Everest K2

in the home

at the office

for travel
1 OVERHEAD PAPER BALE. Retains the paper on the platen.

2 MARGIN STOPS. To set the left and right hand margin stops, press them lightly and slide along the arrows until they are brought into line with the required scale numbers.

3 SETTING OF PAPER. Insert the paper between the paper table and rubber platen, the turn knob (5) until the paper has reached the required position for typing. If many copies are to be made or thick paper or envelopes are to be used, it is advantageous to pull forward paper release lever (3), thus allowing the insertion of thick paper with greater ease. When the paper is turned slightly round the platen, the lever (3) should be pushed back into its original position after which the platen knob can be turned until the paper is in position for typing. The paper Release Lever (3) in used when it is necessary to adjust the paper if it has been inserted in other than the required central position.
4 **CARRIAGE RELEASE.** The carriage can be run freely from right to left or vice versa, by pressing lightly the lever (4) holding at the same time knob (5) in order to guide the carriage.

5 **PLATEN KNOB.** By turning the knob (5) the platen can be rotated.

6 **LEVER TO SET AND RELEASE THE COLUMN STOPS.** To set the column stops, place the carriage in the position in which the beginning of the column is required, then depress lever (6) towards ( + ). To release all the column stops together, place the carriage to one side (right or left), push lever (6) towards ( — ) and, holding it, move the carriage to the opposite side. When it is required to release separate stops, place the carriage in a position to correspond with the stops that are not required and push lever (6) towards ( — ).

7 **BACK SPACER.** To move back the carriage one or more spaces, depress one or more times the back spacer key.

8 **COLUMN KEY.** By depressing key (8), the carriage will move automatically to the column set with lever (6).

9 **SHIFT KEY.** To type capital letters depress key.

10 **SHIFT LOCK.** When it is desired to type a number of words in capital letters, the shift can be locked in position by depressing key (9). To release the shift key depress key (9).

11 **MARGIN RELEASE.** There is a bell on the machine which gives a warning to the operator six spaces before the end of the line. This operates in accordance with the position of the right-hand margin stop. When it is required to write beyond the normal margin, depress the lever after which writing can continue to the full length of the platen. The margin release key also acts as automatic type bar release. Therefore, if two or more bars have jammed together, it is sufficient to depress this key and automatically bars will be freed.

12 **RIBBON COLOUR CHANGE.** By moving the lever upwards, the upper part of the ribbon will come into operation and, by moving the lever downwards, the lower part of the ribbon will be used. When a single-colour ribbon is used the same operation lever can be used to enable the operator to utilise both the upper and lower parts of ribbon. When it is desired to cut stencils it is necessary to put the ribbon out of action and that is effected by switching the lever to the middle position, when the type will strike the paper direct, as the ribbon carrier will not be lifted.

13 **LINE SPACE ADJUSTMENT.** To set the spacing between lines, move the lever to the number 1, 2 or 3 of spaces required between the lines.

14 **LINE SPACE RELEASE.** This lever is for the purpose of releasing the platen without altering the line space setting. By pulling the lever upwards the platen is released and by pushing it downwards the line spacing ratchet is again engaged.

15 **FRACTIONAL SPACE.** To release the platen from the line adjustment, depress button on left-hand platen knob. This enables the operator to write on the lines of ruled paper by rotating the platen with the knob.
16 CARRIAGE LOCKING DEVICE. When replacing the typewriter in its case, the carriage locking device should be used. That can be obtained by moving the carriage to the right, the depressing lever (16) push the carriage to the left until it is locked. To unlock the carriage just move it to the right.

17 LINE SPACING. To begin a fresh line, push the lever by which the carriage is brought from left to right, until it contacts the margin stop, and the platen is simultaneously turned by one, two or three spaces, in accordance with the adjusting lever (13).

18 KEY TOUCH REGULATOR. This is situated inside the machine, beneath the top plate, near the left-hand ribbon spool. A lighter touch is obtained by setting the lever to (—) and a heavier touch by setting the lever to (+).
CHANGING RIBBON. When it becomes necessary to fit a new ribbon, lift firstly the top plate by which the spools are concealed, then make sure that the whole ribbon is wound entirely on one spool. Lift the ribbon, pass it over the hooks of the fork and press it downwards until it is completely free of the centre guide fork. Lift both spools and remove the ribbon. Secure the end of the new ribbon to the empty spool, red portion downwards, return spool to position and replace top plate.

The key this machine are made of plastic anti-reflex material and have a high degree of resilience.

The machine can be supplied in various kind of type and in a smart carrying case.
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