

AUDIO TAPE INDEX FORM

Interviewee: Bob Frank

Interviewer: Dick Koerner

Interview Date: October 18, 2007

Summary description of tape contents:

Dick Koerner interviews Bob Frank about his experiences with sturgeon fishing. Frank discusses his techniques and superstitions, as well as his thoughts on regulation changes over the years. Frank mentions his favorite fishing stories from his own past and how he prefers to cook sturgeon.

Brief Tape Index

Time	Topic
00:09	Introduction
00:33	Repeat introduction
01:01	Third introduction. Purpose of interview.
01:25	Bob Frank's background.
01:43	How Mr. Frank got involved with sturgeon spearing.
02:08	Mr. Frank has not tried hook and line fishing.
02:21	He is self-taught for the most part.
02:40	Changes to the sport.
03:05	Rule changes that protect the sturgeon.
03:27	Speared for 55 years, caught about 25 sturgeon, and had one that got away.
04:29	Frank's biggest fish.
04:53	Types of shanties.
05:24	Favorite time of day to fish.
06:03	Using landmarks to find fishing spots.
06:55	Memorable experiences.
09:36	Bad weather story.
10:51	Always carry a compass.
10:56	Superstitions and traditions.
11:39	Coaxers.
12:10	Illegal activities not as common now as they were in the past.
12:30	His favorite stories.
13:03	One close encounter in particular.
13:51	Recipes.
14:22	Caviar.
15:06	Camaraderie.
25:44	Payne's Point Fishery.

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End of Interview.