

FITZGERALD POND  
(Mountain View Pond)  
T2 R6, Piscataquis Co.  
U.S.G.S. Moosehead Lake, Me.

Fishes

Brook trout (squaretail)	Minnows (cont'd)
Hornpout (bullhead)	Lake chub
White sucker	Fallfish
Minnows	Pumpkinseed sunfish
Creek chub	

Physical Characteristics

Area - 550 acres

Temperatures

Maximum depth - 17 feet

Surface - 66° F.

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Fitzgerald Pond is located between the base of Big Squaw Mountain and Moosehead Lake. It may be reached by walking  $\frac{1}{4}$  mile along a private road leading from Route 15.

This large, flat-bottomed, shallow pond has a thick layer of bottom-silt. The shores are rocky with some long sand and gravel beaches interspersed.

The tributary entering the southwest corner of the pond and the outlet are suitable for trout spawning. They consist of excellent gravel riffles broken by several pools. Gravel shoreline areas may also be used by spawning trout.

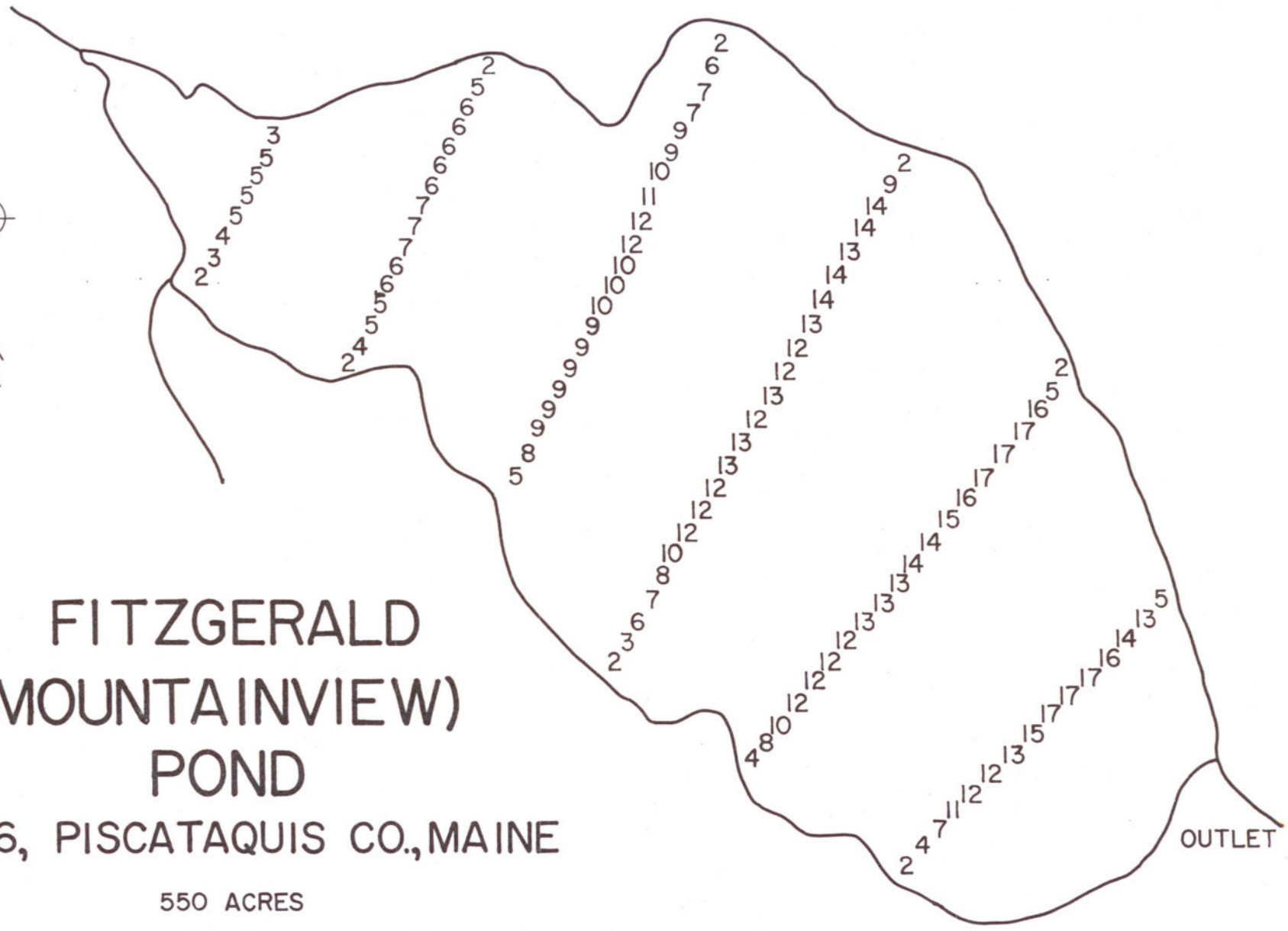
Brook trout receive strong competition for food and space from the many species inhabiting Fitzgerald Pond. Sunfish and chubs may prey on the young trout.

Some good trout catches are made by a few fishermen who know where the spring holes are. A large number of persons use the beautiful beach area for bathing and picnicking.

General law regulations are adequate at this time to protect the trout fishery.

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