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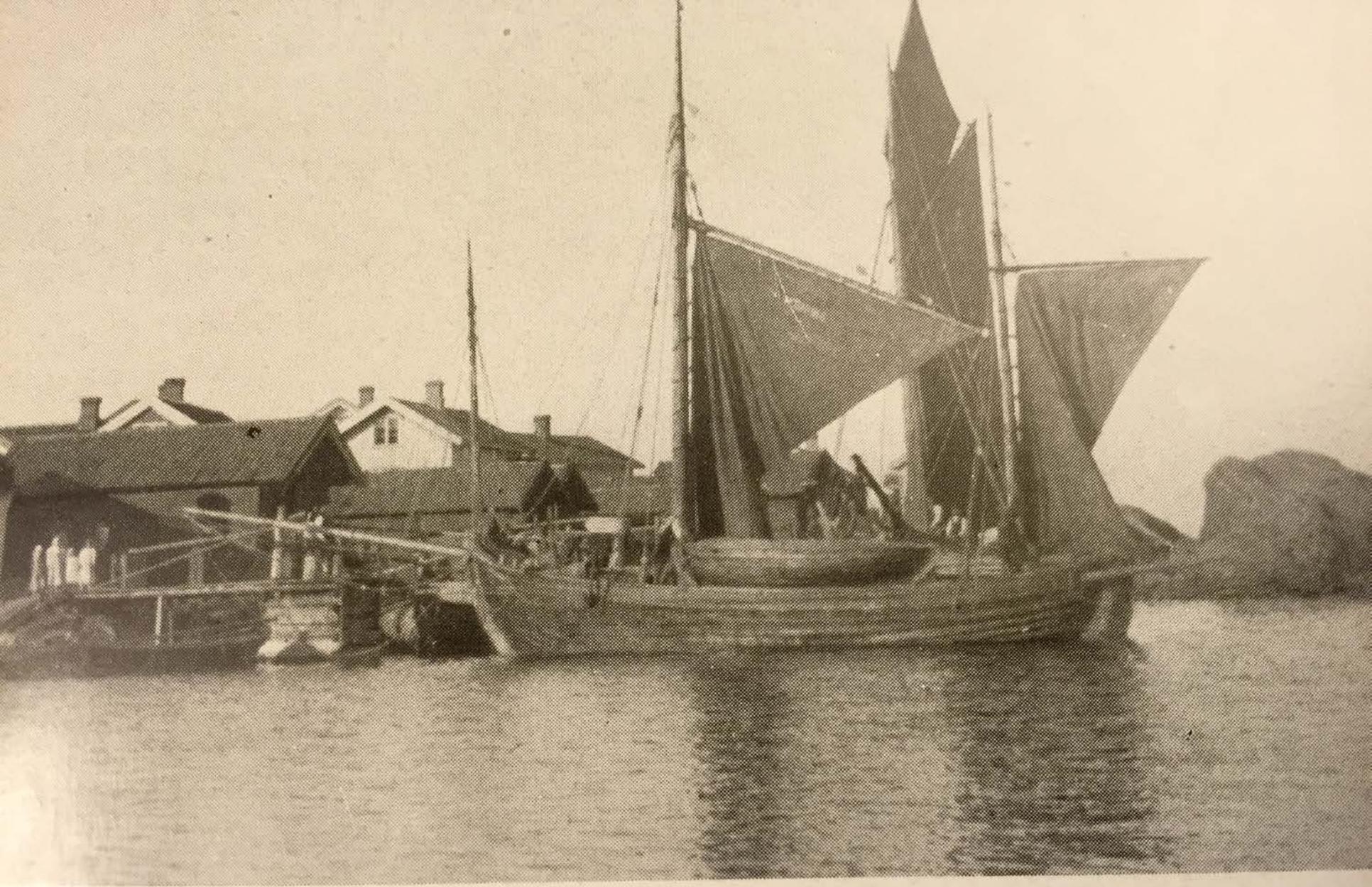
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TODAY'S PRESENTATION

- The challenges with the LO for Swedish fishermen
- Co-management process
- Quota management solutions
- Selectivity solutions
- Conclusions



Sjöbåtar i Åstol. 1890-talet.

CHALLENGES WITH THE LO

- Choke species
- Weekly allowances – “race to fish” where a couple of vessels can finish the quota and force the rest of the fleet to stay in port
- The industry flagged this issue early on...

CO-MANAGEMENT PROCESS

- Industry working proactively to design and develop a new quota management system
- Working groups for each key fishery
- Broad representation – both small scale and large scale fisheries
- Transparency
- Engagement!



QUOTA MANAGEMENT SOLUTIONS

- Annual vessel quota allocations
- Temporary transfers of quota
- By catch quota

SELECTIVITY SOLUTIONS

- Grid in the Nephrop trawler
- Prawn grid
- RTC



CONCLUSIONS

- Important that fishermen takes responsibility of their own future
- The landing obligation can work if the right conditions are provided
- Combination of tools and measures are needed to set the right conditions!

Thanks for listening! Questions?

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