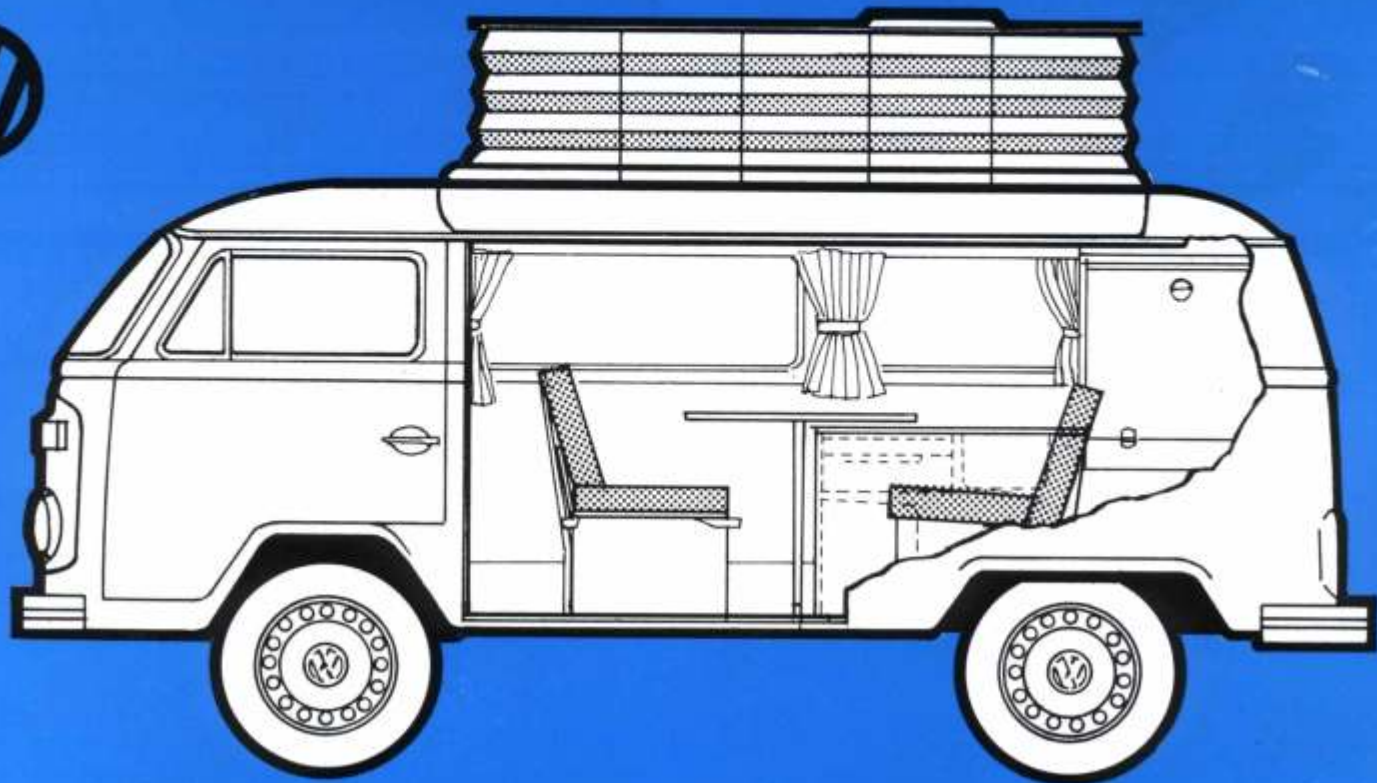


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VOLKSWAGEN CARAVETTE OWNER'S INSTRUCTION MANUAL



Introduction

Simplicity and flexibility are the keynotes of design in the Volkswagen Caravette. In all vehicles the fittings and equipment are designed to be readily accessible and easy to use, for, although every effort has been made to utilise all available space, the prime consideration has been your comfort. In a very short while you will make yourself familiar with the equipment in the Volkswagen Caravette, and devise most suitable procedures for its use. This booklet will have served its purpose if it helps you during initial familiarisation; when you no longer need to refer to it you may consider your familiarisation complete.

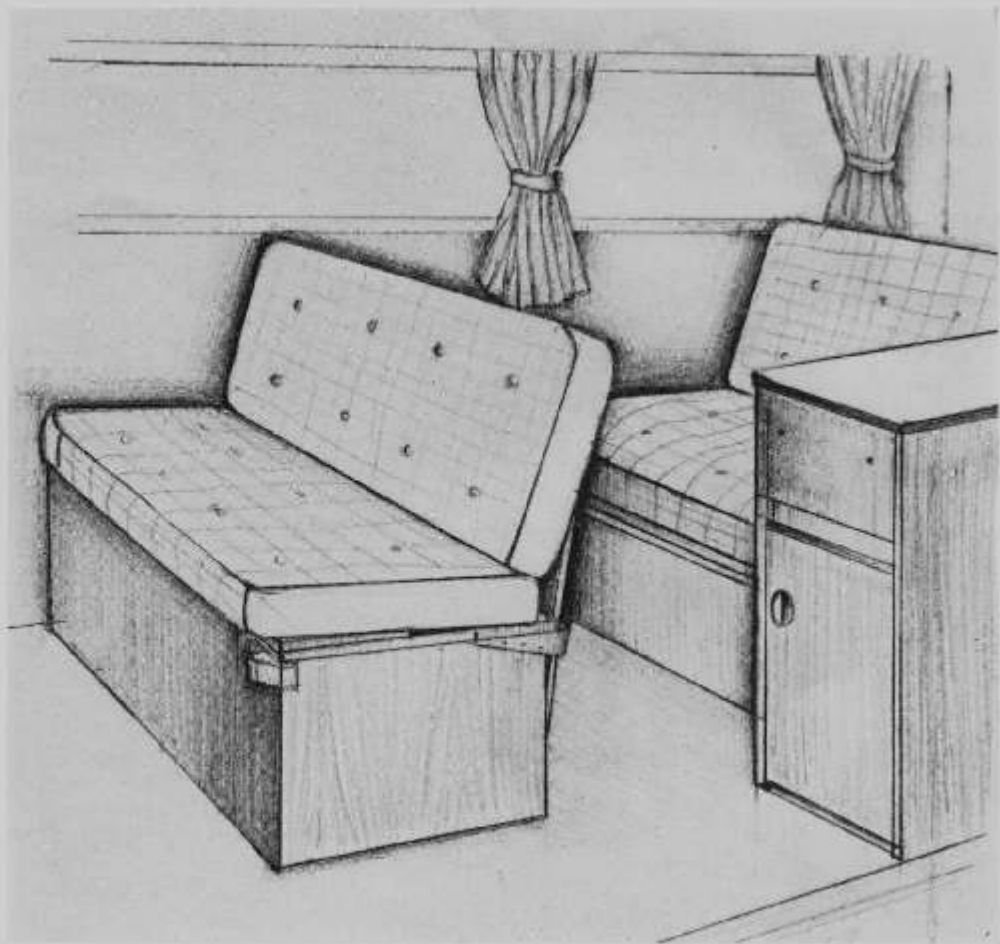
If your experiences teach you something you think worth passing on, or if there is anything in the booklet with which you disagree, please write and let us know. We are always delighted to hear from our customers, and always prepared to learn from them.

Beds

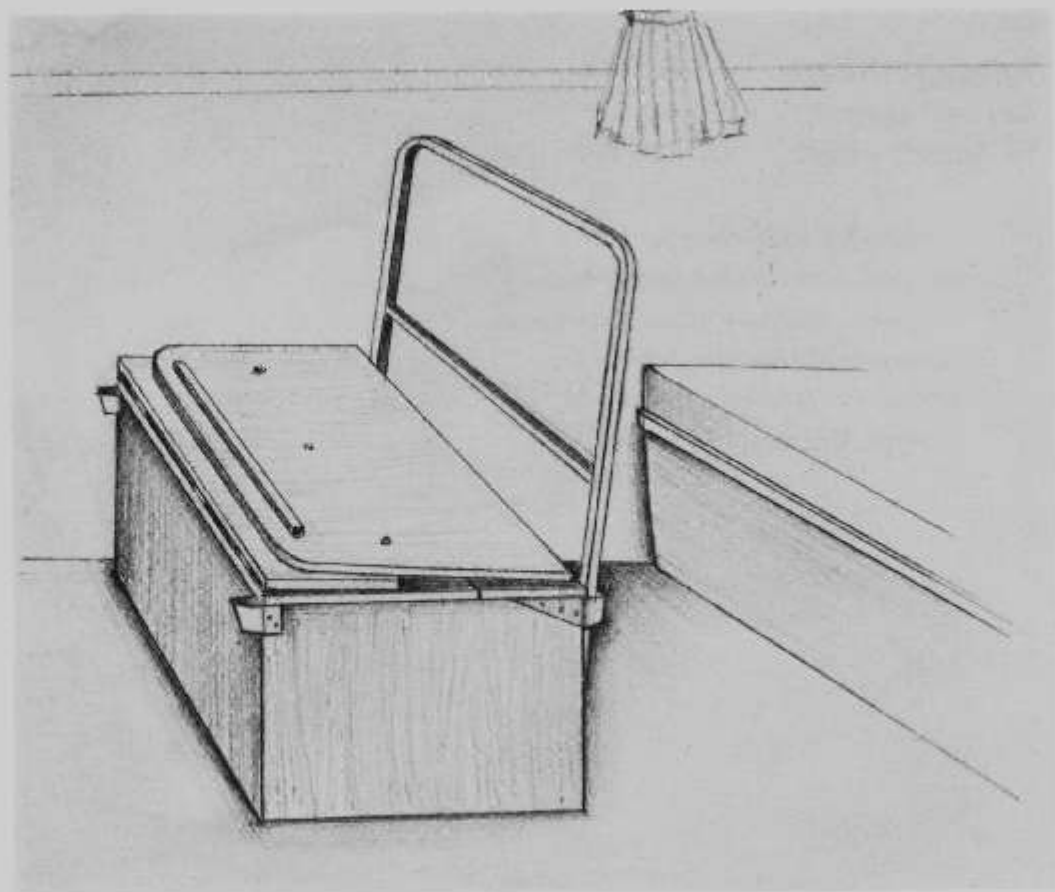
A double bed is provided in the Volkswagen Caravette. The optional pop-up roof provides a further two single bunks. The low-level bed arrangements leave a bed for two children on top of the engine housing. There is also available as an optional extra a child's bunk, which is fitted over the two front cab seats. Determined people can make up sheets and blankets on all beds, but it is recommended that sleeping bags are used. It is suggested also that occupants of lower beds retire last, for both their own comfort and the ease of those climbing into upper bunks.

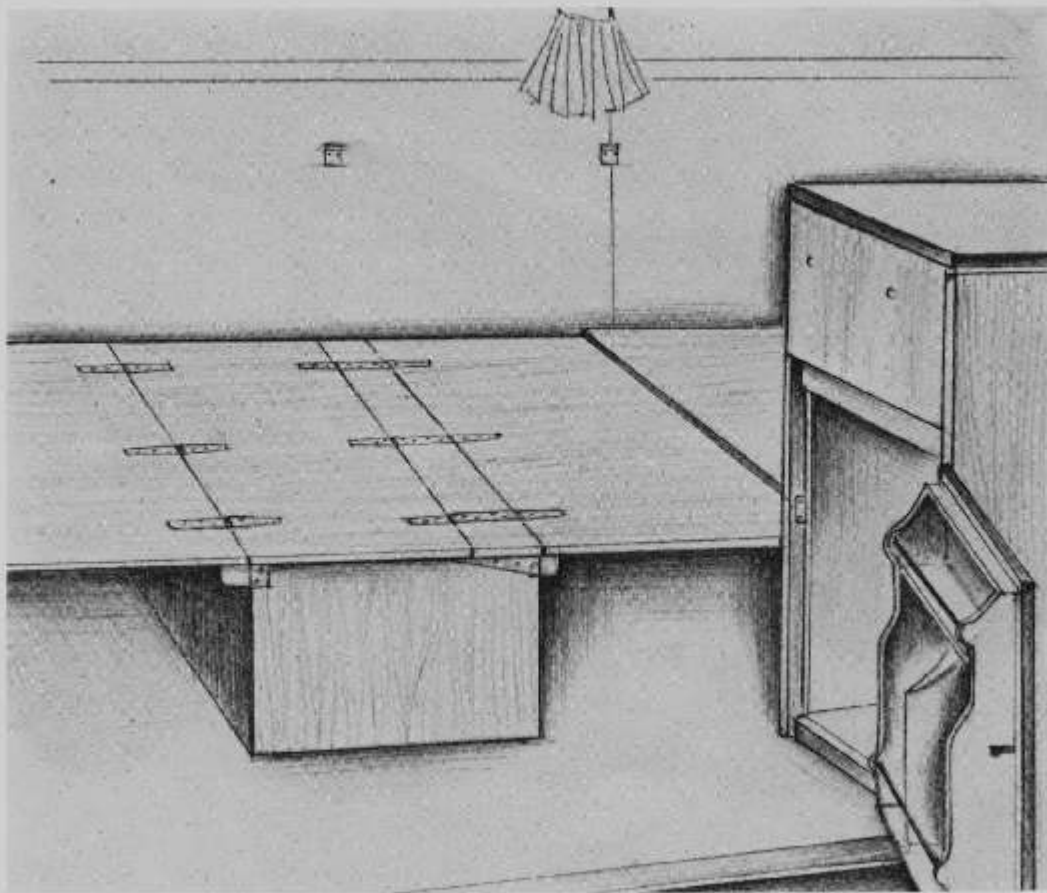
DOUBLE BED

Remove front seat cushion.
Lift and drop forward seat
lid hinged panel.

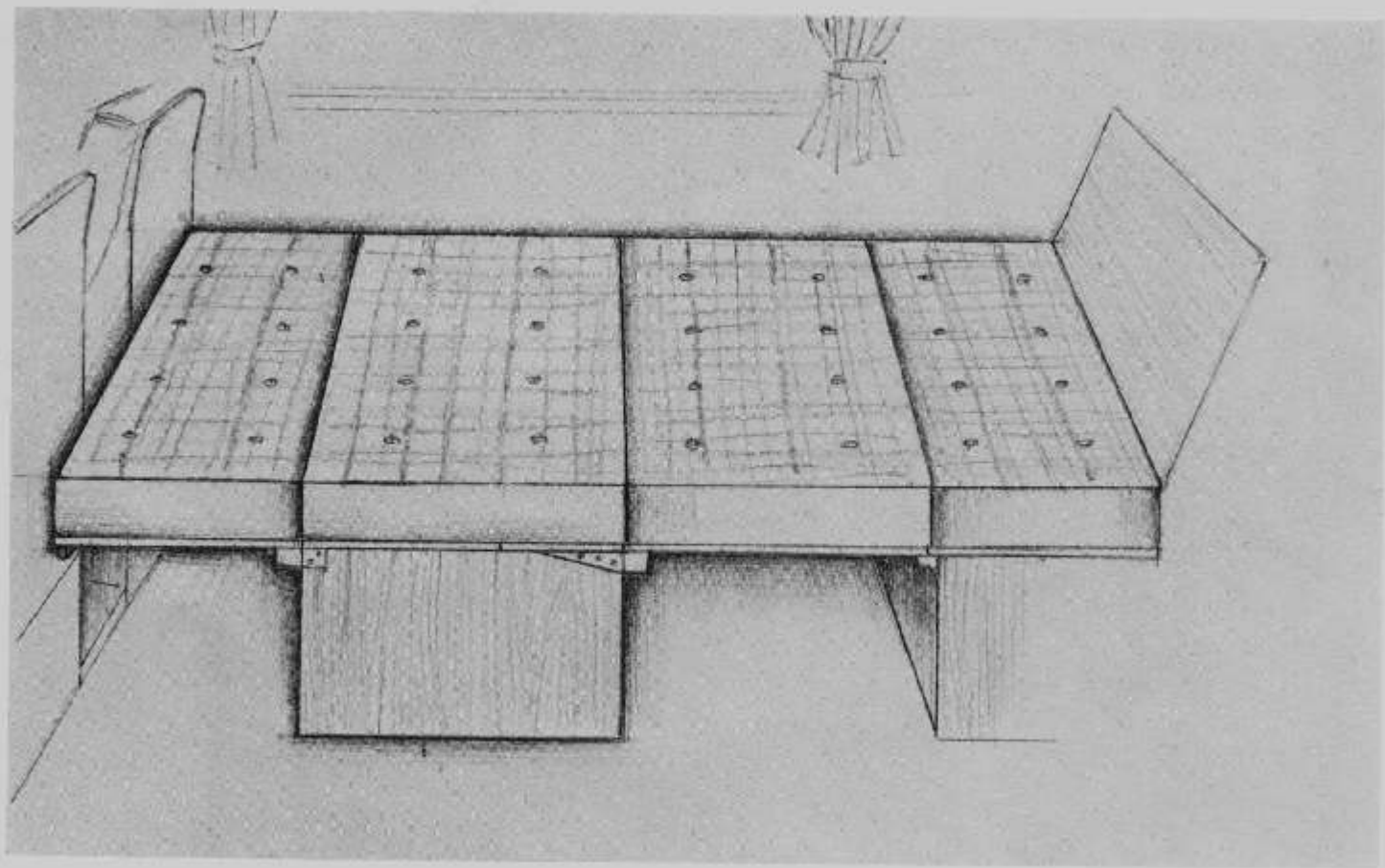


Release back rest. Drop forward on to seat locker lid. Remove tubular backrest by sliding up and out. Whilst not in use stow between seat and vehicle side panelling.



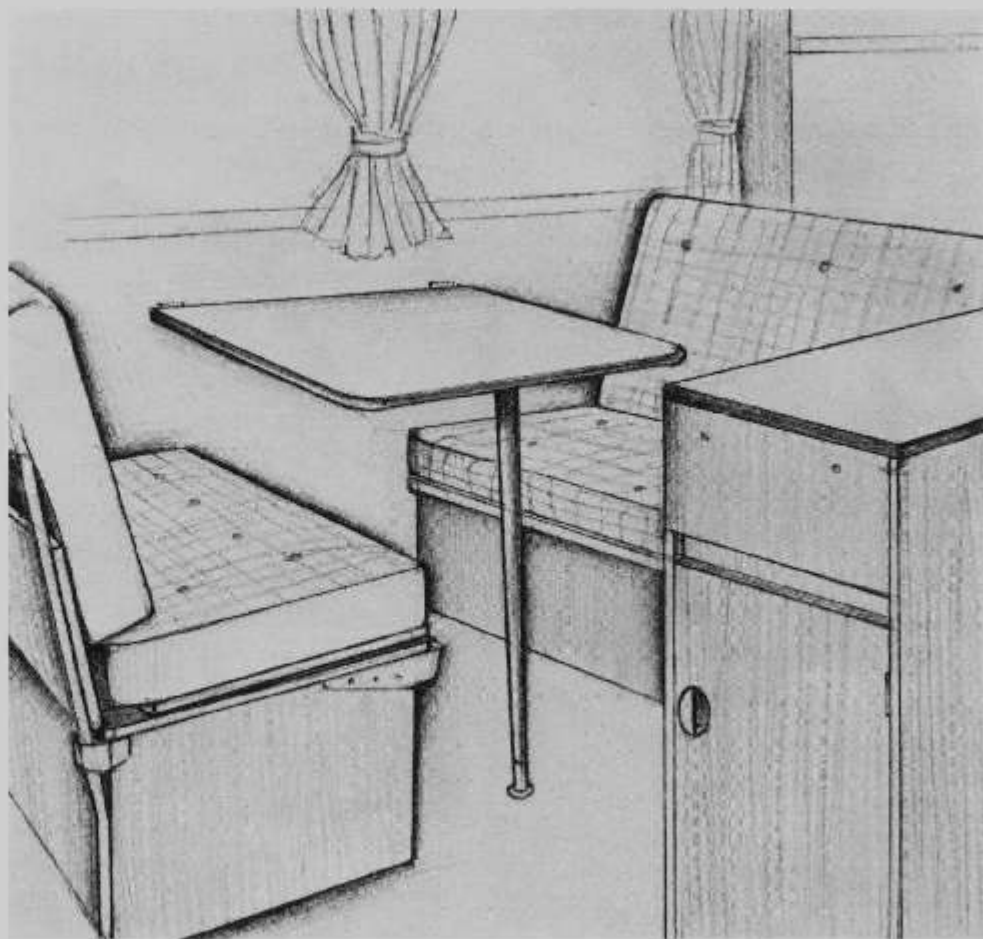


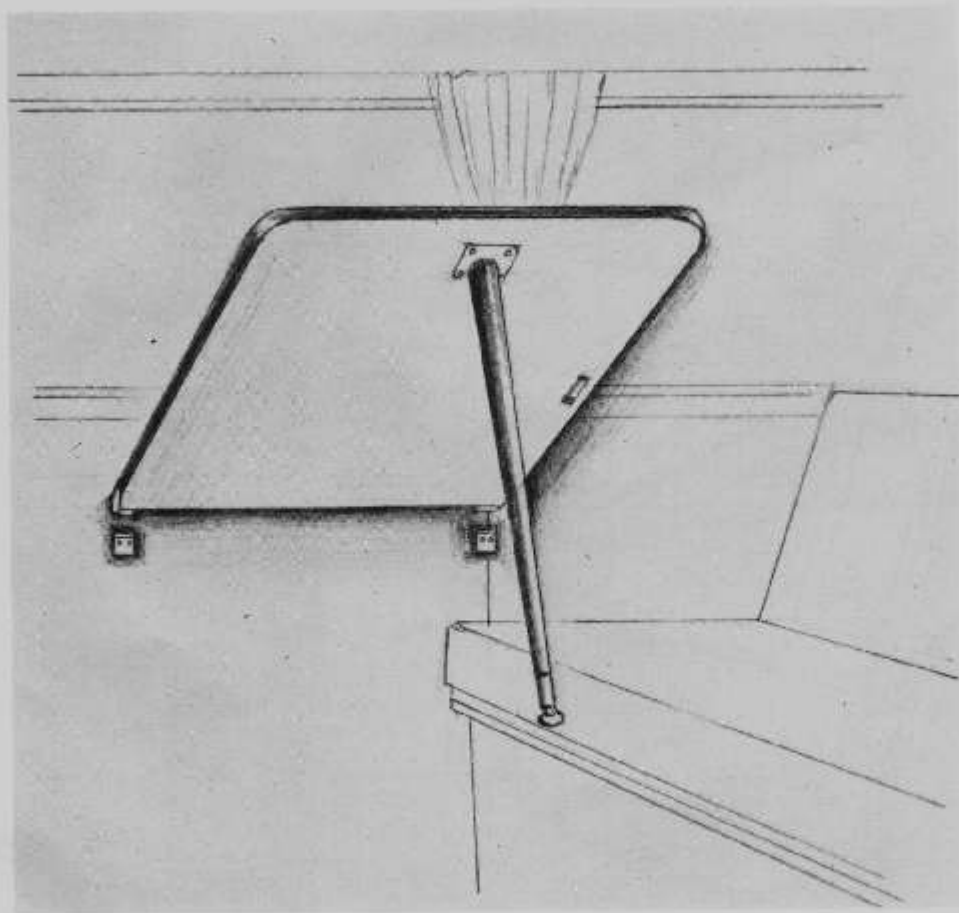
Drop backrest over to rear seat.



Place seat cushions as in illustration.

For dining the front seat is reassembled merely by returning backrest flap to lid of seat, replacing tubular backrest into two holes provided and placing cushions as in illustration.

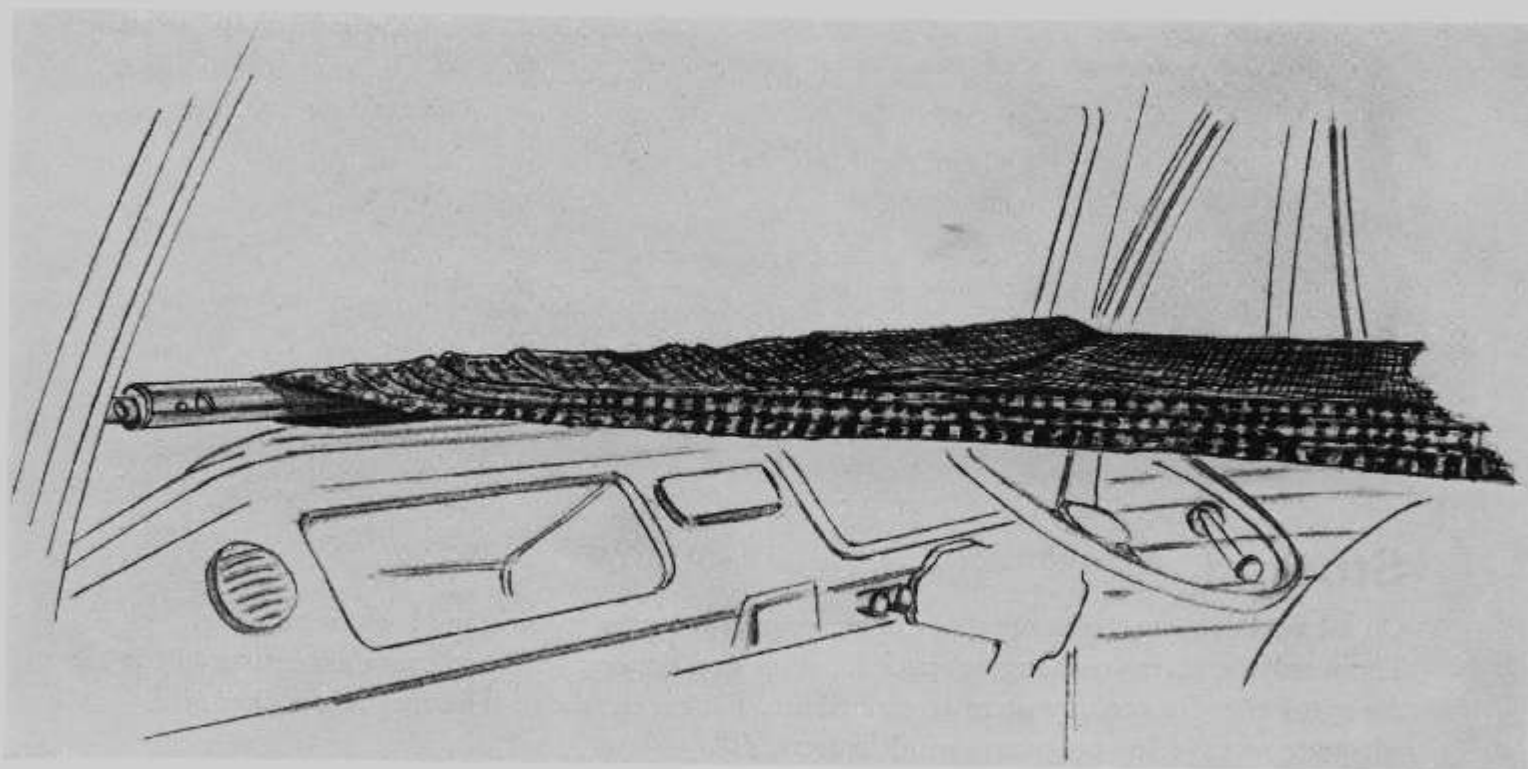


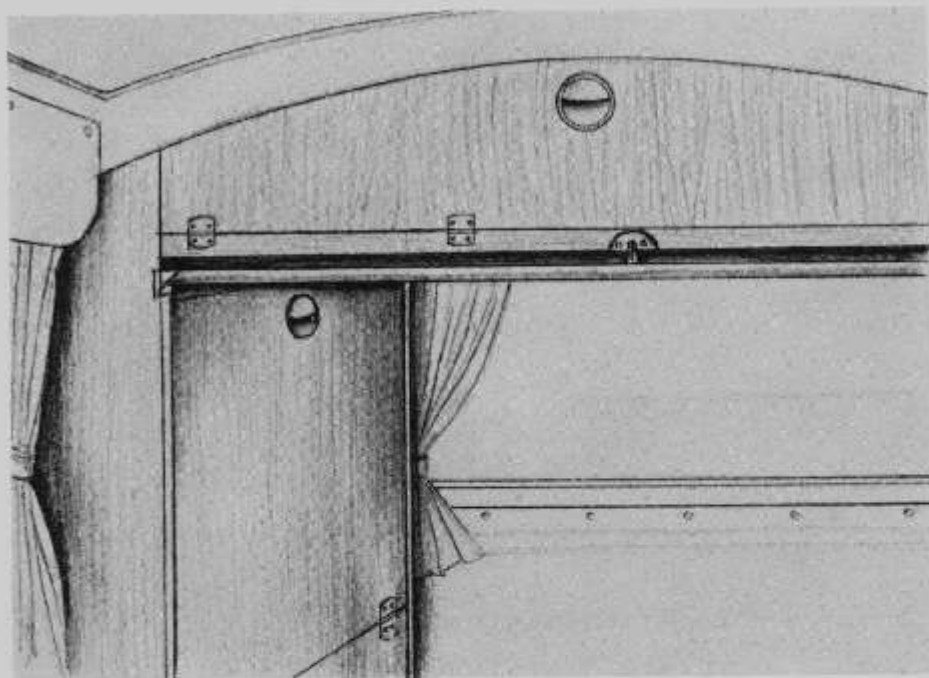


The table fits into brackets on the side wall, and is inserted in the position shown in the illustration below, before being lowered to rest on its screw-in leg. The table may be stored by sliding it into the two wooden channels suspended from the rear roof locker and a bolt retains this table in place.

Child's Hammock Bunk

The child's hammock, supported by metal poles across cab seats, is shown below. The poles are threaded through canvas side loops.



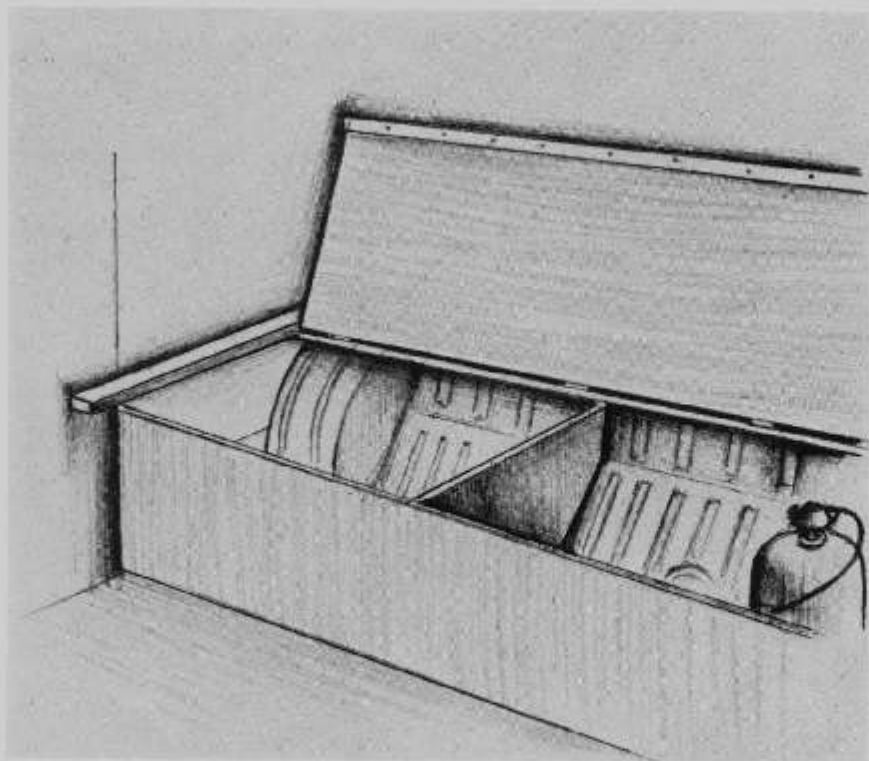


Curtains

The side and cab curtains slide on the track. The side curtains are held back to the side of the vehicle by tucking beneath the expanding cord.

Storage

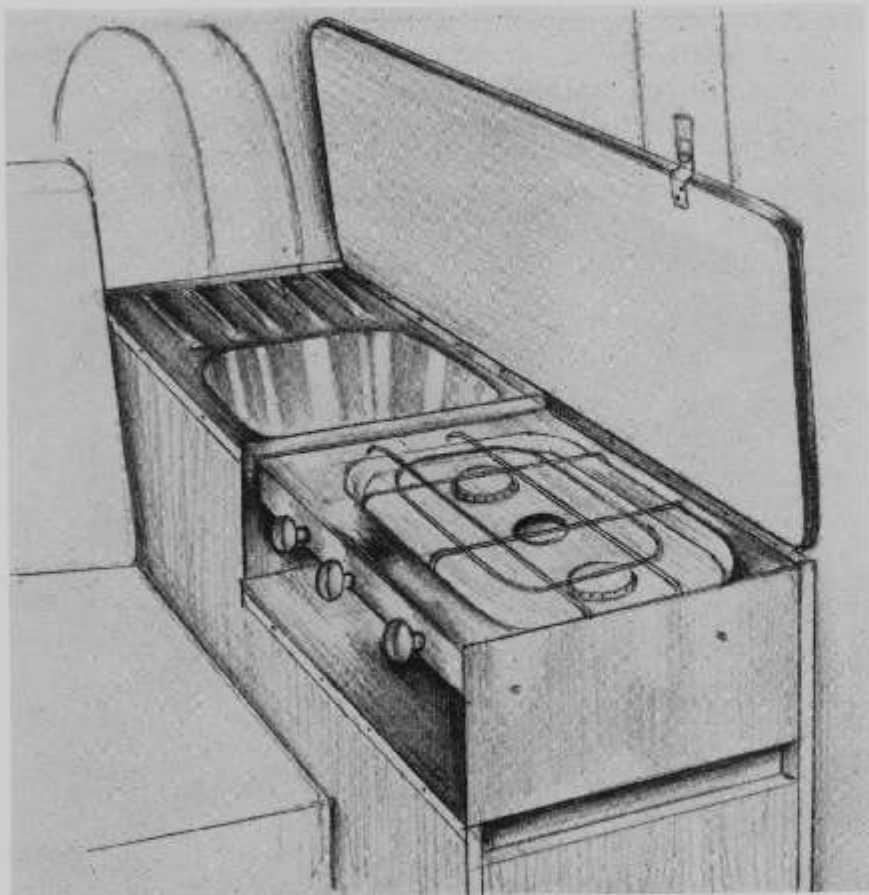
On all models there is storage space in the rear seat locker for sleeping bags or bedding. The wardrobe gives you hanging space for suits and dresses. Storage space also exists within the seat locker for cooking utensils, canned and packaged foods. The rear roof locker gives adequate storage for pullovers, windcheaters, etc.



The Camping Gaz cylinder and regulator tap is stored within the rear seat locker.

Cooker

A grill, complete with pan and tret, and two burners with splashback are standard in the Volkswagen Caravette. Gas is supplied from a cylinder, and passes through a regulator converting it to low pressure. Our conversions are designed to keep out draughts and this they do so efficiently that any gas leak can cause a complete, and sometimes permanent loss of appetite. If cooking must be done indoors, at least two windows should be opened.



The Volkswagen Caravette is fitted with a unit containing a stainless steel sink, which is fitted with a drainpipe outlet positioned under the vehicle. It is advisable to use a plastic bucket on a camp site to collect the waste water.

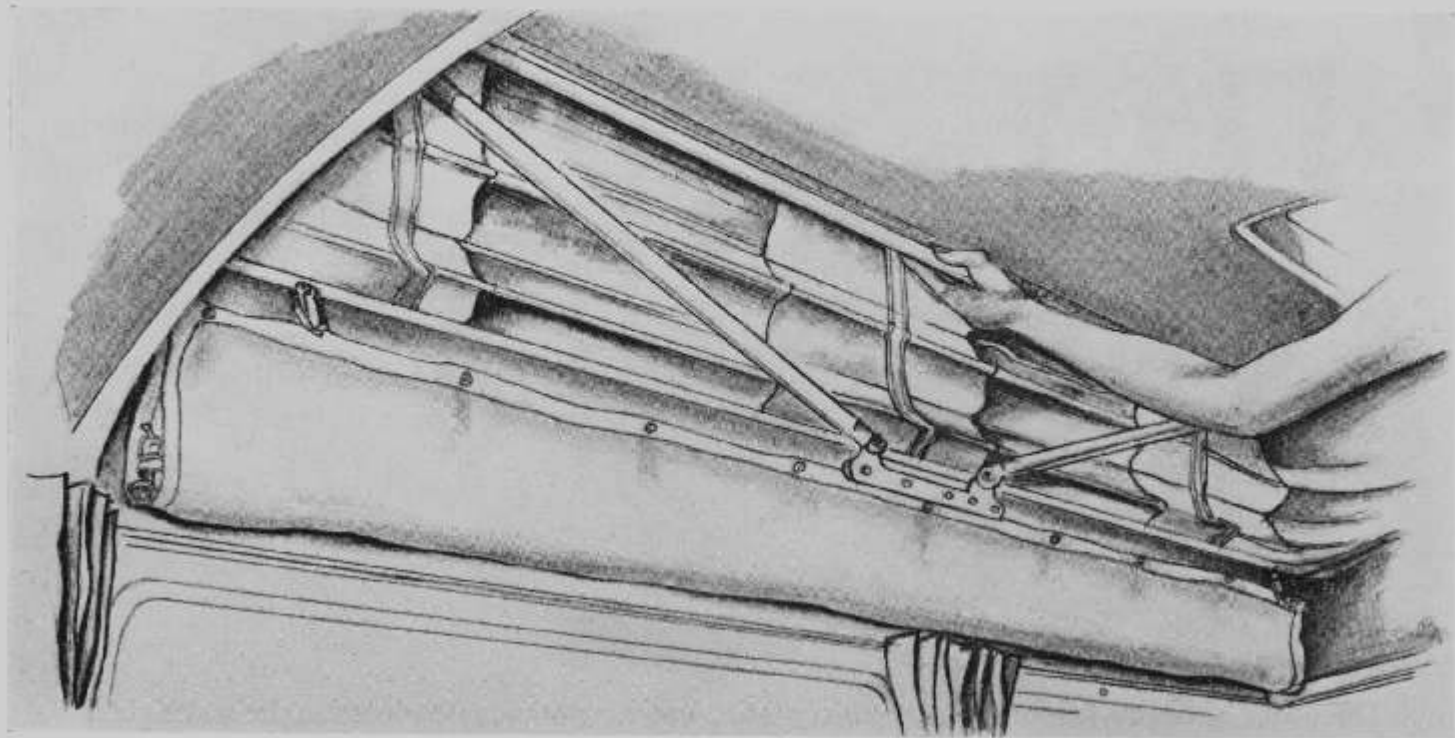
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The water is supplied from three 2-gallon plastic water containers which are in the seat locker. In the front of this unit is a cool box with a rack on the door for milk bottles and eggs.

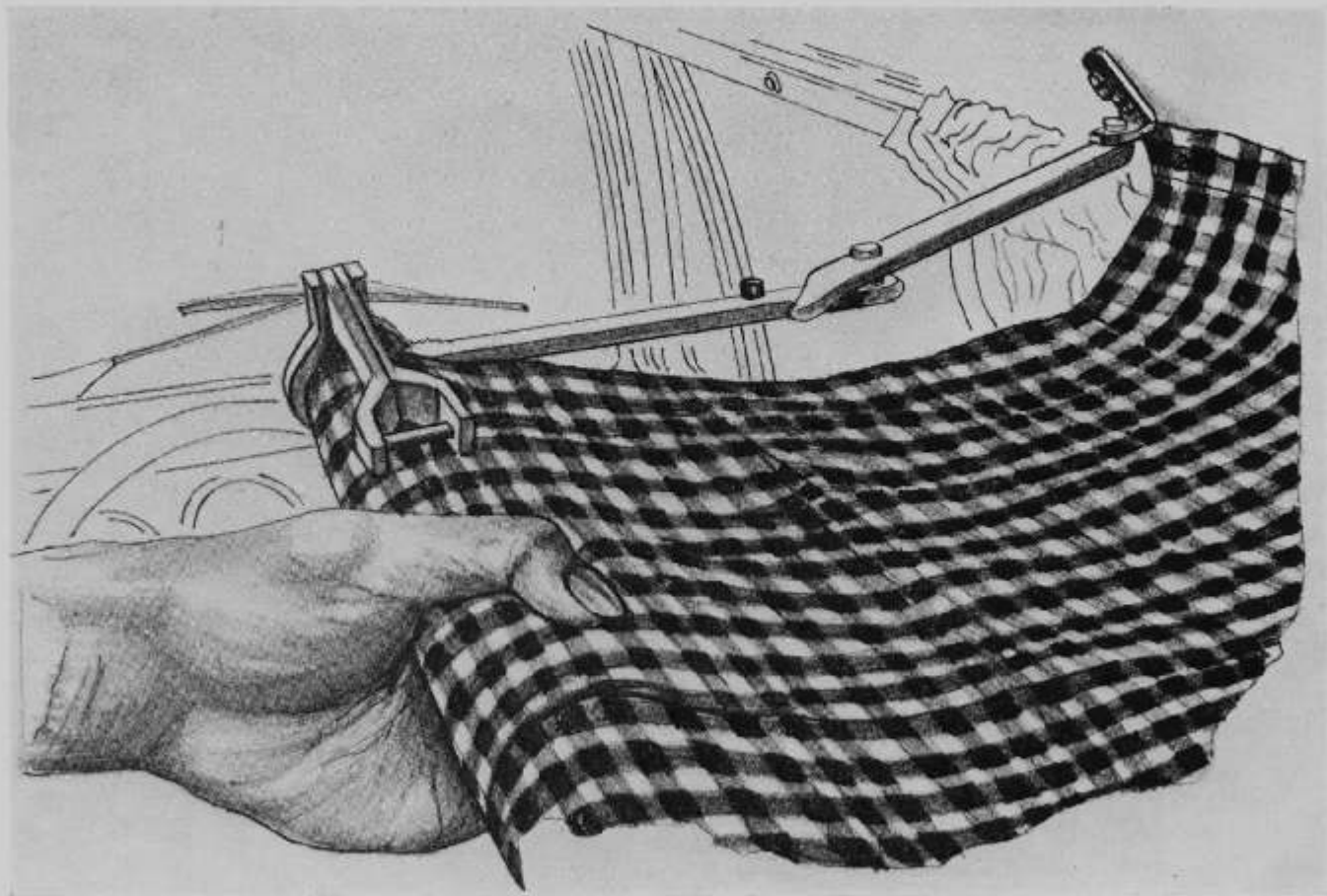
Pop-Up Roof

SINGLE BUNKS

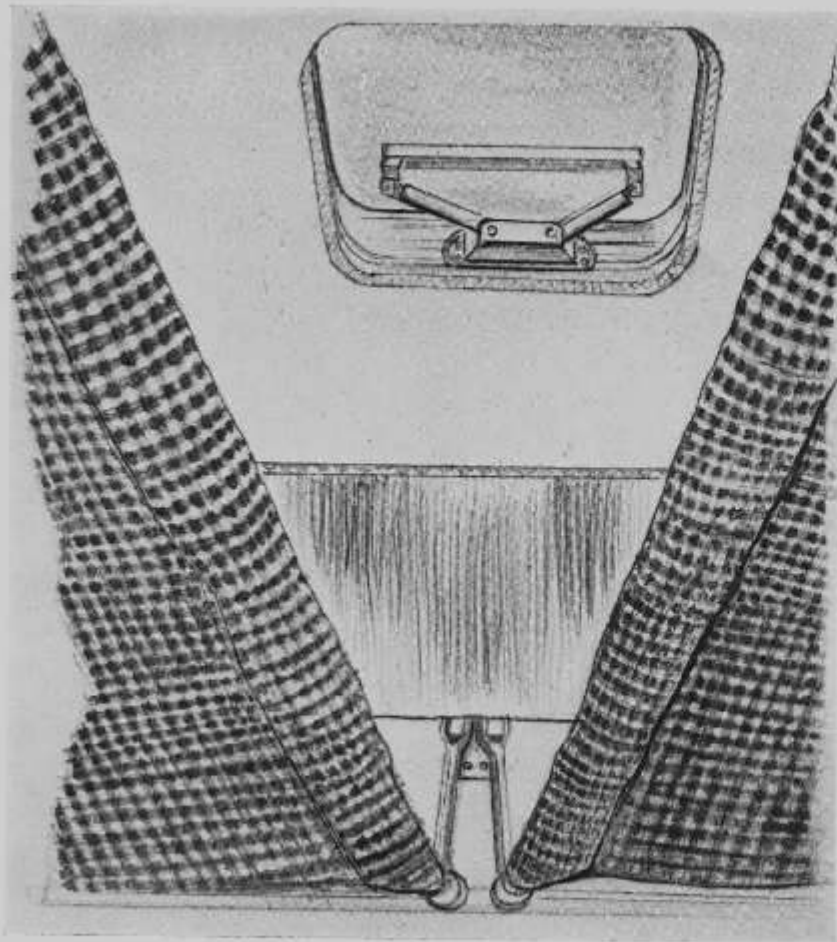
Two single bunks are located within the pop-up roof, and to enable them to be occupied the roof must be raised. Our illustration shows the roof being raised. This is done by releasing four retaining catches, two either side, and pushing upwards on both horizontal bars. The roof is self-retaining in its raised position, and must be pulled downwards to close.



Beneath retaining catches on either side is a canvas flap, held closed by press studs. Within each flap is a canvas bunk; our illustration shows one of these being extended.







Bunks are suspended from central end supports as shown in our illustration on Page 16.

When both bunks are ready for use, they appear as in our illustration.

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