

## 8 DICTIONARY OF THE CHINOOK JARGON

Klugh. To tear. Mamook klugh illahie, to plough.

Kluk-ulh. Broad or wide, as of a plank.

Ko. To reach, arrive at. Chee klaska ko, they have just come. Kanish nesika ko kopo Nisqually? When shall we reach Nisqually?

Ko-ko. To knock. Koko stick, a woodpecker.

Kok-shut. To break; broken; to beat. Hyas kokshut, broken to pieces.

Kon-a-way. All; every. Klaska konaway klatawa, they have all gone. Konaway tilicum, everybody. Konaway kah, everywhere.

Koo-sah. The sky.

Ko-pa. To; in; at; with; towards; of; about; concerning; there or in that place. Ex. Kopa nika house, at my house. Lolo okook kopa mika, take that home with you. Cultus kopa nika, it is nothing to me.

Ko-pet. To stop; leave off; enough. Kopet wauwau, stop talking. Kopet ikt, only one. Kopet okook, that's all. Wake siah kopet, nearly finished. Kopet tomalla, day after tomorrow.

Kow. To tie; to fasten. Kow mika kiuatan, tie your horse. Ikt kow, a bundle.

Kul-lagh. A fence, corral or enclosure. Kullagh stick, fence rails.

Kull. Hard in substance; difficult. Chahko kull, to become hard. Mamook kull, to harden; to cause to become hard. Hyas kull spose mamook, it is very hard to do so. Kull stick, oak or any hard wood.

*acquaintance* Kumtuks. To know; understand; be acquainted with; imagine; believe. Mamook kumtuks, to explain.

Kopet kumtuks, to forget. Halo kumtuks, stupid; without understanding. Kumtuks kliminawhit, to be a liar.

*ah-ha* Nike kumtuks okook tyee, I know that chief. Nika kumtuks Klickitat wau-wau, I understand the Klickitat language.

Kun-sih. How many; when; ever. Kunsih tilikum mitlite? how many people are there? kunsih mika klatawa? when do you go? Wake kunish, never. Mamook kun-sih, to count.

Konaway moxt. Both; together. Konaway moxt kahkwa, both alike.

Kush-is. Stockings.

Kwah-ne-sum. Always; forever.

Kwah-nice. A whale.

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