

Steelhead, Silver Salmon Planted In Lake in Survival Experiment

By Milt Guymon
Another step was taken by the game commission recently in the over-all study of Triangle lake at the head of the Stuslaw river in Lane county to determine the best possible fisheries for the lake.

The commission will now experiment with steelhead and silver salmon to test the feasibility of rearing these seagoing game fish in the lake and its tributary streams.

To get this part of the program under way, the commission recently released 110 adult steelhead in Condon creek above the lake and 13,600 yearling steelhead in the lake prop-

er. Silver salmon fingerlings were also placed in the lake through the cooperation of the fish commission.

Spawning Soon
One week following the planting of adult steelhead in the tributary system an investigation disclosed considerable activity on the gravel riffles above the release site indicating that spawning of the mature fish was taking place.

The yearling salmon and steelhead will be checked closely by game commission biologists for survival and growth prior to their migration from Triangle lake and on down the Stuslaw to the sea.

The study is an outgrowth of numerous requests from individuals in the Triangle lake area to chemically treat the lake and provide a better fishery than what is now present.

Proposals have also been made to ladder the falls below the lake to allow migrating salmon and steelhead to utilize the upriver spawning areas. Some proponents would like to see Triangle lake set aside strictly as a nursery area for the production of salmon and steelhead.

Mixed Bag
At present the lake supports a conglomeration of trout, warm-water game fish and

rough fish. Angling at best is considered only fair. In the past the commission has looked at Triangle lake, but to improve the fishery through chemical treatment was considered too costly. The lake was stocked regularly with trout.

To chemically treat the lake the water level would first have to be lowered and all water flow shut off to protect the downstream fishery. This would entail expensive ditching and permanent control gates.

The fills below Triangle lake are not in the sense a vertical barrier but rather a series of steep cascades which block salmon and steelhead migra-

tions into the lake. The cascades tumble for several hundred feet before leveling out.

Some salmon and steelhead make it upstream to the barrier. Lower Lake creek is an important spawning tributary to the Stuslaw as well as providing good angling up to the upstream deadlines.

Problem Aired
Recently the technical staff of the game commission met to review all biological data concerned with Triangle lake as well as discuss the engineering problems in laddering the difficult falls.

It was concluded at this meeting that a vertical baffle

fishway was too expensive to be justified for the existing fish runs that might reach the present barrier. A "steep-pass" type fishway did show promise, but it was felt that a desirable location must be found to test such a facility prior to installation.

The planting of adult steelhead was a result of this meeting as well as planting the lake with young steelhead and salmon. Biologists will now conduct a sampling program in the lake and its tributaries.

Scoop traps or other similar apparatus will be used to trap young steelhead and salmon at the outlet. These and other

tests will be made to form a basis for considering the possibility of chemical treatment as well as laddering the falls.

Extensive physical and biological investigations of Triangle lake and its tributary streams have already been completed.

Access Points
The Rocky Point access on the Coquille river in Coos county and the Pelican Cut access on upper Klamath lake in Klamath county will soon be available to hunters and anglers.

At a recent monthly meeting commission approved these two projects for immediate construction.

Engineering plans for the Rocky Point access have been developed by the game commission's engineering staff in cooperation with Coos county which contributed funds toward the project and will accept responsibility for maintenance. The commission will advertise for bids to complete the project in accordance to plans submitted.

At Klamath Lake, the commission exercised an option for \$3,500 for a tract of land to be developed by the landowner into a parking area adjacent to the 60-foot right of way commonly known as Pelican Cut.

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