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The Miniature Railway Supply Co. Ltd was pleased add the Scaleway Signals' range, in the Summer of 2006, to our existing products.

Scaleway Signals has been developed into a diverse range by Joe Nemeth of Severn Beach, Bristol since 1996. The range has been noted for its high quality and superb finish.

The Miniature Railway Supply Co. Ltd, established in 1989, has a large range of products including rail, sleepers, fishplates and bolts, track, points, signs and other accessories to suit most miniature railways from 3 ½" gauge through to 15" gauge.

For more information about **TRACK MATERIALS** please see **www.mrsc.org.uk**

For more information about SIGNALS & WAGONS please see www.scalewaysignals.com

Introduction to Signalling

Since the dawn of the railway age signalling has been an integral part of railway operation. During this time, as the technology available has progressed,

the level of sophistication has changed dramatically. Images of the steam

age railway reveal a vast diversity of signalling equipment from a simple single post signal with a single arm through to gantries spread across many tracks presenting a bewildering array of signals.

Scaleway Signals offer the opportunity to recreate in miniature form the railway signalling scene.

Our signals are built to authentic designs and operate in a practical and realistic manner.

We can provide you with a single item through to a full signalling package to suit a range of gauges and applications.



Home and Distant Signals

An upper quadrant home signal arm set at danger (stop)

A home signal has a red arm with a vertical white stripe towards the left-hand end of the arm. At this signal, the driver would be expected to stop before the signal when set at danger. The reverse side of a home signal is white with a black stripe. Fixed distant

A distant signal has a yellow arm with a chevron at the left end of the arm. A black chevron is painted towards the left-hand end. A distant signal is effectively advanced warning that the next home signal may be set to danger. It can be passed at caution but the driver must expect the next signal to be set at danger. The reverse side of the signal is white with a black chevron.

Sometimes a fixed distant signal (always set at caution) is applicable A lower quadrant distant signal set at caution

signal (always

set at caution)

When approaching the reverse side of a signal the driver disregards that signal.

Reverse side of a lower quadrant home signal



(Signalling Options

Lower Quadrant

Lower quadrant signals were used by GWR and BR (WR). They are available in 1/4 size with a square or round post and in ½ size with a round post.

The wooden square post signals were replaced from the mid 1930s by round metal post signals.

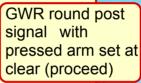
GWR square post signal with wooden arm set at danger

GWR round post signal with corrugated pattern arm set at danger

The GWR used 4 foot arms to denote the main route(s) and 3 foot arms for secondary or lower priority routes.

The **danger** or **caution** aspect is displayed when the signal arm is horizontal.

A clear or proceed aspect is displayed when a signal arm is **lowered** to approximately **45°** from the horizontal.





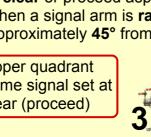
The upper quadrant style of signal was used by BR, SR, LMS, LNER and most other railways. Upper quadrant signals are available in 1/4 size with a round post.

The danger or caution aspect is displayed when the signal arm is horizontal.

A clear or proceed aspect is displayed when a signal arm is raised to approximately 45° from the horizontal.

Upper quadrant home signal set at clear (proceed)

Upper quadrant home signal set at danger







1/4 Size GWR Lower Quadrant Signals)

Available fully assembled

as component sets or

individual components

Square Post Signals

- Based on works drawings
- Robust base casting
- Detailed aluminium alloy castings with wooden arm
- Available with 4ft and 3ft scale arms
- Wooden post
 All fasteners in brass
- Waterproof 12V lamps
- Blue and red spectacles used in conjunction with a yellow bulb for authenticity
- Ladder, hoop, staging and hand rails also available

Round Post Signals

Available fully assembled, as component sets or individual components

Based on works drawings

Robust base casting

Detailed aluminium alloy castings

 Aluminium post with corrugated or folded aluminium arm

Available with 4ft and 3ft scale arms

- All fasteners in brass
- Waterproof 12V lamps

authenticity

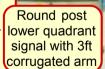
Blue and red spectacles used in conjunction with a yellow bulb for
 Ladder, hoop, staging and hand rails also available

Square post ¼ size lower quadrant signal with 4ft wooden arm plus ladder and hoop



Some of the castings and

components available







1/4 Size Upper Quadrant Signals

Available fully assembled, as component sets or individual components

- Based on works drawings
- Robust base casting
- Detailed aluminium alloy castings
- Aluminium post
- Folded aluminium arm



Waterproof 12V lamps

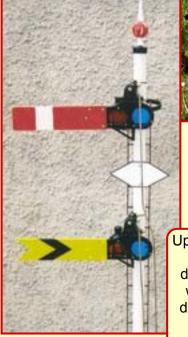
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Upper quadrant home signal plus

ladder and hoop

 Ladder, hoop, staging and hand rails also available

All fasteners in brass

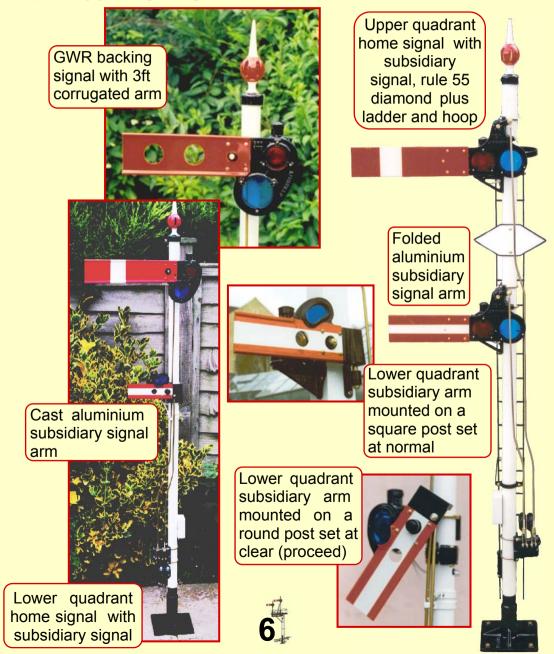


Upper quadrant home and distant signal with rule 55 diamond plus ladder and hoop



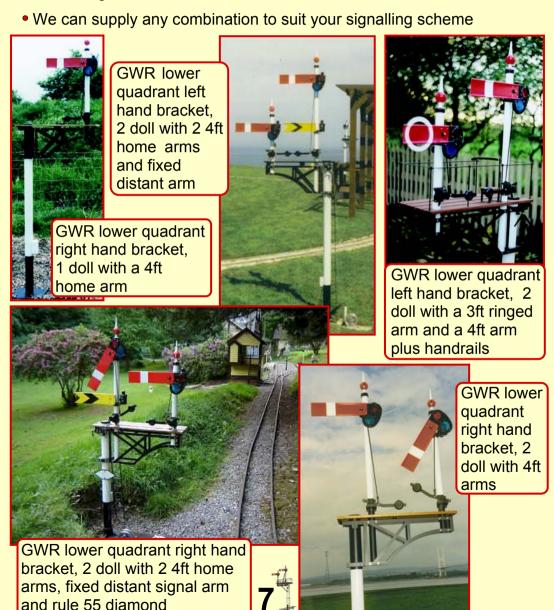
1/4 Size Subsidiary Signals

To supplement the main signal range we offer subsidiary signals as fully assembled, component sets or individual components. These can be added to existing signal posts for specific shunting manoeuvres as required by your signalling scheme.



1/4 Size Bracket Signals

- Available in upper and lower quadrant
- Built to the same high specification as our single post signals
- · Ladders, hoops, staging and hand rails available
- Left or Right Hand brackets as well as 3 doll brackets

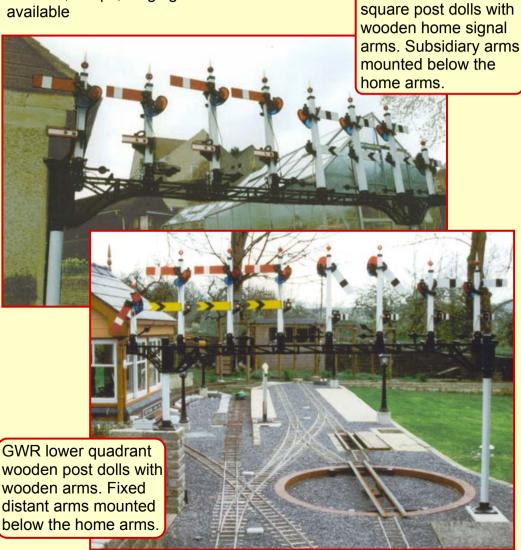


1/4 Size Gantry Signals

GWR lower quadrant

- Any combination can be created from standard parts to meet the specifications of your signalling scheme.
- Available in upper and lower quadrant
- Built to the same high specification as our single post signals

 Ladders, hoops, staging and hand rails available



Ground Disc Signals

Available fully assembled or as component sets

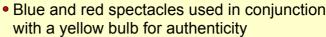


- All fasteners in brass
- Waterproof 12V lamps

Disc signal showing danger (stop) aspect

Disc signal showing proceed (clear) aspect





Colour Light Signals

- 1, 2, 3 and 4 aspect signals
- Shunt signals and feather arrays also available
- Cast aluminium housing
- Aluminium post and robust base
- 12V LEDS with perspex lenses
- Single post and gantry signals













Water Cranes

- Detailed aluminium and bronze castings
- Water supply controlled by hidden ball valve



GWR 1/2 Size Lower Quadrant Signals

Suitable for use on 10 ¼"g, 12 ¼"g, 15"g and larger miniature, narrow gauge or light railways



2 doll right-hand bracket signal with a 3 foot arm, 4 foot arm and a subsidiary arm

- Available fully assembled or as individual components
- Based on GWR works drawings
- A standard signal is 10ft tall

Available in the following options;

- Single post signals
- Bracket signals
- Gantries
- Home and Distant
- Subsidiary arms
- Scale 4 foot or 3 foot long arms



lever frames

handrails also available

RH&DR Lower Quadrant Signals

Suitable for use on 10 ¼"g, 12 ¼"g, 15"g and larger miniature, narrow gauge or light railways

Available fully assembled or as individual components

Based on existing RH&DR designs

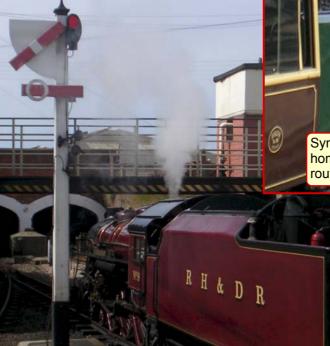
Detailed aluminium alloy castings

Square wooden post with painted wooden arms

All fasteners in brass or SS

 Ladders, hoops, staging and handrails also available

 Ideal for use with our ½ size lever frames



Single post home (or starter) with backshade, showing proceed aspect and ringed shunt arm. Symmetrical bracket signal with home and ringed shunt arms. Both routes are of equal importance.

- Waterproof 12V lamps
- Blue and red spectacles used in conjunction with a yellow bulb for authenticity
- Available as single post signals, bracket signals, subsidiary signals and gantries.
- Home and Distant options

Point Levers

Cast Iron Point Levers

2 sizes available

A fully assembled

scale 5"g Williams

patter point lever

- Suitable for 5"g, 7 ¼"g and 10 1/4"g
- Trailable in either direction
- Can also be set to act in the manner of sprung points

Williams Pattern **Point Levers**



Small point lever components

components





A complete, ready

- 3 sizes available to suit;
 - Scale 5"
 - 5" and 7 1/4" general purpose
 - Heavy pattern for 10 1/4"g and larger gauges
- All steel construction
- Standard or low profile handle
- Removable handle option
- Trailable with an over centre mechanism

Buffer Stops

4 piece unpainted

- Available in 5" gauge and 7½" gauge
- Bolt together style -bolts not included
- 6mm steel plate
 Laser cut parts



- 2 types
 - 5/8" high rail
 - 21mm high rail (2lb/yard)





Signal Boxes and Lever Frames



We offer realistic signal boxes to enhance the appearance of your miniature railway. They are designed to be used with our ½ size lever frames. Each have a dummy staircase and balcony with access for the full size signaller being gained discretely from the rear. Foot print is 6ft x 4ft. A brick base may be required. Supplied in flat pack form and unpainted.



For operating your railway we offer \(\frac{1}{4} \) and \(\frac{1}{2} \) size lever frames which can be supplied with full

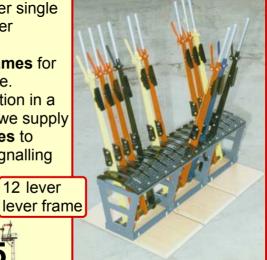
interlocking.

We can offer single lever. 2 lever or 4 lever ground frames for external use. For installation in a

signal box we supply lever frames to suit your signalling

scheme.

Single lever ground frame



Point rod We also offer a range of accessories for use with our lever frames including the following: stools Vertical cranks Horizontal cranks Point rodding Point rodding crank base Rod stools Compensating crank assembly Horizontal signal wire wheels - single and twin Underview of a lever frame showing Vertical signal wire wheels vertical cranks and Signal wire, shackles and fittings vertical signal wire Lead-off bed showing wheels signal wire runs and point rodding Lead-off bed showing single and double horizontal signal wire wheels and point lever rodding cranks ground frame





Small GWR Signal Box Door Notice

Drivers Beware -Dogs

GWR Notice

NO UNAUTHORIZED PERSON IS ALLOWED IN THIS BOX BY ORDER



LEVEL

Large GWR Signal Box Door Notice All signs are cast aluminium and supplied unpainted





GWR Beware of Trains

GWR SW

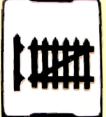




Drivers Beware -Hedgehogs

Drivers Beware -Cats





LEVEL CROSSING

Pole mounted Level Crossing Small



CROSSING NO GATES

Pole mounted Crossing no gates Large and small



CROSSING NO GATES

WHISTLE

Heritage road signs Available as components or fully assembled to vour required height

CROSSING NO GATES

Make your own station nameboards and signs using our bases, posts, caps and finials

The following posts are available:

- 25.4mm (1") dia round post
- 35mm (1 3/8") dia round post
- 57.6mm (2 1/4") square post
- 63.5mm (2 1/2") dia round post





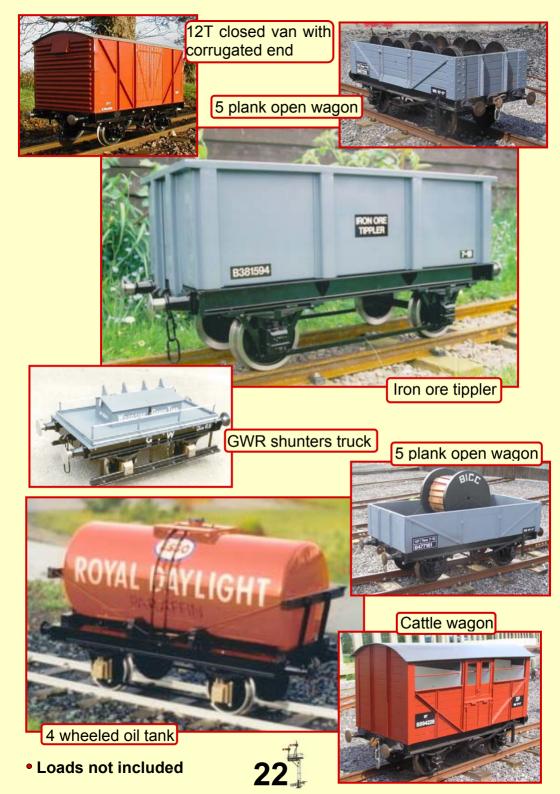


Scale Wagons and Components









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