WAGON STRAPPING/IRONWORK

- This etch includes lengths of strapping/ironwork for wooden bodied wagons.
- There were numerous designs of wooden bodied wagons, with minor dimensional differences.
- Parts are provided for the vertical and diagonal strapping, the short length in the middle of the wagon door to protect the wood against the door bangers attached to the solebars, short 'T' shaped sections and corner plates.
- The latter are the large rectangles which have a 'V' shape at the top and bottom of each part. The apex of the 'V' indicates the centre of the rectangle of strapping and can be used to scribe the centre-line of strapping on the reverse side. Once the part has been marked and removed from the etch, the tabs should be filed down to the apex of the 'V' at each end to leave a rectangle which can be folded to a right angle along the scribed line.
- The parts may be affixed with solder, epoxy resin or superglue depending on the material used for your wagon body.

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