

August 8, 1939 #2

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Tegonia pulchella

~~ser~~ <sup>ser</sup> were taken near the foot of the riffles in or near the tail race.

Catostomus commersoni nebulii

ser. ygs, 1 adult. Mostly in the more quiet reaches. The young looked lean i.e. had slender bodies and large heavy head,

Large scaled silvery minnow

many adults taken <sup>in or</sup> near the tail races of the riffles. The males were quite ripe. The females needed a bit more urging.

A trout 18 inches long was said to have been taken here a few days ago.

Midway between Vellanueva and Bernal.

Several tadpoles, probably of Bufo punctatus, ~~one~~ transforming tadpoles and recently transformed young were taken from a cattle "task" dug in an arroyo. Two garter snakes were also taken. Only one was found.

August 8, 1939 #3

Puro River at San Jose

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The river is turbid here. The silt probably comes down from <sup>the</sup> El Pito. At the place named there is an irrigation diversion dam of 7 or 8 feet high and 75 feet wide that backs the water up for quite a way although the current is not greatly retarded. A short distance below the river channel is quite narrow - no more than forty feet wide very swift and ? deep.

Air 73 Water 69 7 3:30 P.M. Water white turbid. Depth probably 5 or more feet. Current moderate to very strong. Fish were scarce. The same species were taken here as in Villavieja. Bottom ~~silt and sand~~ sand in the pools, rubble and boulders in the rapids.