In his article in the January 2005 edition of *Dental Practice*, Chris Bell, a lecturer in restorative dentistry referred to dental amalgams as being the workhorse of restorative dentistry - "...a material that is almost indestructible, ...able to survive many a horrendous occlusion, ...where a composite may fall at the first hurdle". However, the villain in dental amalgam is the excess of mercury that leaches out of the filling.

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