Marine Crocodile Landed

A rare marine crocodile - Crocodilus poroses was accidentally caught by the fishermen of Yarada, 10 km south of Visakhapatnam in nylon shore seine on 6th March '91. On the suggestion of Shri C. V. Seshagiri Rao, Technical Of-

ficer of VRC of CMFRI, the specimen was brought to the fishing harbour and kept alive, till the wildlife department people took over the specimen on 7th March. The specimen had a length of 2.14 m and weighed 50.5 kgs. Presently this rare

crocodile is an attraction at the Indira Gandhi Zoological Park, Visakhapatnam, where it is being reared.