Check Up On Your Tools Before Starting Trip





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When it comes to tools one may and it is of vital importance to see to it that the tool kit is well supplied before starting on the tour. It does little good to know the trouble if you do not have the right tools with which to make the repair.

It is surprising how few motorists check over the tool kit before starting on their trip. A pump, a jack, a pair of pliers and a screw driver are the only tools carried in the average tool box The set of tools that come with the car usually contains every wrench needed for minor adjustments. The car manufacturer has studied the needs for various tools with which he has equipped the car and you may be sure that there is a special use for each and every wrench. The missing tools should be replaced when the trip is planned.

During our recent rambles over the country we encountered many disciples of the "Will-you-lendme" club. On one occasion we met a fellow from a nearby state who was starting on a tour of the west. His car had stopped for some reason unknown to him and he asked our assistance. We soon traced the trouble to the gas line and asked him for a wrench with which to remove the coupling. He said he had no wrenches but he thought he had a paid of pliers some place in the car. These he brought forth after diligently searching under both front and back seats. And what a fine pair of pliers they were-to call them pliers would be an insult to the plier family. They were of the side cutting variety with the jaws both broken, handy perhaps for repairing fences at one time, but of no value to an automobile. We on remedied the trouble with equipment from our own tool box and advised our less fortunate friend to drop into a Western store and provide himself with a set of tools.

Another unfortunate we met was stalled in the middle of a stream that passed over the road. He immediately informed us, after sking our aid, that his trouble was in the ignition system. Tools? ves, he had plenty of tools; ad tools for every purpose exfor fixing a car. He finally ged his secret how he came ich a choice variety of tools e shop and had given them tool box was a perfect p

ture of the way a well equipped sessor of a used a car purchased rope, extra light bulbs, tire repair

Then too, was the fellow that trip. He was in need of a file with wrenches, socket wrench set, iron better have too many than too hailed us with, "Say, old man. I which to remove the glaze from wire tape-many are the additions Tools are easily misplaced wonder if you have such athing the interruptor points and had that prove a life saver when the as a -.. " He was the proud pos- hailed every car that passed his car gives trouble. Boxes of as

er kind of tools for each individual Aside from these special tools there are many little accessories to the tool box that are both Important and necessary. A tow the day before he started on the outfit, jack and pump, ignition

necessary adjustments for him

So it is not always a matter of

too few tools when trouble arises.

nor is it the case of too many tools. The whole trouble seems

sorted cotter pins, bolts, nuts and he should carry when making his save you from being a member of consisting of a drum, tube and

washers, should be included when trip. If you are contemplating a the undesirable "Will-you-lendtrip it might be advisable to take me" club. The salesmen of the Western one of their catalogs and check Auto Supply company offer many the various tools needed for your suggestions to the motorist and own special use as this will insure neighbors in apartment houses is

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mouthpiece into which the vacolis: practices.

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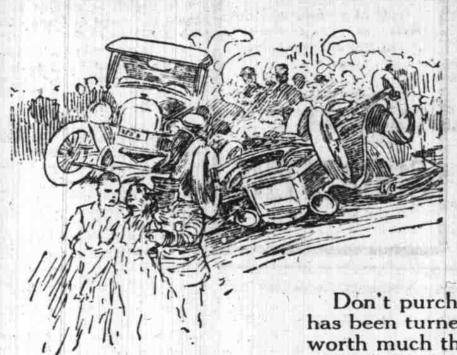
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