

Copper Battery Terminals

"They have 10 times more conductivity than commonly-used lead terminals, the leading cause of battery failure," says Don Fleming, president of DF Sales.

Fleming feels many farmers mistakenly blame battery failure on the battery itself when the problem is with the connecting cables. "Most batteries are hooked up using conventional copper cables with bolt-on terminals made of lead affixed to each end. Lead has a conductivity of only 8 to 10%, compared to 97% for copper." To get batteries hooked up with virtually no loss in conductivity, DF Sales has introduced crimp-type connecting terminals, constructed of copper with a corrosion resistant-plating, for making your own highly-efficient battery cables.

"We think our new copper terminals are, by far, the best choice available for hooking up batteries. The connections are copper to copper so there are no dissimilar metals involved to cause resistance or to create corrosion. We also have developed an exclusive teflon-coated heat-shrink sleeve which seals cables and connectors against battery gas, moisture, oil and anything else that can cause corrosion."

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"Dandelion Dobber" Makes Weed-Killing Easy

Reduce the amount of pesticide released into your yard and the environment. Too much is getting into our lakes, streams, and rivers.

The "Dandelion Dobber" can help. It treats individual weeds by dabbing on a small amount of liquid weed killer.

"If you spend a lot of time chasing down dandelions in your front yard, you'll like this new tool," says inventor Paul Johnson of Lake Crystal, Minn. "It eliminates the need for any spraying or digging and greatly reduces the amount of pesticide released into the environment. No stooping or bending is necessary."

The unit consists of a 4 1/2-ft. long, 3/4-in. dia. pvc pipe with a spring-loaded pump at the bottom end. To use it, you simply press the Dobber down over a weed to release some chemical.

The Dobber contains a small, spring-loaded pump made from brass tubing. When you press down on the Dobber it pushes up on the valve, causing the tube to draw in a small amount of liquid which comes out of the hole in the Dobber.

"Works great with Roundup, Weed-B-Gone, and any other herbicide," says John-



Bobber contains a spring-loaded pump.

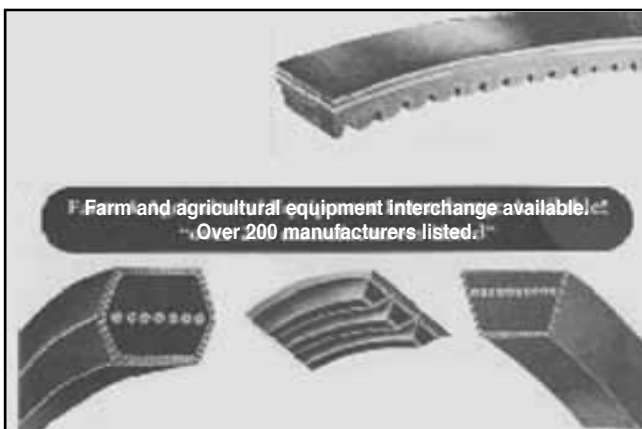
Paul Johnson and his "Dandelion Dobber".

son. "Full strength vinegar can also be used as it will kill dandelions and thistles very similar to weed killer. It can also be used to spoon feed fertilizer products, such as Miracle Grow, directly at the base of young plants."

Send a self-addressed, stamped envelope for a free brochure. Sells for \$20 plus \$10 S&H. Total: \$30.

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Combine drive belts are available, along with nearly every other type of V-belt for farm and ag machinery.

"Quality V-Belts At Economical Prices"

"We can save you 10 to 40%," says Jaydee Enterprises Inc., new farm market supplier of "quality V-Belts at economical prices."

"If we don't have a scarce replacement belt in stock, there's a good chance we can have one custom made," says Mel Simcheck, president. "We've saved the day for many farmers who've had to prematurely retire combines and other equipment for want of a drive belt no longer available from equipment dealers or salvage yards.

"Our policy on warranty coverage is to let the customer determine what's fair. If

he's operating in tough conditions and a belt he bought from us breaks, he most likely wouldn't expect a free replacement. On the other hand, if he told us the belt broke unexpectedly under normal operating conditions, we'd honor his request for a free or reduced rate replacement."

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