



✻ FISHING ✻

Our friends of the rod are beginning to overhaul the tackle books.

The eel catch in Doyle's Still-water this season has been poor, compared with last years.

A few fine trout were taken in Sand Lake, Amherst marsh, a short time ago by two of our young men.

We have heard of no gaspereaux catches yet, owing to the prevailing cold weather.

Supposed to have been settled for all time, but now disputed—That sawdust is injurious to fish; that snaring cleans out the grouse; that trout and bass cannot live together.—Forest and Stream.

New Fishing Device.

We have on our table a sample of what is called the "Live Fish Bait." It is a cigar shaped glass tube with a small hole at one end and large one at the other, being from 3 to 5 inches long.

There is a propellor shaped spoon, nickeled, at the top which revolves as it is drawn through the water, thus attracting the fish. A swivel fastened to the propellor completes the device, and we can readily believe that it would be a fine article to add to the fishing outfit.

A live minnow is in an annealed, flanged, flint glass tube, which magnifies. Water passes through which keeps the minnow alive for days. You can use any kind of bait that breathes, crawls, flies, or swims. If it breathes, cork and seal it in. You have all your time to fish for you bait the device in the morning for all day. Write to Calvin A. Graves, Natural Bridge, Jefferson Co., New York for circular.

We cannot publish any targets made on bulls-eye, on another page this month, for want of space.

The 1894 report of N. S. game and Inland Fishery Protection Service was received in this office on the day of our April issue, and will be published in next issue.

We would advise the parties who put a net across the Amherst creek last year to—beware this season.