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Contrary to what you might expect, what fish I found were holding in deep and presumably colder water. Out of 10-15 holes/runs where I had expected to find fish, I found fish in 3 or 4, and they were the deepest ones.

In shallower areas where I'd have expected to find fish in feeding lies, I spotted none. As I was working upstream, I'd intentionally toss a few stones or step into the each of these areas I decided not to explore with a fly ... in an effort to move/spook fish. Not once did I move a fish. Sure, some could have fled to a holding lie without me seeing them, but I'd have seen them flee/move in most locations.