

September 14, 1922.

Carl D. Shoemaker, Fish Commissioner of Oregon,
1105 Gasco Building,
Portland, Ore.

Dear Mr. Shoemaker:-

I have to thank you for your favor of the 2nd instant, and for information contained therein which I found of great benefit in giving my evidence before the Fish Commission of Friday last. As I thought you would be interested in the case prepared, especially that portion which refers to the results of feeding obtained from the Hick's Lake operation, I am sending you herewith a copy of same.

As this was prepared before your data reached me the statement does not make reference to your figures, but I succeeded in getting them brought in in course of direct examination, and emphasized that whereas the natural propagation has not, and cannot, exceed 1/10 of 1% return, that the results secured by you from your plants of Yes Bay sockeyes of 1920 showed an actual increase of over 1% or at least 10 times greater than it is possible to obtain from nature unassisted.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

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