



Hints from the Model Garage

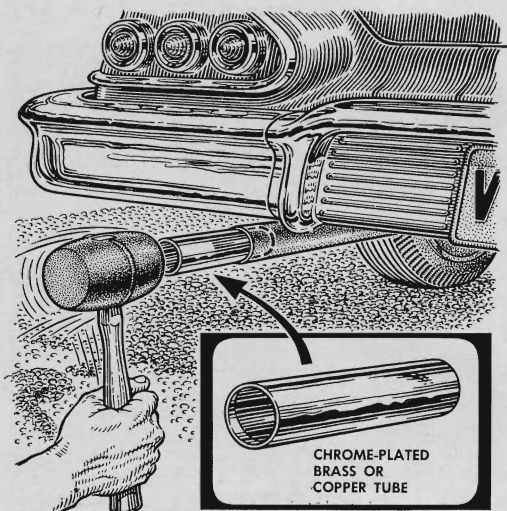


REFLECTIVE TAPE

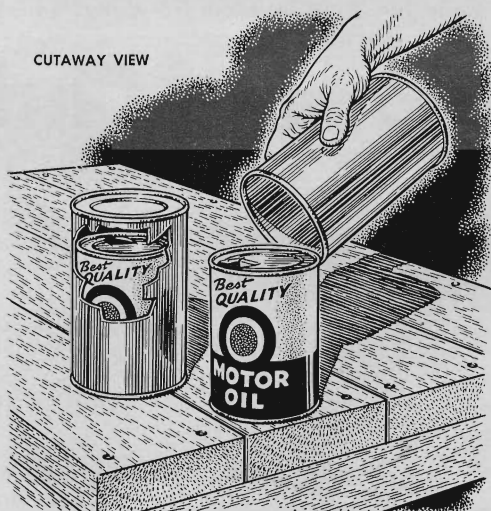


A handy windshield scraper may lie right in your pocket—it's your comb. The smooth edge along the back of a plastic or hard-rubber comb will remove a light coating of ice or frost quickly, without scratching the windshield.

Garnishings of reflective tape on the outside of a car can be left to the jalopy set. Instead, stick the tape in inconspicuous places where it can be seen—and flash its warning to other cars—only when the hood or trunk lid is raised.



CUTAWAY VIEW



Rustproof tailpipe extensions that will outlast commercial chrome-over-steel extensions can be made from bathroom drainpipe. Get some chromed brass or copper pipe that will fit snugly, and drive it into the tailpipe with a soft hammer.

To keep dust out of an opened, partly used can of oil, automatic transmission fluid, or antifreeze, cover it with a larger can. A large fruit-juice can with its top completely cut off will fit just about right over a quart-size container.