

Timely Aids for Motorists

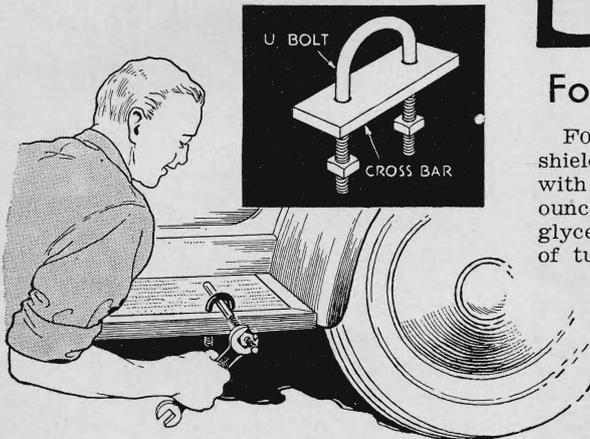


Inner Tube Aids in Flushing Radiator

BY TYING an old inner tube as shown at left to the radiator cap, you can prevent rusty radiator water from spilling out and staining a car's finish when the cooling system is being flushed out from the lower radiator connection.—A.H.W.

Vise for Minor Repairs

MINOR automobile repairs on the road are facilitated by the improvised vise shown in use below. Two holes drilled through the edge of the running board accommodate the U bolt, as indicated in the inset.—B.I.



Fogproofing a Windshield

FOGGING of the inside surface of a windshield can be prevented by wiping the glass with a sponge dipped in a mixture of four ounces of potassium oxalate, two ounces of glycerin, one grain of camphor, and one ounce of turpentine. Heat as shown.—M.L.

Tire Gauge Measures Compression

A TIRE valve stem soldered into an old spark-plug shell makes it possible to check cylinder compression simply by inserting the shell in place of a regular plug and pressing a tire gauge over the valve stem. A low reading on the gauge may mean piston-ring or valve wear.—H.A.

