

Season Opens at the East and West Shores

With Memorial Day the season at the shore began as usual and will be in full swing until Labor Day. The month of June is not as popular as July and August, and it is really the first of July before the cottages are all open. That the public schools do not close until the last of June accounts for the general wave of travel from town to country and shore early in July. Those who are planning to spend the season at the shore usually endeavor to be settled by the Fourth and have at least the two months. The season has opened very promisingly and already there are about the usual number of cottagers at the various resorts in this vicinity. The middle of June usually finds a good many cottages open and many others being repaired and cleaned up for the summer. The season was so late last year that it was really the first of July before it was started. The outlook this year is considerably better and the hotel proprietors are quite encouraged. Almost all of the hotels at both the east and west shores are now open or will be within a week or so.

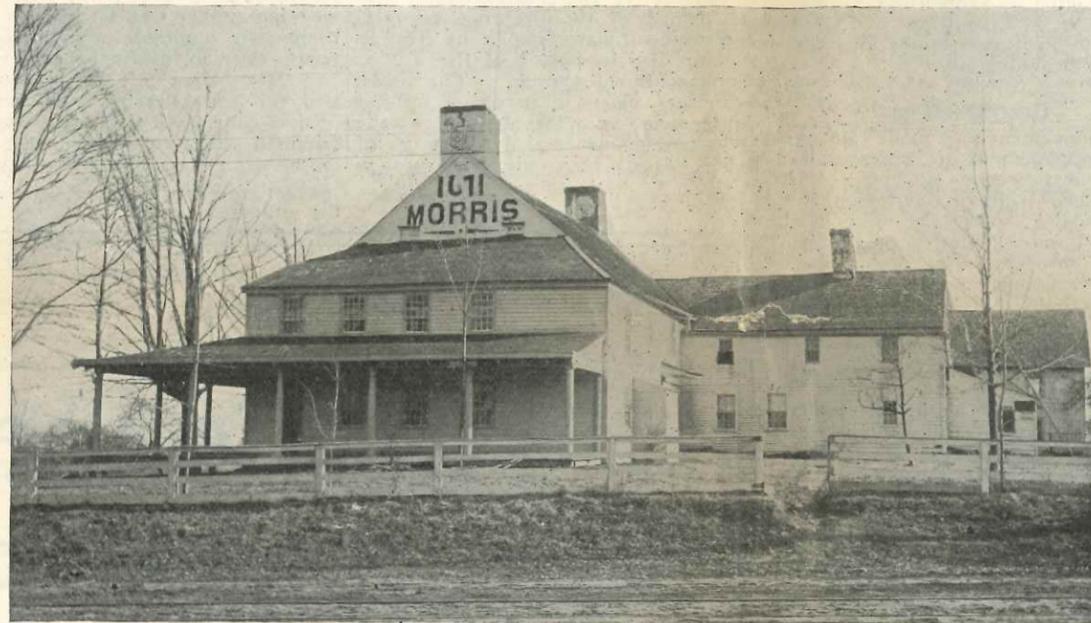
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throp G. Bushnell, Senator and Mrs. Minotte E. Chatfield and children, and Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Dibble and family. Mr. A. M. Young and family of New York have been at their summer home, the Anchorage, practically all winter. Mr. H. C. Rowe has offered his large summer home for sale and his plans for the season



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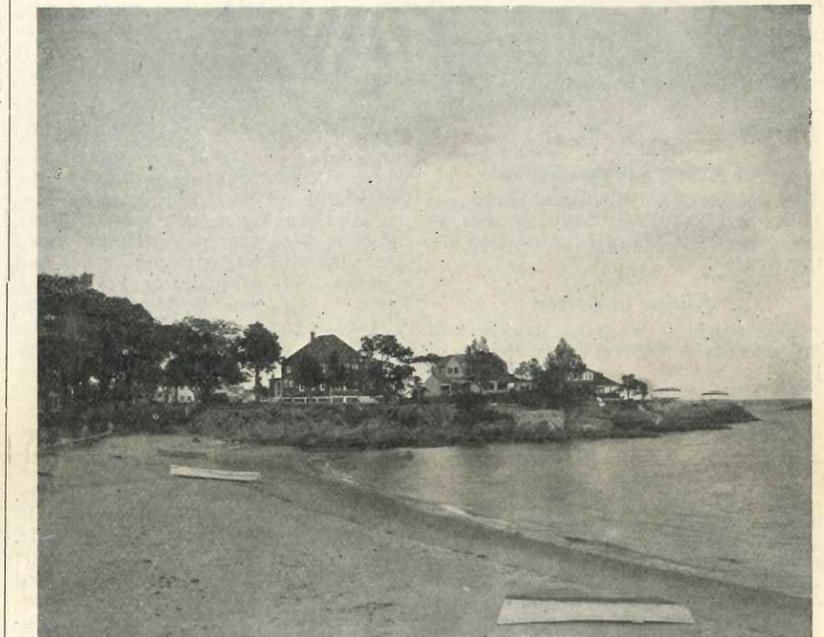
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already and others will be before the first of July. The Shoreham is now open for the season, and not only is it proving a very popular place for permanent guests, but for transients as well. In fact, there have been a large number of parties and dances given there during the winter and spring and several are already

mer colony, and from one end to the other the houses are being opened for the season. A great many of these guests. Mr. Phillips, the proprietor, has arranged for a hop at the hotel every Saturday evening, which will

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Things are beginning to look well for the season at Morris Cove. The yacht club houses are in full swing and races are being held by the New Haven Yacht club members each Saturday afternoon. A large number of the cottages have been opened

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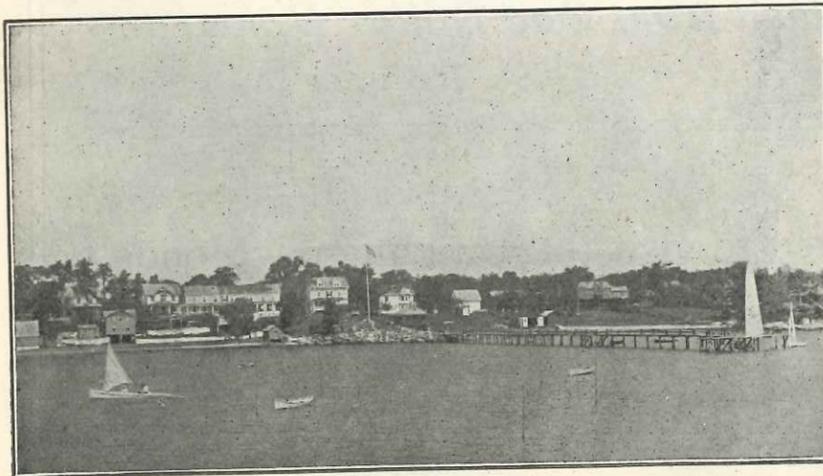
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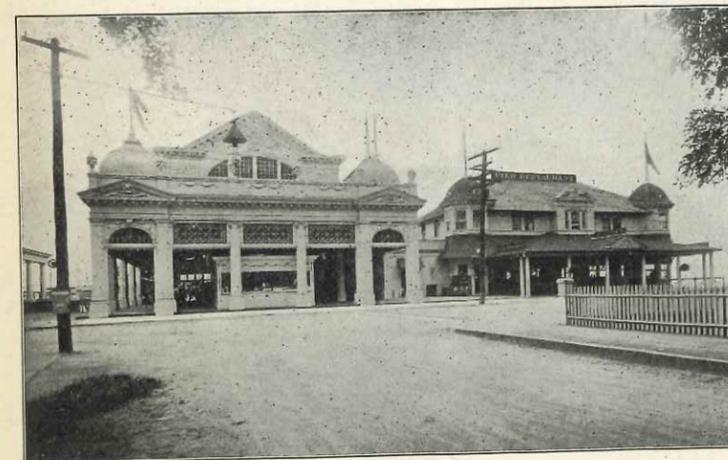
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