

VERY INLET

South of the 55th Parallel of North Latitude,  
Off of the mainland coast - Waters tributary  
to Revillagigedo Channel. Chart No.8102.



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I was assigned to the duties of stream watchman at **Very Inlet** July 28, at which time there was apparently a splendid run of salmon, but the streams were abnormally low and the fish were unable to make their escapement. The heavy rainfalls commencing August 20 relieved the situation and raised the streams considerably, thereby affording the salmon an opportunity to make their escapement.

There was a fine run of humpbacks in the North arm, but the streams became unusually swift and deep so suddenly, the salmon made their escapement in too great quantities to allow a reasonable estimate, however, the difference in the number showing in the inlet was very noticeable on Monday and Tuesday, after the Sunday closed period.

On September 11 when an inspection was made of the waters in the head of the inlet, large schools of cohoes were in evidence, numbering approximately 300 on the mud flats. At this time there was also a fine run in the south arm but with the condition of the water I was unable to determine the particular specie. The humpbacks made their escapement up the north arm.

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Roy Buell,  
Stream Watchman.

Season of 1924.