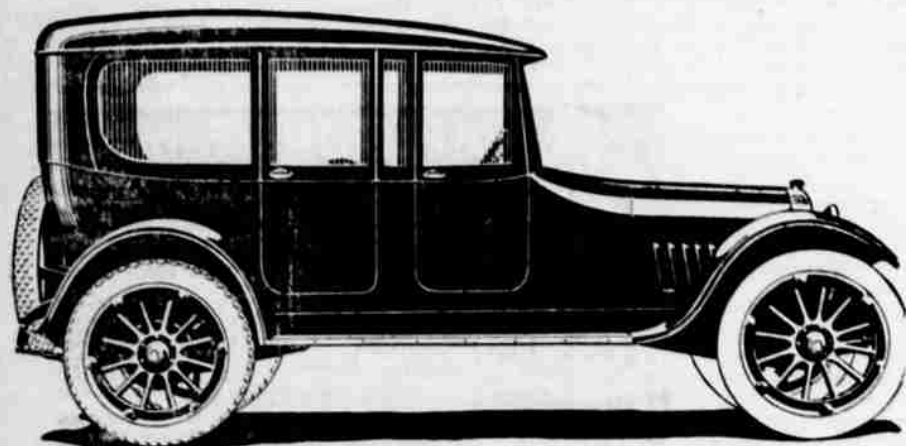


OAKLAND SENSIBLE SIX

The New Sedan



A Summer and Winter Car

A most striking point about this convertible sedan is its extremely low weight and proportionately high power. The drawback to most closed cars is that their great weight makes fuel and tire costs objectionably high. This does not apply to the Sensible Six sedan, for it weighs less than 2300 pounds or only about 160 pounds more than the regular touring car.

The 44 horse-power engine, with its six-cylinder valve-in-head efficiency, has only 52 pounds of car weight per horsepower to pull and consequently this car is equal to the severest tests of touring as well as about-town social purposes. DETAILS OF FINISH—The frame of the top is very rigid and substantially braced, the side sections and windows are accurately shaped and fitted, and all glass is heavy polished plate. The door windows are fitted with ventilators.

the upper half of the glass sliding up and down in a special velvet channel. When lowered the glass rests on rubber bumpers. Daintiness and luxury are attained inside by lining of fine automobile cloth and lace trimmings to match. The top has a dome light with handsome cut glass rosette. The rear window is large and conveniently placed to give clear vision.

SUMMER USE—The substantial stationary top is completely weatherproof and rainproof. When the windows and posts are removed for summer use, perfect protection from bad weather is instantly available in the form of side curtains which are stored in a large flat pocket in the front of the top. These curtains are furnished at extra cost.

PRICE—\$1315, Albany.

PROVED SATISFACTION

The Oakland Six has given satisfaction to thousands of users, 48 being in use in and near Albany. Come in and let us explain the various styles of bodies, the engine, the various specifications and exclusive features of the Oakland. Come in and sink into its cushions, try it out and if you are in the market for a car you'll decide on some kind of an Oakland.

Five passenger touring car, \$1090. Other models at \$1090, \$1615, \$1315 and \$1275.

Never before at a truly moderate cost has so much comfort, all-year serviceability, and unusual economy in use been offered as in the handsome five-passenger touring sedan model of the Oakland Sensible Six. All the delights and conveniences of the closed type of car are included in this latest Oakland, yet the cost has been kept astonishingly low by a care in design which adds to this car's utility and performance powers.

ALBANY GARAGE

G. T. HOCKENSMITH Foot of Ellsworth St. Albany, Ore. LLOYD TEMPLTON



"Better" and "Still Better"

Here are the two Willards—the good old time-tested Willard that has proven its worth on over a million cars, and is as good today as ever—and the "Still Better Willard," with Threaded Rubber Insulation.

The "Still Better Willard" costs a little more, but it pays you back with interest. In the vital matter of insulation, it's head and shoulders above anything else on the market.

If you need a new battery you can hardly afford not to get the latest, finest and most dependable battery quality to be had.

Drop in and let us tell you more about it.

AUTO ELECTRIC SHOP NEW LOCATION
Third and Lyon Sts.



Willard
STORAGE BATTERY

PORTLAND AUTO SHOW WILL OPEN FEB. 7-13

PORTLAND, Jan. 19.—Though the reputed danger of a gasoline shortage has been disproved and it has been officially announced that with even reasonable economy, there is more than enough gasoline to meet all requirements, the war has been directly responsible for improvements in automobile motors, adding greatly to their gasoline mileage.

Visitors to the Portland automobile, truck and tractor show, which will be held in the Portland city auditorium from February 7 to 13 inclusive, will see these improvements on the latest models of motor vehicles.

The show will be a great educational exhibit. Its purpose is to show how the automobile, truck and tractor are doing their bit to help win the war by adding to business, industrial and agricultural efficiency.

The passenger automobile is no longer a luxury but a business necessity. Ninety per cent of the cars today are used by their owners in their business. The extent to which automobiles increase national war efficiency has been strikingly demonstrated in Canada, where after three years of war, 100,000 new cars were purchased last year.

At the Portland automobile show the latest models of trucks and farm tractors will be especially featured. Trucks of all sizes and for every need and farm tractors for the large farmer and the farmer who cultivates only a few acres, will be shown.

Reduced fares to the automobile show will be in effect on all the railroads, and a big attendance from outside towns is expected.

COMMERCIAL CARS MAKE LONG TOURS

It is apparent from activities to be observed around Dodge Brothers Works in Detroit that neither dealers nor the general public are losing time in their drive on the commercial car department. Nearly every one of the long line of passenger cars which leaves the factory gates for cross-country runs to the homes of dealers is headed by one or more of the trim appearing commercial cars on which delivery began only a few weeks ago.

BATTERY BUSINESS IN ALBANY GROWING RAPIDLY

Since coming to Albany over a year ago, H. D. Preston, proprietor of the Willard Battery service station, has enjoyed a constant growth of business. Opening in a small shop on Second street, it soon became apparent that the growing needs of this city would require larger space. A location to suit Mr. Preston's requirements was found when Leo Cohen moved his pool hall to First street and left vacant his store on Lyon, near Third street.

New machinery for recharging and rebuilding batteries has been installed, new lines are being added and, with increased room and better working facilities, Mr. Preston is better able to care for the trade than ever.

OAKLAND SIX BECOMING POPULAR IN ALBANY

Messrs. Hockensmith and Templeton, of the Albany Garage, announce the sale of a 1918 Oakland Six sedan to Rev. Allyn Eason. The sedan and other types of closed car, is becoming popular in Oregon for all-weather driving.

Other recent purchasers of Oaklands are E. M. Jenks, of Tangent, and C. E. Bowman, of Plainview. Forty-three Oaklands were sold in and around Albany last year.

The Albany Garage also sold a Studebaker "four" to Chas. Schoel the other day. The new Studebaker models are beauties.

One of the important coming events of the Pacific Northwest is the big automobile, truck and tractor show to be held in Portland from February 7 to 13, inclusive.

NEW POLITICAL PARTY ENTERS FIELD IN OHIO

COLUMBUS, Jan. 18.—A new political party in Ohio made up of prohibitionists, progressives and socialists who have withdrawn from the socialist party because of its anti-war stand, was launched at a meeting here today.

Delegates were to be selected tomorrow for a meeting of the new party in Chicago next summer.

Complete state and congressional tickets will likely be put in the field at the next election.

Woman suffrage, prohibition and patriotism are to be the principal planks of the new party.

THEY HAVE A DARK SECRET

Husband and Brother-in-Law Feast and Smash Piece of China, Which is Mysteriously Replaced.

Since the coming of the Navy and the perfecting of the Bertillon system dark secrets have lost vogue. Yet occasionally one of them does escape the keenest vigilance and flourishes with all the old-time mystery, according to the Kansas City Star.

Mrs. Miller has a set of chinaware, the real crown ware that the light shines through. It is very old. Mrs. Miller inherited it. She also inherited the proud right to boast that not one piece had ever been broken.

Mrs. Miller went away. Mr. Miller entertained his brother-in-law while she was gone. There were other relatives that he might have entertained, but in an unguarded moment he chose his brother-in-law.

One night they made a feast. They baked a great number of things all in one pan. So when it came out of the oven it seemed to demand that it should all be served on one plate. Mr. Miller looked over the supply of dishes that had been left out for his use and there was really nothing that would contain it. A wild spirit of revelry seized Mr. Miller.

"We will do the thing up right," he shouted.

He went boldly into the china closet and brought out the very largest platter.

When the meal was ended, Mr. Miller's brother-in-law suggested dish washing. Mr. Miller did not favor the plan, but finally yielded to it against his better judgment. What happened was quite natural.

The platter slipped and fell and broke.

After all the years, after all the family pride and care! From that night on those two men took up and carried about with them a dark secret, for this is what they did—each carrying a piece of that platter, they went from one china store to another until they found its duplicate. They carried it home and brought in a woman to wash it and replace it on the shelf of the china closet.

Now when Mrs. Miller entertains her friends and one of them says: "How I envy you these beautiful dishes, and it is so remarkable that not one has ever been broken," Mr. Miller and his brother-in-law sit with a far away look in their eyes and a dark secret in their souls.

Wheatless and meatless days at home mean defeatless days for our boys abroad.

CHEVROLET

\$51.30

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If You PURCHASE Your Car
NOW

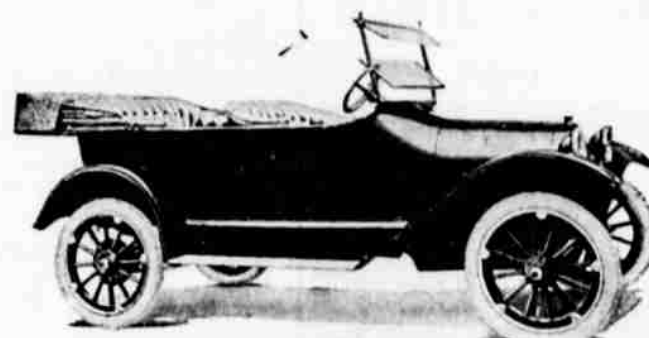
The Chevrolet Motor Company notify us that owing to the increased cost of materials, labor, etc., they are compelled to advance prices.

There Will Be No Change From The Present Models

As long as the cars we have on hand last, they will be sold without the advance in price.

Model "490" Five Passenger Touring Car, Present Price \$715.

War Tax Not Included



The World's
Lowest Priced Electrically Equipped Automobile

Irvin's Garage
324 Broadalbin Sts.

Special reduced round trip fares will be in effect on the railroads from Oregon and Northwest points to Portland during the automobile Truck and Tractor show there from February 7 to 13, inclusive.

The Portland automobile, truck and tractor show will be held in Portland from February 7 to 13, inclusive. The railroads have granted reduced round trip fares to Portland during show week.

DODGE BROTHERS CLOSED CAR

Because people think well of these cars, it is still impossible for Dodge Brothers to build enough of them.

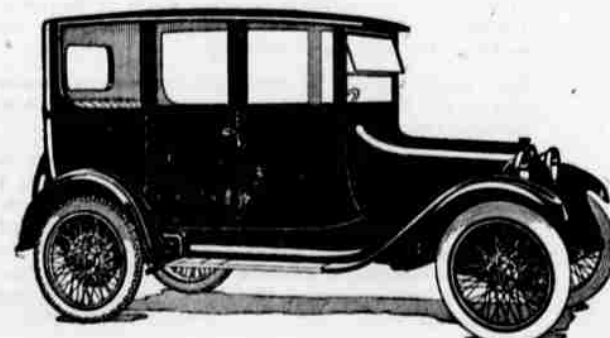
Seldom has there been a finer example of the force of friendly thoughts.

It is an inspiration and an encouragement to build well—because the reward, in America, is so great and so sure.

It will pay you to visit us and examine this car.

The gasoline consumption is unusually low. The tire mileage is unusually high.

Sedan or Coupe, \$1350; Winter Touring Car or Roadster, \$1050; Touring Car, Roadster or Commercial Car, \$885. (All prices f. o. b. Detroit.)



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