

OLD GAFFER

Naval Architect Murray G. Peterson of South Bristol, Maine, designed this 18ft double-ender in March 1934, based on time-tested Danish fishing craft. Several were built with a 1500lbs lead ballast keel and generous beam and freeboard, and known as Old Gaffers. In the sixties the cost of building these quality boats became prohibitive.

With her versatile design and cubby cabin, the yacht was used for comfortable day-sailing in the attractive bays on the coast of Maine.

Model on scale 1/1 inch. Hull and sails are scratch built from the architect's design.



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