## WOODMAN POND T2 R11, Piscataquis Co. U. S. G. S. Harrington Lake, Me.

## Fishes

Brook trout (squaretail)

Minnows

Blacknose dace

## Physical Characteristics

Area - 6 acres

**Temperatures** 

Surface - 73° F.

Maximum depth - 5 feet

5 feet -71° F.

Woodman Pond is merely a wide place in the outlet of Clifford Pond. The thoroughfare between the two ponds can be navigated by canoe. The shoreline is mostly boggy, and the surrounding area is still in the birch-aspen stage since the Rainbow fire of 1924. Access to Woodman Pond is by the Blue Trail from Rainbow Lake or from Sourdnahunk Deadwater.

The water quality is suitable for brook trout, but trout have not been reported from these waters for many years. Trout migration from Rainbow Lake to Woodman and Clifford Ponds is prevented by small falls and cascades. This stream has some gravelly areas that could be used for trout spawning.

Since competition for food and space is very light, the fingerling trout stocked in the fall of 1965 should provide fishing in 1966. The present regulation prohibiting the use or possession of live fish as bait should prevent introductions of other species in these waters.

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