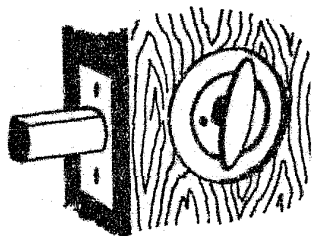


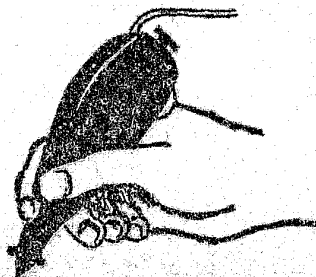
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Frequently and unknowingly the average citizen extends an invitation to a burglar. Such invitations can be in the form of doors and windows left unlocked, poor locks, inadequate lighting, and general apathy.

Burglary, unlike crimes of murder, rape and assault, lends itself to a reduction through concentrated efforts of police and citizens. The Multnomah County Sheriff's Office is attempting to create this concentrated effort by providing you with information concerning methods to "bar the burglar" from your home. Several "Home Alert Groups" have been organized, and a crime prevention display center has been set up in Mall 205 for the purpose of dispensing information about burglary prevention. These types of programs are successful when citizens respond to them.

The Sheriff's Office can provide the information and police service, but only you, the citizen, can act to *prevent* burglary. Barring the burglar from the home is everyone's problem. It will take action by every citizen to finally reduce this criminal activity.

I hope that this booklet will be of great value to you as a continuing reference for self-initiated crime prevention activities. The booklet will explain what action to take, but it will remain your responsibility to act.

Crime Prevention Services Offered in Portland Metropolitan Area

CRIME PREVENTION AGENCIES:

★ Multnomah County

Department of Public Safety, Crime Prevention Unit
Mall 205, 9980 S.E. Washington Street
Portland, Oregon 97216 255-7422

★ Portland

Crime Prevention Bureau 248-4126
824 S.W. 5th/Room 204
Portland, Oregon 97205
Commercial Burglary Prevention Unit 226-7551
Extension 255

★ Gresham

Crime Prevention 666-3741
150 W. Powell Blvd.
Gresham, Oregon 97030

★ Gladstone

Crime Prevention Unit 656-4253
535 Portland Avenue
Gladstone, Oregon 97207

★ Vancouver, Washington

Crime Prevention Unit 696-8139
300 F. 13th
Vancouver, Washington 98660

★ Washington County

Interagency Burglary Investigation Team 648-8731
146 N.E. Lincoln Street
Hillsboro, Oregon 97213

★ Milwaukie

Crime Prevention Section 659-2345
916 Miller Drive
Milwaukie, Oregon 97222

★ Clark County, Washington

Crime Prevention Unit 696-4461
P.O. Box 410
Clark County, Washington 98660

★ Clackamas County

Sheriff's Office
2223 S. Kaen Road
Oregon City, Oregon 97045

The Multnomah County Department of Public Safety Crime Prevention Unit Offers These Services to Residents of the Unincorporated Portions of Multnomah County.

- Neighborhood block meetings.
- A public drop-in center in Mall 205 with a display which visualizes the three lines of defense against burglary.
- Commercial burglary prevention program including premise survey.
- Shoplifting and armed robbery presentation for merchants.
- Builders and architectural security and design consulting.
- Information by mail.
- Grade school education program in crime prevention.
- Property engravers and warning decals.
- Property engraving service for shut-ins.

Residents who do not live in the unincorporated areas of Multnomah County may be served by Crime Prevention Agencies listed this page.

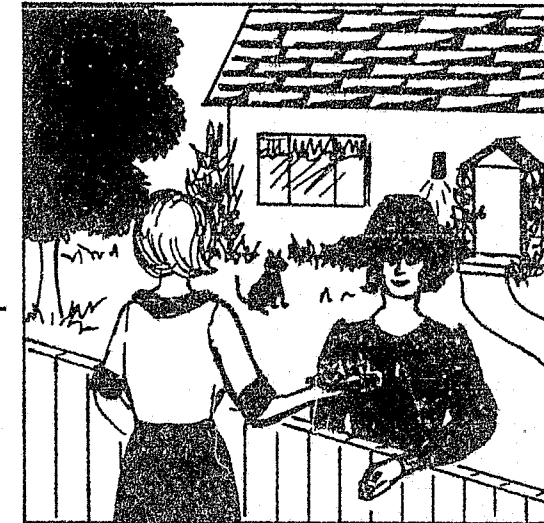
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I. WATCH & REPORT

Be a good neighbor -

Watch out for each other -

Keep each other informed -



know your neighbors
& their phone numbers.

■ Watch (Be Alert For:)

1. NOISES

- A. breaking glass or splintering wood
- B. other unusual noises

2. VEHICLES strange to your neighborhood:

- A. driving slowly or repeatedly through the area.
- B. being loaded with property (some burglars work in legitimate appearing business vans).
- C. without lights at night.

3. PERSONS

- A. strange to your area.
- B. acting in a suspicious manner.
- C. dropped off and picked up by same vehicle.
- D. going into neighbor's backyard.
- E. going door to door or coming to your door with questions which do not seem legitimate (some burglars pretend to be salesmen or repairmen).

■ Report

Emergencies, crimes in progress, suspicious activities in progress call **760-6911**

If you have information about suspicious activity *not* in progress, call the same number and ask to have the district patrol car stop by at his convenience to take a report on suspicious activity.

or

Write your information on the form on page 4. Either keep it for your records and report to police later if you learn a crime has been committed . . . or mail it to the Crime Prevention Unit commander at Mall 205.

Do not approach suspicious persons; report to the Sheriff's Office. Response of the Sheriff's Office to calls of suspicious activity is routine. If you have any doubts about calling, that probably means you should call.

When you call:

REMAIN CALM, SPEAK CLEARLY, ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS,
STAY ON THE PHONE UNTIL DIRECTED OTHERWISE.



Record

If activities occur which you feel are somewhat suspicious but not suspicious enough to warrant calling for a patrol car (EXAMPLE: a strange vehicle parked in an unusual location), record the information and keep it on hand.

If you later discover that a crime has occurred in your neighborhood, you have the following options:

- 1. Give the information to the victim with a suggestion that he inform the Sheriff's Office.
- 2. Call for a patrol car to take the information. 760-6911.
- 3. Call or mail the information to the Crime Prevention Unit. 255-7422.

LOCATION	DATE	TIME
VEHICLE/color	year	make
	model	license #
SUBJECT/race	sex	age
	height	weight
wearing apparel		
CIRCUMSTANCES		

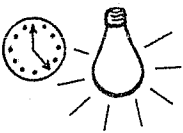
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Lighting Helps Watching & Reporting

LIBERAL USE OF INTERIOR AND EXTERIOR LIGHTING IS RECOMMENDED TO FACILITATE WATCHING AND REPORTING AND DETER MOST TYPES OF CRIME. LIGHTING THE DARKNESS IS A PROVEN AND COST EFFECTIVE DETERRENT TO CRIME.

Interior Lights

Interior lights should be used in conjunction with timing devices. When you leave for an evening or an extended period of time, have two or three lights come on in the early evening and turn off at your normal bedtime.



Exterior Lights

Exterior lighting should be used in the evening hours. Street lights, yard lights and porch lights are excellent applications to increase surveillance opportunities and deter criminals from entering the area. All of these lights should use photoelectric cells to automatically turn them on at dusk and off at dawn. Mount lights to provide an adequate level of lighting, minimize shadows and glare, and resist attack by vandals.

Lighted Address Numbers

Lighted address numbers are recommended to aid responding Sheriff and fire units in locating your home.

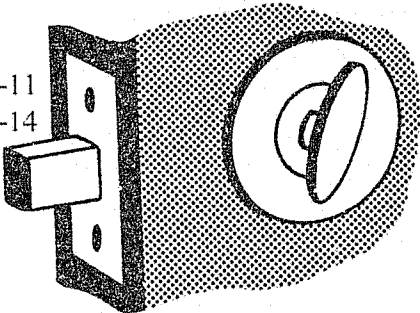
II. SECURE YOUR HOME

Locks

HIGH SECURITY LOCKS consist of a DEAD BOLT lock with 1" throw or a JIMMY RESISTANT VERTICAL DEAD BOLT lock. They provide best protection.

LOCK EFFECTIVENESS is measured by the amount of TIME and NOISE required to defeat the lock.

For door locks see pages 6-11
For window locks see pages 12-14



Alarms

Alarm systems are optional for some residents, but perhaps essential for many others. An alarm system can serve as both a deterrent and a security device.

For additional information see page 15

Solid Structures

SOLID CORE DOORS or compressed core doors on all exterior entrances provide the best protection. Many doors used today are hollow and negate the value of a good lock. Any door with decorative panels or windows (or windows near a door) need special lock considerations. (see page 8)

A DOOR FRAME IN GOOD CONDITION and strong enough to resist attack should support the solid core or compressed core door.

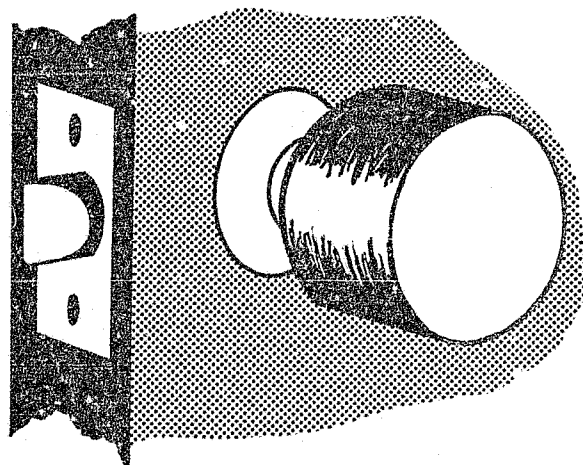
Won't a determined burglar break in no matter what I do?

A reasonable security system on your home has a positive effect by "hardening the target." Casual burglars and opportunists are less likely to attempt entries on homes that have the appearance of adequate security. A determined burglar may still get in, but he is a minority and it will take him more TIME and create more NOISE to do so. TIME and NOISE are burglars' enemies.

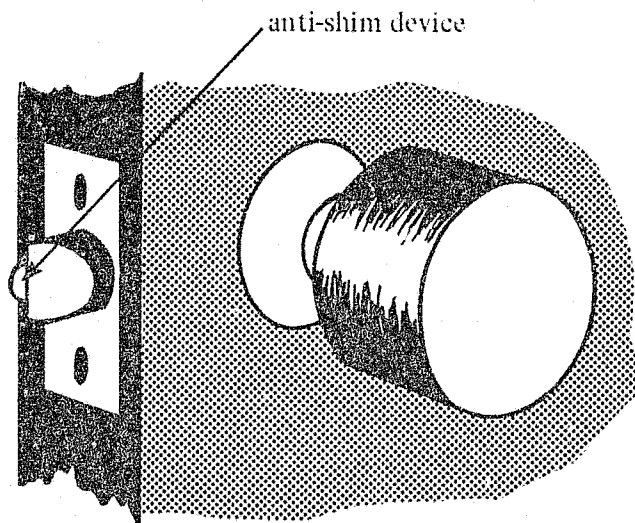
Reducing the opportunity for someone to learn a criminal life style is an admirable goal. If you can prevent a burglary, you may be saving a young person from a life of crime.

REDUCE CRIMINAL OPPORTUNITY

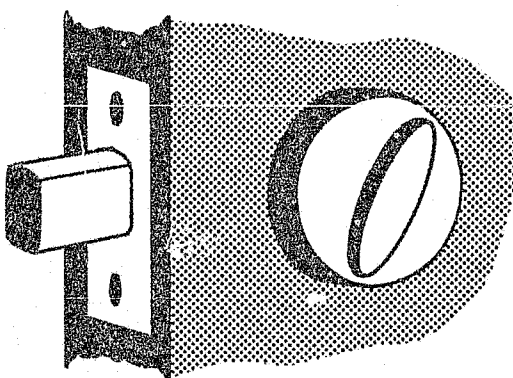
DOOR LOCKS



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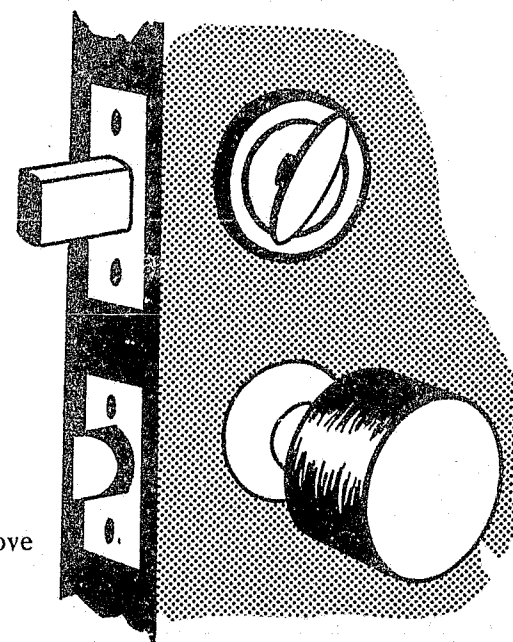


MINIMUM ACCEPTABLE SECURITY.

Dead Bolt

1" throw bolt

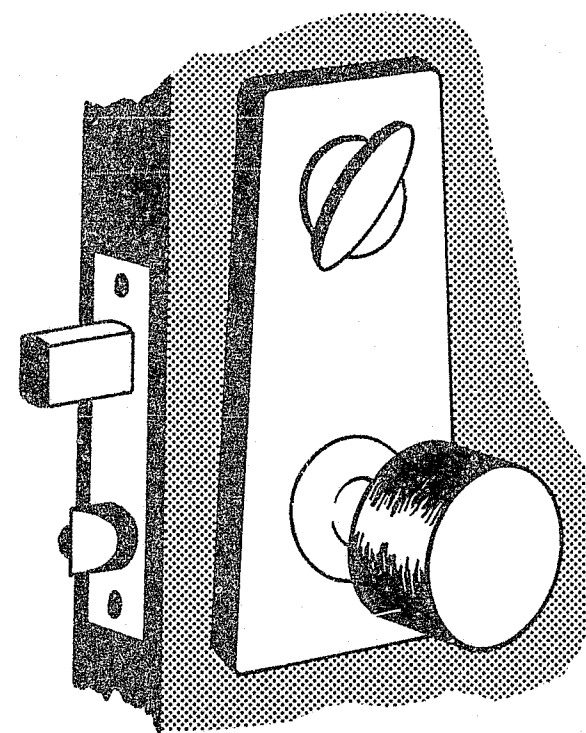
Dead Bolt Lock
can be added above
existing system
of Spring Latch.



Spring Latch

Spring Latch with anti-shim device

Privacy lock only
for interior doors.

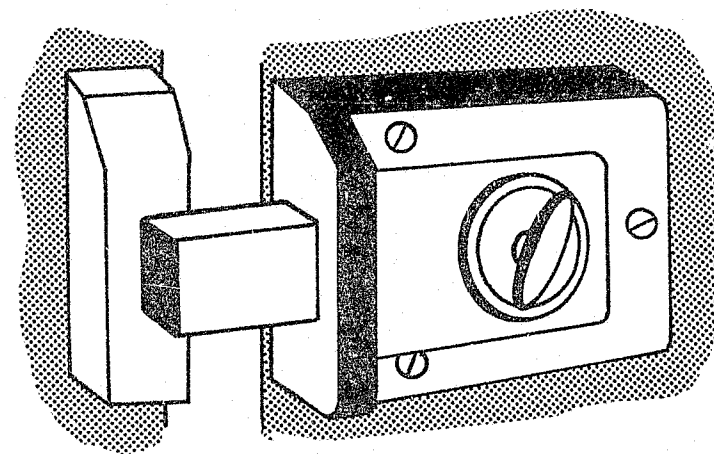


GOOD SECURITY.

Combination Dead Bolt/ Spring Latch

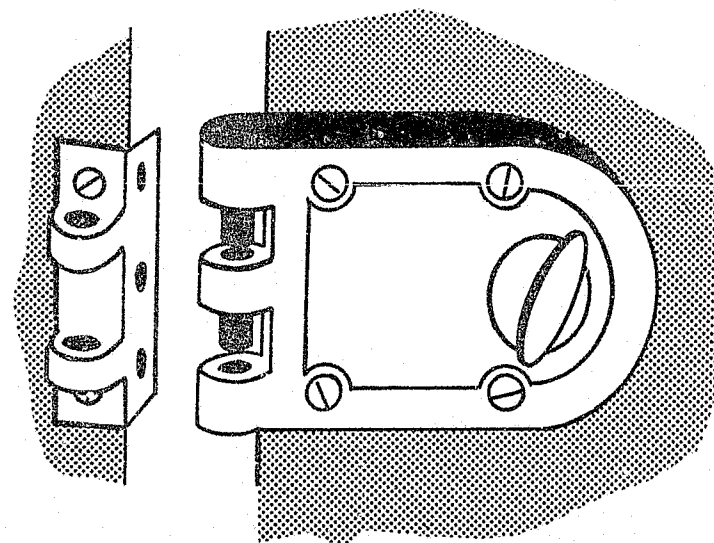
For convenient exit.

Turning knob retracts both latch and bolt.



GOOD SECURITY IF WELL ANCHORED WITH LONG SCREWS.

Dead Bolt, Rim Lock type

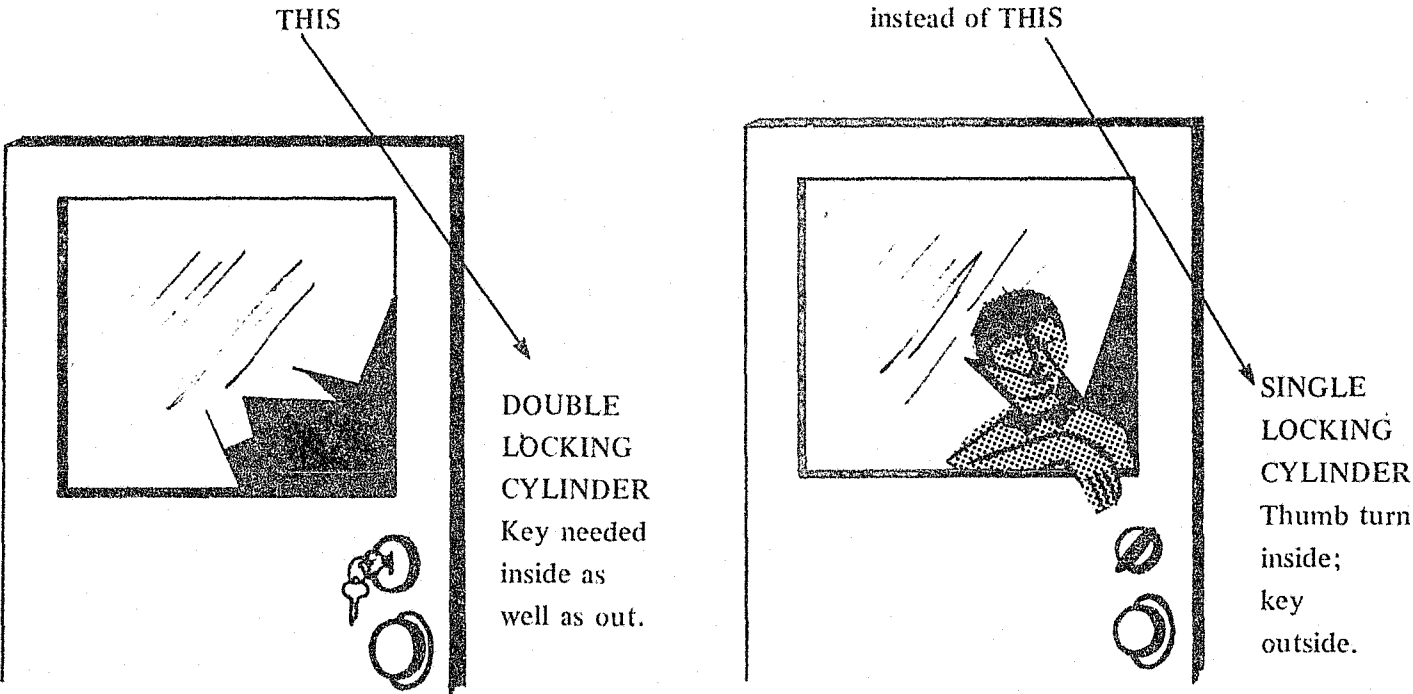


GOOD SECURITY IF WELL ANCHORED WITH LONG SCREWS.

Jimmy Resistant Vertical Dead Bolt

**DOUBLE LOCKING CYLINDER
VS.
SINGLE LOCKING CYLINDER FEATURE**

If your lock is by a window or sidelight, you need:



All window locks are vulnerable to this type of defeat.
For this reason, keyed locks are recommended for most windows.

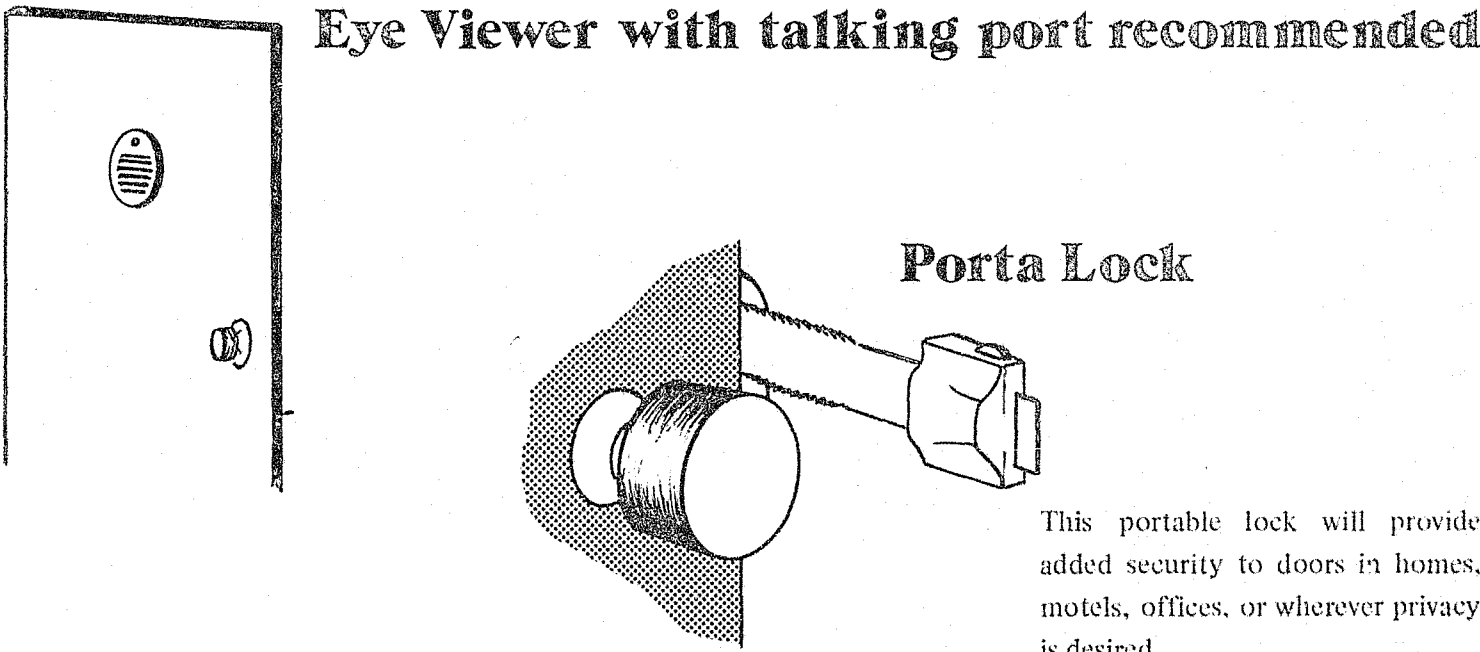
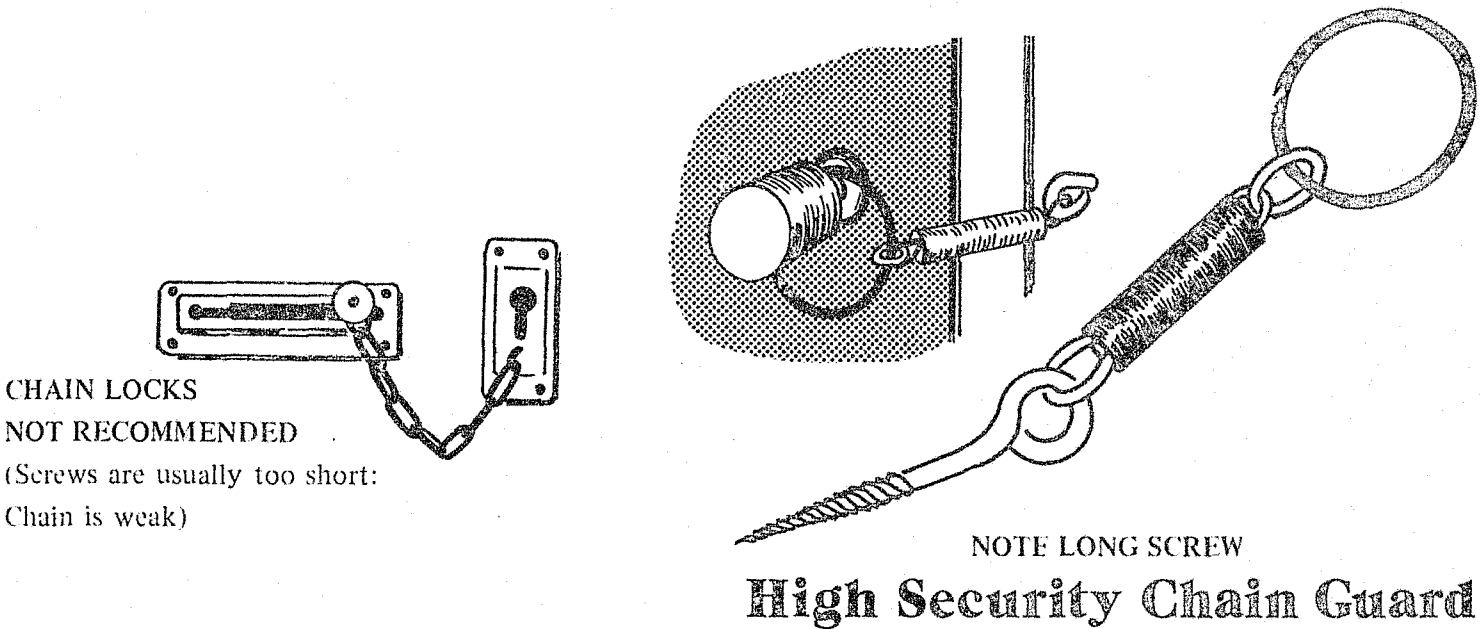
Precaution about EXIT in case of FIRE

Double locking cylinder deadbolts present a potential hazard if a fire should occur. Keys to locks should be kept on hooks near the door to provide easy access to all family members.

Fire drills are a good idea.

FIRE WARNING SYSTEMS of an approved nature are strongly recommended. Fire alarms, especially **IONIZATION** type are inexpensive. Consult your Fire Marshal for information on approved Fire Warning Systems and fire protection.

ADDITIONAL DOOR SECURITY



When someone knocks at your door...

- You should always let visitors know you are home. This practice will almost always cause a potential burglar to flee, thus preventing confrontation inside your home.
- Use discretion about opening the door to strangers.
- Do not indicate you are alone in the house.
- Require identification of canvassers.

ADDITIONAL DOOR SECURITY

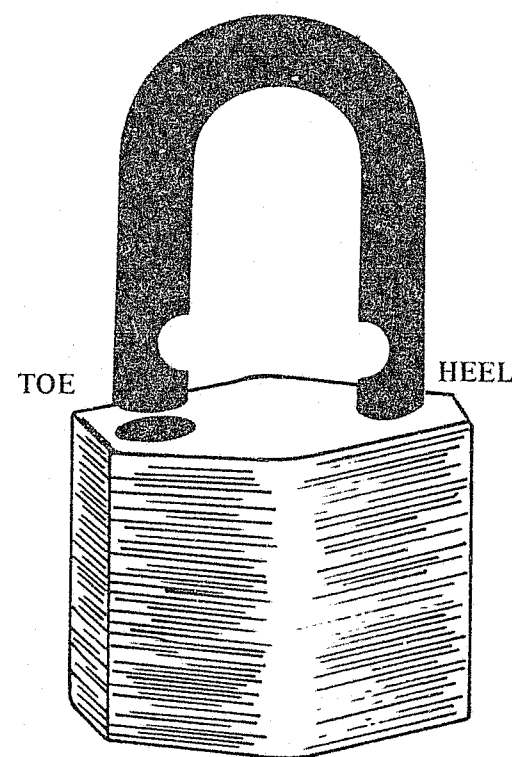
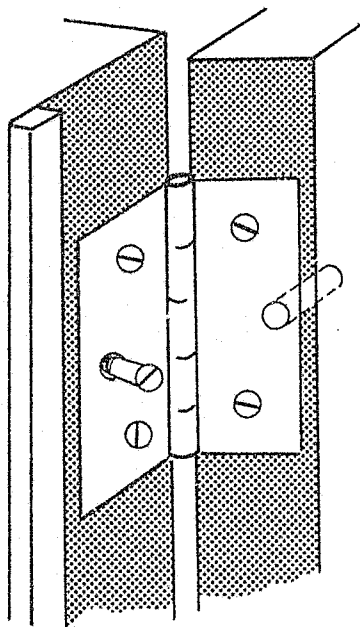
Hinges

with pins removable from outside the door

Replace one of the hinge screws with a nail and allow it to protrude into a matching hole when the door is closed.

OR

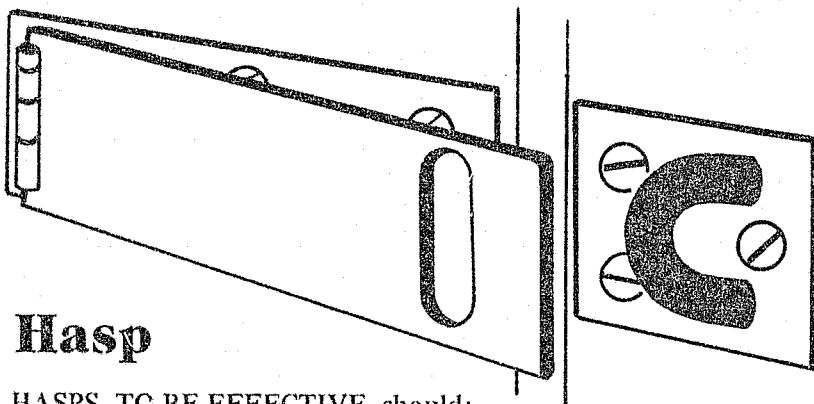
Purchase a hinge with non-removable pins.



Hardened Shackle Padlock

PADLOCKS, TO BE EFFECTIVE, should have:

1. Both heel and toe lock.
2. A laminated or solid steel case.
3. Five pin tumbler lock or equivalent pick resistant locking cylinder.
4. Hardened shackle.



Hasp

HASPS, TO BE EFFECTIVE, should:

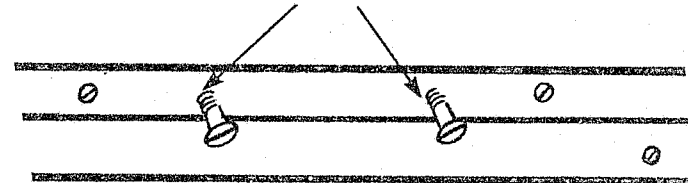
1. Be as strong as the lock.
2. Have no screws or bolts visible when secured.
3. If installed on metal, use carriage bolts backed up with large washers to prevent prying the hasp off.

PADLOCKS ARE USED ON BICYCLES, MOTORCYCLES, GARAGE DOORS
SHEDS, ALL OUT BUILDINGS.

SECURING SLIDING PATIO DOORS

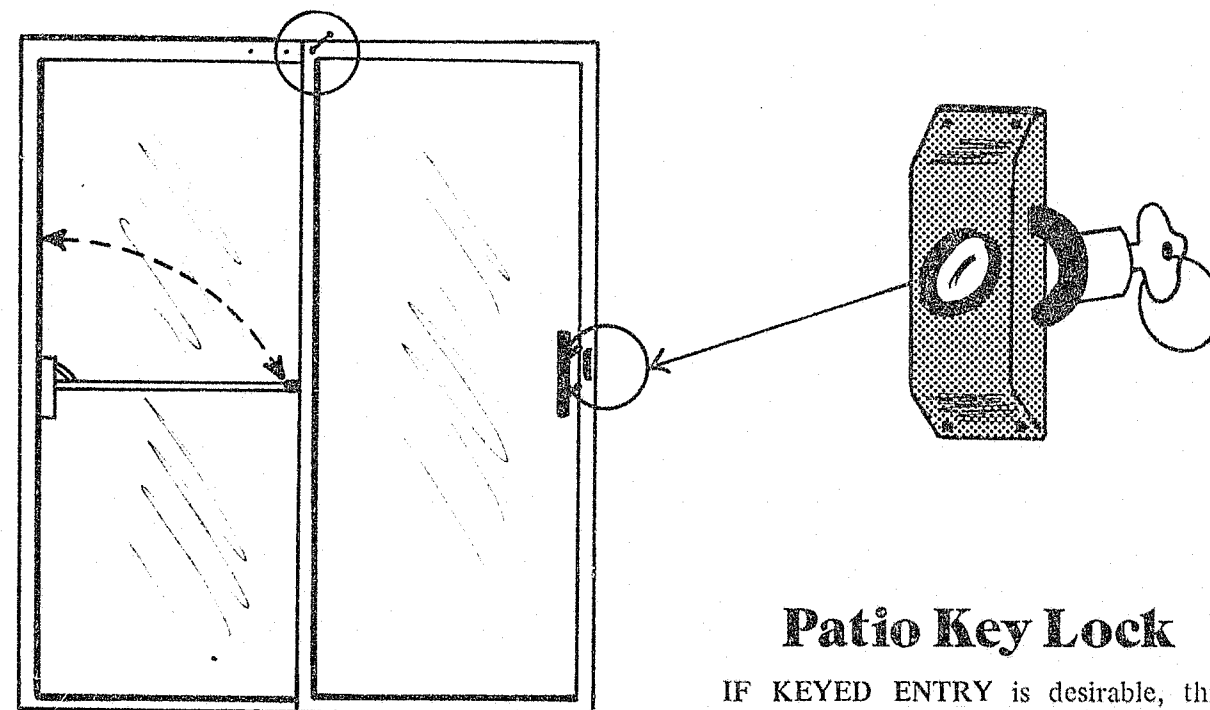
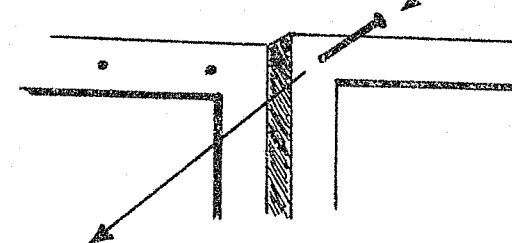
GLASS PATIO DOORS without auxiliary locks present a security problem. Many devices, simple or elaborate, may be implemented to add security to this type door. Any of the measures described below will help secure sliding glass doors.

TO PREVENT SLIDING DOOR FROM BEING LIFTED OUT OF THE TRACK, drill holes in the upper track and adjust machine screws so the door slides clear but cannot be lifted from the lower track. Shim plates can also be purchased and used for the same purpose.



A NAIL OR DOWEL can be fit snug into matching holes in overlapping frames to prevent lifting and sliding.

ADDITIONAL HOLES may be drilled to provide locking in an open position for ventilation.

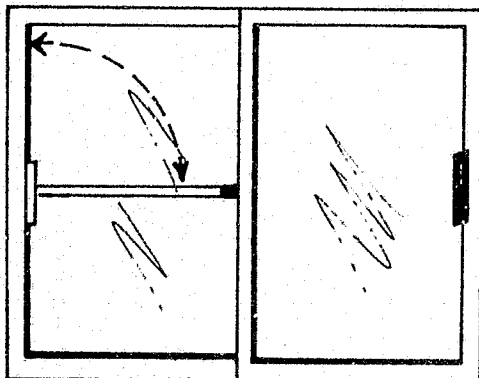


Patio Key Lock

IF KEYED ENTRY is desirable, this type of lock can be used.

A HINGED BAR can be purchased which will swing up out of the way or down to keep door from sliding. A STICK or DOWLING can also be dropped into the door channel.

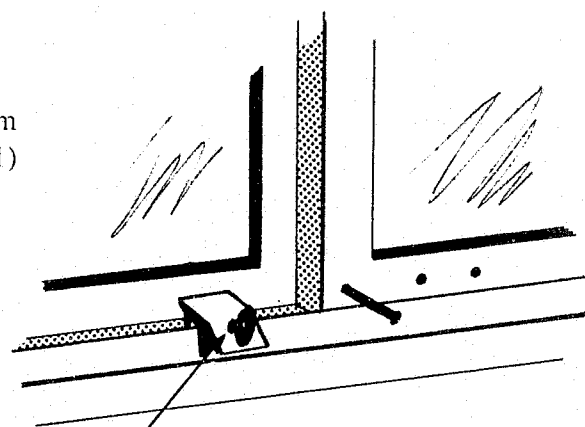
WINDOW LOCKS



A STICK OR WOOD DOWEL or "CHARLIE BAR" may be used to add security to horizontal sliding windows.

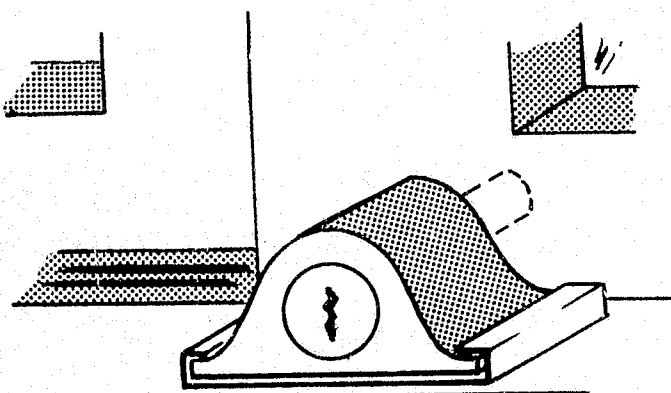
HORIZONTAL SLIDING WINDOWS

Horizontal sliding windows may need to be secured from lifting out of tracks in the same fashion as patio doors. (p.11)



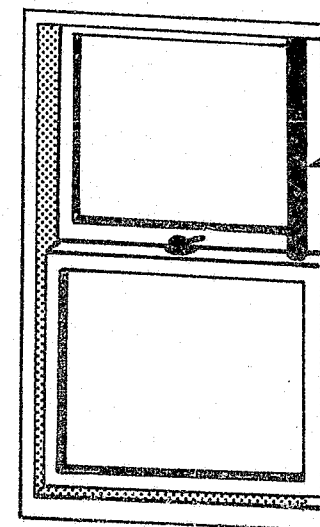
Window may be PINNED and additional holes drilled for ventilation.

THUMB TURN, channel mounted locks are available for purchase.



KEY operated locks can also be used.

MOST LOCKING DEVICES ILLUSTRATED IN THIS BOOKLET CAN BE PURCHASED FROM LOCKSMITHS, HARDWARE, VARIETY, AND DEPARTMENT STORES.

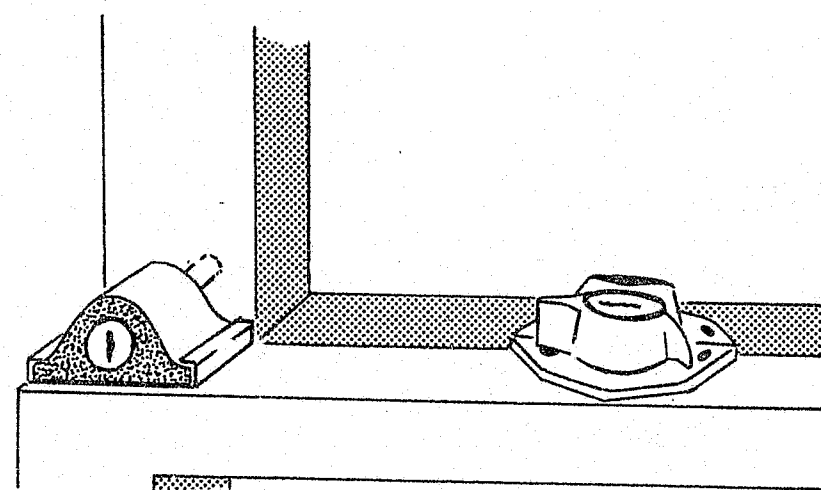
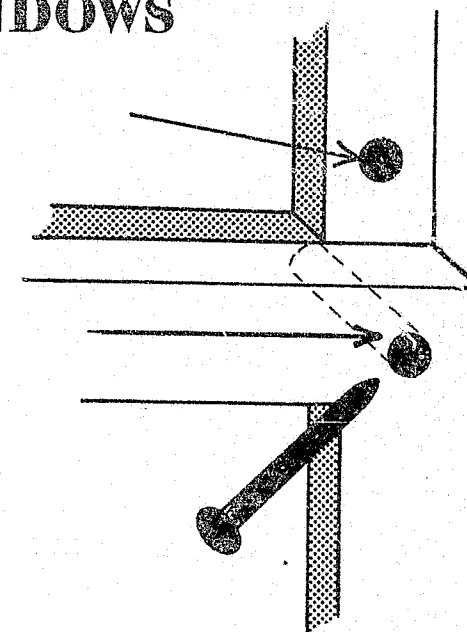


STICK or WOOD DOWEL securely wedged or faced with hook and loop material (velcro)

DOUBLE HUNG WINDOWS

PINNING WINDOWS

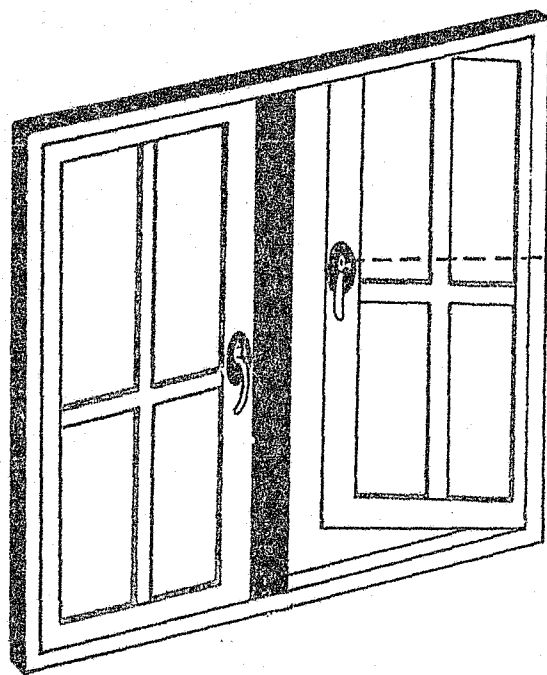
Drill hole through first sash and into but not through the second sash. Additional holes may be drilled for ventilation.



These are two types of KEYED LOCKS.

These locks work on the same principle as double cylinder door locks, page 8.

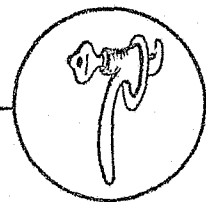
VISIT THE MALL 205 DISPLAY CENTER TO SEE SAMPLE ILLUSTRATIONS OF LOCKING DEVICES IN THIS BOOKLET.



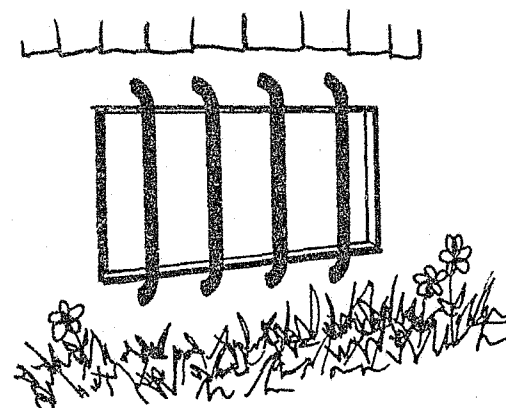
CASEMENT WINDOWS

Break resistant glazing material is available for windows of all types.

KEYED LOCKS are available for casement windows also.



Barred Basement Windows



NOTE: Will prevent entry but is a potential fire hazard due to escape route being blocked.

MAKE YOUR HOME APPEAR OCCUPIED

Dear Mr. Burglar:

We will be gone for ☒ hours ☒ days.

1. There should be ☒ newspapers piled on the doorstep when we return home.
2. Our lawn will probably have grown ☒ inches by the time we return.
3. Our drapes are always ☒ open ☐ closed.
4. We *never* lock our bathroom window.

Love and xxxxxx's

John and Mable
The J.Q. Securities

P.S. Please leave your finger-print somewhere so we'll be able to contact you upon our return. Thanks.

SECURING YOUR HOME INVOLVES MORE THAN USING GOOD LOCKING DEVICES.

Since most burglars do not like to confront people, making your home appear occupied when you are not home can provide you with additional security.

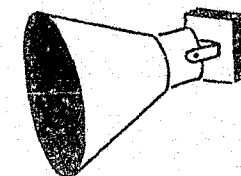
SHORT ABSENCE:

1. Lock doors and windows, lock garage door.
2. Leave *drapes* open in the day, closed at night.
3. Leave a *radio* playing.
4. During dark hours, leave a *light* or lights on in areas where looking in a window will not tell if anyone is home.

VACATION:

1. Arrange to have your *yard picked up* and cared for.
2. Set *lights* on a *timer* to go on and off. Or have a neighbor see to varying lights and drapes.
3. Inform a trusted neighbor that you will be gone.

ALARMS



ADDED SECURITY

Alarm systems serve as both a DETERRENT and a SECURITY device. Most homes can gain added security with an alarm system.

Homes with extensive *natural cover* or homes on large lots or acreage should consider an alarm system. Premises of these types give a burglar CONCEALMENT and TIME to defeat even an excellent door and window lock system. Although there is no such thing as a burglar-proof home, the addition of a quality alarm system can deter and/or detect the average burglar entering your home and afford you peace of mind.

BASIC SYSTEMS AVAILABLE

A burglar alarm can be installed to protect every potential point of entry on the *perimeter* of your house and/or use devices to detect the intruder after he has *entered* your home. Once the alarm is tripped, it would either ring a *bell* that is attached to your house or *silently signal* an alarm company to dispatch the Sheriff and possibly alarm company agents.

The basic home protection system is a *hardwire system* of *contacts* or *switches* on doors and windows. There is also a choice of additional interior protection with the use of *pressure mats*, *photoelectric beams*, *ultrasonic*, *infrared*, and *sound detectors*.

In homes with children and pets, it is best to keep the system simple to avoid false alarms.

All alarm systems should have the feature of automatically shutting down after ringing a short period of time.

GET WHAT YOU PAY FOR

In alarms you generally get what you pay for. Some systems can be installed by the homeowner and others by an alarm company. In either case, be sure that sensor devices are UNDERWRITER'S LABORATORIES (UL) approved for burglary protection. Poorly installed and maintained alarms result in frequent FALSE ALARMS. Extensive care should be taken to avoid this.

Alarm companies are listed in the yellow pages. Get several bids. Ask for references and/or check with the better business bureau if you question the price or product.

FIRE/BURGLAR ALARM

You may also want to consider having a fire alarm system installed along with your burglary alarm — get a price for both. It is often more economical to have both fire and burglar alarm systems installed at the same time. In any case, it is a good idea to have at least one smoke detector built into your alarm system.

CHECK LIST

- Deal with a reputable company. Call the Crime Prevention Unit if you are not sure (255-7422).
- Have a shut off feature on alarm systems.
- Do *not* have a dialer system that calls the Sheriff's Office. (Have it dial an answering service or security agent.)
- Get what you pay for and study the contract.
- Know your alarm system and what you must do to keep it in proper operating condition.

III. MARK YOUR PROPERTY



■ Mark

Mark your property with a permanent, indelible mark. This mark should be made in a place that is not easily accessible to the thief.

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■ Inventory

Inventory your property with the name, description, serial number, and value of each item.

■ Post Warning Decals

Post warning decals on your property to deter thieves.

WARNING

These warnings are
not to be taken lightly
and will result in
the immediate arrest
of the offender.
If you see a
warning sign,
do not touch it.

POLICE

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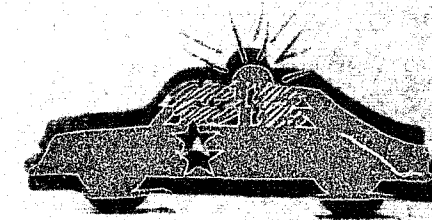
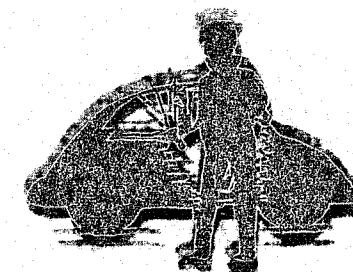
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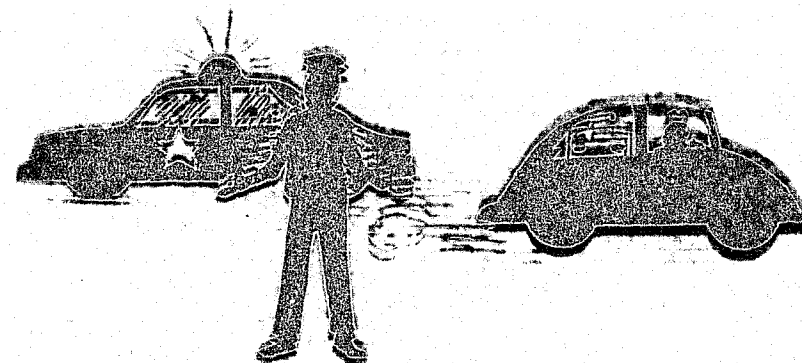
Why Mark Your Property?

THIS PROVES TO BE A VERY GOOD IDEA

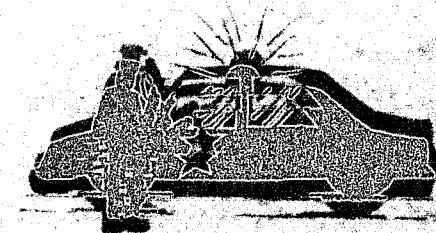
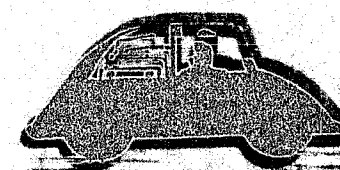
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It looks suspicious.



If there are no identification numbers
on the property
HE'S OFF!



If any of the property is marked with a Driver's License Number
INVESTIGATION MAY LEAD TO ARREST AND RECOVERY

Because the Deputy was able to get the owner's name using
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10. Describe the following:

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How to organize block meetings, and meetings for your club or group

1. Call the Crime Prevention Unit and establish a date for your meeting. (255-7422)
2. We will mail invitation forms to you and provide all necessary materials and equipment for the meeting.
3. You personally invite your neighbors, particularly those on your own street, to be present, and explain the program to them.
4. Leave invitation form if you cannot make contact.
5. The meeting can be in the living room, basement, garage, or, on pleasant evenings, in the yard.
6. Group luncheon or dinner meetings can also be arranged.

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