OCTOBER 2, 1936.

BOSTON FLEET IS VERY SMALL

ONLY NINE NEW ARRIVALS AND PRICES TAKE UPWARD SWING.

A small fleet was on hand at the Boston fish pier this morning with only 310,000 pounds of groundfish, 95,000 pounds of redfish and 145,000 pounds of mixed fish. With the diminished supply and brisk demand, prices moved upward on all varieties. There were no mackerel in the market.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Widgeon, 60,000 haddock, 21,000 cod, 32,000 mixed fish.

Str. Brant, 40,000 haddock, 20,000 cod, 28,000 mixed fish.

Str. Saturn, 75,000 haddock, 7000 cod, 37,000 mixed fish.

Str. Cambridge, 46,000 haddock, 30,000 cod, 33,000 mixed fish.

Vagabond, 8000 haddock, 3500 cod, 8000 mixed fish.

Andover, 60,000 redfish, 1000 mixed fish.

Frances C. Denehy, 35,000 redfish, 1500 mixed fish.

Ethel, 3500 mixed fish.

Michael Angelo, 1200 mixed fish.

Haddock, $4.25 per cwt.; scrod, $2.75; large cod, $4.75; market cod, $3; hake, $2.25 to $2.50; pollock, $2.35; gray sole, 9 cents per pound; lemon sole, 12 cents; black backs, 5 cents; yellow tails, 6 cents; dabs, 4 cents; catfish, 3 cents; redfish, 1.85 cents.

MORE REDFISH FOR FILLETING

THREE DRAGGERS HAD 185,000 POUNDS TODAY—NETTERS ADD 28,500 POLLOCK.

Three draggers had 185,000 pounds of redfish to fillet; six gill netters had 28,500 poppolck; and two small netters had 1000 mackerel yesterday. Gorton-Pew Cold Storage had two draggers with 100,000 redfish and Slade-Gorton branch of Gorton-Pew had one dragger with 85,000 redfish. The mackerel went to the Producers Fish company.

Capt. Gerry Shoares had three of the gill netters with 18,500 pollock; Murray & Tarr ,one, 5000; Cape Ann Cold Storage, one, 3000; and Producers Fish company ,one, 2000 pounds.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Naomi Bruce III., 8000 lbs. pollock.

Naomi Bruce II., 8000 lbs. pollock.

Mary A., 5000 lbs. pollock.

Edna Fae, 3000 lbs. pollock.

Mary F. Ruth, 2000 lbs. pollock.

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GILL NETTERS HAD GOOD TRIPS

FLEET OF 13 BOATS LANDED 57,000 POLLOCK—TWO REDFISH FARES.

Two draggers had 90,000 pounds of redfish to fillet at the Cape Ann Cold Storage wharf, a small dragger had 1000 pounds of flounders at the Producers Fish wharf, and 13 gill netters landed 57,000 pounds of pollock.

The latter took out as follows: Capt. Gerry Shoares, three netters, 24,000 pounds; Murray and Tarr, two, 14,000; Gorton-Pew Fresh Fish department, four, 7500; Producers Fish company, one, 5000; Cape Ann Cold Storage company, two, 4500; and Portland Fish company, one, 2000 pounds.

Gloucester Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Doris F. Amero, dragging, 50,000 lbs. redfish.

Edith L. Budreau, dragging, 40,000 lbs. redfish.

Frances C., dragging, 1000 lbs. flounders.

Yesterday's Gill Net Receipts.

Naomi Bruce II, 11,000 lbs. pollock.
Mary A., 9000 lbs. pollock.
Naomi Bruce III, 8000 lbs. pollock.
Lucretia, 5000 lbs. pollock.
Agnes and Myrnie, 5000 lbs. pollock.
Mary F. Ruth, 5000 lbs. pollock.
Edna Fae, 3000 lbs. pollock,
Catherine, 2500 lbs. pollock.
Phyllis A., 2000 lbs. pollock.
Hortense, 2000 lbs. pollock.
Joanna, 1500 lbs. pollock.
Virginia and Joan, 1500 lbs. pollock.
Virginia and Joan II, 1500 lbs. pollock.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Hekla, 1000 haddock, 1500 cod, 100,000 redfish, 4000 mixed fish.

Jackson and Arthur, 8800 mixed fish.

Virginia and Mary, 8500 mixed fish.

St. Joseph, 4700 mixed fish.

Haddock, $4 per cwt.; large cod, $3.50 to $4; market cod, $3; hake, $2.60; pollock, $2.25; cusk, $3; gray sole, 9 cents per pound; black backs, 6 cents; redfish, 1.85 cents; dabs, 5 cents; catfish, 3 cents.

N. S. Fish Notes

Nova Scotia Seafoods Inc. are now working their Canso plant on a 24-hour basis, with about 60 men employed. One hundred and twelve fishermen are landing their catches, mostly dogfish at present, at the pier of this plant. During the present week more than 800,000 pounds of dogfish have been purchased by the Seafoods.

Fishing is at a standstill at Shag Harbor, N. S., the recent gales and heavy sea having scattered codfish and herring. No fish were taken when the vessels made recent trips to the grounds.

Henry Kendrick has placed an order for another boat, which will be 28 feet in length.

Portland News.

Groundfish was landed at Portland Thursday by the sch. Sunapee, 10,000 pounds, the gill netter Onward II., 8000 pounds; and the sloop Georgie C. Bowden, 7000 pounds.

ONLY FOUR BOATS AT BOSTON PIER

TOTAL RECEIPTS OF 128,000 POUNDS, MOSTLY REDFISH—PRICES GOOD.

A small fleet and meagre receipts for the half day session of the Boston fish pier was the story at the Hub this morning. Only four arrivals were on record and receipts were 2500 pounds of groundfish, 26,000 pounds of mixed fish and 100,000 pounds of redfish. Prices were good and about the same as yesterday.

A rail shipment of 30,000 pounds of pollock was received yesterday. On Monday shipments of 544,000 pounds of salmon and 107,000 pounds of halibut are due in Boston from the West coast.

OCTOBER 5, 1936.

BOSTON MARKET OPENED STRONG

RECEIPTS TOTAL 1,279,000 LBS. AT HUB THIS MORNING—NO MACKEREL.

Forty-one boats were on the arrival list at the Boston fish pier this morning and they hit a strong market. Total receipts were 634,000 pounds of groundfish, 645,000 pounds of mixed fish and a small lot of 700 pounds of fresh mackerel. A beam trawler, the Plover, brought in the mackerel.

Haddock sold at $4 to $5.50; large cod, $7 to $7.50 and markets, $3.50 to $4.

Boston Arrivals and Receipts.

The arrivals and fares in detail:

Str. Foam, 67,000 haddock, 3500 cod, 58,000 mixed fish.

Str. Ocean, 73,000 haddock, 13,000 cod, 77,000 mixed fish.

Str. Winthrop, 40,000 haddock, 19,000 cod, 84,000 mixed fish.

Str. Plover, 51,000 haddock, 23,000 cod, 700 mackerel, 75,000 mixed fish.

Str. Penguin, 110,000 haddock, 24,000 cod, 2000 mixed fish.

Str. Princeton, 15,000 haddock, 54,000 cod, 57,000 mixed fish.

Str. Notre Dame, 72,000 haddock, 11,000 cod, 47,000 mixed fish.

Alphonso, 10,800 mixed fish.
Catherine B., 5000 mixed fish.
Little Joe, 12,000 mixed fish.
Antonina 1600 mixed fish.
Francesca, 2900 mixed fish.
Little David, 2300 mixed fish.
Two Brothers, 2400 mixed fish.
Lucy, 3800 mixed fish.
Paolina, 5300 mixed fish.
Carmella Maria, 2200 mixed fish.
Provvidenza ,2800 mixed fish.
Catherine Graffeo, 21,000 mixed fish.
Laurence Scola, 18,600 mixed fish.
Eddie and Lulu M., 10,000 mixed fish.
Serafina II, 11,400 mixed fish.
Maria Guiseppi, 3800 mixed fish.
Joseph D'Ambrosio, 5500 mixed fish.

Haddock, $4 to $5.50 per cwt.; scrod $2.75; large cod, $7 to $7.50; market cod, $3.50 to $4; hake, $3 to $3.25; pollock, $2.35; cusk, $3; gray sole, 8½ to 9 cents per pound; lemon sole, 12 cents; black backs, 6 cents; yellow tails, 4 cents; dabs, 3 cents; redfish, 2 cents; whiting 1½ to 1¾ cents.

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ER HIGH D SAUGUS ASSY GAME

point. Brooks dropped back to punt but the kick didn't go. Ted Watters charged through, blocked the kick and as the elusive pigskin came down in the midst of a bunch of anxious hands and arms, Watters grabbed the ball and fell on it for a first down on the Saugus 15 yard line.

McNeil went for the score on the first play. The line opened and Joe charged through the hole outside his left tackle, cut sharply to his right to elude the Saugus secondary and went over standing up for the touchdown. Bud Finegan's drop kick had an attack of jitters or something at the wrong time as he attempted to convert another point into the Gloucester score. The kick was straight but was lacking just a bit in power. The ball hit the cross bar, wavered a fraction of a second and then fell the wrong side of the bar to leave the score, 6 to 0, which proved to be the final count.

However, this lad Watters was very much the star of the game in the remaining time. He recovered another fumble on the Saugus 41 after the next kick-off. He booted out of danger after Saugus had regained possession of the ball and punted deep into Gloucester territory. Finegan made a fair catch on the Gloucester 21 and on second down, Ted booted one which was downed by Silveira on the Saugus 29, a punt that carried over 50 yards from the scrimmage line. After this kick, Finegan intercepted a pass at the Saugus 40. Called upon on again, Ted punted into the coffin corner, putting Saugus on their two-yard line as the ball took a timely twist and rolled out of bounds at that point. Finegan ran the Saugus punt back 20 yards to the Saugus 15, but Saugus was still stubborn and flagged the new attempt to score, taking the ball on downs on their 12-yard line. Saugus tried two passes and the game was over.

To Saugus' 20-yard Line.

The Gloucester team started impressively exhibiting offensive drive as they went rollocking with the opening kick-off from their own 35-yard line to the Saugus 20 with the McNeil and Finegan sweeps outside tackle and around the ends featuring this initial march. There the attack flopped and Watters resorting to the punt on fourth down booted the ball over for a touchback. The Saugonians took to the air with brazenness but nevertheless startling success as Wladkowski hurled to Brooks for a 15-yard gain and first down on the Saugus 35. Saugus tried to rush without result and Brooks booted to the Gloucester 34. From there, Bud Finegan swung out around his right end to a first down on the Saugus 45, a 21-yard gain. Albert crashed the line for five yards and then came McNeil's brilliant effort as he came out around left end

OCTOBER 6, 1936.

HNG ON PIER SITE CHEDULED TONIGHT

Approval of Site Fixed in Federal Grant Desired by Callahan---Work Must Start November 15

Actual construction work on the new proposed $1,200,000 state fish pier in this port must be started by Sunday, November 15, this year, if Gloucester is to get the $540,000 outright PWA grant, it was announced this forenoon by Andrew H. Peterson, stats administrator for the PWA. It had been previously stated that the starting date was December 1.

The hearing tonight at 7.30 o'clock in the City hall will be presided over by William F. Callahan, state commissioner of public works, who is desirious of getting direct from the people of the city where they want the pier site to be. It is said that the commissioner has already made up his mind and will endorse the PWA site from Walen wharf through to the United Fisheries wharf, but wants popular approval of that site before announcing his own decision for publication.

Some Opposition.

Some opposition is expected to the Walen-United Fisheries site at the meeting tonight, when according to report, opponents will attend, and some of them will voice their preference to the Five Pound island site originally recommended by the state engineers as the logical site for such a pier.

The situation as it now stands, however, is that if the public tonight or any time before construction is started, object loudly enough to the alleged proposed site, the PWA grant of $540,000 becomes null and void. That means that there can be no 2,500,000 pound capacity cold storage or as a matter of fact, no storage at all, it is said, and it is this addition to the local fisheries that is accepted by the industry here as the most needed, due to the filleting of redfish, whiting and pollock, agreed to be the salvation of the local fish pier.

Will Start at Once

The fact that Gloucester has but 40 days to take advantage of the Federal grant does not perturb Mayor Weston U. Friend, who stated this forenoon that once the site is selected officially and approved by both the local council and planning board, he will order the property included in the site, taken by eminent domain, the privilege of any city in such an emergency.

His principle concern at present, the mayor stated, was in regard to the fish pier corporation. He is desirous of having only local parties control its operation. he added, but realizes that before the city can take any property, the corporation must be ready to immediately take over the leases of the property from the Commonwealth. It was his belief that the Cape Ann Fish Pier corporation has proceeded farther in this direction than any other mentioned corporation, and that it will be prepared to assume the lease if Commissioner Callahan, and his associates see fit to grant the lease. The Gloucester Fish Pier corporation, original group given a charter for such a pier, appears to have lost the support of at least six of their former directors, in that the six have swung over to the new corporation headed by Capt. Benjamin Pine, president, and including as incorporators, Thomas J. Carroll, general manager of Gorton-Pew Fisheries, treasurer; Capt. Benjamin Curcurru, general manager of Producers Fish company, vice president; Capt. David Lopes Maranhas, clerk.

Assessed for $101,000

Providing that the Walen-United Fisheries site is the final pick of the three proposed sites, the city faces the problem of buying property now assessed at more than $101,000, with the right believed to be given the owners to demand 25 per cent above the assessed value, costing the city somewhere in the vicinity of $128,000. The city, however, by state legislature is allowed to float a bond issue of but $100,000 to cover this cost, which means the extra will have to be borrowed in some manner. All this must be achieved before November 15, it is said.

Mr. Peterson stated today that even tearing down buildings to clear the site would be considered by PWA as the start of actual construction.

Without Foundation

A rumor that gained considerable head-way last evening along the main stem here to the effect that Gloucester through some error had lost the $540,000 PWA grant, was found to be entirely without fact when the Times was informed by Mr. Peterson today that the state had officially accepted the PWA grant for the pier and the acceptance had been recorded in the PWA office at Boston last Friday, which means the $540,000 is resting in Uncle Sam's treasury, waiting to go to work for Gloucester and her future.