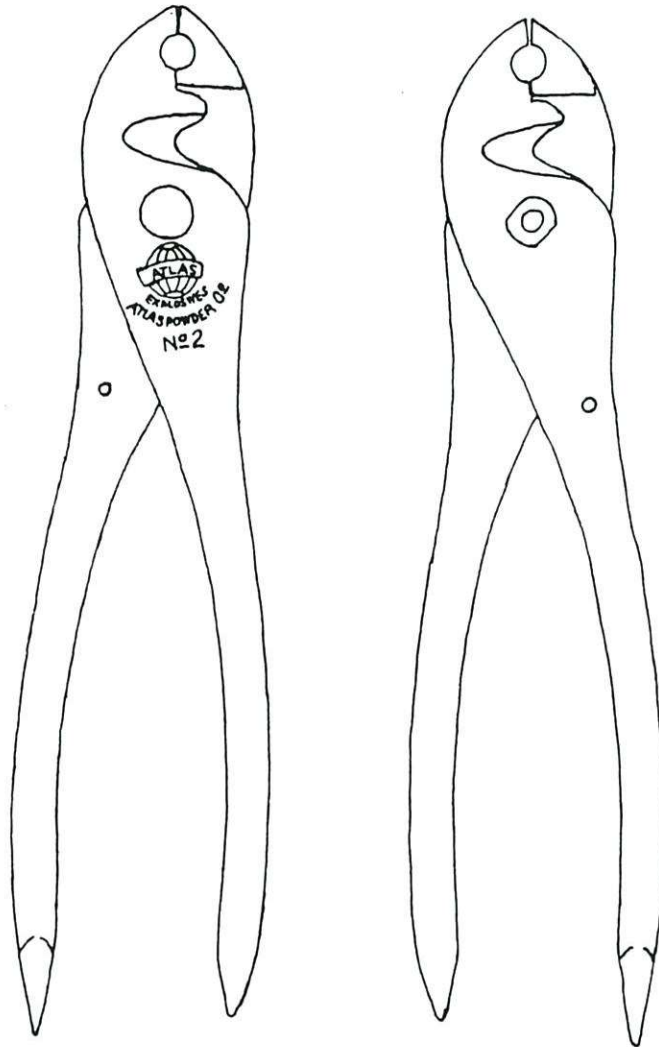



Atlas No. 2 Cap Crimpers

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The Atlas No. 2 cap crimper is probably the second most common cap crimper that is found. The cap crimper is made of heavy-duty polished steel and is 7 inches long. This crimper is combined with a fuse cutter. At the end of one handle is a screwdriver blade for prying open dynamite boxes. The other handle is rounded for punching holes in dynamite.

Shown below is the Atlas cap crimper along with the original box. All cap crimper boxes are rare. This box is 7 1/2 inches long, 2 inches wide, and 3/4 inches high. The box is dark red with black letters.



ATLAS CAP CRIMPER NO. 2		
Blasting cap should be crimped on fuse with a good cap crimper.		The use of a cap crimper promotes safety and effectiveness in cap and fuse blasting.
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