



**T**he floorpan is, without question, the most abused and neglected portion of your VW. Honestly, haven't we all at one time or another spilled something horribly sticky like a half-gallon size "Big Gulp" soft drink behind the seats? Or never quite cleaned up all of last year's beach sand and french fries from under the rubber mats? Or how about the battery you once had that smoked its way right through the floorboards? How come you never got around to hammering out those huge dents placed so uncarefully by the former owner when he raised the car by positioning a floor jack just anywhere? Remember when the body shop told you they *think* they got everything straight up front when you hit that guardrail on the Santa Ana freeway? And last but not least, are you tired of adjusting your clutch cable every week



TOP, our "Perfect Pan" is clean enough to enjoy dinner on. CENTER LEFT, to get things rolling, we began to remove the factory tar boards and assorted leaves. ABOVE, disassembled, cleaned and ready for work. LEFT, since the center tar boards are no longer available, we will make our own using templates as a guide.