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Muma (1963, Brigham Young Univ. Sci. Bull., Biol. Ser. 3 (2); 1970, Florida Dept. Agr. Contr. No. 154) listed distribution records of solpugids for the Nevada Test Site and other parts of North America, Central America, and the West Indies. In a series of solpugids collected at the Nevada Test Site subsequent to his 1963 report are two specimens which represent records worthy of mention.

In his 1963 report Muma recorded a single male of *Hemerotrecha branchi* taken at the Nevada Test Site, collected in Area 1 in a *Grayia-Lycium* plant community, 28 June 1960. An additional specimen was taken at Cane Springs at the test site, 12 June 1965. According to Muma (1970) this species also occurs in Arizona, California, and New Mexico.

Muma (1970) listed *Hemerotrecha jacintoana* as known only from California. A specimen was taken in a *Coleogyne* plant community approximately 2400 m north of the Sedan project crater at the Nevada Test Site, 22 June 1964; this extends the known range of the species to Nevada.

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