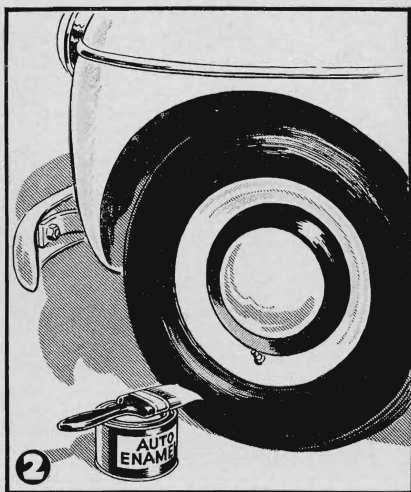


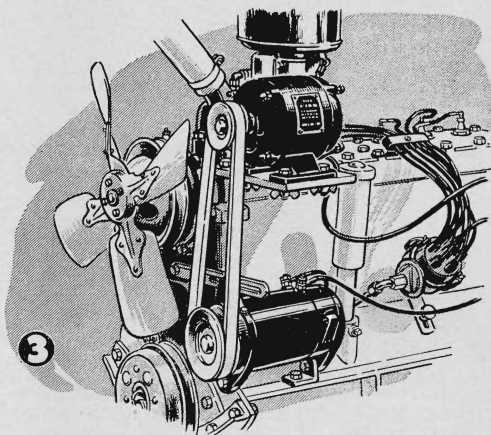
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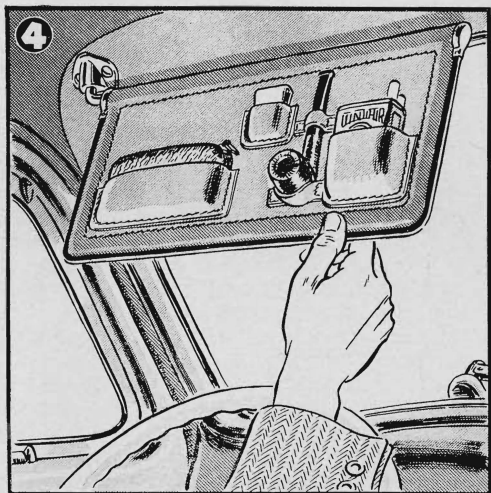
1 DEFROSTER FANS, which frequently are furnished new with plain on-off-type switches, can be made more flexible by replacing the original switch with a rheostat type such as most heater blowers have. The rheostat switch, available at most automobile-accessory stores, costs but a few cents and attaches easily under the dash.—P.V.



2 WHEEL APPEARANCE is improved by the simple expedient of applying white enamel to the wheel rims, as shown in the accompanying drawing. The resulting effect to the eye is that the car is equipped with white-wall tires. The area covered should extend only from the lip of the rim to the point where the drop-center rim is fastened to the wheel itself.—A.P.



3 LITTLE-USED BATTERIES can be given an occasional charge with an old quarter-horsepower house-current motor plugged into a garage outlet and rigged on the car motor as shown. The electric-motor bed of iron can be permanently bolted to the car-motor studs, and the demountable motor connected to the generator pulley with a short V belt.—C.R.M.



4 A HANDY SMOKER'S SET for the motorist can be made of cut-out pieces of soft leather, sewn as indicated to the top side of one windshield visor. Material from a pair of old kid gloves should furnish all the leather needed.—D.McM.