

ECONOMY RECORD IS MADE BY HUP

**SEATTLE MAN RUNS 1,299
MILES ON 50 GALLONS
OF FUEL**

Word has just been received by Midland Motor company, Billings, Mont., local Hupmobile distributors of a wonderful performance made by a model "N" stock Hupmobile at Seattle under the auspices of the William T. Patton Co., the Seattle distributors for Hupmobile and the Pantages theater. The performance was a high gear test with hood and speedometer cabled and was in the form of a guessing contest for the Seattle public. The idea was to guess how far this four-cylinder Hupmobile would run on 50 gallons of gasoline and a prize of \$25 given the winner. Twenty-five thousand guessing slips were issued, placed in the theater programs and each patron given a chance to guess the ability of the Hupmobile.

When the car was sent on its journey over 2,000 people watched the start from the Pantages theater. The remarkable record of 1,299 miles was made on the 50 gallons of gasoline or an average of a little over 24 miles per gallon. The entire mileage was made over the principal city streets of Seattle and the roads of King county.

The record is all the more remarkable as the entire performance was made on high gear in heavy traffic which naturally increases gasoline consumption. Representatives of Seattle papers accompanied the car on its trip.

The machine finished its journey in such excellent condition that A. R. Dawson, manager of the Wm. T. Patton Co., took a flying trip through southwestern Washington to ascertain the condition of roads in that section for the benefit of Seattle motorists. The car finished this trip of almost 200 miles despite the heavy going encountered throughout the whole journey.

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