

# STAGECOACH AXLES

Coach wheels were 'dished' as can be seen in the drawing below. This improved their strength due to the 'truss' effect.

In addition the axles were canted downward by about 1 degree. The purpose of this was so that the wheel met the ground with the spokes plumb to the ground.

The axles were also tapered, which is not necessary for model work as they will not be seen

