

- A. The whites they carrell the fish down at the end of the lake - the hatchery people I mean, and they don't allow the seakeys to come up - When the salmon comes up ^{to} the weirs, they pound their heads up to their eyes and they die.
- Q. Hatcheries are established for the purpose of increasing the fish supply?
- A. No the salmon are not increasing at all - Now when there was no hatchery the salmon used to run up here on these lakes and spawn in their spawning grounds, and every year they used to be so thick if you throw a stone across the lake, the rock would not go down; and then I guess God mad it that way for the fish to run up on all the lakes and creeks. Down there at the hatchery I know that when the eggs were not ready to come out from the mother, they were ripped out with a knife and the mother died, and when they tried to raise the little eggs the little fish also died.
- Q. When did they notice that the fish had grown very much less here - what year did they notice that first?
- A. Since they put up the hatchery.
- Q. Did you notice it the first year the hatchery was established or the second or thirs year?
- A. Since they built the hatchery we have noticed that the fish have been getting scarcer and scarcer.
- Q. Was this season a particularly bad one for fish?
- A. Yes. This year there is not much salmon coming up, but next year there will be lots of salmon coming up.
- Q. Have you been able to get a sufficient supply of salmon for your feed - sufficient to put up for the winter?
- A. I am just like a whiteman - I have got to live on salmon.
- Q. Do none of the Indians of your Tribe put up salmon for the winter?
- A. No. The other Indians if they go down and beg at the hatchery for salmon they will give us one, and the next morning we go down they won't give us any at all.
- Q. So that you don't put up salmon for the winter for the