

16 DICTIONARY OF THE CHINGOOK JARGON

- Slam.** The grizzly bear.
- Sick.** Sick. Cole sick, the ague. Sick tumtum, grieved; sorry; jealous; unhappy.
- Sikhs.** A friend.
- Sin-a-mox.** Seven.
- Si-pah.** Straight, like a ramrod.
- Sis-ki-you.** A bob-tailed horse.
- Sit-kum.** A half; a part. Sitkum dolla, half a dollar. Sitkum sun, noon. Tenas sitkum, a quarter or small part.
- Sit-lay.** Stirrups.
- Sit-shum.** To swim.
- Si-wash.** An Indian.
- Skin.** Skin. Skin shoes, moccasins. Stick skin, the bark of a tree.
- Skoo-kum.** Strong; strength; a ghost; an evil spirit or demon. Skookum tumtum, brave. Skookum chuck, a rapid.
- Swak-wal.** A lamprey eel.
- Skwis-kwis.** A squirrel.
- Slahal.** A game played with eight small disks, one of which is marked.
- Smoke.** Smoke; clouds; fog; steam.
- Snass.** Rain. Cole snass, snow.
- Snow.** Snow.
- Soap.** Soap.
- So-le-mie.**
- Sol-leks.** Anger; angry. Mamooks solleks, to fight. Tikegh solleks, to be hostile. Kumtuks solleks, to be passionate.
- So-pe-na.** To jump; to leap.
- Spo-oh.** Faded; any light color, as a pale blue, drab, etc. Chahko spooch, to fade.
- Spoon.** A spoon.
- Spouse.** Suppose; if; supposing; provided that, in order that. Spouse mika nanitsh nika canim, if you see my canoe. Spouse nika klatawa kopa Victoria, if or when I go to Victoria. Kahkwah spouse, spouse, as if.
- Stick.** A stick; a tree; wood; wooden. Stick skin, bark. Ship stick, a mast. Witwhat stick, a standing tree. Icht stick, a yard measure. Stick shoes, leather shoes or boots. Isick stick, the ash.
- Stock-en.** Stockings or socks.
- Stoh.** Loose. Mamook stoh; to untie, unloose.