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Picked up a box turtle on the eastern edge of Roswell. Elevation 3585 PA. This turtle is apparently a female the other line turtle seems to be a male. The dead turtle matches the first line turtle very closely.

Scanned the Peas at Dexter. Generally similar to the Peas at Roswell except it is somewhat larger and has a narrower channel which tends to gouge out deeper holes at obstructions. Current moderate to strong; Bottom sand, silt, shelling. Water white, slightly turbid. A. 25 W 23 at 11:30 AM Standard Time. Elev. 3470 PA Photo.

Fish, except gar, very scarce. All round. Color descr. of gar from life: Olive on back fading to yellow on sides and white on belly. Sides of head and ~~base~~ ^{fore-} part of trunk whitish silvery. Obscure black markings on sides becoming definite spots posteriorly on the caudal peduncle, ^{eye} caudal, dorsal and anal fins.