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ACOUSTICS OF MOTOR CAR BODIES

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The Bureau of Standards has made no tests of the transmission of sound through motor car bodies. Tests have been made with respect to such lath and plaster partitions as are commonly used in building construction, but the conclusions reached with these partitions cannot be safely applied to such different structures as motor car bodies.

The Bureau's tests on lath and plaster partitions are described in Bureau of Standards Scientific Paper #526, on Transmission and Absorption of Sound by Some Building Materials, which can be had of the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C., at the price of 15 cents.

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