



Baker Ave. & Pearl St.

A three-quarter Cape Codder corner Baker Ave & Pearl St.
(Pearl St. on right) - 1921.

Breakfast Club at the
GRAY INN

Where everybody loves the Blueberry Pancakes
— Served on the Terrace or in the Circus Room —
8 A.M. to 12 NOON

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George O. Knowles

(Successor to Stephen Cook)
Importer of Sperm, Whale and Fish Oils.

Among those houses, now few and far between, engaged in the whale oil industry and which have been long in existence and which are closely identified with the commercial growth of Provincetown, Mass., that of Mr. George O. Knowles, successor to Stephen Cook, occupies, by no means, an inconspicuous position. Mr. Knowles succeeded Mr. Stephen Cook some 10 years ago and has since conducted the affairs of the house with annually increasing success.

Mr. Knowles makes a specialty of sperm whale and fish oils and employs 3 vessels in the whaling industry alone.

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required in that line. The trade of the house is to the large cities, New York, Boston, Philadelphia and New Bedford being large consumers. The oil is shipped by car load, in casks and anywhere from 5 to 6,000 gallons at a time.

Handling a reliable and excellent class of goods, upright and honorable in his dealings, and withal a man of energy and business ability and thoroughly conversant with the exacting requirements of the trade, it is only in the very nature of things that he should have attained the position and permanent success that has attended his well directed efforts, and we cordially commend the house to the trade as one with which it will be of advantage to form business relations of an enduring character.

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