Indicator Holder

There are numerous uses for the Lamb Tool Works Indicator Holder, these are by no means all that it is limited too, but here are a few examples.

We will start with setting up jointer tables.

First, set your indicator to zero using the table as a reference surface

Then you can check blade height side to side in relation to the out feed table

Check the height of the table to the actual cutter head (protrusion of the knives)

Check the in feed table coplanar to the out feed, far side....

And closest to you....

On planers you can check bed rollers, and parallelism of the cutting head to the bed by turning the indicator over and raising the Indicator Holder using 1-2-3 blocks, or even a piece of planed wood, anything parallel and of appropriate height.
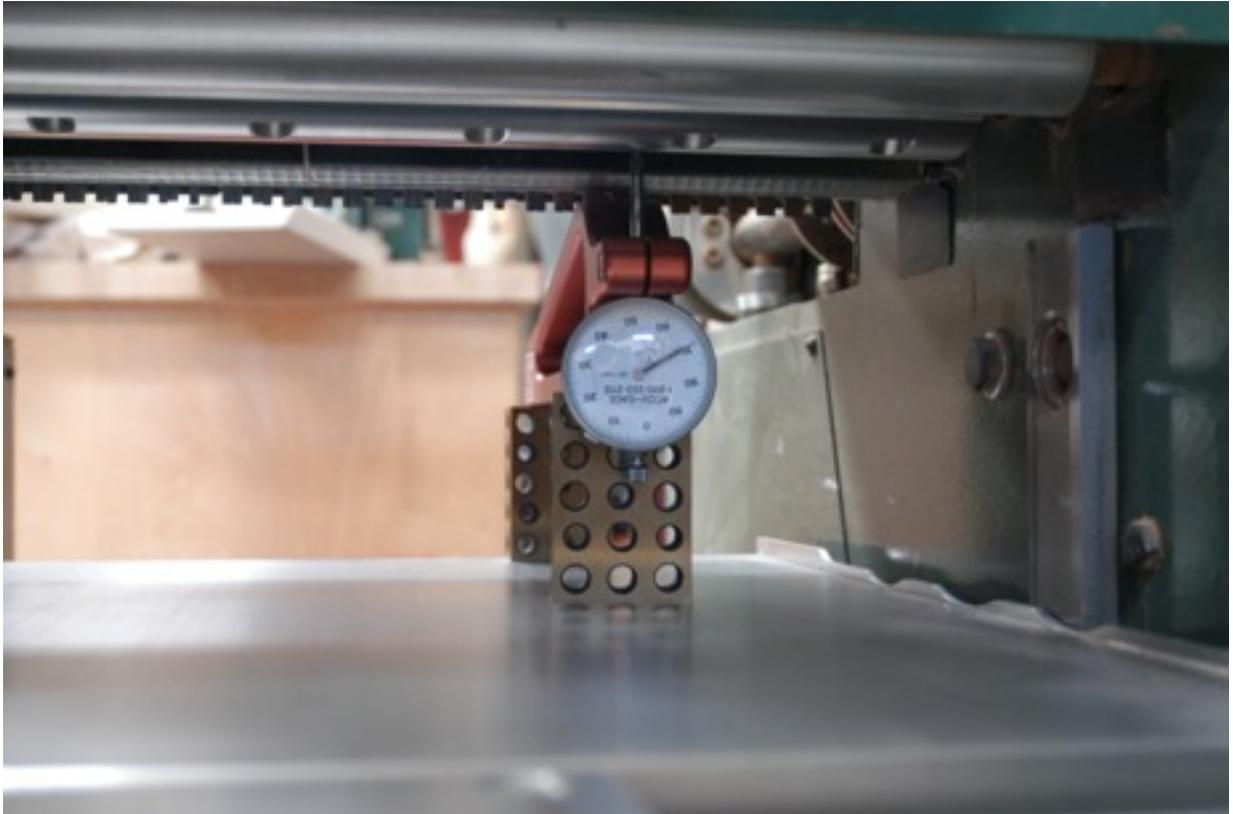
Set blade height, within relatively short distances, as the indicator only has 1" of travel

On a sliding table saw you can check height of the slider in relation to the saw table

Or check runout of the slider in relation to the saw table

Set router bits or shaper cutter, with the rings...

Or without the rings, the base is long enough to not tip into the opening, again, height is limited unless you want to use 1-2-3 blocks to raise it up.

You can do incremental movements of the rip fence. Say you cut something to match another existing part and you find it to be .038" too wide, you can lay the Indicator Holder on it's side and gently slide it to the fence until you get a zero reading. Unlock the fence and use your micro adjust to creep the fence exactly .038" on the dial.

Again, these are just a few of the uses that come to mind, I'm sure there are plenty of others using a little ingenuity.

If you are interested in a Lamb Tool Works Indicator Holder, please contact us at blamb11@cox.net in regards to pricing and availability. Units can be purchased with or without indicators and depending upon the brand of indicator, you will want flat points, they come in numerous lengths to fit the situation.