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A pic would be the only way to tell for certain. Based on the description I would have guessed Green Sunfish. They're usually about 5-6 inches as adults in most lake systems due to overpopulation (they're amazingly efficient spawners) and stunted growth from insufficient forage per fish. They can get bigger though given the right conditions. I caught one underneath a low head on the Swatara that was darn close to 10 inches once. Warmouth is a possibility from the description too, but Greens are much more common in PA. The one wrinkle for me is the biologist's report FI posted that didn't turn up any Greens or Warmouth...doesn't mean they're not there necessarily, but you'd expect to catch a few with all those Bluegill if they were.