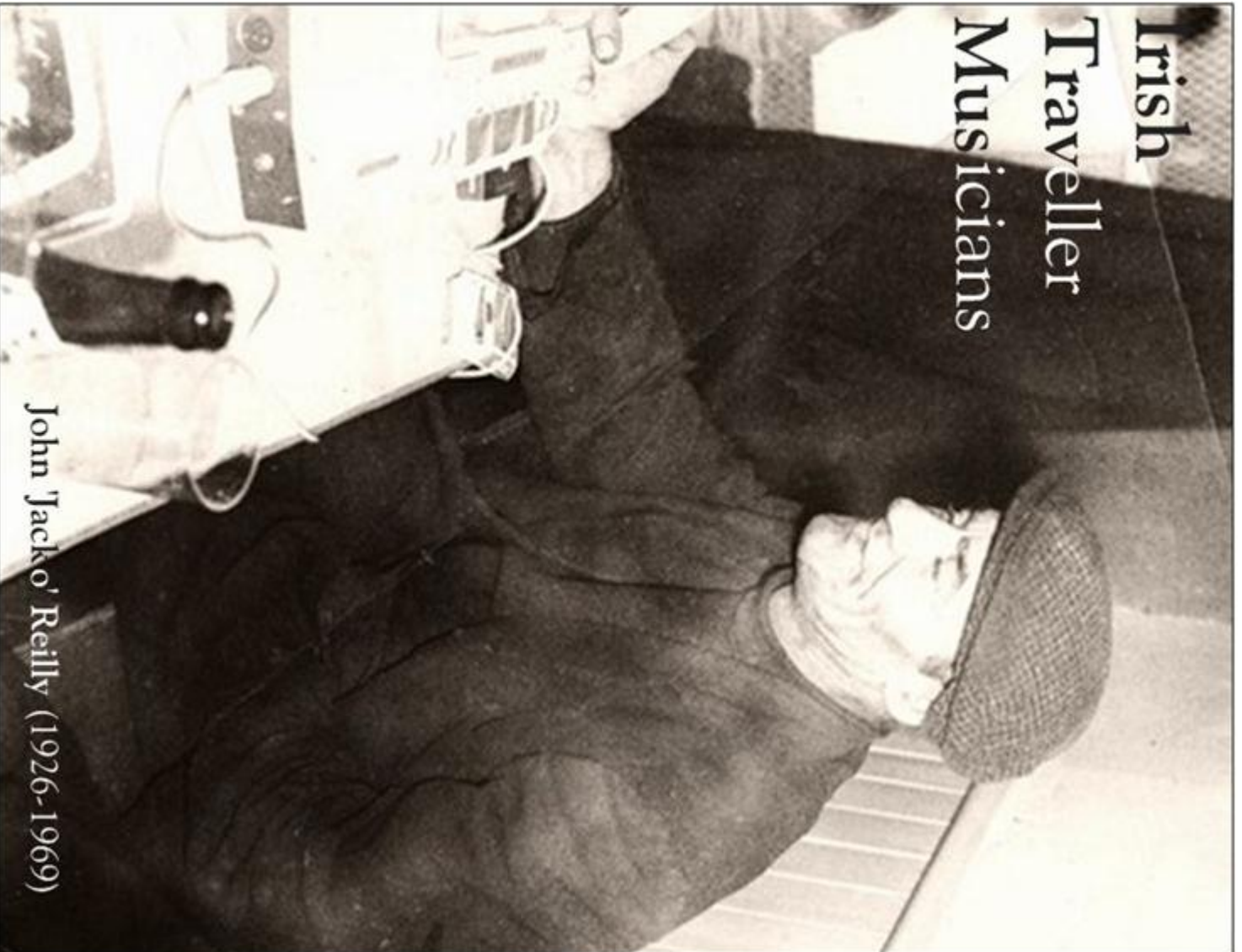


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John Reilly of Boyle, County Roscommon was one of the greatest sources of ballad songs in Ireland.

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