

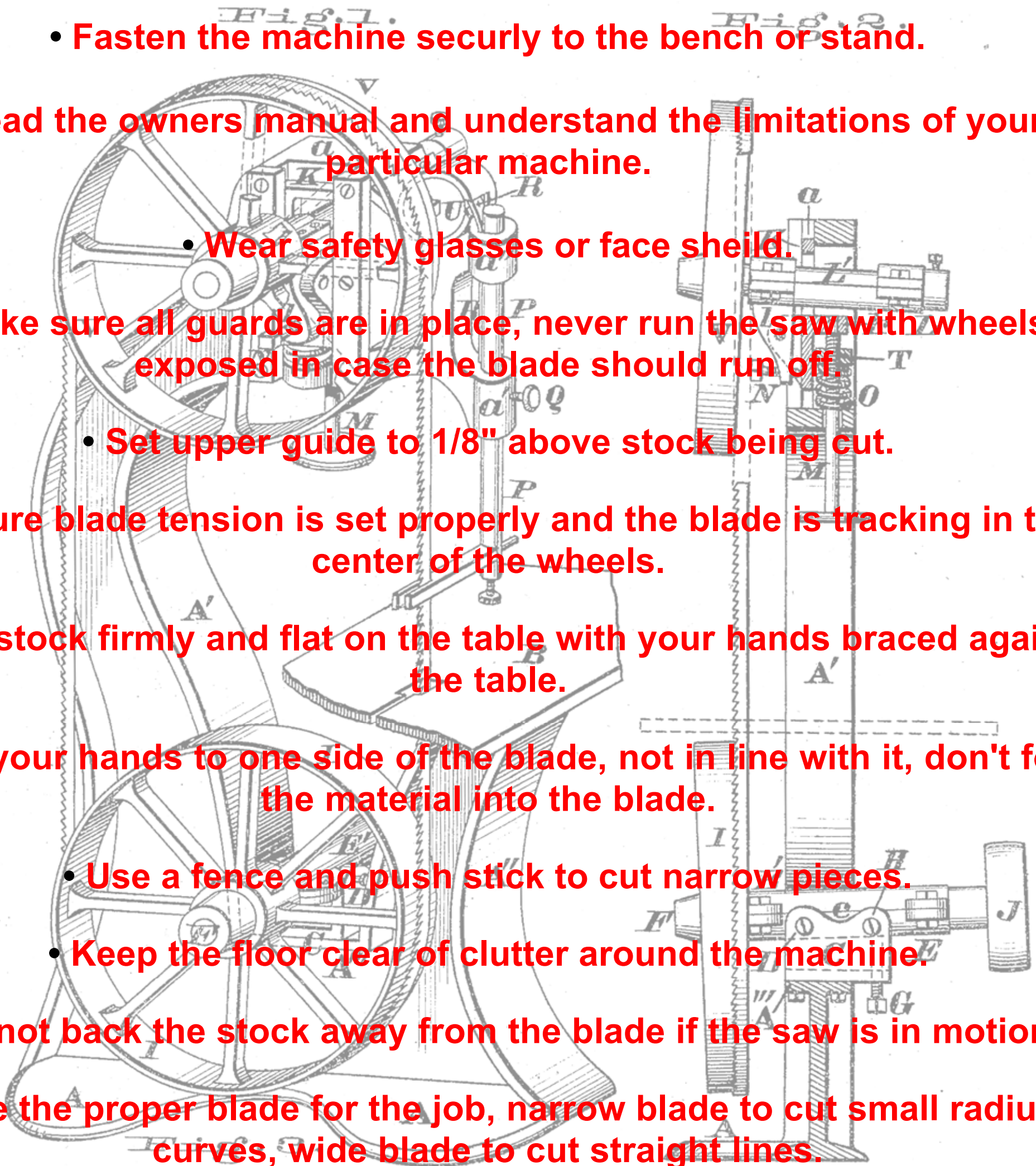
Band Saw Safety

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- Fasten the machine securely to the bench or stand.
- Read the owners manual and understand the limitations of your particular machine.
- Wear safety glasses or face shield.
- Make sure all guards are in place, never run the saw with wheels exposed in case the blade should run off.
- Set upper guide to 1/8" above stock being cut.
- Ensure blade tension is set properly and the blade is tracking in the center of the wheels.
- Hold stock firmly and flat on the table with your hands braced against the table.
- Keep your hands to one side of the blade, not in line with it, don't force the material into the blade.
- Use a fence and push stick to cut narrow pieces.
- Keep the floor clear of clutter around the machine.
- Do not back the stock away from the blade if the saw is in motion.
- Use the proper blade for the job, narrow blade to cut small radius curves, wide blade to cut straight lines.
- Never leave the saw running unattended.



Blade Width	1/8"	3/16"	1/4"	3/8"	1/2"	3/4"	1"
Cut Radius	3/16"	5/16"	5/8"	1 1/2"	2 1/2"	5 1/2"	7"

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