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WILLIAM MILLS & SON

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FISHING TACKLE

Salesrooms, 21 Park Place, New York

(TWO BLOCKS SOUTH OF OLD STAND)

FACTORIES

Central Valley, N. Y.

Redditch, England

Established 1822.

2: T. & J. BATE. 1853: THOS. H. BATE.

1836: THOS. BATE.
1859: T. H. BATE & CO.

1843: T. & T. H. BATE. 1875: WM. MILLS & SON.

To our Customers:

E take pleasure in offering our **new illustrated and enlarged catalogue** of Fishing Tackle for 1899. We have endeavored, in this catalogue, to make it as complete and full a list of our goods as it is possible to do. We keep a full line of **all grades** of Fishing Tackle, constantly endeavoring to make improvements in all goods of our own manufacture, and are continually adding to our stock all novelties of merit as they may be produced.

It is our aim to produce and offer for sale the highest grade of Fishing Tackle in the world; in addition to which we are large manufacturers of all grades from cheapest to best.

We guarantee all goods sent out by us to be **just as represented**, and if upon receipt of goods you find that they are not what you desire we will willingly exchange any article if returned unused, at once, and free from express charges.

Being practical anglers ourselves, and taking special interest in all things pertaining to Angling, and specially to Fly Casting, the experience we thus gain by practice we apply in the manufacture of our goods.

We are conversant with the different modes of, and appliances used for, angling in most sections of the United States and Canada. All parties ordering from a distance may depend on receiving tackle suited to the waters for which it is required, and also that their orders will have the same careful attention as if purchased in person. We wish to please, and shall spare no pains to accomplish that object.

Thanking our friends for past favors, and hoping to receive an increased share of their orders in the future, we are,

Very truly,

THOMAS BATE MILLS.

WILLIAM MILLS & SON.

NOTICE.

MAILING. Goods mailed only when so ordered, and are sent at purchasers' risk; and unless otherwise ordered, all packages sent by mail, valued at one dollar or more, will be **Registered**.

Correspondence solicited from customers not finding everything they require in this catalogue, or who desire goods made in any special manner. Our facilities for manufacturing goods to order or pattern are unequaled.

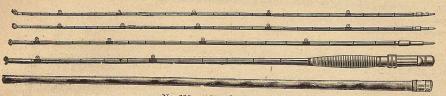
Deposit invariably required from parties unknown to us, ordering goods C.O.D., and on all goods made to order.

While we usually issue a catalogue every second year, we are constantly making additions to our stock, and if you think of anything you want, write for it; we will have all of the newest goods.

THE WILLIAM MILLS & SON

"STANDARD" SPLIT BAMBOO ROD.

While we claim that the Leonard Rod is, without doubt, the Best Rod in the world, we also claim that, with this exception, our "STANDARD ROD" is without a rival. We use only the best material in its construction, and the Mountings are all hand made of the highest quality of German Silver. These Rods are manufactured in our own factory, by our own staff of experienced workmen, under our personal supervision, and are marvels of good workmanship. The caliber and style of the Rods are PERFECT, and they are infinitely superior to anything in the market, exclusive of a "Leonard." To further substantiate our claims of the superiority of these "Standard" Rods, we need that the proportion of the superiority of these "Standard" Rods, we need that the proportion of the superiority of these "Standard" Rods, we need that the proportion of the superiority of these "Standard" Rods, we need that the proportion of the superiority of these "Standard" Rods, we need that the proportion of the superiority of these superiority of these superiority of these superiority of these superiority of the superiority of these superiority of these "Standard" Rods, we need that the proportion of the superiority of the superi



No. 110. "Standard" Rod.

Nos.

No.

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them in competition with any rod on the market, barring only a "Leonard," for casting qualities, durability and general excellence. Each rod has two tips, which are packed in Special Tip Cases, and, together with other joints, inclosed in durable Canvas Bag. This form of carrying rods we consider to be of carrying rods we consider to be far preferable to the grooved form method.

FLY RODS.

110A. 3 Piece and Extra Tip, Solid German Silver Reel Seat, Ring Guides, Cane Wound Handle, length 9 feet, Each. weight about 5 ounces.
This rod is a beautifully balanced light rod, suitable for the smaller stream fishing. \$15 00 110B. 3 Piece and Extra Tip, Solid German Silver Reel Seat, Ring Guides, Cane Wound Handle, length 9½ feet, weight about 5½ to 6 ounces... This rod we recommend for general stream work and lighter lake fishing. 15 00 110C. 3 Piece and Extra Tip, Solid German Silver Reel Seat, Ring Guides, Cane Wound Handle, length 10 feet, weight 6½ to 6½ ounces...

110D. 3 Piece and Extra Tip, Solid German Silver Reel Seat, Ring Guides, Cane Wound Handle, length 10 feet, weight 7 to 7½ ounces...

This rod is suitable for heavier stream or lake work, and just the thing for Black Bass Fly Fishing, or for use in Maine or Canada, and is also the proper caliber fly rod for Black Bass Frog Casting. 15 00 15 00 Cork Handles on "Standard" Rods, \$1.00 additional.

BAIT RODS.

111A. 3 Piece Black Bass or Minnow Casting Rod, Solid German Silver Reel Seat, Extra Tip, Cane Wound Hand Grasp and Standing Guides, length 6¾ feet, weight about 7 ounces.

Cork Hand Grasp, \$1.00 additional.

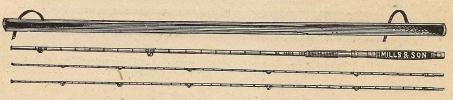
Standing Guides. Length 8 to 8¼ feet, weight 8 to 9 ounces.

With Agate Guide on Butt, and Two Agate Tips...

Cork Hand Grasp, \$1.00 additional.

Standing Guides. Length 8 to 8½ feet, weight 8 to 9 ounces.

Cork Hand Grasp, \$1.00 additional Each. \$15 00 17.25 15 00 17 25 Cork Hand Grasp, \$1.00 additional. 111C. 3 Piece Black Bass Bait, Solid German Silver Reel Seat, Extra Tip, Cane Wound Hand Grasp and Standing Guides, length 9 feet, weight about 9 to 9½ ounces.... With Agate Guide on Butt and Two Agate Tips.... 15 00 Cork Hand Grasp, \$1.00 additional.



16 00 18 25

COMBINATION "STANDARD" ROD.

Combination Fly and Bait Rod. Makes Fly Rod 10 feet and Bait Rod 8 feet..... Each. \$25 00

"STANDARD" SALT WATER RODS.

121. 2 Piece and Extra Tip, Heavy Salt Water Bass or Weakfish Rod, Double Guides, German Silver Reel Seat and Cane Wound Grasps, length 7½ feet, weight about 15 to 17 ounces...... Each. With Agate Guide on Butt and Two Agate Tips.

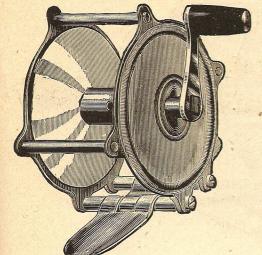
122. 3 Piece and Extra Tip, Heavy Salt Water Bass or Weakfish Rod, Double Guides, German Silver Reel Seat and Cane Wound Grasps, length 7½ feet, weight about 15 to 17 ounces.

With Agate Guide on Butt and Two Agate Tips. \$15 00 17 75 16 00

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REELS.—CLASS 1.

Riveted Raised Pillar Reels.



Nos. 0031	and	031/2.
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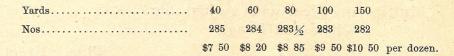
Single Action Plain Reels.

Yards	80	60	40	25
Nos	031/2	04	05	06
Brass	\$2 15	\$1 75	\$1 55	\$1 30 per dozen.
Nickeled	2 80	2 35	2 15	1 95

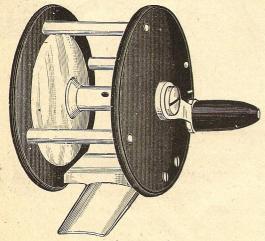
Single Action Click Reels.

Yards	80	60	40	25
Nos	0031/2	004	005	006
Brass	\$2 75	\$2 40	\$2 10	\$1 90 per dozen.
Nickeled	3 40	3 00	2 70	2 50 "

Raised Pillar Nickel Plated Click Reel with Balanced Protected Handle and Adjustable Click.



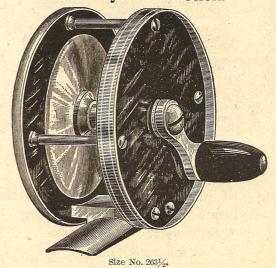
REELS.—CLASS 2.



Size No. E5.

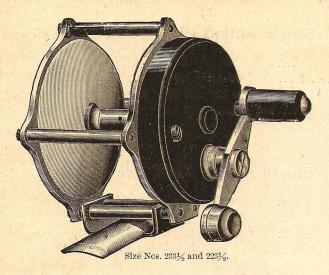
80 25 40 60 100 Yards..... E5 E4 E31 \$6 85 \$7 65 \$8 45 \$9 15 \$9 60 per dozen.

Plain Nickel and Rubber Click Reel. Rubber and Nickel Plated Click Reel with Protected Balance Handle and Adjustable Click.



100 Yards..... 60 40 80 265 $263\frac{1}{2}$ 264 263 262 \$17.00 \$18.60 \$19.10 \$20.10 \$24.00 per dozen.

RAISED PILLAR MULTIPLYING REELS.



Raised Pillar, Nickel and Rubber, Balance Handle, Multiplying Reel with Adjustable Click and Drag.

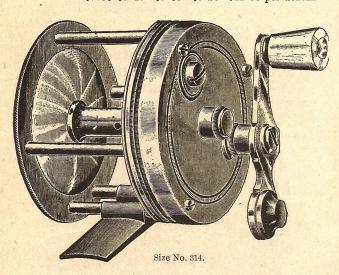
Yards..... 40 60 80 100 150 Nos..... 235 234 233½ 233 232 \$10 60 \$11 60 \$12 25 \$12 90 \$15 60 per dozen.

Raised Pillar, Nickel, Balance Handle, Multiplying Reel with Adjustable Click and Drag.

 Yards
 40
 60
 80
 100
 150

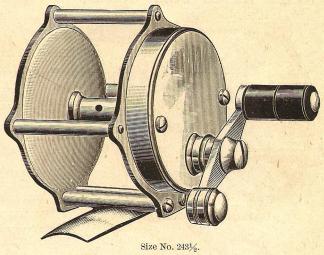
 Nos.
 225
 224
 223½
 223
 222

 \$7
 80
 \$8
 40
 \$9
 50
 \$9
 60
 \$12
 50
 per dozen.



Fine "Steel Pivot," Quadruple Nickel Balance Handle, Multiplying Reel with Adjustable Click and Drag.

Yards	60	80	100
Nos	314	3131	313
	\$25 00	\$27 50	\$30 00 per dozen.



Raised Pillar, Nickel, Balance Handle Reel, Fine Quality, with Adjustable Click and Drag.

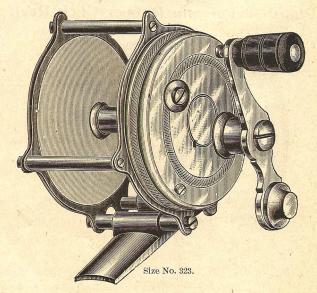
 Yards.....
 40
 60
 80
 100
 150

 Nos.....
 245
 244
 243½
 243
 242

 \$19
 20
 \$20.40
 \$21
 60
 \$22
 80
 \$24
 00
 per dozen.

Similar in style, only with Rubber Cap.

Fine "Steel Pivot," Raised Pillar, Nickel, Balance Handle, Multiplying Reel with Adjustable Click and Drag.



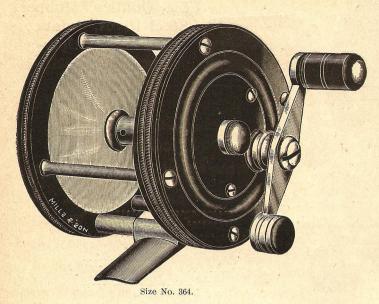
 Yards.
 80
 100
 150
 200

 Nos.
 $323\frac{1}{2}$ 323
 322
 321

 $$36\ 50$ \$40\ 00
 \$48\ 00
 \$54\ 00
 per dozen.

Multiplies about 3 times.

REELS, CLASS 2-Continued.



Fine "Steel Pivot," Rubber and Nickel Balance Handle, Multiplying Reel with Adjustable Click.

Yards	60	80	100
Nos	294	2931/2	293
	34 20	\$36 50	\$40 00 per dozen

Same Style-Rubber and German Silver.

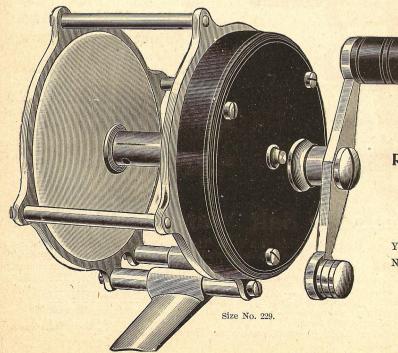
Yards	60	80	100	
Nos	304	303 1/2	303	
\$	61 50	\$74 00	\$92 50	per dozen.

REELS—Class 3.

In Class 3 are shown the newest and most approved styles of Medium and Large Reels for Salt Water Fishing. For smaller Reels, for use with the very light Rods now so much used for Light Bass and Weak Fishing, we refer to Multiplying Reels described in Classes 2 and 5. All Multiplying Reels there shown, the numbers of which end in 2, 3 or $3\frac{1}{2}$, are suitable for this purpose.

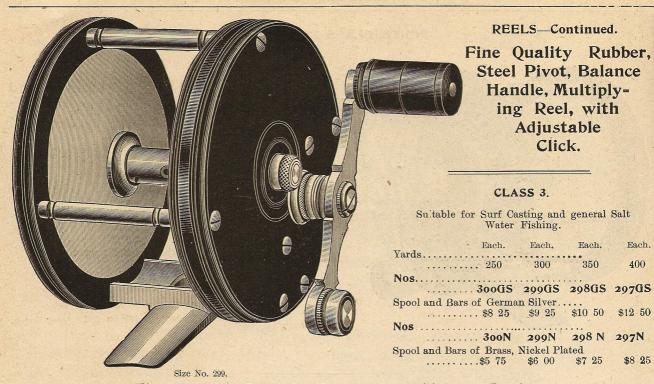
Below we give in connection with the regular trade sizes of yards (which the Reels are not expected to hold), the diameter of the Reels, to facilitate in ordering size required.

Trade sizes in yards	500	400	350	300	250	200
Diameter (about)	43/8	41/4	3 5/8	33/8	31/8	3 inches.



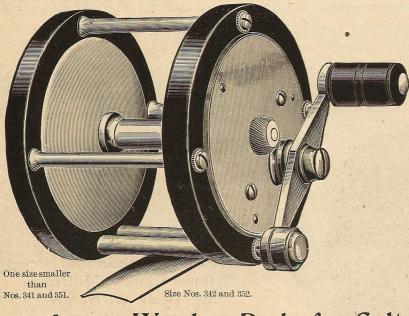
Raised Pillar, Rubber and Nickel Balance Handle, Multiplying Reels with Adjustable Click.

	\$1 75	\$2 00	\$2 25	each.
Nos	231	230	229	
Yards	200	250	300	



Fine Quality Rubber, Steel Pivot, Tarpon Reels.

Similar in general style to Nos. 297 to 300, shown above, but are extra heavy and strong in all parts, and are Reels we can recommend highly. 600 295GS \$17 00 296GS \$16 00 600 500 296N 295N Spools and Bars of Brass, Nickel Plated..... \$12 00 \$11 00



Fine Quality, Striped Bass and Tarpon "Steel Pivot," Balance Handle, Multiplying Reel with Adjustable Click.

	Each.	Each.	Each.
Yards	200	300	350
Rubber & Nickel Nos	341	339	338
	\$7 10	\$9 90	\$19 75
Rubber & Ger- man Sil., Nos.	351	349	348
	\$15 35	\$19 75	\$31 00

Large Wooden Reels for Salt Water Fishing.

The Spools of these Reels are made of selected wood, and are about one inch wide. They are made of large diameter so that they will reel in line as rapidly as a Multiplying Reel. The Spool revolves on a steel spindle which is attached to brass plate by which the Reel is fitted to Rod. The Reels are very free running.

Per Dozen.

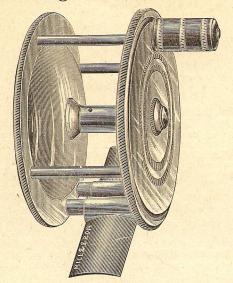
\$3 00 No. 1. 3 75 Spool of Selected Maple, Stained Dark, Handles on Metal Cross-bar, size, 6 inches in diameter. 6 00 66 3. Spool of Extra Quality Mahogany, Fancy, Extra Strong Cross-bar for Handle, Reel Extra Strongly Bushed, size, 6 inches, \$1.50; 7 inches, \$2.00; 8 inches, \$2.12 each.

Spool of Extra Quality Mahogany Finish, Fancy, Extra Strong Cross-bar for Handles, 6 inches, \$11.00 per

dozen; 7 inches, \$15.50 per dozen.

REELS.—CLASS 4.

Aluminum Click Reel with Revolving Extra Fine Rubber and Aluminum Plate Handle, Fancy Milled Edges and Sides.

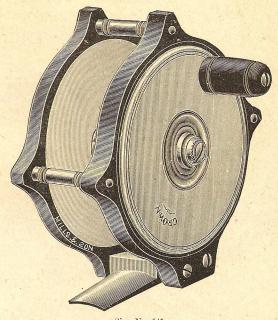


Size No. 62	$3\frac{1}{2}$.	
Yards	40	80
Nos	625	6231/2
	\$3 00	\$3 50 each.

Extra Fine All Aluminum, Raised Pillar, Click Reel, with Perforated Spool.

Yards	200
No	581
	\$8 00 each.
Same style, but made in Rubber and German	Silver.
Yards	200
No	591
	\$7 00 each

Click Reel.



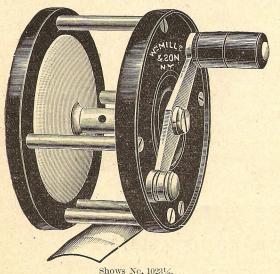
Size No. 541.

Sides of Reel are made of very fine grade of rubber. The Revolving Plate, Bearing Handle, and also the Spool are made of Aluminum. The Reels are of large diameter and made narrow.

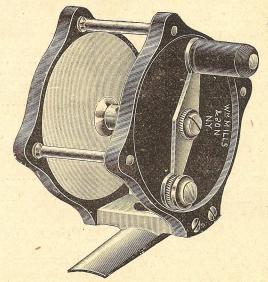
Yards	100	200	
Nos	543	541	
	\$6 00	\$7 00 eac	h.

REELS.—CLASS 5.

Fine Quality Rubber and Nickel Click Reel with Adjustable Click.



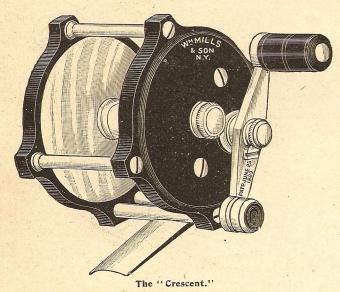
Shows No. 10231/s. Yards 60 80 100 1023 1023 \$1.75 \$2.00 \$2.25 each The "Beaverkill" Reel, Rubber and German Silver Balance Handle and Adjustable Click.



The "Beaverkill." Actual Capacity..... 40 yards. \$5.00 each

Our New Raised Pillar, Rubber and German Silver, Steel Pivot, Multiplying Reel.

"THE CRESCENT."



CLASS 5.

We wish to call particular attention to our New "Crescent" Reel. In its general construction it embodies a number of new and distinct improvements, as well as several patented devices. The ends are made of solid hard rubber, of such a thickness and solidity as to preclude the probability of breakage, and while being much lighter in weight, is as durable as a Metal Reel.

The **New Patent Handle Lock**, a small and simple device, thoroughly guards against the loosening of the Screw which holds the Handle.

We shall spare no pains to make this Reel the Best and most Practical in the market. We recommend No. 2 as the best size made for Minnow Casting, and general purposes.

These Reels made with Aluminum Spools.

"CRESCENT, JR." We also make a Reel similar in style and general appearance to the "Crescent." Rubber and Nickel, instead of German Silver, and not Steel Pivot.

Actual Capacity. 75 to 100 yards. No. \$5 00 each.

H. L. LEONARD'S PATENT CLICK REEL.

HANDSOMER, STRONGER, LIGHTER, AND WILL HOLD MORE LINE THAN ANY OTHER REEL OF SAME DIAMETER.

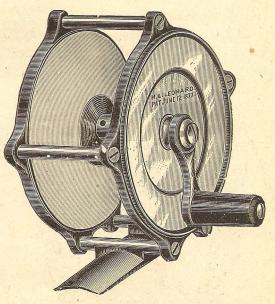
ALL METAL (two colors), and RUBBER AND GERMAN SILVER.

Every reel warranted perfect in workmanship and quality, and all clicks are guaranteed against breakage.

24 inches diameter, weight about 3½ ounces, capacity 35 to 40 yards	\$8 00
2½ inches diameter, weight about 4½ ounces, capacity 50 yards, 3 inches diameter, with Black Rubber Panels, very narrow	8 50
Spool, which winds the line very fast, Balance Handle, weight 64 ounces, capacity 60 to 75 yards	11 00

FOR SALMON AND GRILSE.

Grilse, with Balance Handle	\$12 00
Salmon, with Balance Handle, Rubber Panels, and our new Graduated Adjustable Drag	



OUR NEW PATENT GRADUATING ADJUSTABLE DRAG.

AS APPLIED TO THE "LEONARD" SALMON REELS.

In this drag the pressure is evenly distributed on either side of the spool and is extremely simple in its action. By its graduated scale of adjustment one is enabled to keep a uniform pressure on the fish, as the tension can be instantly changed, according to the quantity of line on the spool, even while the reel is in action.

THE "MARTIN" STANDARD AUTOMATIC FISH REEL.

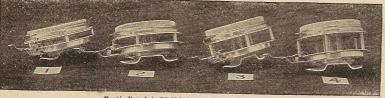
These Reels are made of Aluminum with Brass Bearings, German Silver Trimmed.

No. 1—Creek Whipper, Line Spool is 234 inches in diameter with 78 hub and 5-16 wide, will hold 25		
yards of medium line. Price	\$7 00)
No. 2—Fly Casting, has the same diameter of line spool and hub, but is 5% wide, having a capacity for 25		
yards of casting line. Price	7 00)
No. 3—Bass Reel. Line spool is 234 in diameter, hub		
"Bass," this is the "real" thing. Price	8 00)
No. 4—Salmon Reel. Has line spool 2¾ inches in diameter, hub 1/8 inch, and the width is 13-16, giving areas for 100 m.		

ing space for 50 yards of large line. Automatic for 100 feet. Price.....

Has all the latest improvements. The ENDLESS SPRING making it both desirable and durable. Has capability of main spring being readily and easily adjusted to greater or less tension at any time during the operation of landing a fish.





Martin Pat. July 26, '92; Dec. 17, '95; Nov. 30, '97.

WE ARE SPECIAL AGENTS FOR THE "MARTIN" REELS.

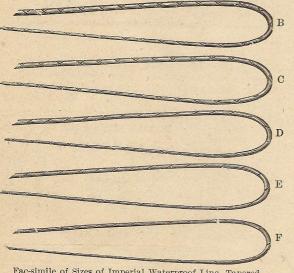
Wm. Mills & Son's "Standard" Braided Lines.

In our "Standard" lines it has been our chief aim to produce the highest grade of lines that it is possible to manufacture, and we offer them to anglers with confidence, knowing that there are no other lines made that are equal to them in quality and finish. These lines, when exhibited in the LONDON FISHERIES EXHIBITION, 1883, WERE AWARDED A

SPECIAL PRIZE OF TEN SOVEREIGNS.

Under examination they proved to be 25% to 30% stronger than most of the better known makes, while the finish was smoother than any others offered in competition. Special mention was made of our "Imperial Waterproof." See that all of these goods bear "Our Name and Trade Mark" as per label shown.

William Mills & Son's "Standard Imperial" Waterproof Silk Line.





Double Tapered, size D, in 30, 40 yard lengths.....9c. per yd.

Double Tapered, size E, in 30, 40, 50 yard lengths..8c.

Double Tapered, size F, in 30, 40, 50 yard lengths..7c.

71/2 61/2 51/2 5 43/c. Level, in 25-yard coil, 4 connected. D E F G H

Fac-simile of Sizes of Imperial Waterproof Line, Tapered.

Our Waterproof Line still takes the lead; our special water tint is the popular color; and although numerous have been the imitations of our line since we received the London prize, it stands to-day unapproached for its excellence and durability. Our line runs the heaviest for its size of any in the market, which makes it a superior casting line to any. All the long distances at the tournaments in New York and elsewhere have been made with our Imperial Line.

William Mills & Son's "Imperial" Waterproof Braided Silk Salmon Fly Line.

Each.	Each.
Size B, 100 yards, tapered at both ends. \$10 00	50 vards tenered at one and
Size B. 120 yards tapered at both ends	60 yards, tapered at one end 600
Size C 100 sends to 111	oo yarus, tapered at one end 6 00
Size C, 100 yards, tapered at both ends	50 vards tanered at one and
Size C, 120 yards, tapered at both ends	60 yards, tapered at one end
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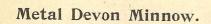
BEST QUALITY SILK GIMP.



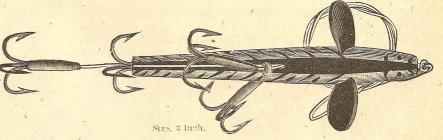
Gimp, in quantity, all Sizes....

\$9.60 per lb.

ARTIFICIAL MINNOWS.



ize..... $2\frac{1}{4}$ $2\frac{1}{2}$ $2\frac{3}{4}$ 3 in. \$4 80 \$4 80 \$6 00 doz.



William Mills & Son's "Intrinsic" Metal Devon Minnow in Silver and Gold.

Realizing the demand for a first-class article, we are putting the "Intrinsic Devon" on the market. It is made of the very best material throughout, and only the highest grade of Hollow Pointed Spring Steel Hooks used in its manufacture.

Size....

Exact Size of No. 4.

 $\frac{2\frac{1}{4}}{7}$

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3 inches. 8 40 dozen.

inch.

The New "Quill" Devon Minnow.

Very light and desirable for use with a fly rod.

\$7 20

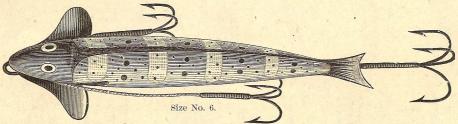
\$8 40 \$9 60 \$10 80 dozen.

Sand Eels.

 $3\frac{1}{2}$ $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches. \$1.56 \$1.80 dozen.

Celebrated Phantom Minnow.

This Minnow we offer as being superior to the Phantom Minnows at present on the market, and second only to our "Intrinsic Phantom," to which we invite particular attention.



Made of Silk, coated with Rubber, very light, very fine for Black Bass and Pickerel.

ARTIFICIAL MINNOWS.—Continued.

William Mills & Son's "Intrinsic Phantom" Minnow.

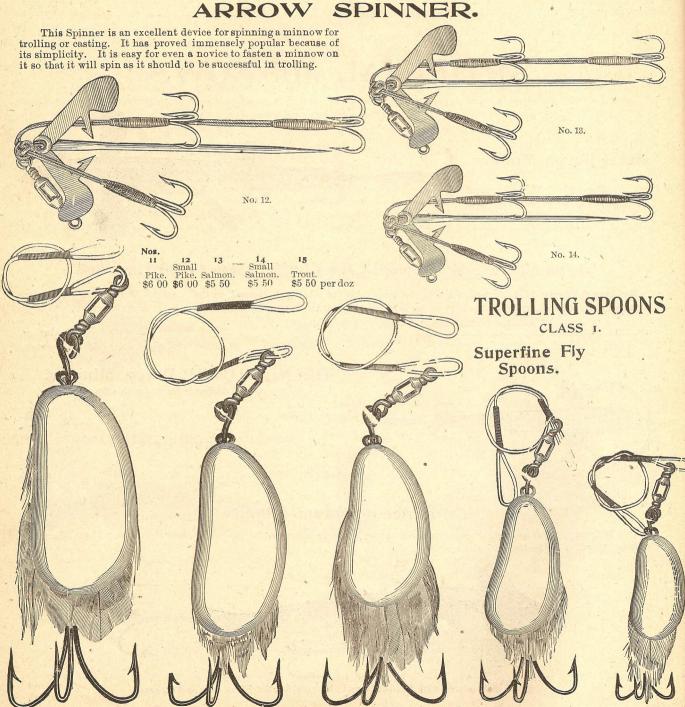
Only the very best of materials used throughout in the construction of these Minnows, and the highest quality of Hollow

Pointed Spring Steel Treble Hooks only are used. We believe that there are Anglers desiring the best Minnows they can get, and as such a Minnow we offer this grade. One of these Minnows will outlast several of the common grade.

Each Minnow has Improved Swivel in Head. Length of Minnow..... \$9 60 \$10 80 \$12 60 \$14 40 dozen. \$7 20 \$7 20 \$7 20 \$7 20

Celebrated "Quill" Phantom Minnow.
Similar in general appearance to the "Phantom," made of quill, very light and desirable for casting with a Fly Rod.

Length of Minnew..... \$8 40 per dozen.



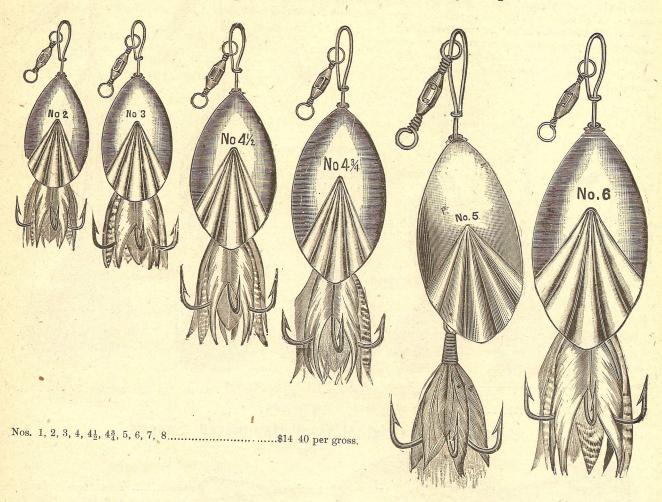
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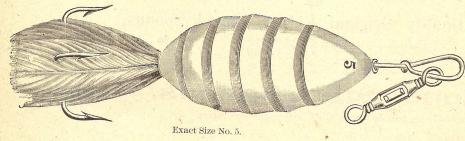
PIKE SPOONS, Polished Tin, Feathered, but no Swivel, sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5.

PICKEREL SPOONS, Polished Tin, Loose Treble Hooks, Feathered, Swivel, sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5. \$ 7 50 per Gross. 10 00 SUPERFINE FLY SPOONS, Nickel Plated, Loose Treble Hooks, Feathered, Swivel, sizes 1, 2, 3, 4, 5....... 12 00

TROLLING SPOONS.—Class 1.—Continued.

New Nickel Plated Fluted Fly Spoons.





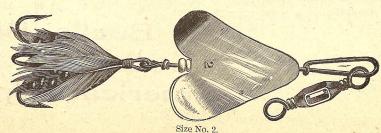
New Cross Corrugated Fly Spoon.

Finely Nickeled, Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, \$14 40 per gross.

Size same as New Fluted Fly Spoon.

Nickel Plated Black Bass Spinners.

Nos. 1 to 5......\$21 60 per gross.



Gold Plated

TROLLING SPOONS.__class 2.

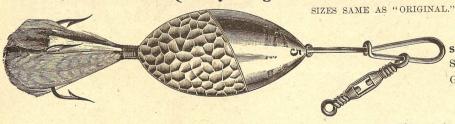


5 40 Best Quality Original Oval Hammered Spoons.

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Sizes..... 1 to 6 Silver Finish \$3 60 \$6 60 dozen 9 00 Gold Finish. 600 900

Best Quality Original Kidney Fluted Spoons.

Nos.	11	12	13	14	15
Nickel Plated.	\$4 80	\$4 80	\$3 60	\$3 60	\$3 60 per dozen.
Gold Plated		7 20	5 40		

Star Spoons.

Lower part of Spoon Gold, and upper part Silver.

Sizes	3/0	2/0	1/0	, I	2	3	4	5	0
Single	\$10 80	. \$8 40	\$8 40	\$6 00	\$6 00	\$5 40	\$5 40	\$4.80	\$4 80 per dozen.
Double		14 40	14 4	11 40	11 40	10 20	10 20	9 00	9 00 "
Double									

Buel's Bait.

2 /0 1/0 \$6 60 \$6 60 \$6 60 \$4 80 \$4 80 \$4 80 \$3 60 per dozen. Fly Spoons and Spinners \$7 80 \$7 80

American Spinners.

FANCY CARDED TROLLING SPOONS.

We have a nice line of the most salable patterns of these goods, but on account of limited space cannot insert cuts, but give descriptions only.

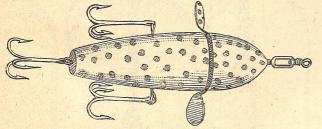
	Midget Trout Casting Spoons.	
Nos.	Per	Dozen.
10.	Oval Nickel Fluted Spoon, size 1, with Snelled Hook, one on a card	\$1 00
20.		1 00
70.	Kidney Tin, Plain Spoon, small blade, with Fly, one on a card.	70
80.	Pointed Brass, " " " and Swivel, one on a card.	1 80
30.	" " very" " two " "	1 80
10.	Kidney Nickel Hammered Spoon, medium blade, with Fly and Swivel, one on a card	1 00
	Paragon Combination Spoons.	
	Per	Dozen.
20.	Has Pointed Nickel Blade and Feathered Treble Hook. Also two extra blades, one each copper and brass. One set	
	on a card. Sets	\$1 80
30.	Same as No. 20, only has oval fluted and hammered blades. Sets	1 80
	Paragon Assortment No. 40.	
		Dozen.
1	We put up an assortment of Spoons, all different shapes and finishes. They come one half dozen in a box, sewed on	
perfo	prated cards, making an attractive showing and being easy to sell from. They are very popular and very fast sellers.	
(Pric	e is per dezen Spoons)	\$2 00
	STANLEY SMELT PATICIE 24.95. NOV.3.95	
	State of Maine Spinner. The Stanley Smelt.	

The Stanley Aluminum Smelt.

An excellent Trolling Bait for Land-locked Salmon and other fish.

The State of Maine Spinner,

FOR SPINNING A MINNOW.



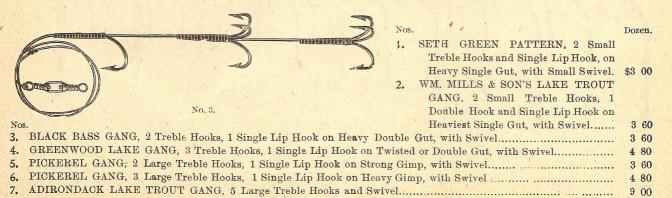
The "Yellow Kid" (3 size).

The "Yellow Kid."

A surface casting troll for Black Bass. It is a most killing lure.

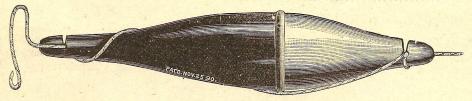
\$12 00 per dozen.

MINNOW GANGS.



FLOATS.

Stahl's "Eureka" Patent Rubber Float.



Exact Size of No. 1.

HANDSOME, BUOYANT AND DURABLE.

Immediately adjusted to any part of line. Cut illustrates two different methods of fastening the line.

Nos. 1. 4½ inch		strates two different methods		
		Cork Floats.		2 40 "
				QUILL
Unbound Cork Float, Egg Shape, Size 1¾ inch.	Unbound Cork Float, Barrel Shape, Size 2¼ inch.	Bound Cork Float Egg Shape, Size 13/4 inch.	Bound Cork Float, Barrel Sl Size 21/4 inch.	nape,
Sizes	30 00 25 20 21 50 16 00 1 17 60 1	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	1 inches. \$3 50 gross. 4 80 " 1½ inches gross 5 10 "
Best Bound Quill Floats Fancy Bound Quill Floats			• • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • •	\$5 04 gross. 9 60 "

FERRULES.—Continued. Improved Swelled End Ferrules.



Diameter $\frac{9}{32}$	$\frac{1}{3} \frac{0}{2}$	$\frac{12}{32}$	13 32 4	$\frac{14}{32}$	$\frac{15}{32}$	$\frac{16}{32}$	18 32 8	$\frac{20}{32}$	$\frac{\frac{21}{32}}{10}$	$\frac{\frac{2}{3}\frac{2}{2}}{11}$	$\begin{array}{c} \frac{28}{32} \\ 12 \end{array}$	$\frac{\frac{25}{32}}{13}$	$\frac{\frac{27}{32}}{14}$	$\frac{28}{32}$ inch. 15
Nos	\$0.88	\$0 88 1 24	\$0 95 1 31		\$1 08 1 44	\$1 16 1 52	1 58	1 66	1 76	1 86	1 98	2 11	2 36	\$2 16 doz. 2 52 "
German Silver 3 25	3 60	3 60 Impro	4 20 ved Fe	4 20 rrules,	4 20 rimmed	4 80 on end	4 80 1, \$1 35	5 40 per do:	5 40 zen add	6 00 itional.	6 00	7 20	8 40	8 40 "

Brass Dowell Ferrules.



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Dowell Ferrules to Match Ferrules	Nos. 00 to 8	9 to 15.	
Brass	\$0 36	\$0 48 per dozen.	
Nickel Plated	48	60 "	
Corman Silver	1 20		

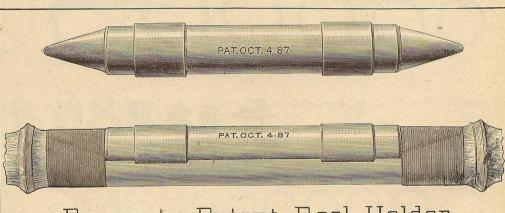
Solid Metal Reel Seats.

FLY FOR BELOW THE HAND.

Sizes	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{7}{8}$	$\frac{15}{16}$ inch.
Nos	21	22	$22\frac{1}{2}$
Nickeled	\$2 64	\$2 85	\$3 50 per dozen.
German Silver		9 60	10 20 "
Fly Tapers		; German	Silver, 1 44 "-

BAIT FOR ABOVE THE HAND.

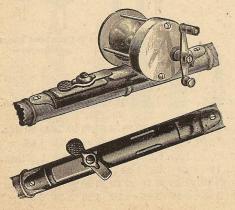
Sizes	3 4	7 8	15 16	1	1 inc	eh.
Nos						
Nickeled						per dozen.
German Silver	9 00	9 60	10 20	10 20	12 00	"
Bait Tapers to FIT either size						



Brower's Patent Reel Holder,

No cutting or fitting required. Can be applied to any rod. Just the thing for Calcutta and Japanese poles.

No. 1. For ordinary size reels, \$4 00 per dozen. No. 2. For larger reels, \$4 00 per dozen.



BAIT.

FLY.

ROLL'S PATENT REEL HOLDER.

(Patented January 28th, 1896.)

The most perfect device for fastening a reel to a rod ever invented; locking it in such a manner as to relieve all fear of the reel working loose and dropping into the water

By simply pressing the thumb clamp to the left and placing the reel in position and allowing the clamp to spring back into place, you have your reel fastened firmly to your rod.

No wedging of loose reel bands or tying your reel to the grip of your rod for fear of losing it.

Per dozen \$2 50.

SQUIDS.—Continued.

Round Wood and Bone Squids.

Sizes	3	$3\frac{1}{2}$	4	5	6 inches.
Mahogany, with Lead End			\$3 60	\$4 80	\$6 00 per dozen.
Bone, with Lead End	\$3 00	\$3 60	4 20	5 40	6 60 - "
Wood Covered with Metal			3.60	4 80	6 00 "

New Pattern Large Round Cedar Squid.

All Cedar, 5½ to 7 inches	\$4 80 per dozen.
Cedar with Lead End. 51 to 7 inches	6 00 "

Weakfish Squids.

Block Tin, with Swivel.



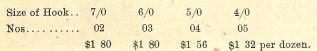
Length of Tin... $1\frac{5}{8}$ $1\frac{1}{2}$ $1\frac{3}{8}$ $1\frac{3}{8}$ $1\frac{3}{8}$ $1\frac{3}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{4}$ $1\frac{1}{8}$ in. Nos...... 30 20 10 11 12 13 14 15 16 Size of Hook (see N. Y. Bass) Nos. 10^{10} 1

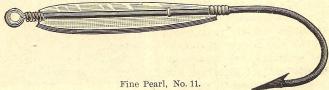
Block Tin Weakfish Squids.



Fine Pearl Weakfish Squids.

Pearl Squids on Spring Steel Carlisle Hooks.



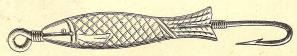


Pearl Squids on Extra Strong Carlisle Hooks.

Size of Hook	8/0	7/0 6/0	5/0	4/0 3/0	2/0
Nos.		* 40			17
	\$2 76	\$2 40 \$2 40	\$1 80	\$1 80 \$1 56	\$1 56 per dozen.

Extra Fine Pearl Squids on Special Long Shank Sproat Hooks.

Size of Hook.	8/0	7/0	6/0	5/0	4/0	- 17
Nos	211	212	213	214	215	
\$	3.60	\$3 36	\$3 00	\$2 40	\$2 40 per	dozen.



Pearl Squid, Fish Shape, No. 314.

Extra Fine Carved Pearl, Fish Shape, on Special Long Shank Sproat Hooks.

Size of Hook.	8/0	7/0	6/0	5/0	4/0
Nos		312	313	314	315
	\$4 80	\$3 96	\$3 60	\$3 00	\$3 00 per dozen,



The two latter styles are of extra heavy tin and in arrangements are perfectly anapted water anglers.



205.

122.

Nos.

Sole Leather.

REEL CASES.

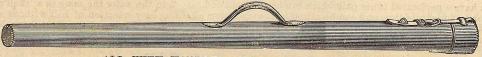
ALL CASES FOR MULTIPLYING AND SALMON REELS HAVE HANDLES AND PLATES FOR NAME, ARE LINED WITH CHAMOIS OR VELVET.

		Lac	11.	
1	To Hold Click Reels, 20 to 50 yards	\$1	50	
	To Hold Multiplying Reels, 25 to 100 yards	1	75	
	To Hold Multiplying Reels, 150 to 200 yards			
	To Hold Multiplying Reels, 250 to 300 yards			
	To Hold Salmon Reels	to 3	00	

1 50

Each.

SOLE LEATHER ROD CASES.



ALL WITH HANDLES AND PLATE FOR NAME.

Heavy Leather, 50 inches long, Nos..... Inside Diameter..... 3 21/2 5 inches. \$4 25 \$4 50 \$5 00 \$5 25 \$5 75 \$6 75 \$7 50 each.

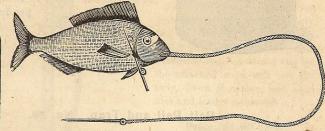
We also make a special line of Rod Cases, both for Salmon Rods and ordinary lengths, of a very fine and extra heavy leather. Prices on application. Good Padlocks for above Cases from 25c. to \$1 each.

Hollow and Grooved Wood Cases and Canvas Cases on hand and made to order, any size.



Lollacapop....\$3 00 per dozen.

The "Bonanza" Fish Stringer.

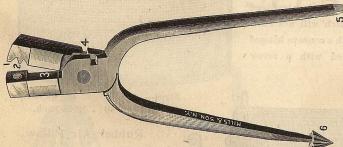


Price, \$1 20 per dozen.

A simple device for stringing and carrying the fish. The needle may be slipped through two openings which form a part of the bar (see cut), and the loop thus formed offers a convenient handle by which to carry the fish,

Angler's Combination Pliers.

SIX TOOLS IN ONE.



Cut two-thirds actual size.

No. 1 shows ordinary pliers; 2, shot splitter; 3, wire cutter; 4, heavy wire cutter; 5, screw driver; 6, countersink. \$1 50 each.

Drinking Cups.



Telescopic Tumbler.



White Rubber

Hard Rubber Telescopic Cups	\$9	00	doz.
Best Metal Telescopic Cups	2	40	"
Best Metal in Screw Top Box	3	60	"
White Rubber, Folding, for Pocket, Tumbler			
or Canoe	2	00	166



STEEL LEADERS FOR TROLLING. Per dozen.

Light \$3 00

Medium..... 3 60 Heavy 4 20



Full Size.

Extra Fine Oil......\$1 80 per doz.

BAIT PAILS.

These pails have a perforated inner pail which can be removed and placed in the water the same as a "fish car," thus keeping the bart alive for an indefinite time, and can be raised or lowered, thus affording easy selection of bait without wetting the hand. The bait is kept alive during the transportation (the critical time) by the continuous flowing of the water through the perforations, thus causing a never-failing supply of fresh water.



The "Gem."

Made of tin and neatly japanned.

Sizes—

1 2 6 8 10 12 qts.
\$2 50 3 50 6 85 7 75 9 10 10 25

per doz.



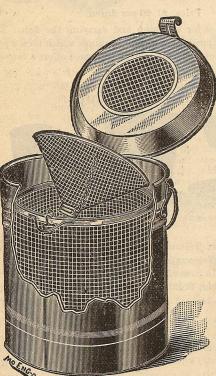
The Acme Floating

Is made of heavy tin handsomely and substantially finished. The inside pail has air-tight compartment around its edges, and is made of wire netting.

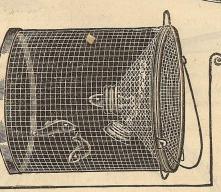
Sizes— 8 10 12 quarts. \$15 00 18 00 21 00 doz.

Combination Floating or Sinking Minnow Oval Buckets. No. 51.

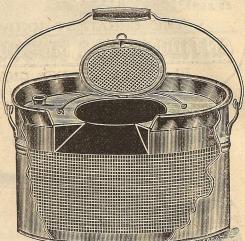
Bait Pail and Trap. No. 50.



This Bucket is the most convenient and complete Minnow Bucket in the market. It serves as Minnow Trap, Live Box and Bucket all in one. Is made with a Sunk Ice Top. The Skeleton, or Trap, is made of galvanized wire cloth, which will not rust, and opens with a concave hinged cover provided with a screw stopper.

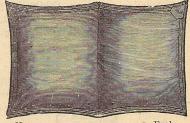


Size, 12 quarts complete	\$2	25 each.
		50 each.

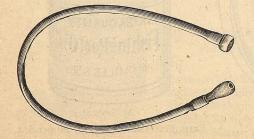


Sizes— 10 12 quarts. \$2 00 2 25 each.

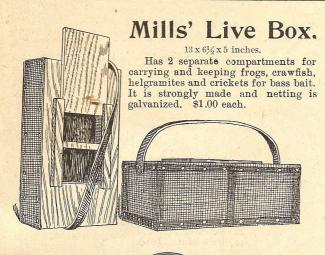
Rubber Air Pillow.

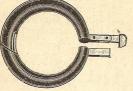


Nos.		Ea	ch.
1.	9 x 13 inch	. \$1	75
2.	10 x 16 inch	. 2	00
3.	12 x 18 inch	. 2	75
4.	14 x 23 inch	. 3	25



POCKET FILTER.





Miniature cut.

Clearing Rings.

Brass Jointed (see cut; 24 inches in diameter), 60c. each.



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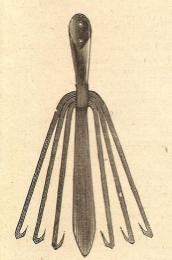
Did you ever get your Flies caught up a tree? Well—

Use a "Releaser."

Insert the tip of your rod under the rubber band (see cut), and with your rod raise the RELEASER to the twig and withdraw rod. A slight tug on the attached cord will cut the twig, down it comes, and your flies and leader are saved.

Price, \$1.00 each. In Leather Case.

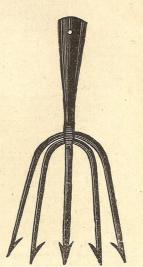
SPEARS.



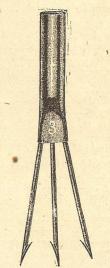
Eel Spear (Mud).



Brook Eel Spear.



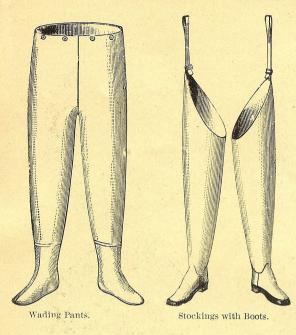
Fish Spear.



Frog Spear 3 prong (½ size).

Fish Spears	No. 1, 3 prong.	No. 2, 5 prong.	No. 3, 5 prong.	No. 4, 5 prong, heavy,	aring the same
Best Quality	\$4 50	\$6 00	\$7 50	per	dozen.
2nd Quality	2 75	4 20	5 75	\$7 00	6
		6 p:	rong. 8	prong. 10 prong	g.
Eel Spears (Mud)		\$1	. 25 \$	1 40 \$1 85	each.
			No. 1.	No. 2.	
Eel Spears (Sand)			. \$1 75	\$2 00 each.	
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Frog Spears		\$1 8	80 \$2 00	\$2 40 per	dozen.
New Brook Eel Spear	(A, 5 prongs (length of prong	33/8 inches).	\dots \$2 25^{\dagger} ·	6 1
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WADING STOCKINGS AND PANTS.



\$4 50per pair. Make 6 00 Wading Stockings, Double Texture, Wading Stockings, Double Texture,
Medium Weight.

Medium Weight,

Medium Weight,

Medium Weight, or 7.50 \$10 00 73. 10 00 The above medium weight goods we recommend as very desirable, having worn this kind for several seasons. Wading Stockings with Boots, with Rubber and 80.

properly. Special sizes made to order at a slight advance in price.

The Pocket Sunshade Hat.

PATENTED 1892.





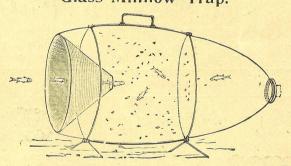
With Stocking Feet. Rubber Boot Feet.

The Pocket Sunshade Hat.—This is something quite new and novel. It has a very wide brim and shades the face and neck perfectly; weighs but \(\frac{1}{2} \) to \(\frac{3}{2} \) ounce, and as it has a flexible adjusting band it can be worn either over or in place of the ordinary hat. It is perfectly rigid when in use, but can in an instant be folded to carry in small bag 6 inches in diameter and \(\frac{1}{2} \) inch thick; price, \(\frac{1}{2} \) 50 per dozen. Same with mosquito netting to use as protection against black flies and mosquitos, \(\frac{1}{2} \) 800 per dozen.



Readily attached to tree, partition, etc., having gimlet axle.
Weight about 3½ ounces.
Easily carried.
Price, 50c. each.

Glass Minnow Trap.



Each Trap securely packed in convenient box\$3.00

Julius vom Hofe's Reels.

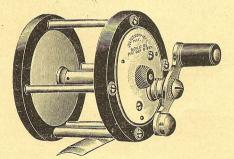
Below we give some of his most popular styles and would say that we can furnish any pattern made by him. Prices on application.

Vom Hofe Patent Rubber and Nickel-plated Steel Pivot Reels.

Back Sliding Click Steel Spring and Ratchet with Patent Adjusting Pivot Cap.

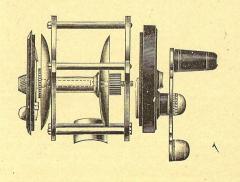
The "President" Patent Rubber and Nickelplated Multiplying Steel Pivot Reels.

Has Back Sliding Click Steel Spring and Ratchet.



Yards	. 150	100	80	60
Nos	. 342	343	3431	344
	\$7 10	\$6 35	\$5 50	\$4 90 each.
	Same as ab	ove, but Que	adruple Mul	tiplying.
	Same as ab	ove, but Qua		

Баше	as above,	but Quadruple	stumplying.	
Yards	. 100	80	60	
Nos	0343	03431	0344	
	\$3 50	\$ 7 65	\$6 90 each.	

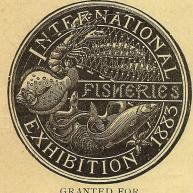


Yards 200	100	60
Nos 10	13	14
\$10 57	\$8 40	\$6 50 each.

LONDON, ENGLAND, 1883.

Exhibit of only Ten Leonard Rods

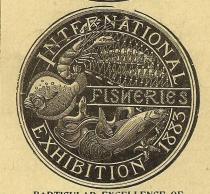




GENERAL EXHIBIT.

SPECIAL MEDAL

WN153 34



Leonard's Catskill (Light) Fly Rods SPLIT

SPECIAL MEDAL

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SPLIT BAMBOO RODS.

Other American Exhibitors received Awards of Silver and Bronze, but LEONARD'S RODS were the only ones receiving GOLD MEDALS.

SPECIAL FIVE SOVEREIGN PRIZE FOR



BEST EXHIBIT OF SPLIT BAMBOO RODS



SPECIAL TEN SOVEREIGN PRIZE AWARDED TO OUR "STANDARD" BRAIDED LINES.





BERLIN, 1880.

Awarded to the Leonard Rods

THE ONLY GOLD MEDAL

TO AN AMERICAN EXHIBITOR.



PARIS, FRANCE, 1889.

While we had no exhibit ourselves at this exposition, we loaned to a Florida Railway and Land Company, at their request, a Leonard Tarpon Rod, a W. M. & S. Imperial Tarpon Reel and a W. M. & S. Tarpon Line, which, by their sujerior excellence attracted such universal attention and were so highly praised, that we were awarded a SILVER MEDAL.

Diploma and Large Bronze Medal Centennial Exposition, Philadelphia, 1876.