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Interior Mirror Aid to Motorist

In these days of congested traffic, not only in the business thoroughfares, but on the highways, the attention of the careful driver is constantly riveted on the road.

Along with this necessity comes the need of increased vigilance in keeping a watchful eye on traffic coming up in the rear.

Perhaps no device for automobiles has combined to such a high degree, the elements of safety and convenience as the rear view mirror. Its efficiency is even more appreciated after a person has driven a car equipped with a mirror and then one not so equipped.

The most popular mirror is fastened over the windshield and enables the driver to obtain a clear view of the road for a long distance to the rear at a glance, and with perfect ease and safety. The driver can tell instantly the condition of traffic behind him and give his driving signals accordingly.

Inasmuch as the great number of minor traffic collisions are due to sudden stops and failure of the driver to signal, or oncoming cars failing to observe the signal, the mirror is invaluable in enabling the driver of the car equipped with such a device, to instantly tell whether or not his signal has been observed by the driver of the car behind.

One of the latest type mirrors, shown in the mirror department of the Western Auto Supply company is a dual mirror. Two mirrors are mounted on one bracket, one for each occupant of the front seat or both for the use of the driver. Each mirror can be adjusted independently of the other, either high or low, for persons of varying heights, up and down and from side to side to change the scope of vision.

The big advantage of the dual mirror over the single type is that it furnished individual mirrors to occupants of the front seat and reflects the road at the side as well as the highway in the rear.

It is a valuable addition to the car when two people drive the same machine. Seldom can two drivers use the same mirror adjustment, and two mirrors set to meet individual requirements, do away with the readjustment nuisance each time drivers are changed.

Chrysler Cars Are Enigma to Thieves

The Chrysler corporation and the Fedco Number Plate corporation, which manufactures the patented number plate which appears on the instrument board of every Chrysler car, are determined to take every step possible to prevent the theft of Chrysler cars and to prevent the sale of stolen Chrysler cars.

The Fedco company has retained the William J. Burns international detective agency with its thousands of trained investigators and 35 offices throughout the United States and Canada to co-operate with police authorities in making it more difficult to steal Chrysler cars and to sell stolen Chrysler cars. Rewards up to \$5,000 are now offered through the Burns agency for information leading to the arrest and conviction of anyone who has stolen a Chrysler car, sold a stolen Chrysler car or purchased a stolen Chrysler car.

From all parts of the United States to the Chrysler factory in Detroit, come reports of how the patented number plate on the car has prevented the sale of stolen Chrysler cars. A professional criminal in Richmond Hill, New York—a suburb of New York city—stole a Chrysler roadster, removed the entire instrument board and attempted to sell the car with another board without a plate. The absence of the plate was noticed, an officer called and an arrest made.

Another auto thief in New York found it impossible to change the serial number on the instrument board and found it impossible to make a counterfeit plate. He then tried to disguise the fact that the car had carried a plate. The absence of the plate resulted in his arrest also.

Harold R. King, commanding officer of the detective division of the police department of the county of Nassau, New York, has said that "the receivers of stolen cars, so-called 'ferrets,' will refuse to handle cars bearing these plates because of the danger of detection."

Edward Geo. McGarra of Newark tells how his Chrysler car was stolen, how he notified the police, and how it was recovered three days later. The motor hood had been removed from the car as well as the license plates. But the police had no difficulty in identifying the car because of the Fedco plate.

New York's police department uses 27 men as an automobile squad to combat the activities of auto thieves in the city.

Twelve thousand cars were stolen in New York in 1925. In Chicago 8,143 cars were stolen last year, an increase of 55 per cent over 1924.

TO ASSIST COLLINS
CHICAGO, Feb. 13. (United Press)—Ben Egan, former Philadelphia and Baltimore catcher and coach and last season on the coaching line for Brooklyn, has been signed to assist Manager Eddie Collins with the White Sox this year. It was announced today.

Guard Faces Death in Lethal Chamber

CARSON CITY, Nev., Feb. 13. (United Press)—The possibility of entering the lethal chamber which he once guarded, faced Lee Stern, prison guard, here tonight.

Stern, a brother of Sheriff Joe Stern of Carson City, confessed this afternoon that he killed Miss Dorothy Macfield of San Francisco here, Tuesday night.

He is under arrest and charges of first degree murder are expected to be preferred against him. If sentenced to death, Stern will be executed in the prison lethal gas chamber, where he stood outside and witnessed, through the glass window, other condemned men's lives snuffed out by the fumes.

MERRILL TEAMS ARE LOSERS TO MEDFORD

Medford walked off with all the honors in a double-header basketball game at Merrill last night. The high school team from the valley winning, 45 to 12, and the Medford girls got the long end of a 42 to 2 score.

The game, however, was fast and cleanly played, according to Merrill fans who witnessed the contest. Only a small crowd turned out to urge their favorites to do or die in the intercollegiate struggle.

DUKE SUE ON NOTE
A D. Duke, of Bend, filed suit in the Klamath county circuit court yesterday to recover on a promissory note for \$1,416, together with interest, from George J. Jackson, Victor and Ada Duke.

Rum Schooner Dis- abled Off Jersey

ASHBURY PARK, N. J., Feb. 13. (United Press)—Stripped of its sails and with its boiler gone, a bark schooner, laden with illicit liquor, was towed off shore 40 miles from Atlantic Highlands.

Superintendent Haysman head of the fifth coastguard district, said his station had been apprised of rum runner's difficulties but had no learned her country. He believed the captain is afraid to try the shore in view of his foreboding crew and is waiting for a tow from some friendly craft.

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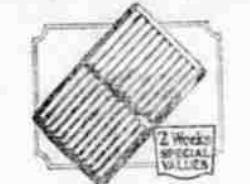
2 Weeks of Special Values

Here is a real opportunity to buy standard quality, guaranteed accessories and supplies at greatly reduced prices. "Western Auto," always noted for exceptional values, will, during the next two weeks, offer additional savings. There are many other articles not listed in this advertisement. Come in and look around, but come early.



Automatic Windshield Wiper

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Prevents slipping when getting in or out of the car, and new weatherproof material. You will appreciate this value. Only **36c**

Standard Step Plates

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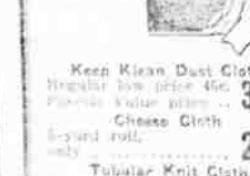
Day-Nite Clock

The screen and hands are easily seen in the dark—and it keeps time. Special Value price **\$2.28**



Genuine Schrader Tire Gauge

Factory List Price \$1.25. Proper air pressure in your tires will give you more miles per gallon. Every car owner should have one. Nond leather case included. Special Value price for high pressure **\$1.02**



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"Smithlet"

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Simon's "Simamir" Regular price 45c. Special Value price **45c**

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With a Wear-well Cord you will receive a Blue Ribbon Tube of corresponding size.

With every Western Giant Cord or Western Giant Balloon you will receive a Jumbo Tube of corresponding size.

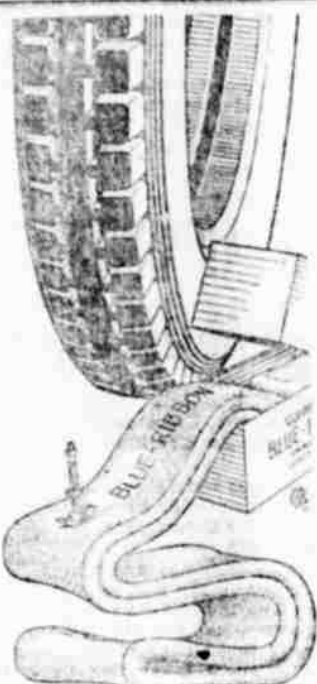
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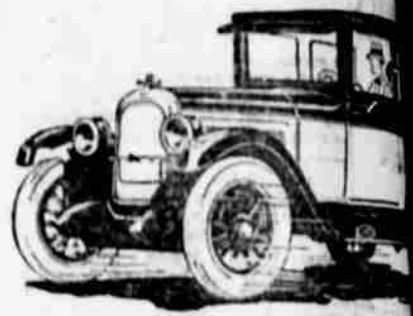
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