JONES POND T7 R8, T8 R8, Penobscot Co. U.S.G.S. Grand Lake Seboeis, Me.

Fishes

Minnows

Fathead minnow Finescale dace Minnows (cont'd) Redbelly dace

Physical Characteristics

Area - 32 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 63° F.
Maximum depth - 6 feet	6 feet - 61° F.

Jones Pond contains few if any trout at the present time. Trout may have been present in the past, and may have been "winter-killed" as a result of oxygen depletion under the ice. The pond is quite shallow with a soft mud bottom, and water temperatures remain about the same at all depths. The pond is considered potentially fair trout water because several springs are available to carry trout through the hot-weather periods.

An experimental trout introduction should be made in Jones Pond to determine whether a self-sustaining trout population can be established through natural reproduction. Some gravelly sections along the shores are potential trout spawning areas. The several kinds of small minnows present would not seriously reduce trout production by competition.

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