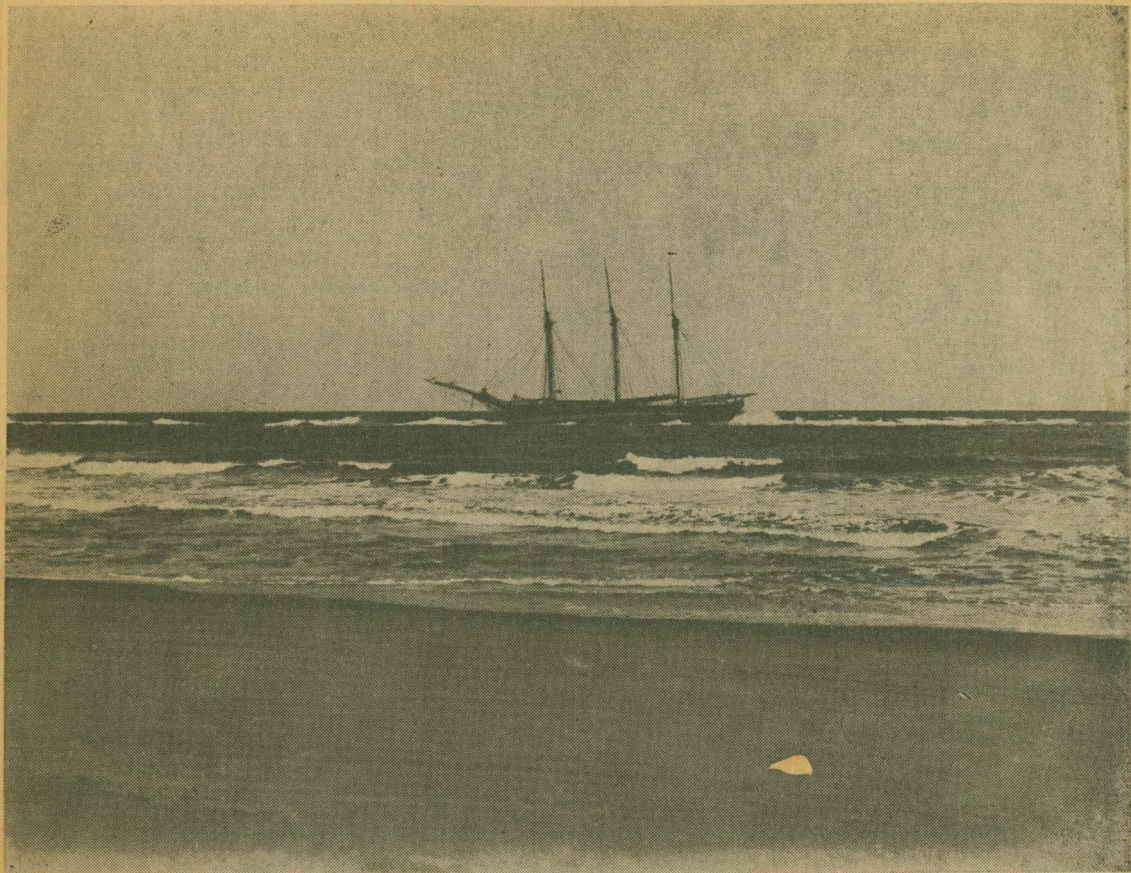


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Two separate bars formed the Peaked Hill Bars. Ships often were driven over the outer bar and trapped on the inner bar. In 1902 the Jennie C. May, three-master seen above, became a total loss. Capt. Wm. W. Cook, keeper of the Life Saving Station here, steered his crew's lifeboat through the surf and rescued the schooner's company. He was famous for his daring rescues and for never losing or seriously injuring any man in his command — and for never falling overboard. He had learned his skill on whaling ships.

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