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Re: Tulpehocken Creek, Berks County?, 7/3/2012

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I wish I would have taken a picture of the 22+" "cutbow" but it was actually another angler who told me he had caught a similar fish, and said some one had stocked "cutbows." (I'm thinking, who would have done that?) I first labeled it a mature rainbow with a particularly dramatic coloration so I would not make any claim as to its ancestry, but it sure looked a lot different from your standard hatchery rainbow.

The fish was so big when it came to the net I thought it wanted to have a conversation.

Other than the fun of catching it, though, it was clearly an inappropriate fish - it gave me that "fishing in a petting zoo" feeling - to be dropping into what is clearly a temperature challenged watershed.

I headed up to the mountains ths past weekend and caught brookies and got over it.