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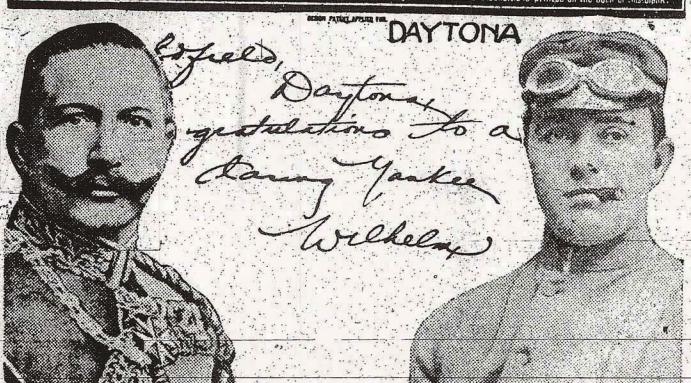
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When Oldfield purchased the wonthe derful car and took it, to the Florida beach, where he subsequently drove it at the rate of 142 miles an hour, the world's speed record, he christened the machine "Lightning Benz."

There had been "Tornadoes," "Earthquakes," "Bullets" and other space annihilating names given former speed creations, so Barney figured that as "Lightning" was about the only thing that could travel faster than the Benz he would give the car the most appropriate title he could think of.

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