PLOW
10-INCH

OWNER'S MANUAL

SERIES NO. PP-51
MODEL NO. PP-510

- Assembly
- Installation
- Operation
- Repair Parts

THIS IMPLEMENT FOR USE WITH GARDEN TRACTORS EQUIPPED WITH SLEEVE HITCH. ALSO, TIRE CHAINS AND WHEEL WEIGHTS ARE RECOMMENDED.

"IMPORTANT: THIS MANUAL CONTAINS INFORMATION FOR THE SAFETY OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY. READ IT CAREFULLY BEFORE ASSEMBLY AND OPERATION OF THE EQUIPMENT!"

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CONGRATULATIONS on your purchase of this Brinly Implement. It has been designed, engineered, and manufactured to give you the best possible dependability and performance.

Please read and retain this manual. The instructions will enable you to assemble and maintain your Implement properly. Always observe the "SAFETY RULES".

Should the need ever exist for repair parts, order through most any Lawn and Garden dealer, using part number and description.

⚠ RULES FOR SAFE OPERATION

- Know controls and how to stop quickly, READ THE OWNER'S MANUAL.
- Do not allow children to operate the vehicle, do not allow adults to operate without proper instruction and without having read the owner's manual.
- Do not carry passengers. Keep children and pets a safe distance away.
- Always wear substantial footwear. Do not wear loose fitting clothing that can get caught in moving parts.
- Keep your eyes and mind on your tractor/attachment and area being covered. Don't let other interests distract you.
- Stay alert for holes in the terrain and other hidden hazards.

⚠ WARNING !!!

- Plow share and coulter blade edges are sharp!!! Wear gloves when handling.
- Always LIFT the plow before turning!!
- Lock Tractor Lift Handle down when installing or removing plow!

⚠ LOOK FOR THIS SYMBOL TO POINT OUT IMPORTANT SAFETY PRECAUTIONS. IT MEANS - ATTENTION! BECOME ALERT! YOUR SAFETY IS INVOLVED.

CUSTOMER RESPONSIBILITIES

- Read and observe the "SAFETY RULES".
- Follow a regular schedule in maintaining, caring for and using your Plow.

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Z-1216-C HARDWARE BAG

NOTE:

- IT IS RECOMMENDED THAT YOU CAREFULLY READ THIS OWNER'S MANUAL BEFORE STARTING ASSEMBLY OF THE UNIT.
- Before starting assembly, arrange each kind of hardware into a group to ease assembly.
- Right hand (R.H.) and left hand (L.H.) are determined from the OPERATOR'S position while seated on the tractor.

PLOW FRAME

Refer to Fig. 1

NOTE: Securely tighten all fasteners ONLY after Plow assembly has been completed, unless noted otherwise.
- Assemble the two adjusting brackets to the inside of both beams using one 1/2" x 1-3/4" hex bolt and one 1/2" hex lock nut.
- Slip trunnion through the hole in each adjusting bracket and insert crank through the hole in "SIDE" of trunnion, through spacer, the two 5/8" jam nuts, and then thread into the threaded tube.
- Thread one jam nut against the spacer just enough to eliminate any excessive movement of the crank against the trunnion, taking care NOT to bind crank.
- Using two wrenches, lock the other jam nut against the first.
- Before assembling the hitch bracket BETWEEN both beams refer to the chart and measure the distance BETWEEN the rear wheels on your tractor for the proper position of the bracket.

Distance Between Rear Tractor Wheels (inches) | Use Hole #
---|---
16-19 | 1R
19-21 | 2L
21-23 | 3L
Over 23 | 3L

TABLE 1

- Secure with two 5/8" x 2" hex bolts and 5/8" hex lock nuts.

Tools Required For Assembly:
- 1- 10" Adjustable Wrench
- 1- 15/16" Wrench
- 1- 13/16" Wrench
- 1- 3/4" Wrench
- 1- Pair of pliers
- 1- 1/2" Wrench
- 1-9/16" Wrench
- 1- Pair Gloves
PLLOW BOTTOM AND STANDARD
Refer to Fig. 2
- Assemble the landside to frog using two 3/8" x 1" plow bolts and 3/8" hex nuts.
- Attach standard to frog using 1/2" x 2" plow bolt and 1/2" hex nut as shown.
- Insert the 1/2" x 1-1/2" carriage bolt through frog and standard and secure with a 1/2" hex nut.
- Insert one 1/2" x 1-1/2" Hex Bolt (Tracking Adjusting Bolt) through the "tab" at the bottom of standard. Place the 1/2" Square nut between the "Tab" and Frog, and thread the Tracking Adjusting Bolt into the square nut until tight.
- Tighten all fasteners securely.

PLLOW FRAME AND BOTTOM (Refer to Fig. 3)
- Straddle the beams over standard and fasten together at the LOWER hole in the standard with one 1/2" x 1-3/4" bolt and 1/2" hex lock nut.
- Attach end of threaded tube to side of standard at the UPPER hole with a 1/2" x 1-1/2" hex bolt followed by the 1/2" flat washer, then place the 9/16" spacer in the hole in standard and secure this assembly with one 1/2" hex lock nut.
- Tighten these fasteners so that the threaded tube is free to pivot.

COULTER BLADE (Refer to Fig. 4)
- Insert coulter standard into fork, align the holes and drive the 5/16" x 1-1/4" pin through, leaving an equal amount of pin on each side.
- Attach the coulter hub to the coulter blade using three 5/16" x 3/4" carriage bolts, 5/16" flat washers, and 5/16" lock nuts.
- Install the coulter blade on the fork by inserting the axle through the coulter hub, and other leg of fork. Secure with the two 5/8" flat washers and 1/8" x 1-1/4" cotter pin, bend the legs over.
- Attach the coulter assembly to the plow beam as shown, using the "U" bolt, coulter clamp, two spacers (locate BETWEEN the plow beams), and secure with two 5/8" hex nuts.
- Position the coulter standard between the "U" bolt and coulter clamp and move up to the highest position.
- Refer to the coulter adjustment section for proper setting, to be adjusted AFTER you begin plowing.

WARNING
- The "Attachment Clutch" Switch on dash of Tractor (device that engages Tractor Mower) needs to be ENGAGED at all times while operating Tractor. This actuates the Operators Sensing Device in the Tractor seat —Tractor Engine will stop in case you dismount or fall off Tractor. Failure to actuate this device can cause personal injury or damage to your Tractor and Property if you were to fall off. SWITCH MUST BE DISENGAGED IN ORDER TO RESTART ENGINE!
PREADJUSTMENT (Refer to Fig. 5 and 6)
Note: During normal plowing, the right side Tractor Wheels will be riding in the previously plowed furrow. A furrow is the cut area your plow makes when turning the soil. An initial setting for your plow is required to cut the first furrow on level ground. The following pre-sets will result in an approximate 5" to 6" plowing depth.
- Remove Stabilizer Bolts and Nuts from Sleeve Hitch. The plow must be free to move side to side on Hitch.
- Lower your Tractor Lift Handle and lock in Lowered Position. You may need to Lower the "Attachment Depth Control" on your Tractor to do this.
- Mount the Plow to the Sleeve Hitch with the Hitch Pin furnished with the Hitch. Refer to Figure 1 and Table 1 to select the proper mounting hole.
- Adjust Lift Spring Tension on Hitch as required, see Hitch Manual for instructions.
- Adjust the Depth Crank of Plow until Point of Plow Share is on the ground and the rear of Plow Landside is approximately 1" off the ground. (Refer to Figure 5)
Note: The Plow will appear to be angled to left. This will allow the Plow to run level when the Right Hand Tractor Wheels are in the plowed furrow.

- Adjust the Plow Coulter to its highest position.
- Go and make your first two furrows as described in the diagram (X to A and turn B to C). Make sure the Tractor Lift Handle is Lowered and Locked into the down position. Plow in Third Gear and near Full Throttle. Raise the Plow to the Transport Position when turning.
- If your Plow is not plowing at 4" to 5" deep on your initial two passes, adjust the Plow Depth Crank by turning it clockwise (→) to go deeper or counterclockwise (←) to go shallower. (See Fig. 8) Make this adjustment ONE TURN at a time until desired depth is obtained.
Note: The rest of the furrows will be made with the Tractor Tires in the previously cut furrows; therefore, the Pitch (Depth) of the Plow must be readjusted to a 5" to 6" plowing depth.
- Position your Tractor with the inside of the Right (Side) wheels against the side of the previously plowed furrow.
- Start plowing for a short distance and check the depth of the furrow. Adjust the Depth Crank Clockwise or Counter-Clockwise ONE turn at a time and retry until the 5" to 6" depth is obtained.
- After plowing depth is set with plow in furrow, stop the Tractor and measure the distance from the centerline of the Plow Coulter Axle Bolt — it should be about 2" above the ground. If it is not, raise the Plow out of the ground and adjust the Coulter up or down to obtain this dimension. Be sure to adjust side motion at this time. (See Coulter Adjustment page 8)

TRACKING ADJUSTMENT (OPTIONAL)
Standard and turning the Tracking Adjustment Bolt Clockwise (→) two turns. Retighten Hex Nuts securely. Repeat Adjustment as necessary until plow pulls straight at 10" from the adjacent plowed swath.
PLOWING TIPS

- High weeds or grass must be cut down with a rotary mower before plowing.
- NEVER plow when soil is wet. A rule of thumb is to pick up a handful of soil and roll it into a "ball". If soil does not crumble, it is too wet. If the soil is too dry, it may be difficult for the plow to penetrate properly.
- Avoid low areas, old roadways, paths, and other places where soil is overly packed.
- Expect to have some difficulty plowing thick sod. However, by using the proper settings for Coulter, Hitch, and Crank, you should be able to do a good job under most conditions.
- Do not tighten Stabilizer Bolts, the plow must be free to sway from side to side. (Refer to your Hitch Manual)
- Your 10" Plow will generally work best at a depth of 5 to 6 inches.
- Lay out your field to be plowed, and if possible make it rectangular in shape.
- Note: It is easier to plow a few long furrows than many short ones. Leave some room at each end of the field for turning your tractor.
- ALWAYS LIFT THE PLOW BEFORE TURNING!!!
- Do not plow too fast! Move steadily along so that the earth will turn over and not fall back into the furrow. In most soils, this is done at FULL THROTTLE in Third Gear.
- Note: If Plowing Speed changes, it may be necessary to re-adjust the Depth Crank to maintain desired plowing depth.
- In light soils, plowing may often be done in a higher Gear, but if you travel too fast, the furrows will be uneven and the dirt is apt to be thrown rather than rolled over.

TRACTION

- Wheel weights are required under most plowing conditions.
- Tire Chains or Rear Chevron Tires (Agricultural Tires) are also recommended with the Plow.
- When plowing heavy clay soil or sod, it will help to reduce the width of the plow cut. This can be accomplished by hitching the plow one or two holes to the LEFT of the recommended setting, (Refer to Fig. 1).

ADJUSTMENTS

COULTER ADJUSTMENT

Refer to Fig. 7

- The coulter should be adjusted to slice 2" to 3" deep when plow is in the ground. Make this adjustment by loosening the two hex nuts which secure the "U" bolt and then move the coulter assembly standard up or down as required.
- Rotate the coulter assembly to the LEFT so that the drive pin located in the standard prevents the coulter from swinging into the plow beam or bottom, now tighten the two hex nuts. When properly adjusted, the coulter will be free to swing OUTWARD a limited amount only, to the LEFT of the beam.
- Note: In extremely hard soil, the coulter may actually prevent the plow from penetrating the surface. Should this situation occur, raise, or remove the coulter entirely.
DEPTH ADJUSTMENT

Refer to Fig. 8

- To turn the plow share into the ground to open the "first" furrow, adjust the point downward until the plow is cutting 4" to 5" deep.
- After a few furrows, (or desired depth is reached) turn the crank COUNTER-CLOCKWISE to maintain that depth. Do not allow landside to ride more than 1/2" off bottom of furrow as this will cause excessive wear on bottom of share resulting in poor soil penetration and loss of landside support.

TRACKING ADJUSTMENT

Refer to Fig. 9

NOTE:

For most plowing conditions, the landside will be properly adjusted (from Fig. 2 assembly), enabling the plow bottom to react like a rudder while ground engaged. But if the tip of the plow share is too far LEFT of the beam, the plow will tend to overcut and leave a ragged furrow wall. This condition can be readily corrected by making the following adjustment.

- Loosen both 1/2" hex nuts securing plow bottom to the standard and then turn the Tracking Adjusting Bolt CLOCK-WISE two turns. Retighten hex nuts securely. Repeat adjustment as necessary until plow pulls straight behind tractor and is plowing 8" to 10" wide.

MAINTENANCE

- The Moldboard should (after initial "scouring") be kept in a smooth, polished condition. Fine sandpaper, steel wool, kerosene, naptha, etc. may be used to restore the finish on a rusty Moldboard.
- The Coulter-Blade edge should be relatively sharp. If sharpening is necessary, use a flat file.
- Every 4 hours lubricate the Coulter Hub bearing surface through the grease fitting.
- For smooth operation and to prohibit the formation of rust on the crank, keep a light coating of oil on threads.

Note: When lubricating bearing, it is recommended that you use multipurpose grease.
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<td>Clean bottom with rag soaked in turpentine, or mineral spirits.</td>
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