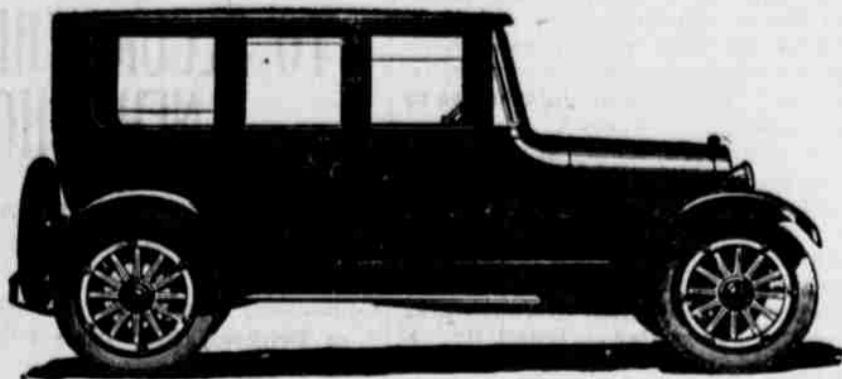


The REO SEDAN



In the Reo Sedan you find the elegant appointments and luxurious equipment that are demanded by the most exacting buyers. In upholstery and interior finish it is beyond compare.

There are many distinctive features about Reo automobiles that are different from all other cars.

Take for instance, the patented oiling device whereby the overhead valve rocker arms are perfectly lubricated at all times by a force oil pump. This is strictly a Reo feature and a mighty valuable one, as it prevents wear and noise that eventually come to the ordinary overhead valve engine.

The four-bearing crankshaft is unusual to most six-cylinder cars. The Reo has it. This makes for a more rigid crank, which practically eliminates vibration and the pounding so common to the three-bearing crank Six.

Multiple disc clutch.

A Rayfield carbureter that is automatic in its adjustment so that your car works as good in extremely cold weather as it does in the summer time.

Royal Cord tires all around as a regular equipment.

Fifty horsepower engine with 3100 pound car—a perfect balance.

Standardization of parts, so that practically every part in this new Reo will fit all models back to 1912.

The Reo is no experiment. It is one of the very oldest cars on the market, having built good cars before many of its competitors ever dreamed of making them. The Reo aim is not to make the most cars in the world, but to make the best. Factory has never made enough Reos to go around—the demand is greater than the supply each year.

Then the Reo slogan, "Fifty Per Cent Oversize" is a mighty good feature for the man who owns a car. Being made one-half stronger than is necessary in every vital part, makes for long life and endurance in special times of stress. It's really hard to break a Reo.

The up-to-date lines of this new Six make for beauty as well as quality, and the combination of these two features is all anyone could ask for in an automobile.

Let your new car be a REO.
"The Gold Standard of Values."

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OIL NOTES

The state of New Mexico is now experiencing an oil boom. According to information collected by the Albuquerque Journal, there are at present in the state fifty-two drilling wells, five of which are over 2,000 feet deep and two over 2,700 feet. There are approximately 107 wells under contract and it is estimated that at least three hundred geologists are in the state working for oil concerns. The tests for oil, as planned, will cover nearly the entire state and some oil has already been found in four counties—McKinley, San Juan, Chavez and Eddy. The wells are small ones thus far, but they prove that oil is there. The best showing is in McKinley county. Practically all the state-owned lands in New Mexico have been leased to oil companies except some tracts in the mountains of Taos and Rio Arriba counties.

The suggestion of Lloyd Thomas of Alliance while in Lincoln last week, in an interview published in the eastern Nebraska dailies, that a natural gas pipe line from the Lance creek field to eastern Nebraska be considered, has met with considerable interest on the part of eastern Nebraska capitalists and fuel consumers as well as on the part of oil men in eastern Wyoming. Mr.

Thomas received a lengthy letter this week from a Lance creek superintendent for one of the big companies, with additional information regarding the gas production there. This authority states that although none of the Lance creek gas wells have been correctly gauged or measured he is sure that an estimate of 180 million cubic feet per day capacity would not be an overestimate. He states that gas would be much better to handle than the oil and at less expense. At present the outlook for gas is good for many years to come. The last gas well that the Midwest bought in is estimated at 60 million cubic feet per day. The Midwest has two gas wells, the Ohio has one and the Buck Creek Oil company has two. All of the wells show heavy rock pressure and seem to have a good source of supply. This authority also says that it would not be a hard thing to pipe the gas to eastern Nebraska as gas from the Oklahoma fields is piped much longer distances with good results. There has been some talk of piping the gas to Denver from the Lance creek field.

The Midwest Oil company is erecting a rig on section 27-36-35 in the Lance creek field, north of the big gas well and drilling will be started before the end of the month.

According to the United States geological survey the petroleum production of Alaska is derived from a single patented claim in the Katala oil field. The old wells on this claim and the refinery were operated as usual in 1918. The new productive wells were drilled in in this field last

year. During this year there has been a great revival in the potential oil fields in anticipation of the passage of a law permitting the leasing of Alaskan oil lands. No legal provision has been made for the leasing of these lands although it is believed that an abundance of oil lies in the Alaska peninsula.

Four thousand barrels of crude oil—a new record for winter months—were added to Wyoming's production by November operations in the fields of the state. In view of strike conditions and the worst November weather recorded in recent years, the showing is considered remarkable. The effects of the steel strike will not be felt until later, although the start of many new operations has been delayed. The new production comes from twenty-eight completions, eight of which were dry and four gassers, as compared with thirty-one completions in October, six dry and two gassers. Five hundred rigs are up, of which 344 are drilling, while the previous month showed the same number drilling out of a total of 480 up. The gain in new rigs is considered encouraging to future operations as the majority were erected under extreme difficulties.

Lance creek and Sale creek each reported 1,000 barrels of new production for the month, the former from three completions and Sale creek from two wells. Lance creek had one dry completion and one gasser, rated as the biggest in the field. Sale creek has twenty-four rigs working and Lance creek fifty-nine.

The Rock river and Medicine Bow district is credited with nine hundred barrels from two producers, two of the completions of the month being dry. Sixty-three rigs are up in the district, of which forty-two are drilling.

In the Big Muddy two new wells are credited with 125 barrels each. Out of a total of twenty-one rigs up, only one is not drilling.

Four companies are reported in the Warm Springs, Grass creek and Thermopolis region, of which three are capable of producing 190 barrels of oil and one is dry. Twenty-four rigs are drilling out of twenty-seven up.

The Big Horn Basin completed three wells, one a gasser and two failures, but drilling is going ahead on twenty-seven other tests and five additional rigs are up.

Fremont county had no completions but reported twenty-nine wells drilling and six rigs standing.

Miscellaneous operations account for nine other wells, only one of them dry, with an aggregate production of 650 barrels, and 119 drilling wells, many of them wildcats. Thirty of these are drilling in Lost Soldier and Carbon county, where no new production was encountered during the past month.

The New York Oil company is to build a gas pipe line from the Poison Spider field of Wyoming to the city of Casper in the spring, according to announcement made this week.

SPECIAL OFFICER ENDS LONG SEARCH

Webb Suffered 20 Years—Trouble Overcome After He Takes Tanlac

"This Tanlac is just the thing I have been looking for twenty long years," was the statement made to a Tanlac representative recently by John Webb, a special officer on the C. B. & Q. railroad, living at 1215 Cliff St., Kansas City, Mo.

"I had suffered so long," continued Mr. Webb, "and could find nothing at all that would relieve me, that I thought my age had about gotten the best of me and I would have to bear my troubles the best I could as long as I lived. My stomach was in such an awful fix that I was in misery all the time. My appetite was poor, and I was so nervous that any kind of noise out of the ordinary would make me jump like I was shot at. Nearly all the time I had headaches and dizzy spells, and I became so weak that it was a job for me to get about and all the time I felt stuffy and draggy."

"I had taken every medicine I had heard of when I started taking Tanlac, and I didn't expect Tanlac to do me any good for none of the other medicines had helped me any, but I went on and took it just to feel satisfied that I had tried everything I had ever heard of. And I want to tell you I have never been so surprised in all my life. Yes, sir, Tanlac went right to my old troubles and has knocked them sky high and put me in the very best of health. I don't believe my stomach was ever in better shape for I can eat anything I want and not have a sign of indigestion or gas afterwards. My nerves are steady and I don't have any more headaches or dizzy spells and I feel built up in every way and have gained ten pounds in weight. When a medicine brings a fellow's health back like Tanlac has done mine, I think he ought to tell everybody about it, and that is just the reason why I am glad to give this statement and recommend Tanlac to suffering people."

Tanlac is sold in Alliance by F. E. Holsten, in Hemingford by Hemington Merc. Co., in Hoffland by Maltery Grocery Co.—Advertisement. 8

Prosperity to You

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We have at all times tried to furnish all of you with Absolute Purity in our Candies, and in the future will maintain our already high standard.

Again thanking you, we wish you twelve months of peace and plenty for the coming year.

Alliance Candy Store

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What Can We Say

to make you commence saving? Everyone will tell you it is a profitable habit to cultivate, you realize it yourself, and still it is difficult to take the first step.

Why not take about three minutes after you read this ad and figure the matter out definitely for yourself—and then act on your decision. Ask yourself

First: Do I want to save? Hardly a hesitation to this answer.

Reasons will flock to your thoughts: Next year's Christmas presents, investments, emergencies, etc.

Second: How best can I do it? We offer the suggestion that you join our Christmas Savings Club. It affords you a conservative, regular, profitable form of savings that will recommend itself to you instantly upon explanation. Determine an amount you can save with some sacrifice and deposit it each week.

Now that you have decided one way or another, the next—and by far the most important—step is to act upon your decision. Make a special trip to The First State Bank, deposit your first installment and know that you have begun. The rest is easy. You will not notice it after a week or so. Next year at this time you will understand the good features of this plan.

Christmas Savings Clubs Started December 20

There are two classes of Savings Clubs which we have organized to help you form the habit of thrift. Both continue for fifty weeks. In one you commence with a given amount and each week increase the deposit by an amount equal to that with which you commenced the account. Thus, in the 2c Club: First week, deposit 2c; second week, 4c; third week, 6c; etc. The other club includes those members who deposit a certain sum weekly for fifty weeks, with no increase in the amount deposited. The various clubs and the amounts follow:

50 Weeks With Deposits in Multiples		50 Weeks With Straight Deposits	
1c Club amounts to	\$12.75	25c Club amounts to	\$12.50
2c Club amounts to	\$25.50	50c Club amounts to	\$25.00
5c Club amounts to	\$63.75	\$1.00 Club amounts to	\$50.00
10c Club amounts to	\$127.75	\$5.00 Club amounts to	\$250.00

X-Club includes those making any amount regularly, the same each week. Interest at 5% Will Be Paid on Your Money

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