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TUNNEY SEASON OPENS IN SICILY

Off the coast of Sicily, near Trapani - the tunney season opens. Warm weather brings the big fish close in-shore, in such quantities that you can't miss them with a glass-bottomed bucket.

The battle begins when the thousand-pound monsters are cornered by converging boats. The sleek, silver fish thresh the waves into spectacular fountains as the nets are drawn in.

Where North Sea herrings are measured by the million, Mediterranean tunney are landed by the ten-weight. Record catches this year have already boosted canning to one of Sicily's top export industries.

Within an hour, holds are full with tunney for tinning. Coming soon - at your local greener.