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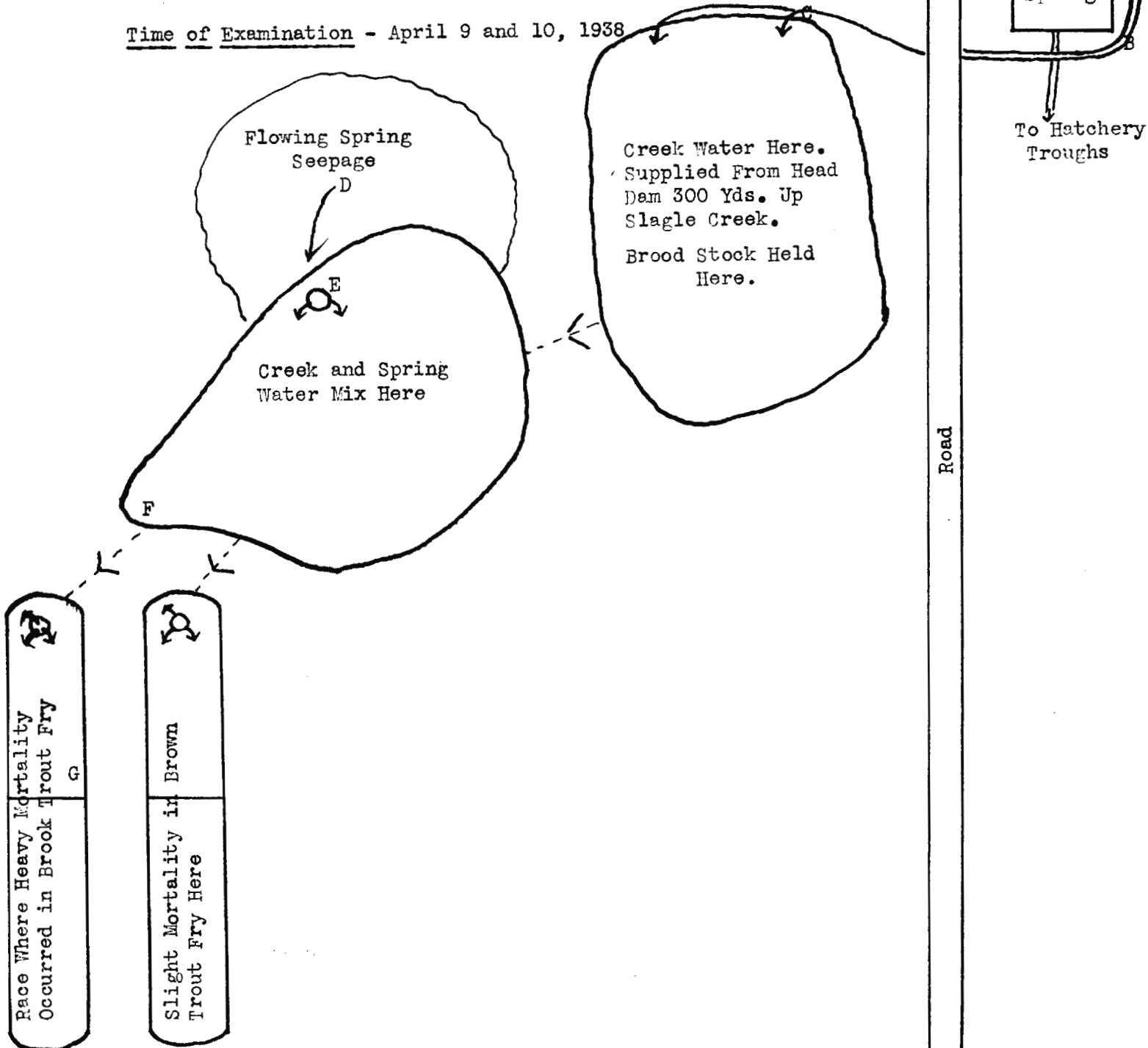
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REPORT ON WATER ANALYSIS AT HARRIETTA HATCHERY

Time of Examination - April 9 and 10, 1938



Samples taken at points lettered.
See page 2 for chemical analyses.

- A. Temp.: Air 45 - Water 45
Dissolved O₂ - 8.7 parts per million
Free CO₂ - 7 parts per million
Methyl Orange Alkalinity - 147 parts per million
pH - 7.7
- B. Temp.: Air 33 - Water 40
Dissolved O₂ - 9.8 parts per million
Free CO₂ - 10 parts per million
Methyl Orange Alkalinity - 141 parts per million
pH - 7.3
- C. Temp.: Air 33 - Water 40
Dissolved O₂ - 9.8 parts per million
Other tests not run here.
- D. Temp.: Air 43 - Water 45
Dissolved O₂ - 4.0 parts per million
Other tests not run here.
- E. Temp.: Air 45 - Water 45
Dissolved O₂ - 3.2 parts per million
Free CO₂ - 4 parts per million
Methyl Orange Alkalinity - 153 parts per million
pH - 7.6
- F. Temp.: Air 43 - Water 45
Dissolved O₂ - 7.6 parts per million
Other tests not run here.

G. Temp.: Air 43 - Water 45

Dissolved O₂ - 9.3 parts per million

Free CO₂ - 4.5 parts per million

Methyl Orange Alkalinity - 101 parts per million

pH - 7.8

The only points where the water supply was low in dissolved oxygen were ~~was~~ in the flowing spring seepage area (3.2 to 4.0 ppm.). By the time this water had mixed with the creek water in a large pond and flowed into the pond where mortality was occurring, there was sufficient oxygen for fish life (7.6 ppm.). The Head Spring also showed sufficient oxygen for fish life (8.7). No examination was made in the hatchery troughs, as creek water was being used at the time of the examination and mortality had been reduced to a minimum in all but the brook trout fry.

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