

SEVERAL TINKER HAULS AT NEWPORT HAS COD FROM BAY OF ISLANDS

Bangor Concern Buys Fare of Salt Cape Shore Mackerel.

The steamers down off Newport made some nice hauls of tinker mackerel last evening, and quite a fleet of them were in this morning. Three netters are also in the list with fares of large fish.

They are as follows

Seiners.

- Leander Wilcox, 60 bbls. fresh tinkers.
- Rowland Wilcox, 50 bbls. fresh tinkers.
- Robert and Edwin, 50 bbls. fresh tinkers.
- George Hudson, 120 bbls. fresh tinkers.
- Woods, 15 bbls. fresh tinkers.
- Sawyer, 25 bbls. fresh tinkers.
- Macomber, 138 bbls. tinkers.
- Curtis, 20 bbls. tinkers.
- Rowland Mason, 200 bbls. tinkers.
- Courtland, 25 bbls. tinkers.
- Marian, 150 bbls. tinkers.

Netters.

- Pearl, 800 fresh mackerel.
- Gracie Freeman, 400 fresh mackerel.
- Diana, 400 fresh mackerel.

Took Tinkers off Isle of Shoals.

Yesterday afternoon, steamer Quartelette took two barrels of tinkers among herring off the Isle of Shoals. They sold at the Port for two and one half cents a pound.

At Boston this morning but one fare was landed, sch. Lillian having a small fare of large ones.

Good Mackerel Stock.

Sch. Arthur James, Capt. Archibald Devine, stocked \$3221 and the crew shared \$60 as a result of her Cape Shore trip. The Arthur James is an auxiliary schooner and carries a hoister.

Bangor Firm Bought Salt Cape Shore Fare.

The salt mackerel fare of sch. Arthur James, Capt. Archie Devine, sold to Alfred Jones Sons, Bangor, Me., for \$9.50 per barrel. The mackerel ran about 205 to a barrel.

The Halifax Report.

Dogfish in enormous numbers are reported to be literally destroying the fishermen's nets all along the coast in the vicinity of Halifax and those who can get at their gear are taking it in, in an effort to save it from the pest.

The mackerel netters are now suffering badly. The rough weather has for some days made operations impossible and no fish to speak of have been taken by them. Those who have left their nets out on this account, expect to find them mutilated by the dogfish.

At Halifax Friday very little fish of any description was landed and the James L., from Prospect which gen-

erally brings in several thousand a day to the North Atlantic Fisheries, arrived with only 300 mackerel, which were also the total amount arriving in port. She had 200 pounds of salmon also.

It is reported that there is good mackerel fishing at St. Peter's. The lucky Helen G. McLean which brought the first of the big catches to Halifax, appears to be working in that direction and is fairly successful.

Cape Shore Mackerel News.

Some small catches of mackerel have been made by netters last week, at Clark's Harbor, N. S., and the traps have taken small quantities, from a dozen to 300 fish, at different times. No large body of fish appears to be inshore here. It is reported that the Duck Island trap had several meshed in the twine Wednesday, the leader not being set. This trap was completed and put in shape for fishing Thursday.

St. Peter's Bay was filled with mackerel on Tuesday. It is said that 14 seiners secured full fares. The schooner Helen G. McLean was in this port and the captain reported that he secured 13,000 mackerel in his nets, and sold them for two cents each. The price being so low he has cancelled further operations.

The first mackerel of the season were taken in the Strait of Canso, on Saturday, the 13th, inst. The first taken last year was also on June 13.

Owing to the rough weather during the past few days very few mackerel have arrived at Halifax, as the fishermen cannot get to their nets.

Several vessels arrived in port Thursday with small catches of cod and halibut, caught off Halifax harbor and report the dogfish again a nuisance. Schooners fishing for mackerel are receiving severe damage to their nets from this source.

Several vessels have been in port during the past few days for shelter.

Up to the present no tinker mackerel have been caught in the vicinity of Halifax, but it is expected they will work up this way shortly.

Cape Shore Stocks.

Sch. Lottie G. Merchant, Capt. Ralph Webber, one of the fleet of William H. Jordan & Company, stocked \$4628 on her recent Cape Shore mackerel seining trip, the crew's share being \$96.65. Capt. Webber carries a crew of 19 men and his craft is auxiliary propelled. This is the best single stock in the Cape Shore fishery thus far.

Auxiliary sch. Victor, Capt. John F. Vantier, shared \$71.07 on her south and Cape Shore mackerel seining trip. The stock was about \$4000.

Sch. Monarch, Capt. John Seavy is well up among the leaders, her stock from the Cape Shore trip being \$4400 and the share \$89.40 clear to a man. The Monarch is an auxiliary schooner.

Sch. Monitor Also Has Pickled Herring for Gorton-Pew Co.

Another one of the Cape Northers arrived yesterday, sch. Richard, Capt. William Cerkum having a fresh and salt cod fare, besides 10,000 weight of fresh halibut and 8000 flitches. It has been a hard season, the skipper and crew report and quite a contrast from the fine fishing which they had a year ago.

Yesterday the gasoliners struck some more herring, 130 barrels being brought in which sold for bait.

Down from Boston are schs. Vanessa with 50,000 pounds fresh fish; Gertrude DeCosta, yesterday, 60,000 pounds; steamer Billow also yesterday, 23,000 pounds.

From Bay of Islands is sch. Monitor, for the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Company with 112,000 pounds salt cod and 780 barrels pickled herring.

The Lillian from Swan's Island brings a cargo of cured fish for the Cunningham & Thompson Company.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and receipts in detail are:

- Str. Calista D. Morrill, Portland, 30,000 lbs. cured fish.
- Sch. Vanessa, via Boston, 50,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Str. Billow, via Boston, 23,000 lbs. fresh fish.
- Sch. Richard, Cape North, 35,000 lbs. salt cod, 25,000 lbs. fresh cod, 10,000 lbs. fresh halibut, 8000 lbs. flitched halibut.
- Str. Alice, seining, 40 bbls. fresh herring.
- Str. Beatrice E., seining, 40 bbls. fresh herring.
- Sch. Charles A. Dyer, seining, 50 bbls. fresh herring.
- Sch. Gertrude DeCosta, via Boston, 60,000 lbs. fresh cod.
- Sch. Monitor, Bay of Islands, N. F., 112,000 lbs. salt cod, 780 bbls. pickled herring.
- Sch. Lillian, Swan's Island, Me., cured fish.
- Sch. Mary E. Hart, Cape Shore, seining.

Vessels Sailed.

- Sch. Harriett, shacking.
- Sch. Mary C. Santos, shacking.
- Str. Billow, haddocking.
- Str. Mary F. Ruth, seining.
- Sch. Pinta, seining.
- Sch. Benjamin A. Smith, seining.
- Sch. Arthur James, seining.
- Sch. Marguerite Haskins, seining.
- Sch. Thomas Brundage, seining.
- Sch. Morning Star, halibuting.
- Sch. Teazer, halibuting.
- Sch. Galatea, Boston.
- Sch. Bucma, Boston.
- Sch. Alice, Boston.
- Sch. Ellen and Mary, Boston.

Wants Lower Prices.

Says the Fishing Gazette editorially: No improvement in the salt fish market can be expected until prices assume a lower basis, is the opinion of a well-informed dealer.

TODAY'S FISH MARKET.

Salt Fish.
 Handline Georges codfish, large, \$5 per cwt.; medium, \$4.25; snappers, \$3.00.
 Georges halibut, codfish, large, medium, \$4.25.
 Eastern halibut codfish, large, \$4.50; medium, \$4; snappers, \$3.
 Drift cod, large, \$4.50; medium, \$4.
 Salt trawl bank codfish, large, \$4.50; medium, \$3.75.
 Cusk, large, \$2.50; medium, snappers, \$1.50.
 Haddock, \$2.50.
 Hake, \$1.80.
 Pollock, \$1.75.
 Flitched halibut, 8 1-2c, 6c and per lb.
 Cape Shore salt mackerel, \$3 per bbl.

Fresh Fish.

Splitting prices:
 Haddock, \$1.10 per cwt.
 Western cod, large, \$2.40; medium, \$2; snappers, 75c.
 Eastern cod, large, \$2.25; medium, \$1.80; snappers, 75c.
 All codfish, not gilled, 10c per pound less than above.
 Hake, \$1.30.
 Cusk, large, \$1.65; medium, \$1.25; snappers, 50c.
 Pollock, \$1.10.
 Small pollock, 75c per bbl.
 Fresh halibut, 10c per lb. for white, 7c for small gray, and 3c for large.

Large shore herring, \$3 per bbl. bait; \$2 to freezer; \$1.75 to salt.
 Fresh mackerel 13c each for large, 6c for medium, 2 1-2c per lb. tinkers.
 Whiting, 60c per bbl.

Portland Fishing News.

About 500 barrels of herring were landed at the cold storage plant, Central wharf Sunday. The vessel fleet had been out, the fish being in great plenty in the vicinity of lightship, but acted wild and very hard to catch. Nearly every vessel in the fleet succeeded in making catch, although most of the vessels were small, some of the vessels will have usually hauled for a hundred more barrels every trip only secured about one-quarter that number yesterday. The fishermen generally believe that the season will practically wind up this week, it already has lasted longer than usual. One especially good feature of the catch was the unusually large number of mackerel mixed with the herring. steamer Pet finding 600 pounds in nets, while the sloop North Star had several hundred pounds, making the fish being of good size.

Big Fish Man Dead.

Sir George Doughty, former member of Parliament, and one of the foremost citizens of Grimsby, England, is dead. His loss is deeply mourned by the town, and his great work in the half of the fishing industry will maintain a memorial to his life of endeavor.

Halibut Schooner Eagle Sold.

The halibut schooner Eagle, owned by E. Nelson and O. H. Wick, has been sold to Capt. John Korum, who will use her in carrying a schooner party to the Arctic coast of Spitzbergen for the purpose of gathering history specimens.

HERE IS GOOD MONEY GOING FISHING

Recent Stocks and Shares Shows What Crews are Making.

There is money in fishing lately and many of the crafts have been doing exceedingly well as is evidenced by some of the fine stocks and shares which have been recently made. The fishers especially have been meeting with fine success, short trips and big crews being the rule.

Sch. Yakima, Capt. Robert Whar... of the John Chisholm fleet stock... \$495 and the crew shared \$108.80 as a result of her recent halibut... trip.
Sch. Avalon of the William H. Jor... and Company fleet of halibuters... \$3060 and the crew shared \$34.34 clear as a result of her recent... trip. The Avalon was commanded... Capt. James McLennon, who died... blood poisoning at Shelburne, N... while bound home from the banks.
Sch. A. Platt Andrew, Capt. Wal... Bruce, another of the John Chis... fleet, stocked \$5900 and the crew... \$127 clear from the recent... North salt shacking trip.
Sch. Marguerite Haskins, Capt. Reu... Cameron, of the William H. Jor... and company seining fleet, stock... \$2262 and the crew shared \$43.71... from the Cape Shore trip.
Sch. Constellation, Capt. Charles... of the same fleet of seiners, stock... \$2459 and the crew shared \$4.15 from the Cape Shore trip.
Some of the best stocks made by

vessels of the Gorton-Pew Fisheries Company fleet lately are as follows:

- Sch. Marsala, Capt. Owen Whitten, Georges handling; stock, \$1117.33, high line share, \$71.12; cook's share, \$38.39.
- Sch. Jubilee, Capt. Adolphus Amero, salt drifting; stock \$1875.44; high line share, \$69.36; cook's share, \$101.72.
- Sch. Teazer, Capt. Peter Dunskey, halibuting; stock, \$3293.36; share, \$68.22. The Teazer is filled with auxiliary power.
- Sch. Mystery, Capt. James Mason, halibuting; stock, \$2756.33; share, \$61.
- Sch. Pauline, Capt. Nels Larsen, Georges handling; stock, \$2146.13; high line share, \$87.49; cook's share, \$116.72.
- Sch. Patriot, Capt. Al Do'man, salt drifting; stock, \$1748.16; high line share, \$77.54; cook's share, \$97.67.
- Sch. Fannie A. Smith, Capt. Wallace Walker, seining; stock, \$1805.75; share, \$32.81.
- Sch. Benjamin A. Smith, Capt. Martin L. Welch, seining; stock, \$3597.42; share, \$56.20.
- Sch. Ralph Russell, Capt. Leander Phalen, salt drifting; stock, \$2073.24; high line share, \$91.63; cook's share, \$122.12.
- Sch. Lucinda J. Lowell, Capt. Oscar Lyons, fresh drifting; stock, \$1403.09. The craft was out but one week.
- Sch. Thalia, Capt. Percy Firth, fresh drifting; stock, \$835.29. The craft was also out but a week.

PORGY BOATS STILL SLAUGHTER TINKERS

The porgy steamers still continue slaughter the mackerel to the northward, a number of them being in Newport this morning with tinkers. Over 1000 barrels were landed this forenoon.

The arrivals in detail are:
Steamer Macomber, 150 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer James M. Gifford, 100 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Cood, 50 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Robert and Edwin, 25 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Ranger, 125 bbls. fresh tinkers.

Washed Blocking Out.

The recent rough weather did considerable damage at Trout Cove, N. S. Several gasoline boats were injured, and blocking washed from beneath the Theodore Roosevelt, which crew are trying to raise, and work was less interfered with on the breakwater.

tinkers.
Steamer Rowland Wilcox, 125 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Leander Wilcox, 120 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Carrie and Mildred, 100 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Beckwith, 40 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Marian, 35 bbls. fresh tinkers.
Steamer Annie Wilcox, 35 bbls. fresh tinkers.
At Boston this morning is steamer Lois H. Corkum with 10 barrels fresh tinkers and 40 barrels salt tinkers. The latter sold at \$9 a barrel.
The salt mackerel fare of sch. Romance, comprising 33 barrels sold to the Gloucester Salt Fish Company at \$9 a barrel.

FIRST TRIP OF SWORDFISH IN

Sch. Virginia Sells Fare of 16 Fish at 21 1-2 Cents Per Pound.

Prices on groundfish were a little better at Boston this morning than they have been for a number of days. The first swordfish trip of the season was also landed today, sch. Virginia having 16 fish which sold at 21½ cents a pound.

Probably some of the fish will be sent to split, it was stated this morning.

Wholesale quotations were \$2.25 to \$2.50 a hundred for haddock, \$4 to \$4.50 for large cod, \$2 for market cod, \$2 for pollock and 2½ cents a pound for fresh tinker mackerel.

Boston Arrivals.

The arrivals and receipts in detail are:
Str. Lois H. Corkum, 10 bbls. fresh tinker mackerel, 40 bbls. salt tinkers.
Sch. Virginia, 16 swordfish.
Sch. Josephine DeCosta, 8000 haddock, 27,000 cod, 5000 pollock.
Sch. Progress, 14,000 haddock, 33,000 cod, 12,000 pollock.
Sch. Washakie, 25,000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 5000 pollock.
Sch. Edith Silveria, 40,000 haddock, 14,000 cod, 3000 pollock.
Sch. Russell, 30,000 haddock, 35,000 cod, 12,000 pollock.
Sch. Philip P. Manter, 2000 haddock, 24,000 cod, 7000 pollock.
Sch. Frances S. Grueby, 25,000 haddock, 30,000 cod, 5000 pollock.
Sch. Olivia Sears, 400 haddock, 1500 cod, 4000 pollock.
Str. Ripple, 44,000 haddock, 400 cod. Haddock, \$2.25 to \$2.50 per cwt.; large cod, \$4 to \$4.50; market cod, \$2; pollock, \$2; swordfish, 21 1-2c per lb.; fresh tinkers, 2½c per lb.; salt tinker mackerel, \$9 per bbl.

LATE REPORT OF LUNENBURG FLEET

The following vessels comprised the fleet that outfit with W. C. Smith and company, with their respective catches. A list has already been sent in from La Have, which makes an incorrect report. The schooners Jennie Ritcey, Benevolence, Original, Hawanee, J. D. Hazen, Delawana, Revenue and W. T. Wight, properly belong to this list and this is the corrected report:

Schooners.	Quintals.
Matanzas	300
M. M. Gardner	500
Muriel Walters	300
Carrie L. Hirtle	500
William C. Smith	600
W. H. Smith	500
W. T. Wight	550
Eva June	350
Cecil L. Beck	900

Clintonia	500
Delawana	650
H. H. MacIntosh, 2d trip	800
Lewis H. Smith	600
Revenue	550
Benevolence	700
Doris Myra	700
Henry D. McKenzie	750
Gladys B. Smith	600
Henry L. Montague	500
James Burton Cook	1400
Independence II.	1000
Assurance	500
Jennie Ritcey	600
Original	500
Hawanee	500
J. D. Hazen	700

PORT OF GLOUCESTER.

Arrivals.

Sch. Reporter, Ipswich for Boston.

The Norway Report.

Says the St. John's Trade Review: The weekly report from Norway shows a marked falling off from the weekly catches of the earlier days of the season. Two months ago the present season's catch looked like overtopping last year's, by at least, fifteen million fish, but the comparative falling off from week to week, makes it fair guessing to anticipate that the two seasons will break about even. The figures we have today are 76,500,000 for this season, against 71,250,000 for last year.

New Fishery Departure.

The fishing schooners from St. Mary's and Salmonier, having tried Cape St. Mary's and Pine without success, have gone to the Grand Banks for the first time in the history of the fishery and have done well. The Bonnie Lass, M. McDonald, master, returned Tuesday with 106 qtls. fish and Mr. McDonald's vessel with 60 qtls. They report never having seen cod so plentiful and all the others of the fleet are doing well.—St. John's Herald, June 12.

Sardine Pack Very Light.

Recent advices from Eastport are to the effect that the run of Maine sardines has not shown a material increase as yet, and that the pack to date shows up decidedly less than the indicated requirements of the distributing trade, whose stocks of last season's goods are virtually exhausted. The scarcity of sardines will be of material benefit to the salmon cannery as this is the only canned fish competitor the packers of cheap canned salmon have in the southern states.

Good Gulf Fishery.

By the schooner Morning Bloom, which arrived yesterday morning from Bay L'Argent, we learn that the bankers from Belleoram, Harbor Breton and neighborhood, fishing in the Gulf have been doing very well. The Francis Smith, Capt. J. T. Lewis, arrived last week with 450 quintals; the Collanda, P. Johnson with 450; Stephen Vatcher's vessel with 800; the Stanley Frank, R. Aylward, 450; and the Acme, Matt Critch with 500. These are all first trippers to the Gulf and they report cod very plentiful but poor weather is a great impediment to successful work. These men believe that most of this fish will later go into the Straits and that there should be a good fishery there.—St. John's Herald, June 12.

FIND NO MARKET FOR DOGFISH

Despite the fact that fish dealers at the new pier in South Boston have tried to push dogfish on the market as a food fish, no requests for that commodity have as yet been received from retail dealers, says a Boston Exchange. A large amount of the dogfish is on exhibition but the dealers can find no sale.

Capt. Peter Bushalacci, an Italian fisherman, said yesterday in regard to dogfish as a food:

"Fresh dogfish are extensively eaten in Italy and have a flavor not unlike that of halibut, though it is much richer and oily. Canned dogfish tastes not unlike canned salmon.

"The people of Boston have not yet learned what fish to eat. They consider cod, haddock, mackerel, swordfish and a few others the only fish fit to eat. The ones they refuse to eat are really the most palatable and delicious.

"Squid is also sold extensively in Italy at \$1 a dozen and tastes like chicken when rightly prepared. Skate is also delicious and only eaten in Boston by the foreign population. I send a lot of skate and squid to Italians in the interior of the United States.

"Sharks and albacore or horse mackerel, also make excellent eating. The former can't be told from swordfish, while albacore tastes not unlike beefsteak. But I like dogfish the best of all. It is the richest of delicacies and highly esteemed by epicures abroad."

WHAT IS A SARDINE?

Sweet fish, in the day of trial sore!
And is thy name secure through all the ages

Writ, plainly to be read by everyone,
And art thou really, as the learned sages

Have dubbed thee, after unremitting toil,
A Pilchard immature, preserved in oil?

And is thy little cousin of the North,
Above whose seas an icy wind is whistling,
From fair Sardinia to be driven forth?

Shall we be forced to call him "bristling,"
Remembering his nature, such a word
Is surely ineuphonious and absurd?

So tell the truth, I do not greatly mind
Whether he be your cousin or your brother;

I have a kindly heart for either kind,
Each has some virtue missing from the other.

Weary of bristling, for sardines I yearn;
Fed with sardines, the bristling gets his turn.

"Fishing News."

Halibut Sale.

The halibut fare of sch. Richard sold to the American Halibut Company for 10 cents per pound for white, seven cents for small grays and three cents for large grays.

LARGE CATCHES STILL COMING

Shackers Are Now Finding Codfish Quite Plenty on Quero Bank.

Two nice fares arrived here since yesterday, sch. Premier, Capt. William Morrissey from Cape North having 100,000 pounds fresh and 100,000 pounds salt cod, while sch. Flora L. Oliver has 140,000 pounds fresh fish and 10,000 pounds halibut, taken on Quero.

Yesterday afternoon, sch. Georgia, Capt. John G. Stream, arrived from Georges with 15,000 weight fresh halibut and some salt and fresh fish.

Sch. Helen G. Wells, Capt. Alex Sarrette, one of the high line salt drifters, has another nice fare, her haul being for 55,000 pounds salt cod.

The gasoline steamers landed on herring, and this morning over 400 barrels were landed, a large amount of which went to salt.

Today's Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and receipts in detail are:

Sch. Georgia, Georges, 15,000 lbs. fresh halibut, 12,000 lbs. fresh fish, 8000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Mary E. Harty, Cape Shore seining, 20 bbls. salt mackerel.

Sch. Esther Gray, shore, 10,000 lbs. fresh fish, 500 lbs. fresh halibut.

Sch. Russell, via Boston, 15,000 lbs. fresh fish.

Sch. Helen G. Wells, salt drifting, 55,000 lbs. salt cod.

Sch. Flora L. Oliver, Quero Bank, 100,000 lbs. fresh cod, 40,000 lbs. fresh haddock, 10,000 lbs. fresh halibut.

Sch. Premier, Cape North, 100,000 lbs. salt cod, 100,000 lbs. fresh cod.

Str. Herbert and Emma, seining, 50 bbls. fresh herring.

Str. Independence, seining, 60 bbls. fresh herring.

Str. Nora B. Robinson, seining, 50 bbls. fresh herring.

Str. Quartette, seining, 90 bbls. fresh herring.

Str. Bessie A., seining, 25 bbls. fresh herring.

Str. Mary F. Ruth, seining, 100 bbls. fresh herring.

Sch. Edith Silveria, via Boston.

Sch. Juniata, via Portland.

Vessels Sailed.

Sch. Patriot, salt drifting.

Sch. Viking, salt drifting.

Sch. Florida, netting.

Sch. W. H. Reed, swordfishing.

Sch. Marsala, Georges handling.

Sch. Elk, halibuting.

Sch. Esther Gray, haddocking.

Sch. Vanessa, haddocking.

Sch. Mary P. Goulart, shacking.

Sch. Pontiac, haddocking.

Sch. Edith Silveria, haddocking.

Sch. Arethusa, haddocking.

Sch. Fannie A. Smith, seining.

Sch. Constellation, seining.

Sch. Gertrude De Coste, Boston.

TODAY'S FISH MARKET.

Salt Fish.

Handline Georges codfish, large \$5 per cwt.; medium, \$4.25; snappers, \$3.00.

Georges halibut, codfish, large, \$5; medium, \$4.25.

Eastern halibut codfish, large, \$4.50; medium, \$4; snappers, \$3.

Drift cod, large, \$4.50; medium, \$4.

Salt trawl bank codfish, large, \$4.25; medium, \$3.75.

Cusk, large, \$2.50; medium, \$2; snappers, \$1.50.

Haddock, \$2.50.

Hake, \$1.80.

Pollock, \$1.75.

Filthcod halibut, 8 1-2c, 6c and 3c per lb.

Cape Shore salt mackerel, \$9 per bbl.

Salt tinker mackerel \$9 per bbl.

Fresh Fish.

Splitting prices:

Haddock, \$1.10 per cwt.

Western cod, large, \$2.40; medium, \$2; snappers, 75c.

Eastern cod, large, \$2.25; medium, \$1.80; snappers, 75c.

All codfish, not gilled, 10c per 100 pounds less than above.

Hake, \$1.30.

Cusk, large, \$1.65; medium, \$1.20; snappers, 50c.

Pollock, \$1.10.

Small pollock, 75c per bbl.

Fresh halibut 9 1-2c per lb. for white, 6c for gray, and 3c for large.

Large shore herring, \$3 per bbl. for bait; \$2 to freezer; \$1.75 to salt.

Fresh mackerel 13c each for large, 6c for medium, 2 1-2c per lb. for tinkers.

Whiting, 60c per bbl.

MADE MONSTER HAUL OF SHAD

With her hold chock full and her deck also covered with fish the little gasoline fishing steamer Alice, Capt. George Rice, came into port Tuesday afternoon, her deck being almost level with the water. It was glad, not herring, the skipper was looking for and he struck them in good shape yesterday morning, running into a big school off Small Point, which he gathered in at one scoop, getting in his net over 300 barrels, more than his steamer would hold, he being obliged to put 100 barrels on another craft. Capt. Rice had considerable difficulty in getting his catch on board the steamer, a myriad of dogfish gathering around the nets and doing their level best to reach the fish inside, their attack being of the most savage nature. The Alice has been remarkably successful while fishing out of this port during the winter and spring doing well in haddocking and still better in the herring fishery, while the catch of yesterday will add over \$600 to the fine stock she has already made. The boat is finely equipped for fishing, having the best and an abundance of gear, while her skipper has well earned his reputation as a hustler.

Portland Fishing News.

As the little fishing steamer mann Reissing was coming in from outside about 3.30 o'clock Monday morning a dory was discovered in the main ship channel off Thos Island. On getting alongside the steamer's crew were surprised to find a man stretched out in the bottom of the dory with a coat thrown over his head and shoulders. It was at first supposed that the man was dead, but an examination showed that he was sound asleep and a vigorous shaking was necessary to arouse him from his slumbers. He said his name was Nelson and that he was connected with the Morris & Cummings Drifting Co.'s tug Viking, but did not give very intelligent explanation as to how he came to be drifting around in the boat, which did not contain any cargo. He was landed at Cushing Island. It was afterwards learned that the man had been employed on one of the macksaws at work in the lower harbor and that he had probably been drifting around all night in the dory, which fortunately escaped being lost by any of the numerous fishing steamers which are going in and out of the harbor all night.

Herring are still in liberal receipt at the two Central wharf cold storage plants, more than 600 barrels having been landed there Monday. A large fleet of vessels was in with fish taken off the lightship, but no big catches were reported, the majority of the vessels having small fares. Mackerels were mixed in freely with the herring the sloop Nellie G. York having four barrels of good sized fish, with a number of other boats also had several hundred pounds each. One of the steamers coming in Monday had 200 barrels of bluebacks, the first sized lot of that fish yet landed. About 200 bushels of sardine herring are brought up daily from the traps at Broad Cove, Falmouth Foreside, for the use of the South Portland factory which could easily take care of ten times that amount if they could be cured.

N. F. Shore Season Late.

The continuance of cold weather, rough water, and the late presence of ice on the Northern part of the coast combine to still postpone the opening of the codfishing season proper, the John's Trade Review says. In the favored places, remotely apart from the coast, the more venturesome fishermen have picked up a few quarts but the bulk of the fishermen have not yet taken a line in the water at all yet. As a hook and line men are concerned there is going to be no fish on the ring bait this spring, and the men are likely to be in before the macksaws and liners cast a line. As a matter of fact, a few caplin have already been taken up about St. Lawrence.

Frequently when the Northern part of the Island has cold and backward weather and a late spring fishery, Western and Southern fishermen are doing good work. This season, however, the same late opening and backward conditions are in evidence around the coast. A Placentia Bay correspondent tells us: "The boats of Cape St. Mary's have done very little to date, and the inshore fishery is practically nil. Some herring have appeared at Argentia, but cold weather and rough water prevent the fish from taking advantage of this. Another correspondent says: 'I have never known the water to be so cold on the first of June.'