

and then the sport begins. The experienced fisherman uses three or four lines, hauling them very rapidly while the beginner generally finds one, or at most two, sufficient to tax his powers to the utmost. A large number of fish are often caught in a very short space of time. Such spurts do not last for more than a fraction of an hour, and he who would do best cannot afford to lose a minute of time.

Fishing for cod requires strength as well as skill, owing to the large size

bathing grounds in the world. Numbers of people frequent portions of this beach on warm summer days, and spend hours in pure enjoyment. At low tide great stretches of firm, smooth sand are laid bare, which afford excellent ground for racing, driving, bicycle riding and other pastimes. Bays are numerous along the coast, and, sheltered from the sea by the barriers of sand, their waters placid as those of an inland lake, afford safe boating for any too timid to



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of the fish and the fact that they are hooked near the bottom of the sea, but in common with the taking of mackerel it affords an exhilarating pastime to those who are not disturbed by the rocking of the small boat on the restless deep.

On the north shore, facing the Gulf, are fifty miles of sand dunes, washed by the cool waters of the sea, and forming one of the finest beaches and

venture beyond the bar.

In the country many pleasant drives may be had, with beautiful passing glimpses of river, field and woodland, and occasionally from some higher point a sight of the blue waters of the Gulf. The well kept homesteads, and fruitful fields and orchards, surrounded by neat hedgerows, all lend interest and charm to an experience not soon forgotten by the visitor.