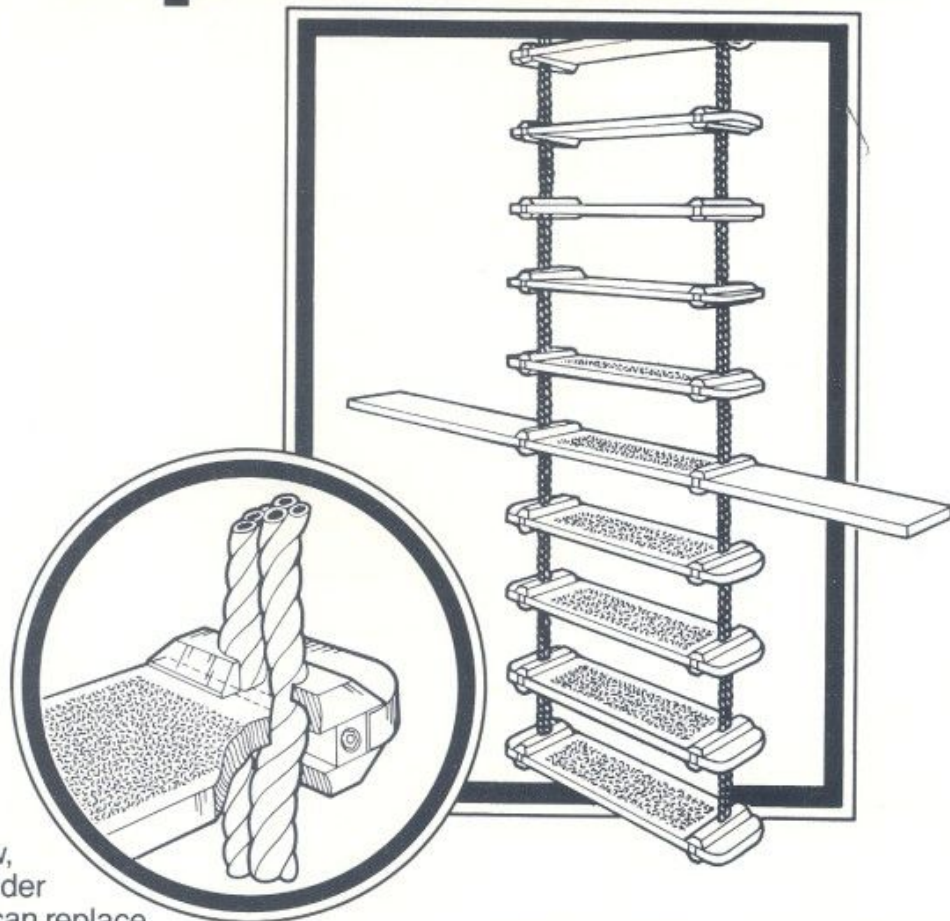


# A.L. Don introduces the 'Next Step' in pilot ladders.



A.L. Don proudly introduces its new, improved pilot ladder —with steps you can replace quickly and easily, **right on board your own vessel.**

A specially designed mechanical clamp holds each step in place. So there's **no need to unstring** the ladder.

#### **No special tools required.**

The A.L. Don Pilot ladder carries a **U.S. Coast Guard** approval and meets or exceeds all **SOLAS** regulations and **IMO** standards with features like a newly designed, non-skid surface... Steps painted international safety orange... Synthetic polypro-dacron suspension ropes with a white outer jacket and orange inner safety core... and bottom steps molded from a synthetic that can easily withstand loads of over 700 pounds with *less than 3/4"* of deflection.

The new A.L. Don pilot ladder is pending a patent; available from coast-to-coast... and, best of all, we offer

these innovations at **prices far lower** than those of our competitors.

A.L. Don Company also manufactures and markets a full line of Jacobs ladders, oars, fids, mallets, hatch boards, boat pulls and many other marine wood products.

**Your next step** is to send for the free technical literature to help you select the pilot ladder that's right for your vessel. To receive this information, just circle the reader service number. Or write or call us today.

#### **Headquarters:**

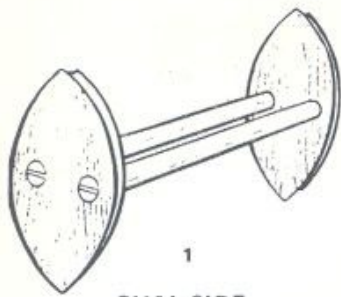
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**1**  
**OVAL SIDE  
JACOB'S LADDER STEPS**

Sides: 9" x 5" x 1-3/16"  
Rungs: 1-1/4" diameter  
Steps are 18" long overall



**5**  
**HAND FIDS**

6" x 1-3/8"	16" x 2"
8" x 1-1/2"	18" x 2"
10" x 1-1/2"	18" x 3"
12" x 1-3/4"	20" x 2-1/4"
14" x 1-3/4"	24" x 3"



**6**  
**STANDING FIDS**

24" x 4"  
30" x 4"  
36" x 6"

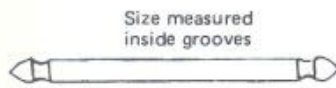


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**BOATSWAINS  
SEATS/CHAIRS**

Cleats fastened to underside for added strength. Bored with 1" holes for rigging.

SIZE: 8" x 24"  
10" x 24"

Chairs rigged, ready for use



Size measured  
inside grooves

**2**

Ash or Oak

**LADDER RUNGS**

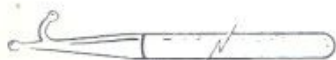
1-1/4" x 12"	1-3/8" x 16"
1-1/4" x 14"	1-3/8" x 18"



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**BOAT OARS**

Ash  
8 ft. to 16 ft.



**3**

**BOAT POLES**

Ash or Oak

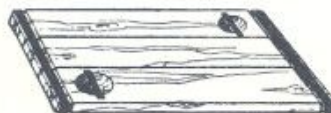
1-3/8" dia. x 8 ft. thru 16 ft. long  
with or without galvanized sharp or  
ball point hook



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**PYROTECHNIC CHESTS**

Constructed of 1/8" steel plate,  
welded, wood lined. Inside dimen-  
sions 24" long, 24" wide, 19" deep.  
Approximately 6-1/3 cubic feet.  
Chest primed with zinc chromate  
and finished with one coat of gray  
deck paint.



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**HATCH BOARDS**

Constructed with welded steel end  
bands and thru bolts.

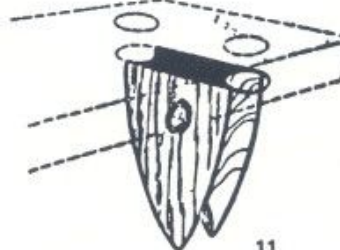
Specify length, width, thickness.



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**WOOD PLUGS**

For scuppers, cargo hose, etc.  
Specify top & bottom diameters.

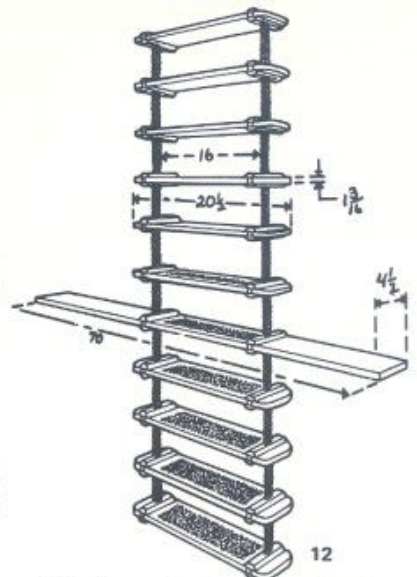


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**HEARTS FOR  
FLAT STEPS**

SIZE: 2" wide, 2-3/4" long,  
1-3/16" thick

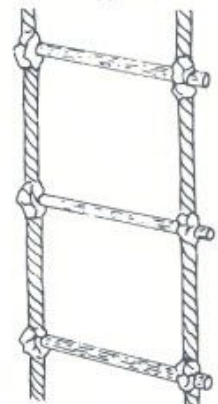
Grooved to match holes in 4-1/2"  
flat ladder steps



**U.S.C.G. APPROVED  
SOLAS REGULATION  
PILOT LADDER**

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U.S. Coast Guard approved and  
manufactured to meet or exceed all  
SOLAS regulations and IMO stan-  
dards. Steps are painted interna-  
tional safety orange, with special  
non-skid surface. Bottom steps are  
molded from a synthetic that can  
easily withstand over 700 lbs. with  
less than 3/4" deflection. Ropes are  
polypro-dacron with white outer  
jacket and safety orange core. Spe-  
cial patent pending design makes  
this the only Pilot Ladder with steps  
completely replaceable without re-  
stricting the entire ladder and will  
withstand the impact of pilot boat  
against the hull. All wood parts are  
branded with manufacturer's name  
and U.S.C.G. approval.



**13**

**ROUND RUNG  
LADDER**

ROUND RUNGS: 1-1/4" x 14"  
5/8" dia. manila rope  
Length as required

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CHAIN LADDERS

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ALL TYPES  
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