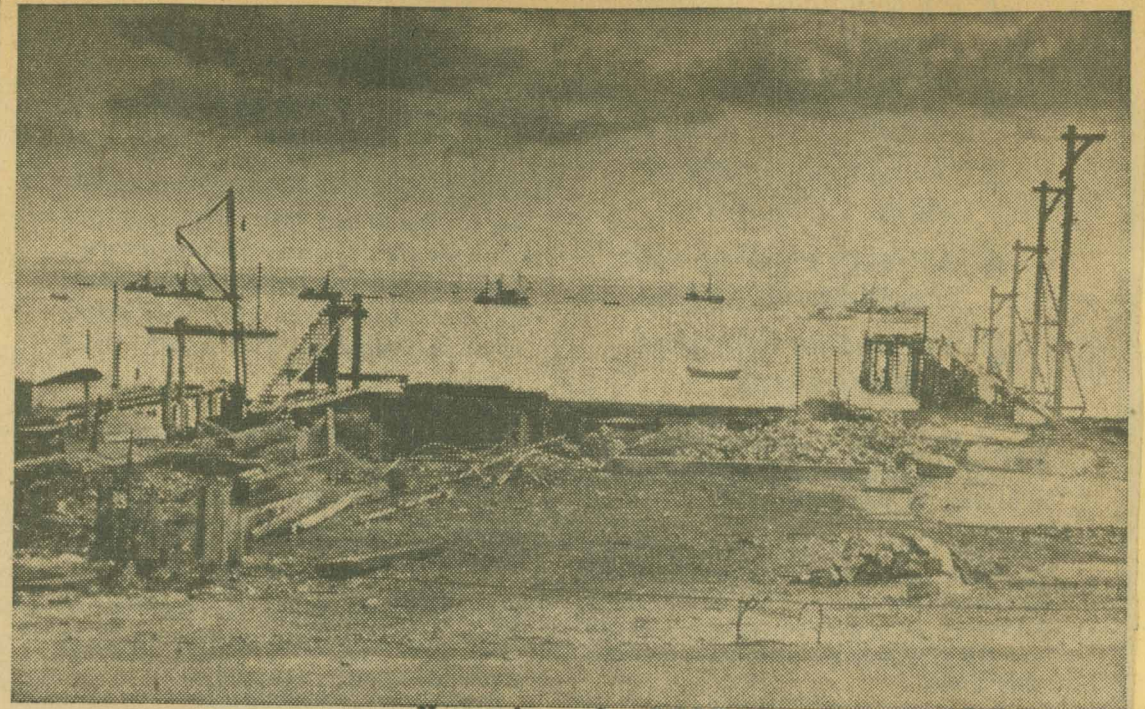


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Shortly before 11 o'clock this morning another of the tall stacks that once cut the sky and marked Provincetown as a place of busy industries, came down. It was practically all that was left of the extensive plant of the Provincetown Cold Storage now almost entirely removed by Robert F. Hayden, building wrecker. Ray Rogers, genial foreman in charge of the work, was happy to have the chimney job finished. So many things can go wrong, but fortunately none of them did, except he hurt his toe. A heavy chain was put around the 90-foot stack about half way up. Fastened to this was a cable with a truck on the other end. At the first pull the tall structure swayed and looked as though it might fall a bit too far to the westward. But the truck gave a sudden jerk, the falling chimney straightened out and fell with a sob into the deep bed of wood shavings which now mark the site of the once heavily insulated freezing and cold storage rooms. All that remains now is a clean-up job and filling of the ugly cavities. This is the third stack we have seen go in 15 years. The first was at the site of the former Fishermen's Cold Storage and the second at the Colonial Cold Storage. Their removal seems to level the town to its own size, snuggling it ever closer to the shore.

## Cape-tip Harbor from Storage Plant Site



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(Cape Cod Standard-Times Photo)  
With the razing of the old Provincetown Cold Storage Company buildings in Provincetown, a panorama of Provincetown Harbor and a few of the boats can be seen from Commercial Street at the site, looking over the partially filled cellar of the old building.

## 100-Foot Chimney Topples at Cape-tip



(Cape Cod Standard-Times Photo)

The chimney came down yesterday at Provincetown to erase one of the well-known landmarks in the community. Workmen, with a heavy chain about the midsection of the 100-foot chimney, set its fall to avoid nearby homes, as a Cotuit wrecking firm continued work of razing the Provincetown Cold Storage Company on Commercial Street.