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## PACKARD MOTOR CAR COMPANY

## DETROIT MICHIGAN

December 19, 1930.

To Packard Distributers and Dealers

TO BE NOTED AND INITIALED BY	

Subject: PACKARD SHOCK ABSORBERS (SIXTH AND SEVENTH SERIES)

## Gentlemen:

We now have available shock absorber expansion chamber equipments for the early shock absorbers whose adjustment valve is on the side, and it is possible for us to work out a more satisfactory arrangement covering the handling of shock absorbers which are returned to the factory.

When shock absorbers removed from Sixth or Seventh series cars are judged by the factory to be defective, they will hereafter be credited to your account and will not be handled on a repair and return basis as in the past.

In order that we may be able to credit the shock absorbers which you return it will be necessary that we use for replacement the first type units which were originally used on Sixth series cars. These units when shipped from the factory will be equipped with the shock absorber expansion chamber, and the addition of these chambers produces such a satisfactory result that the early shock absorbers may be used interchangeably with the later type.

If shock absorbers are returned to the factory which are not defective and which require only that attention which should be given in any service station they will be credited, but a charge will be made to cover our cost in doing that work which could have been performed in the field.

The factory now reserves the right to ship any of the three types of shock absorbers which may be available at the time the order is received, even though the parts order may specify one of the other types. Since all shock absorbers are credited when returned any units which you require for your own stock should henceforth be ordered from the factory parts department on your regular parts order.

The expansion chambers for the original shock absorbers with the valves on the side should be ordered as follows:

1-97830 Shock Absorber Expansion Chamber Equipment

This equipment covers the parts necessary for a complete set of shock absorbers, and the list prices for zones 1, 2 and 3 will be \$1.75, \$1.85 and \$2.05, respectively.

The expansion chambers for the later shock absorbers are described in Technical Letter No. 1903.

Yours very truly,

PACKARD MOTOR CAR COMPANY.

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