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NEW FISHERY FILM AVAILABLE

Basic Net Mending, a new Fish and Wildlife Service educational film, will be available for distribution on September 1, the Service's Branch of Commercial Fisheries announced today. The film is intended for vocational use by persons in the fishing industry.

Produced for the Service by Sun Dial Films, Inc., the motion picture is in 16 mm. color and sound, and runs about 12 minutes. The outdoor scenes were filmed in New Bedford, Mass., with Captain Paul Green of that city demonstrating the proper methods of mending torn fishing nets.

Organizations which wish to borrow prints of this film should send their requests to the Division of Information, Fish and Wildlife Service, Washington 25, D. C. Because the number of prints is limited, requests for booking the film should be made as far in advance as possible.

Each request should indicate clearly the address to which the shipment is to be made. The shipments are usually made by express, the borrower paying transportation charges both ways. No charge is made for the use of the film.

Other recently-released fishery motion pictures which are available are: Filleting and Packaging Fish (in two parts) and Retailing Fish.

The Service is now producing the Maine Sardine Industry and the North Pacific Halibut Industry, and will announce the release dates of these educational films within the next few months.

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