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Topic: : good article on brookie restoration (w/ image of WVA brookie, big as a largemouth)

Re: good article on brookie restoration (w/ image of WVA brookie, big as a largemouth)

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Franklin your comment that it takes a long time for brookies to reappear after logging fits with something in the article I linked this AM in post #18 above...

This article states that the brookie fishing may have better in 1905 than it had been 30 years earlier in some parts of Pennsylvania, Pike and Wayne counties.

At the end of this 1905 article, someone from Rhode Island recounts how brush was growing along streams and fish were recovering after logging had been finished...

"our sawmills are all gone... the country is growing back up to brush... the streams are covered in brush so that it is all but impossible to get a line in them in places, but they are full of trout..." "the fishermen are getting trout, and big ones..." "we cut off the woods 30 or 40 years ago, but they have grown up again..."