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Re: Big Spring Rainbows being killed

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The_Sasquatch wrote:

My point was going to be that if very little of the heritage strain remains, then why do we keep romanticizing the brookies in Big Spring when in reality, their origin is of little difference than the wild bows?

There's probably a good number of people who look at this the same way, regardless of the strain of brook trout currently present.

Big Spring and brook trout, however, will always be synonymous. The classic FFing literature is replete with stories about the brook trout of BS and there has been a long tradition in the Cumberland Valley of trying to protect these brook trout in BS. Perhaps some of these stories have indeed been romanticized.....but they're part of the historical culture of PA FFing.