

# Ranch, Sandia, El Paso, or Mission Bed Assembly Instructions

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## Tools needed for assembly

A phillips screwdriver  
Rubber mallet or hammer w/block (included)  
Optional: one friend

## Bed parts list

2 short legs  
2 long bed legs-headboard  
2 crosspieces, w/ small holes  
2 crosspieces w/ large holes or slots  
(for headboard dowels or slats)  
2 side rails with ledgers  
1/2" dowels or slats  
1-center support  
1 strapped slat roll  
4-5/8" shoulder screws  
4- 5/16" X 1" wood pins (ledgers)  
2-1" screws (slats)

## Xtra Bed Footboard

If ordered, 2-long leg replace short leg  
1-additional crosspiece

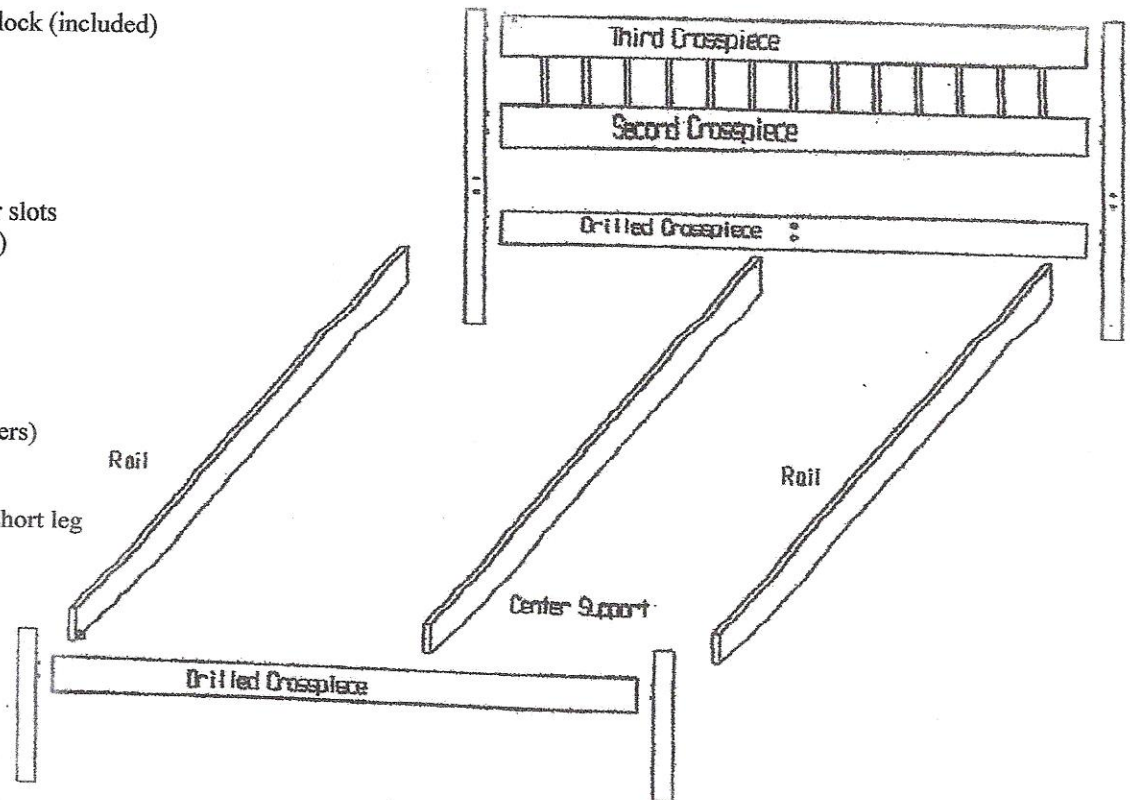
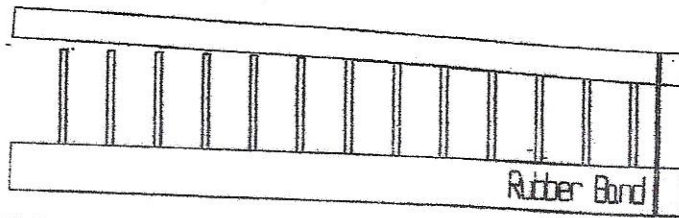


Illustration A

## Headboard Assembly (Illustration B-page 2)

1. If possible go to web site and review slides at [NOMADFURNITURE.COM/BED-ASSEMBLY-GALLERY/](http://NOMADFURNITURE.COM/BED-ASSEMBLY-GALLERY/)
  2. Identify all pieces before beginning. Lay out parts as shown.
  3. **Note:** To protect the wood only use a hammer with the wood block (in shipping box) as a pad to tap down parts. Or a rubber mallet works nicely with a baggie over the mallet (no black marks on wood). See **Caution Sheet**.
  4. Prop up third crosspiece so holes or slots are on top and connectors are on ends open up.
  5. Insert dowels or slats into the crosspiece. For the El Paso put the shortest dowels in the end holes.
  6. Hold the second crosspiece with the holes or slots facing down over the dowels/slats.
  7. Starting at the right end, insert the first dowel/slat at a time until all dowels/slats are inserted. Slip rubber band over right end to hold the crosspieces, see Illustration B.
  8. Continue from right to left inserting one dowel/slat at a time until all dowels/slats are inserted. Slip second rubber band over left end to hold the crosspieces, thus trapping the dowels/slats.
  9. Turn over completed unit and connect to headboard leg, gently tapping top of headboard assembly down until snug.
- Note:** When connecting rails and crosspieces to legs, rail ends should be pushed down over pins. See our **CAUTION SHEET**. It is important that all connections are tapped down securely or damage may occur to bed.
10. Add lower crosspiece to the same leg and tap down snug.
  11. Cut rubber bands when completely connected.

**Illustration B**



1. **Bed Frame Assembly** (Illustration A- page 1)

2. Assemble footboard as shown. Use **LOWER** shoulder screws for crosspiece.
3. Tap down on crosspieces, making sure all joints are snug.

**Note:** When connecting rails and crosspieces to legs, rail ends should be pushed **down** over shoulder screws. See **Caution Sheet**.

3. Install four 5/8" shoulder screws into predrilled holes on headboard and footboard crosspieces.
4. Attach headboard to footboard (after you assemble the headboard Illustration B) using the two side rails.
5. Attach the center support rail (it will be tight).
6. Tap down rails and center support until snug.

**Note:** It is important that all joints are tapped down completely.

7. Install four 5/16" X 1" wood pins in holes in side rail ledges.
8. Lay out slat roll, strap up, so that end slats overlap pins.

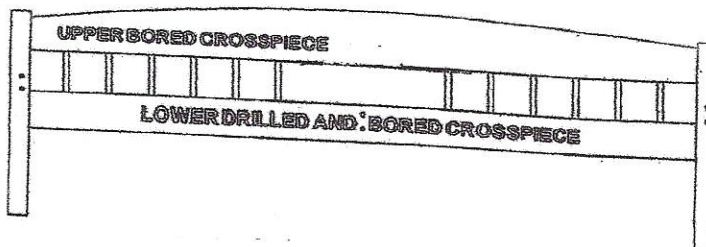
**Important:** Screw center slat tight to side rail ledge using two 1" screws. Make sure the slat is tight against the side rail. Failure to screw down center slat may cause damage to the bed.

**Optional Extra Bed Footboard Instructions** (Illustration C)

1. Layout and identify parts.
2. Important: Check that the crosspiece with shoulder screws holes and holes or slots for dowels/slats are the bottom footboard piece.
3. Assemble unit as in Illustration B.
4. Install footboard as a unit onto legs.

**King Bed Options ONLY**

1. Locate 2 - Y shaped support blocks with screws.
2. After bed is assembled screw Y blocks to middle of center supports using the screws provided.
3. Make sure support block is tight to the center support.



**Illustration C**

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