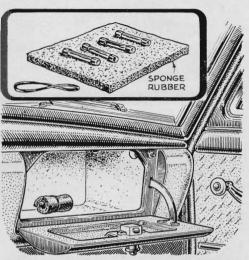
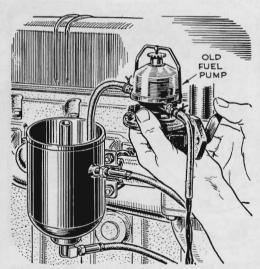
## Hints from the Model Garage CLAMP-ON TRAILER HITCH PIECE OF INNER TUBE

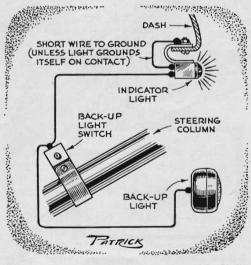
Cushion a trailer hitch with strips of rubber cut from a discarded inner tube. Placed between bumper and hitch, the rubber prevents chrome from being scratched. It also absorbs road vibrations which tend to loosen the hitch bolts.



Spare fuses and bulbs won't get smashed by tools, flashlights and such in your glove compartment if they're protected by foam rubber. Roll them up in a small sheet of the resilient material and wrap this with a heavy rubber band or two.



Cleaning out the oil-filter housing during an oil change is messy when the housing has no drain plug. For this difficult job I use an old, but workable, fuel pump. Moving the actuating lever by hand sucks out the sludge in the bottom.



When your car is in reverse, this light blinks on to warn you. It's bracketed to the underside of the dash and wired to the back-up light switch. When the backup lights go on, so does the dash light as a visual reminder to the driver.