Anchoring the Utility Motor

Indoor Methods of Anchoring a Portable Electric Motor

The use of a self-locking block and tackle for anchoring the portable motor and tightening the belt, as shown in the above illustrations, is very satisfactory. A fence stretcher or a twisted rope or chain may also be used and are shown on the opposite page.

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Outdoor Methods of Anchoring a Portable Electric Motor

The self locking block and tackle (A) or fence stretcher (B) methods are especially satisfactory. They are easily adjusted and the motor can be moved readily to secure correct belt alignment. Keep the belt just tight enough to prevent slipping. Avoid excessive belt tension.

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