

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE  
BUREAU OF FISHERIES

STATISTICS OF FISHING INDUSTRY OF ALASKA, SEASON OF 1914.

The company or individual receiving this blank is requested to supply the data called for herein and mail the statement to the Bureau of Fisheries, Washington, D. C. (in the franked envelope provided for the purpose), as soon as possible after the close of the fishing season. The law requires that reports of this character be forwarded not later than December 15, and that they "shall be sworn to by the superintendent, manager, or other person having knowledge of the facts, a separate blank form being used for each establishment in cases where more than one cannery, saltery, or other establishment is conducted by a person, company, or corporation." Attention is called to the fact that a heavy penalty is provided for failure to comply with the provisions of the law.

H. M. SMITH,  
U. S. Commissioner of Fisheries.

Name of company or individual..... PACIFIC SEA PRODUCTS COMPANY,  
Location of plant or fishery... Akutan, Alaska..... Location of home office... Minneapolis, Minnesota.  
Value of plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment, \$377,200 • Operating or cash capital, \$75,000.

NUMBER OF PERSONS EMPLOYED AND AMOUNT OF WAGES PAID.

Designation.	Whites.	Natives.	Chinese.	Japanese.	Filipinos.	Koreans.	Mexicans.	Porto Ricans.	Kanakas.	Negroes.	Others (indicate).	Total wages paid.
Fishermen	24 ✓	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	\$13,897.54
Shoresmen <sup>a</sup>	37 ✓	14 ✓	none	33 ✓	none	none	none	none	none	none	none	33,829.56
Transporters <sup>b</sup>												
Total	61	14		33								47,727.10

<sup>a</sup> Includes office force in Alaska.

<sup>b</sup> Includes crews of vessels carrying supplies who are not elsewhere shown as fishermen or shoresmen.

VESSELS AND BOATS.

Registered vessels. <sup>c</sup>				Unregistered vessels, boats, and other craft.		
Rig.	Name.	Net tonnage.	Value, exclusive of apparatus of capture.	Designation.	No.	Value.
Steamer	Kodiak	198	\$50,000	Launches and power boats	none	
"	Unimak	99	50,000	Seine boats	none	
Brig	Fresno (barge)	1,100	10,000	Gill-net boats	none	
				Other row boats and skiffs	none	
				Lighters and scows	none	
				Houseboats	none	
				Pile drivers	one	\$400.00

<sup>c</sup> Whether owned or chartered.

FISHING APPARATUS.

Kind.	No.	Length.	Value.	Kind.	No.	Value.
Seines	none	(a)		Traps, staked	none	
Gill nets	none	(a)		Traps, floating	none	
Hand lines	none			Guns and rifles	none	
Trawl lines	none	(b)		Other	cannons	2 \$1,500.00

<sup>a</sup> Give aggregate length in fathoms.

<sup>b</sup> Give aggregate number of hooks.

LOSSES DURING YEAR.

Loss of life.					Loss of property.	
Designation.	Drowning.	Other accidents.	Disease.	Total.	Items.	Kind and value.
Fishermen	none	none	none		Buildings	none
Shoresmen	none	none	none		Vessels and boats	none
Transporters					Fishing gear	
Total					Canned or other product	

SALMON AND TROUT PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	King or spring.	Red or sockeye.	Coho or silver.	Pink or humpback.	Dog or chum.	Dolly Varden or salmon trout.	Steelhead.	Total.
<b>CANNED:</b>								
Cases, 1/2-lb. cans	Number							
	Value							
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans	Number							
	Value							
Cases, 1-lb. tall cans	Number							
	Value							
<b>MILD CURED:</b>								
Tierces (800 lbs. each)	Number							
	Value							
<b>PICKLED:</b>								
Barrels (200 lbs. each)	Number							
	Value							
Bellies	Pounds							
	Value							
Backs	Pounds							
	Value							
<b>DRY SALTED:</b>								
	Number of fish							
	Pounds							
	Value							
<b>FROZEN:</b>								
	Number of fish							
	Pounds							
	Value							
<b>SHIPPED FRESH:</b>								
	Number of fish							
	Pounds							
	Value							

HALIBUT, COD, HERRING, AND MINOR SALMON PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Pounds.	Value.	How prepared.	Pounds.	Value.
<b>HALIBUT:</b>			<b>HERRING:</b>		
Fresh (shipped)			Dry salted For food		
Fresh (sold locally)			Fresh For food		
Frozen			For bait		
Fletched			Frozen For food		
Dry salted			For bait		
Smoked			Pickled For food		
Canned			For bait		
<b>COD:</b>			Fertilizer tons		
Vessel catch—			Oil galls		
Dry salted			<b>SALMON:</b>		
Pickled			Caviar		
Stockfish			Beleke		
Tongues			Ukaku		
Cod-liver oil galls			Kipperd		
<b>Shore station catch—</b>			Dried		
Dry salted			Fish pudding		
Pickled			Fertilizer tons		
Stockfish			Oil galls		
Tongues					
Cod-liver oil galls					

WHALING OPERATIONS.

Catch.				Products.		
Species.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
Bowhead	none	none		Oil, body	galls. 390,100	\$110,000.00
California gray	none	none		Oil, sperm	galls. none	
Finback	100	98	198	Fertilizer, meat	tons. 309	14,357.00
Humpback	63	46	109	Fertilizer, bone	pounds. none	
Sulphur-bottom	none	none		Whalebone	pounds. none	
Sperm	none	none		Meat, pickled	pounds. none	
Others	none	none		Stearin	galls. none	
Total	163	144	307			

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Items.	Quantity.	Value.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
	Pounds.				
Black cod			Tomcod		
Fresh			Fresh	pounds	
Frozen			Frozen	pounds	
Pickled			Pickled	pounds	
Smoked			Other fish		
Eulachon			Fresh	pounds	
Fresh			Frozen	pounds	
Pickled			Pickled	pounds	
Smoked			Dogfish		
Rock cod or bass			Oil	galls	
Fresh			Fertilizer	tons	
Frozen			Clams (Specify unit)		
Pickled			Crabs	do	
Smelt			Mussels	do	
Fresh			Oysters	do	
Frozen			Seaweed	do	
Pickled			Ivory (walrus)	do	
Pollock			Hides		
Fresh			Hair seal	number	
Frozen			Sea lion	number	
Pickled			Walrus	number	
Flatfish					
Fresh					
Frozen					
Pickled					

DETAILED REPORT OF SALMON FISHING OPERATIONS, BY LOCALITIES AND APPARATUS.

It is desired that this information be prepared with accuracy and detail, so far as the packers' records can by reasonable effort be made to furnish it. Different streams in the same bay or sound should be separately reported so far as the catch can properly be credited to each. Catches not certainly referable to particular streams may be reported under the head of the bay, sound, or region.

Species of salmon and names of streams or localities fished.	Number of salmon taken with each kind of apparatus.					Fishing season—	
	Seines.	Gill nets.	Traps.	Lines.	Other appliances.	Began.	Ended.
King or spring salmon:							
Total							
Red or sockeye salmon:							
Total							
Coho or silver salmon:							
Total							

