



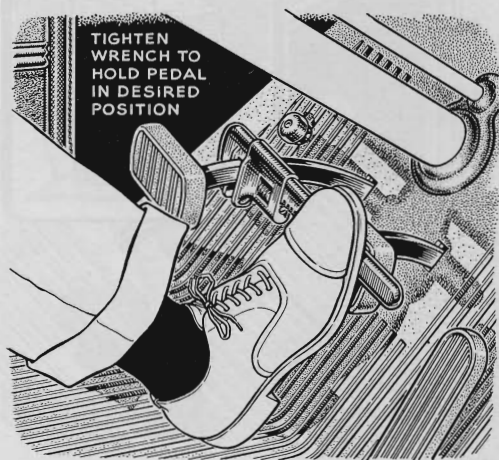
Hints from the Model Garage



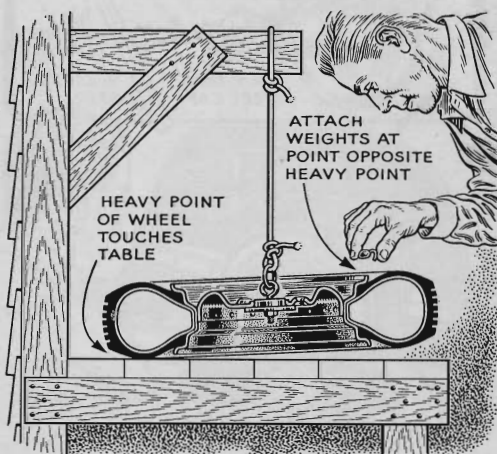
A Pipe Rack in Your Car. A piece of inner-tube rubber between two suction cups on windshield or dash makes a convenient pipe rack. Use cups with threaded shafts. Make holes in the rubber, slip it on the shafts, and tighten the nuts.



End Wrench Spreads Tire. It's difficult to apply a patch to the inside of a tire casing without a tire spreader. As a handy substitute, take a large open-end wrench and prop the sides of the casing apart as shown in the drawing above.



Wrench Holds Down Pedal. When it's necessary to keep the brake or clutch pedal depressed while you are working on a car, a large adjustable wrench does the job conveniently. With the pedal depressed, place the wrench handle against the pad and tighten the jaws on the shank of the companion pedal.



Balancing a Wheel. If carefully assembled, this rig will let you correct the static balance of your wheels. Mount a support arm over a leveled table or bench. Make a shouldered disk with a support ring that just presses into the wheel center. This must fit exactly to keep the hook-eye centered. Use rim weights to level the wheel.