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It's a mixed bag. Some streams get better, some get worse. But overall, yes, I'd agree with you, trout fishing in PA is as good as ever, and a good argument can be made that it's IMPROVING.

It is the information and travel age, though. No longer is stream knowledge so local. There still are a few off the radar streams. But certainly, our radars cover a much larger area than they once did, and the average angler fishes a lot of different waters. Of course, that means we spend less time getting to know a single stream or region really well. We all want to experience everything, which means we tend to fish the most famous sections of the most famous streams and ignore the rest. It's not that we don't know about the other streams. It's that if you have 2 days in an area, you focus on the "must fish" sections. Solitude can be still be found in "on the radar" but "off the priority list" streams.