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# FREEZING FISH AT SEA--NEW ENGLAND

The following reports on the project "Freezing Fish at Sea, Defrosting, Filleting, and Refreezing the Fillets," will appear in the February 1952 issue of <u>Commercial</u> Fisheries Review.

FREEZING FISH AT SEA - NEW ENGLAND

PART 1 - PRELIMINARY EXPERIMENTS, BY J. C. HARTSHORNE AND J. F. PUNCOCHAR

Fillets from round-frozen thawed fish are compared with fillets from iced fish as to percent drip, salt content, trimethylamine content, keeping quality, and yield.

PART 2 - EXPERIMENTAL PROCEDURES AND EQUIPMENT, BY H. W. MAGNUSSON, S. R. POTTINGER, AND J. C. HARTSHORNE

In view of the favorable results of the preliminary tests on freezingfish-at-sea, further laboratory and pilot-plant studies were carried out to secure data in preparation for a commercial-scale investigation. For freezing fish at sea aboard the Service's experimental trawler <u>Delaware</u>, the method of freezing fish by immersion in cold brine was adopted for the initial tests. Salt penetration into the fish meat does not seem to be a serious problem. Thawing the frozen whole fish in water (so that they can be filleted) seems to be the most practical method. Organoleptic, physical, and chemical test procedures for judging the quality of the frozen fillets are described.

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PART 3 - THE EXPERIMENTAL TRAWLER <u>DELAWARE</u> AND SHORE FACILITIES, BY C. BUTLER, J. F. PUNCOCHAR, AND B. O. KNAKE.

A description of the experimental trawler <u>Delaware</u> is presented, including the general characteristics of the vessel, alteration of the fish hold, and the refrigeration system. Also described are the shore facilities, which consist of the pier for moorage of the vessel; a pilot plant; a laboratory; and offices. Operation of the vessel and freezing facilities, and handling of the fish ashore are discussed.

\* \* \* PART 4 - COMMERCIAL PROCESSING OF BRINE FROZEN FISH, BY C. BUTLER AND H. W. MAGNUSSON

Results are presented of the first semicommercial scale processing of round brine-frozen scrod haddock under normal fillet-plant operating conditions.

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