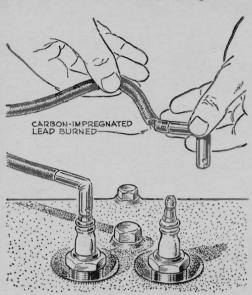
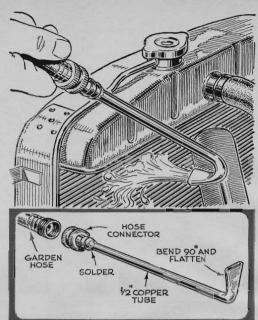
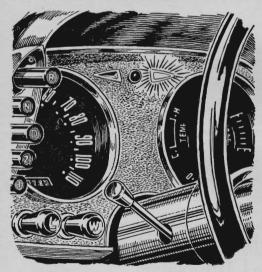
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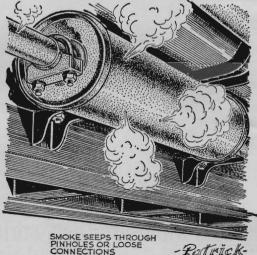
A persistent engine miss—one not due to bad points or plug—often can be remedied by replacing high-tension leads. Leads containing carbon-impregnated string instead of wire may appear sound even though internal arcing has broken the connection.



Cleaning bugs from the radiator core is easy with this homemade spray gun. Pinch a foot-long section of ½" copper tubing nearly shut at one end. Carefully bend the tip 90 degrees. Solder the other end to a connector from a garden hose.



The clicking of the turn indicator is a good test of the condition of your car battery. If, with the engine shut off, the clicks are slower than usual or more than a second apart, it's a good bet your battery is more than half discharged and needs attention.



Locate dangerous exhaust leaks with smoke signals. Have a friend generate clouds of smoke by pouring kerosene or upper-cylinder oil into the carburetor with the engine idling fast. The smoke will seep through and reveal even the tiniest pinholes.