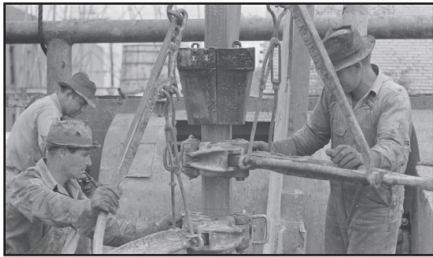


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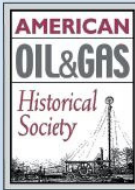


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Month	Year	Event	Month	Year	Event	Month	Year	Event
1	1859	Edwin Drake drills the first oil well in Pennsylvania.	2	1862	First oil well drilled in California.	3	1864	First oil well drilled in Texas.
4	1865	First oil well drilled in Oklahoma.	5	1866	First oil well drilled in Louisiana.	6	1867	First oil well drilled in Michigan.
7	1868	First oil well drilled in West Virginia.	8	1869	First oil well drilled in Colorado.	9	1870	First oil well drilled in Kansas.
10	1871	First oil well drilled in Nebraska.	11	1872	First oil well drilled in Minnesota.	12	1873	First oil well drilled in Iowa.
1	1874	First oil well drilled in Missouri.	2	1875	First oil well drilled in Arkansas.	3	1876	First oil well drilled in Louisiana.
4	1877	First oil well drilled in Mississippi.	5	1878	First oil well drilled in Alabama.	6	1879	First oil well drilled in Georgia.
7	1880	First oil well drilled in Florida.	8	1881	First oil well drilled in South Carolina.	9	1882	First oil well drilled in North Carolina.
10	1883	First oil well drilled in Virginia.	11	1884	First oil well drilled in West Virginia.	12	1885	First oil well drilled in Kentucky.
1	1886	First oil well drilled in Tennessee.	2	1887	First oil well drilled in Mississippi.	3	1888	First oil well drilled in Louisiana.
4	1889	First oil well drilled in Arkansas.	5	1890	First oil well drilled in Texas.	6	1891	First oil well drilled in Oklahoma.
7	1892	First oil well drilled in Colorado.	8	1893	First oil well drilled in Kansas.	9	1894	First oil well drilled in Nebraska.
10	1895	First oil well drilled in Minnesota.	11	1896	First oil well drilled in Iowa.	12	1897	First oil well drilled in Missouri.
1	1898	First oil well drilled in Arkansas.	2	1899	First oil well drilled in Louisiana.	3	1900	First oil well drilled in Mississippi.
4	1901	First oil well drilled in Alabama.	5	1902	First oil well drilled in Georgia.	6	1903	First oil well drilled in Florida.
7	1904	First oil well drilled in South Carolina.	8	1905	First oil well drilled in North Carolina.	9	1906	First oil well drilled in Virginia.
10	1907	First oil well drilled in West Virginia.	11	1908	First oil well drilled in Kentucky.	12	1909	First oil well drilled in Tennessee.
1	1910	First oil well drilled in Mississippi.	2	1911	First oil well drilled in Louisiana.	3	1912	First oil well drilled in Arkansas.
4	1913	First oil well drilled in Texas.	5	1914	First oil well drilled in Oklahoma.	6	1915	First oil well drilled in Colorado.
7	1916	First oil well drilled in Kansas.	8	1917	First oil well drilled in Nebraska.	9	1918	First oil well drilled in Minnesota.
10	1919	First oil well drilled in Iowa.	11	1920	First oil well drilled in Missouri.	12	1921	First oil well drilled in Arkansas.
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4	1925	First oil well drilled in Georgia.	5	1926	First oil well drilled in Florida.	6	1927	First oil well drilled in South Carolina.
7	1928	First oil well drilled in North Carolina.	8	1929	First oil well drilled in Virginia.	9	1930	First oil well drilled in West Virginia.
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4	1997	First oil well drilled in North Carolina.	5	1998	First oil well drilled in Virginia.	6	1999	First oil well drilled in West Virginia.
7	2000	First oil well drilled in Kentucky.	8	2001	First oil well drilled in Tennessee.	9	2002	First oil well drilled in Mississippi.
10	2003	First oil well drilled in Louisiana.	11	2004	First oil well drilled in Arkansas.	12	2005	First oil well drilled in Texas.



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