



... Left: Where Althea's Mother, Annie (Perkins) Boxell was born (1888.) now belongs to Donald MacMillan, the Artic Explorer.

Right: Wagon coming out of Cook St. Note men and boys at left, watching fishermen mend their nets.

Next to MacMillan's: Kibbie Cook's store (Burch's, now Bryant's Market)

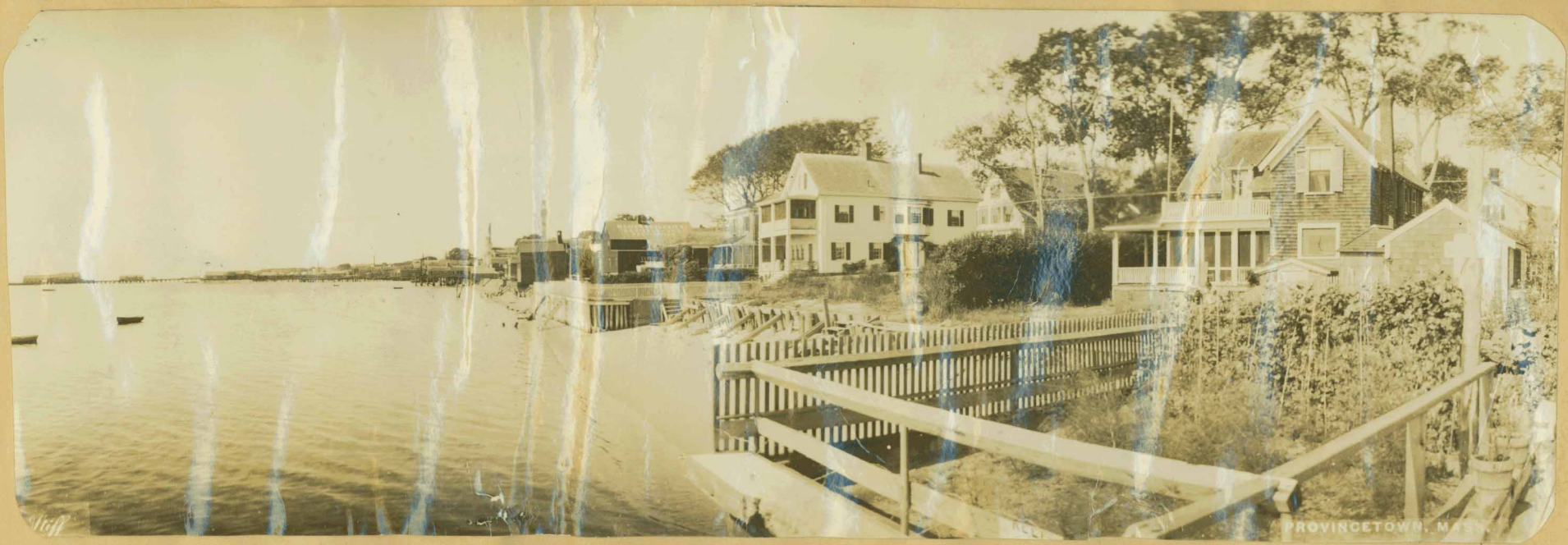
Please notice that we have become more up to date with a lamppost instead of street lamps!

About 1905.

This MacMillan house used to be the barracks for the soldiers on Long Point, somewhere between the 2 forts .. Per MacMillan, 1946

May 24, ***** 1871
How nice are those streets of ours which possess street lanterns. Would Commercial be any less pleasant with a better degree of illumination? The foregoing is not a connundrum.

Fifty Years Ago
April 14, 1904
The work of erecting electric light poles began Thursday morning. The force of workmen is being steadily increased, Mr. Geo. H. Barnett of Providence being the latest arrival.



Railroad Wharf, left. Center Methodist Church steeple. Pilgrim Monument. Burch's Market, (writing on roof). The MacMillan House. Taken about 1930.

The first street lights in Provincetown were oil burning. They were first used in 1884. Twenty years later these lamps were altered to electric.