

Propagating Fish.
 AN INTERESTING INVENTION—AT THE WOOD'S HOUSE STATION.
 (Boston Traveller.)
 The artificial propagation of fish is a matter that has received considerable attention of late years on the part of those interested in the subject, and various methods have been brought into practice with the aim of making the industry a success. The United States fish commission, at the head of which is Prof. Spencer Baird, has been an important factor in helping to solve this problem, but even it has heretofore failed to accomplish the results it desired. At their experiment station at Wood's Hole, all previous attempts to hatch out cod have resulted in the successful propagation of but 35 or 40 per cent of the spawn.

Recently, however, Capt. H. C. Chester, the indefatigable and experienced co-laborer with Prof. Baird, has hit upon an invention which already has practically demonstrated its power to hatch out 95 per cent of cod-fish spawn, which, by the way, is the most difficult of all fish to propagate in this manner. The success of this new method is attested to by E. A. Nye of this city, who has recently in Wood's Hole and was induced to investigate the matter by his interest in the subject. The invention of Captain Chester is simple, but it is very effective. In brief, the cod-fish spawn is placed in a series of large glass jars arranged in a sort of trough into which the salt water is kept continually pouring by means of a siphon.

This water never covers the tops of the jars and is always kept at the usual temperature of the water in which the fish from which the spawn are taken usually live. The spawners are kept in these jars, which are transparent and their treatment results as stated above. So far the experiments with the new method have been eminently successful, and those who are aware of its merits have no doubts that mackerel, sea bass, alewives, lobsters, etc., can be successfully propagated by means of this invention. Further experiments have yet to demonstrate whether the cod thus successfully hatched by the new process will thrive in the ocean in like proportion. It is believed that the cod thus hatched have been shipped to southern waters. Prof. Baird and his force have been doing a great deal of hard and faithful work in this connection at their headquarters at Wood's Hole.

St. John Business College.
 Day and evening classes will open (after Xmas holidays) on
MONDAY, January 4.
 Circulars containing terms, course of study, etc., mailed to any address.
 Kern's book-keeping mailed for \$1.
Odd Fellow's Hall.
S. KERR, Prop.
A Bad Breakdown.
 It is a common thing now-a-days to hear one complain of the feeling all broken-down with a fatal, restless, languid, with strength and appetite nearly gone, and no well defined cause. This is generally debility, which Burdock Blood Bitters promptly relieves, and most invariably cures.

Searching for Profit.
 There is no trouble in searching for any drug that the true virtues of Hagar's Yellow Oil, for all painful and inflammatory troubles, rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sore throat, croup, and other painful effects of sudden cold, is proved truly valuable as a household remedy.

A Reasonable Item.
 During the breaking up of winter, when the air is chilly and the weather damp, one is liable to rheumatism, neuralgia, lumbago, sore throat, croup, and other painful effects of sudden cold, is proved truly valuable as a household remedy.

DIED.
 On the 1st inst., in the City of Portland, Bertha K., daughter of George H. and the late Josephine Leakey, aged 10 years and 7 months.
 On the 1st inst., in this city, after a short illness, Captain William Grant, in the 74th year of his age, a native of County Corwall, England, leaving a wife and five children to mourn their sad loss. His end was peace.
 On the 13th inst., at 23 Gable Street, Liverpool, England, Capt. John Ellis, of the firm of Ellis & Co., Park Lane, aged 79 years.
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JOHNSON'S ANODYNE LINIMENT
 FOR INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL USE.
PARSONS' PURGATIVE PILLS
 MAKE NEW, RICH BLOOD.
MAKE HENS LAY
CHICKEN CHOLERA.

FARM FOR SALE.
 AT AUCTION.
 I have been instructed to sell by Public Auction, at Chubb's Office, in this city, on Monday, Jan. 12th next, at 11 o'clock, a certain parcel of land, situated in the Parish of St. John, containing about 40 acres, all under cultivation, with good buildings thereon. There is a school house adjoining the property and good fishing in the vicinity.

REMOVAL.
 We have removed to our
NEW STORES
 In the Iron Block,
 Next Door to the Old Stand,
 CORNER OF
Peters' Wharf and Ward St.
C. H. PETERS,
 Jan. 19th, 1886.

Molasses and Sugar!
 142 Puns. Eastern Trinidad Molasses,
 290 Bbls. Granulated Sugar,
 120 " Bright Yellow Sugar,
 4 Hds. Scotch Refined Sugar.
W. F. HARRISON & CO.,
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LANDING.
 Ex schrs. Lyria and Olivia:
 Choice Dried Apples;
 Hand-Picked Beans;
 Pot Barley;
 Oatmeal—"Tilsenburg";
 White Rice and Vesta Oil.
TURNBULL & CO.,
 666 Ward Street.

INTER-OCEANIC RAILWAY.
 Tenders for Pictou Town Branch.
 SEALED TENDERS addressed to the undersigned and marked on the outside for Pictou Town Branch, will be received until Monday, 27th February, 1886.

FISHING SUPPLIES!
 NOW IN STOCK:
 Edinburgh Roperie Twines—Salmon, Trout, Mackerel, Herring, Hounell's Twines, all sizes, Gaspareaux and Gilling Threads, Cotton Lobster and Weir Twine, Manila Lobster Marline, Sisal, Manila and Hemp Rope, Nets, Hooks, Mackerel Jigs, Knives, Catskin, Copper Paint, Anchors, Boat Nails, Oil Clothing.
W. H. THORNE & CO.,
 403 Market Street.

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 WILL BE FOUND
 AT THE
NEW YORK

GRAPHE STONE JEWELRY.
 A new supply of this excellent and appropriate
Deep Mourning Jewelry.
 W. TREMINE GARD,
 Under the Valley House, 37 King Street
 Call and see it. Jan 15

BIRTHS.
 On the 24th ult., at St. George, N. B., the wife of James McKay, Collector of Customs, of a son.
 On the 24th ult., in this city, the wife of Nathan Riley, of a daughter.
 On the 14th ult., the wife of Wilbur Black, of a son.
 On the 22nd ult., at Amherst Shore, N. B., the wife of George Haslam, of a son.
 On the 17th ult., at Amherst Shore, N. B., the wife of W. C. Rudman Allen, of a son.

MARRIED.
 On the 19th ult., at Cabotville, N. B., by Rev. G. W. Remondine, Henry Cook of Carleton, N. B., to Eveline, youngest daughter of the late Capt. William Beckett of Cabotville.
 On the 3rd inst., at Millville, by Rev. G. A. Edin, Albert S. Osborn, of Carleton, St. John, to Elizabeth C. Glasgow, of Millville.
 On the 2nd inst., at the Elmwood street Methodist Parsonage, by the Rev. George W. Wilson, George W. Thompson, of Portland, to Lizzie M. Tals, of St. John.
 On the 4th inst., at St. Stephen's Church, by the Rev. Dr. Moore, John S. MacLaren, Inspector of Customs for New Brunswick, to Elizabeth Howard, of Amherst Shore, eldest daughter of Edward E. Bidder.
 On the 1st inst., at Orléans, Maine, in the Congregational Parsonage, by the Rev. Chas. G. McNeill, Benjamin F. Day, of Millville, N. B., to Elizabeth A. Ariot, of St. John, N. B.
 On the 6th inst., at St. Paul's church, Sackville, N. B., by the Rev. C. F. Wiggin, Allan M. B. Howard of Boston, to Maud, fourth daughter of Blair Bedford, of Warden Dorchester parsonage.
 On the 4th inst., at Amherst, N. B., by the Rev. W. Harris, Thos. Adam Augustine Chapman to Isabel, fourth daughter of E. Beaumont Boggs, of Amherst.
 On the 13th ult., at the residence of the bride's father, by the Rev. Thomas Lawson, Edwin A. Parbury, to Edith E., eldest daughter of W. D. Parbury, N. W. J., of Wolfey.

DEPARTURES.
 On the 10th inst., at 11 o'clock, the ship "Hesperus," for Liverpool, by Capt. J. H. Smith.
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