

The air pressure in the suspension is manually controlled individually by the control panels located on each side of the vehicle.

TO INFLATE AIR SPRING

To inflate air spring, allign arrow on the Control Knob with center of name plate and pull. When the desired air pressure is reached push in the Control Knob and turn 90° left or right, this will hold the air pressure.

TO RELEASE PRESSURE

To release pressure on either side, depress the Pressure Release Button on the control panel for that side. In the case of evenly distributed weight, first release pressure from either side, then bleed down the other side as indicated by the Pressure Gauge. In case of unequal load distribution release pressure from the heaviest side first, then release pressure from the lighter side until the vehicle is level.

NEVER OPERATE TANDEM-AIR WITH LESS THAN 3 PSI EACH SIDE.

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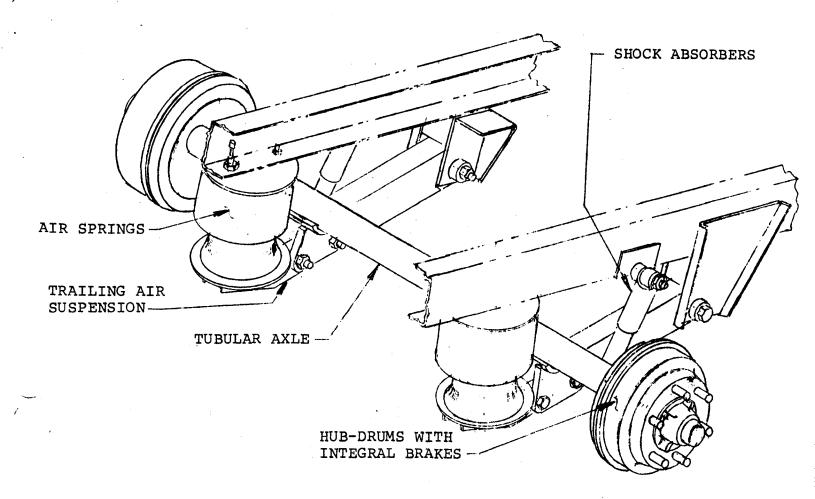
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TANDEM AIR 3RD AXLE SUSPENSION SYSTEM AND RUNNING GEAR

<u>TA-3-CA-865</u>

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PRE-OPERATIONAL CHECK LIST

Before the vehicle is placed into service, the following items should be inspected:

- Air pressure in air springs not to exceed
 P.S.I. or be less than 3 P.S.I.
- 2. Dimension from axle horizontal centerline to underside of frame should be checked according to vehicle specifications on page 16 (See compressor dash control panel operation page 5)
- 5"

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 Frame
- 3. The air springs must have clearance around the rubber air cell.
- Check suspension system for leaks.
- 5. Check all nuts and bolts for tightness. (See page 7 for torque specifications.)

OPERATING INSTRUCTIONS

TO INFLATE TANDEM-AIR FOR TRAVEL

With vehicle in a condition of normal load and weight distribution, air springs should be inflated to the required air pressure. See Load Chart (page 6)

Thereafter, whenever conditions of load and weight distribution change, simply adjust inflation of air springs to maintain a level vehicle. This adjustable feature can be used to accommodate uneven weight distribution, or change loading for traction control during on and off road operations.

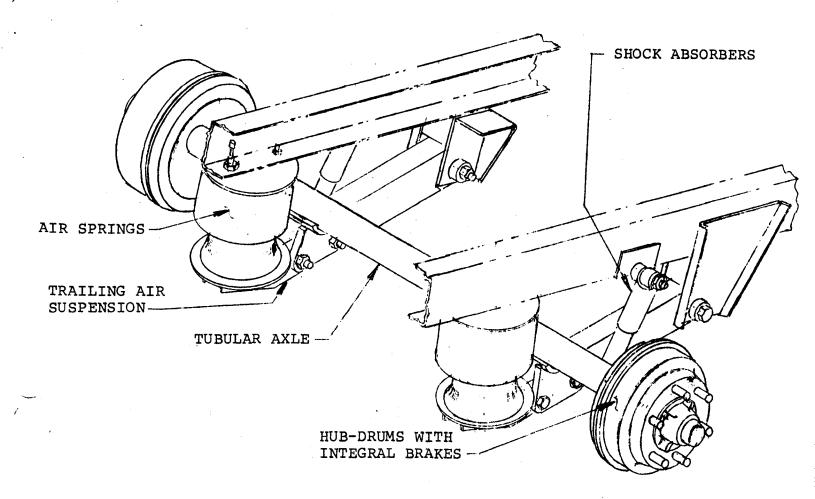
TO INFLATE TANDEM-AIR FOR SITE LEVELING

Through use of the air control panel, tandem-air can be used to "level out" tilted, or uneven campsites as required to bring the vehicle to a comfortable, level condition. Important - return the vehicle back to normal traveling before moving from campsite.

CAUTION - Never run unit with less than 3 PSI. Air pressure not to exceed 20 PSI with single wheels on tandem air suspension.

Air pressure not to exceed 45 PSI with dual wheels on tandem air suspension.

NOTE: Does not apply during campsite leveling.



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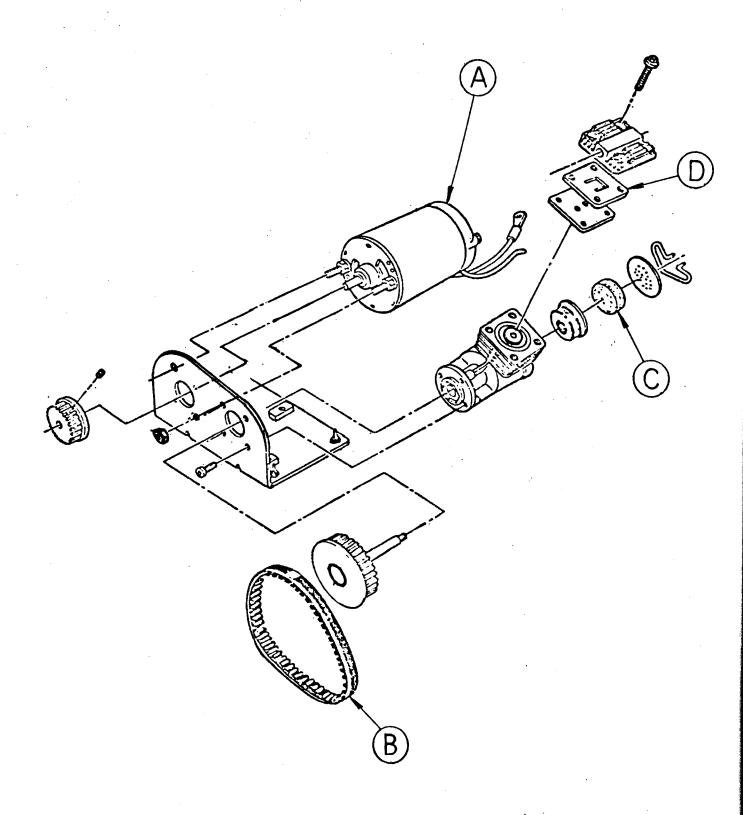
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AIR COMPRESSOR 905 54 067

NEWAY "TANDEM AIR" LOAD CHART

AIR PRESSURE vs. LOAD

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SERVICE NOTES

TORQUE SPECIFICATIONS (LUBRICATED THREADS)

Bolt Size	*Recommended Torque
1/2" at Air Spring	20-25 Ft. Lbs.
1/2" Cap Screw at Air Spring	40-50 Ft. Lbs.
5/8" at Shock Absorber	125 Ft Lbs.
3/4" at Air Spring	20-25 Ft. Lbs.
3/4" at Frame Bracket	270 Ft. Lbs.

(BRASS AIR FITTING CONNECTIONS)

<u>Brass Pipe Fitting - Size</u>	*Recommended	Torque
1/8 N.P.T.	4 Ft.	Lbs.
1/4 N.P.T.	10 Ft.	Lbs.

Note: Use Permatex or sealer at brass pipe fitting connections.

When assembling nut to body of brass compression fittings at plastic tubing connections, tighten as follows: tighten "hand tight". Then tighten with a wrench 1 1/4 turns at all 1/4 tubing fittings. Note: (1) turn equals 360.

^{*} All torque valves + 10%

SERVICE NOTES

AIR SPRINGS

The pneumatic suspension system is virtually maintenancefree, however if leakage is suspected, it may be located as follows:

Inflate the system to at least 30 psi as indicated by the pressure gauges, and check all fittings for leaks with a soap and water solution. Dab the solution above the fitting and allow to run down over it. If there is the slightest leak, a bubble will form. Tighten or replace any defective fittings found.

WHEEL BEARINGS

Wheel bearing can best be serviced at any tandem air service center or by an experienced garage mechanic or service station employee. However, for the owner who wishes to service his own, the following procedure should be performed every 10,000 miles, or annually, whichever comes first.

Remove wheels and inspect bearings. Look for any evidence that seals have been allowing grease to escape or water to enter the bearings. Remove both inner and outer bearings from the axle.

Inspect the seal surface of the axle to be certain it is smooth and clean. Inspect bearings and races for galling, checking or crystalization. Replace damaged parts. Repack the bearings with a quality brand, fiber-base bearing lubricant by forcing the grease between the rollers, cone and cage. Apply a liberal amount of grease to the outside of cones and inside of cups. Use a new set of inner grease seals when reassembling the wheel. Tighten the adjusting nut with a 12-inch wrench while rotating the wheel both ways until

WHEEL BEARINGS (Cont'd)

there is a slight bind. Then back off the nut between a quarter and a sixth of a turn to the nearest locking hole and insert and bend a new cotter pin in place. Completely fill the grease cup with grease before reinstalling.

BRAKE ADJUSTMENT

The brakes used on Tandem-Air are an automotive type brake, and the method of adjustment is the same:

Jack the vehicle up so the wheel being adjusted is off the ground.

Remove the dust plug from its location in the lower inside flange of the brake assembly and insert the blade of a screwdriver or a standard brake adjusting tool to engage the slotted diameter of the brake adjusting screw. Rotate the screw by moving the outer end of the adjusting tool up. Turn the screw while rotating the wheel, until the wheel has a heavy drag, then back off the screw until the wheel turns freely (6 to 8 clicks). Replace the dust plug to keep out dirt and moisture. Repeat the procedure on the opposite wheel. (This procedure should be repeated every 5,000 miles).

SHOCK ABSORBERS

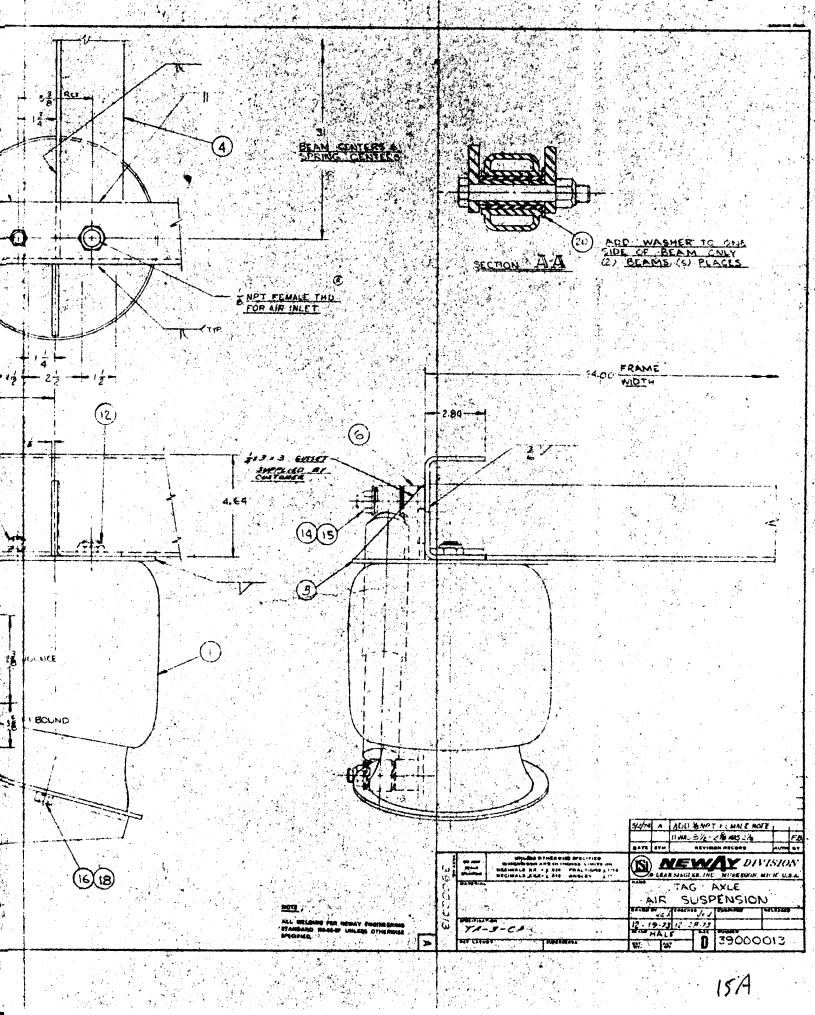
Shock absorbers should be replaced whenever they become ineffective in dampening vertical axle vibration. A special valving arrangement on Tandem-Air operates during the compression stroke to permit the vehicle to ride on the spring and not on the shock absorber. This gives a better ride and longer shock absorber life.

SECTION V - TROUBLESHOOTING

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	Wheels out of balance	Balance wheels				
	Loose wheel bearings	Adjust bearings Replace if required. 8				
Off-level stance	Improper spring inflation.	Adjust inflation pressures.				
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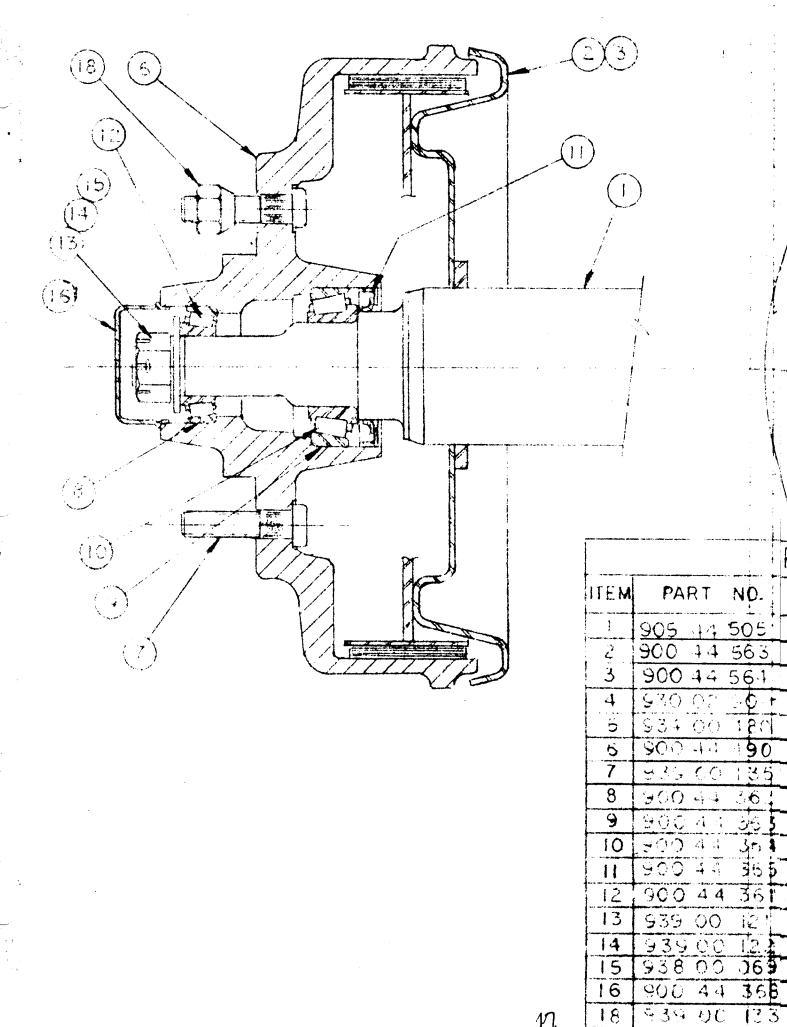
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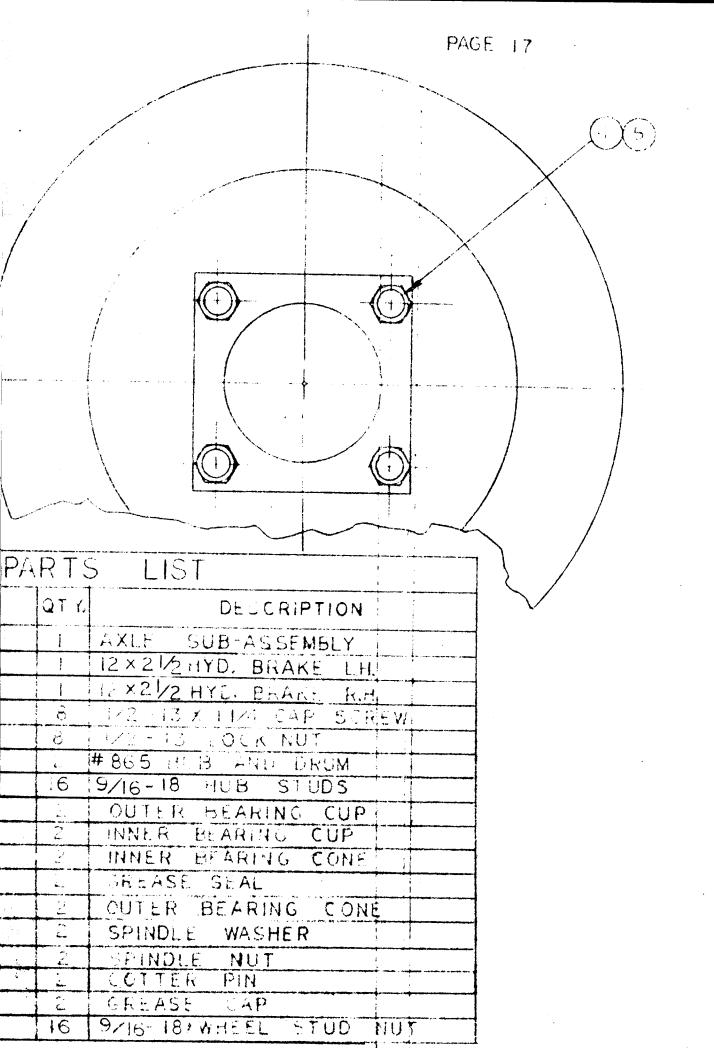
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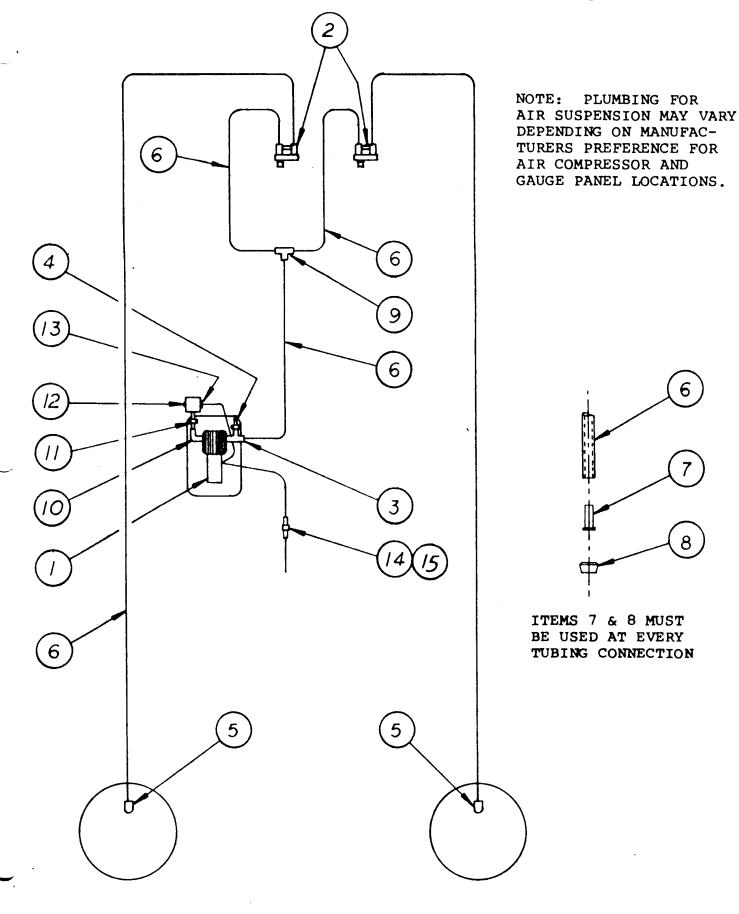


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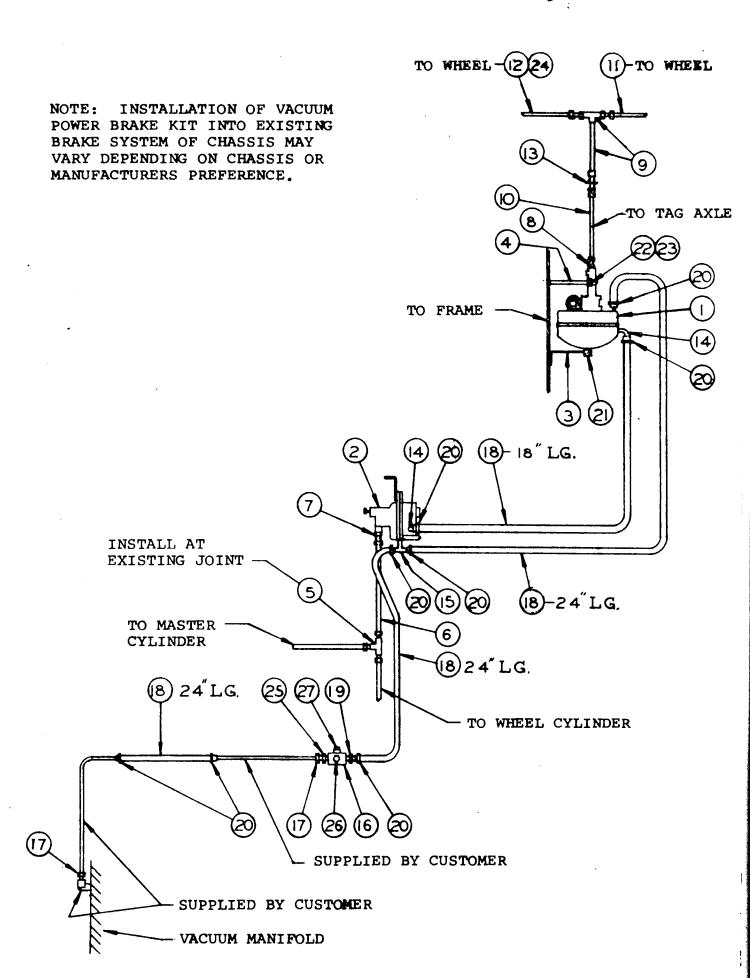


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SERVICING PROCEDURE

Air Compressor, 905 54 067

1. DRIVE BELT

While rotating the compressor by hand, gradually work the belt off the pulley that is installed with the flange toward the mounting bracket.

NOTE: When installing a drive belt:

- A. Place the belt on the pulley with its flange to the front, and gradually start the belt onto the other pulley.
- B. Rotate the compressor by hand until the belt is completely onto the pulleys.

2. <u>INTAKE ASSEMBLY</u>

- A. Remove the spring wire filter assembly retainer.
- B. Remove the filter cover, filter, and filter holder assembly.
- C. The filter may be replaced or it may be cleaned with soap and water and squeezed dry.

3. MOTOR PULLEY

Loosen headless set screw in the pulley and slide the pulley off the motor shaft.

4. MOTOR ASSEMBLY

- A. Remove drive belt, Step #1.
- B. Remove two hex nuts that hold the motor to the bracket.

5 CYLINDER HEAD, EXHAUST VALVE & HEAD PLATE

- A. Remove four hex screws, holding the head to the housing assembly.
- B. Usually, the head, exhaust valve and head plate will come off as a unit. These parts may be seperated by inserting a knife blade between the head and exhaust valve and gradually working them apart. Carefully note the relationship of the red silicone rubber exhaust valve reed portion of the exhaust valve to the valve holes in the head plate. The relationship must be maintained to insure proper compressor operation.

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