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The February landings of sea-fish in Canada (Newfoundland NOT included) amounted to 121,942,000 lb., a decrease of 6.6 p.c. from the total for the same month of last year. However, the total landed value -- \$2,352,000 -- was approximately the same as for February, 1949.

On the Atlantic Coast the catch totalled 13,503,000 lb., an increase of 4.1 p.c. over that taken in February, 1949. There were declines in the sardine, cod and smelt landings, but these were outweighed by gains in the other fisheries. The value of the catch increased by 43.1 p.c., largely because of bigger landings of the more valuable species such as lobster and haddock, and also because of the better prices paid for these and other species, such as smelts and halibut.

Landings on the Pacific Coast amounted to 108,439,000 lb., 7.8 p.c. below the unusually large catch made in the same month of last year.

To date, landings and landed values (11,194,000 lb. - \$1,004,196) in the winter fisheries of Manitoba are higher this year than last. Figures for individual species reveal marked changes. Catches of sauger, lake trout and whitefish are much greater; those of pike, perch and pickerel much lower.

Stocks of all frozen fish in Canada (apart from Newfoundland) amounted to 25,236,000 lb. on March 1, 1950, of which 23,682,000 lb. were frozen fresh and 1,554,000 lb. frozen smoked. These holdings are lower by 3,369,000 lb. frozen fresh and by 124,000 lb. frozen smoked than those at March 1, 1949. Compared with February 1, 1950 figures they are lower by 6,330,000 lb. frozen fresh and by 328,000 lb. frozen smoked. There was an "out-of-storage" movement for all classifications of 6.7 million pounds as compared with a similar movement of 3.6 million pounds during February, 1949.

Total value of fish and fishery products exported during January was \$8.2 millions, only 1.5 p.c. below the figure for January of last year. 1950 and 1949 figures are presented on a comparable basis by adding to the latter the value of exports from Newfoundland in January 1949 (excluding exports to Canada) and by deducting from the January, 1949, total the value of exports from Canada to Newfoundland.

Table 1 - Landings and Landed Values

| Species | Landings | | | | Values | | | |
|----------------------------|----------|---------|----------------|---------|----------|-------|----------------|-------|
| | February | | Totals to date | | February | | Totals to date | |
| | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 |
| ('000 lb.) | | | | | | | | |
| <u>ATLANTIC</u> | | | | | | | | |
| Cod | 3,368 | 3,697 | 8,650 | 9,805 | 116 | 144 | 293 | 383 |
| Haddock | 5,017 | 3,349 | 8,776 | 6,811 | 295 | 163 | 507 | 337 |
| Pollock | 462 | 339 | 711 | 550 | 7 | 5 | 11 | 8 |
| Hake and Cusk | 482 | 429 | 1,154 | 915 | 7 | 6 | 18 | 13 |
| Rosefish and Catfish | 338 | 274 | 475 | 389 | 8 | 7 | 11 | 10 |
| Halibut | 198 | 59 | 242 | 89 | 48 | 10 | 59 | 16 |
| Plaice | 134 | 31 | 226 | 112 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 3 |
| Other Flatfish | 221 | 230 | 460 | 495 | 5 | 7 | 11 | 13 |
| Herring | 10 | 61 | 25 | 111 | -- | 1 | -- | 3 |
| Sardines | 8 | 1,621 | 49 | 3,524 | -- | 34 | -- | 72 |
| Mackerel | 9 | 9 | 22 | 9 | 1 | -- | 2 | -- |
| Smelts | 1,579 | 1,787 | 3,458 | 4,340 | 192 | 146 | 463 | 403 |
| Other Estuarial | 307 | 187 | 615 | 722 | 6 | 5 | 19 | 23 |
| Lobsters | 340 | 189 | 1,916 | 1,280 | 202 | 99 | 909 | 511 |
| Clams and Quahogs | 939 | 594 | 1,992 | 1,206 | 23 | 13 | 50 | 27 |
| Oysters | 41 | 81 | 53 | 104 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 |
| Scallops | 46 | 24 | 100 | 45 | 18 | 9 | 40 | 17 |
| Other Shellfish | 4 | 5 | 11 | 13 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Totals, ATLANTIC ... | 13,503 | 12,966 | 28,935 | 30,520 | 933 | 652 | 2,401 | 1,842 |
| <u>PACIFIC</u> | | | | | | | | |
| Gray Cod | 386 | 180 | 507 | 444 | 19 | 8 | 24 | 19 |
| Lingcod | 47 | 102 | 86 | 208 | 3 | 8 | 6 | 16 |
| Sablefish | 31 | 25 | 51 | 47 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 6 |
| Rockfishes | 70 | 45 | 87 | 84 | 5 | 2b | 6 | 4 |
| Soles | 122 | 256 | 204 | 517 | 7 | 14 | 12 | 29 |
| Other Flatfish | 105 | 70 | 132 | 112 | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 |
| Herring | 106,592 | 115,941 | 166,631 | 133,822 | 1,328 | 1,600 | 2,027 | 1,840 |
| Other Pelagic | 65 | - | 81 | - | 8 | - | 10 | - |
| Red Spring | 3 | 2 | 7 | 4 | 1 | -- | 2 | 1 |
| White Spring | 2 | -- | 3 | 1 | -- | -- | -- | -- |
| Salmon Totals | 5 | 2 | 10 | 5 | 1 | -- | 2 | 1 |
| Other Estuarial | 21 | 16 | 34 | 73 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 8 |
| Crabs | 41 | 45 | 74 | 90 | 4 | 4 | 7 | 7 |
| Clams | 463 | 547 | 619 | 1,037 | 15 | 18 | 29 | 40 |
| Oysters | 460 | 399 | 659 | 694 | 17 | 29 | 24 | 50 |
| Other Shellfish | 31 | 29 | 31 | 49 | 5 | 5 | 5 | 10 |
| Totals, PACIFIC ... | 108,439 | 117,657 | 169,206 | 137,182 | 1,419 | 1,693 | 2,163 | 2,033 |
| TOTALS, CANADA | 121,942 | 130,623 | 198,141 | 167,702 | 2,352 | 2,345 | 4,564 | 3,875 |

ATLANTIC

OTHER FLATFISH-yellowtail, witch, flounders, skate
OTHER PELAGIC-swordfish, tuna
OTHER ESTUARIAL-salmon, alewives, shad, capelin, tomcod,
sea-bass, or perch, sturgeon, eels
OTHER SHELLFISH-mussels, winkles

PACIFIC

OTHER FLATFISH-flounders, skate
OTHER ESTUARIAL-eulachons, smelts,
sturgeon, bass or perch, octopus
OTHER SHELLFISH-abalone, shrimps

Nil -

Amount too small to be shown --

NOTE: Cumulative totals are revised monthly and, therefore, may not agree with totals published previously

Table 2 - Landings and Landed Values, ATLANTIC PROVINCES

| Species | NEW BRUNSWICK | | | | NOVA SCOTIA | | | |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------|----------------|------|-------------------|-------|----------------|------|
| | Quant. ('000 lb.) | | Value (\$'000) | | Quant. ('000 lb.) | | Value (\$'000) | |
| | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 |
| Cod | 39 | 18 | 2 | 1 | 3,329 | 3,679 | 114 | 143 |
| Haddock | 8 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 5,009 | 3,340 | 294 | 162 |
| Pollock | - | - | - | - | 462 | 339 | 7 | 5 |
| Hake and Cusk | - | - | - | - | 482 | 429 | 7 | 6 |
| Rosefish and Catfish.. | - | - | - | - | 338 | 274 | 8 | 7 |
| Halibut | - | - | - | - | 198 | 59 | 48 | 10 |
| Plaice | - | - | - | - | 134 | 31 | 4 | 1 |
| Other Flatfish | 4 | 1 | -- | -- | 216 | 226 | 5 | 7 |
| Herring | 10 | 6 | -- | -- | - | 55 | - | 1 |
| Sardines | 8 | 1,435 | -- | 29 | - | 186 | - | 5 |
| Mackerel | - | - | - | - | 9 | 9 | 1 | - |
| Smelts | 1,224 | 1,227 | 150 | 98 | 109 | 68 | 16 | 11 |
| Other Estuarial | 280 | 133 | 4 | 2 | 15 | 10 | 2 | 2 |
| Lobsters | - | - | - | - | 340 | 189 | 202 | 99 |
| Clams and Quahaugs ... | 816 | 510 | 20 | 11 | 123 | 84 | 3 | 2 |
| Oysters | 35 | 48 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 29 | -- | 1 |
| Scallops | 35 | 20 | 13 | 7 | 11 | 4 | 5 | 2 |
| Other Shellfish | 4 | 5 | -- | -- | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS | 2,463 | 3,412 | 191 | 150 | 10,780 | 9,011 | 716 | 464 |
| PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND | | | | | | | | |
| QUEBEC | | | | | | | | |
| Cod | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Other Flatfish..... | 1 | 3 | -- | -- | - | - | - | - |
| Smelts | 118 | 86 | 11 | 4 | 128 | 406 | 15 | 33 |
| Other Estuarial..... | 12 | 44 | -- | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| Oysters | 1 | 4 | -- | -- | - | - | - | - |
| TOTALS | 132 | 137 | 11 | 5 | 128 | 406 | 15 | 33 |

Table 3 - Supplementary Landings, ATLANTIC - February

| | unit | Quantity | Value \$ | | | unit | Quantity | Value \$ |
|--------------------|------|----------|----------|----------------------|---|------|----------|----------|
| Livers - Cod | cwt. | 3,611 | 10,055 | Sharks | | no. | - | - |
| Hake | " | - | - | Dulse | | cwt. | - | - |
| Halibut ... | " | 151 | 522 | Irish Mks | " | | 3,180 | 3,975 |
| Other | " | 204 | 783 | Other Seaweeds | " | | - | - |
| Hair Seals | no. | 9,332 | .. | TOTAL VALUE | | | | 15,335 |

Table 4 - Supplementary Landings, PACIFIC - February

| | unit | Quantity | Value \$ | | | unit | Quantity | Value \$ |
|------------------------|------|----------|----------|----------------------|---|------|----------|----------|
| Livers - Gray Cod | cwt. | 135 | 1,047 | Viscera - Lingcod .. | | cwt. | 39 | 343 |
| Lingcod | " | 62 | 4,456 | Sablefish. | " | | 11 | 99 |
| Sablefish ... | " | 17 | 1,461 | Halibut .. | " | | - | - |
| Rockfishes .. | " | 39 | 1,420 | Other | " | | - | - |
| Halibut | " | - | - | TOTAL VALUE | | | | 39,879 |
| Grayfish | " | 933 | 30,946 | | | | | |
| Other | " | 12 | 107 | | | | | |

Nil - Amount too small to be shown --

Not available ..

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Table 5 - Disposition of Catch
As indicated by fish buyers and processors
(on percentages of quantity landed)

| Species | Totals to date | | Species | Totals to date | |
|-----------------------------|----------------|-------|------------------------|----------------|------|
| | 1950 | 1949 | | 1950 | 1949 |
| <u>COD</u> | | | <u>PLAICE</u> | | |
| ATLANTIC | | | ATLANTIC | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 13.4 | 12.0 | Fresh, dressed | 12.5 | 7.3 |
| Fresh, filleted | 40.8 | 36.8 | Fresh, filleted | 5.9 | 29.2 |
| Frozen, dressed | 0.4 | 0.2 | Frozen, dressed | - | 11.3 |
| Frozen, filleted | 13.8 | 17.2 | Frozen, filleted | 81.6 | 52.2 |
| Smoked, filleted | 21.4 | 26.8 | | | |
| Salted, green | 7.4 | 5.7 | <u>OTHER FLATFISH</u> | | |
| Salted, dried | 2.3 | 0.1 | Fresh, dressed | 13.7 | 10.1 |
| Salted, boneless | 0.4 | 0.6 | Fresh, filleted | 65.4 | 49.7 |
| Canned | 0.1 | 0.6 | Frozen, dressed | 2.4 | 16.0 |
| | | | Frozen, filleted | 18.5 | 24.2 |
| <u>HADDOCK</u> | | | | | |
| | | | <u>HERRING</u> | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 13.2 | 20.3 | Fresh, round | - | 6.3 |
| Fresh, filleted | 49.5 | 53.6 | Frozen, round | 0.2 | 2.1 |
| Frozen, dressed | 0.5 | 1.2 | Kippered | 69.7 | 41.3 |
| Frozen, filleted | 30.8 | 20.2 | Non-food uses | 30.1 | 50.3 |
| Smoked, dressed | 5.3 | 3.4 | | | |
| Smoked, filleted | 0.6 | 1.3 | <u>SARDINES</u> | | |
| Salted, green | 0.1 | - | Fresh and salted | - | 2.0 |
| | | | Canned | 100.0 | 98.0 |
| <u>POLLOCK</u> | | | Non-food uses | - | - |
| | | | <u>MACKEREL</u> | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 4.5 | 2.1 | Fresh, round | 82.7 | 4.0 |
| Fresh, filleted | 1.1 | 0.4 | Frozen, found | 17.3 | 96.0 |
| Frozen, dressed | 71.8 | 54.5 | | | |
| Frozen, filleted | 4.4 | 15.2 | <u>SMELTS</u> | | |
| Smoked, filleted | - | 0.1 | Fresh, dressed | 9.0 | 4.5 |
| Salted, green | 14.8 | 27.7 | Frozen, dressed | 91.0 | 95.5 |
| Salted, dried | 1.7 | - | | | |
| Salted, boneless | 1.7 | - | | | |
| <u>HAKE AND CUSK</u> | | | <u>OTHER ESTUARIAL</u> | | |
| | | | Fresh, dressed | 24.9 | 13.4 |
| Fresh, dressed | 18.7 | 25.1 | Frozen, dressed | 66.6 | 77.1 |
| Fresh, filleted | 5.0 | 9.1 | Canned | - | 9.3 |
| Frozen, dressed | - | 0.2 | Non-food uses | 8.5 | - |
| Frozen, filleted | 1.4 | 3.5 | Kippered | - | 0.2 |
| Smoked, dressed | - | 1.2 | | | |
| Smoked, filleted | 22.6 | 28.8 | | | |
| Salted, green | 45.2 | 30.8 | | | |
| Salted, dried | 7.1 | 1.3 | | | |
| <u>ROSEFISH AND CATFISH</u> | | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 1.7 | 0.7 | | | |
| Fresh, filleted | 11.3 | 9.7 | | | |
| Frozen, dressed | - | 11.9 | | | |
| Frozen, filleted | 87.0 | 77.7 | | | |
| <u>HALIBUT</u> | | | | | |
| | | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 99.4 | 100.0 | | | |
| Fresh, filleted | 0.3 | - | | | |
| Frozen, dressed | - | - | | | |
| Frozen, filleted | 0.3 | - | | | |

OTHER FLATFISH - yellowtail, flounders, witch, skate

OTHER ESTUARIAL - alewives, shad, capelin, tomcod, sea-bass or perch, sturgeon, eels

Table 5 - Disposition of Catch - continued
As indicated by fish buyers and processors
(in percentages of quantity landed)

| Species | Totals to date | | Species | Totals to date | |
|---------------------------|----------------|-------|---------------------------|----------------|-------|
| | 1950 | 1949 | | 1950 | 1949 |
| <u>LOBSTERS</u> | | | <u>SOLES</u> | | |
| <u>ATLANTIC</u> | | | <u>PACIFIC</u> | | |
| In shell | 99.2 | 97.2 | Fresh, dressed | 13.7 | 6.9 |
| Meat | 0.8 | 2.8 | Fresh, filleted | 64.8 | 24.9 |
| | | | Frozen, dressed | 0.6 | 0.8 |
| | | | Frozen, filleted | 19.7 | 67.4 |
| | | | Non-food uses..... | 1.2 | - |
| <u>CLAMS AND QUAHAUGS</u> | | | <u>OTHER FLATFISH</u> | | |
| In shell | 2.0 | 1.6 | Fresh, dressed | 24.6 | 19.4 |
| Meat | 52.2 | 59.6 | Fresh, filleted | 75.4 | 14.2 |
| Canned | 45.8 | 38.8 | Frozen, dressed | - | 0.3 |
| | | | Frozen, filleted | - | 16.1 |
| <u>OYSTERS</u> | | | <u>HERRING</u> | | |
| In shell | 100.0 | 96.5 | Dry-salted | 0.9 | 0.1 |
| Meat | - | 3.5 | Canned (incl. snacks).... | 0.1 | 0.1 |
| | | | Non-food uses | 99.0 | 99.8 |
| <u>SCALLOPS</u> | | | <u>SALMON:-</u> | | |
| In shell | 0.6 | 3.2 | <u>RED SIRING</u> | | |
| Shucked | 98.4 | 94.8 | Fresh, dressed | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| Canned | 1.0 | - | Fresh, filleted | - | - |
| | | | Frozen, dressed | - | - |
| | | | Frozen, filleted | - | - |
| <u>OTHER SHELLFISH</u> | | | <u>WHITE SPRING</u> | | |
| In shell | 100.0 | 100.0 | Fresh, dressed | 100.0 | 100.0 |
| | | | Fresh, filleted | - | - |
| | | | Frozen, dressed | - | - |
| | | | Frozen, filleted | - | - |
| <u>GRAY COD</u> | <u>PACIFIC</u> | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 9.6 | 14.8 | | | |
| Fresh, filleted | 50.6 | 41.9 | | | |
| Frozen, dressed | 3.8 | 9.0 | | | |
| Frozen, filleted | 17.4 | 31.9 | | | |
| Smoked, dressed | 4.6 | 2.1 | | | |
| Smoked, filleted | 14.0 | 0.3 | | | |
| <u>LINGCOD</u> | | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 97.4 | 65.8 | | | |
| Fresh, filleted | 0.7 | 9.4 | | | |
| Frozen, dressed | 0.2 | 20.2 | | | |
| Frozen, filleted | 0.3 | 4.6 | | | |
| Non-food uses | 1.4 | - | | | |
| <u>SABLEFISH</u> | | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 24.0 | 0.2 | | | |
| Fresh, filleted | - | - | | | |
| Frozen, dressed | 76.0 | 95.4 | | | |
| Smoked, dressed | - | 0.8 | | | |
| Smoked, filleted | - | 3.6 | | | |
| <u>ROCKFISHES</u> | | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 28.7 | 36.6 | | | |
| Fresh, filleted | 46.2 | 47.0 | | | |
| Frozen, dressed | 5.2 | 9.3 | | | |
| Frozen, filleted | 19.9 | 7.1 | | | |

OTHER SHELLFISH - mussels, winklesOTHER FLATFISH - flounders, skate

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Table 5 - Disposition of Catch - concluded
As indicated by fish buyers and processors
(in percentages of quantity landed)

| Species | Totals to date | | Species | Totals to date | |
|------------------------|----------------|------|------------------------|----------------|------|
| | 1950 | 1949 | | 1950 | 1949 |
| <u>OTHER ESTUARIAL</u> | | | <u>CLAMS</u> | | |
| PACIFIC | | | PACIFIC | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 80.1 | 34.2 | In shell | 70.4 | 30.3 |
| Fresh, filleted | - | - | Meat | 5.8 | 8.5 |
| Frozen, dressed | 19.9 | 65.8 | Canned | 23.8 | 61.2 |
| Frozen, filleted | - | - | Non-food uses | - | - |
| <u>CRABS</u> | | | <u>OYSTERS</u> | | |
| In shell | 34.7 | 29.3 | Meat | 92.8 | 94.9 |
| Meat | 58.7 | 70.7 | Canned | 7.2 | 5.1 |
| Canned | 6.6 | - | | | |
| | | | <u>OTHER SHELLFISH</u> | | |
| | | | In shell | 20.8 | 34.3 |
| | | | Meat | 79.2 | 54.6 |
| | | | Canned | - | 11.1 |

OTHER ESTUARIAL - eulachons, smelts, sturgeon,
sea-bass or perch, octopus

OTHER SHELLFISH - abalone shrimps

Table 6 - Inspections of Pickled Fish, ATLANTIC

The following data on the inspection and grading of fish on the Atlantic Coast is made available through the kind co-operation of the officers of the Eastern Division of the Federal Department of Fisheries, and of the Fisheries Division, Provincial Bureau of Statistics, Quebec.

| Species | Totals to date | | Species | Totals to date | |
|------------------------|----------------|------|--------------------|----------------|------|
| | 1950 | 1949 | | 1950 | 1949 |
| | - '000 lb. - | | | - '000 lb. - | |
| <u>HERRING</u> | | | <u>MACKEREL</u> | | |
| Pickled (split) :- | | | Pickled (split) :- | | |
| Fat | 15 | 2 | Spring | 30 | 8 |
| Bright | - | 7 | Summer | - | - |
| Tropic | 25 | 15 | Fall | 4 | 17 |
| No. 4 | - | 2 | No. 4 | - | 1 |
| Pickled Headless :- | | | Pickled Fillets :- | | |
| Fat | 4 | 20 | Fall | 84 | 84 |
| Bright | 5 | 5 | | | |
| Bloaters :- | | | <u>ALEWIVES</u> | | |
| Choice (Class A) | 234 | 59 | Pickled:- | | |
| Spring (Class B) | - | 17 | Standard | 724 | 431 |
| No. 4 | 14 | 23 | No. 4 | 1 | - |
| Digby Chicks | 13 | - | | | |
| Boneless, Smoked :- | | | | | |
| Standard | 19 | 34 | | | |
| Choice (Class A) | 12 | 43 | | | |

Table 7 - Output of By-Products, ATLANTIC

Totals to date

| By-Product | unit | Quantity | By-Product | unit | Quantity |
|----------------------------------|------|----------|------------------------------|------|----------|
| Cod :- | | | Halibut :- | | |
| cheeks or ear-fillets, fresh ... | cwt. | - | steam-refined, crude oil ... | gal. | - |
| livers, fresh | " | 145 | | | |
| tongues, fresh | " | 39 | Herring :- | | |
| tongues, frozen | " | - | offal oil | " | - |
| roe, fresh | " | 32 | glue | " | - |
| roe, canned | cs. | - | scales | cwt. | - |
| skins | cwt. | - | offal meal | ton | - |
| bones | " | - | | | |
| fish meal | ton | 20 | Other :- | | |
| liver meal | " | 151 | liver, fresh | cwt. | 47 |
| offal meal | " | 694 | roe, fresh | " | 120 |
| offal | " | 2,341 | scales | " | 5 |
| animal food | " | 3,037 | | | |
| Cod liver :- | | | | | |
| steam-refined, crude | gal. | 8,365 | | | |
| No.2 | " | 45 | | | |

Table 8 - Output of By-Products, PACIFIC

Totals to date

| Liver and Visceral Oil | Cod Liver | Cod Viscera | Halibut Viscera | Grayfish | Other |
|-------------------------|-----------|-------------|------------------------------|----------|-------|
| Potency Range :- | | | - in millions of USP units - | | |
| 0 - 20,000 | 2,989 | 255 | 1,379 | 312,387 | - |
| 20,000 - 40,000 | 9,862 | - | 6,677 | 27,820 | 13 |
| 40,000 - 60,000 | 22,670 | - | 25,828 | - | - |
| 60,000 - 80,000 | 1,177 | - | 17,515 | - | 191 |
| 80,000 - 100,000 | 28,405 | - | 4,644 | - | - |
| 100,000 - 150,000 | - | - | 17,576 | - | - |
| By-Product | Unit | Quantity | | | |
| Herring :- | | | | | |
| body oil | lb. | 9,491,570 | | | |
| offal oil | " | 3,000 | | | |
| body meal | ton | (X) 23,723 | | | |
| offal meal | " | (X) 12 | | | |

(X) - shown here under By-Products although processed mostly from whole fish.

INLAND FISHERIES

Table 9 - Landings and Landed Values

NEW BRUNSWICK

| Totals to date | | | | Species | February | | | | | |
|-----------------|------|------------|-------|-------------------------|----------|-----------------|------|------------|--|--|
| Quantity - cwt. | | Value - \$ | | | 1950 | Quantity - cwt. | | Value - \$ | | |
| 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | | |
| 52 | 24 | 817 | 362 | Pickerel(Y.Pike) | 18 | 24 | 272 | 362 | | |
| 16 | 6 | 240 | 90 | Suckers(Mullet etc.) .. | 12 | 6 | 180 | 90 | | |
| 61 | 17 | 2,474 | 680 | Bass | 5 | 17 | 200 | 680 | | |
| 129 | 47 | 3,531 | 1,132 |TOTALS..... | 35 | 47 | 652 | 1,132 | | |

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Table 10 - Landings and Landed Values

| Totals to date | | | | Species | February | | | | | |
|-----------------|-------|------------|--------|-------------------------|----------|-----------------|--------|------------|--|--|
| Quantity - cwt. | | Value - \$ | | | 1950 | Quantity - cwt. | | Value - \$ | | |
| 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | | |
| 750 | 304 | 21,512 | 8,376 | Whitefish | 526 | 290 | 15,240 | 7,998 | | |
| 113 | 99 | 1,130 | 979 | Tullibee | 87 | 88 | 870 | 869 | | |
| 7 | 38 | 105 | 1,080 | Lake Herring | 7 | 33 | 105 | 930 | | |
| 717 | 854 | 17,139 | 18,252 | Pickerel(Y.Pike) | 438 | 685 | 10,164 | 14,703 | | |
| 40 | 4 | 440 | 56 | blue Pickerel | 39 | 2 | 429 | 40 | | |
| 81 | 2 | 852 | 32 | Sauger | 79 | 2 | 828 | 32 | | |
| 58 | 117 | 686 | 1,426 | Perch | 50 | 100 | 598 | 1,222 | | |
| 71 | 43 | 2,675 | 1,630 | Lake Trout | 56 | 39 | 2,150 | 1,470 | | |
| 595 | 580 | 5,950 | 7,426 | Pike (Jackfish) | 394 | 507 | 3,940 | 6,417 | | |
| 1 | - | 100 | - | Sturgeon | 1 | - | 100 | - | | |
| 301 | 211 | 903 | 1,366 | Suckers(Mullet etc.) .. | 228 | 176 | 684 | 1,191 | | |
| 427 | 450 | 9,208 | 9,184 | Catfish' | 328 | 389 | 7,228 | 7,964 | | |
| 113 | 313 | 339 | 1,607 | Carp | 92 | 119 | 276 | 637 | | |
| 327 | 244 | 981 | 600 | Burbot (Ling) | 207 | 232 | 621 | 564 | | |
| 285 | 299 | 3,174 | 2,959 | Other | 191 | 240 | 2,004 | 2,468 | | |
| 3,886 | 3,558 | 65,194 | 54,973 |TOTALS..... | 2,723 | 2,902 | 45,237 | 45,849 | | |

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Table 11 - Landings and Landed Values

| Winter Season - Nov. to Feb. incl. | | | | Species | February | | | | | |
|------------------------------------|---------|------------|---------|-------------------------|----------|-----------------|---------|------------|--|--|
| Quantity - cwt. | | Value - \$ | | | 1950 | Quantity - cwt. | | Value - \$ | | |
| 1949-50 | 1948-49 | 1949-50 | 1948-49 | | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | | |
| 13,608 | 11,059 | 160,139 | 135,115 | Whitefish | 5,543 | 3,533 | 62,447 | 38,189 | | |
| 7,237 | 6,164 | 22,593 | 25,007 | Tullibee | 1,257 | 951 | 3,677 | 2,257 | | |
| 25,296 | 28,106 | 360,220 | 405,901 | Pickerel (Y.Pike) | 4,825 | 6,992 | 77,968 | 99,289 | | |
| 31,359 | 2,457 | 311,656 | 20,556 | Sauger | 7,452 | 253 | 75,539 | 2,547 | | |
| 1,220 | 4,761 | 14,755 | 70,181 | Perch | 449 | 4,120 | 5,128 | 63,294 | | |
| 17,124 | 1,260 | 78,672 | 16,827 | Lake Trout | 184 | 141 | 2,389 | 2,351 | | |
| 13,749 | 22,369 | 32,695 | 134,190 | Pike (Jackfish) | 2,375 | 4,037 | 10,095 | 17,230 | | |
| 1,557 | 15,830 | 10,628 | 36,527 | Suckers(Mullet etc.) .. | 1,152 | 1,461 | 2,668 | 2,781 | | |
| 751 | 550 | 12,498 | 9,477 | Goldeye | 133 | 54 | 2,648 | 759 | | |
| 40 | - | 40 | - | Other | - | - | - | - | | |
| 111,941 | 92,556 | 1,004,196 | 853,781 |TOTALS..... | 23,370 | 21,542 | 242,559 | 228,697 | | |

Table 12 - Stocks of Salted Codfish

| Kind | February 20, 1949 | FEBRUARY 20 1950 | January 20, 1950 |
|--|----------------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| - thousand pounds - | | | |
| SHORE | | | |
| Dry, large and medium | 3,547 | 3,439 | 4,904 |
| Dry, small | 10,353 | 31,584 | 34,899 |
| Incompletely cured | 1,076 | 2,253 | 2,529 |
| Light salted saltbulk | 32 | 186 | 180 |
| Heavy salted saltbulk | 302 | 218 | 212 |
| BANK | | | |
| Dry, large and medium | 620 | 865 | 1,067 |
| Dry, small | 294 | 540 | 685 |
| Incompletely cured | 33 | 198 | 336 |
| Light salted saltbulk | - | 165 | 90 |
| Heavy salted saltbulk | 91 | 601 | 556 |
| LABRADOR AND NEWFOUNDLAND SOFT CURE | | | |
| Ordinary cure | 648 | 7,965 | 9,434 |
| Semi-dry | 4,271 | 7,325 | 8,929 |
| Washed and pressed | 109 | 65 | 193 |
| Saltbulk | 185 | 238 | 530 |
| GRAND TOTAL | 21,561 | 55,642 | 64,544 |

Table 13 - Cold Storage Stocks

| Section 1 - SEA FISH (Frozen Fresh) | HOLDINGS AT MARCH 1, 1950 | Holdings at February 1, 1950 | Frozen during February |
|--|------------------------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------|
| - thousand pounds - | | | |
| Cod Filleted | 473 | 497 | 620 |
| Haddock Filleted | 966 | 502 | 1,557 |
| Rosefish Filleted | 307 | 536 | 247 |
| Halibut Dressed | 5 | 1 | 5 |
| Other Flatfish Filleted | 33 | 37 | 21 |
| Herring Round | 205 | 392 | 15 |
| Mackerel Round or Dressed | 8 | 15 | - |
| Salmon | 33 | 34 | - |
| Shellfish (Lobsters, Clams, Oysters) | - | - | - |
| Other Sea Fish Dressed and Filleted | 4 | 8 | 6 |
| TOTAL - SEA FISH (Frozen Fresh) | 2,034 | 2,022 | 2,471 |
| Section 2 - SEA FISH (Frozen Smoked) | | | |
| Cod Filleted | 23 | 17 | 37 |
| Herring Dressed | - | - | - |
| TOTAL - SEA FISH (Frozen Smoked) | 23 | 17 | 37 |
| GRAND TOTAL - ALL FORMS FRESH AND SMOKED FROZEN | 2,057 | 2,039 | 2,508 |

Table 14 - Summary of Cold Storage Stocks of Frozen Fish at March 1, 1950 (1)
With comparative holdings for last year and last month

| Section 1 - SEA FISH (Frozen Fresh) | | March 1, 1949 | MARCH 1, 1950 PRELIMINARY | February 1, 1950 Revised |
|---------------------------------------|----------------------|---------------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|
| | | | thousand pounds - | |
| Cod, Atlantic | Dressed | 230 | 45 | 138 |
| | Filleted | 1,868 | 1,251 | 1,911 |
| Cod, Pacific | Dressed | 502 | 1,749 | 2,190 |
| | Filleted | 204 | 204 | 293 |
| Rosefish | Filleted | - | 47 | 17 |
| Haddock | Dressed | 219 | 67 | 227 |
| | Filleted | 559 | 424 | 580 |
| Halibut, Atlantic | Dressed | 189 | 70 | 163 |
| Pacific | Dressed | 2,678 | 1,970 | 3,048 |
| Other Flatfish | Dressed | 64 | 38 | 85 |
| | Filleted | 952 | 165 | 368 |
| Herring, Atlantic | Round | 2,806 | 3,313 | 3,985 |
| Pacific | Round | 4,210 | 3,236 | 2,278 |
| Mackerel | Round or Dressed | 273 | 1,026 | 1,463 |
| Salmon, Atlantic | Dressed | 249 | 159 | 174 |
| Chum | Dressed | 2,825 | 2,855 | 4,088 |
| | Filleted | 38 | 119 | 179 |
| Coho | Dressed | 1,457 | 1,109 | 1,497 |
| | Filleted | 39 | 16 | 25 |
| Pink | Dressed | 164 | 394 | 569 |
| Spring Red | Dressed | 398 | 418 | 637 |
| | Filleted | 4 | - | - |
| Spring White | | 300 | 660 | 829 |
| Steelhead | | 78 | 25 | 26 |
| Not Classified | | 22 | 210 | 182 |
| TOTAL SALMON | | 5,574 | 5,965 | 8,206 |
| Shellfish (Lobster, Clams, Oysters) | | 237 | 228 | 227 |
| Other Sea Fish | Dressed and Filleted | 1,330 | 1,203 | 1,981 |
| TOTAL - SEA FISH (Frozen Fresh) | | 21,895 | (2) 21,196 | 27,160 |

Section 2 - INLAND FISH (Frozen Fresh)

| | | | | |
|--|---------------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| Blue Pickerel | Round or Dressed | 25 | 33 | 14 |
| Cisco (Lake Herring) | Round or Dressed | 299 | 187 | 167 |
| Lake Trout | Round or Dressed | 85 | 241 | 311 |
| | Filleted | 10 | 5 | 15 |
| Perch | Round or Dressed | 67 | 6 | 10 |
| Pickeral (Yellow Pike) | Round or Dressed | 357 | 70 | 118 |
| | Filleted | 735 | 62 | 185 |
| Pike (Jackfish) | Round or Dressed | 313 | 169 | 203 |
| Sauger | Round or Dressed | 1,135 | 250 | 260 |
| Suckers | Round or Dressed | 8 | 30 | 13 |
| Tullibee | Round or Dressed | 1,040 | 436 | 401 |
| Whitefish | Dressed or Filleted | 507 | 491 | 467 |
| Other | All Forms | 575 | 485 | 688 |
| TOTAL - INLAND FISH (Frozen Fresh) | | 5,156 | (3) 2,486 | 2,852 |
| TOTAL - ALL FISH (Frozen Fresh) | | 27,051 | 23,682 | 30,012 |

Section 3 - SEA AND INLAND FISH (Frozen Smoked)

| | | | | |
|--|-------------------|--------|-----------|--------|
| Cod, Atlantic | Filleted | 801 | 416 | 637 |
| Pacific | Dressed | 23 | 40 | 32 |
| | Filleted | 60 | 52 | 46 |
| Haddock | Dressed | 272 | 240 | 186 |
| | Filleted | 160 | 47 | 41 |
| Salmon | Filleted | 33 | 20 | 35 |
| Sea Herring | Dressed (Kippers) | 239 | 629 | 787 |
| Goldeye | Dressed | 2 | 38 | 43 |
| Other | Dressed | 88 | 52 | 75 |
| TOTAL - SEA AND INLAND FISH (Frozen Smoked) | | 1,678 | (4) 1,554 | 1,882 |
| GRAND TOTAL - ALL FORMS FRESH AND SMOKED FROZEN | | 28,729 | 25,236 | 31,894 |

(1) This information is summarized from the D.B.S. monthly report on the above subject. (2) Includes estimates of 195,000 lb. (3) Includes estimates of 21,000 lb. (4) Includes estimates of 20,000 lb.

Table 15 - Summary of Stocks of Salted Fish, other than Newfoundland, February 31, 1950
With comparative holdings for last month and last year

| Kind | Quantity | | |
|---|----------------------|----------------------|---------------------|
| | February 28, 1949 | FEBRUARY 28, 1950 | January 31, 1950 |
| - thousand pounds - | | | |
| WET-SALTLED FISH (pickled or kench cured) | | | |
| Cod | 1,406 | 4,597 | 9,456 |
| Pollock | 660 | 698 | 1,229 |
| Hake | 398 | 1,061 | 1,123 |
| Other (haddock, cusk, etc.) | 47 | 112 | 86 |
| DRIED-SALTLED FISH | | | |
| Cod, heavy-salted (hard-dried)..... | 2,423 | 3,419 | 2,392 |
| " " " (semi-dried)..... | 368 | 53 | 1,140 |
| " slack-salted (hard-dried) | 24 | - | - |
| " " " (semi-dried)..... | - | 28 | 40 |
| " Gaspe cure (hard-dried)..... | 276 | 245 | 830 |
| " " " (semi-dried)..... | 249 | - | - |
| Pollock | 702 | 448 | 619 |
| Hake | 604 | 1,052 | 1,282 |
| Other | 111 | 98 | 132 |
| BONELESS SALTED FISH (fillets, etc.) | | | |
| Cod | 780 | 693 | 990 |
| Other | 121 | 27 | 9 |
| PICKLED FISH | | | |
| Herring, fat | bbl. | bbl. | bbl. |
| " , bright | 120 | 719 | 747 |
| " , tropic | 43 | 265 | 3 |
| " , scotch cure | 2,478 | 4,487 | 4,972½ |
| " , vinegar-cured | 269½ | - | - |
| " , " , fillets | - | - | - |
| Mackerel, spring | 4,036 | 14,594 | 15,481 |
| " , summer | - | 175 | 363 |
| " , fillets | 300 | - | - |
| " , fall | 12 | 1 | 207½ |
| " , " , fillets | 1,110 | 412 | 616 |
| Alewives | 6,392 | 3,232 | 5,020 |
| BLOATERS (hard-cured smoked round herring | boxes | boxes | boxes |
| | 11,684 | 49,565 | 71,758 |

Table 16 - IMPORTS OF FISHERY PRODUCTS
(NEWFOUNDLAND 1949 figures are for first three months only)

| Kind and Country of Origin | January to December inclusive | | | | | |
|--|-------------------------------|---------------|---------------|------------------|------------------|----------------|
| | 1949 | 1948 | 1938 | 1949 | 1948 | 1938 |
| | <u>- '000 lb. -</u> | | | \$ | \$ | \$ |
| TOTAL IMPORTS | | | | 6,319,737 | 11,233,237 | 2,736,399 |
| FRESH AND FROZEN FISH | 9,655 | 23,949 | 29,511 | 1,040,283 | 1,797,217 | 634,920 |
| Cod and related species | 3,370 | 18,354 | 2,100 | 234,005 | 948,295 | 27,884 |
| U.S.A. | 146 | 20 | 9 | 15,510 | 2,299 | 736 |
| Salmon | 3,196 | 1,495 | 5,161 | 482,292 | 508,692 | 453,624 |
| Alaska | 2,479 | 183 | 481 | 397,422 | 51,765 | 50,319 |
| U.S.A. | 700 | 8 | 2,892 | 77,904 | 2,191 | 179,130 |
| Other | 3,089 | 4,100 | 22,250 | 323,986 | 340,230 | 153,412 |
| U.S.A. | 2,598 | 2,286 | 719 | 281,141 | 171,534 | 43,282 |
| CURED FISH | 3,230 | 8,613 | 6,235 | 452,458 | 886,767 | 288,428 |
| Cod etc., wet-salted | 667 | 4,687 | 399 | 61,577 | 364,696 | 8,148 |
| Newfoundland | 480 | 4,670 | 44 | 49,687 | 361,280 | 6,723 |
| Herring, pickled | 1,885 | 2,118 | 2,773 | 220,313 | 216,285 | 111,241 |
| Netherlands | 523 | 389 | 717 | 80,515 | 58,268 | 32,331 |
| Other | 678 | 1,808 | 3,063 | 170,568 | 305,786 | 169,039 |
| U.S.A. | 78 | 155 | 73 | 24,561 | 34,902 | 8,605 |
| CANNED FISH | 1,672 | 2,363 | .. | 1,054,547 | 1,320,801 | 825,986 |
| Anchovies, sardines | 1,180 | 1,281 | .. | 760,435 | 869,812 | 357,975 |
| Norway | 977 | 1,063 | .. | 628,547 | 711,329 | 281,403 |
| Portugal | 123 | 178 | .. | 89,569 | 128,966 | 18,544 |
| Other | 492 | 1,082 | .. | 294,112 | 450,989 | 468,011 |
| SHELLFISH | .. | .. | .. | 1,845,182 | 613,819 | 541,875 |
| Lobsters, fresh | 136 | 1,664 | 538 | 61,650 | 497,513 | 59,314 |
| U.S.A. | 136 | 1,184 | 2 | 61,650 | 252,279 | 1,016 |
| Other, fresh | .. | .. | .. | 643,700 | 58,617 | 226,056 |
| Canned | .. | .. | .. | 1,139,832 | 57,689 | 256,505 |
| MISCELLANEOUS | .. | .. | .. | 1,927,267 | 6,614,633 | 445,190 |
| Meat | 526 | 1,986 | .. | 38,728 | 133,653 | .. |
| Whale and sperm oil | 1,415 | 20,772 | 192 | 273,366 | 4,763,143 | 60,824 |
| U.K. | 1,333 | 13,317 | 72 | 262,657 | 2,936,063 | 4,026 |
| Oil, concentrated and for fortifying | .. | .. | .. | 259,824 | 307,771 | .. |
| U.S.A. | .. | .. | .. | 243,374 | 253,335 | .. |
| Other oils | .. | .. | .. | 189,340 | 642,819 | 158,391 |
| Other products | .. | .. | .. | 1,166,009 | 767,247 | 225,975 |
| U.S.A. | .. | .. | .. | 1,052,809 | 408,025 | 71,739 |

Nil -

Not available ..

Table 17 - EXPORTS OF FISHERY PRODUCTS

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| Kind and Destination | January | | | |
|--|--------------|--------|-----------|-----------|
| | Quantity (1) | | Value (1) | |
| | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 |
| - '000 lb. - | | | | |
| TOTAL EXPORTS | | | 8,193,561 | 8,321,357 |
| A. FRESH AND FROZEN WHOLE OR DRESSED (2) | 10,259 | 10,765 | 2,079,080 | 2,208,640 |
| Cod, Atlantic: | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 380 | 438 | 42,502 | 41,097 |
| Frozen, " | 40 | 64 | 3,037 | 10,092 |
| Cod, Lingcod etc., Pacific: | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | - | 1 | - | 84 |
| Frozen, " | 218 | 82 | 23,520 | 8,077 |
| Haddock etc.: (3) | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 386 | 513 | 38,602 | 45,764 |
| Frozen, " | 37 | 14 | 5,438 | 1,835 |
| Halibut: | | | | |
| Fresh, dressed | 14 | 5 | 5,448 | 1,675 |
| Frozen, " | 806 | 366 | 205,065 | 79,428 |
| Herring, sea | 180 | 655 | 11,094 | 18,840 |
| Salmon, Atlantic: | | | | |
| Fresh, whole or dressed | 9 | 2 | 3,340 | 572 |
| Frozen, " " " | 13 | 18 | 5,058 | 6,813 |
| Salmon, Pacific: | | | | |
| Fresh, whole or dressed | 15 | 41 | 4,959 | 13,331 |
| Frozen, " " " | 1,066 | 503 | 320,903 | 136,055 |
| Smelts, fresh or frozen | 1,028 | 1,257 | 231,564 | 227,892 |
| Other seafish | 139 | 440 | 17,725 | 310,154 |
| a. Total, seafish | 4,331 | 4,399 | 918,255 | 901,609 |
| Lake Herring | 25 | 211 | 3,298 | 50,190 |
| Perch | 162 | 209 | 27,055 | 42,453 |
| Pickerel | 1,494 | 1,401 | 322,936 | 307,855 |
| Pike | 736 | 719 | 75,512 | 93,140 |
| Sauger | 1,354 | 594 | 198,942 | 92,879 |
| Sturgeon | 3 | 16 | 1,670 | 13,475 |
| Trout | 339 | 342 | 98,147 | 103,208 |
| Tullibee | 103 | 559 | 7,961 | 57,394 |
| Whitefish: | | | | |
| Fresh | 1,063 | 1,619 | 300,337 | 434,935 |
| Frozen | 313 | 370 | 80,117 | 75,214 |
| Other freshwater fish | 336 | 326 | 44,850 | 36,288 |
| b. Total, freshwater fish | 5,928 | 6,366 | 1,160,825 | 1,307,031 |
| B. FRESH AND FROZEN FILLETS | 4,286 | 3,344 | 980,743 | 724,688 |
| Cod, Atlantic: | | | | |
| Fresh | 430 | 549 | 87,211 | 113,847 |
| Frozen | 1,413 | 1,466 | 246,994 | 263,894 |
| Haddock etc. | 725 | 804 | 172,737 | 165,481 |
| Flatfish | 322 | 158 | 98,959 | 47,567 |
| Other seafish fillets | 747 | 52 | 141,121 | 16,065 |
| a. Total, seafish fillets | 3,637 | 2,977 | 747,022 | 590,789 |
| b. Total, freshwater fillets | 649 | 367 | 233,721 | 133,899 |

(1) NEWFOUNDLAND included beginning 1 January 1949

(3) Haddock, pollock, hake, cusk, rosefish, catfish

(2) Main market for fresh and frozen fish in

U.S.A.

Table 17 - EXPORTS OF FISHERY PRODUCTS - continued

| Kind and Destination | January | | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------|-------|-----------|-----------|
| | Quantity (1) | | Value (1) | |
| | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 |
| - '000 lb. - | | | | |
| C. SMOKED FISH | 1,633 | 1,333 | 271,381 | 188,788 |
| Haddock | 25 | 18 | 6,034 | 3,727 |
| Herring, sea | 1,225 | 953 | 163,831 | 95,724 |
| U.S.A. | 189 | 100 | 33,825 | 15,306 |
| Dominican Republic | 393 | 317 | 51,471 | 29,426 |
| Haiti | 616 | 413 | 75,707 | 38,833 |
| Cod fillets | 367 | 321 | 94,790 | 79,499 |
| Haddock etc., fillets (2) | 7 | 36 | 1,365 | 7,887 |
| Other smoked fish | 9 | 5 | 5,361 | 1,951 |
| D. SALTED FISH | 13,693 | 9,140 | 1,820,991 | 1,654,707 |
| Cod, salted and dried | 7,837 | 7,472 | 1,292,863 | 1,339,262 |
| Barbados | 121 | 292 | 15,884 | 37,625 |
| Jamaica | 279 | 970 | 47,711 | 166,448 |
| Trinidad | - | 977 | - | 172,872 |
| Leeward Windward Is. | 185 | 116 | 25,759 | 21,126 |
| Brazil | 196 | 1,742 | 39,807 | 339,658 |
| Cuba | 1,086 | 1,274 | 223,218 | 245,304 |
| Italy | - | 126 | - | 26,519 |
| Portugal | 27,246 | - | 375,931 | - |
| Porto Rico | 2,393 | 151 | 399,811 | 25,780 |
| U.S.A. | 363 | 415 | 66,683 | 68,085 |
| Cod, salted boneless | 638 | 524 | 166,730 | 134,565 |
| U.S.A. | 633 | 516 | 165,763 | 132,947 |
| Cod, wet-salted | 227 | 90 | 26,224 | 10,661 |
| U.S.A. | 212 | 85 | 22,174 | 9,173 |
| Haddock etc., salted and dried | 801 | 1,034 | 132,948 | 166,753 |
| Br. Guiana | 174 | 137 | 29,902 | 21,683 |
| Cuba | 40 | 140 | 7,876 | 24,007 |
| Dominican Republic | 333 | 292 | 54,308 | 51,263 |
| Porto Rico | 102 | 274 | 17,124 | 41,958 |
| Haddock etc., salted boneless | 13 | 18 | 2,025 | 3,037 |
| Other salted fish | 4,177 | 2 | 200,201 | 429 |
| E. PICKLED FISH | 2,707 | 4,857 | 245,468 | 503,184 |
| Herring, sea | 1,034 | 3,706 | 83,591 | 377,555 |
| Jamaica | 351 | 63 | 23,638 | 4,005 |
| U.S.A. | 675 | 177 | 59,225 | 16,079 |
| Mackerel | 803 | 415 | 77,467 | 52,018 |
| Jamaica | 304 | 11 | 27,029 | 1,048 |
| U.S.A. | 356 | 149 | 37,721 | 22,534 |
| Other pickled fish | 870 | 736 | 84,410 | 73,611 |
| F. CANNED FISH | 1,545 | 1,808 | 328,755 | 413,507 |
| Herring, sea | 145 | 591 | 17,747 | 83,711 |
| Gold Coast | 1 | 140 | 138 | 20,831 |
| Belgian Congo | 4 | 97 | 199 | 15,148 |
| U.S.A. | 53 | 34 | 8,780 | 5,095 |

(1) NEWFOUNDLAND included beginning 1 January 1949

(2) Haddock, pollock, hake, cusk, rosefish, catfish

Table 17 - EXPORTS OF FISHERY PRODUCTS - concluded

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February 1950

| Kind and Destination | January | | | |
|--|--------------|--------|-----------|-----------|
| | Quantity (1) | | Value (1) | |
| | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 |
| | - '000 lb. - | | \$ | \$ |
| F. CANNED FISH - concluded | | | | |
| Sardines | 371 | 435 | 70,871 | 84,484 |
| Gold Coast | - | 65 | - | 8,912 |
| Trinidad | - | 10 | - | 2,475 |
| Hong Kong | 8 | - | 1,500 | - |
| Venezuela | 39 | 5 | 4,358 | 2,000 |
| U.S.A. | 2 | 41 | 552 | 7,622 |
| Salmon | 1,028 | 757 | 239,911 | 238,856 |
| Belgium | 137 | 66 | 33,293 | 25,421 |
| Italy | 12 | 245 | 2,494 | 76,956 |
| Israel | 6 | - | 1,100 | - |
| U.S.A. | 74 | 86 | 15,159 | 17,451 |
| Other canned fish | 1 | 25 | 226 | 6,456 |
| G. MOLLUSCS AND CRUSTACEANS (2) | 2,989 | 2,425 | 1,298,389 | 968,341 |
| Clams, fresh and frozen | 430 | 376 | 52,074 | 38,608 |
| In shell | 351 | 294 | 17,059 | 15,134 |
| Shucked | 79 | 82 | 35,015 | 23,474 |
| Lobsters, fresh and frozen | 2,451 | 2,002 | 1,113,471 | 892,580 |
| Other, fresh and frozen | 21 | 23 | 6,311 | 5,272 |
| Lobsters, canned | 84 | 23 | 125,008 | 30,416 |
| Belgium | 3 | - | 6,116 | - |
| U.S.A. | 79 | 22 | 116,088 | 28,987 |
| Other shellfish canned | 3 | 1 | 1,525 | 1,465 |
| H. MISCELLANEOUS | .. | .. | 1,168,754 | 1,659,502 |
| Meal | 3,380 | 10,672 | 328,615 | 760,453 |
| U.S.A. | 3,380 | 6,655 | 328,615 | 500,091 |
| Oil, grayfish liver | 3 | 35 | 2,382 | 76,599 |
| U.S.A. | - | 30 | - | 54,289 |
| Oil, other pharmaceutical | 595 | 84 | 70,568 | 89,179 |
| U.S.A. | 595 | 44 | 70,568 | 69,768 |
| Oils, other | 8,471 | 3,533 | 636,684 | 620,083 |
| Belgium | 2,629 | - | 294,078 | - |
| Germany | 1,743 | - | 94,914 | - |
| U.S.A. | 4,075 | 888 | 245,582 | 137,301 |
| Other products | .. | .. | 130,505 | 113,188 |

(1) NEWFOUNDLAND included beginning 1 January 1949

(2) Main market is U.S.A.

Nil -

Not available ..

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Table 18 - Index Numbers, Wholesale Prices of Fishery Products
and Relevant Series, 1940 - 1950

| | Fishery Products Wholesale (1935-39 = 100) | Meat and Poultry Wholesale (1935-39 = 100) | All Foods Wholesale (1935-39 = 100) | Salaries and Payrolls All Industry (June 1, 1941 = 100) | Cost of Living Canada (1935-39 = 100) | Cost of Living U.S.A. (1935-39 = 100) | Cost of Living U.K. (1935-39 = 100) |
|--------------------|--|--|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| 1940 | 114.0 | 106.0 | 105.0 | | 105.6 | 100.2 | 116.5 |
| 1941 | 127.9 | 125.9 | 119.0 | | 111.7 | 105.2 | 128.9 |
| 1942 | 152.8 | 140.8 | 130.5 | 127.5 | 117.0 | 116.5 | 126.6 |
| 1943 | 176.3 | 139.6 | 136.2 | 143.7 | 118.4 | 123.6 | 125.9 |
| 1944 | 179.3 | 150.6 | 134.9 | 147.1 | 118.9 | 125.5 | 128.5 |
| 1945 | 179.0 | 152.8 | 137.5 | 142.1 | 119.5 | 128.4 | 128.5 |
| 1946 | 197.4 | 159.3 | 142.7 | 142.6 | 123.6 | 139.2 | 128.8 |
| 1947 | 217.2 | 174.1 | 162.8 | 172.6 | 127.8 | 159.2 | 129.5 |
| 1948 | 247.1 | 246.6 | 202.5 | 199.0 | 154.9 | 171.2 | 138.4 |
| 1949 January | 261.1 | 264.9 | 205.2 | 204.1 | 159.6 | 170.9 | 140.1 |
| February | 260.2 | 257.3 | 202.0 | 207.1 | 159.5 | 169.0 | 140.1 |
| March | 259.0 | 264.1 | 201.5 | 207.2 | 159.2 | 169.5 | 140.1 |
| April | 262.0 | 269.1 | 205.5 | 206.4 | 159.3 | 169.7 | 140.1 |
| May | 254.5 | 267.8 | 205.9 | 207.2 | 159.5 | 169.2 | 142.6 |
| June | 259.6 | 275.4 | 209.6 | 208.9 | 160.5 | 169.6 | 142.6 |
| July | 263.8 | 272.3 | 211.5 | 216.6 | 162.1 | 168.5 | 142.6 |
| August | 249.8 | 262.2 | 207.1 | 217.8 | 162.8 | 168.8 | 142.6 |
| September | 249.8 | 258.0 | 205.6 | 221.4 | 162.3 | 169.6 | 143.9 |
| October | 248.1 | 249.9 | 203.9 | 223.2 | 162.2 | 168.5 | 143.9 |
| November | 241.4 | 250.0 | 203.2 | 224.2 | 161.7 | 168.6 | 146.5 |
| December | 248.5 | 251.5 | 201.8 | 224.1 | 161.5 | 167.5 | 145.2 |
| 1950 January | 250.2 | 247.5 | 201.2 | 209.2 | 161.0 | 166.9 | .. |

Table 19 - Average Prices Received by Fishermen as at February 15, 1950 and 1949
(cents per pound as landed)

| Reporting Point | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 | 1950 | 1949 |
|-------------------------------|---------|------|---------|------|----------|------|----------|------|---------|------|
| | Cod | | Haddock | | Hake | | Halibut | | | |
| | | | | | | | Medium | | Chicken | |
| North Sydney | - | 3½ | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Halifax | 4-3½ | 4½-4 | 6½-6 | 5½-5 | 1½ | 1½ | 30 | 20 | 23 | 16 |
| Yarmouth | 4 | 5 | 7 | 6 | 2 | 2 | - | 35 | - | 35 |
| Souris | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Caraquet | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Quebec (Province) | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Pt. aux Basques (Nfld.) | 3 | .. | 3 | .. | | | | | | |
| St. John's (Nfld.) | 2½ | .. | 3 | .. | | | | | | |
| Vancouver | 5 | 5 | | | | | - | - | - | - |
| Prince Rupert | 3 | 3 | | | | | - | - | - | - |
| | Herring | | Smelts | | Rosefish | | Lobsters | | | |
| North Sydney | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Halifax | - | - | 19 | 17 | - | - | - | 35 | | |
| Yarmouth | - | - | 20 | - | - | - | 63 | 50 | | |
| Souris | - | - | 10 | 8 | - | - | - | - | | |
| Caraquet | - | - | 12 | 6 | - | - | - | - | | |
| Quebec (Province) | - | - | 12 | - | - | - | - | - | | |
| Pt. aux Basques (Nfld.) | 1½ | .. | 10 | .. | - | - | - | - | | |
| St. John's (Nfld.) | - | .. | - | .. | 2 | .. | - | - | | |
| Vancouver | - | 1½ | | | | | | | | |
| Prince Rupert | 1½-1 | 1½ | | | | | | | | |

Nil -

Not available ..

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Table 20 - Mid-month Wholesale Prices, February 1950 (F.O.B.)

| | | unit | Halifax | Montreal | Toronto | Winnipeg | Vancouver |
|-----------------|---|------------------------|---------|----------|---------|----------|-----------|
| <u>ATLANTIC</u> | Cod fillets, fresh, not packaged | lb. | - | .270 | .265 | .340 | - |
| | Cod fillets, frozen, not packaged | " | - | .233 | .249 | .255 | - |
| | Cod fillets, frozen, packaged | " | .224 | - | .261 | .260 | - |
| | Cod fillets, smoked | " | .250 | .305 | .305 | .300 | - |
| | Haddock fillets, fresh | " | .278 | .350 | .343 | .420 | - |
| | Herring, kippered | " | .173 | .225 | .232 | .240 | - |
| | Mackerel, frozen, round | " | .143 | .157 | .179 | .200 | - |
| | Smelts, frozen, No. 1 | " | - | .347 | .314 | .325 | - |
| <u>CANNED</u> | Lobster, Fancy Grade | 48- $\frac{1}{2}$'s | 32.425 | 33.000 | 31.550 | 32.200 | 33.900 |
| | Sardines, smoked in vegetable oil, with key opener | 100- $3\frac{1}{2}$'s | - | - | 9.113 | 9.575 | - |
| <u>PACIFIC</u> | Halibut, frozen, 10-60 lb. headless and dressed | lb. | .337 | .353 | .342 | .335 | .263 |
| | Salmon, frozen, Coho, headless and dressed | " | - | .450 | .427 | .425 | .338 |
| | Lingcod, fresh | " | - | - | - | - | .127 |
| <u>CANNED</u> | Salmon, Sockeye (certified) Grade A | 48- $\frac{1}{2}$'s | - | - | 21.605 | - | 18.125 |
| | Salmon, Coho, (certified) Grade A | " | 14.350 | 14.300 | 14.175 | 14.270 | 13.850 |
| <u>INLAND</u> | Whitefish, fresh | lb. | - | - | .320 | .330 | - |
| | Whitefish, frozen | " | - | - | .251 | .210 | - |
| | Lake Salmon-Trout, fresh | " | - | - | .410 | .425 | - |
| | Lake Salmon-Trout, frozen | " | - | .373 | .303 | .255 | - |
| | Blue Pickerel, frozen | " | - | .277 | - | - | - |

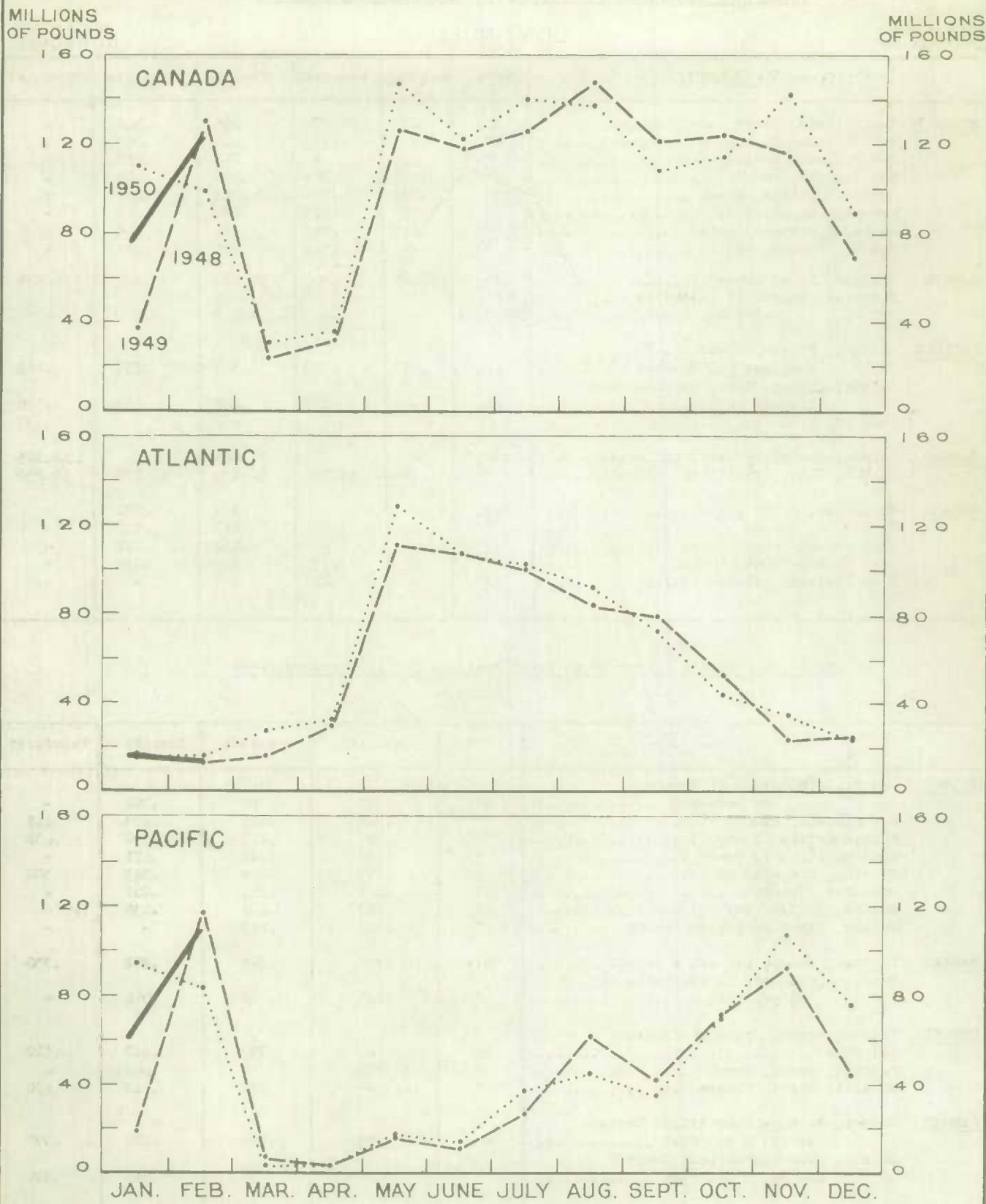
Table 21 - Retail Prices as at First Business Day of February, 1950

| | | unit | Halifax | Montreal | Toronto | Vancouver |
|-----------------|--|------|---------|----------|---------|-----------|
| <u>ATLANTIC</u> | Cod fillets, fresh or frozen, not packaged | lb. | .337 | .390 | .382 | - |
| | Cod fillets, smoked | " | .345 | .437 | .450 | .448 |
| | Pinnan Haddie | " | .367 | .410 | .430 | .436 |
| | Haddock fillets, fresh | " | .433 | .448 | .471 | - |
| | Herring, kippered | " | .277 | .258 | .343 | .300 |
| | Mackerel, frozen | " | .223 | .254 | .261 | - |
| | Smelts, frozen, No. 1 | " | .387 | .426 | .439 | (P) - |
| | Salmon, fresh or frozen, steak | " | .613 | .613 | - | - |
| <u>CANNED</u> | Lobster, fancy, net wt. 6 oz. | tin | .780 | .710 | .702 | .730 |
| | Sardines, smoked, in vegetable oil, $3\frac{1}{2}$ oz. flat | " | .123 | .118 | .094 | - |
| <u>PACIFIC</u> | Salmon, steak, fresh or frozen:- (a) Coho | lb. | - | .593 | .647 | .510 |
| | Halibut, steak, fresh | " | (A).570 | - | .600 | - |
| | Halibut, steak, frozen | " | (A) - | .554 | .540 | .400 |
| <u>CANNED</u> | Salmon, Sockeye (certified) Grade A net wt. 8 oz. flat | tin | .473 | .406 | .426 | .390 |
| | Salmon, Coho (certified) Grade A net wt. 8 oz. flat | " | - | .326 | .327 | .310 |
| <u>INLAND</u> | Whitefish, fresh | lb. | - | - | .526 | - |
| | Lake Salmon-Trout | " | - | - | .637 | - |
| | Blue Pickerel, fresh | " | - | - | .694 | - |

(A) - Atlantic

(P) - Pacific

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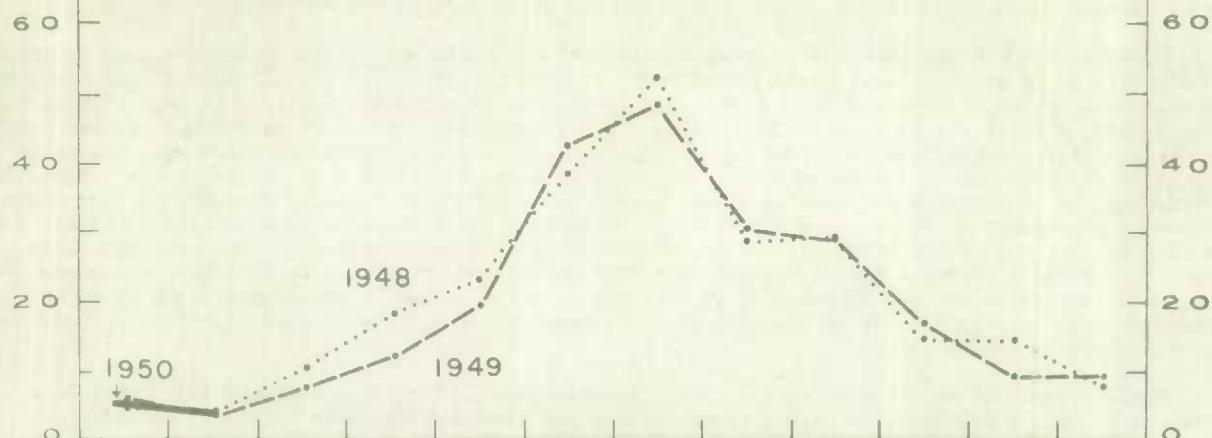
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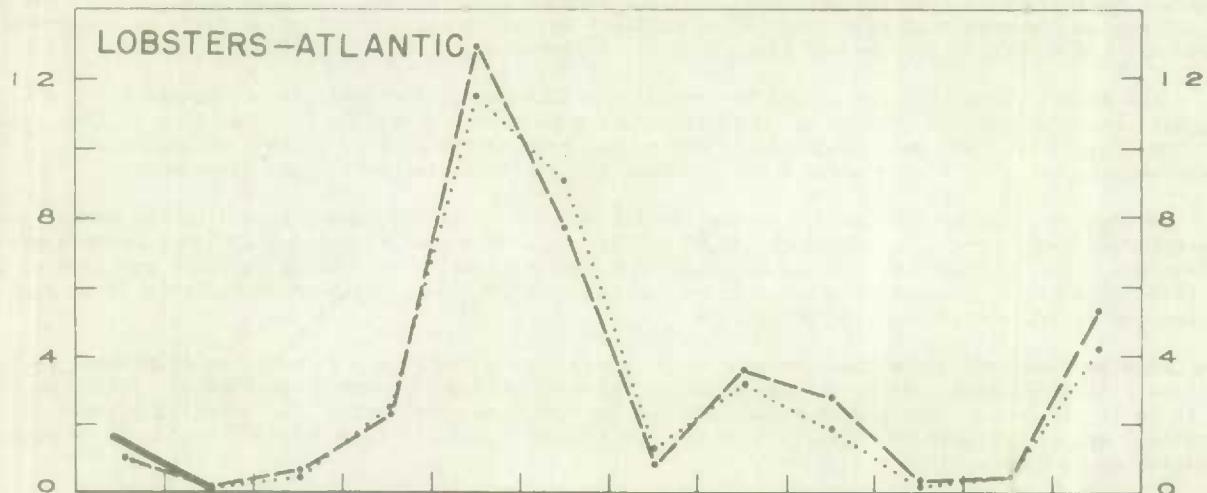
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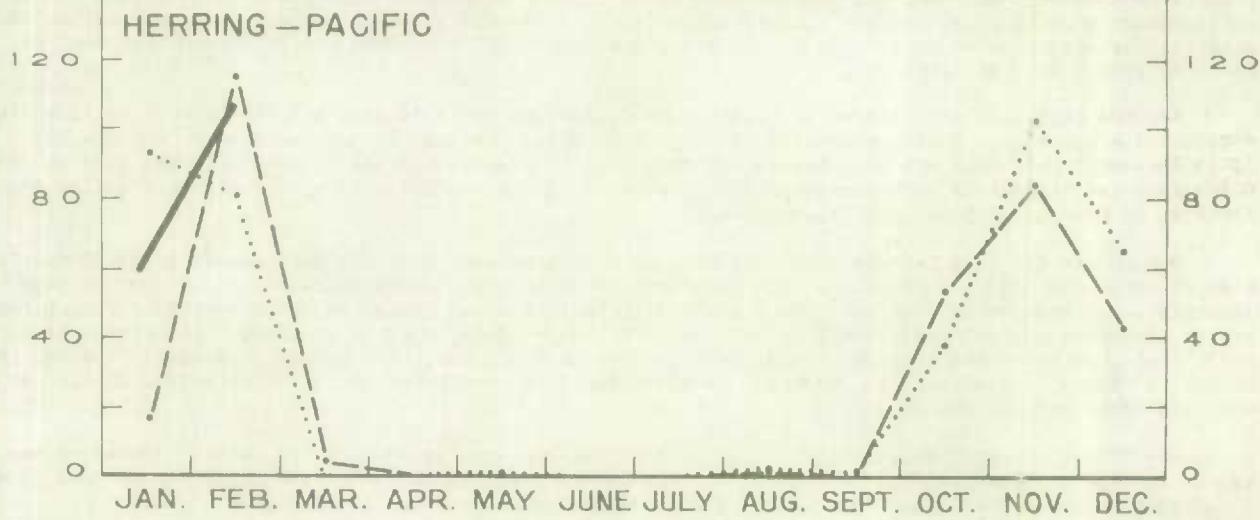
COD-ATLANTIC



LOBSTERS-ATLANTIC



HERRING-PACIFIC



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LES IMPORTATIONS DES PRODUITS DE LA PÊCHE ONT LÉGEREMENT DIMINUÉ EN 1949 (1)

Les importations canadiennes des produits de la pêche en 1949 ont été de \$6.2 millions, ce qui représente une diminution de \$0.5 millions par rapport à l'année précédente. Nos achats d'huile de baleine et de spermaceti ont substantiellement décrue et cette diminution n'a pas été contre-balancée par un accroissement pour les mollusques, les crustacés et le poisson frais.

L'analyse de nos importations et la comparaison avec l'année précédente est rendue plus difficile par l'entrée de Terre-Neuve dans la Confédération. D'après les registres des ports de douane, le total des importations canadiennes fut de \$6.7 millions en 1949 comparativement à \$11.8 millions l'année précédente. Le chiffre de 1948 comprend nos achats faits à Terre-Neuve au cours de l'année entière tandis que celui de 1949 ne comprend la valeur de nos importations de telle provenance que durant les trois premiers mois de l'année - les transactions ayant par la suite la nature d'un simple échange inter-provincial. La comparaison des deux dernières années est rendue significative en éliminant nos importations en provenance de Terre-Neuve pour 1948 et durant les trois premiers mois de 1949. Par ailleurs, les importations des produits de la pêche à Terre-Neuve ont été négligeables au cours des dernières années. Le procédé consiste donc à comparer nos importations en provenance de tout pays autre que Terre-Neuve pour les deux dernières années. De la sorte, nous obtenons les chiffres mentionnés au début du présent article et s'appliquant au Canada dans sont ensemble actuel. Les observations qui suivent sont faites sur cette base également.

Nos importations de poisson frais ou congelé furent de \$0.77 million en 1949, soit trois fois celles de l'année précédente, en raison d'entrées accrues de saumon frais de l'Alaska, de flétan et d'autres espèces des Etats-Unis. Nos achats de poisson traité furent de \$0.31 million, ce qui représente un léger accroissement spécialement pour le hareng saumuré - par rapport à l'année précédente. Les entrées de poisson en conserve sont passées de \$1.19 millions en 1948 à \$1.04 millions en 1949, la diminution affectant les sardines, les anchois et le thon en conserve.

Les restrictions à l'importation des certains mollusques et crustacés en provenance des Etats-Unis ont été levées en janvier 1949 et en conséquence nos achats sont passés de \$0.27 million en 1948 à \$1.81 million l'année suivante pour ce groupe de produits. Nos importations de crabes, crevettes etc. en conserve ont atteint plus d'un million alors qu'elles étaient inexistantes l'année précédente.

En raison d'approvisionnements généralement abondants en huiles, nos achats d'huiles marines ont substantiellement décrue. Ils furent de \$0.70 million en 1949 comparativement à \$3.44 millions l'année précédente. Nos importations d'huile de foies de morue et d'huile concentrées furent à peu près au niveau de 1948, mais celles d'huile de baleine et de spermaceti d'origine européenne diminuèrent de 90 pour cent en passant de \$2.94 millions à \$0.27 million.

Nos importations des autres produits de la pêche furent légèrement supérieures en passant de \$1.32 million à \$1.40 million. Il y eut augmentation dans les entrées de foies de poisson et diminution dans celle de l'iode brute. Les autres items tels les éponges, les coquillages, la farine de poisson ... présentèrent peu de changements, bien qu'il y ait une tendance générale à accroître l'emploi de ce sous-produits de la pêche.

Les Etats-Unis ont fourni les deux tiers de nos importations en 1949 comparativement à un tiers l'année précédente. En 1948, nos importations en provenance de ce pays furent de \$2.1 millions; elles atteignirent \$4.0 en 1949, à cause principalement de la levée des restrictions sur les importations des huîtres, des crevettes en conserve etc. En plus, nos achats en provenance de l'Alaska s'accrurent de \$0.06 million à \$0.4 million.

D'autre part, les expéditions du Royaume-Uni firent une chute de \$3.0 millions à \$0.3 million, la diminution s'appliquant principalement à l'huile de baleine. Nos achats des colonies du Royaume-Uni (principalement Hong Kong) se sont légèrement accrues. L'Union Sud-Africaine nous a fourni pour la première fois des langoustes en conserve pour une valeur de \$38,000. Par contre, nos achats d'huiles concentrées de Nouvelle-Zélande ont été supprimés.

Nos achats des pays faisant partie du Plan de Rétablissement Européen sont passés de \$1.06 million à \$1.03, soit une légère diminution. Nos importations de Norvège, notre fournisseur européen le plus important, ont diminué de \$0.82 million à \$0.76 million tout comme celles en provenance de Portugal, en raison d'entrées moins importantes chez nous de sardines, anchois, etc. en conserve. Nos achats de hareng saumuré en provenance des Pays-Bas s'accrurent de \$58,000 à \$81,000. Les autres pays tels l'Italie, la Suède, la France, l'Icelande, le Danemark, le Maroc et autres accrurent leurs ventes chez nous bien qu'elles n'atteignirent pas une grande valeur.

Nos fournisseurs d'Amérique Latine les plus importants sont le Pérou et le Chili. Toutefois nos achats de thon en conserve et d'iode brute ont diminué en 1949, de sorte que nos importations totales de l'Amérique Latine ont subi un léger déclin (de \$0.27 million à \$0.15 million).

Le seul autre pays fournisseur d'importance est le Japon qui a augmenté ses expéditions chez nous de \$22,000 en 1948 à \$80,000 en 1949.

(1) Préparé par la division économique, Ministère des pêcheries.