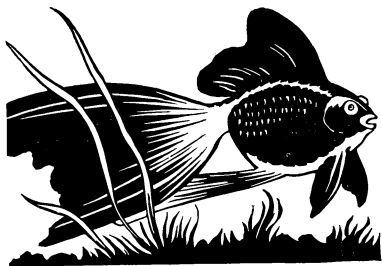


CURIOUS THINGS AROUND US

This page is devoted to the Study of Interesting Insects; Plants, Animals, and Fishes



*The Veiltail Moor Telescope
(Black goldfish)*

The Goldfish is the best known fish today among the aquarists or fish collectors. China is its ancestral home. The Chinese began cultivating it a hundred years ago. Then later, the Japanese took up golden breeding. And now, Japan became the leader in this industry.

Many strange species or varieties have been developed by means of selective breeding. In one of the illustrations, you can see the Telescope Goldfish. This species is actually a near-sighted fish.

Another species which was beautifully developed is the Fringtail. This goldfish has a tail fin twice as long as the fish itself.



A near-sighted goldfish called Telescope goldfish.

LITTLE PICK-UPS

by gilmo baldovino

One of the most curious species that the Japanese developed is the Japanese Lionhead. This goldfish has a head like the head of a lion. They believe that this is the highest developed goldfish.

Not all goldfish are gold colored. Almost all the colors of the rainbow may be seen among the goldfish. One specie which is differently colored from the rest is the Veiltail Moor Telescope. It is black.



The Japanese Lionhead

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