

LITTLE CHASE STREAM POND
T2 R7 (Misery), Somerset Co.
U.S.G.S. Brassua Lake, Me.

Fishes

Brook trout (squaresail)	Minnows (cont)
White sucker	Redbelly dace
Minnows	Lake chub
Blacknose dace	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 17 acres	Temperatures
	Surface - 66° F.
Maximum depth - 26 feet	25 feet - 47° F.

Little Chase Stream Pond lies in the valley at the base of Little Chase Stream Mountain, and can be reached from either U.S. 201 or State 15 by travelling a good gravel road. The angler may back his boat into the water upon reaching this small pond. There is good fishing for brook trout early in the season, but it becomes quite spotty as the summer progresses.

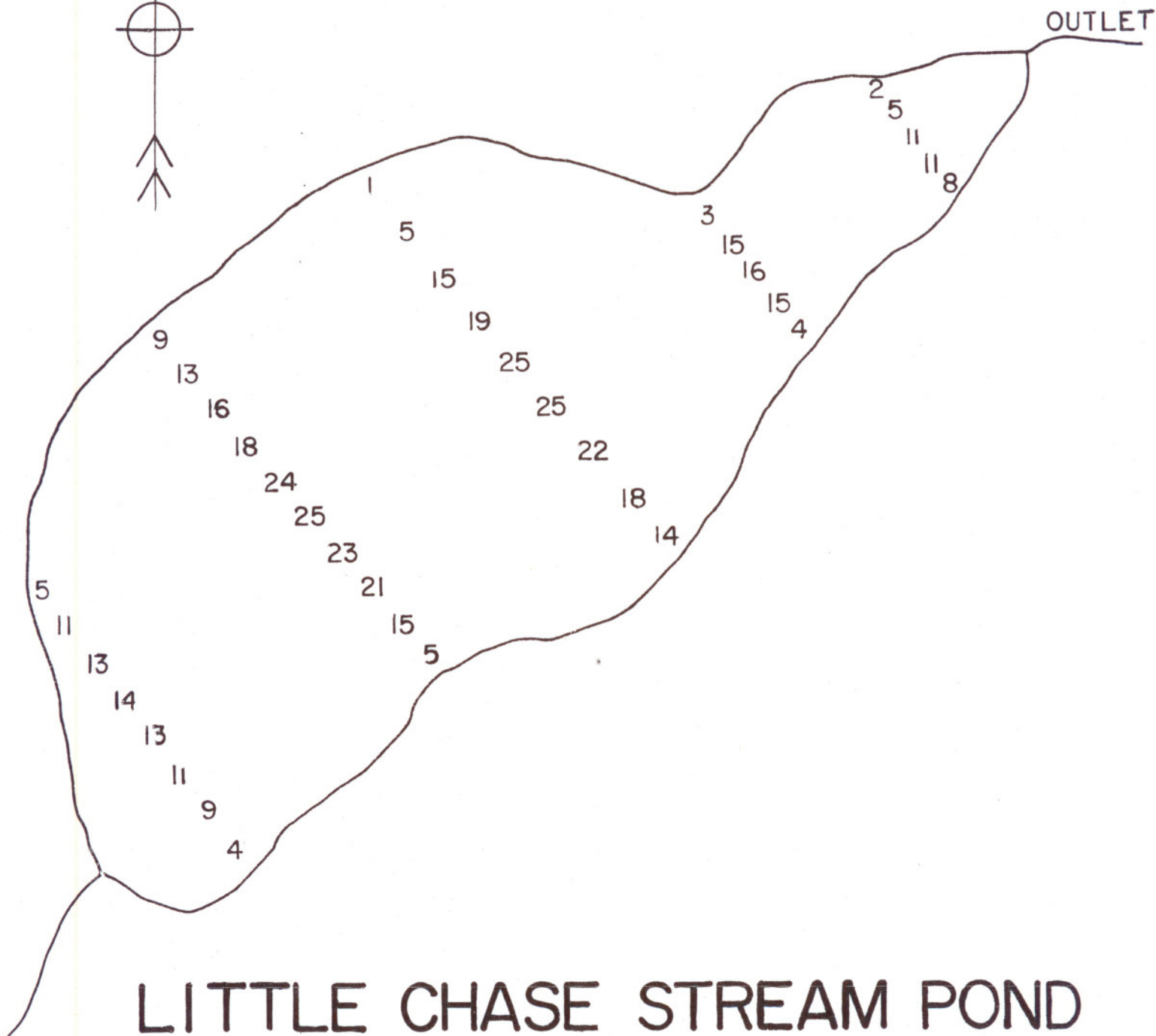
Spawning facilities are poor in this pond. The outlet runs through boulder areas until it passes over a small waterfall about $\frac{1}{8}$ mile below the pond. There is some good gravel below the falls, but this obstacle is impassable to trout at most water levels. The inlet runs between boulders and under-ground until it nearly reaches the pond. The small area near the pond which would be available to trout is heavily silted. The shorelines of Little Chase Stream Pond are also devoid of gravel.

Water quality is good to a depth of 15 feet. Low oxygen supplies prevent fish from using the deeper area during the hot summer months. Water temperature is suitable at all depths.

The other four species of fish inhabiting Little Chase Stream Pond are not overly abundant.

Yearling trout should be stocked each spring while the road allows easy access.

General law regulations are adequate.



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MISERY TWP., SOMERSET CO., MAINE

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ONE TENTH MILE