

This is one of the earliest photographs of Patchogue, taken from the roof of Roe's Eagle Hotel in 1863. Ocean Avenue is running through the center of the picture, and the corner of Church Street is just to the right of the dark barn. The large white building, on

the extreme upper right, is the Methodist church on the corner of Church Street and Railroad Avenue. The Patchogue River is running through the upper part of the picture.



The artist Edward Lange made this sketch of Patchogue in 1876. In the foreground is the boatyard of Saxton and Gil Smith. Across the river lies the Patchogue Railroad Station. Patchogue was the end of the line from 1869

to 1872. On the horizon are, from left to right, the steeple of the Methodist church, Fishel's tower, the Eagle Hotel and the old Lyceum on South Ocean Avenue. The school on Academy Street and the Episcopal church are on the right