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ture. The battery should be charged periodically during storage.

8. Place blocking under the tractor axles to remove the weight from the tires.
9. Cover the exhaust pipe opening.
10. Place the pedal spacer, Figure 61, between the clutch pedal and foot plate to separate the clutch disc from the flywheel.

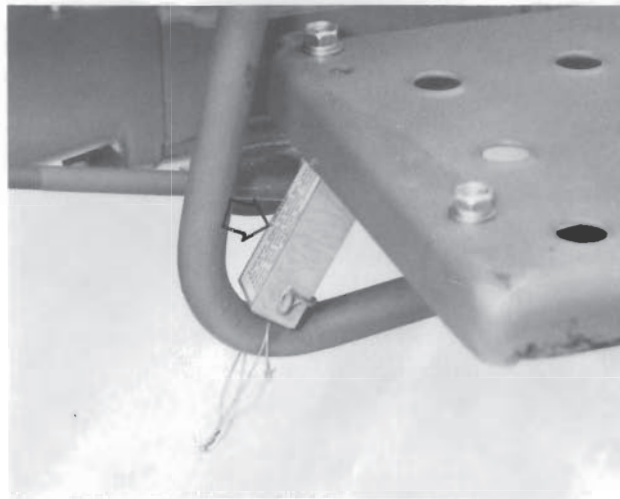


Figure 61 — Installing Pedal Spacer

Tractors that have been placed in storage should be completely serviced in the following manner before using:

1. Inflate the tires to the recommended pressures, and remove the blocking.
2. Check the oil level in the crankcase, hydraulic lift system, transmission and rear axle, and oil bath air cleaner.
3. Install a fully charged battery and remove the exhaust cover, if other than a rain cap.
4. Check the cooling system. The system should be filled with a 50/50 solution of permanent anti-freeze and clear water.
5. Remove clutch pedal spacer, Figure 61.
6. Start the engine and allow it to idle a few minutes. Be sure the engine is receiving lubrication and that each control is functioning correctly.
7. Drive the tractor without a load and check to be sure it is operating satisfactorily.