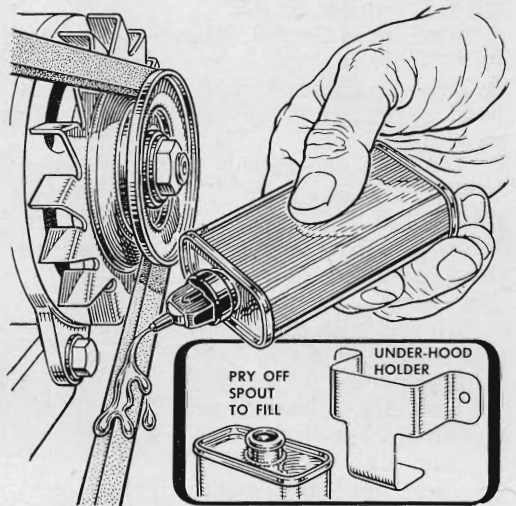


Hints from the Model Garage



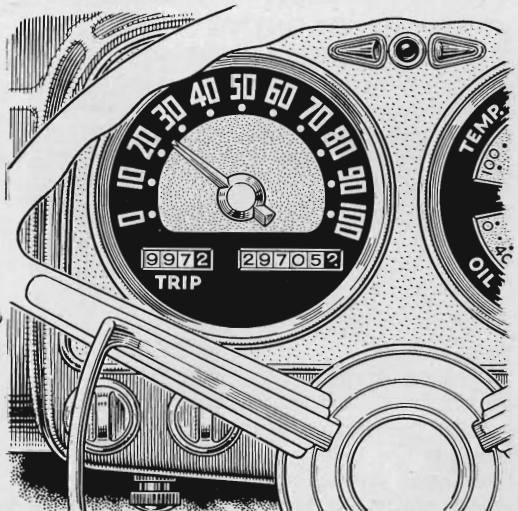
Drop a spare set of car keys in the windshield-washer reservoir bag. They won't interfere with its operation. The opaque bag makes a safe hiding place and the keys won't vibrate loose as they might if taped to some part of the car.



To silence fan-belt squeaks and the like, keep some brake fluid in a lighter-fuel can. It'll also lube tires for easy mounting; and give a fast cleaner for floor mats and soiled hands. A spring clip mounted under the hood will carry it.



Freshen the faded interior of an older car by spraying it with fabric dye dissolved in hot water. Use a deeper shade of the original color and saturate the material. Masking isn't necessary as the dye can be wiped off metal, glass and paint.



You can keep tab on oil changes if your car has a trip odometer. Set it to zero when the car is serviced. Unlike a garage sticker, which you must remember to check, the odometer will be a reminder as mileage nears oil-change time.