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40.—TONNAGE OF VESSELS OF THE UNITED STATES EMPLOYED IN THE WHALE, COD, AND MACKEREL FISHERIES, FROM 1860 TO 1882, INCLUSIVE.

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[From figures contained in the annual reports of the Register of the Treasury.]

Year ending June 30.—	Whale fisheries.	Cod fisheries.	Mackerel fisheries.	Total.
	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>	<i>Tons.</i>
1860.....	166,841	136,653	20,111	323,605
1861.....	145,734	137,846	54,795	338,375
1862.....	117,714	133,601	80,596	331,911
1863.....	99,228	117,290	51,019	267,537
1864.....	95,145	103,742	55,499	254,386
1865*.....	90,516	65,185	41,209	196,910
1866*.....	105,170	51,642	46,589	203,401
1867.....	52,384	44,567	31,498	128,449
1868.....	71,843	83,887		155,230
1869.....	70,202	62,704		132,906
1870.....	67,954	91,460		159,414
1871.....	61,490	92,865		154,355
1872.....	51,608	97,545		149,155
1873.....	44,755	109,519		154,274
1874.....	99,108	78,290		117,398
1875.....	38,229	80,207		118,436
1876.....	39,116	87,802		126,918
1877.....	40,593	91,085		131,678
1878.....	89,700	86,547		126,247
1879.....	40,028	79,885		119,913
1880.....	38,408	77,538		115,946
1881.....	38,551	76,137		114,688
1882.....	32,802	77,863		110,665

* The tonnage for 1865 and 1866 is partly by new measurement and partly by old.

NOTE.—The mackerel licenses have not been issued separately since 1867, when a general fishing license was provided to replace cod and mackerel fisheries.

41.—STATISTICS OF THE IMPORTS AND EXPORTS OF FISH, FISH-OIL, WHALEBONE, ETC., FOR TEN YEARS ENDING JUNE 30, 1882.

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The following tables have been prepared from the annual reports of the Bureau of Statistics of the Treasury Department, and are based on the custom-house returns.

Attention may be called to the importation duty free of 109,737,420 pounds of fresh fish, valued at \$3,242,566. Nearly all of this came from Canada under the treaty of Washington.

The exports have constantly increased in quantity and value, due doubtless in some degree to the successful participation of the United States in the international fishery exhibitions held in Europe.