Drivers Should Check Cars Before the Winter

Check your car and you'll help escape accidents and traffic tleups this winter.

It was Motor Vehicles Commissioner Edward Scheidt talking about pre-planning for the winter driving season ahead.

"For your own good, and for the public good, have your car or truck given a thorough inspection--now before the weather worsens," he urged

"The time and money spent now in getting ready for winter will pay handsome dividends later in the cold weather season ahead."

Scheidt, following a confer-

ence with State Highway Patrol maintenance experts, listed the following items as among the most important for inspection now and remedial attention if needed:

Ignition--Check spark plugs, points, timing, condenser, generator, regulator, battery and fan belt.

Radiator--Check the hoses, clamps, thermostat and antifreeze solution.

Traction--Have your tires inspected for tread, your wheels for proper alignment, your brakes and clutch for proper functioning. Mount snow tires and carry chains for use under severe conditions. A bag of sand and a shovel kept in the truck is

good for emergency use.

Fuel--Clean and adjust the choke for quick winter starts. Check fuel pump and air cleaner.

Oil--Change to lighter winter grade oil or use a year around lubricant. Check the oil filter and grease the chassis.

Vision--Replace windshield wiper blades if the rubber is dried out. Put anti-freeze solution in the windshield washer fluid. Check all lights, including turn signal indicators, and keep them clean. Be sure your heater--defroster systems is functioning properly. Carrya combination scrapper-squeezebrush for cleaning windshield and windows.

"If you care for your car it will care for you throughout the coming winter season," Scheidt ended.

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