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Happy New Year!

Someone is selling a photo of a car wreck on eBay.

On the back of the photo, is this:

one minute after!
Small Willy's hit by
Big Lincoln - corner
of Spring & President.
Summer 1937

Here is the image:



The store has a sign reading DOSCHER'S GROCERY which, in the late 1930s, was indeed at 171 Spring Street at the corner of President Street. So, I suspect the note on the photo is correct.

Insanely, the seller had the photo listed at \$125! That is ridiculous. I mean, I am interested in the photo only because it shows old Charleston, but no normal

person would be interested in it at all. And even people who are interested in that sort of thing would pay, maybe, \$10 for a photo like that.

I emailed the seller and told him that I was interested but not at that price. He came back and offered to sell it at \$115. Good grief. I rejected that, and he soon relisted the photo for \$110.

Assuming that no one buys it and that he relists it at lower prices (several times in a row), I'll buy it for the Archives, but for now, that price is just ridiculous. But, maybe the poor quality image from the listing could be filed away somewhere in the meantime?

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