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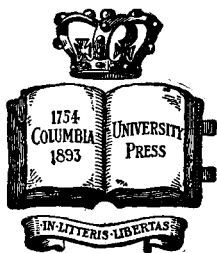
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INTRODUCTION.

THE following texts were collected on the Siletz Reservation, Oregon, during March and April, 1911, in conjunction with an investigation of the Lower Umpqua language, carried on under the joint auspices of the Bureau of American Ethnology and of Columbia University. With the exception of the last tale (No. 23), which was narrated in English by Louis Smith, a full-blooded Lower Umpqua Indian, all texts were obtained from William Smith, an Alsea Indian, who at an early age had gained a knowledge of the Lower Umpqua language, and from his wife, Louisa Smith, the oldest member of the Lower Umpqua tribe, — a tribe now practically extinct.

The collection of these texts was accomplished under great difficulties, which will largely account for the meagre number of myths and tales contained in them. Louisa's advanced age rendered her practically useless as a narrator. Her memory of old traditions was almost entirely gone, and she had lost the faculty of relating facts coherently and in consecutive order. Besides, her narratives, such as could be obtained, were too much interspersed with Chinook jargon; so that, after having obtained from her part of story No. 18 and an account of her childhood (No. 22), I was forced to resort to her husband's services as a narrator. Since he was not familiar with the traditions of the Lower Umpqua Indians, the following procedure had to be adopted. He was asked to obtain from his wife, through the medium of Chinook jargon, such stories,

and in such form, as she could remember, and to retell them to me in English. I then arranged the facts in what seemed to be the most likely consecutive order, whereupon William was instructed to dictate these facts in the Lower Umpqua language, — a task which at times was too much for his limited intelligence. He too often lost the trend of the story, and wandered away from the subject-matter, leaving out the most important details, and failing to mention the subjects and objects involved in a certain myth. Whenever unable to continue a thought, he resorted to unnecessary repetitions, so that most of the texts that make up this collection seem to be lacking in vividness of description and continuity of thought. To be sure, in extenuation of William's shortcomings as a narrator, it must be borne in mind that the Lower Umpqua language was not his native tongue.

In this manner, after many complications and an unusual loss of time, I succeeded in obtaining the stories numbered 8, 9, 18, 19, 20, and 21, all of which are native Lower Umpqua traditions, and the descriptive texts listed in this collection as Nos. 13, 14, 16, and 17. These represent all the traditions that Louisa Smith could remember with a fairly reasonable degree of certainty. Being anxious to obtain some more texts (not so much for ethnological purposes, as from linguistic considerations), I asked William Smith to narrate Alsea myths and stories, designating some at random from a fairly rich collection I had previously obtained from him in his native tongue.¹ Thus he dictated the texts numbered 1, 2, 3, 10, 11, 12, and 15, which are but a poor improvement over those enumerated above. They are woefully lacking in clearness and continuity of description, are full of repetitions and grammatical mistakes, and — being but imperfect translations —

¹ It is planned to publish these in a later volume of this series.

do not bring out the points that may have suggested their conception to the mind of the native Alsea. This is especially true of the creation myths Nos. 1 and 3. Therefore, in order to obtain at least a few texts that would be fairly free from these faults of matter and form, I devised another plan, which proved very successful. I picked out a few Coos texts,¹ dictating them in English by sentences to William Smith, who translated them in a similar manner into Lower Umpqua. Thus I obtained the myths numbered 4, 5, 6, and 7, which, from a linguistic and literary point of view, may be considered the best in this collection.

The order of arrangement that has been followed in this volume resulted from considering the texts chiefly from the point of view of type and volume of form. Consequently the creation myths are listed first, in spite of the fact that none of them are native traditions; then follow the miscellaneous tales, succeeded by texts that contain descriptive material; after which follow such stories as were obtained in a fragmentary form. The last narrative (No. 23), told in English, has been added to this collection, because this proved the most expedient way of publishing it.

The small number of native Lower Umpqua traditions does not permit of making any extensive investigations into the question of a probable concordance between the mythology of the Lower Umpqua and that of the surrounding tribes; but judging from those few that were obtained, and chiefly in view of the fact that Louisa Smith claimed to have heard her own people tell some of the Alsea and Coos stories contained in this volume, it may be assumed with a certain degree of safety that the

¹ Leo J. Frachtenberg, Coos Texts (Columbia University Contributions to Anthropology, Vol. I, Nos. 2, 5, 8, and 9).

mythology of the Lower Umpqua Indians did not differ materially, in form and content, from that of their neighbors. This applies especially to the traditions of the Coos and Yakonan¹ tribes, whose languages show a clear relationship to Siuslaw.²

The vocabulary at the end of this volume, does not by any means contain all stems and expressions that were ever used by the Lower Umpqua Indians; although it embodies, besides the stems found in the texts, such additional material as was obtained through colloquial intercourse with the informants. The alphabetical order in which these stems are arranged was suggested by Professor Franz Boas, to whom the author is greatly indebted in many ways. The numerals that follow each stem refer to page and line of this volume.

A full sketch of the Lower Umpqua language, based chiefly upon these texts, is being published by the Bureau of American Ethnology.³

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¹ I intend to discuss this question in a grammatical sketch of the Alsea, to be published in the Handbook of American Indian Languages (Bureau of American Ethnology, Bulletin 40, Part II).

² Leo J. Frachtenberg, Lower Umpqua, an Illustrative Sketch (*ibid.*).

ALPHABET.

- a* Like *a* in *shall*.
e Like *e* in *helmet*.
i Like *i* in *it*.
o Like *o* in *sort*.
u Like *u* in German *Furcht*.
ā Like *a* in *car*.
ē Like *a* in *table*.
ī Like *ee* in *teem*.
ō Like *o* in *rose*.
ū Like *oo* in *too*.
ı̇ Like *y* in Polish *ryba*.
ú Very short *u*.
ä Like *ä* in German *wählen*.
ɛ Obscure vowel.
a, e, i, o, u, ɛ Resonance vowels.
ai Like *i* in *island*.
aī Same as preceding, but with second element long.
au Like *ou* in *mouth*.
aū Same as preceding, with second element long.
ui Diphthong *ui*.
āi Diphthong *āi*.
āu Diphthong *āu*.
ūi Diphthong *ūi*.
q Velar *k*.
q! Same as preceding, with very great stress of explosion.
x Like *ch* in German *Bach*.
k Like *c* in *come*, but unaspirated.
k! Same as preceding, with very great stress of explosion.
kʰ Aspirated *k*.
d, t Sonants and surds difficult to distinguish; surd not aspirated.
t! Like *t*, with very great stress of explosion.
tʰ Weak explosive *t*.
tʰ Aspirated *t*.
s As in English.
c Like *sh* in English *she*.
ts As in English *sits*.
tc Like *ch* in *chunk*.
ts!, tc! Same as preceding, with very great stress of explosion.

- ts'*, *tc'* . . . Weak explosives.
p As in English.
p' Same as preceding, with very great stress of explosion.
l, *m*, *n* . . . As in English.
l' Palatal *l*. Like *l* in English *lure*.
l Spirant lateral, pronounced like the combined *ch* in German
ich and the *l* in English *lure*.
l Surd lateral, pronounced very much like *tl*.
l' Same as preceding, with very great stress of explosion.
^h Glottal catch.
^h Aspiration whose palatal or velar character depends upon the
character of the vowel that precedes it.
h, *y*, *w* . . As in English.
' Stress accent.
` Pitch accent.

CREATION MYTHS.

I. THE UNIVERSAL CHANGE ¹ (*Alsea*).

One day (Coyote) said to his people that he was going to assemble many people. "We shall have fun." So everywhere he sent word to all people, (instructing the messengers thus:) "You will tell (them that) on such a day many people will come together from everywhere." And, indeed, thus (the messengers) did. To each place there came a messenger, saying, "Many people are going to assemble." And, indeed, people did thus, and assembled. And after a while all the messengers returned.

Waa'a^utsme ants L!a'ai hītc. Tema^uyūn ants L!a'ai hītc.

He speaks to his those many people. He will assemble those many people.
them

"Hū'tctūnł." Klēxū'tc L!aya'tc waa'ūn ants hītc L!a'ai.

"Play will we." Each to place to he says to those people many.

"L!wa'ntūxtcî, 'Tcînt tsxayū^{wi} temū'tūx L!a'ai hītc k!ēxū'ne.'" "Tell shall you, 'On such a day assemble many people every from.'" "shall

uʔ wàn ha'nhan s^eatsa'tx hītcū^u. Klēxū'tc L!aya'tc waa'ūn

Then finally indeed thus do (pl.) people. Each to place to says it

5 TE ʔa'k^ut!wî hītū'tc. "Temūa'wax ants L!a'ai." uʔ wàn

this gatherer (of) people. "Are going to those many." Then finally come together

ha'nhan s^eatsa'tx hītcū^{wi}. uʔ wàn temū'tx hītcū^u. uʔ

indeed thus do (pl.) people. Then finally assemble people. Then

wàn kūiyā'tsacl!a'ai uʔ tcīn ants L!a'ai hītc L!owa'x.

finally after a while then return those many people messengers.

¹ A myth probably common to the Siuslaw and Alsea Indians, since Louisa claimed to have heard it related by some of her own people.

Thus was each messenger told: "In ten days we shall start from everywhere." And the messengers related it thus: "In ten days they will come."

Glad were the hearts of the people who were going to assemble. They kept counting those days, for they were going to have much fun. They were going to shoot at the target, and they were going to throw up bundles of tied grass and spear them in the air. Thus people were going to play, as soon as those days should pass. And that chief (Coyote) said, "Many will come. Make ye your minds strong. Don't be continually down-hearted!"

ʉ wàn waa'xam s^Eatsi'tc: "Kix^Es tsxayū'wi ʉn^xan wàn
Then finally (he) is told thus: "(In) ten days then we finally
(excl.)

qa'tc^Entūx klēxū'NE L!aya'NE." ʉ wàn s^Eatsi'tc L!wina'ⁱ
start will each from place from." Then finally thus relate
ants L!o'wa'x: "Kix^Es tsxayū'wi ʉn^x L!ūtūx."
those messengers: "(In) ten days then come will."
they

Tsitū'wic haⁱ ants L!a'^{ai} ants tēmua'wax L!a'^{ai}.
Glad (is) their heart those many those to assemble many.
(of) (of) (who) intend

5 Ka'Lxēsūn ants tsxayū'wi. Yā'a'xaⁱ hūtcū'wi L!a'^{ai}.
They keep on those days. Much fun they
counting (will have).

Tsīl!atū'^u yā'a'xaⁱ L!a'^{ai}. ʉ hamxaū'nī ants tseha'ya ʉ
Shoot (pl.) many people. And made of tied that grass then
qa'xūntc hakwa'yū'NE ʉ qa'xūntc tū'tca'yūtNE. S^Ea'tsa
upwards it is thrown and upwards it is speared. Thus
hūtcū'^u L!a'^{ai}. Kūiyā'tsacL!a'^{ai} ʉ smū't^Etūx ants tsxayū'wi.
play (pl.) many. After a while then end will those days.

Waa'ⁱ ants m^aā'tī, "L!ūtūx L!a'^{ai}. T^Exmîsîtcî¹ haⁱ!
Says that chief, "Come will many. Strong continually hearts!
let be your

10 Kum'ntc^Etcî qa'xantc ha'^uwîsîti haⁱ!"
Not you downwards make contin- hearts!"
ually your

¹ Mis-heard for *t^Exmîsîtcî* STRONG CONTINUALLY (LET) BE YOUR . . . Consists of *t^Ex^{am}* STRONG; *-îs* durative; *-îtcî* possessive suffix for 2d per. pl.

At last those ten days came to an end. They were looking out for the multitude that was to come. And finally they came. Many people came and began to play. Different games they played. They were shooting at the target, and were playing shinny. Those who came brought with them all kinds of things. "We shall play different games." Many games were to be indulged in. And people kept on assembling, and began to play. They were shooting at the target. Then (Coyote and his aide) said

uʔ wàn smut'a't' ants tsxayū'wi. uʔ wàn ya'q^uhīsūn
Then finally ends that day. And now (they) watch continually (for)

ants L!a'ai LĪ'ūtūx. uʔ wàn LĪ'ūtūx hĭtcū'u ants L!a'ai.
those many come will. Then finally come people those many.
(who) (pl.)

Yā'a'xaⁱ hĭtc L!a'ai LĪ'ū. uʔ wàn hūtca'tx hĭtcū'u. Nĭctcama^{i'}-
Many people many come. Then finally play (pl.) people. Different

nat'E hūtca'tx hĭtcū'u. TcĪL!atū'^u 1 L!a'ai. Pĕkū'^u L!a'ai.
(games) play (pl.) people. Shoot now many. Play many.
(pl.) shinny (pl.)

5 Ha^{i'}mūt L!a'ai tE'q hĭna'yūn ants LĪ'ūtūx hĭtcū'u L!a'ai.
All many some- bring it those come people many.
thing (who) (pl.)

"Nĭctcama^{i'}nat'anʔ hū'tctūx." uʔ wàn yā'a'xaⁱ hūtca'^{i'}
"Different (games) play will." So now much playing
we (incl.)

xnĭ^wna'a^u. 2 uʔ wàn tēmū'tx hĭtcū'u. uʔ wàn hūtca'tx
will be done. And now assemble people. And now play (pl.)
(pl.)

hĭtcū'u.³ TcĪL!atū'^u 1 L!a'ai. uʔa^{ux} s^eatsĭ'tc waana'wa.
people. Shoot now they. Then thus talk to each
(pl.) they two other.

¹ This form has been used instead of *tsĪL!atū'u*. The narrator frequently substituted a *c* for an *s*, owing chiefly to the fact that his native tongue (Alsea) has no true alveolar spirants.

² Louisa claimed that *xnĭ^wna'tam* would have been a more appropriate form than *xnĭ^wna'a^u*.

³ Note the frequent recurrence of this phrase. Such repetitions will be met with throughout these texts, and constitute a characteristic trait of William Smith's mode of narrating a story.

thus: "Whoever has a strong mind shall be first." Thus the two chiefs talked to each other. And the people were shooting at the target, while others kept on assembling. And the contestants were shooting far. Thus the games were started. Then those two chiefs said, "We two are going to play. All kinds of games we shall play. We shall play a great deal." Thus said to each other the two chiefs. "We two shall play all kinds of games."

All the people put feathers on their heads. And when

"Wac te'x^amtc hai', ʉ s^ɛà pɛh'tc'itūx." S^ɛatsi'tc^wax

"Who strong his mind, so he first shall be." Thus they two
waana'wa a'nts^{ux} m^aā'ti. Tcīl^latū'u¹ l^a'ai. Tɛmū'tx
talk to each those two chiefs. Shoot now they. Assemble
other (pl.) (pl.)

hītcū'u. ʉ ants tcīl^latū'u¹ ʉ qai'ha'ntc tsīl^lai'. S^ɛatsa'u'.
people. And those shoot now and far to shoot. Thus
(who) (pl.)

wax hī'q^lai't ants l^a'ai. A'nts^{ux} m^aā'ti waana'wa^{ux}.
intend start now those many. Those two chiefs talk to each
to other they two.

5 "Hū'tcawans. K!ēxū'nī tɛ'qaū'nī hūtcā' xni'wni'wyūns." ²

"Are going to play Each con- something fun do it will we two"
we two (incl.) sisting of consisting of (incl.)

Waa'i'muxwa^{ux} ants m^aā'ti. "Hū'tctūns yā'a'xa." S^ɛatsi'-
Talk to each other those chiefs. "Play will we much." Thus
they two two (incl.) (adv.)

tca^{ux} waa'i'mux^u ants m^aā'ti. "K!ēxū'nī tɛ'qaū'nī hūtcā'
they talk to each those chiefs. "Each con- something fun
two other sisting of consisting of

ʉns xni'wni'wyūns."

then we do it will."
two (incl.)

Ha'i'mūt^ɛnx ʉai'qat skwaha'ix xwāki' ants l^a'ai. Kūi
All they feathers stand on their heads those many. Al-

¹ This form has been used instead of *tsīl^latū'u*. The narrator frequently substituted a *c* for an *s*, owing chiefly to the fact that his native tongue (Alsea) has no true alveolar spirants.

² Instead of *xni'wni'wyūns*.

the fun was almost at an end, that other chief said thus: "Now we shall play another game." Thus said that other chief. So not long afterwards they quit. Then the other chief said thus: "You will assemble (here)." And, verily, they obeyed, and assembled around him. "You will play (thus). Whoever likes that feather, he shall try it on." So the feather was put on (some one); but as soon as this was done, that person lowered his head. "It is heavy, I don't like it." Thus said the man on whose head (the feather) was placed. And whenever one did thus, people would shout at him. Then Wild-Cat put it on, and almost

- xyal'x smū't'a ants l!a'ai hūtcū'u. ʉ Lxa'yaxaū'nī ants
 most ends that great fun. Then another one that
 m^aā'tī ʉ waa'. "Ha'nanl hū'tctūx wa'tūx." Atsī'tc
 chief then says. "Differently we play will again." Thus
 waa' ants Lxa'yaxaū'nī ants m^aā'tī. Kwīnx yā'tsa s^ea'-
 says that other one that chief. Not they long thus
 ts^eyax ʉnx haū'. "TEMū'tūxtcī." Atsī'tc waa' ants
 (did) so they quit. "Assemble shall you." Thus says that
 5 Lxa'yaxaū'nī ants m^aā'tī. ʉ wān ha'nhan s^eatsa'tx
 other one that chief. Then finally indeed thus (do) (pl.)
 hūtcū'u. ʉ wān TEMū'tx hūtcū'u. "Hū'tctūxtcī. Tcīna'ta^u
 people. Then finally assemble people. "Play shall you. Whoever
 sī'nīxyaxaūn ants lā'qat, ʉ hīya'tsīsūtNE. Hū'tctūxtcī."
 wanted it that feather, so it would be put Play shall you."
 on (by him).
 ʉ wān hīsī'xam ants lā'qat. Hīyatsī'tsūn ants lā'qat
 And now is put on that feather. (One) would that feather
 put it on
 ʉ txū kwa'hunt. "Kī'k'it, kumī'ntcīn sī'nīxyūn." S^eatsī'tc
 and just he lowers "Heavy not I want it." Thus
 his head. (it is)
 10 waa' ants hīsī'xamīME. Lhañ'txaū'NE ants s^ea'tsa
 would he it was put on. Is continually he who thus
 say (whom) shouted at
 xñī'w^{na}. ʉ waha'haūn hīyatsī'tsūn hīya'q^u, waha'hūn
 does (it). Then again is putting it on Wild-Cat, again

succeeded in walking a little ways; but it was too heavy. "It does not fit you." Thus she was told. Then Bear put it on, and began to run; but he only climbed a tree. Then he was told thus: "It does not look nice on you." So he slid down again, coming back along the creek. And when he came back, (he was told,) "It does not fit you." Then another person put it on. Wolf put it on and started out. He went up a hill, but ran down quickly. And when he came back, he said, "How can any one travel (with that thing on) in a rough place?" Thus he

hiyatsí'tsūn. ʉ txū xyal'xí'sk'in qa'tc'nt qa'ha'ntc. Kí'k'it
he is putting it Then just almost a little he goes far off. Heavy
on.

yux^u. "Kumí'ntc hí'sa nàtc." ¹ Atsí'tc waa'xam ants
too. "Not good on me." Thus is told that

hítc.² ʉ waha'hūn tliya' hiyatsí'tsūn. ʉ Lxatí't ants
man. Then again Bear is putting it on. And is running that

tli. ʉ txū xa'f'nt qa'xúntc lqatūwiyū'stc. Cí'nixyat!ya
Bear. And just he climbs up to tree to. Thinks continually

5 ants maā'ti. Atsí'tc waa'xam. "Kumí'ntc hí'sa ní'x'atc."
that chief. Thus he is told. "Not good thee on."

ʉ slōxu'x^u xwīl!a'l!, qanístcī'tc txū slōxu'x^u inqla'itcix.
So he slides he returns, downwards just he slides creek to along.

ʉ xwīl!a'l!. "Kumí'ntc hí'sa ní'x'atc." ʉ waha'haūn
Then he came back. "Not good thee on." Then again

haya'na hiyatsí'tsūn. Q!ā'xa^uxt hiyatsí'tsūn ʉ qa'tc'nt.
different is putting it on. Wolf is putting it on and goes.
(man)

Qa'xúntc txū qa'tc'nt ckō'tcī'tc. ʉ qanístcī'tc xwīl!a'l!
Upwards just he goes hill like. Then down like he returns

10 Lxatí't. ʉ tci'n ʉ waa', "Ní'ctcī tēx xí'ntmīs hitc miklaū',
he runs. So he and says, "How (I) travels person bad in,
returns wonder always

¹ Ought to be *ní'x'atc* ON THEE, obj. per. pronoun for 2d per. sing.

² As told in the Siuslaw language, this Alsea myth loses many of its salient points. In the original version the different people are told to try on a pair of elk-antlers; and, if the antlers do not fit a person, that person is changed into an animal, and the name given to it is indicative of some characteristic motion performed by that person in the endeavor to keep on the antlers.

said, as he took it off. So he was told thus: "You shall be nothing. Wolf shall be your name, you shall always travel in the mountains." Then Cougar was told to put it on. He put it on, raised his head, but lowered it frequently. "Hey! it does not fit you. Cougar shall be your name. It does not look nice on you. You shall just walk around everywhere, trying to look for food."

Next Deer put it on, and began to run around in all directions. "It looks very nice on you. Deer shall be your name. People will always eat (your meat)." Finally Elk put on that feather. People were shouting, as that

L!aya'?" S^eatsi'tc waa', ʋ wàn āqa'qa^un. ʋ s^eatsi'tc
place in?" Thus he says, and finally he takes it off. Then thus
waa'xam: "Kumí'ntcⁱnx tē'q, q!a'xa^uxⁱnx ĩn, ckō'tci'tc^enx
he is told: "Not thou some-
thing,

xí'ntmīs ĩnàt." ʋ waa'xam ants ĩ'tc^et. Waha'ha^un
travel wilt always." Then is told that Cougar. Again
ĥiya'tcⁱt ĥiyatsí'tsūn. ʋ wàn ĥiyatsí'tsūn ʋ txū tca^u'k'at,
Cougar is putting it on. Then now he is putting and just he raises his
it on head,

5 ʋ kwa^huna't!ist. "Hē, kumí'ntc ĥi'isa nī'x^atc. Txū ĩ'tc^et
but begins to lower "Hey, not good thee on. Just Cougar
it frequently.

ĥi'nīnx. ʋ wàn kumí'ntc ĥi'isa nī'x^atc. Txū'nx k!ēxū'
name thy. And now not good thee on. Just thou each on

L!aya' xí'ntmīs. Yā'xatc'ist^enx ĥit!aya'."
place on travel shalt (Wilt) try to begin to food."
always. look for, thou

ʋ waha'ha^un ĥiyatsí'tsūn tsa'sqīn. Lxa'tatc'ist k!ēxū'tc
Then again is putting it on Deer. Begins to try each to
to run

L!aya'tc ants tsí'sqan. "Tsí'k!ya ĥi'isa nī'x^atc. Tsí'sqⁱnⁱx
place to that Deer. "Very good thee on. Deer thy

10 ĥi'n. ĥiya'tc^enx ĥi'tlīsūts txū." ʋ wàn waha'ha^un ĥiyatsí'tsūn
name. People thee eat will just." Then finally again is putting it on
always

Līmna'q ants ĥa'qat. Haĥ'tx ĥitcū'^u. K!ēxū'tc L!aya'tc
Elk that feather. Shout (pl.) people. Each to place to

Elk began to run about in all directions. Even on bad places he succeeded in running. People shouted at him, "It looks very nice on you!" Then the chief said, "It fits you very well. You shall always carry it. Your name shall be Elk." He was not merely standing (still), he kept on walking in all directions. "Elk shall be your name. People will always eat (your meat)."

Now here the story ends. People kept on shouting. 'Tis the end.

2. THE DEATH OF GRIZZLY BEAR (*Alsea*).

(It happened) long ago. The world was very bad long

Lxa'tatc'ist ants lîmna'q. Waⁱ mî'k!a^u l!aya' uł lxataⁱ.
begins to try that Elk. Even bad on place on still he runs.
to run

Łhał'sū'ne. "Tsi'k!ya hî'sa nî'xatc." uł waa' ants maā'tî,
He is continually "Very good thee on." Then says that chief,
shouted at.

"Tsi'k!ya hî'sa nî'xatc. Qnî'xts^{enx} xî'ntmisun. lîmna'-
"Very good thee on. Thou carry it shalt Elk
always.

'qa^{inx} hî'nîti." Kumî'ntc txū skwahaⁱ. K!ēxū'tc l!aya'tc
thy name." Not just he stands. Each to place to

5 qa'tc^{inat}!ya. "lîmna'qa^{inx} hîn. Hîya'tc^{enx} hî't!isūts."
he goes frequently. "Elk thy name. People thee eat always will."

Sqa'ik wàn hawai'. Hał'tx hîtcū'u. Smit'ū' wàn.
There finally it ends. Shout (pl.) people. It ends finally.

2. THE DEATH OF GRIZZLY BEAR¹ (*Alsea*).

Wā'nwîts. Tsi'k!ya mî'k!a wā'nwîts l!a'^{ai}. K!ēxū'
Long ago. Very bad long ago world. Each on

¹ An Alsea myth told by William Smith in the Lower Umpqua language. Grizzly Bear seems to have been looked upon as a very dangerous animal by many of the Northwest Pacific coast tribes. In their mythologies he either meets with utter destruction or is made the scapegoat of the tricks of some other animal (see Leo J. Frachtenberg, *Coos Tales*, in *Columbia University Contributions to Anthropology*, Vol. I, p. 90; Edward Sapir, *Takelma Texts*, in *University of Pennsylvania Anthro-*

ago. Everywhere it was so, and this was the cause of it: A bad person was devouring (the people). Grizzly Bear was devouring them long ago. Whenever a man went out hunting, Grizzly Bear would kill and devour him. Many people were sorry because of that. So they came together and tried to find some remedy. (They all agreed) that Grizzly Bear must be killed. That's why they came together. And the chiefs of that region said, "We are very sorry. How can we kill him? He cannot be killed by means

L.laya'	ʉ	s ^E a ⁱ t ^E 1	L!a'ai.	S ^E a'tsa	hí'q!aq!yax	wā'nwits.
place on	then	such	world.	Thus	it started	long ago.
Mi'ya'k!a	hi'ya'tc	ʃt!a'yūn.	Swā ²	ʃt!a'yūn	hītc	L!a'ai
Bad	person	devoured (them).	Grizzly	devoured	people	many
wā'nwits.	Hītc	p ^a a'i'Ln	qatcna'i',	ʉ	s ^E às	L!xma'i'yūs ʉ
long ago.	Man	to hunt	goes,	then	he	would kill and him
ʃt!i'yūs.	Yā'a'xa ⁱ	hītc	p!na'ix	ha ⁱ	s ^E a'i'na.	ʉ
would devour him.	Many	people	sorry their	hearts	for that.	So assemble (pl.)
5 hītcū'u.	Sin'xyū'u	xāL!a'ū!tx. ³	Tsīm	xawa'a ^u .	A'tsa	ʉ
people.	Desire (pl.)	be made his.	Always	killed he shall be.	That's why	
wàn	temū'tx	hītcū'u.	ʉ	waa ⁱ 'tx	wàn	mātiyū'u
now	assemble (pl.)	people.	Then	say re- peatedly	now	chiefs of) region. this
"P!a'ntxan	ha ⁱ	tsi'k!ya.	Ni'tcan!	tex	xawa'ūn?	ʉ
"Sorry our (excl.)	hearts	very.	How we (incl.)	doubt	kill him?	For
kum'ntc	xa'wi!	tsi!li'tc.	A'tsan	u!n ⁴	kum'ntc	si'n'xyūn
not	die neg- ative	arrow with.	That's	why	not	want it

poloical Publications, Vol. II, No. 1, p. 123). Similar tales are also recorded among the Alsea and Molala. — Grammatical notes to this story are given in the texts accompanying my Lower Umpqua, an Illustrative Sketch (Handbook of American Indian Languages, Vol. II).

¹ The obscure vowel has been inserted here for reasons of a physiological nature.

² Compare Coos *swat*, and Alsea *sūtn*.

³ Literally, MANY DESIRE (THAT) HIS HABIT (OF KILLING PEOPLE) SHALL BE STOPPED.

⁴ Singular instead of plural. Should have been *a'tsanxan u!n'xan*.

of an arrow: hence we do not want to kill him with an arrow." Then finally some one suggested to go and see how Grizzly lived, and to invite him (to come here). So some one went to look for him. And (the messenger) who arrived there (said to Grizzly Bear), "You, too, are invited to come to the playgrounds;" but Grizzly was not willing. So the man went back, and upon returning related thus: "He does not want to come." Thus the man related. Lots of fun had the people who had come together. And the man who was to go (again) was told thus: "We won't give up. When he is dead, then we will give up." Thus it was repeatedly claimed.

Then finally a man was told to go (again). A very

- tsîl.l'tc L!xmayá'a^u. ʉ wàn waa'tx hītcū^u k!l̄nk'ya'a^u
 arrow with killed he shall Then finally say (pl.) people they will go and
 be." see (fut. pass.)
- n̄'ctca tE taⁱ. S^Ea'tsa tū'na'a^u. ʉ wàn qa'tc'ntx k!l̄n-
 how this lives. Thus he will be Then finally go (pl.) to look
 invited.
- k't'ū'wi. ʉ wàn L!l̄l!wa'xam.¹ Līū'ūn. "K!aha'yū'nānx,
 for him. Then now he is approached. He got there. "Invited art thou,
 al'twa'wanx hūtcū'stc L!aya'tc." Kumí'ntc a'mhāt haⁱ.
 also about to, thou fun to (of) place to." Not willing his mind.
- 5 ʉ tca'xa^{ūt} ʉ tcī'n ants hītc. ʉ s^Eatsī'tc L!waⁿ: "Kumí'ntc
 So goes back and goes that man. And thus relates: "Not
 home
- a'mhāt haⁱ." S^Eatsī'tc L!waⁿ ants hītc. Yā'a'xaⁱ hūtcū^u
 willing his mind." Thus relates that man. Much fun
- L!a'ai ants tēmū^u'wi. ʉ waa'xam ants s^Ea qa'tc'ntūx.
 they (of) that assembly. Then is told that who go will.
- "Kumí'ntcīn̄ ana'xyūn. Ats xa'ūtūx. ʉh̄n̄ ana'xyūn."
 "Not we give it up will. When he die will then we give it up will."
- Atsī'tc L!ōnī'txa^ūNE.
 Thus it is frequently said.
- 10 ʉ wàn L!ōxa'xam waa'xam ants hītc. S^ukwī'tc tsīnq!t
 Then finally is sent is told (to go) that man. Very poor is

¹ Namely, Grizzly Bear.

poor man it was who was sent. "Speak to him kindly, don't tell him anything bad. Tell him thus: 'We want you to come here. We are going to have lots of fun.' Thus you shall tell him. Don't tell him (anything) bad. He is shrewd and very bad." Finally that man went, thinking (a great deal) in his mind, for he was very much afraid. (And when he came to Grizzly Bear, he said,) "I come here as a messenger." (He then told Grizzly Bear his mission and departed. Not long afterwards Grizzly's friends visited him, inquiring of the messenger's mission.) One of them said, "What did the (man) who came here say to you?" — "He said nothing. I was simply told

ants	hītc	L!ōxa'xam.	"Hi'sanx	L!wā'nīsūn.	Kwī'nx	nīctcī'tc			
that	man	is sent.	"Well thou	keep on telling	Not thou	what like			
	(who)			him.					
L!wā'nīsūn	mī'k!a'na.	L!wā'nīsūnanx	s ^ē atsī'tc.	Sī'nīxyūnan-					
keep on telling	badly.	Keep on telling	thus.	Want him					
him		him thou							
xan	Lī'ūtūx	tīū'ts.	Tsī'k!yanxan	sī'nīxyūn	hūtca'a ^u .				
we	come shall	here.	Very we	want it	fun shall be				
					(had).				
Atsī'tc ^{Enx}	L!wā'nīsūn.	Kwī'nx	L!wā'nīsūn	mī'k!a'na.					
Thus thou	keep on telling	Not thou	keep on telling	badly.					
	him.		him						
5	Yā'a'xa'itc	ha ⁱ , ¹	tsī'k!ya	mī'k!a."	ʉ	wàn	qa'tc'īnt	ants	hītc.
	Much his	mind,	very	bad."	So finally	goes	that	man.	
Ha'itcī'tc	cī'nīxyat!ya	ants	hītc.	Wīnx	tsī'k!ya.	"L!ōwa'xan			
His mind	thinks repeatedly	that	man.	He fears	very.	"Messenger I			
	kind of								
tā'kīn	Līū'."	ʉ	wàn	wī'wa ⁱ ,	"Nīctcī'tc ^{Enx}	wa'a'yaxa'ūts			
this I	come."	Then now	he affirms,	"What thee	told you	he-thee			
ants	Lī'ūyax?" ²	—	"Kumī'ntc	nīctcī'tc	wa'a'ī.	Txūn			
that (who)	came?"	—	"Not	anything	he says (neg.).	Just I			
L!ōna'yūtne	s ^ē atsī'tc:	'K!aha'yū'nīn.'	Atsī'tcīn	L!ōna'yūts.					
am told	thus:	'Invited am I.'	Thus me	tells he-me.					

¹ "He is foxy."

² Here the narrator has lost the trend of his story. Upon the departure of the messenger, Grizzly is evidently asked by some friends as to his mission, whereupon he gives the answer that follows.

(that) I am invited (to some games). Thus he told me: 'People want you to come very much. That's why I came here as a messenger.'" (After a while another messenger was sent to Grizzly Bear, requesting him to come at once.) Then (Grizzly Bear) said thus: "Will anything be given to me if I come?" — "Nothing was said (about that). People are just playing, and that's why you are invited to come." — "You tell them thus: 'He wants something. If something be given to him, then he will come.' Thus he tells you."

(The messenger related Grizzly Bear's words to his people.) And one man said thus: "He is shrewd. He

'Tsi'k'yanx sɨ'nɨxyūn lɨwa'wax. S^Eatsi'tcɨn l^owax tā'kɨn
 'Very they want it intend to come Thus I messenger this I
 (thou).

lɨū.' S^Eatsi'tc waaⁱ.¹ "Tɨ'qɨn waxaū'mɨ tā'kɨn k!aha'-
 come.'" Thus he says. "Some- be given this I am
 thing I

yū'nɨ?" — "Kumɨntc nɨctci'tc wa'a'ūtnɨ. Tɨxū wàn hūtcū'^u
 invited?" — "Not anything is said. Just now play (pl.)

l!a'ai. S^Ea'tsa tanx sɨ'nɨxyūtɨnɨ lɨ'ūtūx." — "S^Eatsi'tc^ɨnx
 many. Thus this thou art wanted come shall." — "Thus thou

5 l!wā'nɨs:² 'Sɨ'nxɨt tāqa'na. Ats tɨ'q waxa'yɨxayɨm,³ ɨ'
 tell contin- 'He wants something. When some- he be given, then
 ually: thing

wàn lɨ'ūtūx.' S^Eatsi'tc^ɨnx waa'yūts."

finally he come will.' Thus thee tells he-thee."

ɨ' s^Eatsi'tc waa' ants a'q hɨtc.⁴ "Tɨxū yā'a'xa'itc haⁱ.⁵
 Then thus says that one man. "Just much his mind.

S^Eatsi'tc sɨ'nɨxya, nɨ'ctcɨm s^Eàs k!ixa'yūn tɨ hɨtc. A'tsa
 Thus he desires, because he kills these people. That's

¹ The narrator lost again the trend of the story. The messenger has evidently once more approached Grizzly Bear, from whom he receives the reply that follows.

² These are the instructions given by Grizzly Bear to the messenger.

³ Probably mis-heard for *wa'x^eyaxa'mɨ*.

⁴ The messenger has now returned, giving the following account of his visit to Grizzly Bear.

⁵ That is, "he is shrewd."

thinks so, because he has killed the people. That's why he is shrewd." Thus said that man (messenger). "He was (evidently) told (by some of his friends) that a dance would be arranged for him in order to change his (mean) disposition, and that everybody hates him. That's why he replied, that, if something were given to him, he would come. Thus he told me."

Then the messenger went again. "You tell him thus: 'A knife will be given to you.' Thus tell him. 'You shall start right away, you are invited. Many people are playing (there), and it is desirable that you should come.' Thus you tell him." That man who was about to be sent kept on thinking, "I will speak to him. I know

ɥ̄ yā'xa'itc ha'." ¹ Atsī'tc waa' ants hītc: "Atsī'tc
why much his mind." Thus says that man: "Thus
waa'xam: 'MEqlēina'a'. Hūya'ūltx ha'. Tsī'k'lya pfan-
he is told: 'A dance will be Changed (will mind. Very sorry
arranged for him. be) his for

ya'itlyūn ha'itc.' ² S^eatsī'tc waa'. Ats tē'q wa'x^eyaxaūme
him is con- mind his.' Thus he says. If some- be given to him
tinually thing (conditional)

ɥ̄ lī'ūtūx. S^eatsī'tcīn wa'a'āts."
then he will come. Thus me tells he-me."

5 ɥ̄ wān qa'tcīnt ants hītc waha'. "S^eatsī'tc^{enx} wa'a'isūn.
Then now starts that man again. "Thus thou tell him
repeatedly.

'Waxa'yimanx qanina'.' Atsī'tcīnx l!ōna'yūn. 'Līm^qanx
'Is given to thee knife.' Thus thou tell him. 'Right away thou
qa'tcīntūx, k!aha'yū'nanx. Hūtcū^{wi} l!a'ai yā'xa'. Sī'nix-
start shalt, invited art thou. Play (pl.) they many. Wanted
yū'nanx lī'ūtūx.' Atsī'tc^{enx} l!ōna'yūn." Cī'nixyat!ya ants
art thou come shalt.' Thus thou tell him." Thinks continually that
hītc l!ōxa'a', "Qna'han waa'yūn. l!xū'yūn qna'han
man sent will be, "I say to him. Know it I
(who)

¹ That is, "he is shrewd."

² That is, "everybody hates him."

what to tell him, so that he will start right away." Then the messenger started out. "I will speak to him, and he will start right away." Thus he was thinking as he went along. Finally he came to (Grizzly Bear). "A messenger I come. You are wanted very much. Pretty soon the games will come to an end, and that's why I was told (to come here). You are my relative. Why don't you want (to go)?" And (Grizzly Bear) answered him thus: "I am wise. That's why I don't want (to go). It seems to me that I am only wanted for the purpose of being killed. That's why I am wise." — "Not so, they want you to see (the fun). For that purpose you are wanted.

nīctcī'tc waa'yūn, ʉ hī'nakⁱ qa'tc^{Ent}ūx." ʉ wān qa'tc^{Ent}
 what say to him, and right away he go will." Then now starts

ants hītc. "Qna'han waa'yūn ʉ hī'nakⁱ qa'tc^{Ent}ūx."
 that man. "I say to him, and right away he go will."

Atsī'tc cī'nīxyat!ya ants hītc. ʉ xīnt ʉ LĪŪ'. LĪŪ'ūn.
 Thus thinks contin- that man. So he and arrives. He arrives
 ually goes at him.

"L!°wa'xan tā'kīn LĪŪ'. Tsi'klyanx sī'nīxyū'NE LĪwa'wax.
 "Messenger I this I come. Very thou (art) wanted to come intend.

5 Kūⁱ yā'tsac L!°ai ʉ smū't^{Et}ūx ants L!°ai hūtcū'wi.
 Pretty nearly and end will that big fun.

Atsī'tcīn waa'yūtNE. Na'm^Efīnx tē'q. Nīctcī'tcanx tanx
 Thus I am told. My thou relative What manner this
 (art). thou thou

kūⁱ a'mhaⁱtī haⁱ?" Atsī'tc waa'aūn. "Yā'a'xaⁱtxan haⁱ.
 not willing (thy) mind?" Thus he says to "Much I (think mind.
 him. in my)

S^Ea'tsan tē kumī'ntc a'mhaⁱtī haⁱ. Txūn k^{Un}à xa'wa
 That's why this not willing mind. Just I perhaps to die
 I one (my)

sī'nīxyūtNE. S^Ea'tsan ʉⁱn yā'xaⁱtī haⁱ." — "Kumī'ntc
 am wanted. That's why I much (think mind." — "Not
 in my)

10 S^Eatsī'tc, txūnx yā'xa sī'nīxyūtNE. S^Ea'tsanx tē k!aha'-
 thus, just thou to see (art) wanted. Thus thou this
 one (art)

Their intentions towards you are good. A present will be given to you. For that reason you are invited. You are my relative, so I (came to) fetch you. That's why I came quickly. A knife will be given to you, because you are invited. I came right away, because you are my relative. The reason why I came to you is because I want you to have some fun. That's why I came to you. I don't think that anything bad will happen to you. That's why I was sent." — "Yes, you are a bad man. They want to kill me, that's why I don't want (to go)." — "I don't think (it will be) thus. (Not) for that purpose I

yū'NE.	Txūnx	wàn	hī'sa	hawa'yīME	ha ⁱ . ¹	TE'q ^{ENX}
invited.	Just thou	now	well	it is made	mind.	Something thee
waxa ^ū 'ME.	S ^{Ea} 'tsanx	TE	k!aha'yū'NE.	Na'm ^E hinx	TE'q,	
it is given to.	Thus thou	this one	(art) invited.	My thou	relative (art),	
s ^{Ea} 'tsanx	tanx	h'kwa'yūts	qnà.	S ^{Ea} tsi'tcīn	tā'kīn	līmqa
that's why thee	this one thee	fetch I-thee	I.	That's why I	this one I	quickly
Līū'.	Qanī'nał	waxa ^ū 'manx.	S ^{Ea} 'tsanx	tanx	k!aha'yū'NE,	
come.	Knife	is given to thee.	That's why thou	this thou	(art) invited,	
5 s ^{Ea} 'tsa	tā'kīn	Līū',	n'ctcīm ^{ENX}	na'm ^E	TE'q.	S ^{Ea} 'tsanx TE
thus	this I	come,	because thou	me of	relative (art).	That's why this thee one
Līū'ūts	qnà.	Sī'nīxyūtsanx	qnà	hūtca'wax.	S ^{Ea} 'tsanx TE	
come to I-thee	I.	Want I-thee	I	to play intend.	Thus thee this one	
Llī'!ūtūts.	S ^{Ea} tsi'tcīn	ha ⁱ ,	kumī'ntc	k ^u nà	TE'q	mī'k!a'na
come to I-thee.	Thus my	mind,	not	perhaps	some- thing	badly
nī'x ^{atc} .	A'tsan	TE	nà	L!ōxa'xam."	— "Ha ^ū !	Tsī'k!yanx
to thee.	That's why I	this I	am sent."	— "All right!	Very thou	
mī'k!a.	Llxma'yanxīn	sī'nīxyūts.	S ^{Ea} 'tsan	kū ⁱ	a'mha ⁱ tī	
bad.	(To) kill they me	want he-me.	That's why I	not	willing (my)	
10 ha ⁱ ."	—	"Kumī'ntc	k ^u nà	s ^{Ea} tsi'tc.	S ^{Ea} 'tsan	tā'kīn
mind."	—	"Not	I guess	thus.	That's why I	this I I

¹ That is, "they have good intentions towards thee."

was sent. If it were as you say, I should not have been sent. Will you go now?" — "I will go. You will have to take good care of me." Thus (the messenger) told Grizzly Bear, "All right! I don't think that anything bad will happen (to you) on the part of those who play (there)." — "All right! I will go. I don't care even if I die." Thus said (Grizzly Bear) as he started. "I don't think (it will be) as (bad as you imagine). Are you going?" Thus said (the messenger) to him. "I very much desire that you, too, should be present at the games." Finally (Grizzly Bear) said, "I will go now." So he started. And that man who came to fetch him was thinking continually. He was thinking thus.

Llōxa'xam. S^eatsi'tc nàts, kūⁱ nàts nà Llō'x^eyaxaū^ene.¹
 am sent. Thus if, not (conditional) I had been sent.

Qa'tcintūnx wàn?" — "Qa'tcintūxan. Hī'sanx mā'nīsūts
 Go wilt thou now?" — "Go will I. Well thou take care of continually thou-me

qnī'xats." S^eatsi'tc waa'aūn. "Haū! Atsi'tcin haī. Kumīntc
 thou." Thus he tells him. "All right! Thus my mind. Not
 kūnà tē'q mīk!a'na tē hūtcū'u L!a'ai." — "Haū, qa'tcīn-
 I guess something badly this fun big." — "All right, go
 5 tūxan wàn. Kumīntc wàn tē'q, xau'tūxan."² S^eatsi'tc
 will I now. Not now something, die will I." Thus
 waa', ʔ hī'q!aīt. "Kumīntc kūnà wàn s^eatsi'tc. Qa'tcīn-
 he says, and starts. Not perhaps now thus. Go
 tūnx?" Atsi'tc waa'aūn. "Tsī'k!yanx qnà sī'nīxyūts.
 wilt thou?" Thus he tells him. "Very thee I like I-thee.
 A!tūtūnx hūtcū'stc." Atsi'tc waa'ūn. "Qa'tcintūxan
 Also shalt thou fun to." Thus he tells him. "Go will I
 wàn." ʔ wàn qa'tcīnt. Cī'nīxyat!īs ants hītc ants lā'k'ut!wī.
 now." Then finally he goes. Keeps on thinking that man that fetcher.
 10 S^eatsi'tc cī'nīxyat!īs.³
 Thus he keeps on thinking.

¹ That is, "if it were as you say, I should not have been sent."

² That is, "I don't care, even if I should die."

³ The narrator failed to tell the thoughts of the messenger.

They two kept on going; and when they were almost there, the two (chiefs) were told, "They two are coming. He is bringing that bad man." Everybody was glad. So when (Grizzly Bear) arrived, people assembled about him. "It is very good that you came, O friend! We shall have a great deal of fuh." Thus everybody said. Many people assembled (around him). Although there were many of them, still they all went there (to Grizzly Bear), calling him by name, and shouting, "It is very good that you came. We shall play a great deal. We two shall play." — "All right!" that man (Grizzly Bear) would say. "You shall watch (us). You sha'n't sleep. We shall play a great deal." Thus he was told repeatedly.

Qa'tc'inta^ux wàn. Līw'tc^wax wàn xīnt. ʃa^ux¹ s^eatsī'tc
 Go now they finally. Approach in the now go. So they thus
 two manner of they two two

waa'xam. "Xumca'ca^ux wàn. Hīna'yūn wàn tē mī'k'la
 are told. "Approaching are now. He brings now this bad
 they two him

hītc." Tc!ha^ucya'xam wàn. Wàn tci'n. T!ēmt!ma'xam
 man." Gladness was felt now. Finally he comes. He is assembled about
 wàn. "Tsi'k'lyanx hīs tanx līū' ts'il'mūt. Hū'tctūn!
 now. "Very thou good this thou camest friend. Play will we

5 yā^a'xa." Atsī'tc waa' ants hītc. Tēmū'tx hītcū^u ants
 muchly." Thus says that man. Assemble (pl.) people (of) that
 l!a'ai. Wai' yā^a'xaⁱ ants hītc, ʃ¹ ha'ī'mūt qa'tc'īnt sqa'ktc'ītc
 place. Even if many those people, still all go now thereto in the
 manner of

ants l!a'ai. Łā'nīsūtne ants hītc. "Tsi'k'lya hīs tanx
 that multitude. Is continually that man. Very good this
 called by name thou

līū'. Yā^a'xanxan hūtcū'ī'. Hū'tctūns." — "Ha^ū!" S^eatsī'tc
 camest. Much we play. Play will we two." — "All right!" Thus

waa' ants hītc. "Ya'q^uhītūnx, kwīnx a^u'sis. Yā^a'xanxan
 says that man. "Look shalt thou, not thou sleep always. Much we

10 hūtcū'ī'." Atsī'tc waa'ī'sū'ne ants hītc. Wā'nwīts ha'wa.
 play." Thus is told repeatedly that man. Long ago it is ready.

¹ The two chiefs.

(Everything) had been made ready long before. It had been decided to kill him with pitch during his sleep. Thus it was agreed upon. "Friend, don't sleep, we two are going to play." Thus they kept on telling him. "That's why you were invited." Thus he was told. "The people who live here have different kinds of games. All sorts of fun you will witness. That's why you were invited. We are well disposed (towards you). No mishap will befall you." Thus he was told repeatedly. Whoever came in would tell him thus: "It is very good that you came, O friend! You shall see. They will play for a long time." Then he would be told, "That's why we invited you. There is going to be a great deal of fun."

Sí'nyū'NE tsí'fna'tc xawa'a^u, a^u'stūxax. Atsī'tc ha'ūsime.
It is desired pitch with he killed a sleeper he Thus it was agreed
shall be, will be. upon.

"Ts'il'mū't, kwīnx a^u'sis. Hū'tctūns." Atsī'tc wa'ā'sū'NE.
"Friend, not thou sleep continually. Play shall we Thus he was told
two." continually.

"S^Eatsa'nx tanx k!aha'yūtnE." S^Eatsī'tc waa'īsūtNE. "Yā'a'xai
"Thus thou this (art) invited." Thus he is repeatedly "Many
thou told.

L!a'ai nītcama'i'nat'ū'wi ants tīyū'wi hūtcū'wi. Klīx tE'q
many different (pl.) (of) those in habit- games. Each some-
those ants thing

5 hūtcā' u'īnx yīxa'yūn. S^Ea'tsanx tanx k!aha'yū'NE. Tsi'
fun thou see it. Thus thou this thou (art) invited. Very
k!yanxan hī'sitī ha'i. Kum'ntc tE'q mī'k!a'na." Atsī'tc
we good is heart. Not some- thing badly." Thus
(our)

wa'a'īsū'NE. Tcī'nta^u hītc Līwa'ī, u' atsī'tc waa'yūsNE.
he is repeatedly told. Whatever person came, so (by him) he would be
told.

"Tsi'k!ya hīs tanx Līū', ts'il'mū't. Ya'q^uhītūnx. Wa'i'
"Very good this thou camest, friend. Look at it shalt Although
thou.

yā'tsa ants L!a'ai, u' s^Ea'tsa xni'wnīs." u' s^Eatsī'tc wa'a'īsū'NE.
long time that multi- still thus they keep on Then thus he is repeatedly
tude, doing."

10 "S^Ea'tsanxan k!aha'yūts. Yā'a'xai hūtcū'wi."
"That's why we invite thee Much fun."
we-thee.

At last he was taken to the playgrounds. A fire was started in the house, which, although very large, was nevertheless full of people. Grizzly Bear was looking there. "Here we are playing, those who have invited you." He was seated near the fire, which consisted of pitch. "It seems to me I see (too) many people." Thus Grizzly Bear was thinking. The fire in the house kept on burning. "Don't be sleeping, O friend! (Not) for that purpose we asked you to come (here)." — "All right! I am glad. I intend to watch the fun." Thus Grizzly Bear was saying, seated close to the fire. He was constantly watched.

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- Wàn hīna'a^u 1 tcik ants hūtcū'u L!a'ai. Sqa'k hīna'a^u.¹
 Finally he taken where that fun great. There he taken
 will be will be.
- Ma'htcū'ne ants hītsī'i. Wa'i yikt ants hītsī'i, ʉ tǎ'qnīs
 A fire is that house. Although big that house, still full
 started in
- hītū'stc. Stīm ya'q'ha't ants hītc. "Tī'k^{en}xan ta'n^{xan}
 people with. There looks now that man. "Here we these we
 hūtcū'i, ta'n^{xan} k!aha'yūts qnà." Ha'qmas tī'xam Līya'-
 play, these we invite thee I." Alongside of he is fire
 (who) we-thee seated
- 5 watc. Q!a'if ants Līya'a^ū. "Ya'xa^ūwītc L!a'ai hītc ya'-
 to. Pitch that fire. "Many kind of many people look
 q'ha'tūn." Atsī'tc cī'nīxyat!is ants hītc. Ma'htcū'ne ants
 at (them) now I." Thus continually keeps that man. A fire is built in that
 on thinking
- hītsī'i. "Kwīnx a^usī's ts'il'mū't. Atsī'tc ta'n^{xan} waa'yūts
 house. "Not thou continu- friend. Thus these we say to thee
 ally sleep, we-thee
- qnà Līwa'wanx." — "Ha^ū! tsī'k!yan hī'sīti haⁱ. Yaq^u-
 I to come intend — "All right! very I good is mind. (To) look
 thou." (my)
- ya'waxan hūtcū'ustc L!aya." Atsī'tc wa'a^{is} ants hītc.
 intend I fun at great." Thus says con- that man.
 tinually
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¹ The narrator erroneously used the future passive. The present passive *hīna'-xam* would have been more proper.

(After a while) he began to feel sleepy. Then people kept on approaching him, (saying,) "Don't sleep, look on! That's why we invited you. Don't sleep, look on! (Not) for that purpose were you invited. We abandoned all our hatred." (Again) he began to feel sleepy. (Again) he was constantly watched. The pitch with which he was going to be killed was made ready, while many dancers approached him, (saying,) "Move away from the fire, you may get burned, O friend!" Thus they were telling him. "Don't sleep, O friend!" — "I feel sleepy." People were dancing, while he (began to) fall asleep. "Move away from the fire, you may get burned!" Everybody was glad because he

Ha'qmas ti'xam liya'wa. Ya'quhisu'ne. Wusya'aist ants
Close by he is fire. He is continually Begins to feel that
seated watched. sleepy

mi'kla hitc. li'li'wi'sutne wan. "Kwinx a'u'sis, ya'quhisenx.
bad man. He is continually now. "Not thou continu- look always thou.
approached ally sleep,

A'tsanxan ta'nxan waa'yuts liwa'wanx. Kwinx a'u'sis,
That's why we these we say to thee (to) come intend Not thou sleep
we-thee thou. always,

ya'quhisenx. Atsi'tc tanx k!aha'yū'ne. Hi'senxan hawa'itx
watch always thou. For that this thou (art) invited. Good we make our

5 ha'i." ¹ Wusya'aist ants mi'ck'la'i. Ya'quhisu'ne. Ha'ūsime
heart." Begins to feel that bad thing. He is constantly Is made ready
sleepy watched. for him

ants ts!a'n. Se'aina'tc xawa'au. li'wisu'ne ants meq'yu'u
that pitch. That with killed he He is approached those dancers
will be. frequently (by)

li'a'ai. "Ha'qa'tcya ² ts'il'mū't! Mi'tci'xmīnx." Atsi'tc
many. "Shore-like from friend! Mayst get burned thou." Thus

wa'a'sū'ne. "Kwinx a'u'sis ts'il'mū't." — "Wusya'aistīn."
he is constantly "Not thou sleep friend." — "Begin to feel sleepy
told. constantly I."

Meq'yu'u li'a'ai. A'u'si's. "Ha'qa'tcya, ² mi'tci'xmīnx."
Dance (pl.) many. He is "Shore-like from, mayst get burned
sleeping. thou."

¹ That is, "we abandoned all our hatred."

² That is, "move away from the fire!"

was going to be killed. At last he began to sleep. Thus he was told, as he was repeatedly shaken. "Move away from the fire, you may get burned!" He did not move. So then the boiled pitch was brought in. People kept on dancing. "Move away from the fire, O friend!" He did not wake up. He was very sleepy, and (merely) said thus: "Leave me alone, I intend to sleep a while." So the people thought thus: "Let him sleep!" And while the pitch kept on boiling, they said, "Let him sleep! — Move away from the fire, O friend!" But he did not move, and (soon) began to snore.

People took hold of all kinds of things. Axes were

	Tc!ha ^u cisūtNE.	S ^ə a'tsa	xawa'a ^u .	Wusya'a'ist wàn.	Atsi'tc
	Gladness is always felt.	Thus	he killed will be.	He begins to finally sleep.	Thus
	wa'a ⁱ sūtNE,	cí'l'xisūtNE.	"Ha ⁱ 'qa'tcya ¹ miftcí'xmīnx."		Kū ⁱ
	he is constantly told,	he is constantly shaken.	"Shore-like away,	get burned mayst thou."	Not
	cí'l'xił.	ʉ wàn	qaa'xam	ants l ⁱ yaxa ^u wi	ts!aŋ.
	(negative).	So finally	is brought in	that boiled	pitch. Dance (pl.)
	L!a'ai.	"Ha ⁱ 'qa'tcya ts'íl'mū't."		Kū ⁱ	kwí'sił, tsí'k!ya
	many.	"Shore-like from	friend."	Not	he wakes up very (negative),
5	a ^u sí's.	Atsi'tc	waa',	"A'nxax ^u tsatcí.	Łiyaxa'waxan
	he is sleeping.	Thus	he says,	"Leave alone you you-me.	A while intend I
	a ^u sa'wax."	ʉ wàn	cí'nixyaxam	s ^ə atsi'tc:	"Qaił wàn
	sleep intend."	Then now	it was thought	thus:	"Let now
	a ^u stūx."	La'qwis	ants	ts!aŋ	ants l ⁱ yaxa ^u wi.
	he sleep shall."	Boils con- tinually	that	pitch that	boiled. Thus
	waa'xam,	"Qaił wàn	a ^u stūx.	Ha ⁱ 'qa'tcya	ts'íl'mū't."
	it is said,	"Let now	he sleep shall.	Shore-like from	friend."
	Kū ⁱ cí'l'xił.	ʉ wàn	xū ^u n.		
	Not (negative).	he moves	Then now	he snores.	
10	Ha ⁱ 'mūt	L!a'ai	te'q	łokwí'xam. ³	Tcimtca'mi
	All	much something	is seized.	Axe	is seized.

¹ That is, "move away from the fire!"

² Instead of *łokwí'xam*. Guttural vowel due to vocalic harmony.

seized, (because it had been decided that, as soon as) he should wake up, they would kill him with an axe. He was still snoring with his mouth wide open. Now the people got ready. They watched him closely. "We will kill him, because he has killed (many of) us." Then the boiling pitch was seized. "Move away from the fire, O friend! You may get burned." But he did not move. So the boiling pitch was placed above his head. They were all glad, because for that purpose the dance had been arranged; (namely,) in order to rid him of his mean disposition. That was why so many people were dancing. Finally (one man) stood up and took hold of the boiling pitch. And around (Grizzly Bear) were

Ka'st'tūx, ʉ txū tcīm'tca'myatc xawa'a^u. ʉ wàn xū'n.
 He get up will, then just axe with he killed will be. And now he snores.
 Łka'atc Laa' xū'n. ʉ wàn haū'tx hītcū^u. Tsī'k'ya
 Open his mouth he snores. Then finally finish (pl.) people. Very
 tcīma'nīsū'nE. "Łxmiya'yūnanł. S^{Ea}'s^{En}ł kl'ixa'yūts, ʉ
 he is constantly "Kill him will we. He us constantly kills he-us, so
 watched.

s^{Ea}'tsanł Łxmiya'yūn." Łokwī'xam¹ wàn ants L!iyaxa^uwī.
 thus we kill him will." Is seized now that boiled (pitch).

5 "Ha'qa'itcya² ts'ł·mū't, młłtc'xmīnx." Kumī'ntc cí'łxł.
 "Shore-like from friend, mayst thou get Not he moves
 burned." (negative).

ʉ wàn xwākī'tc tī'xam ants L!iyaxa^uwī. Tc!ha^ucū^{wi} ants
 So now head on is placed that boiled (pitch). Are glad (pl.) those
 L!a'ai. S^{Ea} ata's ants ma'q!īnūtne.³ Hūya'ūłtx ha' s^{Ea}'tsa.³
 many. For only that dance is arranged. Is made dif- ferent his
 mind thus.

S^{Ea}'tsa ants meq!yū^u L!a'ai. ʉ wàn skwaha'. Łokwī'-
 Thus those dance (pl.) many. Then finally he stands up. Is seized
 xam¹ ants L!iyaxa^uwī. ʉ stīm skwaha^uwi L!a'ai ha' mūt
 that boiled (pitch). Then there stand (pl.) many all

¹ Instead of *łokwī'xam*. Guttural vowel due to vocalic harmony.

² That is, "move away from the fire."

³ That is, "for him only the dance was arranged, in order to rid him of his mean disposition."

standing all those that were armed with axes. They made noise with all kinds of things, but he did not wake up. "Better pour it into his mouth!" So it was poured into his mouth, which began to burn (right away). The people kept on dancing as Grizzly Bear was consumed by the fire. All his hair got burned. Then his head was cut into pieces by means of an axe. He was constantly diffusing smoke as he was being killed.

Here (the story) ends. If he had not been killed, the world would have been very bad. Thus that bad person was killed. Such was the custom of the people of long ago. Here, at last, it ends.

ants tcítci'mya. Waⁱ yā^a'xaⁱ tE'q, ʉⁱ pī'ūmE. ʉⁱ kumí'ntc
those with axes. Although much some- still noise is But not
thing, made with it.

kwi'siŋ. "Qwa'nyūx tEma' laaya'tc!" ʉⁱ wàn qū'ní'xamīmE.
he wakes up "Pour it it is mouth into!" So now it is poured into
(negative). better his (mouth).

Txū mí'tcístx laa'. Stím l!a'^{ai} ma'q!is. Mí'tcíst ants
Just it begins to mouth. There many keep on Begins to that
burn his dancing, burn

hītc. Mí'tcístx ha'ⁱmūt hí'qūⁱ. Stím wàn yāk!itcya'xam
man. It begins to all hair. There finally into pieces was cut
burn his

5 xwā'katc tcímtca'myadc. Stím tqūnís ants mí'k!a hītc.
head his axe with. There diffuses smoke that bad man.
constantly

Xa^uwí'xamyax tE mí'k!a hītc.
Killed was this bad person.

Sqaⁱk wàn ata's hawaⁱ. Kūⁱ nàts s^Ea'tsa xā'wa^axa^ūtne,¹
There now only it ends. Not if thus he had been killed,
ʉⁱ nàts tsí'k!ya mí'k!a l!a'^{ai}. S^E'atsa xa^uwí'xamyax mí'k!a
then (con- very bad world. Thus killed was bad
ditional)

hītc. S^Eatsí'tc wàn ata's wā'nwítsaxax nítcéma^smū. Sqaⁱk
man. Thus finally only old-timers (of) custom. There

10 wàn smít'ūⁱ.
finally it ends.

¹ Evidently for xa'ūyaxa^ūtne.

3. THE ORIGIN OF THE YAKONAN AND SIUSLAUAN
TRIBES ¹ (*Alsea*).

Ants Mō'luptsini'sla ² kl'ēxū'tc l!aya'tc l!ōxa'xa³ūtsmē
hītc l!a'ai tema'yua^x hītū'tc l!aya'. ʉ wàn s^eatsī'tc
waa'yū'NE ants hītc l!ōxa'yū'NE.³ "Hī'satcī l!wā'nīs,
nīctcī'tcīn waa'. Sī'nīxyūn temūa'wax tē l!a'ai. Hū'tctūx
5 l!a'ai."

ʉ wàn ha'nhan līū'wanx ⁴ hīsī'stc wàn. "L^owa'x^{en}xan
tē līū'. Temū'tūxtcī, s^eatsī'tc^{en}xan ta'n^{xan} līū'. Kl'ēxū'tc
l!aya'tc temūa'wūn ants l!a'ai hītc. S^eatsī'tcīn l!^owax
tā'kīn līū'. Temū'tūxtcī kl'ēxū'NE l!aya'NE. Atsī'tcīn
10 l!^owax tā'kīn līū'. Klaha'yū'natcī. Temū'tūxtcī. S^eatsī'tc
tā'kīn līū'." ʉ wàn wī'wa'xam. "Ha^u wàn. Lī'ūtūn^{xan}
wàn." Atsī'tc waa'xam ants hītc l!^owax. "L!wā'ntūx,
wa'n^{xan} lī'ūtūx. Atsī'tc^{en}x l!wā'nīs." Atsī'tc waa'xam
ants hītc tca'xa^ūt.

15 ʉ wàn temū'tx hītcū^u kl'ēxū'NE l!aya'NE. Temū'itc
xīnt l!a'ai. Wa' yā'xai hītc, ʉ temū^u. ʉ wàn temū'tx
hītcū^u. "L!x^uwa'x^uyūtsa'tcī, nīctcī'tc^et^ecī tē tem^uwa'tam."⁵
Stīmk qaqū'na'wax l!a'ai. "Kumī'ntc^et^ecī nīctcī'tc ta'tcī
temū'ūts. Kl'ēxū'tcīn l!aya'tc l!^owa'xyūn tē hītc. Wa'
20 ha'īmūt īnqla'a'i, ʉn l!^owa'xyūn sqa'k l!a'ai hītc. Aḷ^aq
qīūtcū'nī ʉ a'ḷ^aq tēxmū'nī ʉ^aux sqa'k ⁶ lī'ūtūx. ʉ a'ḷ^aq
tēxmū'nī ʉ a'ḷ^aq qīūtcū'nī ʉ a'isxa sqa'ktcī'tc ⁷ qa'tcīntūx.
ʉ stīm ʉ t!ī'mct!tūx.⁸ Xā'tslū īnqla'a'i ʉ^aux a'ḷ^aqtc wa'as.

¹ An Alsea myth told in the Lower Umpqua language.

² The Alsea name for Coyote. William Smith frequently used Alsea terms instead of their Siuslaw equivalents.

³ Instead of *l!ōxa'yū'NE*. Insertion of weak *u*-vowel due to vocalic harmony.

⁴ The messengers.

3. THE ORIGIN OF THE YAKONAN AND SIUSLAUAN TRIBES (*Alsea*).

(One day) Coyote sent many of his people in all directions, (instructing them) to bring together many people. Thus was told (each) man (as he) was sent (out): "You shall tell well what I say. I want many people to come together. They shall play."

And, verily, (the messengers) were coming to (different) houses. "(As) messengers we come. You shall assemble, that is why we came here. Everywhere many people are about to assemble. For that reason I came here (as) a messenger. You shall come together from everywhere. That is why I came here (as) a messenger. You are invited to assemble. For that purpose I came here." Then (each messenger) was told, "All right! we will come." Thus was told (each) man (who was a) messenger. "You shall say, 'They are coming now.' Thus you shall say." Thus was told (each) man as he went back.

So then many people assembled from everywhere. They kept on coming together in large numbers. At last they were assembled. (Then Coyote said to them,) "You shall know [me] why you have been assembled." (So) they listened there. "Not for nothing have you been assembled. Everywhere I am going to distribute [send] the people. Although many are the rivers, nevertheless I shall send people there. One woman and one man will go there (to the Yaquina River). And one man and a woman, also, will start there (for the Alsea River). And they will

⁵ The use of the future passive in this sentence is incorrect. The past passive *tEm'wa'xanyax* would have been more proper.

⁶ For example, to the Yaquina River.

⁷ To the Alsea River.

⁸ Compare Roland B. Dixon, *Maidu Texts* (Publications of the American Ethnological Society, Vol. IV, pp. 15 et seq).

S^ea'tsa hīq!ya'a^u ants L!a'ai. A'ḥaq qīūtcū'nī ʷ a'ḥaq tex-
 mū'nī L!owaxyūn. ʷn xā'tslū inqā'ī¹ ʷn L!owa'xyūn.
 Stī'm^{enx} t!ī'mct!i'tūx. S^ea'tsa hīq!ē'yūsNE ants L!a'ai."
 S^eatsī'tc waa'yūsNE ants a'ḥaq texmū'nī ʷ a'ḥaq qīūtcū'nī.
 5 "Sqa'kts qa'tc^{entūx}. Sqa'kts t!ī'mct!i'tūx. Xā'tslū inq!a'ī
 ʷ klī'na'ī't'axtcx^u wa'as. Stīmts yā'xtūx. Klī'na'ī't'axtc
 wa'as xā'tslū inq!a'āī. Stīmts t!ī'mct!i'tūx, stīmts yā'xai
 ha'ūtūx. Klēxū'tc^{ctī} L!aya'tc qa'tc^{intūx}, stī'mctī yā'xai
 hā'ūtūx." Atsī'tc waa'yū'NE ants L!a'ai L!ōxa'ū'yūtNE.²
 10 "Xā'tslū inq!a'ī ʷ klī'na'ī't'axtc wa'as." Tā'k^{wax} ³ sqa'kctī'tc
 qa'tc^{intūx}, a'ḥaq texmū'nī ʷ a'ḥaq qīūtcū'nī. "Stīmkts
 yā'xai ha'ūtūx, stīmkts yā'xai t!ī'mct!i'tūx." Atsī'tc
 waa'yū'NE ants L!a'ai. ʷḥa^x tā'k a'ḥsa ʷḥa^x sqa'kctī'tc
 qa'tc^{intūx}, ʷḥa^x stīm t!ī'mct!i'tūx. "S^eatsa'ūtsatcī, ta'tcī
 15 TEMŪ'Ūts. Stī'mctī yā'xai ha'ūtūx."

S^eatsī'xamyax TE hītc L!a'ai. S^ea'tsa hīq!a'xamyax TE
 hītc L!a'ai.

Sqa'k wān hawa'ī.

4. THE BIG FIRE ⁴ (Coos).

Qa'a'itcīx ⁵ pēh'tc līha'yax TE līya'aū. Qa'xūnyax xīnt
 20 ants līya'aū. Tcī'wate hī'sa'īx līū'. Tcī'wa ma^{atc} ants
 ḥqa'ī'tū, ʷ sqa'k ta'ī ants līya'aū, ʷ a'ī'laḥ mīftca'ī ants ḥqa'ī'tū.
 Wa'ī tcī'wa ma^{atc} ants ḥqa'ī'tū, ʷ mīftca'ī'. Tūqya'aū

¹ Namely, the Siuslaw and Umpqua Rivers.

² Instead of *L!ōxa'ū'yūtNE*.

³ By metathesis for *tā'ka'ax*.

⁴ An Alsea myth; see also Coos Texts (Vol. I of this series). This myth has undoubtedly an historical foundation. I was told by the Indians of that region

raise children there. Two rivers¹ will have one language. Thus the world will be started. One woman and one man I shall send (at a time). Then to two (other) rivers I shall send (people), where they will raise children. Such will be the beginning of the world." Thus every single man and woman would be told. "Ye two will go there and raise children. (The People living on) two (different) rivers will understand each other's language. Ye will multiply there. (Living on) two (distinct) rivers, (ye will) understand each other's language. Ye will raise children there, and will multiply. Wherever ye go, there ye will multiply." Thus were told those who were sent off. "(People living on) two (different) rivers will understand each other's language." Then these two, the first couple, started for that place. "Ye two will multiply there, and will raise many children." Thus were told all the people. Then also those (other) two went to that place (whither they were told to go), and were going to raise children there. (And Coyote said,) "Thus I (do it) for ye, whom I have assembled (here). (If ye go) there, ye will multiply."

Thus it was (said) to many people. Thus the tribes were created [started].

Here it ends.

4. THE BIG FIRE⁴ (*Coos*).

This fire passed first along the North Fork.⁵ It went along the sky, and came straight to the water. (Whatever) logs lay in the water, the fire would settle there, and then the logs would burn down. Although the logs were in the water, still (they) caught fire. Up-stream the whole

that some eighty years ago a big fire almost destroyed the whole country. Even to this day thousands upon thousands of acres of burnt timber bear mute testimony to the truth of this story.

⁵ *Qa'aitc*, a tributary of the Siuslaw River, now called North Fork.

ha' mūt mí'tcíst tE l!a'ai. Wàn tsím s^Ea'tsa, qa'xúnyax
txū. Qa'xúnyax lxata' ants líya'a^ī. Tcík ants līmístíst
l!a'ai, ʔ sqá'k ta' ants líya'a^ī, ʔ a'la' mītca' sqá'tem.

5 Qa'xixyax tE l!a'ai. Kumí'ntc tcā yax. Ha' mūt
mí'tcíst tE l!a'ai. Sexa^ī'tc qaa'xam ants l!a'ai tE'q, ʔ
a'la' qō'x^um tcí'wate qayí'xam ants h'tla'ī. T!āmcí'l'mā
l!a'ai ʔ sexa^ī'tc lxaa'xam, ʔ qō'x^um qayí'xam. Qa'xix-
yax, kumí'ntc tcík yax. Kí'x^Es hīs tsxayū'wi tE hū'nyax
l!a'ai. Kumí'ntc tcā yax tE l!a'ai. Hū^un tE l!a'ai. Kō'tan
10 ʔ tcí'wate līū'. Kumí'ntc h'tlaya't ants kō'tan. Ha' mūt
mí'tcíst ants tseha^u'ya. Tsí'sqan pk'itīyū's tēmū'yax.
līmna'q ʔ xā'ts'lū tēmū'yax. līmna'q ʔ ma'ltc^{Et} qn^u'wa'-
xamyax. Tsí'k^utc ʔ ma'ltc^{Et} ants līmna'q. Pk'itīyū'stc
tēmū'yax tE līmna'q. Paa^ī'wītciX qatc^{Enatū}'u ants līm-
15 na'q. Qō'x^umtc ha' mūt qwa'xtc'ist tE līmna'q. Ma'ltc^{Et}
ha' mūt h'qū'ite ants līmna'q. ʔ tli a'l-dū ma'ltc'it. Ha' mūt
tE'q mí'tcíst. Hí'q^u a'l-dū mí'tcíst. Q!a'xa^uxt ʔ wí'tayate
ha' mūt tēmū'^u. Ha' mūt tE'q h'itc^{Et} ma'ltc'it. Ha' mūt
ma'ltc'it ants līmna'q qatc^{Enatū}'u.

20 Sqá'k wàn hawa'.

5. THE CROW AND THE THUNDER-BIRD¹ (Coos).

M^uqwa'LEM wa'as ʔ qa'xún tsí'k'lya. Enat waa'í'.
Kumí'ntc wí'lī' ants l!a'ai. A'tsa ʔ kumí'ntc h'tliyun tE
h'tla'ī. Mā'q^uL ʔ tsím s^Eàs l!xū'yūn, nīctc'í'tc cí'n'xyat'lya
h'itc. Nīctc'í'tc^{Enx} cí'n'xyat'lya, ʔ^{Enx} s^Eàs l!wína'yūts.
25 XEWí'tc^{Enx} h'í'q'lya, ʔ^{Enx} s^Eàs l!wína'yūts s^Eatsí'tc. Tcaī-

¹ This, and the two texts that follow, are Coos myths. They were dictated by me in English *verbatim* to William Smith, who then retold them in Lower Umpqua.

region began to burn. Always thus, just along the sky (the fire would pass). The fire swept along the sky. Wherever there was a place that had not burned down, the fire would settle there and then would flare up from there.

(Then) it got dark, (and) nothing could be seen anywhere. The whole region was afire. All kinds of things were put into a canoe, and the food was then fastened (to floats) way out in the water. Many children were placed in canoes that were made fast offshore. It was dark, nothing could be seen anywhere. (For) full ten days this darkness prevailed. Nowhere could anything be seen. This whole universe (was hurled into) darkness. Horses came to the water. The horses had no food, (for) all the grass had burned down. Deer assembled at a lake. Elks assembled at two (other lakes). (Many) elks were found (afterwards) burned. Their feet were burned. (Many) elks came to the lake walking along the sand-beach. All the elks went into the water offshore, while their hair was on fire. And grizzly bears burned, likewise. Everything was burned. Wildcat, too, was burned. All the wolves came to an island. All sorts of cougars caught fire. All the elks that were walking about were burned.

Here, now, it ends.

5. THE CROW AND THE THUNDER-BIRD¹ (*Coos*).

Crow's language (used to be) very loud [high]. He was always talking. (At that time there) was no low tide. For that reason he could not get [eat] any food. Crow always knew a person's thoughts. He can tell you whatever you are thinking of. When you are about to die, he can tell

This text is very important, as it shows the linguistic relation of type that exists between the Kusan and Siuslauan stocks (see *Coos Texts*, Vol. I of this series, p. 14).

tcí'tc^{enx} sín^{xya} qa'tc^{ena}, ʰ^{enx} tsím s^èàs l/wína'yūts.
Yā^{a'}xaⁱ waa^{i'} lnat.

A^taq hītc ʰⁱ līū['] m^uqwa[']L^{itc}, ʰⁱ waa[']a^{un} s^èatsi[']tc. “Qa-
xūnanx wa[']a^{isūn}. Nīctci[']tc tē[']q, ʰⁱns aⁱtcna[']hūtūx tē
5 wa[']as? Waxa[']yimanx nīctci[']tcīn tē pū[']fkna.” Inq[']la[']i ʰⁱ
kum[']ntc wī[']Līf. Tsím q[']lowa['], wa[']i['] yā[']t[']sa. ʰⁱ mā[']q[']u[']L
wī[']ūtūn. “Hī[']sa tsī[']k[']!ya, aⁱtcna[']hūtūx^{ens}.”¹ ʰⁱa^ux aⁱtcna[']ha^ut-
wàn. ʰⁱ līū['] m^uqwa[']L^{itc} ants um[']hī[']yūsem wa[']as; um[']hī[']yū[']stc
līū['] m^uqwa[']LEM wa[']as. S^èatsi[']tc waa[']a^{un} uma[']fi. “Ts[']il-
10 mū[']t, wa[']a[']tsīn tā[']kīn² wa[']as!” ʰⁱ wàn waa[']a^{un}. ʰⁱ cīl[']x
ants l[']la[']ai ants hītc waa[']i'. S^èatsi[']tc wa[']yaxa^{un}. “Wa[']s-
l[']syānx tāqa[']na, ʰ^{enx} tsī[']k[']!ya qa[']xūn wa[']a[']is.” Atsi[']tc
wa[']yaxa^{un}. “Wa[']a[']is^{enx} na[']m[']hītīn wa[']as.” Tsī[']k[']!ya hīs
s^èa[']ina[']mītc wa[']as wa[']syaxa^{un}. ʰⁱ q[']luyapī[']yūtsmē kōpx, ʰⁱ
15 mī[']n[']xwa[']i. “Tsī[']k[']!ya hīs, ts[']il[']mū[']tīn. Na[']xūn xā[']ts[']lū
ʰⁱxūn aⁱtcna[']hūtūx.” S^èatsi[']tc wa[']yaxa^{un}. “Pā[']xa[']is^{enx} kōpx,
tcī wī[']Ltūx. Tsīnīxtū[']nī tē pī[']tsīs wī[']Ltūx, ha[']i[']mūt tē[']q
h[']t[']la[']i ʰⁱ txū k[']la[']pīs k[']la[']ptūxL!. Tcī[']nta[']unx ya[']wīsūn, ʰ^{enx}
h[']t[']līsūn. S^èatsi[']tc^{enx} waa[']yūts, ʰ^{enx} ya[']q[']hīs.” Tsī[']k[']!ya
20 hī[']sa ʰⁱ paxa[']xūtsmē kōpx, ʰⁱ k[']la[']pī[']tc xīntī[']t ants tcī.
K[']lā[']fa[']tx ha[']i['] tcīna[']yax, ʰⁱ yo[']q[']ha[']tū[']tsmē kōpx. Yo[']q[']-
ha[']tūn ants inq[']la[']a[']i, ʰⁱ k[']la[']pīs.

Ya[']k[']l[']sk[']in h[']t[']la[']i ʰⁱ txū k[']la[']pīs cīyatx. Qa[']q[']hantūn
pī[']ū hītc. Hīcatca[']sk[']in s^èatsi[']tc cī[']n[']xya. “Lī[']m[']qanx ya-
25 q[']ha[']t. Kum[']ntc^{enx} atsi[']tc waa[']yūts, ya[']q[']hītūnx. Lī[']m-
qanx ya[']q[']ha[']t.” S^èatsi[']tc waa[']yūn. Ya[']q[']yūn ants h[']t[']la[']i
mītcū[']wi l[']la[']ai. Ya[']q[']yūn ha[']q[']mas tcī[']wa. Lnāt s^èa[']tsatc
nīctcīma[']mū.

¹ Should have been *aⁱtcna[']hūtūns*.

² Subjective pronoun used with a possessive significance.

you so. He can always tell you whether you want to go anywhere. He always talks a great deal.

(One day) a man came to Crow, and spoke to him thus: "You always speak loud. How would it be if we two should trade languages? I will give you (that with) which I speak." And (still) there was no low tide in the river. The water was always high. Then Crow answered him, "It would be very good if we two traded." Then they two traded; and unto Crow came Thunder's language, while unto Thunder came Crow's language. Thus said Thunder (to Crow): "Friend, speak to me this my language!" So he spoke it to him, and the earth shook as that man spoke. Thus said (Thunder) to him: "If you get mad at anything, you shall always talk loud." Thus he told him. "You will always speak my language." And his language was very good as he spoke it. And as he twinkled his eyes, it began to lighten. "Very good, my friend! We two will trade." (Then Thunder) said to him, "Whenever you shut your eyes, the water will get low. One-half of the ocean will become low, and all kinds of food will (be left) dry, (as they) will (be overcome by the) dry condition (of the water). Whatever (food) you can pick out, you may eat it. When I tell you so, then you may look." So he kept his eyes tightly shut, and the water began to get dry. (But soon) he got tired waiting, and he opened his eyes. He looked at the river, and (saw that it was) dry.

Small fish [food] were just flopping, (as the river) kept on (getting) dry. He heard some one make a noise, and was thinking (about it) for a little while. (It was Thunder who told him,) "You looked too soon. I haven't told you (yet) to look. You looked too soon." Thus (Thunder) told him. He saw great quantities of food lying (about). He saw it (lying) near the water. That is his usual custom.

S^eatsi'tc waa' ants mā'q^{uL}. "Waxa'yūtsanx tā'kîn
 m'ni'xwī, tE k!apa'i'tli inq!a'aī." ʷ waxa'xa^{uX} ants m'ni'xwī.
 ʷ a'ʔaq hiyate waxa'xa^{uX} ants k!apa' l!a'ai inq!a'aī.
 S^eatsi'tc ʷ ants k!apa' ants inq!a'aī. "Wa'a'is^{enX} tāqai'na,
 5 ʷ^{enX} m'ni'xwīs." S^eatsi'tc wa'yaxa^{un}. "Mī'n^xutsx l!a'ai,
 ts'il'mū't!" ʷ wàn m'ni'xa^{utū}tsmE l!a'ai. ʷ mā'q^{uL} ʷ
 waa'a^{un} ants umhī'yūsem wa'as. S^eatsi'tc waa'a^{un}. "Hi'
 sanx tsī'k!ya." S^eatsi'tc l!wa'a'nyaxa^{un}. "Wa'tūnx
 m^uqwa'LEmtc wa'as." ʷ wàn waa'. "Łna'tinx wa'a'is
 10 s^eatsi'tc." S^eatsi'tc wa'yaxa^{un}. "Tcīnt hītc qā'ntcya¹
 līwa'wax, ʷ^{enX} t!i'wax² ha'wisūn tE nīctcīma^{mū}." S^eat-
 si'tc wa'yaxa^{un}. "Wa' yā'tsa, ʷ^{enX} atsī'tc wa'a'is. Tcī'k^{enX}
 ya'xyaxa^{un} hītc, ʷ^{enX} l!wa'nīsūn. Hī'sanx mā'nīs mī'k!a
 tE'q xni'wna'wax." S^eatsi'tc wa'yaxa^{un}. S^eatsi'tc ʷ Inat
 15 s^ea'tsitsyaxa^{un}tne.

S^ea'tsate nīctcīma^{mū} tE mā'q^{uL} k!isā't. Tcī'k^{enX} yīxa'-
 yūts mā'q^{uL}, ʷ^{enX} wa'a'isūts tsīm. ʷ wàn sqā'k ata's
 hawa'. S^eatsi'tc^{wax}³ ha'k! mā'q^{uL} tE uma'fi'wax.⁴

6. THE GIRLS AND THE STARS⁵ (Coos).

Yāk!isk'inū' l!aya' ʷ tīyū'wi. Yā'a'xa' hītc tīyū'wi stīm.
 20 S^eatsi'tc waa' ants lxa'yaxaⁿni' ants mīctcī'i. "Tcīnt^E⁶
 tEX Inū'ns ma'tcis." Tsī'k!ya hīs qā'x. Ha'mūt^{enX} s^eatsi'tc
 waa'muxwa. "Tsī'k!ya hīs, Inū'nī ma'tcis." Qīūt^{cū}nīnx
 ha'īmūt. ʷ^{enX} Inū'tc līha'. Metca'wanx Inū. ʷ^{enX}

¹ *qante* SOMEWHERE, Coos loan-word.

² William Smith evidently misunderstood the English dictation THOU SHALT MAKE KNOWN for THOU SHALT MAKE NEW: hence his mistaken use of the adjective *t!i'wax* NEW. It should be ʷ^{enX} l!xū'i AND THOU TO KNOW...

³ By metathesis for s^eatsi'tca^{wax} THUS THEY TWO.

⁴ By metathesis for uma'tia^{wax}.

Thus Crow said: "I will give you this my lightning, so that the river may always be dry." Then he gave him the lightning. And that man (Thunder) gave him the dry (condition of the) river. That is how rivers came to be dry. "Whenever you say something, you will always make lightning." Thus (Crow) said to him, "Make lightning, O friend!" So he made lightning, while Crow spoke Thunder's language. Thus (Crow) said to him, "You (are) right!" Thus he told him. "(Speak) again Crow's language." And he spoke it. "You shall always talk thus." Thus he told him. "Whatever person may intend to come (here) from anywhere, you shall always announce this event." Thus he told him. "You will speak thus forever. Wherever you may find a person, you will relate it. You will always watch (out whether) something bad is going to happen." Thus he told him, and thus it was always (done).

Such is Crow's custom to-day. Wherever he sees you, he always speaks to you. Here finally it ends. Thus (is told the) story about Crow and Thunder.

6. THE GIRLS AND THE STARS⁵ (*Coos*).

They were living on a small place. Many people were living there. (One day) thus said a younger sister: "Suppose we two sleep outside?" It was a very beautiful night. Then all said thus to one another. "Very good, we will sleep outdoors." They were all women. They went outside. They intended to sleep outside. (At first) they

⁵ See note I on p. 34; also Coos Texts, Vol. I of this series, p. 50; and R. B. Dixon, Maidu Texts (Publications of the American Ethnological Society, Vol. IV, p. 185).

⁶ The exact rendering of this pronominal particle in this passage is rather obscure.

hí'q!aít hū'tca'wax. Wusya'a'stanx. ʷí ya'q^uyanx qa'xūntc,
 ʷí^unx ya'q^uyūn yā^a'xaⁱ ants ts!ū^um. Łimnītcū'nī mīctcīⁱ ʷí
 waa'. "Nīctcī'tcīnx haⁱ, ʷí^uns qasLī'wisīti tE ts!ū^um?"
 Lxa^uyaxa^u'nītc ants mīctcīⁱ 1 ʷí waa'. "Tcī'nta^unx sí'nīx-
 5 yūn?" — "Yāk!f'sk'ínū'nī tE ts!ū^um sí'nīxyūn." ʷí s^eatsī'tc
 waa'. "Tcī'nta^unx sí'nīxyūn?" — "Yīktī'l'ma ts!ū^um tā'kīn
 sí'nīxyūn." ʷí^unx haⁱ'mūt a^usī's. Kumí'ntc^unx tE'q L!xū'-
 xūn waha'ha^un. A^usī'sanx.

Ts'ū'xtīts^{wax} 2 kī'stīst. ʷí kwī'sīs tate mīctcīⁱ ʷí tE^x-
 10 m^uwa'nī matc ya'q^uhaítūn, ʷí tE^xmī'l'ma. Hai'mut qu'L-
 qultc ants hí'qū'ītc. ʷí yaxí'xūn ants mīsí'aⁱtc tE^xm^uwa'nī
 ma'tcūⁿ. Tsik!ya hīs tE^xmū'nī ants Lī'ū mī'tcīst mīsa'-
 yūstc. Ants qīūtccū'nī ʷí tc'icāⁱ'tx haⁱ. Ants tE^xmū'nī ʷí
 waa' s^eatsī'tc. "Na'han a'nts^unx sí'nīxyūts ants qa'x."

15 Atsī'tc L!xū'yū'NE ants ts!ū^um hītc. Kumí'ntc qwatc
 L!xū'xūⁿ nī'tcātē ants nī'tcīsī. S^eatsī'tc tE hāfk! L!ō-
 nī'txa^uNE. Smūt'a't'.

7. THE ORIGIN OF DEATH ³ (Coos).

Mā'skwīt'a^ux 4 xā'ts!^uwa^ux. Ta'ya^ux tī'mwa. Qīūtca't-
 wax 5 klīx. TExmū'nītc^{wax} ants t!āmc klīx. A'f^aq
 20 tsxayū^{wi} ts'ū'xtīts ʷí p!ā^antx ants t!āmc. Kumí'ntc yā'tsa
 p!naⁱ, ʷí xaū'. Tsī'k!ya p!anyaⁱ'tīstūtsmE haⁱtc, ants xaū'tx
 ants t!āmc. ʷí tkwīha'ha^utsmE. ʷí a'f^aq tsxayū^{wi} kumí'ntc
 h't!f. Yīxīnī'txa^uNE 6 ants t!āmc xaū'. ʷí xā'tslūn tsxayū^{wi}
 ʷí qa'tc^unt yEXa^u'tc a'ntsⁱtc tcmā'nī. "Tcmā'nī, nīctcī'tc^unx
 25 cī'nīxya? Tcī'ntūx a'ntsīn t!āmc xa'ūyax Lxa'pīstya'itu
 tsxayū^{wi}?" S^eatsī'tc wa'astc. "Kumí'ntc s^eatsī'tc. Łī't!EM

1 Ought to be *mīsi'ai* YOUNGER SISTER.

2 By metathesis for *ts'ū'xtītsa^ux*.

3 See note 1 on p. 34; and Coos Texts, Vol. I of this series, p. 42.

4 Consists of *m^uūsku* + *-ī'ax* + *-a^ux*.

started to play, (but soon) began to feel sleepy. They looked up and saw many stars. The youngest sister then said, "What do you think about making the stars our husbands?" And her other sister said, "Which one do you want?" — "I want that smallest star." And then she said, "Which one do you want?" — "I want a very large star." Then they all fell asleep. They knew nothing any longer. They were asleep.

Early in the morning they two woke up. And when the younger sister woke up, she saw an old man resting (beside her). His hair was all white. Then she saw (that another) man was resting beside her older sister. Very good-looking was the man who lay down near her older sister. The woman hardly believed her own eyes [mind]. (Then each of) those men said thus: "I am the one whom you wanted last night."

Thus is known (the story of) those Star-People. No one knows what happened to them. Thus the story is related. It is the end.

7. THE ORIGIN OF DEATH⁵ (*Coos*).

They were two brothers, and they lived together. Each of them had a wife, and each had a little boy. One day early in the morning the child (of one of them) became sick. It was not sick long before it died. Very sorry was he whose child had died. He buried his child, and for one day he did not eat. Some one was keeping watch by the dead child. Then after four days he went to see his cousin. "Cousin, what do you think? Shall my child that died come back on the fifth day?" Such were his words. "Not so. Just eat, and you will get well."

⁵ By metathesis for *qūtca'ta^x* WIVES HAVE THEY TWO.

⁶ Passive.

txū, hī'sanx ha'ūtūx." S^eatsī'tc wa^a'yaxaⁿ. Kumí'ntc níctcī'tc wa'aí. Cí'níxyat!ya txū. "Qlaha'inx." ¹

5 "ꞑ kumí'ntc yā'tsac L!a'^{ai} ꞑ p!a^antx ants t!āmctc. Kumí'ntc yā'tsa p!naí', ꞑ xaū'. Tsí'k!ya p!naí'tx haí' ants
 10 xaū'tx t!āmctc. S^eatsī'tc waaí', ants sí'nxítx ants t!āmc xwī'l!tūxtc, ꞑ qa'tc^ent sqa'ktcī'tc. "Tcmā'nī, tsí'k!ya hīs t!āmcíns tcí'ntūx Lxaípístā'tū tsxayū'^{wi}." S^eatsī'tc wa'aí'tx
 ants Lxa^u'yax. "Kumí'ntc s^eatsī'tc, tcmā'nī. Txū hí't!EM, hī'sanx haí' ha'ūtūx." Atsī'tc ꞑ waaí'. "A'ck!aí atsī'tc
 15 xwīl!a'wax ants t!ā'mcíns, ꞑ^enx kumí'ntc s^eatsī'tc sí'níxyūn. Xawaí' hītc, ꞑ kumí'ntc tcí'níí xwī'l!íí, ní'ctcím^enx kumí'ntc sí'níxyūn s^ea'tsa. Hī'sanx tsí'k!ya s^eatsī'tc^enx wa-a'yūts." S^eatsī'tc cí'nxyat!ya. "Tsí'k!ya hīs atsī'tc wa^a'yax. Hītc ꞑ tcínaí' xwīl!a'l Lxaípístya'tū tsxayū'^{wi}, s^eà atsī'tc
 15 wa^a'yax." Tsí'k!ya hīs, hītc xa'ūyax wā'nwīts ꞑ tcí'ntūx Lxaípístya'tū tsxayū'^{wi}.

Sqa'k wàn hawaí'. Atsī'tc tE háġk! wā'nwīts.

¹ Passive.

Thus said to him (his cousin). But he said nothing: he merely thought, "Some one will get even with you."

Then not long afterwards the (other man's) child became sick. It was not sick long before it died. Very sorry was he whose child had died. So thus he said when he wanted that his child should come back, after he had gone there (to his cousin). "Cousin, it will be very good if our (dual) children come back on the fifth day." Thus he said to his friend. "Not so, cousin! Just eat, and you will become light-hearted." Thus he went on saying. "I had intended that our (dual) children should come back, but you did not want it so. Now, whenever a person dies, he will never come back again, because you did not want it so. It was very good that you told me so." Then he thought thus: "It was very good that he said so. A man would have come back on the fifth day, if he had said so." It would be very good if a man who had already died could come back on the fifth day.

Here, then, it ends. Such is the story (as it happened) long ago.

MISCELLANEOUS TALES.

8. THE PELICAN AND THE SEA-GULL (*Lower Umpqua*).

Sqū'ma ʷ kum'ntc ta'if̄ inq!a'itc. Pí'tsís tsím ʷ xí'ntma. Stím f̄kwa'itx f̄t!aí. ʷ waa'aṽn f̄qal·ō'mä. "Níctc'itcanx tánx qō'xṽm ta'yaxaí? Níctc'itcanx tanx kúi qaa'tlí inq!a'a'itc?" ʷ sᵉatsí'tc waa'. "Kum'ntc hís 5 nàtc tE sᵉa'it L!a'ai. Pí'tsís ʷ yā'a'xa'itc f̄itlayū'wi." Atsí'tc txū waa'í. "Sí'n'ixyanx f̄itlaya', ʷf̄nx nàtc lí'wís." Atsí'tc waa'aṽn ants f̄qal·ō'mä. "Ha'iq ʷ kum'ntc yā'a'xa'itc f̄it!a-yū'wi. Qwate L!xū'yūn ha'iq, ʷ sᵉàs ata's L!xū'yūn." Sᵉatsí'tc waa'aṽn ants f̄qal·ō'mä.

10 Sᵉa'tsa ants f̄qal·ō'mä ʷ pí'tsís ta'yaxaí. Tc'í'k!yac-L!a'ai sinq!a'í ʷ waa'aṽn sqūma'. "Tcí'k!ya hís, yā'a'xaí f̄t!aí pí'tsís.¹ L!xū'yūn qnà, inq!a'itc hite ta'yax, ʷ yā'a'xaí sinq!, ní'tcím kum'ntc yā'a'xa'itc f̄it!ayū'wi tE inq!a-a'itc." — "Pí'tsísᵉnx ta'yax, na'tcᵉnx lí'wís, f̄t'ia'í' anx 15 sí'n'ixya, qna'hamtsᵉnx wā'xa'semts. Wa'í yā'tsa ʷf̄n kum'ntc sí'nq!a'í. Pí'tsísín ta'yax ʷf̄n kum'ntc sí'nq!a'í." Atsí'tc waa'aṽn sqūmā' ants f̄q!al·ō'mä. ʷ wàn sᵉa'tsa xní'wNE ants f̄q!al·ō'mä. Pí'tsís ta'yat!í ants f̄q!al·ō'mä, ʷ ha'kwī f̄t!a'í. Tē'q xawa'í pí'tsís, ʷ sᵉàs f̄it!a'yūn ha'iq- 20 yax. Wa'í tē'q mí'k!a, ʷ f̄it!a'yūn sᵉàs. Sᵉatsa'tc níctc'í-

¹ This form seems to be used in both the absolute and the objective cases.

MISCELLANEOUS TALES.

8. THE PELICAN AND THE SEA-GULL (*Lower Umpqua*).

Pelican does not live in rivers. He always travels (around) the ocean and gets food there. Then (one day) Sea-Gull said to him, "Why is it that you are an inhabitant of the sea [offshore]? Why is it that you do not enter frequently into rivers?" Then he answered thus: "Such a region (the river) is not good for me. The ocean contains lots of food." Thus only he said. "If you want food, then come to me." Thus he said to Sea-Gull. "The shore does not contain lots of food. (Only he) who knows the shore knows (how to obtain food)." Thus he said to Sea-Gull.

Thus (it came about that) Sea-Gull began to live in the ocean. Some time afterwards, (when Sea-Gull became) hungry, she said to Pelican, "It is very good that there is much food in the ocean. I know (from my own experience, that, if a) person lives in a creek, he is very hungry, because there is not much food in a creek." (So Pelican said,) "If you live in the ocean, and you come to me desiring fish, I shall always give it to you. Not even (once in) a long time do I feel hungry. Living in the ocean, I do not feel hungry." Thus Pelican said to Sea-Gull. And then Sea-Gull did thus. (Thereafter) she always lived in the ocean and ate mussels. Whenever anything died in the ocean, she would devour it after it had come ashore. Even though it would be something

ma⁶mū ants lq!al·ō'mä. Ts'imstc tE'q ants lq!al·ō'mä ants sqūmā'.

5 ʷ¹ wàn ha'nⁿni'tlistūn ha'itc ants sqūmā' lq!al·ō'a'mi.
 "Na'tc^{enx} līū' ta'yax, ʷ^{enx} kum'ntc s'inq!a'is. Wa'i
 yā'xai hitc, ʷ¹ sqa'k h't!ai." Wa'i yā'xai hitc, ʷ¹ ts'ihā-
 yūn sqūmā'. S^{as} ha'mtsūx klīxū' llaya' ants h't'isk'in
 l!a'ai. Līūna^{wya}x ʷ¹ s^{atsi}'tc waa'yūn ants lq!al·ō'mä.
 "Wa'i yā'tsa ʷ¹n kum'ntc xwī'l!tūx inq!a'a'itc wa'tūx."
 Atsi'tc waa'aⁿ sqūmā' ants lq!al·ō'ma. "Waxa'yimanx
 10 ckō'tc līū' pī'tsīs, ʷ^{enx} stīm t!i'mct!is." Atsi'tc waa'aⁿ
 sqūmā' ants lq!al·ō'ma. "Pictcem l!a'ai ʷ¹ txū ha'ūs hit!a-
 yū'^{wi} pī'tsīs. Wa'i ya'xai hitc, ʷ¹ nātē h't!ai'. Qna'han
 yā'xai h'kwa'yūn tE h't!ai'." S^{atsi}'tc waa'yūn ants lq!a-
 l·ō'ma sqūmā'. ʷ¹ s^a'tsa tE pī'tsīs tai ha'qmas tE lq!a-
 15 l·ō'ma. "Ha'qmas^{enx} txū ta'is tsitiyū's." S^a'tsa tai.
 Wīl!a' l!a'ai, ʷ¹ ha'qmas tci'wa xī'ntmE. S^a'tsa^{ux} tai.
 Wa'i klīxū' l!a'ya ʷ¹ s^a'tsa ta'is tE lq!al·ō'ma. Atsi'tc
 s'inxit. "Hi'san kīf wàn waa'yūts s^{atsi}'tc." S^a'tsa tE
 lq!al·ō'ma ʷ¹ ha'qmas ta'yaxai pī'tsīs. ʷ¹ stīm yā'xatc'is
 20 hit!aya' ha'qmas. ʷ¹ s^{atsi}'tc waa' ants sqūmā'. "Atsi-
 t^{enx}an waa'yūts. Stī'm^{enx} ta'is." S^{atsi}'tc waa' ants
 lq!al·ō'mä. "Qwa'tcin kūi nictci'tc waa'yūts, ʷ¹n tEx l!xū-
 xū'sūn." S^{atsi}'tc waa' ants lq!al·ō'mä. "Nictci'tc^{enx}
 wa'yaxa^{uts} qwatc, ʷ^{enx} kum'ntc atsi'tc ha^{wisiti} ha'i.
 25 Wa'i yā'tsa, ʷ^{enx} stīm ta'is. Et'ia'ianx s'ini'yax, ʷ^{enx}
 nātē lī'wis. Qna'han h'kwa'yūn yā'xai h't!ai'." Atsi'tc

¹ The preceding sentence practically concludes this story; but the narrator's fondness of repeating details has led him to add what seems to be superfluous

bad, still she would eat it. Such was the custom of Sea-Gull. Pelican was Sea-Gull's own relative.

Then¹ at last Sea-Gull began to believe Pelican (when he said), "If you live near me, you will never get hungry. Although many people (live in the ocean), still they (all) eat there." In spite (of the fact that there were) many people, nevertheless Pelican killed [obtained food]. He dipped out for (Sea-Gull) lots of small fish on every place. (Once) they two came together, and Sea-Gull said to (Pelican) thus: "Never will I go back again to the creek." Thus said that Sea-Gull to Pelican. "I will give you a mountain near the ocean, there you will raise children." Thus said Pelican to Sea-Gull. "In the summer-time it is simply easy (to obtain) food in the ocean. Although there are many people, still they (all) eat (through the efforts made) by me. I obtain lots of food." Thus said Pelican to Sea-Gull. That is why Sea-Gull lives near the ocean, (because Pelican told her,) "You shall keep on living near the breakers." Thus she lives. During low tide she walks around near the water. Thus they two live. Everywhere sea-gulls keep on living thus. Then thus (Sea-Gull) thought: "Well, he told it to me." And that is why Sea-Gull came to live near the ocean. There, near the shore, she always tries to look for food. Then Pelican said thus: "They told me that you must stay here always." And Sea-Gull replied thus: "Nobody said anything to me, so how am I to know (that it is for) always?" Thus said Sea-Gull. "Somebody (must have) told you something (else), that is why you do not always agree. You will stay there forever. Whenever you want fish, you will always come to me. I can get lots of food." Thus spoke Pelican. Then Sea-Gull said thus: "I doubt whether

subject-matter. I thought it best not to interfere too much with his manner of narrating a story, but to take it down exactly as it was told.

waa' ants sqūma'. S^eatsi'tc waa' ants lqal'ō'mä. "Tā'qan
 tex tcaītcī'tc xī'ntmīs. Tcī'nt^etc ha'tct'ū'u ʷhn kumī'ntc tcā
 nī'ctcīs. Tsi'mīn stūmk ta'īs waⁱ yā'tsa."

Sqa'k wān hawaⁱ. Sqa'k wān smīt'ūⁱ. S^ea'tsate nīctcī-
 5 ma^mmū TE sqūma' wā'nwīts lqal'ōa'ma^ux.

9. THE BEAVER AND THE MUSKRAT (*Lower Umpqua*).

Wā'nwītsaxax L!a'yax TE qwo'txaⁱ tsīmīl'a'wa^ux taⁱ.
 Kumī'ntc^wax Lī'ū ta'īl hītū'tc. LXī'yate^wax taⁱ hīsī's.
 Waⁱ yīkt L!a'ai, ʷḷa^ux s^eās tkūma'yūn. ʷ qīūtccūnya't ants
 qwo'txaⁱ. Kumī'ntc^wax LXī'yate^etc hīsī'i. TsxayaⁱL!a^ux,
 10 ʷḷa^ux xīl'xcyaⁱ. Xīl'xcī'yūtsma^ux a'nts^etc^wax mā'tī. Tsi'
 k!ya^ux L!xū'yūn mīti'yū^u. Ants Lxa^uyaxa^u'nī pēh'tcya.
 Waⁱ yīktī'l'mä lqaⁱ'tū, ʷ t!E'mxū^un. S^ea'tsa^ux xni'^wNE.
 Waa'yEMX^usta^ux. "S^ea'tsans ta'īs, ta'yans L!aya'ītī. Tcīk
 waⁱ yā'a'xaⁱ TE īnqlaⁱ, ʷhns tkwa'mīsūn. Sqaⁱ'k^{ens} ḷa'kwīsūn
 15 TE h't!aⁱ." Atsi'tc^wax waaⁱ'mxūⁱs. "ʷh^ens yā'a'xaⁱ h'tī'aⁱ
 ḷa'kwīsūn sqaⁱ'k."

Tcīn hīsī'stc ants qwo'txaⁱ, atsi'tc waa'yūtsME qī'ūt^c.¹
 "Qwa'xtc^etūnx. ḷikwa'yūnanx k^u h'tī'aⁱ sexa^uḷ." ʷ wān
 qwaxtcaⁱ ants qīūtccū'nī. ʷ tcīnaⁱ ants qīūtccū'nī hīsī'stc
 20 ʷ kumī'ntc waaⁱ' ants^etc qasLī'ū. ḷqaⁱ'tū txū ma^{atc}
 sīma'x^{us} ants sexa^uḷ waa'yūn. ʷ s^eatsi'tc waa' ants qīū-
 tcū'nī. "ḷiya't!ūwīnx ata's TE ma^{atc} txa'nī'tcīnx." Atsi'tc

¹ The following episode does not seem to belong to this story. It may be an interpolation suggested by some other myth (see Coos Texts, p. 174; and Franz Boas, Kathlamet Texts, p. 20).

I shall ever go anywhere (else). (No matter) how long a period elapses, I shall never go anywhere (else). I shall always stay here, forever."

Here now it ends. This is the finish. Such was the custom of Pelican and Sea-Gull in former days.

9. THE BEAVER AND THE MUSKRAT (*Lower Umpqua*).

(Among the) people belonging to (the days of) long ago they two lived, — Beaver and Muskrat. They two did not live in the vicinity of people. They two lived in houses that were apart (from other dwellings). No matter how large a place was, they two (always) made a dam around it. Beaver was married. Their two houses were not apart (from each other). Early in the morning they two worked repairing their (dual) dams. They two knew well the art of making dams. That other one (Beaver) was the better [first] worker. Even the largest logs he could cut into two. Thus they two did. (One day) they two began to talk to each other. "Thus we two shall always live, staying in our (dual) abodes. Wherever (there is a) river, no matter how many there may be, still we two shall keep on making dams in them. We two shall always get food there." Thus they two kept on talking to each other. "We two shall always obtain lots of fish."

(One day) Beaver¹ came home, and said thus to his wife: "You go down to the river, and you may get some salmon in the canoe." Then that woman went down to the river; and when she came back into the house, she said nothing to her husband. Only logs were lying at the landing-place, (or, as) he had told her, in the canoe. Then (after a while) the woman said thus: "(The remains of) your food only are lying in your tracks." Thus his

waa'a^{ūn} qayū'ts^{tc}. "Kwīnx s^eatsī'tc wa'a's. Łt'ī'a^ī wàn. Ta'fīts ũ^{nx} f't'l'tūx f't'ia'ā." Atsī'tc waa'a^{ūn} qasLī'ūt^c.¹

Tsxaya^{i'} L!a^{'ai} kumí'ntc^{wax} wusí'tc LÍ'wīf. Xí'l'xcítxa^{ux}
 a'ntsítcx^u ² mā'tī. Wa^{i'} yíkt L!a^{'ai}, ũ^{la}^{ux} tkūma^{i'}tx. S^{Ea'}-
 5 tsa^{ux} xní'^{wNE} ants qwo'txa^ī tsímí'l'a'wa^{ux}. S^{Eà} tsí'k!ya
 wí'nkíř ants tsímí'l'ä. S^{Ea'}tsa^{ux} xní'^{wNis}. M^{aā}'títc tE qwo'-
 txa^ī, ũ^f fímnítcū'ní ants tsímí'l'ä. S^{Ea'}tsa^{ux} taⁱ. Tsí'Llī³
 xāl!a^{i'} ants tsímí'l'ä. L!xūⁱtx a'ntsítc māt'lí'. Kumí'ntc
 10 s'í'n'xyūn hītc LÍ'wis māt!iyū'stc. S^{Ea'}tsa ũ^f xí'l'xcī tsíL!ya'
 ants tsímí'l'ä, ní'ctcīma^{ux} klīna^{ū'n} ants hītc.⁴ Tsí'm^{wax} ⁵
 xawa'a^u waa'yū'NE. S^{Ea'}tsa ũ^f xāl!a^{i'} tsíLlī'⁶ ants tsímí'l'ä.
 S^{Ea'}tsa^{ux} xní'^{wNE} a'ntsux taⁱ. Wa^{i'} yíkt L!a^{'ai}, ũ^{la}^{ux} metí'-
 txa^{ux}, tkūma'yūn. S^{Ea'}tsa^{ux} taⁱ. Waa'ⁱmxusta^{ux} s^eatsī'tc.
 "Hawa^{i'}tūx tE tsí'Llī, ũ^fns tsíL!a't^{ptūx}, t!ā'xatc'tūns,
 15 ní'ctcīm^{ns} kumí'ntc s'í'n'xyūn tE tsí'ní'Ltsí'ní'L."⁷ S^{Ea}tsí'-
 tc^{wax} ⁸ waa'ⁱmxū's. "Na'han ũⁿ tsíL!iya's, níx^{ats} ũ^fnx txū
 qaní'nař hí'nísítí." S^{Ea'}tsa ants qwo'txa^ī ũ^f kumí'ntc tsíL!i-
 ya's, ní'ctcīm L!māk'í'sk'ín tēil ants qwo'txa^ī. ũ^f txū
 qalí'nař.⁹ ũ^f wàn t!āxatc'a^{i'} ants tsímí'l'ä. Wa^{i'} qaⁱhantc,
 20 ũ^f tsíL!a^{i'}. ũ^f wàn s^eatsī'tc waa'a^{ūn} tā'maxt'itc. "Tā'maxtīn
 ata's ũ^f qaⁱha'ntc tsíL!a^{i'}." Stí'ma^{ux} s^eatsa'wa^{ux} ¹⁰ hí'q!aⁱt.
 Kumí'ntc^{wax} łakwa'ūłtx ants qí'ūt^c. A'tsa ũ^{la}^{ux} kumí'ntc
 hīstc ha^{i'}. Tsí'k!ya^{ux} wa'sLya.¹¹

¹ Here ends the inserted episode, and the trend of the main story is again taken up.

² By metathesis for *a'nts'tca^{ux}*.

³ Should be *tsíL!ya'*.

⁴ Beaver and Muskrat have been informed by some one that their enemies Tsí'ní'Ltsí'ní'L and Qula^{'l}qula^{'l} have come to steal their wives.

⁵ For *tsí'ma^{ux}*.

⁶ For *tsíL!ya'*.

⁷ A small mammal living in the water, whose identity could not be ascertained. William Smith rendered it by OTTER FROM THE OCEAN; while another informant called it A KIND OF LITTLE BEAVER. It is undoubtedly the Chinook term for MUSKRAT. (See Coos Texts, tsanē'Ltsanē'L [p. 180, line 10].)

⁸ By metathesis for *s^eatsí'tca^{ux}*.

⁹ The Siuslaw equivalent for the Lower Umpqua *qaní'nař*.

wife told him. "Don't keep on saying so. It is salmon. After a while you shall eat salmon." Thus her husband told her.¹

(Even) early in the morning they two never felt sleepy, but were continually working at their (dual) dams. No matter how large a place was, still they two would continually put dams (around it). Thus they two, Beaver and Muskrat, were doing. Muskrat, too, was an expert worker. Thus they two kept on working. The Beaver was some sort of a chief, while Muskrat was second (in rank). Thus they two lived. Muskrat made arrows. He always knew (the ways of) his elder brother. He did not wish that any person should come to his brother. That is why Muskrat was working at arrows, because they two had heard that some people (were coming),⁴ it being repeatedly rumored that they two were going to be killed. For that reason Muskrat was making arrows. Thus the two who were living there did. Even the large(st) places they two would close (by means of) dams. Thus they two lived. (Then after a while) they two said to each other, "When these arrows are ready, then we two will try to shoot, because we do not want Tsinĩltsinĩl here." Thus they two were always saying to each other. "I (thus said Muskrat) will carry the arrows, while you just take along your knife." Thus (it was that) Beaver did not have any arrows, because his hands were too small. So he only carried a knife. Then Muskrat began to try (to shoot). He shot ever so far. Then said of him (his) brother-in-law (Beaver), "My brother-in-law is simply shooting far." There they two thus intended to begin (defending themselves). Their (dual) wives were not (going to be) taken away from them. That is why they two were not light-hearted. They two were very angry.

¹⁰ For *s^hatsa'aux*.

¹¹ Instead of *wa'sLsai*.

ʷʰa^ux wàn yaxí'xūⁿ ants tsîni'Ltsîni'L. Tsîmí'l'ä ʷʰ
 Lxatí't qō'xmí's, ʷʰ qaa' s^ɛxa^u'tc. Ní'ctcat!a^ux sí'níxyūn
 a'nts^ux hītc Līū', ní'ctcîma^ux L!xū'yūn wā'nwīts łakwa'ūtx-
 a^ux ta'tc^wax qī'ūtē ta^ux tsîmí'l'ä qwoa'txa^{iw}ax.¹ Kumí'ntc^wax
 5 sí'níxyūn a'ntsux hītc Līū'. Tsí'klyā wā'sLí'sya ants tsîmí'l'ä.
 Kūi nīctcī'tc Lxā'wīł ants qwo'txaⁱ. S^ɛatsa'wa^ux hī'q!a^{it}
 a'ntsux łakwa'ūtx ants qī'ūtē. Kumí'ntc^wax ta'is sí'níxyūn
 ants qīūtēcū'nī. Mīta'tc^wax ants tqūlū'² waa'. "Wān'wīts
 Līū' ants tsîni'Ltsîni'L." Atsī'tc waa'a^utsmē ants mātli' ants
 10 tsîmí'l'ä. ʷʰa^ux wā'nwīts ants qīūtēcū'nī āqa'q. ʷʰ waa'
 ants tsîmí'l'ä. "Kumí'ntc tē'q. Kwīnx qīūtēca'tis." ʷʰ ku-
 mí'ntc Lxā'wīł ants mātli'. ʷʰ waa'a^utsmē mātli'. "Qa'í'ła^ux
 wàn łakwī'nī. Kumí'ntc na'tc^ɛns sí'níxyā tē qīūtēcū'nī.³
 Kumí'ntc tē'q. Kwīns qīūtēca't." Atsī'tc waa' ants qwo'-
 15 txaⁱ. Atsī'tc^wax waa'yēmxust.

ʷʰa^ux wàn łakwa'kūⁿ ants qīūtēcū'nī a'nts^ux tsîni'Ltsîni'L.
 Txū wā'sLsīt ants tsîmí'l'ä. "Ła'kutsxats qī'ūtē!" Atsī'tc
 waa' ants tsîmí'l'ä. Wanx⁴ L!xū'itx ants hītc Līū'. Pī'tsī-
 tc^wax Līhā'ūn ants qīūtēcū'nī. Kumí'ntc^wax L!xū'yūn qa-
 20 hā'ntc xīntmū'^u. Tcī'k^wax taⁱ, ʷʰa^ux stī'm^wax taⁱ, waⁱ
 yā'tsa.⁵ Kumí'ntcux tcā ní'ctcīł. Tkūma'í'txa^ux a'ntsux
 īnq!a'aⁱ. ʷʰ sqā'k lī'wīs ants h'tlaⁱ. Tsí'klyā L!xū'yūn
 xīl'xcyū'^u ants tsîmí'l'ä. Waⁱ yīktí'l'mā łqa'í'tū, ʷʰ t!ēm-
 x^una'wūⁿ, tcī'k^wax tkwamí'yūs L!a'^{ai}. A'tsa ʷʰa^ux xní'wNE
 25 ta'ya^ux. S^ɛatsa'tc^wax nīctcîma^ɛmū tē tsîmí'l'ä. Tsí'klyā
 L!xū'yūn xīl'xcyū'^u.

¹ For *qwoa'txaⁱa^ux*.

³ Singular for plural.

² Instead of *tqūla'*.

⁴ Beaver and his father-in-law.

Then at last they two saw Tsinīltsinīl. Muskrat jumped way into the water, and went into a canoe. They two wanted to fight those two (Tsinīltsinīl and Qulailqulail) people who came, because Muskrat and Beaver knew already that their (dual) wives had been taken away (from them). They two did not want those two people to come (near). Muskrat (especially) was very angry, while Beaver said nothing. Those two women who had been taken away (from them) intended to (run away, because) they did not wish always to stay (there). Their (dual) father shouted, "Tsinīltsinīl came long ago!" Thus said Muskrat to his elder brother. And after the two women had run away, Muskrat said, "It is nothing. You will never have a wife (again)." And the elder brother said nothing. Then he said (again) to his elder brother, "Let them take (the women). These women do not like us two. It does not matter. We two have no wives." Thus said Beaver. Thus they two were saying to each other.

So those two, Tsinīltsinīl (and Qulailqulail), took away the women. Muskrat was simply angry. "Ye two take your women!" Thus said Muskrat. They always knew (whence) these people (had) come. They took the women to the ocean, who did not know (how far) the journey (took them). But they two (Beaver and Muskrat) remained forever where they had (always) lived. They two did not go anywhere, but kept on making dams in the rivers, so that food would always come there. Muskrat knew well how to work. Even the biggest logs he (could) cut into pieces, wherever they two were making dams. Thus they did as they lived (there). Such was their (dual) custom, (that of) Muskrat (and Beaver). (They two) knew very well how to work.

⁵ The preceding sentence seems to express the narrator's personal opinion.

- S^ea'tsa ʷla^ux kumí'ntc Lxí'yatc taⁱ. Tí'mwa^ux taⁱ, waⁱ yā'tsa. Píctcîma^{i'} L!a'^{ai}, ʷla^ux stîm yāxa^{i'}tc xînt. Stí'ma^ux t!í'mct!ya.¹ S^ea'tsa^ux xní'^wNE. Kumí'ntc^wax tcā ní'tcîf. Stí'm^enx² taⁱ, waⁱ yā'tsa. Yā'a'xa^{i'}tc^enx hít!aⁱ.
- 5 Tā'qnîs hit!aya'tc ants hîtsí'ⁱ.
 ʷf ants q^uL!í'í'tc kumí'ntc^wax sí'ní'xyūn LÍŭ ta'is, ní'tcîm xîya^{i'} hit!aya' ants q^uL!í'í'tc. Ha^{i'}nate a^{i'}sxa hít!aⁱ tE s^eà q^uL!í'í'tc. Et'í'isk'in hít!a^{i'}. A'tsa ʷf kumí'ntc sí'ní'xyūn qwoa'txaⁱ ants q^uL!í'í'tc. Tí'mwanx² wàn ta^{i'} inq!a'aⁱtc.
- 10 Ha^{i'}nate^wax hít!aⁱ tE qwo'txaⁱ. S^eatsa'tc nîctcîma^emū tE qwo'txaⁱ. Hank! hí'tc^etc nîctcîma^emū tE qwo'txaⁱ. S^ea'tsa^ux ʷf kumí'ntc tE'q s^ea^{i'}na^ux a'nts^ux qíūtc^uwa'nî anxa'xa^uNE.³ Atsí'tc^wax waa'yemxust wàn.

- S^eatsí'tc^wax waa'xam a'ntsux łokwí'xamłtx⁴ qí'ūt. 15 "Kumí'ntc^enx tE'q. Kumí'ntc^enx tcā cí'l'xíł." Atsí'tc^wax waa^{i'} ants xā'ts!ū tEXmū'nî. Kumí'ntc^wax tE'q L!x^uwax^u. Txū'wa^ux tkūma'yūn inq!aⁱ k!ēxū' L!aya'. S^eatsa'tc^wax nîctcîma^emū. S^ea'tsa ants qwo'txaⁱ ʷf kumí'ntc tcā cí'l'xíł, waⁱ yā'tsa. S^ea'tsate nîctcîma^emū tE qwo'txaⁱ tsîmîl'a'wax.
- 20 Tí'mwa^ux ta'yaxaⁱ.

Sqaⁱk wàn ata's hawa^{i'}.

10. THE MAN WHO MARRIED THE BEAR-WOMAN⁵ (*Alsea*).

Wa^a'a^utsma^ux mîtà ants t!āmcí'l'mä. "Pîūla'wax^uxūn."
 S^eatsí'tc^wax waa^{i'}tx⁶ ants mîfà. "Kū'its qaⁱha'ntc tqa^uwîtc

¹ Instead of *t!í'mct!ai*.

² Includes Beaver, Muskrat, and their children.

³ Because of Beaver's human-like manners, his two wives did not care about him.

⁴ Instead of *łakwí'xamłtx*.

⁵ An Alsea myth told in the Lower Umpqua language.

They two did not live apart. They always staid together. Towards summer many began (to stay) there, and they two raised children. Thus they two did. They two did not go anywhere, but staid there forever. They had lots of food, (so that) the house was full of food.

And they two did not want the Otter always to stay near (them), because he would take (away their) food. That Otter's food (was always that which) belonged to some one else. He ate small fish, and for that reason Beaver did not like Otter. Now they (all)² staid together in the river. Different was their (dual) food, (that of) Beaver (and Muskrat). Such was Beaver's custom. His manner was like (that of a) person, and for that reason those two women who were given up did not care about (either of) them (dual).³ For that reason they two thus talked to each other (namely, to let these women go).

Thus was told (each of) these two (Beaver and Muskrat) whose wives were taken away from them: "You shall be nothing. You shall move nowhere." Thus these two men were told. And they two knew nothing (else). They two just closed up rivers (by means of dams) everywhere. Such became their (dual) custom. That is why Beaver never moves (around) anywhere (else). Such became the custom of Beaver and Muskrat while they two lived together.

Here only it ends.

10. THE MAN WHO MARRIED THE BEAR-WOMAN⁵ (*Alsea*).

Two grown-up (male) children said (once) to their (dual) father, "We two intend to go out hunting." And thus (also) they two said to their mother. "Don't ye two go

⁶ The use of the objective form *-ā̄t̄x* in this connection is incorrect, because this suffix indicates that the object forms an integral part of the subject. The suffix *-ūtsmE* should have been used here.

qa'tc^{Enis}. Kū'its It'ī'aī ya'xyūn." Waa'itxa^{ux} a'nts^{etc}wax
mīfà. "Ha^u. Kumī'ntcxūn qai'ha'ntc tcā nī'ctcis." ʷfa^{ux}
wàn qa'tc^{Ent}.

ʷfa^{ux} wàn līū' inq!a'itc. Atsī'tc^{wax} waa'yemxust. "Kū'ins
5 qai'ha'ntc hī'nīsītī sī'xaī. Tai'k^{Ens} aya'qa'itī tE sī'xaī." ʷf
waa'itx¹ ants m^uū'sk^u. "Ha^u. Tai'k^{Ens} aya'qa'itī sī'xaī."
ʷfa^{ux} wàn qa'tc^{Ent}. Yā^a'xa^{ux} L!ōna' a'ntsux qatc^{Enitx}.
"Yā^a'xai It'ī'aī tqa^{uwī} k^unà. Qai'hā'n It'ī'aī tai." ʷfa^{ux}
wàn xīnt. Tqa^{uwī}'tc^{wax} līū' qai'ha'ntc. ʷfa^{ux} qnū'hūn
10 t!iyayE'm! txain⁸. ʷf s^Eatsī'tc waa'a^un ants^{etc} m^uū'sk^u.
"S^Eàs k^unà c^uxū'yūn ants It'ī'aī." Kū'ī tcik ya'xaī² ants t!ī.
ʷfa^{ux} wàn xīnt. ʷfa^{ux} wàn qai'ha'ntc tqa^u'witc līū'. S^ukwī'tc
t!ī'wax txain⁸ ants t!ī. Tcī'wane ha'qīqyax, ʷf L!ā'qt^{etc}
ants txain⁸.

15 ʷfa^{ux} wàn xīnt. ʷfa^{ux} yaxī'xūn ants It'ī'aī. T^owatcī'-
tcūna^{ux} wàn. ʷf waa'a^utsmE ants m^uū'sk^u. "Tai'k^{Ens}
aya'qyūn tE It'ī'aī. Tqa^{uwī}'tc^{ins} k!ī'nk'itūx." Waa'itx wàn
ants m^uū'sk^u. "Ha^u." Yaxī'xūn^aux waha'ha^un ants It'ī'aī.
ʷfa^{ux} tcaqa'qa^un. ʷf waa'a^utsmE ants m^uū'sk^u. "Tī'k^{Enx}
20 ta'is. K!ī'nk'ya'waxan tqa^{uwī}'tc k^u waha'wax." ʷf wàn
waha'ha^un qa'msk^{utc}. "Kwīnx qai'ha'ntcis." — "Ha^u,
Lī'mqan tcī'ntūx."

ʷf wàn xīntī't. ʷf yaxī'xūn ants It'ī'aī. ʷf xīnt. T^{sī}'-

¹ The use of the objective form *-aitx* in this connection is incorrect, because this suffix indicates that the object forms an integral part of the subject. The suffix *-ūtsmE* should have been used here.

way up the stream. Ye two won't see salmon (there)," (said their mother to them.) Then they two kept on saying to their (dual) mother, "All right! We sha'n't be going far anywhere." Then they two started.

Then they two came to the river, and thus began to talk to each other. "We two sha'n't take our (dual) canoe far off. Here we two shall leave our canoe." And (the elder one) said to his younger brother, "All right! we will leave our (dual) canoe here." So they two went. And as they two kept on going, they talked a great deal. "Lots of salmon seem to be upstream. Salmon live far (upstream)." Then they two kept on going, and came way to the upper (part of the river), where they two found the tracks of a bear. Then (the elder one) said thus to his younger brother: "Perhaps he has scared away the salmon." Nowhere (could they two) see the bear. So they kept on going until at last they came way upstream. Very fresh were the tracks of that bear. Having (recently) come ashore from the water, her tracks were still wet.

So they two kept on going until they two saw some salmon. So they began to spear. And (the elder one) said to his younger brother, "We two will leave these salmon here. We two would (better) go and look (for some) up the river." And the younger brother kept on saying, "All right!" (So they two went on, and) saw again some salmon. They two began to spear them. Then (the older one) said to his younger brother, "You stay here! I think I will go again to look for (more) upstream." Then his younger brother said to him again, "Don't go far away!" — "All right! I shall soon return," (he answered.)

Then he kept on going. He saw (some salmon), but

² Singular of dual.

k!ya hi'sa ants łt'í'aí. ʋł tqa^uwítc ya'q^uhaít. Yāxí'xū^un
 ants qīūt^ucū'ní skwahaí'. Skwahaí' ha'qmas tci'wa. Hi's
 s^ukwít^uc ants qīūt^ucū'ní. Sqa'k līū'. ʋł txū xa'ū stīm.
 Kūi l!xū'x^utc ha'í. ʋł kwísí's cí'l'xūn qīūt^ucwa'ní.
 5 "Kwí'sem! Tca'xumans, tca'xumans hītsí'stcīn!" S^eatsí'tc
 waa'a^un. ʋł^ax wàn tca'xa^ut. "Hiya'nyūtsanx hītsí'stcīn."
 Atsít^uc wí'łūn tEXM^uwa'ní. "Ha^u." ʋł wàn līū'ūtsME
 hītsí'stc ants tEXM^uní. "Tí'k'in tE taí. QasLí'ūtsanx qnà."
 ʋł wàn wí'łwa' ants tEXM^uní. Hai'na hau'ūł ha'í ants
 10 tEXM^uní.

ʋł qa'ínūst a'nts^etc m^usk^u. "Ní'ctxan k^u a'ntsīn māt'lí'
 tE kūi tci'níł?" ʋł wàn qa'tc^ent tqa^uwítci'tc ants t!āmcí'l'mā.
 ʋł yíxa'yūn tliyyayE'mł txa'n^e yā'xa. Wínx tsí'k!ya. Atsít^uc
 cí'nxít. "Łakwa'kū^un k^unà tli'yaí a'ntsīn māt'lí'." ʋł wàn
 15 tcā'xa^ut ants t!āmcí'l'mā, ʋł qātx ants t!āmcí'l'mā tCENí'tc
 xínt. Ha'nt'itx māt'lí'. Tli'yaí łakwa'kūł ants māt'lí'.
 Hai'qa'q wan.¹ ʋł^ax stīm qa'txast ants tEXM^uní qayū-
 tc^etc^wax. "Tli'yaí łakwa'kū^un a'ntsīn māt'lí'. Waa'a^utsīn,
 tā'k'in ta'is. 'Tqa^uwítcīn kl'ínk'itūx tíl. Yā'xaí k^unà
 20 łt'í'aí tqa^uwí.' Atsít^ucīn waa'a^uts. ʋłn wàn qa'tc^ent tqa^u-
 wítci'tc, ʋłn ata's tliyyayE'mł txa'n^e yā'xaí qnū'hū^un. ʋłn
 sqā'tEM txū xwíłla'l!. Wí'nxīn." Atsít^uc l!wa^un ants
 t!āmcí'l'mā. "ʋłn s^eatsí'tc cí'nixyat!ya. 'Tli'yaí k^unà łakwa'-
 kū^un a'ntsīn māt'lí'."

25 ʋł^ax qa'txast ants tEXMí'l'mā. Yā'xa^ux qa'txast ants

¹ Literally, HE GOES ASHORE.

(still) he went. Those salmon were very good. (Suddenly) he looked upstream, and saw a woman standing. She was standing near the water. That woman was exceedingly pretty. When he arrived there (where the woman stood), he just (dropped) dead (from sheer surprise). He did not know (what was going on in) his mind. And when he awoke (from his surprise), the woman was shaking him. "Wake up! Let us two return! Let us two go back to my house!" Thus she told him. So they two went back; (and the woman said to him,) "I will take you into my house." And the man agreed with her thus: "All right!" At last the man came to her house. "Here I live. I will make you my husband." And the man agreed. She had changed the mind of that man.

(In the mean while) his younger brother began to get tired waiting. "What may be (the reason that) my elder brother does not come back?" Then that grown-up (male) child went upstream. He saw lots of bear-tracks. He became very much afraid, and kept on thinking thus: "Maybe a bear has seized my elder brother!" So that boy went back, and as he went back he cried. He kept on calling (the name of his) elder brother; but the bear had seized his elder brother. Finally he came home, and there the man (father) and his wife began to cry. "A bear seized my elder brother. He told me that I should remain here, (saying,) 'I will go upstream a while to look for (salmon). (There) may be plenty of salmon upstream.'" Thus he told me. Then I (too) went up the river, but I found only lots of bear-tracks. So I just turned back from there, (because) I was afraid." Thus the boy related. "Then I was thinking thus: 'Maybe (that) a bear has taken away my elder brother!'"

Then those two old people began to cry. They two

tEXmí'l·mä. ʷ waa' ants tEXmí'l·mä. "Yāxatc'a^uwitn
 tlāmc k!^ELū." Atsítc waa' ants tEXmí'l·mä. ʷ wàn hí-
 qlaítanx. Yā'xatc'a'a^u ants tlā'mctc. ʷ^{EN}x wàn sqa'k
 Lū. "Qā'tkín tE a'qa'qa^uts. 'Tí'k^{EN}x ta'is, tqa^uwítcín
 5 klínk'ya'wax.'" ʷ^{EN}x wàn tqa^uwítcítc klínk'it. ʷ^{EN}x txū
 tliyayE'mł txain⁶ yíxa'yūn. Yā'a'xa'nx tliyayE'mł txain⁶
 qnūhū'yūn. Stí'm^{EN}x yāxatc'a'wax hí'qla'it, kwínx tcík
 qnūhū'yūn txain⁶. ʷ s^Eatsítc waa' ants tEXmí'l·mä.
 "Nítctcan tEX nítca'wax? Xwí'ltūnł. Mí'k!a k^unà tli'ya'
 10 łakwa'kū^un tā'kín tlāmc." ʷ^{EN}x wàn tca'xa^ut, ʷ^{EN}x wàn
 tci'n hítsí'stc. "Anxa'xa^un wàn tā'kín tlāmc."

Wàn ants hītc łokwí'xamyax.¹

Wā'nwíts^wax ma^{atc} qa'yūtc^{etc} ants hītc łokwí'xam.
 "Kumí'ntc^{EN}x s^Ea'itísítí ha'. Ha'nanx ha^utūxa'ítí ha'." 15
 ʷ^uax wàn stím tli'mctlyax. ʷ s^Eatsítc waa'yū^{NE} ants tlī,
 hí'tc^{etc} tsí'nEXma ants tlī. ʷ^uax tli'mctlyax yā'a'xa. Kí-
 x^{etc}wax haū'yax tlāmc. "Hís qīūtcū'ní tsí'k!ya." Atsítc
 cí'ní'ya ants hītc. Tsí'k!ya hīstc ha'. ʷ yā'a'xa' tlāmc
 łakwa'ūn. Wa'í yíkt ants hítsí'ⁱ, ʷ tā'qnís klíx tE'q Lxū'is.
 20 Ts!xat'ā't' ants Lxū'is, ʷ q!uní'ⁱ a'l·dū ants Lxū'is. Ku-
 mí'ntc nítctcítc cí'nxił ants hītc. Ha'na haū'tx ha'. S^Eatsítc
 waa'yū^{NE} ants tlī, hītc tsí'níxt ants tlī. Haya'mūt Llxū'-
 yūn s^Eatsítc, ʷ łakukyax hītū'tc tEXmū'nya.

Sqa'k wàn hawa'ⁱ ata's. Smūt'a't' wàn. Haya'mūt
 25 hiya'tc Llxū'yūn tE tlī hītc qaslí'ū ha'ūyax, hí'tc^{etc} tsí'-
 nEXma, s^Ea'tsa hí'tc^{etc} nítctíma⁶mu tE tlī.

¹ This sentence was interpolated by the narrator to serve as a sort of introduction to a new chapter.

cried a great deal. Then the old man (father) said, "Tomorrow I intend to try to look for my boy." Thus said the old man. Then (the next day) they started. They were going to try to look for his child. Finally they arrived there. "Here he left me, (saying,) 'You stay here, I am going to look for (salmon) up the river.'" So upstream they went to look for him, but they saw only bear-tracks. Many bear-tracks they found. There, (where) they were going to try to look (for him), they found no tracks (of him) anywhere. Then the old man said thus: "(I doubt whether we) shall accomplish anything. We will return. Maybe a bad bear has taken away this my child." So they returned, and came back into the house. "I give up my child," (said the old man.)

(Let us) now (turn to) the man who was seized (by the bear).¹

They two, the man who was seized and his wife, had already lain down (together). "Your mind will never be the same, it will become different." (Thus said his wife.) (After a while) they two had children. And that is why it is said of the bear, that he is half human. They two raised many children. They had ten children. "The woman is very pretty." Thus thought that man. He was very glad (because) he begot many children. Although the house was very large, still it was full of all (kinds of) dried things, — dried blackberries and also dried salal-berries. That man was not worrying about anything. His mind had become different. For that reason it is said of the bear that he is half human. All know it to be so, (because) she had taken a mortal man (for a husband).

Now, it here only ends. It is the finish. All people know that the Bear-(Woman) had made mortal man her husband, (and that because of that she became) half human, (and that) for that reason the bear (even to-day has the) manners of a mortal person.

11. THE LOST SEAL-HUNTERS¹ (*Alsea*).

Wā'nwitsaxax l!a'yax stīm² tīyū'wi. S^ea'tsanx xni'wne
 stīm l!a'ai tīyū'wi. Ya⁸kū's^{enx} tū'tca'. Pictcemtita' ʷ^{enx}
 sqa'k taya'. S^ea'tsanx xni'wne. Xā'tslū sī'xaⁱ stīm ta'-
 yūtne. Ya'q^uhīsū'ne ants ya⁸k^{us} l!a'ai. Tcik hīs tsxayū'wi
 5 ʷ^{enx} tū'tca'yūn. S^ea'tsanx xni'wnūn. Waⁱ yā'tsa, ʷ^{enx}
 sqa'k t!t!a' s^ea'tū'. Xā'tslū hitsi'ⁱ ants tīyū'wi l!a'ai stīm.
 Pictcemtita' yaxī'yūsne ants ya⁸k^{us} ʷ^{enx} xa'naⁱ qayuna'ts'ic.
 ʷ^{enx} qa'lXūtne. ʷ^{enx} wàn qwaxtca'ix hitcū'wi. T^owatca'a^u.
 S^ea'tsa xni'wnūtne wā'nwitsaxax.³

10 Kūⁱ yā'tsac l!a'ai ʷ^{enx} wahaⁱ xa'naⁱ ants ya⁸k^{us}. Yaxī'-
 yūsne, qa'lXīsū'ne, tcī'nt^{etc} ya'xa^ū xa'naⁱ qayuna'ts'ic. ʷ^{enx}
 s^eatsi'tc waa'xam. "Cī'n^{ax} xa'naⁱ ants ya⁸k^{us}." ʷ^{enx} a'laq
 ata's sī'xaⁱ qwa'xtc'ist. ʷ^{enx} wàn waa'ix hitcū'wi. "Kumī'ntc
 te'q, nī'klanl qwa'xtc'itūx." ʷ^{enx} wàn xīnt. ʷ^{enx} wàn
 15 līū' qayuna'ts'ic. Wàn xā'tslū hitc ha'skust, ʷ^{enx} wàn
 qa'tc^{ent}. ʷ^{enx} wàn yāxī'xūn ants ya⁸k^{us}. Cī'n^{ax}tc ya'xa^ū
 ants ya⁸k^{us}. Pk'itīyū'stc^{enx} l!mīxa'x ants ya⁸k^{us}. Qai'u'-
 tc^{wax} skwaha' tcik ants lk!iha^uwite ants pk'itī. Sqa'tma^{ux}
 yoq^uya'wūn. "Ats yīkti'l'mä lī'ūtūx pk'itīyū'stc, ʷ^{enx}
 20 tū'tca'yūn." Atsi'tc^{wax} waa'ixū's a'ntsux skwaha'. Yīxa'-
 yūna^{ux} wàn ants yīkti'l'mä. "S^eānx⁴ tū'tca'yūn, tsa'na^ū
 lī'ūtūx." Atsi'tc^{wax} waa'ixū's.

¹ An Alsea myth told in the Lower Umpqua language.

² At Seal Rock, a promontory situated some twelve miles north of the town of Newport.

³ The preceding part of this story may be looked upon as an introductory chapter.

11. THE LOST SEAL-HUNTERS¹ (*Alsea*).

Many lived there² (in the times of the) old settlers. Thus did the people who lived there. They speared seals. In the summer-time (only) they lived there. Thus they did. Two canoes were possessed (by the inhabitants). Many seals were always seen there. When it was a good day, they speared them. Thus they did it. They ate there such (food) forever. The people who lived there had two houses. When, in the summer-time, seals would be seen, then (some one would) climb upon a rock and would count them. Then people would go down to the water, (so that the seals might) be speared. Thus it was done by the old settlers.³

After a while seals climbed up again. They were seen, and counted (in regard to the) number that had climbed upon the rock. Then thus it was announced: "Three seals climbed up." So only one canoe went out. Many people said (that more canoes should be taken along; but those in the canoe said), "It is nothing, we will wade out alone." So they went, and came to that rock. Then two people got out (of the boat), and started (to climb up the rock). At last they two saw the seals, (and found) their number to be three. Those seals jumped into the lake (ocean). And two (men) were standing at the mouth, (or) where that lake (ended in some) sort of a mouth. They two intended to watch (the seals) from there. "When a very large (seal) comes into the lake, then you spear it." Thus said to each other the two who stood there. Finally they two saw a very large (seal). "That one you spear when it comes this way!" Thus they two kept on talking to each other.

⁴ Should have been *s²a'i'nanx*.

5 ʉ wàn xumca'c¹ ants yîktî'l·mä ants ya⁶k^{us}. ʉ wàn
 waa' ants a'ʎaq hîtc. "T^owa'tcîs wàn s^Eà² yîktî'l·mä!" ʉ
 wàn tû'tcî'xam. Hî'isa wàn tû'tcî'xam. ʉʎa^ux wàn xwîl!a'l!
 sE^ax^u'tc ants xā'ts!ū hîtc, ʉʎa^ux wàn lwî't sqak^ltcî'tc
 10 tcaîtcî'tc ants xînt ants ya⁶k^{us}. Kumí'ntc qa'ha'ntc xînt
 ants ya⁶k^{us}. ʉ wàn skwahaí' ants hîtc ants s^Eas qata'yūn
 ants lxaū'. Waí yā'tsa, ʉ s^Eàs qata'yūn ants lxaū'. Ku-
 mí'ntc katí' xa^uwîl ants ya⁶k^{us}. Xa^uwíyaí' txū hîcatca'sk'în
 ants ya⁶k^{us}, ʉ wàn qatí'yūsNE ants lxaū'. ʉ wàn ʎokwî-
 15 xam³ ants l'ep'î's. ʉ wàn ʎakwa'kūⁿ qwatc ants ʎikwa'-
 yūn. ʉ wàn skwa'ha'is ants hîtc. lxa^u'hîNE ants hîtc
 skwahaí'. ʉ s^Eàs tû'tca'yūn. Kūí katí'xtî l!xmaí ants
 ya⁶k^{us}. Pí'tsîst ants tsxayū'wî, kūí xa^uwîl ants ya⁶k^{us}.
 Atsî'tc wa'aísūn. "Nîctcî'tc tEX ants s^Ea'tsa xní'wNE ants
 20 ya⁶k^{us}?" Atsî'tc wa'aísūn. Mîk!a'k! ants tsxayū'wî. Kūí
 l!xū'xūisū'NE tcaîtcî'tc ants xînt ants ya⁶k^{us}. Kūí katí'xtî
 xa^uwîl ants ya⁶k^{us}.

Qaíxí'x wā'nwîts. Atsî'tc waa'tx mā'tí'wîtc ants sí'xaí.
 20 "Tcaîtcî'tc lō⁶L ní'ctūx. Kūí a'nxa'isū'NE." Atsî'tc waa'í-m-
 xustx⁴ hîtcū^u.⁵ "Kumí'ntc hî'isa. Qa'ha'ntc k^unà sūna'-
 wax." Atsî'tc waa'ímxustx⁴ hîtcū^u. Qaíxí'x ants l!a'ái.
 Kūí katí'xtî xa^uwîl. "Nîctca'a^u tE'q." S^Eatsî'tc wa'aís ants
 m^aā'tî. "Tcā lō⁶L lí'ūtūx. Kumí'ntc mî'k!a ants 'tcî."
 25 'Ēa'kwîsū'NE ants ya⁶k^{us}. Waí qaí'x, ʉ xînt. Atsî'tc waa'
 a'ʎaq hîtc. "Nîctx k^u a'naxaí?" S^Eatsî'tc waa' ants mā'tí-

¹ The Siuslaw equivalent for the Lower Umpqua *Lîū*- TO COME.

² Should have been *s^Ea'na*.

³ Instead of *ʎakwî'xam*.

⁴ Contracted from *waa'ímxust^Etx*.

⁵ William Smith was evidently uncertain as to the actual number of people in the boat. Up to this passage he mentioned only two, which is in strict accordance

Then at last that very large seal came near. And one man said, "Spear now that very large one!" Then it was speared, speared well. So those two men went back into the canoe, and began to paddle in the direction of where that seal was going. The seal did not go far, when at last the man who (always) throws [hooks] the spear stood up. He had been throwing spears for a long time. But that seal did not come out at all (from the water). When he did float up, it was just for a little while, and then that spear would be thrown. Then a rope was seized; and he took (hold of) it, he who (always) held it. And that man was still standing. With a spear (in his hand), that man stood. He (was going to) spear (the seal). He did not entirely kill that seal. The sun (went down) west, (and still) the seal did not come up. Thus (one man) kept on saying, "I wonder what (makes) that seal act so!" Thus he kept on saying. The weather began to get rough, and not for a moment was it known where that seal (was going to) go. It did not come up at all (to breathe).

It had grown dark long ago. Then thus said the sort of chief of that canoe: "I wonder where (the seal) will go! (But, no matter!) he will never be given up." Then thus the people⁵ began to talk to one another: "It is not well. (The seal) may intend to dive far out." Thus people began to talk to one another. It got dark, (and the seal still did) not come up. "What shall be done?" Thus the chief kept on saying. "I wonder where he will go! (Still) the water is not rough." The seal was being dragged along (on the rope); and, although it was dark, they kept on going. Then one man said thus: "Suppose he be given up!" And the supposed chief of that boat

with the original Alsea version. From now on he relates the story as if there were more than two seal-hunters.

- witc ants sⁱ'xaⁱ. "Tcaĩtcĩ'tc LŌ⁶L Lĭ'ūtūx. Lĭwa'wanł¹ wàn hĭsū'tc Llaya'tc." Tcik ants tai ants ya⁶k^{us}, sqaⁱk Lĭū'.
- Waⁱ yā^a'xaⁱ L!a'^{ai}, ʋ^h tā'qnĭs yEKŭ's ants L!a'^{ai}. "Qa'ha'ntctant wàn." Atsĭ'tc waaⁱ'tx wàn ants māti'witc ants L!a'^{ai}.
- 5 "Kwĭ'tcĭ yā'klisĭtĭ haⁱ." Stim wàn L!xmĭ'xam ants ya⁶k^{us}. "Haⁱ'qtŭnł² wàn. Wānł³ txŭ tsĭma'st." Yĭxaⁱ' wàn haⁱqtc ants L!a'^{ai}. ʋ^h s^Eatsĭ'tc waaⁱ'tx mātiyŭ^u "Lĭū'wa k^unā ĩnq!a'ĭtc tE tai tE ya⁶k^{us} yā^a'xa. Haⁱ'qtŭnł² wàn txŭ." ʋ^h^Enx wàn Lwĭtĭ't. Yĭxaⁱ' wàn ants ĩnq!a'aⁱ ĩkliha^u'witc.
- 10 Kumĭ'ntc mĭ'k!a ants tsxayŭ^{wi}. S^Ea'tsa ants hĭs yĭxaⁱ' ants ĩkliha^u'witc ants ĩnq!a'aⁱ. Lĭū'wanx ĩklĭ'a'tc. S^Eatsĭ'tc waaⁱ'tx mātiyŭ^u ants sⁱ'xaⁱ. "Haⁱ'qtŭnł² wàn. Haⁱ'qaⁱxanł tca'xwĭtŭx." ʋ^h^Enx wàn qaa'.

- Qaa'nx wàn ĩklĭ'haⁱ'tc. ʋ^h^Enx wàn Lĭū' hĭtŭ'stc. Stĭ'm^Enx
- 15 haⁱqa'q. L!ĭL!wa'xam ants sⁱ'xaⁱ. TEm^uwaⁱ'tx hĭtcŭ^{wi} sqaⁱk. ʋ^h hatc'ĭ'xam atsĭ'tc. "Qa'ntcyanx Lĭū'?" Atsĭ'tc hatc'ĭ'xam. "Tsĭ'k!ya nākwa'yatĭn xnĭ^w'na. T^owa'tcĭtcyaxa^{ŭn} t^E ya⁶k^{us}, ʋ^hn s^Eàs hĭ'nĭxa^{ŭts}⁴ qa'ha'ntc, ʋ^hn kumĭ'ntc L!xŭ'x^un tE L!a'^{ai}, tcān tE Lĭū'. Haⁱ'qaⁱxan tca'xa^{ŭt}tŭx. Kumĭ'ntcĭn
- 20 L!xŭ'xŭn tE L!a'^{ai}. ʋ^hn wàn tca'xa^{ŭt} haⁱ'qaⁱx. Kĭ'x^Es tsxayŭ^{wi} a'ntsĭn tceXwĭ'tc xĭnt." S^Eatsa'wanx hĭ'q!a'ĭt. Lĭ'wa-yanx⁵ ĩnq!a'ĭtc, ʋ^h^Enx qnŭwĭ'wŭs yā^a'xaⁱ hĭtcŭ^{wi}. Tsĭm hatc'a'yŭ'ne. "Qa'ntcyanx xĭnt?" — "TceXwĭ'tcĭn xĭnt. L!ayatcĭ'tcĭn xĭnt tceXwĭ'tc." Atsĭ'tc waaⁱ' ants ha'tc'ya-
- 25 xa^ŭ'tne. ʋ^h^Enx wàn xĭnt tceXwĭ'tc. Kwĭnx yal'x Lĭ'wĭł.

¹ Contracted from *Lĭwa'waxanł*.

³ Contracted from *wa'nĭnł*.

⁵ Past tense used as denoting the conditional clause.

² Contracted from *ha'qtŭxanł*.

⁴ For *hĭ'nyaxa^{ŭts}*.

said thus: "I wonder where he will stop! We are going to arrive at a good place." So the seal (and his pursuers) came to that place where he lived. Although the place was large [much], it was nevertheless full of seals. "Now we (have come) far." Thus the supposed chief of that place kept on saying. "Don't ye be small-hearted!" There at last the seal was (going to) be killed. "Now we will go ashore, no matter what kind of a place we (have come to)." So that multitude looked ashore, while the chiefs kept on saying thus: "Perhaps near the creek live many seals, we will just go ashore." So they paddled (in that direction until they) perceived the alleged mouth of that river. The weather was not bad, that is why they could see well the supposed mouth of that river. So they arrived at the mouth. And the chiefs of that boat kept on saying thus: "We will go ashore now. Then we will go back along the shore." So at last they entered (the bay).

After they had entered the mouth (of the river), they came upon people. They went ashore there, and the boat was (soon) approached (by people). People assembled there, and (the chief) was asked thus: "Whence do you come?" Thus he was asked. "I am doing very poorly. I was spearing a seal when he took me way off, and I don't know the place to which I came. I shall go back along the shore, for I don't know this place. I am returning along the shore. For ten days I shall be going homewards." Thus they were going to start off. Then, whenever they came to a creek, where they would find many people, (the chief would) always be asked, "Whence do you come?" — "I am going home. I am going home to my place." Thus would say he who was being asked. So they went homewards, and kept on going. They had almost arrived. They were always

Tsí'm^{enx} wàn s^eatsí'tc waa'yū'ne. "Qa'ntcyatc¹ ants tce-
 ní'tc xí'nt?" — "Hū'yaxan. Pí'tsístcín hū'yax, ʰín txū
 tsíma'st ha'í'qaq." Atsí'tc waa'í' ants hatc'a'yūtne. ʰ wàn
 tca'xa^ūtū'ne ants Lla'ai. Tcaítcítc ants Līū'. Ní'tcím
 5 sqa'k lí'watlí wa'í' yā'tsa. ʰ s^ea'tsa ʰ tca'xa^ūtū'ne ants
 Lla'ai, ní'tcím sqa'k lí'watlí ɬa't. Cāyucla'a ants tca'-
 xa^ūtū'ne ants Lla'ai. ʰ hatc'í'xam. "Qa'ntcyanx te tce ní'tc
 xínt?" — "Hū'yaxan. Ya^ék^{us}ín tcāqa'qa^ūn ʰín s^eàs qa-
 ha'ntc hí'nūts. A'tsan te tce ní'tc xínt. Tsíma'stín txū
 10 ha'í'qa'q." S^eatsí'tc L!waⁿ ants Līū'. ʰ wàn sqa'tem nā'í'f.
 Tsí'k!ya p!na'í'tx ha'í' ants tce ní'tc xínt. Nākwa'yatítx ha'í'.

ʰ wàn tci'n. Ha'ímūt kumí'ntc tāqa'í'natí'tc hí'qū'í' ants
 Lla'ai. Ní'tcím s^ea'tsa wā'nwítsax. Te'q^{enx} xawa'í'tx,
 ʰ^{enx} t!emxū'yūtsme hí'qū'í'.² Atsí'tc waa'xam. "A'ck!aní
 15 ɬí xaū'. S^eatsí'tc^{enx}an cí'ní'xyūts. A'tsanxan ʰ^{enx}an qātx
 yā'a'xa." Atsí'tc waa'yūsne ants hí'tc tci'na'í'.

Atsí'tc wàn ata's. S^eatsí'tc wā'nwítsax hí'tc, qa'ha'ntc
 hí'nyaxa^ūn ya^ék^{us} tcaqa'í'tc. Sqa'k wàn hawa'í'. S^eatsí'tc
 wā'nwítsaxax ní'tcíma^émū. S^ea'tsa xní'^wne wā'nwítsaxax
 20 Lla'ai.

12. THE DREAMER³ (*Alsea*).

Hítc qū'í't'yax wā'nwíts. Cí'ní'xyat!ya yā'a'xa. Ní'tcítc
 ants asū'í', ʰ tsím s^eà ya'q^uyūn. ʰ tsím s^eatsí'tc cí'ní'x-

¹ Evidently meant for *qa'ntcyanx* WHENCE THOU.

² The last two sentences contain an explanation offered by the narrator.

asked thus: "From what place are you going homewards?" — "I got lost. I was lost in the ocean, when I just went ashore on any kind of a place." Thus he said when he was asked. Now at last he was coming to his home region. (He knew) where he was coming to, because he had come there frequently for a long time. That is why he could get back to his place, because he had always come there. The region that had been approached (by him) on his way home (was called) Siuslaw. He was asked, "From what place are you going homewards?" — "I was lost. I was spearing a seal, when he took me far out. That is how I (happen to be) going homeward. I had just gone ashore (on I don't know what) kind of a place." Thus related (the man) who had come there. Then he started out again from there. He was very sorry as he was going homewards. He was down-hearted.

At last he came home. All (the people of) that village had no hair, because thus old-timers (used to do). Whenever a) relative of theirs died, they would cut off their hair.³ (Then the returning chief) was told thus: "We thought you had died. Thus we thought of you. That is why we cried a great deal." Thus was told (each) man who had come home.

Thus only (the story goes). Thus (it happened to an) old-timer, whom a seal, being speared (by him), took way out (into the ocean). Here now it ends. Such was the custom of old-timers. Thus old-timers were (in the habit of) doing.

12. THE DREAMER ³ (*Alsea*).

Long ago (there lived a) man who was (in the habit of) dreaming (constantly). He was always thinking a great

³ An Alsea myth told in the Lower Umpqua language. The narrator, while retelling this story, omitted a number of important details.

yat!ya. “Wàn k^{unà} tã'kîn s^{atsí'tc} a^{usí's}.” Níctcí'tc ants
 asū' ʋ́ tsím ya'q^{u'yūn}. Yā'a'xai L!a'ai hīc yíxa'yūn. Yā'a'xai
 L!a'ai hūtcū'^u yíxa'yūn. Wa' yíktí'l'mä ants L!a'ai, ʋ́ taqa-
 ní'tx hītū'stc. L!a'ai pekū'^u ʋ́ ya'q^{u'yūn} hīya'tc ants hū-
 5 tcū'^{wi}. ʋ́ tcā L!aya' klí'na yā'a'xai hīc. Mĕtcí'tc^{tc} xwā'ka
 ants L!a'ai. Yā'a'xai xu'nha' L!a'ai. Hīqlaha^{ū'nī} L!a'ai ants
 pekū'^{wi} xu'nha'tc^{nx}. Ha'mūt L!a'ai tē'q xu'nhayūn.

Stīm yoq^{u'ya'wax}¹ hīqla'it ants hīc. Ha'mūt qlwī'nī
 ants pekū'^{wi} L!a'ai. Ha'ū'^u ants hīc L!a'ai. Klīx tē'q ʋ́
 10 xu'nhayūn ants pekū'^{wi} L!a'ai. Stīmk yaq^{u'ya'wax} ants
 hīc. Waa'yūtne ants hīc. “Ya'q^{uhīs^{nx}} hī'sa. Qnī'x-
 ts^{nx} xni'^{wnīsūn}, ta'nxan hūtcū'.” Stīm ta'is ants hīc.
 Kumí'ntc yā'tsa, ʋ́^{nx} ha'ūtūx ants pekū'^{wi} L!a'ai. Yā'a'xai^{nx}
 nīctcama'nat'a hūtcū'^{wi}. Mĕq!yū'^{wi} L!a'ai. “Ya'q^{uhīsūtsan-}
 15 xan hī'sa, qnī'xts^{nx} xni'^{wnīsūn}.” Hank! tcīkte ha'² ants
 hīc ants hūtcū'^{wi} ants ya'q^{u'ya}. Kū' yā'tsac L!a'ai, ʋ́
 ha'ūtūx. Ha'ūtūx ants pekū'^{wi} L!a'ai. Ha'ūwanx wàn
 ants pekū'^u L!a'ai. ʋ́ s^{atsí'tc} waa'yūtne. “Qa'ix^{nx} a'l'dū
 ʋ́^{nx} ya'q^{uhītūx}. Yā'a'xai^{nxan} hūtcū', kumí'ntc^{nxan} a^{usí's}.
 20 Tsí'klyanxan hī'sa. S^{a'tsanxan} xni'^{wne}.” Wa' yā'a'xai
 hīc, ʋ́ ha'ū'^u. “Ya'q^{uhīs^{nx}} hī'sa.”

Tcí'nta^u nīctca' ants hīc, ʋ́ lha'í'yūsne. S'a'tsa xni'^{w-}
 nū'^u ants L!a'ai. Yā'a'xai L!a'ai tsí'l!ī. Yā'a'xai L!a'ai pīt-
 q^{tsū'nī} tahā'ník, hīqū'nī tahā'ník, t!iyū'nī tahā'ník. Nīc-

¹ For *yaq^{u'ya'wax}*.

² Literally, KIND OF SOMEWHERE (IS) HIS MIND.

deal. Whatever he was dreaming of, he always saw it (come true). So thus he was always thinking: "I guess it is as I dreamed it." Whatever he dreamed of, he always saw it (come true). (One day he dreamed that an elk took him to a certain place.) He saw there many people. He saw lots of fun going on there. Although that place was very large, still it was always full of people. And that man saw many players (engaged in) shinny-games. And somewhere (else) he heard many people, (and, looking, he saw that) the heads of those people were kind of falling (to one side). Many were betting. Lots of dentalia shells those shinny-players had as their bets. They were betting all kinds of things.

That man intended to go there and look on. All the shinny-players (had their hair tied in) knots. Many people were shouting, as those players were betting all kinds of things. So that man was going to watch there. He was told, "You shall always watch well, (for) you too will do it, as we here play." The man kept on staying there. Not long afterwards they were going to finish that shinny-game. They played many different games. They danced much. "You shall keep on watching us well. You too will do it (thus)." That man was kind of glad as he watched those games. After a while it was going to end. Those shinny-players were going to quit. At last the shinny-players quit, and he was told thus: "At night you will likewise watch. We play much, we do not sleep. We are very glad when we can do thus." Although many were the people, still they were shouting, "You keep on watching carefully!"

Whatever a person did, he would be shouted at. Thus these many people were doing. They had very many arrows, and quivers made of raccoon-hides, and quivers made of wildcat-hides, and quivers made of bear-hides. They

tcamaⁱnat^E hūtcū^u L!a^{ai}. MEQ!yū^u L!a^{ai}. S^Eànx tsí'k!ya
 L!xū'yūn hūtcū^u, aⁱnts^{Enx} tcí'ha'tc xwā'ka. Stim L!a^{ai}
 hūtcū^{wi}. Tūti^m ʔ meQ!yū^u L!a^{ai}. S^Eatsí'tc waa'yū^{NE}
 ants hītc. "Kwīnx yā'tsac L!a^{ai}, ʔ^{Enx} tca'xwītūx." Kumí'ntc
 5 hīstc haⁱ ants hītc. "Haⁱmūt^{Enx} wàn łakwa'kū^{un}, taⁿxan
 hūtcāⁱ. Qnaⁿxan ya'q^uhīsūts, waⁱ yā'tsa." Atsí'tc wa'aⁱ-
 sū^{NE} ants hītc. "Tca'xwītūnx." ʔ wàn tca'xa^{ut} ants hītc.

XwīL!a^L! wàn ants hītc. Lxaⁱp^{ist} tsxayū^{wi} xwīL!a^L!
 ants hītc. Lxaⁱp^{istya}'tū ʔ wàn tcī'n hītsí'stc ants hītc.
 10 Atsītc waa' ants hītc. "Waⁱ yā'tsa, ʔⁿ mā'qlīs." ʔ
 waa'a^{ūn} ants hītc L!a^{ai}. "TEMū'tūxtcī nàtc haⁱmūt. Yaqu^u-
 yī^wyūsātci haya'mūt, nī'ctcīmīn meQ!ya'wax." ʔ wàn
 TEMū'tx hītcū^u ants L!a^{ai}. ʔ wàn meQ!a^{itx} hītcū^u. ʔ
 wàn waa' ants hītc. "Mītkwī'tūtsīn tsxay^uwa'wī.¹ S^Ea'tsan^l
 15 xní^wnīs. Waⁱ yā'tsa ʔⁿ s^Ea'tsa xní^wnīs. Tsí'k!ya hīs
 TE'q tā'kīn łakwa'kūn. Waⁱn^l k!ēxū'tc L!aya'tc xí'ntmīs,
 ʔ^{Enl} xní^wnīsiti. Kumí'ntc^{Enl} qwàtc kū'nīsūts. TE'qa^unaⁿ
 ła'kwīsūn, s^Ea'tsa hī'isīn^l haⁱ." Tsītū^{utc} haⁱ L!a^{ai} aⁱnts^{Enx}
 tsí'mqmatc. ʔ^{Enx} wàn s^Ea'tsa xní^wNE. Hīstc haⁱ. Waⁱnx
 20 k!ēxū'tc L!aya'tc ʔ^{Enx} xí'ntma^{ist}. "Tcī'ktcī hūtcūⁱ, s^Eatsa'tcī
 xní^wnīs." S^Ea'tsanx aⁱnts^{Enx} xí'ntma k!ēxū'tc L!aya'tc.
 "Haya'mūt hīyàtc xní^wnīsūn, tanxan hūtcū^{witi}." Waⁱ yā'tsa
 ʔ^{Enx} s^Ea'tsa xwī^wnīs.² Tcīⁿanx wàn hītsí'stc. ʔ^{Enx} āL
 hūtcā'tc hī'sa.

25 Sqa^k wàn hawaⁱ.

¹ That is, "The Sun had pity on me, and taught me how to play shinny."

were playing different games. They were dancing. They knew very well how to play, those whose heads were one-sided. Many played there, while over there (across the room) many danced. And that man was told thus: "After a while you will go back." That man was not glad (when he heard this). "You have obtained now (a knowledge of) all (the games as) we play them here. We will watch over you forever." Thus the man was told continually, "You will have to go back." Then at last that man went back.

So that man returned. Five days he was (on his way) going back. On the fifth day he finally came back to his house, and said thus: "I shall keep on dancing for a long time." Then he said to many people, "Ye all will assemble around me. Ye all will watch me, for I am going to dance." And then many people of that region came together. After they had danced, that man said, "The Sun had pity on me.¹ Thus we shall keep on doing. We shall keep on doing thus forever. I have obtained (a knowledge of some) very good things. Although we shall frequently travel everywhere, we shall keep on doing (these) our (tricks). No one will ever beat us. We shall always win something, so that we shall always be glad." Many of those his people were glad. So then they did it thus. He was glad. They began to travel around everywhere. "Wherever ye play, ye will keep on doing thus." Thus they were travelling around everywhere. "All people will keep on doing it, (just as) we here are about to play our games." Thus they kept on doing (travelling about) for a long time.² Finally they returned home, for now they were playing well.

There now it ends.

² For example, they visit many villages, where they play shiiny, winning from their opponents all kinds of valuables.

DESCRIPTIONS OF CUSTOMS AND MANNERS.

13. HOW A WIFE WAS OBTAINED (*Lower Umpqua*).

Wā'nwitsaxax lla'yax. Kumí'ntc txū qiūtcūnya't hītc.
 Texmí'l·mä l!xū'yū'ne yā'a'xa'tc tlāmc. S^ea'tsa xni'wⁿū'ne
 wā'nwits, yā'a'xa'tc tlāmc hītc. Hatc'í'yūsne. "Nīctc'í'tc^{enx}
 haⁱ? Sín'xyūłtxanx tlāmc." Kūi yā'tsa wí'łwíł ants ha-
 5 tc'a'yūłtx haⁱ. "Kumí'ntc^{enx} txū t!ūha'ūłtxanx tlāmc."
 S^eatsí'tc hatc'a'yū'ne ants texmí'l·mä yā'a'xa'tc tlāmc. ʔ
 wàn wíłwa' ants texmí'l·mä. "Nīctc'í'tcⁱⁿ tex nà wa'a^s?
 Tsa'ntcī tū'ha sín'xyūn, ʔtci hatc'a'yūł haⁱ, nīctc'í'tc¹ haⁱ.
 Kumí'ntcⁱⁿ nà nīctc'í'tc wa'a^ł pēł'tc s^ea'na." Atsí'tc waa'
 10 ants texmí'l·mä. "Hatc'a'yūnatcī, tsa'ntcī sín'xyaxa^{ūn} ʔtci
 hatc'a'yūn." Atsí'tc waa' ants texmí'l·mä. ʔ wàn s^eatsí'tc
 waa'yūsne. "Ha^ū, wa'n^{xan}² hatc'a'wūn."

ʔ wàn hatc'í'yūsne ants qiūtcū'nī. "Nīctc'í'tcⁱⁿx haⁱ?
 Texm^uwa'nīnx sín'xyūts. Atsí'tc waa'łtx tā'kīnx mītà.
 15 A'tsanxan tē hatc'a'yūts qnà." Kūi nīctc'í'tc wí'łwíł ants
 qiūtcū'nī, ha'tc'yaxa^{łtx} haⁱ ants qiūtcū'nī. "Kumí'ntc^{enx}
 txū łakwa'a^u. Tūha'a^{ūnx} yā'a'xa." Atsí'tc waa'yūsne ants
 qiūtcū'nī. Kumí'ntc txū ła'kwīs qiūtcū'nī wā'nwits. Tūha'-
 yūsne. Hí'q!a waxa'yūsime a'nts^etc mītà ants qiūtcū'nī,

¹ Contracted from *nīctc'í'tc^etc*.² Contracted from *wā'n^en^{xan}*.

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13. HOW A WIFE WAS OBTAINED (*Lower Umpqua*).

(In the days of the) first settlers a man did not obtain a wife for nothing. (Suppose) it were known that a certain old man had many children. Then thus it was done long ago to a man who had many children. He would be asked, "What do you think? Your child is wanted." He whose opinion was asked would not answer for a long while. "Your child won't just be bought of you (cheaply)." Thus that old man who had many children would be asked. Then at last that old man would answer, "I wonder what I shall say! If ye want to buy her, ask her what she thinks. I will not say anything (without having) first (talked to) her." Thus that old man would say, "Ye ask her; since ye want (to buy) her, ye (will have to) ask her." Thus that old man would say. Then at last he would be told, "All right! we are going to ask her now."

So finally that woman would be asked, "What is your opinion? A man wants you. Your father has been telling us all the time (to ask you). That is why we are asking you." That woman would not answer anything (at first), the woman who was asked her opinion. "You will not just be bought (cheaply): you will be bought with a great deal (of valuables)." Thus that woman would be told. (In the days of) long ago a woman was never just obtained (cheaply). She used to be bought. The father of such a woman would be given dentalia shells, — very pretty, long (strings of) dentalia shells. (No matter)

tsí'k!ya hīs hatca't hi'q!a. Tci'nt^{etc} yā'xa^ū tē'qtc ants qīū-
tcū'nī, ʷ ha' mūt waxa'ūME. Atsī'tc waa'yū'NE ants qīūtcū'nī.
ʷ wàn wī'wa'í'. Łna^uwītc ants hītc ʷ mī'nq!Inū'NE tsax^u.
ʷ wàn wī'wa'í' ants qīūtcū'nī. Kumí'ntc txū wī'wī'.

- 5 S^a'tsa xni^wnī'yūsNE. Kumí'ntc txū ła'kwī' qīūtcū'nī
wā'nwītsax. Tūha'yūsNE tsí'k!ya yā'xa. S^atsī'tc wā'n-
wītsax nīctcīma^mwax. Hītc sī'nī'xya qīūtcū'nyā, ʷ s^a'tsa
xni^wnī'yūsNE. Sqa'k wàn ata's hawa'í'. Qīūtcna'í' hītc, ʷ
yā'xaⁱ tē'q waxa'yūtsME. S^atsī'tc wàn ata's.

14. INVOCATION FOR RAIN (*Lower Umpqua*).

- 10 K!u^xwīna'í'tx L!a'ái. Yā'xaⁱ ū'tī L!ayū's. Nā'qutyax
L!a'ái, k!u^xwīna'í' L!a'ái. Kūⁱ nī'ctca qa'tc^wī' ants L!a'ái.
Pā'l·ū ata's ʷ qatcū'í'txa^ūtNE. Haya'mūt hīyātē qatcū'í'txa^ūn.
Wa'í' yā'xaⁱ hītc, ʷ sqa'k qatcū'í'tx. Tcī'wa ʷ k!u^xwīna'í'.
Kūⁱ nī'ctca tcāitcī'tc nī'ctcī' ants tīyū'^{wi}. Qa^uxa'í'x k!u^xwī-
15 nīyū's qatc^enatū'^u ants hītc L!a'ái. ʷ wàn tēxmīl·a'mī
L!xū'yūn ants wā'nwītsaxax nīctcīma^mmū. ʷ tqūhī'yūsNE
ants tcīxni'NE, ʷ tqūhī'yūsNE a'l·dū ants tsxu'nplī. Łāna-
tlī'yūsNE, "Tcīxni'NE, tcīxni'NE, hī'n⁸k!ītsx L!a'ái! Wa'a'ís
20 tē mō'luptsīnīsla! ¹ Hī'n⁸k!ītsxats L!a'ái! Nākwa'yatyanxan,
nēqū'í'txanxan yā'xa." ʷ wàn łānat!í'yūsNE: "Tcīxni'NE,
tcīxni'NE, hī'n⁸k!ītsx L!a'ái! Mō'luptsīnīsla ¹ hī'n⁸k!ītsxats

¹ Alsea term for COYOTE.

how (large) the number of relatives of that woman, all (of them would be) given something. And after the woman was told thus, she would agree. When the man (who wanted a wife was a) kind of rich man, she would be bought in exchange for slaves. Then she would (readily) assent, for a woman in those days did not assent for nothing.

Thus it used to be done. An old-timer did not obtain a woman for nothing. She would have to be bought with a very great deal (of valuables). Such was the custom of the old-timers. When a man wanted a woman, it would be done thus. Now here only it ends. When a man married, he had to give away many of his valuables. Thus only (was it done).

14. INVOCATION FOR RAIN (*Lower Umpqua*).

(Suppose the) ground were covered with ice, and that there were much snow on the ground. (Suppose) it were very cold, and ice (had appeared). (At such a time) the people were not able to drink (water). They could drink (water) from the well only. All people had to drink from it. Although many were the people, still they had to drink there. But then ice would begin to appear on the water (of the river); and those who lived there could not go anywhere. Along the surface of the ice those many people (were forced to) go. But then (at such times some) old man would know that (ancient) custom of the people belonging to the past. (He would tell of it to his people.) And Coon would be shouted at, and Coyote likewise would be shouted at. He would be called by name, "Coon, Coon, cause thy rain (to come down)! Speak to Coyote! You two cause your (dual) rain (to descend)! We are in straits, we are very cold." Then (again) he would be called by name: "Coon, Coon, cause thy rain (to descend)!"

L!a'ai!" uł wàn hín⁸k!ya L!a'ai. Haya'mut hiyàtc ha'nîntlün. S^Ea'tsa uł^ax tqūf'yūsNE, uł wàn hín⁸k!yaⁱ'tx L!a'ai. S^Ea'tsa uł tqūfū'NE ants tkwa'myax ants inq!a'aⁱ.

Sqa'k wàn hawaⁱ. Smít'ūⁱ wàn sqa'k. Tā'kin L!xū'yūn.

15. DESCRIPTION OF A SHINNY GAME (*Alsea*).

- 5 Qīūnemaⁱ L!a'ai pekū'ya xāl!aⁱ L!a'ai. Klīx tē'q xāl!a-yū'NE yā^axa. Tsí'Li L!a'ai uł xāl!a'yūtNE. S^Ea'tsanx xní^wNE tē L!a'ai tiyū^{wi}. Pākwaⁱ'tx hītcū^u tē L!a'ai. Klīx tē'q uł xunha'yū'NE ants pākwaⁱ'tx hītcū^u. Wāana'wīsa^{ux} ants m^aā'tī. "Hī'sans hū'tcis. Hū'tcyans,¹ ułns hīs hū'tcis.
- 10 Atsī'tc^{EN}x wa'a'sītī tsí'mqma." Atsī'tc^wax waana'wa a'ntsux hī'q!ya pākwa'wax. Wí'fwis ants Lxa^{uy}axa^ūnī. "Hīs wàn tsí'k!ya. Ałqa'tc^{ENS} L!aya' taⁱ, a'tsanł kumí'ntc mī'k!a'na sīnī'xna'wīs, hū'tcyanł."² Atsī'tc^wax waanawaⁱ a'ntsux pākwa'wax hī'q!ya. Hīq!aha^ūnī ants xu'nhaⁱ ha'itsī. Atsī'tc^wax
- 15 waanawaⁱ a'ntsux hī'q!aⁱtyax pūkwaⁱ't.³ Klīx tē'q uł xu'nhaⁱ hawa'yū'NE. Pesa'x L!a'ai uł xu'nhaⁱ hawa'yū'NE ants pukwaⁱ'⁴ L!a'ai. S^Ea'tsa xní^wnīs ants L!a'ai a'nts^{EN}x pukwaⁱ'. Wàtc L!xū'yūn Lxatū^{wi}, uł s^Ea tsí'k!ya kūnū'tswa pekū'us L!aya'. S^Ea'tsanx xní^wnaⁱ a'nts^{EN}x temū'yax. Qa'Lxisūn
- 20 wàn a'nts^{EN}x s^Ea'tsa xní^wNE. Klīx tē'q uł xunha'yū'NE. Qal'tc L!a'ai uł xunha'yū'NE ants pukwaⁱ'tx⁵ hītcū^u. S^Ea'-

¹ Contracted from *hū'tcyaxans*.

² Contracted from *hū'tcyaxant*.

³ Evidently an *Alsea* participial form in *-t*.

⁴ *pūkwaⁱ* for *pākwaⁱ*'.

⁵ For *pākwaⁱ'tx*.

(You and) Coyote cause ye your (dual) rain (to descend)!" Then at last it would rain. All people believed in (the efficacy of this formula). Thus they two would be invoked, until it would commence to rain. Thus it was shouted, whenever (ice) closed up the rivers.

Now there it ends. It is the finish. Thus I know it.

15. DESCRIPTION OF A SHINNY GAME (*Alsea*).

In the winter-time people make many shinny-sticks. All kinds of things are made in great (quantities). Many arrows are made. Thus the people do. (Suppose) many people are playing shinny. Then all kinds of things are bet by those who play shinny. Then the two chiefs (of the two opposite teams) continually say to each other, "We two will play well. While playing, we two will play well. Thus each of you keep on saying to your people." Thus they two say to each other, — those two who are about to begin to play shinny. The other (chief) always assented. "Now it is very good. We two live at one (and the same) place, that is why we shall not desire to abuse each other when we play." Thus they two say to each other, — those two who are about to begin to play shinny. Nothing but dentalia shells they bet, for thus they had said to each other, — those two who had started to play shinny. All kinds of bets are made. Many salmon-spears are taken as bets when they play shinny. The people who play shinny are doing thus habitually. He who knows how to run, that one always beats (the people) badly in a shinny-game. Thus they do whenever they come together. Finally those who act thus count (their winnings). All kinds of things had been put up as bets. Many knives were bet when the people played shinny. Such was the custom (of the people) belonging

tsatc nîctcîma⁶m^û L!a'ai wā'nwîtsaxax. ʷɛnx wàn kū'nawai'.
Waa'mxūisa^{ux} s^ɛatsi'tc. "Hî'sans hū'tcîs. Kumî'ntc^{ens}
mî'k!a'na hū'tcîs, hū'tcyans."¹ Yā'tsac L!a'ai ʷɛnx wàn
hawai'.

5 S^ɛatsi'tc wàn ata's. Sqa'k wàn ata's hawai'.

16. HOW A SIUSLAW HOUSE WAS BUILT, AND THE FOOD
THE SIUSLAW ATE (*Lower Umpqua*).

Qai'wa'a^{unx} tai, ʷɛnx xā!la'itx hîtsi'i. Îtqē'yūsNE ants
L!a'ai. ʷɛ ɭaɭaqa^unîtc hîtsi'i. ʷɛ skwaha'yūɭtx teqyū^u ants
hîtsi'i. Hawa'istyax, ʷɛ klîx te'q skwaha'yūsNE qa'wîntî.
ʷɛ qa^{ux} ma'tcūn teqyū^utc ants hîtsi'i. Sū'qūit'ax ants
10 hîtsi'i xālî'yūsNE. Hawa'istyax, ʷɛ tkwîha'yūsNE. Tkwîha'-
yūɭtx qaw^{untî}yūwîtc ants hîtsi'i. S^ɛa'tsanx tai. Qai'ha'ntc
qa^uxūntc liha'itx hîtcū^u. Kĥî'nwat ants L!a'ai ants hîtsi'i
tcî'kyax liha' te hîtc. Sū'qūit'ax xālî'yūsNE ants hîtsi'i.
S^ɛa'tsanx tai. Aɭqa'tc l!aya' ʷɛ cîn^{ax} hîtsi'i xāl!a'yū'ne
15 lā'pqa'it'ax. S^ɛa'tsa tîyū^{wi} te hîtc wā'nwîtsaxax L!a'ai.
K!ēxū' l!aya' s^ɛa'tsa tîyū^{wi}. Qa'tîtc tîyū^{wi} ʷɛ a'l'dū s^ɛa'tsa.

lî'ū ɭklî'a'itc qa'utc^{enx} tai, ʷɛnx yā'a'xa'itc hî'tlaⁱ. L!xū'i-
stc^{enx} ants ɭt'î'aⁱ ʷɛnx ya^u'xa a'l'dū. ʷɛnx ɭtla'yūn qîū'-
nem. ʷɛnx ɭtla'yūn te ya^u'xa. S^ɛa'tsanx xni'^{wne} qîū'nem
20 ants tîyū^{wi}. Kwin a'l'dū ʷɛnx ɭtla'yūn qîū'nem. ʷɛ ts!yānx

¹ Contracted from *hū'tcyaxans*.

to the past. Finally they (the betters) would win. And the two (chiefs) would keep on saying to each other, "We two habitually will play fair. We two will never play roughly while we are playing." After a while they would quit.

Now thus only it was. Now there only it ends.

16. HOW A SIUSLAW HOUSE WAS BUILT, AND THE FOOD
THE SIUSLAW ATE (*Lower Umpqua*).

(Suppose some Siuslaw) lived at the mouth of the river, and were (going to) build their house. (Then first) the ground would be dug out. Houses were made of some kind of boards. Then the frame of that house would be stood up. As soon as (that frame) began to be ready, then all kinds of things would be placed on both sides; and on top (of the dug-out place [?]) they would place the frame of that house. (The boards of) that house would be fixed so as to join; and when (the walls) were almost ready, they would be covered with earth. That house would be covered with earth on all of its sides. Thus they lived. In passing out, people (would climb) way up, for many of the houses had ladders whereon the people passed out. (Sometimes two or more) houses would be joined together. Thus they lived. On one place three houses would be built adjoining (one another). Thus the people belonging to the past lived. Everywhere they lived thus. And those who lived across the river would do likewise.

Whenever they lived near the mouth of the river, in the bay, they had lots of food. They had dried salmon, and likewise (dried) fern-roots, which they ate during the winter. They ate fern-roots (mostly). Thus the people did during the winter. Tidewater-weeds likewise they ate in the winter. And skunk-cabbage, too, was eaten in the

a'l'dū h̄t!a'yū'NE qīū'NEM. P!i'yūxū'n a'l'dū h̄t!ayū'NE.
 S^ea'tsate h̄t!aⁱ wā'nwitsaxax L!a'yax. Hai'kuⁱ L!a'^{ai} ū
 h̄t!a'yū'NE, ū h̄ims a'l'dū h̄t!a'yū'NE. ū a'l'dū qō'mîn
 h̄t!a'yū'NE. Qīū'NEM pī'tsīsyā hai'qa^{i'} ants hamī'tcī, ū
 5 yā^{a'}xaⁱtc t!iyas^eyū'^{wi} hawa^{i'} qīū'NEM, ants hamī'tcī hai'qa^{i'}.
 Waⁱ yā^{a'}xaⁱ ants h̄t̄c, ū hai'mūt hamītcū' h̄kwa^{i'}. ū s^ea-
 tsa ū h̄stc hai' hawa^{i'}tx ants tīyū'^{wi}, ants hamī'tcī hai'qa^{i'},
 n̄'ctcīm t!ī'sa'nānx h̄t!a'wax. Wā'nwitsax h̄t̄cax tsī'k!ya
 yīkt, ants hamī'tcī hai'qa^{i'}. S^ea'tsate n̄t̄cīma^emū wā'n-
 10 witsax h̄t̄cax.

Wā'nwitsaxax h̄t̄cax n̄t̄cīma^emūtc.¹ M^eyō⁸k^us ta^{i'}yax
 L!aya'. S^ea'tsa h̄t!a^{i'} tE ta^{i'}yax. Q!EXa^uyuwītita' ū tqa^{u'}-
 wītē taya^{i'}. Hai'mūt tqa^{u'}wītē taya^{i'}tx h̄t̄cū'^{wi}, ū h̄t'ia^{i'}ānx
 xaya^{i'}. Qīūt̄cū'nī L!a'^{ai} ū mikū'^u h̄t'ia^{i'}a'. S^ea'tsanx h̄kwa^{i'}tx
 15 h̄t!aⁱ. LXwīyū'ⁱtxānx h̄t'ī'aⁱ. Stīm taya^{i'} L!a'^{ai} tqa^{u'}wī.
 Tcīk hawa^{i'} ants h̄t'ī'aⁱ, ū^{EN}x qaⁱutca^{i'}. Tsī'mqmatc ū^{EN}x
 palnī'tx, tqa^{u'}wī'tcyanx ² qai'ha'ntc. Tsi'ha'yūnānx ants Līm-
 na'q, ū^{EN}x LXū'yūtsME. Qwātē L!Xū'yūn palnū'^{wi} ū s^ea'tsa
 xni'^{wNE}. Yā^{a'}xaⁱtx h̄t!aⁱ ū tCEXwa^{i'}. S^ea'tsa xni'^{wNE} L!a'^{ai}.
 20 ū^{EN}x qa^{i'}utē tEM^uwa^{i'}. Yā^{a'}xaⁱ h̄t̄c tīyū'^{wi} L!a'^{ai} stīm.
 Qīū'NEM ū hai'qa^{i'} hamī'tcī. Waⁱ yā^{a'}xaⁱ h̄t̄c, ū tEM^uwa^{i'}
 sqaⁱk, ants hai'qa^{i'} ants hamī'tcī. S^ea'tsa xni'^{wNE} wā'n-
 witsaxax L!a'^{ai} h̄t̄cax. S^ea'tsa xni'^{wNE} tE tīyū'^{wi} L!a'^{ai}.
 Pīctcema'wax h̄iql̄ya^{i'}, ū h̄t!a^{i'}tx h̄t̄cū'^{wi} h̄aq^uwaa'. S^ea'tsa
 25 tīyū'^{wi} L!a'^{ai} wā'nwits.

Sqaⁱk wān hawa^{i'}.

¹ The following was offered as an amplification of the preceding chapter.

² Contracted from *tqa^{u'}wī'tcyanx*.

winter-time; also kinnikinnick-berries were eaten. Such was the food of the people belonging to the past. Lots of mussels were eaten, and also clams were eaten, and likewise quahogs. When in the winter a whale came ashore from the ocean, then they stored up (made ready) lots of its grease, — in the winter, when a whale came ashore. No matter how many the people were, still all obtained (some of the fat of the) whale. That was why those people became glad whenever a whale came ashore, because they (knew that they) were going to eat grease. To the people living long ago it was a very great (boon) when a whale came ashore. Such was the custom of the people living long ago.

The custom of the people living long ago was such.¹ In the beginning they lived at (a certain) place. Thus they ate when they lived. During the salmon season they lived up the river. All people lived (then) up-stream, catching salmon. Many women cut (open the) salmon. Thus they used to obtain food. They used to dry salmon right there where they lived, up-stream. When the salmon was gone (ready), then they went (back) to the mouth of the river. Some of their people hunted habitually, having gone far up the river. They killed elk, and dried their (killed game). Whoever knew how to hunt did it thus. When their food (accumulated) greatly, they went back. Thus many did. Then they assembled at the mouth of the river. Many people lived there. In the winter, whale (sometimes) came ashore. No matter how many were the people, still they would assemble there when a whale came ashore. Thus people living long ago did. Thus did those who lived there. When summer was about to commence, then people used to eat herring. Thus they lived long ago.

Now there it ends.

17. SETTING TRAPS FOR ELK (*Lower Umpqua*).

Wā'nwītsax Lla'yax ḥqa'yūsNE ants L!a'ai, tcik txa'inte
 ants Līmna'q. Xā'ts!ū hītc ḥqa'ī'. Tcik antc ḥqa'ī'tū
 L^owai' txa'nī'tc, ʷḥ stīmk ḥqa'yūsNE ants L!a'ai. Qanīstcī'tc
 ḥqa'yūsNE yī'kta. Xā'ts!ū hītc L!xū'yūn s^Ea'tsa. Wa'ī'
 5 yā'tsa ʷḥa^ux s^Ea'tsa xní'^wNE a'ntsux ya'ḥqa^ūn ants L!a'ai.
 Kumí'ntcux yā'tsa xí'l'xcītx¹ a'nts'itcx^{u 2} yaḥqa'a^ū. Ha^uwai-
 nī'yūsa^ux wān a'ntsux yaḥq L!aya'. Kumí'ntc^wax txū a'ḥq
 xí'l'xycyūn s^Ea'tsa. Tcī'kyac L!a'ai ʷḥa^ux xí'l'xycyūn xā'ts!ūn.
 Xā'ts!ūntc yā'xa^ū a'nts'itcx^{u 2} yaḥqa'a^ū. Kū^ī yā'tsac L!a'ai
 10 ʷḥa^ux ha^uwainī'yūs a'ntsux ya'ḥqa^ūn ants L!a'ai. S^Ea'tsa
 xní'^wNE ants L!a'ai tiyū'^{wi} wā'nwītsax.

¹ Mistaken use of the modal *-itx*. Should have been *xí'l'xycyūtsmE*.

² By metathesis for *a'nts'itca^ux*.

17. SETTING TRAPS FOR ELK (*Lower Umpqua*).

People living long ago used to dig holes in the ground where an elk (left) its imprint. (Sometimes) two people dug a hole. Wherever a log lay across (the road, in a position) similar (to that of elk-)tracks, there a hole would be dug in the ground. It would be dug very deep. Two men (it took to) know (how to do it) thus. For a long time those two who dug the hole in the ground did it thus. Then not long afterwards they two fixed their (dual) hole. At last they two finished, those two who were digging a hole in the ground. Not just one hole they two made this way. Sometimes they two would make four holes. Then the number of their (dual) holes would be four. Not long afterwards they two would finish, those two who were digging holes in the ground. Thus many people living long ago (were in the habit of) doing.

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18. THE SKUNK AND THE SCREECH-OWL (*Lower Umpqua*).

Łk!anū'k^u ʋ p̄nqai'. Wí'nxax̄n tsí'k!ya te pení's. Wín^{ex}-
 na'wa^{ux}, qaw^{untí}'tc^{wax} wín^{ex}na'wa. Łk!anū'k^u ʋ meq!a'í'tx
 ha'qmas līya'wa. Tsí'k!ya wí'nxax̄n ants pení's łk!an^uwa'k^u.
 Łk!anū'k^u ʋ p̄nqaya' xāL!a'í' hītū'tc. Łna^u'wi hītc ants
 5 p̄na'í'. Łk!an^uwa'k^u wí'nxax̄n ants pení's. L!xū'yūn mī'k!a
 tsí'k!ya. L!xū'yūn hí'sa łk!an^uwa'k^u ants pení's. Łna^u'wi
 hītc ʋ łqaqa'í'txaⁿ pena's, s^èà¹ L!xū'yūn łk!an^uwa'k^u.

Łk!anū'k^u ya'q^u'yūn a'ntsux meq!a'í'tx ants pení's xā'ts!^u-
 wa^{ux}.² Tcanhatí'mxutxa^{ux} q^ulī'mt ants pení's. ʋ s^èatsí'-
 10 tc^{wax} waana'wa.

Pení's p̄hī'tc ʋ łk!anū'k^u łmní'tc. ʋ meq!a'í'tx ha'q-
 mas līya'wa te łk!anū'k^u. Łna^u'wi hītc ʋ p̄na'í'. ʋ Ln'fūn
 ants q!^uhā'ftex. ʋ yā'tsa s^èa'tsyax ants łk!anū'k^u ʋ waa'.
 "Kumí'ntc^{enx} p̄na'í'. Łqa'qanx sí'nixya." S^èatsí'tc waa'
 15 ants łk!anū'k^u. Ants p̄na'st ʋ cí'nixyat!ya āqa'wax. ʋ
 s^èatsí'tc waa' ants łk!anū'k^u. "Kumí'ntc^{enx} p̄na'í'. Łqa'qa^{inx}
 ata's. Łqa'qanx sí'nixya." Cí'nixyat!ya ants hītc āqa'wax.
 Tsí'm^{wax} s^èatsí'tc ʋ waa' āqa'wa^{ux}.³ Lxa'yaxa^ū'nī ants
 pení's tsí'k!ya^{ux} xaū' sí'nixyūn ants p̄na'st.

¹ Should have been *s^èa'na*.

² The sudden introduction of two skunks instead of one could not be explained.

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18. THE SKUNK AND THE SCREECH-OWL (*Lower Umpqua*).

Screech-Owl was dancing the medicine-dance. She was very much afraid of the Skunk. They two (Screech-Owl and Skunk) feared each other, mutually they feared each other. Screech-Owl was continually dancing alongside of the fire. Screech-Owl was very much afraid of that Skunk. She was (trying) to cure a man by means of the medicine-dance. He who was sick was a rich man. Screech-Owl was afraid of that Skunk, for she knew he was very bad. Screech-Owl knew that Skunk very well. Skunk was continually breaking wind at the rich man, and Screech-Owl knew that.

Screech-Owl saw that those two Skunks² were continually dancing. They two were clubbing each other's anuses, saying thus.

Skunk (doctored) first, and Screech-Owl second; and Screech-Owl was continually dancing near the fire. A rich man was sick, and (Screech-Owl) was fanning the ashes. She did thus for a long time, and said (to the sick man), "You are not sick, you want to pass wind." Thus Screech-Owl said; and that sick man was continually thinking of running away. Then (again) Screech-Owl said thus: "You are not sick. Your passing of wind only (is sick). You want to pass wind." (Still) that man was continually thinking of running away. Always they two (Screech-Owl and the sick man) were saying thus, — that they two were going to run away, for that Skunk and another one desired very much that that sick man should die.

³ Contracted from *āqa'waxa^{ux}*.

Qatc^ena'wa^ux¹ 1 klan^uwa'k^u ants p^hna'st. Hina'w^un ants
 p^hna'st klan^uwa'k^u. Tcⁱk ants k^lālatū^u sq^ei'k^wax qatc^ena'
 wa^ux. Āqa'qa^ux qa'tc^enta^ux. Tcⁱk ants l^la'^{ai} tem^uū^u
 yā^a'xaⁱ hītc, qa'tc^enta^ux sq^a'k^tcī'tc. ^uḷa^ux lī'ūwa^ux sq^a'k,
 5 tcⁱk ants k^lālatū^u yā^a'xaⁱ hītc. Yuwa'yūn yā^a'xaⁱ ants
 q^la'īl ants k^lālatū^{wi}. līū'wa^ux sq^a'k. Sq^a'k lī'ūtūx ants
 penⁱ's^wax. ^uḷa^ux tsīna'xⁱyūl^tx q^ulī'mt. Xa'ūtūxa^ux ^uḷa^ux
 tcī'watc hakwa'aⁱ ants penⁱ's.²

19. COYOTE AND THE TWO OTTER-WOMEN ^b
 (*Lower Umpqua*).

Xi'ntmanx tī'mwa.⁴ Cī'nⁱxyat!ya ha'itcī'tc ants Tsxu'nplī.
 10 "Tsī'k!ya^ux hīs qīūtcū'nī. Tcī'nta^utc^wax hīs mī'ck'laⁱ a'n-
 tsux qīūtcū'nī." ^uḷ ts'īms s^eatsī'tc cī'nⁱxyat!ya ants Tsxu'nplī.
 "Tū yāk!aⁱ'nī qīūtcū'nī tsī'k!ya hīs qīūtcū'nī." ^uḷ ts'īms
 s^eatsī'tc cī'nⁱxyat!ya. "K!ēxū'tc^enxan l^laya'tc ha'q^enxan
 xi'ntmītūx. Pīta'tc^enxan lqatūwiyū's. S^ea'tsa^uxūn xniyu-
 15 nī^wyūn. S^ea'tsa^uxīn yīxa'yūl mī'ck'la'itc^wax. Pīta'ya^ux
 lqatūwiyū's, ants qīūtcū'nī, ^uḷn ya'qu'yūḷa^ux mī'ck'laⁱ.
 S^ea'tsa^uxīn xniyuni'^wyūn." S^eatsī'tc cī'nⁱxyat!ya. Tcⁱk ants
 yiktī'l'mä lqaⁱ'tū, s^eaⁱ'xa^ux pītaⁱ' a'ntsux qīūtcū'nī, s^ea'tsa^ux
 yīxa'yūl mī'ck'laⁱ ants qīūtcū'nī.

20 Xi'ntanx. Tsī'k!ya^ux sī'nⁱxyūn ants qīūtcū'nī. "Tcī'nta^un

¹ Contracted from *qatc^ena'waxax*.

² The informant could not recollect the rest of this story.

So they two, Screech-Owl and that sick man, intended to go away. Screech-Owl was going to carry that sick man. They two intended to go there, where the fair (was going on). So they two started, and ran away. They two went there, where there was an assembly of many people. Then they two came there, where a big time was had by many people. Those who (participated in) that good time were collecting much pitch. So they two arrived there, (and heard that) those two Skunks were going to come there. (Moreover, they were told that) their anuses (those of the two Skunks) were to be scorched, (and that as soon as) the two Skunks died, they two would be thrown into the water.²

19. COYOTE AND THE TWO OTTER-WOMEN³
(*Lower Umpqua*).

They⁴ were travelling together; and Coyote was continually thinking to himself, "Very pretty are the two women. Whichever of these two women habet pulchram vulvam, (this one I will marry)." Thus Coyote was continually thinking to himself. "That smaller woman is a very pretty woman." Thus he was always thinking to himself. "We will travel to each place (that is away from the) shore. -We shall be going over logs. Thus I will do it to them (dual). Thus I shall see their (dual) vulvas. Whenever these two women step over a log, then I shall look at their (dual) vulvas. Thus I shall do it to them (dual)." Thus he was always thinking. Wherever there was a very large log and those two women stepped over it, he would see the vulvas of those two women.

They kept on going. He liked those two women very

³ Also recorded among the Alsea.

⁴ That is, Coyote and the two Otter-Women.

tex f'kwa'yūn? Tci'nta^u y'kt'itc m'ck'laⁱ s^èà ʷn qí'ūtē
 hawa'yūn. S^èa'tsa^{ux}in ya'xa^ʷ m'ck'laⁱ." Tceni'tcitanx
 wàn ʷ^{enx} tca'xa^ʷt. Kwí'ya^{ux} ya'xa^ʷ m'ck'laⁱ ants qíūtcū'ní.
 ʷ^{enx} wàn tci'n hītsī'stc, ʷ^{la}ux s^èatsī'tc waa'aⁿ ants qíū-
 5 tcū'ní. "Mí'k^utūxts It'īaya'. Małtcīwa'waxan¹ Līya'wa."
 ʷ^{la}ux wàn wí'lūt ants qíūtcū'ní. ʷł małtcī'üst ants tex-
 mū'ní. Mikwa'wa^{ux}² ants qíūtcū'ní. Hawa'ı'stx³ ants
 līya'wa, ʷ^{la}ux xa'tca'wa^{ux}⁴ ants qíūtcū'ní. Qa^ʷh'ū ants
 līya'aⁿ. Skwaha'xam ants xa'tca'aⁿ. Xatka'ı' ants līya'aⁿ.
 10 ʷł ya'q^uyūł m'ck'laⁱ ants qíūtcū'ní. Tcaⁿ ants qíūtcū'ní,
 xa'tkast. Ats ʷł yaxí'xūł tcu'x^{us} ants qíūtcū'ní. ʷł waa'ı'
 ants Tsxu'nplī. "Ní'ctca k^u tē cuqwa'an tē ha'kwat!ya?"
 Cuqwa'an hawa'yūn, wa'ı' cā'yatc. Nītsa'ı'tx ants cā'ya.
 Wa'ı' cā'yatc ʷł cuqwa'an hawa'yūn. Xatca'ya^{ux} ants qíū-
 15 tcū'ní, yāxí'xūł^{ux} tcu'x^{us} ants qíūtcū'ní. ʷł s^èatsī'tc c'ı'nxa'ıt.
 "Ya'xaⁿ⁵ ants qíūtcū'ní, ʷł mekct tcu'x^{us}." ʷł atsī'tc c'ı'nxıt.

Yāxí'xūł cā'ya ants texmū'ní ants waa'ı'. "Ní'ctca k^u
 tē cuqwa'an tē ha'kwat!ya?" ʷł wàn yāxí'xūł cā'ya ants
 texmū'ní. T'ıxa't cā'ya ants texmū'ní. ʷł s^èà ʷł tsı'k!ya
 20 wınxí'xūł ants qíūtcū'ní. ʷł ants qíūtcū'ní s^èatsī'tc c'ı'nxıt.
 "Kumı'ntcın ta'ıs. Āqa'waxan." Łākwa'kūtsme k^èa'nı' ants
 qíūtcū'ní, ʷł qwa'xtcīst tci'watc. ʷł qıa'ıł m'ı'tcīstūtsme ʷł
 wa'a^utsme ants mīsı'aⁱ. "Āqa'wans, kumı'ntc hıs tū tēx-

¹ The narrator evidently meant to say *małta'waxan*.

² Contracted from *mikwa'waxa^{ux}*.

³ The use of the modal *-tx* in this passage is incorrect. The suffix *-ūtsme* should have been used.

much. "I wonder which one I shall take! I will make that one my wife whose vulva is large. That is why I (want to) see their (dual) vulvas." They were going homewards now, (and still) he did not see the vulvas of those two women. So then they came back into the house, and he said thus to the two women: "You will cut salmon, while I am going to build a fire." Then those two women assented. So that man began to build a fire, while those two women were about to cut (salmon). When he finished building his fire, those two women began to roast (salmon). That fire (was kept up by means of) bark, (and upon it) the roast was placed. (Soon) the fire fell down (flat). Then he saw the private parts of those two women, (as each) woman fell (on her) back (trying to dodge the fire when) it began to fall. At that time he saw the vulva (of each) woman. Then Coyote said, "What may (cause) this roast to fall down frequently?" He called it "roast," although it was his penis. Then his penis became stiff. Although it was his penis, still he called it "roast." As these two women were roasting (salmon), he was looking at their (dual) vulvas. So he thought thus: "I see the (one) woman, and her vulva is fat." Thus he thought.

(Then one woman) perceived the penis of that man when he said, "What may cause this roast to fall down so frequently?" Then she saw the penis of that man. The penis of that man had teeth. And the woman was very much afraid of his (penis), and was thinking thus: "I will not stay (here any longer). I am going to run away." So that woman took her basket, and began to go down to the water. Then (upon her return) she kindled her pitch, and said thus to her older sister: "We two are going to run away. That man is not good: he has too large a penis."

⁴ Contracted from *xa'tca'waxa'x*.

⁵ Contracted from *ya'xa'wini*.

mū'nî. Yikti'l'mat cā'ya." Wīnxí'x ants qīūtcū'nî, ʷ
 s^ɛatsí'tc wa'a^utsmE ants mīsí'aⁱ. "Ā'qtūns.¹ Peh'tcīn ā'qtūx.
 Kⁱwasiyū'tsana^u wàn." S^ɛatsí'tc wa'a^utsmE ants mīsí'aⁱ.
 Tci'wate^{wax} l!mīxa'x ants qīūtcū'nî. Āqa'wa^{ux} ² qai'ha'ntc.
 5 Āqa'qa^{ux} wàn, tcīk ants lqai'^{tū} skwahaⁱ yā'a'xa'tc lqwa^{a-}
 tem.³ ʷ ants tEXmū'nî ʷ tqūfūⁱ. l!qūtmī'a^{ux} qaaⁱ ants
 qīūtcū'nî. Ka^usí's ants tEXmū'nî. Cqawaⁱ ants tci. ʷ^{la}^{ux}
 s^ɛatsí'tc waaⁱ. "Ats tcaītcí'tc qīū'tūx, ʷ^ɛns nā'fūx.
 Kumí'ntc^ɛns ha'iq, tci'wans xī'ntis, pī'^{tsī}stc^ɛns āqa'wax."
 10 ʷ^{la}^{ux} pī'^{tsī}stc āqa'q. Kumí'ntc^{wax} sī'nⁱxyūn ants tEXmū'nî.
 Tsí'k!ya mī'k!a ants tEXmū'nî. Smūt'a't' wàn.

A'lqai'tcīn ⁴ l!xū'yūn qnà.⁵ Cí'n^{ax} nīctcanū'wīsí tE qīū-
 tcū'nî ʷ xī'ntmīyaxa^{un}. TE qīūtcū'nî tsí'k!ya sī'nxītx tEtc
 mīctcīⁱ. Tsxu'nplī waaⁱ. "Cí'n^{ax} nīctcanū'wīsí ʷ^{ln} xī'nt-
 15 mīsūn." Kumí'ntc^ɛtc qī'ūtc ants qīūtcū'nya^{ux}. l!p^{xan}ⁱ-
 sk'īntc^{wax}, ʷ^{la}^{ux} txū xī'ntmīsūn. Cí'n^{ax} nīctcanū'wīsí ʷ^{la}^{ux}
 xī'ntmīsūn ants^ɛtc^{wax} l!p^{xan}. Tsxu'nplītc q!^asī'ntī tlā'mc-
 tc^{wax} antsux qīūtcū'nî. S^ha'itū'nî pEh'tc xī'ntma'istūn xā'ts!ū
 nīctcanū'wīsí. Wí'tcīstū'tsmE wa'as. ʷ a'!^{la} wí'tcīstūtsmE
 20 tlāmc ants tEXmū'nî. Qamīta'tc wí'tcīstūn mīsa'yūstc..

TE tsxu'nplī p!a^a'ntx ha' tsí'k!ya. Hatca't ants lqai'^{tū}
 ʷ qa'^uxūn ta' lqatūwiyū's ants tsxu'nplī. Ya'q^u'ya k!ēxū'tc

¹ Contracted from *ā'qtūxans*.

² Contracted from *āqa'waxa^{ux}*.

³ This, so the informant explained, is the reason why otters like to live among alder-roots.

That woman was afraid. (For that reason) she said thus to her older sister: "We two will run away. I will run away first. You will follow me last." Thus she said to her older sister. Then those two women jumped into the water. They two were going to run far away. Then they two ran away to where stood a log having many (alder) roots;³ and the man was shouting as the two women went into the alder-tree. The man began to follow (them). The water began to stir. Then they two said thus: "When he passes (us, going) somewhere else, then we two will start out again. We two will not (travel) on the shore, we will keep on travelling in the water: we are going to run away to the ocean." Then they two ran away to the ocean. They two did not like that man. He was a very bad man. Now it ends.

I⁵ seemingly know (only) one⁴ (half of this story). For three years (Coyote) had travelled around with these women. Of these women, he always liked the younger sister. Coyote said, "For three years I will keep on travelling around with these (two)." Those two women were not his wives. They two were his younger nieces, and he was just continually travelling with them. For three years he kept on travelling with his two nieces. These two women were the two children of Coyote's elder sister. At first he had commenced to travel with the larger one, (doing it for) two years. (Then the father of the girl) began to send word (that she should come back), and afterwards that man sent his (younger) child. Her father then sent her to her elder sister.

Coyote was very sorry. There was a tall tree, and Coyote was sitting on top of that tree. He looked every-

⁴ The following was told partly by William Smith, and partly by his wife, and seems to be an amplification of the preceding chapters.

⁵ Refers to the narrator.

L!aya'tc. Yīxumí'txa^ūna^{ux} ants qīūt^{cū}nî, yīxa'yūna^{ux} ants
 qīūt^{cū}nî. Txū metcī'tc^ētūx ants lqa^{i'}tū. ʰ s^ēatsī'tc k!u^x-
 wī'nūn L!a^{ai} ants T^sxu'nplī. Qaxa'ntc^{wax} k!u^xwīniyū's ants
 qīūt^{cū}nî, ats ants k!u^xwī'n L!a^{ai}. ʰ yū^{wi}L!a'tx qa^xūnū'
 5 ants lqa^{i'}tū. Tcīt'a'tūn L!a^{ai} tsī'k!ya. Tcīt'a't'. L!ayū'stc
 ma'tcatlī ants lqa^{i'}tū ants T^sxuna'plī līt!yūn. Tcīt'a'tū-
 tsme L!a^{ai} ants T^sxu'nplī. P!a^{antx} haⁱ. S^ēatsī'tc ʰ mī'
 tcīstūn haⁱmūt ants lqa^{i'}tū l!ayū'stc.

20. THE GRIZZLY-BEAR AND THE TWO LITTLE BIRDS ¹
 (*Lower Umpqua*).

Yā^{a'}xaⁱ hītc l!xmīya'yūn ants Swāf. Tcīk qnūhū'yūn
 10 hītc ʰ līt!a'yūn s^ēàs. Waⁱ yā^{a'}xaⁱ hītc, ʰ haⁱmūt s^ēàs
 līt!a'yūn. S^ēa'tsa ʰ kumí'ntc nī'k!a xī'ntmīl hītc. S^ēa
 wī'nxā^ūn. Tsī'k!ya wī'nxā^ūn haya'mūt hīyàtc. Kūi nī'ctca
 nī'ctcūtne. Tsī'k!ya mī'k!a. Waⁱ yā^{a'}xaⁱ te hītc, ʰ līt!a'-
 yūn s^ēàs. Tsī'k!ya wī'nxā^ūn. S^ēa'tsa xni'^wnūn te hītc
 15 wā'nwīts. Līt!a'yūn s^ēàs.

ʰ s^ēa te t!āmcī'sk'īn ² Līū'wa^{ux} qīūt^{cī}l'ma'tc. "Nī'ctcanx
 tanx yā^{a'}xaⁱ qātx? Kumí'ntcxūn tāqa'na wī'nx. Yuwa'-
 ya^xūn yā^{a'}xaⁱ ts!īna', ʰxūn stīmk qa^{i'}xtūxl!" ³

(Wā'nwīts līt!stūn ants Lxa^yaxa^ūnî. Līt!tūn ʰ txū
 20 q^ūLīmī'tyate līha' ants t!āmcīl'ma'sk'īn. ʰ tsī'k!ya p!na'tx
 haⁱ ants t!āmcīl'ma'sk'īn.)

Qātx ants qīūt^{cī}l'mā. ʰ!a^{ux} wān yaū^ūn ants t!āmcīl'mā
 ts!īna'. Asūi' ants mī'k!a hītc. Ma'htcūⁿ Līya'wa. ʰ

¹ This fragment seems to be another version of the story related on pp. 14 et
 seq. (also recorded among the Alsea and Molala).

where. He was looking for those two women, (so that he might) see them (dual). (Suddenly) that tree just kind of fell down. So Coyote made ice; and those two women (had to travel) on top of the ice, when it began to appear. Then that tree broke (in two) at the top. He caused a strong wind to blow. It blew. The tree on which Coyote was sitting kept falling down to the ground. Coyote caused his winds to blow. He was sorry. That was why he began to fell all the trees to the ground.

20. THE GRIZZLY-BEAR AND THE TWO LITTLE BIRDS ¹
 (*Lower Umpqua*).

Grizzly-Bear was killing many people. Wherever he found a person, he would devour him. Even though many were the people, still he would devour them all. For that reason no man ever travelled alone. (Everybody) was afraid of him. All people feared (Grizzly) very much. Nothing could be done (to stop him). He was very bad. Even though many were the people, still he devoured them (all). They feared him very much. Thus this person did long ago. He devoured (people).

Then two little boys² came to an old woman. "Why do you cry so much? We two are not afraid of anything. We two will gather much pitch, and will stay here until night overtakes us two."³

([Grizzly-Bear] had already begun to devour that other [young boy]. He devoured him, when that little boy just passed out through his anus-hole. Then that [remaining] young boy was very sorry.)

That old woman kept on crying while the two young boys were gathering pitch. (Then they went to Grizzly's house.) That bad man was sleeping. (One of the arrivals)

² The two little birds.

³ In the house of Grizzly-Bear.

a^usí's ants mí'k!a hīc. Łk!aⁱtx laa' qaxûntcī'tc. ʋ loqwaⁱ
ants ts!a!n. Qīūtcīl'a'mī ta'yūn ants tsí'Li. Asūⁱ tsí'k!ya
ants mí'k!a hīc. Loqwaⁱ ants ts!a!n. Qa^u'xūntc łk!^a'tx
laa' ants mí'k!a hīc. ʋ waaⁱ ants tlāmcīl'ma'sk'īn.
5 "Haⁱ'qaⁱtcya, mīl'tcī'xmīnx, haⁱ'qaⁱtcya." Kumí'ntc cīl'x ants
hīc asūⁱ. Tsí'k!ya asūⁱ. ʋ wàn łākwa'kūtsma^ux ants
ts!a!n. ʋ wàn qwa'nuⁱ laaya'tc^utc. Txū mī'łtcīst ʋ txū
lōqwa'q^u. ʋ!a^ux wàn l!wa^a'nūn ants qīūtcīl'mä. "Xaū'
na^uxūn ants mí'k!a hīc. Mī'łtcīst haⁱ'mūt laa'tc. Tīntx
10 haⁱ." ʋ!a^ux wàn l!wa^a'nūn ants qīūtcīl'mä. ʋ!a^ux wàn
tcīmtcī'mya qa'tc^unt ants qīūtcīl'mä. Yāk!ī'tcī'tūł xwā'ka
qīūtcīl'a'mī ants tlāmcīl'ma'sk'īn. Hank! tcīktc haⁱ.¹ Mī'k!a
łE'q xaū'ūn s^uàs.

Wàn smūt'a't'.

21. THE OLD WOMAN AND HER GRAND-DAUGHTER
(*Aalsea*).

15 Qīūtcīl'mä łEkw^owa'ntc^wax tai tī'mwa. Tsí'k!ya^ux nākwa'
yata tai. Cí'n'xyat!ya ants qīūtcīl'mä. Kūⁱ ní'tca ła'kwīł
łit!aya' ants qīūtcīl'mä. TsxayaⁱL!a^ux ʋ!a^ux hīq!yaⁱ.
A^u'tcīsa^ux yuwaⁱ. Waaⁱ'stc ants łEkwō'n ants qīūtcīl'mä.
"Yā^a'xatc'isūnanx pūna'pūna', tcīk wā'quntx l!ayū'wi, stīm
20 łkwa'yūn yā^a'xaⁱ łE a^u'tcīsi." Tc!ha^u'cīs ants tlāmc.
Yā^a'xa^ux łkwa'yūn łE a^u'tcīsi. Waaⁱ'tx ants kamL'matc.
"Yā^a'xaⁱns łākwa'kūⁿ, kamL. Waⁱ yā'tsa ʋⁱns s^ua'tsa
ła'kwīsūn." S^uatsī'tc waaⁱ'tx łEkwō'n łE qīūtcīl'mä. "S^ua'^a-

¹ Literally, KIND OF SOMEWHERE (IS) HIS HEART.

kindled a fire. That bad man kept on sleeping. His mouth was open kind of wide [high]. The pitch was boiling. The old woman kept an arrow (in her hand). That bad man was sleeping soundly, while the pitch kept on boiling. That bad man opened his mouth wide. Then the young boy said, "(Move away) from the fire, you may get burned! (Move away) from the fire!" The man who was sleeping did not move. He was sound asleep. Then they two seized their pitch and poured it into his mouth. He just began to burn, and was just boiling (inside). Then they two related (what they had done) to that old woman. "We two killed that bad man. His whole mouth burned, and his heart is cooked." Thus they two related to that old woman. Then they two and that old woman went there with an axe. The old woman and a young boy cut his head into pieces. (That little boy) was very glad, for he had killed something bad.

Now it ends.

21. THE OLD WOMAN AND HER GRAND-DAUGHTER (*Alsea*).

An old woman and her grand-daughter lived together. They two lived very poorly. That old woman worried very often, for she could not obtain food. As soon as morning dawned upon them (dual), they two would start out to dig camas-roots. (One day) that old woman said to her grand-daughter, "You keep on trying to look for Mole: where there are many holes in the ground, there (you) will get lots of camas." That girl was glad because they two were going to obtain much camas. (Then the girl) kept on saying to her grandmother, "We two will obtain much camas, O grandmother! We two will keep on obtaining it thus forever." Thus said the old woman

tsans taⁱyax, ʰɛⁿx hīc haū^ttūx.” Wí^lwīs ants tām^cil-
ma^sk^ʼin. “Ha^u kam^L, s^ʼa^ʼtsans taⁱs.” ʰ waaⁱ ants
qīūt^cí^l-mä. “Ats yā^xtūx, ʰɛⁿs tquya^witi. ʰins yā^xtū-
xa^ti.” Atsī^tc waaⁱ ants qīūt^cí^l-mä.

- 5 Nictcīnawīta^ʼ, ʰa^ux s^ʼa^ʼtsa xní^wnɛ. Cíⁿxyat^lis ants
qīūt^cí^l-mä. S^ʼa^ʼtsatc sī^ya^ā ants ʰtekōⁿ. Tcīⁿt^tc ya^xa^u
ants ʰt^laⁱ, ʰa^ux s^ʼa^ʼ ʰkwa^yūn. Tinaⁱ ants L^la^ʼai tɛ^q
pī^tcɛm, ʰa^ux s^ʼa^ʼ a^l-dū ʰkwa^yūn. Kumíⁿtc^wax tɛ^q L^lxū-
xūn. S^ʼa^ux ata^s L^lxū^yūn ʰt^laⁱ. S^ʼa^ʼtsa^ux taⁱ. Waaⁱstc
10 ʰtekōⁿ ants qīūt^cí^l-mä. “Sī^ʼtūnx, ʰɛⁿx qní^xats xní^wnīsūn.”
Kū^ya^ux tcik hīc L^lxū^xūn aⁿts^wax taⁱ. Ya^wisa^ux a^utcī-
yū^s. Yɛxaⁱtc^wax xíⁿtīs aⁿtsux a^utcīsī, aⁿtsux yuwaⁱtx.
“Waⁱ yā^ʼtsa, ʰɛⁿs s^ʼa^ʼtsa xní^wnīs. Hī^tcⁿx haū^ttūx, ʰins
hītū^ʼstc lī^ʼūtūx.” Atsī^tc waaⁱstc ʰtekōⁿ ants qīūt^cí^l-mä.
15 Ya^uxa^ux a^l-dū ʰt^la^yūn aⁿtsux taⁱ. Nictcīn^uwai^txa^ux L^la^ʼai,
ʰa^ux ʰt^laⁱ L^ll^lwī^yūs, ʰa^ux ʰt^la^ya^ʼ a^l-dū t^owatcaⁱ. A^laq
nīctcanū^wīsī ʰa^ux hītū^ʼstc wàn qatcⁿai^ʼ. ʰa^ux al^twaiⁱ
hītū^ʼstc wàn.

Sqa^k wàn hawai^ʼ. S^ʼatsa^tc nīctcīma^ʼmū tɛ qīūt^cí^l-mä
20 wāⁿwītsaxax ʰtek^owaⁿtc^wax.

to her grand-daughter, "If we two live thus, then you will become (a grown-up) person." That young girl kept on assenting. "Yes, grandmother, thus we two will always live." Then that old woman said, "When (that camas) accumulates, then we two are going to cook our (camas) by means of rocks, and then we two will have much of our (camas)." Thus said that old woman.

When spring came, they two did thus. That old woman was continually worrying, when that grand-daughter (grew up to) such a size. Whatever quantity of food there was (in the fields), they two would get it. When in the summer many things became ripe, they two would likewise get them. They two knew of nothing else. They two knew only (how to get) food. Thus they two lived. Then that old woman said to her grand-daughter, "When you grow up, you will keep on doing it." Those two who lived there did not know that people were anywhere around. They two were continually digging camas-roots. Their (dual) camas began to accumulate when they two kept on digging (it). "We two will keep on doing thus for a long time. When you are (a grown-up) person, then we two will go to (where) people (live)." Thus that old woman said to her grand-daughter. They two also ate fern-roots when they lived there. When fall came, and salmon arrived at their (dual) place, they also speared salmon. After one year they two went to (where other) people (lived). Then they two were again among people.

Here now it ends. Such was their (dual) custom, (that of) the old woman and her grand-daughter, (both of whom) lived long ago.

22. THE STORY OF LOUISA SMITH'S CHILDHOOD¹
 (*Lower Umpqua*).

Míta'a'tín tsi'k!ya hīs. Mífa'a'tín hīts'ís qaa'í. Yā'a'xa'tc
 tlāmc mífa'a'tín. His qūtcū'ní mífa'a'tín. Hīts'ís ta'í.
 Klíxa' ná.² Kumí'ntc^{en}xan hītū'tc l!a'ítanxan ta'í. Mít!a'-
 sk'ní'tín tek!ā'kL!. Yā'a'xa'í tek!ā'kL!, ta'n'xan ta'í. ^uñ
 5 L!xū'x^u yā'xa'tí ha'í.³ A'łqan ta'í.² Mít!a'sk'ní'tín.³ Ku-
 m'ntc^{en}xan hītū'tc līū' ta'yanxan. L!xū'x^u yā'a'xa'tín ha'í.³
 Yā'a'xa'í tek!ā'kL!. Tc'íkyac l!a'^{ai} ^uł ts'ísqín ta'íha'yūn.
 Yā'a'xa'n'xan h'í'á'í lXūyū'yūn. Híya'tc^{en}xan l!l'ūts. Yā-
 xí'ūs'n te s'í'xa'í.⁴... Wàn līwa'í te s'í'xa'í. Yā'a'xa'í te h'í't!a'í
 10 līw'íwūtsme.⁵ L!m'í'kcū līw'íwūsne.⁶ Tqa^uwí'tc tc'ík^{en}xan
 te ta'í.⁴... Kumí'ntc'ín s'í'n'íxyūn te hītc, ^uñ s'í'yax. Mífa'-
 a'tín, na'han.³ A'łq qūtc'í'l'mā ta'yūn qamífa'a'tín. Mífa'tc
 k^unā. Hí'sanxan ta'í. Hí'sínxan hīts'í'í. Łínq!a'tx^{en}xan
 tā'kínxan hīts'í'í. Yā'a'xa'n'xan h'í't!a'í. ^uł L!xū'x^u yā'a'xa'tín ha'í.³

15 Lxa'í'p'ístc ya'xa'^u, qū'itcyaa^u. S'í'n'íxyūn łq!ā'nū. Tūha'-
 yūn łq!ā'nū. Yā'a'xanx tūha'yūn. Kumí'ntc'ín tc'ík hītc
 yā'a'xa'í ya'xūn. S'ih'í'tc'ín x'í'ntyax, ^uñ ts'í'k!ya his. Ts'í'-
 k!yan h'í'sítí ha'í, ^uñ s'ih'í'tc x'í'ntyax. Kumí'ntc'ín tc'ík hītc
 ya'xūn. Yaxa'í'txa^ux ta'tc^wax⁷ łq!ā'nū, ^uł^ux t!ūhat'cí'ntxa^ux.
 20 Tc'ín^wū'yūsne ^uł qatc^{en}ní'yūsne. Tc'ín^wí'yūtsma^ux. Kumí'ntc

¹ This text was dictated by Louisa Smith herself. Although it is of little ethnological value, it was faithfully recorded word by word in order to demonstrate Louisa's failure as a narrator.

² The sense of the next sentence shows that the narrator meant to say "We lived alone."

³ It was hard to elucidate what the narrator intended to say in this sentence.

22. THE STORY OF LOUISA SMITH'S CHILDHOOD¹
 (*Lower Umpqua*).

My father was a very good man. (He and) my mother lived in a house. My mother had many children. My mother was a pretty woman. She lived in a house. I was alone.² Our house was not situated (near that of any other) people. My step-father was setting traps. He set many traps while we lived there. And I knew much in my mind.³ I staid alone. My step-father.³ We did not live near (any other) people. I knew a great deal.³ (My step-father) was setting many traps. Sometimes he would kill a deer. We used to dry lots of salmon. People came often to us. I used to see (their) canoes.⁴ Then (another) boat would come, bringing much food. Flounders were frequently brought. Up the river, where we lived.⁴... I did not want a man (husband) when I grew up. My mother and I.³ My mother kept one old woman (in the house). Perhaps it was her mother. We lived well. Our house was good. We were always warm in this our house. We had lots of food. I knew a great deal.³

(One day) five (people in) number (came) from the Umpqua River. They wanted (to buy) hides. They were buying hides, and bought a great many. Nowhere did I see many people. When I began to grow, I was very pretty. My heart was very glad when I began to grow up. Nowhere did I see people. Whenever their⁷ (dual) hides accumulated (in great quantities), they two sold them. (The hides) would be packed and carried away. They two (sometimes) packed their (dual) own (hides), (for they)

⁴ This sentence was not finished.

⁵ For *Līw'ūsmE*.

⁶ *Līwa'ūsmE*.

⁷ Probably those of her mother and that old woman whom she kept.

kōtana't. Na'm^hīnxaŋ tE'q lwī'ī'yūsne tE sī'xa'. Łq!ānū' mł
yīxī'i. Tū'a'it, tsī'k!ya yī'ktax. Wa'ī yā'a'xa' tE hītc, s^Ea'itū'
sī'nīxya.

5 l!ōna'waxan.¹ John Garnier xaū'. Yaga² pa'pa² (cor-
recting herself) mīta'tc hank! hītc.³ Na'm^hīnxaŋ tE'q tāt
mīlā.

had no horses. (Some of) our relatives would (sometimes)
bring in a canoe a great quantity of hides. Of such (a
size), very big. No matter how many people there were,
(everybody) wanted such (hides).

I am going to tell it.¹ John Garnier had died. His
father was like an Indian.³ His mother was one of our
relatives.⁴

¹ The narrator suddenly turns to another subject.

² Chinook jargon.

³ The person in question was the son of a white father and an Indian mother.

APPENDIX.

23. THE MAN WHO MARRIED THE BIRD-WOMAN.¹

Not far from the Smith River Falls there lived Old-Woman-Butter-Ball and her grandson. Her children had died long ago, and she and her grandson were in very poor circumstances. She was in the habit of going to Tide-Water, where she would catch salmon and dry it for winter use. As the boy grew up, she showed him how to make spears and how to catch salmon. The boy learned quickly, and was soon able to catch salmon, which his grandmother would cut and dry.

One night the boy dreamed that he saw a very pretty bird perched on a rock way up on the Falls. Upon awakening, he found his grandmother crying; and when he asked for an explanation, she said, "I heard you say in your sleep that you intend to leave me." The boy said nothing, but fixed his spear and went up to the Falls. He travelled a whole day, and went so far, that, when night overtook him, he could not get back to his grandmother. So he lay down under a tree without having eaten anything for a whole day. As soon as he fell asleep, he dreamed of the same bird again, and was told that by going up to the Falls he would come into possession of untold wealth. In the morning he made a fresh start, and soon came within sight of the Falls. Approaching

¹ Told by Louis Smith, a full-blooded Lower Umpqua Indian.

nearer, he saw salmon in great quantities; but he did not attempt to spear any, and kept on climbing up.

Having arrived at the very summit, he perceived a rock sticking out from the water, and on it was perched a pretty, little bird.¹ He tried to spear it; but the bird was elusive, and soon disappeared in the Falls. Looking closer, he saw it in the water, and decided to dive after it. He dove down, and came to a house in front of which sat a pretty, young girl. The girl took him into the house, and introduced him to her parents as her husband. The house was inhabited by different kinds of animals. He saw there panthers, cougars, snakes, and other beasts. At first these animals were angry at him, because he was a stranger; and the boy felt very uneasy, especially as he saw many human and animal bones piled up in one corner. But his wife dispelled his fears, and he soon made friends among his new relatives.

The next day his father-in-law arranged a dance in his honor. Many people participated in it. The boy kept close to his wife, and hardly touched any of the food that was served in great quantities to the guests. At the termination of the dance the boy was told that he would have to go back to his people within five days.

In the mean time his grandmother worried because of his prolonged absence, went down to the mouth of the Umpqua River, where some of her relatives lived, and asked them to help her look for her grandson. A large party set out in search of him, and he was soon tracked to the bottom of the Falls. The searchers were afraid to go any farther, and proposed to give up the quest; but upon the urgent appeal of the old woman, two young warriors started up the Falls, where they found the young boy's spear, but no traces of the boy himself. They

¹ Compare Coos Texts, p. 187.

brought back the spear, and even Old-Woman-Butter-Ball had to admit that her grandson was lost forever.

In the mean time the boy and his wife were getting ready to leave. Before they started, the father-in-law gave him a whale for his people, and ordered his slaves to take it into the canoe. When they were ready to start, the woman said to him, "Jump on my back, and keep your eyes shut until I tell you to open them again." He did as he was ordered, and they began to travel so fast that he heard the wind whistle past his face. After a while they got into the canoe and began to travel on water. He heard the roaring waves beating against the riffles, but did not for a moment even open his eyes. Soon his wife told him, "Now you may look." He opened his eyes, and saw that they were on the ocean.

They kept on travelling, and finally landed at Tsaxinītc,¹ where they found the whale given to the boy by his father-in-law. The boy was so changed that his relatives did not recognize him. He soon sent for his grandmother, and invited all the people to partake of the whale that had come ashore during his journey. He arranged a feast consisting of dancing, shinny-games, and shooting at a target. During the progress of the feast he related his adventures to his people. At the end of his narration he was appointed chief of the tribe.

The new chief did not stay long at Tsaxinītc. After a while he took his wife and grandmother and went to Winchester Bay, where he established his home.

Some time afterwards the people whom he had left at Tsaxinītc decided to kill him. They sent some of their best warriors with instructions to kill him at any cost; but every time they shot at him, he would dive into the water and emerge again untouched. Then the people

¹ A settlement situated five miles north of the Umpqua River bar.

knew that he possessed supernatural powers, and abandoned their designs upon his life.¹

After a while he sent two Coots in all directions, instructing them to gather together at Winchester Bay the people from all four quarters of the world. The Coots went everywhere, saying, "Butter-Ball invites you to come to his house." Pretty soon canoes began to come from all directions, loaded with all kinds of people. Butter-Ball had prepared a feast for them, and they played all kinds of games for five days. On the fifth day Butter-Ball told the assembled people that this was going to be his last day among them. He then gave them different names, changing them into all kinds of birds, whereupon he took his wife and left Winchester Bay. He has never been heard of since.

¹ The narrator was not sure that his memory of this episode was correct.

VOCABULARY.

The same causes that prevented me from collecting a sufficient number of native Lower Umpqua myths and traditions, also rendered the compilation of a complete and exhaustive vocabulary of this language an impossible task. None of the few informants that were available remembered enough stems and words to enable me to compile a thorough dictionary of the two dialects that comprise the Siuslaw linguistic family. An attempt, however, has been made to render this vocabulary as comprehensive as could be expected under existing conditions, by incorporating into it, besides my own material, a collection of words and stems at the present writing in the possession of the Bureau of American Ethnology, Washington, D. C. This collection consists of short vocabularies obtained for the Bureau by George P. Bissell in 1881, by J. Owen Dorsey in 1884, and by Dr. John I. Milhau (date of collection not given). These vocabularies are reproduced here by permission of the Bureau of American Ethnology. Dorsey's material contains both Siuslaw and Lower Umpqua stems, while that of the other two investigators seems to be confined exclusively to the latter dialect. As is to be expected, the phonetic spelling of these early collectors differs materially from the one I had adopted; this being especially true of Bissell's and Milhau's systems. I was therefore unable, in a good many instances, to transcribe

into my own phonetic system words that were not familiar to me through personal investigation; and, rather than omit these words entirely, I put them down as they were written by their respective collectors, placing after them the initials B., D., or M. (abbreviations for Bissell, Dorsey, and Milhau). To this vocabulary I have added, furthermore, an alphabetical list of all the prefixes and suffixes found in the Lower Umpqua language, with the object in view of facilitating for the student the grammatical analysis of these texts.

All words and stems are classed according to their initial sounds, and are arranged in the following order:

<i>E</i>	
<i>a, ā, ä, aⁱ, a^u</i>	<i>b, p, p', m</i>
<i>e, ē</i>	<i>d, t, t', t', t', n</i>
<i>i, ī, aⁱ, y</i>	<i>s, c</i>
<i>o, ō, ú, ū, a^u</i>	<i>ts, tc, ts', tc', ts', tc'</i>
<i>w, h</i>	<i>g, k, kw, k', k', k'w</i>
	<i>q, qw, q', q'w</i>
	<i>x, xw</i>
	<i>l, l', t, L, L'</i>

The long diphthong *aⁱ* has purposely been placed after the long *ī*, because they frequently interchange. In a similar manner *a^u* follows the long *ū* because of an identical interchange. The numerals that follow each word refer to page and line of the present volume. The Roman numerals that precede some of these references denote the type to which a verbal stem belongs, while numerals preceded by the section-mark (§) indicate the section in my grammatical sketch, mentioned in the Introduction. Thus, "I.80.6; § 24" indicates that the stem belongs to the first class of verbs discussed in section 24 of the grammar, and that the example will be found on p. 80, line 6, of the present volume.

LOWER UMPQUA — ENGLISH.

- ayaq-, *see* a'q- § 112
 awihîn-, to lose I. § 24
 a'hî, dung § 98
 amina'ha't tsxayū^{wi}, noon
 amina'ha't qa'xi'si, midnight
 amha-, to be willing I.16.4, 6; 20.7, 8;
 § 24
 a'mha'tx, in the middle § 119
 ata's, only, merely, simply 28.7; 29.7;
 50.21; § 130
 anax-, *see* anx- § 112
 a'nî, rainbow
 ants, that, those 7.1.2, 5; 8.6; § 115
 ants, when, if (*see* nàts)
 anx-, to give up, to let loose, to leave
 alone I.16.8; 27.5; 54.12; § 24
 anxî-, to sing II. § 24
 as-, *see* a's- § 112
 asūt-, to put on I. § 24
 aswít'í, blanket, cover § 98
 a'ck'laí, dubitative particle 42.9; 68.14, 15;
 § 127
 ats, when, if, at that time 16.8; 18.5;
 19.3; 90.11; § 120
 a'tsa, thus, for that reason 15.5, 8;
 §§ 96, 121
 atsí'tc, thus, in that manner 11.2, 4;
 17.4; §§ 94, 121
 *k'ha'n, exhortative particle § 129
 a'l'dū, also, likewise 16.4; 22.8; 34.16-17;
 § 125, 135
 a'l'q, one 18.7; 30.20-22; § 116
 a'l'qxa't, nine § 116

 āq-, to take off I.13, 1; § 24
 āq-, to run away I.52.10; 86.15; § 24
 āL, now 72.23; § 126
 āLū-, to pulverize I. § 24

 a'sxa, also, too, likewise 30.22; 32.12;
 § 125, 135

 a'tc-, to trade I.36.4, 7, 16; § 24
 a'q-, to leave I.56.5-6, 17; 60.4; § 24
 (*evidently related to* āq- to run away)
 a'qtcitcū'nî, (the) left § 102
 a'xwí'yū, addition § 97
 a'lał, then, afterwards 32.20; 34.3; 92.19;
 § 120

 a's-, to sleep, to dream I.23.9; 24.1;
 § 24
 a'tc wa'as, Kalapuya language
 a'tcī'yūs, *locative form of* a'tcī'si 98.11-
 12; § 86
 a'tcīsi, camas 96.18, 20-21; 98.12; § 105

 inq'la'í, inq'la'a'í, river, creek 12.6; 30.20,
 23; § 98
 iłqūtmí, *locative form of* iłqwa'tem § 86
 iłqwa'tem, root; alder-tree 92.5-6;
 § 105

 iłq-, to dig I.80.6; 84.1-2, 4; § 24
 íłqust, up-rooted § 66
 í'ł'üst, broken (*see* yūL!- and § 66)

 yekū's, *locative form of* ya^qk^s 62.2;
 66.3; § 86
 yaū'wa, red huckleberries
 yaw-, to pick, to gather, to obtain
 I.36.18; 88.5; 94.17; § 24
 ya'k, black goose
 ya^qk^s, sea-lion 62.4, 7, 10; 64.1
 yaqu't-, to look, to watch, to see II.9.1;
 23.9; § 24
 yax-, to see, to look I, IV.13.7; 20.10;
 24.5; § 24
 ya'xaⁿ, number 62.11, 16; § 97 (*see* yā'xa')
 yaxn-, to watch I.40.23; § 24 (*related*
to yax- *see* § 81)
 yałq-, *see* iłq- § 112
 yałqa'aⁿ, hole 84.6, 9; § 97

yā'tsa, a long time 11.3; 24.9; 72.10;
 § 120
 yā'tsac Lla'^{ai}, after a while, long afterwards 42.3; 80.3; § 120
 yāk!, small 29.4; 36.23
 yā'xa, a great deal, much 10.6; 23.5;
 58.13, 25; § 96
 yā'xa', much, many 8.5-6; 16.6; § 121
 yikt, big, large 25.2; 40.6; 48.8; § 104
 yikt!a'ntxū tcmiŋ, thumb
 yiq!a', to split I. § 24
 yixi', quantity 102.2; § 98 (see yā'xa')
 yixum-, to look out, to watch I.94.1;
 § 24 (evidently related to yax-)
 yoqu', see yaqu'-
 yuw, see yaw-
 yuha'tc, day before yesterday
 yux", too, too much 12.1; § 121
 yūp-, to scare I. § 24
 yū'sin, beard
 yū'q!at tsī'tixa, half-moon (*literally*, split moon)
 yū!-, to break I.94.4; § 24
 ya^uxa, fern-roots 80.18-19; 98.15
 ya^uxa's, *locative form of ya^uxa* § 86
 ʔ, then, so, and, nevertheless, still, but,
 for 7.4-6; 8.6; 9.6; 13.5; 14.1; 15.7;
 § 125
 uma'hi, *discriminative form of u'mhi*
 § 111
 u'mhi, thunder 36.8; § 98
 ū'hti, snow 76.10; § 98 (see walt-)
 a^a, interjection § 131
 a^wtwa, tight
 waa-, to say, to speak, to talk, to tell
 I, IV.7.1-2, 4; 8.1; 9.8; § 24
 wa'as, language, word, speech 30.23;
 32.5
 wa', waha, again, once more 11.2, 11;
 19.5; 38.8; §§ 126, 135
 wàn, now, finally, at last 7.4-7; 9.1; § 126

waslāi-, to be angry, to be mad II.36.11-
 12; 50.23; § 24
 wāt, who, whoever 10.1; 40.15; § 123
 wax-, to give I.18.2, 5; 19.3; § 24
 walt-, to snow I. § 24
 wā'nwits, long ago 14.7; 15.1; § 120
 wāqun-, to throw up dirt (of mole) I.96.19;
 § 24
 wāp (B), eel-basket
 wa', even, although, in spite of the fact
 14.1; 23.6; § 128
 wī'nakī, work § 98
 wīnkī-, to work II.50.6; § 24
 wīnx-, to be afraid, to fear I.17.6; 58.13;
 § 24
 wī'cwīc (B, M), buffalo
 wītsū'we (D), food
 wīkīsā't, handkerchief
 wīltc-, to send I.92.19-20; § 24
 wīya'a', smoke-hole § 98
 wī'yū, still, yet § 120
 wī'mītc, rat
 wī'taya, island 34.17
 wīnū-, to be willing I. § 24
 wītsin-, to camp, to stay over night I.
 § 24
 wīū-, to agree, to affirm I, IV.17.7;
 30.11; § 24
 wīL-, the water is low I.34.22; 36.17;
 § 24
 wī'La', low tide § 98
 wusī-, to feel sleepy II.26.1, 5; 40.1;
 50.3; § 24 (*related to a's-*)
 haya'mūt, *discriminative form of ha'mūt*
 60.22, 24; 72.12; § 111
 haya'na, *discriminative form of ha'na*
 12.8; § 111
 hayā'tit, widow, widower
 hau-, to be ready, to make, to quit, to
 end, to finish, to become I, IV.8.10;
 11.4; 14.6; 23.10; 32.8; § 24
 ha'ūs, easy 46.11
 hawā'tsit, new § 104

hami'tcī, whale 82.4-5, 7, 9, 21; § 98
 hamitcū', *locative form of hami'tcī* 82.6;
 § 86
 hamū'em, pigeon; hu'mūn (D, B)
 hamts-, to dip out, to scoop out I.46.6;
 § 24
 hamx-, to tie I.8.6; § 24
 hant', to call by name I.58.16; § 24
 han'nit!, to believe, to trust I.46.3;
 78.1-2; § 24
 hanī's, Alsea
 ha'nhan, indeed, verily, sure enough
 7.4, 6; 11.5; 30.6; § 127
 hank!, kind of, like 54.11; 70.15; § 127
 hask-, to be outside, to get out I.62.15;
 § 24
 hatca't, long, tall 48.2; 76.1; 92.21; § 104
 hatc', to ask, to inquire I.66.16, 23;
 68.3; § 24
 hak-, to throw, to fall I.8.7; 88.8; 90.12;
 § 24
 ha'kwī, mussels 44.19; 82.2; § 98
 hał-, to shout I.11.10; 13.11; § 24
 hañ'q̄wun, loon
 hałk!, hāłk!, story, tradition 38.18; 40.16
 hā'nik, yes § 131
 ha', heart, mind, opinion 8.4, 9; 10.1
 ha'm (B), garters
 ha'mūt, all 9.5; 10.9; § 124
 ha'na, different 11.2; 54.7; § 96
 ha''nī, vest § 98
 ha'tsī, nothing but, only 78.14; § 130
 ha'q, shore, away from the shore; (*as
 verb*) to go ashore 26.7, 9; 44.19; § 119
 ha'qmas, alongside of, near, close by
 25.4; 26.1; 36.27; § 119
 ha'wī'yū, shaft § 97
 ha'wī's, beyond
 hē, interjection 13.5; § 131
 hi'yūt (B), a silent person
 hīn'k!, to rain II.76.18-19, 21; 78.1;
 § 24
 hīl'a'xwa, salt
 hī'a', clouds § 98

hims, clams 82.3
 hi'tū, windpipe
 hitū's, *locative form of hitc* 25.3; 66.14;
 § 86
 hitū'tc, *locative form of hitc* 7.5; 30.2;
 § 86
 hīn-, to take along, to bring I.9.5; 23.2;
 25.1; § 24
 hī'nak!, right away 20.1-2; § 120
 hī'nīxlīs, lame
 hīs, good, pretty, beautiful 23.7; 24.8;
 38.21
 hī'sa, well, straight 12.2, 7; 32.19; § 96
 hī's'tcū'nī, (the) right § 102
 hī'catca, a little while 36.24; 64.8;
 §§ 96, 120
 hīts-, to put on I.11.7-8; § 24
 hītsī's *locative form of hītsī'* 30.6; 48.7;
 § 86
 hītsī', house, dwelling 25.2, 7; 48.9; § 98
 hitc, man, person, people, Indian 7.1;
 12.3, 10; 102.5
 hīq', wildcat 34.17; 70.24
 hī'qū', hair 29.4; 34.16
 hīq!-, to begin, to start, to commence
 I, II.10.4; 15.1; § 24
 hī'q!a, dentalia shells, money 70.6; 74.19
 hīxt, wild § 104
 h'yan- *see* hīn- §§ 7, 112
 h'yats- *see* hīts- §§ 7, 112
 h'yātç, *discriminative form of hitc* 13.10;
 14.5; 15.2; § 111
 h'ya'q', *discriminative form of hīq'* 11.11;
 § 111
 hyū'wax, old
 hō'nīsī, dusk § 105 (*see* hūn-)
 hūya- (?), to change 19.2; 28.7
 hūn-, to be foggy, to be dark I.34.8-9;
 § 24
 hūtc-, to play, to have fun I.7.2; 9.6;
 17.3; § 24
 hūtcā', fun, game 9.6; 10.5; § 98
 hūtcū'n, fun, game 11.1; 16.6; § 97
 hūtcū'wī, fun, game 8.5; 20.5; § 97

- hū'qats, frog
 hūxⁿ-, to bark I. § 24
 hū^t-, to be lost (?) I.68.2,8; § 24
 haⁿ-, yes, all right 21.8; 22.3-4; 98.2;
 § 131
 hwu'nhwun, black § 109 (see hūn-)
 būkwa'ct, bull
 pena's, *discriminative form of* peni's
 86.7; § 111
 peni's, skunk 86.1,3; 88.7
 pesa'x, spear 78.16
 pekⁿ- see pakⁿ-
 peku'ⁿ, shinny stick 78.5; § 97
 peku'ⁿ, shinny player, shinny game 70.18;
 § 97
 peku'ⁿ, shinny player, shinny game
 70.7,9-10,17; § 97
 peh'tc, ahead, in front, first 10.1; 32.18;
 § 119
 paaⁿ-, sand-beach 34.14; § 97
 p'a'yim, red fox
 payāna'ts (D.B), bat
 pahū'ⁿ, codfish § 97
 paqaⁿūx, morning star
 pakⁿ-, pakū-, to play shinny ball I.9.4;
 70.4,7,9-10; § 24
 pax-, to shut (one's eye) I.36.16,20;
 § 24
 pa'ltpa (B), shoulder
 pa'lquts, *discriminative form of* pi'lquts
 § 111
 paln-, paa'ln, to hunt I.15.3; 82.17;
 §§ 12,24
 pā'nū, well, spring (*Lower Um̄pqua term*)
 pā'nqa, medicine-man, doctor (see piŋq-)
 pā'kwī, shinny stick § 98 (see paku-)
 pāⁿ'last, spotted, grey § 104
 pā'l'ū, well, spring 76.12 § 97 (*Siuslaw*
term)
 pīna'k (B), garden (*probably borrowed*
from the Alsea peni'k, outside)
 pīni't, sharp § 104
 piŋq-, to dance a medicine-dance I.86.1;
 § 24
 pi'nqa^t, medicine-dance 86.4; § 98
 piŋq-, to raise I. § 24
 pi'sni', a boil § 98
 pi'ctci', tattoo-marks § 92
 pilk (B), mat
 pi'lquts, raccoon 70.24
 piū-, to be noisy, to make a noise I.29.1;
 36.24; § 24
 piū^t-, to catch fish I.54.22; § 24
 pi'sip, fish-hawk
 pi'ctcem, summer 46.11; 54.2; § 105
 pi'ⁿtsis, ocean, sea, west 36.17; 44.1;
 64.13
 pi'tc-, to go over I.88.14-15,18; § 24
 pi'tci, wave
 pōqⁿ, revolver, gun
 p'u'tcin, halibut
 pukⁿ- see pakⁿ-
 pu'qwe (D), grampus; porpoise (B)
 pū'puhū'nīk!, owl
 pūna'puna', mole 96.19; § 109
 pū'ktici, grizzly-bear § 98
 pū'lkna, to speak I.36.5; § 24
 psix (D, B), soup
 pk'i'ti, lake 34.11,13; 62.17-18; § 98
 pxuc-, to fly, to scatter I. § 24
 pxū'pxū', sorrel, yellow § 109
 planya', see pln-
 pln-, to be sick, to be sorry I.15.4,7;
 40.20-21; § 24
 plnast, a sick person 86.15,19; 88.1;
 § 66
 plni'si, sickness, cough § 105
 pl'iⁿxū'n, kinnikinnik-berries 82.1
 pl'i'hūts!, house-mouse
 pl'ic, cat
 m'yō⁸k's, in the beginning, at first 82.11;
 § 120
 metci'tc, to one side, crooked 70.5;
 94.2; § 94 (see matc-)
 mekct, fat 90.16; § 104
 meki', mother-in-law § 20

- meqlyū^u, a dance, dancer 26.6; § 97
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kwī'sī (B), rafter

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kwīn'ntxū, throat (*evidently related to Coos* k!wīnts)

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kwī'ku, white pelican

kwīl-, to die out, to extinguish (of fire)
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 k'qwe'ne (D), rump

 k!u'pî, mosquito
 k!u'lū, to-morrow 60.2; § 120
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 k!a'yak, eagle
 k!ap-, to be dry (of water) I.36.18, 22;
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 ally 80.8, 11; 86.2; § 124
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 qa'tītē, across the river 80.16; § 119
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 qa'nnī, face
 qantc, where 38.10; 66.16 (*Coos loan-*
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 qa'tcūx, water-carrier
 qatcn-, to start, to go I, IV 8.2; 12.1;
 15.3; § 24
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 qaqū'n-, to hear, to listen I.30.18; 36.23;
 § 24
 qaqwa'n-, *see qaqū'n-* § 112
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 34.21; 94.3; § 119
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 qa'lnī (D), face (*Siuslaw term*)
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 qa'n-, deep § 119
 qa'nū-, to get tired waiting, to wait in
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 qa'x-, it is dark; (*as nouns*) darkness,
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 qa'xq-, east
 qa'xqax, a Kalapuya Indian § 101
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 qa'qa'nī, trinket-basket
 qa'x, high, up, on top, above 76.14;
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 qa'xūn, high, up, above, loud; sky 32.18;
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 qīna'x^us, armpits
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 qtsī'nqtsīn, blue, green § 109
 qtsī, inside § 119
 qtsī'^u, head-louse
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- qwiya'nu, fly
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- qwoa'txa', *discriminative form of* qwo'txa' 52.4; 54.9; § 111
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- q!"ya'q!xē', mirror, window, glass
- q!"hā'ltex, ashes 86.13
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- q!"cī'n, robin
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- q!u'p-, to twinkle 1.36.14; § 24
- q!nī'swa, bluejay
- q!wa'ax, grave
- q!wīn-, to tie hair in a knot I. § 24
- q!wī'nī, knot (in hair) 70.8
- q!wul'is, trout
- x'a'La q!a'lax, bread
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- xaū-, to die I, IV.15.5, 7-8; 16.8; 20.8; § 24
- xayū'sL, term of relationship § 20
- xa'pnī, knee-cap
- xamL-, to wash I. § 24
- xatk-, to fall backwards, to tumble flat I.90.9; § 24
- xałn-, to ascend, to climb up I.12.4; 62.7; § 24
- xā'ts!ū, two 30.23; 32.1; § 116
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- xāl!-, to make, to do, to fix I.15.5; 50.8; § 24
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- xa'tca'a", a roast 90.9; § 97
- xa'w-, to come out (of water), to appear on the surface I.64.8, 13, 17, 23; § 24
- xiya' (?), to take away, to catch I.54.7; 82.14; § 24
- xīp-, to split wood I. § 24
- xīnt-, to be in motion, to start, to go I.20.3; 23.1; § 24
- xīntm-, to travel I.12.10; 13.3; 14.3; §§ 24, 81
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- xu'nha', stake, bet 70.7; 78.15-16; § 98
- xu'sxus, naked § 109 (see xūs"-)
- xūn-, to snore I.27.9; 28.1; § 24
- xūs", to take off I. § 24
- xnī'n-, to do, to accomplish I, IV.9.7; 10.5; 11.11; § 24
- xwa'tsi, corpse, a dead man
- xwa'xul, foam
- xwā'ka, head 29.5; 70.5
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lam-, to drink I. § 24
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 laq-, to boil I.27.7; 96.1, 3; § 24
 lām, whiskey (see lam-)
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 l'ep'i's, rope 64.10
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lawat-, to gamble I. § 24
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 lak-, to take, to get, to obtain, to fetch, to seize I.7.5; 21.3; 27.10; 44.2; § 24
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 lkwi'lowī, bull-frog
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 21.3; 56.22; §§ 96, 121
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L!waxa'v'm, alder

L!wī'p, auger

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L!xa'yats-, to escape I. § 24

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L!x^u-, to know I.19.9; 34.23; 40.7-8;

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L!xma^l-, to kill I.15.3; 16.1; 21.9; 64.12;

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-aa^u, *v.* future passive 9.7; 15.5; 16.1-2; § 56

-awax, *v.* intentional 7.5; 8.4; 10.5; § 70

-a'ti, *v.* denotes possessive interrelations for the intentional tense 60.1; 72.22; § 87

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-at!i, *v.* frequentative 12.4; 13.5; 14.5; 38.2; § 68

-ax, nominal 7.7; 8.3; 17.6; 24.1; § 101

-axūn, *v.* we two, us two 88.14; 94.18; § 24

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 -iti, *n.* possessive 20.7-9; § 88
 -itx, *v.* indicates that object forms an inseparable part of the subject 10.9; 15.4; § 33
 -itx, *v.* frequentative 11.10; 15.6; § 68
 -it'ax, *v.* distributive 32.5, 9; 40.18; § 51
 -in, *v.* reciprocal 19.2; 28.7; 76.3; § 81
 -in, *n.* my 21.7; 22.3; § 88
 -ini, *v.* exhortative with the direct object of the third person 52.13; § 41
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 -inxan, *n.* our (*exclusive*) 100.13-14; § 88
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 -is, *v.* transitive imperative 30.3; 64.2; 76.18; § 62
 -is, *v.* durative 8.5; 9.1; 12.10; 13.3, 10; § 69
 -isi, nominalizing 40.16; 92.12; § 105
 -isiti, *v.* denotes possessive interrelations for the durative tense 8.10; 40.3; § 37
 -isü'ne *see* -isütn-
 -isütn-, *v.* durative passive 11.7; 14.2; 23.7; § 59
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 †-itsme, *v.* exhortative expressing separable possessive interrelations between object and subject § 48
 -itc, *n.v.*, modal 8.1-2; 12.6, 9; 15.8; § 94
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 -ix, *n.* local 12.6; 32.18-19; 34.1-2, 14; § 92
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 -a'tin, *see* -itin
 -a'ti, *see* -iti
 -a'tx, *see* -itx
 -a'nx, *see* -inx
 -a's, *see* -is
 -a'ts, *see* -its
 -a'tc, *see* -itc
 -a'x, *see* -ix
 -a'ġ, *see* -iġ
 -ya, *n.* local 26.7; 36.10; § 93
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 †-yaxa'ti, *v.* denotes possessive interrelations for the past tense § 37
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 -yün, *v.* exhortative with the direct object of the third person 7.1; 16.8; § 41
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 -ux *see* -a"x
 -ü"ⁿ, -ü"ⁿⁱ, *v.* plural 7.4, 6; 8.4, 6, 8; § 79
 -ü, *n.* local of rest 7.2; 12.10; 13.6; § 91
 -ü, -ü"ⁿⁱ, nominal 7.3; 8.5; 11.1; 16.6, 7; § 97
 -ü, suffixed particle 62.21; 92.3; § 132
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 -ün, *v.* direct object of third person 7.2, 4; 8.5; 9.1, 5; 11.7-8, 11; § 28
 -ü'ne, *v.* passive 8.7; 11.10; § 58
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 -üs, *v.* durative 15.3-4; 52.24; § 69
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 -ūts, *v.* direct object of first and second persons 13.10; 14.5; 17.7, 9; § 29
 -ūtsm, *v.* denotes that object is possessed by the subject but separable from it 7.1; 30.1; 36.14, 20-21; 38.6; § 34
 -ūx, *v.* indirect object of third person 38.2-3; 46.6; § 30
 -ūl, *v.* indicates that object is possessed by a third person 58.9, 16; 74.8; § 35
 -ūltx, *v.* passive suffix denoting possessive interrelations of the subject 15.5; 19.2; § 39
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 -ūⁱ, verbalizing 14.6; 29.10; § 75
 -a^u, *see* -ū
 -a^uME, *see* -ūME
 -a^utn, *see* -ūtn
 -a^un, *see* -ūn
 -a^unE, *see* -ūnE
 -a^unī, *see* -ūnī
 -a^uts, *see* -ūts
 -a^utsm, *see* -ūtsm
 -a^ux, *see* -ūx
 -a^ul, *see* -ūl
 -^uax, *see* -a^ux
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 -m, verbal 12.10; § 81
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 -t, *v.* present 8.6; 9.4; 10.4; 11.9; § 72
 -t, *v.* auxiliary 34.10; 40.18; § 76
 -t, adjectival 9.5; 11.9; § 104
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 -tūta, *n.* adverbial 62.2, 7; 82.12; § 95
 -tya'tū, numeral 40.25; 42.14, 16; § 116
 -tūx, *v.* future 7.2-3; 8.2-3, 8-9; § 73
 -tx, *v.* indicates that the object forms an inseparable part of the subject 15.7; 29.3-4; § 33

-tx, *v.* plural 7.4, 6; 9.2-5; § 80
 -t'ū^a, -t'ū^m, *n.* qualitative 16.3; 48.2; § 99
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 -t!wī, *n.* agency noun 7.5; 22.9; § 100
 -n, *v.* I, me 11.9; 15.7; 17.6-9; § 24
 -n, *v.* reciprocal 84.7; § 81
 -nE, *n.* local 7.3; 8.2; 56.13; § 93
 -'na, *n.* modal 17.2; 82.8; § 94
 -naw(a), *v.* reciprocal 9.8; 10.2, 4; 36.4; § 50
 -ns, *v.* we two, us two (*inclusive*) 10.5-6, 8; 36.7; § 24
 -nx, *v.* thou, thee 13.2, 6-7, 10; 14.3, 5; § 24
 -nx, *v.* they, them 8.3; 10.9; § 24
 -nxan, *v.* we, us (*exclusive*) 8.1; 17.2-3; § 24
 -nī, *v.* we, us (*inclusive*) 7.2; 9.6; 11.2; § 24
 -s, *v.* auxiliary 50.16, 18; § 76
 -st, *v.* inchoative 13.5, 7; 14.1; 26.1; § 66
 -ts, *v.* ye two, you two 32.4-6, 10-11; § 24
 -tsx, *v.* imperative expressing inseparable possessive interrelations between object and subject 38.5; 52.17; 76.18-19, 21; § 47
 *tc, general adverbial 8.10; § 22
 -tc, *n.* his, her, its 8.4; 10.1; § 88
 -tc, *n.* local of motion 7.2, 4; 8.7, 10; 12.1-2, 5-6; § 90
 -tca^ux, *n.* their two 32.5; 38.18; 40.19; § 88
 -tc^unx, *n.* their 54.4; 70.7; § 88
 -tci, *n.* ye, you 7.3; 8.9-10; 11.4; § 24
 -tc^uax *see* -tca^ux
 -tcx^u *see* -tca^ux
 -tc', *v.* tentative 13.7-8; 14.1; § 52
 -k, *n.* adverbial 14.6; 32.10; § 118
 q-, discriminative prefix 14.3; 19.9; § 21
 -xam, *v.* present passive 8.1; 11.8, 10; § 55

-xamyax, *v.* past passive 29.6, 8; 32.15;
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 -xamltx, *v.* passive denoting possessive
 interrelations of the subject 54.14;
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*-xan, nominal 92.15, 17.
 -xûn, *v.* we two (*exclusive*) 36.16;
 54.22; § 24
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 -l!, *v.* transitivizing 36.18; 48.9; § 77

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above, qa"x, qa'xûn, qa"xûn
 accomplish, to, xni"n-
 acorn, q"nā"x
 across, tūqā'tmē
 across the river, qa'titc
 addition, a'xwī'yu
 affirm, to, wīhū-
 afraid, to be, wīnx-
 afterwards, a'lať
 not long afterwards, kū' yā'tsac L!a"^{ai}
 some time afterwards, tcī'k!yac L!a"^{ai}
 again, wa', waha'
 age, nī'q!u
 agree, to, wīhū-
 ahead, pēh'tc
 alder, L!"waxa"m
 all, ha'mūt
 all right, ha"^u
 almost, xyal'x, kū'xyal'x
 alone, nī'k!a
 alongside, ha'qmas
 Alsea Indian, hanī's, qpa'yax
 also, a'l'dū, a'sxa
 although, wa'
 always, tsīm, lnàt
 and, "ł
 angry, to be, wasLSi-
 ankle, tse'taha, tcīnēki'ⁱ
 announce, to, L!ōn-
 answer, to, Lxaū-
 ant, tsā"q!its
 antlers, maxtc
 anus, q"Li'mt, q!hī'nī
 anything, nīctcī'tc
 anywhere, tcaītcī'tc

apart, Lxi'yatc
 appear on surface, to, xa"w-
 approach, to, xumc-, Līū-
 arm, ħkuni'hat
 armpits, qīna'xwus
 arrive, to, Līū-
 arrow, tsī'Lī
 artery, tsinō'kwa
 ascend, to, xaħn-
 ashes, q!hā'ltex
 ashore, ha'q
 ask, to, hatc'-
 assemble, to, temū-
 assembly, tem"ū"^{mi}
 at last, wàn
 attempt, to, t!axatc'-
 auger, L!wī"p
 awake, to be, kwīs-
 away from the water, ha'q
 axe, tcīmtca'mī

back, tsī'mqwī, tsī'muqwī, tsīnī'ⁱ
 bad, mī'k!a
 bad thing, mī'ck!a'
 bark, to, hūx"-
 bark (of tree), qa'hī'ū
 basket (for berries), kala'ntc
 basket (for eels), wāp
 basket (fishing), tsū'n, ka"wil
 basket (for salmon), skwī'l!a
 basket (for trinkets), qa"qa"nī
 basket (woman's), xa'tsem
 bat, payāna'ts
 bay, qa'u'tc
 beach, paa"ū"^{mi}

beads, tsali'swali
 bear (brown), tli
 bear (grizzly), swaŋ, pū'ktici
 beard, yū'sin
 beat, to (at games), kū'n-
 beautiful, hīs
 beaver, qwo'txa'
 because, nī'ctcīm
 bed, ma'tcū
 bee, ts'i'nyūxa
 begin, to, hīq'-
 in the beginning, m*yō^ok's
 behind, to be, ŋimn-
 behind, ŋimni'tc
 believe, to, han'nīt'-
 belly, qō'mī
 below, qaxan-
 belt (of breech-cloth), mū'l'u
 bet, to, xunh-
 bet, xu'nha'
 beyond, ha'wī's
 big, yikt, s'a't
 birds, ŋpina't
 bitter, tīmsqayā't
 black, hwu'nhwun
 blackberries, ts!xat'ā't'
 blackbird, tuktenī'uk
 blade, tcī'xum
 blanket, aswīt'ī'
 blaze, minnī'
 blind, ŋima'ŋim
 blood, qā'wī
 blow, to (intr.), tcit'-
 bluejay, q!nī'swa
 board, ŋa'qŋaŋ
 boat, sī'xa'
 body, ta'xtēm, sqans
 boil, to, laq"-
 to boil with hot rocks, tqū'
 boil, pīsnī'
 boiled, L'yaxa" wī
 bone, tsnā'wī, ts!a'we
 bow, L!xmi'tī
 bowstring, Lxmū'kū

boy, kilūwā'L
 blubber, t!yas'yū"
 blue, sī'skuk, skū'ŋmīs, qtsī'nqtsin
 brains, qē'slīq, La'nīs
 bread, qa'lxa, x'ā'La q!a'lax
 break, to, tc!hūtc-, yūLl-
 breakers, tsō'tī
 breast (of man), ŋqū'wa
 breast (of woman), kū'tsī
 bridle, k!u'mēhī
 bring, to, hīn-
 broken, ī'l.lūst
 broom, q'hā'qwi
 brother (elder), māthī'
 brother (younger), m"ū'sk"
 brother-in-law, taŋī'wī, tā'maxt
 brushes, k'a'mas
 bucket, k"ā'nī
 buckskin, x'ā'La ŋq!ā'nū
 buffalo, wī'cwīc
 bull, būkwa'ct
 bullfrog, ŋkwi'fowī
 burn, to, maŋtc-
 bury, to, tkwī'-
 but, "ŋ
 butterfly, k!ala'pīcīwa
 buy, to, tūha-, tūha-
 to buy in exchange for, minq!-

 call, to, ŋn-, ŋtcīn-
 to call by name, hant'-
 camas, a"tcisī
 camp, to, wītsīn-
 canoe, sī'xa'
 captain, m"ā'tī
 carry, to, tcīnū-
 cat, p!ic
 catch, to, xīya', ŋak"-
 caterpillar, kwīyū'cnayāt
 cedar, q!a'tctī
 ceiling, to'x's, tq!a" wī
 chair, tī'ta'
 change, to, hūya-
 cheek, qw"naxī'

chicken-hawk, qa'xī
 chief, m'a'tī, ĩna'^{wi}
 child, t'lāmc, t'f'lmīs
 child (posthumous), ĩkwa'wisk'īn
 chimney, ma'ĥcū
 chin, tsamī'tsem
 chipmunk, tsmī'x'un
 circle, to, cīntc-
 in a circle, cīntcata
 claws, mīlt, ĥims
 climb, to, xaĥn-
 close, to, tkūm-, t'Emĥ-
 close by, ha''qmas
 clouds, ĥī'a'ⁱ
 coals (live), ĥk'una'atsū
 coat, ka'pō
 codfish, pahū'^{wi}
 cold, to be, naqū-, neqū-
 comb, to, tsxan-
 comb, tsxa'nwī
 come, to, Līū-
 come back, to, xwīL'-
 come out (of water), to, xa''w-
 come together, to, tēmū-
 commence, to, ĥīq'-
 continually, ĥnàt
 cook, to, Lĥxū-
 coon, tcixnī'ne
 corpse, xwa'tsī
 cougar, ĥtc''t
 cough, pĥmī'sī
 count, to, qaLx-
 country, L'a'^{ai}
 cousin, tcmā'nī, ĥī'pxan
 cover with dirt, to, tkwī'-
 cover, aswīt'ī
 cow, mū'smūs
 coyote, mō'luptsīnīsla, tsxu'nplī
 crab, nā'waq
 crane, tsāna xL
 crawfish, Lĥntī'tcīsī
 creek, ĥnq!a'a'ⁱ
 crooked, mĥtcī'tc, tci'ha'tc, kĥī'ntckwīs
 crow, mā'q^uL

crowd, tēm'ū'^w
 crowded, tā'qnīs
 cry, to, qatx-, qātx-
 cup, k!ani'ck!
 curlew, skwī'
 custom, nīctcīma'smū
 cut, to, mik'', k'lūx'', xumL-
 cut off, to, skū'x''-
 cut in two, to, skū'x'', t'Emxu-
 cut, qutsīnī'ⁱ

dam up, to, mat-
 dam, mā'tī
 dance, to, maq!-
 to dance the medicine dance, pīng-
 dancer, mĥq!yū'^u
 dark, to be, ĥū'n-, qa'x-
 darkness, qa'xī'sī
 daughter-in-law, te'mxan
 day, tsxayū'^{wi}
 day before yesterday, yuha'tc
 daybreak, tsxaywī'nt
 dead man, xwa'tsī
 deaf, tu'ktuk
 dear, tqatī'yat
 deep, qa'n-, Lĥnuwā'tīt
 deer, tsī'sqan
 descend, to, sLōx''-
 desire, to, sīnxī-
 die, to, xaū-
 different, ha'na
 differently, nīctcama'nat'a
 dig, to, ĥĥq-
 dip, to, Lĥxmūx''-
 dip out, to, ĥamts-
 disappear, to, kĥix-
 dive, to, sūn-
 do, to, xaL'-, xnī''n-
 dog, cqaxtc, k!wī'yōs
 door, tkūma'a'ⁱ
 dove, ĥu'mūn
 down, qa'xan-
 down-hearted, to be, nākwayat-
 down the river, qa'wa'a''

downwards, qanístcī'tc
 dream, to, a's-, qū't'-
 dress, k!í'nhackwun
 dried, Lxū', Lxū'yast
 drink, to, qatcū-
 to drink whiskey, lam-
 drive away, to, c"x"-
 drunk, limi'tx
 drunkard, la^smutcyax
 dry, to be, k!ap-
 dry, to, Lxū'ⁱ-
 dry, Lxū'^s
 dull, q^aLí'mtc, q^aLí'mtc'ns
 dung, ahī'
 dusk, hō'nisī
 dwelling, hītsi'ⁱ

 each, k!ēx, k!īx
 eagle, kla'yak, klā'yak!ī
 eagle (white-headed), ma'q"
 ear, qa'kwīx
 early in the morning, ts'ū'xtīts
 east, qa'xq
 easy, ha'ūs
 eat, to, hī!-
 eel, lq!ā'sī
 eggs, q^anā'ax
 eight, cī'nax qtā'max
 elbow, h̄kumi'hat
 elk, Līmna'q
 end, to, haū-, smūt'-
 enough, ha'nhan
 enter, to, qaa-, Lxaa-
 escape, to, L!xa"yats-
 exceedingly, s^akwī'tc
 expensive, tqatī'yat
 explain, to, h̄n-
 extinguish, to (intr.), kwī-
 even, wa'
 even up, to, q!a'-
 event, nīctcīma^smū
 every, k!ēx, k!īx
 everywhere, tcā
 eye, kōpx

eyebrow, ts'iyū'snī

 face, qa'nñi, qa'lnī
 fair, k!ālatū"^a, k!ālatū"^m
 fall, to, hak"^a-
 fall down, to, xatk-
 fall sideways, to, L^ow-
 fall (season), nīctcīnū-
 fan, to, Ln̄-
 far, qa'han
 fashion, nīctcīma^smū
 fasten, to, qa'ⁱ-
 fat (adj.), mēkct, mīxt, t!i'sa
 father, mītā
 father-in-law, mēkhī'
 fear, to, wīnx-
 feather, h̄a'qat, qunā'qur, h̄pū'qwi
 female being, qīūtccū'nī
 fern-roots, ya"^axa
 fetch, to, h̄ak"^a-
 finally, wān -
 find, to, qnū'-
 finger, tcmī'iq"^a
 finger-nail, mīhtx
 finish, to, haū, smūt'-
 fire, Liya'a"^a
 fire-drill, tcī'tīt
 first, pēh'tc
 fish, to, pīū!-
 fish, h̄t'i'a'ⁱ
 fisher, qā'mīn
 fish-hawk, pī'sīp
 fish-hook, ksā'mī
 fish-net, qā'xat
 five, Lxa'ⁱpīs
 fix, to, xāL!-
 flea, q!a"ⁱh̄!
 floor, Lī'ānī
 flop, to, cītx-
 flounder, L!mī'kcū
 flour, q!a'l'x
 flower, tcā"xān^s
 fly, to, Lxat-, pxuc-
 fly, qwīyā'nu

foam, xwa'xul
 foggy, to be, hū'n-
 follow, to, ka"s-
 food, wits'ū'we, h'tla'
 foot, tsī'k"
 for, "t
 forehead, tī'tcni
 four, xā'ts'ūn
 fox (red), p"ā'yim
 frame (of house), tēqyū"
 fresh, tli'wax
 friend, ts'il'mu't, Lxa"yax
 frog, hū'qats
 front, in, pēh'tc
 frost, tswa'si
 full, to be, taqn-
 full, tā'qnīs
 fun, to have, hūtc-
 fun, hūtcū'ⁱ, hūtcū"^u, hūtcū"^{wi}
 gall, kwina'cin
 game, hūtcū'ⁱ, hūtcū"^u, hūtcū"^{wi}
 gamble, to, lawat-
 gambler, la'wat!ya"x
 garden, pina'k
 garters, ha'm
 gather, to, tēmū-
 gather (berries or roots), to, yaw-
 gathering, tēm"ū"^{wi}
 get, to, lak"
 get even with, to, qla'-
 get out, to, hask"
 get up, to, kast-
 girdle, skwī'nkwī
 girl, Loätci'l-mā
 give, to, wax-
 give up, to, anx-
 glad, to be, tsit-, tc!hac"
 gnat, k!ō"oxwī
 go, to, qatcn-, xint-
 go back, to, tcax"^u, tcaxū-, tcān-
 go downstream, to, qwaxtc-
 go home, to, tcax"^u, tcaxū-
 go and look for, to, k'ink'i-

go out, to (intr.), kwīl-
 go over, to, pītc-
 go towards water, to, qwaxtc-
 god, qa"xax m"ā'ti
 good, his
 goose (black), ya'k
 goose (white), mū'a"s
 gopher, tē'mnīL
 grampus, pu'qwe
 granddaughter, hteko'n
 grandfather, LīpL
 grandmother, kamL
 grandson, hīmī'sk'in
 grass, tseha"ya
 grasshopper, Lxū'cyuxa
 grave, q!wa'ax
 gray, pā'la'st
 grease, ti"yas"yū"^{wi}
 greasy, tli'sa
 great, L!a"^{wi}

a great many, yā"xa'
 green, skū'qhnīs, qts'nqtsin
 grouse, mī'tcmītc, sī'na"wi
 grow, to, sī'-
 growth, sī'ya'a"
 gun, pōq"
 hail, ts'ālī'swal'i
 hair, hī'qū'ⁱ
 half, tē'mxut, tsī'nexma, tsī'nixt
 halibut, p"ā'tcin
 hammer, L!xi'tī
 hand, tciL, lpaā'qwa, Lpī'ha
 handkerchief, wikisā't
 hard, qa'sqas
 hat, hkwā'nuk", hkwā'luk"
 hazelwood, tcistx, q"nā"x lqa"tū
 he, s"à, s"às
 head, qamī'lis, xwā'ka
 back of head, tsunnī'ōx
 hear, to, k!in-, qaqū'n-
 heart, ha'ⁱ
 heavy, kī'k'it
 hence, qātK

her, s^a'na'mł, s^a'na'młtc
 here, ta^k, tī'ūts, tīk
 this here, tā^k
 over here, tūī'm
 herring, łaquwa'
 hey!, aⁿ
 hide, łq'a'nū
 high, qa^x, qaxūn-, qa^x'xūn
 high tide, it is, qLōw-
 high tide, qLō'wa^t
 hill, ckō'tc
 hip, ta'yū, łqō'ta
 his, s^a'na'mł, s^a'na'młtc
 hit (with fist), to, k'mūL-, Lōł-
 hit (with a club), to, tcanhat-
 hoe, kī'ka^t
 hog, kū'cū
 hook, to, qat-
 hook, tqā'tī
 hold up (head), to, tca^k'-
 hole, yałqa'aⁿ
 horn, maxtc
 horse, ta^w'wex, kō'tan
 house, hitsī'^t
 how, nī'ctcī
 how many, tcint, k'a't
 how much, tcint
 huckleberries (red), yaū'wa
 huckleberries (blue), ta'xa^t
 humming-bird, kī'ctkīn
 hundred, kīx's kī'xestīm
 hungry, to be, sinqł-
 hunt, to, pałn-, paa'łn-
 husband, qasłī'ū

 I, nà, na'han
 ice appears, k^l'xwīn-
 ice, k^l'xwīnī
 if, àts, nàts, tsan
 indeed! ha'nhan
 indeed! kīł
 Indian, hītc
 infant, tłāmc, tciā'ł
 inhabitants, tīyū'^{wi}

inquire, to, hatc'-
 inside, to be, qaa-, Lxaa-
 inside, qtsī
 in spite of the fact, wa^t
 interpret, to, łn-, łnł-
 intestines, qna'we
 invite, to, kla'-
 island, wī'taya
 it, s^a, s^as
 its, s^a'na'mł, s^a'na'młtc

jealous, sīxnī'tx
 join, to, sūqu-, Lāpq-
 jump, to, Lxa^s-, Lłmīx-
 just (adv.), txū

Kalapuya Indian, qa^x'xqax
 Kalapuya language, a^{tc} wa'as
 kick, to, staq-
 kidney, ma'ī
 kill, to, ts'it', Lłxma^t-
 kind of, xī
 kinnikinnick-berries, plī'^wxūn
 knee, qōqⁿ
 knee-cap, xa'pnī
 knife, qanī'nał, qalī'nał, qal'tc
 knot, qłwī'nī, łqu'nwī
 know, to, Lłx'-
 knuckle, tcīnEkī'^t

ladder, kh'nū
 lake, pk'itī
 lame, hī'nīxlīs
 landing-place, sīma'xⁿ
 language, wa'as
 large, yikt
 later on, ta'hīs
 laugh, to, Lla^s-
 lay, to, matc-
 lazy, qłuya'tīs
 leader, m^a'tī
 leaf, Lłp
 lean against, to, kna'-
 lean back, to, tca'n-

leave, to, a'q-
 leave alone, to, anx-
 left (hand), a'qtcitcūnī
 leg, tsīk"
 leg (above knee), tciyā''tcin
 leggings, tsi'kwī, l'ī'mtās
 let (me, thee, etc.), qa'ł
 lie on back, to, tca'n-
 light, kłLa''', Lk!ē'ini
 lighten, to, mīnxū-
 lightning, mī'n'xwī
 like, to, sīnxī-
 like, hank!
 likewise, a''sxa, a'l'dū
 lip (upper), cīnī'Łtxū
 listen, to, qaqū'n-
 live, to, ta'ī, tī-
 liver, k'a'pī, q!ā'pī
 log, łqa''tū
 long (adj.), hatca't
 long afterwards, yā''tsac L!a''
 long ago, wā'nwīts
 look, to, yaqu', yax-
 look on, to, tclat!u-
 look out, yīxum-, man-
 loon, hał'łq'un
 loose, to let, anx-
 lose, to, awī'hīn-
 lost, to be, hū'ī
 loud, qa''xūn, qa'xūn-
 louse (body), ta'wī
 louse (head), qtsī''
 low, to be (of water), wīL-
 low tide, wīLa''', k!a'pa'
 lower (one's head), to, kū'n-
 Lower Umpqua, qū'itc

mad, to be, wasłSī-
 make, to, haū-, xā!-
 make dams, to, mat-
 male being, texmū'nī
 man, hītc, texmū'nī
 young man, kiluwā'Ł
 manner, nīctcīma''mū

in that manner, atsi'tc, s'a'tsa,
 s''atsi'tc
 in what manner, nīctcī'tc
 many, yā''xa'
 mash, to, āLū-
 mat, pīlk
 match, fīmī'łtcī
 maybe, k''
 me (for me, on me, to me, with me), nāt-
 c
 meat, nīL
 medicine-dance, pī'nqa
 medicine-man, pā'nqa
 merely, ata's, txū
 middle, in the, a'mha'tx
 midnight, amīna'ha't qa'xī'sī
 milk, qōLī'sī
 mind, ha'
 mink, ck!''ān
 mirror, q!''yā'q!''xe'
 miss, to, xāL-
 moccasins, t'a'ntūq!wī
 mole, pūna'pūna'
 money, hī'q!a, tā'la
 monster, mī'ck'la'
 month, tsī'tixa
 moon, tsī'tixa
 half moon, yūq!at tsī'tixa
 mortar, qa't
 mosquito, k!''ū'pī
 mother, mīlā
 mother-in-law, mēklī'
 motion, to be in, xīnt-
 mountain, ckō'tc
 mouse, pī'hūts!
 mouth, Laa'
 mouth of river, qa'u'tc, qa'wa'a'', k!lī'a'',
 k!lī'ha''
 move, to, cīl'x-
 move in a circle, to, cīntc-
 much, yā''xa, yā''xa'
 mud, nō'qma
 mullet, tē'mk!wīl'a
 murderer, sī'yuk'', s'hā'ya hītc
 muskrat, tsīmī'l'ā

mussels, ha'kwī
 mutually, qa'wintī, qa'w'ntī
 my, nam'ī, na'm'hitin, na'm'hin

naked, xu'sxus
 name, hin
 navel, tcālō'x, kla'l'apū
 near, ha'qmas
 necessarily, "k"han
 neck, s"ū'q!wī, tso'akwe
 neigh, to, q"cilt-
 neighbor, tsīmqma
 nephew, tlā't, hīp
 nevertheless, "ī
 new, hawā'tsīt, tlī'wax
 niece, tīnī, hī'pxan
 night, qa'x, qa'xi'sī
 nine, a'f'qxa't
 no, kūⁱ, kumī'ntc
 noise, to make, pīū-
 noon, amīna'ha't tsxayū'^{mi}
 north, qpa'
 north wind, maha'v'tī
 nose, l"wa sī
 not, kūⁱ, kumī'ntc
 not at all, katī', katī'xtī
 nothing but, ha'v'tsī
 now, āL, wān
 number, ya'xaⁿ, yīxī'ⁱ

oak, mū'xwa
 obtain, to, hāk"
 obtain (roots or berries), to, yaw-
 ocean, pī'v'tsīs
 offshore, qō'x"m
 old, hyū'wax, s'bat
 once more, wa', waha'
 one, a'f'q
 only, ata's, ha'v'tsī
 one side, to, Lxa'p-, mētci'tc
 one-sided, tci'ha'tc
 open, to, qūn'-
 open (mouth), to, hkla-
 opinion, ha'

orphan, hūnt
 other, Lxa'yax, Lxa'yaxa'v'nī
 otter (land), q"L'ī'tc
 otter (sea), kū'v'tciyū, q"la'v'Lq"la'v'L
 our (inclusive dual), na'm'hit'ns, na'm'fins
 our (exclusive dual), na'm'fita'xūn,
 na'm'fīxūn
 our (inclusive plural), na'm'hit'nī, na'm'fīnī
 our (exclusive plural), na'm'fīt'nxan,
 na'm'fīnxan
 out-doors, hū
 outside, hū
 outside, to be, hask"
 out in the water, qō'x"m
 owl, pūpuhū'nik!
 screech-owl, hlanū'k"
 own (pronoun), tsīms
 oysters, qai'nik"
 pack, to, tcīnū-
 paddle, to, Lwīt-
 paddle, Līxt!
 pain, s"ūt!
 paint, to, kūts-, Līm-
 paint, tqłuts, tsyā'mū
 palate, kwīne't'o
 pants, qwuhī'nīhī
 paper, k"tsa'
 parent-in-law, kū'fa
 parting (of hair), sī'ama
 pass, to, qū-
 pass by, to, Līha-
 pass out, to, Līha-
 pass wind, to, lqaq-
 path, txa'nⁿ
 pelican, squ'ma
 pelican (white), kwī'ku
 pencil, tkwā'tsī
 penis, cā'ya
 people, hitc, Lla'^{ai}
 some people, tsīmqma
 perforation (of ear), q'nīti'ⁱ
 perhaps, a'ckali, k", k'nā
 person, hitc
 pestle, tī'tī

petticoat, tsí'kwí
 pick (berries, etc.) to, yaw-
 pigeon, hu'mūn, hamū⁶m
 pigeon-hawk, qsi'í
 pipe, k'wa'ní
 pipe-stem, kmū'kū
 pistol, pōq⁴
 pitch, ts!a'n, q!a'í
 pity, to have, mítku-
 place, L!a'^{ai}
 place, any kind of, tsima'st
 place, green, Límí'stist
 play, to, hūtc-
 pocket, t'ū'níxyū
 pole, Lxau'
 poor, to be, nākwayat-, tsínq!
 poor, tsínq!
 position, to be in horizontal, matc-
 position, to be in upright, skwa'-
 post, tcí'tclnī
 post-office, kūtsa'yem hītsi'¹
 potatoes, qwímts
 pour, to, qū'n-
 pretty, his
 proud, k'wí'act
 provisions, hí'tla'^f
 pupil (of eye), kāpq
 put on, to, asūt-, híts-

quahog, qō'mín
 quantity, yíxí'¹
 quickly, Lí'mqa
 quit, to, haū-
 quiver, tahā'ník

raccoon, pí'q^{ts}
 race, Lxatū'^{wi}
 rafter, kwí'si
 rain, to, hín⁶k!
 rainbow, a'ntí
 raise, to, pínq-
 raise (head), to, tca^uk'
 rat, wí'mítc, q!a'ⁱ
 rather, temá'

rattlesnake, ma'qwa, hci'xa
 raven, mítquní'qu
 raw, Lí'mstí
 ready, to be, haū-
 red, Lqut
 region, L!a'^{ai}
 relate, to, L'ōn-
 relative, tē'q, tsí'mqma
 relative by marriage after death of
 person that caused this relation-
 ship, xayū'sL
 return, to, tcīn-, xwīL!
 rich, hna^{u'}wi
 riches, hnawít'ū'^{wi}
 right (hand), hí's'tcū'ní
 right away, hí'nak!¹, Lí'mqa
 ring, tcmīlqū'^{wi}
 ripe, tīnt
 ripen, to, tīn-
 river, ínq!a'^f
 road, txa'n⁶
 roast, to, xa'tc-, xatc-
 roast, cuqwa'an, xa'tca'a^u
 robin, tsí'qtax, q!^uci'n
 rock, qayū'^{wi}nts
 roll, to, cqaw-
 roof, tqā'wí
 root, 'qwa'tem
 rope, l'ēp'ⁱs
 rotten, tsū's
 rump, k'qwe'ne
 run, to, Lxat-
 run away, to, āq-

saddle, tí'ta'ⁱ
 salal-berries, q!ūnī'¹
 saliva, k'tsū'^{wi}
 salmon, h'tí'a'
 dog-salmon, qíya'yaq
 silverside-salmon, hū'ptcí
 salmon-berries, Lū'xwítc, L!ō'x
 salmon season, q!Exa'yū'^{wi}
 salmon-spear, pesa'x
 salt, híl'a'xwa

sand, paa^{wi}
 sand beach, tsitiⁱ
 say, to, waa-
 scale, kī'twī
 scalp, tā'knīs
 scare, to, yūp-, k'ūf-
 scatter, to, pxuc-
 scoop out, to, hamts-
 scorch, to, tsīnx-
 scraper, s'pī
 sea, pīⁱ'tsīs
 sea-gull, lqal'ō'mā
 seal, ya⁶k^s, lkīma⁶aⁱ
 second, kīmnī'tc
 see, to, yaquⁱ-, yax-
 seize, to, lak^u-
 self, ts'īms
 sell, to, tūha-, tūha-
 send, to, wīftc-, l'ōx-
 settler, tiyū^{wi}
 seven, xā'ts!ū qta'max
 shaft, ha^{wi}wiyū
 shag, tkunt
 shake, to, cīl'x-
 shark, qa'taⁱ
 sharp, pini't
 she, s^a, s^as
 shine, to, tsxaⁱ-
 shinny-ball, to play, pak^u-, pak^u-
 shinny-game, pekū^{wi}, pekū^{wi}
 shinny-player, pekū^{wi}, pekū^{wi}
 shinny-stick, pekū^{wi}, pā'kwī
 shirt, qāqaⁱ
 shoe, t'a'ntūq!wī
 shoot, to, tsīl!-
 shore, haⁱq
 shoulder, pa'ltpa, lpa'a^ut
 shout, to, hał-, tqūł-
 shut, to, tkūm-, t!Emł-
 shut (eye), to, pax-
 sick, to be, pīn-
 sick person, pīna'st
 sickness, pīnī'sī
 sides, on both, qa'wīntī, qa'w^untī

sight, to be in, xumc-
 silent person, hi'yūt
 Siletz, ta'mī
 simply, ata's, txū
 sinew, tsu'xpī
 sing, to, anxī-
 sister (elder), mīsi'aⁱ
 sister (younger), mictciⁱ, q!a'ⁱsīntū
 sit, to, taⁱ-, tī-
 Siuslaw, cāyucla'a
 six, qa'timx
 skunk, pēnī's
 skunk-cabbage, ts!yānx
 skin, sqans, lq!a'nū
 sky, tsxayū^{wi}, qa^wxūn
 slave, tsax^u
 sleep, to, a^s-
 sleepy, to feel, wusi-
 slide, to, slōx^u-
 small, yāk!-, l!māk'-
 small-pox, k'xtsnīsi
 smoke, to (tr.), kkwun-
 smoke, to (intr.), tqūnī
 smoke, tqūnī
 smoke-hole, wīya'aⁱ
 snail, tsīmni'l
 snore, to, xū'n-
 snow, to, wałt-
 snow, ū'tī
 so, 'ł
 soap, lxa'yiml
 soft, 'nk!nk!
 sole (of foot), tā'xa
 something, tē'q
 sometimes, tci'k!yac l!a^{ai}
 somewhere, tcā, tcaītcī'tc
 son-in-law, mūn(i)
 soot, qa'n^x
 sorrel, pxū'pxūⁱ
 sorry, to be, pīn-, nakū... haⁱ
 soup, psīx
 sour, tīmsqayā't
 south, qū'ī, qō'ī, qūⁱ-
 space between knuckles, tsxa's

speak, to, pū'fkna-, waa-
 spear, to, tcaq-, tū'tc-
 spear, łtsā'k!, Lxaū'
 speech, wa'as
 spider, kū'mit!
 split, to, yīqla⁻, xīp-
 spoon, ts!ū'xwī
 spotted, pā'la'st
 spring season approaches, nictcīnū-
 spring, pā'nū, pā'l'ū, Līp'a'nū
 squirrel, xāłt!
 stake (in games), xu'nha^ī
 stand, to, skwa⁻
 star, ts!ū^m

morning star, paqa^uūx
 start, to, hīq!⁻, qatcn-, xīnt-
 start again, to, nāl-
 start out, to, nāl-
 stay over night, to, wītsīn-
 steal, to, tsmīqn-
 step-brother, m^usku'l'mā
 step-daughter, tīnł
 step-father, mītla'sk'in
 step-mother, mīłask'ī'l'mā
 step-son, t!ā^t
 stick, łqa^u'tū
 stiff, to be, tīpu-
 stiff (adj.), qa'sqas
 stiffen, to, nits-
 still (conj.), ^uł, wī'yū
 stir, to, cqaw-
 stomach, ts!a'xan
 stone, qayū^u'nts
 store, tūhatca^umū
 story, hałk!, hāłk!
 stove, ma'łtcū
 straight, hī'sa, t'xuhī^t
 strike (with fist), to, k'mūL-, Lōł-
 strong, tExam
 sturgeon, Lī^t
 such, tū'a^t, s^a'a^t
 sugar, cū'kwa
 summer, pī'ctcEm
 sun, tsxayū^u

sunset, t!ī'wīst
 swallow, tītcnō'tcī
 swan (black), qōc^x
 swan (white), qō'qōq
 sweat-house, q!ī'mats
 swim, to, mīx-, sīL!-

tail, xwu'tcnī
 take, to, łak⁻
 take along, to, hīn-
 take away, to, xīya⁻
 take care of, to, man-
 take off, to, āq-, xūs⁻
 talk, to, waa-
 tall, hatca^t
 tattoo-marks, pīctcī^ī
 tell, to, waa-, L!ōn-
 ten, kīx^s
 that, ants
 that kind, tū'a^t, s^a'a^t
 that one, tū, tūa', s^aà, s^aàs
 thee (for thee, on thee, to thee, with
 thee), nī'x^{tc}
 their, s^a'na'm^łłtc^īnx
 their (dual), s^a'na'młtc^{ax}
 them (to them, for them, on them, with
 them), s^a'nanx
 them two (to them two, etc.), s^a'na^x
 then, a'lał, ^uł
 thence, sqā'tEm
 there, sqak, stīm, stīmk
 over there, tūqa'tmE
 therefore, a'tsa, s^a'a'tsa
 these, s^aanx
 they, s^aanx, L!a^{ai}
 they two, s^a'a^x
 thick, tsīłt
 thin, q^ucī'ct
 think, to, cīnxi-
 this, tE
 those, tE, ants
 thou, nīx^{ts}
 thread, tsī'nehī
 three, cīn^x

throat, sowa'xwa, kwini'ntxū
 throw, to, hakⁿ-, sūt!
 throw up dirt, to, wāqun-
 thumb, yikt!a'ntxū tcmilqⁿ
 thunder, u'mñi
 thus, a'tsa, atsi'tc, sⁿa'tsa, sⁿatsi'tc
 thy, nī'xamñitinx, nī'xamñinx
 tide-water weeds, kwīn
 tie, to, hamx-, qaⁱ-
 tie hair, to, q!wīn-
 tight, aⁿ'twa
 time, mīntc

a long time, yā'tsa

at that time, ats

tire (while waiting), to, qaⁱnū-

tired, to be, k!āñ-

tobacco, tcīyū'sin

to-day, k!sā't

toe, ĩna'wa

together, tī'mwa

to-morrow, k!ⁿLū'

tongue, t!ⁿal't!ⁿal

tongs, qwa'yū

too, aⁿ'sxa

too much, yuxⁿ

tooth, t'ix

top, on, qaⁿx

tracks, txaⁿ'n^s

trade, to, a'tc-

trap, tēk!ā'kL!

travel, to, xīntm-

tree, ĩqaⁿ'tū

trout, q!wul'ī's

trust, to, hanⁿ'nit!

try, to, t!āxatc'-

try to! tcū

tumble, to, xatk-

twig, lan

twinkle, to, q!ū'p-

twins, kwītsomā't

two, xā'ts!ū

ugly, mīkla

Umpqua River, ts!a'lil'a

uncle (maternal), t!āⁿ'sītš!ñ

understand, to, k!ñ-

universe, L!aⁿ'

up, qaⁿx, qaⁿ'xūn, qaⁿ'xūn-

uprooted, ĩ'qust

upstream, tūqya'aⁿ, tqaⁿ'wī

urinate, to, tqⁿL-

us (inclusive), na'tcⁿñ

us (exclusive), na'tcⁿxnan

us two (inclusive), na'tcⁿns

us two (exclusive), na'tcaⁿxūn

vein, tsīnō'kwa

verily, haⁿ'nhan

very, sⁿ'kwī'tc, tsī'k!ya

very much, tsī'k!ya

vest, haⁿ'nī

virgin, kiluwá'L

vulva, mī'ck!aⁱ, tcu'xⁿs

wagon, tsīyī'ktsīyik

wait, to, tcīn-

wait in vain, to, qaⁱnū-

wake up, to, kast-, kwīs-

wall, tcī'tcLñi, kcīkyū'ⁿ

want, to, sīnxī-, xuwīs-

warm, to be, tqal-, ĩnq!ⁿ-

wash, to, xamL-

wasp, ts!ⁿ'īnyūxa

watch, to, yaquⁿ-, yīxum-, yaxn-, man-,

tcīman-

water, tcī

water-carrier, qaⁿ'tcūx

water-lizard, tca'ptci

wave, pī'tcī, tsō'tī

we (inclusive), nanñ

we (exclusive), naⁿxnan

we two (inclusive), nans

we two (exclusive), naⁿ'xūn

wealth, ĩnawīt'ū'ⁿ

weather, tsxayū'ⁿ

weep, to, qatx-, qātx-

weigh, to, kītū-

well, pā'nū, pā'l'ū

well, hī'sa	windpipe, hī'tu
west, pī'tsīs	wings (of bird), ĩpā'ān, Lpā'n
west wind, qLī'qa' ⁱ	winter, qīū'nEM
wet, Llāqt	wolf, q!a'xa"x ^t
whale, hamī'tcī	woman, qī'ūt ^c , qīūt ^{cū} nī
whatever, tcīnt, tcī'nta"	young woman, kiluwā'L
what for, nīctcī'tc	(I) wonder, tEX, Lō ^b L
when, āts, nāts, mīntc	wood, ka"x"
where, tcik, qantc, tcā	woodcock, tsila'li
whichever, tcī'nta"	woodpecker, tcā'tīt ^c
which one, tcīnt	word, wa'as
while, a little, tīL, ĩyax-, ĩcatca	work, to, wīnkī-, xīl'xcī-
while, after a, yā'tsac L!a' ^{ai} , kū' yā'tsac	work, wī'nakī, xīl'xcyū' ^{ai}
L!a' ^{ai} , ta'hīs	world, L!a' ^{ai}
whip, L!xwī'mīL	wren, t!āt!ā' ^c
whiskey, lām	wrist, tcīnekī' ⁱ
whistle, to, k"sīn-	year, nīctcanū'wīsī, nī'qlu
white, qu'LquL	yellow, pxū'pxū', tq"ū'nīs
who, wāt ^c	yellow-hammer, tsā'nīk"
whoever, tcīnt, wāt ^c	yes, ha" ^u , hā'nīk
widow, hayā'tīt, cīwī'wu tEXmū'nyEMł	yesterday, tsā'nxa'ts
widower, hayā'tīt, cīwī'wu qī'ūt ^c EMł,	yet, wī'yū
cīwī'wu qasLī'wałEM	you (pl.), nī'xats'tcī
wife, qī'ūt ^c	you two, nī'x'ts
wild, ĩxt	you (to you, for you, etc.), nī'xatc'tcī
wildcat, hī'q"	you two (to you two, for you two, etc.),
willing, to be, amha-, wīnū' ⁱ	nī'xatc'ts
willow, tcā'tīs	your (pl.), nī'xamhīt'tcī, nī'xamhīt ^c
wind, tcī'tī	your two, nī'xamhītīs, nī'xamhīs
window, q!yā'q!xē' ⁱ	

NOTES ON THE KUSAN DIALECTS.

I. NOTES ON THE MILUK.

The material upon which this study is based consists of a short vocabulary, comprising some hundred nouns, and a few forms of the possessive and personal pronouns obtained by J. Owén Dorsey from an old Miluk Indian in February, 1885, and at the present writing in the possession of the Bureau of American Ethnology. This collection came into my hands too late to be incorporated into my grammatical sketch of the Coos language;¹ and while it contains but scanty subject-matter, sufficient conclusions could be adduced from it to attempt a brief dialectic study of the Kusan stock.

Dorsey's method of spelling is entirely at variance with my own. Hence only such words were standardized as showed an unquestionable similarity to their equivalents obtained by myself in the Hanis dialect. All other nouns were reproduced exactly in the form in which Dorsey had written them down. For purposes of a still closer comparison, I made extensive use of the Hanis vocabularies that were collected by Harry Hull St. Clair, 2d, and by George P. Bissell, especially in cases where my own collection lacked the Hanis equivalent for a Miluk word contained in Dorsey's material. All such words will be found followed by the initials of their collectors. The footnotes accompanying the present paper are my own. In compound words in the Miluk dialect I have indicated by *Italics* those parts for which I have no equivalent in Hanis.

¹ Leo J. Frachtenberg, Coos, An Illustrative Sketch (Handbook of American Indian Languages, Bulletin 40, Bureau of American Ethnology, part 2, pp. 297 et seq.).

NOUNS.

H = Hanis; M = Miluk.

- man, H M dá mîl.
 woman, H M hū'mîs.
 old man, H M tō'mîl.
 old woman, H M hū'mîk'.
 young woman, H M kwē's.
 virgin, H k'lā dá'mîl; M úmmì dá'mîl.¹
 boy, H dī'lōl; M kwītē dī'lōl.
 girl, H kwe'ík'; M kwītē kwe'ík'.
 girl who has not yet reached puberty,
 H M wā'wa.
 girl during her first catamenia, H M
 tātsā'wîs.
 male infant, H M dī'lōl.
 female infant, H M kwe'ík'.
 twins, M ats'u'ti k'ŷ'likū.
 widow, widower, H lākūs(B); M la'k'ŷis.
 a great talker, H M qal't ye'es.
 a silent person, H k'lā l'ē'yis; M
 úmmi' l'ē'yis.²
 thief, H M wix'k'inī'yal.
 head, H xwī'lux"; M sēl.
 hair, H x'ne'k'; M ha'mūs.
 face, H ā; M hēl.
 forehead, H wint; M kwā-tūt-kwūn'.
 eye, H M xwa'lxwal.
 eyebrow, H klīncīn(B); M ts'ī-mīs.
 ear, H M k'ha'ñas.
 perforation of the ear, H honāt'(B);
 M k'ha'ñas wū'-qē.
 external opening of ear, M k'ha'ñas
 tūk-kqa-la'yu.³
 nose, H tcūl; M ħ'n-nūq.
 ridge of nose, H kiā'lās(B); M ał-t'ŷ
 ħ'n-nēq.
 nostril, H hāwātus(B); M ħ'n-nūq
 tūk-kqa-la'yu.⁴
 septum of nose, H mō'smos(B); M
 k'lu-tci'-te ħ'n-nūq.
 perforation of septum, H mō'smos(B);
 M k'lu-tci'te ħ'n-nūq-wā'qē.
 cheek, H qa'wa M k'wū'tc' ā-la'-te-t'ēt.
 malar bone, M k'wū-tc' a-la'-lēš.
 mustache, beard, H ts'nāx'; M nī-tsā's,
 tsās.
 mouth, H M ye'es.
 tooth, H M qtsā.
 tongue, H he'lta; M lēū'lū.
 saliva, H skā'lpus(B); M qwū'nŷis.
 palate, H gaugau(B); M ye'es-ta-kqūl-lā.
 chin, H ts!mā; M ts'ŷ-hē'lūs.
 neck, H k!wints; M kwū'n-nu-kqwū'n.
 windpipe, M tsai'-tsē.
 breast, H gā; M kats.
 body, H lo'q!mîl; M pqa'.⁵
 shoulder, H t'kwā'tuk"; M pqa'tī.
 back, H pqa'; M ts'āi.
 nipples, H k'watla(B); M kats tŷ's-sē.⁶
 abdomen, H we'hel; M kqēl-i-qūs.
 arm, H M k'e'la.
 right arm, M ka'-tce-nī'-c-tca-te k'e'la.
 left arm, M qwūt-hī'r-te k'e'la.
 armpits, H gil'lāk(B); M k'e'lan tūk-
 kqa-la'yu.⁷
 arm above elbow, H M tī'yex.⁸
 rump, H M pī'lik'is.
 leg, H kxla; M tc'ŷ'l-lī.
 leg below knee, M tū'l-tu-k'qwē'.
 foot, H M kxla.
 sole, M kxla tū'l-lū-wē'.
 heel, H kxlimi'in(B); M kxlimi'n u-
 hak'q'.
 blood, H M wī'tin.

¹ Literally, WITHOUT MAN.³ Probably HOLE IN EAR.⁶ Probably ENDS OF BREAST.² Literally, WITHOUT SPEECH.⁴ Probably HOLE IN NOSE.⁷ Probably HOLES IN ARM.⁵ Hanis, BACK.⁸ Literally, KNEE.

brain, H â nistuldt (B); M sël tûk'-kqa-la'-yu.¹
 heart, H iluwe'tcis; M lû-w'ë'.
 kidney, H ailis(B); M k'wê'-süs.
 lung, H mi⁹la; M tûs-k'qê'.
 skin, H ts!xa; M tsê'-lis.
 village, H L!tâ'yas; M yets tük-ka!'.²
 house, H yixá'wex; M yets.
 doorway, H tci'l!E; M pîn'-ÿctc.
 smoke-hole, M yets' tük-kwa'n.³
 fire, H tci!wâ; M hêm-m'lt'.
 live coals, H tsaye (B); M ai'-yu-wâ' pük-kû's.⁴
 dead coals, H tsaye (B); M tsû-k' qûl-lê'.
 ashes, H k'tsas; M !ts'ás.
 smoke, H kwîñā'was; M kqwûl-lê'.⁵
 water, H M xā'p.
 bow of wood, H pi'lis; M kqō-kqwē'l'.⁶
 bow-string, H ctcet!; M kqō-kqwē'l ti ctcet!.
 arrow, H M mi'laq.
 fish-spear, H tcm'ma; M kat'l'.
 canoe, H ix'; M !ku'ús.
 bat, M k'a-sa' pa'lî.

beaver, H M t'tci'na.
 grizzly bear, H swa!; M yûn-ye'sá.
 black bear, H cx'im!; M pël-é'l.
 wildcat, H ba'tkî; M tî'c-lê-'é'.
 dog, H kwî'yōs; M lëk'-lo.
 deer, H M xwî'tsxut.
 elk, H djilî'ye; M kits.
 panther, H !tct't (S); M tci-tük'-k' qai-lû's.
 ground-hog, rabbit, H M tcō'xtcōx.
 mouse, H pokwe'tuldt (B); M wě'q-kûn-yêk'.
 muskrat, H tse'no (S); M sâ'c-l'ë.
 otter, H M ctcält.
 raccoon, H xi'ya; M k'qa'lûc.
 skunk, H kwî'ltsî; M kûn-na'-cl'ë.
 wolf, H Lî'mak'; M Lîm-û-tüt-ts'u'.
 coyote, H ye⁹lis; M ts'ûl-li'-k'a.
 stick, H M ni'k'in.
 north, H M be'ldj.
 east, H kahâ'ic (B); M tc'i'c-tci.
 south, H kû's; M kwû ci'-tcî.⁷
 ocean, H baltî'mîs; M pãt.
 Indian, H ma; M k'a-ta, qwû's-si-ya'-k'a.

NUMERALS.⁸

one, H yîxê'; M hi-tc'i'-k'a, hÿ-tc'i'.
 two, H yûxwâ'; M a-ts'u'-k'a, a-ts'u'.⁹
 three, H yî'psen; M psin!-k'a, psin!.¹⁰
 four, H he'cl!L; M ts'a-wa'-k'a, ts'a-wa'.
 five, H kat'ë'mîs; M kqûn-tc'i'n-si-k'a, kqûn-tc'i'n-si.
 six, H yîxê'wîeq; M tsa-wâ'q-kai-ye-k'a, tsa-wâ'q-kai-ye.

seven, H yûxwâ'wîeq; M psin!-ân.
 eight, H yîxê'ahâ!; M a-ts'u'-ân.
 nine, H yûxwâ'ahâ!; M hi-tc'i'-ân.
 ten, H Lepq!a'nî; M t'i'-stcî-k'a, t'i'-stcî.
 twenty, H yûxwâ'ka; M a-ts'u'-k'i-u'-k'a, a-ts'u'-k'i-u.
 one hundred, H yîxê' ni'k'in; M hÿ-tc'i' ni'k'in.

¹ Probably HOLE IN HEAD.³ Evidently HOUSE SMOKES.⁵ Evidently miswritten for *kwî'ñā*.⁶ It is not inconceivable that this word may be the appellative term for the Coquille (Mi'luk) Indians.⁸ Where two forms are given in Miluk, the second form is used when referring to objects only, or things non-human; the first form refers to human beings.⁹ Lower Umpqua, *xw'!ts!ñ*.² Probably HOUSES TOGETHER.⁴ Probably *ai'wa* STILL + *pük-kû's*.⁷ Evidently *Kwî'sitc* SOUTHWARDS.¹⁰ Alesia, *psinLx*.

POSSESSIVE PRONOUNS.

		Hanis.	Miluk.
Singular	{ 1st person	heŋ ^o 'ne ^u	ûn-nê-ně, ¹ en-nê'-ně, ¹
	{ 2d person	ye ⁶ 'ne ^{u'}	nê'-mêł, nê-mêł'-ně
	{ 3d person	hexă ^{u'}	kwû'-te, kwûn-nĩ', kwûn, ê-tũ'
Dual	{ Inclusive	heisne ^{u'}	mûs-să's-ně, hĩ-tc'ĩ'-kăs-ně
	{ Exclusive	hexwîn'ne ^u	
	{ 2d person	heicne ^{u'}	a-ts'ũ'-ĩc-ně
	{ 3d person	heûxxă ^{u'}	a-ts'ũ'-ka-te
Plural	{ 1st person	hefîn'ne ^u	ts'a-wa'-kate
	{ 2d person	hecîn'ne ^u	ku's-ka-ĩs-nu, ku's-ka-ĩs-ně
	{ 3d person	heĩtxă ^{u'}	ku's-ka-te
	That one's	hă, lă, tē ⁱ û	ê-yĩm-ĩł ²
	That	te	ê-tũ

PERSONAL PRONOUNS.

		Hanis.	Miluk.
Singular	{ 1st person	ŋ-	en-nê'-u-
	{ 2d person	e ⁶ -	nê-u-
	{ 3d person	xă-	ê-
Dual	{ Inclusive	ĩs-	mĩs-să's-kwi-
	{ Exclusive	xwîn-	
	{ 2d person	ĩc-	mĩs-sa-ĩ's-kwi-
	{ 3d person	ûx-	a-ts'u'-ka-kwi'-
Plural	{ 1st person	fîn-	kus-kas-ĕn-ně's-kwi-
	{ 2d person	cîn-	ku's-ka-ĩs-kwi-
	{ 3d person	ĩł-	ku's-ka-kwi-

¹ Evidently miswritten for *heŋ'ne* or *ŋ'ne*.² Probably *emł*.

In my Coos grammar¹ I stated that the Kusan stock embraces a number of dialects, the principal ones being Hanis and Miluk, and that the latter differs vastly from Hanis in lexicographical and morphological respects. This statement was based chiefly upon information furnished by my interpreter and informant, and would seem to be fully corroborated by a close study of the comparable material presented in the preceding pages. Scanty as this material is, it tends to accentuate the distinctiveness of the Miluk dialect rather than to diminish it; assuming, of course, that Dorsey's collection of words and grammatical forms is correct.

Of the 104 nouns that are contained in Dorsey's vocabulary, only 29 show a total agreement in phonetic structure with their Hanis equivalents, while 13 seem to be but partially related to Hanis. The former class embraces practically all terms denoting sex and age, thereby suggesting the thought that the terms of relationship, too, may have been identical in both dialects. Thus the vocabulary may safely be said to have strong Kusan affiliations.

This, however, can hardly be said of the numerals, for only few of them bear any resemblance to the stems that are employed in Hanis. Aside from their phonetic distinctiveness, they present a feature that is entirely unknown to the Coos system. I mean the division of the numerals into a human and non-human series by means of the suffix *-k'a*. That classification is absolutely lacking in Hanis. To be sure, the suffix *-ka* occurs there, but it is employed for the purpose of forming the "tens." Furthermore, there can be no etymological connection between these two, apparently similar suffixes, for the simple reason that *-k'a* appears as one of the component elements that form the independent possessive pronouns in Miluk (see below).

¹ Op. cit., p. 305.

It may be noted in this connection, that, of all the neighboring stocks (Siuslaw, Yakonan, Kalapuyan, and Athapascan), only the last mentioned distinguishes between a human and a non-human series in the cardinal numerals, where the differentiating element is the suffix *-ni* or *-ne*,¹ meaning PEOPLE. It is therefore not inconceivable that this device of forming numerals of the human series may have been borrowed from the Athapascan languages, in which case the suffix *-k'a* would represent, by analogy to the Athapascan process, an abbreviation for the Miluk word *k'a-ta* INDIAN, PEOPLE. Of course, this process may also be explained as of native origin, lost eventually in the Hanis dialect, but kept by the Miluk long after the disintegration of Coos into divergent dialects. A further analysis of the Miluk numerals shows that they contain one term in common with Siuslaw (TWO), and another in common with Alesa (THREE), which is rather peculiar, in view of the fact that the Miluks were not the immediate neighbors of these tribes; while, on the other hand, the Hanis territory adjoined directly that of the Siuslaw and Alesa. In one respect only do the two numeral systems agree; namely, in their origin. Both have, to all appearances, a quinary origin, and only five simple stems; viz., the numerals from 1 to 5 inclusive. The Miluk term for SIX evidently denotes FOUR (FINGERS DOWN), that for SEVEN indicates THREE (FINGERS DOWN), etc., showing a striking convergence with the Kalapuya numeral system, where a similar process of forming the numerals from SIX up prevails. TEN seems to be distantly related to the term for ONE.

A much closer and more self-evident agreement between the two dialects is shown by the possessive pronouns. There can be no doubt that the examples obtained by

¹ See P. E. Goddard, Athapascan (Hupa), Handbook of American Indian Languages, vol. i, p. 149.

Dorsey, especially the pronouns for the dual and plural, are auxiliary forms consisting of at least two component elements, — one an initial element; and the other the sign of possession, which in Miluk would seem to be *ne* or *te*, in contrast to the Hanis *û*. The possessive pronoun for the first person singular evidently consists of the personal pronoun for that person (*ŋ*) plus the sign of possession; or else it may be explained as having been miswritten for *hen'ne^u*, in which case it would show perfect agreement with the Hanis form. The pronoun for the second person singular is quite distinct in form. The pronominal element conducting the idea of a second person singular would seem to be *nê*; the second component part is undoubtedly the Siuslaw case-ending *-eml*; while the terminal *ne* is the previously-mentioned sign of possession, which may be omitted. The third person singular consists of the demonstrative stems *kwû-* or *ê*, amplified by means of the sign of possession. Dorsey was evidently unable to obtain a form for the exclusive dual. His two forms for the inclusive are easily correlated to the Hanis forms, but more properly should have been written *mûs-să'-îs-ne* and *hî-tc'î-k'a-îs-ne*. *Mûs-să* and *hî-tc'î-k'a* are probably synonymous terms for the numeral ONE (see above), and *îs-ne* is too self-evident to require further comment. The pronoun for the second person dual is composed of the numeral *xă'ts'û* TWO, of the personal pronoun *îs*, and of the possessive sign *ne*. The informant has in this case omitted the suffix *-k'a*, perhaps involuntarily. The form for the third person dual, literally translated, would mean OF TWO PEOPLE, and can by no means be regarded as a true possessive pronoun. In like manner the pronoun for the third person plural is no possessive form, for it simply means OF ALL PEOPLE (*kus* = Hanis *gō^us* ALL; *-k'a* suffix expressing numerals of the

human series; *-te* sign of possession). The form for the first person plural evidently means OF FOUR PEOPLE; while that for the second person consists of the adverb *gō^us* ALL, of the suffix *-k'a*, of the personal pronoun *-šs*, and of the sign of possession *ne*. I believe that in this form Dorsey mis-heard the element *îc* (the Hanis personal pronoun for the second person dual) for *šs*. The possessive form of the demonstrative pronoun seems to be composed of the demonstrative stem *ê* and of the Siuslaw relative suffix *-Emł*. Thus, while it is true that only three forms of the possessive pronouns seem to show phonetic or structural agreement in both dialects, still I may not be amiss in stating that a revision of Dorsey's material with the aid of a Miluk informant would bring out a more complete correspondence. It must be borne in mind that a majority of the examples adduced by Dorsey are not true possessive pronouns, but auxiliary forms obtained by composition.

In the same manner I regard as only partially correct the personal pronouns that are found in Dorsey's collection. A full discussion of these forms is impossible, in view of the fact that they are given with but one verbal stem; and I entertain a strong suspicion that this stem is a nominal form. The stem in question, standardized in accordance with my own spelling, is the verb *mîtsîsî'yata*, which Dorsey translates TO KNOW. The Hanis radical is *mîts-* TO KNOW. By adding to it the nominal suffix *-šs*,¹ an adjective *mî'tsîs* WISE is obtained. The suffix *-îyata* may be the Miluk form of the Hanis *-îyaL*,² that expresses the performer of an action. In further proof of this theory, it may be stated that Dorsey, in a note, explains the element *kwi*, found in all forms for the dual and plural, as the nominative sign. That being the case, the final *u* in the first and second persons singular is to be

¹ See Coos, An Illustrative Sketch, p. 360.

² Ibid., p. 376.

regarded as having the same function for the singular number, and as identical perhaps with the Hanis sign of possession, *û*. The first person singular would then, in its initial element, agree with the Hanis *ŋ'ne*. The second person singular is totally distinct from Hanis, while in the third person the demonstrative pronoun has been substituted. The form for the inclusive dual differs but little from the possessive pronoun (see above). The element *zs* of the second person dual has evidently been mis-heard for *îc*. In the third person dual the *kwi* is substituted for the possessive *te* (see above), — a substitution that prevails likewise in all plural forms. The pronoun for the first person plural is evidently related to that for the corresponding person of the singular. The remaining two forms require no further discussion.

Summing up, it would seem that while Miluk is undoubtedly a Kusan dialect, the comparable material at hand shows it to possess enough independent vocables and morphological forms to justify its classification as a distinct dialect, that probably became separated from its mother tongue at an early period. This divergence is by no means easy to explain. The Kusan stock, in all probability, held sway over an area quite limited in size (a narrow strip of the present Coos County wedged in between the Coast Range and the Pacific Ocean), and the topographical nature of this country presented no difficulties to even the most primitive means of communication. Thus the two principal contributing factors to dialectic differentiation — vastness and inaccessibility of territory — are lacking in this case. Perhaps, after a better knowledge of the causes that result in a disintegration of a common language into various dialects, we shall be in a position to explain fully the problem presented to us by this small stock of southwestern Oregon.

2. NOTES ON COOS TEXTS (Vol. I of this Series).

The corrections to my "Coos Texts" given here are largely emendations of the series of texts collected by Mr. St. Clair. The texts from p. 132 on were collected by Mr. St. Clair. My unfamiliarity with his phonetic system, and my inability to obtain from my informant such words and phrases contained in St. Clair's texts as were strange to me, compelled me to leave them in the form in which he had written them. After the volume had been printed, I had opportunity to verify many of the words and phrases hitherto unknown to me. These and a number of additional corrections are given in the following list.

On p. 15, line 2,	for mā'qal	read mā'qal.
" 20, footnote 3,	" § 116	" § 115
" 22, " 1,	" § 116	" § 115
" 24, line 22,	" qak'eleni'we	" qak'elāni'we
" 28, " 16,	" Lqa'ai	" Lqa'ai
" 28, " 18,	" wi'luwit	" wi'luwit
" 28, " 26,	" Löwēn	" Löwēn
" 27, " 27,	" Lowi'tat	" Lowi'tat
" 30, " 1,	" Lō'wiyam	" Lō'wiyam
" 30, " 5,	" Qa'l!ta	" Qā'lā!ta
" 30, " 11,	" Löwe'entc	" Löwe'entc
" 30, " 20,	" L!ē'simt	" L!ē'simt
" 32, " 10,	" qawilāi'we	" qawilāi'we
" 32, " 21,	" tc!lini'yat	" tc!lini'yat
" 32, " 23,	" L!x'i'nt	" L!x'i'nt
" 36, " 23,	" qai'tsōwītc	" qai'tsowītc
" 38, " 10,	" Lōwa'kats	" Lōwa'kats
" 38, " 20,	" L!a'nēx	" L!a'nēx
" 42, " 4,	" L!xana'yēm	" L!xana'yēm
" 42, " 7,	" L°wa'hait	" Lōwa'hait
" 42, " 19,	" a'qanā'ya	" a'qānā'ya
" 46, " 23,	" kwaa'nīya	" kwaā'nīya
" 48, " 16,	" alqa'lū	" alq!a'lū
" 48, " 23,	" t!et	" t!e't

On p.	50, footnote 1,	for	xā t -iye	read	xā + -iye
"	52, line 15,	"	'lisa'etc	"	'lisa'etc
"	52, " 15,	"	wil'iye	"	wil'iye
"	54, " 13,	"	L!lex	"	L!E'x
"	56, " 9,	"	Lōwe'entc	"	Lōwe'entc
"	56, footnote 3,	"	kwāne'nī (kwān-)	"	k!wāne'nī (k!wān-)
"	58, line 12,	"	Lōwe'entc	"	Lōwe'entc
"	58, " 14,	"	L [*] pe'xetc	"	L [*] pe'xetc
"	60, " 3,	"	yīxa'ntc̄nts	"	yīxa'ntc̄nts
"	60, " 20,	"	nle'hī	"	nle'hī
"	60, footnotes 1,2,3,	"	t	"	+
"	62, footnote 1,	"	taix' here t -t	"	taix' here + -t
"	64, line 9,	"	nle'hī	"	nle'hī
"	64, " 15,	"	L!a'γetat	"	L!a'γetat
"	64, footnote 1,	"	kwān-	"	k!wān-
"	72, line 13,	"	teŋ	"	teŋ
"	72, " 15,	"	he	"	he
"	72, " 17,	"	e ⁸ muxtîtaā'mī	"	e ⁸ muxtîtsā'mî
"	74, " 26,	"	ḥkwī'lītū	"	ḥkwī'lītū
"	76, " 20,	"	wīx'k'!īnē'wat	"	wīx'k'!īnē'wat
"	78, " 6,	"	kwītsā'tsa	"	kwītsā'tsa
"	78, " 19,	"	k!alī'yat	"	k!alī'yat
"	84, " 22,	"	kwe'nēL	"	kwe'nēL
"	88, " 18,	"	tsōwe	"	tsowe'
"	108, " 29,	"	haī'x'tīts	"	ha'x'tīts
"	116, " 16,	"	haī'x'tīts	"	ha'x'tīts
"	124, " 30,	"	kwī'wat	"	x ^h kwī'wat
"	130, " 5,	"	L!kalī'yat	"	L!k!alī'yat
"	132, " 16,	"	ḥkwū'nī	"	ḥkwū'nī
"	132, " 17,	"	Lōkwa'isatc	"	Lōxwa'isatc
"	132, " 20,	"	Lōkwa'isitc	"	Lōxwa'isitc
"	134, " 4,	"	kwītkwī'tī	"	kwītkwī' tī
"	134, " 8,	"	tsīsotī'ya	"	tsīsotī'ye
"	134, " 19,	"	aq'antkaai'itc	"	ak'a'nkaa'itc
"	134, " 22,	"	ta'tēna	"	ta'tna
"	136, " 1,	"	līcala'ya't ^a	"	lī'clayat
"	136, " 4,	"	dl̄tcē'tcēs	"	L!tce'tcīs
"	136, " 12,	"	wēL	"	wā'L
"	136, " 13, 15,	"	Luwī'dza	"	Lōwī'tsil
"	136, " 20,	"	hūitī'tEX	"	hū'tī'tEX
"	136, " 21,	"	xwīntxwī'nī	"	xwīntxwī'naai
"	136, " 23,	"	qa'yaqa'yī	"	qa'qa' ⁱ
"	136, " 25,	"	ḥk!wa'kwes	"	ḥk!wa'k!wes
"	136, " 26,	"	tsxa'it	"	tsqa't

On p. 136, line 27,	for	lk'its	read	Lk'i'ts
" 136, footnote 5,	"	qa ^{ix} qē ⁱ	"	qa'qa ⁱ
" 137, line 10 from bottom,	"	drive	"	order
" 138, " 15,	"	âldzâ'xam	"	â'Its'xEM
" 138, " 24,	"	waîs	"	wâ'îs
" 140, " 7,	"	tcl'e ⁿ ne'nîs	"	tce ⁿ 'ne'nîs
" 140, " 12,	"	lâtciyṃ	"	lâtci'yēm
" 140, " 28,	"	sqa'ilts	"	sqa'Its
" 142, " 5,	"	Lawa'yâm	"	Lawa'yâm
" 142, " 15,	"	Laxkukwana'was	"	LâXkukwana'was
" 142, " 16,	"	qala'nî	"	kala'nî
" 142, " 17,	"	k'câwâni	"	k'ciwâ'nî
" 142, " 21,	"	e ^l lkâ'lkwîtu	"	e ^l lqa'lkwîtu
" 142, " 28,	"	tsâhâs	"	tse'hes
" 142, " 28,	"	kwaî's ^x EM	"	kwa'îs ^x EM
" 142, " 30,	"	dictls	"	tîclts
" 144, " 2,5,6,7,9,14,	"	sé'nkwit	"	sî'nkwit
" 144, " 11,	"	xîâ'âtc	"	xk'îe'etc
" 144, " 14,	"	djîtcâli	"	tcl'etclîcâ'li
" 144, " 17,	"	qalalaut	"	qala ^t
" 144, " 29,	"	tsîni'γiya	"	tsî hîni'γiya
" 146, " 14,	"	qai'yal	"	ka'yâl
" 146, " 15,	"	wi'yel!	"	wi'yel
" 146, " 15,	"	kwé'nci	"	qwi'nci
" 146, " 15,	"	te ^t	"	tle ^t
" 146, " 17, 21,	"	tcûγi'qâtât	"	tcγi'qat
" 146, " 19,	"	tcûγi'âqâ	"	tcγi'yaqa
" 146, " 30,	"	kaLi'mæq	"	qa aLi'maq
" 146, " 31,	"	mê'la	"	mî ^l la
" 146, " 32,	"	p'xat	"	pxat
" 147, " 3 from bottom,	"	was long	"	began to get long
" 148, " 13,	"	bEXwî'nîEM	"	pEXwî'nyEM
" 148, " 17, 18,	"	sé'Lik'	"	sî'Lik'
" 148, " 17, 19,	"	tsâ'hâs	"	tse'hes
" 148, " 25,	"	x'gî'mendj	"	xk'î'mentc
" 148, " 26,	"	k!xa	"	kxa
" 148, " 27, 28,	"	tclowâyâm	"	tclowâ'yâm
" 150, " 1,	"	tclowa'yâm	"	tclowâ'yâm
" 150, " 9,	"	sî'yel!	"	sî'yel
" 150, " 15,	"	!kwat	"	!k!wat
" 150, " 26,	"	tsxaya'e'wat	"	tsqaya'e'wat
" 152, " 6,	"	qala'	"	qa'la'

On p.	line	for	tsqat	read	tskat
"	152, 23,	"	l̥yī'axai'wat	"	l̥yīaxa'ēwat
"	152, 28,	"	ak'e	"	ek'e'
"	154, 3, 5,	"	qaŋt	"	qaŋt
"	154, 5,	"	xwa'lwal	"	xwa'lxwal
"	154, 7,	"	p'sáhá'itc	"	psá'hētc
"	154, 14, 26, 27,	"	selá'yám	"	silá'yam
"	154, 22,	"	qef	"	qaŋ
"	154, 31,	"	ha'ñnētc	"	hēn nītc
"	156, 5,	"	heŋaqē'tc	"	heŋaqē'tc
"	156, 28,	"	i'álx	"	älx
"	158, 7,	"	LE'kat	"	Llkat
"	158, 14, 15,	"	Likaya'haxam	"	L'kaya'x'xēm
"	158, 17,	"	LEkai'axatc	"	L'ka'yaxetc
"	162, 24,	"	Llxat	"	Lxat
"	162, 25,	"	u'xmēt	"	k ^u 'mät
"	163, 16,	"	turning into tsaLtsil	"	covered with blub- ber fat
"	163, 18,	"	in and out to the ocean	"	into the river
"	164, 2,	"	x ^u 'mēt	"	k ^u 'mät
"	164, 9,	"	ladjī'ya	"	lätci'ya
"	166, 13,	"	nkwilā'gwaŋ	"	nkwalā'kwaŋ
"	168, 4,	"	qá'Lqâl	"	qa'Lqal
"	168, 12,	"	tsütsüwá'nē	"	tsötsöwá'nī
"	168, 25,	"	älx	"	älx
"	168, 26,	"	Ltcī	"	L'tcī
"	170, 14, 15,	"	tcīnawā'LES hana'ya	"	tcīnā ^s wāLī'sanāya
"	170, 18,	"	Lxant	"	L'lxant
"	172, 7,	"	Lxī	"	Llkī
"	172, 9, 10, 12,	"	xo'xweŋ	"	xō'xweŋ
"	172, 13, foot- note 3,	"	e ^h k'läyû'x ^s sil	"	e ^h k'läyī'k ^s sil
"	172, 15,	"	yū'x ^s sil	"	yī'k ^s sil
"	172, 17,	"	wiŋwī'yak'	"	wēŋwī'yak
"	172, 22,	"	ŋwī'gît	"	ŋwī'kit
"	172, 22,	"	Lxant	"	L'lxant
"	174, 2,	"	t'tcī'nau	"	t'tcī'na
"	174, 3,	"	tsá'no	"	tsen
"	174, 8, 11, 12, 22, 25,	"	t'tcī'na	"	t'tcī'na
"	174, 8,	"	tsân	"	tsen
"	174, 14, 15, 29,	"	k!Ltcī	"	L!tcī
"	174, 18,	"	kwe'he	"	k!we'he

On p.	line	for	kâlêmeq	read	alî'maq
"	174, " 19,	"	hâ'mîyau	"	hê mî'sya
"	174, " 22,	"	danô'La	"	tanô'La
"	174, " 22,	"	qagî'ti	"	qakî'ti
"	174, " 30,	"	qamê'tits	"	qî'mi'tits
"	176, " 2, 7, 8,	"	t'tci'na	"	t'tci'na
	18, 22,	"	q'Lats	"	qLats
"	176, " 5,	"	qai'Lâ	"	qa''La
"	176, " 9,	"	âłtsâ'yâ	"	âłtsi'ye
"	176, " 15, 31,	"	tsân	"	tsen
"	176, " 18, 23,	"	ya'mdat	"	yam st at
"	176, " 25,	"	łx'ili'yat	"	ł'x'ili'yat
"	178, " 30,	"	t'tci'na	"	t'tci'na
"	180, " 1, 16,	"	pênpân	"	pî'npân
"	180, " 7, 17,	"	Lxant	"	L'lxant
"	180, " 15,	"	La'pêt	"	La'pît
"	182, " 1,	"	tqâlâ'Lês	"	tqelâ'Lis
"	182, " 24,	"	tsLê	"	sLî
"	182, " 26,	"	tsLî	"	sLî
"	184, " 1,	"	Lîni'wat	"	L'lini'wat
"	184, " 17,	"	qai'La	"	qai'La
"	184, " 17,	"	tetci'u	"	t'tci'yû
"	184, " 23,	"	hala" wêhal	"	hê la" ha'L
"	186, " 3,	"	il	"	îł
"	186, " 3,	"	tsm'ma	"	tcm'ma
"	186, " 5, 6, 8, 15,	"	qaya'atc tci'mitc	"	qayâ''tcemitc
"	186, " 5,	"	hū'nātāt	"	hūna st āt
"	186, " 7,	"	hū'nātīt	"	hūna st īt
"	186, " 7,	"	kwaxai'ya	"	k!walxa'ya
"	186, " 8,	"	łtcî le'isetc	"	łtcîle'isetc
"	186, " 12,	"	kwalaqa'ya	"	k!walxa'ya
"	186, " 14,	"	Lî'Exatc	"	L'ıxatc
"	188, " 18,	"	hîthi'yat	"	hî'thît
"	190, " 1, 3,	"	qaya'nowitc	"	k!ayâ'nowitc
"	190, " 3,	"	qaxaxa'naya	"	qaxaxanâ'ya
"	190, " 3,	"		"	

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p. 8, line 4,	for	temua'wax	read	temūa'wax
" 8, " 5,	"	ka'Lxēsūn	"	qa'Lxēsūn
" 8, " 9,	"	te'xmīsītci	"	te'xmīsītci
" 9, " 1,	"	smut'a't'	"	smūt'a't'
" 9, " 6,	"	hūtca' ⁱ	"	hūtca' ⁱ
" 12, " 6,	"	īnq!a'ītci ^x	"	īnq!a'ītci ^x
" 13, " 4,	"	hīya'tc't	—	hīya'tc't
" 13, " 7,	"	yā'xatc'ist ^{*nx}	"	yā'xatc'ist ^{*nx}
" 14, " 3,	"	xī'ntmīsūn	"	xī'ntmīsūn
" 14, " 6,	"	sqa'k	"	sqa'k
" 15, " 4,	"	p̄hna'tx	"	p̄hna'tx
" 21, " 10,	"	s [*] atī'tc	"	s [*] atī'tc
" 22, " 1,	"	s [*] atsī'tc	"	s [*] atsī'tc
" 23, " 6,	"	sqa ⁱ kci'tc	"	sqa ⁱ kci'tc
" 24, " 2,	"	wa'ā ⁱ sū'nE	"	wa'ā ⁱ sū'nE
" 25, " 8,	"	yaq ⁻	"	yaq ⁻
" 28, " 2,	"	lka'atc	"	lka'atc
" 29, " 1,	"	tcītcī'mya	"	tcīm ⁱ tcī'mya
" 30, " 20,	"	īnq!a'a ⁱ	"	īnq!a'a ⁱ
" 32, " 5,	"	yā'xtūx	"	ya'xtūx
" 32, " 8,	"	hā'ūtūx	"	ha'ūtūx
" 32, " 13,	"	ta ^{*k}	"	tā ^{*k}
" 36, " 26,	"	ya'q ^u yūn	"	ya'q ^u yūn
" 40, " 9,	"	texmī'l'ma	"	texmī'l'mā
" 42, " 6,	"	xwī'l'tūxtc	"	xwī'l'tūxtc
" 42, " 7,	"	wa'a ⁱ tx	"	wa'a ⁱ tx
" 46, " 16,	"	wīl!a' ⁱ	"	wīl!a' ⁱ
" 48, " 10,	"	xīlxcī'yūtsma ^{*x}	"	xīl'xcī'yūtsma ^{*x}
" 50, " 1,	"	qayū'ts ^{*tc}	"	qayū'tc ^{*tc}
" 50, " 16,	"	tsīl!īya's	"	tsīl! ⁱ ya's
" 52, " 2,	"	nī'ctcat!a ^{*x}	"	nī'ctcat'a ^{*x}
" 58, " 22,	"	sqa'tem	"	sqā'tem
" 62, " 2,	"	ya ^ē kū's ^{*nx}	"	yēkū's ^{*nx}
" 62, lines 11, 15,	"	qayū'nats'tc	"	qay'na'ts'tc

p.	62,	line	18,	for	pk'it'i	read	pk'it'i
"	62,	"	18,	"	sqa'tma"x	"	sqā'tma"x
"	66,	"	16,	"	hacī'xam	"	hacī'xam
"	66,	"	22,	"	qnūwī'wūs	"	qnū'wī'wūs
"	66,	"	23,	"	hatca'yū'nE	"	hatc'ayū'nE
"	68,	"	3,	"	hatca'yūtNE	"	hatc'a'yūtNE
"	68,	"	7,	"	hacī'xam	"	hacī'xam
"	68,	"	10,	"	sqa'tEM	"	sqā'tEM
"	68,	"	13,	"	xawa'tx	"	xawa'tx
"	68,	"	17,	"	ha'ha'ntc	"	qa'ha'ntc
"	72,	"	12,	"	yaq"-	"	yaq"-
"	72,	"	17,	"	kū'nīsüts	"	kū'nīsüts
"	72,	"	23,	"	xwī'nis	"	xni'nis
"	74,	"	2,	"	xā'xa'tc	"	yā'xa'tc
"	76,	"	1,	"	yā'xa ⁱ	"	ya'xa ⁱ
"	78,	"	3,	"	tqūhū'nE	"	tqūhū'yū'nE
"	78,	"	18,	"	kūnū'tswa	"	kū'nū'tswa
"	80,	"	1,	"	kū'na'wa ⁱ	"	kū'na'wa ⁱ
"	80,	"	13,	"	Liha'	"	Liha'
"	80,	"	17,	"	L!xū'i-	"	Lxū'i-
"	82,	"	2,	"	ha'ku ⁱ	"	ha'kwī
"	82,	"	15,	"	L!xwīyū'txanx	"	Lxwīyū'txanx
"	82,	"	17,	"	ts'ha'yūnanx	"	ts'ha'yūnanx
"	82,	"	18,	"	L!xū'yūtsME	"	Lxū'yūtsME
"	94,	"	3,	"	qaxa'ntc"ax	"	qaxū'ntc"ax

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