

2 DICTIONARY OF THE CHINOOK JARGON

Ca-po. A coat.

Chah-ko. To come; to become. Ex. Kanish mika chahko? when did you come? Chahko kloshe, to get well.

Chack-chack. The bald eagle.

Chee. Lately; just now; new. Chee nika ko, I have just arrived. Hyas chee, entirely new.

Chet-lo or Jet-lo, *n.* An oyster.

Chet-woot. A black bear.

Chick-a-min, *n. adj.* Iron; metal; metallic. T'kope chickamin, silver; Phil chickamin, gold or copper; chickamin lope, wire; a chain.

Crick-chick. A wagon or cart.

Chil-chil. Buttons.

Chitish, *n.* A grandmother.

Chope, *n.* A grandfather.

Cho-tub, *n.* A flea.

Chuck, *n.* Water; a river or stream. Salt chuck, the sea; Skookum chuck, a rapid; Solleks chuck, a rough sea; chuck chahko or kilipi, the tide rises or falls; saghilli and keekwillie chuck, high and low tide.

Chuk-kin. To kick.

Close. See Kloshe.

Cly, *v.* To cry.

Cole, *adj.* Cold. Cole illahie, winter; icht cole, a year; Cole sick waum sick, the fever and ague.

Comb. A comb. Mamook comb, to comb; Mamook comb illiahie, to harrow.

Coo-ley. To run. Cooley kiuatan, a race-horse; Yahka hyas kumtuks cooley, he can i.e., knows how to run well.

Coop-coop, *n.* Shell money. See Hykwa.

Co-sho, *n.* A hog; pork. Siwash cosho, a seal.

Cultus, *adj.* Worthless; good for nothing; without purpose. Ex. Cultus man, a worthless fellow; cultus potlach, a present or free gift; cultus hehee, a jest; merely laughing; cultus mannitsh, to look around; cultus mitlite, to sit idle; cultus klatawa, to stroll. *Ques.* What do you want? *Ans.* Cultus, i.e., nothing.

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De-late. Straight; direct. Ex. Klatawa delate, go straight; delate wauwau, tell the truth.

Di-aub. The devil.

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The noise
The stream
make

Chuck in
out

Cry

Cold

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