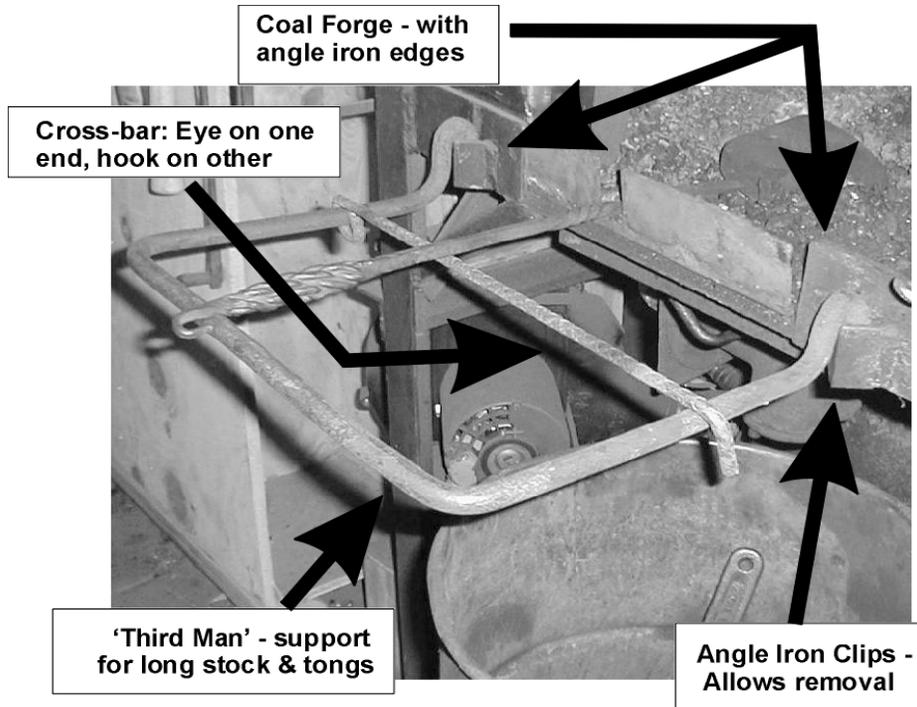


Ideas from Members' Shops* : How to add a third man to your coal forge and make it adjustable for those items that are a bit too short for the main support but a bit too long to stay in the fire by themselves.



* submit stuff or you'll keep seeing stuff from my shop! – Editor

Late Breaking 'News': Do you have fluorescent lighting in an unheated shop? Do half of the bulbs refuse to fire up when you go out on a cold morning? If so, a tip from Rec.Metalworking might help. Sweep (gently) the bulbs with a damp broom. I can get 10 out of 12 reluctant bulbs to fire up using this technique. I recommend NOT using a metal handle.

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