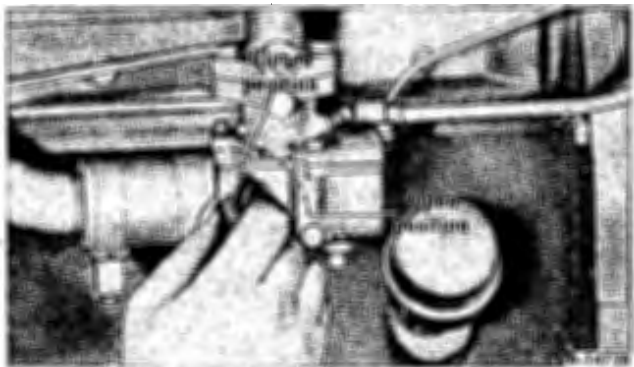


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Illust. 9

Closing the carburetor choke lever.
(Tractors without cranking motor.)

3. Advance the engine speed control lever one-third. See *Illust. 5*.

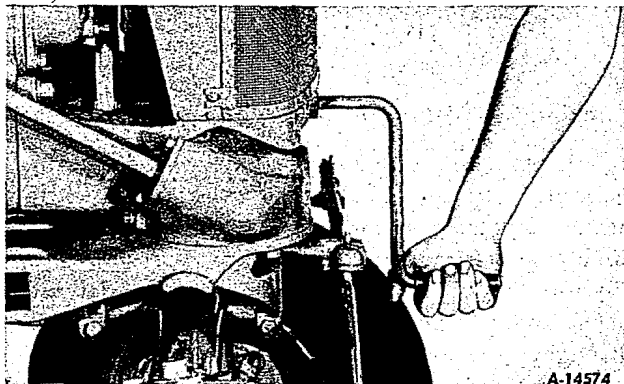
4. Pull out on the ignition switch button. See *Illust. 4*.

5. Crank the engine one or two strokes; then open the choke part way.

6. Crank the engine until it starts. See *Illust. 9A*.

Avoid overchoking, as excessive use of the choke will flood the engine, making it hard to start. The use of the choke for starting will vary, depending on temperature and altitude.

Caution! When cranking the engine, be sure that the gearshift lever is in the neutral position, and always stand in a position that will eliminate any possibility of being struck by the starting crank if there is a reversal of the direction of the engine. Crank the engine by using quick up-strokes; do not spin it.



Illust. 9A

Correct method of hand-cranking.
(Tractors without cranking motor.)



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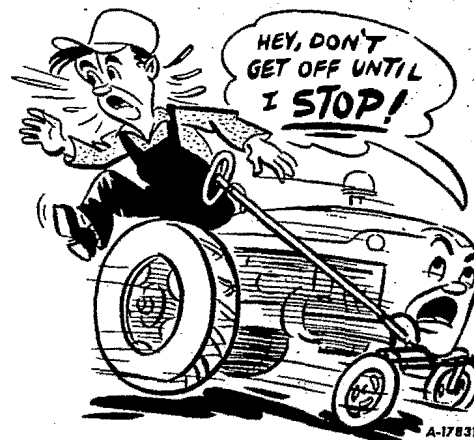
Always engage the clutch gently, especially when going up a hill or when pulling out of a ditch.



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Always lock the brake pedals together when driving on the highway or when driving in high gear.

Be sure that the brakes are properly adjusted.



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Never dismount from the tractor while it is in motion. Wait until it stops.