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Re: big news for Fly Fishers on Cape Cod

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Quote:

jay348 wrote:

This was the opening that closed up in '87 correct?

other way around Jay.

the '87 storm breached the beach and it started one hell of a fishery once the stocks bounced back due to the moratorium.

it was good enough for those in the know to trailer flats boats up from Florida.

then from 2004 the seashore drift started closing the breach and in 05 it was no longer passable with shallow draft skiffs, and the fishing tailed off too. then in 2006 it was gone just like that.

in late June you used to get small pods of huge fish - i once had to shake off a 30" keeper cos my buddy 30 feet away hooked a measured 43" cow of about 28lb. she was pretty lean from the ride up, a month later she would have been well over 30lb - by fall 35lb probably.

with the seals on the 'outside' now (and the sharks) it could be quite the fishbowl come mid May...