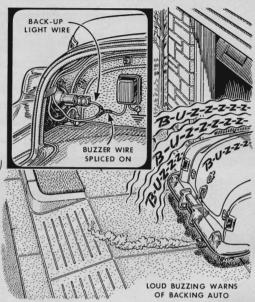


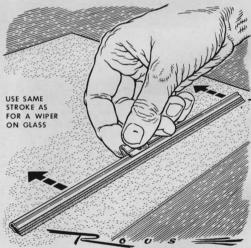
Some battery tricks, such as a spare solderless terminal to replace a broken one, may save you serious trouble on the road. An inexpensive lead shim permits tightening on a worn post. A drop of oil on the terminal and hold-down bolt threads every time you grease the car combats corrosion and makes battery removal easy.



A back-up buzzer is an added safety measure for pedestrians when you back out of a driveway. You can install one quickly in the trunk of a car equipped with automatic back-up lights, using a door buzzer spliced in the wiring of one of the lights. Mounted and grounded on the metal body, it sounds off every time you back.



Wheel noises on cars having the new large-size hub caps are often caused by the caps themselves. Run a little brake fluid all around the inside crimp, prying gently with a screwdriver to let it all the way in, and you have a lasting cure.



Worn windshield wipers can have their efficiency restored by stropping the edges on sandpaper until clean rubber shows for the entire length. Then you hold the blade on edge and slide it lightly lengthwise on the paper to square it up.