LITTLE INDIAN POND T7 R12, Piscataquis Co. U.S.G.S. Spider Lake, Me.

Fishes

Brook trout (squaretail) Hornpout (bullhead) White sucker Minnows Fall fish (chub) Creek chub Pearl dace Minnows (cont'd) Finescale dace Redbelly dace Fathead minnow Common shiner

Physical Characteristics

Area - 117 acres Maximum depth - 7 feet Temperatures Surface -72° F. 7 feet -71° F.

Principal Fishery: Hornpout.

Little Indian Pond is a shallow pond with marginal brook trout habitat. Water temperatures become too warm for trout during the summer months. Only one small, cool spring influence was found during the survey. Competition is severe for food and living space from large numbers of minnows and suckers. Bullheads 4 to 8 inches long are abundant and are also competitors of trout in this pond.

The outlet of Little Indian Pond has suitable spawning gravel for brook trout but warm termperatures limit nursery and adult habitat. An intermittent tributary from Kyle Pond was dry at the time of the survey.

Access to Little Indian Pond is via a gravel road.

No stocking is recommended.

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