

It is amazing how much information he has concentrated in 60 pages. On the other hand this is also the weak point of the book. On every page the facts are so dense that a beginner in aquaculture might have trouble assimilating them. As an introduction for university students it is a good reader and easy to follow in connection with lectures. Although the book mainly describes the biological side of aquaculture, social, cultural, economic and marketing factors are mentioned.

Various aquacultural expressions are well defined, but it would be valuable if the next edition could include an appendix with brief explanations of terms such as raceway and gynogenesis. I also missed a brief chapter on environmental consequences. Increased aquacultural activities will certainly have environmental effects. At present it is obvious that mussel cultivation and cage culture of fish influence the coastal and lake ecosystems.

These remarks are nonetheless negligible in relation to the merits of the book which, I conclude, will be followed by new editions. For the future, I hope that Dr. Reay or his colleagues will write a more comprehensive reader for more advanced students of aquaculture.

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## Editorial comments and announcements

### Fish Reproduction: Tactics and Strategies

The Fisheries Society of the British Isles is to hold an International Symposium on *Fish Reproduction: tactics and strategies*. The symposium is to be held at Plymouth Polytechnic, Plymouth, Devon, U.K., 19–23 July, 1982. Sessions will include: Reproductive strategies of taxonomically related groups; Reproductive strategies in fish communities; Reproductive strategies-implications for exploitation; Unusual reproductive strategies; Physiological tactics in reproduction; Behavioural tactics in reproduction. Closing date for bookings will be 31 March, 1982. Further details can be obtained from Dr. R.J. Wootton, Department of Zoology, University College of Wales, Aberystwyth, Dyfed, Wales, U.K.

## Errata

In issue 2 of Volume 6 of this Journal two unfortunate errors appeared due to printers misunderstanding of editor's instructions. On p. 182 in the article of Lindquist et al. the captions to the color reproductions should be B instead of A, D instead of B, A instead of D. In Table 1 on p. 209, in the article of Bimber & Nicholson the decimals in columns 3 and 4 (Stock estimate, mean and SE) should be commas. For example, the 1941 stock estimate should be 11,390 (mean) and 2,825 (SE).



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