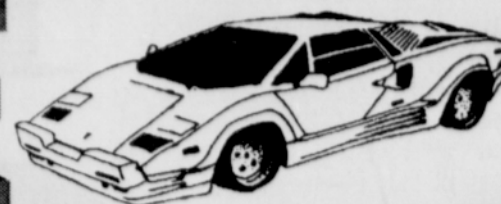


# AUTOMOTIVE



## AUTOMOTIVE CARE CORNER Shocks Or Struts...Both Need Attention

His car had been rocking, rolling and swaying down the road until Uncle Harold got tired of "motion discomfort." His technician diagnosed the problem as weak struts.

"Struts?" he asked, "what's a strut?" Uncle Harold draws a blank on most of this new fangle automotive terminology.

"Remember the shock absorbers on you last car? Struts do the same thing," the technician explained. "They're actually shocks inside a strut housing which connects the suspension to the body of the car. Like a shock absorber, when it's worn it can't dampen the action of the springs. You lose ride control.

"Not only does it cause it cause a bobbing, wandering ride, it also makes tires wear out fast."

Those struts, like conventional shock absorbers, had worn out, from normal use, over an extended period of time. Harold was unaware of the change in his car's handling until it has deteriorated so far that it had become a safety hazard.

Because shocks and struts are part of the complex steering and suspension system, says the Car Care Council, they should be checked after the vehicle shows, 25,000 miles on the odometer (depending on road conditions) and every 6,000 miles after that.

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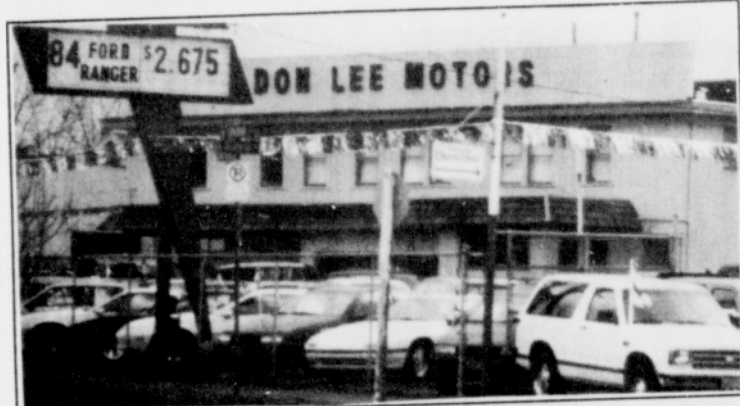
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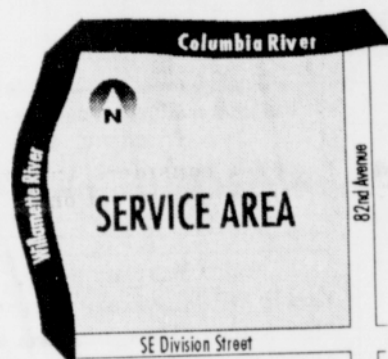
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"The program will have news, weather, traffic updates and sports, but also will provide the viewers with special features, timely information, live interviews and even a little fun to get their day off to a good start", according to KOIN-TV Director of News & Operations Peter Maroney. "We intend to be the bright spot for Portland's early morning television audience."

Additionally, for those fans of THE RUSH LIMBAUGH SHOW who can't stay awake for this weeknight program at 11:30pm, KOIN-TV will air an encore performance of the previous night's show at 5:30am beginning Monday, May 3.

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