

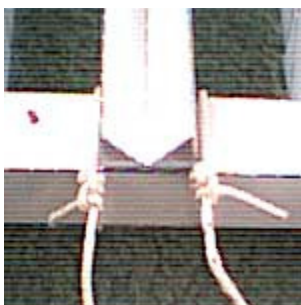
# Fryer's Kits

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### Setup

Fill cradle with weight, coins work well.

The trigger is made up of one short and one long length of string tied on to the frame of the trebuchet as shown in picture. Tie a single bow knot. The longer string with the bow in it, and pull from side that it is tied to. Load with projectile.



The grape, use something soft, fired from a trebuchet can travel 10 m (30 feet) or more and not always in the direction you thought it would. Always stand to the side.

### Complete trebuchet.



Pull string slowly, make sure the trebuchet is not pulled out of position. The trajectory of the grape can be altered by bending the paper clip up will give lower trajectory. Finally glue paper clip into swinging arm.

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