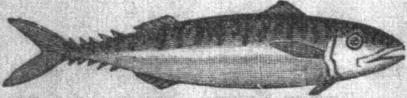


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"RUNNING THE MAIL."

Sch. Ralph L. Hall Lands Fourth Mackerel Fare.

Several Other Seiners and Netters at Fulton Dock.



Several more mackerel seiners have arrived at New York since last report and a number of the netters have also come along with fair trips, showing that the weather is more favorable and that these little crafts have at last been able to get after the fish.

The arrivals since yesterday noon are as follows:

- Sch. Vera, Capt. Manrice Whalen, 65 bb's. large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Leander F. Gould, Capt. Alex. McCloud, 40 bbls. large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Golden-Rod, Capt. Norman A. Ross, 3500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Lena and Maud, Capt. Fred Carritt, 3000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Ralph L. Hall, Capt. Frank H. Hall, 4500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Braganza, Capt. Gourley Anderson, 2000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Grayling, Capt. Reuben Cameron, 70 bbls. large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Helen G. Wells, Capt. Augustus G. Hamer, 2000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. W. T. Dodge, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Priscilla, 1600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Actor, 1300 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. M. Madeleine, 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Emma B., 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Minette, 100 large fresh mackerel, 10,000 porgies.
- Sch. Estelle S. Nunan, 730 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. F. D. Nelson, 900 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Laura Reed, 800 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Veteran, 200 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Venus, 300 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Mary E. Smith, 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Hobo, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. W. Sinnett, 400 large fresh mackerel.
- Steamer Dorcas, 700 large fresh mackerel.

This is the fourth trip for sch. Ralph L. Hall this season and Capt. Frank H. Hall is evidently "running the mail" from Barnegat to Fulton Market. Capt. Hall has had a good trip each time, and if he is not high line, he is so near it that there's no fun in it.

A Providence trap took one large mackerel yesterday, the first of the season there. The fish weighed 2 3/4 pounds.

Sch. Natalie B. Nickerson, which arrived at Newport yesterday, had three barrels of salt mackerel which sold to William H. Jordan & Co., of this city at \$12 per barrel, the first salt mackerel sale of the season.

The traps at Chatham took seven large mackerel yesterday.

Bait at Provincial Ports.

Bait is obtainable at Panmure island, St. Mary's Bay, Queensport, Bras d'Or Lakes and Cole Harbor, Guysboro Co. Ice at Digby, Tiverton, Freeport, St. Mary's Bay, Sandy Cove, Georgetown, Whitehead, Yarmouth, Port La Tour, Canso, Lockeport, Lunenburg, Queensport, Pubnico and Port Hood Island.

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DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

Sch. James A. Garfield, Provincetown, 715,000 lbs. salt pollock.

Vessels Sailed.

- Sch. Loring B. Haskell, shacking.
- Sch. Balbino B. Domingoes, shacking.
- Sch. Flora J. Sears, shacking.
- Sch. Maud F. Silva, shacking.
- Sch. Mary E. Silveria, shacking.
- Sch. Arthur Binney, Boston.
- Sch. Lucy E., south, netting.

Today's Fish Market.

Board of Trade prices for salt and fresh fish:

Salt fish, handline Georges cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.75 for medium; trawl Georges cod, \$4.25 for large, \$3.50 for medium; trawl Bank cod, \$3.62 1-2 for large, \$3.37 1-2 for medium; hake, \$1.25; pollock, \$1.25; haddock, \$1.75; large cusk, \$2.50.

Fresh fish, large cod, \$2.12 1-2; medium cod, \$1.62 1-2; all cod caught to the eastward of LaHave bank, \$1.87 1-2; medium \$1.50 cusk, \$1.63 1-2; haddock, \$1.00; hake, 85 cts.; pollock, 70c; snapper codfish, 60 cts.; snapper cusk, 60 cts.

Bank halibut, 8 cts. per lb. for white and 6 cts. for gray.

Rips cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.75 for mediums and \$2.25 for snappers.

Boston.

- Sch. Nellie G. Adams, 20,000 haddock, 4500 cod, 1000 hake.
- Sch. Katherine D. Enos, 6000 haddock, 500 cod.
- Sch. Gertrude, 20,000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 11,000 hake, 25,000 cusk.
- Sch. Ida S. Brooks, 8000 haddock, 5000 cod.
- Sch. Rita A. Viator, 5000 haddock, 13,000 cod.
- Sch. Genesta, 5000 haddock, 7000 cod.
- Haddock, \$1.50 to \$2.50; large cod, \$2 to \$2 12 1-2; market cod, \$1.75; hake, \$1 to \$1.75.

Fishing Fleet Movements.

Schs. Fanny Belle Atwood and Tartar were at Canso on Monday, and schs. Bohemia, Margaret, Gladstone and Gladiator sailed from there the same day.

Schs. W. E. Morrissey and John L. Nicholson were at Louisburg, C. B., on Saturday.

Sch. Caroline Vought was at Shelburne, N. S., on Monday.

Schs. Tartar, Matchless, Mary G. Powers, and Olga were at Port Hawkesbury yesterday.

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SECURED LICENSES.

Three American Bankers Got Them at Channel, N. F.

The St. John's N. F., Herald says that of the six American bankers now at Channel, N. F., three have secured licenses, schs. Maxine Elliot, Carrie W. Habson and Maud M. Story. The Herald says that the others are fearful that they will have to leave without being able to take bait.

Provincial Bait News.

Bait is reported obtainable at Panmure Island, St. Mary's Bay, Queensport, Bras d'Or Lakes and Cole Harbor, Guysboro County.

Herring are also plentiful at St. Anna and Ingonish and fair at Aribat; very plentiful at D'Escoisse.

Herring are quite plenty now around Canso.

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BIG MACKIREL FLEET

Will Probably Go to Cape Shore This Year.

Flora Fine Trips at New York This Afternoon.

A special to the TIMES this afternoon states that sch. S. F. Maker, Capt. S. Campbell Peart, arrived at Fulton Market, New York, this afternoon with another fine trip, 200 barrels of large fresh mackerel. This is the third trip Capt. Peart has landed at that place thus far this season and he is certainly right up among the leaders.

The other arrivals at Fulton market this afternoon are as follows:

- Sch. Mary E. Harty, Capt. Eben T. Lewis, 3000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Constellation, Capt. Thaddens F. Morgan, 7000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Saladin, Capt. Flar McKown, 3500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Klondike, (netter), 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Acacia (netter), 500 large fresh mackerel.

The captains of the seiners at New York today report that they got their fares off Barnegat. They say that the fish are in small schools and that there is no body to the fish. They believe that the main body of the schools has gone off shore.

A large number of the fleet are coming here soon and most of them are figuring on being here by next Sunday or Monday.

From what they say out there it is believed that the most of the fleet are coming home to fit for the Cape Shore. If this is so it is probable that the fleet at the Cape Shore the present season will be the largest for several years.

NETTERS IN COLLISION.

Sch. Dauntless Strikes Sch. Minnette in New York Harbor.

Captain of Latter Nearly Drowned Before Being Rescued.

A special to the TIMES from its New York correspondent this forenoon states that the mackerel netting schooner Minnette, of Orr's Island, Me., which arrived at Fulton Market last evening with 100 fresh mackerel and a large number of fresh porgies, met with an accident while coming in.

The tug Theresa Verdon had her in tow, and when off the Status of Liberty, she collided with the netter Dauntless, which was bound out under sail. The Dauntless struck the Minnette on the port side just abreast of the fore-rigging, breaking several stanchions, cutting down the planking and carrying away the rigging.

Capt. Frank McIntire of the Minnette, who was standing at the rail when the collision occurred, was obliged to jump overboard to avoid being crushed when the crafts came together, and he was rescued from drowning with much difficulty, being secured as he was going down for the last time.

Bait.

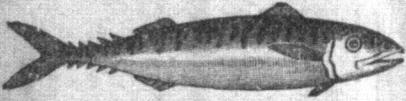
Frank Stevens of Fort wharf received 30 barrels of alewives from Essex today.

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SEINERS AND NETTERS.

Goodly Number of Each Land Fair Trips Today.

Several of the Seiners In with Their Third Trip.



The seiners are still finding mackerel in schools off Barnegat and the netters are commencing to find some fair fishing. Since the last report the following fares have been landed at Fulton Market, New York:

Seiners.

- Sch. Victor, Capt. John W. McFarland, 100 bbls. large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Shenandoah, Capt. James C. Gannon, 75 bbls. large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Marguerite Haskins, Capt. Ralph Webber, 35 bbls. large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Pinta, Capt. John F. Vautier, 4000 large fresh mackerel in count.
- Sch. Monitor, Capt. Benj. A. Spurling, 5000 large fresh mackerel in count.
- Sch. Veda M. McKown, Capt. Solomon Jacobs, 4000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Priscilla Smith, Capt. William J. Corkum, 7000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Mattakesett, Capt. John O'Brien, 4000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Maud S. of Portland, 7000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Agnes E. Downes, 2400 large fresh mackerel.

Netters.

- Sch. Elsie F. Rowe, 1400 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Diana, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Manomet, 1500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Motor, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. F. W. Homans, 1000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Little Fanny, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Metacomb, 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. E. Smith, 400 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Viola, 400 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Hockomock, 800 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Dauntless, 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Elsie, 400 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Spaker, 800 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Alice May, 200 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Erickson, 800 large fresh mackerel.

- Sch. Esther May, 1800 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Winnie Kane, 400 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Florida, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Laughing Waters, 400 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Carolina Augusta, 350 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Angielena, 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Steamer Vigilant, 350 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Louis, 300 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. G. E. Hagan, 500 large fresh mackerel.

There are no signs of mackerel around Canso as yet.

Sch. Dauntless was at New York Wednesday with 1400 large fresh mackerel.

Sch. Avalon, Capt. Charles Maguire, was at New York Tuesday with a fare of about 6000 fresh mackerel in count.

Sch. Braganza, which was at Fulton Market, yesterday with a fare of fresh mackerel, also had 11 barrels of salt mackerel which sold to Thomas Woodward & Sons.

The following netters arrived at New York yesterday afternoon:

- Sch. Nokomis, 300 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. E. A. Eaton, 600 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Golden Eagle, 450 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Massachusetts, 450 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Julietta, 450 large fresh mackerel.

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DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.

To-day's Arrivals and Receipts.

- Sch. Ralph E. Eaton, Provincetown, 60,000 lbs. salt cod.
- Sch. Gertrude, via Boston, 75,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Alice S. Hawkes, Rips, 12,000 lbs. cod.
- Sch. J. P. Foster, Jr., Provincetown, 800 cts. cured fish.

Vessels Sailed.

- Sch. Titania, shacking.
- Sch. Hattie P. Knowlton, shore.
- Sch. Mary Cabral, shore.
- Sch. Robert and Carr, shore.
- Sch. Carrie C., Georges.

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Bank halibut, 8 cts. per lb. for white and 6 cts. for gray.

Rips cod, \$4.50 per cwt. for large, \$3.75 for mediums and \$2.25 for snappers.

Boston.

- Sch. Rapidan, 2000 haddock.
 - Sch. Ignatius Enos, 3000 cod.
 - Sch. Yankee, 1000 haddock, 8000 cod.
 - Sch. Moanam, 6000 cod, 14,000 hake, 18,000 cusk.
 - Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 8000 haddock.
 - Sch. Frances Silva, 12,000 haddock.
 - Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 37,000 fresh mixed fish.
 - Sch. Fannie W. Freeman, 11,000 haddock, 5000 cod.
- Haddock, \$1.50 to \$2; large cod, \$2 to \$2.25; market cod, \$1.50 to \$1.75; cusk, \$1.30.

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Hoping for Shad.

Many of the little gasoline fishing boats around the cape are now out in Boston bay looking for schools of pollock. The skippers also have their eyes out for shad and are hoping for some good hauls of these fine fish like they made last season.

Steamer Here with Pollock.

The Provincetown steamer Angelia B. Nickerson arrived here yesterday afternoon with her first trip of the season over this way, 5000 pounds of fresh pollock, which sold to Frank Stanwood. The Nickerson will go on the Rocky Neck, ways today for painting, etc.

Halibut Sale.

The fare of sch. Masconomo sold to the New England Fish Co. at 7 cents per pound for white and 5 cents per pound for gray.

Haul of Shad.

Tarr's trap at Magnolia made a haul of 11 shad yesterday.

Good Trip.

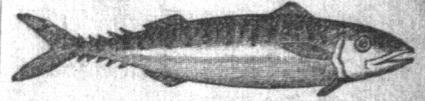
Sch. Olympia arrived from the Rips this forenoon with 32,000 pounds of salt codfish, the first fine fare from the Rips this season.

May 13

AT FULTON MARKET.

Several of Seining Fleet Have Good Fares Today.

Fifteen of the Fleet Have Been In Three Times.



The following seiners and netters are at Fulton market, New York, today:

Seiners.

- Sch. Edna Wallace Hopper, 8900 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. A. M. Nicholson, Capt. Albert Hudder, 4500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Arthur James, Capt. Archibald Devine, 4000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Dauntless, Capt. Day, 6500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Lizzie M. Stanley, 5000 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Claudia, Capt. John Madson, 3800 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Faustina, Capt. Augustus G. Hall, 3500 large fresh mackerel.

Netters.

- Sch. Esther Gray, 1800 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Clara E., 1100 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Azorean, 625 large fresh mackerel.

A special to the TIMES from its regular correspondent at Newport, R. I., reports the arrival there this forenoon of sch. Slade Gordon, Capt. George E. Heckman, with 90 barrels of large fresh mackerel and sch. Natalie B. Nickerson, Capt. John S. Seavey, with 100 barrels large fresh mackerel, both fares being taken eight miles south of Block Island. Both skippers report seeing several schools in that vicinity.

At Newport yesterday were the following netters with fresh mackerel:

- Sloop Alice E., 220 large fresh mackerel.
 - Sloop On Time, 170 large fresh mackerel.
 - Sloop Olga, 150 large fresh mackerel.
- Six small mackerel were taken off Brenton's Reef Lightship.

The vessels of the seining fleet which have landed three trips thus far this season are schs Constellation, Veda M. McKown, Patrician Bertha and Pearl, Ralph L. Hall, Mary E. Harty, Lizzie M. Stanley, Marguerite Paskins, Grayling, S. F. Maker, Mattakesett, Pinta, Arthur James, Faustina and Dauntless. Sch. Ralph L. Hall is the only seiner that has landed four trips thus far this season.

The catch of fresh mackerel to date is 613 barrels against 9931 barrels at this time last year, 19,401 barrels in 1903, 29,057 barrels in 1902, 14,444 barrels in 1901, 11,601 in 1900, 1824 barrels in 1899 and 1162 barrels in 1898.

MORE MACKEREL.

Another Seiner and Several Netters at New York This Afternoon.

Another seiner and several more netters are at New York this afternoon as follows:

- Sch. Patrician, Capt. Wesley Farmer, 2500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Active, 200 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Vesta, 200 large fresh mackerel.
- Sloop Florence, 200 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Mineola, 500 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Laughing Waters, 250 large fresh mackerel.
- Sch. Moses B. Linscott, 500 large fresh mackerel.

Fresh mackerel are bringing 15 cents each at New York today.

The price of mackerel at New York has dropped to 12 cents.