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PARTS OF THE MACHINE - NO. II

Directions: Describe the function of the following basic parts of a sewing machine.

- BOBBIN _____ Holds the lower thread _____
- BOBBIN CASE _____ Holds bobbin in place; provides bobbin tension _____
- BOBBIN HOLDER _____ A spindle that the bobbin rests on _____
- BUTTONHOLE KNOB _____ Controls machine while making a buttonhole _____
- DECORATIVE STITCH SELECTOR _____ Sets the machine to do the stitch chosen _____
- FEED DOGS _____ Move the fabric through the machine _____
- HAND WHEEL _____ Moves the needle and take-up lever _____
- NEEDLE _____ Carries the thread in and out of the fabric _____
- NEEDLE CLAMP AND SCREW _____ Holds the needle tight in the machine _____
- NEEDLE POSITION CONTROL _____ Adjusts the placement of the needle _____
- POWER FOOT PEDAL _____ Controls the speed at which machine operates _____
- POWER SWITCH _____ Turns the machine off and on _____
- PRESSER FOOT _____ Holds the fabric against the feed dogs _____
- PRESSER FOOT LEVER _____ Raises and lowers the presser foot _____
- REVERSE KNOB OR LEVER _____ Allows the machine to stitch backwards _____
- STITCH/NEEDLE PLATE _____ Surrounds the needle _____
- STITCH LENGTH SELECTOR _____ Changes the length of the stitch _____
- STITCH SELECTOR _____ Changes the type of stitch to be sewn _____
- STITCH OR DARN CONTROL _____ Allows free motion for sewing _____
- STITCH WIDTH SELECTOR _____ Changes the width of the stitch _____
- TAKE-UP LEVER _____ Carries the thread from the spool to the needle _____
- TENSION DIAL _____ Adjusts the thread tension _____
- TENSION DISK _____ Provides the thread tension _____
- THREAD GUIDES _____ Keep the thread from getting tangled _____
- THREAD HOLDERS _____ Holds spool of thread on the machine _____