

LITTLE POND  
Damarascotta Twp., Lincoln Co.  
U.S.G.S. Waldoboro West (7½')

Fishes

Brook trout	Minnows
Rainbow smelt	Golden shiner
Smallmouth bass	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Largemouth bass	American eel
Chain pickerel	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 78 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 69°F
Maximum depth - 48 feet	40 feet - 44°F

Principal fishery: Brook trout, smallmouth bass

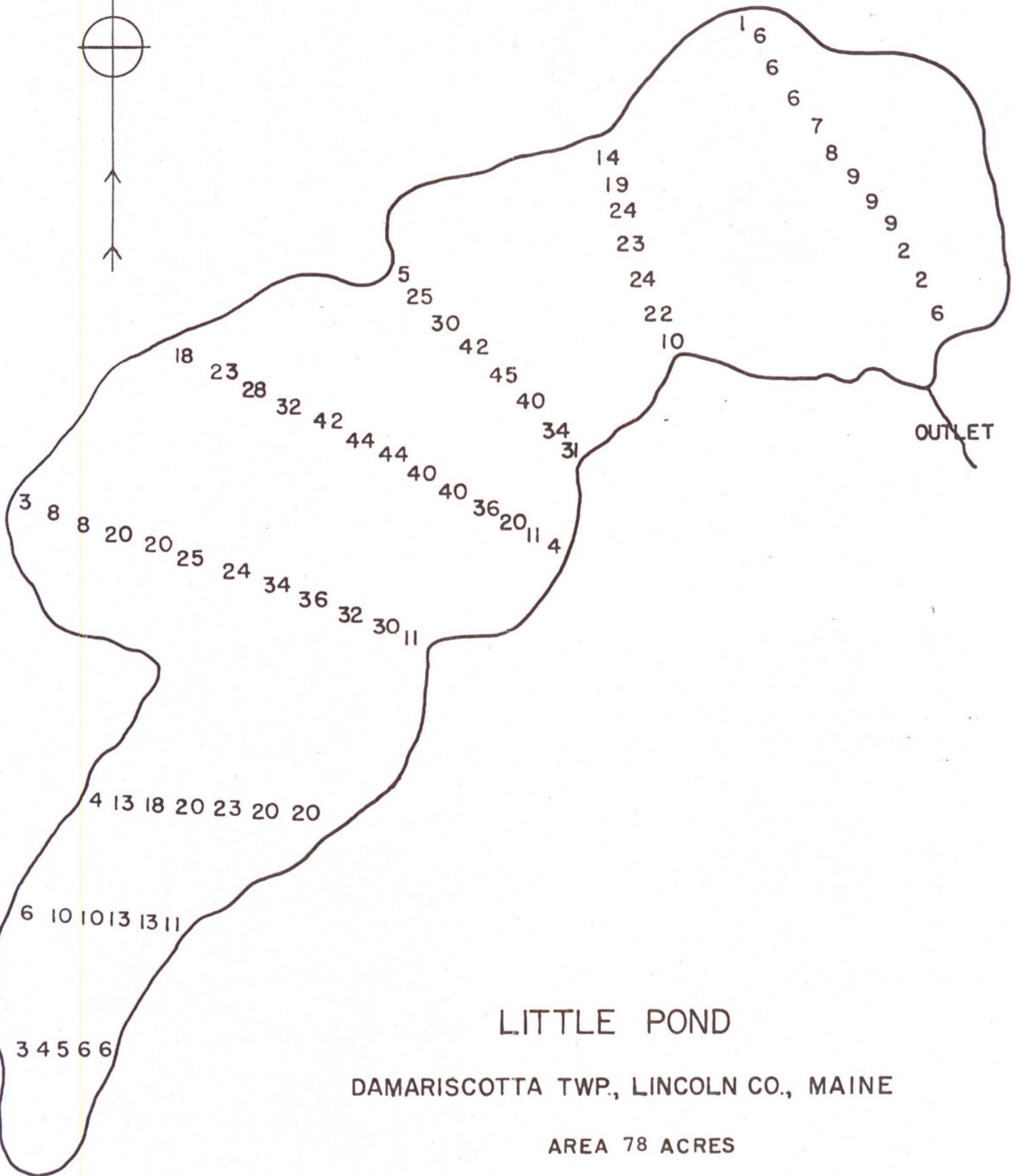
Little Pond serves as the water supply for the towns of Damariscotta and Newcastle. The pond was re-opened to fishing in 1985 after having been closed since 1952. Anglers may reach Little Pond via a foot trail located off the Biscay Road.

Prior to its closure to fishing in 1952 Little Pond was noted for producing large handsome brook trout. A brook trout stocking program was reinstated in 1986 and presently provides a fine fishery. Annual stockings of trout will be necessary to maintain the fishery since the pond and its tributary do not provide sufficient spawning and nursery habitat for natural reproduction. Little Pond has been designated as a fish quality pond and therefore special conservative regulations are in place and designed to maintain the size quality of the trout fishery.

Little Pond also supports a fine population of smallmouth bass, with many individuals reaching an attractive size. Largemouth bass have gained

access to the pond, apparently from an illegal introduction, and provide only a limited fishery.

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