

The 1904 Transcontinental Run Album

Messrs. Whitman and Carris drove a 1904 Type-A cross engine Franklin from San Francisco to New York between August 1st and September 3rd, 1904. This was a record-breaking achievement and The H.H. Franklin Club is fortunate to have an album of 97 original pictures from this 4500-mile trip. These photographs were professionally scanned and adjusted at high resolution with each picture file being about 25 Mbytes.

The Files have been converted to lower resolution and collected into this PDF file of reasonable size and presented without selection or editing to represent as complete a historical record as possible. The pictures are in the order that they appear in the album which is not chronological. The high-resolution scans are available to club member upon application the librarian (library@franklincar.org).

The Franklin company used Mr. Whitman's account of the trip as an advertisement brochure for the 1905 model cars. This is also available on the Club's website (call no. A-05-01)

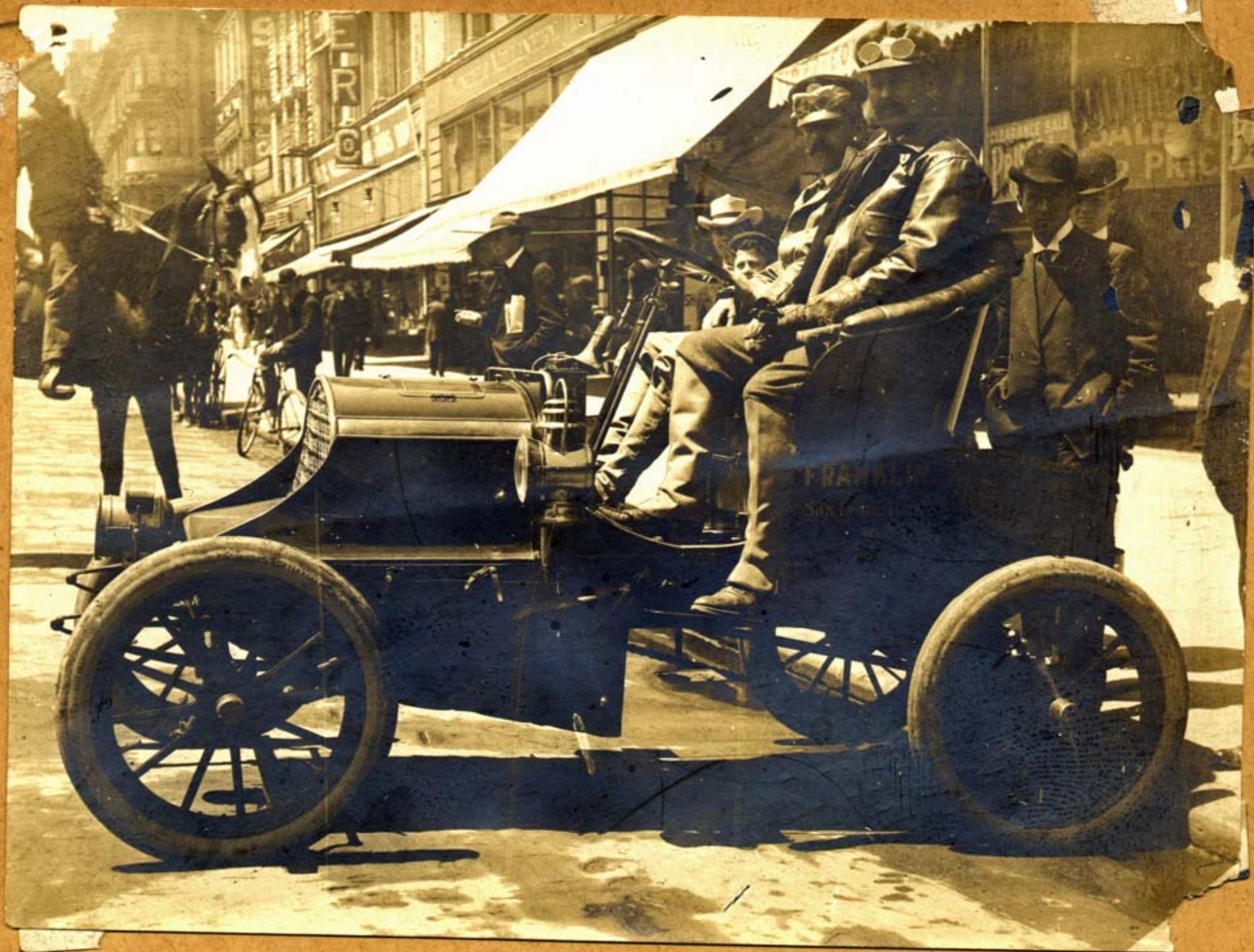






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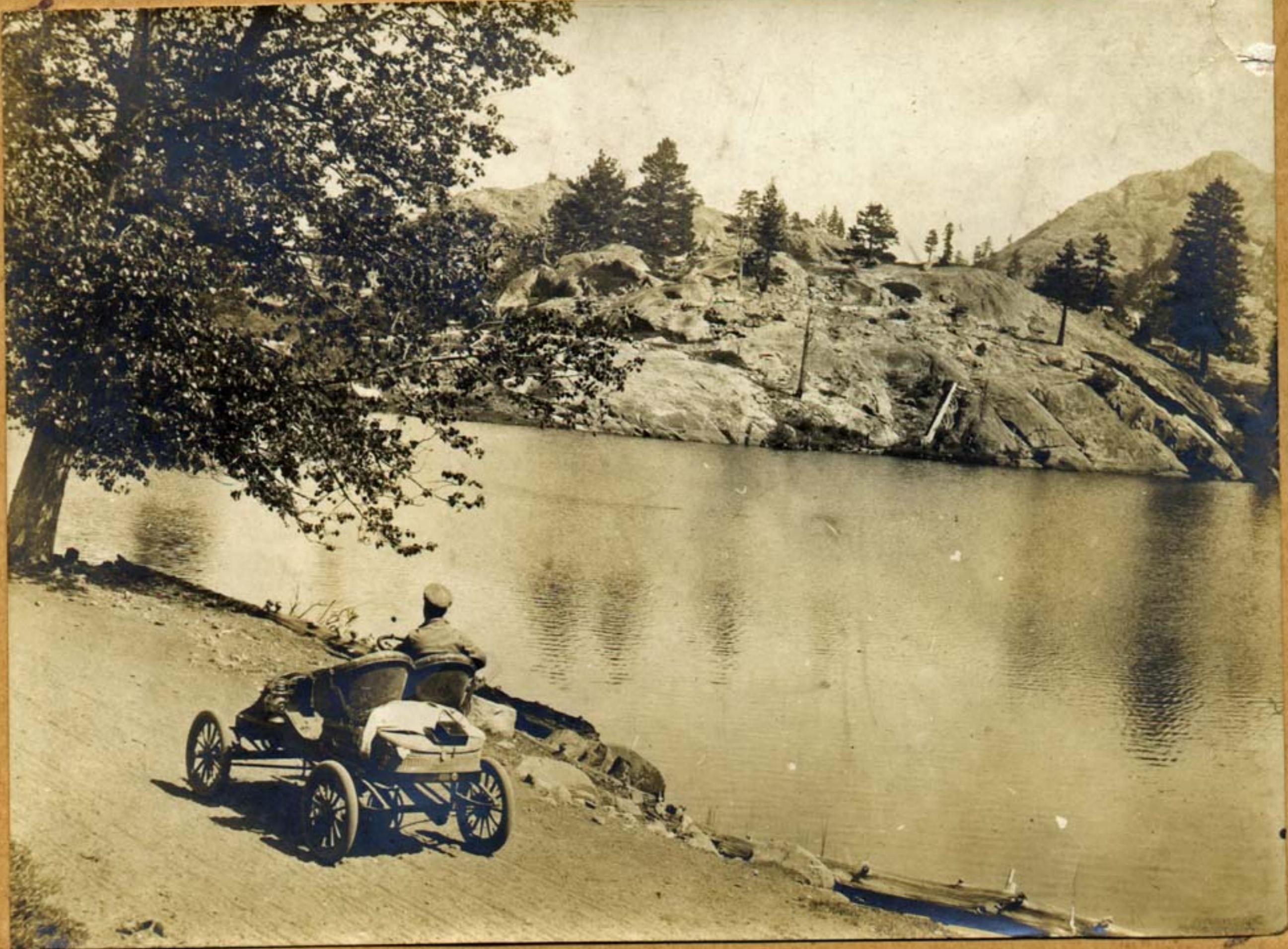














TRUCKEE SALOON

STEAM AND LAGER

CIGARS TOBACCO FRUIT CANDY NUTS

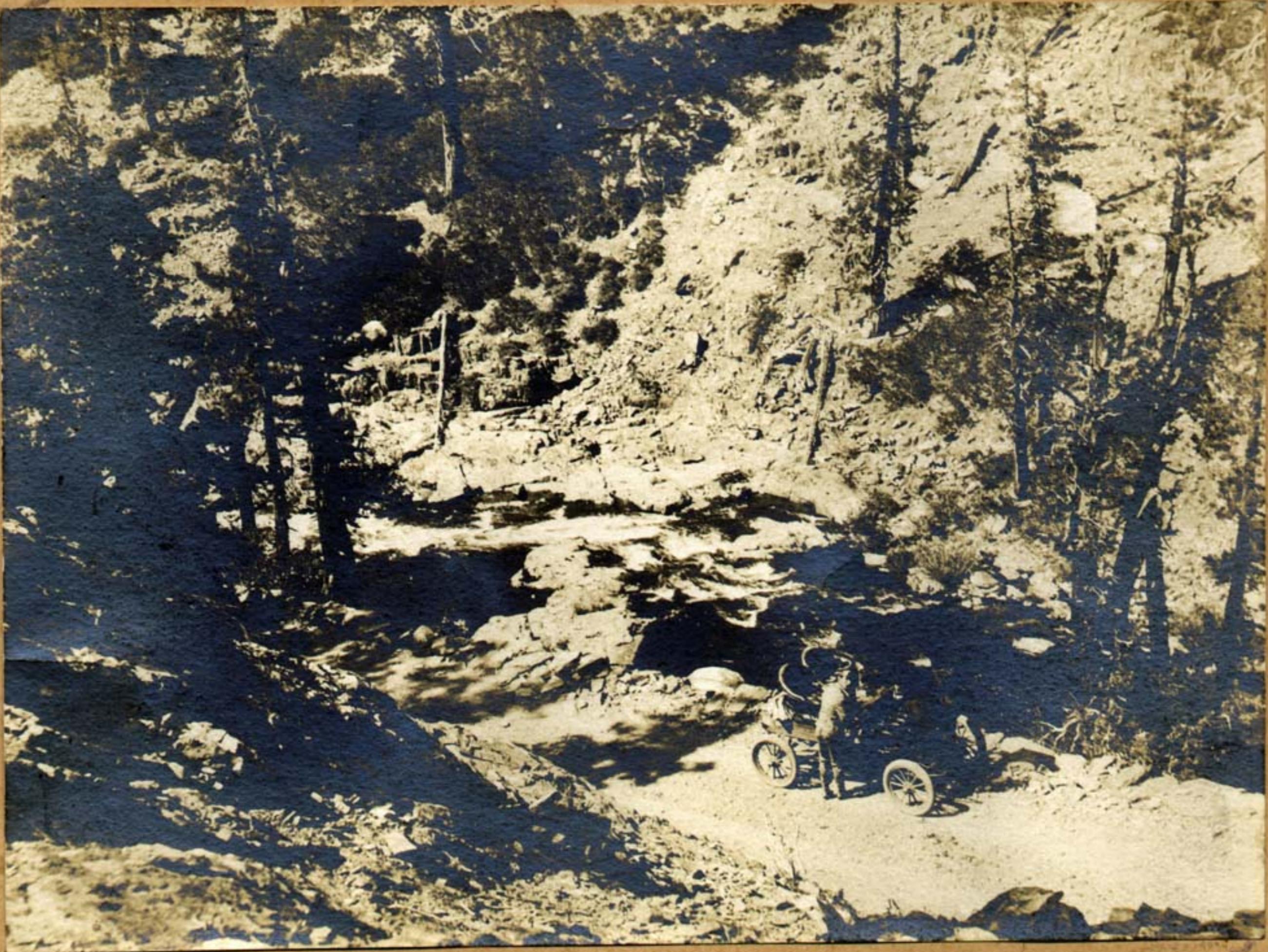
FRANKLIN San Francisco to New York









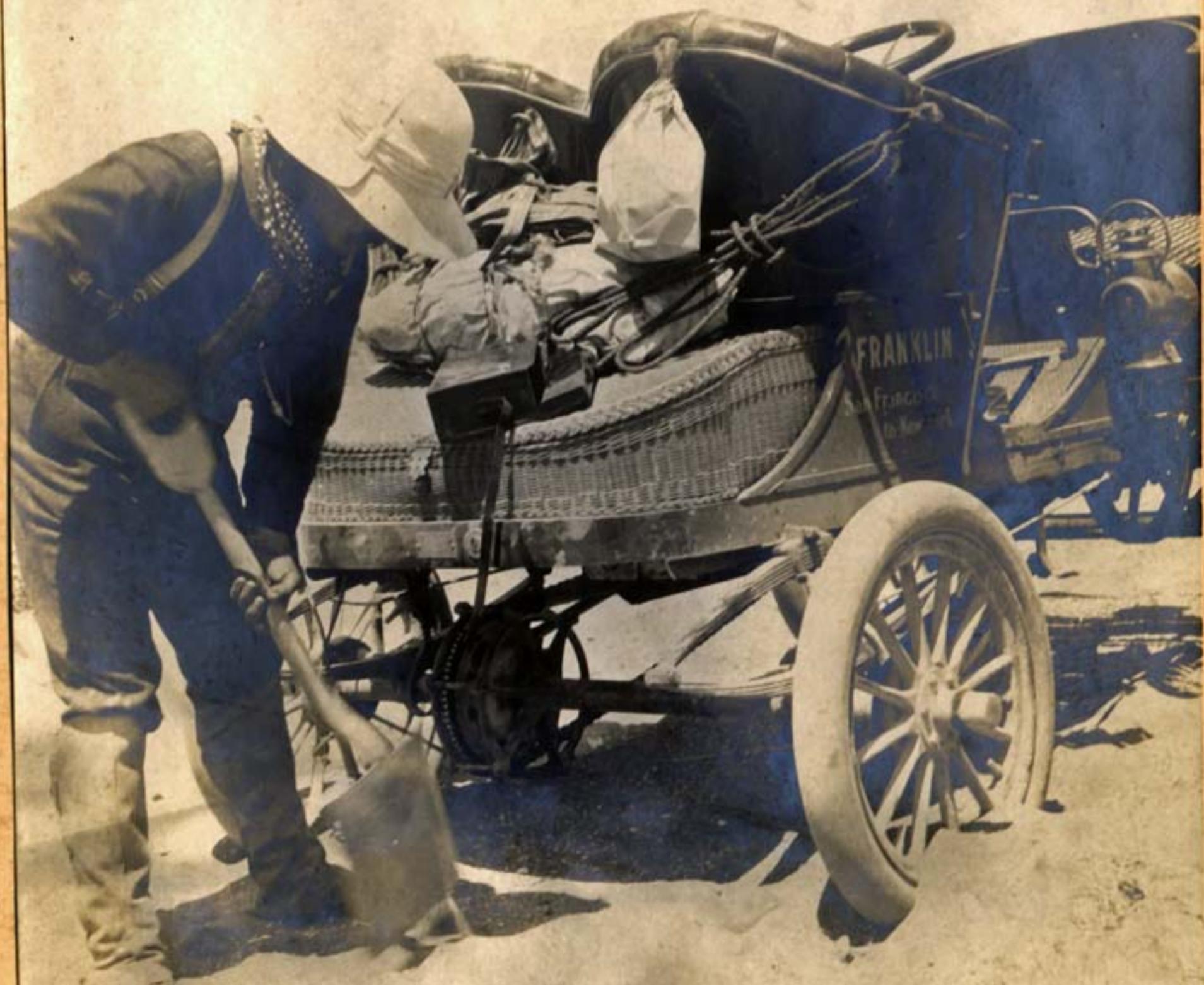


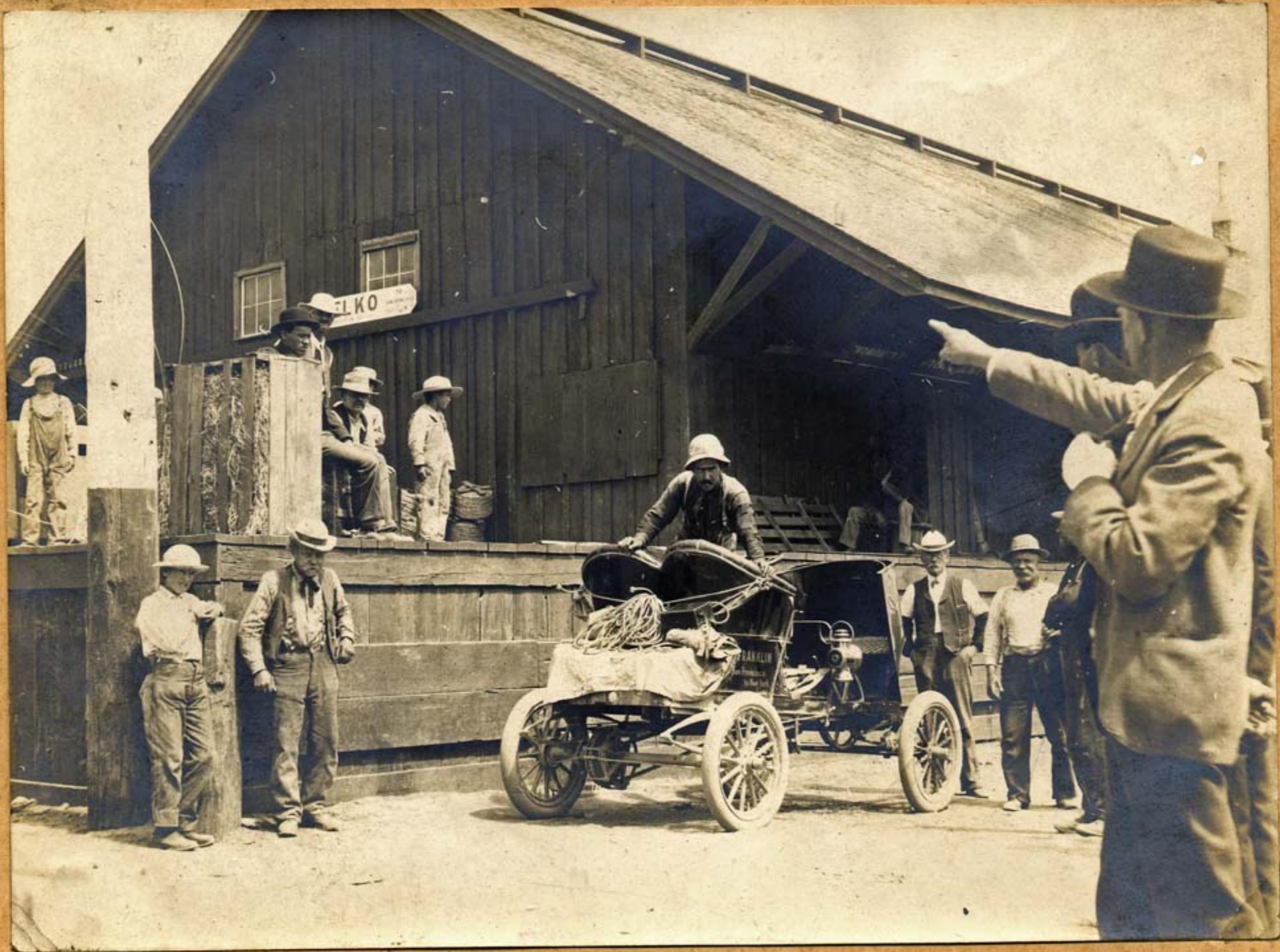














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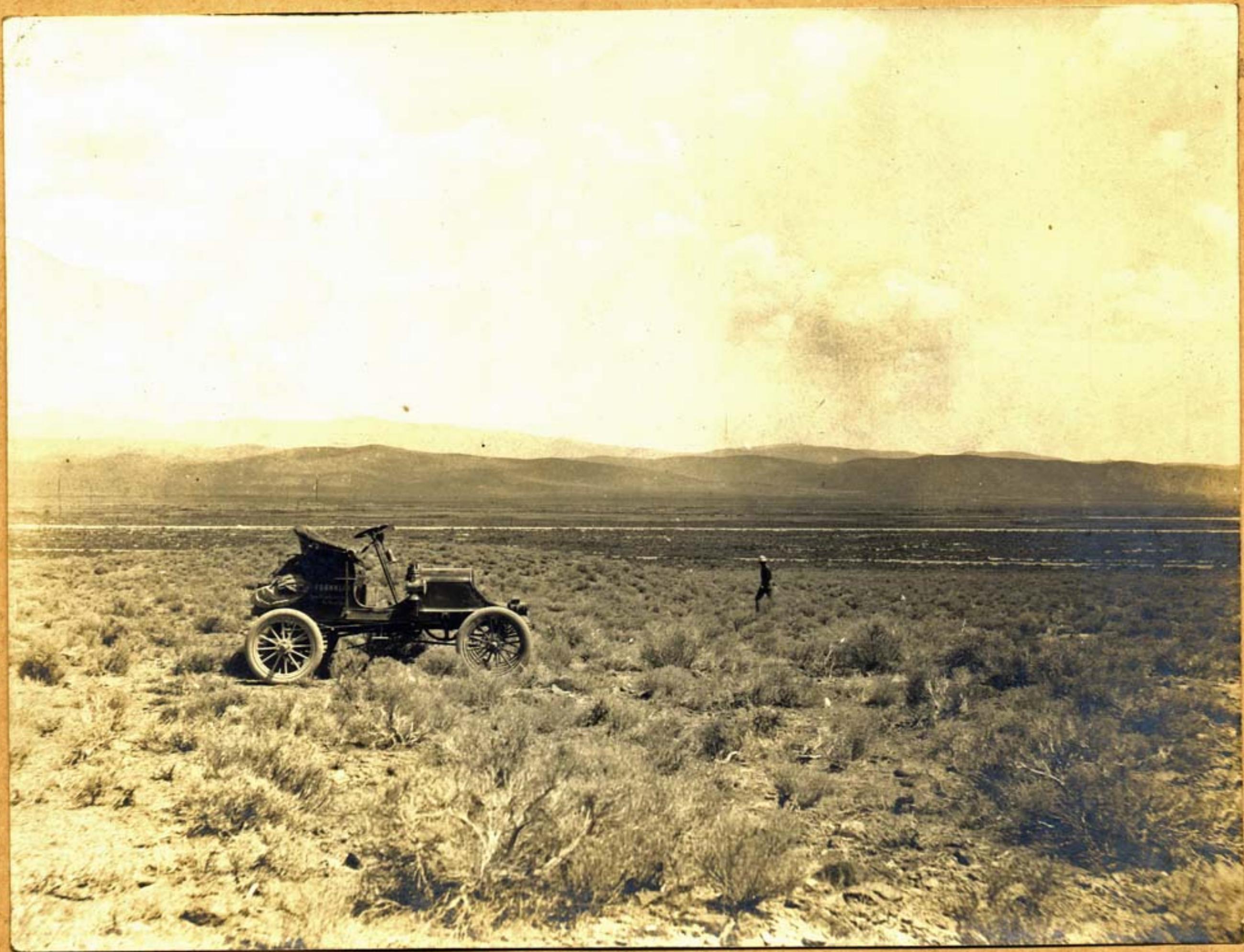






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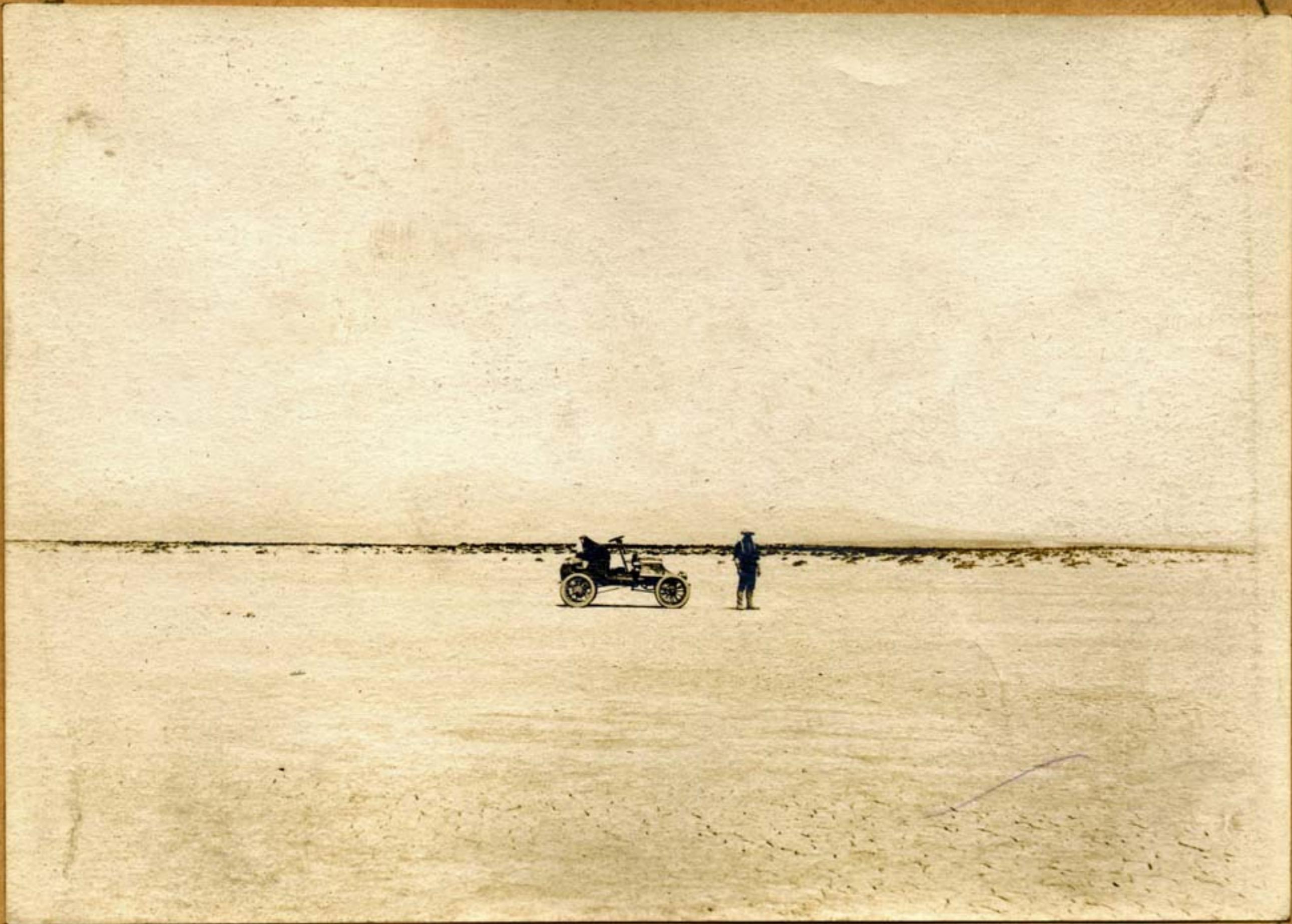






















BULLS HEAD HOTEL





Franklin *The Franklin*
SIX CYLINDERS
WHITMAN WITH THE FRANKLIN
ALREADY 20 DAYS AHEAD OF THE RECORD
SAN FRANCISCO TO NEW YORK.
MAY 24 1912
R. W. WHITMAN

PIPE
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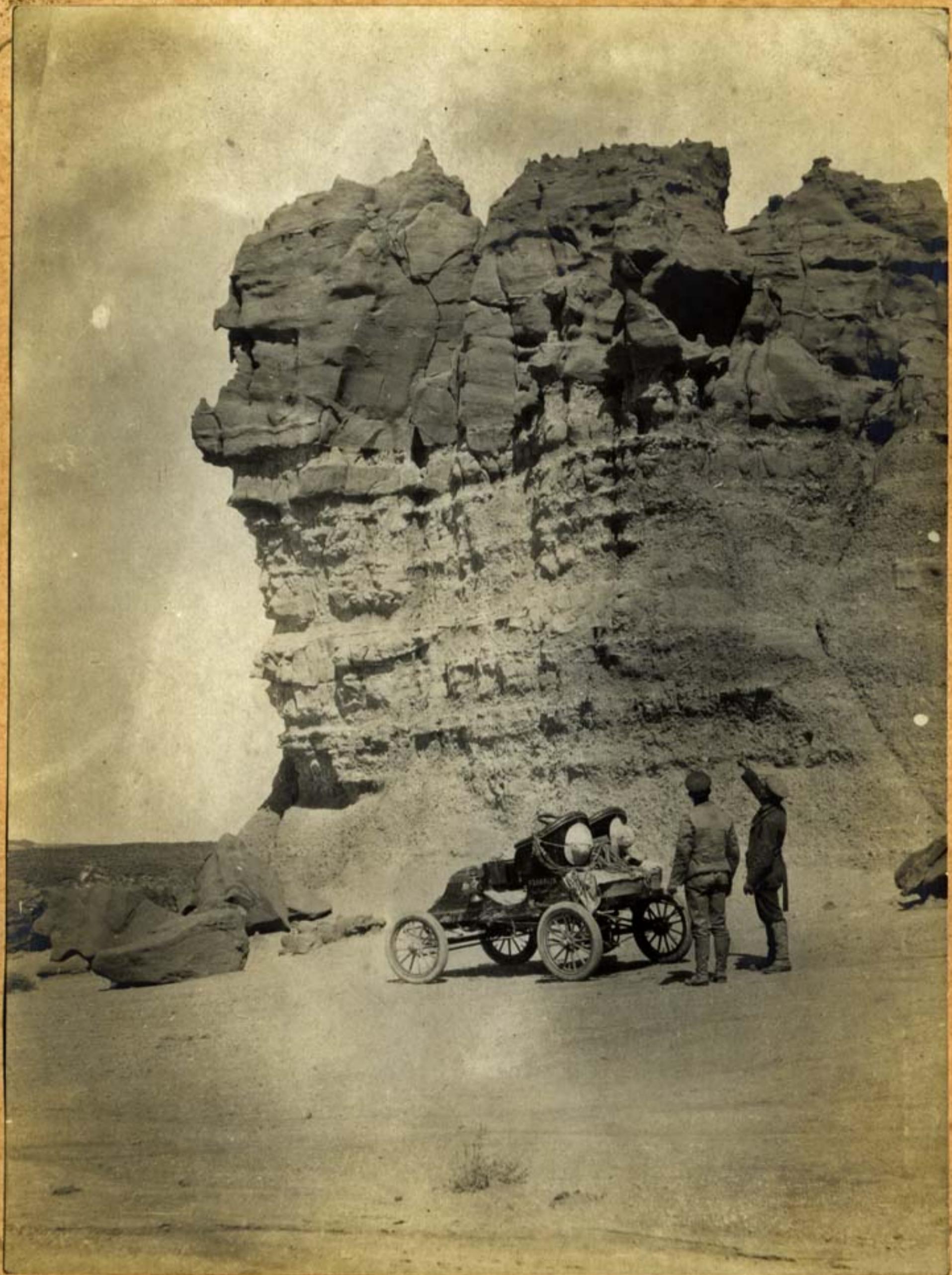












LOG CABIN SALOON

FRANKLIN
San Francisco
to New York



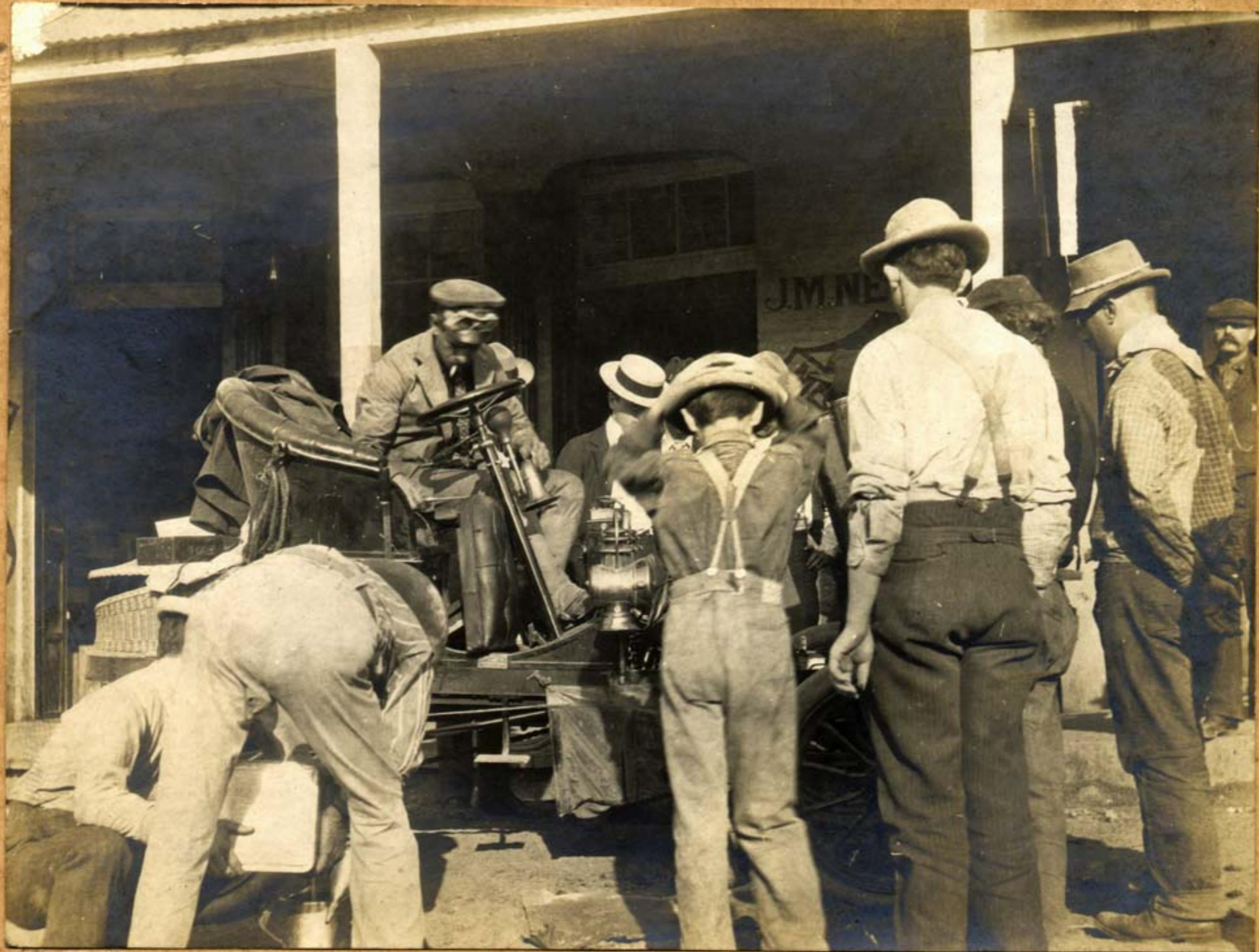
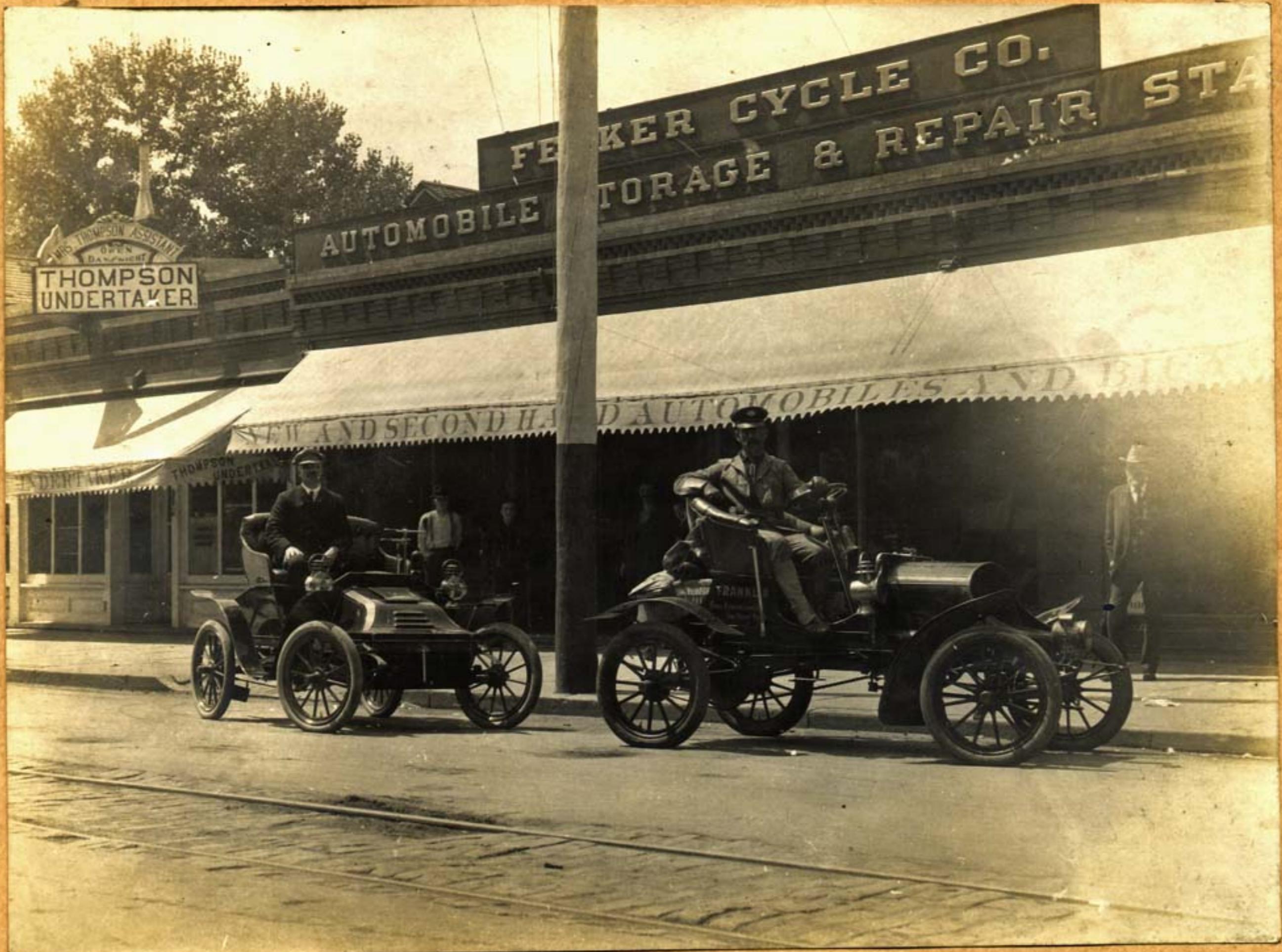






Photo 12





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STORAGE & REPAIR STA

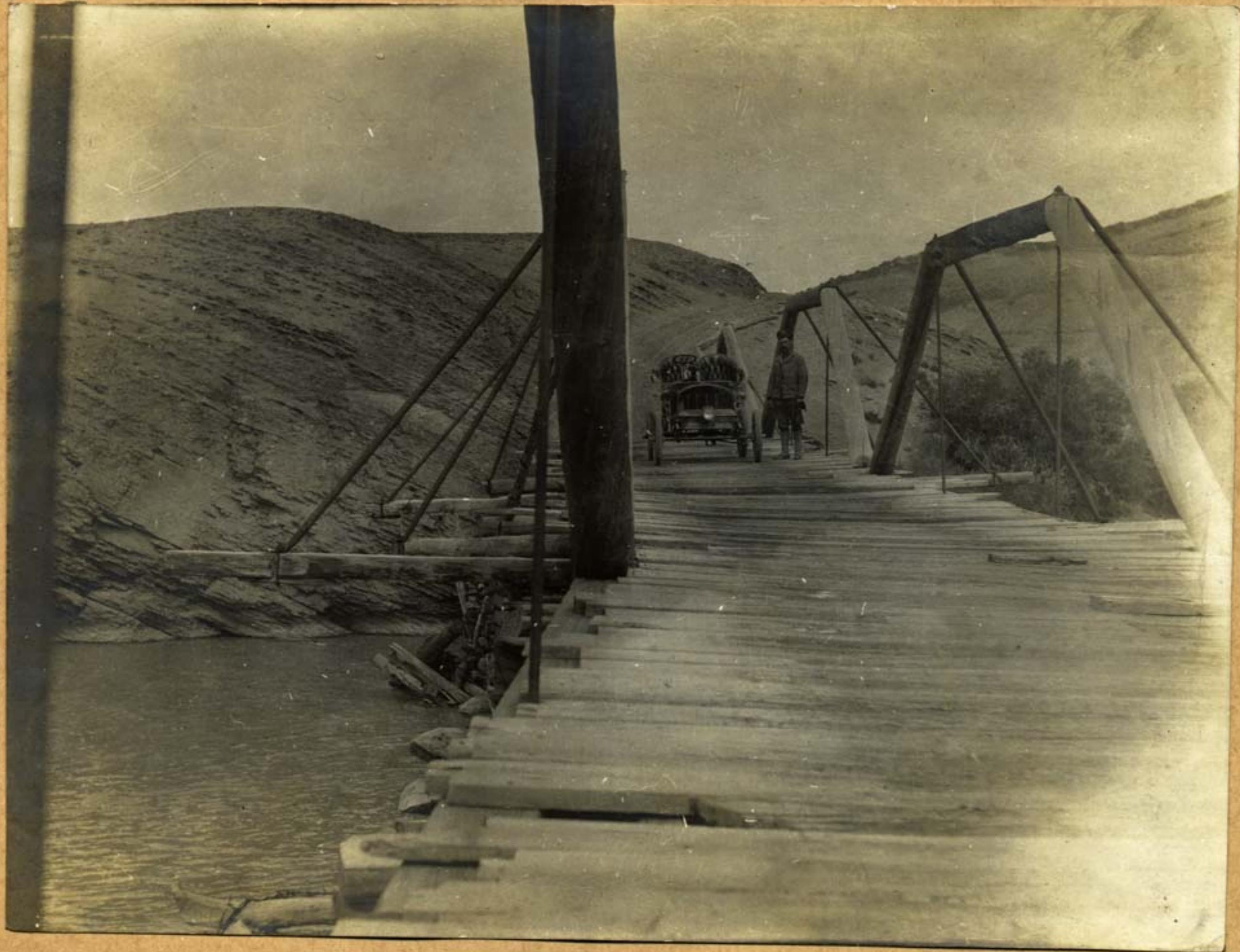
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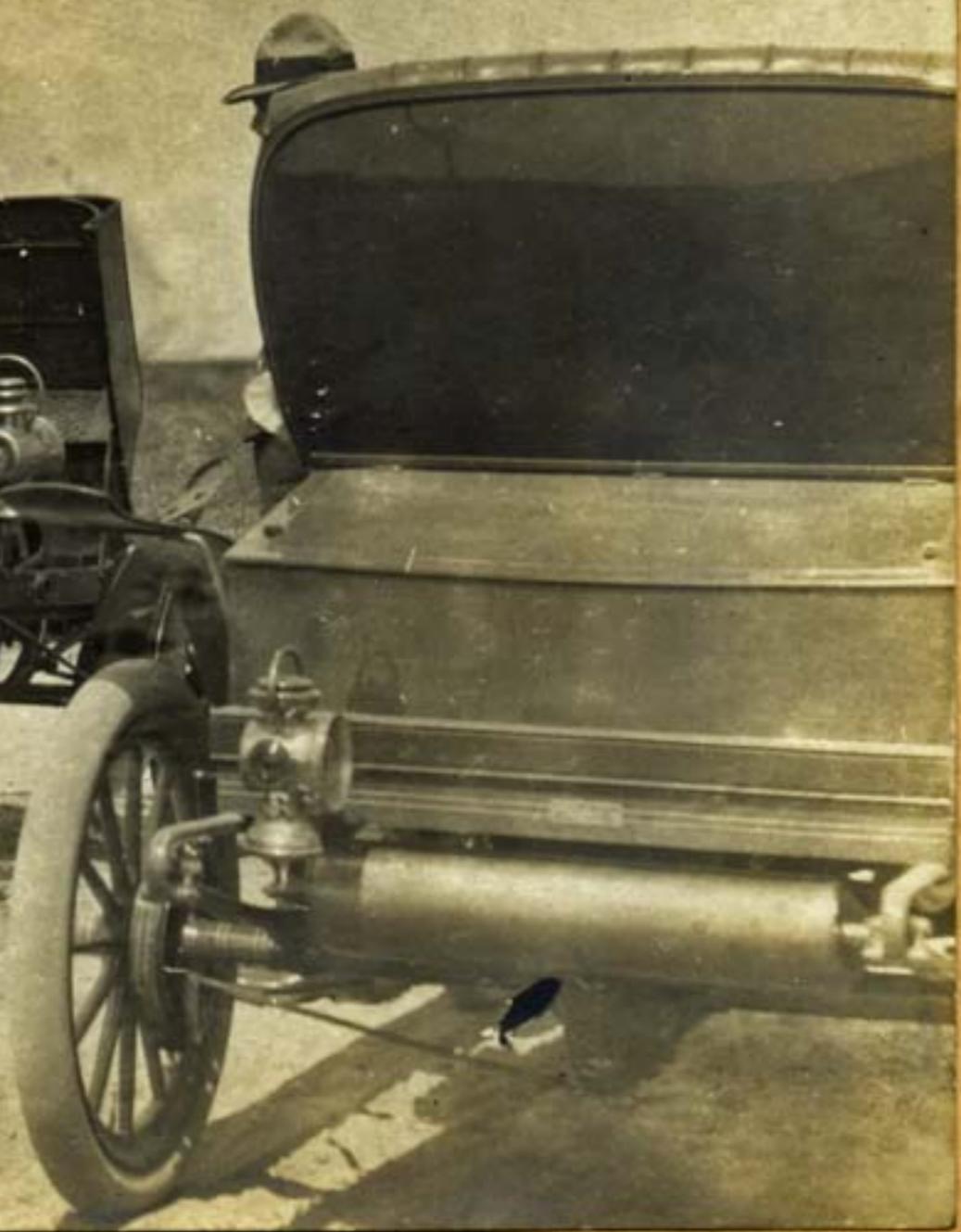
WIFE THOMPSON ASSISTANT
OPEN DAY & NIGHT
THOMPSON
UNDERTAKER

NEW AND SECOND HAND AUTOMOBILES AND BICYCLES

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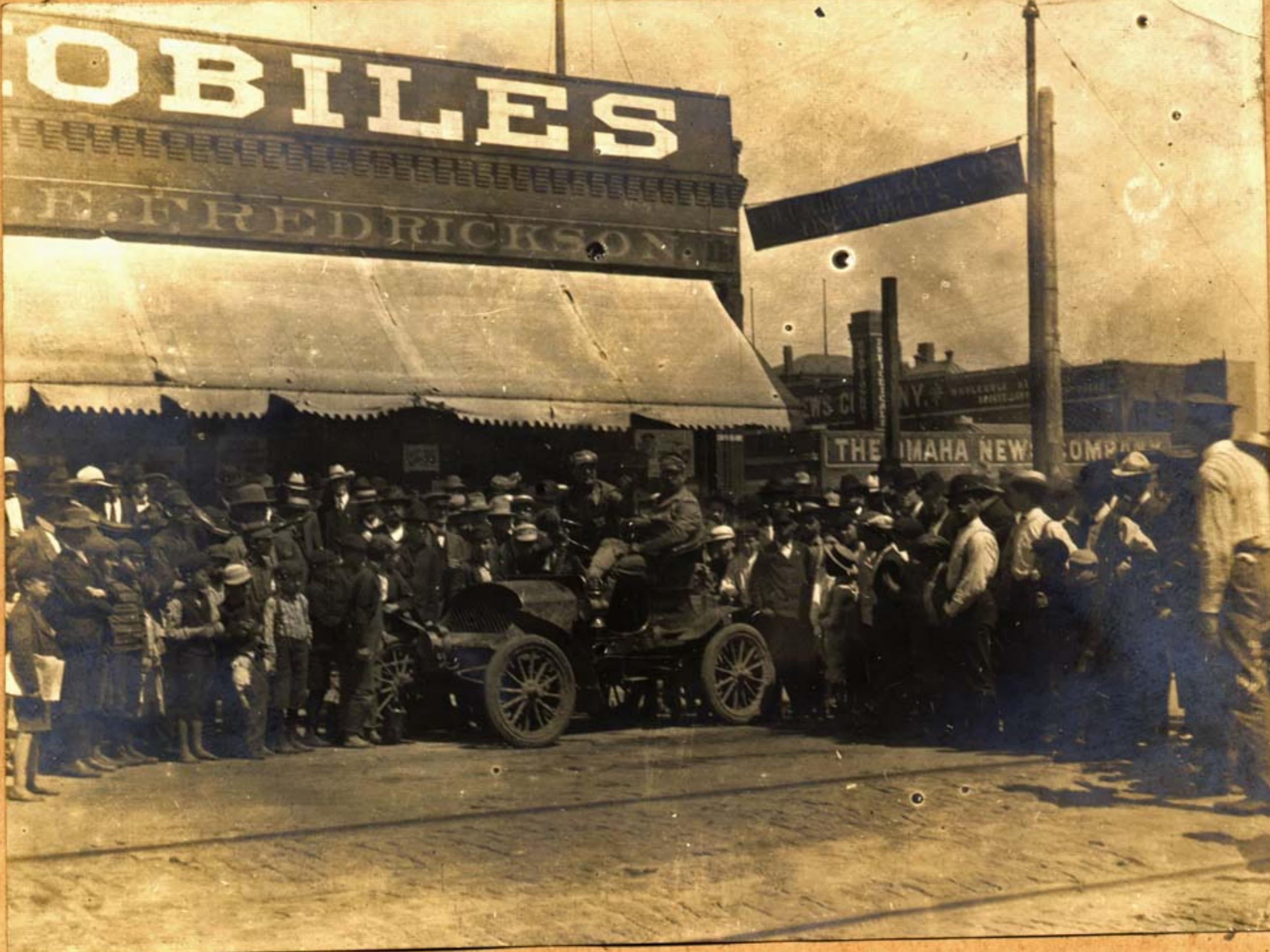


COL. W. F. GODDYS
SCOUTS REST RANCH.

FRANKLIN

SAN FRANCISCO
TO NEW YORK





OBILES

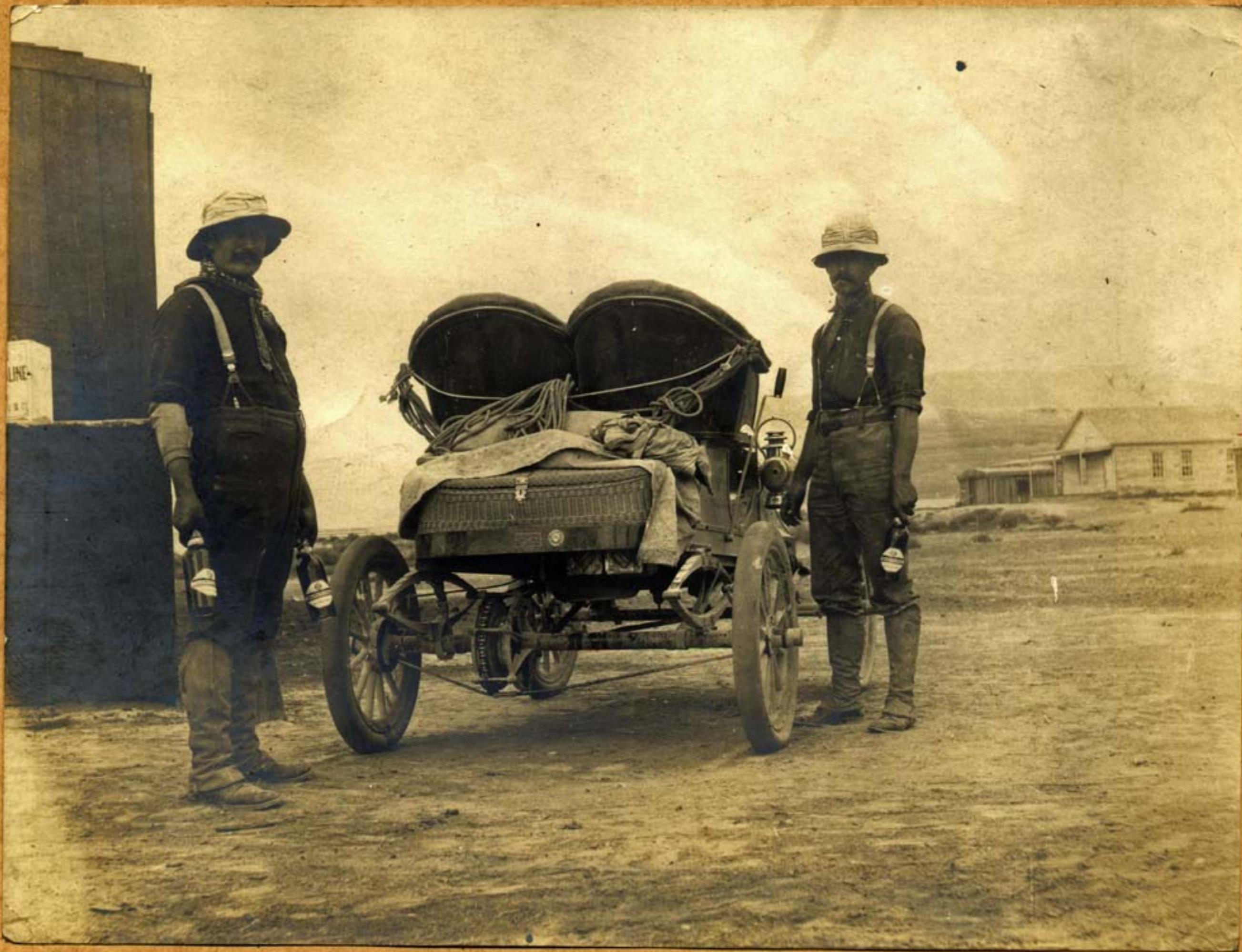
E. FRED RICKSON

THE HAWAIIAN NEWS COMPANY



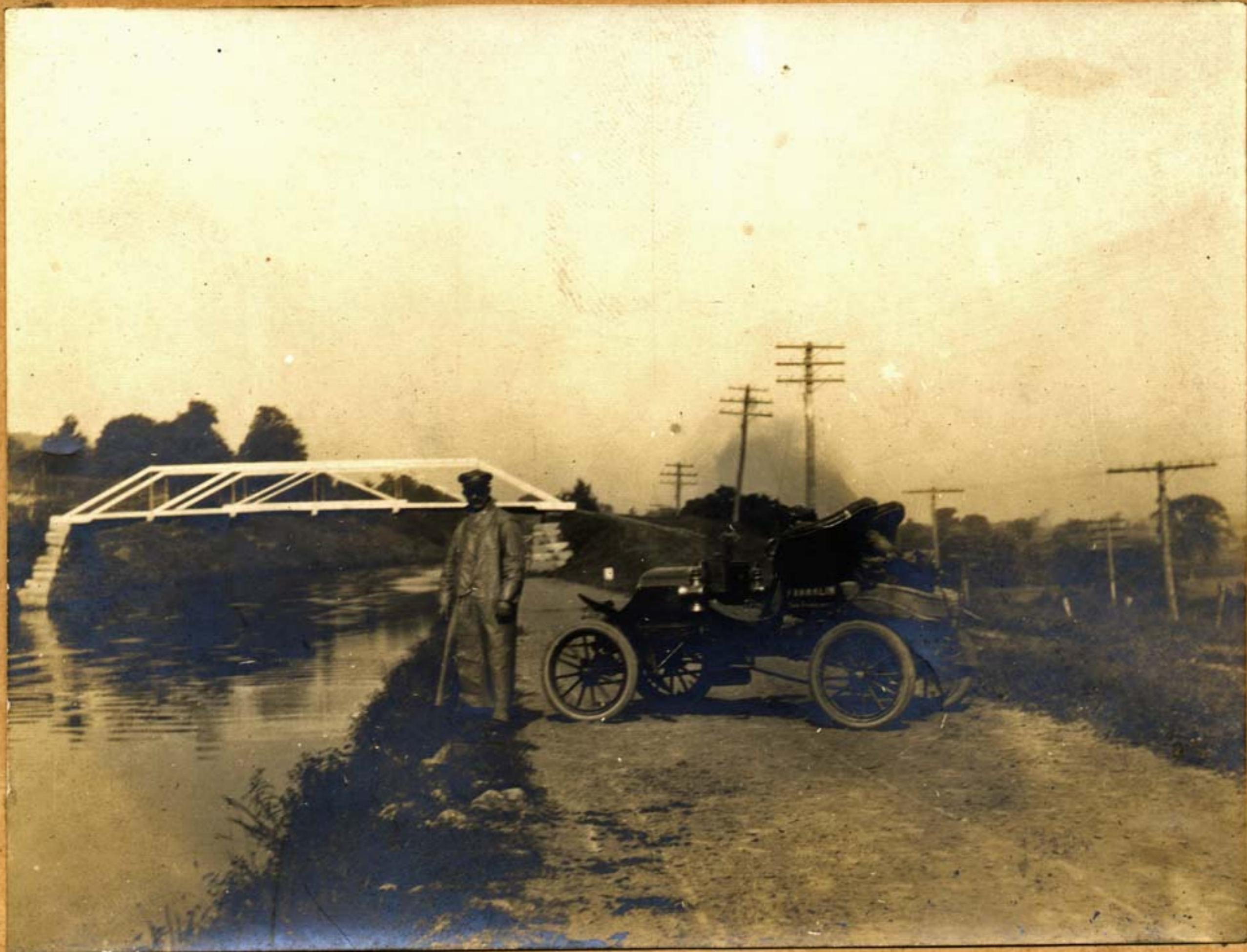






















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