

THE VALOR SHIELD IS A GUARANTEE OF QUALITY COMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS for the erection, operation and care of your ALL-BRITISH MADE


No. 12K CONVECTOR HEATER COMPLETE WITH FILLER CAN AND WICK CLEANER

FOR USE WITH PARAFFIN (KEROSINE) ONIY.

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Carefully read these directions and keep for future reference.
Unpacking, Examination for Damage, and Assembly.


The front panel is lifted to remove. To refit, place squarely against the casing and lower so that the catches engage. The handle is fitted on the inside for transit. Remove and refit to outside of front. The casing contains the fount (reservoir) (No. 7110), Filler Can (No. 7108), ChimneyCone Unit (No.7121) and Wick Cleaner (No. 7120) at back. Assemble as illustrated.

This Heater was in perfect order when it left the factory. Carefully examine the stove and particularly the cone, burner parts and fount for damage. Test for leakage by filling fount in an outhouse or yard. In the case of damage or complaint return the stove with inspection label to the dealer from whom it was purchased. Do not use it.

The fount (paraffin (kerosine)
 container) is removed from the casing by pulling the whole assembly forward; when replaced push it right to the back of the casing. The Chimney Cone Unit (No. 7121) with Cone (No. 7124) is removed as one unit by twisting it in an anti-clockwise direction and lifting it off. When replaced make sure that it is properly locked.


The Flame Spreader (No. 7112) is lifted directly out of the wick tube. When replaced push it down on to its seating. Handle it carefully and if worn, damaged or distorted always fit a new No. 7112 Spreader before using the Heater.


The Gallery (No. 7123) unscrews off. When replaced screw it right down home. Whenever burner parts have been removed see that they are undamaged and properly replaced.

The Valor Convector Heater can be placed against a wall or between existing furniture. Avoid a site which is exposed to draughts.

## TO FILL

Fill the Can (No. 7108 ) with clean paraffin only (kerosine) as recommended. Never use dope, salts etc. The filler can
 cap must be screwed down airtight for the can to operate properly.

To fill or refill the fount (No. 7110), unscrew its cap (7117). Rest the filler can on the floor as illustrated and tilt it over until the
spout enters the filler hole.
Lift the can (7108) and empty the contents into the fount.

The filler can will stop pouring as soon as the fount is full. Tilt the filler can back on the floor before removing. Refit cap (7117). The fount can be refilled without extinguishing the Heater.


## TO LIGHT

Unlock and remove chimney. Expose about $\frac{1^{\prime \prime}}{8}$ of wick, apply a light and replace chimney. See that this is upright and then properly locked. When the flame has encircled the wick, adjust slowly to normal flame. Allow the burner to warm up before using maximum flame.

Turn the burner flame OUT before moving.


ILLUSTRATION OF NORMAL FLAME (appearance as viewed through chimney mica)

Flame Sizes and Appearance.

The normal and maximum flames are shown in the illustrations and are allblue in colour. If the wick is turned too low the flame may
change to a yellow colour. If the maximum flame is exceeded yellow spikes will appear above the blue. On no account must the flame show yellow colour nor the maxi-

nor the maxi- ILLUSTRATION OF MAXIMUM FLAME mum flame be exceeded, otherwise the burner may smoke. Never turn the wick against or above the top of the burner cone (No. 7124).

To Extinguish
Turn the wick right down and leave it so.

## Cleaning Wick

The efficiency of the burner depends largely on the top burning part of the wick having a smooth and rounded surface as shown in the illustration, This can only be obtained by gently using the Wick Cleaner (No. 7120) provided. The wich should be treated with great care and not cleaned unnecessarily. Once a week at most. Cleaning is needed when the flame becomes uneven, flecked with yellow spikes or is prone to change from blue to yellow colour.
FUEL CONSUMPTION- 38 HOURS PER GALLON.


To Clean Wick. Firstly, remove the Flame Spreader (No.7112). Insert the Wick Cleaner (No. 7120) the right way up in the centre tube and turn the wick up until it presses gently against the wick cleaner.
Gently twist the wick cleaner round in a clockwise direction to remove loose char and form the top to the correct rounded shape. Do not roughen or fray the wick. Blow or wipe away any pieces of loose char, removing any falling into the wick tube flame spreader recess, by means of a needle. Remove gallery and clean. Replace galiery and flame preader, clean and undamaged. If your wick has burned dry fill your fount with paraffin (kerosine) and allow wick to suak before cleaning.

## Uneven Wick

Should the wick be so uneven that the ordinary cleaning treatment will not produce a good blue flame the wick should be "charred." Proceed as follows.

Empty the fount, light the burner as usual. adjust to normal flame, and allow the wick to burn right out. Do this in an outbuilding for there may be odour. Refill the fount, allow the wick to soak for ten minutes and then proceed as directed to clean wick. Sometimes it may be necessary to fit a new No. 33 Valor Wick.

## To Fit New Wick

When the wick has burnt down and will not turn up sufficiently or has been seriously damaged, or contaminated, it must be renewed. Use only a genuine No. 33 Valor Wick and fit according to the instructions printed on the wick carton.

## Cleaning Burner Parts

This should only become necessary after a considerable period of use. Clean very carefully and if any parts are damaged or worn, always renew them before using the Heater again.

## IMPORTANT

1. Keep your paraffin (kerosine) in a clean can, drum, or cabinet and avoid contamination with water. If water is allowed to remain in your fount (reservoir) (No. 7110) or filler can (No. 7108), it will cause corrosion and leakage.
2. Do not overfill fount. Wipe up any spilt paraffin (kerosine) and keep the Heater casing clean.
3. The Vitreous Enamelled Wire Grille No. 7154 may be cleaned with a cloth moistened with soapy water. Wipe dry. 4. Drain the fount periodically, and always at the end of the heating season. When the Heater will not be required for a long period, drain the fount and store it in a dry_place. This will safeguard against corrosion. To drain, unscrew the small drain cap on the rear corner of the fount top.
4. The Valor Heater is ideal for steady background heating of domestic halls, lounges, small flats, etc.
5. Place the heater in a safe position where it cannot be readily knocked over, preferably against a wall, using hooks provided.
6. Keep room properly ventilated, as Heater will not burn satisfactorily in a close or stuffy atmosphere.
7. Do not obstruct grille. Dust Casing and Burner.

## REPAIR PARTS

Only genuine Valor made parts will give satisfaction. When ordering new parts be sure to state the part number and specify the Model No. 12D, giving a brief description of the part required.

| PART <br> NO. | NAME OF PART |
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| for Valor No. 12K Convector Heater |  |

