

2024 FALL CITY CALENDAR



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JANUARY

Snoqualmie Valley Museum Collection (PO-750-1), Elwell Butcher

FEBRUARY

University of Washington Special Collections (UW4340), Taylor Hotel

MARCH

University of Washington Special Collections (UW41936), *The Coast* Magazine

APRIL

Museum of History and Industry, Seattle PSM, Williamson Collection, PSM342-1

JUNE

Snoqualmie Valley Museum Collection (430-16-B), First Car to Visit Fall City

JULY

Northwest Room at Tacoma Public Library (WIL(F)-157), *The Coast* Magazine Photographs (Collection 5.5.3), Dunstan's Store

OCTOBER

Whatcom Museum, Bellingham Darius Kinsey (Collection 10030), 1906 Cedar

NOVEMBER

University of Washington Special Collections (UW41935), Fall City School Picnic at North Bend 1906

DECEMBER

University of Washington Special Collections (UW12150), Ewald Shingle Mill, Fall City



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In this 18th Fall City Calendar, we salute an important book published in 2022: *Steamboats on the Snoqualmie*, authored by Steven Barker and Jack Russell. This book adds much to our knowledge of the “Steamboat Era” in the Snoqualmie Valley, with a great collection of photos and stories.

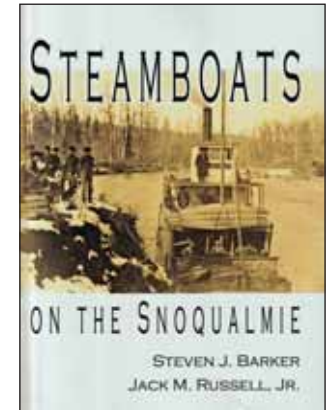
Our cover shows the *Alki*, a small 65-foot wooden sidewheeler steamboat which was very popular amongst those in the area, and was likely the last boat to navigate the river up as far as Fall City. The April photo shows the *Black Prince*, a magnificent 93-foot wooden sternwheeler.

Please see the inside of the front cover for thanks to the many collections that made photos available for the calendar, and credits for specific photographs.

The Fall City Historical Society office, with reference library and archives, is located upstairs in the Fall City United Methodist Church. You can contact us by e-mail at historylives@fallcityhistorical.org.

The FCHS would like to thank Ruth Pickering for bringing together calendar materials each year, and David Gershman, Jonah Bacon-Gershman, and Ed Hazen for their graphic design skills.

Thank you for your purchase of this calendar.



We acknowledge that we are on the Indigenous Land of Coast Salish peoples, who have reserved treaty rights to this land, specifically, the Snoqualmie Indian Tribe (sduk^walbix^w).
We thank the caretakers of this land who have lived and continue to live here since time immemorial.







Fall City has had several butcher shops over the years. All of which were located in a building just west of Doc Cheney's Drugstore. This building was unfortunately destroyed when the Fall City Hotel burned in 1925.

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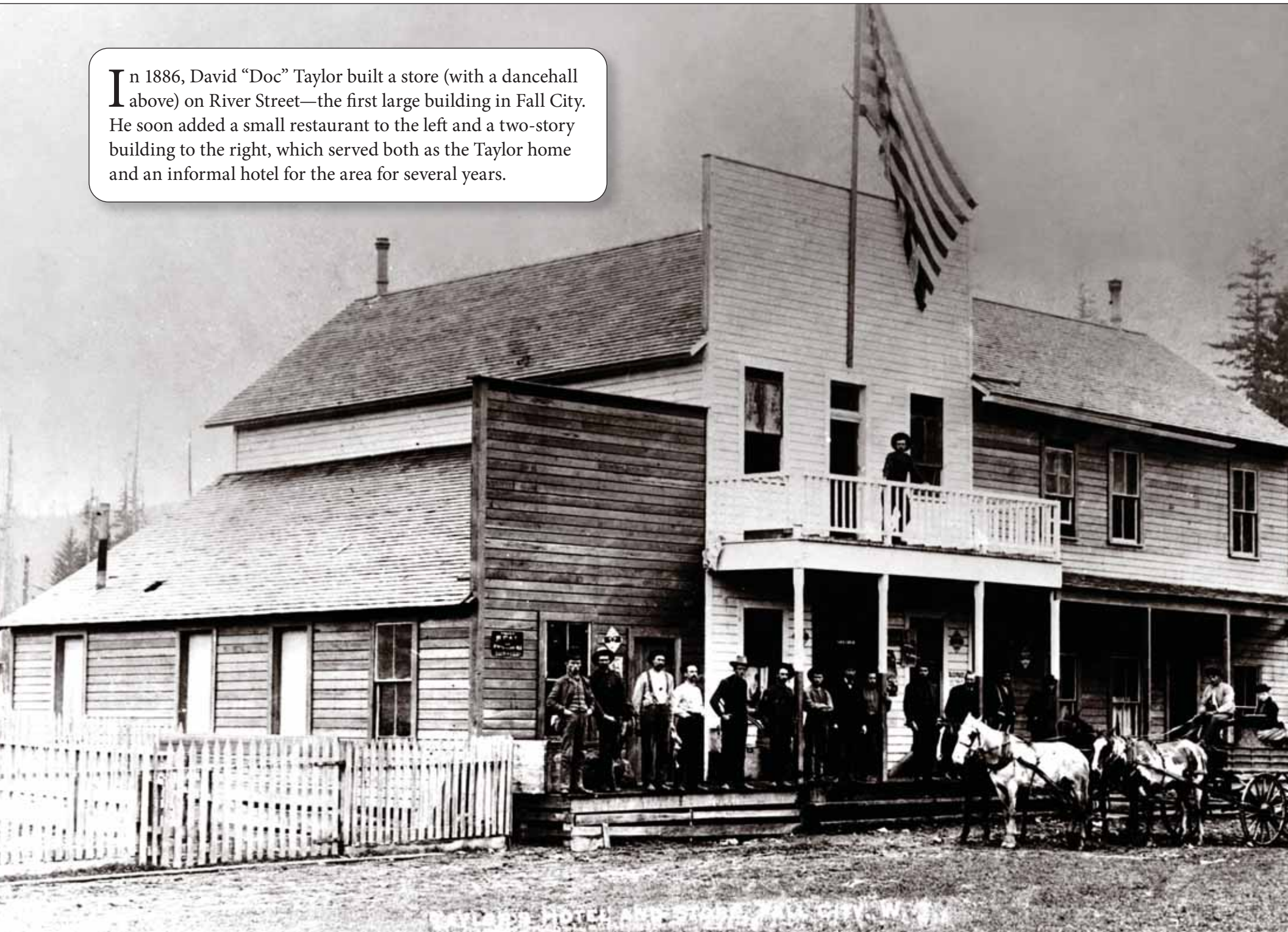
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In 1886, David “Doc” Taylor built a store (with a dancehall above) on River Street—the first large building in Fall City. He soon added a small restaurant to the left and a two-story building to the right, which served both as the Taylor home and an informal hotel for the area for several years.







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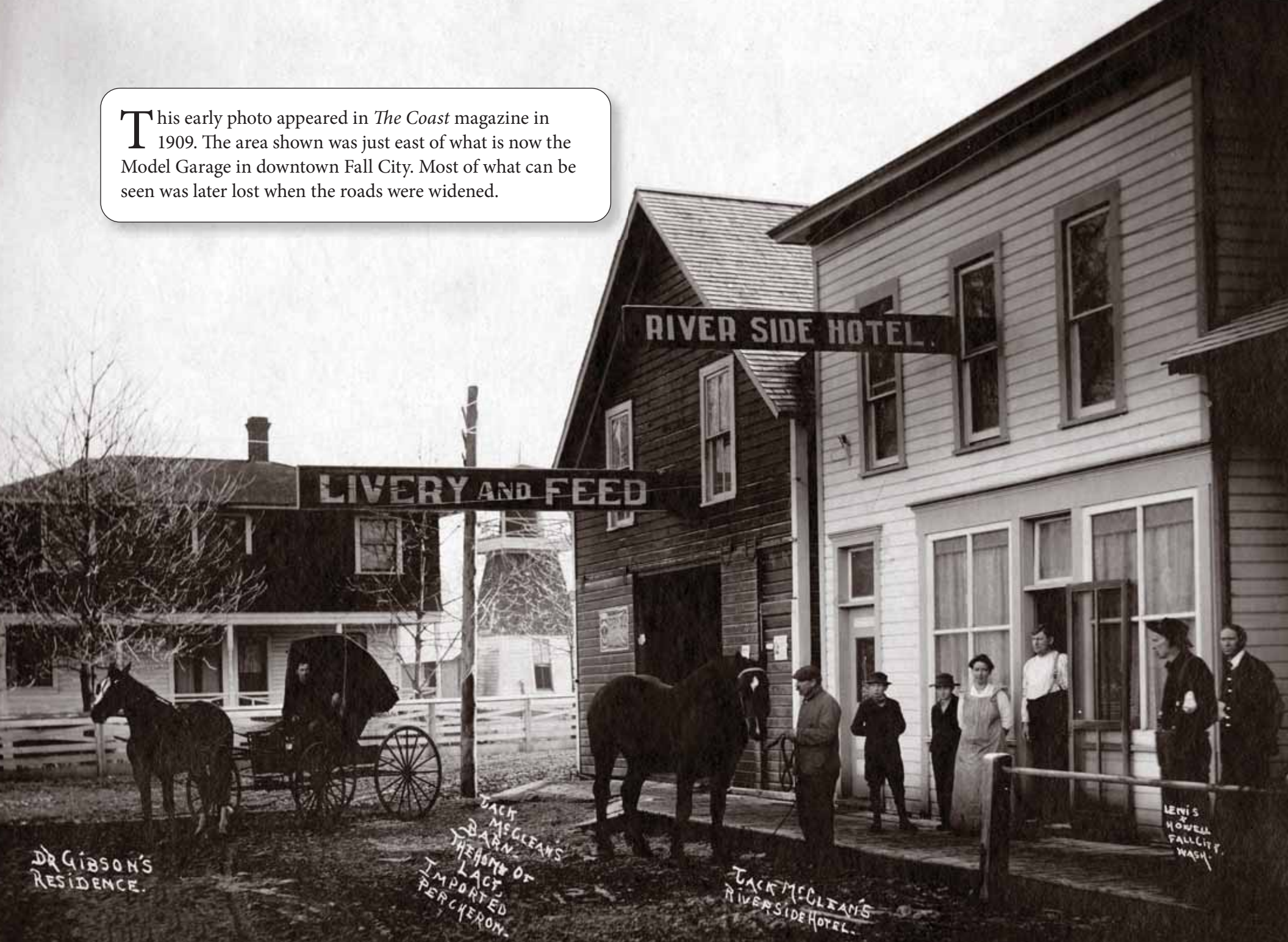
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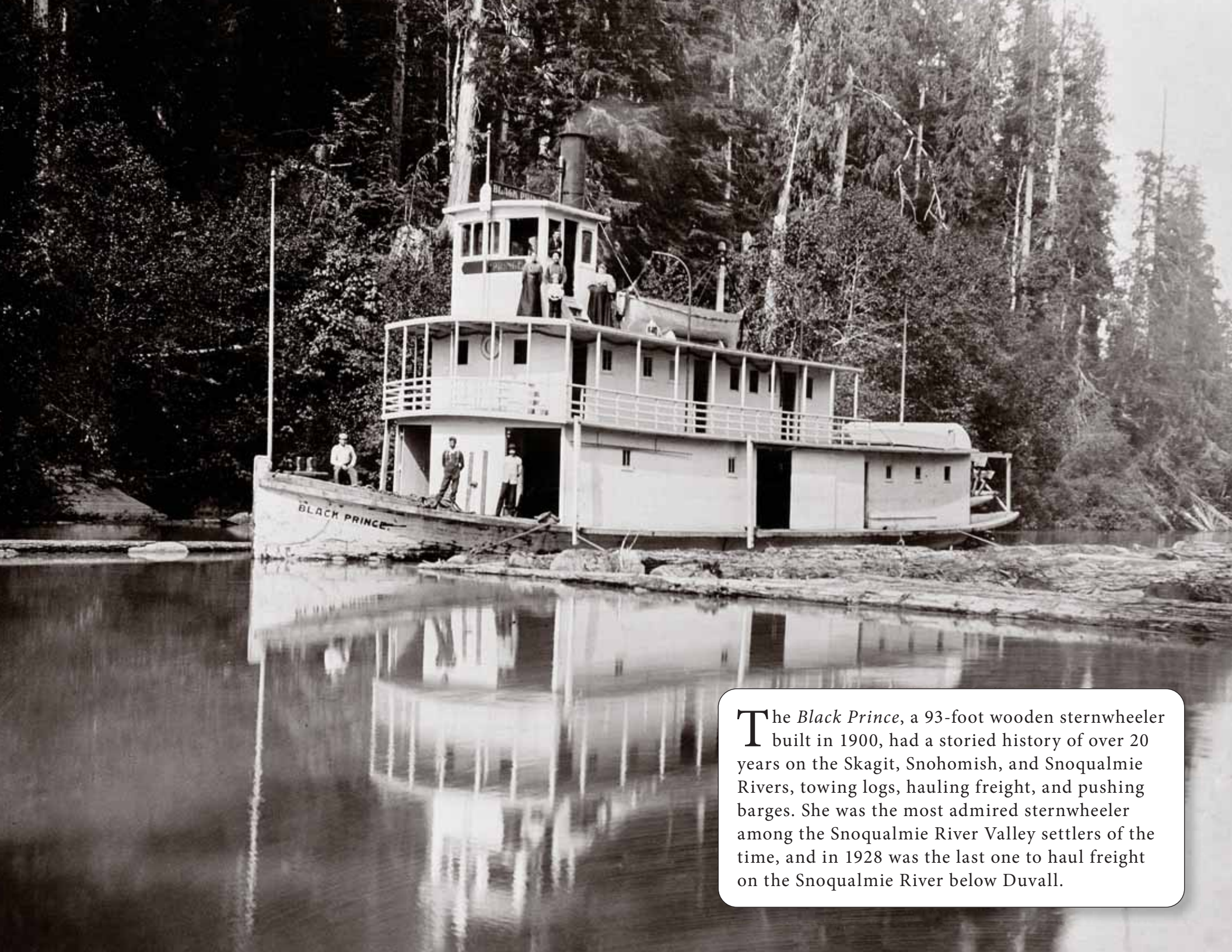
Valentine's Day

Presidents' Day

This early photo appeared in *The Coast* magazine in 1909. The area shown was just east of what is now the Model Garage in downtown Fall City. Most of what can be seen was later lost when the roads were widened.



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17 Saint Patrick's Day	18	19 First Day of Spring	20	21	22	23
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31 Easter Sunday					Good Friday	







The *Black Prince*, a 93-foot wooden sternwheeler built in 1900, had a storied history of over 20 years on the Skagit, Snohomish, and Snoqualmie Rivers, towing logs, hauling freight, and pushing barges. She was the most admired sternwheeler among the Snoqualmie River Valley settlers of the time, and in 1928 was the last one to haul freight on the Snoqualmie River below Duvall.

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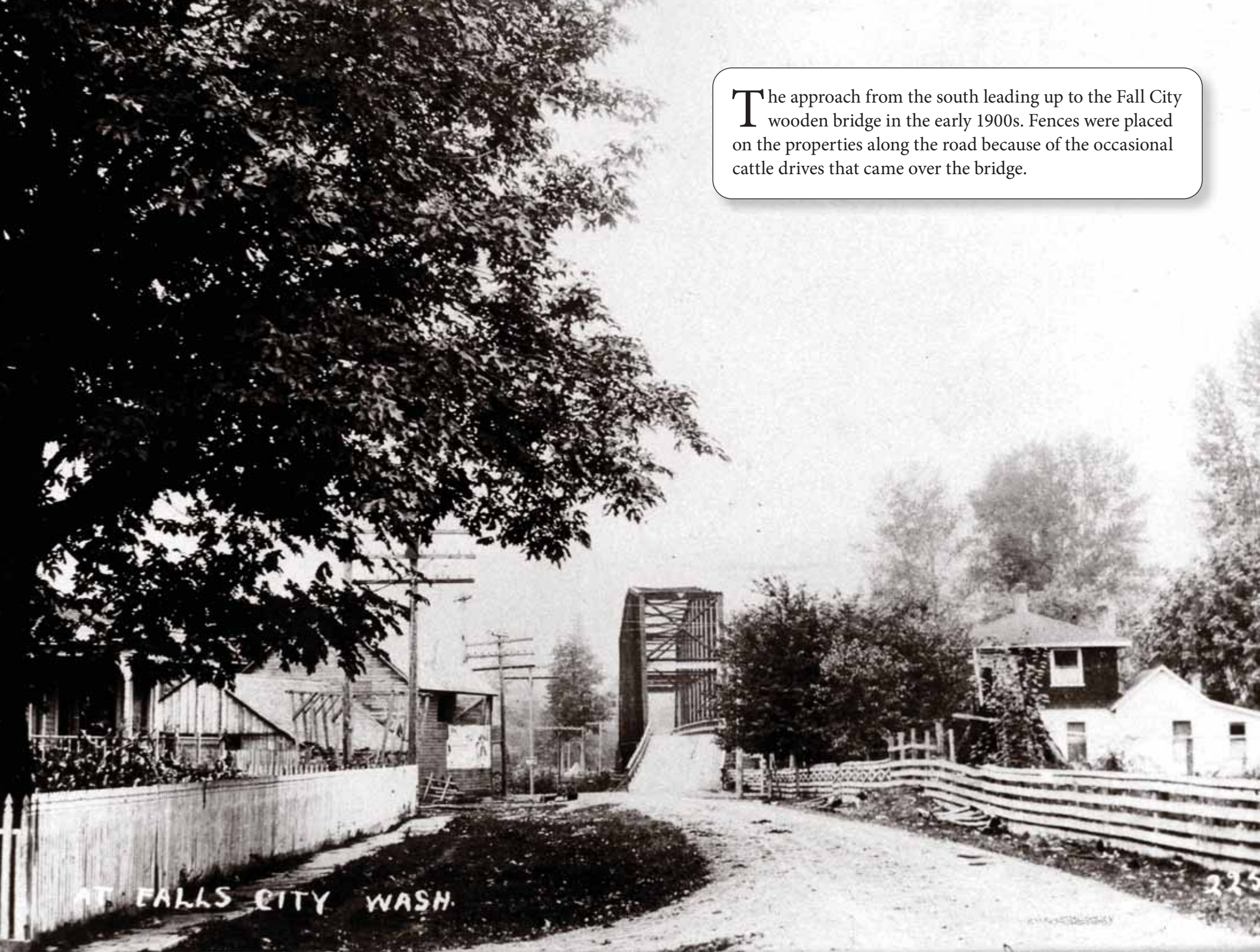
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The approach from the south leading up to the Fall City wooden bridge in the early 1900s. Fences were placed on the properties along the road because of the occasional cattle drives that came over the bridge.








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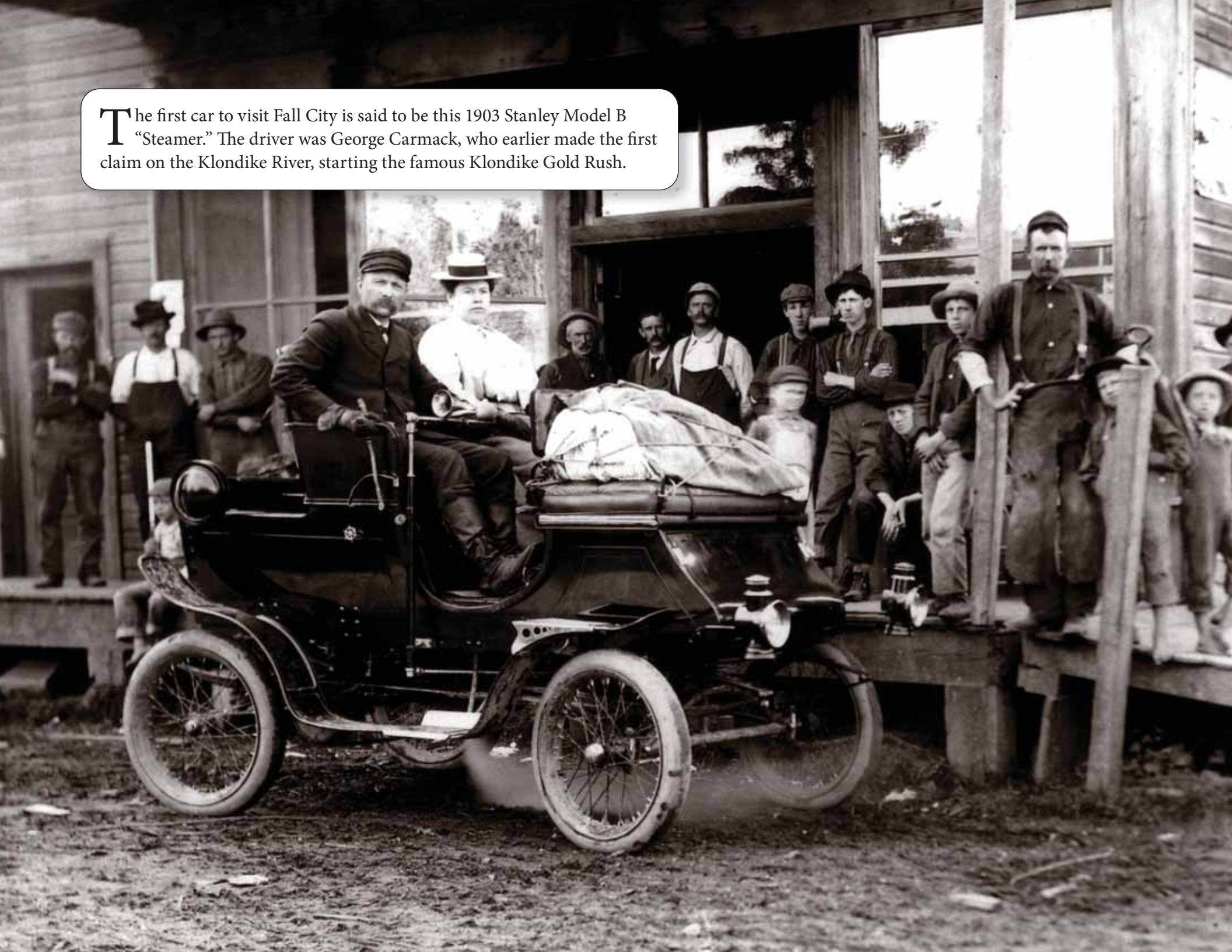
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12 Mother's Day	13	14	 15	16	17	18
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26	27 Memorial Day	28	29	 30	31	

The first car to visit Fall City is said to be this 1903 Stanley Model B "Steamer." The driver was George Carmack, who earlier made the first claim on the Klondike River, starting the famous Klondike Gold Rush.







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Father's Day			Juneteenth	First Day of Summer	22	
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J. DUNSTAN O. DUNSTAN
W. H. DUNSTAN

Dunstan Brothers

GROCERIES, FLOUR AND FEED, DRY
GOODS, HARDWARE, BOOTS
AND SHOES

Farming Implements

FALL CITY - WASHINGTON





The Dunstan brothers (Oliver, William, and John) operated a large General Merchandise store on the ground floor of the IOOF Hall from 1904-1929.

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Horseracing on River Street was a popular event in the early days. This photo was taken in 1906 and offers a glimpse of the businesses present at the time.

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The first town baseball team began in about 1904, playing on a diamond on the north side of the Snoqualmie River, in the space between the Carnation-Fall City Road and the Snoqualmie-Fall City Road.



FALLS CITY BASEBALL CLUB
W. DUNSTON "MGR."
W. CRABLE "CAPT."

PHOTO BY LON LEWIS.
FALLS CITY WASH.

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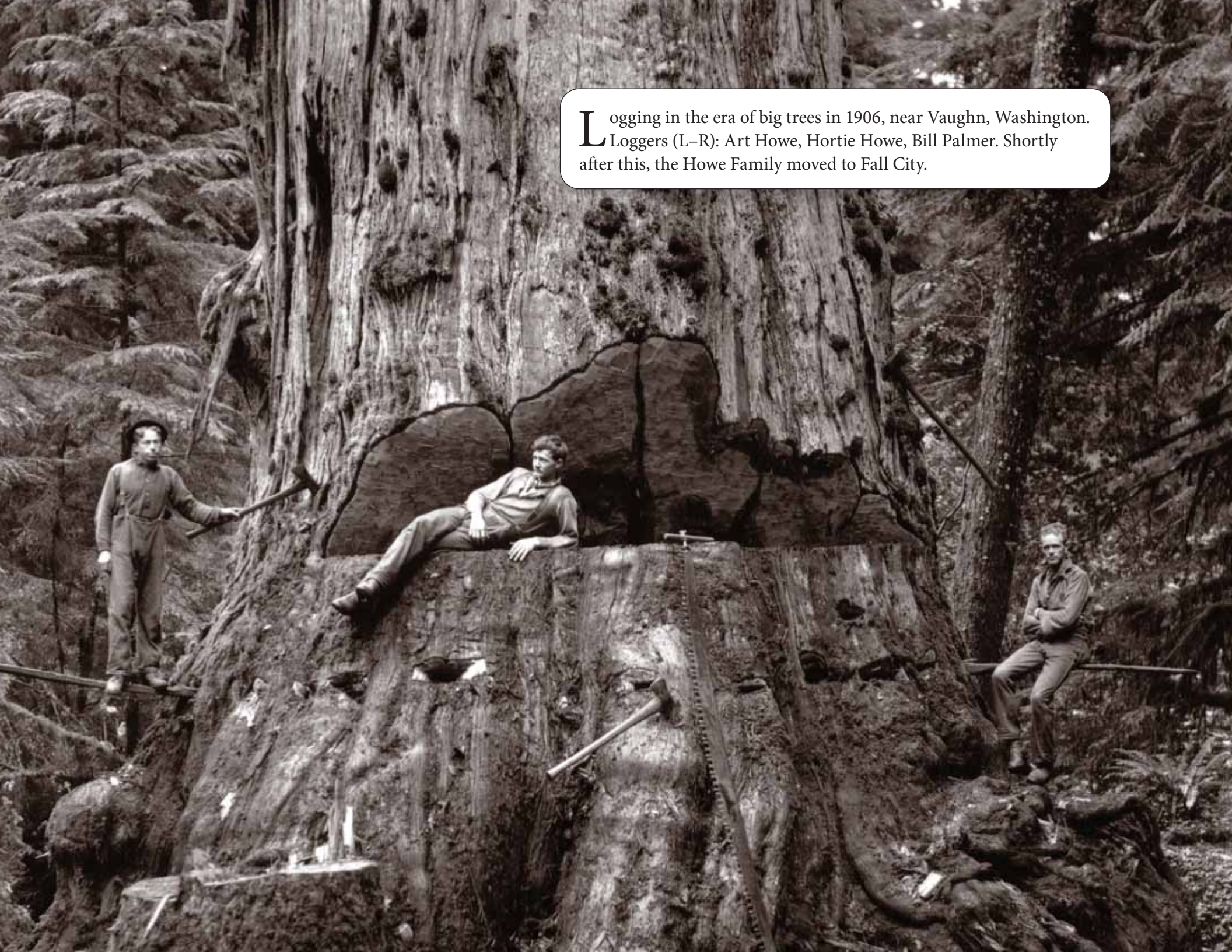
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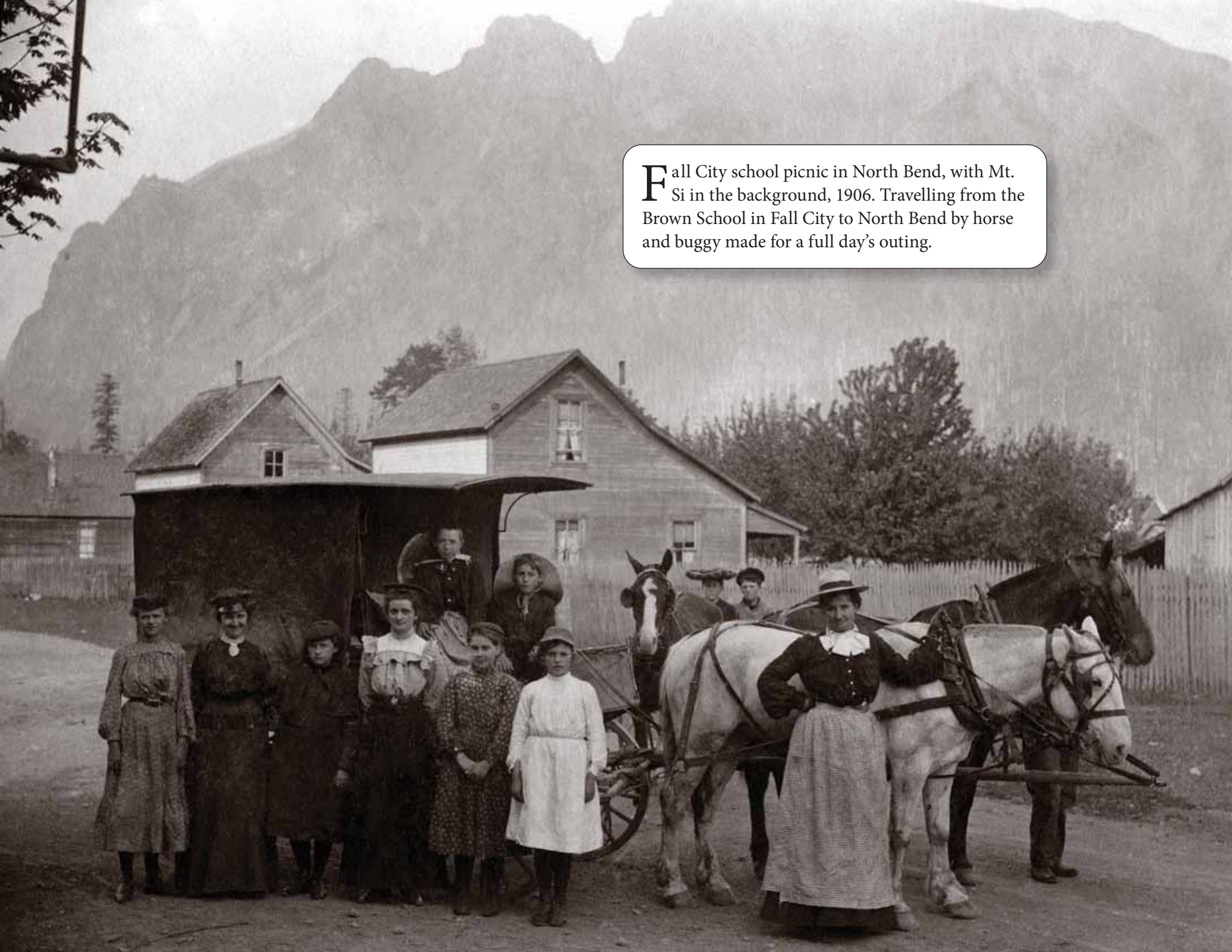
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22 First Day of Autumn	23	24	25	26	27	28
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Logging in the era of big trees in 1906, near Vaughn, Washington. Loggers (L-R): Art Howe, Hortie Howe, Bill Palmer. Shortly after this, the Howe Family moved to Fall City.



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13	14 Indigenous Peoples' Day (Columbus Day)	15	16	 17	18	19
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Fall City school picnic in North Bend, with Mt. Si in the background, 1906. Travelling from the Brown School in Fall City to North Bend by horse and buggy made for a full day's outing.








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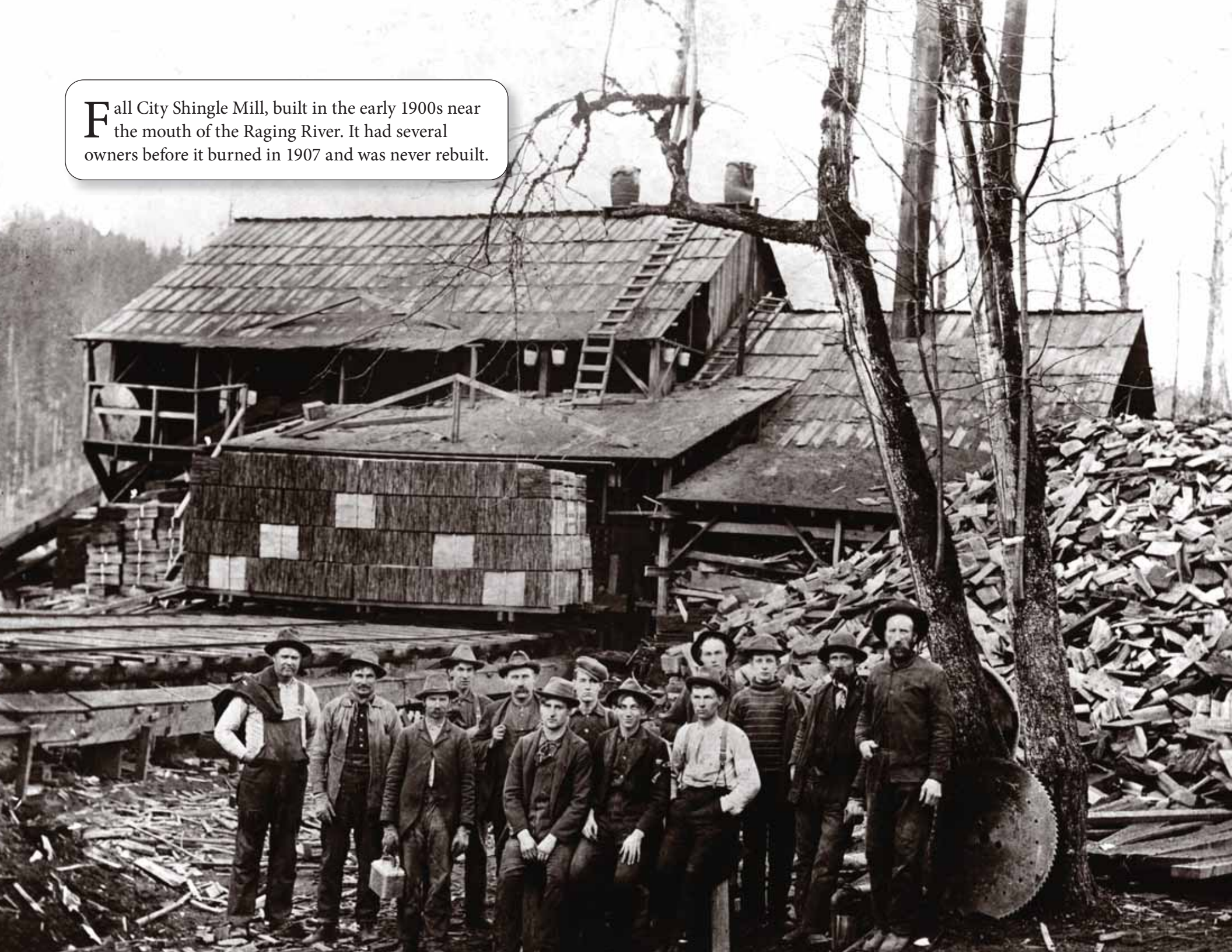
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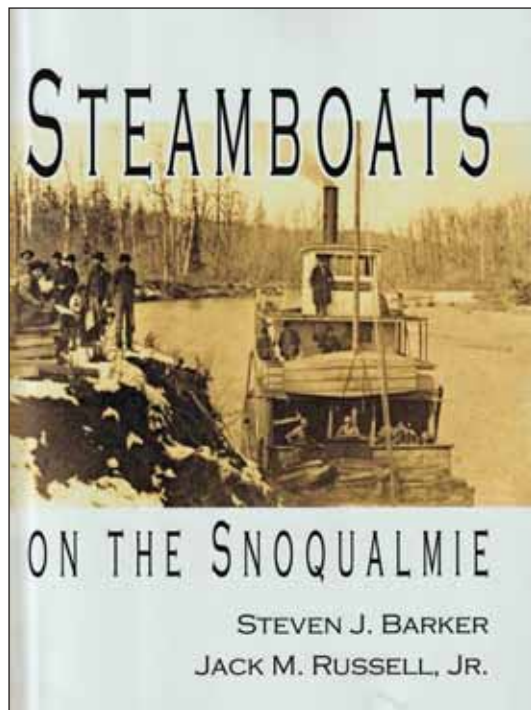
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10	11 Veterans Day	12	13	14	 15	16
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24	25	26	27	28 Thanksgiving	29	 30

Fall City Shingle Mill, built in the early 1900s near the mouth of the Raging River. It had several owners before it burned in 1907 and was never rebuilt.



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29	 30	31	Christmas			First Day of Winter
		New Year's Eve				



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