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- p. 67 line 15. Should read: " $y=ab^{-x}$ , or log  $y=K_1-K_2x$ , where y is the percentage value,  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  are"
- p. 77 Figure 24. Substitute in upper graph:  $y=ab^{-x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  for  $y=ab^{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ in lower graph:  $y=ax^{-b}$  for  $y=ax^{b}$

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  - "of the numbers recovered in each 10 mile unit decreased as the square root of the distance increased (Table 14, Figure 24, upper). If the numbers of returns be called y, the distances x, and constants a and b, the formula is  $\log y = \log a - \sqrt{x} \log b$ , or  $y = ab^{-x^2}$  where a = 6091.5 and b = 2.218. This formula does not fit the more distant migrants even approximately. A better one from this standpoint is  $y = ax^{-b}$  (or  $\log y = \log a - b \log x$ ) where for all returns,  $\log a = 4.13335$  and b = 1.56607, for the number of individuals shown in the tables (using"
- p. 79 Figure 25. Substitute:  $y = ax^{-b}$ , for  $y = ax^{b}$
- p. 80 Table 14. Substitute:  $y = ab^{-x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$ , for  $y = ab^{x^{\frac{1}{2}}}$  $y = ax^{-b}$ , for  $y = ax^{b}$

#### FOREWORD

The present is the second report made by the International Fisheries Commission, and forms the first publication of scientific results obtained under the terms of the Convention between the United States and Great Britain for the preservation of the halibut fishery of the Northern Pacific Ocean, including Bering Sea.

The first report presented the recommendations of the commission for the further regulation of the halibut fishery, and has been published by the Canadian Government in 1928, by the Province of British Columbia in the Report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for 1928, and is in press for publication by the United States Bureau of Fisheries in the current year.

Further reports made will bear serial numbers and will be issued separately by the commission.

The investigations have been carried on by a staff under the direction of William F. Thompson, with headquarters and laboratory at the University of Washington, Seattle, U.S.A.

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FIG. 1.—Pacific Coast from Cape Mendocino to Cape St. James, showing the tagging localities in black and the statistical areas by dotted lines. The numbers given for each tagging location refer to Appendix A.

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FIG. 2.—Pacific Coast from Cape Scott to Cape Spencer, showing the tagging localities in black and the statistical areas by dotted lines. The numbers given for each tagging location refer to Appendix A.



FIG. 3.—Pacific Coast from Cape Spencer to the Aleutian Islands, showing the tagging localities in black and the statistical areas by dotted lines. The numbers given for each tagging location refer to Appendix A. The insert shows the entire coast line divided into sections shown in Figs. 1, 2, and 3.

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## ERRATA

(1) Page 112, column 4, the 7th item should read: 141:14:30.

(2) Page 122, No. 2335, column 10, should read: 97.7.

(3) Page 122, No. 2357, column 4, should read: 141:17.

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#### INTRODUCTION

The investigations of the International Fisheries Commission, established under the treaty between the United States and Canada for the regulation of the Pacific halibut fisheries, were begun in the summer of 1925. They were designed to answer questions of primary importance in regulation. The most important was the amount of migration between banks, this to be stated in terms which could be actually applied to a given problem. Another, hardly less urgent, was the rate at which the fish were removed by the fishery or by natural death. These two questions pertain to the problem of providing for the administrator a knowledge of the history of the stock of fish on any bank, both as the fishery affects it and as it disperses, or adds to itself by migration.

No review of the literature is needed to show that our knowledge of methods to be applied in this problem is extremely scanty. The most direct approach, and at the same time the one at present followed with what seems the crudest technique, is that of marking.

Studies of racial characters, of differing growth rates, and of relative abundance in the several areas have been carried on and will be reported elsewhere.

The prominence of migration as a factor in regulation has been sharply emphasized by the observed effect of the existing closed season of three winter months. This has restricted the fishery at a time when it would otherwise be largely concentrated on the famous Yakutat spawning grounds. The drain upon the stock there has been greatly reduced, but an equally great intensification has occurred on adjacent areas during the remainder of the year, and the total amount taken has not been reduced. If the stocks of fish on the protected and open banks are the same, both areas being included in the migratory range of the same fish, then the net amount of drain necessarily has been unchanged. But if the stocks are different, that one which breeds at Yakutat is being protected. It has become evident that the distribution and movements of this stock determine the value of the regulation.

This important part played by migration is equally evident when future regulations are considered. There are very few of them which do not involve differences in the treatment to be accorded various areas, or various stages of the life history, and in each case the degree of migration and rate of recapture is of primary importance.

#### ACKNOWLEDGMENTS

The members of the staff of the International Fisheries Commission have all had part in the present work. This is because, in the operation of the vessel and in the collection of returns, extensive co-operation among the men concerned with the several lines of work was necessary. The senior author is responsible for the planning of the experiments throughout, and until the fall of 1927, for their execution, with the assistance of Mr. Harry A. Dunlop in particular.

In that year the junior author was given responsibility for the carrying out of the marking program. Messrs Harry A. Dunlop, F. Heward Bell, Richard Van Cleve, Norman L. Freeman, Olaf E. Eriksen, Ernest Pegler, and Roger S. Chute have all participated actively at sea and in collection of tags. During the past year Mr. J. L. Kask has collected tags in Prince Rupert. Permanent members of the staff assisting in correspondence with fishermen and in preparation of records or manuscript are Mrs. Fred Eastman, Miss Dorothy Myers, and Miss Olivia Froula.

The cordial co-operation of the fishermen, the captains, and the dealers has been fundamentally important and has always been obtained. Assistance and accommodations have been received from the United States Bureau of Fisheries, the Biological Board of Canada, and the Canadian Department of Marine and Fisheries.

The University of Washington at Seattle has furnished laboratory accommodations throughout the entire work. To the President and members of the faculty, the commission is obligated for many courtesies. Without these and the library facilities which were freely granted, effective research would have been very difficult.

The program has been discussed and approved by the scientific advisory board, appointed by the commission, and the several members of this board have aided the work in every way possible. The members of this board have been Dr. C. McLean Fraser, Dr. W. A. Clemens, Mr. N. B. Scofield, and the late John N. Cobb.

#### GENERAL DISCUSSION OF THE EXPERIMENTS AND THE CONCLUSIONS REACHED

The halibut fishery is one of the oldest on the Pacific Coast. But it is so only because the settlement of that region has been relatively recent. The fishery has developed with it since 1888 as the result of railroad communication with the eastern markets. The total catch had climbed rapidly to fifty-three millions of pounds by 1910, to fluctuate since at about the same level.

This maintenance of total yield has not meant stability, for it has been at the cost of rapid expansion of the grounds and of multiplied efficiency. The industry has, indeed, survived as a major fishery only by constant development of the fleet and its methods. Upon this development, as it may be served by scientific and technical advance, depends its future.

The story is, indeed, that of a constantly intensified and broadened strain. Under this the abundance on each section of the banks has declined, as yet without cessation. This depletion is an accepted fact and conservation is universally desired, but how it is to be brought about has been a serious question, one deeply involved with economic and biological considerations.

The trade has advocated two principal measures, one a winter closed season, the other the closure of areas inhabited by small fish, hence popularly termed nurseries. The former, based upon the belief that winter spawning should not be hindered, has been embodied in the existing treaty, the latter has been repeatedly urged as an additional regulation.

The effectiveness of both of these depends upon the migratory habits of the halibut. The closed season restricts the activities of the fleet when it would otherwise be largely concentrated on the famous Yakutat spawning grounds, thus protecting the mature fish which gather there. But to what banks do these belong during the open season? Are they confined to those off Yakutat, or do they migrate from up and down the coast to spawn? In the extent of this migration lies the answer to the question as to the true value of the closure, whether the schools concerned are taken at no other time in quantity, or whether from them an undiminished yearly total is taken while they are on other grounds. The closed areas for young fish present a similar problem, in a simpler and more direct fashion.

The movement of the fish is important from another viewpoint, that of the fleet. The fleet is broken into sections each interested in a different part of the banks. Does one section catch from a different stock of fish than do the others, or from the same? Can the fleet be given diversified treatment in accord with its varied needs, or must it be treated as a unit?

Although the present fleet is divided between several ports, these geographic divisions do not come into conflict over the desired regulations to the same degree as the two classes known as "big-boat" and "small-boat" men. The former use the western grounds in great part and the latter only the southern. In the case of the present closed season the big-boat men feel that it is conservation at their expense because it affects their fishery most. Any other regulation which may be proposed will be judged similarly. It was to be able to meet just such contrasting interests that the commission undertook a study to see how far the fish taken by one of these groups was dependent on that used by the other. Whether, in other words, one group could logically leave the burden of conservation with the other.

In fact all possible regulations are conditioned by the movements of the fish concerned. And if regulations should be framed without regard to these movements, then a knowledge of the latter is needed to understand the results that will come.

Migration is best studied by marking experiments. It is true that if there is no movement to and fro the halibut on each bank will develop their own physical peculiarities, and much can be learned by the study of these. But the most direct and simple way is to mark fish and see where they are recovered. It is an old method, having been in use on salmon from the earliest days, even Isaac Walton describing the use of silk marks.

In the experiments of the commission, the results of which are here spoken of, the tags used were simple straps of monel metal bent over the edge of the cheekbone, through which one pointed end passed, to be clamped into the other. On each tag was a number. The fish were caught by ordinary methods of commercial fishing. Those not seriously injured formed less than 50 per cent of the total. These were selected and were quickly tagged, a record was made of each length and of locality of liberation, and the fish were thrown overboard. A reward was offered for their return with information, and a larger reward was offered for the fish with the tag attached.

The marking experiments were carefully distributed, so as to represent the species fairly. The results are therefore applicable to the banks as a whole, rather than to any individual area.

The first marking was done in 1925, when the motor vessel "Seamaid," 65 feet in length, was used to tag 3,339 fish in Hecate Strait, Dixon Entrance, and the outer coast from Cape Ommaney to Cape St. James. During 1926 another motor vessel, 100 feet in length, the "Scandia," was used to tag 3,215 fish on the Goose Island ground north of Vancouver Island, in Hecate Strait and near Cape Addington in Southeastern Alaska. In 1926 the same vessel tagged 1,748 fish on the famous Yakutat spawning grounds, and in the following year, the "Dorothy," of the same size, tagged 1,338 on the nearby W Ground and 1,214 on Portlock Bank near Kodiak Island.

The banks south of Cape Spencer and those north and west are treated separately in the returns as southern and western grounds. The fish tagged on the former were nearly all immature, those on the latter mainly mature, a very convenient division which has allowed a clear presentation of results. The migrations shown were very different for the southern and western fish, and this difference corresponds to the condition of relative maturity. In Figure 23 for the south and Figure 34 for the west the movement of each individual is shown according to the time free, the height above the base line representing the distance travelled.

The percentage returns were 37.4 per cent in the four years of the southern experiments, and in this region 20 per cent were retaken during the first complete season. In the western experiments, 7.8 per cent were returned the first season, the only one for which complete returns are available.

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The immature marked in 1925 and 1926 on the southern grounds moved very little, 92 per cent less than 50 miles and 96 per cent less than a hundred, an average for all returns of about 22 miles. The net amount of movement increased slowly with the period of freedom, 98 per cent the first season moving less than 50 miles, 90 per cent the second, and 78 per cent the third, while the fourth season returns were not numerous enough to give a comparable figure. The increased net movement may have resulted from greater age or longer time out. But it seemed random in nature, the direction governed rather by the limits of the banks than by the existence of any apparent routes. It conformed to the results which would be expected theoretically from random movements of small extent.

The mature fish marked on the western, or Yakutat and W Grounds, differed greatly from the immature in these regards. In the various experiments only 14 per cent moved less than 50 miles, and only 29 per cent less than a hundred, or an average of about 250 miles, more than ten times that of the southern fish. The average net movement during the first season was equal to that during the second in the only experiment for which two years' returns were available, hence whatever movement took place was complete within the first year. This would give good reason to believe that the gradually increasing random scatter of the immature had been replaced by either a definite seasonal movement or one quickly complete within the available grounds.

But such returns were modified by the way in which the intensity of the fishery was distributed. If tagging was done between two localities, in one of which a large fishery was carried on and in the other a very small one, the recaptures were necessarily in the former regardless of where the fish actually went. So in studying the results this was allowed for and the chances of recapture were calculated on a basis of the amount of gear fished in each 60 mile section of the coast.

The result showed that in the case of the immature southern fish the distribution of returns was entirely dissimilar to that of the chances of recovery, for 88 per cent were retaken in the area of tagging, as compared to an expected  $6\frac{1}{2}$  per cent if the fish had distributed themselves completely among the known banks. And of course the recoveries in other than the home area were greatly below the expected. But in the western fish only 13 per cent were retaken in the home area, as compared to an expectation of  $3\frac{1}{2}$  per cent. Among the remainder of the areas to the west, the actual recoveries corresponded approximately to those expected on a basis of the amount of gear fished if distribution of migrants had been complete and without limitation. The conclusion is unmistakable, that the mature western fish migrate freely and extensively while the immature southern fish do not.

But this was not all. The western mature fish did not migrate south, but rather to the west from Yakutat. Only 5 per cent of the fish marked beyond Cape Spencer were returned from the intensive southern fishery. This is a mere dribble, as compared with the numbers which moved westward. But its presence recalls the fact that the southern grounds still support a small fishery for mature fish. As yet we have not been able to decide whether this 5 per cent that moves southward is all that maintains the southern fishery for matures. A shrewd guess would be in the affirmative.

This brings us to another interesting point in our analysis of returns. Do enough of the southern fish survive to provide spawning schools? In other words, what is the intensity of the fishery on those southern banks? The numbers of tags returned give us some indication. From these an estimate has been made that if natural mortality is discounted, the fishermen would account for over 40 per cent of the stock each year. This estimate is based upon the average for all sizes, but further examination shows that for those between 28 and 36 inches in length the rate of return is higher, about a sixth.

Yet to the fishery is added natural mortality, to produce a much more rapid rate of decline. We find that for the 1925 experiment the number of returns for each year decreased about 58 per cent below that for the previous one. Assuming that the tags dropped from living fish are relatively few, these returns must represent a more or less constant percentage of the tagged stock existent at the start of each year. If so, this tagged stock is decreasing at about 58 per cent annually. This would mean the survival of 42 per cent after the first year, and about 7 per cent after the third. Granting the very approximate nature of such calculations it can be seen that a school of five year old fish would have few of its members left by the time they were nine or ten years old. And yet it is not until the twelfth year that half the females are found to be spawning. Our catches in southern waters show that there is just such a lack of mature fish as our reasoning would indicate, except on the outer edges where there is a small fishery in late fall and early spring.

No such intensity of fishing prevails on the western grounds. Although the returns the first year are very much less, the work has not gone far enough to enable any estimates to be presented. It still remains to be seen how sustained the rate of return will be, for if the tags cease coming within a year or two it will be fair to assume that the tagged stock has disappeared, however few of the tags have by that time found their way to us.

The conclusions to be drawn from these results are very important to the industry and through it to the public. They affect profoundly the judgment to be passed on the condition of the banks and on the regulations that have already been, or will be in the future, adopted.

They show that the western and southern fisheries are now biologically nearly separate as far as the commercial sizes are concerned, whatever the larval history may show. It cannot, in the future, be denied that each region must bear the burden of its own conservation, for both big boat and small-boat men can be held responsible for allowing the growth of necessary spawners.

It is proved that within these southern banks the existing stocks of immature fish are largely non-migratory. They inhabit their home banks during the fishing season, whatever they may do during times they are not taking the bait. For that reason regulations protecting particular banks are desirable and will be efficient. The proposed nurseries are justified, in principle, although the small size of the areas presumably protects but a small proportion of the total number of fish. That such protection is necessary is shown by the alarmingly high intensity in the fishery and by the small numbers surviving to spawning size.

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The proof that mature fish migrate freely and widely on the western banks indicates the necessity of treating that district as a unit in protecting the mature stock. This does not affect any need which may arise in regard to the immature fish on these banks. It indicates the essential correctness of the commission's previously announced conclusion that the spawning fish protected by the closed season are taken freely at other times, and that while this regulation is a step in the right direction, it cannot be adequate in itself. The results indicate that the western banks will tend to decline together as long as the mature stock predominates, but not necessarily so when the immature only remain.

The report made here does not completely analyze the fish tagged to date. Only the returns of the earliest experiments are complete enough for adequate treatment. From the detailed returns now on hand there yet remains to be presented much that is vital in regard to the individual banks and to the nature of the movements made thereon.

A great deal remains to be done by further experiments before our knowledge is complete enough for purposes of regulation. We do not yet know whether the southern mature fish are migratory or not, and cannot recommend properly for the protection of the small spawning schools now to be found on the banks off the Queen Charlotte Islands and elsewhere. Nor do we know whether the western immatures are as stationary as those in southern waters —yet at the present rate of depletion the time will soon come when, as on southern grounds, there will be practically nothing but these immatures to protect. Beyond this work remaining on the known banks, there is the problem of the grounds untouched to the far westward, for the range of the halibut extends along the Aleutians and into Bering Sea. We know nothing of the relation of the stock there to that on our banks, whether it replenishes our supply or not.

So also, our study of intensities is but barely begun. Our present material has been handled according to methods which must be revised and perfected. Our returns from the western mature stock are so sparse as to fail in the reliability of the average rates of return which are obtained. It has been demonstrated that there is an alarming intensity on the southern banks, but this intensity varies with size, and the commercial catch must be analyzed to give us data as to these sizes.

Finally, from the standpoint of the future, these marking experiments present the possibility of gauging from time to time the intensity of the fishery and of estimating the percentage surviving to reach spawning size. It seems that in this a direct means of observation can be developed, one which is independent of the collection of complete statistics of catch. Marking experiments should become a really effective and much needed instrument in the control of the halibut fishery. It should be possible to follow the fate of the stock on any bank, its decrease through death, capture, and emigration, and its increase through immigration.

A more detailed summary of results is presented on page 105.

#### SECTION A.—METHODS

#### METHOD OF ATTACHMENT

The marking experiments were begun in June of 1925. In considering the method of tagging, the characteristic shape and habits of the halibut, as well as the methods of the fishery, were deciding factors.

The halibut is, of course, large in size, and more valuable per pound than the majority of species. A fish of 15 pounds weight is worth from \$1.50 to \$2.50 or more to the fisherman, and many fish weigh as much as 80 or more pounds. A system of rigid inspection and culling by the buyers is in operation. As a result, no tag could be considered which would injure or blemish the body of the fish in any way, primarily because it was necessary to retain the good-will of the fishermen. If the body had been injured it would have been necessary to pay the cost of the fish in addition to any rewards offered.

This decision on economic grounds against the usual body tag was re inforced by a consideration of the shape of the halibut, it being a thick-bodied fish. To successfully attach a tag on the body would have meant a long wire through its center in the vicinity of the back bone. To attach it elsewhere would have necessitated the placing of the tag on very oblique surfaces, where it would soon have worked loose or even become entirely detached. Finally, to thus tag the young of a fish which would ultimately become large-sized, meant that if the tag became firmly fixed, it would be buried in flesh and perhaps in time become invisible. Such arguments may not apply to the tagging of a species like the salmon, where recovery is expected within the immediate future. But they are of great importance in experiments which involve recovery over many subsequent years.

It was possible therefore to tag only on the head or well out on the fins. The latter location was impractical because of the insecurity of attachment, and there remained only the head. On this, the opercular bones were the obvious places.

In considering the opercular bones, the eyed side of the fish seemed most logical, because of the habits of the fish. Like all other *Pleuronectids*, it spends some, or much, of its time buried in the mud or sand, and anything which would interfere with this habit would affect the degree of movement and the liability of capture. A tag on the blind, groundward side would necessarily irritate the fish whenever it rested on the bottom or attempted to burrow, and moreover, would catch on obstacles, damaging the tissue, which is frailer on the blind than the eyed side. As was later found, it is not unusual for a tag on even the eyed side to show evidences of abrasion. These considerations overbalanced, in the director's opinion, those of greater visibility to fishermen when the tags were placed on the blind side, and of the danger of attack by other fishes upon any exposed bright object. The opercle of the eyed side was therefore chosen as the point of attachment.

In choosing this point of attachment, full cognizance was taken of the lack of success in tagging experiments upon the cod, where the recoveries reasonably numerous at first—fell soon to nearly none. The opercle is, of course, in constant movement with the respiration or feeding of the fish,



FIG. 4.—Strap tags and pliers used in the tagging work. No. 1 (Large) strap tag straightened out to show shape. 2.—No. 1 strap tag clinched. 3.—No. 2 (Medium) strap tag clinched. 4.—Pliers with No. 1 tag inserted ready for attaching. and it was a debatable point whether a mark could be successful under such conditions. The chief danger of loss seemed to be the wearing away, or sloughing off, of tissue around the mark until it fell off. This seemed to indicate that a tag so shaped that a very considerable amount of tissue would need to be worn through would be most successful.

The upper angle of the gill opening, and the upper part of the opercular bone were chosen for marking, because (1) the tag reached across a ridge of bone, and (2) the motion of the gill covers in feeding seemed least there. There is some doubt as to whether the motion due to respiration is not greater at that point.

Having thus chosen the opercle as the site for the mark, the question arose as to the type of tag to be adopted. A button tag of either the Danish or German type might have been chosen, since such is generally used in plaice marking experiments in Europe. The principal objection to such opercular marks appeared to be the danger of early loss by decay of tissue around the buttons and their supports, allowing the tags to fall out.

#### CHOICE OF MARK USED

All available types of tags manufactured at the time in the United States were obtained and compared. These were of many shapes, designs, and sizes, including rings, spring clamps, and tags attached by wires; and were of many different metals, such as brass, aluminum, monel metal, and silver. They were, for the most part, cattle tags. Among others were round silver tags discarded from previous salmon experiments by the United States Bureau of Fisheries.

There appeared to be little choice among them from the standpoint of irritability to the tissues. It seemed, in fact, wisest to adopt that tag which would require the greatest wear of tissue before loss. This was the strap or ear tag, most commonly used for cattle, and also used for marking salmon and cod by the United States and Canadian Governments. There is nothing inherent in the tag pattern which renders it exceptional, save the large part of the opercle it is possible to include within its grasp, and the fact that it has but one fastening point, which renders it convenient to attach. These were the points which led to its wide usage on cattle.

For a time it appeared desirable to construct a long flat tag with two penetrating points and a second part with two eyes to receive those points. This appeared desirable because the cattle tag projected over and around the opercular edge and might for that reason be subject to unusual motion. On the other hand, the projection beyond the opercular edge seemed a desirable feature because any slack developed by wear would simply allow the tag to project freely to the rear, whereas in the other types any slack would cause the tag to project and be torn off.

However, there was some doubt as to whether the actual wearing of the tissue would be the cause of loss, and in view of this doubt, a type of button tag was made and used simultaneously with the strap tags. The outcome showed the conclusion to be well justified, that wear, or sloughing off, was the principal cause of loss, and the button tags, held by a comparatively small area of tissue under compression, were seldom retaken more than three months after attachment. The strap tag is shown in Figure 4, together with the pliers used in attaching it. This has proved reasonably simple in use. It is easily and rapidly attached, with a minimum of loss because of defective shape or action. The initial cost, \$37 a thousand for the medium-sized tag, was small compared to that of any type of more than one part.

The choice of material was not difficult. Monel metal offered all the advantages any other did, and in addition was very resistant to corrosion. It was hard enough to enable the point of the tag to be run through bone, yet it was malleable and easily made. It was not conspicuously bright, as was silver, but was readily seen by the fishermen.

The strap forming the larger tag, "Number 1," was 69 mm. from end to end, 8 mm. wide and 1 mm. thick, weighing 4 grams. Partly because of difficulties in making, the tags numbered 17,201 and over were made .65 mm. thick, and incidentally, .1 mm. wider. The larger tag then weighed 2.6 grams. These were used in 1929 in westward areas. The strap of the "Number 2" tag was 58.0 by 6.5 by .6 mm. and weighed 1.6 grams. When closed and the point properly clinched, the space enclosed by the larger tag was 25 mm. in length and 7 mm. in width; by the smaller, 20 by 5.5 mm. thus easily accommodating the halibut opercle.

When attached, the tags were fitted snugly to the opercle as far into the upper angle of the gill opening as possible (Figure 5). The soft flap, or valve, which seals the gill opening during inspiration through the mouth was interfered with, but not to a serious extent if the tag was fitted snugly.

#### STRAP TAGS SUCCESSFUL

The strap tag proved very successful from the start. When the recaptured fish were brought in, the majority of marks were still firmly attached to the opercle. In many, a short slot had been worn, and in a few the tag had worked out to the point where it might in the near future be lost. On the tagged fished recaptured after a lapse of two and three years, the tags were in most cases firmly attached with the flesh grown around and over the tag until it was securely held.

The round tags, both monel and silver, proved unsuccessful. The returns during the first season following the tagging were 4.7 per cent, but the following year only 0.3 per cent were recaptured, and in the next year none. The rapid cessation of returns following the first year was apparently due to the loss of the tags from the fish. Moreover, during the first season many of the marks turned in had worked nearly free and a number of cases were reported of fish caught with a round hole in the opercle, apparently caused by a round tag which had been lost.

The material used for the tags appears to have been quite satisfactory in so far as resistance to corrosion and effect on the tissues are concerned. The silver tags returned over a period of one year showed little or no corrosion. Monel strap tags were returned which had been out from one to four years and in all cases the numbers were as clear and distinct as on the day they were attached. In an occasional case the tag was partly covered with small barnacles but when they were cleaned away the numbers were found



FIG. 5.-Halibut with tag attached ready for liberation.

to be unaffected. Furthermore we have not been able to observe any irritating effects other than friction, produced by the contact of the metal with the flesh.

The results of our 1925 experiment proved the strap tags in the two sizes used, Number 1 (large) and Number 2 (medium), to be so much superior to the other types tried that they have been used exclusively since that time in our regular marking experiments. As has been said, in the 1929 work a somewhat modified strap tag was used, being lighter than the original. The results of this modification will not be evident until it has been more exten sively used and until we have had returns over a considerable period, but in view of the consistency of results obtained from large and small tags, it will doubtlessly be impossible to detect any effect the change in weight may produce.

It has been deemed necessary that no considerable changes be made in method during the course of the experiments. Such changes would prevent a unified treatment of the results from the standpoint of rate of return, or in fact from almost any standpoint.

#### VESSELS AND PERSONNEL EMPLOYED

In all of our marking experiments the work has been done on a commercial halibut vessel chartered for the purpose and used without any extensive changes. The period of charter has been from three to six months in length each year.

The fishing operations and navigation of the vessel have been in the immediate charge of an experienced captain from the halibut fleet, acting under the scientist in charge, the vessel being handled and fishing carried on by a crew of fishermen, while the scientific work was handled by members of the scientific staff on board. The fishermen were paid by a bonus system, and the captain was allowed to choose the best available fishing grounds within the area designated by the director's instructions. The result of these arrangements was a highly efficient operation of the vessel, in every way comparable to those of regular commercial vessels.

The conditions under which the work has been done have been most difficult, particularly during the winter in the Gulf of Alaska. All work was done on the open deck except for canvas shelters built over the scientific instruments during the colder seasons.

In 1925 the "Seamaid" was used. She was a small halibut vessel of Canadian registry with a length of about 65 feet and with a 65 horse power Diesel engine. She carried 2 men from the scientific staff and a crew of 6, including the captain. Her size was not sufficient to allow of much work except tagging on her decks at any one time.

In 1926 the "Scandia" was chartered, a halibut schooner of United States registry about 100 feet in length and with a Diesel engine of 140 horse power. She carried a scientific staff of 4 to 7 men and a crew of 8 to 10, the number depending on the work to be performed. This vessel was lost with all equipment by shipwreck, during severe weather in February of 1927, while engaged in tagging operations off Kodiak Island. In 1927 and 1929 the halibut schooner "Dorothy" (Figure 6), of United States registry, was used. She is a vessel of 102 feet in length powered with a 270 horse power Diesel, and on the two tagging trips in 1927 carried a scientific staff of 7 and a crew of 9. With this vessel we have been able to stay at sea in all weather, even during the winter.

In addition to the tagging undertaken on these fishing trips, work was simultaneously carried out on race, age, growth, and maturity studies, and experiments were made with different kinds of fishing gear.

#### CAPTURE AND HANDLING OF FISH FOR MARKING

The capture of halibut for marking purposes has in all cases been accomplished by the commercial hook and line method. This was considered the most obviously practical as the use of the otter or beam trawl has never been sufficiently followed on the banks to give any indications of the grounds upon which they could be successfully used, what sizes of halibut they would take, or the condition of the fish when taken.

The commercial method of fishing was, however, somewhat modified in order to obtain the fish in as strong and vigorous a condition as possible. The gear was allowed to "soak" (remain on the bottom) from two to four hours only, instead of the more protracted period which is the accepted practice now among the commercial vessels, especially the long-liners.

When brought to the surface on the gear, each halibut was lifted inboard as carefully as possible by the fisherman at the roller. If the fish was hooked in such a manner that the injury was obviously mortal, it was thrown into the checkers. From it racial measurements, otoliths, and scales were taken, and it was afterwards iced down and brought into market. If the injury did not appear to be certainly mortal the ganging (short line from the hook to the ground line) was immediately cut and the fish passed over to one of the scientific assistants for tagging. Throughout the fishing operations, a watch was kept on the fishermen to insure that all possible fish were saved. The fishermen themselves developed great interest in the work and made every effort to land the fish without injury.

After the halibut had been turned over to the scientific assistant, the hook was carefully and quickly removed by means of pliers, cutters, and a specially designed wooden instrument somewhat similar to the fisherman's "gob stick." The degree of injury to the fish was then ascertained. If an important artery had been cut, the gills injured, or the visceral cavity punctured or opened, the fish was discarded for tagging purposes. In all of the marking work on the banks south of Cape Spencer 36.9 per cent of the halibut caught have been tagged, and on the banks north and west of Cape Spencer 29.8 per cent. A more complete discussion of the proportion tagged and the effect of various injuries is given on pages 36 to 44.

The halibut, having been accepted for marking, was measured. To aid in measurement, the halibut was placed on a board, or tagging "cradle." This was a heavy wooden trough, with a head piece across one end so designed as to fit the convex under surface of the fish. Thus the fish was held in a natural position, and when the longitudinal axis of the cradle was placed



FIG. 6.—Halibut vessel "Dorothy." The boat used by the International Fisheries Commission for tagging operations in 1927.



FIG. 7.—Deck view of M.S. Dorothy, May, 1929. The photograph shows the arrangement amidships for the tagging cradle, race cradle, weighing, cleaning, etc. The picture was taken after the tagging operations were completed and the boat was running for port. During the actual operations it is almost impossible to obtain good photographs of operations as the workers and appartus are covered by a canvas shelter stretched over the pipe framework shown, to protect the work from the severe weather frequently encountered parallel to that of the ship, the concavity prevented the sliding of the fish from side to side with the roll of the vessel. This position of the cradle relative to the ship was chosen because the pitch of the vessel was much less disturbing to careful measurement of length than the quicker and more violent roll. Although the design of this cradle was modified considerably, the fundamental principle of a head piece and lengthwise concave trough to fit the fish, was not altered. A photograph of this cradle, as used in 1929, is shown in Figure 7.

Measurement of length was made by a scale adjusted to zero at the headpiece, and extending lengthwise along the bottom of the concavity. During the early work in 1925, the scale was a steel tape, frequently renewed; but in 1926 a brass bar divided to millimeters was found to be much more satisfactory and permanent. The halibut was placed in the cradle so that with the mouth firmly closed the tip of the mandible came into contact with a brass plate on the head piece, and the length was read to the end of the middle caudal rays.

The man acting as recorder listed data both on manila coin envelopes and on waterproofed paper in a notebook. The envelopes had previously been given the tag numbers in consecutive order as already arranged on the sticks holding the tags, and in each, after checking the numbers of the tag and the envelope, there were placed a few scales from just above the posterior section of the median line on the eyed side, while on the outside the length of the fish was recorded. In the notebook the tag number and length of fish were listed under the proper heading showing date, position, depth, etc. In some of the experiments a record of the injury caused by the hook was kept. The numbers and the data on the envelopes were later checked against the notebook.

The time required for the complete procedure and the return of the halibut to the water was largely dependent on the difficulty of removing the hook and quieting the fish for measuring. Measurement and the attachment of the tag were quickly done. The greatest number tagged in one day was 361, although the average was much below this. It was found that the fish could be handled as fast as brought in on the gear, so that, practically, the limiting factor for the number marked was the rate of capture. The work was first done on the open deck but later, when working during the winter on the northern banks, a shelter was constructed of heavy canvas over a pipe framework. The recorder occupied a small weather-proof office within the canvas shelter.

#### COLLECTION OF RECOVERED TAGS

Perhaps the most vital point in the tagging experiments is the recovery of recaptured tags. Not only is there great danger that the fishermen will overlook the tags, but also that they will not turn them in. The fishermen are usually ashore but a day or two between trips, and it would be very unlikely that any of them would take the time or make the effort to write letters reporting the tag. Consequently it was sought to bring the knowledge of the tagging experiments to the attention of all persons concerned in the capture and handling of fresh halibut and to make it as easy and simple as possible for them to turn in the tag and information and obtain the reward.  $\mathbf{24}$ 

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	University of Washington, SEATTLE, WASH.
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	University of Washington, Seattle, Washington.
	DOMINION DEPARTMENT OF MARINE & FISHERIES, Fisheries Branch, 202 Winch Building, Vancouver, B.C.
	U.S. BUREAU OF FISHERIES,
	L. C. Smith Building, Seattle, Washington. Charles & Hardcastle, Ketchikan, Alaska.
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FIG. 8.—Facsimile of the certificate distributed among the agencies authorized to redeem recaptured tags, showing the information required with each tag turned in.

Publicity was arranged for in three ways. Posters were issued and every firm engaged in buying halibut was asked to place copies in a conspicuous place. Notices were printed on the fly leaf of log books which were issued to the fishing captains for keeping a record of their catches. In addition, at open meetings held in 1927 at Ketchikan, Prince Rupert, Vancouver, and Seattle the commissioners and the senior author presented and discussed with the fishermen the aims and problems of the work and invited their interest and cooperation.

This method of publicity was used as it was scarcely possible to reach the fishermen otherwise. They obtain copies of daily papers only occasionally when in port, and fishing journals are rarely seen in their possession.

In order to make it as easy as possible for the fishermen to turn in the tags and information and collect the reward, it was arranged with governmental agencies and with every buyer or dealer to accept the tags and pay for them in cash. To that end a form has been distributed, to be filled out with the desired information concerning the recaptured fish. This form, or redemption certificate, guarantees repayment by the commission. A facsimile of this form is shown in Figure 8.

In 1925 the tags and certificates were collected personally from the dealers and other agencies authorized to redeem them. Later the procedure was adopted of sending mailing tubes to each dealer or agent, thus facilitating the return of tags and information.

The reward offered for the recovery of tagged fish varies with the amount of information secured. If the data as to locality, time of catch, and length of fish are incomplete a reward of 50 cents is paid. If the information is complete the reward is \$1. Since early in 1926, \$1 additional has been paid if the tag is brought in with complete information and the fish is kept separate so that it can be examined by a member of the scientific staff.

Following the offer of the \$2 reward, an increasing proportion of the recaptured fish have been handled under this arrangement. From February to June, 1926, 27 per cent of the reported recaptures were examined, from July to November, 1926, 58 per cent, during 1927, 71 per cent, and during 1928, 80 per cent.

This method of redeeming the tags enables the collector to obtain any information required directly from the captain of the boat and gives an accurate and uniform measurement of the length of the fish instead of the fishermen's measurement.

The determination of the sex of tagged halibut has, from the beginning, proved to be impossible. It cannot be ascertained at the time of tagging without serious injury to the fish, unless they are actually spawning. It cannot be ascertained after recovery with any degree of probability, save by inspection of the gonads. The pockets in which the gonads lie are deeper in the females than in the males, but only on the average, and the depth depends upon degree of maturity to a large extent. An immature female cannot be distinguished from a mature male of the same size.

As far as accurate returns as to sex by the fishermen are concerned the case is nearly hopeless. Even when the gonads are greatly enlarged, the fishermen must be personally instructed as to sex differences, and when young imma-

ture fish are in question, even trained tag collectors may make mistakes. Fishermen frequently state positively that fish they are cleaning have no gonads, and they are as a rule much interested in demonstrations of sex differences. It was, therefore, not even attempted to require information as to sex when tags alone were returned.

When fish with tags attached were brought for examination, it might have been expected that information as to sex would be available. This, however, is not so. The fish when captured are promptly cleaned, and all traces of gonads removed along with the kidneys, etc., with a careful thoroughness resultant from long training in the proper care of the catch. The fish are very often cleaned before the tags are discovered, and if not, either the force of habit or the fear of having the fish spoiled or rejected leads to thorough cleaning. At all events the tendency is to give the fish the usual treatment, merely distinguishing them from their fellows by some mark, as a string around the tail.

It might be possible, by purchasing the fish in addition to giving the reward, to have from the more careful crews, a fair number of fish giving sex determinations, providing the fish were not cleaned before discovery of the tag. This would necessarily be exceedingly expensive and could at best provide information as to sex for but a small proportion of the recoveries. This proportion would be a selected category of fish, largely from southern banks, where fish are handled more carefully, and insufficient to give consistent differences in any of the finer analyses. They would be largely immature because of their southern origin.

As will be seen later, the mature fish on the western banks migrate widely, but the immatures on the southern banks move very little. Sex differences can, therefore, be but a factor of minor importance when the movements of these immature are concerned. Available information on sex differences in returns of tags must await a later report.

After the information concerning each recaptured fish has been received, the time out, movement, and growth are calculated. A letter is then written to the fisherman thanking him and informing him as to the date and place of tagging and the amount of growth. Most of the fishermen have shown a considerable interest in this information, and occasionally when the letter of acknowledgment has been delayed they have made special request for it. In case the amount of movement shown has been unusual the fisherman is requested to corroborate the recovery location.

#### ACCURACY OF CALCULATIONS

The calculations of the distances between points of tagging and of recovery can in the great majority of cases be considered accurate within 5 or 10 miles. The error may, in some cases, be in excess of 5 miles even over short distances. It may have arisen in part during determination of the tagging locality, but more especially in the determination of that of recovery.

When tagging, the initial position of the vessel may in each case have been known within a mile, by dead reckoning, or in good weather either by cross bearings or by use of the sextant. But movements subsequently made were complicated and many, with fish constantly being taken on all parts of the ground covered. To ascertain the exact place in which each fish was taken was nearly impossible. The operations were usually plotted and it was found that ground covered in a day's fishing of about 50 skates of gear as a rule equalled 10 or 12 square miles. Occasionally, but not often, this was stretched to some 8 or 10 miles between extremes. This involved an error of less than 4 miles if one locality was given for the day.

If this has been true of the tagging vessel, it has been even more true of the vessels retaking marked fish. Fish caught are accumulated on deck and some of the tags are not noticed until the time the catch is cleaned, usually twice a day or oftener. Marked fish therefore may have come from any part of the area of 10 square miles or so covered during the intervening fishing. Evidence of this confusing effect of the fishing location is given by the fact that frequently the recorded depth and the locality do not correspond as they should, simply because the location given was the initial one for the day in question, the depth one of a number actually found during subsequent movements.

Localities of recapture are therefore subject to an error which varies with the extent of ground covered, and will in general be 3 or 4 miles

There are, of course, the errors usual to statistics gathered from nonscientific men, but the level of intelligence among the captains is high and their information unusually trustworthy as a rule. We know of no deliberate falsifications, but we do know of carelessness. An error of a mile in plotting a position from a point 20 miles distant is not uncommon, and there is occasionally some confusion as to the exact point of departure, whether for instance the highest point or nearest edge of an island is used in measuring distance. More often, the location is given vaguely, from lack of appreciation of our need, as "off Massett," or "N from Massett." The records with indefinite locations have, during the later years, been almost completely avoided by the present system of personal collection of data. For such errors there is, naturally, no remedy, but fortunately they are relatively few and small, being included in a general estimate that our recovery locations are accurate within 7 miles on the average.

We have, generally, calculated the distance of movement as that between the center of the grounds over which tagging was carried on and the locality given for returns. Where depths given did not appear correct they were ignored. We believe the resultant distance is usually within 10 miles of the correct one, and that when many returns are averaged, the errors largely counterbalance each other.

In Appendix A, where the detail regarding each tag is given, it will be found that among the early returns especially, the migrations were calculated from the precise point of tagging. This method was later abandoned as unnecessary and tedious, but the distances already determined were left unchanged in the tables, having been used in calculations. Discrepancies of from one to three miles between the migration shown and the distance between points given can therefore be expected.

#### SECTION B.—THE PROGRAM AND THE CONDITIONS DETERMINING IT.

#### THE PROGRAM

In planning the marking experiments, two possible methods were considered. One was the tagging of large numbers of fish at one time in a single area. The other was to make the distribution of the tagged fish represent, at least roughly, the general distribution of the species according to its varying abundance.

Objections to a single centralized experiment were many. In the first place, sufficient numbers could be obtained only by prolonged operations and the relative scarcity of these large fish rendered the work extremely costly per fish tagged unless the vessel and gear were used as efficiently as possible. This could not be done unless the fishing localities were selected for their productivity and varied with the season just as is the case in commercial fishing. In the second place, the probability was very great that a centralized experiment would not represent the whole species, due to the variability in conditions and possible returns.

This probability that a single centralized experiment would not be representative seemed deserving of serious consideration. The coast line is long and the continental shelf narrow, with areas of abundant halibut yield separated by considerable extents of coast line. The intensity of the fishery was, therefore, not at all uniform, being highest, of course, wherever the abundance was greatest. Were the tagging carried on in an isolated, unused place, the returns must be slow, consisting almost solely of the migrants to the nearest zone of active fishing operations. But were tagging to be carried on in a much frequented locality, or "spot," with heavy yield, the returns would be rapid, complete, and without apparent migrations. Such spot fishing, as it is called, has been characteristic of the halibut fishery and is due to the occasional discovery and rapid depletion of a localized dense school of fish, which is, as a rule, largely caught off before much migration can occur. (See Cape Chacon experiment, p. 60.) Accordingly, the decision was made to decentralize the experiments, carrying them on in as great a variety of places as possible and distributing them more or less according to the general concentration of the commercial fishery within the individual statistical areas (Figures 1, 2, and 3) as well as on the banks as a whole.

The great advantage of such a course was that it would be possible to give a massed presentation of the data from many experiments. The average rate of recapture, the average movement, and the average rate of interchange determined thereby would include a reasonable range of conditions, representing more or less closely those of the populations which regulation must take into account. Were the experiments extensive enough, different types of banks could be segregated and their characteristic rates of recapture and movement determined.

Such experiments would be representative in another sense, in that when a migration occurred, the experiments would reflect that of all stocks throughout the geographic range of the movement. It is also anticipated that, as the study of the mature migrants progresses, it will be possible under this program to focus attention on the rate of immigration from the several directions around a given locality, rather than on the rate of emigration. This, done even without reference to fishing intensities, should be an aid in studying the direction of migration. To do this the marking must be done on each side of the locality and the returns from each compared. The experiments, partly with this in mind, have consequently been diffuse, particularly as immigrants from considerable distances were expected.

The reasons for the adoption of the present program of well distributed marking experiments may be briefly summarized.

(1) Economy and efficiency of vessel operations.

(2) Necessity of making the experiments representative of the various banks and populations of halibut, to facilitate generalized conclusions.

(3) Desirability of focusing attention on relative immigration as well as emigration.

It did not seem vital to any phase of the marking experiments that they should be simultaneous.

#### RELATION TO INTENSITY OF FISHERY

Mention has been made of the effect of the varying intensity of the fishery in distorting the rate of return. It follows that when the direction of migration from a single tagging locality is determined by comparison of migrants retaken in the several areas surrounding it, the relative or summed intensities in these areas may actually determine the apparent direction. This is particularly true when tagging has been done on the edge of a bank, the whole movement—a false "migration"—being necessarily toward its center. But it is equally true and more confusing, when there is an indefinite inequality between intensities on two sides of a tagging locality. Unless it is assumed at once that the direction of migration is shown by the activities of the fishing fleet it follows, as a rule of procedure, that seeming migrations must in some way be corrected for the varying opportunities for recovery in the several directions.

The importance of the distribution of the intensity of the fishery will be emphasized also by the results of our measurement of the amount of movement and the rate of returns. In the present paper the values given these two are derived from the fishery as our tagging experiments represent it. They are generalized values based upon many factors, and are similar to averages in their meaning. Our results are therefore useable in so far as the tagged population actually represents the population to be regulated, but for a complete understanding and full scientific use of the method of tagging there must be obtained a much more complete statistical knowledge of the fishery. The variations in the intensity both with area and with time must be known.

In the halibut fishery, measures are definitely under way to ascertain as closely as possible the definite origin of the commercial catches, which will show the relative intensities according to area. Since the banks are stretched

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over a large coast line the practical difficulties are not great, but at the date of issuance of this report legal powers are not yet available. Partial success has nevertheless already been met with in this attempt, and it is possible to study in a preliminary way the relationship of tagging returns and distribution of the fishing fleet. Sufficient records are at hand to be useable, although they are approximate.

This method of correlating intensities, numbers tagged, and returns is, we believe, infinitely superior to a centralized experiment considered with out relation to the fishery.

Other information, to be derived from the marking experiments, includes the highly important determination of the percentage of the stock yearly removed and incidentally, the rates of growth. The program of tagging has not been altered to provide such information specifically.

#### TAGGING LOCALITIES

In accord with this program, marking operations were carried on along the whole coast (Appendix A, Figures 1, 2, and 3).

Work was begun in 1925 on the southern banks, in the vicinity of the Queen Charlotte Islands and Cape Addington, with the motor vessel "Seamaid." In the summer of 1926, using the "Scandia," attention was paid to the famous Goose Island Ground off the southern end of Hecate Strait, also to various localities in Dixon Entrance and Hecate Strait which had not previously been sufficiently studied. An intensive fishery on the nursery grounds off Timbered Islet attracted attention, and many tags were placed there. The number of fish marked in southern waters has been 6,554, of which 4,936 were marked with the approved strap-type tag.

In the winter of 1926, operations were extended to the more distant banks. In November and December two trips were made to the very important spawning bank at Yakutat Spit, marking 1,748 fish, and in January of 1927 a few fish were marked on Portlock Bank, just eastward of Kodiak Island. This work was terminated for the time being by the wreck of the "Scandia" and the loss of equipment.

In November and December of 1927, the "Dorothy" operated on Portlock Bank and on the W Ground easterly of Cape St. Elias, placing in the two localities 1,214 and 1,338 tags, respectively. No tagging was done during 1928, but in the spring of 1929, 926 halibut were tagged in the vicinity of the Shumagin Islands. This brought the total tagged in waters west of Cape Spencer to 5,281.

It will be noted that the tagging was done according to the season of the fishery in each place. This was during the summer on the southern grounds and during the winter on the banks along the eastern side of the Gulf of Alaska. Again the work was during the spring on the far western banks. Only by thus varying the experiments, could each region receive its due allotment of marked fish, or, indeed, could sufficient fish be taken to justify the expenditures. It is realized that at the time of these experiments we had a very vague idea as to the distribution of the intensities of the fishery in each place. Our knowledge of this is becoming increasingly perfect, so that it will be possible to remedy any failure in distribution. But even so the numbers of tags placed in areas south of Cape Spencer are not greatly out of proportion to the distribution of the fishery. The western marking experiments are, however, not complete, and only the nearer banks have received adequate attention.

The localities in which tagging was done are shown in Figures 1, 2, and 3.

#### SCOPE OF REPORT

At the time of writing, returns from the above experiments are complete to the end of 1929. A few more tags may be turned in which were taken by fishermen before the above mentioned date but not in sufficient numbers to affect the results. The end of 1929 does not by any means represent the completion of results, since at the present time tagged fish are being retaken from all of the above experiments. The recoveries from the 1925 experiments have, however, decreased to an annual amount which is inconsiderable in comparison to the number retaken up to the end of 1929. The 1929 experiment has been so recent that there has not yet been time for any considerable number of fish to be returned, and its results are not considered.

The present report will make a first survey of data provided up to the end of 1928 by our tagging experiments, with what additions can readily be made from 1929 returns. A more detailed analysis of certain phases of the work must await a later date when the returns from our experiments are more nearly complete.

#### DIVISION OF FISHERY

The banks of the Pacific Coast halibut fishery can be placed in two groups, southern and western. These banks differ both in the type of fishing vessel employed in their exploitation and in certain characteristics of the halibut caught. For the purposes of this paper we will define the southern banks as those south of Cape Spencer (area 18) and the western banks as those north and west of Cape Spencer. After a general discussion of results the southern banks will be dealt with more in detail in a following section, the western in another.

The fishery on the southern banks is carried on largely by small vessels, working out of Seattle and Prince Rupert and also to a lesser extent from Ketchikan, Petersburg, Juneau, and Sitka. In addition some of the larger boats fish part of the time on the southern banks and part on the western. The fishery in the latter region reaches its height during the summer months from April to August, while for individual banks within this region the season's peak, usually not well marked, ranges anywhere within the above limits. All returns to the end of 1928 from this region are here dealt with.

The western fishery is essentially different and is pursued chiefly by the schooners working out of Seattle, Prince Rupert, and Ketchikan. The season there is spread more evenly throughout the year from February to November,

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but for individual banks there is a wide difference. For instance the Yakutat Spit fishery has been almost entirely a winter one until that season was closed, and it still shows an increase in the fall, while the fishery in the vicinity of the Shumagin Islands is confined to the spring and summer.

The material from the experiments on these western grounds, which is at present available for analysis, includes the 1927 and 1928 returns from the Yakutat experiment, and the 1928 returns from those tagged on the W Ground and Portlock Bank. Insufficient time has elapsed since the completion of the Shumagin Island experiment to permit the accumulation of an amount of data sufficient for analysis.



FIG. 9.—Length frequencies for males and females, mature and immature, for halibut examined during the Yakutat and W Ground experiments. The light dotted line on each of the charts for mature represents the combined curve for all western experiments reduced to the same graphic range as the curve to which it is compared.

The composition of the catch on the two areas is radically different. On the southern banks the catch is made up almost entirely of small immature fish with occasionally a few of the larger sizes. The western catch is a mixture of large and small, mature and immature halibut. On certain of the western banks, exploited during the winter months, the catch is almost exclusively of mature fish.

To illustrate this difference in composition of the catch, an analysis of the length frequencies on the western grounds is given in Table 1 and Figures 9 and 10 for the three banks dealt with. Mature and immature males and females are segregated.<sup>1</sup> Whereas practically all of the southern fish were im-





<sup>1</sup> From manuscript data by Richard Van Cleve.

mature, it will be noted that only 4 per cent of the Yakutat fish were immature, 3 per cent of the W Ground fish, and 23 per cent of the Portlock fish. These facts, we believe, justify us in contrasting, as two sections of our report, the southern and western fish, considering Portlock separately under the western.

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TABLE 1.—Sex and state of maturity of fish dissected during tagging experiments west of Cape Spencer

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# SECTION C.—REPRESENTATIVE CHARACTER OF EXPERIMENTS AND ERRORS AFFECTING THIS.

The results of these experiments are designed to aid in the formulation of regulations, and the ideal of the present incomplete work is to make these results apply to the stocks of fish exploited by the fishing fleet. It therefore becomes of interest to note any failure of the marked fish to represent properly the stock used commercially. This failure cannot, where the range of sizes is a small one and is sampled throughout, be of magnitude, and for purposes of present regulations, can be ignored.

It must be acknowledged at once that no thorough treatment can be given to this subject until the commercial catches are analyzed. Fishermen discard, during their operations, many of the very small fish, and the catch landed does not in that respect represent the catch taken by the hooks. This is a difficult thing to measure, however, without more effort than we have been able to give it. The error is greatest on the banks south of Cape Spencer and more particularly on the so-called "baby chicken" grounds or nurseries. It is least on the spawning grounds, such as those off Yakutat and the W Ground.

We have presumed, however, that the catch of the tagging vessels represents approximately the actual catch of commercial vessels. But whereas the very small fish taken by the latter are discarded, in our operations they were tagged, thus making the tagged fish more nearly representative of the actual than the landed catches.

Commercial fishermen, however, weigh very carefully the relative values of the first class medium-sized fish against that of the usual bulk of small second class "chickens", and shift their grounds so as to maintain the most profitable balance between them. They pick out schools of medium-sized fish (12 to 80 pounds) wherever the decrease in the catch is not so great as to counterbalance the better prices obtained. They avoid the very smallest fish whenever the percentage to be discarded is so high as to render the remainder insufficiently profitable. It is fair to conclude, therefore, that the tagging vessels include a higher percentage of small fish, especially on southern grounds, than does even the actual catch of the commercial vessels.

There is, then, some interest in showing to what extent the tagged fish represent the catch of the tagging vessel, but it becomes of much more importance to see how the rates of return and the degree of movement vary according to the sizes tagged, because these rates can be applied to any subsequent analysis of the halibut population. However, in the present stage of our work, no correction will be made in any of our calculations. This must await the greater precision possible with the returns over a longer period of years, experiments on more sections of the banks, and above all a better knowledge of the commercial catch.

## PACIFIC HALIBUT MARKING EXPERIMENTS

# REPRESENTATIVE CHARACTER OF EXPERIMENTS SOUTH OF CAPE SPENCER

The percentage the tagged fish form of the total caught varies widely on different grounds and at different times. This would have little effect on the representative nature of those tagged, were the causes of these variations not connected with the percentage of each size class marked.

Considering the banks south of Cape Spencer, the proportion of the halibut tagged to the total caught varied considerably on the different trips. In 1925 the highest percentage for any one trip was 68.6, the lowest was 50.7, while for the entire summer the proportion was 56.3 per cent, or 3,339 marked out of 5,933 caught. In 1926 the proportion was much lower running from 8.4 per cent to 39.2 per cent for the different trips. For the combined experiments, 27.1 per cent were tagged, or 3,215 out of 11,838 caught. The primary cause of this large difference was the fact that in 1925 the work was principally for marking purposes, and in 1926 other work was carried on in conjunction with the tagging.

On two trips in 1926, tagging was done but incidentally, and as a result, on these trips but 8.4 per cent and 17.0 per cent of the fish were marked. Another contributing factor was the use in 1926 of a larger boat with a more rapid method of handling the fish. This resulted in somewhat greater injuries to the halibut, especially for the larger sizes, and may very possibly have counterbalanced whatever effect the greater care in choosing fish for tagging during 1926 had in raising the percentage recaptured by the fishermen since this percentage was nearly the same in the experiments of the two years.

However, the proportion of the caught fish which were tagged has little bearing upon any points at issue, except that of the total marked in the several experiments. This must, of course, be considered during the analysis of the results of those experiments.

For our present purposes, the variation in the precentage, according to the length of the fish, is of more immediate importance to our knowledge of the representative character of the marking. We have, therefore, in presenting in graphic form the data as to this variability, adjusted the scale of the ordinates so as to bring the general levels of the several series of percentages to an approximate equality on the charts. This focuses attention on the variability rather than on the total proportion tagged (Table 2, Figure 11, lower).

To accompany this information we show frequency graphs (Figure 11, upper) representing the distribution according to length of halibut caught. At times, on account of weather or darkness, it was impossible to measure all fish taken, and the catch on such days was omitted from the counts. Hence the totals in these frequency graphs vary somewhat from those of all fish caught. Thus in 1925, the total number caught was 5,933, whereas 4,838 were measured, in excess of 81 per cent. In 1926 the total caught was 11,838, and 10,132 were measured, nearly 86 per cent, counting only days on which tagging was done. The numbers measured were therefore compared with the numbers



FIG. 11.—Halibut caught during tagging operations in the southern experiments, 1925 and 1926. Upper—Length frequencies. Lower—Percentage tagged of total caught in each 5 cm. length category. The scales used have been adjusted to give the curves the same graphic range.

tagged on the same days, that is, those on which all the fish were measured; and the percentages tagged as given in the preceding paragraphs are based on the comparison. This gives, we believe, an adequate picture of the catch of the tagging vessel and of the proportion of this catch tagged. It provides a basis upon which, if the catch of the tagging vessel is regarded as typical, the results of the present experiments can be corrected.

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Total	4,838	2,783	57.5	7,550	2,582	34.2	548	178	32.5	2,150	614	28.6	2,610	1,012	38.8	
Total — All Tagging Work	5,933	3,339	56.3	11,838	3,215	27.1	6,695	1,748	26.1	5,754	1,338	23.3	3,141	1,214	38.7	

 TABLE 2.—Percentage of halibut tagged of total caught all tagging work. Data for days on which all halibut caught were measured. Also total halibut caught and total tagged for all tagging work

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The percentage curve for 1926 ranges from between 40 or 50 per cent for the smallest sizes to 9 per cent for the very few fish above 105 cm. For the great bulk of the fish, which fall within the 50 to 90 cm. size class, the percentage tagged ranges from 36 to 20.5 per cent. Considered from the more apropos standpoint of variability from length to length, as shown in the graphs, the 1925 and 1926 experiments show opposite trends for the percentages tagged. Together, independently of the number's of fish involved, the two should represent the actual catch of the vessels very evenly between 50 and 90 cm. sizes, which range includes over 97 per cent of all the fish. Where, in later pages, any direct combination of returns is made, the numbers tagged should be taken into consideration.

# REPRESENTATIVE CHARACTER OF EXPERIMENTS NORTH AND WEST OF CAPE SPENCER

During the marking work on western banks there has been a wide variation from experiment to experiment in the percentage of halibut tagged of the total caught. This percentage has on the average been considerably lower than for the work on the southern banks, amounting to 27.7 per cent for all marking on western banks to the end of 1928 and to 36.9 per cent for all marking on southern banks.

The principal causes of this difference in the results for southern and western experiments appear to be the size of the halibut caught and the severity of the weather. The western fish average considerably larger than the southern and consequently are more difficult to land without injury, especially during the rough weather more prevalent in the western fishery.

The differences between the various western experiments are also to some degree explicable by the above mentioned factors. The percentages are 38.7 for Portlock, 26.1 for the first Yakutat Spit experiment, and 23.3 for the W Ground experiment. Corresponding to this the halibut tagged on Portlock averaged the smallest, 77.4 cm. in length, while those on Yakutat Spit and the W Ground averaged the largest, 84.9 cm. and 86.1 cm., respectively. Usually a considerably smaller proportion of the very large halibut can be marked than of the smaller sizes, consequently for a catch such as that on the W Ground where many very large halibut are taken, the average size of the halibut caught is proportionately greater than the average size of the tagged fish would indicate.

We cannot, however, expect to completely explain, by these factors, the differences found in the percentages tagged of the total caught. There are numerous other personal factors as well as natural ones which will affect our results.

The catch in the experiments on the spawning grounds off Yakutat and on the W Ground were of fish of fair size. No such extensive culling, or "shacking off" of small fish by commercial fishermen in these regions occurs as in the case of the southern grounds. What is brought up on the hooks can as a rule be marketed. The tagging vessel fished on the same grounds as the rest of the fleet and with the same incentive to take the commercial sizes. The actual catch of the tagging vessel can therefore be assumed to represent

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the commercial catch on the banks, at the season of the experiments, until some direct analysis is made of this commercial catch.

The variation in proportion tagged according to size is dealt with in the same manner as in the case of the southern experiments. The number of days on which all fish were measured was greatly reduced, resulting in the measured samples being a much smaller percentage of all fish taken. Whereas 6,695 fish were taken on the Yakutat Grounds, 548 were available for our comparison, or about 8 per cent. On the W Ground 5,754 fish were taken and 2,150, or about 37 per cent were thus available. On Portlock 3,141 fish were taken and 2,610 used in comparison, or 83 per cent. Nevertheless, the results are so uniform in these experiments as to lead us to believe that the samples were adequate.



FIG. 12.—Halibut caught during tagging operations in the western experiments. Upper—Length frequencies. Lower—Percentage tagged of total caught in each 5 cm. length category. The scales used have been adjusted to give the curves the same graphic range.

The frequency and percentage graphs are shown in Table 2 and Figure 12. The same method of plotting the ordinates to different scales for the several localities was followed as in the case of southern fish. As will be seen by comparison with Figure 11, showing the southern fish, the sizes in general are very much greater. Among the three western localities, the fish from the W Ground are largest, and those from Portlock Bank smallest.

The percentages tagged are high for lengths from 85 to 95 cm. and decline very rapidly for large fish. The trend of the curves (Figure 12, lower) is similar in all three instances. If comparison is made with the data as to, sex composition (Figures 9 and 10) it will be seen that this decrease in percentage beyond 95 cm. operates to reduce the representation of mature females in our tagging experiments.

# FACTORS AFFECTING RETURN OF TAGS

The representative nature of the return of marks by the fishermen is altered by causes which are distinct from those which affect the percentages tagged, and which are related to the methods of fishing and of handling.

When hauling the gear in "long-lining" a fisherman stands at the side of the boat near the roller over which the incoming line is passing. He watches the line to see that the tension is not too great, clears the hooks and gangings, and removes the fish from the hooks. Any halibut landed are dropped into a "checker" at his side and are later cleaned and "iced down" in the hold. When the vessel ties up at the fish buyer's landing slip the halibut are unloaded in slings or large buckets and dumped on the grading table where the ice is removed from the visceral cavity and the fish are graded for first class, second class, and culls. They are then weighed, dumped on the fish floor, and "headed" by slashing off the head just at the posterior edge of the opercles. Sometimes the heads are first removed and the fish afterwards weighed. In the past the heads were taken out in scows and dumped, but during the last few years they have been utilized in reduction plants. Some of the halibut are iced and boxed, heads on, for shipment to local dealers.

The great majority of the recovered tags are noticed between the time of capture and icing down in the hold. During 1927, the tag was noticed during this time in 93 per cent of the cases of the halibut recaptured from experiments south of Cape Spencer, 4.4 per cent were found at the landing slip, and the remainder, 2.6 per cent, on the floor of the fish house or at the reduction plants. From the experiments north and west of Cape Spencer 74 per cent of the tags were noticed between the time of capture and icing down, 21 per cent at the landing slip, the remainder, 5 per cent, later.

The principal cause of the difference in the manner of discovery of tags in southern and western experiments is that the western fishery is to a larger extent a winter one and fishing operations are carried on day and night. As a result there is less likelihood of observing the tags when first landed. This is reflected in our records which show that a considerable proportion of the western tags are not noticed until the fish are unloaded at the landing slip, while a very much smaller percentage of the southern tags (4.4 per cent compared to 20.8 per cent for the western) are noticed during unloading.

If the tag is not seen before the halibut are dumped on the fish floor and headed there is very little chance that it will be found. That the tags may occasionally pass through the above operations unnoticed is witnessed by the fact that a tag was found at Vancouver, B.C., on a halibut in a shipment of frozen fish, and another was sent in from Trochu, Alberta, where it had been found in a shipment.

In southern waters it is probable that the culling out of recaptured small fish by the commercial fishermen with consequent death and loss of tags has the greatest effect in reducing returns from that size. The extent of this practice varies widely with the vessel and with the market fished for. At times, when prices for smaller sized fish, so-called chickens, have been good, vessels have fished intensively on the grounds frequented by such sizes, picking out only the larger marketable fish, perhaps 50 per cent of those hooked. But even during ordinary fishing operations, among schools of better sized fish in southern waters, these small fish are found in some numbers and are roughly shaken off the hooks, shacked off in fishermen's terms.

The percentage returns obtained from the marking experiments must also be affected to some extent by the immediate mortality due to the hook injuries received prior to tagging, to bringing the halibut to the surface from varying depths, to absence from its native element, and to the handling it receives during the process of tagging. These causes of loss between liberation and recapture may or may not be the same in southern and western fisheries.

The change in pressure experienced by the halibut when brought to the surface from a depth of 30 or even more than 100 fathoms, appears to affect it little or not at all. Halibut brought to the surface from even greater depths, when landed on deck, show no signs of distress from the change in pressure and are vigorous and active. When thrown overboard they disappear in an instant into the depths.

The handling the halibut receives and the absence from its native element, when not too prolonged, does not seem to affect it seriously. Occasionally a halibut has been kept on deck for ten minutes or more, yet when it is released it has appeared nearly as vigorous as those returned after but one or two minutes.

The extent to which injuries caused by the fishing gear will affect percentage returns depends largely on the skill and care exercised in selecting the fish to be marked, and this strictness of selection may be affected by the presence or absence of other uses for the fish.

During the work in 1925 a record was kept of the injury each fish had suffered from the gear. In that year, in all areas exclusive of Cape Chacon, 1,462 halibut were marked with strap tags. Of these 33.9 per cent had been recovered at the end of 1928. At Cape Chacon 258 halibut were marked with strap tags and 64.3 per cent recovered by the end of 1928.

The records show that outside of the Cape Chacon area 55 halibut hooked through either the right or left eye ball were marked. Of these, 20 or 36.4 per cent had been recovered by the end of 1928. At Cape Chacon 25 fish in this category were marked and 15, or 60 per cent, recovered by the end of 1928.

We have also tabulated for the Hecate Strait, West Coast of Queen Charlottes, and Cape Chacon experiments, the fish hooked about the maxillary, premaxillary, mandible, or other mouth parts. For Hecate Strait the returns from this group were 25 per cent compared to 30 per cent for all Hecate Strait fish. For the West Coast of the Queen Charlottes the returns were 28 per cent compared to 28 per cent for all fish. For Cape Chacon the returns were 67 per cent compared to 64 per cent for all fish.

For Cape Chacon we have also tabulated those fish listed as hooked in the roof of the mouth. Of the 60 so listed, 34 or 57 per cent have been recovered compared to the above 64 per cent for all fish.

For all halibut marked with strap tags (omitting Cape Chacon experiment) in 1925, 37 are listed as badly injured or feeble. Of these but 3, or 8 per cent, have been recovered compared to 33.9 per cent for all fish.

The data as to injuries are given in Table 3 for better comparison.

The uniformly close agreement in the percentage returns from fish listed with different injuries, with one exception falling well within one or two probable errors of the total, would imply that there is little difference in the seriousness of the various types of injuries. The one exception in the above table is for halibut listed as being in doubtful condition. For this category the returns are much lower than for any other.

In our opinion, based on the examination of thousands of halibut, the injuries about the external mouth parts are the least serious. But the fact that the percentage returns from this category are approximately the same as that from the others, and for the total, would indicate that none of the categories had been seriously affected by the mortality from hook injuries. This contention is supported by the returns from the Cape Chacon experiment where between 60 and 70 per cent of the tagged fish were retaken within a period of two years. The accuracy of determination of condition is further attested by the low returns from fish listed as being in doubtful condition.

A third factor affecting returns is the loss of some of the tags from the fish. Data on this subject are not at present extensive enough to warrant a detailed analysis. The present remarks will be confined to a consideration of the general indications. We have for some time, for all halibut examined, been preserving the part of the opercle on which the tag is attached, together with the tag. An examination of this material gives an idea of the firmness with which the tags remain on the fish.

In most cases the tag is securely fastened to the opercle, at times the bone is somewhat worn, and occasionally the tag has worked out to the point where it is rather insecurely held. On the fish which have been out two or three years the tags are almost always quite firmly imbedded with the flesh grownover and somewhat around parts of the tag. The material in general indicates that a certain proportion of the tags may be lost in this manner, but this proportion appears to be small.

The rate of returns is also affected by the halibut's natural mortality. In figuring the returns over a number of years, this factor must have a considerable effect in reducing the rate of recapture.

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Condition doubtful					37	3	8.1	3.0						••		•••
All halibut tagged	258	166	64.3	2.0	1,462	496	33.9	0.8	357	106	29.7	1.6	332	94	28.3	1.7

TABLE 3.-Effect of injuries on rate of recapture percentage returned by end of 1928 from halibut tagged in 1925

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<sup>1</sup> P.E. = .6745  $\frac{\sigma}{\sqrt{n}}$ .

In addition to these errors which have just been considered, certain limitations must also be recognized in the data collected for the recaptured halibut. Most of this information was collected directly from the captains of the fishing vessels by a member of the scientific staff. In 1928 more than 80 per cent of the cases were handled in this way. In the remainder the information was collected through the co-operation of government representatives and fish buyers. In all cases a standardized form was filled out with the information desired.

The information provided by fishermen is in most cases quite accurate. Eighty-nine per cent of the tags recovered in 1927 were found on the boat during fishing operations, and the captain could accurately give the place and time of recapture. Eight per cent of the tags were noticed during unloading operations and the fishermen could tell, from the part of the hold in which the fish were stored, the time of recapture within a day or two and the place of recapture within a few miles. Thus in 630 cases out of 651, the tags were found in time so that the place and time of recapture could be determined with at least a fair degree of accuracy.

Another possible but very unlikely error in the data might arise as a result of the intentional falsification by disgruntled fishermen who desired to hinder the work of the commission or to further ideas of their own. The only data which could be appreciably affected in this way would be those regarding recovery location, and the fishermen's lack of knowledge of the tagging locations would discourage this.

The records were examined for evidences of any such attempt with the following results. Of the halibut recaptured during 1925 to 1928 from experiments south of Cape Spencer, 70 showed a movement of 100 miles or over. These tags were turned in from 56 different boats, 3 each from 2 boats, 2 each from 10, 1 each from the remainder. This diversity of origin hardly suggests any intentional misrepresentation of data on the part of any one crew.

Although there is some doubt as to the percentage of tagged fish lost before being returned, we have found in the causes discussed no reason to doubt that the percentage remains fairly constant from year to year. This fact is of considerable importance in any conclusions based on the comparison of returns from year to year or from bank to bank. Since, for instance, the fact of a low intensity should be evidenced as much by a prolonged period of return as by a low rate of return, there are possibilities of reaching useful conclusions through examination of the period of this return, in other words, the change from year to year in its rate.

Consideration of errors and of the representative character of the experiments therefore tends to turn attention not merely to the determination of the actual percentage returned, etc., but to the variation in this between size categories and from year to year.

# SECTION D.-PRESENTATION OF RETURNS FROM ALL REGIONS

The detailed returns up to the end of 1928 are shown in Apendixes A and B, where the tag number, locality of marking and of recovery, distance travelled, increase of size, and other information are given. These returns have been classified by area for convenience in presentation and shown in Table 4 and Figure 13 in a summarized form.

The areas used (Figures 1, 2, and 3) are based upon a line following the general trend of the coast, the line included in each area being equal to 60 minutes of mean latitude of the area in question. They are the same as are used in our statistical returns. The divisions between them extend seaward and perpendicular to the line mentioned. It will be found that several tagging localities may be included within each such area and that the latter are necessarily unequal in extent of fishing ground. The advantage in their use lies in the fact that they represent fairly the linearity of the narrow continental slope.

 

 TABLE 4.—Recoveries of marked halibut to end of 1928 according to areas of liberation and recovery; strap tags only

August of Decouvery						Ar	ea of Li	beration					
Area of Recovery	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	20	22	25	26	Total
$\begin{array}{c} 0\\ 1\\ 2\\ 3\\ 4\\ 5\\ 6\\ 7\\ 8\\ 9\\ 10\\ 11\\ 12\\ 13\\ 14\\ 15\\ 16\\ 17\\ 18\\ 19\\ 20\\ 21\\ 22\\ 23\\ 24\\ 25\\ 26\\ 27\\ 28\\ 29\\ 30\\ 31\\ 32\\ 33\\ 34\\ \end{array}$			$ \begin{array}{c}                                     $	······································		$\begin{array}{c} & 1 \\ 2 \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ . \\ .$	······································	······································	$ \begin{array}{c}             1 \\             1 \\         $	$1 \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ 1 \\ \\ 2 \\ \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 2 \\ 8 \\ 19 \\ 11 \\ 1 \\ 9 \\ 11 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\$	······································	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	$\begin{smallmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 10 \\ 10 \\ 14 \\ 42 \\ 98 \\ 203 \\ 273 \\ 15 \\ 203 \\ 273 \\ 15 \\ 24 \\ 337 \\ 15 \\ 55 \\ 300 \\ 311 \\ 11 \\ 12 \\ 55 \\ 300 \\ 311 \\ 112 \\ 5 \\ 12 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ $
Total Area Unknown Grand Total Number Tagged Per cent Recovered	$\begin{array}{c}2\\0\\2\\14\\14.3\end{array}$	$3 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 13 \\ 23.1$	$665 \\ 9 \\ 674 \\ 1,547 \\ 43.6$	$119 \\ 6 \\ 125 \\ 417 \\ 30.0$	$\begin{array}{r} 6\\0\\6\\40\\15.0\end{array}$	$364 \\ 24 \\ 388 \\ 1,183 \\ 32.8$	$191 \\ 3 \\ 194 \\ 373 \\ 52.0$	281 12 293 1,349 21.7	$204 \\ 17 \\ 221 \\ 1,748 \\ 12.6$	90 8 98 1,338 7.3	96 3 99 1,218 8.1	$3 \\ 0 \\ 3 \\ 49 \\ 6.1$	$\begin{array}{c c} 2,024\\ 82\\ 2,106\\ 9,289\\ 22.7\end{array}$





In Table 4 the number of recoveries from all fish tagged in any given area is shown at the bottom, and the distribution of those recoveries among the various areas is shown in the vertical divisions. In Figure 13 the distribution of these is shown horizontally instead of vertically, the sum of the columnar graphs in each horizontal division being equal to 100 per cent, equal to the sum in per cents of each other horizontal division, and equal to the fish originally tagged in the area in question. This renders it possible to compare the relative scatter of the returns from experiments in each area, and to compare directly the percentages retaken in the same area in which they were tagged. The latter, as recoveries within the area of the experiment, are shown in the graph by double hatched instead of solid bars.

As a consequence of the use of the linearly defined areas, this arrange ment of returns gives only the major migration components parallel to the coast. Furthermore, when the tagging location has been near the boundary, the returns may be shown from two areas without any considerable movement having occurred. Minor movements within individual or adjacent areas, or in a direction at right angles to the coast must be studied in a more detailed way whenever the banks are appropriately situated. It should be noted that in area 12 there were but six recoveries, four within the area of tagging. Hence the graph, in percentages, gives undue prominence to the migration in this area.

Areas 6 to 18, between Cape Flattery and Cape Spencer, show very slight evidences of migration. Occasional fish seem to stray considerable distances. For all recovered fish tagged within these areas the average movement, was 21.4 miles,<sup>2</sup> as shown by Table 16, p. 86. This contrasts strongly with the average movement of fish tagged between areas 20 and 38, which is 209.2 miles, hence very much greater despite the shorter time since marking (Table 19, p. 91.

The direction of movement of the recovered tags is of great interest, even as shown by Figure 13. Fish tagged in areas 20 and 22 show a decided tendency to move westward, as can be seen by comparison of the double hatched columns with the solid, the double hatched representing recoveries in the area of tagging. South of 18, areas 10 and 15 show opposing migrations, such as they are, as evidences of the possible existence of a self-contained unit of migratory stock (pp. 58, 84, and 101).

The two main regions, those from 18 to 38 and from 6 to 17 are practically distinct as far as returns are concerned. As has already been said, the fish tagged therein are very different as to maturity and the state of depletion of the stock differs widely. The amount of movement shown, great in the westward area and small in the southern, is undoubtedly correlated with the differences in maturity.

Particular attention should be given to the fact that only about 5 per cent of the recoveries from fish tagged in areas 20, 22, and 25 were retaken in areas south of 17, while but one of those tagged in areas 10 to 15 was retaken beyond area 17. This expresses the almost complete independence of the two general regions, a fundamental fact in the following treatment of data (compare also Figures 15 and 17).

<sup>2</sup> Throughout this report the mile used is equal to a minute of latitude.

Fish tagged from populations known to be largely immature should be analyzed separately from those known to be mature. All the experiments south of Cape Spencer were on immature fish. Those on areas 20 and 22 were on mature. Those on areas 25 and 26 were on mixed populations. The southern and western divisions have therefore been considered separately.

It is, of course, the distribution of the recovered tags in which the major interest lies, but the relationship of these recoveries to the number marked in each area is of considerable significance. The numbers marked, and the recoveries in each area (including immigrants) are shown in Figure 14



FIG. 14.—Number of skates of gear fished compared with the number of halibut tagged and number recaptured in each

from Tables 4 and 5. It is evident from inspection that there is a fairly close correlation between the distribution of numbers marked and of those recovered south of area 18, but very little north. This is in accord with the lack of migration in the former and the extensive movements in the latter.

It is also evident that there is a marked difference in the percentage returns south and north of area 18. This is due, as has been said, to the fact that a highly localized and completely exploited population was tagged to the south and that to the north the population tagged may be a part of a larger migratory stock, only a section of whose range falls within the scope of the fishery.

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			-	NO. TAGO	ED FISH RECA	PTURED
AREA	No. OF SKATES FISHED	No. OF POUNDS CAUGHT	No. TAGGED	Southern Experiment 1925-1928	Yakutat 1927 and 1928 W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928
$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5 \\ 6 \\ 7 \\ 8 \\ 9 \\ 10 \\ 11 \\ 12 \\ 13 \\ 14 \\ 15 \\ 16 \\ 17 \\ 18 \\ 20 \\ 22 \\ 23 \\ 24 \\ 25 \\ 27 \\ 28 \\ 29 \\ 30 \\ 1 \\ 22 \\ 33 \\ 34 \\ 35 \\ 36 \\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 1,844\\ 2,771\\ 3,381\\ 1,253\\ 5,615\\ 17,631\\ 9,094\\ 11,365\\ 12,846\\ 70,611\\ 45,383\\ 45,624\\ 101,524\\ 16,777\\ 17,312\\ 23,759\\ 11,265\\ 15,395\\ 34,273\\ 42,252\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,253\\ 42,252\\ 42,2$	$\begin{array}{c} 79,409\\ 119,349\\ 145,615\\ 53,966\\ 241,820\\ 605,268\\ 312,204\\ 390,174\\ 551,473\\ 3,060,282\\ 2,344,956\\ 2,030,250\\ 5,187,877\\ 785,145\\ 919,285\\ 1,282,963\\ 5,187,877\\ 903,687\\ 903,687\\ 2,152,348\\ 2,797,170\\ 2,661,130\\ 1,040,420\\ 1,205,421\\ 2,226,011\\ 4,855,580\\ 3,34,051\\ 2,250,171\\ 2,142,626\\ 718,089\\ 1,238,121\\ 85,251\\ 63,938\\ 1,522\\ 16,137\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & $	1           2              3           9           1           4           60           28           315           202           270           10           2           1.	$\begin{array}{c} 1\\ 1\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\ .\\$	··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··
Total	884,181	53,421,585	9,289	1,631	294	99

# TABLE 5.—Number of halibut tagged and recaptured compared to total halibut tandings and gear fished. Tabulated by areas

# COMPARISON OF RETURNS WITH FISHING INTENSITIES

The bearing of the relative intensity of the fishery upon the distribution of the returns from the tagging experiments has already been discussed from the standpoint of the program adopted. As was pointed out there, the rate of recapture depends upon the activity of the fishermen, and the greatest returns from any given experiment with fish that migrate in all directions, will come from the direction in which lies the most active fishery.

There may be some question whether the intensity of a fishery should be judged by the amount of gear fished, or by the total catch made thereby. But the amount of the total catch made is dependent upon two factors, the amount of gear used and the catch per unit. The latter reflects the abundance of the fish and the density of the school. It has little relationship to the proportion of the total stock taken. The chance of recapturing a particular tagged halibut accompanying the school depends entirely upon the proportion of the latter taken and not upon the actual number of fish in that proportion. The catch per unit therefore does not indicate the chance of recovery of tags, and

it must be concluded that the amount of gear run in a given area is a better measure of the chances of recapture than is the total catch.

It may, of course, be true that where the fish school very densely indeed, as they did in the early days of the industry, the maximum number which can be caught by the unit of gear is the limiting factor, this number forming a variable proportion of the fish on the ground. The result must be that under such circumstances neither the total catch nor the amount of gear run reflects the proportion of the stock taken. But at present this density of population rarely exists, except during the now closed spawning period.

The use of the total catch as an indication of the number of returns to be expected from an area is also hindered by the presence of differing numbers of immature fish on the various banks. In our southern experiments, these have proved to be relatively non-migratory. The tagging experiments beyond area 18, Cape Spencer, were largely in areas 20 and 22, where a mature population was spawning. As a result, even though the mature tagged fish might distribute themselves equally, the catch would be rendered unequal in the several areas by the varying proportion of immature non-migratory fish.

The returns of tagged fish may therefore be considered in relation to the amount of gear fished in each area. In case a tagged population distributes itself equally over all fishing ground, by virtue of perfect mobility and unhindered random migration, a unit of gear fished anywhere should produce the same number of tagged fish at each trial.

#### CALCULATION OF INTENSITIES

Our measures of the varying intensities of the fishery are not as yet perfect, but they will suffice for the present purposes.<sup>3</sup> Complete information is out of the question without legal powers and without assistance of port officers, neither of which is as yet given to the commission by law. Lacking this, the entire fleet landing at principal ports has been canvassed and log records of each day's fishing secured whenever the vessel captains could furnish them. Fortunately a large part of the fleet co-operated willingly. Nevertheless the task has been a very considerable one, fully equalling the effort involved in the tagging experiment proper.

The distribution of tag returns varies so widely from the distribution of intensities as between southern and western grounds and within the southern group of areas, as to dwarf any possible error. The grounds north and west of Cape Spencer are fished by the larger vessels of American registry, a more or less homogeneous group of men and vessels, and the records should be correspondingly representative, as from area to area. As will be seen, the comparison with tagging returns from these banks needs such exactness.

An excellent representation of the catch records of the fleet selling at Prince Rupert, the principal halibut port, is available from 1926 to date. Those for the year 1929 cannot be prepared in time for this publication, but since the tag returns considered are entirely in 1927 and 1928 for the grounds

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> From manuscript data by Harry A. Dunlop, F. Heward Bell, and William F. Thompson.

beyond Cape Spencer, we have been content to use the catch records for 1928. This series includes almost all vessels fishing from areas 12 to 38 inclusive, as far as they are accessible to inquiry, whether the catches were landed at Seattle, Prince Rupert, or ports in Alaska, because all of these vessels at some time during the year call at Prince Rupert and are interviewed. We may therefore adopt this series as representative of fishing intensities north of area 11, provided the returns are weighted to make them represent the total poundage taken instead of a fraction (Table 5).

The collection of similar data for Seattle could not be begun before 1929. But for that year the area of origin of about 86 per cent of the landings in Seattle was obtained. This was without records of amount of gear save in a certain percentage of cases where log records were obtained. It was assumed that this was representative of the distribution in 1928 of the catches for areas 11 and south. It then became necessary to weight this distribution to equal the total poundage taken. The Seattle and Vancouver landings comprise the greatest part of these. For 1928 the landings in southern ports were:

Seattle (IFC records)	$13,\!818,\!672$
Vancouver (Canadian Government records of Ca-	
nadian vessels amended by IFC records)	1,188,031
Vancouver (IFC records of American vessels)	26,740
Canadian Government District No. 3	$424,\!300$
Total	$15,\!457,\!743$

These total landings were distributed in accordance with those of the Seattle landings for 1929, and the first part of the third column of Table 5 was obtained, for the estimated pounds taken from each area, 1 to 11, inclusive.

But nearly 49 per cent of the Seattle catch was brought in from grounds north of area 11, by vessels represented in the Prince Rupert series of records. This proportion of the 1928 southern landings was therefore credited to these more northern banks, in addition to landings in northern British Columbia and Alaska, as follows:

Southern landings from areas north of 11	$7,\!553,\!226$
Canadian District No. 2 (Canadian Government)	$28,\!813,\!300$
Alaska (IFC records) <sup>4</sup>	$9,\!150,\!544$
Total	45,517,070

This poundage was distributed among the statistical areas 12 to 38 in accord with the log records obtained by inquiry at Prince Rupert, previously discussed.

 $<sup>\</sup>ensuremath{^{\ast}}$  This total was changed subsequently to completion of this report, but not sufficiently to affect the calculations.

The two series of records for pounds caught in the statistical areas have been united, giving a continuous record for catches north and south of the line between areas 11 and 12. The result is shown in Table 5.

The catch per unit of gear, the skate, has been determined for areas 11 and south, for all existing records of vessel catches, for the years 1928 and 1929, in order to secure averages reasonably free from chance variability, since the above mentioned Seattle records for 1929 did not give the amount of gear fished for each locality. The averages for 1928 for areas north of these were sufficiently representative and stable. The total pounds for each area were then divided by this catch per skate to give the number of units fished in each area (Table 5, Column 2).

This is an approximation, first, because no legal powers exist whereby it can be made completely representative of the fleet, second, because the need for an exact measure of intensities was not realized until the present analysis was undertaken, and third, because the present report must be made at once without further refinement.

In Figure 14 these estimates of the number of skates fished in each statistical area are shown as histograms.

The numbers of fish returned from the several areas south of 18 show a higher correlation with the numbers tagged than with the various intensities of the fishery. That the reverse is the case north of area 18, is apparent although the scale of presentation makes comparison difficult. There the returns are correlated with the fishery, not with the tagging experiments of which those of two areas only are considered. This difference is more clearly shown in Figure 13, where the areas of maximal returns shift with the tagging area south of area 18, but remain more constant beyond.

## COMPARISON WITH SOUTHERN AREAS

The southern areas may be examined in more detail, isolating the tagging experiments proper to that division. The planning of the experiments so as to distribute the numbers roughly according to the general distribution of intensity of the fishery obscures the essential fact that the returns from each experiment are for the most part from the tagging area itself. However, assuming that the intensity of the fishery is an index to the chances of recovery in any area to which a fish may stray, it is easily seen that if the tagging returns are figured on a basis of distance from tagging localities, so can the chances of recapture be thus arranged, and the actual rate of return at various distances can be compared with the possible.

Consider first the tagging experiments and their returns. The area in which tagging was done may be numbered zero, and the areas in either direction numbered from one up. In each such numbered area the number of returns can be entered. This having been done for all experiments, the entries in

the zero areas can be summed, to represent the actual returns in the areas of tagging, and the same can be done for the areas once, twice, etc., removed. This has been done in Table 6 and Figure 15 for the southern experiments.





The same may be done with the chances of recovery, as represented by the number of units of gear fished in each area. For summation of these chances, each zero point must be superimposed and the chances of recovery summed for each distance from the tagging area. Since in each experiment the chances of recovery from any one area vary with the total number recovered, each corresponding array must be weighted according to the total tags recovered from that experiment.

The result is the graph shown in Figure 15, for experiments in areas south of 18. It will be seen that the vast preponderance of recoveries were in the home area and that there was relatively nothing obtained elsewhere despite abundant opportunity, especially west of area 18.

	SOUTHERN E	XPERIMENTS			YUKUTAT AN	D W GROUND	
Area	Chance of Re- covery per 1,000 Recovered	Actual Recoveries	Recoveries Per 1,000 Recovered	Area	Chance of Re- covery per 1,000 Recovered	Actual Recoveries	Recoveries Per 1,000 Recovered
$\begin{array}{c} 14\\ 13\\ 12\\ 11\\ 10\\ 9\\ 7\\ 6\\ 5\\ 43\\ 2\\ 1\\ 0\\ 12\\ 3\\ 4\\ 5\\ 6\\ 7\\ 8\\ 9\\ 10\\ 112\\ 13\\ 14\\ 15\\ 16\\ 17\\ 18\\ 9\\ 20\\ 21\\ 22\\ 23\\ 24\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} .6\\ 1.1\\ 1.7\\ 1.29\\ 7.3\\ 10.2\\ 8.2\\ 30.0\\ 30.9\\ 41.8\\ 53.6\\ 38.4\\ 64.4\\ 35.6\\ 36.7\\ 50.4\\ 23.1\\ 28.8\\ 35.6\\ 25.4\\ 26.4\\ 26.4\\ 31.2\\ 46.9\\ 45.9\\ 44.8\\ 40.0\\ 43.8\\ 52.6\\ 35.7\\ 34.8\\ 22.8\\ 18.1\\ 11.4\\ 4.7\\ 5.5\\ 5.5\\ .4\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} & & & & & \\ & & & & & 1 \\ & & & & & 1 \\ & & & &$	$\begin{array}{c} & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & & &$	$\begin{array}{c} 22\\ 21\\ 20\\ 18\\ 15\\ 16\\ 15\\ 12\\ 10\\ 8\\ 7\\ 6\\ 5\\ 4\\ 3\\ 2\\ 10\\ 12\\ 3\\ 4\\ 5\\ 6\\ 7\\ 8\\ 9\\ 10\\ 112\\ 13\\ 14\\ 15\\ 16\\ 14\\ 15\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16\\ 16$	$\begin{array}{c}9\\ 1.4\\ 2.8\\ 2.4\\ 4.9\\ 9.5\\ 8.0\\ 16.9\\ 12.1\\ 41.9\\ 30.5\\ 67.6\\ 73.4\\ 22.4\\ 16.6\\ 22.4\\ 16.6\\ 22.4\\ 34.6\\ 24.1\\ 30.6\\ 67.3\\ 41.7\\ 22.9\\ 25.2\\ 5.4\\ 9.9\\7\\3\\ 3\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 1\\ & \ddots \\ \\ \\ & \ddots \\ \\ & \ddots \\ \\ \\ \\$	3.4  3.6  30.6  95.2  30.6 
Total	1,000	1,631	1,000		1,000	294	1,000

 

 TABLE 6.—Comparison of actual recoveries with chances of recovery as based on fishing intensity, tabulated according to areas numbered each way from tagging area.

#### COMPARISON WITH AREAS NORTH AND WEST OF CAPE SPENCER

To examine the western areas more in detail the recoveries from the experiments in areas 20 and 22 have been plotted on a larger scale relative to the gear fished in each area, making on the graph the sum of all recoveries west of area 17 equal to the sum of the gear fished (Figure 16). The returns from areas south of 18 fail entirely to compare with the chances of recovery, but from areas 18 to 34, the recoveries vary fairly closely with the chances calculated.

Absolute correspondence would, as has been noted, require perfect mobility on the part of the fish tagged, leading to complete and random dispersion over the grounds. It is exceedingly unlikely that any such simple distribution is attained. In fact the conditions under which the mature fish were tagged form an exception, in that the mature spawners were densely congregated. This afforded an opportunity to secure an unusual representation of the tagged class by each set of gear. Such schooling occurs each fall in the areas in which the tagging was done, and there is a corresponding fish-

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ery which returns many tagged fish. It will be noted that the returns from areas 20 and 22 are much in excess of the chances of recovery, as represented by the intensity of the fishery.

The returns are higher, relative to the chances of recapture, in areas 19 to 26 inclusive, than in some of the more western areas. This is brought out clearly (Table 6, Figure 17) by the method of combination of tagging areas used in the case of the southern banks. The actual recaptures are greater in proportion to the chances in the proximal areas to the west than in the distal.

This discrepancy may be due to two factors. Either there is an increasing concentration of the spawning schools as the eastern grounds are approached during the fall and spring fisheries, or there is some degree of limitation to the migrations made. This will need further investigation as the experiment proceeds. It must be noted that there are relatively few returns upon which to base any such exact method of treatment, and that, if the spawning schools met with in areas 20 and 22 are the same such treatment is not necessary, the actual distribution of returns being sufficient.

The mixed populations of areas 25 and 26 have not been included in this analysis because of the presence of relatively non-migratory immatures. As can be seen from Table 16 the movements of such schools are small.



FIG. 17.—Number of halibut recaptured from Yakutat and W Ground experiments, according to areas numbered each way from area where tagged, compared to chances of recapture if the population were freely migratory within the range of the fishery.

It is therefore to be concluded that the immature population characterizing the areas south of 18 is practically non-migratory. But the mature halibut of the Gulf of Alaska contrast sharply with these immature, and migrate with relatively great freedom. The limitations upon this movement of mature may be more apparent than real, and for all practical purposes, the spawning schools between areas 18 and 38 are the same stock. It is shown very well by Figure 17 that the recoveries of these mature fish to the westward of the tagging areas are grossly in excess of the recoveries to the south, despite the nearly equal intensities.

If this is so, the catch of mature fish on the western grounds is everywhere interdependent and must decline everywhere nearly in unison. It follows that differences in relative abundance on the western grounds cannot persist for long, unless they are caused either by unusual predominance of immature fish in certain areas, or by peculiarities of the annual spawning migrations.

Our results to date indicate that the mature halibut of the Gulf of Alaska form a freely intermingling biological unit extending beyond the limit of the present fishery, but not southward.

The two main regions, south of Cape Spencer and west of Cape Spencer, will be dealt with seperately as regards rate of dispersion and rate of recovery. Under each of these headings, the variation according to length of fish and to time will be considered.

# SECTION E. DISCUSSION OF RETURNS SOUTH OF CAPE SPENCER TO THE END OF THE YEAR 1928

# RATE OF RECOVERY ON SOUTHERN BANKS

The number of tags of standard strap pattern placed on fish south of Cape Spencer was 4,936, of which 1,720 were placed in the year 1925 and 3,216 in the year 1926. Those of 1925 were well scattered between Cape Ommaney on the north and Goose Islands on the south (Appendix A, Figures 1, 2, and 3). Those of 1926 were largely confined to the West Coast of Prince of Wales Island and to the grounds off Goose Islands.

The percentage of these returned during the first three seasons was 35.9 for the 1925 experiment, and 31.7 for that of 1926. The returns for the fourth season were 4.1 per cent from the 1925 experiment and approximately 7.2 per cent<sup>5</sup> from the 1926 experiment. This gives a return during four seasons of 1,843 tags from the total of 4,936, or 37.4 per cent of all marked in the two experiments.

The returns during the fifth season are not likely to be enough to greatly increase these figures.

The returns from the halibut marked with round tags are not included in the above, nor in the results given below. There were 1,916 halibut marked thus in 1925, of which 4.7 per cent were recaptured the first season, 0.3 per cent the second, and none thereafter, making 5 per cent in all. These results differed so markedly from the returns of the strap tags that they have not been included in the subsequent analysis.

Data as to the strap tags recovered are given in Table 7 where they are grouped according to the year of recapture. The returns are given in the second and third columns according to the several calendar years following the marking in 1925 and 1926. In the fourth and fifth columns these returns are shown as percentages of the total marked in each experiment, namely of 1,720 in 1925 and of 3,216 in 1926.

G	Number I	Recovered	Per cent of T	Total Recovered		
(to Jan. 1)	1925 Experiment	1926 Experiment	1925 Experiment	1926 Experiment		
1	147	227	8.5	7.1		
2	352	560	22.4	18.7		
3	119	235	9.7	9.7		
4	45	158	4.1	7.2		
Total	663	1,180	38.5	36.7		
Total Marked	1 720	2 216				

TABLE 7.—Table of recoveries from southern experiments, inclusive of Cape Chacon

<sup>5</sup> Returns for 1929, the fourth season of the 1926 experiment, are not complete.

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The results are fairly comparable as between the two experiments, but included in the results from the 1925 experiment there is a group of tags which were liberated at Cape Chacon (Southeastern Alaska on Dixon Entrance) which deserves special consideration. This group illustrates a feature of the halibut fishery which was in the early days characteristic but has become less and less so, namely the discovery and temporarily intensive exploitation of a small "spot" yielding high returns. In 1925 there were 258 halibut tagged near Cape Chacon, during the middle of July, while a heavy fishery was concentrated there upon a newly discovered dense school of high grade fish. Table 8 shows the rate of recapture season by season.

TABLE 8.—Recoveries of Cape Chacon Ash (number langed z	TABLE 8	-Recoveries	of	Cape	Chacon	fish	(number	tagged	25
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Season (to Jan. 1)	Number Recovered	Per cent of Total 258	Per cent of those not Recovered Previously
1	77	29.8	29.8
2	79	30.6	43.6
3	6	2.3	5.9
4	3	1.2	3.1
Total	165	64.0	

The returns, compared with those for the whole 1925 experiment (Table 7), show an excessive rate of recapture in the first season and a much more abrupt decline in returns the third season. The fishery at Cape Chacon was exceedingly intense during the months immediately following the marking, and this persisted through 1926, but in 1927 the school was so far depleted that fishing operations were no longer productive, leading to the partial abandonment of the locality, and a sharp fall in returns.

No such spot fishing was encountered during the remainder of the 1925 experiment nor during that of 1926, so it has been deemed necessary to consider the Chape Chacon results separately, as not representative of the present fishery.

#### REVISED RATE OF RECOVERIES

In Table 9 the returns of the round tags and those from the Cape Chacon experiment have been omitted.

The returns have been expressed as percentages of the total number of marked fish not accounted for at the beginning of each season. The returns for any such season should obviously be given in terms of the total number of tagged fish available for capture at the time.

Table 8 for Cape Chacon fish illustrates well the fact that the returns for the several seasons, when in percentages of the total tagged, do not express directly the effect of the intensity of the fishery. Corrections cannot here be made for fish from which the tags have dropped, nor for tagged fish which have died or been caught without report of the tag, but correction can be made for

fish which it is known have been recaptured. This obviously does not meet the situation adequately, but since it does so partially, is worthy of adoption. Each season's returns have therefore been calculated as percentages of the total left *unaccounted for* at its beginning.

 TABLE 9.—Recaptures of strap tags by years, southern experiments, omitting

 Cape Chacon

	NUMBER RECOVER	VERED FROM	PERCENTAGE NOT ACCOU	OF NUMBER INTED FOR	COMBINED EXPERIMENTS			
Season	1925 Experiment	1926 Experiment	1925 Experiment	1926 Experiment	Number of Recoveries	Per cent of those not pre- previously recovered		
$1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ 4 \\ 5$	$70 \\ 273 \\ 113 \\ 42 \\ 23$	$227 \\ 560 \\ 235 \\ 158 \\ \cdots$	$\begin{array}{r} 4.8\\ 19.6\\ 10.1\\ 4.2\\ 2.4\end{array}$	7.1 18.7 9.7 7.2	297 833 348 200 23	$ \begin{array}{c} 6.3 \\ 19.0 \\ 9.8 \\ 6.2 \\ \cdots \end{array} $		
Total	521	1,180	35.6	36.7	1,701	36.4		
Total Tagged	1,462	3,216			4,678			

The similarity in the rates of recapture in the two experiments indicates their representative nature and accuracy. The error in any single-locality experiment would be principally that dependent upon the numbers tagged, but a far larger error would arise were its results regarded as typical of the whole fishery. The multiplication of tagging localities as the units of possible variability must therefore be given the credit for the degree of dependability which the consistency of results indicates. Such consistency, in so far as present, justifies the program of so scattering the tagging localities as to furnish a representation of the population from which the commercial supply is taken.

From the similarity in the rate of return it would seem that substantially the same average intensity of fishery was met with in the two experiments. This might be expected, because a fundamental principle followed by commercial fishermen is the concentration of efforts upon the most profitable ground. This principle leads to a leveling of abundance in all localities, with consequently somewhat even distribution of fishing intensities. The tags of the 1925 experiment were distributed generally around the Queen Charlottes, whereas those of 1926 were largely concentrated on Goose Island Grounds and the West Coast of Prince of Wales Island. The similarity in returns, therefore, evidences the uniform level of intensity of fishing effort, in accord with the varying stocks of fish, and the accuracy with which our experiments express this level.

Before these returns, as given in Table 9, can be accepted as representing the intensity of the fishery on southern banks, their significance must be understood. One source of error arises from the seasonal nature of the fishery, another from the loss of tags otherwise than by capture and return.

The distribution of the returns throughout the year reflects the seasonal nature of the halibut fishery. This is shown in Table 10 and Figure 18, where the number of tagged fish returned each month is given for the 1925 and 1926 experiments. The per cent returned each month from the two experiments is also shown. Compared according to season of recapture the two experiments give quite similar results.





The concentration of the fishery in the summer months (aside from that of the year of tagging) is well illustrated by these figures. The number of returns increases from a minimum in February to a maximum in May to July and then again falls off to a minimum in November. The heavy returns during the early summer from the 1926 experiment are largely due to the fact that more than half of the recoveries for this experiment came from Goose Island Grounds, where the fishery reaches its peak somewhat earlier than on the other southern banks. The complete lack of returns during the middle of the winter is due to the cessation of fishing operations. The legal closed season from November 16 to February 15 is but a minor factor, as is indicated by the few recoveries during the months both preceding and following this closure.

	1925	EXPERIMEN	Г	192	6 EXPERIMEN	łТ'
Month	Not Previously Recaptured	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Not Previously Recaptured	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured
1925 June July August September October November	1,720 1,718 1,677 1,639 1,601 1,575	$ \begin{array}{c} 2 \\ 41 \\ 38 \\ 38 \\ 26 \\ 2 \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 0.1 \\ 2.4 \\ 2.3 \\ 2.3 \\ 1.6 \\ 0.1 \end{array}$	····· ···· ····	··· ··· ···	
Total	1,720	147	8.5		·	
1926 February March April June July August September October November	$\left \begin{array}{c}1,573\\1,562\\1,562\\1,515\\1,457\\1,400\\1,315\\1,263\\1,229\\1,229\\1,226\\1,22$	$\begin{array}{c} 4\\ 17\\ 37\\ 58\\ 57\\ 85\\ 52\\ 24\\ 10\\ 3\\ 5\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c c} 0.3\\ 1.1\\ 2.4\\ 3.8\\ 3.9\\ 6.1\\ 4.0\\ 1.9\\ 0.8\\ 0.2\\ 0.4\\ \end{array}$	3,215 3,208 3,162 3,062 3,062 3,060 2,993 2,988	$\begin{array}{c} & \ddots & \\ & \ddots & \\ & & 7 \\ & 46 \\ 100 \\ & 62 \\ & 7 \\ & 5 \\ & 0 \end{array}$	0.2 1.4 3.2 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.2
Total,	1,573	352	22.4	3,215	227	7.1
1927 February March April June July August September October November Incomplete .	$\begin{array}{c} 1,221\\ 1,221\\ 1,216\\ 1,209\\ 1,188\\ 1,163\\ 1,135\\ 1,124\\ 1,113\\ 1,111\\ 1,110\\ \end{array}$	0 5 7 21 25 28 11 11 11 2 1 8	0.4 0.6 1.7 2.1 2.4 1.0 0.2 0.1 0.7	2,988 2,986 2,985 2,889 2,772 2,669 2,575 2,575 2,500 2,462 2,444 2,444	$\begin{array}{ c c c c }\hline & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & $	0.1 0.7 2.6 4.0 3.7 3.5 2.9 1.5 0.7 0.7
Total	1,221	-119	9.75	2,988	560	18.7
1928 February March May July July September October November Incomplete .	$1,102 \\ 1,102 \\ 1,001 \\ 1,094 \\ 1,089 \\ 1,078 \\ 1,070 \\ 1,062 \\ 1,061 \\ 1,060 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,050 \\ 1,059 \\ 1,050 \\ 1,05$	$\begin{array}{c} 0 \\ 1 \\ 7 \\ 5 \\ 11 \\ 8 \\ 8 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 2 \end{array}$	0.1 0.6 0.5 1.0 0.7 0.7 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.2	$\begin{array}{c} 2,428\\ 2,427\\ 2,415\\ 2,369\\ 2,323\\ 2,271\\ 2,253\\ 2,227\\ 2,208\\ 2,199\\ 2,198\end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{c} 1\\ 12\\ 46\\ 52\\ 18\\ 26\\ 19\\ 9\\ 1\\ 5 \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 0.04\\ 0.5\\ 1.9\\ 2.2\\ 0.8\\ 1.2\\ 0.9\\ 0.4\\ 0.05\\ 0.2\\ \end{array}$
Total	1,102	45	4.1	2,428	235	9.7

TABLE 10.-Number of halibut recaptured each month; southern experiments

The seasonal nature of the fishery on southern banks is also shown by our records of halibut landings. These are given in Table 11 and Figure 19 for Prince Rupert and Seattle landings from the region of Sitka Sound to the north end of Vancouver Island. During these years nearly 81 per cent of the total landings ar recorded for the period from April to September, while 90 per cent of the halibut recaptured in 1926 from the 1925 experiment were taken during this period.

TABLE	11	Montl	ily h	alib	ut la	ndin	gs in	Prince	Ru	pert	t and	se se	attle	3 fron	ı ba	nks	between
			Si	tka	Sour	ıd an	nd no	rth end	of	Var	ıcour	er .	Islaı	ıd			
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Ave	rage 10	1926,	1927	anu	1928.	inese	ngures	represent	01.4	per	cent 0	une	rorar	паприг	HOM	unis	region.

		Total	15,054,157
June	2,488,884	November	478,983
Мау	2,112,917	October	826,888
April	1,921,200	September	1,327,26
March	1,318,710	August	2,036,79
February	224,767	July	2,317,750

The seasonal character of the fishery affects the number of returns during what is called the first season in the above tables, namely, from time of tagging to January 1. Tagging operations were carried on in 1925 between the middle of June and the middle of August, in 1926 between the first of June and the first of August. This was, roughly, at or after the crest of the season for the several banks where tagging was done. More than the first half of this first season is, therefore, lacking in each case, and very often no fishing occurred in the tagging locality until the following year.



FIG. 19.—Seattle and Prince Rupert halibut landings from the region Sitka Sound to the north end of Vancouver Island. Monthly averages for 1926, 1927 and 1928 combined. The Seattle and Prince Rupert landings include approximately 67 per cent of all halibut taken from the region named.

Furthermore, the chances of recovery during the first few months are not normal. Halibut were, naturally, marked from schools which happened to be encountered, on grounds at the time heavily fished, and these schools then contained an exceedingly high percentage of marked fish. But a ground once heavily fished in a given season is not likely to be resorted to again in the near future. It is characteristic of the halibut fishery that certain areas are resorted to at certain seasons only by certain boats, and revisited a year later. Tagging having been done at or after these times, there remained in each case but a very small chance of recaptures. The chances of vessels in a widely scattered fleet of at once meeting these schools were small and as a matter of fact rarely occurred. Hence, until sufficient time had elapsed either to allow the marked fish to distribute themselves fairly in the general region or the fleet to repeat their cycles of fishing localities, the recaptures did not adequately reflect the intensity of the fishery. How soon this degree of scatter was attained is doubtful, inasmuch as the fishery shifts as fall approaches. It is therefore necessary to regard the first season's returns as abnormally small in number.

The truth of this is attested by the high rate of returns which were found in the single case in which an intensive fishery occurred in the tagging locality immediately after marking. The Cape Chacon experiment (Table 8) shows practically as many returns for the first season as for the second, despite the fact that the former was for part of a season only. The exclusion of the Cape Chacon experiment, on the ground that it is abnormal, is perhaps not justifiable, since it represents what is probably a normal first year return of a fishery subjected from the beginning to intensive fishery. But the experiment practically terminated during the second year because of the partial abandonment of the locality by the fleet.

The seasonal change in intensity also lends significance to the differing dates of the several experiments. Two methods of classifying returns, by date of recapture, or by number of days out, are available. The classification by date of recapture associates halibut which have been at liberty for periods differing by as much as three months. The other method associates halibut which have been retaken at different dates, and obscures the effect of seasonal changes. It is therefore necessary to choose the method of classification, or to adapt it, according to the purpose in view.

However, the sharply marked seasons, with a winter closure of three months, allow a natural division which holds for both methods of classification as long as a full year's returns are dealt with. The winter closure is from November 16 to February 15. The choice of January 1 as a point of division, corresponds to the point of natural division according to time out. The returns for each calendar year except the first, therefore form the natural seasonal unit usable until an examination by smaller time units is made. These returns are given in Tables 7, 8, and 9 as seasons.

We have therefore regarded the second season as the first during which the chances of recovery are normal.

# CORRECTION TO REPRESENT TRUE RATE OF RECAPTURE

The outstanding feature of these returns, as presented in Table 9, is the decline which is shown in the percentage of returns, even when this percentage is calculated as of the number unaccounted for.

The number tagged during the 1925 experiments was 1,462. The returns in the successive calendar years after the first half year were 273, 113, 42, and 23. The number unaccounted for by return of tags at the beginning of the respective years was 1,392, 1,119, 1,006, and 964. The returns were there-

fore in the successive years, 19.6 per cent, 10.1 per cent, 4.2 per cent, and 2.4 per cent of the totals unaccounted for at the beginning of each year. This is a very sharp fall. But, were there no loss except by returned tags, these percentages should by definition have been constant year after year, because they are based on the stock not accounted for by returned tags.

There is, then, a steadily accumulating difference between the constant percentage value as it would be if there were no other loss than by returned tags and the percentages actually returned. This steadily accumulating difference is due to the inclusion, in those not accounted for, of fish actually removed from the fishery by means other than return to us. Each year's unknown loss is carried forward and added to, as a basis for new calculations. The loss is undoubtedly operative from the moment of tagging, and enters into the first or any succeeding determinations of percentage recoveries, reducing them very markedly to a greater and greater extent as the proportion of the unaccounted for losses to the actual stock existent becomes greater.

It will be well worth while to suggest, if only approximately, what correction or type of correction must be applied to obtain the true intensity of the fishery. This has been done in Figure 20, for the 1925 experiment exclusive of the Cape Chacon data.



FIG. 20.—Logarithms of percentage returns from the 1925 experiment (exclusive of Cape Chacon) fitted with a straight line to show corrected rate of return. Values for each season on basis of those unaccounted for January 1.

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In constructing this graph we have considered a stock of fish, originally in excess of the number tagged (1,462), on a given bank. Half way through a calendar year, 1,462 of this stock survived and were tagged. The returns in succeeding years were summed annually, at the close of each year. The summed return in each case therefore represented most probably the midpoint of the year in question, particularly as the returns were most frequent near that mid-point. Each such summed return was calculated as a percentage of the number of fish not previously returned at the beginning of that year. The percentage values obtained were found to follow a law of variation from year to year indicating that the rate of change in these percentage values was a constant, forming a logarithmic curve.

The logarithms of the percentage values obtained were therefore plotted, each at the mid-point of its proper year (Figure 20). It will be noted at once that they are best described by a straight line. It is defined by the formula  $y = ab^x$ , or log  $y = K_1 + K_2 x$  where y is the percentage value,  $K_1$  and  $K_2$  are constants, logarithms of a and b, and x is the time since tagging. Assuming conditions to have been constant from year to year, the line may be extrapolated, indicating at the y intercept a value for a of 40.4 per cent.

Before assigning any meaning to a, or this y intercept, the significance of each of the known points must be determined. As has been indicated, these are the logarithms of the percentages which the *actual returns* (not recaptures) form of the *totals unaccounted for* at the beginning of each year. Both the actual returns and the unaccounted for totals are, however, affected by several factors, the importance of which change from season to season and which may or may not be effective at the time of tagging.

For the sake of simplicity it may be assumed that the original stock was tagged at the beginning of a fishing year. At the end of each year thereafter, the returns were summed and expressed as already indicated. These resultant percentage values represented the recaptures by fishermen, modified, however, by the following: (1) natural mortality; (2) loss of tags from living fish before recapture; and (3) loss of tags after recapture and before return. We wish to eliminate these, making the percentage values the true rate of recapture. It must be assumed, lacking any specific information, that the factors concerned act at a constant rate throughout the time of the experiment, and that that include all those that affect the final values as expressed in percentages of the totals unaccounted for.

These percentage values represent an apparent rate of return which varies from the true rate of recapture because, on the one hand, the various factors reduce the number returned; and on the other, they increase the unaccounted for total, as compared with the actual available tagged stock at the beginning of each season. But the numbers returned form the numerators, the unaccounted for totals the denominators, of the expressions from which the observed percentages were obtained, and the percentage values obtained vary accordingly.

The number returned is reduced because the stock of tagged fish is constantly diminished by the factors under the first two headings above, namely, natural mortality, and loss of tags before recapture. At the time of tagging

this stock is equal to a known value—the original number tagged. The subsequent decrease by death and loss of tags before recapture is, by assumption, at a constant rate. It is cumulative in effect, the proportion of lost tags to those remaining increasing steadily from one that is initially negligible to one that is of greater and greater significance in calculating the final percentage values. Whatever the equation describing the effect of these losses, they are non-existent at the time of tagging, and the extrapolation back to that date of the graph following the observed values shown in Figure 20 should give a value free of the influence of such losses upon the stock of tagged fish.

But the denominator, the unaccounted for stock, is increased. At the time of tagging, it is equal to the actual tagged stock, hence a known value, because at that time no deaths or losses have occurred. It is subsequently increased by each death or lost tag, and such increases are cumulative with time. The proportion thus wrongly classified mounts year by year from a negligible amount to one of greater and greater significance, and affects to a corresponding degree the discrepancy between the unaccounted for total and that of the tagged stock otherwise remaining. This discrepancy the correction proposed should eliminate, because the factors discussed are not effective at the date of tagging.

But the third cause of differences between the observed percentage returns and the actual percentage recapture, is the loss of tags after recapture. In this case the rate of loss of recaptured tags is by assumption constant, affecting the percentage values for the first returns equally with those for the last. Its direct effect upon the number returned is therefore not eliminated by the proposed correction. However, its effect upon the unaccounted for total is similar to that of other factors, initially negligible and cumulative in effect, and is corrected for.

The rate of recapture by fishermen is hence affected by the rate of loss of recaptured tags as a constant, applying at the time of tagging, and our corrected value indicated for that time is not the rate of recapture but is the rate of return. The true rate of return, by definition, should be a constant, and the values obtained for the percentages would form a horizontal straight line across our graph as drawn (Figure 20).

In the actual case at hand, if our reasoning applies thereto, the difference between this true rate of return, and the values as observed (and as expressed as percentages of fish not accounted for) increases at a constant rate, or nearly so, giving the logarithmic graph obtained. This observed difference is the summation of the effects of the several factors acting simultaneously upon the true rate of return but the independent effect of any single one of these factors might possibly be described by a type of equation differing from that fitting the observed values.

This difference begins at the time of tagging, is non-existent at that time, and becomes opposite in sign if the curve is extrapolated beyond; that is, for the first half of the year to which our value, a, applies. The antilogarithm of the y intercept therefore indicates the true rate of return, in case our reasoning applies to the observed case.

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This rate of return, 40.4 per cent, would apply to the calendar year, at the mid-point of which tagging was done, and to the stock present at the last of the previous year, six months eariler, that is, a stock in excess of the number actually tagged. This is immaterial, however, since the percentage value would apply to any stock, the successive annual percentage values used in each case referring to a different number of the original total stock. This would not be true had the several values used been stated as percentages of the actual number of stock tagged, when the y intrcept value would have been meaningless and too high, for it would be based on the actual numbers which would have been returned from the stock existent six months earlier, despite the fact that it would be stated in percentages of the tagged stock.

The results therefore indicate that if no source of loss other than the intensity of the fishery were operative 40.4 per cent of any given stock would be returned within one year. We have no direct measure of the tags lost after recapture, but assume this to be small, in view of the great interest of the fishermen and the large reward offered.

The question arises as to what extent the imperfect returns of the first half year affect the results. An allowance of 271 returns in addition to the 70 for the first half year, raises the apparent rate of recapture only to 48.8 per cent. This allowance is grossly in excess of what is probable even though there were some unusual source of loss during the first half year, and indicates to some extent the limit of the error which might exist from this source.

The corrected rate, 40.4 per cent, cannot be more than an approximation, due to the abnormality of the first year and to the lack of enough years' returns to give thoroughly constant values. It may, of course, be proved finally that the intensity is not constant, and that some other equation than the one chosen will be necessary, and it may be that the rate of death otherwise than by recapture is not what we suppose. Yet, in the present state of our fishery science, the greatest value of the determination made must lie in its suggestiveness, both to the scientist concerned and to the regulative powers.

#### TOTAL DECLINE IN STOCK AND NATURAL MORTALITY

In considering the significance of the preceding suggestions it is necessary to bear in mind that with the eliminated cumulative error of lost tags, etc., is included the natural mortality, so that the rate of recapture as corrected does not represent the actual rate at which the stock disappears.

The actual rate at which the stock of tagged fish disappears might be assumed to be represented by the decline in actual numbers of returns. This would be true if the intensity of the fishery did not vary from year to year, for then the recoveries would represent a uniform proportion of the stock surviving at the start of each season. The number of tags lost after recapture would vary in proportion with the number returned.

So, if the returned tags form a constant percentage of the available stock of marked fish, the returns of 273, 113, 42, and 23 in successive years represent the relative magnitudes of the stocks of marked fish left at the beginning of each year from the 1925 experiment. The greatest importance attaches to the returns of greatest number, due to their lesser probable error. Weighting the values accordingly, an annual decline of 58.4 per cent would seem to be the best which can be determined from the available data. This decline should be compared to the corrected rate of recapture of tagged fish of 40.4 per cent. That is, our corrected rate of return accounts for but a fraction of the total decreases, the balance being natural mortality.

But it will be noted that the annual decline of 58.4 per cent refers to the available stock of marked fish. To regard this as the decline in the total stock on the banks involves the assumption that the stock of marked fish changes at the same rate as the total stock. This is, strictly speaking, not true, for there must be from year to year, a loss of tags without death or recapture of the fish concerned, reducing the stock of marked fish somewhat faster than the total stock. This we do not believe is considerable after the first year, but it remains an assumption that the unaccounted for decline in marked stock is entirely due to natural mortality.

We have, then, estimates of the total decline in stock, and of the actual rate of capture which contributes to this total decline. On the assumption that these estimates are nearly enough correct to lend validity to further calculations, the rather fascinating possibility of discovering the natural rate of mortality presents itself. This, of course, with the present relatively few returns and unexplored possibilities, is mainly of theoretical interest, however great the latter may be, at least until a tag is perfected which is not lost from the living fish.

Dr. A. F. Carpenter, Professor of Mathematics, University of Washington, who has been kind enough to check the reasoning of the senior author with regard to the above, suggests the following solution as of general interest. The mathematics is simple and is explainable by reference to any suitable text.<sup>6</sup>

Assuming a total loss each year of 58 per cent of the available stock of fish at the beginning of the year, and similarly a loss of 40 per cent due to fishing, the problem is to determine the percentage loss due to natural causes, which, together with the 40 per cent loss by fishing, will account for the total loss of 58 per cent.

The depletion due to natural causes is operative throughout the year while that due to fishing takes place during a short season. For simiplicity we shall assume that this latter loss takes place instantaneously and at exactly mid-season, and that the year begins and ends at mid-season.

Let S be the original number of fish and S' the number remaining after time t during which only natural causes for reduction of stock have been operative. Then, if r be the continuous rate of loss due to natural causes, we will have the relation

 $S' = S e^{-rt}$ .

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> See Feldman, Biomathematics, p. 75.
For an original stock of say 1,000 fish, the number remaining at the end of one year, and before the loss due to fishing, will thus be

$$S' = 1000 \ e^{-r}$$
.

The catch at this time is 40 per cent of the original number, or 400, and after their removal there remain 42 per cent of the original number, or 420. We thus have

$$1000 \ e^{-r} - 400 = 420,$$
  
$$r = \log_{e} \frac{50}{41} = 0.198$$

from which to the nearest tenth per cent.

If, in place of assuming that the catch is all removed at one time, we think of it as a continuous process over a period of two months at the end of the year, then we must first find what continuous rate i over a period of a year will be equivalent to the rate which produces a depletion of 40 per cent in two months. For this we will have

from which

$$e^{-i/6} = 0.60,$$
  
 $i/6 = 0.511.$ 

Our equation for the computation of r now becomes  $1000 e^{-(r+0.511)} = 420$ .

from which

$$e^{-(r+0.511)} = 420$$
  
 $r = 0.356$ 

to the nearest tenth per cent.

It now becomes clear that any period whatever of fishing at a continuous rate which is equivalent to a depletion of 40 per cent, will produce the same result for r. For we shall have, for any fractional part i/n of a year, the relation

from which and as before

$$e^{-i/n} = 0.60$$
  
 $i/n = 0.511$ ,

 $1000 e^{-(r+i/n)} = 420$ 

gives, when the value of i/n is inserted,

$$r = 0.356$$

Corrections must be made in the results of our tagging experiments if we are to arrive at any idea of the rate of capture by the fishery, and they make the returns coherent and understandable, whereas otherwise they are not. The calculations are relatively simple and straightforward. In advancing such we are conscious of the fact that the underlying theory needs elaboration. So, too, are we conscious of the lack of a sufficient number of years' returns to lend accuracy to the calculations made. It is our hope to make in the future a more detailed analysis of what experiments we have, and to add to the evidence available.

This is especially true in that we have no accurate knowledge of the number of skates fished from year to year on the banks concerned. Were such knowledge available, the variability in the rate of return of tags might be definitely correlated with year by year changes in the fishery rather than with possible movements of the fish. Thus the somewhat unexpectedly high returns of tagged fish in 1929 from the 1926 experiment might be due either to a more intense fishery or to the growth of the tagged fish to a more intensively fished size. It is obvious that the lack of precise knowledge of the fishery

	192	25 EXPERIME	NT	19	26 EXPERIME	NT		TOTAL		1925 EX C	CPERIMENT W CAPE CHACON	ITHOUT
Length	Tagged	Recaptured 1925-1928	Per cent Recaptured	Tagged	Recaptured 1926-1928	Per cent Recaptured	Tagged	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Tagged	Recaptured 1925-1927	Per cent Recaptured
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Total	1,720	663	38.5	3,216	1,022	31.8	4.936	1,685	34.1	1,462	456	31.2

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TABLE	12.—Number d	of halibut	tagged a	and number	and	percentage	recaptured	for ea	ch 5 cm	. length	category;	southern	experiments
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hinders the development of scientific methods of observation. There cannot be any doubt of the importance of a sound statistical system.

# RATE OF RECOVERY FOR DIFFERENT SIZE CATEGORIES

This leads us to a consideration of another source of variation which is also very important in any analysis of the rate of returns as representing the intensity of the fishery. The rate at which the marked halibut have been retaken is different for the various sizes of fish. This is shown by the percentages of each size category which have been recaptured.

In Table 12 and Figure 21, we have shown the length frequencies for all halibut marked on southern banks in 1925 and 1926. In addition there is



FIG. 21.—Length frequencies of halibut tagged during southern experiments and percentages recaptured. Upper—Length frequency curves for halibut tagged in 1925 and 1926. Middle—Percentage recaptured to the end of 1928 of the number tagged at each length. Lower—Percentage recaptured from each experiment during the first three seasons, by lengths. Cape Chacon data not included.

given for the different lengths the percentage recaptured (more strictly speaking, returned) of the number tagged. The percentages include all fish recaptured from 1925 to 1928 for the 1925 experiment and from 1926 to 1928 for the 1926 experiment.

The rate of return from the 1925 experiment for the four seasons, from 1925 to 1928, is lowest for halibut 50 cm. or less in length. From 11 per cent at this size, it increases rapidly to about 45 per cent for fish between 70 and 90 cm. For the sizes above 90 cm., the rate is less, but it is not reliable because of the small numbers of returns involved.

The rate of return, according to size, during the 1926 experiment was very similar to that for 1925. But the values are somewhat lower inasmuch as three seasons' recoveries (1926 to 1928) are included instead of four as for the 1925 experiment. Again we find the rate increasing from a minimum of less than 5 per cent for halibut under 50 cm. in length to a maximum near 40 per cent for fish from 65 to 80 cm. For the larger sizes the percentages are again somewhat less but are unreliable because of the few returns.

In order to compare more readily the returns from the two experiments there are shown graphically in Figure 21, lower, the percentages for the 1925 to 1927 recoveries from the 1925 experiment. In the 1925 curve the data from the Cape Chacon tagging are omitted since the conditions and results of this experiment differed so markedly from any of the others. The two curves are very similar, rising from a minimum for the smallest sizes to a maximum around the 70 to 80 cm. lengths. Above this size the general trend is downward although there are some discrepancies which can be expected because of the small numbers and correspondingly large probable error's.

The difference in the rate of recovery for variously sized fish can be explained largely by the nature of the halibut fishery. As has been mentioned before the halibut in schools are more or less equal in size. The principal effort of the fleet is then directed at those schools containing fish sufficiently large to be marketable and in sufficient numbers to be remunerative. Consequently there is greater effort directed against the fish of intermediate sizes and there is a higher percentage of recaptures in those categories.

The returns of small fish are further lowered by the fishermen's practice of shacking off all which are too small to be of much market value. In such cases, they are snapped from the hook back into the water with a flip of the arm and wrist. There is then but small likelihood that any tags present will be noticed and as the injury received is usually fatal, the tag is lost to our experiment. The size of halibut shacked off varies somewhat from time to time, from area to area, and from boat to boat, but in the end is largely determined by the markets. There is presented in this connection, a graph showing the relationship between length and weight (Figure 22).

The fewer returns from the larger sizes can probably be ascribed to a lessened concentration of the fishery upon such fish, and rather doubtfully, to a greater dispersion of these to outlying areas where the fishery is less intense.



FIG. 22.—Weight-length curves for Goose Island (southern) and Yakutat (western) fish. Eviscerated but with heads on.

The results thus prove that these returns of marked fish as given for the whole do not represent the maximum intensity which prevails for certain sizes. If the cumulative error is the same for all sizes, the corrected rate of recapture for the sizes between 70 and 90 cm. would be as much above 40 per cent as the uncorrected percentage returns for those sizes are above the average for all sizes. The thought then occurs to us that this cumulative error we observe is not equally distributed between the sizes, that as a result our calculations of the rate of recapture might be very different for the several sizes. Whether the data at hand are extensive enough to support the analysis necessary remains to be seen in a later report if such is made.

The work shows very plainly the high intensity of the fishery. It cannot be doubted that subsequent to the sixth year, when halibut first enter the commercial catch in quantity, the rate per year of removal by the fishery and of loss by natural death is nearly 60 per cent at best, and is such as to leave but a very small fraction by the time the age of average maturity, twelve, is reached.<sup>7</sup>

 $<sup>^7</sup>$  Thompson, W.F. A Preliminary Report on the Life History of the Halibut. In Report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for 1914, Province of British Columbia, 1915, p. 92.

The commercial fishery resembles a barrier, past which but few fish can win, and against which the incoming schools of young are spent vainly in their attempt to reach maturity. No other explanation is needed for the prevailing lack of mature fish on southern banks than the existing intensity of the fishery.

At one time the average size of the fish on these southern grounds was large, and the mature abundant.<sup>8</sup> It cannot, of course, be assumed that whatever persistence or lack of persistence the stock on southern grounds shows is the direct result of the rate of removal, since many other factors affect the supply of young. But at present the ages of fish on these banks lie largely between 5 and 9, with a few as old as 12 or 13. It is therefore in harmony with the actual facts that a very high rate of decline in the stock should exist.<sup>9</sup>

The significance of more exact studies than we have made can hardly be overestimated. This is very plain in considering the effect of changes in intensity upon the chances of reaching maturity. Were, in accordance with our estimates, the rate of survival 42 per cent per year but 5 fish out of a thousand would reach the age of 12, after entry into the commercial catch as six year olds. Were the rate 60 per cent, over 45 fish would reach the age of 12.

We would also urge a more precise analysis of the principles underlying the determination of the rate of capture and death. We would wish for it more carefully planned and extensive experiments. The numbers of fish tagged in each area should be greater, so that the results might be more uniform. The method gives promise of being a most valuable tool in determining the relative merits of such regulations as closed areas.

## DISPERSION ON SOUTHERN BANKS

In the preceding section information has been secured as to the rapidity with which the present stock of halibut on the southern banks is being exhausted. This is at a high rate, and if the fishery is to endure, must be balanced by an annual income (1) of young, or (2) of migrants from other banks. The source of this supply of young is being studied by other means, but the marking experiments here described throw direct light upon the rate of natural drainage from, and the renewal of, the stock of adults upon the banks concerned, in addition to what they throw upon the rates of death and recapture.

In this section the endeavor will be made to arrive at some general measure or expression of the extent of migration on the southern grounds. In favor of this method of treatment is the distribution of the tagging over many banks, so that the expression of the extent of movement will partake of the character of an average.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>8</sup> Thompson, W. F. Statistics of the Halibut Fishery in the Pacific. In Report of the Commissioner of Fisheries for 1915, Province of British Columbia, 1916, p. 97.
<sup>9</sup> Data from manuscript on age determination by Harry A. Dunlop.



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ontal scale, the elapsed time between the day the halibut was tagged and that on which recaptured. The total absence

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In Figure 23 the marked fish returned are shown (abscissae) according to the time elapsed between tagging and recapture and (ordinates) according to the distance between the localities of tagging and of recovery. Each fish is represented by a spot. The distance of this above the base line therefore represents graphically the net movement of the individual concerned, whatever the direction or whatever the intervening migrations may have been.

# DISTRIBUTION OF RETURNS

The most noticeable feature of these returns is their grouping, reflecting the highly seasonal nature of the halibut fishery. Tagging was in each case done while the fishery in the locality was at or near its crest. The returns show by the evident grouping that they tend to be at a maximum annually at the season of marking. The recoveries, then, took place, just as the marking, during the seasonal fishery, and the grouping is therefore largely the result of the distribution of the fishery upon the class of fish tagged, namely the immature.





A very direct method of studying the scatter of the tagged fish is to range the number of halibut according to the extent of movement. This has been done in Table 13 and Figure 24 for the recoveries up to the end of 1928. The number of fish moving less than 10 miles is 1,061, those between 10.0 and 19.9 miles, 241. The numbers fall off rapidly as the distance increases.

		TAGO	ED IN	1925		т.	AGGED	IN 19	26	1925 AN	D 1926
Miles		Rec	aptured	in			Recapt	ured in		First	All
	1925	1926	1927	1928	Total	1926	1927	1928	Total	Seasons	Returns
$\begin{array}{c} 0-9\\ 10-19\\ 20-29\\ 30-39\\ 40-49\\ 50-59\\ 60-69\\ 70-79\\ 80-89\\ 90-90\\ 100-109\\ 110-119\\ 120-129\\ 130-139\\ 140-149\\ 150-159\\ 160-169\\ 170-179\\ 180-189\\ 190-199\\ 200-209\\ 210-219\\ 220-229\\ 210-219\\ 220-229\\ 220-229\\ 240-249\\ 250-259\\ 260-269\\ 270-279\\ 280-289\\ 290-299\\ 300-309\\ 310-319\\ 320-329\\ 30-309\\ 310-319\\ 320-329\\ 30-39$	124 4 4 6 4	258 30 13 8 3 6 2 3 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 4 4 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 4 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 4 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 4 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 4 1 1 2 2 3 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 2 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 3 1 1 1 2 2 3 1 1 1 1	52         11         6         4         2            1		464         45         27         21         13         8         3         6         2         1		345 999 28 26 7 7 3 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2	103 58 19 12 8 3 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 1	597         196         665         422         100         4         4         3         1         2         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1         1            1            1            1            1            1            1            1            1            1               1               1	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c} 1,061\\ 241\\ 93\\ 66\\ 35\\ 18\\ 7\\ 7\\ 8\\ 11\\ 9\\ 6\\ 3\\ 3\\ 4\\ 4\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\ 2\\$
Complete Incomplete	$145 \\ 2$	346 6	102 17	40 5	633 30	225	539 21	227 8	$991\\31$	1,584	1,624 61
Total	147	352	119	45	663	227	560	235	1,022	1,640	1,685

TABLE	13	–Num	ber o	f tag	ged	hali	but	recapt	ured	from	the	southern	experiments	to	end
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This fall in numbers with distance traversed is of so regular a nature, that it can be expressed by a formula. Up to 80 miles distance, the logarithm of the numbers recovered in each 10 mile unit varied inversely as the square root of the distance (Table 14, Figure 24, upper). If the numbers of returns be called y, the distances x, and constants a and b, the formula is  $\log y = \log a + \log b \sqrt{x}$ , or  $y = abx^4$  where a = 6091.5 and b = -2.218. This formula does not fit the more distant migrants even approximately. A better one from this standpoint is  $y = ax^b$  (or  $\log y = \log a + b \log x$ ) where for all returns,  $\log a = 4.13335$ and b = -1.56607, for the number of individuals shown in the tables (using weighted equations). The smoothed curves thus calculated from weighted equations are shown in Figure 24, lower, for all data and in Figure 25 for the three seasons separately, combining the 1925 and 1926 experiments. The second



formula fits the returns for the first and second seasons with nearly identical slopes and very much better than it does that for the third season especially within 85 mile distances.<sup>10</sup>

 $^{10}$  Without weighting the values of y, the slope b becomes -2.002, -1.764 and -1.604 for the three seasons, expressing the increase in dispersion with time. See p. 82.

The conclusion to be made from the regularity of the data is that the returns tend to be distributed in accord with certain laws, expressive of random distribution at a definite rate and other than what might be expected were there definite migrations.

TABLE	14.—Number	of	halibut	recaptured	from	southern	experiments	by	distance	from
				taggin	g loca	$tion^1$				

		All Seasons				Indiv	idual Seaso	ins	
Distance	Actual	Calcula	ited		Actual		Calc	ulated Y = a	xb
		$Y = ab^{x^{1/2}}$	Y=ax <sup>b</sup>	1st	2nd	3rd	1st	2nd	3rd
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 $^1$  Final returns differ slightly from figures given here, due to data received subsequent to the time these calculations were made (Table 13).

These formulas express in convenient form the amount of movement shown by the immature halibut of the grounds south of Cape Spencer. From the data to which they apply, it should be possible to calculate the interchange between banks, provided some estimate of the relative abundance of fish on these banks can be arrived at.

The returns may be handled in a somewhat more convenient fashion by calculating the percentages of the total number which moved less than any given distance. It is natural and easy to refer to the percentage which moved less than 10 miles, for instance. Curves based on such values, by the use of a reverse scale on the opposite side of the figure, show the percentage of recaptured halibut taken more than any given distance from the point of release. They can be calculated, if desired, in a smoothed form from the formulas above.

There are given in Table 15 these cumulative percentages for the 1925 and 1926 experiments. The 1925 material includes the returns from 1925 to 1928, and the 1926 material covers 1926 to 1928. Figure 26 shows the cumulative percentages for the first three seasons' returns from the 1925 and 1926 experiments.

The similarity in the returns from the two experiments is very close, the percentages, after the first 10 miles, never differing by more than 3 or 4 per cent. These figures show that over a period of three seasons between 5 and 10 per cent of the halibut were retaken more than 50 miles from the point of release and but 5 per cent more than 100 miles from that point.



FIG. 26.—Cumulative percentage curves for recoveries according to distance travelled for the first three seasons' returns from the 1925 and 1926 southern experiments.





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	1925	1926	1927	1928	1925 to 1927	1925 to 1928	1926	1927	1928	1926 to 1928	All Recap- tures
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 TABLE 15.—Cumulative percentages of halibut tagged during the southern experiments and recaptured within any given distance of tagging location

From this material it seems evident that the great bulk of the halibut population of the southern banks remains on the home bank at least 3 or 4 years after they have reached the ages tagged. Limited numbers, it is true, appear to have spread widely over areas up to several hundred miles distant but those which have done so are but a small fraction of those marked. If seasonal migration increases with maturity, the mortality seems to be sufficiently high to prevent enough tagged fish reaching a migratory stage to show in the data.

The difference in the dispersion of marked halibut in successive years is illustrated in Figure 27 where cumulative curves are shown for the several seasons' returns, combining the first, second, third, etc., seasons, from the two experiments. Of the first season's recaptures from the 1925 experiment less than 3 per cent came from points more than 50 miles from the marking location. During the second season about 8 per cent came from more than 50 miles and in the third season about 21 per cent. From the 1926 experiment about 2 per cent of the first season's returns came from more than 50 miles, about 6 per cent of the second season's returns came from beyond this distance, and about 12 per cent of the third season's recaptures.

These data indicate an increasing dispersion in the position of the marked halibut from year to year. The decrease shown by the fourth season's returns from the 1925 experiment is based on but 40 recaptures and is therefore less reliable than the other data.

The increase from season to season in the dispersion of the localities where marked fish are recaptured indicates a similar dispersion of the stock of halibut from which they were taken. Of the fish originally liberated on a certain halibut bank a small percentage wander each year from the home bank to outlying areas or distant banks. This results in a slowly increasing dispersion of the stock of marked halibut.

This small increase in dispersion however, cannot at present be accepted as established, for a similar appearance might have been produced by the action of a differential intensity of the fishing. The greater the intensity on the original bank the more rapid the decline there in returns; the less the intensity on the outlying banks, the less rapid the decline, giving it a larger and larger share in the total of recovered tags as the years pass.

The marking work during the summers of 1925 and 1926 on southern halibut banks was done on the most intensively fished areas and approximately at the height of the season. Consequently the above mentioned factor may have been at least partly responsible for the increased displacement of the recovered halibut. But this increase is so small as to leave the dispersion at the end of the third season still inconsiderable.

The above differences demonstrate that the cumulative percentage curves for dispersion of recaptured fish from different experiments are strictly comparable only for corresponding seasons. That is, first season's returns must be compared to first season's returns, second to second or first two or three to first two or three. This was done in Figure 26 where the first three seasons' recaptures from the 1925 experiment are compared to the first three seasons' from the 1926 experiment. The two curves obtained are found to be very similar. A greater similarity cannot be expected because of the differences in the two experiments in the distribution of the locations where fish were marked on the various banks, differences which it was the express purpose of the work to include in the total. In 1926 the work was almost entirely confined to Goose Island Grounds and the West Coast of Prince of Wales Island, while in 1925 only about one-tenth of the tagging was done in these regions.

In conjunction with the already estimated rate of removal by commercial fishermen, and of death by other means, knowledge of the rate of interchange should allow of a calculation as to the future fate of the popu-

lation of commercial sizes existing on a bank at any given time. The rates of immigration, of emigration, and of mortality are known, or can be determined approximately. Such calculations do not, of course, suffice to indicate the source or permanence of the supply of young fish.

The values given for the average movement express the diverse circumstances existing. These circumstances include the disposition of the areas surrounding each tagging location. Thus were the fishing banks so disposed that no other frequented grounds lay between 50 and 60 miles away, no returns at that distance could be expected. It follows that the number of returns at various distances is conditioned to some extent at least by the disposition of the banks. Furthermore, it is unknown whether halibut migrate only along the banks or move freely over great depths, for none of our experiments have been made on banks isolated completely by deep water.

The significance to the returns of the various sections of the banks is doubtful from another standpoint. They are not equally worthy of being termed fishing banks, because the intensity of the fishery upon them varies. A thorough understanding therefore awaits more complete statistical knowledge of our fisheries. The values arrived at in the equations adopted represent therefore not merely the average movement of the halibut, but the average disposition of the banks along our long narrow coastal shelf, which does not greatly impair their value for practical purposes.

Within the individual banks occurs a phenomenon which will be found again when the more migratory mature fish on western banks are studied. It was noted (p. 49) in connection with areas 10 to 15. It is well illustrated by the disposition of the recoveries from experiments on the Goose Island Grounds. Where these experiments were on opposite sides of the grounds, the resultant migrations were opposed, while those at intermediate points were indifferent in direction. This is evidence of a more or less self-contained unit, within which takes place the major share of whatever dispersion occurs. It indicates a type of movement somewhat analogous to that which would be shown by two lots of fish liberated at opposite ends of an aquarium, a movement due to simple diffusion and intermixture within a limited range. This of course may be in part seasonal. As we shall see, the mature western fish behave similarly but within a far larger range. It is therefore necessary to consider the position of each experiment with regard to the range of the stock of fish tagged in order to properly interpret the results.

The consideration in detail of this phase of the migrations cannot be undertaken at this stage of the work, but present results indicate that areas south of 18 are a unit as far as migratory stock in concerned. This has been remarked upon as regards the movements shown by experiments in areas 10 and 15 (Figure 13 and p. 49). The phenomenon is evident with varying degrees of clearness, in accord with the disposition and character of the banks.

Our results as to rate of movement are therefore not necessarily representative of this rate as it would be found over a uniform area without limit in any direction, but they are representative of conditions as they actually obtain, and thus meet the practical requirements of the situation.

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### SEASONAL MOVEMENTS

It would be expected that any seasonal migration would show itself by characteristic distortions of the distribution of returns. The great mass of fish should show movements instead of being predominately non-migratory as they are, and in such case no uniform law of distribution of returns concentrated around the tagging point could be expected. It may hence be surmised that seasonal migrations are minor in importance.

However, the simplest method for such an analysis is to calculate, for the halibut retaken during each month, the arithmetical mean of the distances between the points of release and the points of recovery. This has been done for both the 1925 and 1926 experiments and the results are given in Table 16 and Figure 28.



FIG. 28.—Average distance of the point of recapture from the tagging location for fish retaken during each month. 1925 and 1926 southern experiments.

The most noticeable feature of these dispersion curves is a displacement which is small during the summer months but which in most cases increases decidedly in both spring and fall. A monthly analysis has been made of the number of halibut recaptured 50 miles or more from the position of release. They are too irregular for clarity, so the several seasons have been combined to make one curve for all returns. The results are shown in Table 17 and Figure 29.

	1925 EX	PERIMENT	1926 EX	PERIMENT
Month	No. Recaptured	Average Dispersion	No. Recaptured	Average Dispersion
1925 JuneJuly August September November	2 39 36 37 26 2	$2.6 \\ 4.4 \\ 8.7 \\ 10.3 \\ 3.1 \\ 11.5$	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	···· ···· ····
Complete) Incomplete	142 $5$	6.9		
Total	147	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		
1926 February March April June July August September October November	$\begin{array}{c} 4\\ 17\\ 58\\ 57\\ 84\\ 52\\ 24\\ 10\\ 3\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{r} 86.9\\ 39.0\\ 16.8\\ 25.8\\ 9.0\\ 7.7\\ 19.7\\ 14.0\\ 21.8\\ 140.7\\ \end{array}$	$     \begin{array}{c}                                     $	$\begin{array}{c} \dots \\ 10.1 \\ 6.8 \\ 12.2 \\ 11.6 \\ 20.5 \\ 81.8 \end{array}$
Complete Incomplete	346 6	18.1	225 2	12.6
Total	352		227	
1927 February March April May June July August September October November	0 5 7 21 25 23 7 11 2 1	$\begin{array}{c} 669.9\\ 53.9\\ 84.6\\ 84.6\\ 12.0\\ 12.6\\ 41.2\\ 57.5\\ 434.0 \end{array}$	$egin{array}{c} 2\\ 21\\ 75\\ 114\\ 103\\ 94\\ 73\\ 38\\ 18\\ 0 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 5.0\\ 38.6\\ 16.8\\ 14.1\\ 19.8\\ 21.2\\ 14.9\\ 12.4\\ 41.2\\ \cdots \end{array}$
Complete Incomplete	102 17	58.7	538 22	18.1
Total	119		560	
1928 February April June June July August September October November	0 1 6 5 10 8 7 1 1 1 1	$\begin{array}{c} 7.0\\ 85.0\\ 71.6\\ 13.9\\ 6.4\\ 7.0\\ 2.0\\ 8.0\\ 26.0\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 1 \\ 11 \\ 46 \\ 45 \\ 52 \\ 17 \\ 26 \\ 19 \\ 9 \\ 1 \\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 3.0 \\ 57.4 \\ 29.6 \\ 47.2 \\ 24.0 \\ 37.2 \\ 18.5 \\ 38.7 \\ 29.2 \\ 74.0 \end{array}$
Complete	40 5	28.7	227 8	33.3
Total	45		235	
'Total Complete All Seasons	630	22.9	990	20.6

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# $T_{ABLE}$ 16.—Average dispersion and number recaptured, by months; southern experiments



FIG. 29.—Total number of tagged halibut recaptured each month and number and percentage recaptured 50 miles or more from the tagging location. Data for all complete seasons of southern experiments.

	Yaku V	Recoveries itat 1927 & V Ground 193	1928 28		Recoveries Portlock 192	28	Southern Experiments All Complete Seasons			
Month	Total Recaptured	No. Recaptured 50 miles and over	Per cent 50 miles and over	Total Recaptured	No. Recaptured 50 miles and over	Per cent 50 miles and over	T'otal Recaptured	No. Recaptured 50 miles and over	Per cent 50 miles and over	
February          March          April          May          June          July          September          October          November	17 36 35 35 27 23 22 34 33	$     \begin{array}{r}       15 \\       35 \\       32 \\       27 \\       30 \\       25 \\       20 \\       20 \\       28 \\       15 \\     \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 88.2\\ 97.2\\ 91.4\\ 90.0\\ 85.7\\ 92.6\\ 87.0\\ 90.9\\ 82.4\\ 45.4 \end{array}$	$     \begin{array}{r} 15 \\     12 \\     5 \\     6 \\     14 \\     13 \\     16 \\     7 \\     6 \\     1 \\     1   \end{array} $	$ \begin{array}{c} 4 \\ 2 \\ 4 \\ 10 \\ 6 \\ 5 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ 0 \\ \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 26.7 \\ 16.7 \\ 40.0 \\ 66.7 \\ 71.4 \\ 46.2 \\ 31.2 \\ 28.6 \\ 33.3 \\ \cdots \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 7\\ 55\\ 171\\ 243\\ 247\\ 226\\ 165\\ 93\\ 40\\ 6\end{array}$	$2 \\ 14 \\ 18 \\ 26 \\ 22 \\ 10 \\ 12 \\ 6 \\ 7 \\ 3 \\ 3$	$\begin{array}{c} 28.6\\ 25.5\\ 10.5\\ 10.7\\ 8.9\\ 4.4\\ 7.3\\ 6.5\\ 17.5\\ 50.0\\ \end{array}$	
Complete	292	247	84.6	95	37	38.9	1,253	120	9.6	
Incomplete	27			3			58			
Total	319			98			1,311			

 TABLE 17.—Number of tagged halibut recaptured 50 miles and over from the position where tagged

From an examination of these data it is evident that the increase in average dispersion during the spring and fall is not due to any increase in the number of halibut caught at points distant from the marking location. On the contrary, the greater number of distant recoveries are of halibut retaken during the summer months, when the average displacement is low. The movement is not seasonal, because if it were, these migrants would have returned to their original banks at the proper time.

The explanation of this seeming inconsistency is to be found in the fact that the tagging was done in localities where the fishery was predominantly a summer one, because there only could sufficient fish be obtained. Once away from this selected type of fishery, the migrants were retaken indifferently in fisheries peculiar to all seasons, and the number of returns was then governed by the general seasonal rise and fall of the fisheries. During the summer the enormous numbers retaken on the banks where tagging was done, more or less completely subordinated this change in numbers of distant migrants, reducing the average displacement of summer returns despite the increased number of distant recaptures. The increase in the average displacement in the spring and fall does not appear to be significant of any considerable movement on the part of the main body of halibut.

There is a portion of the year when no returns were made, due to cessation of fishing operations. Whether the halibut remained on the bank throughout this period or moved from the bank during the fall and winter and returned for the next summer is not relevant. The important point is—during the part of the year when they were of importance to the fishery and amenable to regulations, the great proportion of the halibut were found on the bank where they were marked, in most cases very near the position of release. They were not taken elsewhere and there is no evidence of any movement save that of straying individuals.

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# SECTION F.—DISCUSSION OF RETURNS FROM EXPERIMENTS NORTH AND WEST OF CAPE SPENCER TO THE END OF THE YEAR 1928

The first Portlock experiment is not included in the comparison of returns from the various western banks, as it consisted of but 53 halibut. The wreck of the "Scandia," the vessel used in the work at that time, prevented the completion of the experiment. The figures for this and the other western experiments are shown in Table 18. Standard strap tags only were used on western grounds and no correction of the tables given is necessary.

# RATE OF RECOVERY ON WESTERN BANKS

At the present time we have two years' complete returns from the Yakutat experiments and one year's returns from the Portlock and W Ground experiments. The percentage recapture for each season is given in Table 18. The first season's returns from these experiments are very nearly equal. From each of the two Yakutat experiments 7.8 per cent of the marked halibut were retaken the first season, from the Portlock experiment 8.1 per cent, and from the W Ground experiment 7.3 per cent. During the second season however, the returns from the two Yakutat experiments are not so consistent. The recoveries from the first amounted to 6.2 per cent while from the second but 4.2 per cent were retaken. This difference, 2.0 per cent, however, lies within the limits of chance variation as it is less than four times the probable error of the difference (2.8 per cent). This illustrates the fact that too close agreement in the results of different experiments cannot be expected even when the same intensity of the fishery is found on the two areas.





EXPERIM	IENT	TAGGED		RECAPT	URED BY	SEASONS		PERCENTAGE RECAPTURED					
Southern	Date	No.	1	2	3	4	Total	1	2	3	4	Total	
1925 1926	June 16 — Aug. 15, 1925 June 5 — Aug. 3, 1926	1,720 3,216	147 227	352 560	119 235	45	663 1,022	8.5 7.1	22.4 18.7	9.7 9.7	4.1	38.5 31.8	
Total		4,936	374	912	354	45	1,685	7.6	20.0	9.7	4.1	34.1	
Western													
Yakutat	Nov. 17 Nov. 26, 1926	894 854	70 67	51			121	7.8	6.2			13.5	
Portlock	Feb.         11         Feb.         12, 1927           Nor.         Z         Nor.         16, 1097	53	2	2			4	3.8	3.9			7.5	
W Ground	Nov. 7 — Nov. 18, 1927 Dec. 5 — Dec. 13, 1927	1,214	98				98	7.3			••	7.3	
Total		4,353	335	86			421	7.7	4.8			9.7	

TABLE 18.—Summary of halibut tagged and recaptured in different experiments

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The number recovered, according to the month of recapture, is given in Table 19 and Figure 30 for the western experiments. The returns from the Yakutat marking are highest for the early spring and summer from March to July, and for the late fall months, October and November. From the Portlock fish high returns were obtained in February, March, and from June to August. The highest returns from the W Ground came in April and September.

Month February March May June July September October November	192 YAKU	1927 YAKUTAT		8 'TAT	W GR0	28 DUND	PORTLOCK 1928		
	No. Re- captured	Average Dispersion	No. Re- captured	Average Dispersion	No. Re- captured	Average Dispersion	No. Re- captured	Average Dispersion	
	$ \begin{array}{c c} 1\\ 17\\ 8\\ 16\\ 14\\ 12\\ 5\\ 8\\ 21\\ 21\\ \end{array} $	362 224 403 283 435 361 219 332 160 49	6 10 13 8 11 7 7 2 8 7	1192243112623202772429518084	$ \begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$166 \\ 174 \\ 273 \\ 327 \\ 391 \\ 367 \\ 281 \\ 251 \\ 165 \\ 109 \\ 109 \\ 100 $	15 12 5 6 14 13 16 7 6 1	$\begin{array}{c} 73\\ 54\\ 82\\ 210\\ 133\\ 79\\ 76\\ 53\\ 51\\ 4\end{array}$	
Complete	123 14	248	79 5	240	90 8	259	95	86	
Total	137		84	···	98		98		

 TABLE 19.—Number and average dispersion of recaptured halibut, by months;

 western experiments

The seasonal differences in the southern and western fisheries can be seen from a comparison of the monthly recovery curves (Table 17, Figure 31). From the southern experiments 91 per cent of the recaptured halibut were taken from April to September. From the western experiments but 60 per cent were taken during this time. During the period from Novmber 16 to February 15, the closed season prevented the recovery of any tags, otherwise the returns during this time would probably have been very high as the fish are concentrated on the spawning banks at Yakutat Spit and the W Ground. Before the closed season went into effect in 1924 large amounts of halibut were taken during this period. In 1921 and 1923 sixty-six per cent of the halibut taken from the Fairweather-Yakutat-Icy Bay area were landed during the time now included in the closed season.

From the limited returns at hand, covering but two seasons of the Yakutat experiment, no clear idea can be obtained as to the necessary corrections to make the observed rates of return represent the rates of recapture. However, these rates are obviously low as compared with the returns of the southern experiments (Table 18). It is probable that the first year's returns are fully representative of the actual fishery, due to its seasonal distribution, and a surmise might be ventured, based on the decline between the first and second seasons, that an annual rate of capture of 10 per cent would apply to the western spawning stock. But the possible error in such few returns—137 the first year, 84 the next—is great, and returns for future years must be awaited, with possibly more extensive tagging.



FIG. 31.—Number of tagged halibut recaptured, by months, and percentage retaken 50 miles and more from taggnig location. Western and southern experiments compared.

## RATE OF RECOVERY FOR DIFFERENT SIZE CATEGORIES

In order to determine the relationship between the rate of recovery and the size of the halibut we have calculated the percentage returns from the fish tagged in each 10 cm. class. The results are given in Table 20 and Figure 32, lower.

From the length frequency curves (Figure 32, upper) it can be seen that the halibut tagged on Yakutat Spit in 1926 and the W Ground in 1927 had very nearly the same size distribution. The fish marked on Portlock Bank averaged about 10 cm. less than those on the other two banks. As is shown by the length frequency curve, a considerable part of these fish (30 per cent) were below 70 cm. in length, compared to 11 per cent for the other experiments.

The curves giving the percentage returns for each size category show a trend similar to that found in the southern experiments. The returns from the





smallest fish are low and increase from the lower end of the distribution up to sizes between 70 and 80 cm. Above this there is a slight decrease for the Yakutat and W Ground fish and a very pronounced one for the Portlock fish. The Yakutat and W Ground curves are similar and for the larger sizes differ considerably from that for Portlock. The returns for the second season Yakutat experiment are less numerous than those for the first, and the curve is therefore at a lower level.

	Y	AKUTAT 192	27	YA	AKUTAT 192	28	PO	RTLOCK 19	28	w	GROUND 19	28	ALL WEST 1927 ANI	ALL WESTERN EXPERIMENTS- 1927 AND 1928 RECAPTURES		ALL SOUTHERN EXPERIMENTS 		
Length	Tagged	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Not Recaptured January, 1928	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Tagged	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Tagged	Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Total Tagged	Total Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured	Total Tagged	Total Recaptured	Per cent Recaptured
$\begin{array}{c} 35-39.9\\ 40-44.9\\ 45-49.9\\ 50-54.9\\ 55-59.9\\ 65-64.9\\ 65-69.9\\ 75-79.9\\ 85-89.9\\ 90-84.9\\ 95-99.9\\ 100-104.9\\ 105-109.9\\ 110-114.9\\ 115-119.9\\ 120-124.9\\ 125-129.9\\ 130-134.9\\ 135-139.9\\ 140-144.9\\ 150-154.9\\ 150-$	$\begin{array}{c} & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & $	13         14         34         21         13         14         34         21         13         14         34         31         1	7.6 9.1 7.5 6.6 6.8 13.3	4           28           142           257           225           225           221           162           86           37           19           7	  2 3 14 18 10 4 12 11 11 4 3 2 1       	2.9 6.6 3.3 6.0 5.7 11.5	$\begin{array}{c} & \ddots & \cdot & \cdot \\ & & 3 \\ & & 9 \\ & 49 \\ 116 \\ 191 \\ 189 \\ 153 \\ 137 \\ 121 \\ 104 \\ 67 \\ 34 \\ 22 \\ 14 \\ 5 \\ \cdot & \cdot \\ 14 \\ 5 \\ \cdot & \cdot \\$	  1 21 23 14 15 10 2 2 2 2 2 1 15 10 1 2 2 1 15 10 1 2 2 1 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1	1.7 8.8 10.8 9.7 2.3 3.6 10.5	$\begin{array}{c} & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & & $		6.2 8.6 6.3 6.8 9.2 7.3	$\begin{array}{c} & \ddots & \cdot & \cdot \\ & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot & \cdot \\ & & 11 \\ & 57 \\ & 187 \\ & 449 \\ & 629 \\ & 580 \\ & 518 \\ & 527 \\ & 498 \\ & 528 \\ & 527 \\ & 498 \\ & 528 \\ & 228 \\ & 133 \\ & 655 \\ & 228 \\ & & 1 \\ & & \ddots \\ & & & &$	$\begin{array}{c} & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & & \\ & & & & &$	$\begin{array}{c} \dots \\ \dots \\ 1.8 \\ 5.3 \\ 10.0 \\ 10.5 \\ 13.8 \\ 11.0 \\ 7.0 \\ 8.4 \\ 8.8 \\ 10.5 \\ 12.3 \\ 16.0 \\ 12.5 \\ \dots \\ $	$\begin{array}{c} 1\\ 10\\ 86\\ 270\\ 740\\ 1,201\\ 1,175\\ 681\\ 359\\ 164\\ 94\\ 58\\ 34\\ 20\\ 14\\ 10\\ 1\\ 3\\ 2\\ 2\\ 1\\ 2\\ 2\\\\ 5\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} & \ddots & \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & 9 \\ & 3 \\ & 3 \\ & 3 \\ & 5 \\ & 2 \\ & 6 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 4 \\ & 2 \\ & 2 \\ & \ddots \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{array}$	2.3 8.1 13.4 25.2 30.3 35.7 34.0 17.2 32.3 20.0 14.3 20.0 14.3 20.0 
Total Mean Length	1,748 84.94	137 83.88	7.84	1,611	84 85.45	5.21	1,214 77.37	98 76.81	8.07	1,338 86.14	98 86.40	7.32	4,300 83.15	417 83.13	9.70	4,936 66.83	1,286 69.15	26.05

۰.	TABLE 20.—Number of ha	libut tagged and number a	and percentage recapture	d for each 5 cm. length category

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FIG. 33.—Upper—Length frequencies of halibut tagged for the combined southern experiments and combined western experiments. Lower—Percentage recaptured at each length. Western recaptures include Yakutat, 1927 and 1928 returns, Portlock, 1928, and W Ground 1928 returns. Southern recaptures include first two seasons' returns. The scales are adjusted to give the same graphic range.

For the purpose of comparison there is shown in Figure 33 the length frequency curves for tagged fish for the combined southern experiments and the combined western experiments. The fish tagged during the southern work are considerably smaller than for the western, 71 per cent of them falling below 70 cm. in length, compared to 16 per cent of the latter.

In spite of the great difference in the sizes tagged in the two major areas, the percentage returned from these experiments shows a very similar relationship between sizes. This is shown by the curves in the lower part of Figure 33. For the southern and Yakutat experiments the recoveries from the first two seasons are used, and for the W Ground and Portlock experiments the first season's returns only. The scales used for plotting the two curves are adjusted to give the values the same graphic range.

These curves show a similar trend for halibut under 90 cm. Beginning at a minimum for small fish they increase to a maximum for the fish between 70 and 80 cm. then fall off again up to 90 cm. From 90 cm. up the rate for the western fish increases somewhat. For the southern fish there is a decided and persistent decrease. In all cases the figures for the larger sizes are based on limited numbers of marked fish, as can be seen from Table 20. Consequently although the trends up to about 100 cm. can be considered as fairly reliable, especially for the Yakutat and W Ground and the southern experiment curves, beyond this size they can be accepted as merely indicative, until corroborated by consistent results from future experiments.

Whatever depression of the rate of returns from small fish exists in the western experiments is probably due, as on the southern banks, to a concentration of the fishery on the larger halibut and to the practice of shacking off the smaller fish, such few as are taken.

# **DISPERSION ON WESTERN BANKS**

In considering the movements, or scatter, of the halibut tagged on Yakutat Spit and westward, results essentially different from those of the experiments south of Cape Spencer are found. On the southern banks the average displacement was very small and showed a slight increase from year to year.

In Figure 34 the marked fish returned are shown (abscissæ) according to the time elapsed between tagging and recovery and (ordinates) according to distance between the localities of tagging and recovery. Each fish is represented by a spot. The distance of this above the base line therefore represents graphically the net movement of the individual concerned, whatever the direction or whatever the intervening migrations may have been.

The scale of the ordinates should be contrasted with that of the southern experiments (Figure 23, insert between pp. 76-77), it being ten times as great in the latter. The much more extensive movements of the western fish are clearly shown.

The grouping of these returns is very different from that of the southern experiments. Here the tagging was done just before or in the early days of the closed period, but the returns are not grouped 365 days later but are rather evenly distributed, with some evidence of grouping both at the end and the beginning of the closed season. Moreover, there is no such grouping within the ten mile distance as was the case in the south, indeed, not even within the first hundred miles. The returns are, rather, correlated with the intensity of the fishery and the disposition of the exploited banks than with the tagging localities. The decline in number of recaptures with distance from tagging localities, as shown in Table 21 and Figure 35, is correlated with decreasing intensity of the fishery to the westward (compare Figure 16). We have been

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FIG. 34.—Dispersion of tagged fish with time (western experiments). Each spot on the chart represents, on the vertical scale, the distance between the position of release and that of recapture; on the horizontal scale, the elapsed time between the day the halibut was tagged and that on which recaptured. The absence of returns less than 60 days out and about 400 days out is due to the closed season (November 16 to February 15). Note that the graphical distance on the vertical scale of this chart is equivalent to 10 times the distance on Figure 24 showing the southern experiment.



FIG. 35.—Number of tagged halibut recaptured between 0 and 20 miles, 20 and 40, etc., from the tagging location. All western experiments to end of 1928.



FIG. 36.—Cumulative percentage curves for recoveries according to distance travelled, for each year's returns from the western experiments compared to the curve for the combined southern experiments.

Mites	Yakutat 1927	Yakutat 1928	W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928	Total	Miles	Yakutat 1927	Yakutat 1928	W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928	Total	Miles	Yakutat 1927	Yakutat 1928	W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928	Total
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	8 6 2 3 4 2 0 11 1 4 1 2  2 1 1 3 2 1 2  3 8 4 12 2  3 8 4 12 2  3 4 2 10 11 1 2 2  3 4 2 10 11 1 1 2 2  3 4 2 10 11 1 2 2 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 2	23642235411.2.1.1.1.233261	131.112.111.421224462253223121	$\begin{array}{c} 9\\ 24\\ 12\\ 6\\ 7\\ 25\\ .\\ .\\ 3\\ 1\\ 1\\ 2\\ .\\ .\\ 3\\ 2\\ 1\\ .\\ .\\ 1\\ 1\\ .\\ 1\end{array}$	20 26 21 13 79 18 59 33 63 63 97 79 53 94 58 95 89 5	$\begin{array}{c} 300-309\\ 310-319\\ 320-329\\ 330-339\\ 340-349\\ 350-359\\ 360-369\\ 370-379\\ 400-409\\ 410-419\\ 420-429\\ 430-439\\ 440-449\\ 450-459\\ 460-469\\ 470-479\\ 460-469\\ 470-479\\ 480-489\\ 450-459\\ 500-509\\ 510-519\\ 520-529\\ 530-539\\ 540-549\\ 550-559\\ 560-569\\ 570-579\\ 580-589\\ 590-599\\ 590-599\\ \end{array}$		1 	5 2 2 5 4 1  1  1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1   1 1   1 1   1  		6 6 6 4 7 5 6 3 1 3 3 5 3 2 2 2 1 2 4 5 3 1 1 1 2 2 1 2 2 1 1 2 2	600-609 610-619 620-629 630-639 640-649 650-659 660-669 670-679 680-689 700-709 710-719 720-729 730-739 740-749 750-759 760-769 770-779 780-789 810-819 820-829 830-839 840-849 850-859 860-869 1090 1280 Total Complete Incomplete Total	 1 1 1 2 1 1 1 1  	···· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ··	       	······································	··· 2 2 1 1 4 ··· ··· ··· ··· ··· ···

 TABLE 21.—Number of tagged halibut recaptured from the western experiments to the end of 1298, according to year of return and distance from tagging locations

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content, therefore, to deal with the results by means of cumulative frequency curves and analyses tending to indicate the seasonal shift.

In Table 22 are shown the data for the cumulative frequencies for the four experiments west of Cape Spencer, and in Figure 36 corresponding curves, compared with a curve for the massed southern experiments. In interpreting these it should be remembered that a curve of absolutely even dispersion would form a straight oblique line from the lower left hand corner of the figure to a point on the upper edge, indicating the extreme distance or end of the exploited banks. Moreover, a locality in the center of the range of movement would reach the extreme dispersion and accumulate its hundred per cent in half the distance that an experiment at the extreme of the range would. This affects very sharply the shape of the curves, particularly that of the Portlock experiment. Nevertheless, the contrast between the actual movements as far as known is shown precisely, and contrasts clearly the lack of movement of immature on southern banks with the mature at Yakutat and the W Ground. The returns from Portlock occupy an intermediate position, in conformity with the mixture there of the several stages of maturity and in conformity with its position nearer the center of the range of migration.

The dispersions of the two categories of halibut recovered in 1927 and 1928 respectively from the Yakutat experiment are remarkably similar. The cumulative curves for the two years follow the same trend, even for the minor fluctuations, and cross and recross throughout their course. The indications from this are that the halibut marked in the winter of 1926 on Yakutat Spit had become fully distributed by 1927 throughout the range of the fishery. Consequently in the following year the dispersion did not increase but remained about the same.

The rapid rise between zero and 100 miles in the curves from the Yakutat experiment is due to the halibut retaken at Yakutat Spit, Fairweather Gully, and the W Ground. This rise is followed by a flattening out, then by a more gradual and steady increase beginning at about 200 miles. It is at this point that the fish retaken on Portlock begin to affect the curve, followed by decreasing numbers taken on Albatross Bank and near the Trinity, Semidi, and Shumagin Islands.

The results of the W Ground experiment are in general similar to those from the Yakutat marking. The recaptures here, as in the case of the Yakutat experiment, were made largely to the westward of the tagging location. In this case, however, there is no important bank to the westward until Portlock is reached, consequently most of the recaptures come from Portlock and westward. This accounts for a large part of the difference in the W Ground and Yakutat curves.

The cumulative curve for the 1928 returns from the Portlock experiment is very different from that of the other two areas considered. In this case about 90 per cent of the returned tags were taken within 200 miles of the marking position, compared with 40 per cent for the W Ground experiment, and about 47 per cent for those at Yakutat. In the case of the Portlock experiment the returns on the home bank are so greatly in excess as to render any

Miles	Yakutat 1927	Yakutat 1928	W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928	Miles	Yakutat 1927	Yakutat 1928	W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928	Miles	Yakutat 1927	Yakutat 1928	W Ground 1928	Portlock 1928
$\begin{array}{c} 0-9\\ 10-19\\ 20-29\\ 30-39\\ 40-49\\ 50-59\\ 60-69\\ 70-79\\ 80-89\\ 90-99\\ 100-109\\ 110-119\\ 120-129\\ 130-139\\ 140-149\\ 150-159\\ 160-169\\ 170-179\\ 180-189\\ 160-169\\ 170-179\\ 180-189\\ 100-209\\ 210-219\\ 220-229\\ 230-229\\ 230-229\\ 240-249\\ 250-259\\ 260-269\\ 270-279\\ 280-289\\ 290-299\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 6.5\\ 11.4\\ 13.0\\ 18.7\\ 20.5\\ 37.4\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.4\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.4\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.4\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.4\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.4\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.5\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.5\\ 22.8.5\\ 37.5\\ 54.5\\ 9.6\\ 25.5\\ 55.6\\ 4.6\\ 55.2\\ 55.6\\ 4.6\\ 65.1\\ 65.1\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 2.5\\ 6.3\\ 13.9\\ 21.4\\ 23.9\\ 27.7\\ 34.0\\ 39.0\\ 40.3\\ 40.3\\ 40.3\\ 40.3\\ 40.3\\ 41.5\\ 41.5\\ 41.5\\ 41.5\\ 44.0\\ 45.3\\ 46.6\\ 45.6\\ 46.6\\ 47.9\\ 550.4\\ 258.0\\ 60.5\\ 68.1\\ 69.4 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 1.1\\ 4.5\\ 5.6\\ 5.6\\ 7.8\\ 10.0\\ 11.1\\ 12.2\\ 16.7\\ 12.2\\ 16.7\\ 12.2\\ 20.0\\ 224.4\\ 28.9\\ 33.0\\ 44.4\\ 50.0\\ 42.4\\ 55.6\\ 55.6\\ 57.8\\ 61.1\\ 62.2\\ 64.4\\ 65.6\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 9.5\\ 9.5\\ 34.8\\ 47.4\\ 53.7\\ 61.1\\ 63.4\\ 68.4\\ 68.4\\ 68.4\\ 68.4\\ 68.4\\ 71.6\\ 72.6\\ 72.6\\ 74.7\\ 76.8\\ 82.1\\ 83.1\\ 83.4\\ 89.4\\ 8$	$\begin{array}{c} 300-309\\ 310-319\\ 320-329\\ 330-339\\ 340-349\\ 350-359\\ 360-369\\ 370-379\\ 380-389\\ 400-409\\ 410-419\\ 420-429\\ 430-429\\ 440-449\\ 450-459\\ 460-469\\ 470-479\\ 480-489\\ 490-499\\ 500-509\\ 510-519\\ 520-529\\ 530-539\\ 540-549\\ 550-559\\ 560-569\\ 570-579\\ 580-589\\ 590-599\\ \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 65.1\\ 67.5\\ 69.1\\ 70.8\\ 74.8\\ 74.8\\ 76.5\\ 77.3\\ 78.7\\ 80.5\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.5\\ 85.6\\ 88.6\\ 88.6\\ 88.6\\ 88.6\\ 88.6\\ 88.5\\$	$\begin{array}{c} 70.7\\ 70.7\\ 70.7\\ 70.7\\ 70.7\\ 75.8\\ 75.8\\ 75.8\\ 77.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 82.1\\ 83.4\\ 84.7\\ 84.7\\ 84.7\\ 81.0\\ 91.0\\$	$\begin{array}{c} 71.1\\ 73.3\\ 75.6\\ 81.1\\ 85.6\\ 86.7\\ 87.8\\ 87.8\\ 87.8\\ 89.0\\ 90.0\\ 9$	94.7 95.8 95.8 95.8 95.8 95.8 95.8 95.8 95.8	$\begin{array}{c} 600-609\\ 610-619\\ 620-629\\ 630-639\\ 640-649\\ 650-659\\ 660-669\\ 670-679\\ 680-689\\ 700-709\\ 710-719\\ 720-729\\ 730-739\\ 740-749\\ 750-759\\ 760-759\\ 760-769\\ 770-779\\ 780-789\\ 790-799\\ 800-809\\ 810-819\\ 820-829\\ 830-839\\ 840-849\\ 850-859\\ 860-869\\ \hline \hline 1090\\ \hline \hline 1280\\ \hline \end{array}$		93.6 93.6 93.6 93.6 93.6 93.6 93.6 97.4 97.4 97.4 97.4 97.4 97.4 97.4 97.4	95.6 96.7 97.8 97.8 97.8 97.8 97.8 97.8 97.8 97	

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 TABLE 22.—Cumulative percentages of halibut tagged during the western experiments and recaptured within any given distance of tagging location

detailed comparison with intensities unnecessary. The explanation undoubtedly lies in the presence of non-migratory immatures and the relation of the bank to the limits of migration in either direction.

The curves of Figure 36 therefore indicate, as did the comparison with the intensities of the fishery, that the mature fish migrate freely as far west as the fishery extends. The returns from the fish tagged at Yakutat and the W Ground indicate that they were marked near the eastern extreme of the range of the stock of halibut in question. There is relatively little movement southward, especially in comparison with the intensity of the fishery there.

We find in the peculiarities of these distributions the same phenomenon as was found on the southern banks, the effect of dispersion within a limited range of migration. The case is not complete, since in the western experiments only the one extreme of distribution has been studied. In planning these the limits of the range of migration of each stock could not be foreseen, and it is entirely probable that as our work extends further west other migratory stocks with other ranges will be met with.

### SEASONAL MOVEMENTS

This leaves untouched the question as to whether or not the migration is annual.

An examination throughout the year of the dispersion of the recaptured halibut indicates that the degree of scatter is a closer function of the time of year than of the length of time the fish has been free. Consequently our first analysis is of the average dispersion of the fish retaken during each month. Inasmuch as the marking work at Yakutat Spit was completed within a period of about one month and that on Portlock and the W Ground within periods of ten and nine days respectively, this method of treatment would be little affected even if the length of time free were a factor of greater importance than appears to be the case.

In Table 19 and Figure 30 there is shown the average distance between the point of release and the point of recapture for the halibut retaken during each month. The Yakutat returns cover a period of two years, the others one year each.

For the Yakutat experiment the dispersion between the months of February and September, 1927, averages around 300 miles. In the next two months the average falls off rapidly to less than 50 miles in November. In the following year the dispersion averages between two and three hundred miles up to the end of August. In the following three months it falls off to less than 100 miles in November.

In the W Ground experiment the average displacement increases from about 200 miles in February and March to 400 miles in June. In the following months it decreases as do the Yakutat displacements to little more than 100 miles in November.

The average dispersion of the Portlock fish is markedly less than that found for the halibut marked on Yakutat Spit and the W Ground. Except for the months of May and June the average in every case falls below 80 miles. In May it is 250 miles and in June 132 miles. In this experiment as in the others, the dispersion is the smallest during the last two or three months of the season.

The problem now arises as to how these results are to be interpreted. On the surface it appears that immediately following marking, the halibut scatter widely over the banks from Cape Spencer westward with a few moving to the south. The greatest dispersion is reached in the late spring and early summer and is followed by the reconcentration of the halibut on the banks where they were tagged, this concentration reaching its maximum in November or later.

From our general knowledge of the fishery, it would seem that this shift accords more or less closely with that of the fishery.

During the early spring the western halibut fleet is distributed mainly over the banks from Portlock eastward. Because of the long trip and uncertain weather the fishery west of Kodiak Island does not usually develop until late in the spring. Later in the year as the weather improves the fishery shifts more and more to the westward and remains distributed during the summer over the banks from Cape Fairweather to the Shumagin Islands. In the last few years there has been a tendency to carry on operations even to the westward of the Shumagin Islands as far as Unimak Pass. During this time the fishery on Yakutat Spit and the W Ground is practically negligible as very few fish are found on these banks except during or near the spawning season.

As the stormy fall weather approaches the fleet tends more and more to confine its efforts to the banks nearer market. At this season the halibut begin to assemble on the spawning grounds from Cape Spencer to Cape St. Elias, appearing there in increasing numbers until the spawning season in the late fall and early winter. As a result of these combined influences the fishery concentrates more and more on the eastern banks until in October and November nearly the entire western fleet, in addition to some of the boats from the southern banks, is concentrated on the banks in the vicinity of Yakutat Spit and the W Ground. During this time of year these banks at night give the appearance of a small city with the lights of the numerous boats spread over the bank while hundreds of buoy lights, marking the gear, are scattered among them. The banks are covered with a veritable network of gear with the "strings" of the different boats crossing and recrossing.

The distribution of recaptured halibut then appears to reflect the shift in the position and intensity of the fishery rather than a movement of the halibut population. Further extensive tagging experiments on the far western banks and a more complete statistical analysis of catches will be required to determine to what extent a compensatory eastern and western seasonal migration takes place between these areas. For the time being we must rest content with the conclusion that an extensive free interchange of mature stock occurs from the eastern side of the Gulf of Alaska as far as Unimak Pass and perhaps beyond.

# DISPERSION IN RELATION TO SIZE

The amount of movement shown varies with the size of the fish concerned. In making a comparison, the actual distances between point of release and point of recovery are used to obtain an average for the halibut recaptured during each month.

The results of this treatment are shown in Table 23 and Figure 37. The curves represent the average dispersion for each 10 cm. length group.



FIG. 37.-Average dispersion by lengths when tagged. Western experiments.

The 1927 and 1928 returns from the Yakutat experiment provide almost identical results. From between 150 and 200 miles average displacement for fish up to 80 cm. length, the dispersion increases rapidly to nearly 400 miles for halibut between 90 and 100 cm. From this length up the curves fall off sharply.

The curve for the W Ground material differs considerably from the Yakutat curves in absolute values at each length but shows a similar tendency, that is, there is a high positive correlation in the fluctuations in the curves. The average displacement is somewhat less than 250 miles for halibut under 80 cm., increases to nearly 300 miles for 90 to 100 cm. fish, then falls off considerably for the larger sizes.

The Portlock material provides somewhat different results from the other two experiments. The dispersion is lowest for the smaller sizes and increases for halibut up to 100 cm. in length. The last two points on the curve are based on but four recoveries each and are correspondingly unreliable.

		YAKI	JTAT	•	w w	GROUND	. PO	PORTLOCK			
Length	Recap	otured 1927	Recar	otured 1928	Recap	otured 1928	Recap	tured 1928			
	No.	Mean Dispersion	No.	Mean Dispersion	No.	Mean Dispersion	No.	Dispersion Mean			
Below 70	12	185	5	215	9	246	28	60			
70-79.9	44	164	31	140	26	239	35	64			
80- 89.9	31	289	12	270	19	265	24	106			
90-99.9	23	397	22	388	19	286	4	219			
100-109.9	9	241	6	242	15	264	2	178			
110-119.9	4	201	8	93	2	232	2	253			
Complete	123	248	79	240	90	259	95	86			
Incomplete	14		5	•••	8		3	••			
Total	137		84		98	•••	98				

TABLE 23.—Average	dispersion,	by	lengths	when	tagged;	western	experiments
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The curves showing the average dispersion according to length are alike in some respects and differ in others for all of our western experiments. They all show an increase in dispersion from small halibut up to fish 100 cm. in length. Following this there is a decrease for the larger sizes.

A large part of the difference between the Portlock dispersion and that shown by the other experiments, can be explained by difference in the tagging location as has been discussed previously. There may be other factors which have helped to effect this result but the nature of the relationship is not yet sufficiently established to justify any detailed analysis.

The reliability of the relationship between size and dispersion appears fairly well established for the Yakutat halibut by the close similarity in the results of the 1927 and 1928 returns. The results of the W Ground and Portlock experiments, however, will have to be substantiated by additional data before they can be considered typical.

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#### SUMMARY

The experiments described are incomplete, marking not having been accomplished in all necessary localities, and only the earliest experiments have returns over an adequate number of years. The analysis deals with returns to the end of 1928.

Strap tags attached to the opercle of the eyed side were used and found satisfactory. Fish were caught by ordinary commercial methods of ground line fishing, and only those slightly injured were used.

Tagging was not centralized but was distributed, as far as knowledge permitted, according to intensity of fishing on various banks because of (1) economy and efficiency of vessel operations, (2) necessity for conclusions stated in generalized form, applicable to the banks as a whole, and (3) desirability of studying immigration as well as emigration.

In waters south of Cape Spencer, 6,554 tagged halibut were placed, 4,936 of them with the approved strap tag. North and west of Cape Spencer 5,281 were placed.

Results are regarded as sufficiently typical of the fishery for purposes of present regulation. For the purpose of correction if desired, the variation between the sizes tagged and those taken by the tagging vessel is given and discussed. There is also a need for analysis of the commercial catch, but this is lacking as yet. In southern experiments the various sizes taken were marked in approximately equal proportions, but in the western experiments the larger fish were proportionately less represented than the smaller.

The returns are given in detailed tables but are summarized by statistical areas which are here defined for the first time. Each includes 60 linear nautical miles of trend of the coast, and they are numbered consecutively from south to north and west (Figures 1, 2, and 3).

The two groups of areas separated by Cape Spencer are practically independent. Five per cent only of recoveries from western experiments were retaken south of Cape Spencer, and but one fish from the south was retaken west.

Halibut tagged in areas south of 18, at Cape Spencer, show very slight migrations, averaging 22 miles, and those tagged north and west of Cape Spencer show an average of 209 miles.

The slight migrations on southern banks from areas 10 and 15 tend to be opposed in direction. The extensive migration from areas 20 and 22 is westward.

A calculation of the pounds of halibut taken and the amount of gear run was made for each statistical area. It was decided that the chances of recovery varied with the amount of gear run rather than with the pounds taken, and the theoretical chances of recovery in each area were thus calculated.

Comparison of actual recoveries with the chances of recovery according to distance from tagging locality, showed for southern grounds recoveries almost entirely from the area of tagging, but for western grounds a wide distribution between areas 18 and 35, and recoveries nearly in proportion to the chances calculated. The returns in areas 18 to 35 are nevertheless highest near the tagging point, indicating either a slight limitation upon freedom of migration or a concentration of marked schools there at certain seasons.

This difference in migratory habits is correlated with the tagging of schools which are nearly exclusively mature in the areas beyond 18, to the north and west, and nearly all immature to the south.

The immature fish of the southern banks are highly restricted in movement but it is concluded that the stock of mature fish on the northern and western grounds is everywhere interdependent, forming a freely intermingling biological unit extending beyond the limit of the present fishery, not however to the southward of area 18.

#### SOUTHERN BANKS

The southern region showed a total return of 36.0 per cent for the 1925 experiment and 31.7 per cent for the 1926 experiment in three seasons after tagging.

The rate of recovery for experiments south of area 18 for each consecutive year is expressed as the percentage of fish not accounted for. The experiments in 1925 correspond in results to those in 1926, indicating their representative nature. Combined returns were 7.6 per cent for the first (incomplete) season, 20.0 per cent for the second (complete), 9.7 per cent for the third, and 4.1 per cent for the fourth. For the last, returns from the 1925 experiments only were available.

The inadequacy of the actual percentage returns to represent the rate of recapture is pointed out, and a method of correction suggested which, although not fully established, indicates for the 1925 experiments an approximate rate of return of 40 per cent per year, and 58 per cent per year for decline of commercial stock by all causes. Natural mortality is estimated at 36 per cent per year, this value assuming the tags are permanent in attachment.

The rate of return varies with size, and a table of values is given for use in correcting calculations.

The rate of decline of the stock is in harmony with observed conditions and is sufficient to account for the practical absence of mature fish and for the predominating sizes in the commercial catch. It accounts for the rapid disappearance of the schools of young fish which annually become of commercial size.

The returns for southern grounds are presented in graphical form according to time out and distance travelled, and show marked seasonal changes. The returns show a tendency toward concentration within 10 miles of the tagging location and during the summer months.

When the dispersion on these southern grounds is expressed as the numbers which have moved various distances, it is found that this can be represented by a formula  $y = ax^b$ , indicating a definite rate of dispersal by chance. This is not in accord with what might be expected were there definite migrations. From the formulas given, it should be possible to calculate interchange between banks of the stock of immature fish. The data for areas south of 18 are also presented by cumulative frequency curves, as more convenient. Only between 5 and 10 per cent were retaken more than 50 miles distant from the tagging localities. The dispersion increases slowly from year to year, as shown by comparison of seasons, but the bulk of fish remain on home grounds.

There is shown the phenomenon of migration of particular stocks within limited ranges, leading to migrations opposed in net direction from extremes to the center, and indifferent in the center. This phenomenon is recognizable within the individual bank among the immature stock, and within larger geographic units among the mature migrants, and must be taken into account in all experiments. It necessitates a decentralized series of experiments rather than a single centralized one.

The seasonal variation in extent of movement in southern experiments shows an average migration of 17 miles in summer and of from 25 to 30 miles in the spring and fall. This is not due to seasonal movement as the number of distant migrants fluctuates in the same way as does the number of non-migrants. There is a seasonal failure to capture, but as far as our results indicate, this is not due to migration, nor are the whereabouts of the fish of immediate practical importance since they are absent from the commercial fishery.

#### WESTERN BANKS

The experiments north and west of Cape Spencer (area 18) are as yet too few to justify extensive analysis. The fish tagged were larger than those of the southern experiments and were predominantly mature.

The rate of returns is low, from 7.3 per cent to 8.1 per cent the first year, which is complete, owing to the season of tagging, and 5.2 per cent and 7.3 per cent the second year. The decline is not as rapid as in the southern experiments, but no correction of the rate is ventured at this stage of the work.

The variation in the rate of return according to size is similar to that of the southern experiments, despite the difference in sizes tagged, but the maximum is 10 per cent instead of 40 per cent.

The dispersion of returns is very great, the graph showing a scale of hundreds of miles where that for the southern immatures has tens. There is no tendency to concentrate within the first few miles. Formulas of chance dispersion similar to those applied to southern grounds are not applicable, because of the presence of distinct migrations.

The cumulative frequency curves for distances traversed are the same for two successive years in the only western experiment with returns for the second year, showing that maximum dispersion was reached the first year, and indicating but not proving, the migrations to be seasonal. But since the fishery shifts according to season the shift in returns may be secondary to that of the fishery.

Dispersion and rate of returns are similar for the experiments in areas 20 and 22, but vary for area 25.

The phenomenon previously indicated of migration within restricted ranges is evident in the returns, 41 and 48 per cent of all returns from the experiments in areas 20 and 22 being returned from within 200 miles, and 90 per cent of those from the experiment in areas 25 and 26 being from within that distance.

Dispersion is greatest in summer. It averages 300 miles for the experiment in area 20, between April and September, and 50 miles in November, For the experiment in area 22, it averages 200 miles in February and March, 400 miles in June, 100 miles in November. That for area 25 and 26 is much less, usually below 80 miles except for May and June. The variation with size of fish is given, dispersion increasing with size up to 100 cm. lengths. It shows similarity between banks, with differences due to the position of the several areas.

It is concluded that an extensive free interchange of mature stock occurs from the eastern side of the Gulf of Alaska as far as Unimak Pass and perhaps beyond.

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APPENDIX A. —Detailed table of localities.

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APPENDIX B.—Detailed table of recoveries.

<sup>1</sup> Indicates fish measured by fisherman. <sup>2</sup> L.S.—Landing slip. <sup>3</sup> From scows and camps around Skeena and Nass Rivers.

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53	8	54:12	132:39	6	13 VII 26 III-V 27	388	65	$51.6 \\ 67.2$	58.7	N.F.	
56	8	53:53	130:55	84	29 IV 26 8 VII 25	313 49	28 40	$71.8 \\ 68.3$	$76.2 \\ 68.5$	*	Cleaning
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67 67	8	55:18	133:44	78	$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	474	50	64.8	73.7	* N.F.	Cleaning
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<sup>4</sup> Found in shipment of fish at Trochu, Alberta. <sup>5</sup> Shipment of frozen fish.

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<sup>6</sup> Found in shipment of halibut to Vancouver, B. C.

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<sup>7</sup>Recaptured during 1926 tagging operations and re-liberated.

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1487	58	51:56	128:55	3	18 VI 27 96 IV 27	377	30	64.4	70.3	0.E.	Roller
1492	58	51:52	128:57	2	22 VI 28	747	30	69.9	81.0	H.L.	Cleaning
1493	58	51:42	129:36	28	2 VIII 26	57	55	70.0	70.7	N.F.	Cleaning
1494	58	52:23	129:48	45	16 IX 26	102	75	77.8	1 80 0	U.E. *	Kotter
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1523	2	54:10	132:05	2	21 VII 26	400	25	70.0	71.1	*	Roller
1524 1526	2	54:08	132:00	400	23 IX 26	464	40	71.0	70.5	IFC.	Roller
1528	2	54:10	132:42	23	25 IX 26	466	40	77.0	82.6	*	
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1540	3	54:11 54:10	132:04 132.10	5	8 IX 26 24 VII 25	448	25		87.1	L.B.	Roller
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1569	8	54:10	132:01 132:30	33 10	$\frac{13}{27}$ VIII 25	80 68	32	85.6	86.3	*	••••
1573	8	54:07	133:38	31	22 X 25	124	150	86.3	137.1	*	Deck
1576	8	54:13 54:08	132:41 133:44	37	14 XI 26	98 512	60 150	93.6	96.8	NF	Deek
1578	8	54:10	132:44	2	30 VI 26	375	25	88.0	90.7	N.F.	Cleaning
1579	8	54:10 54:12	132:42 132:34	8	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	759.	25	97.4	105.0	*	Deck
1582	8	54:22	133:27	27	22 II 26	247	150	83.6	87.6	*	Roller
1585	8	54:12 54:11	132:49 132.48	3	14 VII 26 7 VIII 25	389		97.1	101.6	N.F.	Cleaning
1587	8	54:10	132:44	ĩ	29 VI 26	374	25	85.0	88.4	N.F.	Cleaning
1588	9	54:13 54:08	132:57	1 36	3 VII 25	$12 \\ 1710$	20	82.7	85.0	*	••••
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1597	13	54:12	131:58	12	28 X 26	402	30 90	99.6	99.1 115.5	NF	Cleaning
1598	$13 \\ 12$	54:07	131:49	2	27 IX 26	461	10	88.1	89.5	N.F.	Roller
1602	. 13	54:08	131:51	2	18 VI 26	360	60	80.8	76.2	*	···· <sup>8</sup>
1605	13	54:15	132:33	26	6 XI 28	1232	70	84.3	103.5	N.F.	Roller
1609	16	52:57	130:37	5	20 VI 26	368	19 45	86.8	83.2	N.F. NF	Roller
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1616	16	52:57	130:42	2	10 VIII 27	405	45	82.7	103 5	*	Doek
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1636	19	52:22 52:51	131:08	22	25 V 28 30 IV 26	1057	38	85.1	110.5	N.F.	Deck
1637	19	52:29	131:13	1	16 VI 26	348	70	104.3	114.4	R.B.	Koller Cleaning
1640	20	52:31 52:49	130:47	12	19 VIII 25	46	65	105.9	108.5	*	••••
1642	20	52:47	130:36	20	10 IX 25	68	72	81.6	86.3	г.В. *	••••
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1659	26	54:41	132:02	4	16 VI 26	365	48	92.1	107.8	N.F.	Cleaning
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1664	26	58:00	132:04	298	3 VIII 26	386	35	82.2	85.0	L.B.	Roller
1666	26	54:21	130:59	44	5 <u>V</u> 27	661	40	81.5	85.0	N.F.	L.S.
$1667 \\ 1668$	26	54:41	132:04	0	26 X 25	105	37	76.6	84.4	*	Roller
1671	26	54:41	132:04	Ö	6 111 26	236	40	80.1	914	*	Dock
$1672 \\ 1673$	26	54:16 54:41	131:28	35	3 III 26	233	18	80.0	86.3	*	Deck
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2558	125	59:02		8	4 IX 28	632 331	122	114.6	•••		Cleaning
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$2603 \\ 2609$	$125 \\ 125$	55:32	159:25	645	16 VI 27	186	78	83.8 91.3	91.2	N.F.	L. S.
$2610 \\ 2614$	$\frac{125}{125}$	57:01 57:52	152:39	400 278	18 VI 28 15 III 27	$554 \\ 93$	80 140	83.0	89.0	N.F. *	Deck
2616	125	56:40	156:29	535	28 VII 27	228 186	60 78	97.8	96.3	N.F.	Deck Cleaning
2626 2644	$125 \\ 126$	58:53	141:25	8	15 XI 27	337	170	75.0	75.5	N.F.	L.S.
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$2656 \\ 2672$	$\begin{array}{c}126\\126\end{array}$	56:09	153:52	480	111-V111 27 9 IX 27	270	90	93.9	76.2	*	Deck
$2685 \\ 2698$	$\frac{126}{126}$	54:45 58:49	$158:52 \\ 153:05$	$670 \\ 350$	21 IV 27 11 IX 27	$\begin{array}{c}129\\272\end{array}$	50 97	83.3 92.0	83.0 93.5	0.E. N.F.	L. S.
2699	126	59:02	148:01	206	28 X 28 111 27	685	120	86.0 957	973	N.F.	Dock L. S.
2706	126	57:39	154:36	444	14 VII 28	579	125	94.2	100.2		Deck
$2714 \\ 2716$	$126 \\ 126$	58:43	149:26	256	25 II 28	439	105	102.2	100.5		Deck
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$\tfrac{2734}{2738}$	$\frac{126}{126}$	$56:04 \\ 60:19$	$154:24 \\ 146:46$	$479 \\ 193$	15 V 28 24 VI 27	519 193	$\frac{90}{120}$	$93.0 \\ 106.2$	101.6	*	••••
2749	$126 \\ 126$	54:40 58:04	159:24 149.17	$675 \\ 270$	9 VI 28 13 III 27	544	45	95.3 98.5	98.0 97.5	0.E. N.F	Cleaning L. S.
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$2790 \\ 2799$	$\begin{smallmatrix}127\\127\end{smallmatrix}$	$56:43 \\ 59:37$	$151:51 \\ 143:07$	$392 \\ 60$	15 VII 27 30 X 27	$\frac{212}{319}$	$\frac{30}{132}$	$84.4 \\ 81.5$	88.9 83.0	* N.F.	Cleaning
$2805 \\ 2817$	$127 \\ 127$	58:53	$151:00 \\ 149:31$	$300 \\ 259$	10 VI 28 20 II 28	$543 \\ 432$	69	$92.3 \\ 80.0$	99.5	N.F.	Cleaning L. S.
2824	127	56:31	152:00	414	11 X 27	300	$135 \\ 45$	94.2	92.6	0 E	Deck
2854	128	52.41 58:46	149:27	257	17 III 28	457	140	89.5	91.0	N.F.	Deck
2856 2867	$128 \\ 128$	04:40 57:43	$158:00 \\ 146:43$	161	13 III 27	87	$110^{-65}$	104.8	106.4	N.F.	Roller
$2869 \\ 2898$	$\begin{smallmatrix}128\\128\end{smallmatrix}$	$55:59 \\ 59:11$	153:53 147:04	474 195	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	488	$\frac{210}{110}$	98.2 88.4	89.6	N.F.	Cleaning
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2926	$129 \\ 129$	57:59 56:00	149:33 154:41	291 505	27 IV 28 12 X 27	497 299	$\frac{140}{120}$	$93.3 \\ 83.2$	93.0 84.0	N.F. NF	Cleaning
2940	130	59:05	139:24	55	19 VI 27	182	69	110.4	111.6	N.F.	Roller
2961	130	54:17	162:13	810	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	500	40	77.4	79.5	N.F.	Cleaning
$2964 \\ 2966$	$130 \\ 130$	55:16 43:54	156:54 124:46	590 1090	$\begin{array}{cccc} 4 & V & 27 \\ 11 & VI & 27 \end{array}$	136	47 97	76.9 78.1	76.2 85.7	N.F. *	Cleaning
$2973 \\ 2988$	$\begin{array}{c} 130 \\ 130 \end{array}$	$55:00 \\ 59:15$	$156:50 \\ 148:27$	$635 \\ 240$	6 VII 27 4 V 27	199 136	$\begin{array}{c} 60 \\ 130 \end{array}$	$97.3 \\ 102.4$	$97.5 \\ 103.1$	N.F. N.F.	Roller L. S.
$3453 \\ 3462$	$\frac{28}{28}$	54:41 54:41	$132.04 \\ 132.04$	0	14 X 25 23 VII 25	91 8	$\frac{45}{36}$	$71.0 \\ 78.6$	58.4 60.9	*	• • • •
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3913	58 58	51:42 51:51	128:41 129:03	13	13 V 28 23 VIII 26	707	34	70.3	88.4	0.E. B B	Deck Boller
3915	58	51:53	128:53	Ŭ 19	23 IV 28	687	32	56.8	73.6	0.E.	Roller
3915	58 58	52:10 51:46	129:06	20	28 IX 26	114	45	83.5	84.1	к.в. R.B.	Roller
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	4503	69	51:40	129:20	5	28 VI 27	374	60	57.2	66.1	0.E.	Roller
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4519         69         51:06         129:00         38         17         V 28         698         35         63.5         73.1         0.E.         Roller           4520         69         51:38         129:25         1         28         V 27         343         50         65.3         71.7         0.E.         Deck           4520         69         51:38         129:25         1         28         V 27         343         50         65.3         71.7         0.E.         Deck           4520         69         51:38         129:25         1         28         V 27         343         50         65.3         71.7         0.E.         Deck           4520         69         51:38         129:25         1         28         V 27         343         50         65.3         71.7         0.E.         Deck           50         61:54         70.14         10         8         W 27         302         50         65.3         71.7         0.E.         Deck	4515 4516	69 69	51:41 51:43	129:21 129:17	10	17 IV 27	44 302	50	70.0	73.7	г.Б. *	Roller
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APPENDIX B. (continued)

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4524	69	51.46	129:28	8	18 IX 27	456	55	66.9	76.8	0.E.	Roller
4528	69 69	51:44 51:47	129:35 129:23	79	15 VIII 26 20 VI 28	$57 \\ 732$	$55 \\ 50$	$71.0 \\ 68.5$	$75.6 \\ 78.7$	* 0.E.	Deck
$4530 \\ 4536$	69 69	$51:38 \\ 51:39$	129:25 129:38	1 5	30 V 27 20 IX 26	$345 \\ 93$	$50 \\ 55$	$64.4 \\ 69.4$	67.8 70.8	0.E. L.B.	Roller
4539 4540	69 69	51:30 51:46	128:42 129:25	30 9	21 IV 27 28 IX 26	$306 \\ 101$	22 45	$   \begin{array}{c}     62.1 \\     59.9   \end{array} $	74.9 63.0	0.E. R.B.	Roller
4544	69 69	$51:46 \\ 51:45$	$129:25 \\ 129:34$	9 7	28 IX 26 18 IX 27	$\begin{array}{c}101\\456\end{array}$	45 52	$\begin{array}{c} 67.9 \\ 62.8 \end{array}$	69.9 66.5	R.B. 0.E.	Roller Roller
$4546 \\ 4547$	69 69	51:43 51:38	$129:29 \\ 129:25$	4 1	24 IV 27 26 V 27	$\substack{\textbf{309}\\\textbf{341}}$		$   \begin{array}{c}     60.0 \\     70.6   \end{array} $	$\begin{array}{c} 63.5 \\ 75.2 \end{array}$	0.E. 0.E.	Deck
$4551 \\ 4552$	69 69	51:41 51:48	$129:21 \\ 129:15$	9 13	2 VIII 26 3 VII 28	44 745	55	71.9 62.4	71.5 73.6	F.B. W.H.	Deck
$4553 \\ 4554$	69 69	51:45 51:39	$129:31 \\ 129:38$	7 5	5 VII 27 20 IX 26	381 93	50 55	$   \begin{array}{c}     60.3 \\     72.0   \end{array} $	$67.0 \\ 74.0$	0.E. L.B.	Roller
4555 4556	$\begin{array}{c} 69\\ 69\end{array}$	51:47 51:43	$\left[ \begin{array}{c} 129:23\\ 129:25 \end{array} \right]$	9 5	14 VIII 28 3 VI 28	$787 \\ 715$	45 65	$\begin{array}{c} 66.4 \\ 60.3 \end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 74.9 \\ 64.4 \\ \end{array}$	0.E. 0.E.	Roller
$4557 \\ 4561$	69 69	$51:12 \\ 51:41$	$128:42 \\ 129:24$	39 4	25 IX 26 15 IX 28	98 819	40	66.7 74.8	00.7	К.В. 	••••
$4562 \\ 4565$	69 69	51:50 51:47	129:25	12 9	16 VIII 26	789	52 45	66.4	79.4	0.E. F P	Roller
$4567 \\ 4568$	69 69	51:41	129:21 129:24	9	19 VIII 26	61 847	55	68.6	69.0	R.B.	Roller
4574	69 69	51:46 51:40	129:11	14 5	28 VI 27	374	60	59.0	68.7	0.E. 0.E	Roller 9
4576	69	51:43	129:25	5	2 VI 28	714	65 60	67.4	77.2 67.3	0.E. B B	Deck Roller
4579	69	51:48	129:15	13	25 IX 28	829 745	40	$62.7 \\ 57.2$	80.4 71.6	0.E. W.H.	Roller Deck
4585	69	52:05	129:13	29	16 VII 27 27 VI 27	$392 \\ 373$	69 60	$   \begin{array}{c}     60.6 \\     58.1   \end{array} $	$70.7 \\ 64.1$	0.E. 0.E.	Roller Roller
4590 4591	69 69	51:52 51:42	$129:07 \\ 129:14$	$20\\10$	10 IV 27 15 IV 28	$295 \\ 666$	$\frac{45}{45}$	$63.6 \\ 64.5$		0.E. 0.E.	Roller Roller
$4594 \\ 4602$	69 69	$51:58 \\ 51:40$	129:05 129:18	26 7	14 V 27 10 VI 28	329 722	$55\\60$	$67.4 \\ 59.6$	$71.1 \\ 92.1$	* 0.E.	Roller
$4605 \\ 4608$	$69 \\ 69$	$51:35 \\ 51:38$	129:27 129:25	4 1	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{c} 671\\341 \end{array}$	40 50	$\substack{61.5\\57.0}$	$75.5 \\ 63.5$	0.E. 0.E.	Roller
$4609 \\ 4610$	69 69	$51:43 \\ 52:09$	$129:23 \\ 129:04$	5 34	16 VII 27 21 VIII 26	392 63	72	67.9 76.4	72.4 76.2	R.B. R.B.	Deck
$4611 \\ 4612$	69 69	51:38 51:43	$129:25 \\ 129:25$	$1 \\ 5$	26 V 27 21 VI 28	$   \begin{array}{r}     341 \\     733   \end{array} $	50	66.5 56.3	69.0 71.0	0.E. 0.E.	Deck
$4615 \\ 4617$	69 69	$51:50 \\ 51:43$	$\begin{array}{c c} 129:02 \\ 129:25 \\ \end{array}$	20 5	24 IV 28 31 V 28	675 712	22 65	62.4 54.9	48.3 66.4	0.E.	Roller
$4619 \\ 4622$	69 69	$51:34 \\ 51:42$	129:12 129:24	12	15 X 28 19 VIII 26	849 61	60	60.0	80.2	R.B.	Roller
$4625 \\ 4626 \\ 4600$	69 69	51:46	129:25	97	28 IX 26 7 VII 27	383	40	64.8	72.4	л. Б. 0.Е. р в	Roller
$4628 \\ 4630 \\ 4601$	69 69	51:40	129:32	3 5	20 VI 28	732	40 55	58.0	69.5 71.2	л. Б. 0.Е. *	Deck
4633	69	51:50	129:26	19	10 IV 27	295	55	62.2	66.3	0.E. W H	Roller Deck
4636	69	51:45	129:34	13	1 VII 27	377	55	66.9 56.6	73.2	0.E. 0.E.	Roller Roller
4639	69 69	51:41	129:21 129:21	9 7	1 VIII 26	43 457	55 52	$64.8 \\ 51.0$	$65.5 \\ 68.8$	F.B. 0.E.	Dory Roller
4644	69 69	51:38	129:25	1	26 V 27 20 IX 26	341 93	50 55	$\begin{array}{c} 63.3\\ 60.6\end{array}$	$66.0 \\ 64.6$	0.E. L.B.	Deck Roller
$4649 \\ 4651$	69 69	51:47 51:48	$129:08 \\ 129:15$	$14 \\ 13$	26 VI 27 29 VII 27	$372 \\ 405$	40 48	$     \begin{array}{r}       64.6 \\       68.0     \end{array} $	$53.3 \\ 74.2$	* 0.E.	Cleaning Roller
$4653 \\ 4661$	69 70	$51:47 \\ 51:21$	$129:23 \\ 129:13$	-9 19	16 VIII 28 13 VIII 26	789 54	45 50	$65.5 \\ 70.6$	76.5 72.4	0.E. *	Roller L. S.
$   \begin{array}{r}     4665 \\     4666   \end{array} $	70	51:45 51:40	129:34 129:20	7 5	2 VII 27 27 VI 27	$377 \\ 374$	55 60	$\begin{array}{c} 66.1 \\ 67.4 \end{array}$	70.4 73.7	0.E. 0.E.	Roller Roller
$4667 \\ 4670$	70 70	51:43 51:41	$129:23 \\ 129:21$	6 9	26 V 28 1 VIII 26	706 42	50 55		$77.2 \\ 77.0$	0.E. F.B.	Roller Dory
$4673 \\ 4676$	70	53:02 51:48	$\begin{array}{c c} 130:31 \\ 129:15 \end{array}$	$92 \\ 13 \\ 13 \\ 13 \\ 13 \\ 13 \\ 13 \\ 13 \\ 1$	3 VI 27 3 VII 28	348	50 45	60.2	76.1	0.Е. ₩.Н.	Deck
$4679 \\ 4680$	70	$51:45 \\ 51:42$	129:31 129:24	7 7	16 VIII 26	12 57	45 60	58.2 62.1	58.1 64.1	R.B.	Roller Roller
4686	70	51:45 51:53	129:34	$2\frac{7}{2}$	29 VII 27	404	00 45	04.0 59.7	69.0 60.7	0.E. NF	Roller
4690	70	51:42 51:40	129:36	5 6	12 VIII 28	784 120	50 52 50	64.6	76.8	0.E. 0 E	Roller
4093 4694 4605	70	51:40 51:40	129:18	7 90	1 IX 27 26 VI 29	438	50	60.5	65.1	0.E.	Roller
4080 4697 4700	70	51:48	129:15	13	3 VII 28	744	45	66.8 79.4	77.3	W.H. F.B.	Deck Dory
4703	70	51:47	129:22	10	14 VII 27 14 VI 27	389	65 50	78.5	83.2 94.1	R.B. 0.E.	Cleaning Roller
4708	70	51:49	129:12	15	10 III 27 17 VIII 26	263	50	58.9	$\begin{array}{c} 62.0 \\ 72.9 \end{array}$	0.E. R.B.	Roller Roller
4710	70	51:35	129:18	8 4	12 VI 28 24 IV 27	723 308	38 60	$58.9 \\ 67.1$	76.4 69.5	0.E. 0.E.	Roller Cleaning
4714 4715	70	51:47	129:23	9 9	20 VIII 26 9 IV 28	61 659	50 40	$\begin{array}{c} 66.2\\ 61.0\end{array}$	$\begin{array}{c} 68.2\\71.9\end{array}$	R.B. 0.E.	Roller Roller
$4718 \\ 4720$	72	$52:20 \\ 51:41$	129:58 130:52	4 53	9 IX 27 18 IV 27	$\frac{445}{301}$	$105 \\ 150$		68.0 85.7	0.E. H.L.	Roller Cleaning
$4723 \\ 4726$	72 72	$52:23 \\ 52:21$	129:48 129:53	6 4	1 JX 26 11 JX 27	$\begin{array}{r} 72 \\ 447 \end{array}$	75 75	85.4 67.0	$\begin{array}{c} 86.3 \\ 72.7 \end{array}$	* 0.E.	Roller
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APPENDIX B. (continued)

4780         77         62.19         130.02         6         12         X 207         467         60         70.2         70.3         1.1         Roller           4770         75         65.17         130.36         62         1         X 207         467         60         75.1         75.3         0.8         Roller           4760         75         65.13         130.36         62         1         X 207         467         76.1         77.6         0.8         Roller           4760         76         65.13         130.36         6         11         X 207         76.3         77.6         0.8         N.P.         Roller	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
4734       73       63.0       130.3       1       11       Y1	4730	72	52:19	130:02	6	12 X 26	113	65	76.2	76.0	L.B.	Roller
1738       173       1873.8       1873.8       1873.8       1874.8       173.8       1875.8       0.0.5.       Deck         1738       173       1874.8       173.8       1875.8       0.0.5.       Deck       No.8       No.8 <t< td=""><td>4732</td><td>73</td><td>53:02</td><td>130:31</td><td>41</td><td>17 VI 27</td><td>361</td><td>50</td><td>70.6</td><td>75.8</td><td>0.E. 0 E</td><td>Roller</td></t<>	4732	73	53:02	130:31	41	17 VI 27	361	50	70.6	75.8	0.E. 0 E	Roller
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4746       73       0.22.2       128.45       12       8       VIII 267       414       0.5       74.0       53.6       N.P.       Comminge         4750       74       0.22.3       129.45       131.02       8       111       VIII 267       19       63       0.5       93.60       N.P.       Deminge         4755       74       0.23.3       130.47       13       12       VIII 267       1464       456       57.0       82.2       0.0.       Paint         4777       76       63.13.0       130.47       15       28       VIII 267       167.0       75.0       82.2       0.0.       Bailer         4778       76       61.56       138.03       40       2       VIII 277       38.9       67.0       80.6       0.0.       Relation         4783       76       61.56       138.93.3       40       2.2       11.4       128.47       14.5	4740	73	52:25	130:02	6	11 X 26	112	65	70.7	71.0	L,B.	Roller
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4756         74         53.0         13.3         13.2         29         2         Y 127         34.6         50         67.7         71.8         0.2.         Desture Fish House           4777         76         65.16         12.9         12.8         12.7         74.7         65.0         61.2         71.7         73.6         0.2.         Desture Fish House           4778         76         65.16         12.9         12.9         12.7         436         65.1         61.2.6         0.2.         NUL           4778         76         65.16         12.9         12.7         431.4         45         65.4         0.8.         Older         Boller           4783         76         61.56         12.8.5         1         4         19         YII         27         332         45         65.4         0.8.         Boller           4793         76         61.36         12.8.5         3         13         YII         27         332         45         66.4         0.8.         Boller           4793         76         61.36         12.8.5         3         17         11         17         13.4         17         17.1         18.2<	4751 4755	74	51:35	129:22	82	10 IX 27	445	48	68.2	72.0	0.E.	Roller
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	$\frac{4803}{4804}$	76	$51:56 \\ 51:54$	128:55 128:47	8	18 VI 28	$\frac{404}{726}$	42	70.2	78.5	0.E.	L.S.
3893       76       14       Y       27       325       66       70.0       81.9       0.E.       Poller         4813       76       51.46       129.37       11       16       VII       27.       321       45       77.9       0.E.       Roller         4818       76       51.45       129.31       11       16       VII       28       686       07.1.3       37.7.9       0.E.       Roller         4819       76       61.42       129.31       11       16       VII       27       301       45       61.3       84.2       0.E.       Roller         4820       76       61.53       128.51       4       19       VII       27       301       45       60.2       0.E.       Roller         4834       76       61.550       128.42       61       14       V 27       303       45       65.5       0.0.E.       Roller         4833       76       60.53       71.9       0.8       Roller       Roller       Roller       Roller         4833       76       61.36       128.34       128       34       17       18.0       12.4       12.7       37.6	4808	76	51:48	129:15	13	29 VII 27	401	48	68.6	78.5	0.E. *	Cleaning
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10651	150	57.49	150.56	266	9 IV 28	121 47	65.4	67.3	*	Deck
0665	150	01.44	100.00	200	7 V 28	149	73.0			Fish House
00000	150				11-VI 28		74.0		1	Fish House
0691	150	58.19	149.17	197	5 IV 28	117 87	71.5	71.5	N.F.	Deck
699	150	58.32	148 44	176	15 X 28	310 70	74.2	76.0	N.F.	Cleaning
708	151	57:52	149:34	223	21 II 28	72 140	75.1	74.3	*	Deck
710 İ	151	56:30	154:50	410	21 VII 28	223 7	76.4	77.0	N.F.	Roller
16	$\tilde{1}\tilde{5}\bar{1}$	57:49	149:26	226	23 II 28	74 140	73.5	1	}	Deck
46	151	58:32	148:25	162	2 III 28	82 165	86.0	85.5	( W.H.	Deck
750 1	151	57:01	151:45	308	27 IX 28	291 4	69.6	1	1	Cleaning
0.01	151	59:04	151:34	254	25 IX 28	289 34	67.6			Cleaning
793	152	56:59	152:43	339	22 VI 28	193 85	76.0	76.3	0.E.	Deck
809	152	59:30	142:37	25	4 IV 28	114 120	82.5	83.0	N.F.	Hold
811	152	58:49	153:16	306	25 VI 28	196 10	72.7	73.0	N.F.	Deck
1827	152	59:35	151:27	305	29 VIII 28	261 31	68.0	67.5	N.F.	Cleaning
832	152				IV 28		80.8			Fish House
0850	153	58:16	149:58	223	1 III 28	79 42	86.7	86.0	N.F.	Deck
0867 İ	153	59:33	141:43	50	10 XI 28	333 170	68.5	71.5	N.F.	Roller
2221	133	58:50	148:57	13	10 IX 28	308 120	69.5	71.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2227	133	58:45	149:15	6	18 II 28	103 90	80.7	80.9	0.E.	Deck
2231 İ	133	58:16	149:58	35	1 III 28	115 42	77.1	76.0	N.F.	Deck
2256	134	58:23	150:16	5	22 III 28	135 38	75.9	77.2	N.F.	Deck
2272	134	58:32	148:44	50	4 VII 28	239 73	75.3	75.5	N.F.	Roller
2276	134	58:41	148:29	61	19 II 28	103 150	75.9	74.6	0.E.	Deck
2291 (	136	58:07	149:18	9	10 VIII 28	275 60	76.9	77.5	N.F.	Cleaning
2298	136	58:00	148:43	10	12 IV 28	155 95	67.6	67.5	N.F.	Cleaning
2308	136	59:28	141:21	268	23 VI 28	227 120	92.8	96.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2309	136	57:37	150.02	42	28 11 28	111 100	114.8	116.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2310	136	58:15	149:00	12	4 VIII 28	269 76	67.3	67.5	N.F.	Deck
2366	136	58:04	148:51	5	17 VII 28	251 62	85.3	88.0	N.F.	Deck
2375	136	58:10	149:20	12	14 VIII 28	279 85	65.1	67.0	N.F.	Deck
2376 (	136	58:32	148:44	29	20 11 28		17.8	99.1		Cleaning
2379	136	58:20	150:19	44	10 V1 28		83.3	83.3	U.E.	Deck
2380	136	58:14	153:35	160	11 11 28	276 100	10.5	1 11.0	IN.F.	Cleaning
2388	137	58:18	149:08	14	3 11 28		07.9	68.5	[ N.F.	Cleaning
2393	137	57:58	148:45	10		192 90	83.1	1 66 6	NE	L. S.
2401	137	58:15	149:00	9		272 70	62.5	66.0	N.F.	Deck
2403	137	08:10	100:01	100	29 V 28	201 40	00.0	03.0	ALE.	Deck
2404	107	04:40	159:10	402		218 40	00.1	08.0	N.E.	Deck
2414	137	57:25	151:04	108	9 A 28		10.0	74.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2417	107	50:44	102:10	141	0. WIII 20	201 00	66.0	10.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2422	137	38:22	148:40	13		290 72	70 6	01.0	1 14.0.	Cleaning
2427	197	00:00	150,00	410	01 VII 90	954 96	79.0	72 6	ED	Cleaning
24234	198	00.10	100.00	55	21 11 28	204 50	77 4	10.0	13.11.	Roller
9454	128			••	11 28		72 2			Fish House
2471	198	58 04	148 52	ii	30 10 28	171 70	67.7	68 5	NE	Poller
2480	138	58.16	150.00	29	21 VII 28	253 36	74 1	1 77 0	EP	Bollow
2485	138	57.59	148.57	15	12 X 28	336	83.9	89.5	*	ROHEI
2489	138	58:16	150.00	29	21 VII 28	253 36	70.2	75.1	E.P.	Roller
2501	138	57.59	152.03	94	9 VIII 28	272 97	93.1	94.0	N.F.	Deck
2523	138	58:23	150:15	37	22 111 28	132 38	78.6	80.0	N.F.	Deck
2524	138	58:32	148.44	23	28 11 28	109 68	87.3	87.6	*	Cleaning
2531	138	58:19	150:12	36	14 VI 28	216 40	85.8	87.5	N.F.	Cleaning
2541	138	58:22	148:46	15	24 VIII 28	287 72	66.3	67.5	N.F.	Cleaning
2542	138	56:48	153:27	165	12 VII 28	244 50	78.8	80.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2565	138	58:22	148:46	15	26 VIII 28	289 72	66.4	67.0	N.F.	LS
2567	138	58:01	148:48	15	29 V 28	200 75	70.0	72.3	N.F.	Cleaning
2569	138	58:22	149:52	26	16 VI 28	218 35	66.3	69.0	N.F.	Roller
2576	138	58:20	149:38	19	28 VI 28	230 50	67.5	69.0	N.F.	Deck
2580	138	57:58	149:13	15	27 II 28	108 70	63.3	1		Roller
2587	138	59:08	151:27	90	5 VIII 28	268 26	71.6	73.0	N.F.	Deck
2588	138	58:15	149:00	5	11 VIII 28	274 76	75.0	76.0	N.F.	Deck
2599	139	57:32	150:28	69	5 VI 28	206 50	61.2	62.5	N.F.	Cleaning
2605	139	58:32	148:44	17	20 II 28	100 78	74.8	75.0	*-	Cleaning
2610 (	139	58:29	148:59	16	12 IX 28	805 80	69.1	70.0	N.F.	Roller
2616	139	58:25	150:14	48	27 VII 28	258 30	80.0	77.5	*	_ • • •
2618	139	55:29	156:13	295	14 III 28	123 110	95.1	95.0	N.F.	Roller
2642	139	58:35	148:28	22	4 IX 28	297 70	72.7	72.5	N.F.	Cleaning
2656	139	58:14	153:35	165	11 VIII 28	273 100	72.6	77.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2657	139	57:59	149:31	29	30 VIII 28	292 6	81.9	85.1	*	Cleaning
2662	139	58:32	148:44	17	5 111 28	114   70	87.4	86.0	N.F.	L. S.
2678	138	08:32	148:48	17		98 65	74.3	1 73.0	0.E.	Cleaning
2701	139	58:18	148:43	3	21 X 28	344 68	89.8	96.0	N.F.	Cleaning
2735	140	56:29	153:04	172	9 VI 28	209 35	89.1	91.0	N.F.	Deck
2743	140	57:13	152:20	129	10 X 28	332	1100.8	108.0	•	Deck
2746	140	59:35	143:20	180	11 IX 28	303 86	67.1			Deck
2753	140	57:24	151:20	96	18 IX 28	310 6	65.1	66.0	N.F.	Cleaning
	140	58:32	148:44	20	3 VII 28		66.0	65.0	N.F.	Roller
2190	140	57:40	150:20	59	29 II 28	108 120	66.9	67.3	0.E.	Cleaning
2755	140	57:52	149:34	31	13 III 28	121 140	70.6	70.2	*	Deck
2759	140				X 28		84.0			Fish House
2759 2759 2779 2792	2.2.2	58:07	148:50	4	7 XI 28	360 78	85.9	87.5	N.F.	Roller
2755 2759 2779 2792 2793	140	1	1 2 2 4 4 4 4	155	10 VII 28	240 50	70.6	72.5	0.E.	Deck
2755 2759 2779 2792 2793 2800	$\begin{array}{c}140\\140\end{array}$	56:44	152.40							
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