DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
BUREAU OF FISHERIES

ALASKA
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FISHERIES

STATISTICS OF FISHING INDUSTRY OF ALASKA, SEASON OF 1921

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: J. L. SMILEY & CO.

Location of home office: 2702-L.C.Smith Bldg.,Seattle,Wash.

Location of plant: Ketchikan,Alaska.

Value of plant, including land, buildings, and shore equipment, $105,918.70

Cost of operations, exclusive of wages, and value of vessels, boats, and fishing gear shown below $256,906.96

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												
Shoresmen [a]	29			60								69109.73
Transporters [b]	8											5262.98
Total	37			60							97	74372.71

[a] Includes office force in Alaska. [b] Includes crews of vessels carrying supplies who are not elsewhere shown as fishermen or shoresmen.

VESSELS AND BOATS.

Registered vessels. (Whether owned or chartered.)				Unregistered vessels, boats, and other craft.		
Rig.	Name.	Net tonnage.	Value, exclusive of apparatus of capture.	Designation.	No.	Value.
	Eureka-Gas Screw	35-24	8238.00	Launches and power boats		
	Olympic " "	24-16	2800.00	Seine boats		
				Gill-net boats		
				Other row boats and skiffs		
				Lighters and scows	5	4984.96
				Houseboats		
				Pile drivers	1	4000.00

FISHING APPARATUS.

Kind.	No.	Length.	Value.	Kind.	No.	Value.
Seines, beach		(a)		Traps, staked	3	9000.00
Seines, purse	None	(a)		Traps, floating	1	3798.24
Gill nets		(a)		Dip nets		
Hand lines				Fish wheels		
Trawl lines		(b)				

[a] Give aggregate length in fathoms. [b] 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				Buildings	None
Shoresmen					Vessels and boats	
Transporters					Fishing gear	
Total					Canned or other product	

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.	Dip nets.	Other appliances.	Began.	Ended.
Coho or silver salmon:								
			43127				7-1-21	9-15-
Total								
Chum or keta salmon:								
			130947					
Total								
Humpback or pink salmon:								
			1294071					
Total								
King or spring salmon:								
			527					
Total								
Red or sockeye salmon:								
			20633					
Total								

SALMON AND TROUT PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Coho or silver.	Chum or keta.	Humpback or pink.	King or spring.	Red or sockeye.	Dolly Varden or salmon trout.	Steelhead.	Total.
CANNED:								
Cases, ½-lb. cans, 48's—Number								
Value								
Cases, ½-lb. cans, 96's—Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans—Number								
Value								
Cases, 1-lb. tall cans—Number	3975	14717	76254	136	1604			96686
Value								450817.80
MILD CURED:								
Tierces (800 lbs. each)—Number								
Value								
PICKLED:								
Barrels (200 lbs. each)—Number								
Value								
Bellies—Pounds								
Value								
Backs—Pounds								
Value								
DRY SALTED—Number of fish								
Pounds								
Value								
FROZEN—Number of fish								
Pounds								
Value								
SHIPPED FRESH—Number of fish								
Pounds								
Value								

HALIBUT, COD, HERRING, AND MINOR SALMON PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Pounds.	Value.
HALIBUT:		
Fresh (shipped)		
Fresh (sold locally)		
Frozen		
Fletched		
Dry salted		
Smoked		
Canned		
COD:		
Vessel catch—		
Dry salted		
Pickled		
Stockfish		
Tongues		
Cod-liver oil—galls.		
Shore station catch—		
Dry salted		
Pickled		
Stockfish		
Tongues		
Cod-liver oil—galls.		
CANNED:		
Cases, ½-lb. cans—Number		
Value		
Cases, 1-lb. flat cans—Number		
Value		

None

How prepared.	Number.	Value.
HERRING:		
CANNED:		
Cases, ½-lb. cans		
Cases, 1-lb. cans		
	Pounds.	
Dry salted—For food		
Fresh—For food		
For bait		
Frozen—For food		
For bait		
Pickled, Scotch cure (in half-barrels)		
Pickled, Scotch cure (in full barrels)		
Pickled, Norwegian cure		
Pickled—For bait		
Fertilizer—tons		
Oil—galls.		
SALMON:		
Caviar		
Beleke		
Ukalu		
Kippered		
Dried		
Fertilizer—tons		
Oil—galls.		

None

WHALING OPERATIONS.

Catch.				Products.		
Species.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Items.	Quantity.	Value.
Bowhead				Oil, body—galls.		
California gray				Oil, sperm—galls.		
Finback				Fertilizer, meat—tons		
Humpback				Fertilizer, bone—pounds		
Sulphur-bottom				Whalebone—pounds		
Sperm				Meat, pickled—pounds		
Others [a]				Stearin—galls.		
Total						

None

[a] Indicate number and sex of each species.

CLAM PRODUCTS.

How prepared.	Minced clams.			Whole clams.			Clam juice.		
	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.	No. cans per case.	Cases.	Value.
CANNED:									
Cases, ½-lb. cans		None							
Cases, 1-lb. cans									
Cases, 2-lb. cans									
Cases, 10-lb. cans									
Total									

MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS.

Items.		Quantity.	Value.	Items.		Quantity.	Value.
		Pounds.					
Sablefish	Fresh			Tomcod	Fresh ... pounds		
	Frozen				Frozen ... pounds		
	Pickled				Pickled ... pounds		
	Smoked	None		Other fish [a]	Fresh ... pounds		
Eulachon	Fresh				Frozen ... pounds	None	
	Pickled				Pickled ... pounds		
	Smoked			Grayfish	Oil ... galls		
Rockfish or bass	Fresh				Fertilizer ... tons		
	Frozen			Crabs	(Specify unit)		
	Pickled			Mussels	do		
Smelt	Fresh			Oysters	do		
	Frozen			Seaweed	do		
	Pickled			Ivory (walrus)	do		
Pollock	Fresh			Hides	Hair seal ... number		
	Frozen				Sea lion ... number		
	Pickled				Walrus ... number		
Flatfish	Fresh						
	Frozen						
	Pickled						

[a] State species.

ADDITIONAL OR EXPLANATORY INFORMATION.

I, the undersigned, being duly sworn, depose and say that the foregoing information is correct and true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

W. H. Harcourt Secy Treas
~~Owner, Superintendent, Manager.~~
(ERASE INAPPLICABLE WORDS.)

State of Washington
County of King

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 30th day of December, 1921

[SEAL.]

E. G. Prescott
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Notary Public.

Notary Public in and for the State of Washington, residing at Seattle.