

Scalloping

WJH: uhuh until uh... well the scallops_ the scalloping come in play... so we we stayed home me and the (xx) stayed home we worked here, scalloping in

the summertime

CK: wow I don't think i've heard_ of all the Guinea people i've spoken with, none of them have talked to me about scalloping so tell_ what is that, i know what a scallop is

WJH: you know what a scallop is

CK: yes I've got that

RA: delicious <LAUGH>

WJH: well we drag drudgers for it

CK: Ok

WJH: you don't know what a crab drudger is CK: tell me

WJH: oh... well the drudge... is, is wide on the back of it and they come out to... they just come together pie shape

CK: Ok

WJH: and this and the dredge has got a bag in it and that's where we drag that and catch the scallop

CK: now i'm curious i'm telling you i really know nothing about fishing or fish WJH: right

CK: are scallops are they are they in a shell or something

WJH: right

CK: oh they are

WJH: mhm

CK: oh and then they have to be shucked

WJH: that's right we shuck that right along the boat as we work CK: oh

WJH: that that traps will about troll fourteen days

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