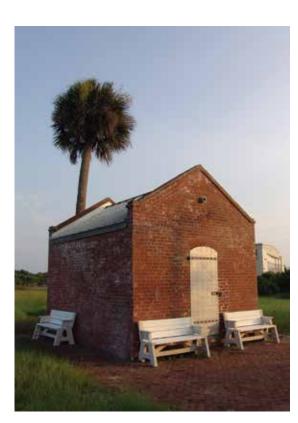
An Oil House That Can Tell Time?



The oil house was built in 1894 when the the Lighthouse basement. The generators and Lighthouse was moved to where it now stands. tanks were removed when commercial power The building is 16'x12' and stands 18' high. came out to the Lighthouse in the early 1950s. Kerosene was used to fuel the Fresnel lens Life-saving equipment hung on oil house. before electricity and, since it's very flammable, The oil house was also used to store life-saving they stored it in the oil house. They only took equipment, which was hung from the outside into the Lighthouse what was needed for a few walls. A brick walkway placed around the oil house days at a time from the shipments they in the early 20th Century formed the bow of a received by boat every 6 months. boat, as seen from the top of the Lighthouse. The building's roof was blown off during a storm in the 1970s and not replaced until the oil house was restored to its original 1894 design in late 2003.

Once the Lighthouse was electrified in 1931, two large fuel tanks were placed in the oil house to power a pair of generators installed in







A palm tree planted behind the oil house is an interesting witness to the passage of time. Can you put these photos in relative chronological order?





Brick walkways joined to form a boat's bow.



