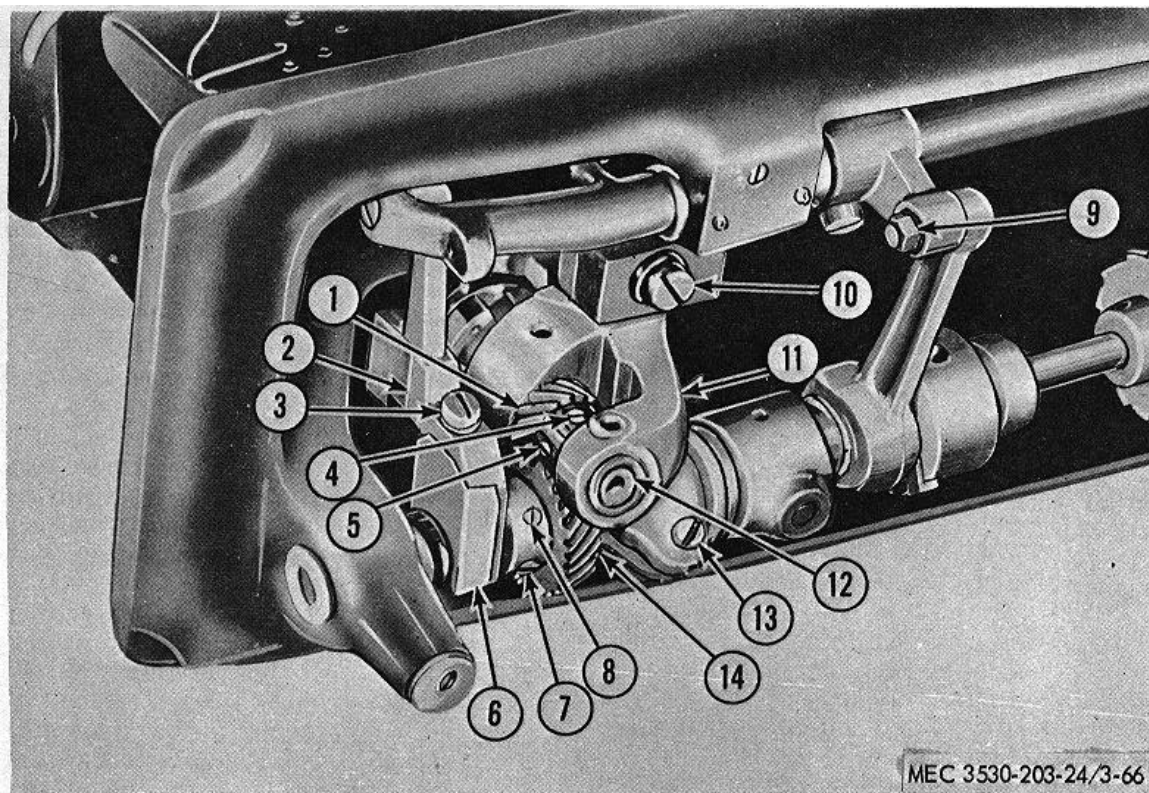


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Figure 3-65. Thread hook and bobbin, disassembled.

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| 1 | Screws, thread hook gib | 19 | Setscrew, thread hook spiral drive gear | 31 | Bushing, upper hook saddle |
| 2 | Gib, thread hook | 20 | Screw, thread hook spiral drive gear positioning | 32 | Screw, thread hook saddle, upper bushing positioning |
| 3 | Bobbin | 21 | Gear, drive | 33 | Lever, bobbin case opener |
| 4 | Latch, bobbin case | 22 | Setscrew, feed lifting cam | 34 | Opener, bobbin case |
| 5 | Plunger, bobbin case latch | 23 | Cam, feed lifting arm | 35 | Screw, bobbin case opener |
| 6 | Spring, bobbin case latch | 24 | Setscrew, thread hook drive shaft bushing | 36 | Link, bobbin case opener lever oiler felt |
| 7 | Case, bobbin | 25 | Bushing, thread hook drive shaft | 37 | Screw, thread hook needle guard |
| 8 | Stud, bobbin case opener lever driving screw | 26 | Bushing, hook saddle, lower | 38 | Guard, thread hook needle |
| 9 | Stud, bobbin case opener lever hinge | 27 | Washer, hook driving pinion | 39 | Hook, thread |
| 10 | Nut, screw stud | 28 | Screw, hook driving pinion positioning | 40 | Screw, bobbin case tension spring |
| 11 | Saddle, thread hook | 29 | Setscrew, thread hook drive pinion | 41 | Screw, bobbin case tension spring regulating |
| 12 | Screw, hook bushing position | 30 | Pinion, thread hook drive | 42 | Spring, bobbin case tension |
| 13 | Setscrew, thread hook saddle bearing | | | 43 | Screw, bobbin case oiling retainer |
| 14 | Bearing, tread hook saddle | | | 44 | Retainer, bobbin case |
| 15 | Screw, thread hook saddle | | | | |
| 16 | Washer, hook saddle screw | | | | |
| 17 | Screw, hook saddle | | | | |
| 18 | Setscrew, thread hook saddle lower bushing | | | | |

Figure 3-65 Continued



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| 1 | Pinion, thread hook drive | 6 | Fork, feed lifting cam | 10 | Screw, hook saddle |
| 2 | Bar, feed | 7 | Setscrew, thread hook drive gear | 11 | Saddle, thread hook |
| 3 | Screw, feed lifting cam fork | 8 | Screw, thread hook spiral drive gear positioning | 12 | Shaft, thread hook |
| 4 | Screw, hook driving pinion positioning | 9 | Nut | 13 | Screw, pinch thread hook saddle |
| 5 | Setscrew, thread hook drive pinion | | | 14 | Gear, drive |

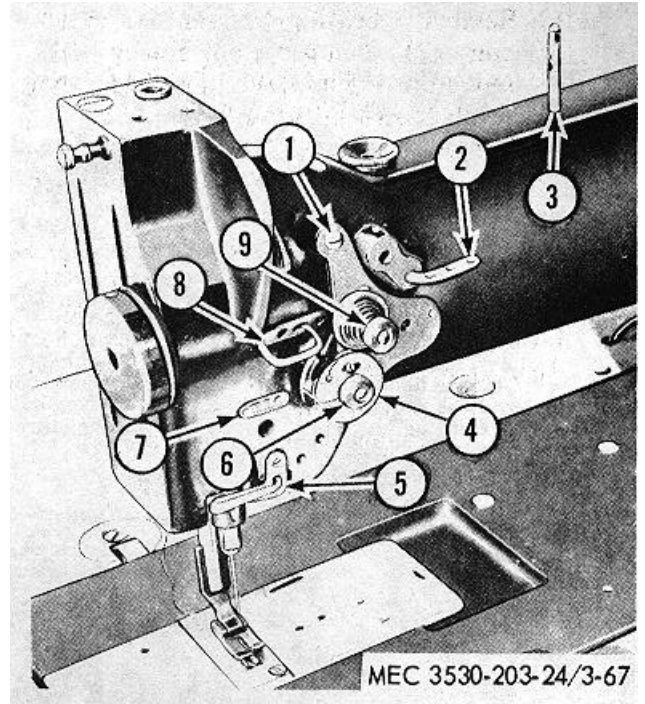
Figure 3-66. Thread hook and saddle installed.

3-127. Thread Tension Disks and Bracket Assembly

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Remove bracket screw (1, fig. 3-67) and adjusting thumb nut (4), and remove tension bracket assembly (9) from machine arm.
- (2) Remove level screws (3, fig. 3-62) from tension bracket (6). Remove release lever (4) and tension release plunger (25) from tension bracket.
- (3) Remove screw (16) that attaches thread control disks (17 and 20) to tension bracket, and remove thread control disks and control spring (26).
- (4) Unscrew adjusting thumb nut (12) from thread tension adjusting stud. Remove thread control spring (11), tension release washer (10), and thread tension disks (8 and 9) from adjusting stud.
- (5) Remove thread controller stud setscrew (30) and remove thread control stud (31). Remove stud washer (1) from stud.
- (6) Remove stop screw (23) and spring stop (24) from machine arm.

b. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable parts and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.



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| 1 | Screw, tension bracket | 6 | Stud, thread control disk |
| 2 | Retainer, thread | 7 | Guide, intermediate side thread |
| 3 | Guide, arm top thread | 8 | Guide, upper side thread |
| 4 | Nut, control disk adjusting thumb | 9 | Bracket assembly, tension |
| 5 | Guide, lower side thread | | |

Figure 3-67. Thread guide and bracket assembly, installed.

3-128. Needle Bar and Rock Frame

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55, fig. 3-68) and remove faceplate (53) from machine face.
- (2) Remove screw (42) that attaches lifting presser foot (41) to lifting presser bar (413), and remove presser foot.
- (3) Remove needle setscrew (37) and pull needle from the needle bar (34).
- (4) Remove vibrating presser foot screw (.10) that attaches vibrating presser foot (38) to vibrating presser bar (11).
- (5) Unscrew needle bar thread guide screw (36) and remove needle bar thread guide (35) from needle bar.
- (6) Remove positioning bracket screw (45) that attaches positioning bracket

- (44) to machine face, and remove positioning bracket.
- (7) Remove stud setscrew (48) and pull hinge stud (47) from machine head.
- (8) Remove lifting bellcrank screw (62) from presser bar lifting bracket (67) and slide bellcrank (63) off vibrating presser bar connecting links (64 and 68).
- (9) Pull vibrating presser bar connecting links off vibrating presser bar and from stud on end of vibrating presser bar shaft.
- (10) Remove regulating thumbscrew (5) from machine head.
- (11) Slide vibrating presser bar down to its lowest position.
- (12) Remove needle bar rock frame (46) and needle bar rock frame slide block (33) from the machine face.

- (13) Remove vibrating presser bar extension (7), compression spring (8), and vibrating presser bar (11) from needle bar rock frame (46).
- (14) Remove screw (17) in needle bar connecting stud (18) and slide needle bar from needle bar rock frame.

b. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Raise or lower needle bar by following procedure below:

- (1) Check the needle for proper size.

- (2) Loosen the needle setscrew (37) and push the needle up into the needle bar as far as it will go.
- (3) Turn the balance wheel toward the operator until the sewing hook is directly in line with needle. If properly adjusted, the needle eye is $\frac{1}{16}$ inch below the hook.
- (4) If adjustment is needed, remove the faceplate (53) and loosen the screw (17) in the needle bar connecting stud (18). Raise or lower the needle bar (34) as required. Tighten the screw.

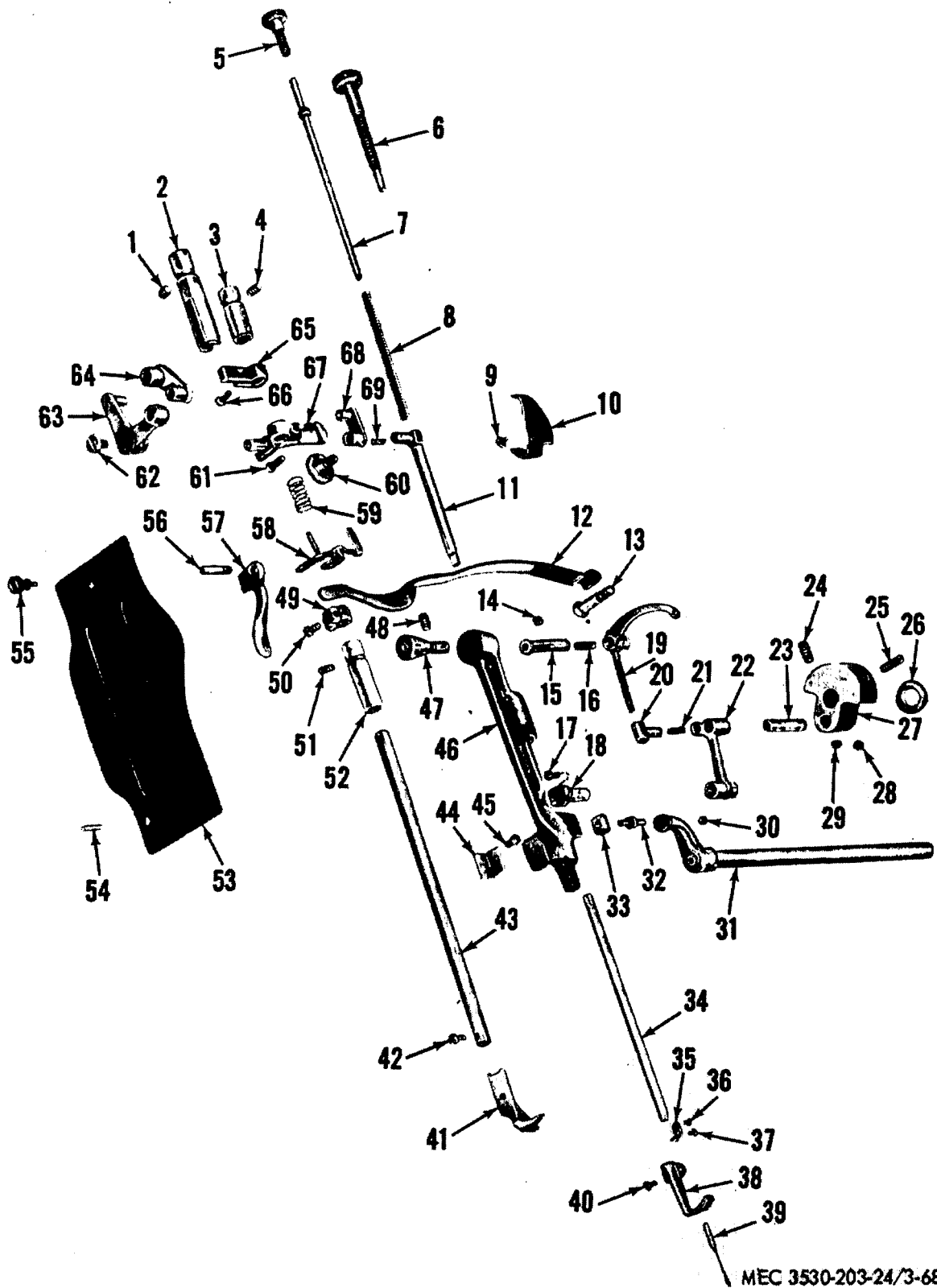


Figure 3-68. Faceplate, needle bar, lifting presser bar, and related parts.

1	Setscrew, presser bar position guide	22	Link, needle bar connecting	47	Stud, needle bar rock frame hinge
2	Guide, presser bar positioning	23	Stud, needle bar connecting link	48	Setscrew, needle bar rock frame hinge stud
3	Bushing, upper presser bar	24	Setscrew, needle bar drive crank	49	Bracket, presser bar spring
4	Setscrew, presser bar bushing	25	Setscrew, needle bar drive crank	50	Screw, presser bar spring bracket
5	Thumbscrew, vibrating presser bar pressure regulating	26	Washer, needle bar drive crank	51	Setscrew, lower presser bar
6	Screw, presser bar flat spring regulating	27	Crank, needle bar drive	52	Bushing, lower presser bar
7	Extension w/collar and pin vibrating presser bar	28	Setscrew, side needle bar connecting link stud	53	Faceplate
8	Spring, vibrating presser bar	29	Setscrew, bottom needle bar connecting link stud	54	Pin, faceplate positioning
9	Screw, needle bar connecting link oil guard	30	Setscrew, needle bar rock frame slide block stud	55	Thumbscrew, faceplate
10	Guard, connecting link oil	31	Rockshaft, needle bar rock frame	56	Screw, presser bar lifter
11	Bar, vibrating presser	32	Stud, needle bar rock frame slide block	57	Lifter, presser bar
12	Spring, lifting presser bar	33	Block, slide needle bar rock frame	58	Slide, thread tension release
13	Screw, presser bar flat spring	34	Bar, needle	59	Spring, thread tension release
14	Setscrew, thread takeup lever hinge	35	Guide, needle bar thread	60	Screw, presser bar lifting bracket guide
15	Stud, thread takeup lever hinge	36	Screw, needle bar thread guide	61	Screw, presser bar lifting bracket
16	Wick, thread takeup lever hinge stud oil	37	Setscrew, needle	62	Screw, lifting bellcrank
17	Screw, needle bar connecting stud	38	Foot, vibrating presser	63	Bellcrank, vibrating presser bar lifting
18	Stud, needle bar connecting	39	Needle	64	Link, vibrating presser bar connecting
19	Lever, thread takeup	40	Screw, vibrating presser foot	65	Lever, vibrating presser bar guide
20	Stud, thread takeup lever drive	41	Foot, lifting presser	66	Screw, vibrating presser bar
21	Wick, thread takeup lever drive stud oil	42	Screw, lifting presser foot	67	Bracket, presser bar lifting
		43	Bar, lifting presser	68	Link, vibrating presser bar connecting
		44	Bracket, needle bar rock frame positioning	69	Wick, vibrating presser bar connecting link oil
		45	Screw, needle bar rock frame positioning bracket		
		46	Frame, needle bar rock		

3-129. Lifting Presser Bar

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Release the presser bar lifter (57, fig. 3-68) from the machine.
- (2) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55) and slide faceplate (53) from machine face.
- (3) Remove screw (42) that attaches lifting pre, -r foot (41) to lifting presser bar (43) and remove lifting presser foot.
- (4) Remove lifting bellcrank screw (62) from presser bar lifting bracket (67) off vibrating presser bar connecting links (64 and 68).
- (5) Use the access hole in the back of machine face and loosen the presser spring bracket screw (50) in the presser bar spring bracket (49).
Loosen presser bar lifting bracket screw (61) in the presser bar lifting bracket (67). Loosen screw (66) in the lifting presser bar guide lever (65).
- (6) Remove lifting presser bar (43) out through the top of the machine face.

- (7) Remove vibrating presser bar guide lever (65), presser bar lifting bracket (67), thread tension release slide (58), thread tension release spring (59), and presser bar spring bracket (49).
- (8) Remove setscrews (4 and 51) that attach upper and lower presser bar bushings (3 and 52) to machine face and remove bushings.
- (9) Remove setscrew (1) that attaches presser bar positioning guide to machine face and remove guide.
- (10) Remove spring screw (6), bracket guide screw (60), and support screw (13) from machine arm, and remove flat spring (12).

b. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

3-130. Thread Takeup Lever

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55,

fig. 3-68) that holds the faceplate to the machine and remove faceplate.

- (2) Remove needle bar and rock frame (para. 3-128).
- (3) Unscrew the connecting link oil guard screw (9) that attached oil guard (10) to machine arm, and remove oil guard.
- (4) Turn needle bar drive crank (27) to its lowest position.
- (5) Remove setscrew (14) that attaches thread takeup lever hinge stud (15) to hinge, and remove hinge stud (47).
- (6) Grasp thread takeup lever (19) and needle bar connecting link off needle bar connecting link stud (23).
- (7) Remove thread takeup lever from thread takeup lever drive stud (20) and remove drive stud from connecting link.

b. Installation. Replace defective lever with a serviceable one by reversing procedure in a above.

3-131. Presser Bar Lifter

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55, fig. 3-68) that attaches faceplate to machine face, and remove faceplate off faceplate positioning pin (54).
- (2) Remove presser bar lifter screw (56) that attaches lifter (57) to machine head, and remove lifter.

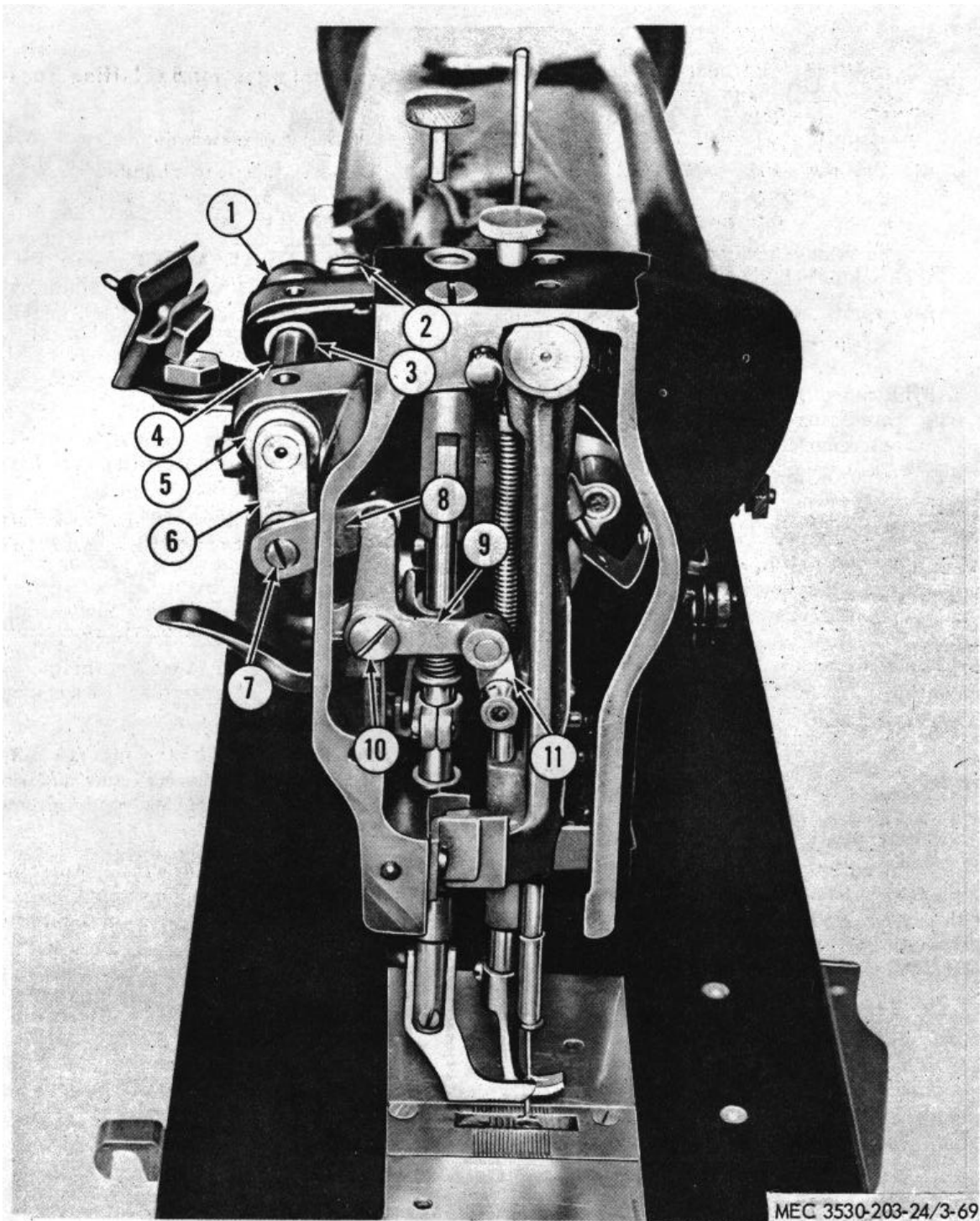
b. Installation. Replace defective lifter with serviceable one by reversing procedure in a above.

3-132. Vibrating Presser Bar Lifting Rockshaft

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55, fig. 3-68) and remove faceplate (53) from machine face.
- (2) Remove lifting bellcrank screw (62) from presser bar lifting bracket (67) and slide bellcrank (63) off vibrating presser bar links (64 and 68). Pull vibrating presser bar links from vibrating presser bar and from the stud on end of vibrating presser bar shaft.
- (3) Remove rockshaft crank screw (2, fig. 3-69) that attaches rockshaft crank (1) to lifting rockshaft (4).
- (4) Grasp left end of lifting rockshaft (4) and pull it out of rockshaft crank (1).
- (5) Remove lifting rockshaft crank from lifting rockshaft eccentric connector.
- (6) Push lifting rockshaft bushings (3 and 5) out of mounting brackets on back of machine arm.
- (7) Unscrew bellcrank stud nut (6) that attaches the bellcrank stud (7) to lifting rockshaft crank, and remove bellcrank stud.

b. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assembly and install them by reversing procedure in a above.



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|---|--|---|--|----|------------------------------|
| 1 | Crank, needle bar rock frame rockshaft | 4 | Rockshaft, vibrating presser bar lifting | 7 | Stud, lifting bellcrank link |
| 2 | Screw, needle bar rock frame rockshaft crank | 5 | Bushing, lifting | 8 | Link, lifting bellcrank |
| 3 | Bushing, rockshaft crank stud | 6 | Nut, lifting bellcrank | 9 | Bellcrank, lifting |
| | | | | 10 | Screw, lifting bellcrank |
| | | | | 11 | Link, lifting bellcrank |

Figure S-69. Vibrating presser bar lifting rockshaft, installed.

3-133. Knee Lifter Connection Lever, Knee Lifter Lifting Lever, and Lifting Rod

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Remove cotter pin that attaches rod (2, fig. 3-63) to lifting lever (3), and remove rod from lever and from machine bed.
- (2) Remove setscrew that attaches collar to rod, and remove collar and spring from rod.
- (3) Remove hinge screw that attaches connection lever (4) to machine arm, and remove lever.
- (4) Remove hinge screw that attaches lifting lever (3) to machine arm, and remove lifting lever.

b. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

3-134. Vibrating Presser Foot

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55, fig. 3-68) and remove faceplate (53) from machine face.
- (2) Remove screw (42) that attaches lifting presser foot (41) to lifting presser bar (43), and remove presser foot.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective vibrating presser foot with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-135. Lifting Presser Foot

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove faceplate thumbscrew (55, fig. 3-68) and remove faceplate (53) from machine face.
- (2) Remove screw (42) that attaches lifting presser foot (41) to lifting presser bar (43), and remove presser foot.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective lifting presser foot with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section XII. BOBBIN WINDER

3-136. General

This section covers the organizational maintenance instructions for the bobbin winder, which is used on the clothing, darning, and textile sewing machine to wind the thread on the bobbins. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

3-137. Thread Tension Spring, Disks, and Bracket

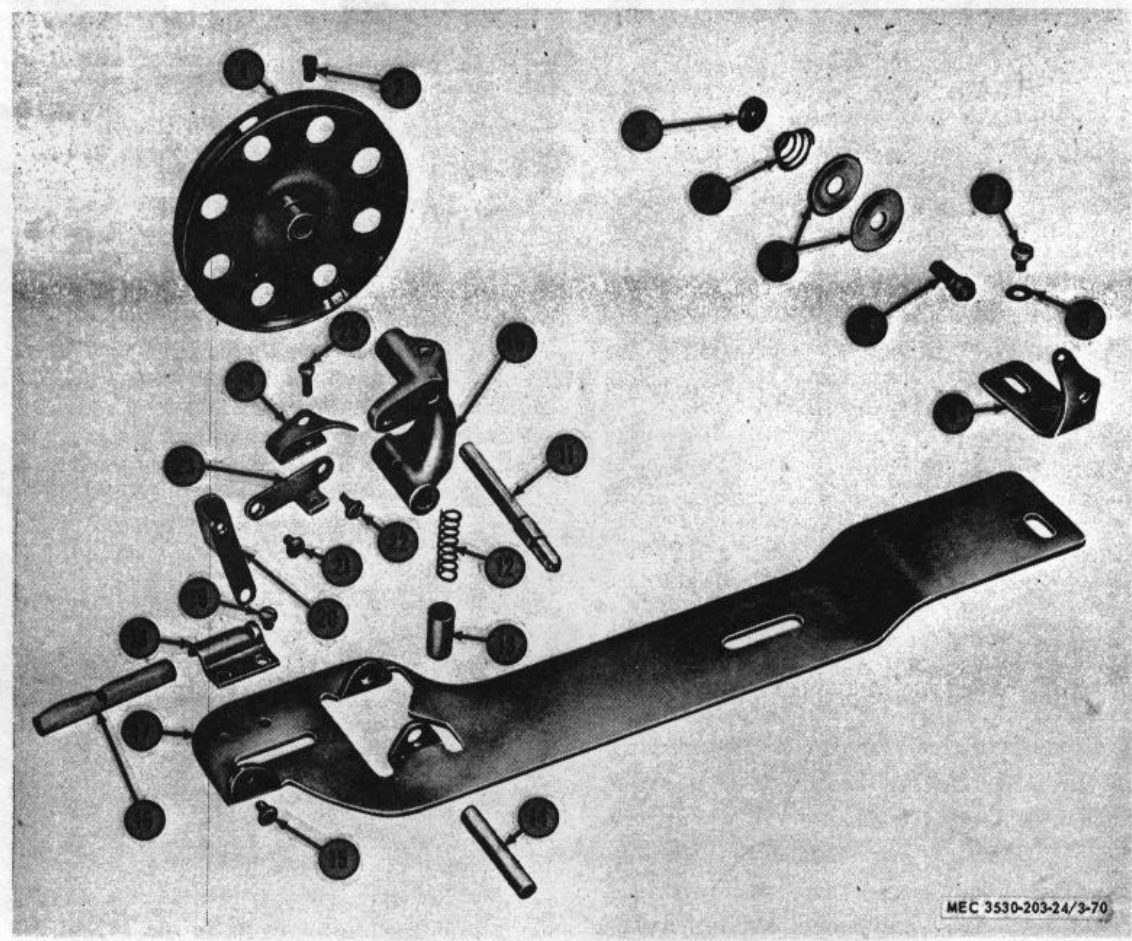
a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumb nut (3, fig. 3-70) that holds the thread tension compression spring (4) and the two thread tension disks (5) onto the thread tension stud (6), and

remove the spring and the two disks from the stud.

- (2) Remove the tension bracket screw (7) and the bracket screw washer (8) that hold the thread tension bracket (9) to the base (17).
- (3) Remove the thread tension bracket with stud (6) from the base.
- (4) Drive the thread tension stud from the thread tension bracket.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above. Peen the thread tension stud to secure it to the bracket.



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| 1 Pulley | 10 Frame | 18 Clamp, brake |
| 2 Setscrew, pulley | 11 Spindle | 19 Screw, brake clamp |
| 3 Nut, stud thumb | 12 Spring, frame | 20 Lever, stop latch thumb |
| 4 Spring, thread tension compression | 13 Plunger, frame spring | 21 Stud, stop latch lever hinge |
| 5 Disks, thread tension | 14 Pin, frame hinge | 22 Screw, trip lever hinge |
| 6 Stud, thread tension | 15 Stud, stop latch lever joint | 23 Lever, stop latch trip |
| 7 Screw, tension bracket | 16 Brake, leather | 24 Latch, stop |
| 8 Washer, bracket screw | 17 Base | 25 Screw, stop latch |
| 9 Bracket, thread tension | | |

Figure 3-70. Bobbin winder, disassembled.

3-138. Pulley and Spindle

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the setscrew (2, fig. 3-70) that holds the pulley (1) on the spindle (11), and remove the pulley from the spindle.
- (2) Pull the spindle from the frame (10).

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-139. Stop Latch, Levers, Plunger, and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the Atop latch screw (25, fig.

- 3-70) and the stop latch (24) from the stop latch trip lever (23).
- (2) Remove the trip lever hinge screw (22) from the frame (10) to release the stop latch trip lever (20) from the frame.
 - (3) Drive the frame hinge pin (14) from the base and from the frame.
 - (4) Remove the frame (10), the frame spring (12), and the frame spring plunger (13) from the base.
 - (5) Remove the plunger (13) and the spring (12) from the frame.
 - (6) Drive the stop latch lever joint stud (15) from the base; then, remove the stop latch thumb lever (20) with the stop latch trip lever (23).
 - (7) Drive the stop latch lever hinge stud (21) from the stop latch thumb lever (20) and from the stop latch trip lever (23),

separating the trip lever from the thumb lever.

b. Assembly. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-140. Brake and Clamp

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the brake clamp screws (19, fig. 3-70) that secure the brake clamp (18) to the base (17).
- (2) Remove the brake clamp with the leather brake (16) from the base; then, separate the leather brake from the brake clamp.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section XIII. THREAD UNWINDER

3-141. General

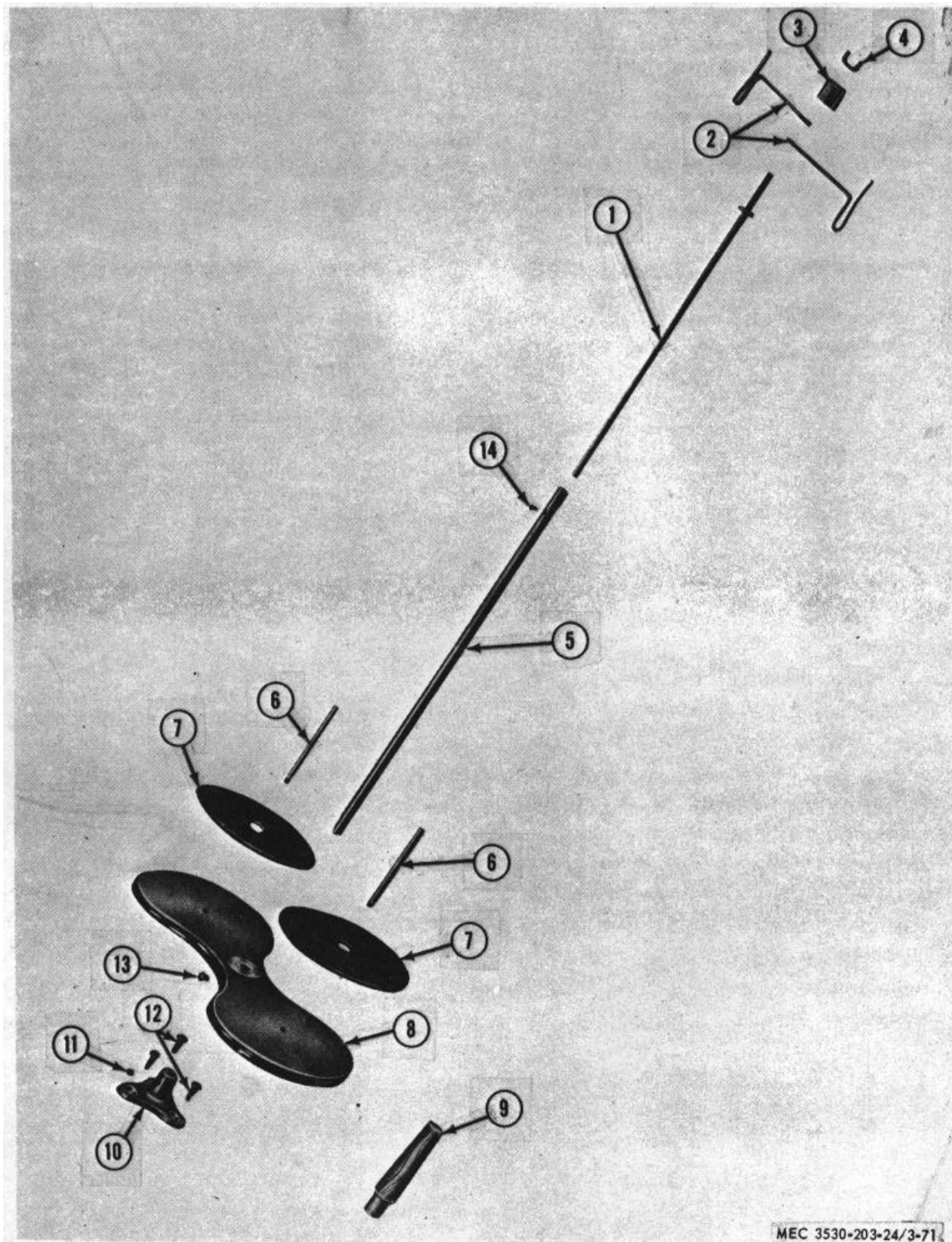
The two-cone thread unwinder (fig. 3-71) is used with the clothing, the darning, and the textile sewing machines. It is used to unwind the thread from the spools as the machine sews or stitches the thread. The two-cone thread unwinder is the same as the one-cone thread unwinder except the one-cone thread unwinder has a cone rest for one spool of thread and the two-cone thread unwinder has a two-cone rest for two spools of thread. The instructions in the following paragraphs in this section are applicable to the parts on the one-cone thread unwinder or to the parts on the two-cone thread unwinder.

3-142. Thread Guides, Cup, and Thread Guide Rod

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thread guide locknut (4, fig. 3-71) that holds the cup (3) and the thread guides (2) to the end of the rod (1) and remove the cup (3) from the rod (1).
- (2) Lift the thread guides (2) from the rod (1).
- (3) Remove the setscrew (14) that secures the thread guide rod (1) to the thread rest rod (5) and remove the thread guide rod (1) from the thread rest rod (5).

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 | Rod, thread guide | 6 | Pins, spool | 11 | Setscrew, rest rod |
| 2 | Guides, thread | 7 | Cushions, felt | 12 | Screws, wood |
| 3 | Cup, thread guide positioning | 8 | Rest, two-cone | 13 | Setscrew, cone rest |
| 4 | Locknut, thread guide | 9 | Rest, machine | 14 | Setscrew, rod |
| 5 | Rod, thread rest | 10 | Stand, spool rest | | |

Figure 3-71. Two-cone thread unwinder, disassembled.

3-143. Thread Rest Rod, Rest, and Cushions

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the setscrew (14, fig. 3-71) that secures the thread guide rod (1) to the thread rest rod (5), and remove the thread guide rod (1) with thread guides (2) and cup (3) from the thread rest rod (5).
- (2) Remove the setscrew (13) that holds the two-cone rest (8) to the rod (5), and remove the rest with felt cushions (7) and pins (6) from the rod (5).
- (3) Take the felt cushions from the rest and the pins.
- (4) Remove the setscrew (11) that holds the rod (5) in the stand (10), and remove the rod from the stand.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones, and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

3-144. Spool Rest Stand

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the setscrew (11, fig. 3-71) that holds the rod (5) in the stand (10), and remove the rod (5) with assembled parts from the stand.
- (2) Remove the three screws (12) that hold the stand (10) to the tabletop, and remove the stand from the tabletop.

b. Installation. Replace defective stand with a serviceable one, and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

CHAPTER 4

DIRECT AND GENERAL SUPPORT MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

Section I. TROUBLESHOOTING

4-1. General

This section provides information useful to the direct and general support maintenance personnel in correcting unsatisfactory operation of the textile repair shop and its components. Each trouble symptom stated is followed by the probable cause of the trouble. The possible remedy recommended is described opposite the probable cause. Any trouble that is beyond the ability of the direct and general support maintenance personnel must be reported according to the instructions given in TM 38-750. Refer to the troubleshooting information for the generator set and the cargo trailer in the appropriate technical manuals listed in appendix I.

4-2. Cabinet Assembly

a. Holddown Clamp Assembly is Loosely Mounted.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Capscrew has stripped threads.	Install serviceable cap-screw.
Arm of clamp has stripped threads.	Install serviceable clamp assembly (para. 4-12).
Screws and nuts have stripped threads.	Install serviceable screws and nuts (para. 4-12).

b. Rear Door or a Side Door Does Not Close Securely.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Hinge is bent or broken (para. 4-13).	Install serviceable hinge
Gasket is defective (para. 4-13).	Install serviceable gasket

c. Rear Door or a Side Door Will Not Remain In Open Position.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Door stay is	Install serviceable door stay (para. 4-13) or install serviceable stay assembly (para. 4-13). Repair door stay (para. 4-13).

d. Stowage Box Does Not Close Securely.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Hinge is bent or broken Latch is defective	Repair hinge. Install serviceable latch (para. 4-10).

e. Generator is Loosely Mounted on Slides.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Holddown assembly is bent	Repair holddown assembly (para. 4-14c).

4-3. Clothing Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Shuttle drive setscrews are loose.	Tighten setscrews.
Shuttle drive pin is sheared.	Install serviceable pin (para. 4-30).
Shuttle drive is bent	Install serviceable shuttle driver (para. 4-30).
Feed and feed lifting eccentric is broken.	Install serviceable feed and feed lifting eccentric (para. 4-29).

b. Needle Thread Breaks.

<i>Probable cause</i>	<i>Possible remedy</i>
Feed and feed lifting eccentric is broken.	Install serviceable feed and feed lifting eccentric (para. 4-29).
Shuttle driver is out of adjustment.	Adjust shuttle driver (para. 4-30).

c. Stitches Skip.

Probable cause
Shuttle driver is worn excessively.

Possible remedy
Install serviceable shuttle driver (para. 4-30).

d. Stitches Uneven or Pile Up.

Probable cause
Feed lifting rockshaft and crank out of adjustment.

Possible remedy
Adjust feed lifting rockshaft and crank (para. 4-31).

Feed bar is worn excessively.

Install serviceable feed bar (para. 4-31).

Feed rockshaft is out of adjustment.

Adjust feed rockshaft (para. 4-31).

Feed lifting rockshaft is out of adjustment.

Adjust feed lifting rockshaft (para. 4-31).

Feed fork connecting link is broken.

Install serviceable feed fork connecting link (para. 4-27).

Oscillating shaft slide block is worn excessively.

Install serviceable oscillating shaft crank slide block (para. 4-30).

e. Motor Fails to Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause
Flywheel is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel (para. 4-18).

f. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Probable cause
Motor bearings are worn

Possible remedy
Install serviceable bearings (para. 4-19).

4-4. Darning Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

Probable cause
Needle bar bushing is worn excessively.

Possible remedy
Install serviceable bushing (para. 4-41).

b. Needle Thread Breaks.

Probable cause
Thread hook is burred, broken, or excessively worn.

Possible remedy
Install serviceable hook (para. 4-45).

Bobbin case lever is broken.

Install serviceable lever (para. 4-45).

c. Stitches Skip.

Probable cause
Thread hook is defective (para. 4-45).

Possible remedy
Install serviceable hook

d. Motor Fails to Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause
Flywheel is defective (para. 4-18).

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel

e. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Probable cause
Motor bearings are worn (para. 4-19),

Possible remedy
Install serviceable bearings

4-5. Heavy-Duty Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

Probable cause
Feed bar is worn excessively.

Possible remedy
Install serviceable feed bar (para. 4-54).

b. Needle Thread Breaks.

Probable cause
Shuttle driver is broken or bent beyond repair.

Possible remedy
Install serviceable shuttle driver (para. 4-56).

c. Stitches Skip.

Probable cause
Shuttle driver is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable shuttle driver (para. 4-56).

d. Motor Does Not Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause
Flywheel is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel (para. 4-18).

e. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Probable cause
Motor bearings are worn

Possible remedy
Install serviceable bearings (para. 4-19).

f. Motor Does Not Pull Load.

Probable cause
Motor is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel and pad (para. 4-18).

4-6. Overedge Sewing Machine

a. Motor Does Not Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause
Flywheel is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel (para. 4-18).

b. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Probable cause
Motor bearings are worn

Possible remedy
Install serviceable bearings (para. 4-19).

c. Motor Does Not Pull Load.

Probable cause
Motor is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel and pad (para. 4-18).

4-7. Textile Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

Probable cause
Hook saddle is worn excessively.

Possible remedy
Install serviceable hook saddle (para. 4-70).

b. Needle Thread Breaks.

Probable cause
Hook saddle is broken (para. 4-70).

Possible remedy
Install serviceable hook

c. Stitches Skip.

Probable cause
Hook saddle is broken

Possible remedy
Install serviceable hook saddle (para. 4-7(0)).

e. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Probable cause
Motor bearings are worn

Possible remedy
Install serviceable bearings (para. 4-19).

d. Motor Does Not Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause
Flywheel is defective (para. 4-18).

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel

f. Motor Does Not Pull Load.

Probable cause
Motor is defective

Possible remedy
Install serviceable flywheel and pad (para. 4-18).

Section II. CABINET ASSEMBLY

4-8. General

This section covers the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the cabinet assembly and components. Any deficiencies which the direct and general support maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct or repair must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

4-9. Stowage Box Assembly

a. Inspection, Removal, and Installation. Refer to the procedures in paragraph 3-14.

b. Repair. Straighten bends and dents and install serviceable latch and hook.

4-10. Stowage Box Latch and Hook

Each stowage box has two latches and two hooks mounted on it. The information in the following paragraph applies to any of the latches and hooks.

a. Removal.

- (1) Pull the stowage box assembly out of the cabinet, and remove the items from the box.
- (2) Cut and drive out the rivets that hold the hook and the latch (2 and 3, fig. 3-7) to the stowage box.

b. Installation. Replace defective hook and latch with serviceable ones. Use 1/s-X 3.8-inch universal-head aluminum rivets to rivet the hook and the latch on the stowage box assembly.

4-11. Lifting Loop Assembly

a. Inspection, Removal, and Installation. Refer to the procedures in paragraph 3-15.

b. Repair. Straighten bends and weld breaks or cracks, being certain the loop assembly is welded securely and properly to the cabinet assembly.

4-12. Holddown Clamp Assembly

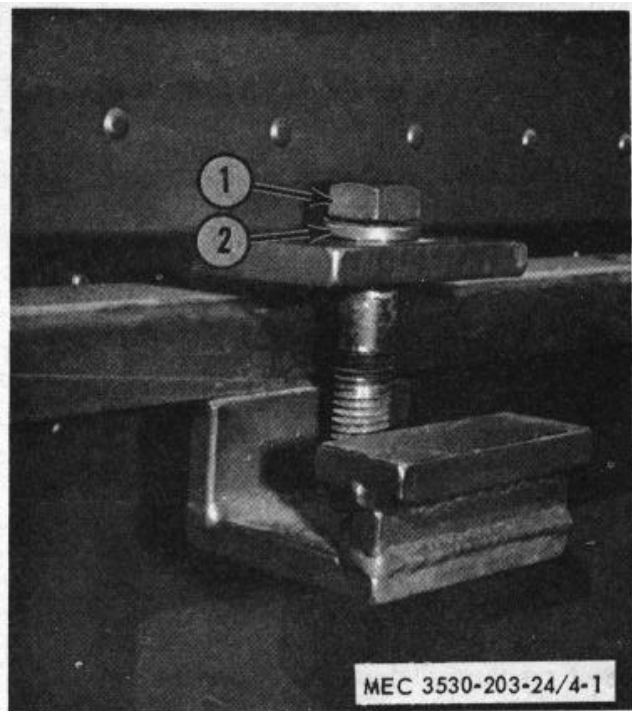
The holddown clamp assemblies are used for fastening and holding the cabinet assembly securely in the bed of the cargo trailer. The following instructions apply to the holddown clamp assemblies.

a. Removal.

- (1) Loosen the capscrew (1, fig. 4-1) and turn the clamp assembly away from the trailer as shown in figure 4-1.
- (2) Lift the cabinet assembly enough for the capscrew to clear the trailer bed.
- (3) Remove the nuts, lockwashers, and screws that secure the holddown clamp assembly to the cabinet, and remove the holddown clamp assembly from the cabinet.
- (4) Drive the roll pin from the end of the capscrew.
- (5) Remove the capscrew and lockwasher (2) from the holddown clamp assembly.

b. Repair. Straighten all bends and weld breaks.

c. Installation. Replace defective holddown clamp assembly and capscrew with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.



1 Capscrew 2 Lockwasher

Figure 4-1. Holddown clamp assembly (turned away from trailer).

4-13. Rear and Side Door Assemblies

a. Removal.

- (1) Cut and drive out the rivets and remove the flat washers that secure the stay assembly to the door. On the side door the stays are then removed from the slots in the cabinet frame.
- (2) Cut and drive out the rivets and remove the flat washers that secure rear door the stay assembly to the cabinet, and remove the stay assembly from the cabinet.
- (3) Cut and drive out the rivets that secure the latch to the door (or panel), and remove the latch from the door (or panel).
- (4) Cut and drive out the rivets that hold the hinge to the door, and remove the door from the cabinet.
- (5) Drill out the rivets that hold the hinge to the cabinet, and remove the hinge from the cabinet.
- (6) Cut and drive out the rivets that hold the gasket on the inside of the door.

- b. Repair.* Weld breaks and straighten bends.
- c. Installation.*

- (1) Replace defective stay assembly with a serviceable one. Use flat washers and 3/8-x 1-inch universal-head rivets and rivet the stay assembly to the door and to the cabinet.
- (2) Replace defective latch with a serviceable one. Use 1/8-x 7/16-inch universal-head and rivet the latch to the door (or panel).
- (3) Replace defective gasket with a serviceable one, and install it on the inside of the door. Use 1/8-x 1/2-inch universal-head rivets.
- (4) Replace defective hinge. Measure and cut from bulk hinge stock the proper length. Use 1/8-x 1/4-inch counter sink-head rivets to rivet the bottom of the hinge to the door. Use 1/8-x 3/8-inch universal-head rivets to rivet the top of the hinge to the cabinet.
- (5) Replace defective door assembly with a serviceable one (and use new rivets to install it) by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-14. Cabinet Assembly

To perform some of the maintenance instructions in this paragraph, it may be necessary to remove the cabinet assembly from the trailer.

a. Inspection. Inspect the cabinet assembly for holes, tears, or cuts; cracks or breaks; bends or dents; missing or loose rivets; broken welds; and broken or bent framework.

b. Removal. Be sure the rear support leg is lowered and the handbrakes are set sufficiently.

- (1) Remove the necessary equipment from the cabinet assembly (TM 10-3530-203-10).
- (2) Close the side doors and the rear door of the cabinet assembly.
- (3) Pull the four lifting loops from the spring clips and raise the loops up.
- (4) Attach a chain to each lifting loop.
- (5) Check to see that the trailer tailgate is down.

- (6) Loosen the capscrew on each of the six holddown clamp assemblies.
- (7) Rotate the clamp arm pads of the six clamp assemblies away from the trailer ledge.
- (8) Lift the cabinet assembly slowly up and swing it away from the cargo trailer; then lower it carefully to the place provided for it.

Warning: To avoid injury to personnel and damage to equipment, do not permit any individuals in the area except those engaged in the removal and installation operation. Be sure all personnel are a safe distance from both the lifting device and the cabinet assembly. Only one individual, the crew supervisor, should give instruction relative to the removal and installation operation.

c. Repair. Push out or straighten bends and dents; weld all cracks, breaks, and cuts in the panels, doors and top; and weld broken door latches and straps to the cabinet. Replace defective and missing rivets with serviceable ones; and patch any holes or tears (that do not exceed 4 inches) in the doors, panels and top with sealing compound, aluminum patches, and rivets. Also, repair the cabinet assembly by replacing defective door assemblies, hinges, latches, and gaskets with serviceable ones (para. 4-13).

d. Installation. Install the cabinet assembly in the bed of the cargo trailer by reversing the procedure in *b*

above. Tighten the holddown capscrews to approximately 30 footpounds.

4-15. Sewing Machine Tray Assembly

a. Removal and Installation. Refer to the procedures in paragraphs 3-19 and 3-20.

b. Repair. Straighten bent straps and pulls, weld the hinges to the straps, and weld breaks in the metal tray assemblies.

4-16. Table Assembly

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the leg assembly from the tabletop.
- (2) Invert the tabletop, remove the screws that hold the support angles to the tabletop, and remove the angles from the tabletop.
- (3) Remove the screws, nuts, and lockwashers that hold the leg assembly holddown bracket to the tabletop, and remove the bracket from the tabletop.
- (4) Remove the screws that hold the edging to the tabletop, and then remove the edging from the tabletop.

b. Repair. Straighten bends and weld breaks in the legs. Sand the tabletop to remove scratches or rough places.

c. Fabrication. Fabricate a tabletop the same size as the defective one from exterior plywood (1/4-inch thick, 4 feet by 8 feet, 3-ply). Scribe, drill, and countersink all holes in the tabletop identical to the ones in the defective tabletop.

d. Installation. Replace defective tabletop with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

Section III. ELECTRIC MOTORS

4-17. General

This section covers the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the repair of electric motors used with the clothing, the darning, the heavy-duty sewing, the overedge, and the textile machines.

4-18. Flywheel and Friction Pad

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the motor from the sewing machine (para. 3-27 a (1) through (8)).

- (2) Unhook the drive brake lever spring (21, fig. 4-2) from the brake lever (19).
- (3) Remove the nut (26) from the lever screw (18).
- (4) Remove the screw (18) that secures the brake lever (19) to the motor, and remove the brake lever from the motor.

- (5) Slide the drive pulley (13) from the shaft ball bearings (6 and 8).
- (6) Straighten the tabs on the lockwasher (11), and remove the nut (12) and the lockwasher (11) from the motor shaft.
- (7) Remove the bearing (8), spacer (7), and bearing (6) from the motor shaft.
- (8) Remove the flywheel (2) with pad (3) from the motor shaft.
- (9) Drive out the rivets (4 and 5) that secure the pad to the flywheel, and separate the pad from the flywheel.

b. Installation. Replace defective flywheel and friction pad with serviceable ones. Use new rivets to rivet the pad to the flywheel, and reverse the procedure in a (1) through (8) above to install flywheel and pad.

4-19. Bearings

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the motor from the sewing machine tabletop (para. 3-27 a (1) through (8)).
- (2) Remove the brake assembly and the flywheel (para. 4-18 a (2) through (8)).

- (3) Disassemble the motor to remove the two ball bearings from the motor shaft.

b. Disassembly.

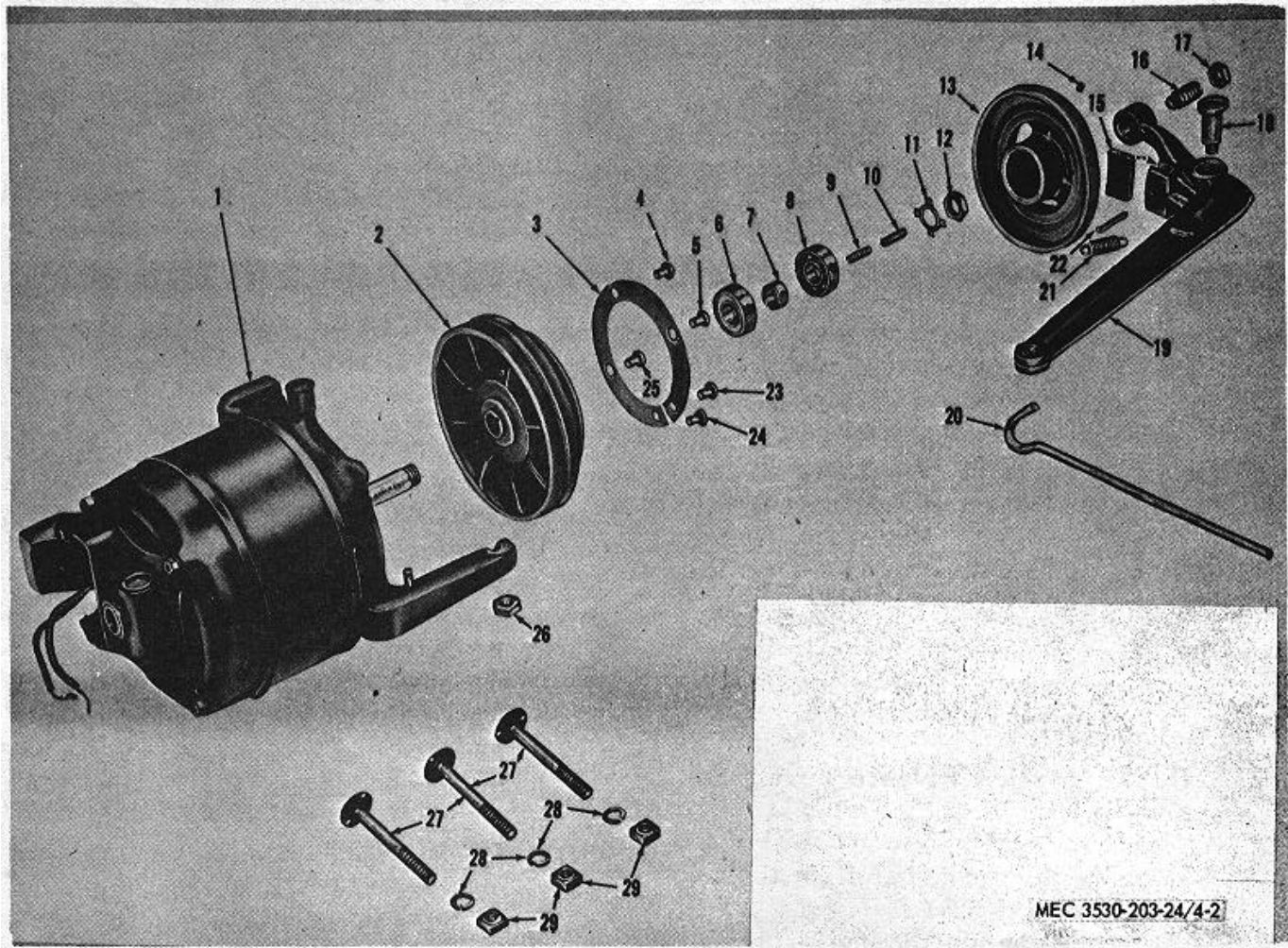
- (1) Remove the nuts, lockwashers, and rods that hold the front and rear endbells to the motor.
- (2) Remove the front endbell and the rotor from the motor.
- (3) Remove the front endbell from the shaft ball bearing, and remove the bearings from the motor shaft.

c. Cleaning. Wipe all parts thoroughly with a lint free cloth moistened with SD (solvent, drycleaning) to remove any accumulated oil or grease.

d. Inspection. Inspect the motor for burns, bent fins and shaft, and rough or excessively worn bearings.

e. Repair. Repair the motor by replacing defective bearings with serviceable ones.

f. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing the procedures in a and b above.



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| 1 | Motor | 12 | Nut, motor flywheel | 21 | Spring, drive pulley brake lever |
| 2 | Flywheel | 13 | Pulley, drive | 22 | Pin, pad cotter |
| 3 | Pad, flywheel friction | 14 | Setscrew | 23 | Rivet |
| 4 | Rivet, friction pad | 15 | Pad, motor brake lever thermoid | 24 | Rivet |
| 5 | Rivet, friction pad | 16 | Screw | 25 | Rivet |
| 6 | Bearing, shaftball | 17 | Nut | 26 | Nut |
| 7 | Spacer | 18 | Screw, lever shoulder | 27 | Bolt |
| 8 | Bearing, shaft ball | 19 | Lever, drive pulley brake | 28 | Lockwasher |
| 9 | Spring | 20 | Rod, connecting | 29 | Nut |
| 10 | Wick | | | | |
| 11 | Lockwasher, flywheel nut | | | | |

Figure 4-2. Alternating current motor (partly disassembled).

Section IV. MISCELLANEOUS WIRING AND FITTINGS

4-20. General

This section covers the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the sewing machine motor-to-switch wiring harness.

4-21. Motor-to-Switch Wiring Harness

A wiring harness connects each electric motor to each sewing machine switchbox. The following instructions pertain to the wiring harness used for either sewing machine.

a. Removal. Disconnect the sewing machine power cord from the power source and proceed as follows to remove the harness:

- (1) Remove the two screws that secure the machine toggle switch cover to the switchbox, and pull the cover from the switchbox.

- (2) Remove the screws that secure the wires to the switch, and remove the wires from the switch.
- (3) Loosen the screws that secure the wiring harness to the switchbox, and remove the wiring harness from the switchbox.
- (4) Remove the screws that hold the wiring harness clamps to the tabletop, and remove the clamps and the wiring harness from the tabletop.
- (5) Remove the two screws that secure the motor junction box cover to the electric motor.

- (6) Remove the nuts that secure the wires to the motor, and remove the wires from the motor.
- (7) Loosen the screws that secure the wiring harness to the junction box connector, and remove the wiring harness from the connector.

b. Installation. Replace defective wiring harness with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section V. CLOTHING SEWING MACHINE

4-22. General

This section describes the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the clothing sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the direct support maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

4-23. Thread Tension Release Lever, Pin, and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle bar from the machine (para. 3-52a).
- (2) Drive out the pin (38, fig. 3-13) that secures the thread tension release lever (37) to the face of the machine, and lift the tension release lever and the spring (36) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-24. Thread Takeup Lever, Link, and Crank; Brackets; and Needle Bar Connecting Link

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle bar from the machine (para. 3-52).
- (2) Remove the presser bar from the machine (para. 3-57).
- (3) Remove the needle bar connecting stud (10, fig. 3-20), with the roller (23) from the connecting link (22); remove the setscrew (9) from the stud.
- (4) Lift the presser bar guide bracket (37) and the lifting lever bracket (36) from the machine.

- (5) Remove the guide bracket setscrew (38) from the presser bar guide bracket.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (16) that holds the hinge pin (8) to the machine, and pull the hinge pin from the machine.
- (7) Remove the screw (12) that holds the takeup lever (14) to the crank (25).
- (8) Remove the takeup lever (14) with the link (15) from the crank and from the machine.
- (9) Drive the pin (13) that holds the lever to the link, thus separating the lever from the link.
- (10) Remove the screw, that secures the side cap to the machine, and remove the side cap from the machine.
- (11) Turn the machine until the wedge screw (20) is at the opening in the back of the machine face.
- (12) Remove the wedge screw from the wedge (19).
- (13) Drive out the wedge (19) that secures the crank (25) to the needle bar crank (21).
- (14) Pull the crank (25) with the connecting link (22) from the machine.
- (15) Separate the connecting link from the crank (25).
- (16) Remove the adjusting link screw (24) from the connecting link.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-25. Needle Bar Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thread takeup crank from the machine (para. 4-24a(1) through (4), (6), (8), and (10) through (14)).
- (2) Remove the positioning screw (17 fig. 3-20) and the crank setscrew (18) that secure the needle bar crank (21) to the arm shaft (12, fig. 3-13).
- (3) Remove the needle bar crank from the arm shaft.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective crank with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-26. Feed Lifting Rockshaft Crank Connecting Rod and Cap

This connecting rod is used to move back and forth or to rock the rockshaft.

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew (14, fig. 3-13) that holds the side cover (13) to the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.
- (2) Rotate drive pulley with balance wheel (16) until each of the two screws (5), located on the rod cap (4), line up with the opening on top of the machine arm, and loosen the two screws from the connection rod (42).
- (3) Rotate drive pulley with balance wheel until the connecting rod is in its lowest position, and then lift the rod cap (4) with screws (5) from the side cover hole.
- (4) Place the machine on its side to gain access to its bottom.
- (5) Remove the nut (43) and the screw (41) that hold the connecting rod to the rockshaft.
- (6) Pull the connecting rod from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective connecting rod with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-27. Feed Fork, Regulator, and Connecting Link

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew that holds the side cover to the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the feed lifting rockshaft connecting rod from the machine (para. 4-26).
- (3) Remove the nut (13, fig. 3-16) and the screw (11) that hold the feed fork (6) to the feed rockshaft crank (15).
- (4) Remove the thumbscrew (10) from the feed regulator (2).
- (5) Turn the feed regulator downward and slide the feed fork (6) downward enough to expose the regulator connecting screw (8): (6) Remove the regular connecting screw (8) and the spring washer (9) that hold the feed regulator to the machine.
- (7) Remove the feed fork with the feed regulator and with the connecting link (4) from the bottom of the machine.
- (8) Remove the nut (1) and the screw (5) that secure the feed regulator to the connecting link (4), and remove the feed regulator from the connecting link.
- (9) Remove the nut (7) and the screw (3) that secure the connecting link (4) to the feed fork, and remove the connecting link from the feed fork.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-28. Crank Connecting Rod and Cap, Oscillating Rockshaft and Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew (14, fig. 3-13) that holds the side cover (13) to the back of the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.
- (2) Rotate the drive pulley with balance wheel (16) until each of the two screws (11), located on the rod cap (10), lines up with the opening on top of the machine arm and is opposite the balance wheel then loosen the two screws (11) from the crank connecting rod (33).

- (3) Rotate drive pulley with balance wheel until the crank connecting rod is in its lowest position, and then lift the rod cap (10) with screws (11) from the side cover hole.
- (4) Place the machine on its side to gain access to its bottom.
- (5) Rotate drive pulley with balance wheel until the crank connecting rod is in its lowest position.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (30) that holds the oscillating rockshaft in the machine, and remove the oscillating rockshaft from the machine.
- (7) Remove the crank connecting rod (33) with the oscillating crank (34) from the machine.
- (8) Remove the nut (35) and the screw (32) that hold the crank (34) to the connecting rod (33), thus separating the crank from the rod.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

4-29. Arm Shaft, Rear Shaft Bushing, Eccentric, and Sleeve

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thread takeup crank from the machine (para. 4-24a(1) through (4), (6), (8), and (10) through (14)).
- (2) Remove the needle bar crank from the machine (para. 4-25a(2) and (3)).
- (3) Remove the feed lifting rockshaft connecting rod (para. 4-26).
- (4) Remove the feed fork from the machine (para. 4-27a(3) through (7)).
- (5) Remove the crank connecting rod from the machine (para. 4-28a(2) through (7)).
- (6) Remove the drive pulley with balance wheel (16, fig. 3-13) from the arm shaft (12).
- (7) Remove the setscrew (19) that secures the bushing (15) to the machine, and remove the bushing from the machine.
- (8) Remove the setscrew (3) that secures the feed and feed lifting eccentric (2) to the arm shaft (12).
- (9) Slide the arm shaft out of the back

of the machine, and remove the eccentric with the sleeve (1) from the machine.

- (10) Separate the sleeve from the eccentric.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

4-30. Oscillating Shaft, Crank, Block, and Shuttle Driver

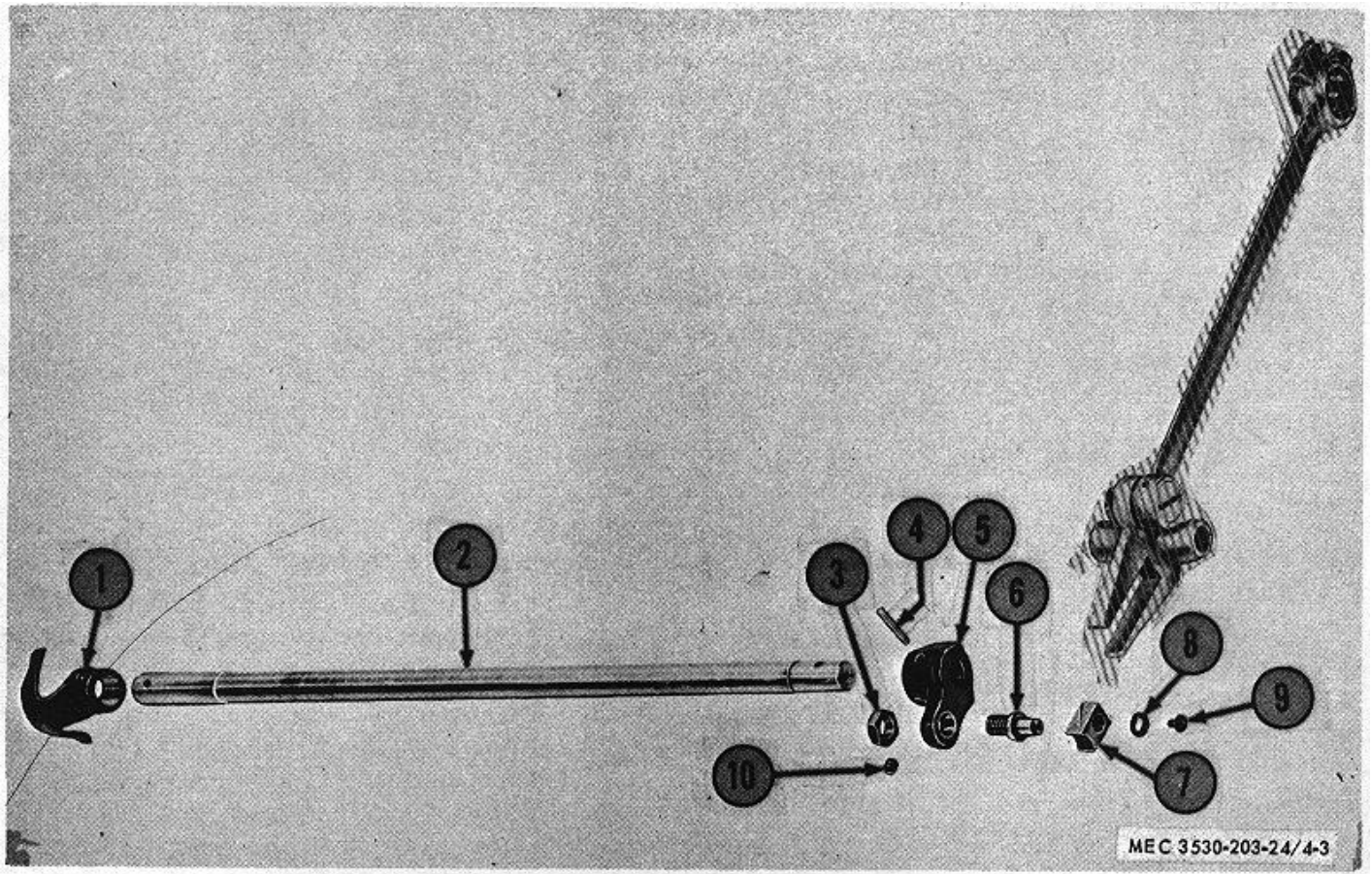
a. Removal.

- (1) Place the machine on the side to gain access to its bottom.
- (2) Remove the bobbin case from the machine.
- (3) Remove the two screws that secure the shuttle body to the machine, and remove the shuttle body with shuttle and ring from the machine.
- (4) Remove the setscrew (10, fig. 4-3) and drive out the pin (4) that secures the crank (5) to the oscillating shaft (2).
- (5) Slide the oscillating shaft with shuttle driver (1) from the machine and separate them.
- (6) Lift out the crank with stud and with slide block (7).
- (7) Remove the capscrew (9) and the washer (8) that secure the slide block (7) to the stud (6).
- (8) Remove the nut (3) and the stud (6) from the crank.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in *a* above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust or time the shuttle driver as follows:

- (1) Set the setscrews lightly, install the shuttle race and shuttle body (para. 3-46 and 3-47) and time the needle with the shuttle (para. 3-52), tighten the setscrews down to hold the driver in its correct position.
- (2) Drill a hole through the shuttle driver collar and the oscillating shaft for the tapered pin.
- (3) Taper out the hole in the pin.
- (4) Drive in the tapered pin to hold the shuttle driver in its correct position.
- (5) Adjust thread tension controller as necessary (para. 3-43c).



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| 1 Driver, shuttle | 5 Crank, oscillating shaft | 8 Washer, crank slide block |
| 2 Shaft, oscillating | 6 Stud, slide block screw | 9 Capscrew, crank slide block |
| 3 Nut, stud | 7 Block, crank slide | 10 Setscrew |
| 4 Pin, shuttle drive | | |

Figure 4-31. Clothing sewing machine oscillating shaft.

4-31. Feed Lifting Rockshaft and Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew (14, fig. 3-13) that holds the side cover (13) to the back of the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.
- (2) Place the machine on its side to gain access to its bottom.
- (3) Remove the nuts (24 and 28, fig. 3-16) and the screws (23 and 29) that hold the feed lifting rockshaft (25) to the crank (26).
- (4) Lift the rockshaft (25) with crank (26) from the machine.
- (5) Remove the screw (27) that secures the crank (26) to the rockshaft, and separate the crank from the rockshaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective rockshaft and crank with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the feed lifting rockshaft after the bar is installed by using the center screws and nuts to set the feed dog to the right or left and to line the feed dog up with the throat plate.

4-32. Feed Rockshaft, Crank, and Feed Bar

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the feed dog from the machine (para. 3-49).
- (2) Place the machine on its side to gain access to its bottom.
- (3) Remove the nut (13, fig. 3-16) and the screw (11) that secure the feed fork (6) to the feed rockshaft crank (15).

- (4) Remove the nut (14) and the screw (12) from the machine.
- (5) Remove the nut (39) and the screw (38) from the rockshaft.
- (6) Lift the feed rockshaft (17) with feed bar (20) from the machine.
- (7) Remove the nut (19) and the screw (18) from the rockshaft.
- (8) Remove the nut (40) and the screw (37) from the rockshaft, and remove the feed bar (20) from the rockshaft.
- (9) Remove the screw (16) from the crank (15) and remove the crank from the rockshaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective rockshaft, crank, and feed bar with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment.

- (1) Tighten the center screw enough to give the feed rockshaft enough free play without side motion.
- (2) Use the crank attached to the right end of the feed rockshaft to adjust the feeding motion of the feed dog (para. 3-49c).

Section VI. DARNING MACHINE

4-33. General

This section describes the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the darning sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the direct support maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

4-34. Drive Shaft Pulley With Balance Wheel

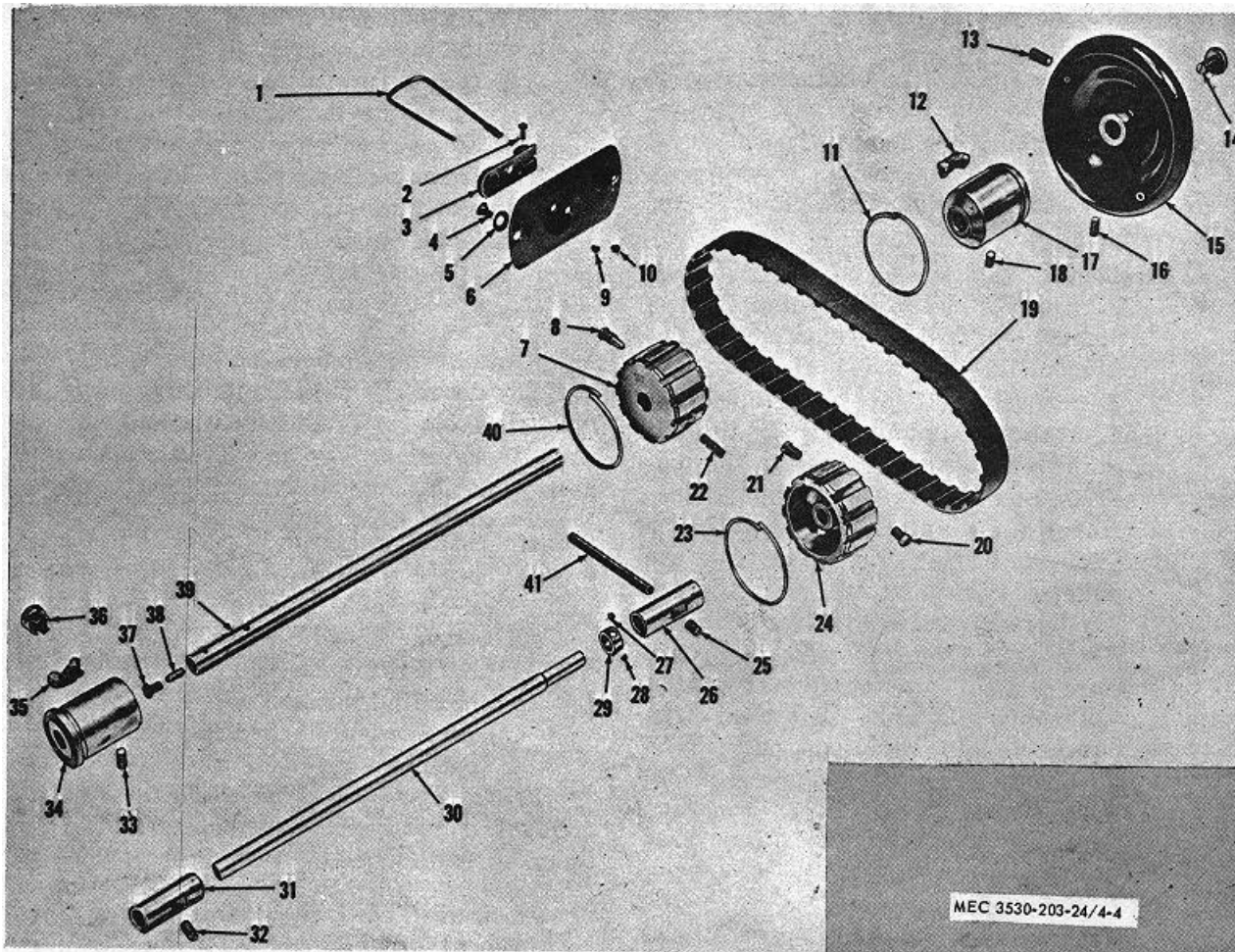
a. Removal. Remove the adjusting screw (14, fig. 4-4), the bushing screw (16) and the pulley setscrew (13) that hold the pulley to the arm shaft (39), and remove the pulley with balance wheel (15) from the arm shaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective drive shaft pulley with balance wheel with serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-35. Presser Bar Lifting Fork, Block, Studs, and Takeup Lever

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew that holds the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (2) Remove the presser bar from the machine (para. 3-70a).
- (3) Remove the needle bar from the machine (para. 3-67a).
- (4) Remove the setscrew (3, fig. 3-28) and the bushing (2) from the machine.
- (5) Slide the fork (50) from the block (11), and remove the fork from the machine.
- (6) Remove the block (11) from the crank (12) and from the machine.
- (7) Remove the setscrew (7) that holds the stud (8) to the machine, and remove the stud from the machine.
- (8) Slide the takeup lever (10) from the



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| 1 | Wire, spool holder | 16 | Screw, pulley positioning | 29 | Collar, thread hook drive |
| 2 | Screw, spool holder | 17 | Bushing, rear arm shaft | 30 | Shaft, thread hook drive |
| 3 | Base, spool holder | 18 | Setscrew, rear bushing | 31 | Bushing, front thread hook drive shaft |
| 4 | Screw, cap | 19 | Belt, hook shaft pulley | 32 | Screw, front bushing positioning |
| 5 | Washer | 20 | Setscrew, pulley | 33 | Setscrew, front bushing |
| 6 | Cap, spoolholder | 21 | Setscrew, pulley | 34 | Bushing, arm shaft front |
| 7 | Pulley | 22 | Setscrew, pulley | 35 | Wick, front bushing |
| 8 | Screw, pulley positioning | 23 | Flange, pulley spring | 36 | Oiler, shaft, front bushing |
| 9 | Screw | 24 | Pulley, thread hook drive shaft | 37 | Screw, wick stop |
| 10 | Screw | 25 | Setscrew, rear bushing | 38 | Wick, arm shaft oil |
| 11 | Flange, pulley spring | 26 | Bushing, rear thread hook drive shaft | 39 | Shaft, arm |
| 12 | Wick, bushing | 27 | Setscrew | 40 | Flange, pulley |
| 13 | Setscrew, pulley | 28 | Setscrew | 41 | Tube, thread hook drive shaft oil |
| 14 | Screw, pulley adjusting | | | | |
| 15 | Pulley w/balance wheel, shaft drive | | | | |

Figure 4-4. Darning machine arm shaft and thread hook drive shaft.

stud (13), and remove the takeup lever from the machine.

(9) Remove the studs (13 and 23) from the link (15).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-36. Arm Shaft, Pulley, Cranks, and Bushings

a. *Removal.*

(1) Remove the pulley with balace wheel from the arm shaft (para. 4-34a).

(2) Remove the takeup lever from the machine (para. 4-35a(1) through (8)).

(3) Remove the thumbscrew that holds the thread unwinder base to the machine, and remove the unwinder base from the machine.

(4) Slide the belt (19, fig. 4-4) from the pulley (7).

(5) Remove the screw (8) from the set- screw (22) from the pulley (7).

(6) Turn the pulley end of the arm shaft (39) until the arm shaft clears the pulley (7) and remove the pulley with flange (40) from the machine.

(7) Remove the flange (40) from the pulley.

(8) Pull the shaft (39) with the crank from the machine.

(9) Remove setscrew (16, fig. 35) and screw (17) from the crank (20), and remove the crank from the shaft.

(10) Remove the screw (19) and setscrew (21) from the crank (20).

(11) Remove crank (12) with link (15) from the crank (20); separate the link from the crank.

(12) Loosen the setscrew (18) that holds the bushing (7) to the machine, and remove the bushing with wick from the machine. Separate bushing from wick.

(13) Remove setscrew (33) that holds the bushing (34) to the machine, and remove the bushing with wick (35) from the machine. Separate bushing from wick.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-37. Pulley Drive Belt

a. *Removal.*

(1) Remove the arm shaft pulley from the machine (para. 4-36a(1) through (6)).

(2) Turn the machine to the side, and remove the pulley belt (19, fig. 44) from the pulley (7) and from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective belt with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-38. Shaft Front Bushing Oiler

a. *Removal.* Remove the bushing oiler (36, fig. 4-4) from the arm of the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective belt with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-39. Thread Tension Release Plunger and Screw

a. *Removal.*

(1) Remove the screw (26, fig. 3-28) from the machine.

(2) Pull the plunger (25) from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective plunger and screw with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a. above.

4-40. Presser Bar Fork and Upper Bushings

a. *Removal.*

(1) Loosen setscrew (3, fig. 3-28) and slide the bushing (2) from the machine.

(2) Loosen setscrew (54), and slide the bushing (4) from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective bushings with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-41. Needle Bar Bushing

a. *Removal.*

(1) Remove the needle bar from the machine.

(2) Loosen setscrew (27, fig. 3-28), and remove the bushing (28) from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective bushing with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-42. Lower Presser Bar Bushing

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the presser bar from the machine (para. 4-40a).
- (2) Loosen setscrew ((41) fig. 3-28), and remove the bushing (40) from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective bushing with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-43. Thread Hook Drive Shaft Pulley and Spring Flange

a. Removal.

- (1) Slide the belt (19, fig. 4-4) from the drive shaft pulley (7).
- (2) Remove setscrews (20 and 21) from the drive shaft pulley.
- (3) Slide the drive shaft pulley with spring flange (23) from the shaft (30).
- (4) Separate the spring flange from the pulley.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective pulley and spring flange with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-44. Thread Hook Drive Shaft, Pinion, Collar, and Bushings

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thread hook drive shaft pulley from the machine (para. 4-43a(1) through (3)).
- (2) Remove the setscrews (27 and 28, fig. 4-4) from the thread hook drive collar (29).
- (3) Loosen the setscrews (28, fig. 3-26) that secure the pinion (27) to the thread hook drive shaft (26).
- (4) Slide the shaft toward the drive end of the machine until the pinion (27) is cleared, and remove the pinion; then remove the collar (29, fig. 4-4) and slide the shaft from the machine.
- (5) Remove the screw (32) that secures the bushing (31) to the machine, and remove the bushing from the machine.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (25) that secures the bushing (26) to the machine, and remove the bushing from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-45. Thread Hook, Saddle, Gear, Bobbin Case Lever, and Fulcrum

a. Removal.

- (1) Move the cylinder cover slide back from the bobbin.
- (2) Remove the throat plate screw (2, fig. 3-26) from the throat plate (1), and remove the throat plate from the machine.
- (3) Remove the screws (11) that hold the gib (12) to the thread hook (16).
- (4) Remove the shuttle bobbin case (14) as an assembly from the thread hook.
- (5) Remove the gear screw (15) that secures the thread hook to the saddle (22).
- (6) Remove the thread hook (16), the washer with eccentric and pins (17) and the bobbin case lever (18) from the saddle.
- (7) Remove the screw (19) that holds the fulcrum (21) with slide (20) to the saddle, and remove the fulcrum with slide from the saddle.
- (8) Remove the screws (24) and washers (23) that secure the saddle to the machine, and remove the saddle with gear from the machine.
- (9) Remove the gear (25) from the saddle.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-46. Thread Hook Drive Shaft Oil Tube

a. *Removal.* Place the machine on its side, and remove the oil tube (41, fig. 4-4) from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective oil tube with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-47. Bed Hinge

a. *Removal.* Remove the six screws (2, fig. 3-27) that hold the bed hinge (1) to the machine, and remove the bed hinge from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective hinge and screws with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section VII. HEAVY-DUTY SEWING MACHINE

4-48. General

This section covers the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the heavy-duty sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the direct support maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

4-49. Arm Shaft, Bushing, and Feed Cam

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove thumbscrew that attaches arm side cover to machine arm, and remove cover.
- (2) Remove thread takeup cam (para. 4-52 (1) through (6)) from the machine.
- (3) Turn balance wheel so that connecting rod capscrews align with opening in top of machine arm.
- (4) Remove balance wheel from the machine.
- (5) Remove screws (5, fig. 3-40) that attach cap (6) to rod (37), and remove cap.
- (6) Through opening in arm side, remove setscrews (8) that attach cam (7) to shaft (4).

- (7) Loosen setscrew that attaches bushing (3) to machine head, and remove bushing.
- (8) Turn the arm shaft so that it aligns with opening in back of machine arm, and slide out shaft with cam.
- (9) Slide the feed cam from the arm shaft.

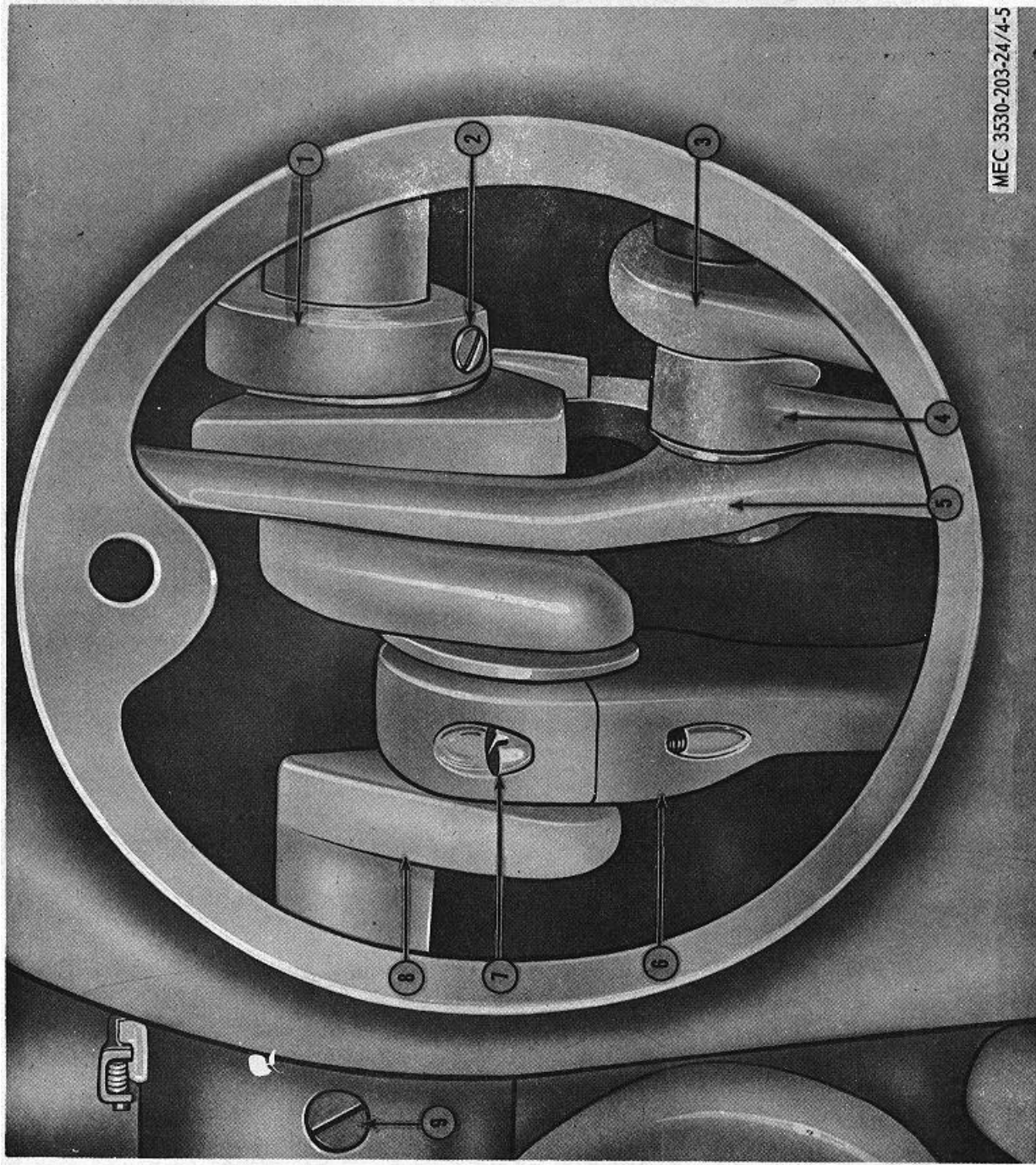
b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-50. Feed Regulator

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the feed fork connection (para. 4-53).
- (2) Through the opening in the rear of machine arm, remove feed regulator hinge screw that attaches regulator (3, fig. 4-5) to machine arm, and remove regulator through opening.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 | Cam feed | 4 | Link, feed connecting | 7 | Screw, crank connecting rod |
| 2 | Setscrew, feed cam | 5 | Connection, feed fork | 8 | Shaft, arm |
| 3 | Regulator, feed | 6 | Rod, crank connecting | 9 | Setscrew arm shaft bushing |

Figure 4-5. Arm shaft assemblies through arm slide cover opening.

4-51. Crank Connecting Rod

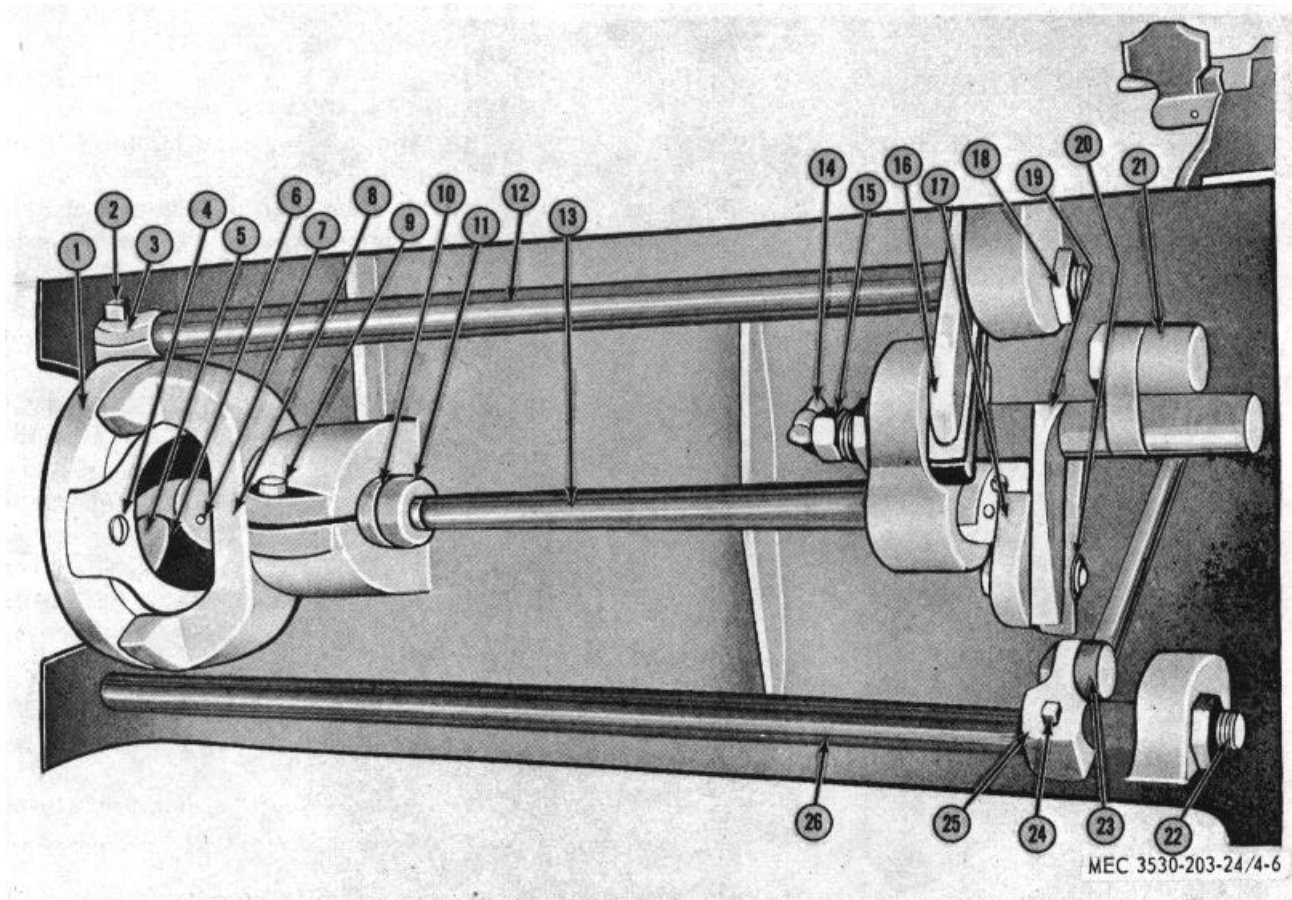
a. Removal.

- (1) Through the opening in the top of machine arm, remove screws (5, fig. 3-40) that attach cap (6) to connecting rod (37) and remove cap.
- (2) Slide the V-belt off the balance wheel.

(3) Lift the machine head from the table and place it on its back.

- (4) Remove nut (35) and screw (36) that attach rod to rockshaft (19, fig. 4-6) and remove rod out of machine bed.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Race assembly, shuttle | 10 Frame, shuttle race | 19 Rockshaft, oscillating |
| 2 Screw, feed, rockshaft clamp clamping | 11 Collar, oscillating shaft | 20 Block, oscillating shaft. crank slide |
| 3 Crank with roller, feed lifting | 12 Rockshaft, feed lifting | 21 Rod, crank connecting |
| 4 Spring, shuttle race back | 13 Shaft, oscillating | 22 Screw, right lifting feed rockshaft screw center |
| 5 Bobbin | 14 Tube, oil oscillating rockshaft | 23 Connection, feed fork |
| 6 Cylinder assembly, shuttle | 15 Joint assembly, oil oscillating rockshaft | 24 Screw, feed rockshaft clamp clamping |
| 7 Driver, shuttle | 16 Rockshaft, lifting feed (wearing block end) | 25 Crank, feed rockshaft |
| 8 Frame, shuttle race | 17 Crank, oscillating shaft | 26 Rockshaft, feed |
| 9 Screw, shuttle race frame clamping | 18 Nut, right lifting feed rockshaft screw center | |

Figure 4-6. Heavy-duty sewing machine bed.

4-52. Thread Takeup Cam and Lifting Presser Bar Rockshaft Eccentric Strap

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove vibrating presser bar and lifting presser bar and bracket (para. 3-81a).
- (2) Remove needle bar (para. 3-77a (1) and (2)).
- (3) Remove lifting presser bar crank (para. 3-80a).
- (4) Remove thread takeup lever (para. 3-8a).
- (5) Remove screws (12, fig. 3-40) that attach cam (11) to shaft (4).
- (6) Drive pin (13) from cam, and remove cam from arm shaft.
- (7) Remove screw (24) from straps.
- (8) Remove nut (19), lockwasher (20), and washer (21) from screw (25).
- (9) Remove screw and slide (22) from strap (23). Remove strap from machine face.
- (10) Remove nut (10) and screw (9) from straps.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-53. Feed Fork Connection and Link

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove screw that attaches arm slide cover to machine arm, and remove cover.
- (2) Remove feed regulating thumbscrew from feed regulator.
- (3) Raise regulator (3, fig. 4-5) and link (4) so that feed connecting link hinge screw can be removed through arm side opening.
- (4) Remove nut (27, fig. 3-40) and screw (31) that attach link (30) to regulator (26).
- (5) Slip the V-belt off the balance wheel.
- (6) Lift machine head from table and lay it on its side.
- (7) Remove nut (33) and screw (34) that attach the connection to feed rockshaft crank, and remove connection with link.
- (8) Remove nut (38) and screw (29) that attach link to connection, and remove link.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-54. Feed Rockshaft and Feed Bar

a. Removal.

- (1) Slip the V-belt off the balance wheel.
- (2) Lift the machine head from the table and lay it on its back.
- (3) Remove feed dog from the machine.
- (4) Remove nut (33, fig. 3-40) and screw (34) that attach connection (32) to crank (11, fig. 4-7).
- (5) Remove nuts (8) on screws (9 and 15) and remove screws from machine bed.
- (6) Remove rockshaft (12) with crank (11) and feed bar (17) from machine bed.
- (7) Remove screw (10) that attaches crank to rockshaft and remove crank.
- (8) Remove nuts (13) and screws (14) that attach feed bar to rockshaft, and remove feed bar.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-55. Feed Lifting Rockshaft and Crank With Roller

a. Removal.

- (1) Slide V-belt off of the balance wheel.
- (2) Lift machine head from table and lay it on its back.
- (3) Remove left and right nuts (31 and 37, fig. 4-7) from screws (32 and 36), and remove screws from machine bed.
- (4) Remove rockshaft (33) and crank with roller (34) from machine bed.
- (5) Remove screw (35) that attaches crank to shaft, and remove crank with roller.
- (6) Remove screw that holds feed lifting rockshaft wearing block to the rockshaft and remove block and pin.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-56. Oscillating Shaft, Crank, and Shuttle Driver

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Slide the V-belt from the balance wheel and from the motor clutch pulley.
- (2) Lift the machine head off the table and place it on its back.
- (3) Remove shuttle cylinder (para. 3-75a).
- (4) Loosen setscrew (25, fig. 4-7) on crank (5), and drive out pin (27) that attaches crank to oscillating shaft (21).
- (5) Remove setscrews (7) that attach collar (22) to shaft.
- (6) Drive shaft with driver out of the shuttle cylinder end of machine bed, and remove collar.
- (7) Remove setscrew (20) from driver, drive out pin (19) that attaches drive to shaft, and remove driver.
- (8) Remove screw (1) and washer (2) that attach block (3) to stud (4), and remove block.

- (9) Remove nut (6) that attaches stud to crank, and remove stud.

b. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble, and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

4-57. Oscillating Rockshaft, Bearing, and Oil Tube and Joint Assembly

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove feed lifting rockshaft (para. 4-55).
- (2) Remove hinge screw and nut that attach crank connecting rod to rockshaft (28, fig. 4-7).
- (3) Remove nut (30) on pin (29) and remove pin from machine bed.
- (4) Unscrew tube and joint assembly (23) from bearing (26), and remove tube and joint assembly from machine bed.

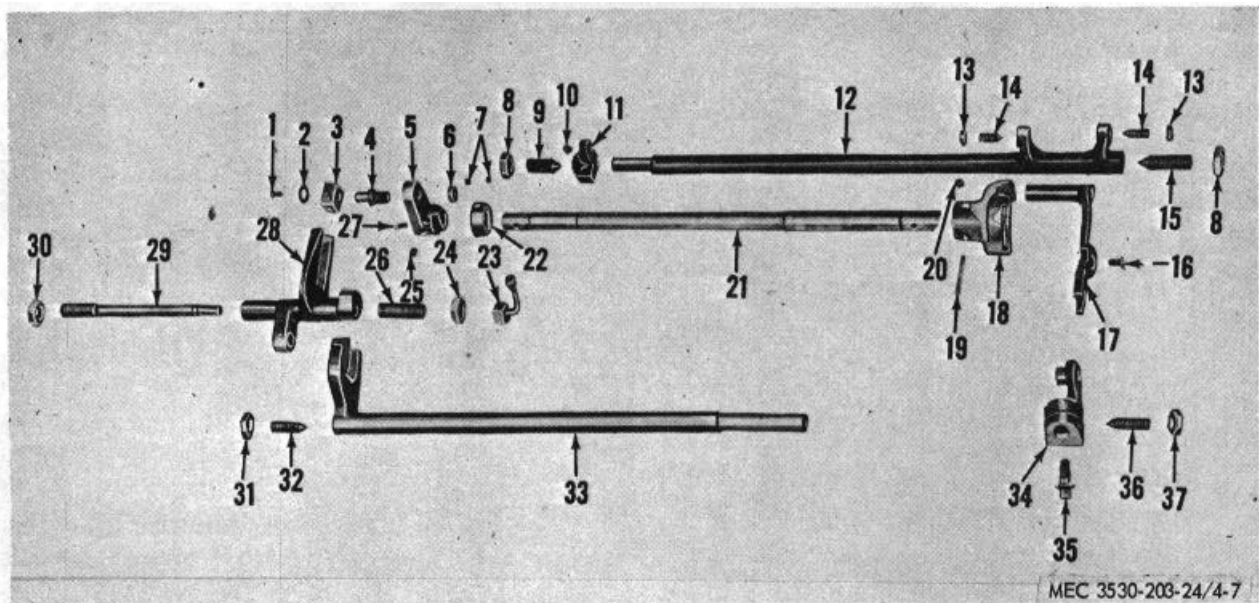


Figure 4-7. Heavy-duty sewing machine bed, disassembled.

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|---|---|---|---|---|--|
| 1 | Screw, oscillating shaft
crank slide block | 3 | Block, oscillating shaft
crank slide | 5 | Crank, oscillating shaft |
| 2 | Washer, oscillating shaft
crank slide block cap- | 4 | Stud, oscillating shaft
crank slide block,
capscrew | 6 | Nut, oscillating shaft
crank slide block
capscrew stud screw |

7	Setscrew, oscillating shaft collar	19	Pin, shuttle driver	29	Pin, oscillating rockshaft hinge
8	Nuts, feed rockshaft, screw, right and left	20	Setscrew, shuttle driver	30	Nut, oscillating rockshaft hinge pin
9	Screw, left feed rockshaft center	21	Shaft, oscillating	31	Nut, feed lifting rockshaft screw center
10	Screw, feed rockshaft clamp clamping	22	Collar, oscillating shaft	32	Screw, left center feed lifting rockshaft
11	Crank, feed rockshaft	23	Tube and joint assembly, oscillating rockshaft oil	33	Rockshaft, feed lifting
12	Rockshaft, feed	24	Nut, oscillating rockshaft hinge pin bearing	34	Crank with roller, feed lifting rockshaft
13	Nuts, feed bar center screw	25	Setscrew, oscillating shaft crank	35	Screw, feed lifting rockshaft crank clamping
14	Screws, feed bar center	26	Bearing, oscillating rockshaft hinge pin screw	36	Screw, right feed lifting rockshaft screw center
15	Screw, right feed rockshaft	27	Pin, oscillating shaft crank	37	Nut feed lifting rockshaft
16	Screw, feed dog	28	Rockshaft, oscillating		
17	Bar, feed				
18	Driver, shuttle screw center				

- (5) Remove setscrews (7) that attach collar (22) to shaft.
- (6) Drive shaft with driver out of the shuttle cylinder end of machine bed, and remove collar.
- (7) Remove setscrew (20) from driver, drive out pin (19) that attaches driver to shaft, and remove driver.

- (8) Remove screw (1) and washer (2) that attach block (3) to stud (4), and remove block.
- (9) Remove nut (6) that attaches stud to crank, and remove stud.

b. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing the procedure in ~~the~~ above.

Section VIII. OVEREDGE SEWING MACHINE

4-58. General

This section covers the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the overedge sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the direct support maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

4-59. Covers Right and Left and Thread Loper Levers

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew that holds the machine head to the base, and remove the machine head from the base.
- (2) Swing the cloth plate to the side.
- (3) Remove throat plate (para. 3-88a) from the machine.
- (4) Remove three screws (16, fig. 3-45) that hold the chip guard (11) in place, and lift chip guard and hinged right frame side cover off the machine.
- (5) Remove remaining screw that holds left frame side cover to left looper hinge stud and remove left frame side cover.
- (6) Remove frame top cover extension holder and extension.
- (7) Remove two screws that hold feed eccentric cover to frame top cover, and remove feed eccentric cover.

- (8) Remove frame top cover from the machine.
- (9) Remove left looper (para. 3-91a).
- (10) Remove right looper (para. 3-92a).
- (11) Remove drive shaft crank ball sleeve bushing nuts and drive shaft crank ball sleeve bushing nut washer.
- (12) Remove right thread looper drive shaft crank connector (3, fig. 3-53) from the sleeve by removing screw (8). Remove crank connector from looper drive shaft crank (5, fig. 3-54).
- (13) Loosen right thread looper connector hinge stud setscrew (50) and remove stud (53).
- (14) Loosen hinge pin setscrew. Loosen hinge pin bushing setscrew at other end of right looper lever hinge pin. Drive out right looper lever hinge pin and hinge pin bushing.
- (15) Remove two setscrews holding left looper lever hinge stud to frame.
- (16) Drive out left looper lever hinge stud toward front of machine. Remove left thread looper lever together with

- right thread looper lever (11) from machine in one piece.
- (17) Remove thread eyelet from right thread looper lever (11) by unscrewing retaining screw.
- (18) Remove looper thread takeup from left thread looper lever by removing retaining screw.
- (19) Remove left thread looper lever crank connector nuts and screws. Remove two crank connectors (3 and 9, fig. 3-53) and connect hinge pins.
- (20) Remove right thread looper lever (11, fig. 3-54) from left thread looper lever.

b. Installation.

- (1) Link the right and left looper levers together by installing the two connector hinge pins and two crank connectors. Fasten in place with connector screws and nuts.
- (2) Install thread takeup on left thread looper lever with retaining screw.
- (3) Install thread eyelet on right thread looper lever with retaining screw.
- (4) Place left looper lever in position over hole in frame. Right looper lever away from the handwheel and install it on the left looper lever. Insert left looper lever hinge stud from front of machine. The flat of stud should face the setscrews.
- (5) Install and tighten two left looper lever hinge stud setscrews in frame.
- (6) Insert right looper lever hinge pin and hinge pin bushing. Tighten two setscrews securely.
- (7) Install stud with setscrew in right looper lever and tighten stud setscrew.
- (8) Install right thread looper drive shaft crank connector, keyhole slot uppermost, over sleeve on looper drive shaft crank, and stud in right looper lever. Tighten screws on connector.
- (9) Place looper drive shaft crank ball sleeve washer over stud on shaft crank. Install and tighten ball sleeve bushing nut.
- (10) Install left looper (para. 3-91b).
- (11) Install right looper (para. 3-92b).

- (12) Install frame top cover on machine frame.
- (13) Screw feed eccentric cover to frame top cover.
- (14) Install frame top cover extension holder and extension.
- (15) Install left frame side cover on machine keyhole pointed toward the handwheel and install screw holding cover to left looper hinge stud. Install lower screw but do not tighten.
- (16) Install right frame side cover and give the two holding screws several turns.
- (17) Slide chip guard over three screws (one holding left frame side cover and two holding right frame side cover) and tighten screws securely.
- (18) Install throat plate (para. 3-88b).
- (19) Swing cloth plate into position.
- (20) Install machine head in machine base and install thumbscrew under the tabletop.

4-60. Movable Knife Lever and Stationary Knife Holder

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove throat plate, chip guard, frame side and top covers, top cover extension holder and extension and feed eccentric cover (para. 4-59a (1) through (8)).
- (2) Remove movable (upper) knife and holder (para. 3-109a).
- (3) Remove stationary(lower) knife (para. 3-96a).
- (4) Remove holder guide, extension pin, and holder spring from machine.
- (5) Loosen setscrew on top of movable knife lever. Slip out lever connector hinge stud.
- (6) Loosen setscrew holding movable looper lever hinge stud to rear of machine. Drive out hinge stud.
- (7) Lift movable knife lever from machine.
- (8) Remove two lever connector capscrews and lift connector from drive shaft.
- (9) Remove stationary knife clamping stud (6, fig. 3-51) by unscrewing thumb nut.

- (10) Remove stationary knife holder screw.
- (11) Remove regulating thumbscrew.
- (12) Remove stationary knife holder (14, fig. 3-52) from frame.
- (13) Remove needle guard, stop screw, and nut from stationary knife holder.

b. Installation.

- (1) Install stop screw, nut, and needle guard on stationary knife holder.
- (2) Install stationary knife holder in machine frame.
- (3) Install regulating thumbscrew and stationary knife holder screw.
- (4) Insert stationary knife clamping stud and fasten it to holder with thumb nut.
- (5) Install stationary knife (para. 3-96b).
- (6) Install movable knife lever connector on drive shaft and fasten in place with two capscrews.
- (7) Place movable knife lever in position on machine, insert lever hinge stud in rear of machine, flat portion toward setscrew, and tighten setscrew.
- (8) Fit movable knife lever into the fork of the connector. Insert lever connector hinge stud and tighten setscrew.
- (9) Place holder guide and holder spring on extension pin and insert into the fork of the lever.
- (10) Install movable knife holder, gib, screw, guide plate, and tighten two holding screws securely.
- (11) Adjust stationary knife and movable knife (paras. 3-96 and 3-108).
- (12) Install frame side and top cover, feed eccentric cover, top cover extension holder and extension, and chip guard, and throat plate by reversing procedures in (para. 4-59a (1) through (8)).

4-61. Crank, Connector, Bracket, and Bushings

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove left frame side cover, throat plate, and needle from the machine (para. 3-88a).
- (2) Remove frame top cover and extension holder and extension, and feed eccentric cover (para. 4-59a).

- (3) Remove screw that holds upper bushing oil pad cover to the machine head, and remove cover and oil pad.
- (4) Loosen setscrew holding upper bushing and remove the bushing.
- (5) Loosen setscrew holding lower bushing and remove the bushing.
- (6) Loosen front crank position screw.
- (7) Loosen front crank setscrew.
- (8) Remove two upper capscrews from connector. These screws are accessible from behind the machine. Remove two thread pulloffs and connector.
- (9) Loosen two setscrews in back guide bar crank. These screws are accessible from the rear of the machine.
- (10) Remove ball stud.
- (11) Pull back the crank from rear of machine grasping front crank assembly at the same time.
- (12) Remove guide bar connecting bracket from connector by loosening bracket setscrew and removing hinge pin.
- (13) Remove other end of connector from front needle bar crank by loosening setscrew on the crank and removing the other connecting hinge pin.
- (14) Remove two screws holding needle thread takeup to crank and remove takeup.
- (15) Loosen setscrew on the arm and withdraw the back crank bushing.
- (16) Remove two connector lower capscrews and left thread controller, rod, and 2-piece ball sleeve from the drive shaft.

b. Installation.

- (1) Install 2-piece ball sleeve and connector on drive shaft and tighten rear lower capscrew. Install thread controller on front lower capscrew and tighten screw securely.
- (2) Install bushing on the back crank and tighten setscrew.
- (3) Install thread takeup on front crank with the two screws.
- (4) Install connector on the front crank. Place smallest opening in the front crank in the fork of the connector. Insert hinge pin through connector

- and crank. Tighten setscrew in crank.
- (5) Install other end of connector over the largest hole in connector bracket. Insert hinge pin through connector and bracket. Tighten bracket setscrew.
 - (6) Place front crank in position on front of arm. Insert back crank through hole in rear of arm. The crank when inserted will support the front crank.
 - (7) Insert ball stud into back crank and tighten two setscrews.
 - (8) Place upper cap of connector over ball stud. Place two thread pulloffs on cap. Fasten cap and pulloffs in place by inserting two upper capscrews.
 - (9) Tighten front crank setscrew and front crank position screw.
 - (10) Insert lower and upper bushings and fasten in place by tightening setscrews.
 - (11) Install oil pad under upper bushing oil pad cover and fasten on machine with screw.
 - (12) Place bracket in position on the arm, and install needle.
 - (13) Install frame top cover, feed eccentric cover, and frame top cover extension holder and extension (para. 4-59).

4-62. Cloth Plate, Drive Shaft, Feed and Lifting Eccentrics, Feed Shaft, and Feed Bar Connectors

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew that holds the machine head to the machine base, and lift machine head from the base.
- (2) Remove feed dog (para. 3-90a).
- (3) Swing cloth plate (14, fig. 3-45) to the side. Loosen hinge stud setscrew Which is accessible under the cloth plate when it is swung aside. Lift out the stud and remove the plate in one piece. To disassemble cloth plate once it has been removed from machine, unscrew holding screws beneath surface of plate and remove lower extension, upper extension, and lock spring.

- (4) Remove chip guard, frame side covers, and top frame top cover extension holder and extension, and feed eccentric cover (para. 4-59a (3) through (8)).
 - (5) Loosen feed bar setscrew, accessible at back of machine and slip out the hinge pin upon which the feed bar (11, fig. 4-5) rotates.
 - (6) Remove feed bar connector (32) from feed shaft crank by first loosening connector clamping screw and nut and then unscrewing feed bar connector hinge screw from feed shaft crank and nut.
 - (7) Loosen clamping screw and setscrew on crank, and remove crank from bushing on feed shaft hinge pin.
 - (8) Loosen setscrews that hold feed shaft hinge pin and bushing, and slip out pin and bushing.
 - (9) Remove feed shaft from frame.
 - (10) Remove feed connector capscrews, and remove connector from feed eccentric on drive shaft.
 - (11) Loosen two setscrews on feed eccentric.
 - (12) Remove two capscrews from upper knife lever connector and lift connector from feed lifting eccentric on drive shaft.
 - (13) Remove drive shaft from the machine.
 - (14) Remove feed lifting eccentric connector from feed bar and from drive shaft.
 - (15) Loosen two screws that hold feed lifting eccentric to drive shaft, and slip off feed lifting eccentric.
 - (16) Remove feed eccentric oiler from drive shaft.
 - (17) Remove feed eccentric from drive shaft.
- b. Installation.*
- (1) Install drive shaft partly into the frame.
 - (2) Slip feed eccentric oiler on the drive shaft.
 - (3) Slip feed lifting eccentric on drive shaft until ball-shaped portion is up against the oiler. Tighten two screws that secure feed lifting eccentric to drive shaft.

- (4) Install feed lifting eccentric connector over the feed bar and over the drive shaft with the stud pointing toward balance wheel.
- (5) Install drive shaft all the way into the frame.
- (6) Install upper knife, lever connector over the ball of the feed lifting eccentric on the drive shaft and install and tighten two capscrew securely.
- (7) Install feed connector over the feed eccentric on drive shaft and tighten two capscrews.
- (8) Place feed shaft in position on frame.
Insert lower hinge pin into the feed shaft and in the frame.
- (9) Place bushing over hinge pin.
- (10) Install feed shaft crank over bushing. Tighten setscrews holding hinge pin and bushing. Tighten crank clamping screws.
- (11) Insert feed connector hinge screw in upper hole of connector and screw the threaded portion into feed shaft crank. Tighten feed connector hinge screw nut on feed shaft crank.
Tighten connector clamping screw and nut.
- (12) Hold feed bar in position and insert holding hinge pin through the upper portion of shaft. Insert stud of feed lifting eccentric connector into the hole in feed bar. Tighten feed bar holding screw.
- (13) Install feed dog (para. 3-90b).
- (14) Install feed eccentric cover, frame side and top covers, frame top cover extension and extension holder and chip guard (para. 4-59b)
- (15) Assemble cloth plate and install lower extension, upper extension, and lock spring with holding screws, into the underneath surface of the cloth plate. Swing cloth plate back into position. Insert stud and tighten hinge stud screw. Install cloth plate on frame.
- (16) Install machine head upon machine base with thumbscrew.

4-63. Presser Bar, Lifting Lever, and Bracket

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumbscrew that holds the machine head to the machine base, and remove the machine head from the base.
- (2) Remove presser foot machine (para. 3-112a).
- (3) Remove regulating thumbscrew and presser lever spring from the arm.
- (4) Remove chip guard from side and top covers, top cover extension holder and extension, and feed eccentric cover (para. 4-59a (3) through (8)).
- (5) Remove hinge screw that secures the lifting lever to frame and remove lever.
- (6) Remove two lifting lever stop screws and nuts from lever.
- (7) Remove two screws that hold the lifting lever bracket to frame. Remove bracket and lifting lever spring from frame.
- (8) Loosen setscrew that holds the presser lever hinge stud accessible at the rear of the machine. Remove stud and presser bar from the frame.
- (9) Unscrew presser lever eccentric screw stud and nut from presser lever.
- (10) Remove presser lever lifter from frame by removing hinge screw.

b. Installation.

- (1) Install presser lever lifter on frame. Tighten hinge screw.
- (2) Install presser lever eccentric screw stud on presser lever so that eccentric will fit over lifter. Tighten nut.
- (3) Place presser lever in position on frame. Insert hinge stud and tighten setscrew.
- (4) Install the spring under the lifting lever bracket and fasten bracket and spring to frame with two holding screws.
- (5) Install two lifting lever stop screws and nuts on lifting lever.
- (6) Install lifting lever on frame, fastening it in position with hinge screw.
- (7) Install feed eccentric cover, frame top cover, frame top cover extension

and extension holder, right and left frame side covers, and chip guard (para. 4-59b (13) through (17)).

- (8) Insert presser lever spring in arm and install regulating thumbscrew.
- (9) Install presser foot.
- (10) Install machine head on base.

4-64. Connector and Drive Shaft, Ball Sleeve, Crank and Bushings

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the right and left looper levers from the machine (para. 4-59a (1) through (16)).
- (2) Remove upper and lower thread nipper springs from the frame by removing the screw.
- (3) Remove pin from ball sleeve on drive shaft crank. Remove ball sleeve and guide.
- (4) Slip ball sleeve bushing off of the crank.
- (5) Loosen setscrew and position screw in crank, and remove the crank and the oil sling cover from the drive shaft.
- (6) Remove movable or upper knife lever and lever connector from feed lifting eccentric on drive shaft.
- (7) Loosen two screws on feed lifting eccentric.
- (8) Remove feed connector from machine (para. 4-62a (6) through (10)).
- (9) Loosen the two setscrews on the feed eccentric.
- (10) Remove connector 2-piece ball sleeve, and guide from drive shaft.
- (11) Loosen setscrew that holds the flanged back bushing for the drive shaft.
- (12) Grasp the balance wheel and pull the drive shaft (and back bushing) to the right and out of the machine, slipping it off of the feed lifting eccentric connector, feed lifting eccentric, feed eccentric oiler, and

feed eccentric as the drive shaft is being withdrawn.

- (13) Remove setscrew that holds the front bushing for the drive shaft to the frame and drive out the bushing.
- (14) Loosen setscrews, balance wheel from drive shaft and slip the back bushing from the shaft.

b. Installation.

- (1) Install back bushing in the drive shaft with flange pointing toward the right.
- (2) Install balance wheel on drive shaft and tighten setscrews.
- (3) Install front bushing for the drive shaft in the frame and tighten the holding screw.
- (4) Slide drive shaft all the way into the frame, inserting these attachments on the drive shaft in the following order: feed eccentric, feed eccentric oiler, feed lifting eccentric with ball toward balance wheel, and feed lifting eccentric connector with stud facing balance wheel. Insert stud into the hole of the feed bar.
- (5) Tighten two feed eccentric setscrews securely.
- (6) Tighten two screws on feed lifting eccentric.
- (7) Install back bushing for drive shaft in place with setscrew.
- (8) Install oil sling cover for drive shaft crank. Slide crank on shaft and tighten set and position screws.
- (9) Install ball sleeve bushing on crank.
- (10) Install ball sleeve guide and ball sleeve over crank. Install pin in ball sleeve.
- (11) Install lower thread nipper spring and upper thread nipper spring on frame, securing in place with single retaining screw.
- (12) Install the right and left looper levers in the machine (para. 4-59b).

Section IX. TEXTILE SEWING MACHINE

4-65. General

This section covers the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the textile sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the direct support maintenance

personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

4-66. Arm Shaft, Bushing, and Bearing

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove needle bar rock frame (para. 3-128a (1) through (12)).
- (2) Through opening in top of machine arm, remove crank setscrews (24 and 25, fig. 3-68) that attach needle bar crank (27) to arm shaft, and remove needle bar crank.
- (3) Remove bed thread hook shaft drive belt (para. 4-67a).
- (4) Tilt machine head forward.
- (5) Remove setscrews (5, fig. 4-8) and positioning screw (6) that attach arm shaft belt pulley to arm shaft.
- (6) Remove setscrew (2) that attaches feed indicating disk to arm shaft.
- (7) Through slot in rear of machine arm, remove setscrews (23 and 44) that attach lifting eccentric to shaft (40).
- (8) Grasp the arm shaft on the right end and pull it from the machine head.
- (9) Remove eccentric connector (41), lifting eccentric (24), feed indicating disk (1), arm shaft belt pulley (4), and rear arm shaft bushing (11) with collar (13), bearing (14), and washer (15).
- (10) Remove setscrew (37) that attaches front arm shaft bushing (36) to machine arm, and remove bushing.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment (Timing).

- (1) Turn the balance wheel toward the operator until the thread takeup lever is at its highest position.
- (2) Tilt machine head back.
- (3) Check arrows on collar (2, fig. 4-9) and plate (3) to see if they are alined. If the arrows are not alined, remove connection belt from pulley on the hook driving shaft.
- (4) Move the thread takeup lever to its highest position, and turn the hook driving shaft until the arrows are alined. Install drive belt on pulley.
- (5) Adjust thread hook with needle (para. 4-55c).
- (6) Adjust the stitch indicator disk if it does not indicate accurately as follows:

- (a) Use a pencil or tailor's crayon to make two parallel lines 1 inch apart on a scrap piece of fabric.
- (b) Sew a line of stitches across both ruled lines and at right angles to them. Count the number of stitches between the lines.
- (c) Adjust the machine until it sews five stitches to an inch.
- (d) Open the cover plate on top of the machine arm, and turn the balance wheel until the setscrew hole in the edge of the indicator disk comes into view. Insert a screwdriver into this hole, and loosen the screw so that the indicator disk does not turn with the balance wheel (fig. 4-10).
- (e) Hold down the right hand plunger (fig. 4-11) in the machine bed, and turn the balance wheel until it drops into the notch in the feed driving adjusting disk.
- (f) Hold the balance wheel and with the plunger still in the notch, turn the indicator dial until the figure 5 appears through the indicator hole.

4-67. Bed Thread Hook Shaft Drive Belt

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove drive pulley with balance wheel (para. 3-122).
- (2) Remove screw (8, fig. 4-8) that attaches arm cap (7) to machine arm, and remove arm cap.
- (3) Remove setscrew that attaches rear arm shaft bushing (11) to machine arm.
- (4) Remove setscrew (12) that attaches arm shaft ball bearing collar (13) to arm shaft.
- (5) Remove rear arm shaft bushing.
- (6) Tilt the machine head back.
- (7) Slide hook shaft drive belt (1, fig. 4-9) from the safety clutch (4).
- (8) Grasp the belt at the top and pull it up as far as it will go. Remove the belt through the hole normally occupied by the arm shaft bushing.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

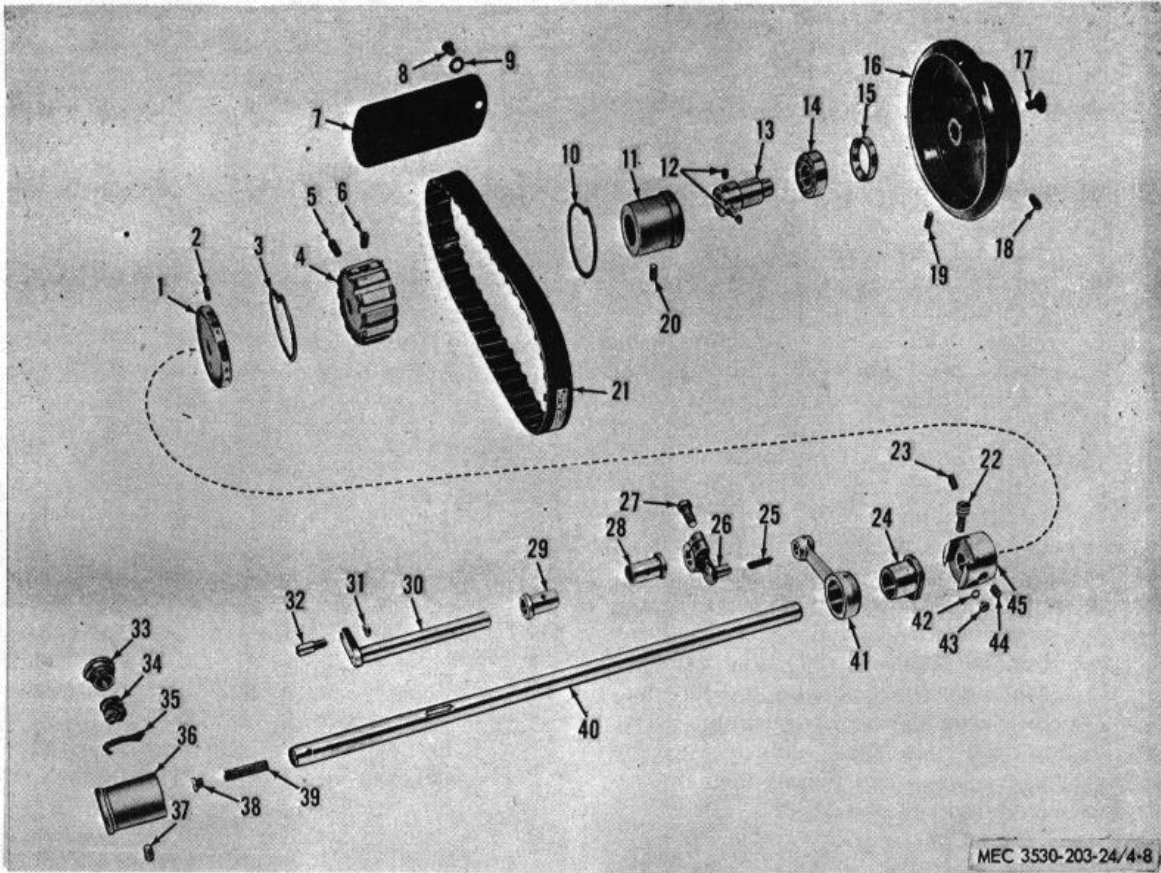
c. *Adjustment (Timing).* Following the instructions in paragraph 4-66.

4-68. Thread Hook Driving Shaft

balance wheel, and tilt machine head back.

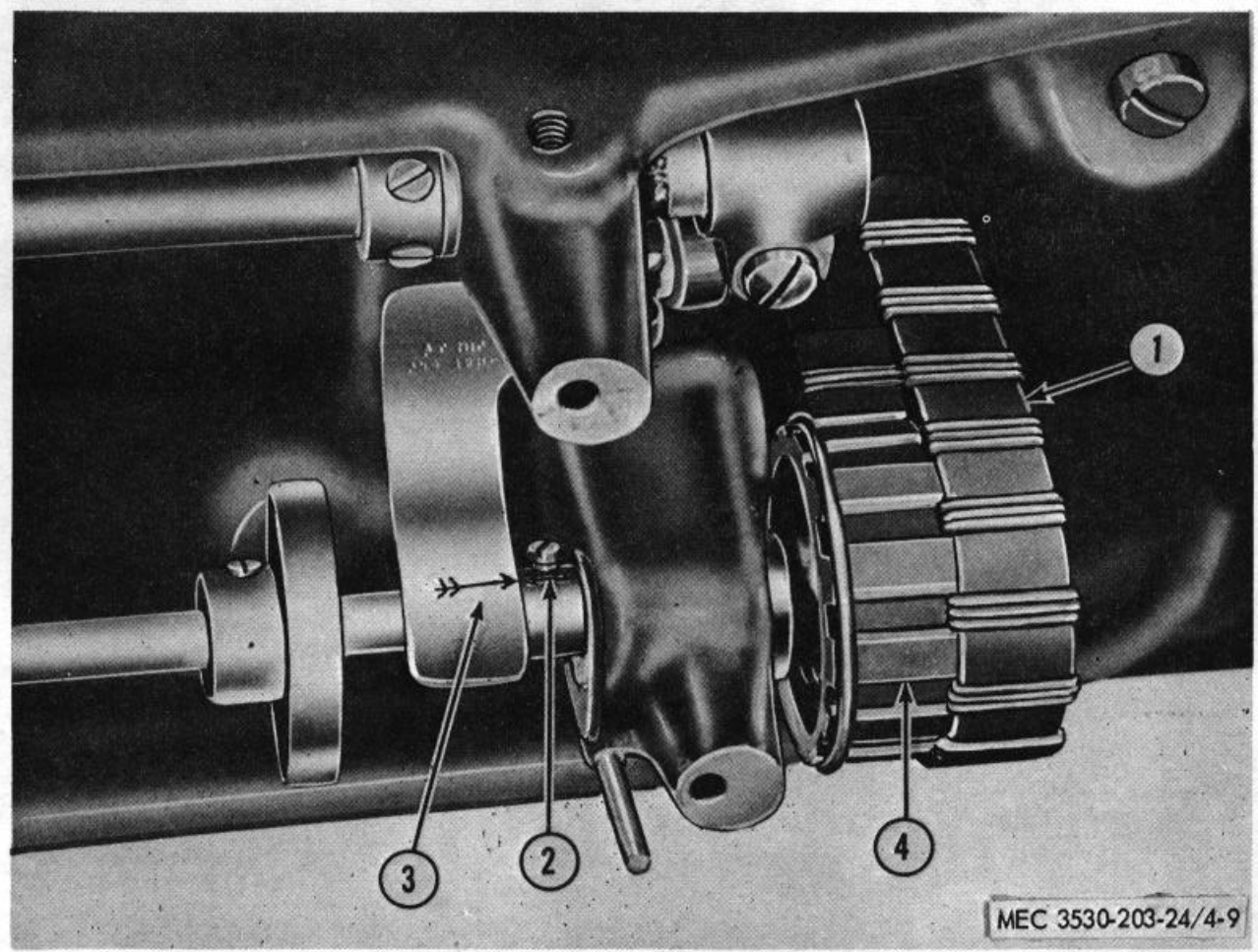
a. Removal.

- (1) Slide round belt from drive pulley with



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| 1 | Disk, arm feed indicating | 18 | Setscrew, drive pulley | 31 | Nut, vibrating presser bar lifting bellcrank stud |
| 2 | Setscrew, feed indicating disk | 19 | Setscrew, drive pulley | 32 | Stud, vibrating presser bar lifting bellcrank link |
| 3 | Flange, shaft pulley spring | 20 | Setscrew, shaft rear bushing | 33 | Thumbscrew, shaft front bushing |
| 4 | Pulley, arm shaft belt | 21 | Belt, bed thread hook shaft drive | 34 | Wick, arm shaft front bushing |
| 5 | Setscrew, shaft flanged pulley | 22 | Screw, lifting eccentric regulating | 35 | Wick, front armshaft oil |
| 6 | Screw, shaft flanged pulley positioning | 23 | Setscrew, lifting eccentric body | 36 | Bushing, arm shaft front |
| 7 | Cap, arm | 24 | Eccentric, lifting | 37 | Setscrew, shaft front bushing |
| 8 | Screw, arm cap | 25 | Packing, lifting eccentric crank oil | 38 | Wick, drive shaft oil |
| 9 | Washer, arm cap screw | 26 | Crank, needle bar rock frame rockshaft | 39 | Screw, drive shaft oil wick |
| 10 | Flange, shaft pulley spring | 27 | Screw, needle bar rock frame rockshaft crank pinch | 40 | Shaft, drive arm |
| 11 | Bushing, arm shaft rear | 28 | Bushing, vibrating presser bar lifting rockshaft | 41 | Eccentric connector, vibrating presser bar lifting rockshaft |
| 12 | Setscrew, shaft rear ball bearing collar | 29 | Bushing, vibrating presser bar lifting rockshaft | 42 | Washer, lifting eccentric setscrew |
| 13 | Collar, arm shaft ball bearing | 30 | Rockshaft vibrating presser bar lifting | 43 | Screw, lifting eccentric |
| 14 | Bearing, arm shaft ball | | | 44 | Setscrew, lifting eccentric body |
| 15 | Washer, arm shaft ball bearing | | | 45 | Body, lifting eccentric |
| 16 | Pulley with balance wheel, drive | | | | |
| 17 | Screw, shaft drive pulley adjusting | | | | |

Figure 4-8. Textile sewing machine arm shaft and related parts, disassembled.



1 Belt, bed thread hook shaft drive

2 Collar, timing
3 Plate, arm shaft flanged timing pulley

4 Clutch, hook drive shaft safety

Figure 4-9. Textile serving machine bed, showing timing marks.

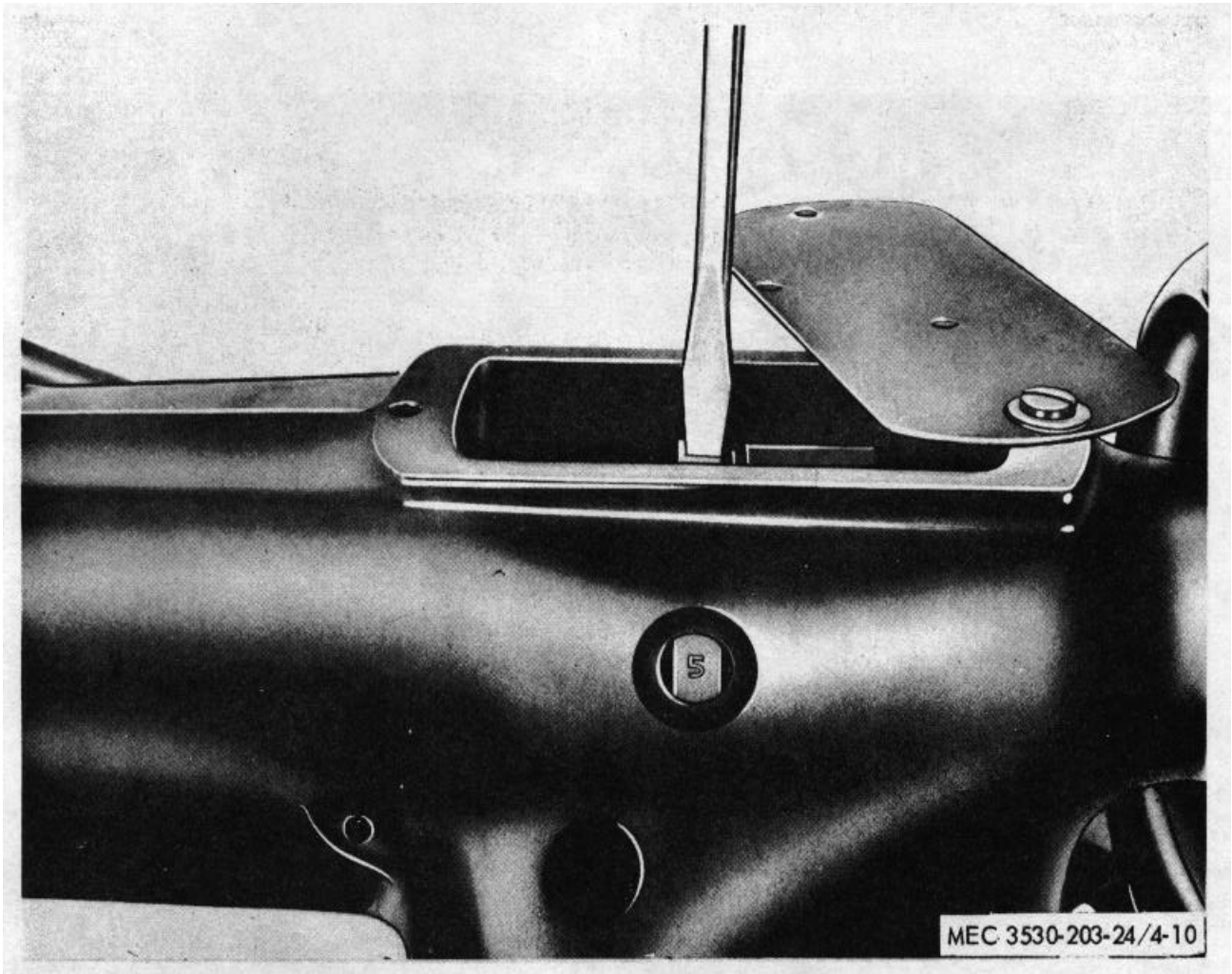
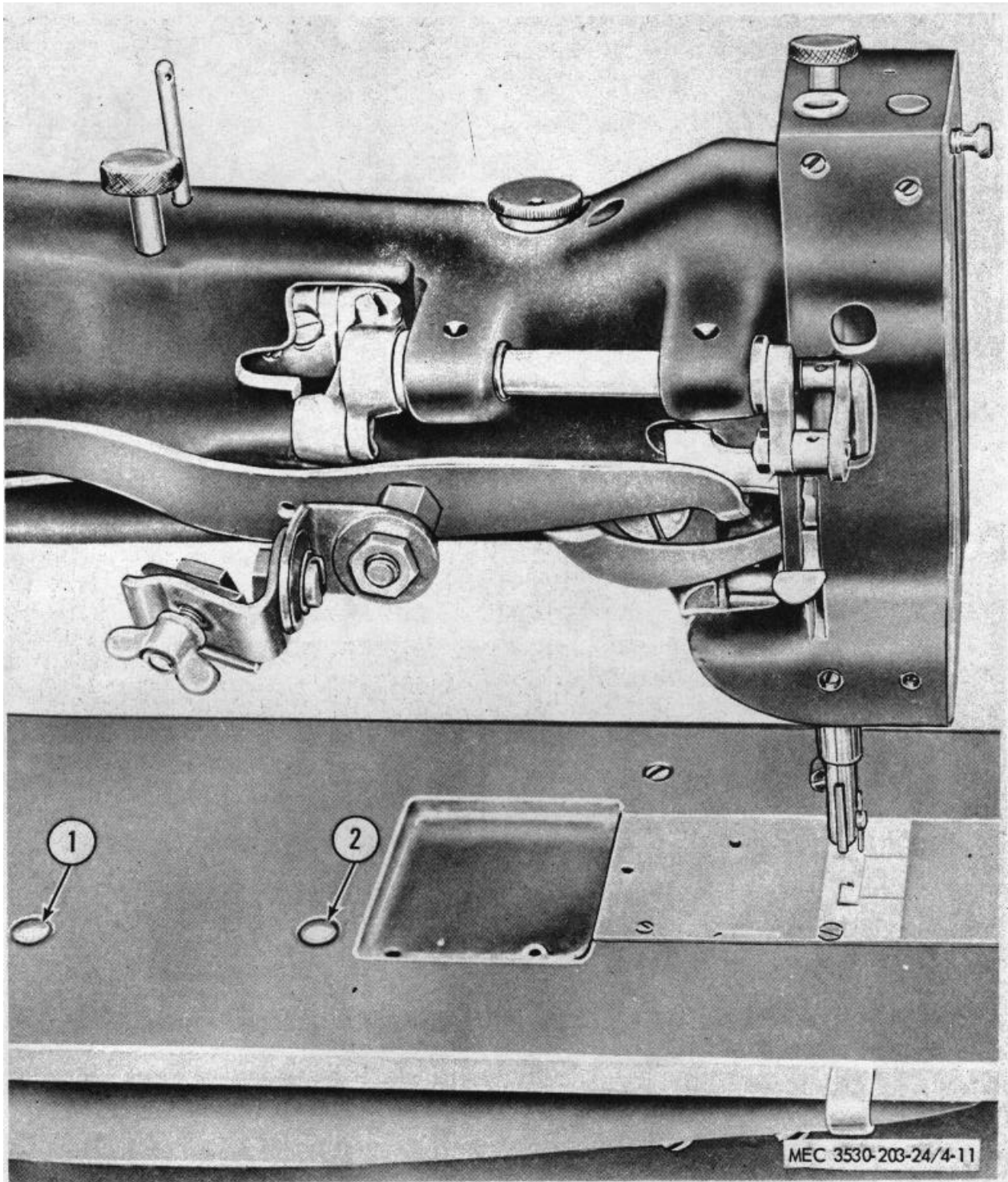


Figure 4-10. Adjusting stitch indicator disk on textile sewing machine.



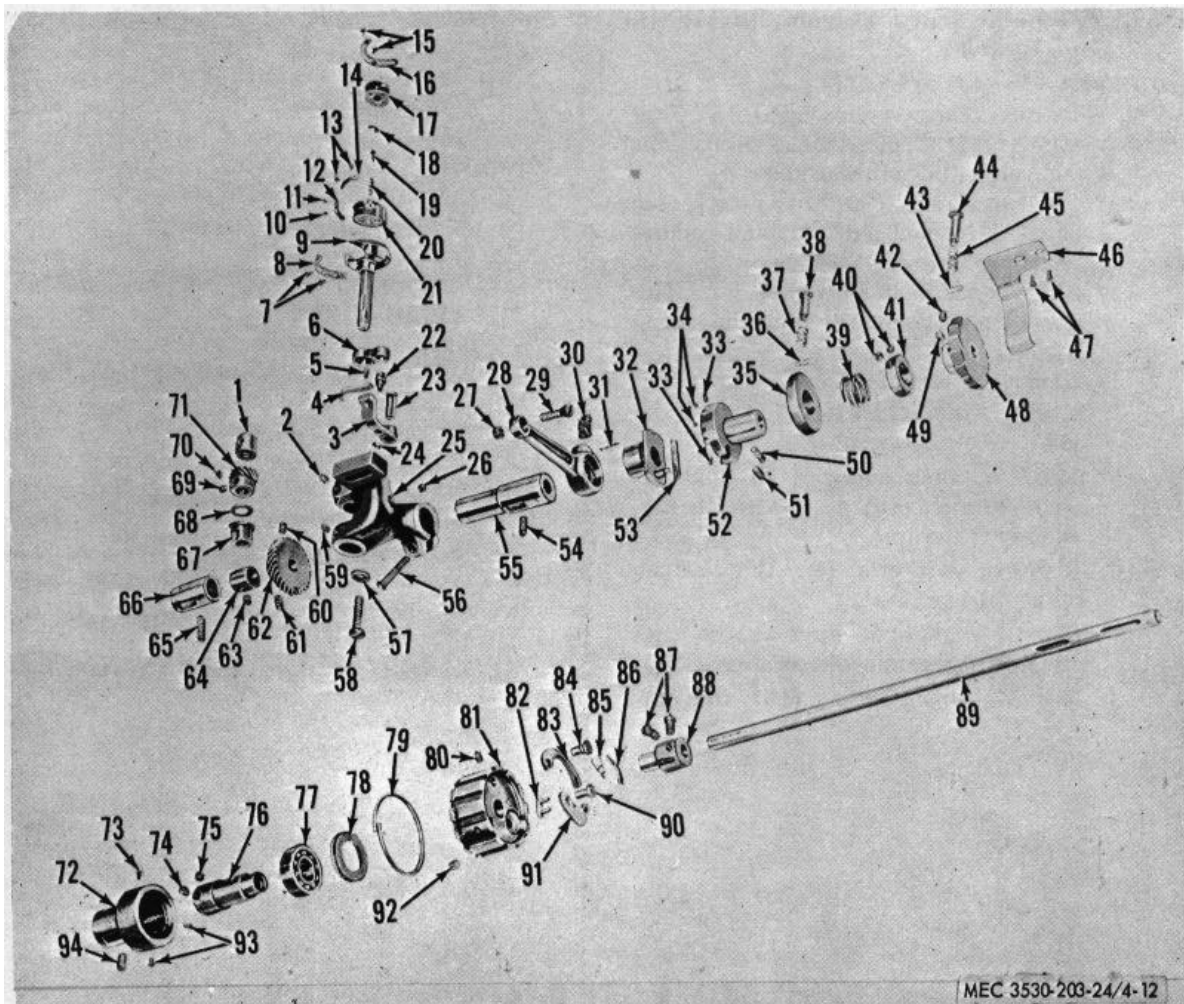
1 Stud, thread hook drive shaft lock

2 Stud, regulating feed

Figure 4-11. Textile sewing machine bed, showing plungers.

- (2) Slide drive belt (1, fig. 4-9) off safety clutch (4).
 - (3) Remove setscrews (87, fig. 4-12) that attach safety clutch to hook driving shaft, (89) and remove spring flange (79), safety clutch (81), link (82), lever (83), stud (84), spring (85), latch (86), collar (88), stud (90), and lever (91) as an assembly from shaft.
 - (4) Insert screwdriver into machine bed opening, remove setscrew (94) that attaches bushing (72) to hook drive shaft.
 - (5) Remove position screw (74) and setscrew (75) that attach collar (76) to hook drive shaft.
 - (6) Remove bushing (72), screws (73), setscrew (75), collar (76), bearing (77), washer (78), screws (93), and setscrew (94) as an assembly from hook drive shaft.
 - (7) Remove screws (47) that attach timing plate (46) to machine bed, and remove timing plate.
 - (8) Remove setscrew (42) and positioning screw (49) that attach lock ratchet (48) to hook drive shaft.
 - (9) Remove setscrews (40) that attach stop collar (41) to hook drive shaft.
 - (10) Remove setscrews (50) and positioning screw (51) that attach flange (52) to hook drive shaft.
 - (11) Remove setscrew (60) and positioning screw (61) that attach gear (62) to hook drive shaft.
 - (12) Slide hook drive shaft to the right so that setscrew (63) can be removed. Remove setscrew from cam (64).
 - (13) Slide hook drive shaft from machine bed and remove ratchet, collar, spring, disk, flange, gib (53), setscrew (33), screw (34), eccentric (32), gear, and cam from machine bed.
 - (14) Remove nut (27) and hinge screws (29) that attach feed drive connector (28) to feed driving shaft crank, and remove crank.
 - (15) Remove setscrew (54) that attaches bearing (55) to machine bed.
 - (16) Loosen pinch screw (56) that attaches hook saddle to bearing, and remove bearing.
 - (17) Insert screwdriver into opening in machine bed, remove setscrew (65) that attaches front bushing (66) to machine bed, and remove bushing.
- b. Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedure in a above.
- c. Adjustment (Timing).* Adjust hook drive shaft with arm shaft (para. 4-66).

1	Bushing, upper saddle hook	20	Spring, bobbin case latch	37	Spring, feed regulating stud
2	Screw, positioning thread hook saddle upper bushing	21	Case, bobbin	38	Stud, feed regulating
3	Lever, bobbin case opener	22	Stud, bobbin case opener lever driving screw	39	Spring, feed drive eccentric adjusting
4	Opener, bobbin case	23	Stud, bobbin case opener lever hinge	40	Setscrew, feed driving rock-shaft stop collar
5	Screw, bobbin case opener	24	Nut, screw stud	41	Collar, feed drive eccentric adjusting disk spring stop
6	Link, bobbin case opener lever	25	Saddle, thread hook	42	Setscrew, thread hook drive lock ratchet
7	Screw, thread hook needle guard	26	screw, hook bushing position	43	Retainer, thread hook drive lock ratchet stud spring
8	Guard, thread hook needle	27	Nut, feed drive connector hinge screw	44	Stud, thread hook drive shaft lock
9	Hook, thread	28	Drive connector, feed	45	Spring, thread hook drive shaft lock stud
10	Screw, bobbin case tension spring	29	Screw, feed drive connector hinge	46	Plate, arm shaft flanged pulley timing
11	Screw, bobbin case tension spring regulating	30	Felt, feed drive connector oiling	47	Screws, shaft flanged pulley timing plate
12	Spring, bobbin case tension	31	Wire, feed drive connector oiling felt retaining	48	Ratchet, thread lock drive shaft lock
13	Screw, bobbin case oiling retainer	32	Eccentric, feed drive	49	Screw, thread hook drive shaft lock ratchet positioning
14	Retainer, bobbin case oiling felt	33	Setscrew, feed drive eccentric friction gib adjusting screw	50	Setscrew, feed drive flange
15	Screw, thread hook gib	34	Screw, feed drive eccentric friction gib adjusting	51	Screw, feed drive flange position
16	Gib, thread hook	35	Disk, feed drive eccentric adjusting	52	Flange, feed drive
17	Bobbin	36	Retainer, feed regulating and thread hook drive shaft lock stud spring	53	Gib, feed drive eccentric friction
18	Latch, bobbin case				
19	Plunger, bobbin case latch				



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| 54 | Setscrew, thread hook saddle bearing | 68 | Washer, hook driving pinion | 81 | Clutch, hook drive shaft safety |
| 55 | Bearing, thread hook saddle | 69 | Screw, hook driving pinion positioning | 82 | Link, safety clutch locking lever connecting |
| 56 | Screw, thread hook saddle pinch | 70 | Setscrew, thread hook drive pinion | 83 | Lever, safety clutch |
| 57 | Washer, hook saddle screw | 71 | Pinion, drive thread hook spiral | 84 | Stud, safety clutch locking lever spring |
| 58 | Screw, hook saddle | 72 | Bushing, hook driving shaft | 85 | Spring, safety clutch throwing latch |
| 59 | Setscrew, thread hook saddle lower bushing | 73 | Screw, hook driving shaft ball bearing retaining washer | 86 | Latch, safety clutch throwing |
| 60 | Setscrew, thread hooks spiral drive gear | 74 | Screw, hook driving shaft ball bearing collar | 87 | Setscrew, safety clutch hook driving shaft |
| 61 | Screw, thread hook spiral drive gear positioning | 75 | Setscrew, hook driving shaft ball bearing collar | 88 | Collar, safety clutch hook driving shaft |
| 62 | Gear, drive spiral | 76 | Collar, hook driving shaft ball bearing | 89 | Shaft, hook driving |
| 63 | Setscrew, feed lifting cam | 77 | Bearing, hook driving shaft ball | 90 | Stud, safety clutch locking lever hinge |
| 64 | Cam, feed lifting | 78 | Washer, hook driving shaft ball bearing | 91 | Lever, safety clutch locking |
| 65 | Setscrew, thread hook drive shaft bushing | 79 | Flange, safety pulley spring | 92 | Setscrew, safety clutch locking lever spring stud |
| 66 | Bushing, front thread hook drive shaft | 80 | Setscrew, safety clutch locking lever spring stud | 93 | Screw, hook driving ball bearing retaining washer |
| 67 | Bushing, hook saddle lower | | | 94 | Setscrew, hook driving bushing |

Figure 4-12. Textile sewing machine thread hook and drive shaft, disassembled.

4-69. Feed Bar, Feed Driving Rockshaft, and Crank

a. Removal and Disassembly.

- (1) Remove screws (8, fig. 4-13) that attach throat plate (6) to machine bed, and remove throat plate.
- (2) Remove screws (30) that attach feed dog (5) to feed bar (4), and remove feed bar.
- (3) Slide round belt off pulley with balance wheel, and tilt machine head back.
- (4) Remove nut (17) and screw (14) that attach crank connector (18) to crank (16).
- (5) Remove pinch screw (15) that attaches crank (16) to rockshaft (2), and remove crank.
- (6) Remove setscrews (9) that attach collar (10) to shaft.
- (7) Remove nut and hinge screw that attach drive connector to crank (23).
- (8) Remove pinch screw (15) that attaches crank (16) to hook drive shaft.

- (9) Remove screw (38) and washer (35) that attach fork (32) to feed bar (4), and remove fork.
- (10) Work the shaft with feed bar out of the left end of the machine bed, and remove collars (10 and 25) and feed driving crank.
- (11) Remove nut (3) and hinge screw (1) that attach feed bar to shaft, and remove feed bar.
- (12) Remove setscrews (11 and 12) that attach bushing (13) to machine bed, and remove bushing.
- (13) Remove setscrews (27 and 28) that attach bushing (26) to machine bed, and remove bushing.

b. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust feed dog (para. 3125c).

1	Screw, feed driving connection hinge	13	Bushing, right feed driving rockshaft split	25	Collar, feed driving rockshaft
2	Rockshaft, feed driving	14	Screw, hinge	26	Bushing, left feed driving rockshaft
3	Nut, feed driving connection hinge screw	15	Screw, feed driving rockshaft crank pinch	27	Setscrew, left feed driving rockshaft
4	Bar, feed	16	Crank, feed driving rockshaft	28	Setscrew, left feed driving rockshaft
5	Dog, feed	17	Nut, hinge screw	29	Setscrew, feed driving rockshaft stop
6	Plate, throat	18	Connector, needle bar frame rockshaft crank	30	Screws, feed dog
7	Plate, right slide	19	Screw, hinge	31	Plate, right slide
8	Screws, throat plate	20	Crank, needle bar rock frame rockshaft	32	Fork, feed lifting cam
9	Setscrews, feed driving	21	Screw, needle bar rock frame rockshaft crank	33	Screw, feed lifting cam oiling felt
10	Collar, feed driving rockshaft stop	22	Nut, hinge screw	34	Pad, feed lifting cam oiling
11	Setscrew, right feed driving rockshaft bushing	23	Crank, feed driving	35	Washer, feed lifting cam fork screw
12	Setscrew, right feed driving rockshaft bushing	24	Screw, feed driving crank pinch		
36	Screw, feed lifting cam fork				

4-70. Hook Saddle and Bushings

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove hook driving shaft (para. 468a (1) through (13)).
- (2) Remove screw (58, fig. 4-12) and washer (57) that attach hook saddle (25) to machine bed, and remove saddle.
- (3) Remove thread hook (para 3-126((1) through (9))).
- (4) Remove screw (2) that attaches upper bushing (1) to hook saddle, and remove bushing.
- (5) Remove setscrew (59) that attaches lower bushing to hook saddle, and remove bushing.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedures in *a* above.

c. Adjustment (Timing). Follow the instructions in paragraph 4-66.

4-71. Feed Regulating Stud and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Slide round belt off pulley with balance

wheel, and tilt machine head back.

- (2) Remove retainer (36, fig. 4-1.2) that attaches stud (38) and spring (37) to machine bed, and remove stud and spring out top of machine bed.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.

4-72. Thread Hook Drive Shaft Lock Stud

a. Removal.

- (1) Slide round belt off pulley with balance wheel, and tilt machine head back.
- (2) Remove retainer (43, fig. 4-12) that attaches stud (44) and spring (45) to machine bed, and remove stud and spring through the top of machine bed.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones, and install them by reversing procedure in *a* above.

PART TWO
ORGANIZATIONAL, DIRECT AND GENERAL SUPPORT MAINTENANCE
FOR CLOTHING REPAIR SHOP TRAILER-MOUNTED
CHAPTER 5
INTRODUCTION

Section I. GENERAL

5-1. Scope

a. The instructions in part two of this manual are published for the use of personnel responsible for the organizational, direct support, and general support maintenance of the trailer-mounted clothing repair shop. These instructions provide information on the inspection and maintenance of the equipment and on the procedures for the replacement of repair parts.

b. Organizational maintenance instructions for the cabinet assembly; miscellaneous wiring and fittings; clothing sewing machine; darning machine; bobbin winder; and thread unwinder, are contained in the following paragraphs:

- (1) Cabinet assembly, paragraphs 3-13 through 3-25.
- (2) Miscellaneous wiring and fittings, paragraphs 3-30 through 3-38.
- (3) Clothing sewing machine, paragraphs 3-39 through 3-57.
- (4) Darning machine, paragraphs 3-58 through 3-70.
- (5) Bobbin winder, paragraphs 3-136 through 3-140.
- (6) Thread unwinder, paragraphs 3-141 through 3-144.

5-2. Appendixes

Appendix I contains a list of publications applicable to the clothing repair shop and available to the organizational, direct support and general support personnel. Appendix 11 contains the maintenance allocation chart applicable to the clothing repair shop. The maintenance repair parts for the clothing repair shop are listed and illustrated in TM 10-3530203-24P. The maintenance repair parts for the generator set and the cargo trailer are listed and illustrated in the applicable manuals listed in appendix I.

5-3. Maintenance Forms and Records

The maintenance forms, records, and reports which are to be used by the organizational, direct support, and general support maintenance personnel in the maintenance of the clothing repair shop are listed and described in TM 38-750.

5-4. Reporting of Equipment Manual Improvements

Refer to paragraph 4 for the instructions for reporting improvements for this manual.

5-5. Orientation

Refer to paragraph 5 for the orientation instructions necessary for this manual.

Section II. DESCRIPTION AND DATA

5-6. Description

A general description of the clothing repair shop and its components is found in TM 10-3530-203-10. Any additional descriptive information applicable to a particular component or assembly of the clothing repair shop will be found in the appropriate sections of this manual. The description of the generator is found in TM 5-6115-271-15 and of the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.

5-7. Tabulated Data

a. General. The tabulated data applicable to the clothing repair shop and the major components is provided in TM 10-3530-20310. The tabulated data for

the generator set is provided in TM 5-6115-271-15 and the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.

b. Time Standards. The time standards for various services for the components of the clothing repair shop are given in table 2. Table 2 lists the number of man-hours required under normal conditions to perform the indicated maintenance and repair services for] the components of the clothing repair shop.

Components are listed under the appropriate functional index. The times listed are not intended to be rigid standards. Under adverse conditions, the operations will take longer; but under ideal conditions with highly skilled mechanics, most of the operations can be accomplished in considerably less time.

Table 2. Time Standards

		<i>Man-hours</i>			<i>Man-hours</i>
Lubrication and Service				Side door stay or rear door stay assembly (includes removal and installation of rivets).	2.0
46	REPAIR EQUIPMENT			Sewing tray assembly (includes removal and installation of strap assembly and sewing machine head).	0.5
4603	Repair Equipment (Clothing)				
	Button Sewing Machine (includes lubricating sewing machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).	0.6			
	Clothing sewing machine (includes lubricating sewing machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).	0.6	40		
	Darning machine (includes lubricating sewing machine head, bobbin winder, and motor).	0.6	4000	ELECTRIC MOTORS	
				Motor	
				Button machine motor (includes removal and installation of drive pulley, ball bearings, and brushes).	4.0
				Clothing or darning machine motor (includes removal and installation of flywheel, friction pad, drive pulley and brake lever, brake lever pad and spring, and ball bearings).	4.0
Remove and Replace					
18	BODY, CAB, HOOD, AND HULL,				
1808	Stowage Boxes				
	Stowage box assembly (includes removal and installation of latches and hooks).	1.0			
1812	Cabinet Assembly		42	ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT	
	Cabinet assembly (Includes removal of cabinet assembly from and installation of cabinet assembly into trailer bed).	2.0	4216	Miscellaneous Wiring and Fittings	
	Lifting loop assembly (includes removal and installation of retainer clip and spring).	0.5	46	Sewing machine motor-to-switch wiring harness.	1.0
	Door or panel locking latch (includes removal and installation of rivets).	1.0	4603	REPAIR EQUIPMENT	
	Holddown clamp assembly (includes removal and installation of capscrew).	0.5		Repair Equipment (Clothing)	
	Generator holddown assembly-	0.5		Button Sewing Machine, Automatic	1.0
				Thread Tension Disks (includes removal and installation of thread tension disks, release disk, springs, and studs).	
				Thread nipper head and plate (includes removal and installation of thread nipper plate and the adjustment time for the thread nipper head).	1.5

	Man-hours		Man-hours
Front or rear threadpulloff (includes adjustment time).	1.5	Thread looper shaft (includes removal and installation of looper, link, cam, and crank and adjustment time for looper).	2.5
Stop dog holder with cushion spring (includes removal and installation of drive pulley and shifter and adjustment time for stop dog holder).	1.5	Thread looper (includes removal and installation of collars, spring, and starting crank and adjustment time).	2.5
Thread looper (includes adjustment time).	1.0	Stop motion trip block (includes removal and installation of stop motion trip plate and adjustment time).	1.5
Face plate assembly (includes disassembly and assembly of collar, guide, plate, roller, and pin).	1.5	Arm rockshaft (includes removal and installation of rockshaft front and rear cranks).	1.5
Needle bar connecting link (includes removal and installation of needle bar and stud).	1.0	Feed cam worm wheel shaft (includes removal and installation of feed cam and worm wheel and stop motion point and adjustment time).	1.5
Presser bar	1.0	Thread tension release cam (includes removal and installation of drive pulley, drive shaft, stop dog, gears, and eccentric and adjustment time).	2.5
Needle bar vibrating lever (includes removal and installation of needle bar, presser bar, vibrating lever arm, and slides).	1.0	Thread tension release rod-	0.5
Needle bar vibrating lever bracket	1.0	Thread nipper release lever -	1.0
Lifting arm	1.0	Thread nipper release rod (includes adjustment time).	1.5
Lifting rod arm (includes removal and installation of collars, springs, pulloff holders, and shaft).	1.0	Clothing Sewing Machine: Refer to the time standards for the clothing sewing machine in table 1 of this manual.	
Feed plate holder (includes adjustment time of feed plate holder).	1.5	Darning Sewing Machine: Refer to the time standards for the darning sewing machine in table 1 of this manual.	
Feed plate carrier regulator (includes removal and installation of feed plate carrier and drive arm and adjustment time).	2.0		
Needle guide with shaft and bushing (includes adjustment time for needle guide).	1.5		

CHAPTER 6

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

Section I. SERVICE UPON RECEIPT OF CLOTHING REPAIR SHOP

6-1. General

When either a new or used clothing repair shop is received by an organization, the organizational personnel must inspect and service each component to prepare it for operation.

The operator will assist the organizational personnel when he is directed to do so.

6-2. Unpacking and Unloading Equipment From Cabinet Assembly

The equipment of the clothing repair shop is packed or loaded in a cabinet assembly which is mounted in the bed of a cargo trailer.

a. Use extreme care when unpacking and installing or setting up separately packed components or items of equipment of the clothing repair shop.

b. Remove the equipment from the cabinet assembly and set it up according to the instructions set forth in TM 10-3530-203-10.

c. Remove all protective tape and materials used in packing the clothing repair shop equipment.

d. Check the components of the clothing repair shop with the basic issue item list in TM 10-3530-203-10 to assure that the clothing repair shop is complete.

e. Remove the SD (solvent, drycleaning) the preservative compound which has been sprayed on all metal surfaces. Because this compound is not a lubricant, take special care to remove it completely from all wearing surfaces.

6-3. Inspecting and Servicing Clothing Repair Shop

a. Carry out a complete visual inspection of the equipment of the clothing repair shop, taking special notice of any damaged or missing parts which might have been sustained in transit. Read any warning on the shipping tag to determine the condition in which the clothing repair shop was shipped. Observe all precautions noted on the shipping tag.

b. Perform the quarterly preventive maintenance services described in paragraph 7-4 for the clothing repair shop. Perform also the quarterly preventive maintenance services and the lubrication services for the generator set as described in TM 5-6115-271-15 and for the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14. The services performed at this time will begin the cycle of regularly scheduled quarterly preventive maintenance services.

Section II. CONTROLS AND INSTRUMENTS

6-4. Controls

a. There are no controls on the cabinet assembly, the grommet press, and the tack-button attaching machine.

b. Refer to TM 5-6115-271-15 for information on the controls on the generator set.

c. Refer to TM 9-2330-203-10 for information on the controls on the cargo trailer.

d. Refer to TM 10-3530-203-10 for information on the controls on the sewing machines.

6-5. Instruments

The only instruments on the clothing repair shop are those instruments on the generator set. Refer to TM 5-6115-271-15 for the information covering the instruments on the generator set.

CHAPTER 7

ORGANIZATIONAL MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS

Section I. SPECIAL TOOLS AND EQUIPMENT

7-1. Special Tools

No special tools are required for the maintenance of the clothing repair shop. The common tools that are used in the maintenance of the clothing repair shop are authorized and listed in the appropriate table of organization and equipment or table of allowances.

7-2. Equipment

No special equipment is authorized for the maintenance of the clothing repair shop.

Section II. PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES

7-3. General

To insure that the clothing repair shop is ready for operation at all times, its components must be inspected systematically so that defects may be discovered and corrected before they result in serious damage or failure. The necessary preventive maintenance services to be performed quarterly on the components of the clothing repair shop are listed and described in paragraph 7-4. The item numbers indicate the sequence of minimum inspection requirements. Defects discovered must be noted and corrected as soon as possible. All deficiencies and shortcomings, together with the corrective action taken, will be recorded on DA Form 2404.

listing of preventive maintenance services which must be performed by organization maintenance personnel at quarterly intervals. A quarterly interval is equal to 3 calendar months, or 250 hours of operation, whichever occurs first. The item numbers are listed consecutively and indicate the sequence of minimum inspection requirements. Refer to the quarterly preventive maintenance services in figure 3-1 for the cabinet assembly, in figure 7-1 for the button sewing machine, in figure 3-2 for the clothing sewing machine, in figure 3-3 for the darning machine. Refer to the quarterly preventive maintenance services to be performed by the organizational maintenance personnel on the generator set in TM 5-6115-271-15 and on the cargo trailer in TM 9-2330-213-14.

7-4. Quarterly Preventive Maintenance Services

This paragraph contains an illustrated tabulated

Section III. TROUBLESHOOTING

7-5. General

This section provides information useful in diagnosing and correcting unsatisfactory operation of the clothing repair shop and its components. Each trouble symptom stated is followed by the probable causes of the trouble. The possible remedy

recommended is described opposite the probable cause. Any trouble that is beyond the ability of the organizational maintenance personnel to remedy must be

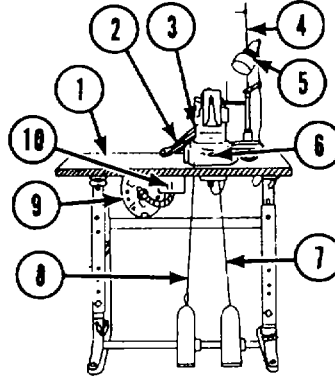
PREVENTIVE MAINTENANCE SERVICES

QUARTERLY

TM 10-3530-203-24

SINGLER MOL 175-62

MACHINE, SEWING, BUTTON



LUBRICATE IN ACCORDANCE WITH CURRENT LUBRICATION ORDER

ITEM

PAR REF

1	<u>TABLE ASSEMBLY</u> . Inspect table assembly for cut, cracked, broken warped, and dirty tabletop; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; and for loose mounting to the folding stand.	6-3
2	<u>BUTTON MACHINE HEAD</u> . Inspect button machine head for dirty surface and grease deposits; for bent, broken, loose or missing components; and for loose mounting. Inspect needle for broken or excessively worn point and for bent or broken shaft.	7-26
3	<u>DRIVE BELT AND PULLEYS</u> . Inspect for broken, frayed, and excessively worn drive belt. Inspect belt for loose mounting on the pulleys. Inspect pulleys for cracked, chipped, or broken edges, and loose mounting. Check for a 1-inch finger-pressure deflection of the belt midway between the pulleys.	8-4 8-5 8-19
4	<u>THREAD UNWINDER</u> . Inspect thread unwinder for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws and for bent or broken components.	3-141 To 3-143

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Figure 7-1. Quarterly preventive maintenance services for button sewing machine.

ITEM		PAR REF
5	<u>LAMP ASSEMBLY.</u> Inspect lamp assembly, bracket, and stank for loose or missing bolts, nuts, and screws. Inspect for dirty, cracked, or broken housing and lens. Inspect cord for frayed insulation and broken wiring. Inspect for broken lamp switch and for burned-out lamp (bulb).	3-33 to 3-38
6	<u>LOOPER.</u> Tilt machine head on one side and inspect for broken looper point. Inspect looper, needle guide, and thread finger for improper adjustment.	7-29
7	<u>STARTING TREADLE CHAIN.</u> Inspect starting treadle chain for bent or broken links and loose mounting to the pulley shifter and to the starting treadle. Press treadle and make certain pulley shifter engages with the machine drive pulley.	8-20
8	<u>BUTTON CLAMP LIFTER TREADLE CHAIN.</u> Inspect button clamp lifter treadle chain for bent or broken links and loose mounting to button clamp lifting rod and to button clamp lifter treadle. Press the treadle and make certain lifting rod raises and lowers the button clamp.	7-34
9	<u>ELECTRIC MOTOR.</u> Inspect motor for dirty surfaces and grease deposits; for bent, cracked, or broken housing; for loose or missing bolts and nuts; for loose electrical connections; for frayed insulation and broken wiring; for improper capacity; and for loose mounting. During operation observe motor for unusual noise and excessive vibration.	8-40
10	<u>MOTOR SWITCH.</u> Inspect for broken or bent switch. Inspect it for loose mounting in the switchbox and make certain it turns the motor on and off. Check for loose electrical connections or broken wiring at the switchbox.	3-31 3-32

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Figure 7-1. Continued

ported according to instructions given in TM 38-750. Refer to the troubleshooting information in TM 5-6115-271-15 on the generator set and in TM 9-2330-213-14 on the cargo trailer. Refer to the troubleshooting information in part one of this manual for the clothing and darning sewing machines.

7-6. Cabinet Assembly

a. Holddown Clamp Assembly is Loosely Mounted.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Capscrew or aim has stripped threads.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Machine screws or nuts have stripped threads.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38750.

b. Rear Door or a Slide Door Cannot Be Opened.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Folding handle lock is defective.	Install serviceable lock (para. 3-16b).

c. Rear Door or a Side Door Does Not Close Securely.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Folding handle lock is defective.	Install serviceable lock (para. 3-16b).
Hinge is bent or broken	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Gasket is defective	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38750.

d. Sewing Machine Head is Loosely Mounted in Tray Assembly.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Thumbscrew or tray strap has stripped threads	Install serviceable assembly thumb screw or tray strap assembly (para. 19c).

e. Stowage Box Does Not Close Securely.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Hinge is bent or broken	Install serviceable stowage box (para. 3-14c).
Latch is defective.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.

f. Generator is Loosely Mounted on Slides.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Wing screws have stripped threads.	Install serviceable wing screws (para. 3-17b).

g. Folding Table, Sewing Machine Tray, and Table Assemblies Slide Unevenly.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Felt is excessively worn or missing from slides.	Install serviceable felt (para. 3-24b).

7-7. Button Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Needle strikes the button	Adjust button clamps (para. 7-30c). Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Needle guide and thread finger are out of adjustment.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Needle guide is broken	Report this condition as stipulated in 38-750.
Thread finger is broken	Adjust or time looper properly (para. 7-29c). Set needle bar to correct height (para. 7-30).
Looper is out of adjustment or time.	Adjust button clamp (para. 7-30c).
Needle bar is out of adjustment.	Adjust thread nipper head (para. 7-17c).
Button clamp is out of adjustment.	
Thread nipper head is out of adjustment.	

b. Thread Breaks.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Looper has burred edges or looper bent point.	Install serviceable (para. 7-29b). Adjust looper (para. 7-29c).
Looper is out of adjustment.	
Automatic tension is out of adjustment.	Adjust automatic (para. 7-16c).
Needle guide and thread finger are out of adjustment.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Needle guide or thread finger is bent, burred, or broken.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Needle guide oscillating crank spring is broken.	Report this condition as stipulated in TM 38-750.
Thread nipper head is out of adjustment.	Adjust thread nipper head (para. 7-17c).

c. Lamp Does Not Light When Switch is in ON Position.

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Incandescent lamp is burned out.	Install serviceable lamp (bulb) (para. 3-35c).
Light cord is broken	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33b).
Lamp switch is defective	Install serviceable lamp switch (para. 3-33b).
Power receptacle is defective.	Install serviceable box with receptacle (para. 3-32b).
Lamp assembly is defective	Install serviceable lamp assembly (para. 3-33b).

d. *Motor Fails to Start When Switch is in ON Position.*

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Power cable is broken----	Install serviceable power cable (para. 3-31c).
Motor switch is defective-	Install serviceable motor switch (para. 331c).
Motor is defective-----	Install serviceable motor(para. 3-61c).

e. *Unusual Noise in Motor.*

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Motor is defective -----	Install serviceable motor (para. 7-10c).
Drive pulley is-defective	Install serviceable pulley(para. 7-11c).

f. *Motor Does Not Pull Load.*

Probable cause	Possible remedy
Drive belt is slipping.--	Adjust for a 1-inch finger-pressure deflection of the belt

midway between pulleys.
Improper voltage or motor is faulty.

Check generator for correct voltage output. If generator voltage output is correct, check voltage at motor terminals. If voltage output is low, replace cable, if voltage output is incorrect, replace motor with a serviceable one (para. 7-10c).

7-8. Field Expedient Repairs

The following trouble may occur to the sewing machines while the clothing repair shop is operating in the field. Supplies and repair parts may not be available; therefore, normal remedial action cannot be taken. When this trouble develops, the following field repair procedure may be used for the sewing machines. Field expedients will be used only during emergency.

Trouble	Expedient remedy
Broken drive belt -----	Connect end of belt with a short piece of wire or strong thread.

Section IV. ELECTRIC MOTORS

7-9. General

This section describes the maintenance instructions which the organizational maintenance personnel must perform on the motors used to furnish power for the sewing machines. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

7-10. Button Sewing Machine Alternating Current Motor

This motor is used to furnish the power to operate the button sewing machine.

a. *Removal.* Remove the motor from the table assembly (para. 3-27 (1) and (2) and (5) through (9)).

b. *Inspection.* Inspect the motor for broken housing, evidence of excessive heating, and obstructions to ventilation. Check the wiring for cuts, frays, and any evidence of a short circuit and inspect the bolts for stripped or damaged threads.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective motor and bolts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-11. Button Sewing Machine Motor Drive Pulley

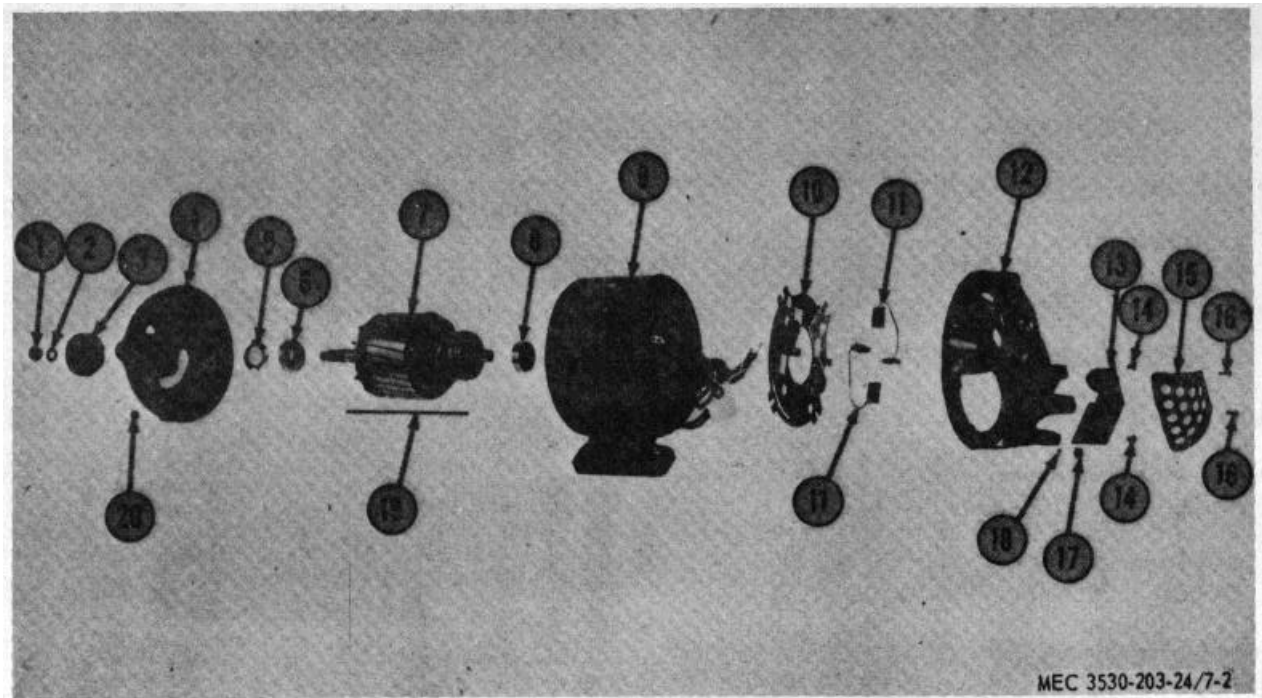
a. *Removal.*

(1) Remove the nut (1, fig. 7-2) and the lockwasher (2) that secure the drive pulley (3) to the shaft of the armature (7).

(2) Slide the drive pulley from the shaft.

b. *Inspection.* Inspect the drive pulley for cracks, breaks, or chips.

c. *Installation.* Replace defective drive, pulley with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 Nut, pulley | 8 Bearing, ball | 15 Ventilator, end cover |
| 2 Lockwasher | 9 Housing, stator | 16 Screws |
| 3 Pulley, drive | 10 Ring, brush | 17 Nut |
| 4 Housing, drive-end | 11 Brushes, with leads | 18 Lockwasher |
| 5 Spacer | 12 Housing, commutator end | 19 Rod |
| 6 Bearing, ball | 13 Cover, junction box | 20 Nut |
| 7 Armature | 14 Screws, cover | |

Figure 7-2. Button serving machine alternating current motor disassembled.

7-12. Clothing or Darning Sewing Machine Alternating Current Motor

Refer to paragraphs 3-27 through 3-29 for

the organizational maintenance instructions for the clothing or the darning machine motor.

Section V. BUTTON SEWING MACHINE

7-13. General

This section describes the additional maintenance instructions which organizational maintenance personnel must perform on the items of the button sewing machine. The button sewing machine consists of a machine head, a motor, a table assembly, and a stand. The motor is bolted to the underside of the table assembly and the machine head is mounted on the top of the table assembly, and the table assembly is mounted on the stand. The machine head includes the base, the bed, and the arm. The bed is an iron casting which fits on the base and supports the arm. The bed contains the looper, the needle bar guide, the feed cam,

and other associated parts. The arm contains the needle driving and vibrating mechanism. Any deficiencies which the organizational maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

7-14. Left and Right Side Covers

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove thumb nuts (18 and 48, fig. 7-3), and take the right side cover
- (2) from the button machine arm (1).

- (2) Take out the left side cover screws (12 and 14), and remove the left side cover (13) from the machine arm.

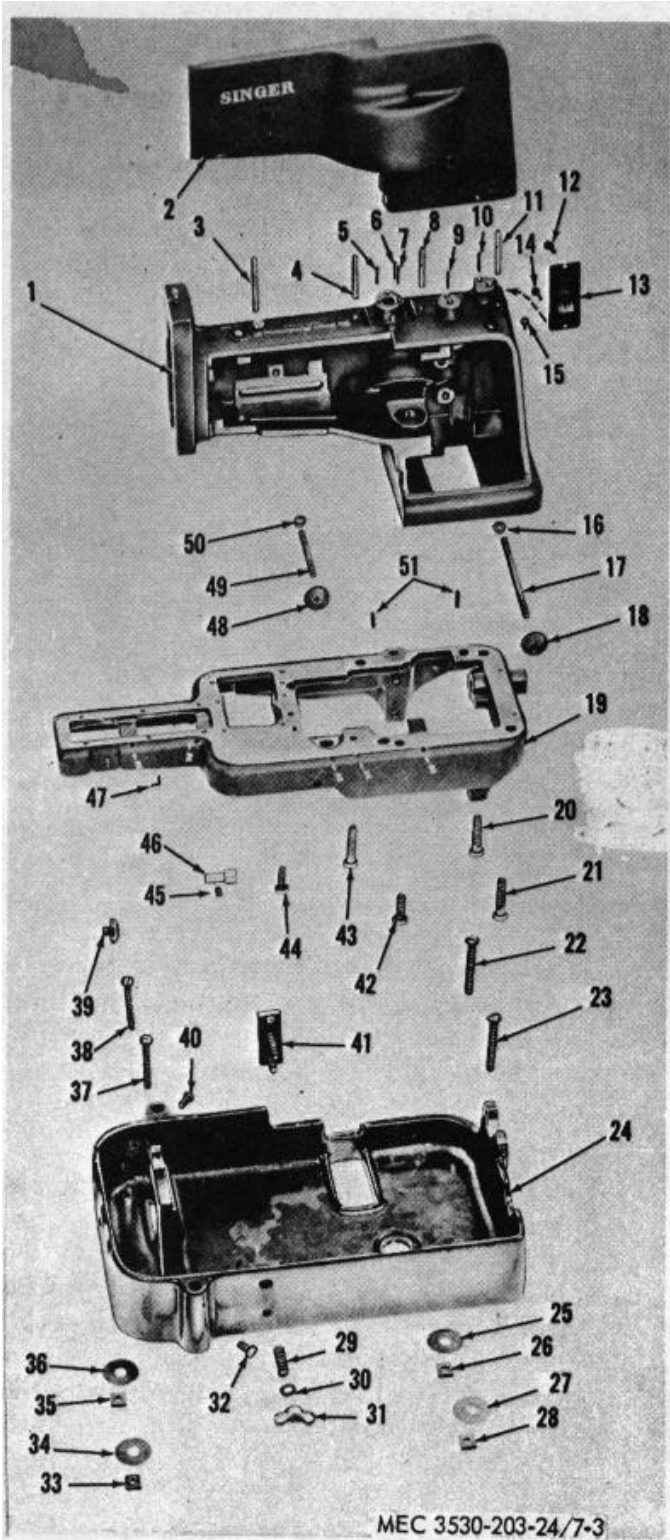


Figure 7-3. Button sewing machine arm, cover, bed, and base.

b. Installation. Replace defective covers with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the

procedure in a above.

1	Arm	26	Nut
2	Cover, right side	27	Washer
3	Guide, front thread	28	Nut
4	Guide, thread tension and pull off	29	Spring
5	Pin	30	Washer
6	Pin	31	Wingnut
7	Pin	32	Screw
8	Guide thread tension and pull off	33	Nut
9	Pin	34	Washer
10	Pin	35	Nut
11	Guide, thread tension and pull off	36	Washer
12	Screw, left side cover	37	Screw
13	Cover, left side	38	Screw
14	Screw, left side cover	39	Nut
15	Guide, rear thread	40	Screw
16	Locknut, cover stud	41	Lock
17	Stud, long cover plain stud	42	Screw, short arm
18	Nut, cover stud thumb	43	Screw, long arm
19	Bed	44	Screw, bushing
20	Screw, long arm	45	Setscrew, rest
21	Screw, long arm	46	Stud, rest
22	Screw, long arm	47	Pin, end cover hook spring
23	Screw	48	Nut, cover stud thumb
24	Base	49	Stud, short cover plain
25	Washer	50	Locknut, cover stud
		51	Pins

7-15. Thread Guides and Pins

a. Removal.

- (1) Pull the front thread guide (3, fig. 7-3) and the automatic thread tension and thread pulloff guides (4, 8, and 11) from the arm (1).
- (2) Pull the thread nipper thread guide tension disk pins (5, 6, and 7) from the arm.
- (3) Remove the rear thread guide (15) from the arm.

b. Installation. Replace defective guides and pins with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-16. Automatic Thread Tension Disks and Release Disk, Spring, and Studs

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove tension stud thumb nuts (17 and 27, fig. 7-4).
- (2) Lift the spring (28), the release disk (29), and the two thread tension disks (30 and 31) from the stud (32).
- (3) Lift the spring (18) and the two tension disks (19 and 20) from the stud (21).

(4) Turn the studs (21 and 32) counterclockwise and remove them from the machine arm.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Refer to TM 10-3530-203-10 for the procedure for adjusting the thread tension. The automatic thread tension is adjusted as follows:

(1) *Automatic tension.* Loosen the nuts (15, fig. 7-5) and turn the rod (14) up or down until there is a 1/64-inch clearance between the upper end of the rod and the automatic thread tension disk (29, fig. 7-

4) when the tension is closed. Tighten the nuts (15, fig. 100) securely.

(2) *Automatic tension assembly.* Loosen the wingnut on the front of machine and lay the machine on its side. Loosen the two releasing cam setscrews (6, fig. 7-6). Turn the handwheel of the machine until the needle bar lacks 5/8 inch of reading its highest point when adjusting the 175-60 model or 3/8 inch of reaching its highest point when adjusting the 175-61 and 175-62 models. Turn the cam (7) until the automatic tension releases the thread and then tighten the setscrews (6).

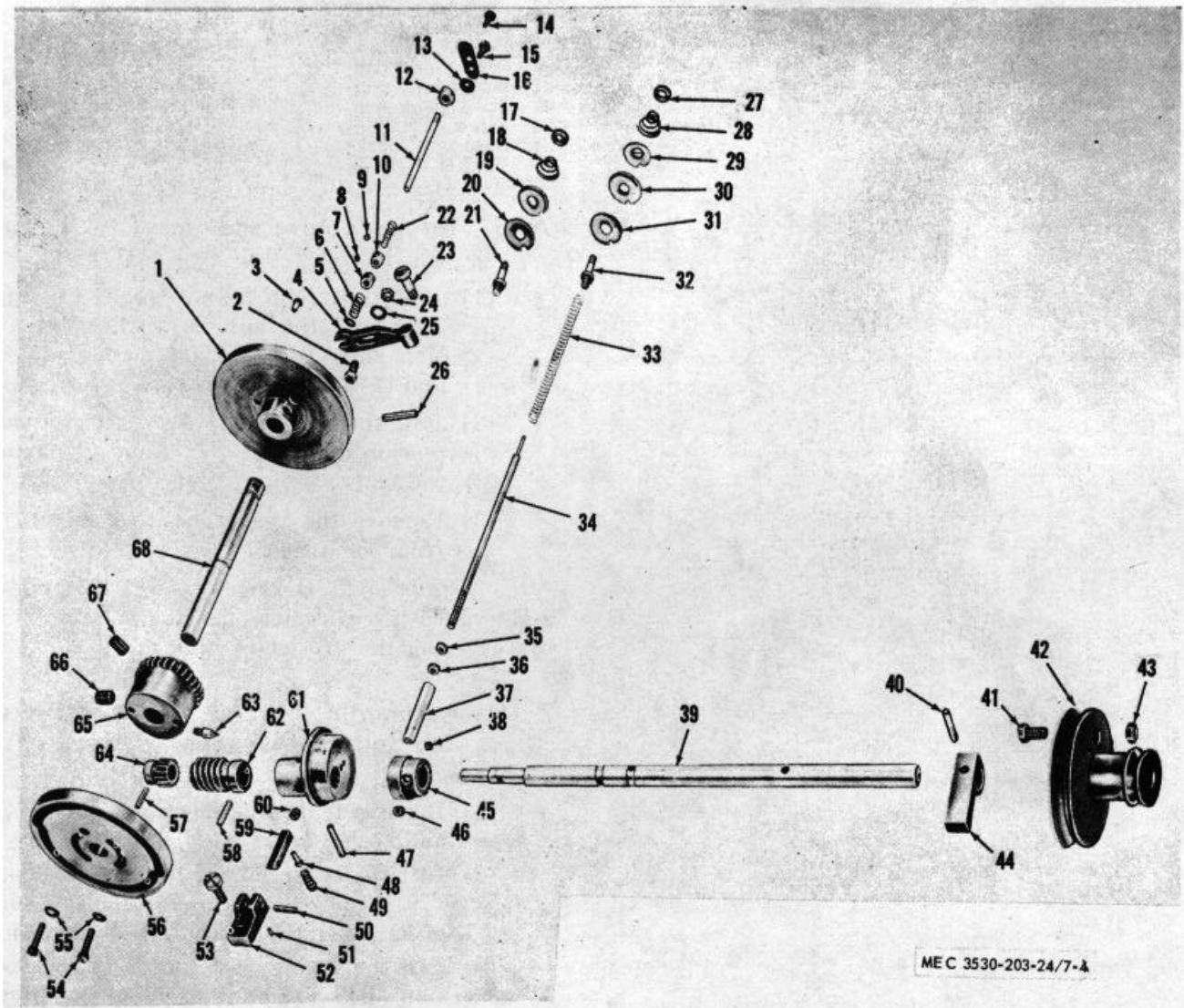
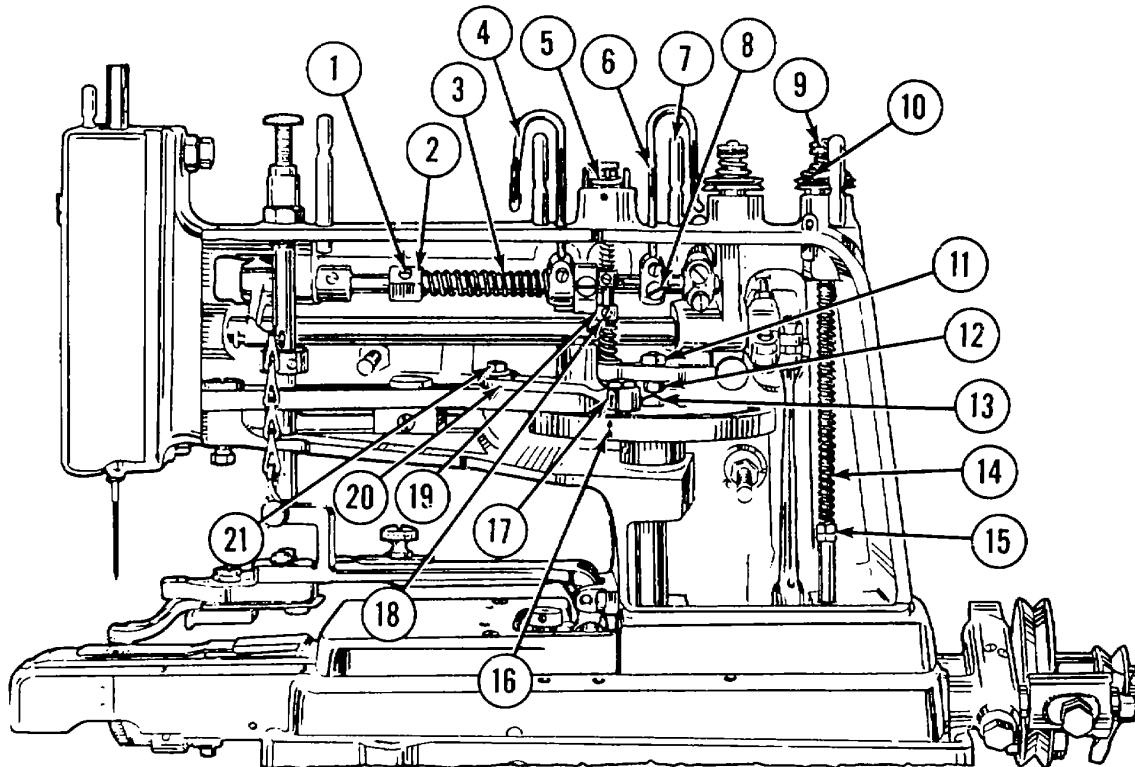


Figure 7-4. Button sewing machine thread tension mechanism.

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| 1 | Cam, needle bar | 23 | Screw, hinge lever | 45 | Cam, automatic thread tension release |
| 2 | Stud, thread nipper release | 24 | Nut, stud | 46 | Setscrew, eccentric |
| 3 | Rivet, thread nipper release | 25 | Washer, stud | 47 | Pin, eccentric |
| 4 | Lever, thread nipper release | 26 | Pin, cam | 48 | Stud, eccentric pawl spring |
| 5 | Washer, lower spring nipper release rod | 27 | Nut, tension stud thumb | 49 | Spring, needle bar eccentric pawl |
| 6 | Spring, lower thread nipper release rod | 28 | Spring, automatic thread tension | 50 | Pin, pawl hinge |
| 7 | Collar, thread nipper releasing rod spring | 29 | Disk, automatic thread tension release | 51 | Pin, eccentric pawl bracket steady |
| 8 | Setscrew, collar | 30 | Disk, thread tension | 52 | Bracket, pawl |
| 9 | Setscrew, collar | 31 | Disk, thread tension | 53 | Screw, pawl bracket |
| 10 | Collar, thread nipper releasing rod spring | 32 | Stud, automatic thread tension | 54 | Screws, feed cam |
| 11 | Rod, thread nipper release | 33 | Spring, automatic thread tension release rod | 55 | Washer, feed cam screw |
| 12 | Head, thread nipper release | 34 | Rod, automatic thread tension release | 56 | Cam, feed |
| 13 | Washer, plate screw | 35 | Nut, rod adjusting | 57 | Pin, gear |
| 14 | Screw, thread nipper head releasing | 36 | Nut, rod adjusting | 58 | Pin, worm gear |
| 15 | Screw, plate | 37 | Sleeve, automatic thread tension release rod | 59 | Pawl, needle bar eccentric |
| 16 | Plate, thread nipper | 38 | Setscrew | 60 | Setscrew, eccentric |
| 17 | Nut, tension stud thumb | 39 | Shaft, drive | 61 | Eccentric, needle bar |
| 18 | Spring, stationary thread tension | 40 | Pin, dog | 62 | Gear, drive worm |
| 19 | Disk, thread tension | 41 | Screw-, pulley engaging | 63 | Point, wheel trip stop motion |
| 20 | Disk, thread tension | 42 | Pulley, drive | 64 | Gear, pulley shaft |
| 21 | Stud, stationary thread tension | 43 | Nut, engaging screw | 65 | Wheel, feed cam drive worm |
| 22 | Spring, upper thread nipper release rod | 44 | Dog, drive shaft stop | 66 | Setscrew, worm wheel |
| | | | | 67 | Setscrew, worm wheel |
| | | | | 68 | Shaft, feed cam worm wheel |

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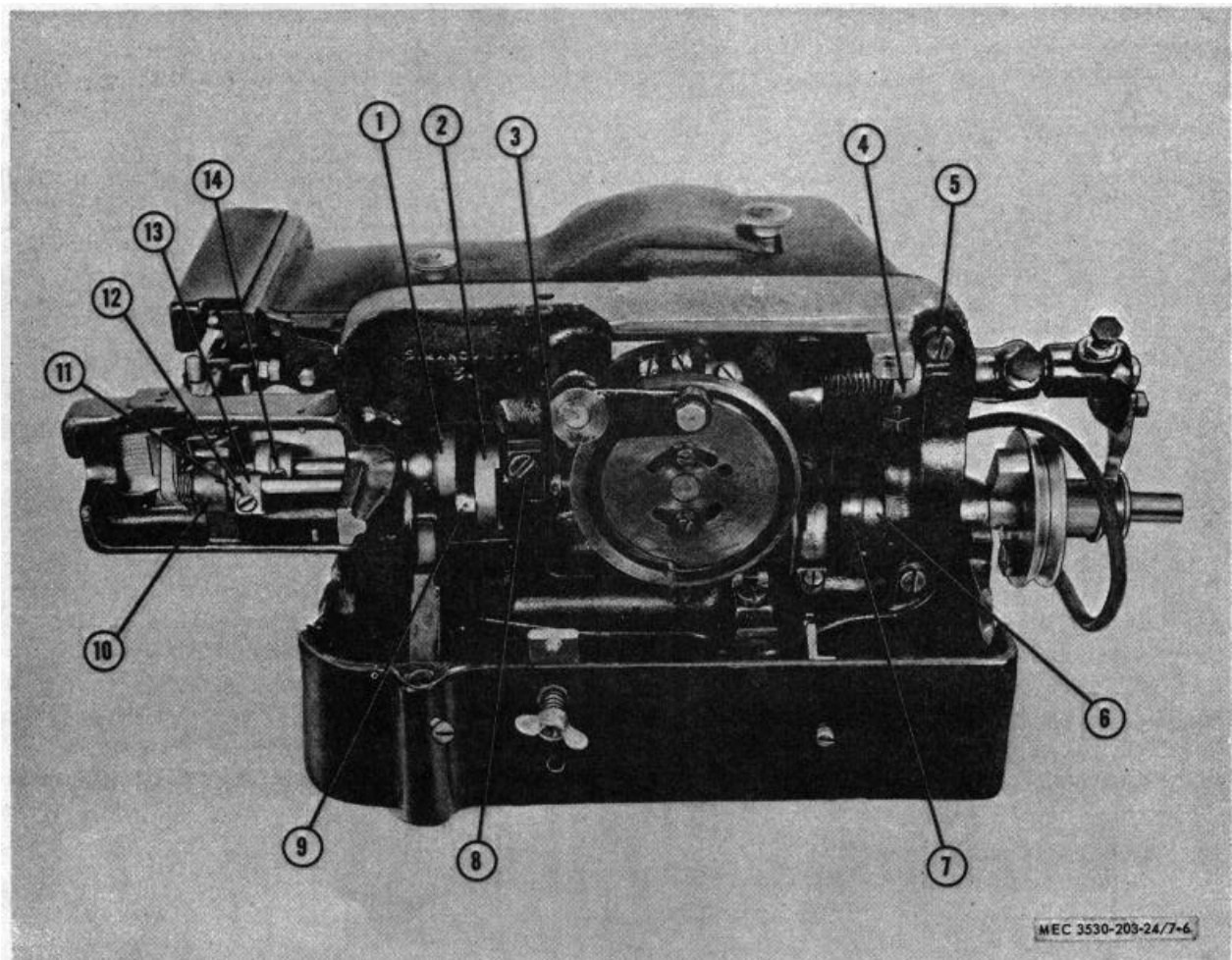


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Figure 7-5. Button sewing machine, right side tie.

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|---|--|----|---|----|---|
| 1 | Setscrew, button clamp lifting and thread pulloff holder shaft spring collar | 8 | Setscrew, thread pulloff (back) holder | 15 | Nuts, tension (automatic) releasing rod adjusting |
| 2 | Collar, button clamp lifting and thread pulloff holder shaft spring | 9 | Disk, tension (automatic) thumb | 16 | Arrow on the needle bar vibrating cam |
| 3 | Spring, button clamp lifting and thread pulloff holder shaft | 10 | Disk, tension (automatic) release | 17 | Arrow on the needle bar vibrating lever arm |
| 4 | Pulloff, front thread | 11 | Nut, thread nipperreleasing screw stud | 18 | Setscrew, thread nipper releasing rod spring collar |
| 5 | Head, thread nipper | 12 | Stud, thread nipper releasing screw | 19 | Collar, thread nipper releasing rod spring |
| 6 | Pulloff, rear thread | 13 | Stud, thread nipper releasing (on needle bar vibrating cam) | 20 | Arm, needle bar vibrating lever |
| 7 | Eyelet, tension pulloff (back) | 14 | Rod, tension (automatic) tension releasing | 21 | Screw, needle bar vibrating lever arm |

Figure 7-5-Continued



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|---|----------------------------------|---|---|----|--|
| 1 | Crank, looper shaft | 5 | Setscrew, stop motion shaft spring collar | 10 | Setscrew |
| 2 | Crank, looper driving shaft | 6 | Setscrew, cam releasing | 11 | Bushing, needle guide shaft |
| 3 | Bushing, looper driving shaft | 7 | Cam, tension releasing | 12 | Screw, needle guide oscillating crank clamping |
| 4 | Collar, stop motion shaft spring | 8 | Screw, clamping | 13 | Crank, needle guide oscillating |
| | | 9 | Link, connecting looper driving shaft crank | 14 | Setscrew, needle guide cam |

Figure 7-6. Button sewing machine, bottom view.

7-17. Thread Nipper Head and Plate

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thread nipper head releasing screw (14, fig. 7-4) and the thread nipper plate screw (15) from the thread nipper plate (16).
- (2) Take the thread nipper plate, washer (13), and nipper head (12) from the thread nipper release rod (11).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust the tension and the timing of the thread nipper head according to the following:

- (1) *Adjusting tension of thread nipper head.* The thread nipper head (5, fig. 7-5) should hold the thread tightly while the machine is in its stopped position. Loosen the thread nipper releasing rod spring collar setscrew (18) in the collar (19). Move the collar downward to tighten the thread grip and upward to loosen the thread grip. Tighten the setscrew securely.
- (2) *Adjusting timing of thread nipper head.* When the machine is in its stopped or locked position, the thread nipper releasing screw stud (12) at the under side of the thread nipper releasing lever should rest upon the center of the stud at the top surface of the feed cam. Loosen the thread nipper releasing screw stud nut (11) at the upper side of the thread nipper releasing lever; then, move the stud (12) toward or away from the needle. Tighten the nut (11) securely.

7-18. Front and Rear Thread Pulloffs

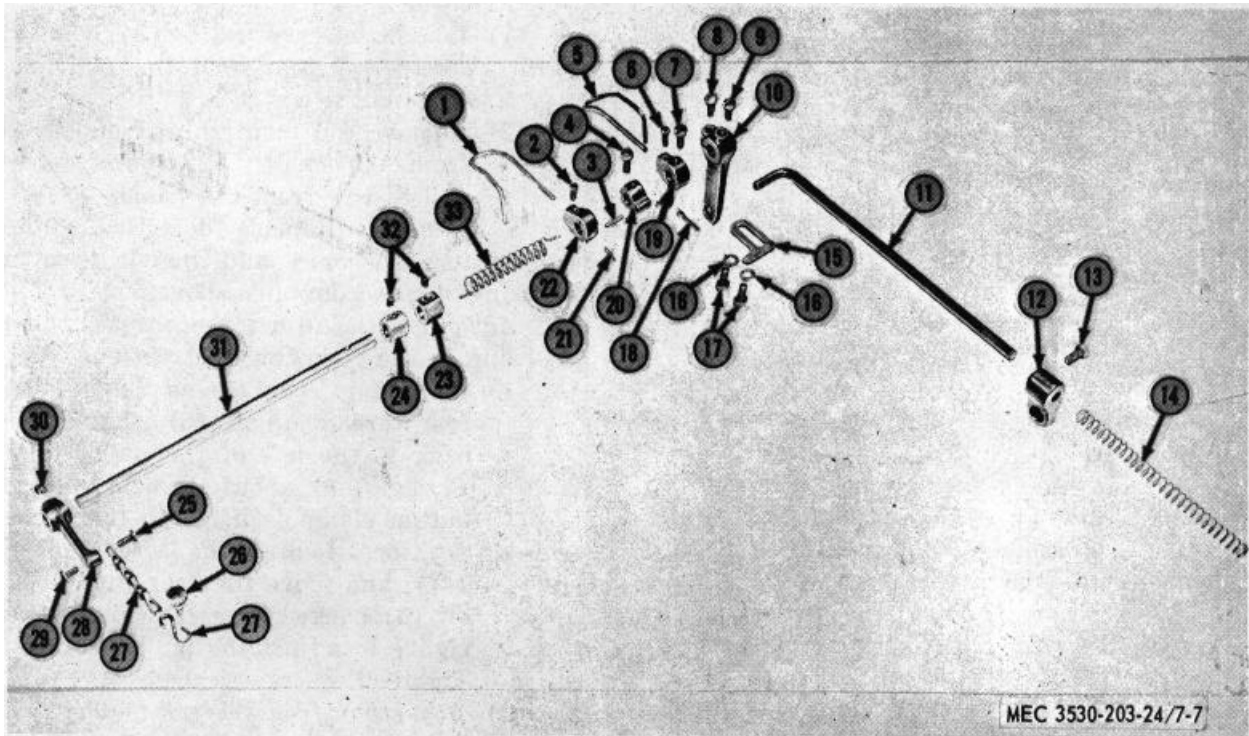
a. Removal.

- (1) Loosen setscrew (2, fig. 7-7) and toe screw (4) that hold the pulloffs to the holders.
- (2) Remove the front thread pulloff (1) from the holder (22), and remove pulloff (5) from the holder (19).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective pulloffs with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust the thread pulloffs according to the following instructions:

- (1) *Adjusting rear thread pulloff.* The rear thread pulloff (5), should move back to the left of the pulloff eyelet (7, fig. 7-5) about 1/2 inch when the button clamp is lifted to the highest position. Loosen the screw (4, fig. 7-7), and move the rear thread pulloff (5) backward or forward (left or right) to adjust the pulloff correctly. Tighten the screw securely.
- (2) *Adjusting front thread pulloff.* The front thread pulloff (1) should draw enough thread through the thread nipper to leave about 2 inches of thread through the eye of the needle after a button has been removed from the clamp. Loosen the button clamp lifting the thread pulloff holder setscrew (2). Turn the collar (2, fig. 7-5) to the right to tighten the spring (3) and to increase the tension of the front thread pulloff; turn it to the left to loosen the spiral spring and to decrease the tension on the front thread pulloff. Tighten setscrew securely.



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| 1 Pulloff, front thread | 13 Screw, spring collar | holder shaft spring |
| 2 Setscrew | 14 Spring, lifting rod | 25 Screw, lifting chain |
| 3 Pin, stop collar | 15 Plate, lifting rod arm stop | 26 Thumbscrew, lifting chain |
| 4 Screw | 16 Washer, stop plate screw | chain |
| 5 Pulloff, rear thread | 17 Screws, stop plate | 27 Chain with hook, lifting |
| 6 Setscrew | 18 Pin, lifting rod cotter | 28 Arm, lifting |
| 7 Screw | 19 Holder, rear thread pulloff | 29 Screw, lifting chain |
| 8 Screw, rod arm | 20 Collar, thread pulloff | 30 Setscrew, lifting arm |
| 9 Screw, rod arm positioning | 21 Pin, holder stop | 31 Shaft, clamp lifting and thread pulloff holder |
| 10 Arm, lifting rod | 22 Holder, front thread pulloff | 32 Setscrews, shaft and spring collar |
| 11 Rod, lifting | 23 Collar, thread pulloff holder shaft spring | 33 Spring, thread pulloff holder shaft |
| 12 Collar, lifting rod spring | 24 Collar, thread pulloff | |

Figure 7-7. Button clamp lifting arm and thread pulloffs.

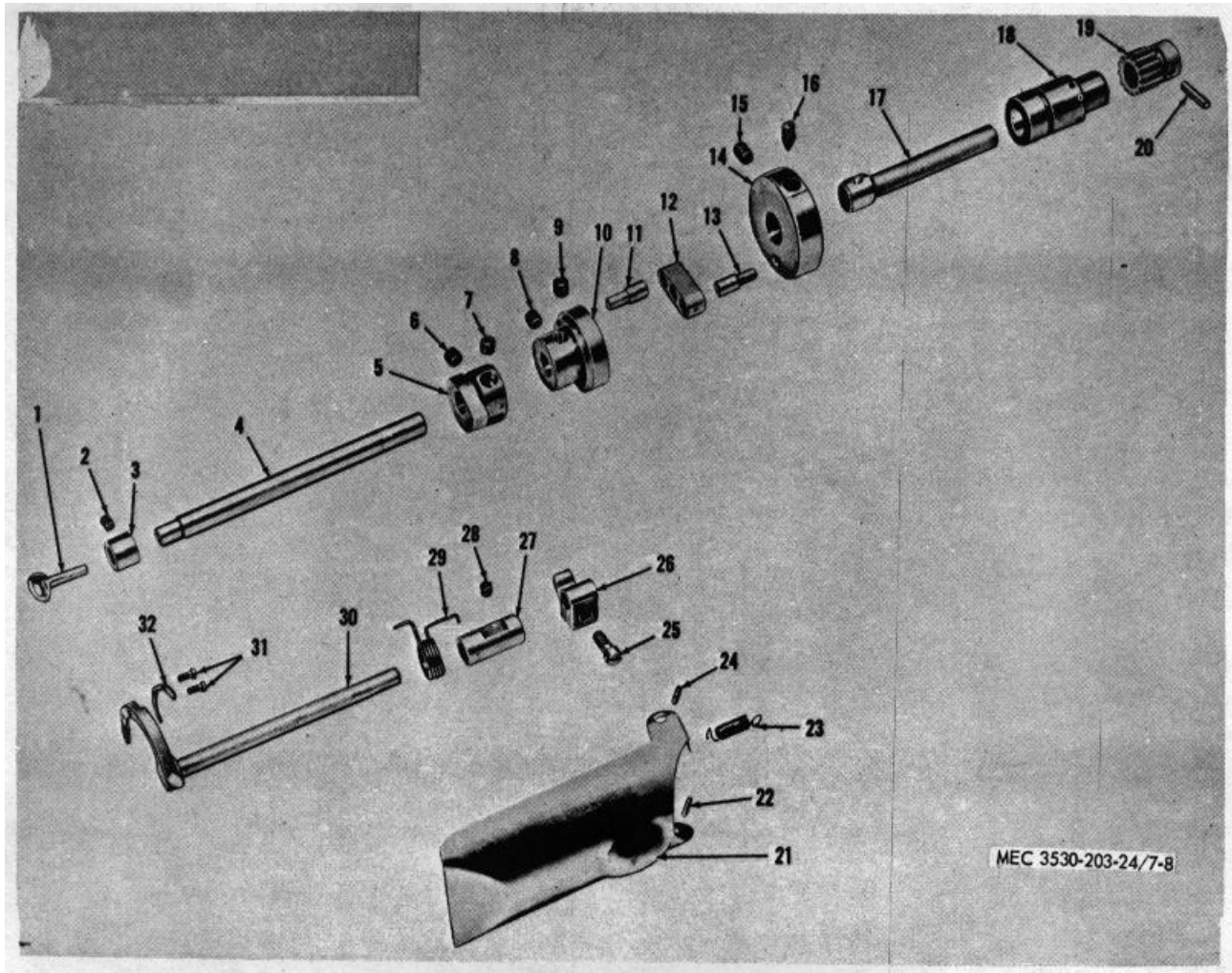
7-19. End Cover and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Unhook and remove the end cover spring (23, fig. 7-8) from the end cover (21).
- (2) Pull both the left and the right hinge pins (22 and 24) from the end cover and remove the end cover from the machine.

b. Cleaning and Inspection. Wash the end cover and spring in SD (solvent, drycleaning) and dry them thoroughly. Inspect the end cover for dents and breaks, the pins for breaks and cracks, and the spring for broken coils and excessive wear.

c. Installation. Replace defective end cover and spring with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 | Looper, thread | 12 | Link, thread looper drive shaft connecting | 21 | Cover, end |
| 2 | Setscrew, looper | 13 | Stud | 22 | Pin, left hinge |
| 3 | Bushing | 14 | Crank, drive shaft | 23 | Spring, end cover |
| 4 | Shaft, looper driven | 15 | Setscrew, connecting link | 24 | Pin, right hinge |
| 5 | Cam, needle guide | 16 | Screw, crank positioning | 25 | Screw, crank |
| 6 | Setscrew, cam | 17 | Shaft, thread looper drive | 26 | Crank, oscillating |
| 7 | Setscrew, cam | 18 | Bushing, thread looper drive | 27 | Bushing, needle guide shaft |
| 8 | Setscrew, crank | 19 | Gear, thread looper drive shaft | 28 | Setscrew, bushing |
| 9 | Setscrew, crank | 20 | Pin thread looper drive | 29 | Spring |
| 10 | Crank, thread looper shaft | 32 | Finger, needle guide thread | 30 | Guide, w/shaft, needle |
| 11 | Stud | | | 31 | Screws, thread finger |

Figure 7-8. Button sewing machine thread looper drive shaft, cam, and crank.

7-20. Front Top Cover

a. Removal. Remove the screws (27 and 28, fig. 7-9) that secure the front top cover (24) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective cover with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

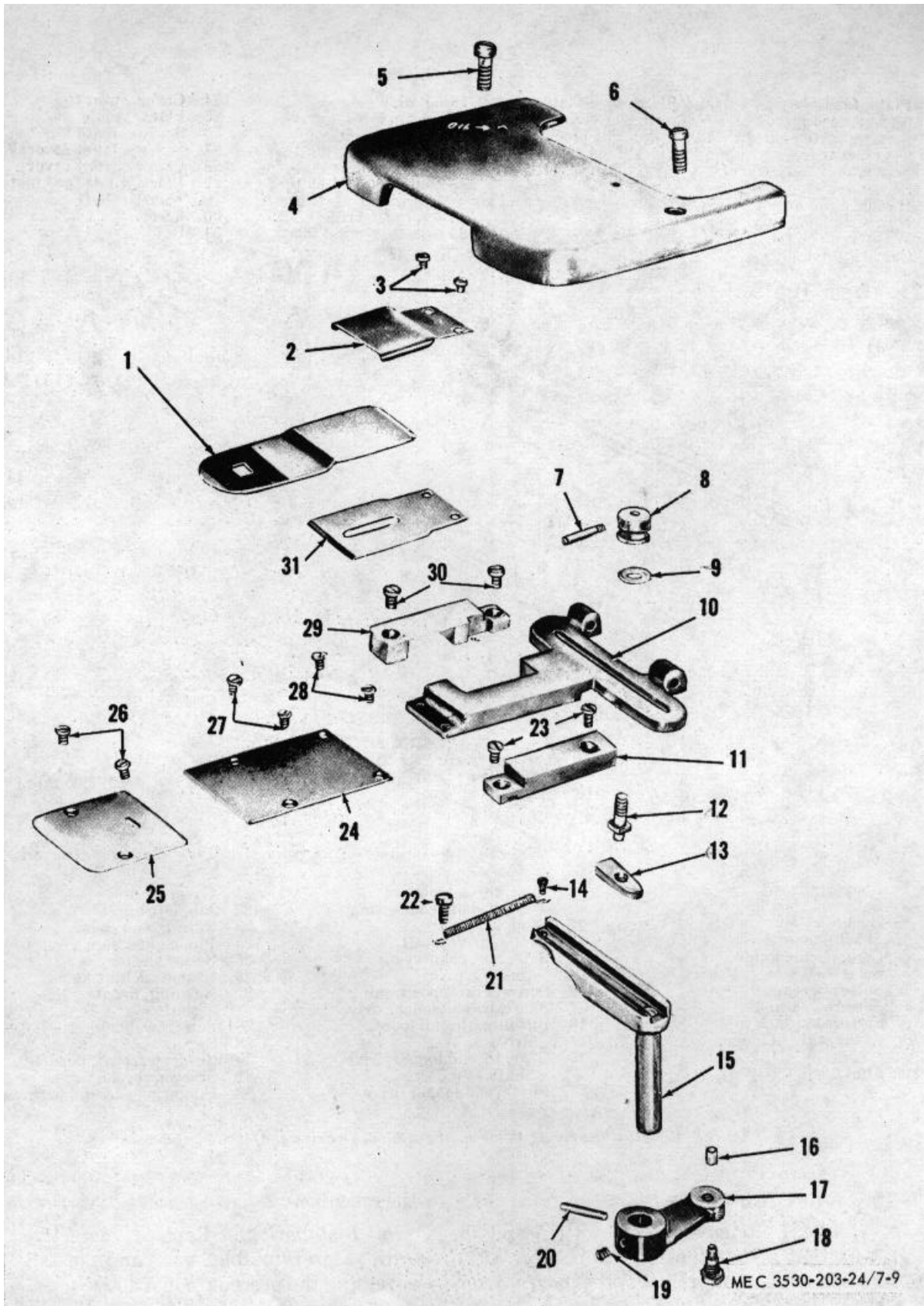


Figure 7-9. Button sewing machine feed and needle plates.

1	Plate, feed	11	Block, feed plate	16	Roller	24	Cover, front top
2	Spring, feed plate		carrier right guide	17	Arm, carrier drive	25	Plate, needle
3	Screws, plate holder	12	Stud, slide block	18	Stud, drive arm	26	Screws, plate
4	Cover, rear top	13	Block, feed plate	19	Setscrew, drive arm	27	Screws, front cover
5	Screw, rear top cover		carrier regulating	20	Pin, drive arm	28	Screws, front cover
6	Screw, rear top cover		slide	21	Spring, feed plate	29	Block, guide feed plate
7	Handle, stud nut	14	Screw, regulator end		carrier regulating		carrier left
8	Nut, slide block stud		spring	22	Screw, spring	30	Screws
9	Washer, block stud	15	Regulator, feed plate	23	Screws, right block	31	Holder, feed plate
10	Carrier, feed plate		carrier				

7-2 1. Rear Top Cover

a. *Removal.* Remove the screws (5 and 6, fig. 7-9) that secure the rear top cover (4) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective cover with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-22. Needle Plate

a. *Removal.* Remove the screws (26, fig. 7-9) that secure the needle plate (25) to the machine, and remove the needle plate from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective needle plate with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-23. Feed Plate and Spring

a. *Removal.*

- (1) Loosen the needle setscrew and remove the needle from the machine.
- (2) Remove the button clamp arm with clamps from the machine (para. 3-81a).
- (3) Lift the feed plate (1, fig. 7-9) and slide it from the machine.
- (4) Remove the feed plate spring from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-24. Feed Plate Carrier Regulator Spring

a. *Removal.*

- (1) Remove the button clamp arm with clamps from the machine (para. 3-81a).
- (2) Remove the screws (5 and 6, fig. 7-9) that secure the rear top cover (4) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.
- (3) Remove the two screws (23) that secure the right guide block (11) to the machine, and remove the block from the machine.
- (4) Slide the feed plate carrier regulating slide block (13) to the right to gain access to

the screw (14), and remove the screw from the spring (21) and from the regulator (15).

- (5) Remove the screw (22) that secures the spring (21) to the regulator (15), and remove the spring from the regulator.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective spring with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-25. Starting Lever Spring and Screws

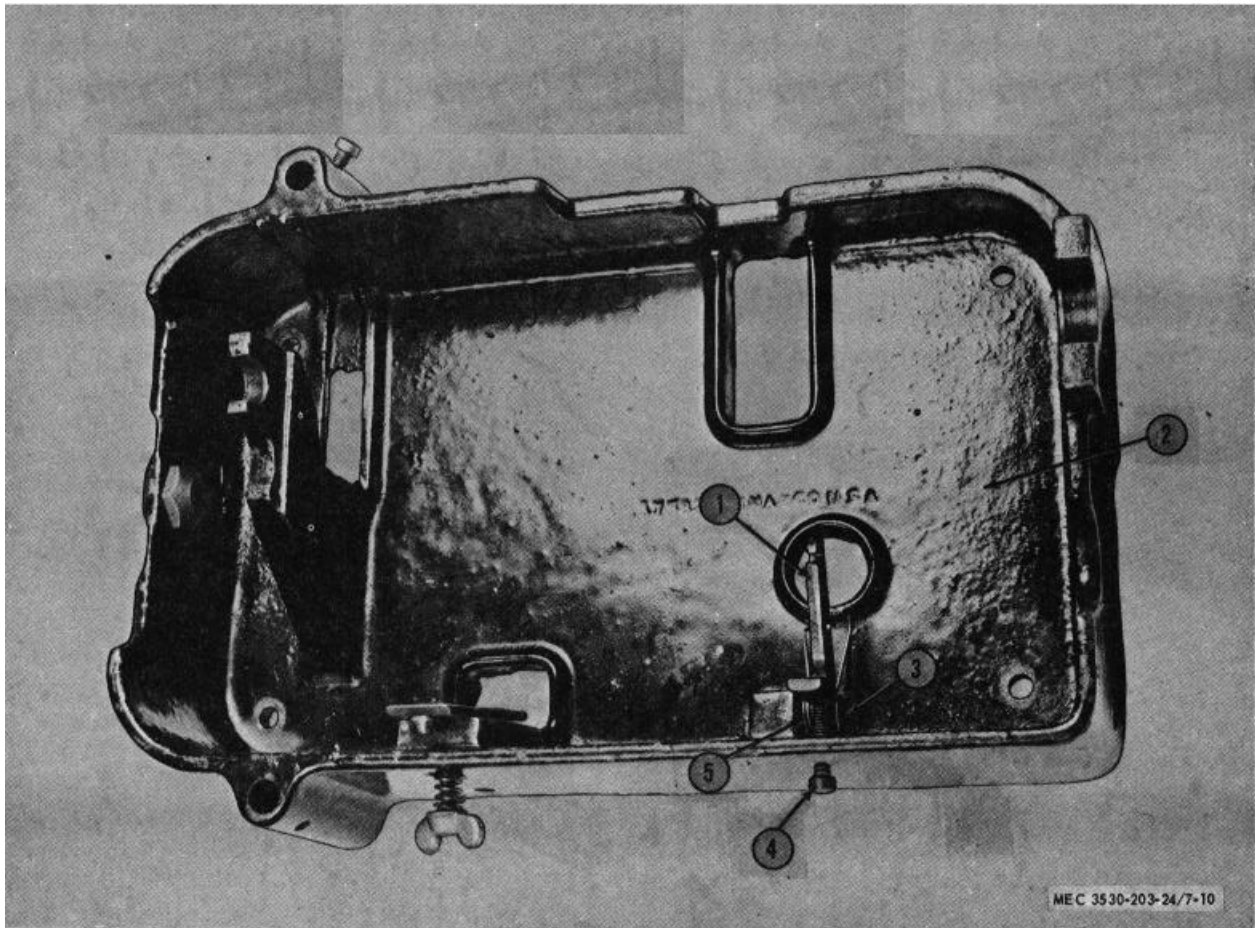
a. *Removal.*

- (1) Loosen the wingnut on the machine base, and lay the machine on its side.
- (2) Insert the screwdriver in the opening in the rear of the base, and remove the starting lever hinge screw (3, fig. 7-10) from the starting lever (1) and from the machine base (2).
- (3) Remove the starting lever and the spring (5) from the machine, and separate the spring from the starting lever.
- (4) Loosen the stop screw nut, and remove the stop screw (4) from the nut and from the machine base.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust the stop screw as follows:

- (1) Place the machine in its operating position, having the stop motion shaft in the stopped position as shown in figure 7-6.
- (2) Loosen the stop screw nut and turn the stop screw (4, fig. 7-5) clockwise until a slight bind is felt. Back off the stop screw counterclockwise two complete turns; then, tighten the stop screw nut securely.



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| 1 | Lever, starting | 3 | Screw, hinge |
| 2 | Base, button machine | 4 | Screw, stop |
| | | 5 | Spring, starting lever |

Figure 7-10. Starting lever spring and screws.

7-26. Drive Pulley

a. Removal.

- (1) Disconnect the power cord from the power source.
- (2) Remove the screw (6, fig. 7-11) that secures the drive pulley shifter (5) to the drive pulley shifter holder (10), and remove the shifter from the holder.

- (3) Slide the pulley (1) from the drive shaft (4).

- (4) Remove the nut (3) from the screw (2), and remove the screw from the pulley.

b. Installation. Replace defective pulley with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

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|---|-----------------------|----|------------------------------|----|--|
| 1 | Pulley, drive | 7 | Shaft, stop motion | 11 | Setscrew, stop dog |
| 2 | Screw, engaging | 8 | Locknut, holder setscrew | 12 | Holder w/cushion spring and setscrew, stop dog |
| 3 | Nut | 9 | Setscrew, holder | 13 | Dog, stop |
| 4 | Shaft, drive | 10 | Holder, drive pulley shifter | | |
| 5 | Shifter, drive pulley | | | | |
| 6 | Screw, shifter | | | | |

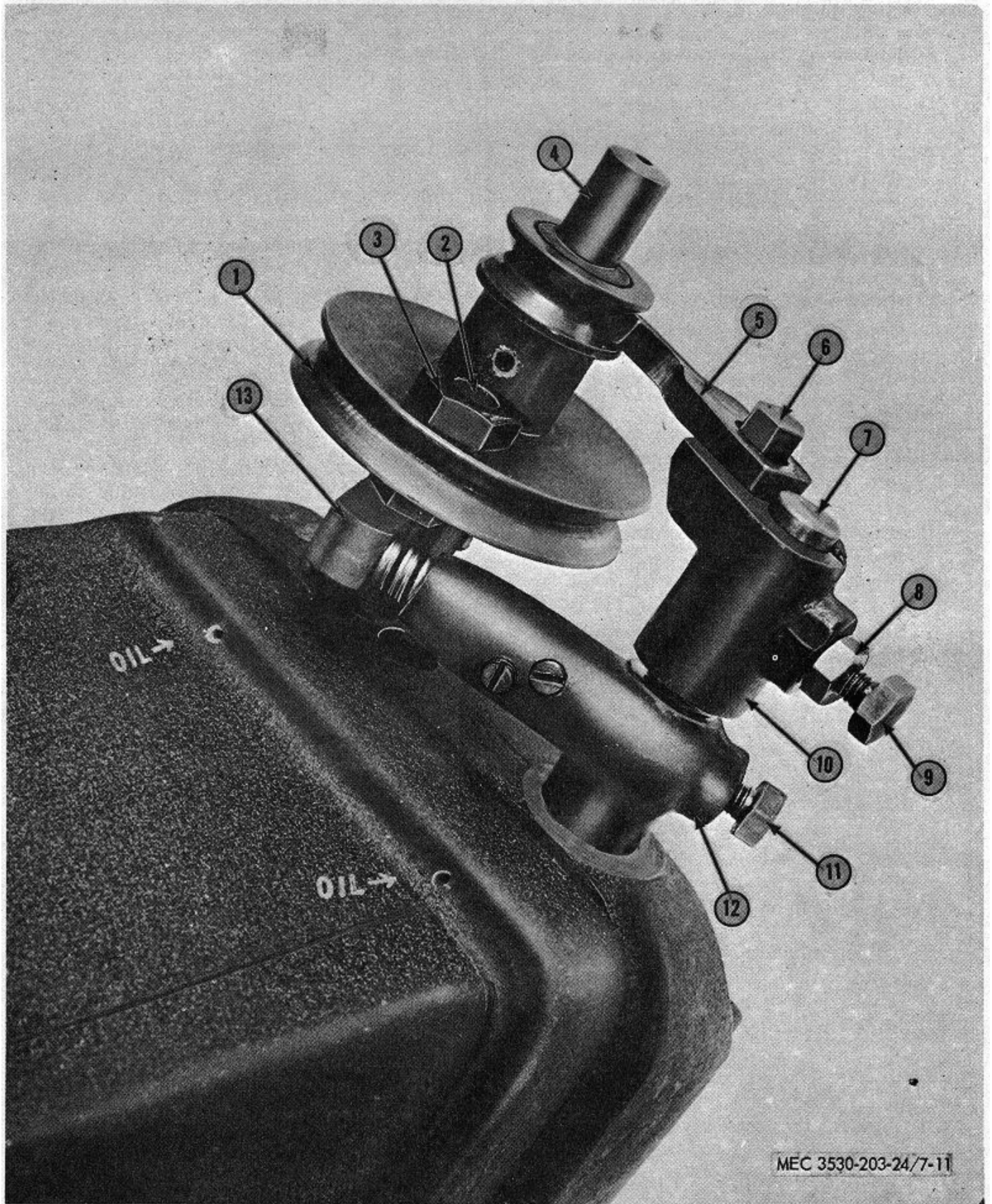


Figure 7-11. Pulley stop motion shaft and shifter in stopped position.

7-27. Drive Pulley Shifter and Holder

a. Removal.

- (1) Disconnect the power cord from the power source.
- (2) Remove the shifter screw (6, fig. 7-11) that secures the shifter (5) to the holder (10), and remove the shifter from the holder.
- (3) Loosen the locknut (8), remove the setscrew (9) that secures the holder (10) to the stop motion shaft (7) and remove the holder from the stop motion shaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the pulley shifter as follows: (1) Turn the machine until the pulley shifter comes to the stopped position as shown in figure 7-11.

- (2) Loosen the locknut (8) and the setscrew (9).
- (3) Pivot the stop motion drive pulley shifter (5) and the holder (10) on the stop motion shaft (7) until the center of the shifter is in line with the center of the pulley.
- (4) Loosen the screw (6) and slide the shifter (5) forward until it is tight in the groove of the pulley; then, back off on the shifter 1/32 inch and tighten the screw (6) securely.
- (5) Press the starting treadle and make sure the machine is in the starting position.
- (6) Pivot the pulley shifter and the holder on the stop motion shaft (7) until the bottom end of the pulley shifter is about 1/1 inch below the center of the groove in the pulley.
- (7) Slide the holder and the pulley (1) on the drive shaft (4) until there is about 1/4h.; inch clearance between the pulley and the stop dog (13).
- (8) Tighten the setscrew (9) and the locknut (8).

7-28. Stop Dog Holder With Cushion Spring and Setscrew

a. Removal.

- (1) Disconnect the power source.
- (2) Remove the drive pulley shifter and the holder (para. 7-27a).

- (3) Remove the setscrew (11, fig. 7-11) that secures the stop dog holder (12) to the stop motion shaft (7), and remove the holder with cushion spring and setscrew from the shaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the stop dog holder as follows:

- (1) Turn the balance wheel until the machine is in the stopped position.
- (2) Loosen the setscrew (11) that secures the stop dog holder (12) to the stop motion shaft (7).
- (3) Slide the stop dog holder until it rests against the machine bed.
- (4) Pivot the stop dog holder on the stop motion shaft until the cushion spring lines up with the flat surface at the end of the stop dog as shown in figure 7-11.
- (5) Tighten setscrew (11) securely.

7-29. Thread Looper

a. Removal.

- (1) Loosen the wingnut on the front of the machine base and lay the machine on its side.
- (2) Loosen setscrew (2, fig. 7-8) that holds the looper (1) to the shaft (4), and remove the looper.

b. Installation. Replace damaged looper with a serviceable one and install it; by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment or Timing. Adjust the looper as follows:

- (1) *Adjusting looper to or from needle.* Adjust the looper to or from the needle so the point of the looper hook (2, fig. 7-12) passes behind the needle and sets toward or away from the needle, as necessary, and that the point of the looper hook just clears the needle above the eye when the needle moves up on its left-hand vibrations. The adjusting procedure is as follows:
 - (a) Hand-turn the machine until the needle starts up on its left-hand stroke.

- (b) Loosen the looper setscrew (4).
- (c) Move the looper forward or backward until the looper point just clears the needle above the eye.
- (d) Make certain that the setscrew (4) engages the flat surface of the looper shank; then tighten the setscrew securely.

(2) Adjusting for right-hand upstroke of needle. When the needle bar moves down to its lowest position on its right-hand vibration, the distance from the point of the looper hook (2) to the center of the needle (5) should be 1/32 inch. If the machine is further rotated in its normal direction until the needle rises 1/32 inch, the point of the looper hook (2) should cross the center of the needle (5) at a point 1/8 inch above the top of the needle eye. The adjusting procedure is as follows:

- (a) Set the needle bar at its correct height.
- (b) Hand-turn the balance wheel until the needle reaches its lowest position on its right-hand vibration.
- (c) Loosen the screws in the crank (1, fig. 7-13), using a special splined wrench.
- (d) Turn the looper shaft (4, fig. 7-8) until the point of the looper hook (2, fig. 7-12) is 1/32 inch from the center of the needle.
- (e) Tighten the setscrews securely in the crank.
- (f) Hand-turn the balance wheel in its normal operating direction to make the following tests and determinations:
 1. That, when the needle moves down to its lowest position on the right-hand vibration, the point of the looper hook is 1/32 inch from the center of the needle.
 2. That, when the needle is moved up a distance of 1/32 inch, the point of the looper hook is crossing the center of the needle at a point 1/8 inch above the top of the needle center as shown in figure 7-12.

(3) Adjusting for left-hand upstroke needle. When the needle moves to its lowest

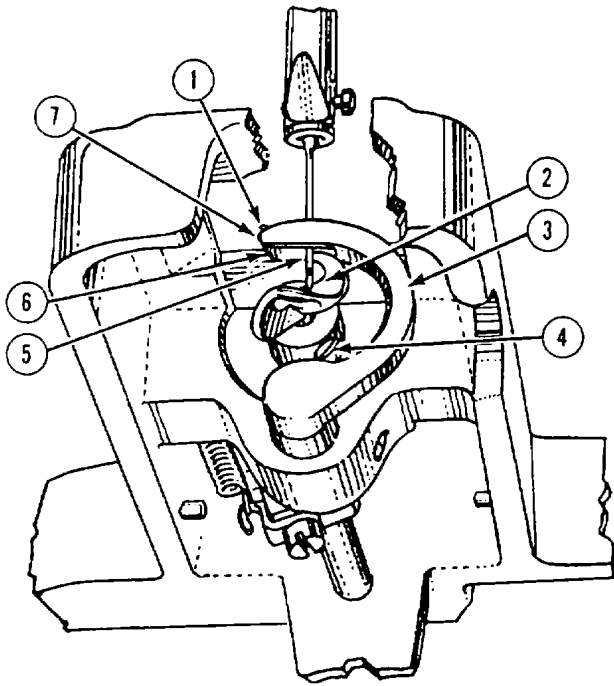
position on its left-hand vibration, the point of the looper hook (2) should be about 5/32 inch from the center of the needle (instead of 1/32 inch when the needle is on its right-hand vibration). When the needle bar is raised a distance of 5/32 inch, the point of the looper hook (2) should cross the center of the needle at a point 1/64 inch above the top of the needle eye (instead of 1/8 inch when the needle is on its right-hand vibration). The adjusting procedure is as follows:

- (a) Set the needle bar at its correct height.
- (b) Hand-turn the balance wheel until the needle reaches its lowest position on its left-hand vibration.
- (c) Loosen the screws in the crank (1, fig. 7-13).
- (d) Turn the looper shaft (4, fig. 7-8) until the point of the looper (5, fig. 7-12) is 5/32 inch from the center of the needle.
- (e) Tighten the screws securely in the crank.
- (f) Hand-turn the balance wheel in its normal operating direction to make the following tests and determination:
 1. That, when the needle moves down to its lowest point on its left-hand vibration, the point of the looper hook (2) is about 1/2 inch from the center of the needle.
 2. That, when the needle is raised 5/32 inch, the point of the looper hook (2) is crossing the center of the needle at a point 1/64 inch above the top of the needle eye.

7-30. Button Clamp Arm, Pin, and Clamps

a. Removal.

- (1) Turn the power switch to the OFF position.
- (2) Loosen the needle setscrew and remove the needle from the machine.
- (3) Remove the thumb nuts that secure the right side cover to the machine arm; and remove the cover from the machine arm.

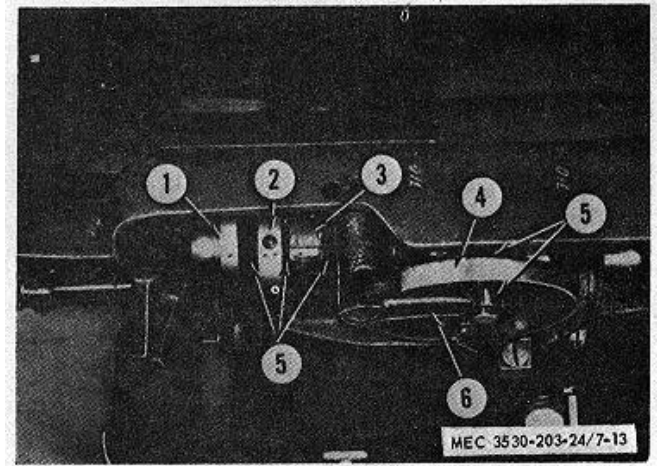


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| 1 Tip of needle guide thread finger | 5 Point of looper hook at center of needle |
| 2 Hook, looper | 6 Inside surface of needle bar guide |
| 3 Guide, needle | 7 Front prong of the needle bar guide |
| 4 Setscrew, looper | |

Figure 7-12. Adjusting (timing) looper for right-hand vibration of needle bar.

- (4) Remove the thumbscrew that secures the button clamp lifting chain to the button clamp arm (9, fig. 7-141).
- (5) Remove the button clamp arm hinge pin (13) that holds the button clamp arm to the machine frame.
- (6) Raise the presser bar to relieve the pressure on the button clamp arm, and remove the button clamp arm with the right and left button clamps (21 and 25) from the machine.
- (7) Spread open the closing spring (16),



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| 1 Crank, thread looper shaft | 4 Cam, feed shaft |
| 2 Crank, thread looper driving shaft | 5 Timing marks |
| 3 Casting | 6 Arm, feed plate carrier driving shaft |

Figure 7-13. Thread looper drive shaft link with

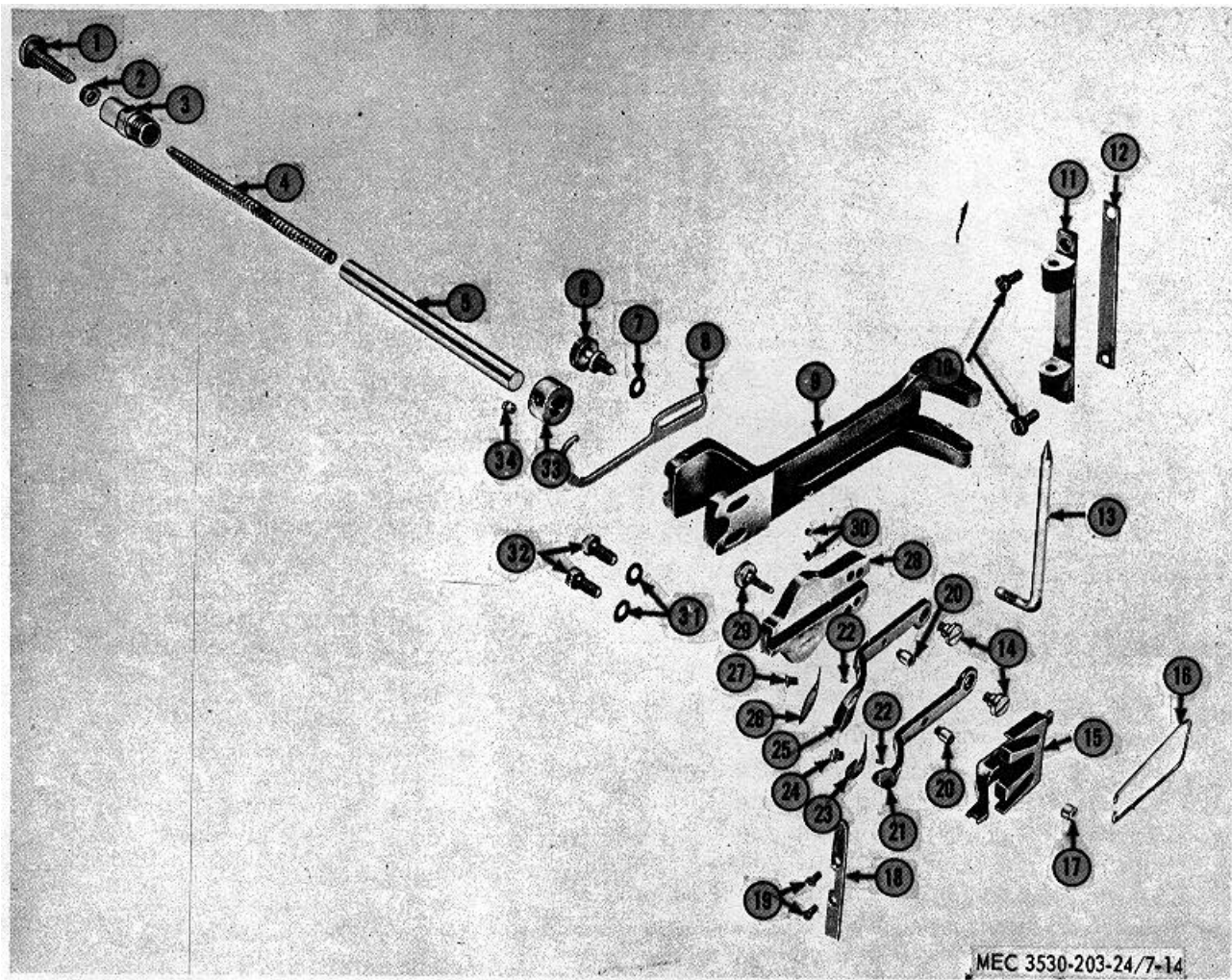
and remove the spring from the clamps.

- (8) Remove the screws (14 and 20) that secure the button clamps to the spreader base (28), and remove the button clamps from the base.
- (9) Remove the screws (32) that secure the button clamp arm (9) to the base.
- (10) Remove the arm from the base.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the button clamps in order to center the needle in the holes of fiat buttons as follows:

- (1) Loosen the two screws (1, fig. 7-15).
- (2) Adjust the button clamp forward, backward, to the left, or to the right, as may be required, to center the needle in the holes of the button.
- (3) Tighten the screws securely.



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| 1 | Thumbscrew, pressure regulating | 11 | Shim, bracket arm hinge pin | 23 | Spring, left button clamp |
| 2 | Locknut, thumbscrew | 12 | Bracket, hinge pin | 24 | Screw, spring |
| 3 | Screw, presser bar bearing | 13 | Pin, arm hinge | 25 | Clamp, right button |
| 4 | Spring, presser bar | 14 | Screws, clamp hinge | 26 | Spring, right button clamp |
| 5 | Bar, presser | 15 | Spreader, button clamp | 27 | Screw, spring |
| 6 | Thumbscrew, adjusting lever | 16 | Spring, closing | 28 | Base, spreader |
| 7 | Washer, thumbscrew | 17 | Nut, spreader screw | 29 | Screw, spreader |
| 8 | Lever, clamp adjusting | 18 | Handle, spreader | 30 | Nuts |
| 9 | Arm, button clamp | 19 | Screws, spreader handle | 31 | Washers, base screw |
| 10 | Screws, hinge pin bracket | 20 | Screws, clamp | 32 | Screws, spreader base |
| | | 21 | Clamp, left button | 33 | Collar, presser bar |
| | | 22 | Pins, spring steady | 34 | Setscrew, presser bar collar |

Figure 7-14. Button clamp and presser bar.

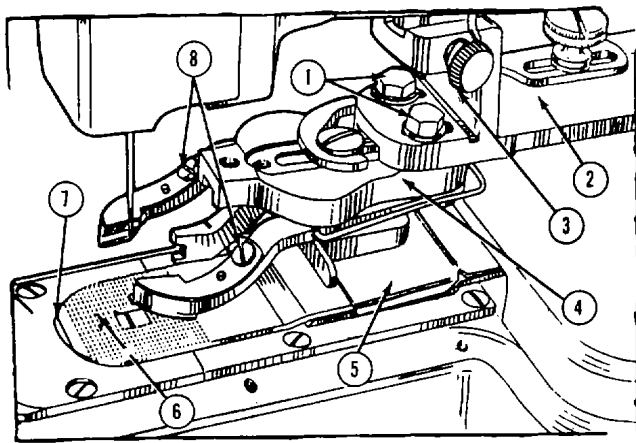
7-31. Left and Right Button Clamp Springs

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the screws (24 and 27, fig. 7-14) that secure the springs (23 and 26) to the left and right button clamps (21 and 25).

- (2) Remove the springs from the clamps.

b. Installation. Replace defective springs with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.



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| 1 | Screws, button clamp spreader and button stop base | 4 | Base, button clamp spreader and button stop |
| 2 | Arm, button clamp | 5 | Spring, feed plate |
| 3 | Thumbscrew, button clamp shanking foot | 6 | Plate, feed |
| | | 7 | End of feed plate |
| | | 8 | Screws, spring |

Figure 7-15. Adjustments on feed plate and button clamp.

7-32. Button Clamp Closing Spring

a. Removal. Raise the left and the right button clamps (21 and 25, fig. 7-9) and spread the closing spring (16) open, and remove the closing spring from the button clamp.

b. Installation. Replace defective closing spring with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-33. Button Clamp Spreader Handle

a. Removal. Remove the two screws (19, fig. 7-14) that secure the spreader handle (18) to the button clamp spreader (15), and remove the handle from the spreader.

b. Installation. Replace defective handle with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-34. Lifting Chain

a. Removal.

(1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.

- (2) Remove the screws that secure the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine. (3) Remove

the lifting chain screws (25 and 29, fig. 7-7) that hold the lifting chain (27) to the lifting arm (10).

- (4) Remove the thumbscrew (26) that holds the lifting chain to the machine.
 (5) Remove the lifting chain with hook from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective lifting chain with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-35. Lifting Rod Arm Stop Plate

a. Removal. Remove the two screws (17, fig. 7-7) and washers (16) that secure the lifting rod arm stop plate (15) to the machine frame, and remove the stop plate from the machine frame.

b. Installation. Replace defective stop plate with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-36. Presser Bar Collar and Pressure Regulating Thumbscrew

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.
- (2) Loosen the locknut (2, fig. 7-14), and unscrew the pressure regulating thumbscrew (1) from the presser bar bearing screw (3).
- (3) Remove the locknut (2) from the thumbscrew.
- (4) Remove the bearing screw from the machine frame.
- (5) Raise the presser bar (5) and loosen the collar setscrew (34) that holds the presser bar collar (33) to the presser bar.
- (6) Remove the presser bar collar with setscrew (34) from the presser bar.
- (7) Remove the setscrew from the presser bar collar.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-37. Lifting Rod Spring Collar Screw

a. Removal. Remove the screw (13, fig. 7-7) that holds the lifting rod spring collar(12) to the lifting rod (11).

b. *Installation.* Replace defective screw with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

7-38. Faceplate Assembly

a. *Removal.* Remove the screws (47, fig. 7-16) that secure the faceplate assembly to the machine, and remove the faceplate assembly from the machine.

b. *Disassembly.*

- (1) Unscrew the upper faceplate thread guide (48) from the faceplate (49).
- (2) Remove the screw (46) that secures the lower thread guide plate (45) to the faceplate.

(3) Remove the thread guide plate roller (43) and the thread retainer collar (42) from the faceplate.

(4) Drive the pin (44) from the faceplate.

(5) Remove the setscrew (41) that secures the thread retainer stud (38) to the faceplate.

c. *Assembly and Installation.* Replace defective faceplate as a complete assembly or a defective part of the faceplate assembly as necessary and assemble and install them by reversing the procedures in a and b above.

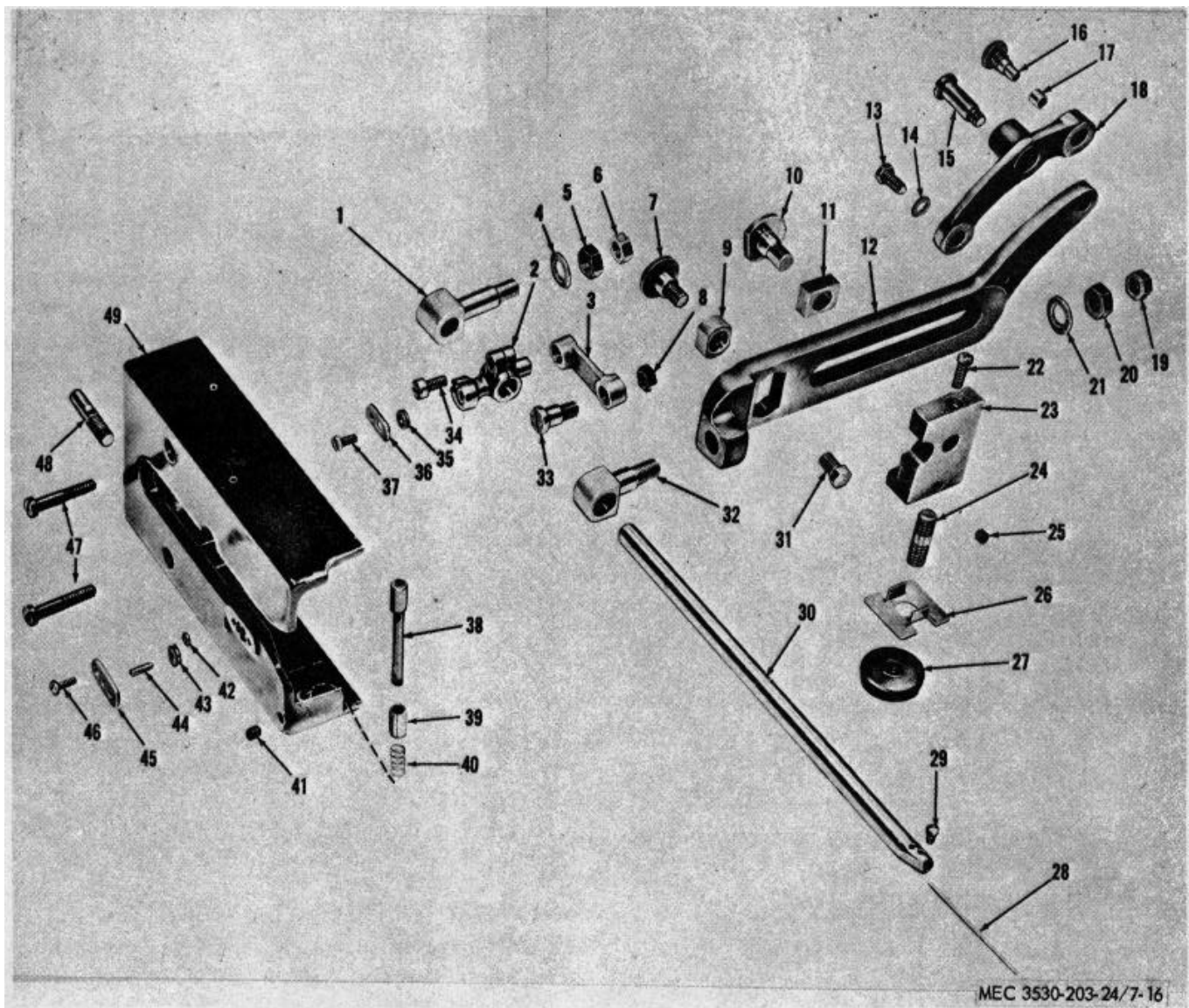


Figure 7-16. Button sewing machine faceplate and needle bar vibrating lever, disassembled.

1 Stud, upper needle bar connecting	16 Stud, lever arm	33 Screw, link hinge
2 Stud, needle bar connecting link	17 Roller	34 Screw, hinge stud
3 Link, needle bar connecting	18 Arm, vibrating lever	35 Roller, guide plate thread
4 Washer, connecting stud	19 Locknut, connecting stud nut	36 Plate, stud thread guide
5 Nut, connecting stud	20 Nut	37 Screw, thread guide plate
6 Locknut, connecting stud nut	21 Washer, connecting	38 Stud, thread retainer
7 Screw, lever hinge	22 Setscrew, bracket hinge stud	39 Sleeve, thread retainer
8 Nut, hinge screw	23 Bracket, needle bar vibrating lever	40 Spring, thread retainer
9 Slide, needle bar vibrating lever hinge screw	24 Stud, bracket	41 Setscrew, thread retainer stud
10 Stud, bracket hinge	25 Setscrew, bracket stud locknut	42 Collar, lower thread retainer spacing
11 Slide, hinge stud	26 Washer, locknut bracket	43 Roller, lower guide plate
12 Lever, needle bar vibrating	27 Locknut, bracket stud	44 Pin, plate thread guide
13 Screw, lever arm	28 Needle	45 Plate, lower thread guide
14 Washer, lever arm stud	29 Setscrew, needle	46 Screw, lower guide plate
15 Screw, lever hinge	30 Bar, needle	47 Screws, faceplate
	31 Screw, lever lock	48 Guide, upper faceplate thread
	32 Stud, lower needle bar connecting	49 Faceplate

Figure 7-16-Continued

**CHAPTER 8
DIRECT AND GENERAL SUPPORT MAINTENANCE INSTRUCTIONS**

Section I. TROUBLESHOOTING

8-1. General

a. This section provides information useful to the direct and general support maintenance personnel in correcting unsatisfactory operation of the clothing repair shop and its components. Each trouble symptom stated is followed by the probable cause of the trouble. The possible remedy recommended is described opposite the probable cause. Any trouble that is beyond the ability of the direct and general support maintenance personnel must be reported according to the instructions given in TM 38-750.

b. Troubleshooting information for the cabinet assembly; clothing sewing machine; and the darning machine, is contained in the following paragraphs:

- (1) Cabinet assembly, paragraph 4-2.
- (2) Clothing sewing machine, paragraph 4-3.
- (3) Darning machine, paragraph 4-4.

8-2. Button Sewing Machine

a. Needle Breaks.

Possible remedy Thread finger or needle guide is broken.	Probable cause Install serviceable thread finger or needle guide (para. 8-19).
Needle guide and thread finger are out of adjustment.	Adjust needle guide and thread finger (para. 8-19).

Needle guide shaft bushing is worn excessively. (para. 8-19).

Install serviceable bushing and adjust needle guide

Needle bar out of adjustment.

Adjust needle bar (para. 8-4).

b. Thread Breaks.

Possible remedy Thread finger or needle guide is broken.	Probable cause Install serviceable thread finger or needle guide (para. 8-19).
Needle guide and thread finger are out of adjustment.	Adjust needle guide and thread finger (para. 8-19).
Needle guide shaft bushing is worn excessively. guide (para. 8-19).	Install serviceable bushing and adjust the needle
Needle guide oscillating crank spring is broken.	Install serviceable spring (para. 8-19).

c. Motor Fails to Start When Switch is in ON Position.

Possible remedy Motor is defective---	Probable cause Install a serviceable motor (para. 7-10).
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d. Unusual Noise in Motor.

Possible cause Motor bearings and brushes are worn.	Possible remedy Install serviceable bearing and brushes (para. 8-40).
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Section II. BUTTON SEWING MACHINE

8-3. General

This section describes the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the button sewing machine. Any deficiencies which the direct and general support maintenance personnel are not authorized to correct must be reported as stipulated in TM 38-750.

8-4. Needle Bar

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two screws (47, fig.

7-16) that holds the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.

- (2) Remove the setscrew (29) and the needle (28) from the needle bar (30).
- (3) Remove the hinge stud screw (34) that secures the needle bar to the connecting link stud (2).
- (4) Slide the needle bar from the connecting link stud and from the top of the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective needle bar with serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the needle bar as follows:

- (1) Take out the two screws (47) that hold the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (2) Make sure the needle is as far up as it will go into the needle bar.
- (3) Hand-turn the drive pulley to bring the needle bar to its highest position.
- (4) Loosen the hinge stud screw (34) that holds the needle bar connecting link stud (2) to the needle bar.
- (5) Hold the needle bar connecting link stud at its highest point of its stroke, and move the needle bar (30) for the model 175-60 up or down to bring the top of the needle eye 15/16 inch above the top surface of the needle plate. For the model 175-61, move the needle bar up or down to bring the top of the needle eye 1 1/16 inch above the top surface of the needle plate.
- (6) Check this adjustment to see that the needle point does not protrude through the needle hole in the looper when the needle bar is at the bottom of its stroke. This check cannot be made until the looper is adjusted or timed correctly (para. 7-29).

8-5. Needle Bar Connecting Link and Stud

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle bar from the machine (para. 8-4).
- (2) Pull the connecting link stud (2, fig. 7-16) from the connecting link (3).

- (3) Remove the nut (8) and the link hinge screw (33) that hold the needle bar connecting link (3) to the rockshaft crank.
- (4) Remove the connecting link from the rockshaft crank.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the needle bar (para. 8-4).

8-6. Upper and Lower Needle Bar Connecting Studs

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle bar from the machine (para. 8-4).
- (2) Remove the locknut (6, fig. 7-16), the nut (5), and the washer (4), that hold the upper connecting stud (1) to the machine and remove the stud from the machine.
- (3) Remove the locknut (19), the nut (20), and the washer (21) that holds the lower connecting stud (32) to the vibrating lever (12), and remove the stud from the vibrating lever.

b. Installation. Replace defective studs with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the needle bar (para. 8-4).

8-7. Presser Bar

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover to the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the bearing screw (3, fig. 7-14) with the locknut (2) and the thumbscrew (1).
- (3) Remove the spring (4) from the presser bar (5).
- (4) Remove the setscrew (34) that holds the collar (33) to the presser bar.
- (5) Slide the presser bar from the collar and from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective presser bar with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-8. Needle Bar Vibrating Lever, Arm, and Slides

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the needle bar from the machine (para. 8-4).
- (2) Remove the locknut (19, fig. 7-16), the nut (20), and the washer (21) that hold the lower connecting stud (32) to the vibrating lever (12), and remove the stud from the vibrating lever.
- (3) Remove the presser bar from the machine (para. 8-7).
- (4) Remove the screw (13), the washer (14), and the hinge screw (15) that hold the vibrating lever arm (18) to the vibrating lever (12), and remove the arm with the stud and roller from the vibrating lever.
- (5) Separate the stud and the roller from the arm.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (22) that holds the bracket hinge, stud (10) to the vibrating lever bracket (23).
- (7) Remove the bracket hinge stud and the hinge stud slide (11) from the vibrating lever bracket.
- (8) Remove the screw (31) that locks the hinge screw (7) to the machine.
- (9) Remove the hinge screw (7) and the hinge screw slide (9) from the vibrating lever and from the machine.
- (10) Remove the vibrating lever from the machine.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust the needle bar (para. 8-4) and the needle bar vibration TM 10-3530-203-10).

8-9. Thread Retainer Stud, Sleeve, and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Loosen the thread retainer stud setscrew (41, fig. 7-16) that holds the thread retainer stud (38) to the faceplate (49).
- (2) Remove the thread retainer stud with the spring (40) and the sleeve (39) from the faceplate.
- (3) Separate the spring and the sleeve from the thread retainer stud.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective parts with serviceable ones, and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-10. Needle Bar Vibrating Lever Bracket

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the side cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the setscrew (22, fig. 7-16) that holds the hinge stud (10) to the vibrating lever bracket (23), and remove the hinge stud from the bracket.
- (3) Remove the locknut (27) and the washer (26) from the bracket stud (24).
- (4) Remove the lock screw (31) that locks the lever hinge screw (7) to the machine.
- (5) Loosen the lever hinge screw (7) and raise the vibrating lever (12) high enough to remove the vibrating lever bracket from the machine.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (25) that locks the bracket stud (24) to the vibrating lever bracket.
- (7) Unscrew the bracket stud from the bracket.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective bracket with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. *Adjustment.* Adjust the needle bar vibration (TM 10-3530-203-10).

8-11. Spreader and Base

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the button clamp arm with the right and left clamps from the base (para. 7-30).
- (2) Remove the spreader handle (para. 7-33).
- (3) Remove the spreader screw nut (17, fig. 7-14) from the spreader screw (29).
- (4) Remove the spreader screw that holds the spreader (15) to the base (28).
- (5) Separate the spreader from the base.

b. *Installation.* Replace defective spreader and base with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-12. Hinge Pin Bracket and Shim

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the hinge pin (13, fig. 7-14) from the bracket (12).
- (2) Remove the two screws (10) that secure the bracket to the machine, and remove the bracket and the shim (11) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective bracket and shim with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-13. Lifting Arm

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the right side cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the screws that secure the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (3) Remove the lifting chain screws (25 and 29, fig. 7-7) that hold the lifting chain (27) to the lifting arm (28).
- (4) Remove the setscrew (30) that secures the lifting arm to the shaft (31).
- (5) the lifting arm off the shaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective lifting arm with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-14. Collars, Springs, Lifting Rod Arm, and Pulloff Holders and Shaft, Collar, and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that hold the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the right side cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the screws that hold the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (3) Remove the screws (2 and 6, fig. 7-7) that secure front and rear thread pulloffs (1 and 5) to the holder, and remove the pulloffs from the holder.
- (4) Remove the lifting arm from the machine (para. 8-13a (3) through (5)).
- (5) Remove the cotter pin (18) from the lifting rod (11), and remove the lifting rod from the lifting rod arm (10).

- (6) Remove the screw (8) and the positioning screw (9) that hold the lifting rod arm to the shaft (31).
- (7) Remove the screw (4) that secures the rear pulloff holder (19) to the shaft.
- (8) Remove the screw (7) that secures the thread pulloff collar (20) to the shaft.
- (9) Remove the setscrews (32) that secure the thread pulloff spring collar (23) and the shaft collar (24) to the shaft.
- (10) Slide the shaft out through the face of the machine. Lift the lifting rod arm (10), the rear pulloff holder (19), the pulloff collar (20), the front pulloff holder (22), the spring (33), and the collars (23), and (24) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 7-18.

8-15. Lifting Rod, Collar, and Spring

a. Removal.

- (1) Disconnect the foot treadle chain from the lifting rod collar (12, fig. 7-7).
- (2) Remove the cotter pin (18) from the lifting rod (11), and remove the lifting rod with spring and collar from the lifting rod arm (10).
- (3) Remove the screw (13) that holds the collar (12) to the rod, and remove the spring (14) and the collar from the rod.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-16. Feed Plate Holder

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two screws (5 and 6, fig. 7-9) that secure the top rear cover (4) to the machine, and remove the top rear cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the button clamp arm with clamps from the machine (para. 7-30).
- (3) Lift the end of the feed plate spring

(2) and pull the feed plate (1) from between the spring and the holder (31).

- (4) Remove the two screws (3) that secure the spring to the holder, and remove the spring and the holder from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective holder with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 7-30.

8-17. Feed Plate Carrier and Blocks

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the button clamp arm with clamps from the machine (para. 7-30).
- (2) Remove the two screws (5 and 6, fig. 7-9) that secure the top rear cover (4) to the machine, and remove the top rear cover from the machine.
- (3) Remove the screws (30) that secure the left block (29) to the machine, and remove the block from the machine.
- (4) Remove the screws (23) that secure the right block (11) to the machine and remove the block from the machine.
- (5) Lift the feed plate carrier (10) with nut (8), handle (7), stud (12), and block (13) from the machine.
- (6) Remove the block (13) from the stud (12).
- (7) Remove the stud nut (8), the handle (7), and the washer (9) from the stud, and remove the stud from the feed plate carrier (10).

b. Installation. Replace defective carrier and blocks with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to TM 10-3530-20310 and to paragraph 7-30, to make the adjustment on the button clamps and on the feed plate carrier.

8-18. Feed Plate Carrier Regulator and Drive Arm

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the feed plate carrier from the machine (para. 8-17a(1) through (5)).
- (2) Drive the pin (20, fig. 7-9) from the carrier drive arm (17).

- (3) Remove the setscrew (19) from the carrier drive arm (17).
- (4) Remove the carrier drive arm from the regulator (15).
- (5) Remove the roller (16) and the drive arm stud (18) from the carrier drive arm.
- (6) Remove the screw (14) that secures the spring (21) to the regulator, and remove the regulator from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 7-30, and to TM 10-3530-203-10.

8-19. Crank and Needle Guide With Shaft and Bushing

a. Removal. Place the machine on its side to gain access to its bottom.

- (1) Remove the screw (25, fig. 7-8) from the crank (26).
- (2) Slide the needle guide with shaft (30), the spring (29), and the finger (32) from the bushing (27) and from the crank (26).
- (3) Remove the crank from the machine.
- (4) Remove the spring (29) from the needle guide (30).
- (5) Remove the two screws (31) that secure the finger (32) to the needle guide, and remove the finger from the needle guide.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (28) that secures the bushing (27) to the machine, and remove the bushing from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the needle guide (30) and the finger (32) separately and also adjust or time them together as a unit.

- (1) Adjust the needle guide so that its inside surface just clears the needle. Loosen the setscrew that holds the needle guide shaft bushing, move the bushing, end wise enough to make the inside of the guide just clear the needle, and then tighten the setscrew.

- (2) Adjust the needle guide thread finger so that the point of the needle on its left-hand down stroke clears the inside of the finger by about 1/32 inch. Hand-turn the drive pulley until the eye of the needle on its left-hand down stroke passes the finger. Loosen the screw (25), turn the needle guide until the needle clears the guide by about 1/32 inch, and tighten the screw securely.
- (3) Adjust the needle guide and finger together as a unit hand-turn the drive pulley until the needle bar as reached its lowest position and has risen about 1/8 inch. Loosen the screw in the cam on the looper shaft and then turn the cam until the needle guide starts to move back to the right. Tighten the screw.

Note. **The nature of the material to which buttons are to be sewed may make it necessary to vary slightly from the needle guide and finger adjustment described above.**

8-20. Thread Looper Shaft, Link, Cam, and Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the setscrew (2, fig. 7-8) from the bushing (3), and remove the looper (1) and the bushing from the shaft (4).
- (2) Remove the two setscrews (6 and 7) from the needle guide cam (5).
- (3) Remove the two setscrews (8 and 9) from the crank (10).
- (4) Remove the shaft (4) out through the front of the machine.
- (5) Remove the crank (10) with stud (11), cam (5), and the link (12) from the machine.
- (6) Remove the stud from the crank.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 7-29, and in addition, make the following adjustments.

- (1) Loosen the screw that holds the shaft bushing in the machine bed.
- (2) Turn the eccentric bushing until its high throw is toward the bed of the machine. This setting of the bushing will unmesh

the gears and permit the cranks to be turned to the required position.

- (3) Turn the cranks to the required position and then turn the bushing down to mesh the gears again.
- (4) Tighten the screw securely.
- (5) See that the looper shaft link is attached so that the large crank pulls the link.

8-21. Looper Bushing, Gear, Pin, and Drive Shaft and Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Place the button machine on its side.
- (2) Loosen the two setscrews (8 and 9, fig. 7-8) that secure the crank (10) to the looper drive shaft (4).
- (3) Slide the looper drive shaft to the front of the machine, and remove the crank (10) with the stud (11) from the machine.
- (4) Remove the stud (11) from the crank (10).
- (5) Remove the link (12) and the stud (13) from the crank (14).
- (6) Remove the setscrew (15) and the screw (16) from the crank (14).
- (7) Remove the crank (14) from the drive shaft (17).
- (8) Remove the bushing screw that secures the bushing (18) to the machine, and slide the bushing from the machine.
- (9) Remove the drive shaft (17) with gear (19) from the machine.
- (10) Drive the pin (20) from the gear, and remove the gear (19) from the shaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraphs 7-29, 8-19, and 8-20.

8-22. Left and Right Hinge Pins

a. Removal.

- (1) Unhook the spring (23, fig. 7-8) from the end cover.
- (2) Push on the spring and remove it

from the left and right hinge pins (22 and 24).

(3) Drive the hinge pins from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective hinge pins with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-23. Stop Dog Cushion Spring

a. Removal. Remove the setscrews (10, fig. 8-1) that hold the spring (11) to the holder (12), and remove the spring from the holder.

b. Installation. Replace defective spring with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

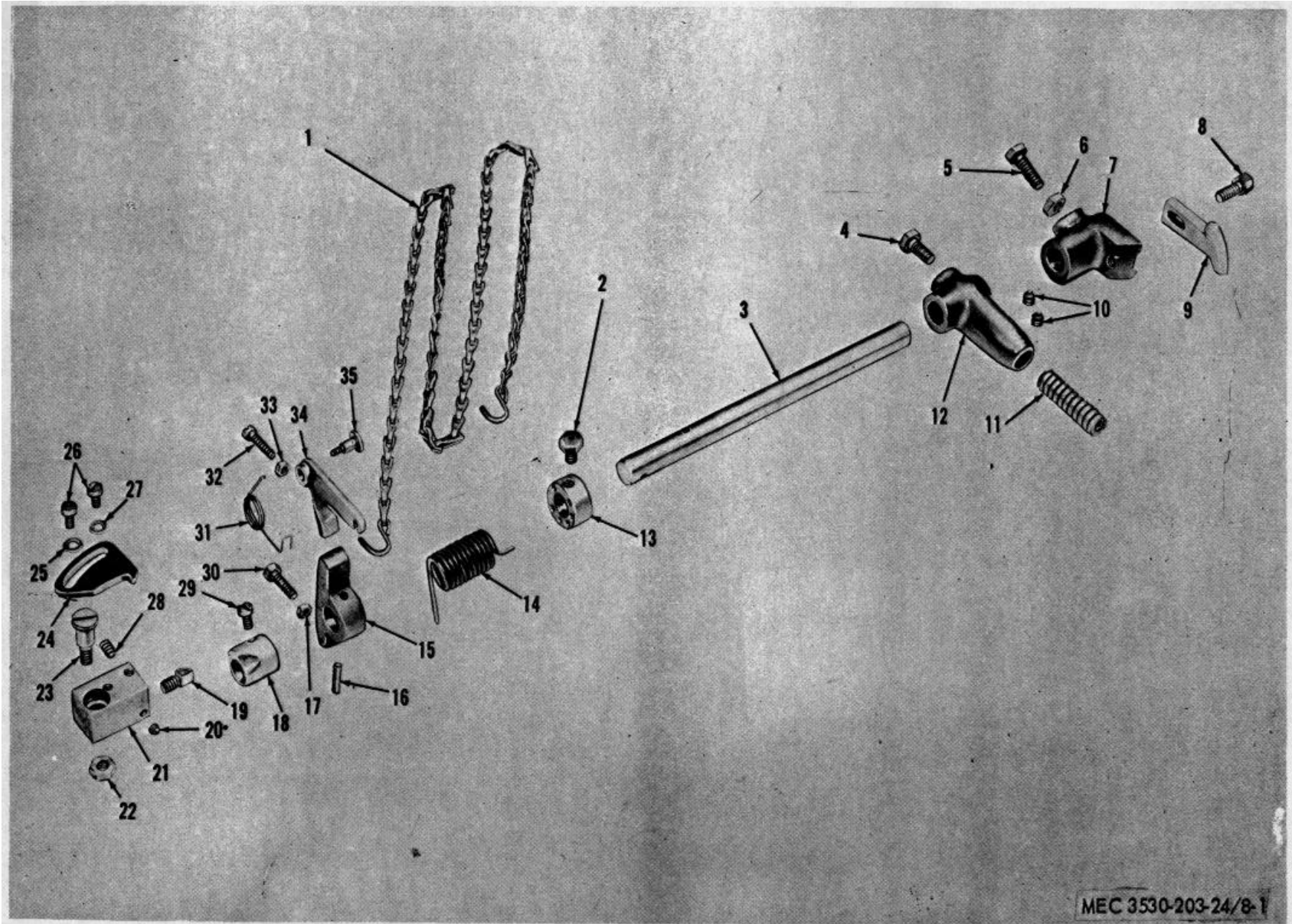


Figure 8-1. Pulley shifter, stop motion shaft, and trip block

1 Chain	13 Collar, stop motion shaft spring	24 Plate, stop motion trip
2 Setscrew, spring collar	14 Spring, stop motion shaft	25 Washer, plate screw
3 Shaft, stop motion	15 Crank, starting	26 Screw, trip plate
4 Setscrew, dog holder	16 Pin, crank	27 Washer, plate screw
5 Setscrew, holder	17 Nut, adjusting screw	28 Spring, bed stop motion trip block
6 Locknut, holder setscrew	18 Collar, stop motion retaining	29 Screw, collar
7 Holder	19 Stud, collar	30 Screw, crank adjusting
8 Screw, shifter	20 Setscrew, collar stud	31 Spring, starting lever
9 Shifter, drive pulley	21 Block, stop motion trip	32 Screw, stop starting lever
10 Setscrews, cushion spring	22 Nut, block hinge screw	33 Nut, lever stop screw
11 Spring, stop dog cushion	23 Screw, block hinge	34 Lever, starting
12 Holder, stop dog		35 Screw, hinge

8-24. Stop Motion Shaft, Collars, Spring, and Starting Crank

a. Removal.

- (1) Loosen the locknut (6, fig. 8-1) and the setscrew (5) that secure the holder (7) to the stop motion shaft (3).
- (2) Remove the holder from the shaft.
- (3) Remove the setscrew (4) that secures the stop dog cushion spring holder (12) to the shaft, and remove the holder from the shaft.
- (4) Place the machine on its side.
- (5) Remove the setscrew (2) that holds the collar (13) to the shaft.
- (6) Remove the screw nut (17) that locks the screw (30) to the crank (15) and remove the screw from the crank.
- (7) Drive out the pin (16) that secures the crank to the shaft.
- (8) Remove the screw (29) that secures the collar (18) to the shaft.
- (9) Remove the shaft (3) from the back of the machine, and lift the collar (18), the crank (15), the spring (14), and the collar (13) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the tension on the collar enough to throw the stop motion shaft (3) to the left and to engage the stop motion cushion spring (14) with the stop dog. Loosen the screw and turn the collar down for greater tension and up for less tension on the spring.

8-25. Stop Motion Trip Block and Plate

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.

- (2) Turn the button machine on its side.
- (3) Remove the two screws (26, fig. 8-1) and the washers (25 and 27) that secure the plate (24) to the block (21), and remove the plate from the block.
- (4) Remove the nut (22) from the hinge screw (23).
- (5) Remove the hinge screw (23) that secures the block to the machine.
- (6) Remove the block with the collar stud (19) and the spring (28) from the machine.
- (7) Lift the spring (28) from the block and remove the setscrew (20) that secures the collar stud (19) to the block, and remove the collar stud from the block.

b. Installation. Replace defective block and plate with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Adjust the stop motion trip block.

8-26. Needle Bar Eccentric Connecting Rod

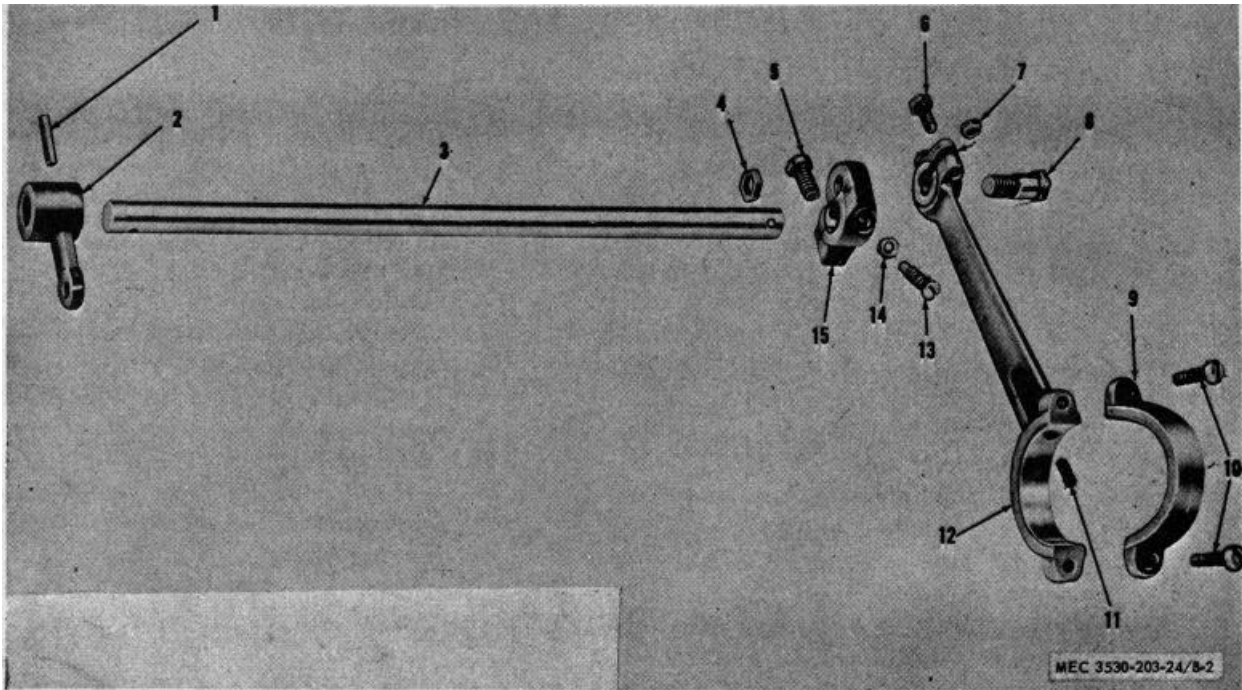
a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine by loosening the two screws and moving the block to the left for an earlier stop or to the right for a later stop. Tighten the two screws securely.
- (2) Remove the two screws that hold the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (3) Remove the nut (4, fig. 8-2) from the screw (8), and remove the screw from the connecting rod (12) and from the crank (15).

- (4) Place the button machine on its side to gain access to its bottom.
- (5) Remove the screws (10) that secure the cap (9) to the connecting rod (12), and remove the cap and the connecting rod from the machine.

- (6) Remove the screw (6) and the nut (7) from the connecting rod.

b. Installation. Replace defective rod with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.



1	Pin, cotter	6	Screw, hinge	12	Rod, needle bar eccentric connecting
2	Crank, rockshaft front	7	Nut, rod screw	13	Screw, crank positioning
3	Rockshaft	8	Screw, rod	14	Nut, crank positioning screw adjusting
4	Nut, hinge screw	9	Cap, rod	15	Crank, rockshaft rear
5	Screw, crank	10	Screw, cap rod		
		11	Wick		

Figure 8-2. Button sewing machine arm rockshaft.

8-27. Rockshaft and Front and Rear Cranks

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that secure the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the two screws that hold the faceplate to the machine, and remove the faceplate from the machine.
- (3) Remove the nut (4, fig. 8-2) from the screw (8), and remove the screw from the connecting rod (12) and from the crank (15).

- (4) Remove the nut (14) and the screw (13) from the rear crank (15).
- (5) Remove the screw (5) from the rear crank.
- (6) Remove the hinge screw nut (8, fig. 7-16) from the hinge screw (33), and remove the hinge screw from the needle bar connecting link (3) and from the front crank (2, fig. 8-2).
- (7) Slide the rockshaft with the front crank from the machine.
- (8) Lift the rear crank from the machine.
- (9) Drive out the pin (1) that secures the front crank to the rockshaft to separate the crank and the rockshaft.

b. Installation. Replace defective rockshaft and cranks with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-28. Feed Cam

a. Removal.

- (1) Place the machine on its side.
- (2) Remove the setscrew (19, fig. 7-9) and drive out the pin (20) that secures the carrier drive arm (17) to the regulator (15), and remove the arm from the regulator.
- (3) Remove the screws (54, fig. 7-4) and washers (55) that secure the feed cam (56) to the wheel (65), and remove the feed cam from the wheel.

b. Installation. Replace defective cam with a serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-29. Feed Cam Drive Worm Wheel and Wheel Trip Stop Motion Point

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the feed cam from the button machine (para. 8-28).
- (2) Remove the setscrews (66 and 67, fig. 7-4) that secure the wheel (65) to the shaft (68), and remove the wheel from the shaft.
- (3) Remove the stop motion point (63) from the wheel.

b. Installation. Replace defective wheel and stop motion point with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-30. Feed Cam Worm Wheel Shaft and Needle Bar Vibrating Cam

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the feed cam from the machine (para. 8-28a).
- (2) Remove the feed cam drive worm wheel from the machine (para. 8-29a (2)).
- (3) Remove the needle bar vibrating lever arm from the machine (para. 8-8a (1) through (4)).
- (4) Drive out the pin (26, fig. 7-4) that secures the needle bar vibrating cam (1) to the feed cam worm wheel shaft (68).

(5) Remove the shaft from the machine and lift the cam from the machine.

(6) Remove the rivet from the cam.

b. Installation. Replace defective shaft and cam with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-31. Drive Shaft, Stop Dog Thread Tension Release Cam, Gears, and Eccentric

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the drive pulley from the machine (para. 7-26a).
- (2) Drive out the tapered pin (27, fig. 7-4) that secures the stop dog (40) to the drive shaft (39) and remove the stop dog from the drive shaft.
- (3) Remove the feed cam from the machine (para. 8-28a).
- (4) Drive out the gear pin (57) that secures the gear (64) to the drive shaft (39).
- (5) Drive out the pin (58) that secures the worm gear (62) to the drive shaft.
- (6) Remove the setscrew (60) and drive out the pin (47) that secures the eccentric (61) to the drive shaft.
- (7) Remove the setscrews (38 and 46) that secure the cam (45) to the drive shaft.
- (8) Remove the screws (10, fig. 8-2) that secure the cap (9) to the connecting rod (12), and remove the cap from the connecting rod.
- (9) Remove the shaft from the rear of the machine, and then lift the shaft gear (64, fig. 7-4), the worm gear (62), the eccentric (61), and the thread tension release cam (45) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraphs 7-16c and 8-21c.

8-32. Needle Bar Eccentric Pawl, Spring, and Stud

a. Removal.

- (1) Place the machine on its side.
- (2) Remove the screw (53, fig. 7-4) that holds the bracket (52) to the machine.

- (3) Remove the bracket with pawl (59), spring (49), and stud (48) from the machine.
- (4) Separate spring and stud from the pawl.
- (5) Drive out the pin (50) that secures the pawl to the bracket, and remove the pawl from the bracket.

b. Installation. Replace defective parts with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-33. Thread Tension Release Rod, Spring, and Sleeve

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the thumb nuts (17, fig. 7-4), the spring (18), the release disk (29), and the tension disks (19 and 20) from the stud (21), and remove the stud from the machine.
- (2) Remove the two nuts (35 and 36) from the bottom of the release rod (34), and pull the release rod from the top of the machine.
- (3) Lift the spring (33), and the sleeve (37) from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 7-16.

8-34. Thread Nipper Release Lever

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that hold the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the hinge lever screw (23, fig. 7-4) that holds the release lever (4) to the machine, and remove the release lever from the machine.
- (3) Remove stud nut (24), washer (25), and stud (2) from the release lever.

b. Installation. Replace defective release lever with serviceable one and install it by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-35. Thread Nipper Release Rod, Springs, and Collars

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that hold the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the

machine, and remove the right side cover from the machine.

- (2) Remove the screw (14, fig. 7-4) and the plate screw (15) that hold the plate (16) to the machine, and remove the plate and the washer (13) from the machine.
- (3) Remove setscrews (8 and 9) that secure the collars (7 and 10) to the release rod (11).
- (4) Slide the release rod from the top of the machine, and lift the washer (5), the spring (6), the collars (7), and the spring (22) from the machine.
- (5) Remove the thread nipper head from the rod (11).

b. Installation. Replace defective items with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

c. Adjustment. Refer to paragraph 7-17c.

8-36. Long and Short Right Side Cover Studs

a. Removal.

- (1) Remove the two thumb nuts that hold the right side cover (2, fig. 7-3) to the machine, and remove the right side cover from the machine.
- (2) Remove the locknuts (16 and 50) from the studs (17 and 49) and remove the studs from the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective studs with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-37. Rest Stud and Setscrew

a. Removal. Remove the setscrew (.45, fig. 7-3) that secures the rest stud (46) to the base, and remove the stud from the base of the machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective stud and setscrew with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

8-38. Long and Short Arm Screws

The long and the short arm screws are used to hold the arm onto the base of the button machine.

a. Removal.

- (1) Place the machine on its side.
- (2) Remove the three long arm screws (20, 21, and 43, fig. 7-3) and the

one short arm screw (42) that secure the arm to the base (24) of the button machine.

b. Installation. Replace defective screws with serviceable ones and install them by reversing the procedure in a above.

Section III. ELECTRIC MOTORS

8-39. General

This section describes the direct and general support maintenance instructions for the repair of electric motors.

8-40. Motor Bearings and Brushes

a. Removal. Remove the motor from the machine table assembly (para. 3-27a(1) and (2), and (5) through (8)).

b. Disassembly.

- (1) Remove the drive pulley from the motor shaft (para. 7-11).
- (2) Remove the nuts (17, fig. 7-2) and the lockwashers (18) from the rod (19).
- (3) Remove the commutator-end housing (12) from the stator housing (9).

Note.

Mark the position of the brush ring before removing it from the stator housing so it can be correctly installed in the stator housing. If the brush ring is not installed correctly, the rotation of the motor will be reversed.

- (4) Remove the brush ring (10) from the stator housing (9).
- (5) Remove the two brushes with leads (11) from the brush ring.
- (6) Remove the rods (19) from the drive-end housing (4) and from the stator housing (9).
- (7) Remove the drive-end housing from the stator housing, and remove the spacer (5) from the drive-end housing.
- (8) Remove the armature (7) from the stator housing.

(9) Remove the ball bearings (6) and (8) from the armature.

c. Cleaning. Use compressed air to blow dirt, carbon, and foreign matter from the end-bell, the armature, and the stator. Wipe all parts thoroughly with a lint free cloth moistened with SD (solvent, drycleaning) to remove any accumulated oil and grease.

d. Inspection.

- (1) Inspect the armature for shorts, grounds, worn and uneven commutator, burned commutator bars, and high mica between the bars; the armature shaft for wear at the ball bearing contact surfaces; and the commutator riser connections for thrown solder.
- (2) Inspect the brushes for cracks, breaks, excessive wear, and improper seating.
- (3) Inspect the bearings for breaks, dirt, and excessive wear.
- (4) Check the stator fields for short, open, and grounded circuits.
- (5) Check the rods for bends, twists, and damaged threads.

e. Repair. Solder loose connections, machine a faulty commutator, and undercut a high mica between commutator bars. Repair damaged wiring.

f. Assembly and Installation. Replace defective bearings and brushes with serviceable ones and assemble and install them by reversing the procedures in a and b above. After the bushings are installed, put a light film of oil on them before assembling the other components.

**APPENDIX I
REFERENCES**

AI-1. Dictionaries of Terms and Abbreviations

AR 320-5 Dictionary of United States Army Terms
AR 320-50 Authorized Abbreviations and Brevity Codes

AI-2. Fire Protection

TB 5-4200-200-10 Hand Portable Fire Extinguishers Approved for Army Use

A I-3. Painting

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TM 5-6115-271-15 Operator, Organization, Direct and General Support, and Depot Maintenance Manual; Generator Set, Gasoline Engine, 3KW, AC, 60 Cycle, (Military Model SF 3.0 MD)
TM 9-2330-213-14 Operator, Organizational, and Field Maintenance Instructions, Including Repair Parts and Special Tools List for Trailer, Cargo: 11/2 Ton, 2-Wheel M105A2
TM 10-3530-203-10 Operator's Manual, Textile Repair Shop, Trailer-Mounted, Army Model SPV 34 (FSN 3530-819-2007)

AI-5. Preventive Maintenance

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AR 750-5 Organization, Policies, and Responsibilities for Maintenance Operation
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APPENDIX II MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION

Section I. INTRODUCTION

A2-1. General

a. Section I (Introduction). Section I provides a general explanation of all the maintenance and repair functions authorized the various maintenance levels.

b. Section II (Maintenance Allocation Chart). Section II designates overall responsibility for the performance of maintenance operations on the identified end item or component. The implementation of maintenance tasks upon the end item or component will be consistent with the assigned maintenance operations.

c. Section III (Special Tool and Test Equipment Requirements). Section III lists the special tools and test equipment required for each maintenance operation as referenced from Section I.

d. Section IV (Remarks). Section IV contains supplemental instructions, explanatory notes and/or illustrations required for a particular maintenance function.

A2-2. Maintenance Operations Definitions

a. Service. Operations required periodically to keep the item in proper operating condition, i.e., to clean, preserve, drain, paint, and replenish fuel, lubricants, hydraulic, and deicing fluids, or compressed air supplies.

b. Adjust. Regulate periodically to prevent malfunction. Adjustments will be made commensurate with adjustment procedures and associated equipment specifications.

c. Align. Adjust two or more components of and electrical or mechanical system so that their functions are properly synchronized or adjusted.

d. Calibrate. Determine, check, or rectify the graduation of an instrument, weapon, or weapons system or components of a weapons system.

e. Inspect. Verify serviceability and detect incipient electrical or mechanical failure by close visual examination.

f. Test. Verify serviceability and detect incipient electrical failure by measuring the mechanical or electrical characteristics of the item and comparing those characteristics with authorized standards. Tests will be made commensurate With test procedures and calibrated tools and or test equipment referenced on the MAC.

g. Replace. Substitute serviceable components, assemblies, and subassemblies for unserviceable counterparts or remove and install the same item when required for the performance of other maintenance operations.

h. Repair. Restore to a serviceable condition by replacing unserviceable parts or by any other action required using available tools, equipment, and skills-to include welding, grinding, riveting, straightening, adjusting, and facing.

i. Overhaul. Restore an item to completely serviceable condition (as prescribed by serviceability standards developed and published by the commodity commands) by employing techniques of "Inspect and Repair Only As Necessary" (IROAN). Maximum use of diagnostic and test equipment is combined with minimum disassembly during overhaul. "Overhaul" may be assigned to any level of maintenance except organizational, provided the time, tools, equipment, repair parts authorization, and technical skills are available at that

level. Normally, overhaul as applies to end items, is limited to depot maintenance level.

j. Rebuild. Restore to a condition comparable to new by disassembling to determine the condition of each component part and reassembling using serviceable, rebuilt, or new assemblies, subassemblies, and parts.

k. Symbols O/C, O, DS, GS, D, and E. The symbols O/C (operator and/or crew), O (organizational), DS (direct support), GS (general support), and D (depot) placed in the appropriate column indicates the lowest maintenance level responsible for performing that particular maintenance operation but do not necessarily indicate that repair parts will be stocked at that level. Maintenance levels higher than the indicated level are also authorized to perform the indicated operation. Symbol E is assigned to indicate combat essential items on an end item that is combat essential.

l. Essentially. The essentially column will reflect whether or not an assembly is combat essential to the tactical use of the end item. This column will only be used for end items that are established as combat essential. Refer to k above for appropriate symbol.

m. Reference Note Column. The reference note columns are provided for referencing the special tool and test equipment requirements and the remarks that may be associated with each item's maintenance operations. These columns are used to relate the tools and test equipment and the remarks sections with the maintenance operation assignment indicated on the MAC.

A2-3. Special Tool and Test Equipment (Column Definition)

a. The special tool and test equipment (sec. II) is used to cross-reference a particular maintenance operation on the MAC, to the special tools and test equipment required to perform the task. This section is prepared at the same time the maintenance operations are identified and assigned.

b. When the maintenance operation for each assembly is identified, special tools and/or test equipment necessary to the performance of that task must be identified.

c. As each special tool and/or test equipment item is identified, its nomenclature (name assigned to individual tool) is recorded on the tool and test equipment page in their respective columns. The lowest level of maintenance authorized to use the item will also

be recorded in its proper column across from the tool name.

d. A reference number is used to correlate the item with the associated maintenance operation. The reference coding scheme is as follows:

- (1) The reference code will consist of a number and a letter separated by a dash.
- (2) The number references a specific assembly or component on the MAC. When one or more items are required for the maintenance operations associated with the assembly or component, an individual number will be recorded in T&TE requirements column.
- (3) The letter in the code represents the specific maintenance operation the item is to be used with. The letter will be representative of columns "A" through "J" on the MAC.

e. With the preceding coding scheme, the special tools and test equipment required to perform a specific maintenance operation are coded using the number assigned in T&TE requirements column of the MAC and letter representing the maintenance operation.

f. Reference code-The code scheme recorded on the MAC correlates the special tool or test equipment with an assembly and its maintenance operation.

g. Maintenance level-The lowest level of maintenance authorized to use the special tool or test equipment.

h. Nomenclature-Name or identification of the tool or test equipment.

i. Tool number-Manufacturer's part number will be used on MAC's unit FSN's are assigned.

A2-4. Remarks (Column Definitions (Sec. IV) Note.

The reference coding scheme used to correlate the remarks with associated maintenance operations is similar to that used in the tool and test equipment section. This coding scheme is shown below.

a. The remarks reference code consists of two letters separated by a dash.

b. The first letter represents the remark code reference to a specific assembly. When one or more remarks are associated with a component or assembly, an individual letter will be recorded in Remarks column to reference the remarks page.

c. The second letter in the code represents the maintenance operation referenced by the remark. The letter will represent columns "A" through "J".

Section. II. MAINTENANCE ALLOCATION CHART

Functional group number	Component assembly nomenclature	Essentiality	Maintenance levels										Note ref			
			Maintenance operations										K	L		
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J				
Service	Adjust	Align	Calibrate	Inspect	Test	Replace	Repair	Overhaul	Rebuild	T&TE rgmt	REMARKS					
18	BODY ASSEMBLY															
1808	Box Assembly, Stowage -----							O	DS							
1812	Cabinet Assembly, Complete -----								GS							A-H
	Loop Assembly, Lifting -----							O	DS							B-H
	Clamp Assembly, Holddown -----							DS	DS							C-H
	Latch, Locking, Door and Panel -----							GS	GS							D-H
	Stay and Assembly, Door -----							DS	GS							E-H
	Holddown Assembly, Generator -----							O	DS							F-H
	Tray Assembly, Sewing Machine -----							O	DS							G-H
40	ELECTRIC MOTORS															
4000	Motor, Sewing Machine -----					GS		O	GS							
42	ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT															
4216	Miscellaneous Wiring and Fittings:															
	Cable, Power Sewing Machine -----								O	O						
	Harness, Wiring, Sewing Machine -----															
	Motor-To-Switch -----							DS								
45	EQUIPMENT															
4502	Table Assembly with Folding Legs -----							O	GS							H-H
46	REPAIR EQUIPMENT															
4602	Repair Equipment (Textile):															
	Clothing Sewing Machine, Less Stand -----					O		O	DS							
	Clothing Machine Bed Screw, Regulating, Shuttle Tension -----			O				O								
	Clothing Machine Head Link, Thread Takeup Lever and Connecting Needle Bar -----			DS		DS		DS								
	Darning Machine, Less Stand -----					O		O	DS							
	Darning Machine Arm Screw, Adjusting Shaft Balance Wheel Pulley -----			DS				DS								
	Darning Machine Bed Thumbscrew, Clamp -----							O								
	Heavy Duty Sewing Machine, Less Stand -----							O	DS							
	Heavy Duty Machine Arm Bushing, Arm Shaft -----								DS							
	Regulator, Feed -----								DS							
	Thumbscrew, Feed Regulator -----							O								
	Heavy Duty Machine Bed Cylinder, Shuttle Connection, Feed Fork -----								O							
	Heavy Duty Machine Head Sleeve, Lifting, Pressure Bar, Lower and Upper -----								O							
	Spring, Lifting Pressure Bar, Flat -----								O							
	Thumbscrew, Lifting Regulating Pressure Bar Spring -----								O							
	Cam, Thread Takeup -----								DS							
	Thumbnut, Tension Regulating -----								O							
	Overedge Sewing Machine, Less Stand -----								O	DS						
	Textile Machine Arm Thumbnut, Adjusting, Thread Tension and Control Disk -----								O							

Functional group number	Component assembly nomenclature	Essentiality	Maintenance levels										Note ref	
			Maintenance operations										K	L
			A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J		
Service	Adjust	Align	Calibrate	Inspect	Test	Replace	Repair	Overhaul	Rebuild	T&TE rqmt	REMARKS			
	Textile Machine Bed Bearing, Ball w/Bushing and Collar, Thread Hook Driving Shaft Rear -----										DS			
	Collar, w/Setscrews, Feed Drive Eccentric Adjusting Disk Spring -----			O							DS			
	Disk and Spring, Adjusting, Feed Drive Eccentric -----			O							DS			
	Gib, Friction, Feed Drive Eccentric -----			O							DS			
	Hook, Thread w/Gib, and Guard -----			O							O			
	Spring and Stud, Thread Hook Drive Shaft Lock -----			O							DS			
	Stud and Spring, Regulating Feed -----			O							DS			
	Textile Machine Head Spring, Flat, Lifting, Presser Bar -----										O			
	Thumbscrew, Regulating, Vibrating Presser Bar -----										O			
46	REPAIR EQUIPMENT													
4603	Repair Equipment (Clothing) :													
	Button Sewing Machine, Less Stand -----					O					O	DS		
	Button Machine Arm Head, Thread Nipper -----										O			
	Button Machine Bed Block, Guide or Slide, Right and Left -----										DS			
	Guide, w/Shaft -----										DS			
	Holder, w/Cushion or Pulley Shifter -----										O			
	Plate, Trip, Stop Motion -----										O			
	Overedge Machine Bed Knife, Retainer, Spring and Sleeve, Stationary Holder -----										O			
	Overedge Machine Frame Oil Cooler and Gaskets, w/Oil Pipes -----										DS			
	Thumbnut, Thread Tension Stud -----										O			
	Overedge Machine Head Thumbscrew, Regulating, Upright Presser Bar Pressure -----										O			
	Textile Sewing Machine, Less Stand -----										O	DS		

Section III. SPECIAL TOOL AND SPECIAL TEST EQUIPMENT REQUIREMENTS

Reference code	Maintenance level	Nomenclature	Tool number
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There are no special tool and special test equipment requirements necessary for the maintenance instructions for the textile and the clothing repair shops.

Section IV. REMARKS

Reference code	Remarks	Reference code	Remarks
A-H	Patch, aluminum weld, and rivet.	E-H	Aluminum weld and straighten.
B-H	Weld and straighten.	F-H	Weld and straighten.
C-H	Weld and straighten.	G-H	Weld and straighten.
D-H	Weld, straighten and rivet,	H-H	Aluminum weld and straighten.

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