

**MIKE ASHEY PRODUCTIONS  
PRESENTS  
TURNED BRASS CANNONS  
FOR**

**REVELL'S 1/96 SCALE USS CONSTITUTION**

Revell's 1/96 scale USS Constitution is a great kit, however the cannons require a lot of seam work.

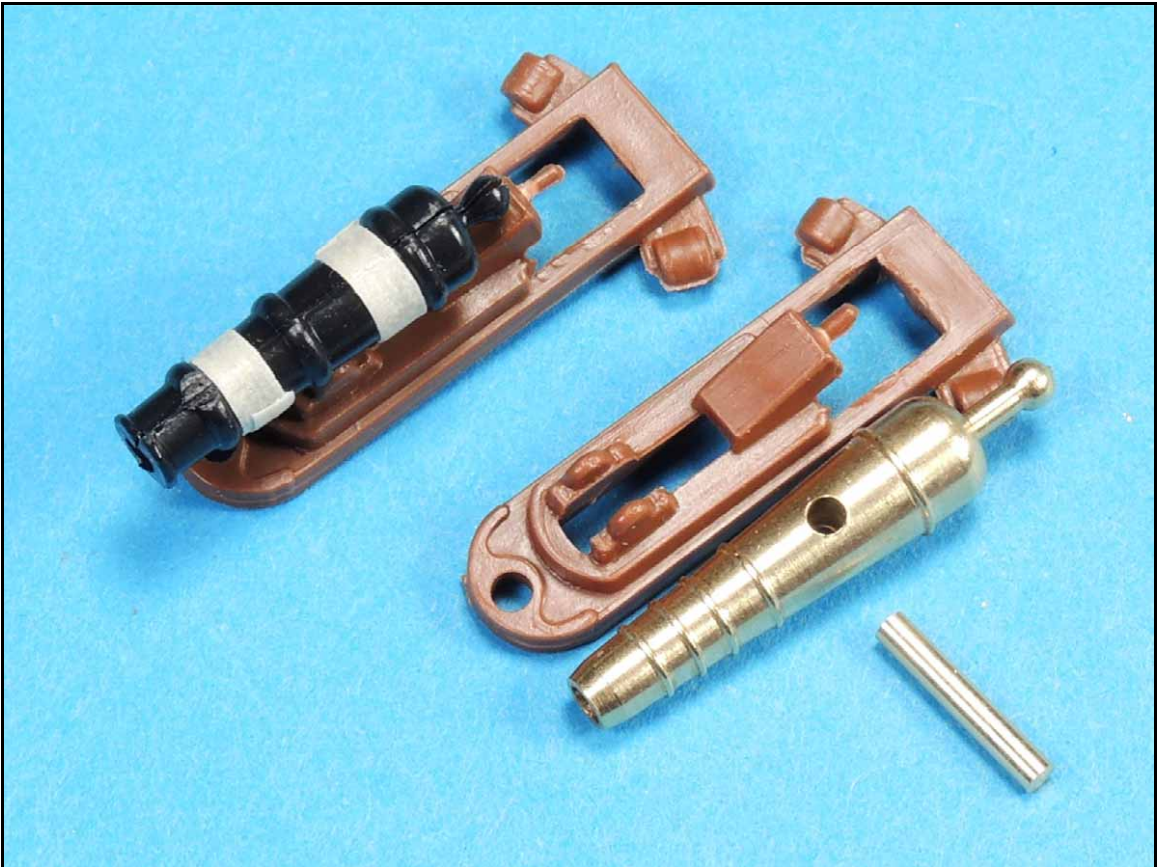
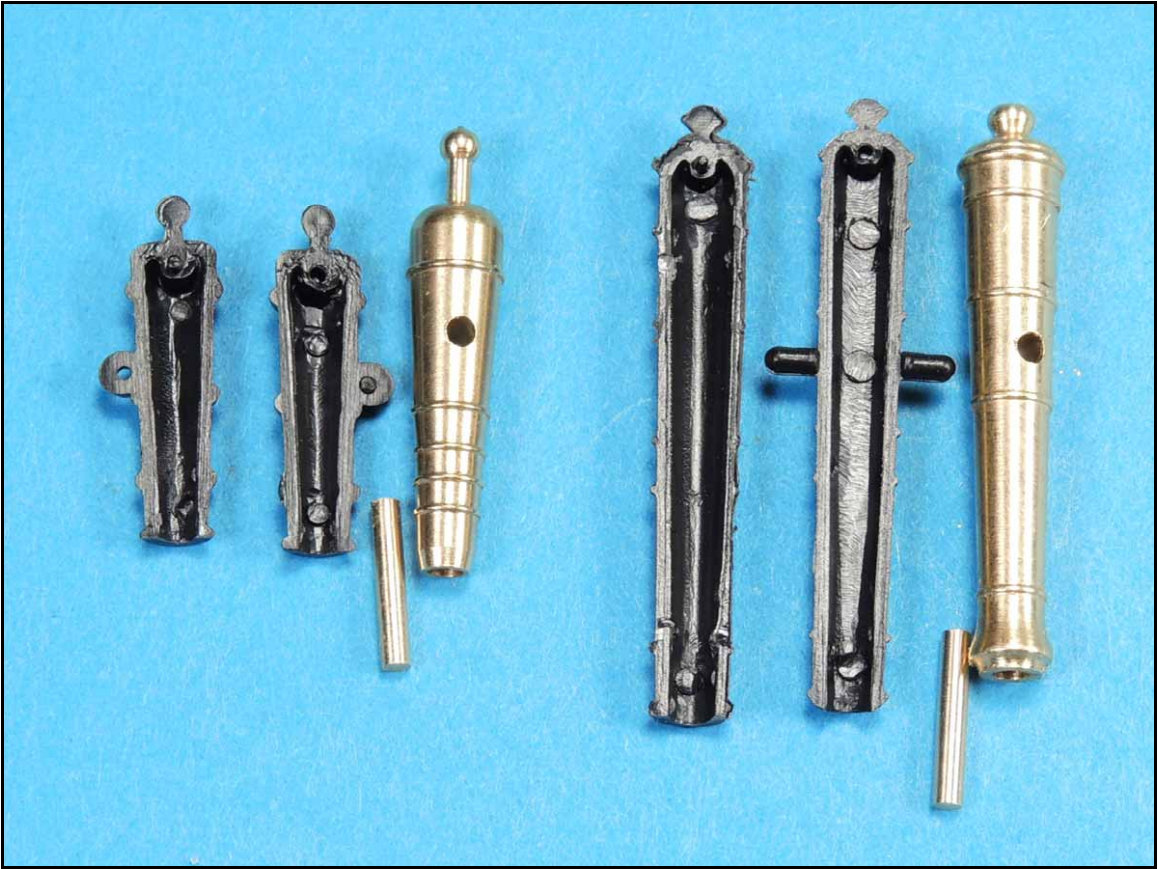
**HISMODEL COMPANY** sells a complete replacement set of 24-pounder long guns and 32-pounder carronades. The guns are turned brass and they also come with brass pin trunnions, which fit tightly into their openings on the cannons. There are a total of 57 brass pieces plus the pins.

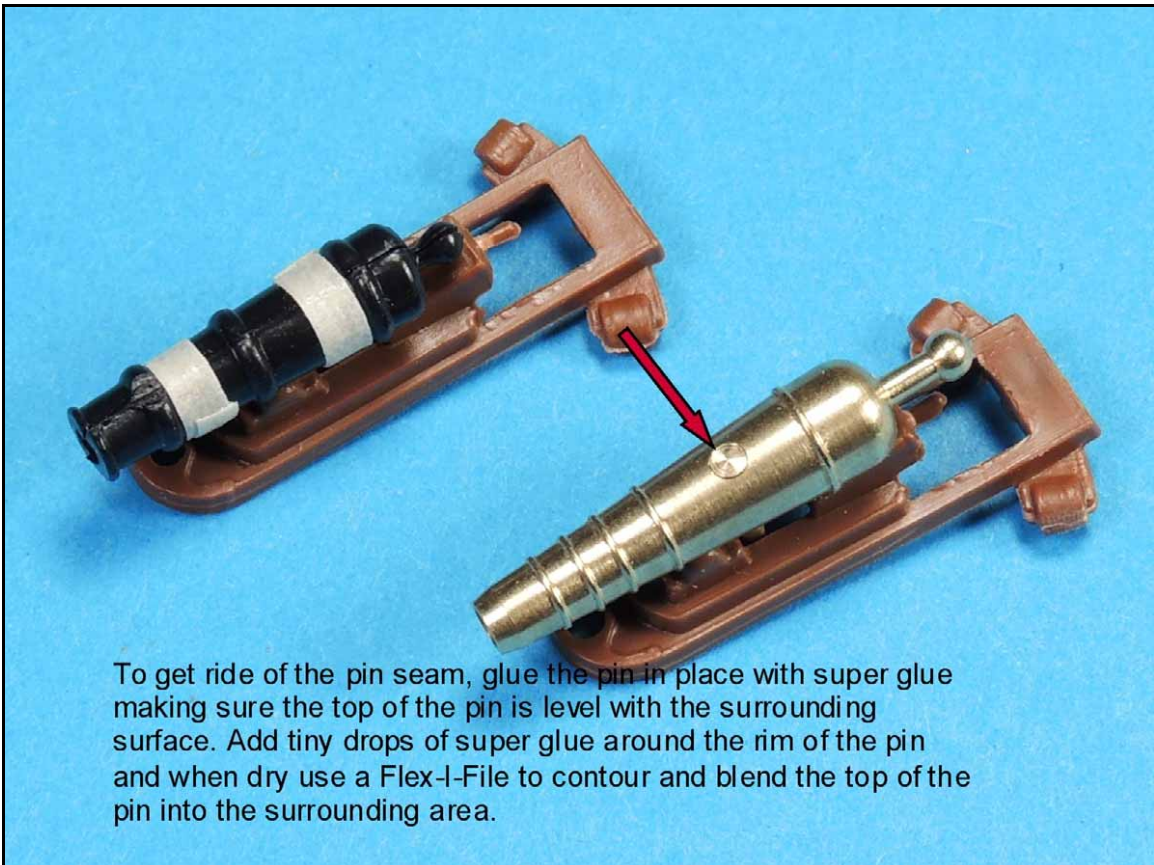
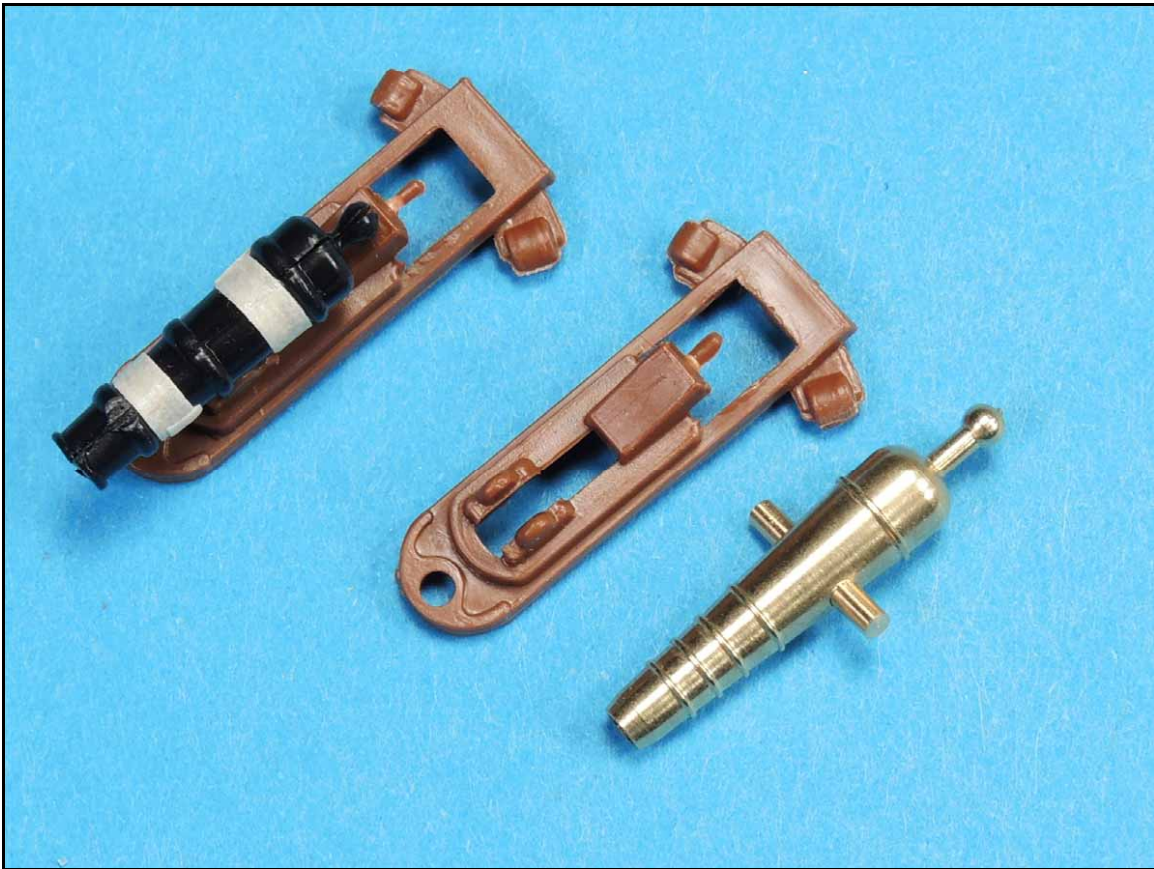
The carronade pins are positioned vertically so you will have to carefully set the pins with super glue and then sand the surfaces smooth with a Flex-I-File. The fit of the turned brass cannons onto the Revell plastic carriages is perfect. In addition, **HISMODEL COMPANY** includes samples of their real wood blocks, real metal rigging hardware and their American cloth flag.

I purchased my set on ebay for \$49.00 dollars plus \$9.00 for shipping. HiSMODELS is located in the Czech Republic.

Their website address is:

**[www.hismodel.com](http://www.hismodel.com)**





To get rid of the pin seam, glue the pin in place with super glue making sure the top of the pin is level with the surrounding surface. Add tiny drops of super glue around the rim of the pin and when dry use a Flex-I-File to contour and blend the top of the pin into the surrounding area.

