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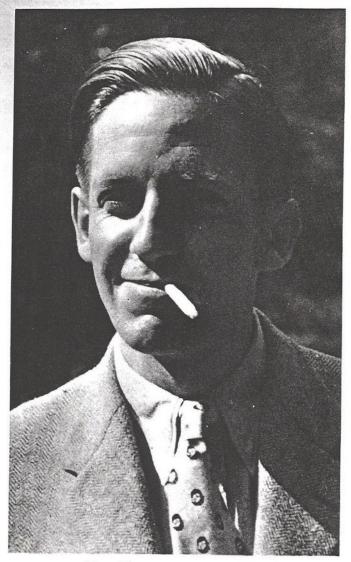
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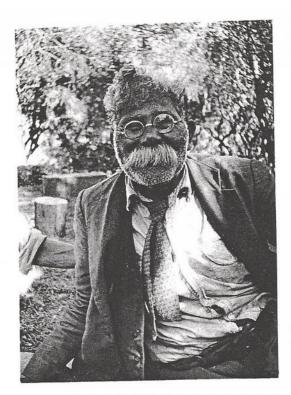
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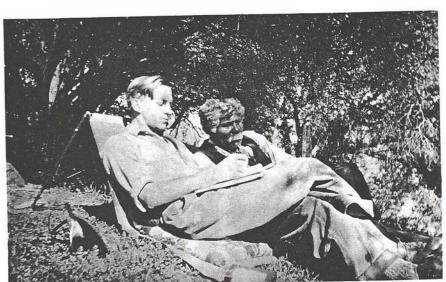
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Bill Joe's house



William Joseph, informant



Uldall and Bill Joe

INTRODUCTION

Ι

During the past decade, the Survey of California Indian Languages has made phenomenal progress in the achievement of its objectives, notable among which is the provision of accurate and copious data for use as the basis for historical comparison and reconstruction. Under the talented and dedicated direction of Professor Mary R. Haas of the Department of Linguistics at Berkeley, grammars, texts, and dictionaries have been and are being written and published in ever-increasing scope and number.

My own linguistic interests have been tied to this research since the middle of the nineteen-fifties—descriptively with Maidu, historically with the Penutian family of languages to which the Maiduan group belongs. This group apparently contained three areas of mutually unintelligible speech: Maidu, Konkow, and Nisenan. There seem to have been no intermediate dialects between Maidu and either of the other two, although it is possible that Konkow and Nisenan were bridged, albeit tenuously, by some speech communities sharing grammatical features of both languages.

I was already actively engaged in comparative research on Maiduan and Penutian when, in 1958, I received from Mrs. H. J. Uldall her husband's notes and manuscripts on the Nisenan dialect. These included a finished collection of texts with translations, final drafts of parts of a grammar (including a glossematically oriented section on verb inflection), and many other handwritten charts, slips, and notebooks. The material was ideally suited to fill a major gap in the information available on Maiduan and Penutian. I set about constructing a dictionary. It was my original plan to complete the fragmentary grammar and to include it with the texts and dictionary in a single volume. This plan was abandoned, mainly as a result of my talks (while I was on a Guggenheim Fellowship) with former colleagues and students of Uldall's in Edinburgh and Copenhagen. The grammar will be published separately by Dr. Niels Ege.

Except for the material in the present work, very little linguistic data have been collected on any of the Nisenan dialects. In 1928, A. L. Kroeber sent a graduate student, Hugh W. Littlejohn, to get word-lists for whatever Maiduan and Miwokan dialects he could find. Lists were obtained for the Nisenan dialects at Placerville, Colfax, and Nevada City; for the Konkow dialect at Berry Creek; and for Maidu at Quincy. None of these lists has ever been published, and Littlejohn's original manuscript is at present in the archives of the Anthropological Museum in Berkeley. Kroeber very

kindly called this material to my attention in 1958 and permitted me to have a photostatic copy made.

During the summer of 1964, a student of mine, Mr. Richard Alan Smith, spent more than two months with Mrs. Lizzie Enos of Clipper Gap, a few miles northeast of Auburn. Smith collected an excellent, although limited, corpus of lexical items in Mrs. Enos' dialect. It is hoped that this material, augmented if possible, will eventually be published. Of all the Nisenan dialects mentioned, Mrs. Enos' is the closest to the one spoken by William Joseph, the informant used by Uldall. The only published Nisenan sources are the short but very useful word-list in the back of Kroeber's The Valley Nisenan (UCPAAE 24.4, 1929) and a few forms in Ralph L. Beal's Ethnology of the Nisenan (UCPAAE 31.6, 1933).

II

In the present study, Uldall's texts have been reorthographized and divided into paragraphs. In the original manuscript, each sentence was numbered; this device has been abandoned in favor of numbers for whole paragraphs. The changes in orthography have been made for practical reasons. Uldall used the IPA notation, a system at considerable variance with the conventions currently favored by Americanists. Reorthographization will make the material more simply and directly accessible, particularly for comparativists. The chart shows the equivalents in the two systems; also, initial glottal stop has been added to all words beginning with a vowel in the original text. There is good evidence that Uldall would approve of this reorthographization, at least in principle if not in detail. In later publications, he quoted Nisenan examples with a revised orthography not significantly different from the one used herein. \(^1\)

On the basis of comparisons with cognates from the other Maiduan languages for which there are recent phonemic analyses, one finds an astounding accuracy and consistency in Uldall's broad phonetic transcriptions. It appears to be perfectly sound to take his writing as the equivalent of phonemic; indeed, a good deal of the allophony is available in his short published article on Nisenan phonetics. In spite of the information in that article and elsewhere, two problems remain: variations in vowel length and the structural status of stress. The best that can be said is that vowel length is probably phonemic and that stress is probably not phonemic. Both length and stress are represented in the transcription of the texts.

Uldall had begun a dictionary, Nisenan-English, in the form of a hand-written slip file. These slips have also been reorthographized and checked against the texts, a procedure which has more than doubled the size of the original file. The present two-way dictionary has been made from this augmented slip file.

¹Cf. "Outline of Glossematics, Part I: General Theory," <u>Travaux du Cercle Linguistique de Copenhague</u>, Vol. XI, 1957: pp. 77 ff.; and "On the Preparation of a Text," <u>Archivum Linguisticum</u>, Vol. XI, 1960, Fascicle I: p. 16.

²"Maidu Phonetics," IJAL 20, 1954: pp. 8-16.

Chart of Orthographic Revisions

Uldall:	$\mathtt{p}^{\mathfrak{l}}$	t'	t∫	t¹	у	k'	,
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VOCALIC FEATU . Uldall: Revised:	RES:				:	1	

One liberty was taken with Uldall's English translation of the texts. The Maiduan languages are stylistically characterized by the repetitive use of sentence connectives with meanings such as "then," "thereupon," "thereafter," "meanwhile," and the like. For the Maiduan listener these connectives have the artful effect of mounting tensions; in English, on the other hand, they vitiate the quality of the prose and often make an otherwise interesting text dull reading. The present English version has been extensively pruned of these connectives.

III

Hans Jørgen Uldall was born at Silkeborg, Denmark, on May 25, 1907. At seventeen he began the study of English and Danish at the University of Copenhagen. Otto Jespersen, who recognized his talents, sent him along to Daniel Jones at University College, London, where he studied in the Department of Phonetics from 1927 to 1929. After a brief period in South Africa, he returned to London as assistant to Professor Lloyd James in the School of Oriental Studies.

In December, 1928, an item appeared in the Bulletin of the American Council of Learned Societies announcing the establishment of a committee for research in native American languages, with funds provided by the Carnegie Foundation and with a committee of execution composed of Franz Boas, Leonard Bloomfield, and Edward Sapir.³ A report by the committee from the following year clearly demonstrated the viability of this plan.⁴ In connec-

ACLS Bulletin No. 9, December, 1928: p. 42.

ACLS Bulletin No. 12, December, 1929: pp. 28-29.

tion with the committee's work, Boas approached Daniel Jones, asking his help in finding promising young phoneticians to undertake field work. Jones' unhesitating and enthusiastic recommendation was H. J. Uldall.

Jaime de Angulo, representing the committee, met Uldall at a conference in Hamburg; it was decided that he would work on a California language. The 23-year-old Uldall and his first wife, Inge, left Europe by ship for San Francisco. Nancy Freeland de Angulo, who still makes her home in Berkeley, recounts with great charm her first meeting with Uldall. De Angulo (who was still in Europe) had given Uldall a red bandanna handkerchief, which he was to wave as the ship docked in San Francisco so that he might be identified. Mrs. de Angulo watched as the passengers disembarked and dispersed, but she saw no red handkerchief. Finally, when only a few people were left, up toward the bow, she saw a young man with his hand held rather timidly over the railing, trying to wave the bright-colored cloth so as to attract a minimum of attention.

The Uldalls stayed for several weeks at the de Angulo home in the Berkeley hills. It was decided that Uldall would work on Southern Maidu (now called Nisenan). He went to Auburn in the Sierra foothills and established himself with an informant named William Joseph—Bill Joe—the principal Nisenan with whom he worked over the next two years.

This would seem to be the proper place to quote in full the brief introduction to the Nisenan materials which Uldall wrote in Danish, apparently some years later. Dr. Søren Egerod was kind enough to translate this for me:

Maidu [i.e., Maidu, Kondow, and Nisenan] is (or was) spoken in a rather large area northeast of San Francisco. It is provisionally related to the so-called Penutic language family along with Miwok, Wintun, Costanoan and Yokuts. There are three main dialects: Northeastern, Northwestern (Konkow) and Southern. Of these the Northeastern dialect has been described (Roland B. Dixon: Maidu, an Illustrative Sketch, Handbook of American Indian Languages, edited by Franz Boas, Volume 1, pp. 678-734. See R. B. Dixon: Maidu Texts, Publications of the American Ethnological Society, Volume IV). In the sketch, Dixon briefly described the Southern dialect [Nisenan], from which we have only a short word-list accompanying some ethnological data (A. L. Kroeber: The Valley Nisenan, University of California Publications in American Archaeology and Ethnology, Volume 24, Number 4).

The material [i.e., Uldall's] was collected mainly around Auburn, northeast of Sacramento in 1930-31 and again in the summer of 1932. The chief informant was an old man, William Joseph ("Bill Joe") who at that time was about seventy-five years old. He was born in an Indian village near Forest Home that has now disappeared, and—as the texts will show—lived quite a colorful life. He later died on the reservation near Auburn. [He actually died in a local hospital on February 16, 1934.] Bill Joe was not only completely familiar with his people's mythology, which in his childhood was an integral part of the education

of boys, but he was also, in his way, a very gifted person, a brilliant story-teller, and a considerable polygot (besides Maidu he also spoke English, Spanish and Miwok).

I also used other Indians in addition to this excellent informant. However, the older ones found it difficult to learn to dictate and the younger ones had an inadequate knowledge of their language. For the most part I had to build on the information Bill Joe could give me; I used the other Indians only as controls. All of the texts were dictated by Bill Joe; the texts that I got from other informants are not reliable enough for publication.

I went about collecting the material in the following way: for a few days I just wrote down single words; then I obtained most of the texts; and, finally, quite late, I started the grammatical analysis, based partly on the texts and partly on further questioning. The analysis and arrangement of the grammatical system did not really get under way until after I had left California so that a number of problems arose when the material could no longer be supplemented. Bill Joe became paralyzed shortly after I left so that it was impossible to get further information by letter although he had learned to write his language quite well.

The work was financed by the Committee for the Investigation of American Indian Languages, the chairman of which is Professor Franz Boas of Columbia University. In addition, the Rask-Ørsted Foundation has given two thousand crowns which paid for the trip to California for my wife and me. The grammar is provisionally due to be printed in the third volume of the Handbook of American Indian Languages (Columbia University Press), of which two volumes have already been published.

Uldall's work was mentioned in the committee's reports for 1930 and 1931. In December of 1933, the following appeared:

Mr. H. J. Uldall continued his work in California. He completed the investigation of the Maidu and worked with Professor A. L. Kroeber on the tone system of the Yuki, the essential difficulties of which were solved. He also revised the discrepancies in the recording of the Achumawi by Mr. J. P. Harrington and Dr. Jaime de Angulo, which show that with a few systematic corrections both can be reduced to the same system.⁵

This report indicates something of Uldall's extensive interaction both with de Angulo and with Kroeber. By all accounts he was a great personal success with the Berkeley anthropologists and linguists of the time. He went on camping trips and Indian "big times" with the de Angulos and others; he was universally liked for his warm and effective personality and respected for his very great skill as a phonetician.

⁵ACLS Bulletin No. 20, December, 1933: p. 88.

In 1936 the committee's report makes reference to "collected material to be worked up." This material consists of an eighty-page discussion of grammatical processes, verb prefixes and stems (including anaphoric stems), and case and number in the noun. The exposition is straightforwardly Boasian and (of course) pre-glossematic.

Uldall went to Columbia in 1932 as a lecturer in phonetics. He received a master's degree in anthropology there and returned to Europe the following year.

IV

Soon after Uldall's return, an important and interesting series of events took place. We have an account of them in his own words, in an unpublished preface to the Outline of Glossematics; the preface was written in Cairo in 1942.

I came home from America in 1933, my head whirling with a newly acquired smattering of anthropology, with the linguistics of Boas and Sapir superimposed on the phonetics of Daniel Jones, and with the stubborn refusal of the language of the Maidus to conform to any grammatical pattern known to me. In Copenhagen I met a number of linguists struggling with similar problems, foremost among them Louis Hjelmslev, who had already published his Principes de grammaire générale, and who was just then in eruption against the psychologism of the Prague School Phonology. I immediately became initiated, and Hjelmslev, Lier, and I started erupting in unison as the Comité phonématique of the Cercle Linguistique de Copenhague. We founded yet another phonetic science called phonematics, which Hjelmslev and I presented at the London Congress in 1935 in a state of green unripeness. It caused a slight fluttering of the phonetic dovecote, principally because of its rich and rare terminology. The idea was to analyze and classify speech-sounds entirely on the basis of their functions, with no regard to accompanying platonic ideas on the one hand or physical manifestations on the other.

After the Congress we worked on. By this time both Hjemslev and I had moved away from Copenhagen, and Lier found it impossible, because of this and pressure of other work, to continue the collaboration, which was a serious loss. In the winter we realized that Meaning could and must be treated by the same method as Sound. The name of our new science was accordingly changed to Glossematics (glossa, a tongue); it later turned out that even this was too narrow, when we found out that the method had applications beyond Language. However, by that time it was too late to change again. "Phonematics" still remains as the name of the application of the method to the phonic substance of Language.

We started writing a book, to be called <u>Outline</u> of <u>Glossematics</u>, and during the winter, spring, and summer of 1936 we covered, and then discarded, reams of foolscap paper and inflicted a vast number of new terms

⁶ A CT & Dullotin No. 25 Tuly 1936: n. 87.

on the principal European languages with the help of a Greek dictionary; many of these have since been found dispensable, you will be relieved to hear. My time was almost entirely my own in those days, thanks to the Carlsberg Foundation, but Hjelmslev had to fulfill his duties as professor at the University of Aarhus, and so we worked at night, which was all right for me who could sleep in the daytime. In the early morning I would bicycle home through the snow, while Hjelmslev finished his final glass of milk.

In the spring of 1936 we got a publication grant from the Rask-Ørsted Foundation—entirely, I believe, on the recommendation of Professor Holger Pedersen; he did not, indeed, endorse the synopsis we presented, but he generously thought that although, or perhaps because, he could not sympathize with our radical and "philosophical" approach, the attempt should not be killed by lack of encouragement. We were also very flatteringly invited to publish the book as vol. 1 of the new series of the Humanistick Samfund of Aarhus—after we had both read papers about it to the Society.

Our ambition was to have the book ready in time for the Copenhagen Linguistic Congress in the late summer of 1936, and so confident were we that the work was approaching final form that we had special type cast for our formulae and sent manuscript to the printers as fast as it came out of the typewriter. Which turned out to be not nearly fast enough. Instead of an impressive volume the members of the Congress got a small pamphlet with a few sample pages, which very inadequately illustrated what we were trying to do. It was, as one candid colleague pointed out, decidedly not lecture de voyage; I find it difficult to understand myself now, and I tender my sincere apologies to anyone who may have struggled with it. The pamphlet advertized the book as "to be published in the autumn" but, through an oversight on my part rather than by guile, failed to mention which autumn. Hjelmslev's paper on the Morphematic Categories, read at the Congress, was considerably better glossematics, and so was his monograph on Case, although that was conceived before the revolution.

In the following years we were both too preoccupied with other things to make glossematics our main concern, but the work went on whenever time could be found for it, and Hjelmslev wrote a number of articles about it and lectured on it, both at home and abroad, and we discussed it furiously in the Copenhague. And the theory kept on changing. In 1938 we both read papers at the Phonetic Congress in Ghent and at the Ethnological Congress in Copenhagen. And still the theory kept on changing—in fact, publication always seemed to have the effect of precipitating a change.

In the summer of 1939 we both hoped to have a clear stretch of some months to edit the final version of the <u>Outline</u>. Then came the war and, the following spring, the occupation of Denmark, which put an end to collaboration at a time when the current <u>Outline</u> was still only a large collection of notes in duplicate, one copy in Copenhagen and the other in Athens.

During all this time we had worked together so closely that neither of us could tell which had contributed what and, incidentally, without ever quarreling. Since communications stopped I have changed my mind several times on several points, and I imagine that Hjelmslev must have done so too. The present position therefore is that I cannot make him responsible for anything contained in this book while, at the same time, the book would not have come into existence but for him, and a great deal of the theory was actually contributed by him.

I have hesitated for a long time to publish on my own but have finally made up my mind to do it, largely because I cannot get on with any other work until the theory has been presented.

My last communication from Hjelmslev was a letter via America announcing that he was publishing a preliminary edition of glossematics in Danish; before I could answer, the U. S. A. had entered the war too. I dedicate my own preliminary version to Louis Hjelmslev in the hope that it will soon be possible to continue our joint work on the Outline.

Sometime during the late thirties Uldall must have written the 43-page glossematic treatment of the Nisenan modal complexes—possibly the only application of glossematic theory to a non-Indoeuropean language. This material remains unpublished.

For the next several years Uldall worked for the British Council in various parts of the world. In January, 1950, he took up an appointment at Edinburgh University on the Linguistic Survey of Scotland. In 1951-1952 he returned to Copenhagen to resume his collaborative research with Hjelmslev.

Early in 1954 Uldall was appointed to the University of Ibadan, Nigeria where he set about organizing a projected Linguistic Survey of West Africa while teaching phonetics and providing instruction for schoolteachers. He died in Nigeria, suddenly and unexpectedly, on the 29th of October, 1957. He was fifty years old.

V

My profound gratitude must be expressed to Mrs. Elizabeth Uldall for entrusting to me the publication of her husband's Nisenan materials. Our discussions of them by mail and in Edinburgh and in Berkeley have led to a warm and (for me) most rewarding friendship.

I am also indebted to the Guggenheim Foundation for its support of my visit to Uldall's various associates in Edinburgh and Copenhagen in 1962. In this connection, my heartfelt thanks are due to Professor Murray B. Emeneau, who sponsored me for the Guggenheim Fellowship, and to Dr. Michael A. K. Halliday, Mr. J. C. Catford, and Professor David Abercrombie in Edinburgh, and to Professor Louis Hjelmslev, Miss Eli Fischer-Jørgensen, and Dr. Niels Ege in Copenhagen. Each of these people made my visit significantly richer and more meaningful. Dr. Ege was especially help-

materials and has consented to see them to eventual publication.

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It is impossible to overstate my feelings of humility and trepidation with reference to this preparation of Uldall's beautiful Nisenan material. I can only apologize, and take full responsibility, for all inadequacies and short-

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NISENAN-ENGLISH

b

salt. Salt was eaten in bulk. Originally the only kind they had was the ashes of a certain herb. Later they stole rock-salt put out for the cattle to lick. They burned this too with some unknown substance. saltless bammí (?) ba ~ be break one thing with rock bada knock loose with rock badap break several things with rock, one after the other badda miss (throwing a rock) bataj (?) ba crack (intr.) bacat badaj split (intr.), crack (tr.) go to pieces (when kicked), split to pieces (intr.) badajdajno(s) (?) go through thick brush or canvas bacalap run through going around baćalapwené ba ~ ba· spread something spread on ground bato ba· ~ ba spread spread out, lay down (blanket, etc.) ba·kit spread out (paper, cloth, etc.) ba·no old game with sticks somewhat like card game ba·ca eat something trifling like cherries or candy, salt, sugar bade? rain ba·j seeds rolled into ball bajja bakkal ~ bakka·l leaf with leaf bakkalni barn. From English. ba'n daylight, dawn. Also bykkaj. dawn, daybreak banakam wikeli ba? ~ ba salt be (?) bewil be willing

desire very badly

bewit

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run, go
be
  bedepinno go through
  bedokoj run
  bedokoj wo·mit run right into
be ~ ba (q.v.) break (?)
  becet have a piece broken off
be· crawl
  be dokoj stand straight up
  be·jé· crawl
  be mit crawl in
  beine crawl around
  be·né·n crawling around
  be ?u crawl without motion (be on all fours)
behes graze
bej now
  beji
         now
  bejdi
         now
  bej dim ke·paj right now
be'j new
bello
      murder
ben action with the foot
  bencol kick, mash up hollow thing by kicking
  bencolinno kick and shatter; kick through hollow tingh
  bendaj shatter with foot
  bendáp kick off
  bendatpaj
            step on
          kick against (a rock to free foot from something sticking to it)
  bendoj
  bendokonno kick over (upset)
  bendoksip kick out (ants and eggs). Also bendohsip.
  bendosinnótom
                   kicked through (kicked a hole in the door)
  benko
         put foot on
  benkopitím slippery for foot
  benkopitkojín slippery with foot
  benlat trample down
  benluspaj dirty (spring of water) with foot (as animal or man)
         step, take a step
  benno
          knock leg out of joint kicking ground
  benpol
  benťalak mash up with foot
  bentés break with foot
betej
      big
      story
be tej
      cane, walking stick
be-to
bet buck deer
bewet hurry
bi·bi· suck from a brush
  bi·biní with brush
bići pa be so cold one feels the nip on skin
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bip
        to ricochet, bounce off from (as arrow or bullet)
bipik
          strength; physically strong
bitil
         stop up; block (a passage); head off; stop water from running
bo
       drop; fall; hang down
             drop down from; fall down of own accord
   boda.
   bodada.
               keep dropping down
   bodokoj
               be hanging
   bodokojti
                hang (tr.)
   bokit
            (1) alight (bird from flight). (2) stick down, plant
   boke·kit
               go down steeply
   boke·kittí
                 cause to go down steeply
             (1) run into (brush). (2) fall into (a hole). (3) put in (rock into
         basket with water). (4) jump into (water).
   bomitti
              (1) put on. (2) hitch up wagon. (3) lose something into (water).
   bon
          fall
   bonno
             go down, set (of sun)
   bonno pajin
                  getting to be sunset
   bonnopytóm
                   nearly set (sun)
   bonpin
              fall down (from a tree)
                 unsaddle
   sija·boda·
      give; hand out
   bojo
           distribute, hand out (to people)
      (?)
   bodik
            overtake
   bohejpaj
              second (?). next to (?).
bo ~ bo.
            hit with stone in hand. Cf. bo. ~ bo
bo.
      mark, write
   bo·no
            write, mark
   bo·nóju
            marking instrument
   papel bo·p
               write letter!
       add
bo.
       sit, ride
   bo·ťa
            sit astride, straddle; ride to a destination
   bo·ťapé
            rider (on a horse)
   bo tato
              ride nowhere in particular
bo.
      road
bo· ~ bo
           hit with stone in hand
  bodokkoj
             stop from hitting
  bo kanne
               be ready to hit
  botil
          (1) stop from hitting. (2) head off.
bo· ~ bo?o
              jump, spring out. See bo?o ~ bo.
bo· ~ bo?o
               throw. See bo?o ~ bo..
         try to (dig?)
bo·be·
po.po.
          cut into skin (string)
bohis
         run around
bohóp
         mash up
bojé
        snow
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boje·ćeté
                       in spite of snowing
      bo·je·
                rabbit
      bokot
                back
         bokotná·ndi
                         on back side
      bomej
                advise; teach
      bomy
               be sorry for
     bone.
               gather, pile up
        bo nepe
                    industrious (woman)
        bo·ne·pehé
                       being (industrious) gatherer
     bono ~ bo·no
                      (1) be ignorant of. (2) get lost.
     bonoti ~ bo·noti
                         lose (a track)
     bono.
              ear
       bonojyjpe
                     have stick in ears
    bopaj
              to heat, e.g., rocks (by placing them atop piled wood)
    boso
             knife; spear; spearhead
    botop
             break (of string)
    botuj
             exchange
       botuj mitti
                     put in another, replace (as new part in car)
       botuj ti
                  (1) answer (a letter). (2) change (as horse to another grazing
            place).
   boť
           straddle a horse
   bo?o ~ bo.
                  jump, spring out
      bo·koj
                jump away under hammer
      bo·sip
                spring out quickly and suddenly
      bo·sipti
                 chase out (game)
     bo·sisip
                  spring out one by one
  bo?o ~ bo.
                  throw
     bo·dopmit
                   throw right into
     lajni boʻpnik
                     give me a little more
  bu ~ by
              see, look. See by ~ bu.
     bubusbus
                  (1) have eye half closed. (2) a little drunk.
 bu ~ bu·
               break wind
 bu· ~ bu
              break wind
         (1) skunk. (2) stink.
    bu pepe
                small black ants that stink
 bucul
          break (an egg on the forehead of an animal); break a fragile thing
          (egg, glass, etc.)
 buk
bukuj
          smoulder (of fire)
bun?
         pubic hair (used of both sexes)
busu
         boil guts and blood of an animal
buttuk
butuj
         (1) feather. (2) generic term for hair of human or animal, exclu-
         sive of head and pubic hair.
buť
       be mouldy
by ~ bu
            see, look. See bu ~ by.
  byćan
            be one-eyed
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byćyn
                   wink
         bydə·j
                   (1) have eye open. (2) have eyes popping out (as with fright).
         bydə·jəm
                      be wide open (eyes)
        byhei
                  watch
        byhis
                  look around
        bykakajkoj
                      blink sleepily
        byki·tusá
                     look down, try to
        bykon
                 motion with eyes
        bynene.
                   look around
       byno·n(un)
                     look (up in the sky)
       bysej
                 happen to see
       bysi pumen
                       see out, unable to
       by so
                 be blind
       by?ej
                be cross-eyed
           blow
      by cik
                 inhale
      by·ha(w)
                   breeze
      by·jé
               wind
      by paj
                blow on (with medicine)
      by pis
                blow (with nose); blow out (fire, light, etc.)
                 blow away evil (doctor)
      by skoj
          fly (?)
      by dokoj
                  fly up
      by kələkit
                   fly back down in great numbers
         (?)
               come out (being scared?)
     by sip
            breechcloth (used by women)
  bycym
     bycympé
                 wear breechcloth
  by·dá·
            fall down in numbers
  bydé
          mouse
    by de?
               mice
  byhahap
             be long faced
 byhe·he
             nearly daylight
 bykkaj
            daylight. Also banaka.
 byj
        leach acorns
 bykys
           cool (v. intr.)
 by·k ~ byk
               fear
 by koj
           scatter (intr.)
 bylel
          (to) respect
bylyl
         clear
bym
         bone
byppaj
           make high-pitched sucking noise
bysəsəsim
              little thing
by te
         only
bəhəp
          everything
  bəhəp na
               everywhere
bəksat
          buckshot. From English.
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bətcək

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  bəkəl
           put
     bəkəlkit
                put on top of something
  bəkə·lu be perched (on branch)
           revertive motion, motion backward
  bəkələ
    bəkəlləda.
                  drop back down
    bəkələda.
                 fall back down
    bəkələda ti
                  let back down again
    bəkələpin
                come running back
 bəkəm
           catch quickly in mouth
 bəkəs
          cold (corpse, etc.)
bəlləm
          run through (16 rows of Indians); jump over
   bələminnó
                fall over (a bluff)
         tie (a stick to a rope), tie up
bəmmək
           bump against
bənkəj
          glans penis
bə•ppaj
          all
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ć
    ća ~ ća·
                tree; wood; stick
      ćahyj
                get wood
    ća· ~ ća
                tree; wood; stick
   ćajahap
               whipsnake
        different; other; else
   ćaj
      ćajdi
               elsewhere
      ćajim
               different
      ćaj jakka
                  another but similar
     ćajky
               different
     ćajkyhe
                 another
     ćaj kym
                 the other
     ćajna
              away, elsewhere
     ćajwe•j
              talk different languages
  ćajit
          bluejay
          Chinese. From English.
  ćajni
 ćak
         tarweed seed
    ća ćak
              tarweed
    ća·ćakawunuknuk
                        field mouse
 ćakanwa
             jaw
 ćak
        climb (?)
ćalalal
           make the noise of shot falling on floor
ćat
       side
   ćatna•n
              bank
   ćatpekit
              lie on side
ćeda• ~ će•da•
                  breakfast, have breakfast
će·da· ~ ćeda·
                 breakfast, have breakfast
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cooking basket

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poor, of bad quality
ćeno
      be awake, wake up
će s
     angleworm
ći ~ ći· wear, have for cover
ći· ~ ći cover oneself with (blanket), wear
ći· clothes
ći ći
      rib
ćićol fry
ćihələm ~ ći·hələm become colored (water)
ći·hələm ~ ćihələm become colored (water)
     big rough wicker basket for catching fish
ćiń
      warm oneself at fire
ći·si cheese. From English.
čitok poison oak
ćiwi.
       clover
ćo burn up (v. intr.)
cobop make sucking noise
   cobopcobop
              make sucking noise
col (1) a head. (2) to head for.
ćot peel (tr.)
  ćotkoj peel off
cow (1) win out, break the bank. (2) clean up, finish up.
           finish up
ćo·ja medium thick acorn soup
ću· ~ ću·? melt; disappear
  ću·mit disappear inside
  ću·no disappear
  ću·sip disappear outside
ću· sudden motion
  cu-daw come very suddenly
  ću·pin
           come very suddenly
ćuju· willow with straight shoots used for baskets
ću·je mush
  ću·jejá
           make mush
ću·kka stretch prostrate in fit
ćukkelew slip away
ćum abdomen
  ćumto tickle abdomen
ćumkilli•t icicle
ću·no disappear
cup basket sticks for warp
  cupjawene basket sticks to pick around
cupit dive
  ćupithaha
            dive habitually
cupimwino? have a cramp
ćupitpit straight
ću·? ~ ću· melt (intr.)
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ćy ~ ćy·
              sink into; penetrate
    ćykit
             sink into (water)
 ćy· ~ ćy
              sink into; penetrate
              (1) enter the body. (2) hurt. (3) poison the blood.
    ćy·mit
    ćy·mitti
     scratch
               be scratched (i.e., be in the state of having been scratched)
   ćy·hym
              scratch (someone with intent to inflict injury)
   ćy·ki·t
   ćy·ky·t
              scratch
ćydem
          to contain a little water (of place with pool)
ćyj ~ ćy·j
   cyjlal
             four bits. "lal" is from Spanish "real."
   ma·ćamin ćyjimbo·m
                            nineteen
ćy·j ~ ćyj
              four
   ćy•jim
              four (men)
ćy·k
       deteriorate physically, waste away
            lean, thin; be sickly, consumptive
             cause consumption by food poisoning
   ćy•kja
cy kyj
         rash, eczema
ćy·ta ~ ćy·te
                 damp, wet
ćy·te ~ ćy·ta
                 damp, wet
ćə·k
       jug. From English.
  ćə•kpe
             a jugful
ćəkət
         fine-meshed net
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d

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go downward. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
   ?yda.
             get down off
         left (sinister)
daku
   dakuna n
                left
   dakupem
                left-handed person
dak
        desire
dam
        borrow
       go to and arrive. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
   ?ydaw
             arrive at
de
      eat with three fingers (acorn mush)
   depaj
            eat with
          noise of wood knocked against wood
dekkek
      head louse
       arrive. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
            arrive
di·1
       thick (of liquids such as soup)
       hug
  dimme?u
               hold in the arms
  dimpaj
             (to) hug
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(to be) worth (such and such)
 do.
    do ti
            buy
 do.
       bite
    do cik
             bite and kill instantly (as snake)
    do·ma·k
              try to bite
       spit
    do ćik
             spit against (wind, wall)
   do·da·
             spit out
   do·da? spit into dish, etc. held for that purpose
   do mit spit into something
          spit out slowly, let run out of mouth
   do.no.
   do sip
             spit out
   do ta
            spit on
      bang, pop, go off (gun)
            noise of gun going off
   dojjoj
 do·ja
        (to) pay
dok
       run
 dokon wire grass
        avoid
   domkoj
              run away to avoid something unpleasant
   domdaw
              come while in hiding from someone
   domhis
              skulk around camp, either playfully or in order to catch a
        woman
   domije.
              sneak away
   domne.
              hide something away from
           be in hiding
   dom?u?
don
       lead (e.g., a blind man)
   donto no
              lead away
dos
     roast
       (1) tie. (2) arrest.
dukuj ~ dukuj be drowned
   dukuj myjim he was drowned
   dukujti
            drown (someone)
dukut
       gnat
   du kutdu kut
                 gnats
    foot drum
  dul bo-
             to kick the drum
dum
       wet
       make the noise of falling on ground
  dupuphaha
              habitually make such a noise
dy. ~ dy.hy
              (1) bush. (2) brush.
dydyky exactly like
dy·hy ~ dy·
              brush
dyj breechcloth made of netting
dyt
      drink up
  dyttijatatomam
                    had nearly drunk up
də. ~ də.?
             laugh
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dəkkək (?)

make the sound a spear produces when it hits a basket dəkkəkti

stand still, stop walking

stand up (from sitting position) dəkədokoj

dakane. stand up

dəkəwo his stand around

da.s ~ da. laugh

go along laughing at oneself də.?omisweje.

ha call; name

ham give a name to

hamadi the so-called

say

when (someone) said haće

when I said hase

it is said (quotative) hatomatoj

be ha

haće ~ hase then

haćej maybe

hahase then

hahese ~ hahese then

hase ~ haće then

but, though hawete

ha carry on back

hadokoj to start (bearing load on back); get up with load on back

pack on back hapaj

hapajto koj pack on back

ha do

haha

do repeatedly

hamenće if you do that

haweje. keep doing going along

those together

halfbreed. From English. ha·bri·tim

haćuk sapling

hada already

> hadapo early

place name for region north of Qu Ranch, near Diy Creek hakali•tu

hakkyj hiccough

black willow halawaj

win (in gambling, racing, etc.) hale

haledyk win back, recoup

lose (handgame) halemej

haləkəsi limber

hama n something wet han

then; all

hancok both hancoknanna·n from both sides hancokna ni both sides handykdykno all kinds hanke no all hanke nona ni on all sides hanke·nopajke·pajim absolutely all the time ha n yes hanhan pigeon hanpaj quail hape accompany hapekoj go with hapepin follow yell, at the same time beating on the open mouth with the palm of hapypy the hand, the resulting sound being something like asasa. Probably onomatopoetic. then hasan hate provisionally hati stop, quit hartom tin. From Spanish "latón." haw fox (?) haw perform a special ceremony, as follows: The celebrant takes hawsip a bit of food from the basket and raises it to his mouth, removing it immediately and throwing it away with a sweeping gesture. This is repeated four times, each time to the accompaniment of the word "haw." ha·w yawn speak. Cf. ha. he hena shout henawohis shout around speak, talk henym talk going along, talk while walking henymtoweje henymweje će talking along go, walk hecokoj go around hećohis ~ hećohit go around hećono walk around hedatpaj close in, squeeze with knees pass fairly close to hehejno hehe jno? pass hekeno go on, continue going; go through hesej catch in the act (of stealing) discover hese j hetano encircle walk around in opposite directions hetanto

hije·lu

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pass going the other way
  hetujno
       yes
he.
       (?)
he.
                easy
  he · menti
         alone
he by
          bathe
hebyk
         this
hede
               here, here are
   hede dí
                this one
   hedekyhe
              this
   hedem
               this way
   hedena
        follow
 hej
              hold mourning ceremony for
   hejpaj
                track, follow the tracks of
   hejto•koj
          (1) remain, endure. (2) now, yet.
 hejak
           hurry
 he ka
        pass, cross
 hel
              cross (e.g., a valley)
    helliw
               pass by
    helləm
         play (handgame)
              handgame
    helaj
               gamble
     he·laj
                   play (with)
     helwej(to)
             blacksmith. From Spanish "herrero."
  helle•lu
            sweat
  helop
           be tired
  he · lu
               get tired
     he·lu·
            coal
  he m
              gopher
   hemeji
            henchman. From Spanish "gente."
   hente
             old, of long standing; old (of things)
   hep
                         old chief, i.e., one who has been chief for a long time
   he se
      he·sem hu·kum
           something, anything
   hes
               something; any
      hesi
                   something wrong
       hesima.
   het
           (?)
                 turn off (road)
       hetćyj
                 go across
       hetta.
                catch at, catch red-handed
       hette
            (to) show
    heťa
             dip out
    hetik
           smell (tr.)
                    track a smell to its source (dog, etc.)
    hi.
       hi·to·koj
                    track a smell to its source (dog, etc.)
       hi·to·paj
                (to) harrow
     hići će
               iron. From Spanish "hierro."
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hi•ki

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big snake
      hiliť
              panther
     hilaw
               ground squirrel
     hin
            bone (handgame)
     hin
            look
        hinće
                 see that someone is angry
        hinipypyj
                     be dizzy, half drunk
        hinmak
                   aim
     hin
            hang
       hinki•tu
                   hang down (intr.)
       hinki•tuti
                   hang up (tr.)
       hintykit
                  hang in clusters (as fruit, grapes)
           motion in water
       hindədətne.
                      float
       hinkit
                sink down
      hinmitti
                  put into water
      hinne n
                 floating around
      hinsip
                come to surface (of corpse, etc.), float up to surface
          (?)
      hinse?
                eat noonday meal; noon
      hintaj
               pass middle of day
   hin
          (?)
     hinnan
                front (side)
  hi·n
          precede, go on ahead
     hi·nkoj
                go ahead of the others
     hi•ntaj
               glance by, miss hitting, pass narrowly
     hi·ntoje
                take the lead
  hi·n
          eye
  hina
          net
  hipin
           up
 his
         weave (baskets, etc.)
         go around, wander about. This morph never occurs without a pre-
             wander around, go around and about
 hi·wej
           kind of dance
 ho
       cook in ashes
 ho.
        greet
   ho paj
              greet (by shouting from top of kum on festive or ceremonial
ho. ~ ho.?
               soap root
hodo
         yonder
   hododi
             yonder
   hodokyhe
                belonging to him yonder
  hodokynandi
                   on the far side
  hodona
             that way
hoj
       near
  hojdi
           near, close to
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odd (as in "twenty-odd years") ho·ma·m who; where homo somebody's homokyhe who (interrog.) homoky·m where to, whither homona heart; breast hon strike with the chest honbo. strike with the chest first honbo·hojja hondal breast in one's heart hondi hurt one's chest by fall or collision honcis shine this way with breast (?) honkakpi·ju?u honni "have one's heart towards," i.e., be attracted to, drawn to honto paj deep hon deep in (well, tunnel, hole, etc.) hondi deep in honna honna n inside feel, be in a certain mood hon test, try out (someone) honbe. test one another honbe toto be intrepid, be afraid of nothing honke ke be afraid, be lonesome honkele. honki. suspect get angry gradually honpu·sip reminisce, remember honsej reminisce reciprocally, exchange reminisences honsejto honta brood; think; be in a brown study hontakoj be surprised hontamit hontuj forget be angry (used only of women) hontow honwa no give up breath; breathe hon be out of breath running honhe breathe honhepin have asthma honhil honko cough have a cold honkoho breathe honpin go along panting, stagger along out of breath honpinhonpinweje. shelled acorn hon hundred. From English. hondot hop creek

hospil hospital. From English.

hossa shout in unison (used only of a crowd)

hoto ~ hotot drag

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hotosip
                     drag out
       hotot ~ hoto
                       drag
         hototije.
                      drag along
         hototkoj
                     drag away
      ho·toť
                bull snake
      howo ~ howwo
                        beads
         howoko
                    wampum beads
      howwa
                shout
        howwape
                     a shouter; chorus leader in kamhun dance
     howwo ~ howo
                        beads
        howwotu
                    small globular beads
     ho. ? - ho.
                    soaproot
         hide, conceal
       hujo
                hide things
       hujokoj
                  take away and hide things
    hu ~ hy
                take
       huda.
                take down
       hudokoj
                 pick up, lift up
       hukit
                put, put down, put away, lock up
       hukoj
                take off
      humit
                take into
      husip
                take out
      husisip
                 take out gradually
   hu•
          fly
      hu·dokoj
                  fly up, try to fly up
      hu·je·
               fly along
     hu·ne·
                fly around
     hu·no
               fly
  huje.
           twenty
  hu·k
           chief
  hun
          hunt; fish
     hunme
               fish with hook and line
    hunmo
               hunt
    hunmo•ju
                 hunting instrument
    hunmo kakoj
                     go hunting
    hunmo wene.
                     wander about hunting, hunt around
 hu·nunuk
              net tied to end of stick
 hus
         (?)
    huswej
              wish, pray
 hu·sa
          dance leader; to lead the dance
husla
          small feast: "small time"
           drunk. From Spanish "borracho."
huta cu
hutel
         hotel. From English.
huttuj
          change, move to another place (tr.)
hutu
        be crazy
huwe•nana
              water snake
hy ~ hu
           take
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(1) pack on back. (2) take back.
  hykəlləkoj
               take back
  hykələno
               bring back (ball in game)
  hykələpin
     house
            rent a house
  hydam
           have for a house, use as a house
  hype
          play house
  hyto
hy.
      (?)
             (1) talk ill of. (2) command.
  hy wej
hy.
      spin web
            spider web
  hy hy
            gather, bring
hy· ~ hyj
             come to gather something
  hy daw
            go around gathering
   hy ne
               come back from gathering
   hy to daw
             gather from ground, pluck (mushrooms, etc.)
hyj ~ hy.
            be going to fetch
  hyjkoj
       grouse
hyk
       visit
hym
            come to visit
   hymje
                  go over to visit
   hym?yje·koj
               visit, go visiting around
   hym?yne
hymhym
            horned owl
hypyw
          camp
       (?)
hys
   hyslominno
                  be astride someone
         be light (weight)
hyssy
hywalim
            fifteen
       abandon
hə.
hənhəpto
            agree
həntə
         hunter. From English.
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j

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hit with open hand
             slap with open hand
  japam
  jatap
              scatter (intr.)
  jatapkoj
ja ~ ja·
            call, name
            call, name
  jawi.
                        What is his name?
  hesi japebe my'm
ja· ~ ja
            call, name
  ja·paj
            shout at
ja·bo·
         fog
         shoot through
jaćap
ja·haj
          gravel
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jahəhənna
                     "love dance"
       jaj
              scold
              resemble
         jakka
                  be alike, resemble
      jakan
                saliva
      jakba
               face
      jak
             bridge
      ja·les
               name of tribe
     jaman
               mountain, hill
     jan ~ jawe
                    gather, pick (berries, clover, etc.)
        jankoj
                  go pick
     ja·tim
               yard. From English.
     jať
           brave (man)
     jaťa
            cover (tr.)
            (1) stir, mix. (2) dilute.
     jaw
             devil. From Spanish "diablo."
    jawe ~ jan
                  pick
       jawene.
                  go around picking
    ja·we
             door. From Spanish "llave."
       ja·wećik
                   close door
      ja·wekoj
                  open door
   jawni
            net sack, carrying net
          go along. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
   je•
      ²yje·
         wing feathers
     je•pe
              winged
   jebek
           crumble down, erode, cave in
  jećel
           split open (tr.)
  jekelew
              scatter, disperse
  jen
         crawl
     jenno
              crawl
          scrape off skin, skin (v. tr.)
  jepet
  jeń
        man, husband
    jeppe
             marry (of women)
 jeskələw
              string beads
 jew
        take (game) off trap or spear
 jewej
          return
    jewejdyk
                win back, recoup
 je·wo
          fast
 je·woho
            fastest (?)
ji.
       red clay
jim
       arm
   jimna wo·be·
                   arm-length: a measurement of the distance between
                   fingertips and neckline, used as standard for wood-
                   pecker headbands
   jimdykna·n
                 right-hand side
jim
       be sated, have a full belly
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strike without penetration (of arrow)
jitis
             ooze (dirt, mud, oil, etc.)
jiťiťikije•
      mash
jo
            mash, make mash of, administer severe beating to
   johop
   joćimi
             make cider
   joćun
      elderberry blossom
jo
      (?)
jo
               dart out (used of frightened bird or animal flushed from
   jodokoj
            be around
   jone.
       shoot (bow or gun)
             try out gun or bow by shooting
   jo·be
               shoot short: hence, be insufficient
   johe·lu
               shoot at one another
    jowi · to
       action with fist
             hit with fist
    jodoj
                  knock down with fist
    jodokonno
       put
              insert gradually
    jomit
            put into cloth or skin container
    jono
                     put in sack
       kostaljono
                      put in pocket
       wo·lsajono
       many, several, plurality
             be among
    joćuj
               mix
    joćujti
               be mixed up, heterogeneous
    joćujto
              be one among many
    johej
                 join (a group, someone else, etc.)
     johejpaj
                go in a group
     johisin
              congregate together, bring together
     jokol
                lie scattered about
     jo'ko ju
                gather
     jotypaj
        pack, carry
              haul
     joje.
               (1) pack out. (2) a pack net.
     jomin
        (1) swim under water in order to catch something. (2) flowing water.
               (1) clean off brush. (2) swim out under water to catch something
     jo·koj
                fall into body of water
     jo mit
               run (of water)
     jo·no
         flower
  jo.
             cider
   joćim
          pound in mortar, grind a little finer. "jok" apparently implies less
   jok
          strenuous action than "juluj," q.v.
            pillar, post
   jo·kit
            unhulled acorn
   jokol
          dust, ashes
   jol
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joldyk
                   dusty
     jollep
               flicker (of flame)
        jollepjollep
                        flicker
     jollip
               yew tree
     jolpet
               tar
     jom
             (1) suck out disease, treat. (2) shaman.
        jomme.
                   poison (v. tr.), shoot with poisoned projectile
       jommy se
                      doctor
       jomwo
                  tell to suck (out disease)
             green pine nut. Cf. to·n.
    jo·sej
              sale (of something)
    jot
           slap
       jotdojjotdoj
                       slap repeatedly
    jo·taj
             be unlucky, have bad luck
    joto
            (?)
       ?eti-joto
                   name of a constellation (Pleiades?)
    jo·to
            woodpecker head
   joťok
             dab, smear
      joťokťa
                 dab, smear on
   jowa
            leave someone behind
   jowwo.
              thunder (v. intr.)
          scrape with knife, scrape off bark
   jubak
            shine, glitter
   jubuj
            shade
  juću.
            wash (tr.)
     juću?omis
                    wash oneself
  judu.
           rake large numbers of berries off a bush into a "kojo" (q.v.)
  juhup
           fall out (hair, feathers, etc.), moult
  jukup
  juluj
          pound (acorns, etc.)
    julujćak
                 help pound
           mash (as an eye with a stone)
  jupus
 jupil
          glitter
    jupiljupil
                  glitter
 jу
       sp. seed
           dry brush, chopped up brush. Cf. dyhy.
 jy·hy1
 јуј
        stab, gore
 jyjyt
          scatter
    jyjytsip
               fly out
 jykyk
          be sleepy
jylykato
             run race
jypyl
          scatter
jymmat
            placer mine
          break in two (with fist, bullet, etc.)
jədəm
jəhəl
         (?)
   jəhəlidokoj
                  buoy up (action of water on objects)
jəhəp
         luck, charm
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(?) jə·kə j

jointed

(1) shoot further than anyone else. (2) overshoot target. jə·kəkəjjo jəlləm

compete in shooting jəlləmkustoto

be limp jələkəs

go limp jələkəkəskoj

one of four posts surrounding fire in roundhouse jələl

k

coffin. From Spanish "cajón." kahoni

log kaj

nephew's child ka j

lake kaje

cracker. From Spanish "galleta." kaje tta

mother's brother (older or younger) kaka

noise of sticks hitting each other kakaka wagon. From Spanish "carreta."

kale ta officer, constable, official. From Spanish "alcalde." ka·lte

nephew, niece: sister's son or daughter kam

shirt. From Spanish "camisa." kami sa

kammal

kammalhamit slip in slip out kammalhasip

again kan

(1) any more. (2) last (of a series). (3) again. kanno

continually, be continually kanti

bluff, cliff kana

cap (of a gun). From English. kap ~ kapi

bear (ursus) kapa

coat. From Spanish "capote." kapo ta

bark (of tree) kapum paint, cosmetics

kat

uncle's wife kati

horse. From Spanish "caballo." kawa ju

sugar of the sugar pine, fashioned into large balls and used as kawa•su universal medicine

hole in rock kawlu

friend (only vocative) kes

icicle killi t

icicle ćumkilli t

back kiw

pig. From Spanish "coche." ko ći green (referring to food) koćisi

frost ko.

black frost beda·m ko·

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ko·ćyly
               hail
   ko·kin
              frost
kojmo.
           rattlesnake
         sharp pointed pack basket
kojo
   kojo?yjemyse
                     sharp pointed pack basket
koko· ~ koko ~ kokko
                           spear
ko·k
         vulture, condor
ko·1
        nose
komow
           south
ko·ni
         Miwok Indians
kono
         girl
   konobej
               girl
   konoj
             girls
kope•ta
            gun. From Spanish "escopeta."
ko pi
         coffee. From English.
kop
        flame, light
   kopiti
             light (v. tr.)
   koptiju
              lamp
          sack. From Spanish "costal."
kostal
   kostaljo
               put in sacks
koto
         grandmother (generic term: paternal and maternal grandparents
         are not distinguished by special words)
kow
        (1) silver (white). (2) white woman.
kowo.
kući
        knife. From Spanish "cuchillo."
kuje.
         tule
kula
        pipe
kulali
         fence. From Spanish "corral."
kuwwa
          finish off, administer the coup de grace to one already half-dead
ky·hy
         gray squirrel
kyjysy
          (1) animal. (2) meat.
        woman; wife
kyle
   kylepe
             marry, be married (of man)
         liver
kylla
          (1) black. (2) dark (weather, etc.).
kylym
kyna•n
          side
ky pe
         (1) be in good spirits. (2) be apt.
kyse
        younger paternal uncle '
       umbilical cord
kə.
kə.
       guts
  kə·kol
             eviscerate
kəl
       climb
  kəlno
            climb up onto
kə·ləj
         mourn, be sad, be homesick
          arrow with crosspiece on shaft to prevent deep penetration
kə·nə·
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Kai

evening

Ка (?) kaćakpaj Kasip finish ka ~ ka· ~ ka·m action with hand put on hand for protective purpose, as using rag to pick up Kada something hot, etc. kado konno push over, upset with hand kado konnona. be able to push away kadakkoj seize by clapping hands together Kahatat rub with flat hand kaje·1 search with hand, grope kajə∙ push with hand ka•katat rub with hand kakutut crumble in the hand kalulupaj gather into handfuls Kapilsip squeeze solid substance with hand Kasej find, come across with hand kataj miss with hand katane. feel, press gently with hand Katapsip squeeze out a liquid, express juice katokpaj plaster with flat hand **k**attək touch gently kattekes press a trigger . kattə kju trigger of gun katy scratch Kaťil stop hole with hand ka ~ ka· pursue Kadokoj pursue quickly, chase without delay Kahistoto pursue one another kaje follow, pursue kakoj pursue over a long distance kano pursue ka· ~ ka pursue ka ćik lie in ambush ка· former ka· ~ ka ~ ka·m action with hand ka·be·n feel with palm of hand ka. do, deed ka ćej perhaps does ka hese when we were going to ka·ka·nohom several deeds ka•to play (v. intr.) kahəp be suspicious

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elderberry
       ka·m ~ ka ~ ka·
                            action with the hand
          ka·mbebe· feel repeatedly with hand
         ka·mbebe·hojja
                          feel first with hand
      kamak
                 acorn dough (after soaking)
      kamhin
                 name of a dance
      ka pe
               fellow
      ka pe
               own (v. tr.)
             (1) be cooked. (2) be ripe.
      kapi·pit
                 slick, smooth
     kat
            string
        katno
                 string (bow); cock (gun)
     Kaw
             (1) year. (2) country, land. (3) world. (4) ground. (5) time.
        Kawdyk
        kawnandi
                     beneath, below
       kawjakkati
                      make lower
    kawpo
               sound, noise
    Kede.
             brother-in-law (man's reciprocal term)
    kelele.
              be quiet (impers.); be deserted
      kethenym
                    whispering, surreptitious talk
      ketpaj
                 sneak up to
             name of brush-like plant three to four feet in height, with very
             hard wood and small, edible black berries; the wood is used to
          steep (?)
     kitpenno
                  steep slope
  kiw ~ kiw
                back
     kiwnanna•n
                    from behind
  ko
        friend
  kododoj
             round
         go; go away. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
    ?ukoj
    <sup>2</sup>ukojti
              let go
    ²ukuk
              go severally
 Кој
        pluck (fowl)
 ko•j
         gambling adversary
 ko jo.
         make even, even up (in gambling)
komi
          seed
Kot
        (to) face
   kotdokoj
               lie on back, facing upwards
   kotno•nu
               face, have front towards
Koto
        manzanita berry
kotom
          murmur
kowo.
         armpit
  kowo ćaj
               pack under the arm
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kuj swallow
        kujkoj
               swallow
        kujno
                swallow
        Kujsok
               neck
     Kuk
            rope, string
     ku·1
            bereavement (?)
       ku·les
               widow, widower
       ku∙lu
               orphan
    kum
            be poisoned
    kum
            (1) roundhouse. (2) hump, gopher mound
       kumbo.
                 jump on a mound
    Kut
          whistle
    kuť
    kutći
           knife. From Spanish "cuchillo."
    kutto·n industrious man; good hunter
    kym
          ooze out
   ky•ne
          scar
   kynyn ~ kənə
                   roll. Cf. kododoj "round."
     kynynto play at rolling
     kynyn?yn
                roll along
   kys solid
     kyskys
              solid
   ky·ť be sore, ache, be hurt
     ky tti hurt
  kywe fish crane
  Kywwat
          rumble (of belly)
  kəj coil
    kəjpaj
             coil up (rope) (tr.)
  kaj ~ ka∙j
              enemy
    ka·jtoto
              be mutually hostile
 kəl ache, be sore
 kələ
       turn back (intr.)
    kalada∙ ~ ?akalada•
                         (1) pull back down. (2) let (something) go back
    kələdaw
                                               down.
              come back
    каlакој
             go back, get back
   kələnowo.
             tell to go back
   .
Kələpin
             come back
 kən stoop
   kənkit stoop down
   kənnu
           be stooped, stoop continually
   kənpaj
          sneak up to
   kən?ije
             go around stooping
kənə ~ kynyn
               roll
  kənənə
            roll (intr.)
  kənəti
           roll (tr.)
Кэр
     jump
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jump in the air; spring up quickly

kəpidokoj

be alone

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kəwje.
                   go along alone
        kəwkoj
                   go alone
        kəwne.
                  go around alone
        kəwpin
                  come alone
       Kəwsip
                  go out alone
                                         1
   la·ći
            axe. From Spanish "la hacha."
   la
         (?)
      lahew
                elope, run away from
   la.
          stretch (intr.)
   la·j
           small
      la•jke•paj
                   very little
          red (?)
     laklakse
                  large bead of red stone worth from six to ten dollars. The
                  value is a function of the deepness of the red color.
  lak
         (?)
     lakky
              hooked stick
  la·lak
            gray goose
 lam
          far; long
    lamdi
    lami
             long, livelong, whole, all
    lamkydi
                high ones at (a cryptic gloss)
    lamkyti
                make longer, lengthen
    lamkyskys
                  longer
    lamkyskysdi
                    a little way (further)
la·n
         gather food (?)
lansis
           French. From Spanish "francés."
lapaj
         obey
lapukpuk
             Milky Way
lať
       leak
le
      (?)
   lebelem
               click
le
      lateral movement
  lebaklebak
                 scoop (with a sideward motion)
  ledanledan
                 wave away
  lekatkat
              clean off with sideward motion of hand
  lekatkatmana
                   to the place which had been cleaned with a lateral motion
  lekoj
           scrape off
 lekunlekun
                wave (someone) on
 leloj
          mix up
 lene
          stir with hand
 lepaj
          gather up
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lepajwene.
               go around gathering
          take out (as from a hole)
   lesip
         (1) cover, bury. (2) cover by scraping.
le. action with tongue
   le be taste with tongue (but not eat)
          put on regalia or best clothes
lehupaj
      drive (game)
le je
   leje•wo
           order (game) to be driven
lek
       deck out dead body
le·lot
        railroad. From English.
laman ~ lemman
                    at length
li·ći·ći hummingbird
lija·ta
       reata. From Spanish "reata."
likop
        mud
lilliki
        war dance
limme greasewood
li ple
        rifle. From Spanish "rifle."
lisjan
       Pleasanton (place name)
    lame
   loťo
          be paralyzed, unable to walk
  loťoja
          render lame by "shooting" with poison
  lo·wes
          be crippled, unable to walk
lo ~ 10.
           steal
  lope
          thief
lo· ~ lo
         (1) take away from by force. (2) steal.
  lo paha
           robber
     honker goose
lo•ja
        lawyer. From English.
loklo
       valley
      (1) abound (as game). (2) many.
lok
  lokke.
            be plentiful
  lokoje.
            (1) be plentiful. (2) many.
  lokpaj
          many times
  loktataje be continually plentiful, always abound
  loktike paj very much
lolla wolf
10.10
       old burnt bones, fossils
lu·1
      leg
lumaj
       feast
lummu
        (1) football. (2) kick. Cf. lu·l "leg."
  lummubo.
               try to play football
      cook in earth oven, bake
lussusati
           sound of a falling body (onomat.)
lyk drip
  lykda
           drip
           thin (of a liquid)
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lyl (1) redbud. (2) red marking on baskets.

lə?u?ə? olive. Originally the berries of the "coffee bush."

bite ma

> madas nibble, crack (lice) between teeth

mada dap open mouth (v.)

bite accidentally into something hard madajćik

makajal be hard to bite

ma· weave (baskets, rabbit-skin blankets, etc.)

hand ma.

ma camin

ma də kdə k wrist

let go, release ma·ti

ma fatta palm of hand

five, "one hand" ma·wyky

ma·wykpaj four times

do, make ma.

> ma·be do badly

ma·haw (1) make a loop. (2) loop (noun).

ma · ti do thus

ma·cesi matches. From English.

maj salmon

> maj?o? limestone. Literally, "salmon stone." According to legend, the Coyote turned the salmon into this kind of rock.

majdyk (1) man. (2) twenty.

majen (1) female chief. (2) chief's wife

with the hand (?) ma·k

ma·kbe· test strength, try skill

head ornament worn by chief. A straight stick worn at the back makki of the head and decorated with a woodpecker or quail and a bit of abalone shell.

with the breast, with the stomach mal

malije. crawl on belly

malpaj reach by crawling on the stomach

man cedar

manaj (1) small. (2) boy.

manka? wild strawberry

ma'no all

ma·nta calico. From Spanish "manta."

mas (1) son-in-law, brother-in-law (man's reciprocal term).

> (2) sister-in-law, brother-in-law (man-and-woman's reciprocal term).

masan ring

masap persuade, plead

masaw beard, moustache

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massa
               perform (in a ceremony)
    ma·waj
               leave food uneaten. Cf. ma "bite."
            you (plural)
    me.
    me.
            load on the back
       me·be·
                  try to pack on back
       me•jakpaj
                   fix a load on back
       me·je·
                 pack along on back
       me·mbe·
                   try to pack on back
    me·
            get, catch, grab
      me·da·to
                  play at taking from
      me dyk
                 take back
      me·koj
                 go and get
      me·lo·to
                  all fight to catch
      me·me
                 a handle
      me·no
                catch, go and get, fetch
      me pytoće
                   when nearly caught
     me·sa
               try to catch
     me.?u
               keep
  me·bew
              have mouth quiver in distress (previous to crying). Cf. ma "bite."
  me·j
           give
     me·jnowo·
                   tell to give
     me•jpe
                giver
           have broken teeth. Cf. ma "bite."
  mekel
  me·mus
             rheumatism
  menekym
               anybody
  me?ennan
               (1) beyond.
                           (2) from the other side.
 mi
        you (sing. subj.)
    mike
             you
    mime.
              your (pl.)
    mimeke
                ye
    min
            you (obj.)
 mići
         suckle
 min
        mother's milk; breast
mit
        enter, go into. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
   ?ymit
   ?ymitpyto
                 nearly go in
   ?ymitwes
                about to enter
mo
       thin, pointed
   moćudadat
                 have thin face
   moćuda·da
                 make face sharp in anger
            point of thing (knife, hill, etc.)
   motuk
       (1) action with mouth. (2) bite. Cf. mo "say, tell," mo "drink,"
mo
                                mo· "taste," and ma "bite."
  moćupćup
                soft (of food)
           suck the genitals
  modosinno
                bite hole through
  mohol
            bite through
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NISENAN-ENGLISH
                  bite off something easy to bite
         mokot
        mokopitkoj
                       slip out of mouth
        mopyjćik
                     bite into
            say, tell. Cf. mo "action with mouth," mo "drink," mo "taste,"
     mc
        mokyspapaj
                       tell a lie
        mosip
                  prove by testimony
       mosip
                  talk out loud
                   cry along, cry while walking
       mosusu
            drink. Cf. mo "action with mouth," mo "say, tell," mo "taste,"
    mo.
       mo·ho
                 drink
       mo·juna
                  drinking place
      mo·paj
                 drink with
      mo·tiju
                  watering trough
           taste. Cf. mo "action with mouth," mo "say, tell," mo "drink,"
    mo·
      mo·be·
                 sample by tasting, taste
      mo·mbe·
                  taste
      mo sak
                 taste good. Cf. wosak.
          there, that one
                 from there
     mo·na·n
   mo·da·
             ward off evil
  mokol
            plum
     mokolkol
                  large species of plum
     mokolola?
                   small species of plum
  mokololo
              round basket for storing valuables. It is made by a female
              relative in such a way that it may fit one's face as a cover-
 mokos
            big manzanita
 mol
         (1) fleece. (2) skin an animal.
 mole
          be frightened
    moleti
              frighten
 molmol
            boil (tr. and intr.)
 mo·lo
          star
   banakam mo·lo
                      morning star
   kajim mo·lo
                   evening star
   mo·lokepakan
                    Diamond Spring. Literally "Morningstar's Spring."
         water
monisjon
            shot. From Spanish "munición."
mono
         charge (fee)
monu
         prostitute
mow
        antler
mowop
          bent over (as tree)
muj
       that, there
  mujna·n
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from there

with that

mujni

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muk big, great
  muktin greatly
          big
  mukuje.
  mukuje tin greatly
mu·la mule. From Spanish "mula."
mulalpu hulled acorn
my (1) 3rd person pronoun. (2) that; thus.
  myhe him, her
  myhe his, her (poss.)
  myja. ~ myjaha (1) thus, be thus. (2) this.
  myjahana from being thus
           from this
  my ja·nan
  myja·ti do thus
  myja tiweje go along doing thus
  mykanim same
        them (dual)
  mysa
  mysa· their two
          them
  myse
  myse their
             they for their part; as far as they are concerned
  mysekym
my shoot (tr.)
  my boje koj hunt
  my sa try to shoot
  my ?yj shoot (intr.)
  my ?ohojjapem first shooter
  my ?owo tell to shoot
my - myj that. Cf. my "that, thus."
mydyk true, truth
myk pile
myj ~ my there. Cf. my "that, thus."
  myjdi there
        that
  myje
  myjna·n from there
mynym at once
  mynymkan at once
         be mischievous, frivolous
myskoho
mə stick on (?)
  madakpaj stick onto
me bite. Cf. mo "action with mouth," etc.
  madakpaj bite on, hang onto with teeth
  makat bite off
  məkəl bite in two
məcəw buttock
məhəp agree
  məhəpito agree with each other
mə·jək lazy
         club
məllə.
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mələk

ne s

ni

I

my

me, to me

ni·

nik

we. Cf. na·s "we two."

mələkpaj

repeat

repeat

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mələminno
            run over
 məspə
        drinking basket
 məsəw
          chin
        curse
 mətəw
   mətəwtəwnototo
                   curse one another
m?m
       no
                               n
   go down. This morph never occurs without a preceding element.
   ?yn
         descend
           climb down
   ?ynda
   ?ynno
           sink into
   ?ynnoti
           shove (something) down into
      mother (vocative)
nak
      straighten
na's we two. Cf. ne's "we."
    mother
ne
ne go about, around. This morph never occurs without a preceding
  'yne go around
  ?yne·to
          play at walking around
    old
  ne•ky
         old one
  ne ke paj be very old
      grow
  ne·ti make grow
  ne tike pajin extremely
nedi.
       dream
nen
      move
  nenćak
           move in company, move in a group
  nencakto move together from different directions
  nencap move away in anger
  nendaw? move hither
  nendik arrive here
  nenkoj move
  nenmit move into (a house)
  nenne? camp around, change camp
 nenno? move a little way
 nensip move out of (a house)
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nikna•n
                from me
    nisaka
               us two
    nise
            us
    nise.
             our
    niseke
              from us
    nisena·n
                Indians. Literally, "among us."
 no
       ?
   notaj
             west
   notow
             east
       (1) top. (2) end. This word refers to an arbitrarily designated
nok
                    "end," as that of a football field. Cf. ?okit.
nuk
       (1) like. (2) desire.
nyn
       joint
nyn
       roll (tr. and intr.)
  nynije
             roll along
  nynkoj
             roll a long way, roll (intr.)
  nynko·ju
              lie, lie down
  nynmit
             roll into
 nynne.
            roll around
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p
   pa
       copulate
   pa~ pa·
               (1) eat (gen. term). (2) food.
      pajel
     pajelkoj
                 go to eat
     pajelto·daw
                    come back from eating
  pa· ~ pa
               eat
     pa·bej
               new food
  padiť
           chaparral
        (1) get upon. (2) go up to. This morph never occurs without a
  paj
                          preceding element.
              (1) get upon. (2) go up to.
        (1) foot. (2) track (of animal or man).
 paj
    pajdəkdək
                  tendon
    pajhejne.
                 track around
    pajjo
             dance
    pajjopapaj
                 dance for (someone)
   pajsuksukni
                   with the heel
   pajto·koj
              follow in someone's footsteps; to track
pa·ka
          (1) beef. (2) cattle. From Spanish "vaca."
pakaj
pakan
          spring
          dry, black buckeye ball
paka·t
pakpak
          (1) egg. (2) testicle.
pakalte
          pay. From Spanish "pagar."
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blue racer snake
         pal
                 fish
         pala
         pala·1
                   cottontail
        palla.
                  water oak
        pan
                Indian tobacco
           panmo
                     to smoke
        panaka
                   thick brush
       panaka
                   woodpecker
       pa·ncaka
                    beaver
       pandak
                  bow
       panitu
                 handkerchief. From Spanish "pañito."
       panjol
                 Mexican. From Spanish "español."
       pantolo·1
                   trousers. From Spanish "pantalón."
      pa·pa
                grandfather
                (1) foot. (2) butt (of gun). (3) butt end (of animal).
      papak
         papakdi
                    at the foot (of mountain)
      pape
              knife edge
              paper. From Spanish "papel."
      papel
              seed beater. This instrument, equipped with a handle, is also used
     pataj
              in ball games.
     patca
     pata k
               Water dog
           shamanistic power
     pe
    pe
           open
       pecap
                 cut open
      peholokpi·n
                     have a hole open hither
          eat. Cf. pa ~ pa· "eat."
               eat with
   pe
          full
   pe
          speak (?)
      peba.
               ask
     pedaw
               make a speech
     pekit
              take leave
     petaje
               make a speech
         people (?)
    pe·na·n ~ pe·nan
                         people
     we pe·nanky
                    common people, just people (and not something else)
 pe·ćew
            be mischievous
 pehəp
           to fit
 pej
        grandchild, grandson
 pej
        eagle
 pej
       pet
pekəl
          slit, cut (as a throat)
pe·llali
           "two bits," 25¢. -lali from Spanish "real."
           arrest. From English "prison."
  pele sumhy
                  courthouse
pe·n
        two
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pe ncyjim
                   eight
     penjo
              two-feathered (arrow)
     pe notom
                  twelve
     pe npaj
                twice
                double-barrelled, "two-mouthed"
     pe npys
  penno
     kitpenno
                 steep slope
  pe pwo omis
                  daub oneself with insect repellent
           (1) come repeatedly in order to get something. (2) love, like.
 pesak
 pesalte
             weigh. From Spanish "pesar."
 pe·sip
            door, doorway
           money, dollars. From Spanish "peso."
 pe·so
 pete nu
            bridle. From Spanish "freno."
 peti.
          daughter-in-law
 pettuj
           turn (intr.), turn around
                invert, turn upside down
 peto
          straight, even, even in length
    petoti
              measure (v. tr.)
       swim
    pidaw
              arrive swimming
    pih?oj
              swim away
    pije.
            swim along
    pije·daw
                arrive in order to swim
    pisip
             swim out
    pita·to
              swim across
       (?)
   pikylys
               be jet black
        (1) faeces. (2) defecate.
 pići
 pićyj
         become wrinkled, shrivel up
pi·men
           grape
       approach, come hither. This morph never occurs without a preceding-
        element.
   ?ypin
             approach hither
   ?ypipin
              approach severally
pin
       hear
   pintano
              listen!
   pintanowo.
                 tell to listen
   pintanowohis
                    go around and listen
   pinto paj
               listen toward
pine
        take along picnic lunch
pippa
         sweet soup made of water-oak acorn
pis
       suppose, think
pitcak
          lizard
         sharp-leaved plant growing near rivers; "basket-root"
pi·to?
pitta
           sour green plant growing on rocks; mesambreanthemum
pittatak
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piw
               grapevine rope
      pi we
                open treeless country
      pi·wena·nmyse
                         people
      po
             skin
      po.
              trap birds
                   snare (made of hair) used only for birds
         po·ky
             daughter
     po.
     po· ~ po·ho
                      night
        po kecyk
                      star
        po kecykymbukpe
                              comet. Literally "star having tail."
        po kylys
                     dark of night
        po mbok
                     moon, month
        po mbokkano
                         moonlight
                  hunt at night, nighttime hunt
       po my
       po to
                 hunt at night
                 cross legs; lie on back with crossed legs
    podokso
    po ho ~ po.
                    night
    poje ~ poje·
                     duck
    lpo je?
              wave (water)
   lpojow
              camass (bulb of a lily)
   lpole
            drive away
   Ipolo
            buckeye; buckeye ball
            indulge in erotic play
   Ipoloj
             sickness (i.e., the object the doctor must drive out of the body)
   Po loj
   Ipolpola
              gunpowder. From Spanish "pólvora."
   Ipop
          bang
     popti
               blast (v.)
  Iposko
            ball
  Po sol
            boil (v.)
  Potpoto
             frog
           green brush (tule, willow), tall grass
  Ipotto
  Ipo to
           adobe
        shell (of nut), skin (of fruit), etc.
 Ipu.
         be swollen
 pulba
           dove
 Pulu
         mortar
 Pous
         skin an animal
   Ipuskoj
               skin an animal
Iputas
          hull (of acorn)
lpy
      ((?))
   Pyhol
             side hole; vertical hole; hole in wall
   Ipyholholno
                  (1) opening, clearance (as through brush).
                  (2) hole (as in wall, etc.).
Ipycy.
          ant
Ipyj
       ((?))
  Ipyjca
            place
  Pyjcadi
              out of doors
  Pyjcana
              outside
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(1) children. (2) small.
pyjyty
       California poppy seed
pyk
                  go around picking poppy seeds
  pykjawene.
pyl
       open, undo
             (1) uncover, remove covering. (2) open up by itself.
  pylkoj
   pylno
            untie
          round, spherical. Cf. polo "buckeye ball."
pylyly
       (1) wound. (2) be wounded.
  pyntoja
              make vertical hole through
       bounce, jump
  pypdokoj
               bounce up
           fork (of road)
pypakto
         (1) mouth of hole. (2) gun barrel.
pysip
pyto
        nearly
  pytodaw
              nearly come
         spider
pyssy
pytow ~ pytyw
                  deep
pytyw ~ pytow
                  deep
        stink, poison surroundings by foul smell
pyťa
pyw
        camp
           fit (as a rope to one's back)
pəhəpti
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palas
         testicles
pata
        baby
   paťaky ti
                have labor pains
   patapetipe
                 midwife
   paťati
             give birth
pek
       crack (v.)
pel
      penis. Cf. to nehe.
      dry, stiff
   pićukti
              dry halfway (meat, etc.)
   piholol
              be dried up (of corpse, animal)
   pikak
            stiff (of corpse)
      ripe, cooked
   pićup
            be cooked soft
   pihəp
             just right, ripe, cooked
     hot (?); burn (?)
   pida.
            burn out, die down (of fire)
   pidep
            hot (weather and food)
   pidokoj
              (1) start fire. (2) catch fire, blaze up.
   pidokojti
                cause to blaze up
   pije.
            burn (of running fire, e.g., grass or forest fire)
   pikəp
            (1) warm (weather). (2) warm (temperature).
  pinan
            red hot
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pita
             burn
     pitadaw
                 burn hither, burn toward here
     pitakoj
                burn away from here
    pito
             melt (v. intr.)
 pićak
           lizard
 pil
        shine
    pilpil
              shell pendant
          torch, burning stick. Cf. pi "burn" and pil "shine."
 pi·lu
          be ripe in spots (of tree or fruit)
 pipaj
        clean guts, squeeze waste matter out of intestines of dead animal.
 pit
        Cf. pići "faeces."
 popo. ~ po.po
                   dry grass, straw
pu·min
            dust (in road, etc.). Cf. jol.
   pu·minna
                 to ashes
pun
        (1) tie knots. (2) invite with a knotted string.
         (1) fire of straw, set to drive away grasshoppers. (2) to make such
pu·b
                                                                a fire.
        angle with hook and line, fish
pyly
   pylykoj
              go fishing
pyt
      cold (weather)
pəkkəsi
           elbow
pəl
      basket (?)
  pəlla-j
             medium-sized basket
            basket (generic term, usually used for rather large baskets)
  pəlləs
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(1) burn (intr.). (2) fire.
    sati
            burn (tr.)
    sa·wo
             (1) tinder and flint. (2) matches.
    sa·woho
               fire drill
 sa din
           sardines. From English.
 saha
         ditch. From Spanish "zanja."
 sa·ma·
           run away
   sa·ma·na
                run away
sajda
          cider. From English.
sampaj
            watermelon. From Spanish "sandía."
santi ja
sapa·tu
           shoe. From Spanish "zapato."
sapwij
          three
   sapwijnaha
                  three o'clock
satakpi
           butcher knife
sa·to
         shooting star
se.
       gather objects lying on ground
sedej
         blood
sej
      how many
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sukku

suk

dog

smoke

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head net
sekki
       river
sew
             lower
sewjakka
         stain (v.)
sićik
           hold in hand
sido do
         dew
sihim
         awaken by pushing or poking
sihəj
              go and wake up
  sihəjno
        (1) saddle. (2) put saddle on. From Spanish "silla."
si ja
         make
sije.
               tell to make
   sije wo
          mockingbird
sikaltu
           cigarette. From Spanish "cigarro."
sika·lu
          (1) occupy oneself. (2) work at. (3) work at with difficulty.
sikoso
        poison "bullet"
sila
sikəj
         waist
        mouth
sim
                  wash face for
   simpapakti
                whistle with fingers
   simpylaw
          plant (v. tr.)
simla
        emerge, go out. This morph never occurs without a preceding
        element.
   ?ysip
             emerge
         strap
sisik
           Sison (personal name)
 siso•n
           look after, take care of
 sitapaj
          species of seed
 si·wi
       soft round bun, made by cooling basket of thick acorn mush in water
 SO
            make buns
    soja
        carry on shoulder
 so.
                get up with heavy load on shoulder
    so dokoj
                pack on shoulder
    so to koj
        sing
 sol
          shoe, moccasin
 solo
                          hat. From Spanish "sombrero."
 somle·lu ~ somle·nu
 so·tolo ~ soto·lo
                      throat
                   point; poke; insert (finger, stick, penis)
 su ~ sy ~ sy
              point with finger
    sukol
                 point at with finger
    sukolpaj
              (1) stop up. (2) shove in (as with stick).
    susop
             poke at with fire, touch with fire
    sutoj
           sweet
 sudak
           back posts near the foot drum in roundhouse
 sudok
            Q. wislizenii
 suhew
           move body while sitting
  su·je·
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         suknan
                    smoky side (of the fire)
      suloj
               loaf of acorn bread
      sulta·nu
                  soldier. From Spanish "soldado."
      sulu n
                saloon. From English.
      sumu.
                sugar pine
     susul
               ripple in water
     suť
            be coiled (of snake)
            action with hand (?)
     sy
        sydokoj
                    hold up
     sy ~ sy· ~ su
                       point; poke; insert (finger, stick, penis)
        sydyj
                 tickle with stick or finger
       sydəp
                 set fire to by poking with burning stick
       syhelewno
                     poke a hole through
              (1) poke or prick with finger or stick. (2) aim.
       syj
       syjkittoto
                     jab each other (with spear)
                stick down into (as a sapling in the ground)
       sykit
       sykelewno
                     poke through
       sykyj
                scratch with finger or stick. Cf. sy kyj.
      syla
               be pricked (by thorn, etc.)
      synene.
                  point around
                (1) shove in (penis). (2) poke. (3) shove in (straw).
      synno
      syno.
               point at
      syno nu
                 aim, hold a bead on
      sypa·ju
                 point out
     sypin
               poke towards me
     sypi•ju?u
                  point at (with gun, etc.)
              poke (with stick). Cf. sutoj.
     sytoj
     syttək
               punch lightly with stick
     syttəktək
                  punch lightly and repeatedly with stick
  sy· ~ sy ~ su
                    point; poke; insert (finger, stick, penis)
    sy be
               feel with stick
    sy kyj
              have itch. Cf. sykyj.
    sy kyjwamaj
                     be sick with rash; itch
    sy paj
              aim (v.)
    sy paj?u
                be aimed
        dig. Cf. sy ~ su "point; poke; insert." Digging was done with a
        pointed stick.
   sykda•j
               slice (v.)
   sylka
            prick with sharp stick or knife. (<*sykla?)
   sykwe
             dig
   sykwene.
                dig around
sykyn
          (?)
   ?ole·sykyn
                  rainbow
sykaj
         waist
sykəlkəl
            (1) cut up (a deer). (2) cut up (a tree). (3) saw.
  sykəlkəlkəl
                  cut to pieces
       forehead
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        syno
                 branch
        sypek
                 fork of antler
        syw
               digging stick. Cf. sy ~ su "point; poke; insert."
       sələj
                level (piece of ground)
      taj ~ tawaj ~ ta·waj ~ ta·wwaj
      taj ~ ta·j
                                         west
                 string of beads
      ta·j ~ taj
                  string of beads or shells
      tale
             cover, bury
      tamas
               winter
        tamashi
                    winter
        tamashy
                    spend the winter, winter (v. intr.)
            (1) a white weed. (2) a straw. (3) a boys' game in which a yellow-
     tan
                                               jacket is induced to grasp a straw
    tapbelhis
                 move around very quickly, scatter (of game or men)
                                               and fly with it.
    ta·plam
                board. From Spanish "tapla."
    tata.
             dipper
    tatat
            (1) black decoration on basket. (2) a weed.
    tawaj ~ ta·waj ~ taj ~ ta·wwaj
   ta·waj ~ tawaj ~ taj ~ ta·wwaj
                                      west
   tawak•ku
                tobacco. From Spanish "tabaco."
   tawal ~ tawhal
                     work (v.). From Spanish "trabajar."
   tawhal ~ tawal
                     work (v.). From Spanish "trabajar."
   tawsen
            thousand. From English.
  ta·wwaj ~ tawaj ~ ta·waj ~ taj
        father
  te·
         son
     te•bej
              youth
     te·mmanaj
                   (1) small son. (2) small deer, fawn.
    te·naj
              boy
 te.
        be lined up
    te·le
            line up (intr.), be lined up
 tekna
          (1) a trap. (2) trap (v. tr.).
    teknabo.
                be caught in a trap
 temaja
           dancer of tu·ra and hiwe
te·nta
          store. From Spanish "tienda."
   te·ntape
               storekeeper
tew
       flat basket for sifting and winnowing
tiki·li
         game played with 2-1/2 feet of rope and sticks to throw it with;
tila·pu
         rag, canvas (as material). From Spanish "trapo."
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tilu·ku

red willow

tiwil

wheat. From Spanish "trigo."

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to.
              bring, carry
                     (1) bring. (2) return home.
          to daw
          to dik
                    arrive bringing
          to je
                   take along
          to·je·ju
                     (1) singletree. (2) instrument for carrying.
                   (1) get along with. (2) take to (some place).
          to·koj
         to nehe
                     "that which is carried": euphemistic term for penis
         to·no
                  take, transport
         to pin
                   bring
               torch. Cf. tomma.
      to·ho
      tok
             pointed, sharp
        tokpeti
                   make pointed, sharpen
     tok
             action with hand
                  (1) release grip. (2) release bowstring.
        tokda.
        tokdoko•ju
                      hold up hand
        tokkitmamka·hejne
                              trace fingerprint (?)
       tokkoj
                 let go grip, release one's hold
       tokno
                 rag held outstretched in both arms by women in a dance, waved
                 in a gesture of measurement
       toknoho
                   the length of an object measured in the manner described in
    tokis
             cook (v., generic term)
    to·kka
              whistle
      to·kkap
                  whistle (v.)
   tokko·k
              burrowing owl
   to·laj
            feather skirt
   to·m ~ to·me
                    (1) mother's older sister. (2) father's older sister.
                    (3) older brother's wife if older than one's own mother.
                    (4) father's older brother. Cf. kyse?.
  tomma.
              torch
     tomma
                light a torch
     tommahape
                    one who has a light, e.g., a man with a lantern
  to n
          pinenut
 top
         (1) shake down (acorns) by climbing tree.
         (2) clean out (acorns) from a tree. Cf. wuhu.
    topeca.
               "favorite tree": a tree on which one has placed a marker
               claiming it as one's own for acorn-gathering purposes
 tos
        north
 totojka
            (1) grouse. (2) chicken.
       (1) ask for. (2) call, summon.
   tuma
            that which is asked
tu
      put (?)
   tukitti
             put down
tu-
       flour (from seeds)
tuj
       sleep
  tujćik
            shut one's eyes
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tujdyk
             go back to sleep
   tujju
            bed
             sleeping place
   tujma
   tujtete.
              feign sleep
               return from sleeping (with somebody)
   tujto daw
               sleep going along, sleep while walking
   tujweje.
          shout used to scare the enemy
       lose consciousness (?)
tuk
   tukkes
             be stunned
   tukpe
            have a fit
   tukwo-no
               (1) have a fit, faint. (2) be half-dead.
       hole
   tukeja
            make a hole
   tukejaha
             make a hole
tuk
       (1) care for. (2) love.
tu·le
        relative
  tu·lemi·
              have no relatives
   younger brother (vocative)
          younger brother
  tyne
  tynky
          younger brother
tymbo.
          six
typypy
          quiver (v.)
tyt
    dense (of brush)
tyttyt
        white willow
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burn ťano burn completely (intr.) tapan buttercup (seed) ťej trim, cut a piece off something tep chip (e.g., arrowheads). Cf. tej. ťi give birth fil stop up (a hole). Cf. ti.1. ťi·1 dam. Cf. til. filka resin ťi·?u standing water toj (1) lame. (2) limp. ťolilla sing (ceremonially) tun short fyj be half-coiled tyn (1) smell, perceive a smell. (2) a smell. Cf. hi.

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mushroom
wa
       hit with instrument
   wacap
             crash through with club
   waca p
              a crack
   waca-t
             cut, split
   waca tju
               splitting instrument, club, tomahawk
   wadak
             chip off; break off by striking with instrument
   wataj
            miss (when hitting)
wa.
       put; pour
   wa.jo
            (1) put gradually. (2) pile in.
   wa jota
              pile on top
   wa-kit
             pour down
   wa·ke
             spew
   wa kekojti
                 (1) shoot all over. (2) sprinkle all over.
   wa·ke·noti
                 spill out completely
   wa kesip
               hatch
   wa kesipti
                 hatch many chickens
   wa mit
             pour in
wa ca
         stick on (as something sticky)
   wa·cadak
               (1) stick on. (2) stay on (when others leave, etc.).
wada
         (?)
   wadada
              slap-stick
               lie flat on belly
   wadapati
wada.
         nearly succeed
wada.
          (1) be alive. (2) recover from.
   wada ti
              (1) let live. (2) recover.
  wada tiwo
                 tell to recover
   wada to koj
                  get away alive
waddan
           dip
waj
       potato
waje nte
            whiskey. From Spanish "aguardiente."
wajmi's
            meadow lark
wajni
         wine. From English.
wakaj
         army-worm
wake lu ~ wake nu
                      cowboy; bronc rider. From Spanish "vaquero."
wakkaj
          boat. From Spanish "barca" (?).
wak
       (1) flesh. (2) body.
  wakka
            pepper a corpse or dummy with shot. The corpse or effigy in
             question is always that of a chief or "brave man."
wala su
           (1) bullet. (2) lead. From Spanish "balazo" (gunshot).
wamaj
          sick
          (1) whip. (2) thrash, beat up.
wapas
was
       (1) prevent. (2) refuse. (3) protest.
wa·sa
         kidnap
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wa·se
                 obsidian
       wat
              swoop, descend on
          watdaw
                     swoop down
         watťa.
                    lie across
       wata
               drive (game, etc.)
         wataje.
                    drive along
         wataka1
                     (1) scare away. (2) drive along by scaring.
         watakoj
                    drive away
        watamit
                     drive in (cattle)
        watasip
                    drive out
     wa·ta
               crowbar. From Spanish "barra."
     wataha
                deck of cards. From Spanish "baraja."
     wa·tatan
                 club together, pool resources
     watin
              barrel. From Spanish "barril."
     watte•ja
                pan. From Spanish "batea" (trough).
    wati
             rat
    wa·w
             how1
    wa?o
             (1) pour.
             (2) throw away (used of objects consisting of small particles, as
                dust, or that are in themselves small, as acorns).
          (1) just. (2) right.
    we
   we.
           vomit
   we•da
             doctor's amulet, charm
   wehapypy
                stutter
   wej
           weave, knit
   wej
          speak
     wejda.
                tell
     wejda·paj
                   tell, complain
  weka.
            lie (v.)
  we·kwek
              chicken hawk
  wekaw
            (1) be absent. (2) disappear.
    wekawti
                destroy
         look for, seek
 wel
    welkoj
              go look for (water, etc.). (Used for English "soak" with Eng.
              obj. as Nis. subj.)
    welkət
              steal unseen
    welno
              go search
   welwene.
                look around for
   welwohis
                search all over for
wel
        fan
   wellep
             fan smoke into hole
   welke
            fan fire
         canvas. From Spanish "vela" (sail).
we·la
        (1) bare. (2) only.
wem
       good. This morph is not used alone.
wen
  wenne
            good
  wennekywaj
                 choose a good one
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wentin well we nan water snake wene medicine weneja make medicine wenejawo·nom make medicine on the way wesep tan (v.) (1) even. (2) before. (3) although. (4) all the same. wete action with the hand wi wibol break off wićap tear (cloth, paper, etc.) wicapto tear in two with hand wićat pull apart wićatto split in two with hand wićen pull open with hand, separate wići p wicodono be securely fastened so as to resist action of the hand, as a door that cannot be opened or a plant that cannot be upwicy p pull off a little at a time, strip off, tear into strips widoj pull trigger widukduk shake hands widukwiduk pull up repeatedly and with great force (as weeds from widakkoj seize and pull widəm break off a piece wihol lift off wikkəkəldokoj pull up by rope wikup pull out or off Wikati cock (gun) wikepkoj catch quickly with pulling motion wikoj (1) lift off. (2) spread (of forest fire). wikup pull out hair or feathers wipak tighten, stretch tight wipyl untie wipoj twist wiponos pull something so that it buckles or doubles up, e.g., a bow wiponospaj double up, bend in a circle (v. tr.). Used for bigger objects than is wipələspaj. wipul uproot, pull out root and all wipələspaj bend in a circle (v. tr.) wisal pull off with hand Wisəl pull, break by pulling or bending back Witin tighten wites stretch out arms witil stop up Witilik wrap around wiťu·ťuk fish with seine

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break off with both hands
       Wites
       wiwop
                 cup the hand over
          encircle
      wicapaj
                  have tied around waist
      wićapajti
                    tie around waist
      wićo
               surround
      wićono
                 surround
      wićopaj
                  enclose circularly, surround, close in
   wi.
          pick up, gather up, select
      wi·hapaj
                  pack on back
      wi.nowo.
                  tell to go and pick up
                  (1) gather up what is scattered.
      wi.typaj
                  (2) pick out and gather; as boys "choose sides" for a game.
  wi.
          lead
                  lead someone, show someone the way
     wi tokoj
  wi.
         pull
     wi·da·
               pull down from
     wi·mbebe·
                   try to pull
  wi· ~ wi?o
                 throw
    wi dəpmit
                   throw through
     wi·jəkjək
                  jerk back and forth
    wi·mit
               throw into
    wi'no
              throw away, discard
    wi·nonoda·
                   throw around
 widus
           (1) swollen. (2) drunk.
 wilik
          show signs of life, move as if alive
 wilyhaj
            shake (v. tr.)
 Wilekes
             be limber
 win
        elk
winna
          whirl around
winno
          be full (house, belly, etc.)
   winnoto
               (1) fill. (2) swing (v. tr.).
wisap
          heavy
wispil
          (1) lighten. (2) lightning.
wisəs
          dislike, hate
witil
         rabbit-skin blanket
             be covered with a rabbit-skin blanket
   witilći
witte.
         one
   witte pe
               full
               (1) let go, release. (2) throw. (3) throw away.
wi?o ~ wi·
  wi?opaj
              throw alongside
  wi?oweje.
                throw away as one runs
      action with body (this morpheme does not occur alone as a stem)
  won
  wonda.
             fall
  wokit
            dodge
      make a hole through (something)
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wodos
                     bore a hole
                     (1) chop through. (2) bore hole.
           wohol
          wokol
                     chop through
              action with the arm (this morpheme is not used alone as a stem)
       WO
                    (1) fight. (2) thrash (someone).
          wodoj
          woko.
                    have arm tired
       WO
              (?)
          wopaj
                    drive
      WO
             (?)
         wosak
                   infatuated
      wo ~ wo.
                   action with an instrument or tool (this morpheme is not used
         wodak
                   knock off (with stick, etc.)
        wodokonno
                       knock over (with stick, etc.)
     wo ~ wo.
                   lie (recline)
        wokit
                  lie down
                   put up, ante up (bet in gambling)
        wokitti
        wopajto
                   club together
                 (1) have something in the way, be hindered.
       Woso
                 (2) be unable to lie down comfortably.
    wo· ~ wo
                  action with an instrument or tool (this morpheme is not used
       wo.pe.
                 (1) toy with. (2) try out (some instrument, tool, or weapon)
      wo·kit
                 whip; strike
      wo·mamak
                     make a motion to hit with a stick
      wo·mamaktoto
                         make motion as if to hit each other with a stick
   wo· ~ wo
                 lie (recline)
      wo·ko·ju
                  be lying down
          hit with rock
   wo.
     wo·kit
                keep hitting with rock
     wo·sa
               try to hit
  wo.
          cry
     wo·msa
                 cry-baby
         having to do with sexual desire (this morpheme does not occur alone
  wo.
    wo·je·
               (1) pulsate. (2) copulate.
              (3) copulate enthusiastically and energetically, with appropriate
                  movements of the buttocks.
    wo sak
               find (someone) sexually attractive
 Wo.
        (?)
   wo paj
              (1) put the blame on someone. (2) tie together (as bundle of
wocol
                                                 sticks for a broom).
          roast in oven
wojo.
         (1) hire (a person). (2) servant.
wojo.
         send
  wojo·koj
               send
wokko
         oblong basket for storing seeds
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(1) paint (v. tr.). (2) douse (something in liquid).
  woko
  woko
          wave (v. tr.)
    wokowoko
               wave (something) from side to side
  wo·le white man
    wo·lem mom
                  ocean
    wo·lem waj
                 (white man's) potato
    wo·lese white man
 wolos buckskin
 wolsa pocket. From Spanish "bolsa."
 wo·m dance
    wo mbe try to dance
 womol (1) red feather of woodpecker. (2) feathers of duck's head.
 wo'n ~ wo'no die
   wo·nti
           kill
   wo ntina hon want to kill
   wo ntipyto nearly kill
 wone treat as a doctor, doctor (v. tr.)
 wono several
 wono (1) wear out. (2) finish. (3) stop (at place). Cf. won ~ wono "die."
 wo·no ~ wo·n
               die
   wo noti allow to decay (as a roundhouse)
 wo'no go somewhere to get something
 wop act like a dog
   woploj wallow in a rotten animal (as dogs do)
   woppaj bark (as a dog)
 wososo doctor's rattle made of cocoons filled with pebbles
   wososom kawpo
                   sound of cocoon rattle
 woteja bottle. From Spanish "botella."
   wotejape
            bottleful
wote·ka sheep. From Spanish "borrega."
wotuj
        trade (v.)
   wotujdawin coming to exchange
   wotujkojin going to exchange
wo·wo· pine needles
wudu violent downward motion
  wudup throw down violently
  wudut thrust with stick
  wudutinno
             drive stick into the ground
wuhu knock (something) off
wusu ~ wu·su
               cover (v.)
wu·tut headdress
wu?up (1) thresh. (2) winnow.
wyk one. This morph does not occur alone. Cf. witte "one."
 wykpaj
            once
wys ~ wyt whirl, spin, wrap around
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wyspulymlym whirl, roll round and round

wyt - wys whirl, spin, wrap around

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wyttypyj
                                                                           239
                     be twisted
        wyttypyjpyjwo·da
                             go into a spin and fall down
        wyttypyjti
                     be wrapped around
             goal in ball game
     wywwa.
                hum, sing like hummingbird
           lie, recline. Cf. wo ~ wo "lie."
     Wə
        wələminno
                     lie or fall on top of something
           hit. Cf. wo "hit with rock."
       wəməkpaj
                    hit against (v. intr.)
                hit something that gives way
       wəkək
           (?)
       wəcədək
                   get caught, stick in, stick on (v. intr.)
      wədəmćik
                   break off inside something
      Wəsək
               lodge against something
   wə ~ wə?əj
                  lean (v.)
      wəkə.
               lean against something
   wə ~ wə· ~ wə·k
                       look; see; examine
      wakoj
               go to see
      wəkət
               (1) search, look around. (2) peek through aperture, as a crack
   wə· ~ wə ~ wə·k
                                           or keyhole.
                       look; see; examine
     wə•no
               go and see
  Wəćət
            turn
     wəcətdəw
                  turn around
  wə·k ~ wə ~ wə·
                      look; examine; see
    wə·kkoj
               go to see
    wəkkokoj
               go to see repeatedly
    wa·kno?
                go to look
 wəkənə
            crooked (as of arrow)
 Wəl
        steal
    Wəlkət
              steal
   wəlkə·t
              thief
   wəlkətto koj
                   steal, take away
Wələk
          chew
Wənə
         miss the mark
          limp, hop with a limping motion
Wəskət
wəttəktək
             beat off with stick
         attack (?)
  wətəppajdyk
                  reattack, attack again
Wə?əj ~ wə
            lean (v.)
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?a pounding hole in rock

?a·hil sand

?ajno year. From Spanish "año."

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?empillakwo.
                    fall backwards
       grasshopper
    ?eni·wo·
                hunt grasshoppers
 ?enna·n
            blackberry
          sister-in-law (woman's reciprocal term)
 ?epe:
 ?e·pen
           yellow-jacket
 ?e·pep
           dog fennel
 ?espe·la
            spur. From Spanish "espuela."
 ?esto
          (1) middle. (2) between.
        elder sister
 ?eti·joto
            constellation
       (1) strong-minded. (2) physically strong.
 ?etti
 ?i cok
        shear (sheep)
 ?i·hi?
          afterbirth
 ?i·kəl
          burn in two
?in
       butt; end
   ?inki·t
             end, opposite end
   ?inki·tna
             to the end
   ?inkə pu
            sit on haunches, squat on the rear end
   ?inpa·ju
               (1) have backside stuck out towards.
               (2) be hitched to (as trailer to car).
               (3) stick on, affix.
?i·ne
         stir with paddle
?inno(m)
            of them
?inta
         (1) let us see (?). (2) now, now then.
         walk with a limp
   ?intajintaj
               walk with a limp
?i pak
        divide, share evenly
     live, stay
?is
  ?iskit sit down
   ?iswaky?en
                 in order to live through
  ?iswo tell to stay
          school. From English.
?isku·l
  isku·lkoj go to school
i·stowa stove. From English.
?o ~ ?ə having to do with the head. This morpheme always occurs as a
          bound first member of compounds.
          insert head into
  ?ohup
  ohupmit get head into
  ?ohuppaj
              have head just fit in something
  °ojewejpaj
                draw back head
  ?olu
         cover head
  ?o·lu
          head-covering
  olylykit hang one's head
  ?omit
         put on the head, sprout (as horns)
  ?omitpe wearer (of a hat)
  ?omitti put (on head?)
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?a·k
              crow
      ?ajkať
                creator
     alalte
                plow (v.). From Spanish "arar."
     al
            tongue
                brickbat. From Spanish "adobe."
     ?alowa
             grunt, groan, whimper in pain
     ?am
     ?ama
              next
       ?amaky
                   next
       <sup>2</sup>amakyskysi
                        in a little while
       ?amam
                  after, afterwards
       ?amananna
                      from behind
       ?amapaj
                   stay behind, lag behind, be last in a file
    ?ama·ty
                name of game played with seedbeater
    ?amta
              name of ball game
    ?aniju
              ring. From Spanish "anillo."
           carry piggyback
      ?apto·his
                   (1) carry piggyback. (2) pack around on the back ceremonially.
   ?a·pel
             apple. From English.
   ?ato sy
              oats. From Spanish "arroz."
   ?awan
             turtle
   ?e
         fetch
      ?ekoj
               go and get
     ?ekələno
                  go back to get
     ?eno
              go and get
         (1) see. (2) find.
     ?ebej
              see for the first time
     ?edyk
              find again something that had been lost
     ?ehaha?en
                   in order to see habitually
     ?ejewej
                look back
     ?ekyt
              look, find out, examine
    ?esak
              understand, recognize
    ?eta
            look
    ?etataj
               (1) watch. (2) look after. (3) await.
    ?etatajpom
                   watch closely
    ?etati
              show
    ?eweje.
               look while moving along, see while going along
 ?ebak
           shine, glitter
?ej
        elder brother
?e·ka
         acre. From English.
?ek
        daytime
   ?ekkit
             late in the morning
?e·kal
          dry
?e·la
         belly
   ?e·lape
              be pregnant
?elelte
          read, from Spanish "leer" (?).
?em
        (?)
  ?empananakky·ť
                      suffer from a red (irritated) back
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put heads together
  ?opaj
             shake head
  ?opypyk
              butt against with head
  ?osaspaj
              hurt head by ramming it against something
  2osotpaj
20.
    rock
  ?o·kaćiw
            hard green granite
  ?o·mtollom ?o· crystal rock
?o only
?oba·henym
              prattle, ramble on senselessly
        break (as the neck)
?obol
?oćik
        meet
?o·cus
         sit
        gold. From Spanish "oro."
50. qo
?oduť
      injure the eye
?ohelu·
        give out
?o·ho
        bitter
?0. ja
        twin
?ojse·to·
            sixteen
?ok
       sweat
  ?okomen summer
       (1) day. (2) sun.
?ok
        slide on belly
  okakno slide on belly
  okakpaj slide on belly up to
        (1) end, extremity (as of a road, piece of land, etc.).
        (2) bank, shore (of river, ocean, etc.). (3) end of day.
          (1) greatly. (2) many.
?okkys
          slip off
?okkat
             horned toad
?okopejpej
      be hungry
         foodstuff; uncooked food; groceries
   20. K
?ol
      brain
?olaw
         arrow
        coyote
?ole
              rainbow
?ole·sykyn
          (1) willow with red flowers growing near rivers. (2) dogwood.
?ololo
          (3) willow with white flowers.
         (1) mother's younger sister. (2) brother's wife if younger than
?omo
                                         mother. Cf. to.m.
?ono
        since
                since that
   my mono
                   make that the end! (i.e., "that's enough!")
   my monotip
   ?onona
            (to) end
        head, hair
?ono
       reach
90.00
90.00
         every
?opaj
       be worth each
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opa·juti?
              cause to be stretched against
           (1) miss (something), overlook, not see. (2) wonder.
 ?opej
           cook greens (esp. clover and California poppy seed) by means of
 2oplo
           superposed hot rocks
 ?o·pokpok
               quarts
 ?os
         bad
 20.8
         (1) brother's child. (2) stepson.
 ?osap
           try unsuccessfully to penetrate thick brush
            hermaphrodite; berdache; homosexual
 ?ose
          thing (?)
    mosaktim ?ose
                       tasty thing (food, drink).
    ?oseka·
               valuables
    ?oseka·kul
                  lose valuables
    wennem ?ose
                     good thing (food, clothing, etc.)
         poor (affectionate, as in "poor little dear")
             have an unpleasant experience
   ?osej
 ?osim
           about, circa
?oskon
           old man
         disbelieve, doubt
?ota
         sweat
?oto.
         (1) get up. (2) morning.
   oto dokoj
                  get up
   ?oto·paj
               tomorrow
   oto•ti
             lift up
?o·to
         seven stars
?otta
         cinch up baby in basket
   ?otta·to
               (1) have neck stretched across. (2) cross with head.
?owow
           chalk
?u ~ ?y
            "empty" morph. Found before a class of verbs of motion.
   ?ukoj
            go; go away
   ?uno
            go
      ?unohoja.
                   start going
2uću
         urinate
?uj
       hide
   ?ujdi
            inside
   ?ujna
            inside
?u·j
       hire
?u·lli
         acorn that has been kept in mud for a year
?ullit
         (1) flat basket, "tray," used as measure for borrowed flour.
         (2) basket shaped like pan, used as a dish (bigger than tew).
?um
        roost
?uno
        be old
?unə (paj)
             climb (v. tr.). Cf. kalno.
?u·s
       jealous, be jealous
?u·ti
        acorn
?y ~ ?u
           "empty" morph. Used with certain verbs of motion.
  ?yda·
           get down, descend (as from horseback)
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?ydaw
             arrive
    ?ydik
           arrive
    ?ydikpy almost coming
    ?yhis
             go around
    ?yje.
            travel; go along
    ?ymit go in
    ymitpyto nearly go into
    ?ymitwes
              about to enter
    ?yn
           descend
    ?ynda
            climb down
    yne· walk around
    ?yne·to play at walking
    ?ynno
           sink into
    ?ynnoti shove (something) down into
    ?ypaj (1) get on. (2) go up to.
    ?ypin approach
    ?ypipin
            approach severally
    ?ysip
            (1) go out. (2) come out.
 ?y.
      catch with net
 ?ybyk
         be used to
 ?yćej
         (1) rape, commit adultery. (2) waste. (3) make fun of.
               commit adultery with someone's spouse
 ?yk steal(?)
   ?ykpe
          steal
               sneak, thief, burglar
   ?ykpehe?
        still, yet
 ?ypem
         "cousin brother" (older or younger, either sex)
?y·se
?ys
       devil
?ysty
        burying place
?yty·my ceremony involving presenting of a hulled acorn to a chief
           having to do with the head. This morpheme always occurs as a
?9 ~ ?0
           bound first member of compounds.
   ?əhəp
          fit head
   ?əkələda.
               pull head back down again. Also kələda.
          get head under water (when swimming)
   ?əpənəspaj
                draw head back into
   ?ətəw
         pound with head
   ?ə?əjə?əj
               motion with head
?ə (?)
  ?əkəlləda·
               let go back down, release. Cf. kəlləda.
?a.
      all right, O.K.
?acal
      bite
  ?əcəcəlpaj
                bite into gently, bite slowly
?addat inspect; peep; look for
              go and inspect, find out; go and peep over; go and look for
  ?əddətno
?əhəj invite
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    ?əhəjkano
                 invite when passing by
 ?əhəp
        suffice
              (1) make fit together. (2) drive an even bargain.
    ?əhəpti
              (3) distribute equally.
         lean (v. tr.)
 °əlləm ~ °ələm
                   (1) past (a stated number). (2) up over.
   ?əlləmsip ~ ?ələmsip appear on top (of a hill, etc.)
 ?ələm ~ ?əlləm (1) past (a stated number). (2) up over.
   ?ələminno
               go over a hilltop
   ?ələmsip ~ ?əlləmsip
                           appear on top (of a hill)
   ?ələmtocey was over maybe, perhaps was over (referring to number
                 of years)
         necklace. Cf. ?ə·ləw "abalone shell."
?ələw
   <sup>2</sup>ələwti
             make a necklace
        abalone shell. Cf. ?ələw, "necklace."
29.lew
   ?ə·ləw makki abalone headdress
         fail (as plants failing to grow, a gun failing to go off, etc.)
?əmsə
?a·n
       angry
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     tumble
  ?əskələ wo
                 tumble over
?əskət gnaw
?əssək be promiscuous, be "loose"
?əsəw younger sister
?ətəw drink too much
?aw curse (?)
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(1) growl (of a person). (2) quarrel.

?awwi·to

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abalone headdress ?ə·ləw makki abalone shell ?ə·ləw abandon ha. abdomen ćum abdomen, tickle ćumto abound (as game) lok, lokoje ~ lokke. about, circa ?osim about to enter ?ymitwes absent, be wekaw abuse hy wej, ?aw accompany hape, hapekoj accustomed ?ybyk ache Kəl acorn ?u·ti acorn bread suloi acorn dough kamak acorn-giving ceremony ?yty·my acorn, hulled mulalpu acorn preserved in mud for a year ?u.11i acorn, shake down by climbing tree top acorn, shelled hon acorn soup, sweet pippa acorn soup, medium thick acorn with hull on acre ?e·ka. From English. across, go hetta. hoka, bo. adobe po to adultery, commit ²yćej, ²yćej da· advise bomej afraid, be honkele. afraid of nothing honke ke after ?amam

afterbirth ?i·hi? afterwards ?amam again kan, kanno hənhəpto, məhəp agree agree with each other məhəpito hinmak, syno·nu, sy·paj, syj aim aimed, be sy paj u alike, be jak, jakka alive, act wilik alive, be wada. alive, get away wada to koj bə·ppaj, han, ma·no, hanke·no all kinds handykdykno all right 29. all sides, on hanke nona ni all the same wete all the time, absolutely hanke nopajke pajim almost pyto almost coming ?ydikpy almost go into ?ymitpyto he by alone alone, be Kəw alone, come Kəwpin alone, go kawkoj alone, go along kawje alone, go around kawne alone, go out kəwsip along, go ?yje· already hada ?ypem also although wete ambush, lie in ka cik ambush, lie in on hunt ammunition monisjon. From Spanish "munición." among, be joćuj, johej

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ancient hoj ~ ho·j ~ ho·ja. See Nisenan-English section for list of words containing this morpheme. ancient (see "venerable") angle (for fish) hunme, pyly angleworm ce·s angry ?ə·n hontow. Used only of angry, be women. angry, become gradually honpu sip angry face, make mocuda da angry, see that someone is hince animal kyjysy another cajkyhe another but similar ćaj jakka answer (letter, etc.) botujti ant pycy. ant, small black stinking bu·pepe antler mow antler fork sypek anybody menekym anymore kanno anything hes, hesi appear on top of hill ?ələmsip ~ ?əlləmsip apple ?a.pel. From English. apply insect repellent pe.pwo?omis approach ?ypaj, ?ypin approach hither ?ypin approach severally ?ypipin approximately (extent of time) ho·ma·m apt, be ky pe arm jim arm-length measurement jimna wo.pe. armpit kowo. arm, have tired woko. army-worm wakaj around, be jone. around, go ?yhis around, walk ?yne.

du, pele su. The latter

word is from English "prison." arrive 'ydaw, 'ydik arrow ?olaw arrow, brush used for making kewe. arrow, crosspiece on shaft arrow, two-feathered ashes jol ashes, cook in ashes, to pu minna ask pebaask for tu asked, that which is tuma asthma, have honhil astride, sit bo ta astride someone, be hyslominno attack wətəp attack again wətəppajdyk attempt unsuccessfully to penetrate ?osap attracted to, be honto paj attractive, find someone sexually wo·sak aunt to m ~ to me, kati, 20mo. See Nisenan-English section for exact scope of these terms. avert botil avert evil mo da avoid dom avoid, run away to domkoj await ?etataj awake, be ceno awaken by pushing or poking sihəj away ćajna away, go 2ukoj axe la ći. From Spanish "la hacha."

b.

baby pata
baby, cinch up in basket ?otta
back kiw ~ kiw, bokot
back, carry on ha, hykellekoj
back, fix load on me jakpaj
back, get up with load on hadokoj
back, go kelekoj

back, load on back, pack along on me·je. back, pack around on ceremonially ?apto·his back, pack on wi·hapaj, hapaj, hapajto koj back, start with load on hadokoj back, suffer from having red ?empananakky·ť back, try to pack on me·be·, me·mbe· backside, on bokotna ndi backside stuck out towards, have ?inpa·ju backwards motion bəkələ bad 205 bad, experience something [?]osej bad quality ćeman bake lus ball posko ball game ?amta pop, doj, dojjoj bank catna n bank, break the bare wem bark kapum bark (as a dog) woppaj bark, scrape off ju. barn ba·n. From English. barrel watin. From Spanish "barril." barrel (of gun) pysip basket pelles (generic term) basket, black decoration on tatat basket, cinch up baby in ?otta basket, cooking bətcək basket, drinking məspə basket, for catching fish (big rough wicker) ćipu basket, for measuring borrowed flour (flat) ?ullit basket, for sifting and winnowing (flat) tew basket, for storing seeds (oblong) basket, for storing valuables (round)

mokololo

basket, make a his basket, medium-sized basket, sharp pointed pack basket, sticks for warp of ćup, ćupjawene. basket-root (kind of grass with sharp leaves) pi·to? bathe hebyk be ha be among joćuj, johej be around jone. bead, hold a syno nu beads howo ~ howwo beads of red stone, large and valuable laklakse beads, small globular howwotu beads, string of taj ~ ta·j beads, to string jeskələw beads, wampum howoko bear (ursus) kapa beard masaw beat up johop, wapas beaver pa·ncaka bed tujju bedeck oneself lehupaj beef pa·ka. From Spanish "vaca." before wete befoul benluspaj beginning hoj ~ ho·j ~ ho·ja behind, from ?amananna, kiwnanna·n behind, stay ?amapaj belly e·la belly, crawl on malije. belly full, have jim belly, lie flat on wadapati belly, slide on ?okak, ?okakno belly, slide up to on [?]okakpaj below kawnandi belt patca bend in a circle wipələspaj, wiponospaj beneath kawnandi bent (as arrow) Wəkənə bent over (as tree) mowop berdache osa·pu bet wokitti between

beyond me?ennan big betej, muk, mukuje. birth, give patati, ti bite do, ma, mo, ma, ?acal bite and die instantly do tik bite around madas bite gently ?əćəćəlpaj bite, hard to makajal bite hole through modosinno bite, hurting teeth on hard substance madajćik bite into mopyjćik bite in two məkəl

bite off məkət bite off easily mokot

bite onto tenaciously madakpaj bite slowly ?əćəcəlpaj

bite through mohol bite, try to do ma k bitter ?o·ho black kylym

black, jet pikylys blackberry ?enna·n

blacksmith helle·lu. From Spanish

"herrero." blame wo·paj

blanket, be covered with rabbit-skin witilci

blanket, rabbit-skin witil

blast popti blaze up pidokoj

blaze up, cause to pidokojti

blind by so

blink sleepily bykakajkoj block (a passage) bitil

blood sedej blow by.

blow away evil spirits by skoj blow on medicinally by paj

blow with nose by pis

blowing, extinguish by by pis

bluejay ćajit bluff kana

board ta·plam. From Spanish

"tapla."

boat wakkaj. From Spanish "barca."

body wak

boil molmol, po·sol

boil animal guts and blood busu

bone bym

bone (hand game) hin bones (fossils) lo·lo

bore a hole wo, wodos, wohol

borrow dam both hancok

both sides hancokna·ni

both sides, from hancoknanna n bottle woteja. From Spanish

"botella."

bottleful wotejape

bounce pyp bounce off bip bounce up pypdokoj bow pandak

bowstring, release tokda.

boy manaj, te·naj

brain ?ol branch syno brave (man) jať bread (acorn) suloj

break botop, bucul, ?obol break by pulling back wisəl break by shooting jadam

break in two jədəm

break off wibol break off a little widem break off inside something

wadamcik

break off with both hands wites break off with stick wadak break with fist jadam break with foot bentas

break with rock bada

break with rock repeatedly badda break wind bu ~ bu.

breakfast ćeda - će da

breast (heart, figuratively) hon,

hondal

breast (mammary) min breast (stomach) mal breast, hit with honbo-

breast, hit with first honbo hojja breast, hurt by falling or running

against honcis

breast, reach on malpaj breath, be out of (running) breath, go along out of honpinhonpinweje. breathe honpin, honhepin breechcloth (made of netting) dyj breechcloth (woman's) bycym by haw brickbat ?alowa. From Spanish "adobe." bridge jak bridle peternu. From Spanish "freno." bring hy ~ hu, to, to daw, to pin, hy· ~ hyj bring along to je bring, arriving to dik bring back hykələpin broken, have a piece becet broken teeth, have mekel bronc rider wake·lu ~ wake·nu. From Spanish "vaquero." brood over hontakoj brother, elder brother, younger ty, tyne, tynky brother-cousin ?y.se brother-in-law mas, kede. brother's child ?0.s brother's wife ?omo brush bi·bi, dy·hy ~ dy· brush, chopped up jy hyl brush, dry jy·hy1 brush, green potto brush, thick panaka brush, try unsuccessfully to go through ?osap brush used for making arrows kewe. buck (deer) beť buckeye polo buckeye ball paka·t, polo buckshot baksat. From English. buckskin wolos bull snake ho tot bullet wala su. From Spanish

"balago" (gunshot).

bullet, poison sila

bump against bəmmək bun (from acorn mush) buns, make soja buoy up jəhəlidokoj burglar ?ykpehe? burn pi, pije, pita, sa, sati burn away from here pitakoj burn completely tano burn in two ?i·kal burn out pida. burn towards here pitadaw burn up ço. burning stick pi·lu burrowing owl tokko·k bury tale, leťa burying place bush dy - dy hy but hawete butcher knife satakpi butt ?in, papak butt (verb) ?omit, ?omitti butt end papak buttercup tapan buttock məcəw buy do ti

C

calico ma·nta. From Spanish "manta." call (name) ha, ja ~ ja, jawi. call (summon) tu called (yclept) hamadi camass pojow camp hypyw, pyw camp around nenne? cane be-to canvas tila·pu, we·la. From Spanish "trapo" and "vela" (sail), respectively. cap (of gun) kapi. From English. cards (playing) wataha. From Spanish "baraja." care for tuk care of, take sitapaj carry jo, joje

carry on back ha, hykəlləkoj so, so to koj carry on shoulder carry piggy-back ?ap carrying instrument to je ju catch (grab) me. catch (overtake) bodik catch, all fight in order to me·lo·to catch at hesej, hette catch fire pidokoj catch in the act hesej, hette catch quickly in mouth bakam catch quickly with pulling motion wikepkoj catch red-handed hesej, hette catch, try to me·sa catch with net ?y. cattle pa·ka caught, get wəcədək caught in trap, be teknabo. caught, when nearly me pytoce cave in jebek cedar man cemetery ?ysty ceremony of giving chief hulled acorn ?yty·my chalk ?owow chance, get a hollempaj change to another place botujti, huttuj chaparral padit charge (a fee) mono charm (for doctors) we da charm (for ordinary people) jəhəp pole chase away chase out bo·sipti cheese ci.si. From English. chew wələk chicken totojka chicken hawk we·kwek chief hu·k chief, give hulled acorn to in ceremony ?yty·my chief, old and venerable he sem hu-kum chief's wife majen

children pyjyty

chin məsəw

Chinese chip (e.g., arrowheads) tep chip off wadak chipped becet choose a good one wennekywaj choose up sides witypaj chop through wohol, wokol chorus leader in kamhin dance howwape cider joćim, joćimi, sajda. The latter word is from English. cider, make joćun cigarette sika·lu. From Spanish "cigarro." cinch up baby in basket ?otta clack of wood against wood dekkek clackety-clack of sticks hitting each other kakaka clap jatap clatter of buckshot falling on floor ćalalal clay, red clean intestines of dead animal pit clean off brush jo'koj clean off with hand sideways lekatkat clean out (acorns) from tree clean up (finish) cow cleaned off with hand sideways, to the place that had been lekatkatmana clear bylyl click lebelem cliff kana climb kəl, ćak, ?unəpaj climb down ?ynda climb up on kəlno close by hojdi close door ja·wećik close in wicopaj close in with knees hedatpaj closed half-way, eye bubusbus clothes ći· clover ćiwi. club məllə, waća tju club together wopajto, wa tatan, jokol

he·m kapo·ta. From Spanish coat "capote." katno, wikati cock gun cocoon-rattle of doctor wososo cocoon-rattle, sound of wososom kawpo ko pi. From English. coffee kahoni From Spanish coffin "cajón." кеj coil kəjpaj coil up coiled, be coiled, halftyj cold, have a honkoho bəkəs cold (object) cold, severely bići pa cold (weather) pyt colored, become (of water) ćihələm ~ ći·hələm kələdaw, kələpin come back come back from eating pajelto·daw come back running bəkələpin come, nearly pytodaw 'ysip, by'sip come out come repeatedly to get something pesak coming, almost ?ydikpy comet po·kecykymbukpe, sa·to wempe·nanky common people compete in shooting jəlləmkustoto complain (?) wejda·paj conceal hu See "hide." condor ko·k congregate wopajto, wa·tatan, jokol constable ka·lte. From Spanish "alcalde." constellation ?eti·joto consumption, give by food-poisoning ćy•kja ćy•ka consumptive consumptive, become ćy·k continually kanti cook tokis cook acorn soup

cook greens on hot rocks

?oplo

loťoja

cook in ashes cook in earth-oven cook mush hom kap cooked cooked soft pićup cooked to a turn pihəp cooking basket bətcək cool (v. intr.) bykys copulate copulate vigorously wo jecorpse bəkəs corpse, deck out lek cosmetics kat cottontail pala·1 cough honko country kaw country, open treeless coup de grace kuwwa courthouse pele sumby cousin-brother ?y·se wusu ~ wu·su, tale, leta, cover jaťa cover by scraping leťa cover oneself with ći. covered with blanket, be witilći covering, wear as ci ~ ci. cowboy wake·lu ~ wake·nu. From Spanish "vaquero." coyote ?ole crack (n.) waća p crack (v. intr.) bacat crack (v. tr.) badaj, pek crack with mouth madas cracker kaje tta. From Spanish "galleta." cramp, have cupimwino? crane, fish kywe waćap crash through with club crawl be, be je, jen, jenno crawl around be ne crawl in be mit crawl motionlessly be-?u crawl on belly malije. hutu crazy creator ?ajkat creek hop cripple by shooting with poison

crippled loto, lowas, lowes crooked wəkənə cross hel, helliw, hetta. cross legs podokso cross with neck or head ?otta·to cross-eyed by?ej crouch be ?u crow ?a·k crowbar wa·ta. From Spanish "barra." crumble away jebek crumble something crisp in the hand kakutut crush (as an eye with a stone) jupus cry wo. cry along mosusu crybaby wo·msa crying, have mouth quiver previous to me·bew crystal rock ?o·mtollom?o· cup over with hand wiwop curse mətəw, ?əw (?) curse one another mətəwtəwnototo cut waca·t cut (as a throat) pekəl cut into skin (string, etc.) bo·bo· cut off a piece 'éj cut open pecap cut up sykəlkəl cut up in pieces sykəlkəlkəl

d

dab jotok, jotokta

dam ti·1

damp cy·ta ~ cy·te

dance (v.) pajjo, wo·m

dance for someone pajjopapaj

dance, lead the hu·sa

dance leader hu·sa

dance, name of a certain hi·wej

dance, name of a certain kamhin

dance of love jahahanna

dance, rag held by women with a

gesture of measurement in a

tokno

dance, resultant length obtained by measurement in the toknoho dance, try to wo mbedancer of tu·ra and hiwe temaja dark (as of day) kylym dark of night po kylys dart about tapbelhis dart out (used of frightened animals emerging from brush) daughter po. daughter-in-law petidawn banaka, banakam wikeli day ?ok daylight banaka, bykkaj daylight, nearly byhe-he daytime ?ek decay, allow to wo noti deck out corpse lek deed kadeep hon, pytow ~ pytyw deep in hondi, honna deer kut defecate pici dense (of brush) tyt descend -da, -n, ?yn descend on wat, watdaw descend steeply boke kit descend steeply, cause to boke·kitt deserted, be kelele. desire nuk, dak desire sexually wo sak desire very badly bewit' destroy wekawti deteriorate physically cy'k devil jawlo, ?ys. The former word is from Spanish "diablo." dew sihi die wo·n ~ wo·no different ćaj, ćajim, ćajky different languages, talk cajwe j dig syk, sykwe dig around sykwene. digging stick syw dilute jaw dinner, eat (at noon) dip waddan

dip out hetik

dipper tata. dirt, make full of kawdyk dirty (v.) with foot benluspaj disappear ću ~ ću ?, ću no, wekaw disappear inside ću·mit disappear outside ću sip disbelieve ?ota discard wi;no discover hese i disease po·loj dislike wisəs dislocate (leg, etc.) benpol dismount ?yda. disperse jekelew distribute bojo saha. From Spanish "zanja." ditch ćupit dive dive habitually cupithaha ?i·pak divide dizzy hinipypyj do ha, ka., ma. do bad ma·be do, maybe ka ćej do repeatedly haha do that, if you hamence do thus ma•ti do, when we were going to ka hese doctor jommy se doctor (v.) wone. doctor's rattle wososo dodge wokit dog sukku dog, act like a (?) wop dog fennel ?e·pep dog, water pata·k dogwood ?ololo doing going along, keep hawejedoings, several ka·ka·nohom dollars pe·so. From Spanish "peso." door ja.we, pe.sip. The former word is from Spanish "llave." door, close ja wećik door, open ja wekoj doorway pe·sip double-barrelled pe·npys, penpysip double up by bending back wipələspaj, wiponospaj

double up, pull something to make it wiponos doubt ?ota dough, acorn kamak douse in liquid woko dove pulba down from horse, get down, go -n, -da-, ?yn down, throw violently wudup downward, go -n, -da., ?yn drag hoto ~ hotot drag along hototije. drag away hototkoj drag out hotosip dream nedi. dress up lehupai drill, fire sa·woho dribble do no drink mo, moho drink lots ?ətəw drink too much ?ətəw drink up dyt drink with mo paj drinking basket məspə drinking place, to mo juna drip lyk, lykda. drippy lykly drive (game, etc.) leje, wata, wopaj drive along wataje. drive away pole, watakal, watakoj drive in (cattle) watamit drive into (ground, etc.) wudutinno drive out watasip driven, cause to be leje wo drove watakojťomatoj drop bo, boda. drop back down bəkəlləda. drop down off boda. dropping down, keep bodada. drown (someone) dukujti drowned, be dukuj ~ dukuj drowned, he was dukuj myjim drum, foot dul drum, kick a dulbo. drunk huta ću, widus. The former word is from Spanish "borracho."

drunk, slightly bubusbus
dry ?e·kal, ku, pi
dry grass popo ~ po·po
dry, half picukti
dried up, be piholol
drunk up, had nearly had
dyttijatatomam
duck poje ~ poje
duck's head, green feathers of
womol
dust jol, pu·min
dusty joldyk
dwell ?is

e

eagle pej ear bono. ear, have stick in bonojyjpe early hadapo, hoj ~ ho·j ~ ho·ja, hojjam east notow easy he menti eat pa ~ pa·, pe, pajel eat, go to pajelkoj eat noonday meal hinse? eat something trifling (like candy) bade? eat with peto eat with depaj eat with three fingers de eating, come back from pajelto·daw cy·kyj eczema edge of knife pape eel kowo egg pakpak eight pe·ncyjim elbow pakkasi elder sister ?et elderberry kakam elderberry flour jo elk win elope lahew else ćaj elsewhere ćajdi, ćajna

embrace dim, dimme?u, dimpaj emerge -sip, ?ysip empty (v.) juhup encircle hetano, wi end ?in, ?inki·t end (arbitrarily chosen, as of a football field) nok end!, make that the my m ?onotip end (natural, as of river or daylight) end, to the ?inki.t na end (v.) ?onona enemy kaj~ka·j enemies, be reciprocally ka-jtoto enough ?əhəp enough, that's! my'm ?onotip enter -mit, ?ymit enter, about to ?ymitwes enter, nearly ?ymitpyto erode jebek erotic play, indulge in poloj even (adv.) wete even (in length) peto even bargain, make a ?əhəpti evening kaj evening star kajim mo·lo every ?o·no everything bəhəp everywhere bəhəpna eviscerate kə·kol examine wə ~ wə· ~ wə·k, ?ə, ?ekyt exceeded, perhaps ?ələmtocei exchange botuj, wotuj exchange, coming to wotujdawin exchange, going to wotujkojin experience something bad extremely ne·tike·pajin eye hi·n eye half-closed, have bubusbus eye, hurt by collision ?oduť eye open, have byda·j eye pop out as in fright, have bydə·j eyed, one- byćan eyes, motion with (v.)

f

jakba face face (v.) kot, kotno nu face sharp in anger, make moćuda·da facing upwards, lie on back kotdokoj fail (to do something) ?əmsə faint ću kka, tuk, tukwo no bo, bon, won, wonda. fall back down bəkələda. fall backwards ?empillakwo. fall down off bonpin by da. fall down in numbers fall down of own accord fall into bomit, jo mit fall off jukup fall on top of something wələminno fall out jukup bələminno fall over falling body, sound of lussusati we1 fan fan fire welke fan smoke into hole wellep lamdi bu ~ bu. fart fast je·wo fastened securely wicodono je · woho fastest (?) father te fault, her myhe ho jdi favorite tree topeca. fawn te·mmanaj fear byk ~ by·k fearless, be honke ke lumaj feast, minor husla feather butuj feather of woodpecker, red womol feather skirt to·laj feathers of duck's head, the green womol feathers, wing feces pići

feel (be in a certain mood)

hon

feel first with hand ka·mbebe·hojja feel gently with hand katane. feel repeatedly with hand ka·mbebefeeling with palm of hand ka·be·n fellow ka pe fence kulali. From Spanish "corral." fennel, dog ?e·pep fetch me koj, ?e, ?ekoj, ?eno fetch, be going to hyjkoj fetch, go back to ?ekələno fetch, go to wo'no ća·ćakawunuknuk field mouse fifteen hywalim fight wodoj fight to catch, all me·lo·to fill winnoto leman ~ lemman finally find ?edyk find again something lost find by groping kasej find out ?ekyt find out, go and ?addatno fingerprint, track (?) tokkitmamka hejne fingers, eat with three kasip, wono finish finish off kuwwa ćow, ćowno finish up fire sa - sa· fire, catch pidokoj fire, for driving away grasshoppers pu'p fire, poke at with sutoj fire, set by poking with firebrand sydəp fire, start pidokoj fire, touch with firebrand pi·lu fire drill sa·woho fish pala fish (v.) hun fish, big rough wicker basket for catching ćipu fish with hook and line pyly

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fish with seine witu tuk fishing, go pylykoj fist, action with jo fist, hit with jodoj fist, knock down with jodokonno fit (v.) pəhəp fit, have a tukpe, tukwo no fit something to pahapti fit together, cause to ?əhəpti five ma·wyky flame kop flat basket ?ullit fleece mol flesh wak flicker (of flame) jollep, jollepjollep flint and tinder sa·wo float hindədətne. hinsip float to surface floating around hinne n flour (from seeds) tuflow (water) jo·no flower joflowing water jofly hu, hu no fly about jyjyt fly along hu·je· fly around hu ne. fly back down in great numbers by kalakit fly out jyjytsip fly up hu dokoj, by dokojťom fly up, try to hu dokoj fly-blow on oneself, put perpwo-?omis fog ja·bo· follow hapepin, hej, kaje follow tracks of hejto·koj, pajto·koj food pajel food, new pa·bej food, uncooked ?o·k foot paj foot, action with ben foot, at (of mountain) papakdi football lummu football, try to play lummubo. foot drum in roundhouse, back posts

of

sudok

forehead forget hontuj fork of antler sypek fork (of road) pypakto former kafossils lo·lo four cyj ~ cyj four bits cyjlal. -lal from Spanish "real." four (men) cy jim four times ma·wykpaj fox haw French lansis. From Spanish "francés." friend ko friend (only vocative) frighten moleti frightened, be frivolous, be myskoho frog potpoto front (side) hinnan kot, kotno nu front towards, have frost ko, ko kin frost, black beda·m ko· fry cicol full, be (house, belly, etc.) full, have belly jim fun of, make ?yćej further, a little way lamkyskysdi

g

he·laj gamble gambling adversary ko·j gambling, even things up with others in kojo. gambling, put up bet in wokitti game involving ball, name of ?amta game involving rope and sticks, name of tiki·li game involving seed beater, name of ?ama·ty game involving sticks somewhat like card game, name of ba ca game involving straw and yellowjacket, name of tan

gantlet, run the bəlləm gather bone, hy. - hyj, jotypaj gather (clover) jan gather, come to hy daw gather food (?) la·n gather from ground hyj ~ hy· gather, go jankoj gather into handful kalulupaj gather (pine needles) lepaj gather up what is scattered witypaj gather what is lying on ground (e.g., se. acorns) gathering, come back from hy.to.daw gathering, go around hy ne, lepajgenitals, suck modo get meget along with to koj kələkoj get back get down off -da·, ?yda· get, go and me koj, ?ekoj, ?eno get, go back to ?ekələno get on 'ypaj ?oto, ?oto dokoj get up with heavy load on shoulder so dokoj -paj, ?ypaj get upon girl kono, konobej girls konoj give bo ~ bo, mei give birth patati, ti give out ?ohelu. give, tell to me·jnowo· give up honwa·no giver me jpe glance by without hitting hintaj glans penis bənkəj glitter jubak, jupil, jupiljupil, ?ebak gloomy byhahap gnat dukut gnats dukutdukut ?əskət go be, he, -koj go about -ne· so after something to a certain place wo'no

go ahead of the rest hi nkoj go along -je·, ?yje· go and find out ?addatno go and get me·koj, ?ekoj, ?eno go and inspect ?əddətno go and look for ?addatno, welkoj, welno go and peep over ?əddətno go and receive me·no go around -ne·, ?ne·, hećohis ~ hećohit, hećokoj, hećono, ?yhis go around in opposite directions hetanto go away -koj, ?ukoj go back kələkoj kələnowo. go back, tell to go back to get ?ekələno go down -n, ?yn go down steeply boke kit go down steeply, cause to boke kitti go downward -da· go into -mit, ?ymit go into, about to ?ymitwes go into body éy·mit go into, nearly ?ymitpyto go on hekeno go off (gun) doj go out -sip, ?ysip go over a hilltop ?ələminno go severally ²u kuk go through bedepinno, hekeno go through thick brush or canvas (?) bacalap go through thick brush, try unsuccessfully to ?osap go to and arrive -daw, ?ydaw go to eat pajelkoj go to look wə·kno? go to pieces badajdajno go up to -paj, ?ypaj go with hape, hapekoj goal (in ball game) wyw going around in numbers johisin going around, play at ?yne·to going around together going, continue hekeno

groan

gold ?o·do. From Spanish "oro." wen, wenne good good, feel ky pe good hunter kutto•n good-luck charm, doctor's we'da good-luck charm, ordinary person's jəhəp good one, choose a wennekywaj good spirits, be in ky pe good thing (esp. food and drink) mosaktim ?ose good thing (generic term, incl. food) wennem ?ose goose, gray la·lak goose, honker 10. gopher hemeji gopher mound kum gore (v.) јуј grab me. grab by clapping both hands together kadakkoj pej grandchild grandfather pa·pa grandmother (paternal or maternal) koto grandson pej granite, hard green ?o·kaćiw grape pi·men grapevine rope piw grass fire for driving away grasshoppers pu·p grasshopper ?en grasshoppers, grass or straw fire for driving away pu.b grasshoppers, hunt ?eni·wo· gravel ja•haj graze behes greasewood limme. great muk greatly muktin, mukuje tin, okkys green (referring to food) koćisi greet hogreet by shouting from top of kum at major festival ho paj grind (in mortar) jok grip, release one's tokda, tokkoj

20. K groceries groggy, be hinipypyj grope kaje•1 kaw ground grouse hyk, totojka ne• grow grow, cause to neti growl (of a person) ?awwi·to grunt (esp. in pain) ?am gun kope·ta. From Spanish "escopeta." gun goes off doj gunpowder polpola. From Spanish "pólvora." kə. guts guts of dead animal, clean the guts, take out the kə·kol

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hail ko cyly hair, body (human or animal) butuj hair, head ?ono hair, pubic (used of both sexes) bun? half-breed ha·bri·tim. From English. half-closed, have eye bubusbus half-coiled, be ťyj hand mahand, action with ka ~ ka· ~ ka·m, sy, tok, wi hand, hit with open ja, japam hand, put something on to protect Kada hand, slap with open ja, japam hand, with the (?) ma·k handgame helaj handkerchief panitu. From Spanish "pañito." handle me·me hand out bo ~ bo. hand out (to people) hands, shake widukduk hang hin hang (v. tr.) bodokojti

hang down bo, hinki·tu hang in clusters hintykit hang up (tr.) hinki tuti hanging, be bodokoj harrow (v.) hići·će hat somle·lu ~ somle·nu. From Spanish "sombrero." hat, wearer of a ?omitpe hatch wa·ke, wa·kesip hatch many chickens warkesipti hate wisəs haul jo, joje. head col, 20no head back down again after peeping over something, pull ?əkələda. head back into, draw ?əpənəspaj head, cover ?olu head, cross with ?otta·to head, draw back ?ojewejpaj head, fit ?əhəp head for col head, hang one's 'olylykit head, hurt self by running against something with ?osotpaj head into, get ?ohupmit head into, insert ?ohup head just fit in something, have ?ohuppaj head louse di head, motion with (v.) ?ə?əjə?əj head net sekki head off bitil, botil head, pertaining to the ?o ~ ?ə head, pound with ?ətəw head, run against something with ?osaspaj head, run against something painfully with ?osotpaj head, shake ?opypyk head under water, get ?əp head, woodpecker jo·to headcover ?o·lu headdress wutut headdress, abalone ?ə·ləw makki headdress, chief's makki heads together, stick ?opaj hear pin

heart hon, honni heart drawn towards, have honto paj heart, in one's hondi heat (v. tr.) bopaj heavy wisap heel, with pajsuksukni help (v.) hep, kaćakpaj henchman hente. From Spanish "gente." her myhe her (poss.) myhehere hede di here are hede di hermaphrodite ?osa·pu hiccough (v.) hakkyj hide dom, hu, ?uj hide around from domnehide around in camp (playfully or to catch a woman) domhis hide things hujo hide things, take away and hujokoj hiding, be in dom?u? hiding from someone, come while domdaw hill jaman hill, appear on top of a ?ələmsip ~ ?əlləmsip hilltop, go over a ?ələminno him myhe hindered, be Woso hire wojo, ?u·j his myhe. hit wə hit against wəməkpaj hit each other with stick, make motion to wo mamaktoto hit, ready to bo kanne hit something that gives way wəkək hit, try to wo sa hit with cross-arrow (without deep penetration) jitis hit with instrument hit with rock wohit with stick, make motion to wo mamak

howl

hug

wa·w

dim, dimme?u, dimpaj

bo ~ bo. hit with stone in hand hitch up (wagon) bomitti ?inpa·ju hitched to, be hitting, stop from bodokkoj, botil hitting with rock, keep wo kit hold a bead on syno nu hold in the hand hold up sydokoj hold up the hand tokdoko ju hold with the arms dimme?u hole tuke hole, bore a wodos, wohol hole in a rock kawlu hole in rock, pounding hole in wall pyhol hole, lateral pyhol tukeja ~ tukejaha hole, make a hole open hither, have peholokpi·n hole, poke through a syhelewno hole, side pyhol hole through something, make hole through vertically, make a pyntoja hole, vertical pyhol holes in wall, many pyhol holno homesick, be kə•ləj homosexual ?osa·pu honker goose 10. hooked stick lakky hop with a limping motion wəskət horned owl hymhym horned toad ?okopejpej horns, put on (?) ?omit horse kawa ju. From Spanish "caballo." hospil. From English. hospital hostile, be mutually ka·jtoto hot (of weather and food) pidep hot, red pinan hotel hutel. From English. house hy house, have for hype house, play hyto house, rent a hydam how many sej

hull (of acorn) putas wywwa. hum hummingbird li ći ći hummingbird, sing like wywwa. hump kum hondot. From English. hundred hungry, be ?ok hunt hun, hunmo, my boje koj hunt around hunmowene. hunt at night po·my, po·to həntə. From English. hunter hunting, go by hunmokakoj hunting instrument hunmo ju hurry bewet, he kahurt ky tti hurt by entering body cy·mit hurt eye by running against twig ?oduť hurt, have ky · ť husband jep

i

T ni icicle ćumkilli•t, killi•t identical with dydyky ignorant of, be bono - bono immediately bejdimke paj, mynym, mynymkan Indian tobacco pan Indians nisena·n industrious bo nepe, kutto n infatuated wosak inhale by ćik inject ćy·mitti insect repellent, daub oneself with pe·pwo?omis insert (finger, stick, penis) sy· ~ su inside honna·n, ?ujdi, ?ujna inspect ?əddət inspect, go and ?əddətno install (new part, replacement, etc.) botujmitti insufficient, be johe·lu intestines

intestines of dead animal, squeeze contents out of pit pettujti. invert ?əhəj invite ?əhəjkano invite when passing by invite with a knotted string pun hije lu. From Spanish "hierro." irritated back, suffer from ?empananakky·ť sy kyj itch, have itchy rash sy kyj wamaj

i

syjkittoto jab each other jaw ćakanwa ?u·s jealous wi·jəkjək jerk back and forth jet black, be pikylys johejpaj join (other people, etc.) joint nyn jointed jə kə kə jjo ća k. From English. jug jugful ćə·kpe bo· ~ bo?o, kap, pyp bo koj jump away under hammer jump into (as water) bomit kumbo. jump on a mound bəlləm jump over kəpidokoj jump up in the air jump up quickly from prone position kəpidokoj just we

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keep me.?u
kerplunk dupup
kerplunk habitually dupuphaha
kick bencol, lummu
kick against bendoj
kick and shatter bencolinno
kick off bendap
kick out bendohsip, bendoksip
kick over bendokonno

bendosinno kick through kick through a hollow thing bencolinno kicking, mash up hollow thing by bencol wa·sa kidnap kill wo·nti wo ntipyto kill, nearly wo.ntina.hon kill, want to knife boso, kući, kutći. The last two from Spanish "cuchillo." satakpi knife, butcher knife, edge of pape wej knit knock loose with rock knock off wodak, wuhu wəttəktək knock off with stick knock over with stick, etc. wodokonno knots, tie pun knotted string, invite with a

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pataky ti labor pain, have lag behind ?amapaj kaje lake ťoj lame koptiju lantern, man with a tomma hape bokit land (from flight) lark, meadow wajmi·s last (of a series) kanno last one in a file, go as the ?amapaj late in the morning ?ekkit də. ~ də.3 laugh laughing at oneself, go along də·?omisweje· lawyer lo•ja. From English. lay down (blanket, etc.) ba·kit lazy mə·jək byj leach acorns wala su. From Spanlead (metal) ish balago "gunshot." don, hi·n, hi·nkoj, lead (someone) wi, wi to koj

264 donto no lead away lead, take the hi ntoje lead the way witikoj bakkal ~ bakka·l 1eaf leak (basket, bucket, etc.) hok lať leak (roof) ćy·ka lean (thin) lean (v. intr.) wə ~ wə?əj lean (v. tr.) ?əkə wəkə. lean against something jowa leave behind (somebody) leave over from eating ma·waj pekit leave, take daku, dakuna n left (sinister) dakupem left-handed one lu·1 leg leg over somebody, have hyslominno let back down again bəkələda ti let go ma·ti, wi?o ~ wi, ?ukojti let go back down kələda. ~ ?əkələda. ~ ?əkəlləda. tokda, tokkoj let go grip ?inta let us see papel bo. letter, write a! sələj level (ground) lie (tell an untruth) mokyspapaj nynko ju, weka, wo ~ lie (recline) wo, wa watta. lie across lie down nynko ju, wokit lie down comfortably, unable to wadapati lie flat on belly kotdokoj lie on back, facing upwards lie on back with legs crossed podokso ćatpekit lie on side wələminno lie on top of something life, show signs of wilik wihol, wikoj lift off ?oto·ti, hudokoj lift up kop light (n.) light (v. tr.) , koʻpiti, tomma light, be (in weight) hyssy byhe he light, nearly (at daybreak) bykkaj, banaka light of day light, one who has a tomma hape

wispil lighten (of lightning) lightning wispil like (food, etc.) nuk pesak like (love, be fond of) pojow lily bulb (camass) haləkəsi, wiləkəs limber maj?y? limestone ťoj, wesket, ?inťaj, limp (v. intr.) ?intajintaj limp, be (flaccid) jələkəs limp, go jələkəkəskoj line up (v. intr.) te·le te, te·le lined up, be pintano listen! listen, go around and pintanowohis listen, tell to pintanowo. listen toward pinto·paj little la j bysəsəs little thing la·j ke·paj little, very lamkyskysdi little way (further on) live (dwell) ?is wada. live (recover, survive) live, let wada ti ?iswaky?en live through, in order to livelong, all the lami liver kylla lizard pićak, pitćak me. load on back load on shoulder, get up with heavy so dokoj hukit lock up wəsək lodge against something wəcədək lodge in or on something kaj, sampaj honkele. lonesome, be long lamdi long, all (night) lami long standing, of he se long way off lamdi longer lamkyskys lamkyti longer, make byhahap long-faced look bu ~ by, hin, wa ~ wa, ?e, ?ekyt, ?eta sitapaj, look after (care for) ?etataj

byhis, bynene. look around look around all over for welwohis look around for welwene. look around in brush wəkət look as one goes along ?eweje. ?ejewej look back byki·tusa look down, try to look for wel, ?əddət look for, go and welkoj, welno, ?əddətno wə·kno? look, go to look through crack or keyhole wəkət byno n look up loop ma·haw loop, make ma·haw ?əssək loose (promiscuous) lose (a track) bonoti ~ bo·noti lose consciousness (?) lose (handgame) halemej lose something in water bono ~ bo·no lost, get ?okkys lots louse (capitis) love pesak, tuk love dance jahəhənna sewjakka lower kawjakkati lower, make jo taj luckless byhahap lugubrious hinse? lunch, eat lying down, be wo ko ju

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?ə.u mad (angry) make ma, sije. make, tell to sije wo man jep, majdyk jo, lok, lokoje - lokke, many ?okkys many times lokpaj koto manzanita berry mokos manzanita, big mark bo, bono marking instrument bo·noju

married, be (man speaking) kylepe married, be (woman speaking) jeppe kylepe marry (man speaking) marry (woman speaking) jeppe jo, johop, jupus mash mash of, make johop bohop mash up mash up (somebody) johop mash up with foot bentalak matches sa wo, ma cesi. The latter word is from English. matter, nothing is the homa menim maybe haćej maybe was over (number of years) ?ələmtocey nik me me, from nikna•n me, to nik wajmi's meadow lark measure (v.) peťoti meat kyjysy wene medicine weneja medicine, make medicine on the way, make wenejawo·nom ?oćik meet ću· ~ ću·?, piťo melt (v. intr.) mesambreanthemum pittatak Mexican panjol. From Spanish "español." middle ?esto hintaj middle of day, pass patapetipe midwife milk (mother's) milk (v.) pitta lapukpuk Milky Way myskoho, pe·ćew mischievous, be misfire (gun, etc.) ?əmsə miss (fail to hit the mark) bataj, wataj, wənə miss (narrowly glance by) hintaj miss (notice the absence of) Kataj miss with hand ko ni Miwok Indians mix jaw, joćujti mix up leloj

mixed up, be reciprocally joćujto moccasin solo ?yćej mock sikaltu mockingbird buť moldy perso. From Spanish money "peso." po·mbok month mood, be in a certain moon po·mbok moonlight po·mbokkano more, any kanno ?oto. morning ?ekkit morning, late in the banakam mo·lo morning star pulu mortar mother mother (vocative) mother's younger sister ?omo motion with eyes bykon moult jukup mound, gopher kum mount (climb onto) ?ypaj mountain, at foot of papakdi mountains jaman kə·ləj mourn mourning ceremony, hold hejpaj byde ća·ćakawunuknuk mouse, field moustache masaw pysip mouth (of hole) mouth (organ of mastication) mouth, action with mo bəkəm mouth, catch quickly in mouth quiver previous to crying, me bew have mokopitkoj mouth, slip out of move nen, nenkoj nenno? move a little way tapbelhis move around quickly wilik move as if alive

nenćap move away in anger move body while sitting su·je· nenčak move in company move into (a house) nenmit move out of (a house) nensip move slowly jititikije.

botujti, move to another place huttuj move to here nendaw? move together each from his direcnenčakto tapbelhis move very quickly moving, arrive here nendik much, very lokti ke paj mud likop ?u·lli mud-preserved acorn mule mu·la. From Spanish "mula." murder bello kotom murmur mush ću je ću·jeja mush, make mushroom wa ni. my

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ha, ja ~ ja·, jawi· name (v.) name to, give a ham hesi japebe name, what is his? my·m hoj, hojdi near hollempaj near, keep nearly pyto pytodaw nearly come kujsok neck neck stretched across, have ?otta·to necklace ?ələw necklace, make a ?ələwti needles, pine wo.wo. nephew kam ka·j nephew's child ho·m nest net hina net, carrying net, catch with net, fine meshed ćekət net, pack jomin net sack jawni hu nunuk net tied to end of stick new be j

new food pa·bej ?ama, ?amaky next bohejpaj next to nibble (sweets, goodies, etc.) bade? niece kam po· ~ po·ho night night, dark of po kylys night, hunt at po·my, po·to nineteen ma·camin cyjimbo·m m?m no Kawpo noise noise of falling body lussusati noise of falling on ground dupup noise of falling on ground, habitually dupuphaha make noise of gun going off dojjoj noise of shot falling on floor ćalalal noise of spear hitting basket dakkakti noise of sticks hitting each other noise of wood knocked against wood dekkek noonday meal, eat hinse? noontime, pass hintaj north tos nose ko·1 nothing is the matter homa·menim bej, beji, bejdi now let's see now, right bejdimke paj

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O.K. ?ə·
oak, poison citok
oak, water palla
oats ?ato·sy·. From Spanish
"arroz."
obey lapaj
obsidian wa·se
occupy oneself sikoso
ocean wo·lem mom
odd (referring to number of years,
etc.) ho·ma·m

of them ?inno(m) officer ka·lte·. From Spanish "alcalde." official ka·lte·. From Spanish "alcalde." okay 29. old ne. old (of things) he se old, be ?uno old, be very ne ke paj old man ?oskon old one ne·ky olive la??a? or la?u?a? once wykpaj once, at mynym, mynymkan one witte, wyk. The latter morph does not occur alone. one-eyed byćan only by te, wem, ?o. ooze jititikije. ooze out kvm open pe, pyl open! ja·wekoj open door ja·wekoj open, have eye bydə·j open mouth mada·dap open up by itself pylkoj open, wide (eyes) byda jəm open treeless country pi-we opening (day) ho jaha, hojjamham opening in brush pyhol holno opposite end ?inki·t oration, make an pedaw, petaje order to do something hy wej orphan ku·lu. Cf. ku·les "widow(er)" other ćaj other side, from the me?ennan other, the cajkym our nise. out, come ?ysip out, go ?ysip out of doors pyjćadi outside pyjćanna over perhaps, was (referring to number of years) ?ələmtocey overshoot target jellem overtake bodik

owl, burrowing tokko.k owl, horned hymhym own (v.) ka.pe

p

pack (carry, haul) jo, joje. pack along on back me·je· pack around on back ceremonially ?apto·his pack basket, sharp pointed kojo pack net jomin pack on back (v.) hapaj, hapajto koj, hykəlləkoj, me, wi hapaj pack on back, try to me.be., me·mbe· pack on shoulder so, so to koj pack out jomin pack under the arm kowo ćaj pain, have labor pataky ti pain (that which is removed from body by doctor) po·loj paint (cosmetics, etc.) kat paint (v.) woko kojo?yjemyse Paiute Indians ma·ťatťa palm (of hand) pan watte ja. From Spanish batea, "trough." pant (from running) honhe panther hilit panting, go along honpinhonpinweje. pants pantolo·1. From Spanish "pantalón." papel. From Spanish "papel." paper paralyzed (completely unable to walk) particles, throw (away) lots of small wa?o hehe jno, hel, hintaj pass pass by helləm pass fairly close to hehejno pass going the other way hetujno pass middle of day hintaj pass narrowly hintaj past (a stated number) ?ələm ~ ?əlləm

do ja, pakalte. The latter pay from Spanish "pagar." peel ćot ćotkoj peel off peep ?əddət peep over, go and ?əddətno peep through crack or keyhole wakat pendant, shell pilpil penetrate cy - cy. penetrate body ćy·mit penis pe, pe nan - pe na n, people pi·wena·nmyse people, just we pe nanky perched (on branch) bəkə·lu perform (in a ceremony) perhaps exceeded (referring to ?ələmtocey number of years) ?ok, ?ota perspire masap persuade pestle baj pet pej picnic lunch, take along pick (berries, etc.) jan ~ jawe, judu. pick around jawene. pick, go and jankoj pick out and gather (choose sides) wi·typaj pick poppy seeds around pyk jawene. hudokoj, wi· pick up pick up, tell to go and wi.nowo. pick up what is scattered witypaj ko ći. From Spanish "coche." pig pigeon hanhan ?ap, ?apto·his piggyback, carry myk, wa· pile wa·jo pile in wa·jota pile on top pile up bone. pillar jo·kit pine needles wo.wo. pine nut to n pine nut, green jope

pipe

kula

pity bomy place pyjća ?i·hi? placenta placer mine jymmat plant (v.) bokit, simla, sykit plaster something with flat hand katokpaj play ka·to play at walking ?yne·to play, engage in erotic play (handgame) play with helwejto plead masap Pleasanton (place name) lisjan Pleiades (?) ?eti·joto plentiful, be (as game) lok, lokke. ~ lokoje. plentiful, be continually loktataje. plow (v.) ?alalte. From Spanish "arar." pluck (fowl) koj plug up (hole) susop plum mokol plum, large species mokolkol plum, small species mokolola? pocket wolsa. From Spanish "bolsa." point (of thing, hill, etc.) point (v.) sy ~ sy· ~ su point around synene. point at syno. point at with finger sukolpaj point at (with gun, etc.) sypi·u?u point out sypa·ju point with finger sukol pointed (sharp) pointed (thin) mo pointed in anger, make face mocuda da pointed, make tokpeti poison (v.) jomme. poison by penetration of body cy mit poison the blood cy mit poison "bullet," "shoot" with jomme. poison oak

ćitok

poison wholesale by stench pyťa poisoned, be kum poke sy ~ sy· ~ su, synno poke at with fire sutoj poke through sykelewno poke through hole syhelewno poke towards me sypin poke with finger or stick poke with stick sytoj pool resources wa·tatan poor (affectionate commiseration) ?ose poor (of bad quality) ceman pop (gun) doj pop out in fright, have eye byda.j poppy seed, California poppy seeds around, pick pyk jawene. post (as housepost) jo·kit posts around fire in roundhouse, the four jələl posts by the foot drum in roundhouse, back sudok potato waj potato, white man's wo lem waj pound (acorns, etc.) pound a little finer (in mortar) jok pound, help to julujcak pounding hole in rock pour wa, wa?o pour down (grain, acorns, etc.) wa·kit pour in wa·mit power, shamanistic prattle senselessly ?oba·henym pray huswei precede hi•n precede the rest hi nkoj pregnant, be ?e·lape press gently with hand katane. prevent was prick with finger or stick prick with sharp stick or knife sylka pricked by something (thorn, etc.), get syla

probe with stick ?əssək promiscuous, be prostitute monu prostrate in fit, fall ću·kka protect hand by covering kada was protest protrude towards, have backside ?inpa·ju prove by testimony mosip provisionally hate pubic hair (used of both sexes) bun? pull wi, wisəl pull apart wićat pull down off wi-dapull head back down again kələda. ~ ?əkələda• pull off wikup pull off a little at a time wićy p pull off (branch) with hand wisal pull open with hand wicen pull out wikup pull out hair or feather wikup pull something (e.g., bow) so it doubles up wiponos pull trigger widoj pull up by rope wikkakaldokoj pull up from ground (mushrooms, etc.) hyj ~ hy· pull up with roots and all wipul pull up with roots and all repeatedly widukwiduk pulling back, break by wisəl pulling motion, catch on stick with widakkoj pulling motion, catch quickly with wikepkoj pulling, try by wi.mbebe. pulsate wo·je· punch with fist jodoj punch with stick lightly punch with stick lightly and repeatedly syttəktək pursue hollempaj, ka ~ ka·, kaje, Kano pursue at once kadokoj Kahistoto pursue each other

pursue over a long distance Kakoj pursue quickly Kadokoj push away, be able to kadoonnona. push down into ?ynnoti push over kadokonno ka ja. push with hand put bəkəl, hukit, jo, tu (?), wa· put away hukit put day by day wa·jo put down hukit, tukitti put foot on benko put gradually wa·jo put in bomit put in another botuj mitti put into gradually jomit put into receptacle of cloth or skin jono put on bomitti put on best clothes lehupaj put on hand kada put on horns ?omit put on skin to protect hand put on regalia lehupaj put on top of something bəkəlkit put up bet in gambling wokitti

q

quail hanpaj quarrel (v.) ?awwi•to quarter (25 cents) pe·llali. -lali from Spanish "real." quartz ?o·pokpok Quercus wislizenii suhew question tuma quiet, be (impers.) kelele. quit hati quiver typypy quiver previous to crying, have mouth me·bew

r

rabbit bo je

race, run a jylykato racer snake, blue pal rag tila·pu. From Spanish "trapo." rag held by women in dance in gesture of measurement tokno railroad le·lot. From English. ba·j rainbow sykyn, ?ole· sykyn raise ?oto·ti rake berries off bush judurape ?yćej rash ćy kyj rash, be sick with sy kyj wamaj wati rattle made of cocoons filled with pebbles, doctor's wososo rattlesnake kojmo· raw food 20. K reata lija·ta. From Spanish "reata." reach 90.00 read ?elelte. From Spanish "leer?" receive, go and me·no recline wo ~ wo, wa reclining, be wo·ko·ju recognize ?esak recoup losses jewejdyk recover from wada, wadati recover, tell to wada tiwo recumbent, be wo·ko·ju red (?) lak red back, suffer from ?empananakred bead, large and valuable laklakse redbud ly1 red decoration on baskets lyl red hot pinan red willow tiwil refuse was relative tu·le relatives, have no tu·lemi· release ma·ti, ?ukojti release back down ?əkəlləda (?) release back down again bəkələrelease bowstring tokda-

remain hejak remain nearby hollem, hollempaj remember honsej reminisce honsej reminisce reciprocally honsejto rent house hydam repeat mələk, mələkpaj repellent, daub self with insect pe·pwo?omis replacement, put in a botuj mitti resemble jak, jakka resin ťilka respect bylel return jewej, to·daw revertive motion by· ~ bə rheumatism me·mus rib ći ci ricochet bip ride bo. ride nowhere in particular ride to a destination bo ta rider (on a horse) bo tape riddle with shots wakka riffle, water susul rifle li·ple. From Spanish "rifle." right we right-hand side jimdykna·n right, just pihəp right now bej dim ke paj ring masan, ?aniju. Latter word from Spanish "anillo." ripe pihəp ripe, be Kap ripe in spots, be pipaj river sew road bo. roast dos roast in oven wocol rob lo ~ lo. robber lo paha rock 20. rock, hole in kawlu rock, pounding hole in ?a rocks, cook by means of hot roll kənə - kynyn, kənənə (intr.), kənəti (tr.). nvn (tr and intn)

roll a long way nynkoj roll along kynyn?yn, nynije roll around nynne, wys ~ wyt roll into nynmit roll round and round wyspylymlym rolling, play at kynynto roost ?um rope Kuk rope game tiki·li rope, grapevine piw rope, pull up by wikkəkəldokoj rope used in rope game round kododoj, pylyly roundhouse kum roundhouse, posts around fire in jələl roundhouse, posts back by the foot drum in sudok rub with flat hand kahatat rub with hand ka katat rumble (of belly) kywwat run be, bedokoj, dok run (of water) jo·no run after hollempaj run around bohis run around after each other kahistoto run away sa·ma·, sa·ma·na run away from lahew run into bomit run over mələminno run race jylykato run right into bedokoj wo mit run through gantlet bəlləm run through going around bacalaprunning back, come bəkələpin

S

sack kostal. From Spanish "costal."
sacks, put in kostaljo
sad, be kə·ləj
saddle (n. and v.) si·ja. From Spanish "silla."
said, it is (quotative) hatomatoj

said, when said, when I hase said, when she hace sale (of something) jo sej saliva jakan salmon maj saloon sulu·n. From English. salt ba ~ ba? saltless bammi. same mykanim sand ?a·hil sapling haćuk sardines sa din. From English. sated, be jim say ha, mo saw (cut up) sykələl scar ky ne scare moleti scare along wataka1 scare away watakal scared, be mole scaring, drive by watakal scatter (intr.) by koj, jatapkoj, jekelew, jyjyt, jypyl scatter out jyjytsip scattered, lie around jo·ko·ju school ?isku·l. From English. school, go to ?isku·lkoj scold jaj scoop lebaklebak scrape off lekoj scrape off a bit of skin scrape with knife juscratch ćy, ćy ky t, katy scratch with finger and stick sykyj scratch with intent to inflict injury ćy·ki·t scratched, be ćy hym search, go welno search with hand kaje 1 second bohejpaj securely fastened, be wicodono see bu ~ by, wa ~ wa. ~ wa.k, see as you go along ?eweje.

see for the first time

see, go and warno wə·kkoj, wəkoj see, go to see habitually, in order to ?ehaha?en see, happen to bysej see, let us ?inta see repeatedly, go to wə kkokoj see out, unable to bysi pumen seed komi seed basket (oblong, for storing purposes) wokko seed beater (also used in ball games) seed beater, name of game played with ?ama·ty seed, species of ју seed, species of si wi seeds rolled into ball bajja seek wel, welkoj seize meseize by clapping hands together kadekkoj select wi. send wojo, wojo koj separate with hand wićen servant wojo. set (as sun) bonno set fire to with burning stick sydəp seven stars 20.to several wono several, notion of jo sexually attractive, find someone wo sak shade jubuj shake wilyhaj (tr.) shake down by climbing tree shake hands widukduk shaking-down tree topeca. shaman jom shamanistic power pe share equally ?əhəpti, ?i∙pak sharp tok shatter badajdajno shatter by kicking bencolinno shatter with foot bendaj shear (sheep) ?i·cok sheep wote·ka. From Spanish

"borrega."

shell (of nut) pu shell, abalone ?a·law shell pendant pilpil shine jubak, pil, ?ebak shirt kami·sa. From Spanish "camisa." shoe sapa·tu, solo. Former word from Spanish "zapato." shoot (bow or gun) jo, my (tr.), my · ?yj (intr.) shoot all over wa kekojti shoot at each other jowi · to shoot farther than anyone else jəlləm shoot in two jədəm shoot short johe·lu shoot, tell to my?owo. shoot through jaćap shoot, try to my sa shooter, first my?ohojjapem shooting, compete in jəlləmkustoto shooting, riddle by volley of shooting star sa·to shooting, try out gun or bow by short ťun monisjon. From Spanish shot "munición." shoulder, carry on so, so to koj hena, howwa shout around henawohis shout at ja paj shout in unison hossa shout to scare enemy, special tuj tuj shouter howwape shove down into ?ynnoti shove in (penis, straw, etc.) synno shove in with stick susop heťa, ?etati show the way wi.to.koj shut one's eyes tujćik sick wamaj sick with rash, be sy kyj wamaj sickness po·loj sicken cy·k sickly cy ka

side cat, kyna n side, lie on catpekit sideways movement sifting and winnowing basket, flat tew silver (white) kow since ?ono since that my m ?ono sinew pakaj sing sol sing (ceremonially) tolilla singletree to je ju sink down in water hinkit sink into cy ~ cy, cykit, ?ynno Sison (personal name) sison sister, father or mother's older to·m ~ to·me sister, mother's younger ?omo sister, younger ?əsəw sister-in-law (brother's wife if younger than ego's mother) ?omo sister-in-law (man-and-woman's reciprocal term) sister-in-law (older brother's wife if older than ego's mother) to·m ~ to·me sister-in-law (woman's reciprocal term) ?epesister's daughter or son kam sit bo, ?o cus sit down ?iskit sit on haunches (ready to jump up) ?inkə·pu sitting, move body while su je six tymbo. sixteen ?ojse·to· skin po skin (of apple, etc.) skin (v. tr.) jepet skin an animal mol, pus, puskoj skirt, feather to laj skulk around in camp for fun or to catch woman domhis skunk buslap jot

slap repeatedly

jotdojjotdoj

slap with open hand ja, japam slapstick wadada sleep tuj sleep, go back to tujdyk sleep going along tujweje. sleep, pretend to tujtete. sleeping (with somebody), come back from tujto daw sleeping place tujma sleepy, be jykyk slice (v.) sykda·j slick kapi pit slide on belly okak, okakno slide on belly up to ?okakpaj slip kammal ćukkelew slip away slip in kammalhamit slip out kammalhasip slip out of mouth mokopitkoj slippery for foot benkopit slippery with foot benkopitkoj slope penno slope, steep kitpenno small la.j, manaj, pyjyty small deer term manaj small son te·m manaj smear joťok smear on jotokta smell (v. tr.) hi, tyn smell (n.) tyn smell up to its source, of dog tracking hi to koj, hi to paj smoke suk smoke (v.) panmo smoky side (of the fire) suknan smooth kapi pit smoulder (of fire) bukuj snake, big hi ki snake, blue racer pal snake, bull ho tot snake, water huwe nana, we nan snake, whip cajahap snap in two jədəm snare birds posnare for birds po·ky sneak (n.) ?ykpehe? sneak dom, ket

sneak away domije. sneak away to avoid something unpleasant domkoj sneak-talk kethenym sneak up to ketpaj, kənpaj snow boje snowing, in spite of boje cete welkoj soak soap root ho. ~ ho.? so-called, the hamadi soft (of food) moćupćup soldier sulta·nu. From Spanish "soldado." kys, kyskys solid somebody's homokyhe something hes, hesi something wrong hesima. son te. son, small te·m manaj son-in-law (man's reciprocal term) soon ?amakyskysi sore, be ky t sore, have a ky·ť sorry for, be bomy sound Kawpo sound of falling body lussusati, dupup sound of gun going off dojjoj sound of shot falling on floor calalal sound of spear hitting basket dəkkəkti sound of sticks hitting each other kakaka sound of wood knocked against wood soup made of water oak acorn, sweet pippa south komow spare the life of wada·ti speak he, henym, pe (?), wej speak different languages ćajwe•j spear boso, koko - koko - kokko spearhead boso speech, make a pedaw, petaje spherical

pylyly

spider pyssy spider web hy·hy spill wa·ke spill all of wa·ke·noti spin wys ~ wyt spin and fall down, go into a wyttypyj pyjwo·da spin web hy. spiritual power spit do. spit against do ćik spit into dish, etc., held for the purpose do da? spit into something do mit spit on do ta spit out do·da·, do·sip spit out slowly do no spittle jakan split (intr.) badai split waca·t split in two with hand wićatto split open (as a bird) jećel split to pieces (intr.) badajdajno splitting instrument waća tiu spread (as forest fire, v. intr.) wikoj spread (v. tr.) ba ~ ba· spread out ba·kit, ba·no spread out on ground, something bato spring pakan Spring, Diamond mo·loke pakan "Spring, Morningstar's" mo·loke pakan spring out bo. ~ poso spring out one by one bo sisip spring out quickly and suddenly bo sip sprinkle all over wa·kekojti espe·la. From Spanish? "espuela." ?inka·pu squat squeeze out a liquid katapsip squeeze out solid substance with hand kapilsip squeeze with knees hedatpaj

squirrel, ground hilaw

squirrel's tail, gray ky hy stab jуj stain (v.) sićik stand around dəkəwo his stand still dəkə stand straight up be dokoj stand up (from sitting) dəkədokoj, dəkəne. standing water ťi·?u star mo·lo, po·kećyk star, evening kajim mo·lo star, morning banakam mo·lo stars, seven ?o·to hoj ~ ho•j ~ jo•ja start stay ?is stay behind [?]amapaj stay on (when others are told to leave) wa·cadak stay, tell to ?iswo steal lo ~ lo·, wəl, wəlkət, wəlkətto koj, ?yk (?), ?ykpe steal unseen welkət steep (?) kit steep slope kitpenno stench, poison wholesale by pyťa step (v.) benno step on bendatpaj, benko step, take a benno stepson 20.8 stick (n.) ća ~ ća· stick around (remain nearby) hollempaj, hollem stick, burning pilu stick down bokit, sykit stick, feel with sybe. stick, hooked lakky stick in (v. intr.) wəcədək stick into ground, drive a wudutinno stick, make motion as if to hit with a wo·mamak stick on mə(?), wəcədək (intr.) stick on (as something sticky) wa·ca, wa·ćadak stick onto (v. tr.) ?inpa·ju, mədəkpaj stick out ?inpa·ju

stick, walking be to

sticks for warp, basket sticks, game somewhat like card game played with bacca sticks to pick around, basket ćupjawenestiff pi stiff (of dead person) pikak still (yet) ?ype still be hejak stink bu. stink, poison whosesale by stir jaw stir with hand lene stir with paddle ?i ne stomach mal stoop kən stoop down kənkit stooping all the time, be kənnu stooping, go around kən?ije stop bəkkə, bək stop (at a place) wono stop (quit) hati stop up (obstruct passage or hole) bitil, susop, til, witil stop up (hole) with hand katil stop walking dəkə stop water from running store te·nta. From Spanish "tienda." storekeeper te·ntape story be tej ?i·stowa. From English. stove straddle bo·ťa straddle a horse boť straddle somebody hyslominno straight cupitpit, peto straighten (arrow, etc.) nak strap sisik straw popo. ~ po po, tan straw fire to drive away grasshoppers purp straw, game in which a yellowjacket is induced to fly with a strawberry, wild manka? strength bipik stretch

stretch out arms

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stretch out in fit ću·kka stretch tight wipak stretched across, have neck ?otta·to stretched against, cause to be ?opa·juti strike wa, wo kit strike with instrument strike with rock strike with stick, make motion as if wo mamak strike with stone in hand bo ~ bo. strike without penetration (of crossarrow) jitis striking with rock, keep wo·kit string Kuk string (bow) kat, katno string (of beads) taj ~ ta·j string beads jeskələw string, invite with a knotted wići·p ~ wićy·p strip off strong (physically) bipik strong (physically and mentally) ?etti stuck, be Wəćədək stuck out, be ?inpa·ju stump buttuk stunned, be tukkes stutter wehapypy succeed, nearly wada. suck at breast mići suck from a brush hi·hi· suck genitals modo suck out disease (of shaman) suck, tell to jomwo. sucking noise, make cobop, cobopcobop sucking noise, make high-pitched byppaj suckle mići sudden motion ću. suddenly, come very ću·daw, ću·pin suffice ?əhəp sugar pine sumu. sugar pine sugar kawa su summer ?okomen summon

tu

?ok sundown, almost bonnopytom sundown, at bonnopaj sup kajpe ќајре supper suppose pis surprised, be hontamit surround wićo, wićono, wićopaj suspect honki. suspicious, be kahəp swallow (v.) kuj, kujkoj, kujno sway while sitting su.je. sweat (v.) helop, ?ok, ?ota sweet sudak swelling up widus swim pi swim across pita-to swim along pije. swim, arrive in order to pije·daw swim away pih?oj swim out pisip swim under water to catch something jo. swim under water to catch something, go out to jo koj swimming, arrive pidaw swing (a cane) winnoto swollen widus swollen, be DII. swoop wat swoop down watdaw

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tail buk hu ~ hy, to·no take take along to jetake along picnic lunch take away (steal) wəlkətto koj take away from forcibly 10 - 10. take back hykəlləkoj, hykələno, me·dyk take care of sitapaj take cover off pylkoj take down from huda. take into hormid

take leave pekit take off hukoj take off trap or spear (game) jew take out husip, lesip take out gradually husisip take to (some place) to koj taking from, play at me da to tale be·tej talk, to he, henym talk different languages cajwe-j talk going along henym toweje talk out loud mosip talk senselessly and at random ?oba·henym talking along henymweje·će tall grass potto tan (v.) wesep tar jolpet target, overshoot jellem tarweed ća·ćak tarweed seed cak taste mo, mo mbe taste by eating a little mo·be· taste good mo·sak taste without eating le·be· tasty thing mosaktim ?ose teach bomei tear (cloth, paper, etc.) wicap tear in two with hand wicapto tear into strips wićy·p teem (as game) lok teeth, have broken mekel teeth, hurt (by accidentally biting something hard) madajćik tell mo, wejda, wejda paj tell a lie mokyspapaj ten ma·ćamin tendon pajdəkdək testicle pakpak, palas testimony, prove by mosip that my ~ myj, muj, myje that one mothat way hodo na that, with mujni their myse. their two mysa. them myse

them (dual) mysa them, of 'innom then hace - hase, hahese hahe se, han, hasan, hahase there mo, muj, myj - my, myjdi there, from mo·na·n, mujna·n. myjna·n they on their side mysekym thick (of liquid) di·1 thick brush, try unsuccessfully to go through ?osap thief lope, wəlkə·t, ?ykpehe? thigh hoj ~ hoj? thin cy ka, mo thin face, have moćudadat thin (v.) liquid by dilution thing (?) ?ose thing, little bysəsəs think hontakoj, pis this hede, hedem, myja. ~ myjaha this, from myja·nan this one hedekyhe this way hedena those together though hawete thousand tawsen. From English. thrash (someone) wodoj threaten to hit one another with stick wo mamaktoto threaten to hit with stick wo·mamak thresh wu?up three sapwij three o'clock sapwijnaha throat so·tolo ~ soto·lo through, go bedepinno through thick brush or canvas, go bacalap throw bo· ~ bo?o, wi· ~ wi?o throw alongside wi?opaj throw around wi.nonoda. throw away wi?o ~ wi, wi·no throw away as one runs wi?oweje. throw away lots of small particles wa?o

throw down violently wudup throw into wi·mit throw right into bo dopmit throw through wi dəpmit thrust with stick wudut' thud! dupup, lussusati thunder jowwo. thus myja. - myjaha thus, be myja. ~ myjaha thus, do myja·ti thus, from being myjahana. thus going along, do myja·tiweje· thwang! dəkkəkti tickle abdomen cumto tickle with stick or finger tie du, bələw tie around waist wićapajti tie knots pun tie together wo paj tie up bələw tied around waist, have wicapaj tighten wipak, witin time kaw tin ha·tom. From Spanish "latón"? tinder and flint sa-wo tiny la·j ke·paj tipsy hinipypyj tipsy, be busbus tired, be he · lu tired, get he·lu· tired, have arm woko. toad, horned ?okopejpej tobacco tawa·ku. From Spanish "tobaco." tobacco, Indian pan together, bring (for gift-offering) jokol together, club jokol together, going around johisin tomahawk waća tju tomorrow ?oto·paj tongue ?al tongue, action with letongue, taste with le-betoo ?ypem top nok top (of a hill), appear on ?əlləmsip

torch to ho, tomma. torch, light a tomma touch gently kattak touch the trigger kattakas touch with fire sutoj toy with (some instrument, tool, or weapon) wo.pe. track (of animal or man, n.) paj track (follow tracks of) hej, hejto·koj, pajto·koj track around pajhejne. track (?) fingerprint tokkitmamka hejne trade botuj, wotuj trade, coming to wotujdawin trade, going to wotujkojin trample down benlat transport to no trap (n.) tekna trap (v. tr.) tekna trap, be caught in a teknabo. trap birds potravel ?yje. tray-like flat basket 2111it treat (act as a doctor) jom, woneća ~ ća· tree marked as one's own topeca. treeless, open country piwe trigger (gun) Kattakju trigger, pull widoj trigger, touch kattakas trim (cut piece off) tej trough mo·tiju trousers pantolo l. From Spanish "pantalón." true mydyk truth mydyk try one another honbe toto try out (man) honbetry out (some instrument, tool, or weapon) wo be try strength or skill ma·kbe· try to bo be try unsuccessfully to go through thick brush ?osap tule juje, potto tumble

tumble over ?əskələwo. turn pettuj (v. intr.), wəćət turn around pettuj, wəćətdəw turn back (v. intr.) kələ turn off (road) hetcyj turn upside down pettujti. turtle ?awan twelve pe·notom twenty huje, majdyk twice pe·npaj twin ?o·ja twist wipoj twisted, be wyttypyj two pe'n two bits pe·llali. -lali from Spanish "real."

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umbilical cord kaunable to lie down comfortably (because of obstruction) woso uncle, older paternal to·m ~ to me uncle, younger paternal kyse uncle's wife kati uncover pylkoj understand ?esak undo pyl unhook (game) from trap or spear jew unlucky, be jo·taj unsaddle sija·boda untie pylno, wipyl up hipin up over ?ələm ~ ?əlləm uproot wipul upset with hand kadokonno upset with foot (kick over) bendokonno upside down, turn pettujti. urinate ?uću us nise us, from niseke us two nisaka

used to, be ?ybyk

v

valley loklo valuables ?oseka· valuables, lose ?oseka∙kul valuables, round basket for storing mokololo venerable hojja very much lokti ke paj viscera ka· viscous (of liquids) di·1 visit hym, hym?yne visit, come to hymje visit, go over to hym?yje·koj visiting around, go hy?yne vomit wevulture ko·k

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wagon kale ta. From Spanish "carreta." waist siləj ~ sykəj ~ waist, have tied around wicapaj waist, tie around wićapajti wake up ćeno wake up (someone) by pushing or poking sihəj wake up, go and sihəjno walk he walk around hecono, ?yne. walk around in opposite directions hetanto walk, be unable to lowes ~ lo·was walk with a limp ?intaj, ?intajintaj walking, play at ?yne·to walking stick be-to wallow in a rotten animal (as dogs do) woploj wampum howo - howwo war dance lilliki ward off evil mo.da.

warm (of weather or temperature) pikəp warm self at fire cip warp, basket sticks for wash (gold) juću· wash face for simpapakti wash oneself juću?omis wash something (pots, dishes, clothes, juću. waste ?yćej. waste away (sicken) ćy·k wasted away, be ćy ka watch (v.) byhej, ?etataj ?etatajpom watch closely water mom water dog paťa·k water, have a little (of place with pool) ćydem water, motion in hin water oak palla. water oak acorn soup, sweet pippa water, put into hinmitti water riffle susul water snake huwe nana, we nan water, standing ti.?u water, wave in po je? watering instrument mo·tiju watermelon santi·ja. From Spanish "sandía." wave (in water, n.) po·je? wave (something, v.) woko wave away ledanledan wave (something) from side to side wokowoko wave (somebody) on lekunlekun way, have something in the woso way, that hodo na we ne·s we two na·s ćy•ka weak ći ~ ći. wear wear out wono wearer ?omitpe weave his, ma, wej web (spider's) hy hy web, spin hy. weed (n.) tatat

weed (v.) widukwiduk weed, kind of white weigh pesalte. From Spanish "pesar." well (good) wentin west notaj, taj ~ tawaj, ~ ta·waj ~ ta·wwaj wet ćy·ta ~ ćy·te, dum wet, something (being) hama n homa. what what to do homa·tihi wheat tilu·ku. From Spanish "trigo." where homo where to homona while, in a little ?amakyskysi whimper with pain whip (v.) wapas whip snake ćajahap wys ~ wyt, wyspywhirl around lymlym, winna whisky waje nte. From Spanish "aguardiente." whispering kethenym whistle kut, to kka whistle, have to kkap whistle with fingers simpylaw white (silvery) kow white (woman) kow white man wo'le ~ wo'lese white man's potato wo·lem waj white weed, kind of tan white willow ty·ttyt who homo, homoky m whoop while beating on open mouth with palm hapypy why homa, homan wide open (eyes) bydə·jəm widow ku·les ku·les widower wife kyle wife of brother (younger than ego's mother) ?omo wiggle buttocks during copulation wo je. wild strawberry manka? willing

willow, black halawaj willow, green brush potto willow, red tiwil willow, white ty ttyt willow with red flowers, growing in river ?ololo willow with straight shoots used for baskets ćuju· willow with white flowers ?ololo win (gambling, racing, etc.) hale win back haledyk, jewejdyk win everything (break the bank) ćow wind by je wind, break bu - bu. wine wajni. From English. wing feathers jewinged je-pe wink bycyn winnow wu?up winnowing and sifting basket, flat tew

winter tamas tamashi
winter, spend the (v. intr.)
tamashy
wire grass dokon
wish huswej
wolf lolla
woman kyle
woman chief majen
wonder 'opej
wood 'ca - 'ca'
wood, get 'cahyj
wood knocked against wood, noise of
dekkek
woodpecker panaka

jo·to

woodpecker, red feather of womol

work tawal ~ tawhal. From Span-

work at sikoso
work at with difficulty sikoso
world kaw
worth, be (a certain sum) doworth each, be ?opaj

woodpecker head

ish "trabajar."

wounded, get pyn
wrap around witilik, wys - wyt
wrapped around, be wyttypyjti
wrinkled up picyj
wrinkled up, get picyj
wrist ma·dəkdək
write bo·, bo·no
write a letter! papel bo·
wrong, something hesima·

y

Yales (name of tribe) ja·les yard ja.tim. From English. yawn ha·w ye imeke year kaw, ?ajno. The latter from Spanish "año." yell while beating on open mouth with palm hapypy yellowjacket, boys' game involving a tan yes harn, her yet (still) 'ype yet, be (remain in existence) hejak yew jollip yonder hodo, hododi yonder, belonging to him hodokyhe yonder, from me?ennan yonder side, at hodokynandi you (do) mike, min you (pl., subj.) me. you (sg., subj.) mi younger sister ?əsəw younger sister of mother your (pl.) mime· youth tebej

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zing! (noise of spear hitting basket)