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The dissolved oxygen problem throughout most of latter half of the 20th century was caused by the hatchery. BOD (biological oxygen demand) sucked the O2 out of the water almost immediately. That's why all the fish were concentrated at the Ditch. Getting rid of the hatchery reduced this, but it's taken some time for the overabundance of vegetation in the upper section to work its way out, so there's still a residual effect.

Water temps weren't the problem.