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If your ever at Leonard Harris overlook in the canyon on pine creek,read the plaque that talks about the natural history on the pine creek valley before the logging boom and try to comprehend the tremendous towering Forrest's of conifers that not only shaded the canyon but the thick layer of the loam built up for centuries on the forest floor held water like a giant cold wet sponge. It is told in stories that pine ran high and cold even in hottesy most arid summers. After every single conifer was taken this loamy base caught fire and destroyed right down to the rock. After this event they called the pine creek valley Pennslyvania desert. I can only dream and wonder what the fishing must have been like.