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Letterings and decorations

Required tools

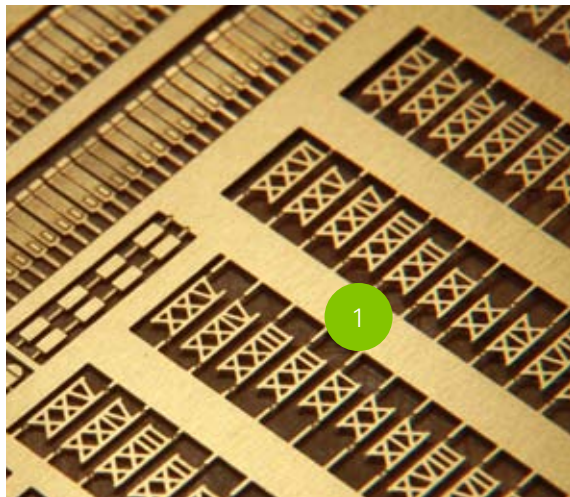




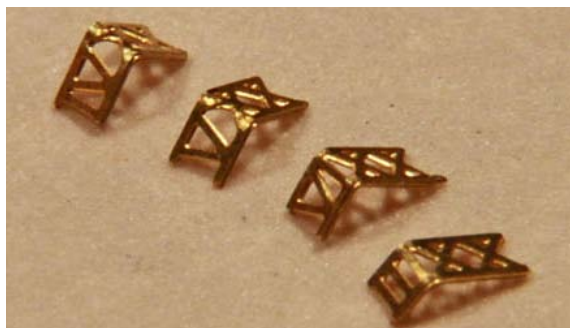
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Draught marks



Four sets needed, one serves as back up. The upper four ones of the stern need to be bend.



As positioning help glue them *face down* onto some tape and spray-glue the back ...

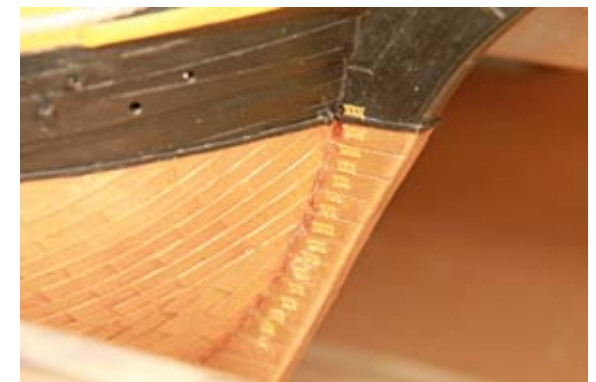


... and stick them to the appropriate place.

Fix for good with some CA applied with a tooth pick.

Afterwards add some copper paint to blend in with the copping of the hull.

The head has 15 marks, the stern 16.



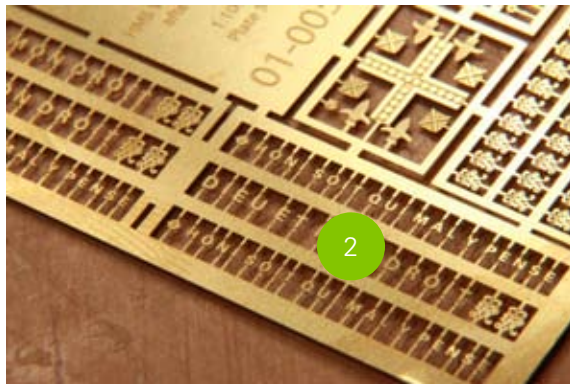
As spacing help use some tape with 3 mm spacings. The lowest mark X is about 30 mm above the keel (means ten feet).



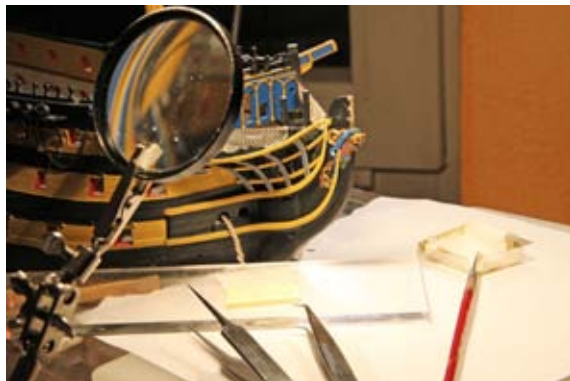
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Lettering of the figure head (1)



As the parts are very tiny and have some tendency to disappear, there are three set included.



Cover the whole working area including your lap with white or black tissue/cloth! This helps refinding lost parts.



I made a small paper template to try out the spacing of the letters. For not loosing them I use the backside of a Post-It as this one does not glue to strongly.

Also use the positioning template on the brass sprue as orientation. The „QUI“ disappears underneath the volute.

Best letter the shield before fixing it on the head



For fixing I also advise spray glue and afterwards some very little amount of CA applied with a tooth pick..

Alternatively one can put matt varnish onto the placing area and use as a preliminary fixing help. Also use CA if believed that the varnish does not hold well enough.

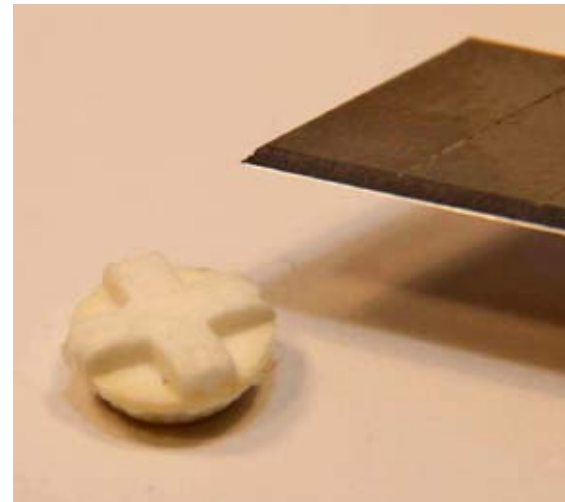
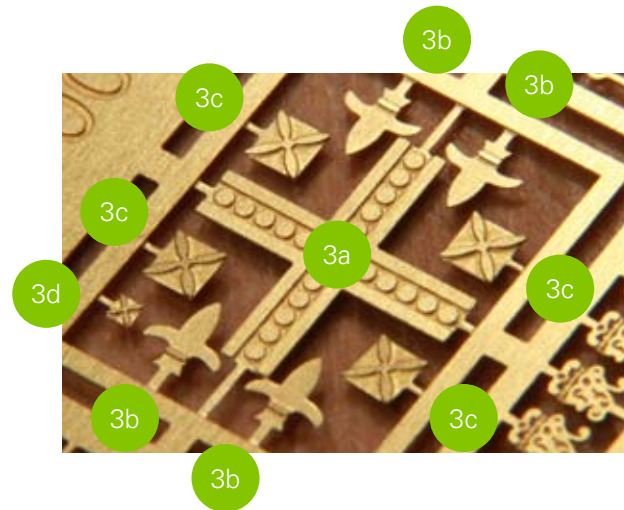




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Kronen Gallionsfigur



Crown of the figure head:
Take of the pearls of the arms of the plastic crown provided by the kit. Use the plastic part as a template and bend the new brass arms over it.

After the brass arms are bend, cut off these plastic arms and hollow out the inside of the crown, just leaving a thin rim.

Glue the brass arms onto the crown. Fix 1the squares where the arms touch the crown and add the lilies in between (those are bigger now than on this picture of the test shot on the right!)

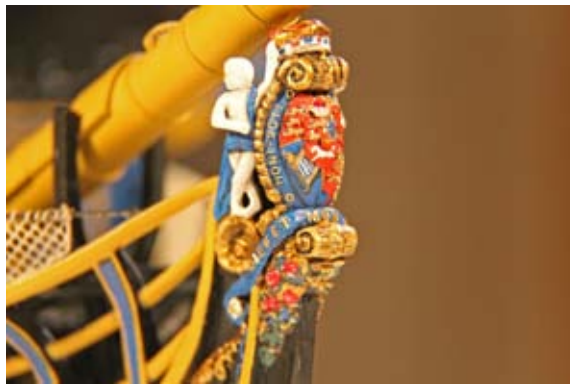




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Figure head



This is how it could look like in the end.



The first symbol in front of the „Hony“ is a buckle, as the claim is written onto a belt/banner.

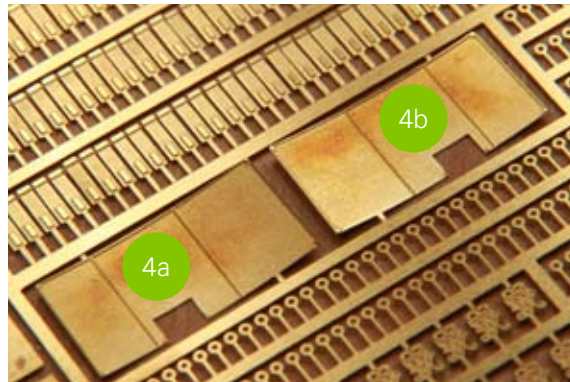


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Flag lockers and chimney

Required parts:

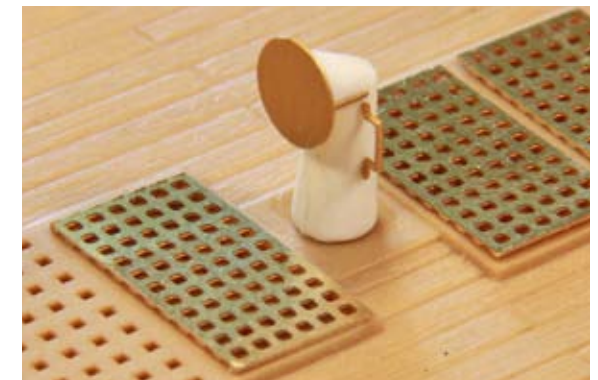


Glue the canvas covers onto the flag locker boxes. Make sure about the orientation of the lockers!

Use a wooden stick to roll down the edges to eliminate gaps .



Chimney of the galley stove: Cut off the arms of the front piece, glue the front onto place and glue the arms to the side separately (Handles are from plate 4, gratings plate 8)

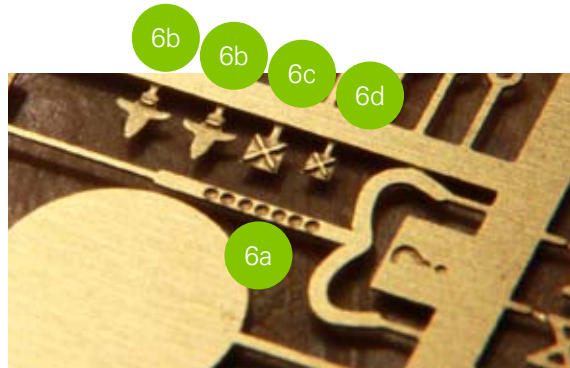




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Crown on the stern



Crown of the stern's coat of arms

Today to be seen is a crown with the feathers of the Prince of Wales. Those were just fixed around 1838, coming from the HMS Prince of Wales broken in the 1820ies.

But what was there before?

One does not know. My personal guess is an normal crown, as displayed today on the side entry port.

If you know another good alternative, do your own one!

Also lions and unicorns could fit :-)



Scratch off the old feathers and reduce the height of the crown's rim.

Bend the middle arm of the crown accordingly, trim to length and glue in place. Place the squares and lilies and the top jewel.

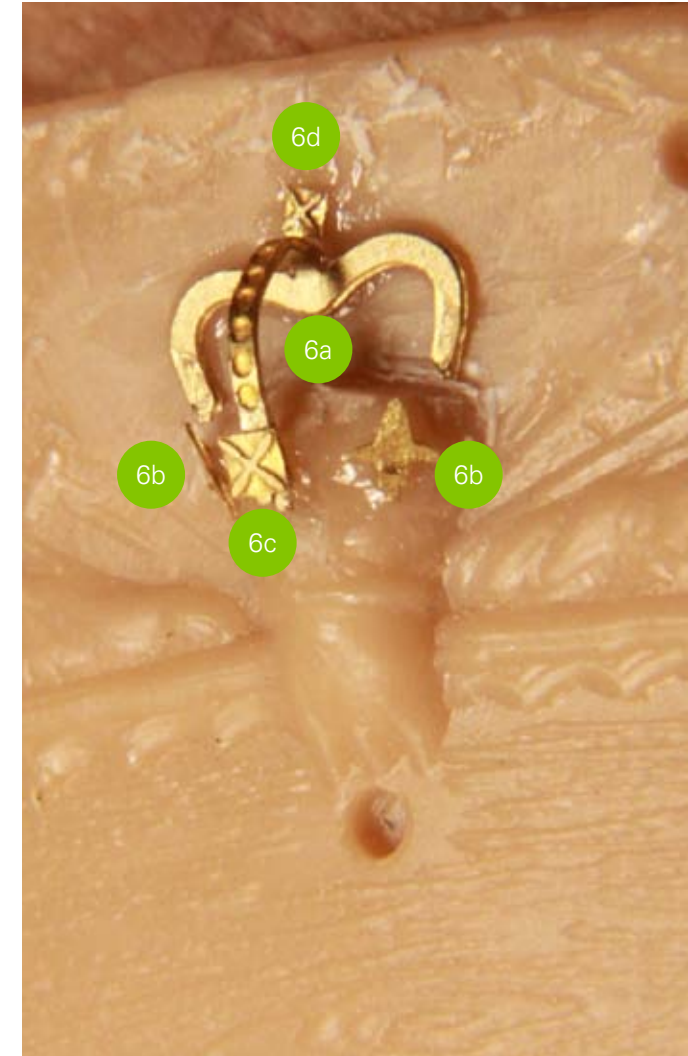
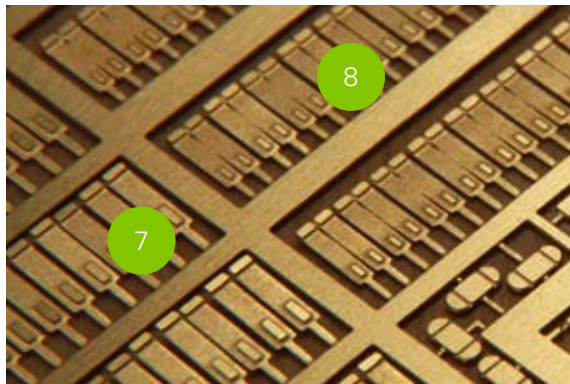




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Flaps for the gun barrels

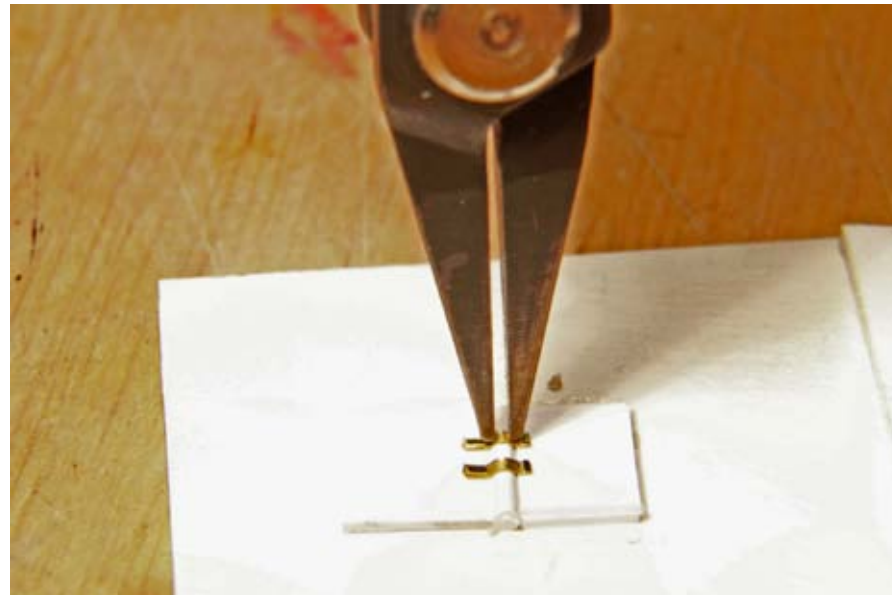


Flaps for the gun barrels

Nr. 7 - big flaps for the guns of 32 and 24 pounds

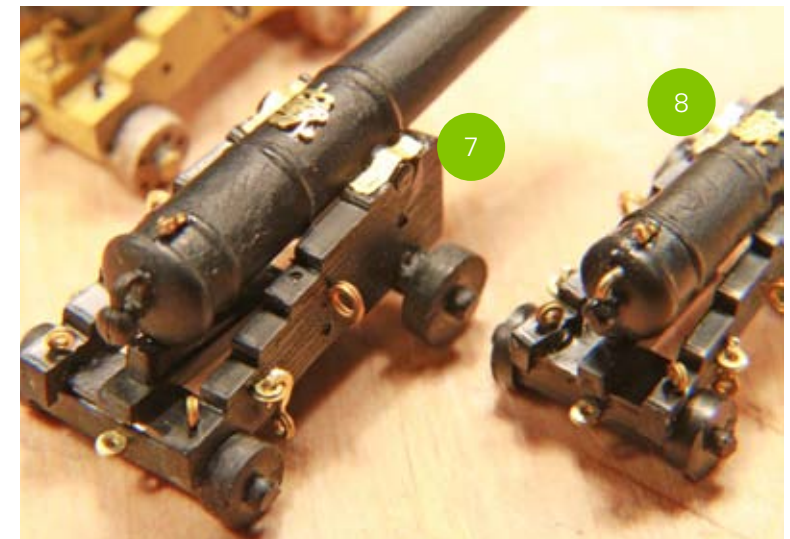
Nr. 8 - small flaps for the guns of 18 pounds and lesser.

The transverse hinge points forwards, the lengthwise hinge locks backwards.



Build a template using some 1,5 mm plastic rod with two 1 mm thick pieces of sheet beside.

Put the flaps onto it and press down gently with a slightly opened pliers and glue in place.

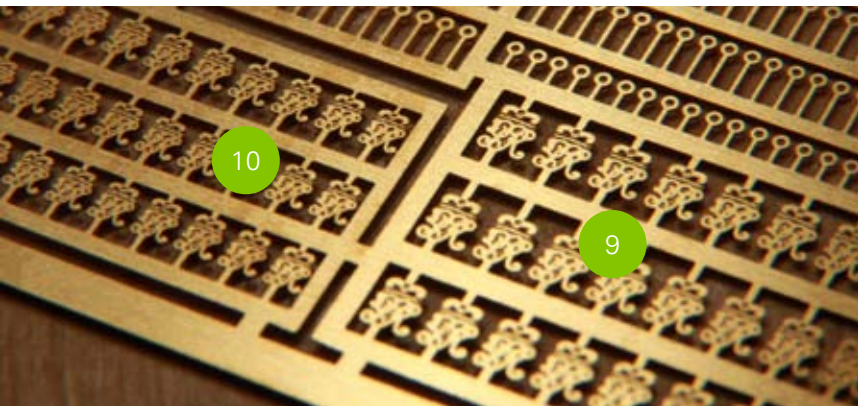




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Gun monograms (1)



Gun monograms for the barrels

Nr. 9 - big monograms for the guns of 32 and 24 pounds

Nr. 10 - small monograms for the guns of 18 pounds and lesser.





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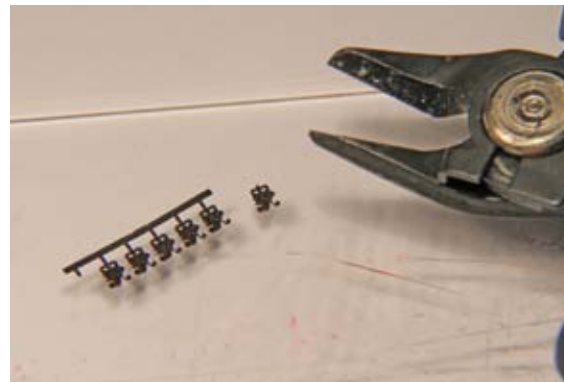
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Gun monograms (2)

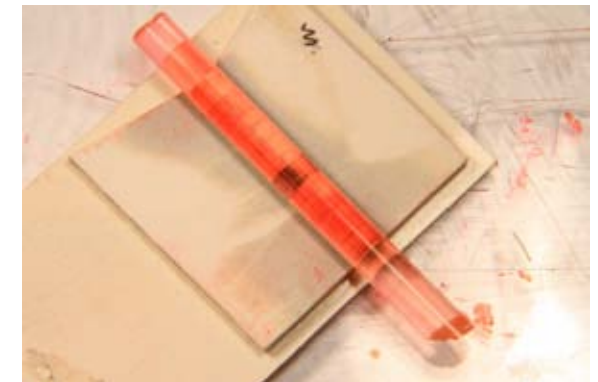
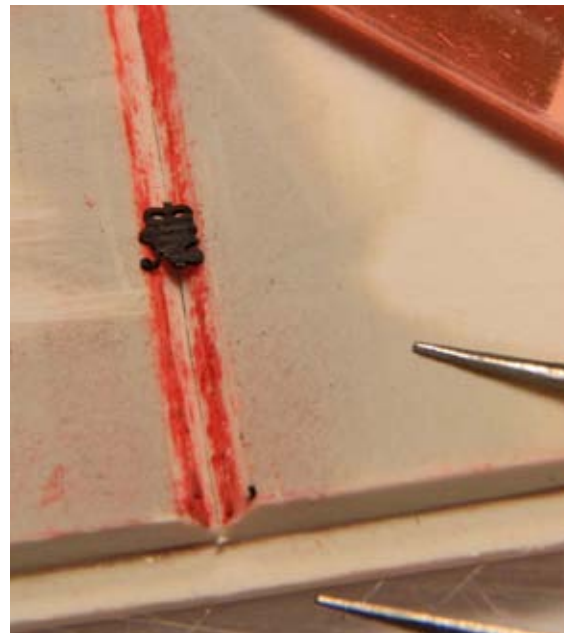
Preparation of the template: Two pieces of sheet of 2 mm are to be provided with a 45° chamfer and glued together.



Blacken the monograms before assembly to avoid shiny holes in the paint.



Place the monogram over the gap ...



... and use something round of appropriate diameter to press it down.



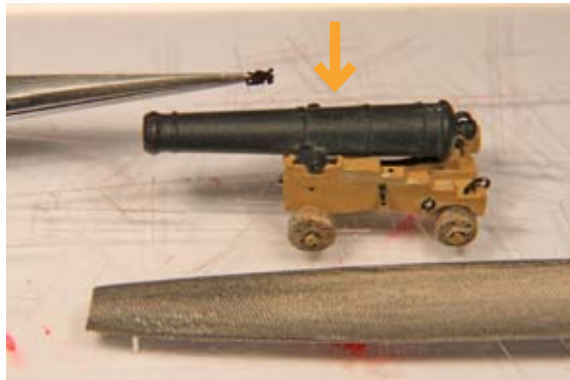


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Gun monograms (3)

A small touch with the file to create a small gap for the glue ...



... a tiny drop of CA into this hole ...



... place the monogram...



... apply the paint ...



... and apply a lighter brushing to modulate structure if wanted.

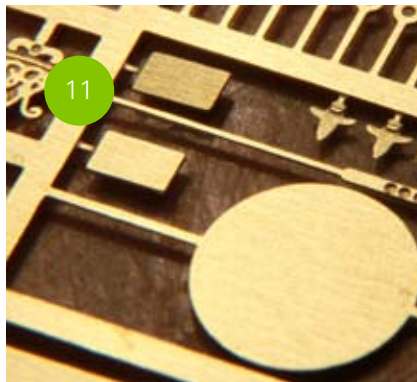




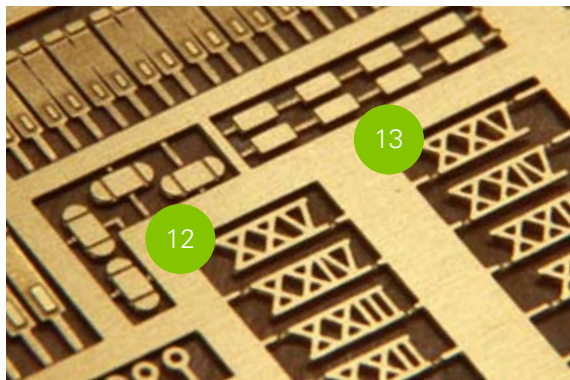
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Carriage of the carronade

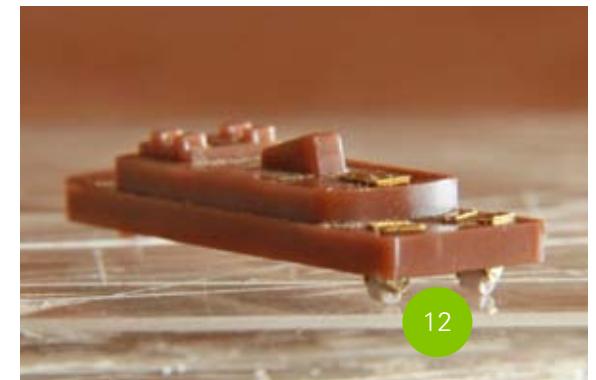


For the two carronades there is the spindle plate and the parts for the wheels.
(The screw to adjust the height is on plate 6)



The spindle plate 11 needs to be positioned in the middle of the top part of the carriage. The 4 counter parts 13 of the wheels are on the lower part and follow a circular angle.

Take off the provided plastic „wheelbar“. Bend the wheel holders 12 on the provided lines and glue in place. Use some 1 mm rod to form the wheels.





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Ships name



Scratch off the provided ships name ...

... use the template and a pen to mark the position and remove the template.

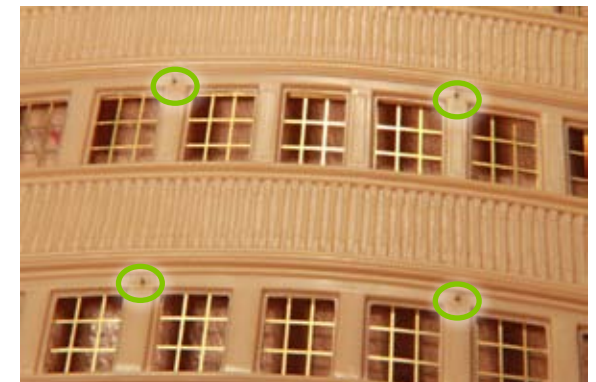
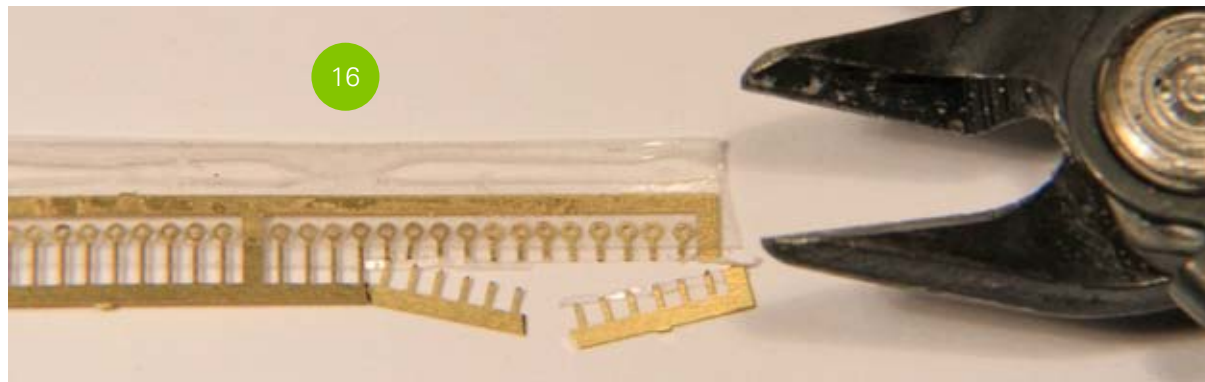
Use little CA to fix and apply more CA with a tooth pick for permanent fixing.



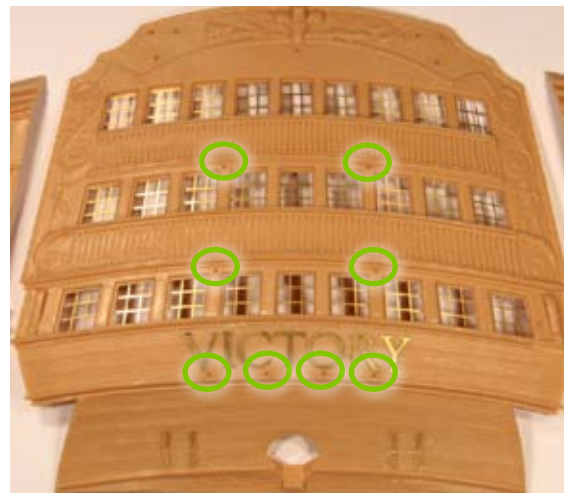


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Eyebolts on the stern



At last distribute 8 eyebolts on the stern. Secure them with Sellotape and get them out with fine electro pliers. Those give better control than tweezers against unwanted desertion.



The fitting for the gun port lids parts of plate 6.