**13-1817. Personal property; repairs plus depreciation.**

In determining damages to personal property, you may award the reasonable expense of necessary repairs to the property, plus the decrease, if any, in the fair market value of the repaired property as compared to its fair market value before the occurrence.

USE NOTES

This instruction is to be used when the damages to which plaintiff is entitled are both the cost of repairs and the depreciation in value.

When applicable this instruction is a part of UJI 13-1802 NMRA.

If only the reasonable expense of necessary repairs is supported by the evidence use UJI 13-1813 NMRA.