MARDEN POND T1 R8, Penobscot Co. U. S. G. S. Norcross, Me.

Fishes

Hornpout (bullhead)

Physical Characteristics

Area - 8 acres

Temperatures

Surface - 75° F.

Maximum depth - 8 feet

6 feet -72° F.

Marden Pond is a small, shallow pond supporting a luxuriant growth of aquatic vegetation. The pond is surrounded by a mat of floating bog. Prolonged periods of warm weather and the possibilities of winter kill may limit any trout population. tion.

There are no tributaries or outlet. Facilities for possible trout spawning could not be located. An experimental stocking of brook trout will be made to determine if a fishery can be developed in this pond.

Marden Pond can be reached easily via the road from Millinocket to Baxter State Park. The pond is approximately $5\frac{1}{2}$ miles from Millinocket and can be seen from the highway.

The general law is sufficient to protect any fishery now present.

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