

Oct. 24.

Salt trawl bank cod, large, \$3.62 1-2 per cwt., medium, \$3.12 1-2c.  
Fresh mackerel, 15 1-2 cts. each.  
Trawl bank salt cod, \$3.25 for large and \$3 for medium.

**Boston.**

Sch. Matiana, 10,000 haddock, 2000 cod, 13,000 hake.  
Sch. Helen G. Wells, 9000 pollock.  
Sch. Stranger, 4000 haddock, 2000 cod, 8000 hake.  
Sch. Massasoit, 5000 pollock.  
Sch. Carrie E., 800 fresh mackerel.  
Sch. Appomattox, 6000 pollock.  
Haddock, \$2 to \$3 per cwt.; large cod \$3.50; market cod, \$2; hake, 50 cts. to \$1.25; pollock, \$1.35.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

The following vessels were at Portland Thursday with fares of fresh fish: Schs. Mary E. Smith, 4000 pounds; Watanga, 4500 pounds; Margie Turner, 4000 pounds; Defender, 5000 pounds.

Oct. 26.

**SWAMPED WITH FISH.**

**T Wharf Has Fleet of 53 Vessels In This Morning.**

**Receipts of Fresh Fish Aggregated Nearly 1,500,000 Pounds.**

This is another big fish day for Boston, and should the great number of arrivals up to 8 o'clock this morning be followed during the day and Tuesday by another big bunch, the great record of Monday and Tuesday of last week, when 102 vessels brought in 3,000,000 pounds of fish, will be equalled, if not excelled and cast in the shade.

Just as long as good fish weather continues, just so long will the big trips pile in at T wharf. The dealers, as well as the skippers and fishermen themselves, really would like colder weather and more blowy days, which would mean fewer and smaller trips out a much better market.

At Boston today, up to 8 o'clock, 53 fishing vessels were reported with 1,352,000 pounds or better, of fresh fish. There is considerable hake in the lots and most of this will probably come to this port to split.

There are several big trips there, sch. Tartar being high line with 105,000 pounds, most all haddock and cod. Sch. Catherine and Ellen has 71,000 pounds, sch. Helen B. Thomas, 60,000 pounds, sch. Elizabeth Silsbee, 70,000 pounds, sch. Benjamin F. Phillips, 60,000 pounds, sch. Oliver F. Hutchins, 58,000 pounds, sch. Manhasset, 52,000 pounds, and sch. Thomas S. Gorton, 78,000 pounds.

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**Another Salt Mackerel Fare.**

Sch. Pinta, Capt. Douglass McLean arrived home from North bay this morning with 175 barrels of salt mackerel.

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**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**

**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

Sch. Monitor, Green Bank, 30,000 lbs. halibut, 2000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Atalanta, La Have Bank, 4000 lbs. halibut, 18,000 lbs. salt cod, 25,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Blanche, Quero Bank, 240,000 lbs. salt cod.  
Sch. Mildred V. Nunan, shore, 50,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Sch. Elvah Spurling, shore, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.  
Boats, 350 bbls. fresh herring.  
Sch. Waldo L. Stream, La Have Bank.  
Sch. Fannie Reed, shore.  
Sch. Pinta, North Bay, 175 bbls. salt mackerel.

**Today's Fish Market.**

Round pollock, 65 cts. per cwt.; gutted 70 cents.  
Salt Rips, cod, large, \$4.00, mediums, \$3.10; snapper \$2.  
Salt Georges cod, large \$4.25, mediums, \$3.25.

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Salt bank dory handline cod, \$3.50 per cwt. for large and \$3.25 for mediums.  
Bank halibut 10 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.  
Salt pollock, \$1.50; salt haddock, \$1.50.  
North Bay salt mackerel, \$25.50 per bbl.  
Eastern salt shack trip cod, \$3.25 per cwt. for large and \$3 for markets.

Splitting prices for fresh fish, Western cod, large, \$2.20; mediums, \$1.65; Eastern cod, large, \$1.90; medium, \$1.50; cusk, \$1.60 to \$1.65; haddock, 80 cts.; hake, 75 cts.; pollock, 70 cts.

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Trawl bank salt cod, \$3.25 for large and \$3 for medium.

**Boston.**

Sch. Angie B. Watson, 2000 haddock, 3000 cod, 25,000 hake.

Sch. Mary T. Fallon, 6000 haddock, 2000 cod, 40,000 hake.

Sch. Flavilla, 4000 haddock, 2000 cod, 9000 hake.

Sch. Dictator, 30,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Rose Standish, 1500 haddock, 2000 cod, 2000 hake.

Sch. Terra Nova, 18,000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 30,000 hake.

Sch. Catherine and Ellen, 18,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 45,000 hake.

Sch. Dorothy, 6000 haddock, 2000 cod, 30,000 hake.

Sch. Mary B. Greer, 13,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 20,000 hake.

Sch. Helen B. Thomas, 3000 haddock, 7000 cod, 50,000 hake.

Sch. Ida M. Siva, 2000 haddock, 2000 cod, 20,000 hake.

Sch. Juniata.

Sch. Rose Cabral, 3000 haddock, 2000 cod, 15,000 hake.

Sch. Elizabeth Silsbee, 20,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 45,000 hake.

Sch. Benj. F. Phillips, 20,000 haddock, 10,000 cod, 30,000 hake.

Sch. Ellen C. Burke, 5000 haddock, 4000 cod, 5000 hake.

Sch. Grayling.

Sch. George E. Lane, Jr., 10,000 pollock.

Sch. Mattie Brundage, 15,000 pollock.

Sch. Valentina, 8000 pollock.

Sch. Gladys and Sabra, 16,000 pollock.

Sch. Philip P. Manta, 5000 haddock, 3000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Jessie Costa, 5000 haddock, 5000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Tartar, 80,000 haddock, 15,000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Evelyn L. Thompson, 10,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Manhasset, 20,000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 30,000 hake.

Sch. Aspinet, 8000 haddock, 12,000 cod, 19,000 hake.

Sch. Leo, 3000 haddock, 700 cod, 12,000 hake.

Sch. Margaret Dillon, 7000 haddock, 2500 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Seaconnet, 14,000 haddock, 3000 cod, 18,000 hake.

Sch. Emily Cooney, 11,000 haddock, 5000 cod, 10,000 hake.

Sch. Bessie M. Dugan, 3000 haddock, 2000 cod, 8000 hake.

Sch. Warren M. Goodspeed, 15,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 20,000 hake.

Sch. Olive F. Hutchins, 5000 haddock, 3000 cod, 50,000 hake.

Sch. Ida S. Brooks, 10,000 haddock, 4000 cod, 35,000 hake.

Sch. Edith Silveira, 6000 haddock, 2000 cod, 15,000 hake.

Sch. Marguerite Haskins, 20,000 pollock.

Sch. Norman Fisher, 15,000 pollock.

Sch. Thalia, 15,000 pollock.

Sch. Priscilla, 15,000 pollock.

Sch. Rita A. Viator, 11,000 pollock.

Sch. Emerald, 10,000 pollock.

Sch. Mary A. G. Mason, 10,000 pollock.

Sch. Esther Gray, 7500 pollock.

Sch. James and Esther, 13,000 pollock.

Sch. Boyd and Leeds, 12,000 pollock.

Sch. Ralph Russell, 12,000 pollock.

Sch. Pauline, 16,000 pollock.

Sch. City of Everett, 1500 haddock, 500 cod.

Sch. Thomas S. Gorton, 70,000 haddock, 8000 cod.

Sch. Azorean, 4000 haddock, 3000 cod, 1000 hake.

Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, 2500 haddock, 3000 cod, 20,000 hake, 5000 cusk.

Haddock, \$2 to \$3 per cwt.; large cod, \$4 to \$5; market cod, \$2; pollock, \$1; hake, 50 cts. to \$1.

**Fishing Fleet Movements.**

Sch. Aloha, Capt. John McInnis, was at Bay Bulls, N. F., on Saturday with 250,000 pounds of salt cod on board and left that night for Virgin Rocks to complete her fare.

Sch. Wm. H. Rider was at Liverpool, N. S., on Friday.

Oct. 27.

**Home From Second Trip.**

Sch. Blanche, Capt. William Morrissey, one of the trawl salt bank fleet, arrived home this morning with a fine fare, 240,000 pounds of salt cod. This is her second trip of the season, she being the second of the two trip trawl bankers to arrive.

**Good Halibut Trip.**

Sch. Monitor, Capt. John McKay, arrived yesterday from Green Bank with 30,000 pounds of halibut. Capt. McKay spoke no vessels, but passed a number of American deck handliners to the southward of Sable island on the way home.

Oct. 27.

**The Salt in the Sea.**

A scientist has calculated, after extensive tests of the density and salt-ness of the ocean in all parts of the world, that there is the equivalent of 8,051,342 cubic geographical miles of common salt in all the known seas. This is more than five times the mass of the mountains in the entire Alpine range.

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**Pollockers Doing Better.**

The pollock fleet has begun to do a little better and it is hoped that the fish are striking on. There are 16 said of them at Boston today with fares of from 10,000 to 20,000 pounds.

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**Landed Tile Fish.**

Sch. Tartar, at Boston today, from the southeast part of Georges, brought in a tile fish and a mammoth lobster.

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**Fine Stocks.**

Sch. Effie M. Prior, stocked \$2600 as the result of her recent 16 days fresh fishing trip to Western Bank, the crew sharing \$70.30. The craft weighed off 181,000 pounds of fish, mostly cod.

Sch. Agnes, Capt. Ernest Engstrom, stocked \$2160.66 as the result of her recent brief cod and halibut trip, the crew sharing \$68.79.

Sch. Diana, Capt. James McLean, stocked \$4179 as the result of her recent North Bay salt mackerel trip, the crew sharing \$91.67.

Oct. 27.

**FISHING RECORDS BROKEN.**

Boston, Oct. 27.—All fish records for the port of Boston were broken yesterday when fifty-five fishermen brought in a grand total of 1,719,400 pounds of fish.

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**Mackerel at T Wharf.**

Capt. George Perry of sch. Warren M. Goodspeed, who went out last Wednesday afternoon, was back at T wharf Boston, Monday morning, with a good trip. He had also a mackerel weighing four pounds which had been taken on a trawl by Garrett Curtis. There were four other mackerel at the wharf, taken in nets on the power boat Edna, whose crew left here yesterday afternoon and returned this morning from Lynn harbor with 15 barrels of herring, 300 pounds of flounders, the mackerel and a single smelt that weighed a pound. The night's work will give each of her four men \$6 for their work of a few hours.

Oct. 27.

**Market Dull at Boston.**

The fish market at Boston today is very dull. There is no sale for off shore codfish and hake are going to the splitters at 40 cents per hundred weight. What fish is being taken from the boats is bringing a good price, but even these are moving slowly. The fish receipts at T wharf yesterday up to closing time, totalled 1,750,000 pounds.

Oct. 27.

**Halibut Sale.**

The fare of sch. Monitor sold to the New England Fish Co. at 10 cents per pound for white and 8 cents per pound for gray.

Oct. 27.

**QUEER CRABS.**

The Ingenious Manner in Which they Disguise Themselves.

Some species of crabs disguise themselves in an ingenious manner. They deliberately bite up seaweeds and plant them on their backs, very soon establishing a growth which harmonizes perfectly with the surroundings and deceives many an enemy. Should the weeds grow too vigorously the crab industriously prunes them with his claws and every now and then scrapes the whole lot off and starts a fresh garden on his roof, so to speak.

The sponge crab behaves in a similar manner, nipping off little bits of living sponge and sticking them on his back, where they grow vigorously. The same end is served as in the other case. It is very amusing to keep crabs of one or other of these kinds in an aquarium and deprive them of the usual means of concealment.

They get very nervous and agitated and try to cover themselves with bits of paper or anything else that may be provided. One such captive is said to have had a little greatcoat made for him, which he put on in a hurry as soon as it was handed to him.--London Sphere.

Oct. 27.

**Good Maiden Trip.**

The new sch. Josie and Phebe was one of the last of the arrivals at T wharf, Boston, Monday morning, and Capt. Lawrence Norris was complimented on his quick and successful trip. He left T wharf Wednesday afternoon last, and began fishing about 65 miles southeast of the Highlands of Cape Cod on Friday. He had on board 25,000 pounds of haddock, 12,000 pound of cod, and 45,000 pounds of hake. Capt. Norris did not had a chance to try out his new vessel in hard weather, but was satisfied from what she had done on Sunday night in the comparatively rough weather that she would do well when called upon to stand real winter weather.

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**DAILY TIMES FISH BUREAU.**

**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

- Sch. Olive F. Hutchins, via Boston, 50,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Mary T. Fallon, via Boston, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Pontiac, via Boston, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Helen B. Thomas, via Boston, 35,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Edith Silveira, via Boston, 16,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Mary Edith, via Boston, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Vanessa, via Boston, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Belbina P. Domingoes, shore.
- Sch. M. Madeleine, shore, 6000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Manomet, shore, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Mettaomet, shore, 4000 lbs. pollock.
- Sch. Olympia, shore, 17,000 lbs. pollock.
- Sch. Kineo, La Have Bank, 6000 lbs. halibut, 11,000 lbs. salt cod, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish.

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Salt Georges cod, large \$4.25, mediums, \$3.25.  
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Bank halibut 10 cts. per lb. for white and 8 cts. for gray.  
Salt pollock, \$1.50; salt haddock, \$1.50.  
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**Boston.**

- Sch. Josie and Phebe, 25,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 35,000 hake.
  - Sch. Rose Cabral, 20,000 fresh fish.
  - Sch. John Hays Hammond, 15,000 haddock, 8000 cod, 30,000 hake.
  - Sch. Athena, 5000 haddock, 1700 cod, 14,000 hake.
  - Sch. Walter P. Goulart, 8000 haddock, 8000 cod, 2000 hake, 3 swordfish.
  - Sch. Flora S. Nickerson, 45,000 haddock, 12,000 cod.
  - Sch. Louise R. Sylvia, 5000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 3000 hake.
  - Sch. Mary E. Cooney, 3000 haddock, 2000 cod, 15,000 hake.
  - Sch. Olivia S ars, 2000 pollock.
  - Sch. Genesta.
  - Sch. Mary C. Santos, 10,000 haddock, 16,000 cod, 15,000 hake.
  - Sch. Morning Star, 14,000 haddock, 6000 cod.
  - Sch. Grace Darling, 5000 pollock.
  - Sch. James R. Clark, 10,000 pollock.
  - Sch. Alice M. Guthrie, 2500 haddock, 1500 cod, 5000 hake.
  - Sch. Yakima, 4000 haddock, 5000 cod, 20,000 hake.
  - Sch. Louise C. Cabral, 3000 haddock, 3000 cod, 8000 hake.
  - Sch. Two Sisters, 1000 pollock.
  - Sch. George H. Lubea, 2000 haddock, 2000 cod, 12,000 hake.
  - Sch. Oliver F. Kilham, 11,000 pollock.
  - Sch. Yankee, 5000 haddock, 4000 cod.
  - Sch. Mary E. Silveira, 5000 haddock, 6000 cod, 20,000 hake.
- Haddock, \$2.65 to \$3 per cwt.; large cod, \$4.50; market cod, \$2.65 to \$3; hake, 40 cts. to split; pollock, \$1.

Oct. 28.

**WITH ANOTHER LOAD.**

**Big Knockabout Sch. Arethusa Home from Second Trip.**

Fare Is Estimated About 275,000 Pounds Salt Cod.

Sch. Arethusa, Capt. Clayton Morrissey, arrived yesterday afternoon from her second trawl bank codfishing trip of the season with a big fare. The craft landed 389,000 pounds of salt cod on her first trip and sailed June 30 on her second trip. Capt. Morrissey hauls for 325,000 pounds of salt cod, but as he has wet 400 hogsheds of salt, the chances are that the craft will weigh off nearly 375,000 pounds. Capt. Morrissey is keeping up his big record and will be high line of the salt trawl bank codfishing fleet again this season. The fare which she brings this time is the largest second trip fare for many years.

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**North Bay Salt Mackerel Drop.**

Salt mackerel took a drop yesterday afternoon when the fare of sch. Pinta sold to the E. K. Burnham Fish Co. at \$23 per barrel. The last previous sales were at \$25.50 per barrel.

Oct. 28.

**SQUID AND DOGFISH.**

Plenty at Bay of Islands and Herring Scarce There.

Friction at Start Over Duty on Barrels and Gasoline.

Schs. Henry M. Stanley and Essex of this port have arrived at Bay of Islands, N. F., for salt herring cargoes. The former craft reached Birchy Cove last Saturday night. Recent advices from Bay of Islands report herring scarce and squid and dogfish plenty, thus confirming the letter from there recently published in the Times which stated the same thing.

Already there has been some friction between the local authorities at Bay of Islands, and skippers and agents of American vessels there. The former have demanded and imposed duties on barrels and gasoline brought down by American vessels. In one case the duty on barrels was paid under protest and a lot of gasoline was placed in bond awaiting the decision of the owners of the vessel here, as to the payment or non-payment of the duty.

The barrels and gasoline are a part of the fittings for the trips of these vessels, and for their own use only and not for sale to the natives.

It is contended here that under the provisions of the *modus vivendi*, the local Newfoundland authorities have no right to demand these duties and are in error in assessing them.

In all probability the point will be taken up and decided one way or the other.

It was thought that this season there would be no friction at Bay of Islands and that things pertaining to American vessels in the herring fishery would go along smoothly, but it appears that a difference of opinion has arisen at the very start.

Oct. 28.

**Tailless Cusk.**

On sch. Mary E. Cooney at Boston yesterday was a strange freak of nature. It was a fair-sized cusk without a tail but the end of the body, where the tail should have been, had been split up for four inches, and with this apology or a tail the fish managed to swim.

**Has Good Trip.**

Sch. Benjamin A. Smith, Capt. James D. Goodwin, is at Boston today with a good trip, 75,000 pounds of fresh cod and haddock. This is Capt. Goodwin's first trip in the Smith and he has been gone only six days sailing from here last Thursday afternoon.

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**Good Georges Trip.**

Sch. Arthur D. Story Capt. William Sloane, is in this morning from Georges handling with a good fare, 40,000 pounds of salt cod.

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**Today's Arrivals and Receipts.**

- Sch. Elizabeth Silsbee, via Boston, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Tartar, via Boston, 52,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Angie B. Watson, via Boston, 26,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Thomas J. Carroll, via Boston, 18,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Juniata, via Boston, 30,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Ida M. Silva, via Boston, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Dorothy, via Boston, 20,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Mary E. Cooney, via Boston, 25,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Arthur D. Story, Georges, 40,000 lbs. salt cod.
- Boats, 200 bbls. fresh herring.

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