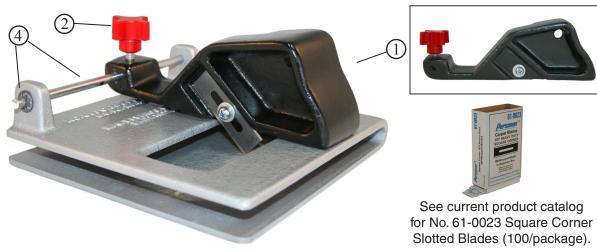
## Operating Instructions and Parts List for the

## No. 830 Carpet Base Cutter

- 1. Based on the width of cut you would like adjust the Blade Holder Handle from the "U" shaped wall to your desired width. Once your desired width is set tighten the 4-Arm Knob on top of the Blade Holder Handle to lock the position on the Pivot Axle.
- 2. Lift the handle so that the blade clears the top of the carpet. Slide the carpet into the "U" slot about 6". Make sure that the edge of the carpet is tight against the inside of the "U" wall.
- 3. Lower the Blade Holder Handle into the carpet, apply downward pressure, and push forward to cut your base strips. While cutting, it is helpful to kneel on (or hold with the left hand) the back edge of the carpet. This provides tension in the carpet, making cutting easier.
- 4. Use a knife to trim off the base strip at the starting point.

## **Notes:**

- 1. The depth of the blade should be set so that it touches the bottom of the cast aluminum "U" body. This tool uses slotted razor blades and one (1) each Gundlach square corner heavy-duty blade is supplied.
- 2. See the current catalog for a description of the optionally available **No. 830-H Handle**, which allows stand up cutting of carpet base strips.
- 3. For ease in setting commonly used widths, a small groove can be filed in the 1/4" Pivot Rod to help locate and prevent movement of the Blade Holding Handle.



| Key | Item<br>Number | Qty.<br>Used | Description                                 |
|-----|----------------|--------------|---|
| 1   | 830-1          | 1            | Blade Holder, Hardware and Knob             |
| 2   | 830-2          | 1            | 4-Arm Knob (1/2-20 x 1/2") for Blade Holder |
| 3*  | 830-3          | 1            | 10-24 x 1/2" Steel Thumb Screw (old style)  |
| 4   | 830-4          | 1 set        | Pivot Axle w/Internal Lock Washers (2 each) |

<sup>\*</sup> Not shown



