

### Tire Experts Offer Methods of Drive Against Gremlins

Ever hear of a little guy called "Skiddy?"

Most every motorist has suffered from his antics at one time or another.



L. J. LOHMEYER

Well, Skiddy is the mythical little Gremlin who follows in the wake of the first stormy weather of Winter time, and brings grief and woe to those un-

way motorists who have worn their tires until the tread is smooth.

He's an unmanageable little imp, and whenever he starts working on a car the result is liable to be disastrous. While he's one of the busiest of the tire Gremlins right now, he has plenty of helpers to promote punctures, cuts, blowouts and uneven wear.

It's because of the damage Skiddy causes in stormy weather that Mobilgas dealers have included tire service as one of the 4 "Musts" of their Winter-proof campaign to protect cars against the ravages of mud, sludge and rain, and to help make them last longer during this critical period of wartime driving, according to L. J. Lohmeyer, district manager for General Petroleum Corporation.

"It's a wise motorist," he states "who consults his Mobilgas dealer frequently about tire conditions, and on what to do to keep good serviceable rubber on his car."

While Winter-proofing covers all vital parts of the automobile, tire service is stressed both because of the danger involved in neglect, and the possibility of being without rubber for future driving. That's why it's so important to have tires carefully checked and inflated to proper pressure every few days. This adds to the life of the tire, as does also the proper cross-switching every few thousand miles. It has been proven that such service as this can add at least 3,000 miles to the life of a tire."

"Most Mobilgas and Mobiloil dealers are now equipped to furnish high-grade recaps for any motorist whose tires are worn smooth. Not only these recaps, but general repair service can be obtained by any motorist in need without securing a government permit.

"For those who are able to buy new tires, many of these dealers are now in position to offer the well known and highly regarded Federal tire. The Federal tire has

been recognized as one of the top quality tires of the country since 1908. And since quality is so desirable in the purchase of tires these days, when they must last, the demand for this particular line has been heavy.

"All Mobil dealers," Mr. Lohmeyer concluded, "are doing their utmost to help car owners keep their tires in service. Drivers are invited to take advantage of this assistance."

### Ration Calendar

**Gasoline:**

In 17 east coast states A-6 coupons are now good. In states outside the east coast area A-S coupons are now good.

**Fuel Oil:**

Period 1 coupons are good through January 3.

**Sugar:**

Stamp No. 14 good for 5 pounds through October. Stamps Nos. 15 and 16 good for 5 pounds each for home canning through October 31.

**Shoes:**

Stamp No. 18 good for 1 pair. Validity has been extended indefinitely.

**Meats, Fats:**

Brown stamps, C, D, E, and F good through October 30.

**Processed Foods:**

Blue stamps U, V, and W expire October 20. Blue stamps X, Y and Z are good through November 20.

### Timely Recipes

**Lemon Milk Sherbet**

1 envelope plain gelatin  
4 cups milk  
1/2 tsp salt

1 1/2 cups granulated sugar

3/4 cup lemon juice

1 tsp grated lemon rind

Soak gelatin in one half cup of the milk in a bowl for five minutes. Then set bowl over boiling water and stir until gelatin is dissolved. Combine rest of the ingredients with the remaining milk. Stir in gelatin. Turn into freezing tray and freeze until set, without stirring. Serves 5 or 6.

**Orange Ice**

1/2 cup orange juice

1/2 cup lemon juice

1 1/4 cups sugar

2 cups milk

Add milk to mixture and place in freezing tray. When partly frozen, remove from tray and beat with an egg beater, thoroughly. Return mixture to freezing tray and allow to continue freezing until firm. Serves 6.

**Cotton Use Increases**

Consumption of cotton in this country has increased from 6.9 million bales to 11.2 million bales.

Salesbooks, receipt books, book-keeping systems. The Sentinel.

### Important Things

"In order to live anywhere near the American standard, we need lots of things today. Now that



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some are hard to get, we appreciate their importance more." So says George Hohman of the Red Horse Mobilgas station. "We need shoes and socks, milk and butter and eggs, sugar, coffee, meat, suits and dresses, household products, underthings, overcoats, and what not. But, did you ever think: Your automobile needs food (grease and oil) and overcoats (surface protectors) and shoes (tires) just like you do for Wintertime. And it needs that semi-annual physical checkup of the M.D. (Mobilgas dealer) just like you require the checkup of your M.D. to keep healthy. That's the why of car Winter-proofing. We're ready. What are you waiting for?"

**Turkey Crop to Be Moving to Market**

D. C. Wilson, Yoncalla turkey buyer who was in town Tuesday, reported that turkeys would be moving to market at a rapid rate within a few days. The first turkeys to be marketed from this section were from the Jim Abbott flock and brought the prevailing price of 41 cents for hens and 38 cents for toms.

The 10,000,000 pounds wanted for the army and navy has not been secured yet and it is still questionable whether turkeys will be available for the civilian population for Thanksgiving.

**Amateur Astronomers**

At the present time there are more than 100,000 active amateur astronomers in the United States.

**Generally Speaking**

The number of languages in the world is estimated by French scientists at 2,796.

### LODGES BUY FLYING FORTRESS

At the meeting of the Rebekah lodge Friday evening at the Odd Fellows hall, it was reported that the Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Oregon had gone over the top in the 3rd war loan drive and had bought more than enough bonds to purchase a flying fortress. The fortress will bear the inscription "Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of Oregon." A quiz was held on questions taken from the grand lodge return which will be continued at the next meeting.

Mrs. Agnes Bowers was elected to membership by reinstatement. President Bertha McCollum's official letter was read from the Pacific Odd Fellow. Also a proclamation by Ray Colmstock, grand master, proclaiming the months of October and November harvest festival months for the Odd Fellows home.

Past Noble Grands club was announced for Thursday, October 28, with Bess Kline, Vera Ziebeck, Mary VanDenburg and Linnie Violette hostesses. Rebekah Staff practice was announced for Friday evening, October 22, at 7:30. All staff members are urged to be present.

Following lodge a miscellaneous shower was held for Mr. and Mrs. Tonole of Divide who lost their home recently by fire. Many useful gifts were received by the Tonoles.

**Radar**

When trained on enemy planes, still far beyond reach of anti-aircraft, Radar reports the three elements of their position necessary for exact plotting: (1) distance, (2) angle of elevation, (3) angle of azimuth. In other words, the observer can tell how far away the planes are, how high they are, and from what direction they are coming. Then, when the planes are within firing range, this information is used to predict the precise point at which shells should burst.

### More Soap to Be Made, No Reason To Hoard Stock

A 28 per cent increase in all soaps produced for civilian use will result from a recent War Food administration order, announces Lois A. Lutz, extension specialist in home management. More fats and oils are being allocated for this purpose, though manufacturers are being required to use prescribed percentages of non-fat materials as substitutes for fats.

A temporary shortage of a few types of soap on retail shelves has been caused by consumer hoarding, according to national officials. Actually, soap stocks in 1942 were the largest on record and some of that heavy supply was on the market until the middle of 1943. Soap production has dropped somewhat this year, but the increase just authorized will allow for slightly more soap per capita than in pre-war years. There is no basis for "scare buying," the War Food administration assures housewives.

Miss Lutz explains that in July, 1943, an order was issued allowing for soap-making only 80 per cent of the fats and oils used for that purpose in 1940-41. The extra fats and oils now being made available will increase the quantity to 90 per cent in household packaged soaps and all types of bar and liquid soap. This will mean a jump in this type of soap from the present 17 pounds per person to 22 pounds.

Even so, soap supplies will not be excessive, so careful conservation is still necessary, Miss Lutz cautions. Supplies will be increased, but so will demands. Military and industrial needs are greater, and large supplies soon will be

### WEATHER BAN LIFTED

A new policy materially relaxing restrictions on the release of weather information within the western defense command has been issued to the regional weather

bureaus in San Francisco and Seattle. It was announced Saturday at the headquarters of Lieutenant General Delos C. Emmons, commanding general of the western defense command.

The new policy is effective as of 12 midnight October 17. It abolishes practically all restrictions concerning the publication of weather information in the press except that forecasts will be limited to 26 hours.

**Parallel to Greece**  
The Mayan civilization in Mexico and Central America began about 500 B. C.

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