Fire Chief Fought Car Blaze

Mr. H. Reynolds, Fire Force Commander fought a motor-car fire in Meadow Hall Road last night on his way to Sheffield from Rotherham. Mr. Reynolds's car came along almost immediately after a saloon car owned and driven by Mr. L. Sheldon, of 57, Adkins Road, Sheffield had caught fire.

Mr. Sheldon, in the process of changing a wheel, had struck a match. The tilting action of jacking up the wheel had caused petrol to drip to the ground, and the match ignited it, quickly involving the car.

Mr, Reynolds fought the fire and kept it in check until the arrival of the N.F.S. from Darnall.

The car was extensively damaged.