



Along the Shore, Provincetown, Mass.

Opposite Cook Street. MacMillan house, extreme left. Figurehead House, over boat. About 1905.

Argument Settled

The captain and the chief engineer of a small Provincetown vessel once had an argument as to which had the more important job so the story goes. Each thought the other's work was much simpler than his own.

Finally, the captain volunteered to take the engineer's place in the engine room if the latter would take his place on the bridge and they accordingly changed over.

After a short interval, the captain telephoned up to the engineer, "I think you'd better come down here. The engine have stopped and I can't get them to move at all."

"Don't worry," replied the engineer. "We're ashore."



The Launching, Provincetown, Mass.

Opposite Cook Street - About 1900 Private yacht built by John Whitcomb for a Chicago man. This is the last launching of a vessel of this size in Provincetown.



Another Cook Street scene. Eastern Cold Storage Wharf in background. Arrow: Mount Gilboa. About 1890.