



**SUBSISTENCE FISHING** — One of the most important ways of life in Arctic Alaska is subsistence fishing. Here, an Eskimo woman and her helper are pulling up a net laden with whitefish on the confluence of Ambler/Kobuk Rivers in Northwest Alaska. The net has been set under the ice and the catch of whitefish was good. Subsistence way of life in Native Alaska is an important one and will continue to be into the remote future.

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