

SCOTTISH HERRING SEASON OPENS - - Fisher folk of
Rothesay welcome the arrival of the fishing fleet with
feecord catch.

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Picture.:- Rothesay has just reaped one plentiful
harvest from visitors to its beautiful bay.

So it starts a winter season by gathering another--
--harvest from the sea. The ozone gets rather--
--tainted, but the herring fishing--
--brings brisk trade to the town sheps. Eight thousand
baskets a day have--
--been normal for some days now. The girls are incredibly--
--expert at gutting the fish before--
--curing or salting is commenced. Thousands--
--of these fish will find their way to your frying pans
as the--
--humble but delectable kipper. Others will be sold--
--soaked with brine to increase man's natural thirst.
This year the Clyde herring season has been a--
--good one. Herrings are queer fish. One day they
are caught in shoals, and the--
--next everyone has gone, disappeared, and no one
knows where !