

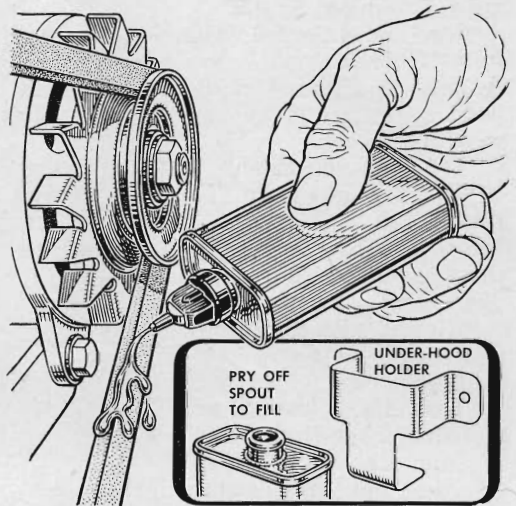
## Hints from the Model Garage

---



**Drop a spare set of car keys** in the windshield-washer reservoir bag. They won't interfere with its operation. The opaque bag makes a safe hiding place and the keys won't vibrate loose as they might if taped to some part of the car.

---

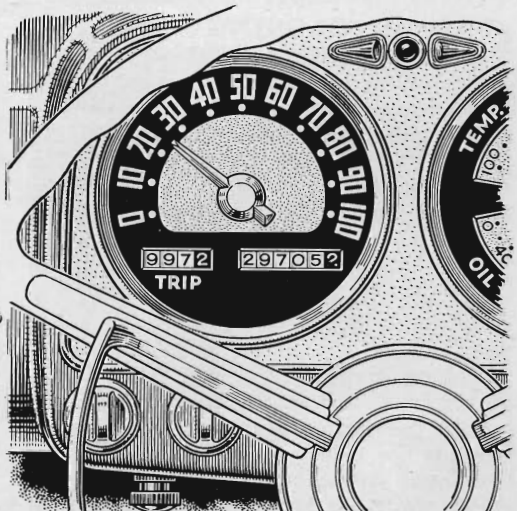


**To silence fan-belt squeaks** and the like, keep some brake fluid in a lighter-fuel can. It'll also lube tires for easy mounting; and give a fast cleaner for floor mats and soiled hands. A spring clip mounted under the hood will carry it.

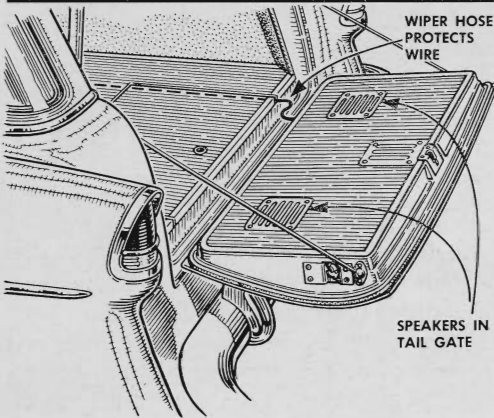
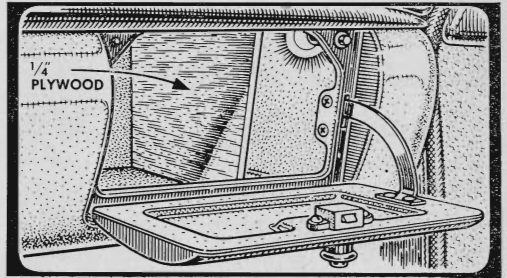
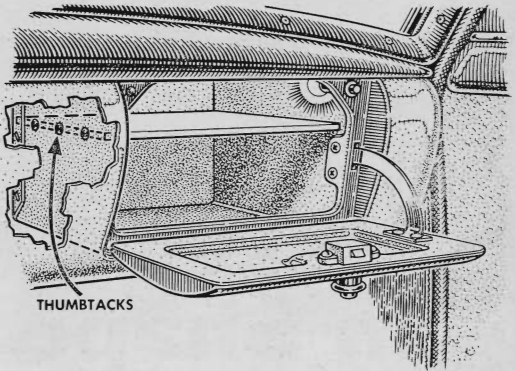
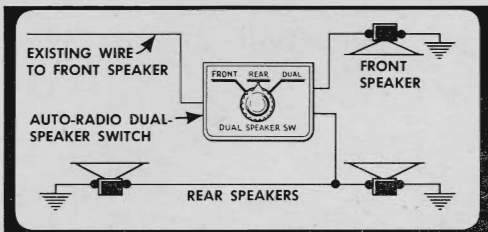
---



**Freshen the faded interior** of an older car by spraying it with fabric dye dissolved in hot water. Use a deeper shade of the original color and saturate the material. Masking isn't necessary as the dye can be wiped off metal, glass and paint.

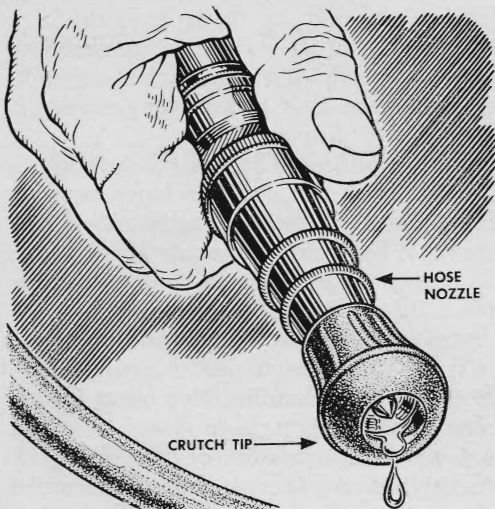


**You can keep tab on oil changes** if your car has a trip odometer. Set it to zero when the car is serviced. Unlike a garage sticker, which you must remember to check, the odometer will be a reminder as mileage nears oil-change time.



**A station wagon's tailgate** is a safe place to mount rear-seat speakers. Set speakers in holes cut in the tailgate and cover them with metal grilles. Connect them to the front-speaker wire with a three-way dual-speaker control switch.

**A plywood shelf** or vertical partition installed in the glove compartment keeps road maps neat and separate from other articles. Fasten the wood dividers with thumbtacks driven through the fiber sides or bottom of the compartment.



**A hose nozzle can't scratch** or chip your car's finish if you cover its end with a rubber crutch tip. Cut a  $\frac{1}{8}$ " hole in the crutch tip to let the water through. Center this hole so that it won't interfere with the fine-spray adjustment.

**Print your name,** address and phone number with a grease pencil on the inside of your car's hub caps. If you should happen to lose one, there is a good chance it will be returned or that you will receive a call to come and get it.