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NOTES I called D. Watsjold to discuss the fisheries resources of the Talkeetna River in relation to the Keetna damsite. Watsjold said that important anadromous runs go upstream of this site. One very important area for chinook salmon is Prairie Cr. where very extensive spawning occurs. Another spawning area is Disappointment Cr. Also, the mouth of this creek is a good fishing spot for large Dolly Varden and grayling. Mahay's Riverboat Service, <sup>(Talkeetna)</sup> routinely travels upstream of the damsite, particularly for moose hunting trips.