

## WORKSHOP WRINKLES.

Humour from the Base Depot Workshop

Have you seen Parkie's puzzles? It puzzles us to know he puzzles out these puzzles that puzzle other people so much!

Who is the "mechanic" that turned off the tap a little at the gasoline tank when he found the engine was receiving too rich a mixture? Probably he gained this brilliant idea from another "mechanic" who recently loosened the nuts on his big ends when the bearings were too tight?

But still that's not too bad considering someone in the Light Car Park put 600 W into a Cadillac dry clutch!

Wouldn't it be "orl rite" if this did not have to pass the censor? We could then ease our minds!

Who was the electrician that made a present of all his money and pass to two charming young ladies he met on the Strand? Will they frame the pass and keep it as a souvenir? We guess that with them it is already a thing of the past.

It is rumoured that Melse came to his rescue financially. Did he borrow the money off Dave?

Is it true that someone got entangled with a live wire recently and sparks came off his heel plates? Perhaps he needed a shaking up, for Dame Rumour

says that he is more than wide awake now!

Is it right that the Briscoe Motor Co. have written for our local expert? What would the little room do if "Dad" went?

Have you seen our lights? It's a case of casting lights on dark subjects. We wonder if the new lighting system is appreciated around 4.30 p.m.? If not, why not?

It is rumoured that James knows just how to salute. It's only WRIGHT that he should.

Where did the Sergeant get that hare? It has been said that he is a devil for "game," especially "Chicken." He doesn't "Grouse" even if it is not "Prairie Chicken."

Did the recent corner in shortcake biscuits pan out to the liking of the enterprising tinsmith concerned?

Coming events cast their shadows before. Have you noticed how supremely at peace Sergt. Watts has been lately? May his new life be a happy one. Best of luck, Sergeant. Drink hearty! We hope you will have a tip-top wedding.

Did the boys enjoy their ride out Ashford way, and was the air not rather dry that evening?

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## TRUCK TALES.

Amusing Anecdotes from the Heavy Truck Section.

Our "Barney" Oldfield, otherwise Driver Gaukel, of South Burlap, Indiana, was out of luck a few days ago, when he mistook the road past the Transport Office for the Indianapolis Speedway.

We wonder what the Hythe Repair Shops think a transmission gear case is used for?

Who pinched the tail light off Lorry No. 6 and put a broken one on in its place; but forget to see if it had a number on it?

We hope that our Officer in charge, Lieut. Fairhead, will be careful of his

new motor cycle and side-car, and not break any bicycles—glass—or ribs with it.

We wonder if Q.M.S. Mackie likes the way the rain comes in through the roof of his quarters?

We saw Sweezie the other day and asked him how he liked driving a truck. He replied that he liked driving a truck all right, but he didn't like driving "truck."

We wonder how some of the drivers who paraded to get on the draft would like to shovel some coal for a change?