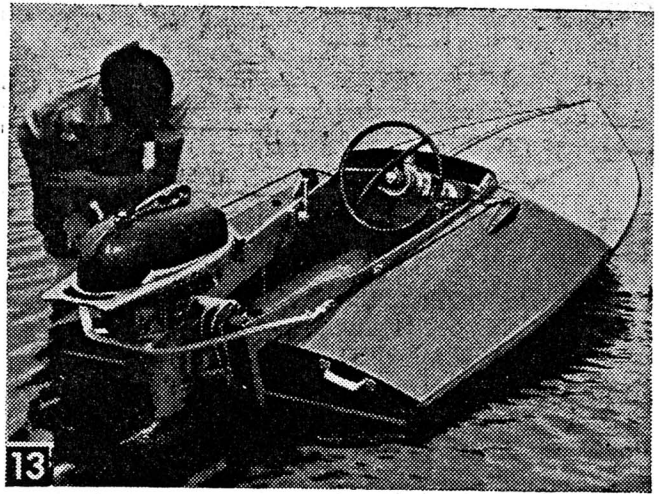


and apply two coats of Condon's *Boatlife* (red or green) on the bottom and white on the sides. Turn the hull right side up and give the side decks and transom two coats of *Boatlife* clear and the muslin deck one coat of thinned *Boatlife* of the desired color. Decorate as in Fig. 14.

Purchase an aluminum racing fin and cut down to size (Fig. 11). Fasten to underside of hull 34 in. forward of transom. Bolt a 15-in. steering wheel to the center of the wheel bracket and rig the steering gear as in Fig. 12. As a safety measure, bolt a safety grip throttle control to the left coaming and connect to throttle control on motor. This type of control returns throttle to stop position if hand tension is accidentally released.

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