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Trout Fly Rods

Recommended Rods, Reels and Lines

The Phantom Fly Rod

No. 1
Action
 Super-light, strong, accurate dry-fly action.
Pieces
 Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.
Handle
 Shaped solid cork.
Joints
 Nickel silver—reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stopper.
Rings
 Agatipe butt, stainless steel American-type end with stainless steel snake intermediates.
Tyings
 Nylon. Black, tipped with scarlet. No intermediate tyings.
Reel Fittings and Furnishings
 Housed butt cap and sliding ring.
Container
 Showerproof cloth partition bag.

The Marvel Fly Rod—as selected for the Design Centre, London

No. 2
Action
 One of the lightest practical all round cane built fly fishing rods in the world.
Pieces
 Three with two tops, 'Palakona' split bamboo.
Handle
 Shaped solid cork, 7½".
Joints
 Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stopper.
Rings
 Agatipe butt, stainless steel American-type end with stainless steel snake intermediates.
Tyings
 Nylon. Green tipped with orange. No intermediate tyings.
Reel Fittings and Furnishings
 Housed butt cap and sliding ring.
Container
 Showerproof cloth partition bag.

The JJH Triumph Fly Rod

No. 3
Action
 A superb rod for long and accurate dry-fly casting, this pattern combines great power with lightness and perfect balance. Also recommended for reservoir fishing when fishing from a boat.
Pieces
 Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo
Handle
 Shaped solid cork with mushroom thumb grip.
Joints
 Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stopper.
Rings
 Agatipe butt and end ring with stainless steel snake intermediates.
Tyings
 Nylon. Crimson tipped with red. No intermediate tyings.
Reel Fittings and Furnishings
 Housed butt cap and sliding ring.
Container
 Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
6' (180 cm)	8¾"	2 oz (60 gr)
6' 10" (210 cm)	9½"	2¾ oz (80 gr)
8' (245 cm)	10"	3½ oz (105 gr)
8½' (260 cm)	10"	4¼ oz (135 gr)
9' (275 cm)	10"	4¾ oz (140 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line	Recommended Reels	
#5	} #5 Marquis L.R.H. LWT.	
#5		
#5		
#6	} #6 Marquis 130 Viscount	
#6		

Length	Weight (approx.)
7½' (230 cm)	2¾ oz (80 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line	Recommended Reels
#4	{ #4 Marquis Featherweight

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
8' 9" (270 cm)	10¼"	5¼ oz. (160 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line	Recommended Reels	
#6	} #6 Marquis 130 Viscount	

The Perfection Fly Rod

No. 4

Action

A famous medium actioned rod and very popular for general, all-round fly fishing, wet or dry.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand.

Joints

Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stopper.

Rings

Agatipe butt and end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Ruby, tipped with black. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing, screw-in rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
8' (245 cm)	10"	4 $\frac{3}{4}$ oz (140 gr)
8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' (260 cm)	"	5 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz (160 gr)
9' (275 cm)	"	5 $\frac{3}{4}$ oz (170 gr)
9 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' (290 cm)	"	6 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz (190 gr)
A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels		
Line		
#5	} #5 Marquis L.R.H. Lwt.	
#5		
#5		
#6	} #6 Marquis 130 Viscount	

The Koh-I-Noor Fly Rod

No. 5

Action

Originally designed for tournament casting this design has been modified to provide a strong, light, stiff actioned dry fly rod. Suitable for big trout.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Shaped solid cork with mushroom thumb grip.

Joints

Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stopper.

Rings

'Sintox' butt and end ring with stainless steel snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Ruby. No Contrast tipplings or intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Housed butt cap and sliding ring.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
8' 9" (270 cm)	10"	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz (165 gr)
A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels		
Line		
#7	} #7 Marquis Princess 140 Viscount	

The WF Hardy Fly Rod—as selected for the Design Centre, London

No. 6

Action

A most practical, carefully balanced, three piece design. Medium action to fish either dry or wet fly with great precision and delicacy.

Pieces

Three with two tops. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand.

Joints

Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stoppers.

Rings

Agatipe butt, stainless steel American-type end. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' and 8' models fitted with stainless steel snake intermediates, 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' and 9' fitted with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated Bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Ruby, tipped with black. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing. 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' and 9' models supplied with screw-in rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
7 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' (230 cm)	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	4 $\frac{1}{4}$ oz (135 gr)
8' (245 cm)	9 $\frac{1}{2}$ "	4 $\frac{3}{4}$ oz (140 gr)
8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ' (260 cm)	10"	5 $\frac{1}{2}$ oz (165 gr)
9' (275 cm)	10"	6 oz (180 gr)
A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels		
Line		
#5	} #5 Marquis L.R.H. Lwt.	
#5		
#6		} #6 Marquis 130 Viscount
#6		

Recommended Rods, Reels and Lines

The Continental Special

No. 7

Action

Designed as the result of many requests from our customers on the continent for a rod to meet their particular requirements. The action is super light and gives great accuracy for wet and dry fly fishing for trout and grayling. Designed on the staggered ferrule principle of long top and shorter butt which gives the rods an entirely special action.

Pieces

Two, with one top. 'Palakona' Split Bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand.

Joints

Nickel silver lightly reinforced splint end suction. The rod is supplied with an extended split bamboo stopper which also protects the fine part of the top when the rod is not in use.

Rings

Agatipe butt, stainless steel American-type end with stainless steel snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. 6' 8" green tipped with ruby.
Nylon. 7' 7½" crimson tipped with black.
Nylon. 8' 4" black tipped with green.
No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip with cork covered housing and fixed button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
6' 8" (203 cm)	9½"	3 oz (90 gr)
7' 7½" (232 cm)	10"	4 oz (120 gr)
8' 4" (254 cm)	10"	4½ oz (140 gr)

A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels Line

#5	}	#5 Marquis
#5		
#6		

The 'Riccardi' Fly Rod

No. 8

Action

This rod has been specially developed for the Italian market after considerable requests. Built on the staggered Ferrule principle—it develops considerable power for its weight. A delicate dry fly rod for precision casting.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Shaped solid cork.

Joints

Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction. Supplied with extended cane built stopper.

Rings

Hard chrome butt with stainless steel American-type end ring and stainless steel snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Gold tipped with black. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Housed butt cap and sliding ring.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
7' (215 cm)	8¾"	2¾ oz (68 gr)

A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels Line

#6	}	#6 Marquis

The 'Riccardi' Fibalite Fly Rod

No. 9

Action

Compares very favourably with its built cane counterpart. Built on the staggered Ferrule principle—developing great strength for its weight. A beautiful dry fly rod for accurate casting.

Pieces

Two with one top 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Shaped solid cork.

Joints

Incorporating our internal fitting 'Spigot' fibreglass ferrule.

Rings

Hard chrome butt with stainless steel American-type end ring and stainless steel snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Yellow tipped with black. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Housed butt cap and sliding ring.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
7' (215 cm)	8¾"	3½ oz (105 gr)

A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels Line

#6	}	#6 Marquis

The Smuggler Fly Rod

No. 10

Action

This delightful little rod suitable for general fly fishing, wet or dry has been specially designed for anglers who require a medium strength fly rod and yet for convenience of travelling on foot, breaks down into sections of 26 in.

The truly amazing one-piece action is achieved in spite of the four sections through the elimination of metal joints—making it the most compact yet practical all-round fly fishing rod in the world.

Made in two strengths to suit #6 and #8 weight fly lines.

Pieces

Four with one top. 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Shaped solid cork.

Joints

Incorporating our internal fitting 'Spigot' fibreglass ferrules.

Rings

Hard chrome butt, stainless steel end with snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Orange tipped with Black.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Housed butt cap and sliding ring.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

The LRH Dry Fly Rod

No. 11

Action

A superb design of great power and responsive action, capable of casting great distances either across or against the wind and delivering the fly true to aim with facility and ease.

Pieces

Three with two tops. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand.

Joints

Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction, with polished aluminium stopper.

Rings

Agatipe butt and end ring with stainless steel snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Green tipped with ruby. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing with special reversible spear and button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
8' (245 cm)	10"	{ #6 rod-3 oz (85 gr) #8 rod-3½ oz (105 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line	Recommended Reels	
#6	{ #6 Marquis 130 Viscount	
#8	#8/9 Marquis	

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
8' 9" (270 cm)	10"	5½ oz (170 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line	Recommended Reels	
#6	{ #6 Marquis 130 Viscount	

Loch & Reservoir Rods



The Halford Knockabout Fly Rod

No. 12

Action

A most practical strong two piece design. Suitable for sea trout and big trout. Has proved very popular for long casting in lake and reservoir.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand with mushroom top.

Joints

Nickel silver, 'Spiral Lockfast' splint end.

Rings

Agatipe butt and end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Gold, tipped with black. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing, reversible spear and button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
9½' (290 cm)	12"	7½ oz (225 gr)
A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels Line		
#7	{ #8/9 Marquis St. Aidan	

The Richard Walker Reservoir Fly Rod

No. 13

Action

Supremely powerful yet amazingly light. Tested and approved by Richard Walker with great success at 'Grafham' reservoir. Accurate, effortless performance. Specially designed for distance casting on lakes and reservoirs.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Shaped solid cork with mushroom thumb grip.

Joints

Incorporating our internal fitting 'Spigot' hollow glass ferrule.

Rings

'Sintox' stripper butt and end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Green tipped with black.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing, screw-in rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
9'3" (280 cm)	12"	4 oz (120 gr)
A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels Line		
#8 S.T.	#6 Marquis	

The 'Esk' Fly Rod

No. 14

Action

A powerful two piece design, introduced to meet the demand for a lightweight rod of 10' in length, especially suitable for the catching of sea-trout, large trout and grilse, etc.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand.

Joints

Incorporating our internal fitting 'Spigot' fibreglass ferrule.

Rings

'Sintox' butt and end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Green tipped with scarlet.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw-grip and cork covered housing, screw-in rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
10' (305 cm)	12"	5¾ oz (153 gr)
A.F.T.M. Recommended Reels Line		
#7	{ #8/9 Marquis St. Aidan	

Salmon Fly Rods

The Pope Fly Rod

No. 15

Action

A most popular strong two piece design of elegant appearance, suitable for sea-trout, heavy trout and grilse, etc.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand with mushroom top.

Joints

Nickel silver splint end 'Spiral Lockfast'.

Rings

Agatipe butt and end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Gold tipped with ruby. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing, reversible spear and button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

The Jet Salmon Set

No. 16

Action

Made in three lengths to suit all conditions. The 12½' rod is an excellent all-round salmon fly rod for general purposes.

The 14' 3" and 15' 5" rods are designed for casting the biggest salmon flies and for playing a salmon in strong water.

Since their introduction last season, these rods have proved extremely popular with salmon fly fishermen of note.

Pieces

Three with one top. 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped with mushroom top.

Joints

Best quality bronzed brass suction.

Rings

Large butt and Agatipe end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Green, tipped with scarlet.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

12½' and 14' 3" patterns fitted with sliding screw-grip and fixed cork covered housing. L.R.H. butt cap with rubber button. 15' 5" pattern fitted with fixed aluminium 'W' fitting and sliding ring, polished dome-type butt cap.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

The Salmon De Luxe Fly Rod—as selected for the Design Centre, London

No. 17

Action

A strong extremely light rod. It is perfectly suited for single-handed salmon fly fishing, wet or dry fly, and is also suitable for any large fish such as grilse, sea-trout, etc.

Pieces

Three with two tops. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, shaped to hand. Supplied with 4" screw-in extension handle.

Joints

Nickel silver reinforced splint end suction.

Rings

Agatipe butt, stainless steel American-type end with stainless steel snake intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Scarlet, tipped with black. No intermediate tyings.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Fixed screw grip and cork covered housing, screw-in rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag with extra partition for extension handle.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
10' (305 cm)	12"	8 oz (240 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line		Recommended Reels
#7	{ 8/9 Marquis St. Aidan	

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
12½' (380 cm)	25"	16½ oz (474 gr)
14' 3" (435 cm)	29"	21½ oz (609 gr)
15' 5" (470 cm)	31"	29 oz (822 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line		Recommended Reels
#9 #10 #11	{ Marquis Salmon No. 1 Marquis Salmon No. 2	

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
9' 6" (290 cm)	12"	6½ oz (205 gr)
A.F.T.M. Line		Recommended Reels
#7	{ #8/9 Marquis St. Aidan	
Lengths and weights shown do not include additional 4" extension handle.		

Spinning Rods

— FOR TROUT, SALMON AND PIKE FISHING



The 'Hardy-Wanless' Spinning Rod

The No. 1 'Fibalite' Spinning Rod

The No. 2 'Fibalite' Spinning Rod

No. 18

Action

Re-introduced last year by popular request, this series of light spinning rods were originally developed with the assistance of the late Alex. Wanless and are a revelation of power combined with lightness.

The rods are graded and called by the breaking strains of their lines, i.e., the 4 lb 'Hardy-Wanless' rod, etc.

Pieces

Two with one top. 'Palakona' split bamboo.

Handle

Solid cork, parallel with mushroom top.

Joints

Nickel silver, reinforced splint end suction with polished aluminium stopper.

Rings

Large stand-off butt, 'Agatipe' end ring with graduated stand-off bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Scarlet tipped with gold. No intermediate tyings. Copper wire on lower leg of butt ring.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Two adjustable polished aluminium rings, tapered butt cap and screw-in rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

No. 19

Action

A series of extremely light, well-balanced single handed spinning rods. The special feature of these rods is that each grade is designed to suit the strength of line with which it is to be used.

Pieces

Two piece. 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Parallel solid cork, with mushroom top.

Joints

Incorporating our internal fitting 'Spigot' fibreglass ferrule.

Rings

Large stand-off butt, 'Sintox' end ring with graduated stand-off bridge intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Green tipped with scarlet.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Two adjustable aluminium rings, tapered aluminium butt cap with rubber button.

The 2 lb rod at 6' 1½" is fitted with a shaped cork butt instead of butt cap and rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

No. 20

Action

A light, well-balanced rod with strength and superb casting power for light and medium spinning for salmon, sea-trout and pike, etc.

Pieces

Two piece 'Fibalite' hollow glass fibre.

Handle

Parallel solid cork.

Joints

Incorporating our internal fitting fibreglass 'Spigot' ferrule.

Rings

Large stand-off butt, 'Sintox' end ring with special hard chrome 'Fullopen' graduated intermediates.

Tyings

Nylon. Green tipped with scarlet.

Reel Fittings and Furnishings

Movable 'Autolock' screw grip, butt cap and rubber button.

Container

Showerproof cloth partition bag.

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
6' 1½" (187 cm)	8½"	3 oz (85 gr)
6' 10" (210 cm)	14"	5½ oz (150 gr)
6' 10" (210 cm)	14"	5¾ oz (170 gr)
Recommended B.S. of Line	Recommended Casting Weight	
2 lb	4 drn	
4 lb	6 drn	
6 lb	8 drn	
Recommended Reels		
Mitchell 308 and 408		

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
6' 1½" (187 cm)	8½"	2½ oz (64 gr)
7' (213 cm)	14"	4½ oz (120 gr)
7' (213 cm)	14"	4¾ oz (128 gr)
Recommended B.S. of Line		
2 lb		
5/6 lb		
7/8 lb		
Recommended Reels		
Mitchell 308 and 300		

Length	Handle	Weight (approx.)
8½' (260 cm)	22"	8½ oz (241 gr)
Recommended Maximum Casting Weight		
1 oz (28 gr)		
Recommended Reels		
Mitchell 300 and 410		

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Salmon Fly Rods



Spinning Rods



No. 18 2lb.

No. 18 For 4lb. & 6lb.

No. 19 2LB.

No. 19 For 5/6lb. & 7/8lb.

No. 20

No. 21