

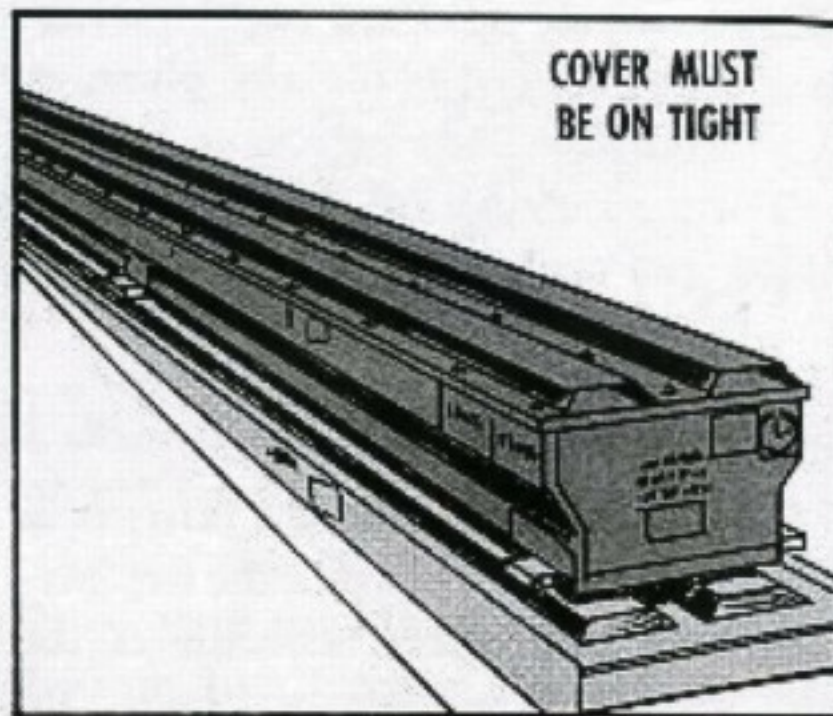
PACK BLADE RIGHT

Once a reparable blade has been tagged, and the DA Form 2410 made out, the last step is packing.

To make sure the blade doesn't become "scrap" en route, the blade wants to get the same protection as a new blade. It should be strapped down so it can't bang around inside the container.

When you put the lid on the container, remember to tighten all of the fasteners, for a real good reason. Due to the length of the container, its full strength can only be realized when the cover is on tight. It's a real weakling with a loose cover.

So a bent or twisted container could affect the condition of the blade inside, and make reuse of the container impossible.



There's no doubt about it. From the time a new rotor blade is uncrated, until it's shipped back to overhaul, it needs a lot of extra care . . . the kind only you can supply.