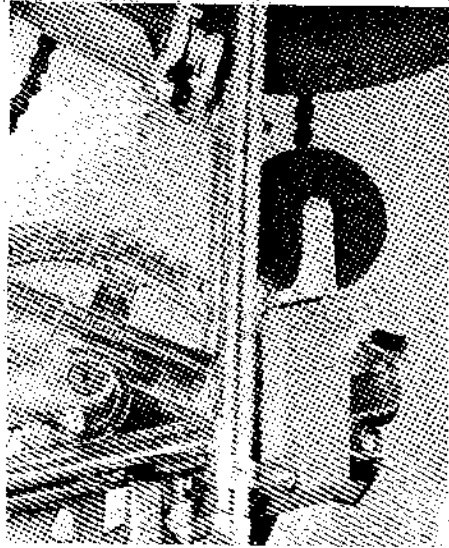




16. Retract caster wheel by stepping down on metal actuator.



17. Caution: Failure to retract caster wheel or hitting it against a hard object can result in damage to this part!

After DAHON Folder is fully unfolded, it is necessary to adjust the height of the seat posts and handlebar stem to fit the individual rider. This bike can be adjusted to any rider with an inner leg length of 25 inches to 35 inches (approximately 4½ to 6½ feet tall), and can support a rider weighing up to 250 pounds. Remember to always first raise the lower seat post.

Warning: Both of the seat posts and the handlebar post have safety marks indicating maximum height adjustments. Never extend these posts past this level.

3.2 Folding

To fold DAHON Folder, you may use in reverse basically the same method as unfolding. There are, however, a few additional steps. Outlined hereafter is an easy way to fold the Hon Convertible.

1. Rotate left crank to vertical position, unlatch the right crank and flip it up into its folded position.

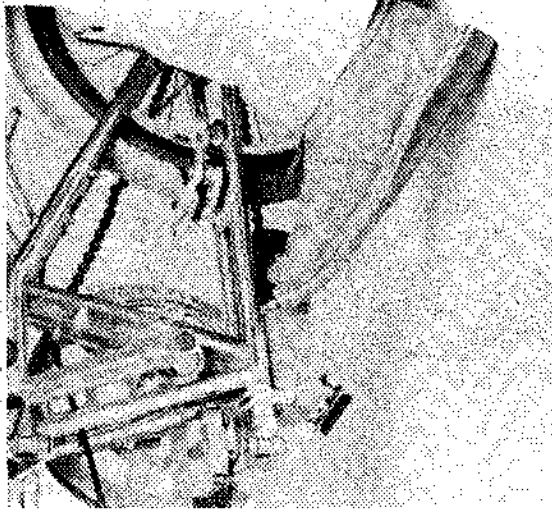


Fig. 1

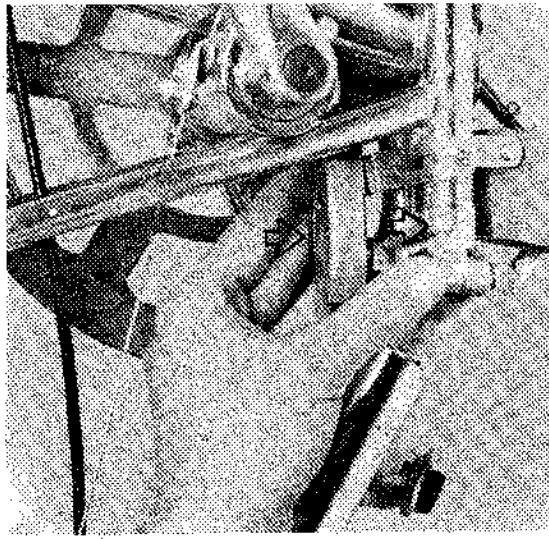


Fig. 2

2. Release the handlebar clamp and lower the handlebar completely.
3. Pull up on handlebar pin and disengage the handlebar from the brace.
4. Raise the brace to a vertical position.
5. Flip down the handlebar and turn the wheel to the left until stopped by the bicycle frame.
6. Step down on the caster wheel as shown (Fig. 3).
7. Depress the safety spring hook as you pull out and unlock the mid-frame latch (Fig. 2). Partially fold bicycle so it rests on all three wheels. (Note: If you do not depress the safety spring hook sufficiently, the mid-frame latch cannot be unlocked.)
8. Rotate the front end of the bike inwards in a 180 degree arc and fold the bicycle in half. (Caution: Failure to turn the wheel all the way to the left before doing step 8 can result in damage to the handlebar system.)

DAHON Folder is now in its pushing mode. If you wish to carry it by hand, simply release the seat post clamp and push down the seat, lift the bike to a standing position, and retract the caster wheel.