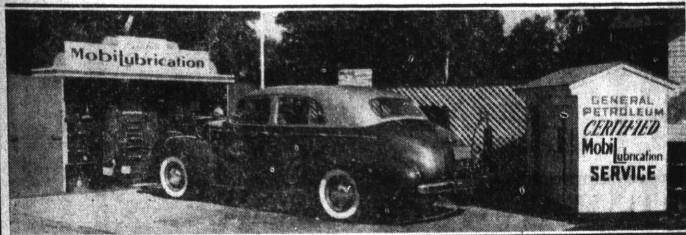


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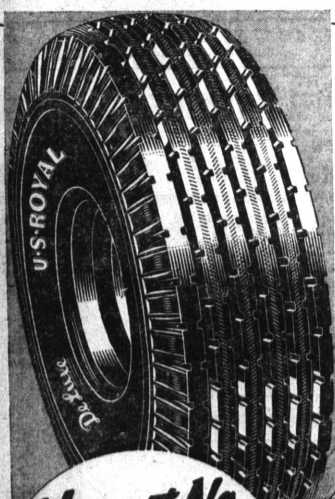
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SUMMER-PROOF SECTION

WAY TO NEW MOTOR LIFE

There is much talk these days, on the subject of rejuvenation (rejuvenation of life and business) according to C. H. Woodrich of the Mobilgas service station at 1913 Highway 101, Lomita.

"But there is one kind of rejuvenation which we should practice a lot more than we do," he says, "and that's the rejuvenation of cars. An automobile will last many years longer, and perform better, if given a new touch of life once in a while. This is really the prime purpose of Summer-proof inspection of many car parts. The inspections are free when we lubricate the machines of our customers. Prompt action is necessary in order to profit by this special offer of renewed vitality for automobiles."

Peg Leg Features Suit
OROVILLE (U.P.)—Butte county's board of supervisors feels hurt. In 1935 it bought an artificial leg for Norman Mason so he could rehabilitate himself and earn his living. It also paid grocery bills for him. Recently, Mason died leaving an estate of \$4,000. The board has brought suit for \$168, the price of the leg.



MISSES 1940 MEET MISS 1900 . . . Sharp contrast between the cars and styles of yesterday and today is emphasized by this "Remember When" picture. At right are the modern motoring misses Elise Knox and Linda Darnell. They have just had the pleasure of meeting Miss 1900, as she steps into her rear-door machine, which was a classy model before the days of "Summer-proofing."

Volunteers Build Church
CLEVELAND, O. (U.P.)—More than 200 Italian men—all volunteers—are rushing to completion the reconstruction of St. Bridget's church, which was built in 1885 by Irish volunteers. The records show that the Irish, more than 50 years ago, worked feverishly to finish the church.

Have your garden woodwork the way you want it. See the woodwork specialist under class. 53

Officers Trail Defective Cars

"Because more than 56,000 serious accidents are caused annually in America by neglecting cars until they become defective, highway officers in many states, cities and counties are now stopping motorists and inquiring into the condition of cars that appear to be a menace to life and limb."

So, now it's a case of "Look out for John Law!" He may catch up with you and issue a warning or citation if the car you are driving has been allowed to become an unsafe and treacherous means of transportation. Officers are not stopping cars for inspection every day, perhaps, but periodically they spread the net during safety drives in which neglectful motorists may be caught.

Laws Demand Safety
"In fact," declares Police Chief John Stroh, "laws of several of our western states now provide that no person shall operate a motor vehicle unless the vehicle be in such safe mechanical condition as to not endanger the driver or any person on the highway."

"Because of this official move for safety, the plan of Mobilgas station experts to critically inspect many vital parts twice a year—in the Spring and Fall—is welcomed by traffic officials as a move in the right direction, a move that helps motorists and officers alike. Every car owner should have his machine thoroughly checked at least twice a year, especially after a long winter of hard usage, before the rigors of Summer begin to take their toll."

West Virginia has the lowest insanity average in the United States, with 168 insane per 100,000 inhabitants.

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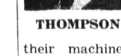
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'Summer-Proof' Experts Now Offer Motorists Protection

Pointing the way for motorists to avoid trouble, and thoroughly enjoy their Spring and Summer touring. This would be a good title for a special-offer service instituted today by the experts in charge of Mobilgas stations in this area.

Worry Stopped by Check-Up

"Taking a load off your mind is my idea of what Summer-proofing does," declares Ed Thompson, who has a complete Mobilgas service at his Chevrolet agency garage, 1600 Cabrillo avenue. "Literally, this free check-up relieves car owners of much concern about the condition of their machines. This worry is ended when you load it onto a specialist. After that you will know whether the car will stand up, and go through the Summer without unnecessary trouble and expense. Summer-proofing is proof against car worries."



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Penetrative Service
"This name," says W. C. Campbell, local agent for General Petroleum Corporation, "stands for preventive service, the kind of checkup that avoids breakdowns, delays, grief and expense for automobile drivers. It enables them to make sure their cars are in safe, smooth, satisfactory operating condition for the long Summer season ahead. It enables them to make sure their cars will stand the strain."

Weaknesses Detected
"By means of this preventive service, the local Mobilgas specialists are assisting motorists of this community by tracking down and 'spotting' such enemies as suspicious-looking tires that might blow out; weak or broken spark plugs; batteries or battery cables that might fail; lighting systems that might go blind; windshield wipers that prevent clear vision; grease 'taffy' that might strip the gears of expensive transmissions and rear ends; motor sludge that might cause serious damage to bearings, pistons, rings, valves and cylinder walls; cooling systems so clogged with rust and sediment as to cause overheating and many attendant ills; choked air cleaners that rob motorists of mileage; wheel bearings that might burn out because of neglected lubrication; and other conditions that threaten to leave motorists stranded and helpless on the road."

MAUPIN This oil is forced through your blistering hot motor at the rate of 1,200 quarts per hour, at 50-mile speed, or 24,000 quarts in 1,000 miles. If the crankcase holds five quarts, it's been used 4,800 times. It's certainly due for a rest. Oil should be inspected during Summer-proofing, and many other things should be checked, too, if you'd play safe."

MOTORS TAKE BAD BEATING

"Who could stand being whipped 4,800 times?" inquires Glenn Maupin, owner of the Mobilgas station at Carson and El Prado. "Chances are that nobody could. But the oil in your car endures this torture every 1,000 miles you drive it. How come? This oil is forced through your blistering hot motor at the rate of 1,200 quarts per hour, at 50-mile speed, or 24,000 quarts in 1,000 miles. If the crankcase holds five quarts, it's been used 4,800 times. It's certainly due for a rest. Oil should be inspected during Summer-proofing, and many other things should be checked, too, if you'd play safe."

Your Car Has a Real Heart

"Just like a human being, the modern auto has a heart that keeps it going. Who knows what it is?"

This is the question put by F. L. Buker of the Mobilgas Service at 24636 Narbonne, Lomita.

"Just consider," he says, "that when the battery fails the car is as dead as a door nail, and you have the answer. The battery, of course. This heart of the car must be kept well filled, fully charged and free from corrosion. So, if he doesn't have anything else inspected, the car owner should have the battery checked at frequent intervals. This inspection is only one of the many made as part of the 'Summer-proof Special,' including tires, wheel bearings, condition of crankcase and gear boxes, etc. Such examinations must be made for safety, before Summer begins."

Walteria P.T.A. Has Two Speakers

"Character Making" was discussed by Dr. Wm. Day Moore at the Thursday meeting of Walteria P.T.A. Mrs. L. Goodale spoke on the great help the federal surplus foods had been to the school cafeteria.

Delegates to the Lomita-San Pedro Council to represent Walteria were Mrs. E. Martin, Mrs. D. Getchel and Mrs. H. Deurloo. Mrs. D. Lassen was program chairman and presented the speakers and also the principal Mrs. Natalie Ross who with a group of pupils gave harmonica selections.

College Girl Writes 4 Songs in 3 Days

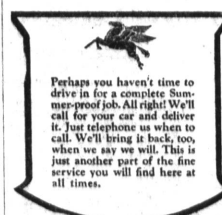
HIRAM, O. (U.P.)—Betty Davidson, sophomore at Hiram College, composes songs which the entire campus is humming—and as many as four in three days. "Every time I sit down to study, I seem to think of another tune," she said.

The week preceding mid-semester examinations called for much studying. Result: Four songs, words and music, in three days.

Residents of colonial New York who refused to clear or repair their chimneys were fined three shillings a chimney.

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