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Dear Sirs:

I'm writing to give my opinion on Fish Farms.  
We have the fish farm at Swans Island, with  
Cooke aqua <sup>hope they have lease rights</sup> it was a good thing in my opinion a  
few years ago. Made a lot of work for the island  
had a real cold winter fish farm was a new thing at  
that time they were feeding fish ponding ice of the  
pins they lost most of the fish with those mistakes  
they don't make those mistakes anymore. they don't  
go near the pins when its super chill snow.

I'd like to see them process the fish on Swans  
Island again. Swans Island needs some jobs  
other than just lobstering. they need a town  
manager, or some people like that, that know  
how to make a business that makes money for  
its self and can grow making jobs for people,  
so we keep kids in school. the electmen we have  
just don't have <sup>they</sup> that skills. We have the O'chen  
all around us why not use it? We need people  
that know how to use it. I found this in the  
Bangor Daily News Feb 13, 20/20 so anyway this  
is my opinion on the <sup>sws damon</sup> ~~over~~ in Bangor Daily News Feb 13, 20/20

Swans Island is lucky with the lobsters,  
We been told swans Island has the best lobster in the  
state. Catch might have been off a little this year. Lobster  
fishing keeps swans Island alive & we had a warm winter no  
below 0 days or nights. Swans Island has the swans Island  
trap limit. only 600 traps swans Island zone. Bob thought it  
would be nice for Camble Pops to make swans Island  
(Maine) Lobster Stew. Lobster stew is great with

Crackers. you just have to save some of the water that  
the lobsters were cooked in when you make the stew. you  
need that to make a good stew. just put it in a can.

If you ever around <sup>come to swans Island</sup> look  
me up. Me and my brother <sup>painter in law</sup> do the swans Island  
lobster and marine museum. we were on TV  
with ten sample CDs Sunday morning a few years ago.

Well I guess I've gone into all kind of  
stuff, I hope you find this of interest. It was suppose  
to be what I thought on the story Samon in the  
Bangor Daily News Feb. 13, 20/20. but I guess I got  
into other things to.

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