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A GRAMMAR, &c.

THE history of the Hottentot race is intimately connected with the rise and progress of the Cape Colony. This people were the aboriginal inhabitants of the greater part of that portion of Southern Africa which is now subject to British rule, but have been deprived of their land, and gradually reduced in numbers by the rapid and irresistible advance of civilized man. Much valuable and interesting information respecting their character, manners, and customs, has already been collected in the books of travellers and in other works; but, until very recently, their language has been a much neglected subject of enquiry. Its harsh and peculiar sounds have probably deterred many from grappling with its difficulties, and making it a field of philological research. Before the commencement of Christian Missions and the abolition of slavery, the aborigines were held in servitude and contempt by the Colonists, they were seldom regarded with philanthropy, and few efforts were made for their instruction and elevation. The very nature of their intercourse with the Colonists, forced upon them the language of the whites, and paved the way for the gradual extinction of their own. When the Missionary Societies of Europe turned their attention to South Africa, their agents found numbers of the Hottentots conversant with the Dutch language in which they commenced to communicate religious instruction to them. Wherever the native language still prevailed interpreters were employed, until the Missionaries had succeeded, not as has generally been the case with foreign Missions, in learning the language of the

aborigines, but in teaching them theirs. With reference to those Missions which have long been in operation among the Hottentots within the Colony, or those on its immediate border, the event has justified the course pursued: from a Hottentot a click is seldom heard.

A few Missionaries, however, have taken an interest in the Hottentot language, and have published several small works in it. These might have sufficed but for two reasons. First, Several tribes of the Hottentot race, and some others who speak the same language, are so remotely situated from the Colony, that it is highly probable a considerable time will elapse before they shall have formed a sufficient acquaintance with either the English or the Dutch language to enable them to dispense with their own, however certain its ultimate extinction may appear to be. For these it is necessary to provide translations of Scripture, in order to instruct them in the truths of Christianity. Secondly, It will be interesting to preserve some additional record of the language spoken by a people so peculiar and once numerous, as it may assist in tracing their descent, and removing the obscurity in which their origin is at present involved.

These two reasons have induced me to compile a sketch of the Grammar of the Namaqua Hottentot dialect, which will form a basis for more critical and philosophical research into its structure and general principles.

The following are the different dialects spoken by the several varieties of the Hottentot race:—

The Hottentot proper, which was spoken by the tribes that inhabited the greater part of the Districts now comprised in the Cape Colony. This dialect is almost extinct. A few who are still conversant with it may be found in the back settlements, and along the Eastern frontier. Two or three of the lepers at the Robben Island Establishment converse in it with fluency.

The Coranna, which is spoken by the tribes inhabiting the banks of the Orange River, and by others in the vicinity of the Vaal and Modder Rivers, with a few stragglers who have branched off from these towards the interior.

The Namaqua, which is used by the tribes of Little and Great Namaqualand, and by the Berg Damaras. It has not yet been satisfactorily ascertained how these two races, so essentially different in many respects, have acquired the same language; the probability is that the Berg Damaras were formerly in a state of vassalage to the Hottentots.

The Bushman, which is spoken by numerous roving clans who inhabit the desert and mountainous tracts of the interior. Their dialect is, in its turn, subdivided into numerous brogues, some intelligible, and others unintelligible, to the other varieties of the Hottentot family. They exceed the Hottentot in the uncouthness and barbarity of the sounds of which they are composed, but sufficiently resemble it in grammatical structure to shew that they belong to it.

To shew what has already been done towards the formation of a Hottentot literature, we append the following list of works that have been published in the several dialects:—

- "A Hottentot Catechism," by Dr. VAN DER KEMP, in the Hottentot proper.
 - "The Four Gospels," by the Rev. H. Schmelen,
 "The Gospel of Luke," by the Rev. C. H. Knudsen,
 "Outline of Hottentot Grammar," by Prof. Wahlman,
 Hottentot.

"A Coranna Catechism," by Rev. Mr. Wuras.

Appleyard's Work on the "Kafir Language" also contains an outline of the Grammar of the Coranna Language, by Rev. Mr. Wuras.

It appears that the most has been effected in the Namaqua Hottentot dialect, and as that is still extensively spoken, and the Rhenish and the Wesleyan Missionary Societies are vigorously prosecuting their labours in Namaqualand, it is probable that Scripture translations will continue to be made in that dialect. It is hoped that this small work may prove not only interesting to the curious, but also of practical utility to Missionaries among the Namaqua Hottentot tribes.

I. ORTHOGRAPHY.

In reducing a barbarous tongue to a written form one of the first and principal difficulties which occurs is the construction of an Alphabet. This difficulty may be the more easily surmounted if it be found that the Roman Alphabet contains sufficient signs to represent all the elementary sounds which compose the language to be formed. In such a case the shortest and easiest method is to avail ourselves of their aid, and, by so doing, obviate difficulties which would arise from the construction of new characters. As the letters of the Roman Alphabet, which are commonly in use among European nations, are merely arbitrary signs, and have, properly speaking, no definite power, except such as may be assigned to them by common consent, we may, until such consent shall have established uniformity in the power of letters, give them such sounds as may seem most proper and natural; being guided, however, as far as practicable, by analogy, and the genius of the language concerned. If it be found that new elementary sounds occur, they will have to be represented by new characters, unless, on the other hand, there be characters in the Roman Alphabet which have no corresponding sound in the language which has to be reduced, when there will be no reason why these should not be appropriated to meet the deficiency of signs which would otherwise occur.

It is on this principle that the orthography of the present work and some manuscript translations has been determined. The Namaqua contains articulate elementary sounds which have no representing signs in the Roman Alphabet, and the latter contains signs which either have no corresponding power in the Namaqua, or may be adequately represented by some of the other characters. It

will be very easy, then, to let those signs which are superfluous with respect to the Namaqua stand for the sounds which are extraordinary and unrepresented. The alphabet of the Kafir language has been modelled on the same principle. C, Q, and X, have been spared to stand for the clicks which the Kafirs have borrowed from the Hottentots, and R for the guttural which occurs as an elementary sound.

In the absence, then, of any approved Universal Standard Alphabet, as the Roman Alphabet affords sufficient signs to meet the exigences of Namaqua orthography, it would be useless to invent new characters, and the clearest, simplest, and most convenient way would be to confine ourselves almost exclusively, if not entirely, to those which are so readily at command.

These views have been controverted, and the orthography of those works which have already been published in the Namaqua Hottentot dialect has been based on an opposite view of the question. "The Four Gospels" have signs for the clicks; but although the translation must have been a work of great labour and application, the system of orthography followed by the late respected translator was essentially defective, and consequently the work has never been of any practical utility. "The translation of the Gospel of Luke," is based on a regularly constructed and copious Alphabet, but here also the following signs are employed to mark the clicks-('::). These, from their similarity to the stops used in composition, and from their being used for that purpose in the same work, can hardly be considered a happy selection. Professor WAHL-MAN has adopted nearly the same orthography in the short sketch of Namaqua Grammar which he has prepared. But although this system can thus claim the sanction of precedence as far as the Hottentot dialects are concerned. room is left for a fair trial of the system already sketched, which has in principle been so successfully employed in the Kafir literature.

It would, however, be better that both systems of orthography should give way to an approved universal Alphabet. The subject of a uniform orthography has recently engaged the close attention of eminent linguists and philologists in Europe; and among others, Professor LEPSIUS, of the Berlin University, has proposed an Alphabet which has been very generally adopted or recommended by the great Protestant Missionary Societies of England, France, and Germany, and upon which several works on African languages have already been based. The directors of the Rhenish Missionary Society, who are deeply interested in Namaqua Missions, have relinquished the system of Knudsen and Wahlman, and have instructed their Missionaries to adopt that of Lepsius. The able Professor, in framing his Alphabet, has found it necessary to invent new signs for the clicks, and by the aid of these all the elementary sounds of the Namaqua stand clearly represented. For the sake of uniformity, as well as on account of other advantages which Lepsius' system affords, it will be best to waive all objections and adopt it. In the mean time, however, as considerable delay has already retarded the publication of this small work, and as the requisite type to carry out the system of Lepsius in its application to the Namaqua language is not at hand, it has been thought better to proceed with the undertaking at once, and, if it be deemed advisable, to issue another edition in the orthography of the Standard Alphabet, as soon as circumstances will permit. transposition will be merely a mechanical process.

LETTERS.

There are twenty-seven letters in the Namaqua Hottentot language, which are arranged as follows:—

Vowels:—a, e, i, o, u.

Consonants:—b, d, f, g, gh, kh, h, k, l, m, n, p, r, s, t, w, y, z.

Clicks:-c, q. v, x.

Lett	ers.	Names	P	owers.	Examples.
A	a	a	a in	father	ma, ama.
E	e	е	а,,	may	nep, nes.
1	i	i	i ,,	pin	mi, di
0	0	0	0 ,,	bone	qop, vo.
U	u	00	00 ,,	moon	tu, cnanup.
В	b	be	Ь,,	band	bo, buru.
D	d	de	d ,,	day	dan, danas.
F	f	fe	ſ ,,	far	
G	g	ge	g ,,	go	gus, gâs.
Gh	glı	ghe	guttura	d as in Dutch.	ghun, ghua.
Kh	kh	khe	deep gr	ittural.	khau, khop.
\mathbf{H}	h	he	h in	hand	ha, huri,
K	k	ke	k ,,	keep	kankan, kosi.
\mathbf{L}	1	le	l "	love	
M	m	me	m ,,	man	mû, mari.
N	n	ne	n ",	no	·nu, na.
P	p	ρe	р "	put	hap, khoip.
\mathbf{R}	r	re	r ,,	run	cara, coro.
S	8	se	s ,,	sun	soris, subu.
T	t	te	t ,,	too	tani, teta.
W	W	we	w ,,	we	wan, wakha.
Y	y	уe	у "	уe	
\mathbf{Z}	Z	tse	ts "	hats	zu, saz.
C)			
Q V		l N	n carresna	nding sounds.	
		7 11	o om tospo	name sounds.	
X		J			

The sounds in the Roman Alphabet represented by f, l, and y are not found in the Namaqua Hottentot, the characters are, therefore, only inserted to provide for the introduction of foreign words, as:—Faro, Ghalilea, and Yohanip.

The sounds for which x and v commonly stand likewise do not occur.

The hard and soft sound of c may be expressed when necessary by k and s.

A caret A marks the strong nasal accent which often occurs as,—mâ, tê, xnâ.

VOWELS.

The vowels preserve in all places the same radical sound, the only variation being in the act of enunciation. They are long and short. As a general rule they are long in accented syllables. All the vowels are invariably sounded. The genius of the language seems to require that vowels should rather be added, for euphony's sake, than elided.

The following examples will illustrate the quantities of the vowels:—

a	long,	as	in	gas.	short,	as	in	van.
е	,,	,,	,,	be.	,,	,,	,,	ke.
i	,,	,,	,,	zî.	**	,,	,,	mari.
0	,,	,,	,,	vo.	,,	,,	,,	coro.
u	,,	11		mû.	***			kuru.

DIPHTHONGS.

The Namaqua has the following rather copious list of diphthongs,—ae, ai, au, ei, oi, ou, ui.

Close attention must be given by the learner to the sound of these combinations of vowel sounds, as many nice distinctions depend on their correct pronunciation.

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as a in
               bay:
                             que-aup a spy.
ai
                                     to sing.
                224 ;
                             xnai
    ,, y
               thou;
                                     to fear.
    ,, 011
                             gau
ei
               they;
                             vkei
                                     to call.
        ey ,,
                             khoip
oi
                boy;
                                      a man.
        oy ,,
                                     to shout.
ou
     ,, 010 ,,
                sow;
                             gou
               tuin (Dutch) ckui
     ,, ui ,,
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When the vowels which in combination form a diphthongal sound, have to be sounded separately, the latter of the two is marked by a diæresis, as,—ghoaike, it is written.

Nasal diphthongs take the circumflex over the first vowel, as, $-qk\hat{a}i$, $q\hat{o}u$.

CONSONANTS.

The Consonants proper to the Namaqua language may be thus divided:—

Labials:—b, p, m.
Dentals:—t, d, z, s.
Palatal:—g, k, h, gh, kh.
Lingual:—n, r.

We are of opinion that B and P are both needed to meet the requirements of the language; this will be seen from the following examples:—

berip, bread. pirip, a goat.
khoip, a man. buru, to wonder.

The same may be said of D and T, as is evident from the following examples:—

danis, honey. tani, to carry. di, to do. té, to ask.

Gh is a soft guttural, as in the Dutch word gaan.

Kh represents a much deeper and harsher guttural than gh. We have no corresponding sound, either in English or Dutch, by which to illustrate its power.

These two letters are simple sounds, though represented by compound consonants. In spelling, they are pronounced at a single articulation, without separating the combined characters; thus *ghun* is spelt *gh-u-n*, and not *g-h-u-n*. Khap is spelt kh-a-p, not k-h-a-p.

Y is only used as a consonant at the beginning of a sentence or word; its vowel sound is represented by the diphthongs ai and ei.

W is a semi-vowel, and at the beginning of syllables and words is sounded like the English w.

CLICKS.

The clicks constitute the most peculiar feature of the Hottentot language. The principal, if not the only, difficulty to a European of ordinary capacity and industry, in learning it, consists in these strange and barbarous articulations. They occur so frequently, and form such an important part in the root of many words, that they appear to have become an essential element in the language, and could not be dispensed with unless it were entirely reconstructed.

In pronouncing the click simply by itself, without any supplementary vowel or consonant sound, the breath, instead of being thrown out as is usual with other articulations of the voice, is checked, or drawn inward, but as soon as it is combined with any other sound it is strongly emitted. It is difficult to speak the Namaqua fluently or intelligibly, until the art has been acquired of checking and aspirating without any perceptible interception of the breath.

We denote the four clicks which are heard in the Namaqua Hottentot by the characters c, v, q, and x.

- C is a dental click; it is sounded by pressing the tip of the tongue against the front teeth of the upper jaw, and then suddenly and forcibly withdrawing it.
- V is a palatal click, and is sounded by pressing the tip of the tongue with as flat a surface as possible against the termination of the palate at the gums, and removing it in the same manner as for c.
- Q is a cerebral click, according to the Alphabetic system of Lersius.* It is sounded by curling up the tip of the tongue against the roof of the palate, and withdrawing it in the same manner as during the articulation of the other clicks.
- X is either a lateral or a cerebral click, that is, it may be sounded either by placing the tongue against the side teeth, or by covering with it the whole of the palate, and producing the sound as far back in the palate as possible, either at what Lepsius calls the faucal or the guttural point of the palate. European learners almost invariably sound it as a lateral, and hence their articulation is harsh and foreign to the native ear. A Namaqua almost invariably articulates this click as a cerebral.

In composition the clicks only occur at the beginning of syllables; they combine with all the vowels, and with a certain number of consonants, which are liquid with respect to them. Whilst the anterior part of the tongue

^{* &}quot;Cerebral was the original English denomination, which arose, indeed, from a false translation of the Indian name mirddunya, i.e., letters of the dome of the palate, but has not yet been supplied by a more appropriate one.—(Note to Lepsius, p. 45.)

is engaged in articulating the click, the throat opens itself to pronounce any letter that is to be sounded in combination with the click, and the sound pronounced at the same time with the click gives it a nasal, aspirate, guttural, or other determination.

It is the most natural and proper way to write the click before every other letter. In enunciation the organs of speech first prepare to articulate the click, and any other sound, either vowel or consonantal, is clearly supplementary.

The clicks ought properly to be classed among the consonants, for although they are by themselves distinct articulations, yet they cannot be considered complete sounds without the aid of a vowel.

The consonants which can be combined with the clicks are h, k, g, kh, n.

The following tables will show all the possible click combinations:—

				I.			
	C ca	cc	:	ci	e)	cu
Click and Vowel.	va	ve	;	vi	V)	VΙΙ
Vowel.	qa	qe	;	qi	qe)	qu
	Uxa	xe	:	xi	X)	xu
			J	H.			
Click and Diphthong.	Cai	cae	can	cei	coi	cou	cui
Click and	vai	vac	vau	vei	voi	vou	vui
Diphthong.	qai	qae	qau	qei .	qoi	qou	qui
	Cxai	xae	xau	xci	xoi	xou	xui
			I	II.			
	cha chc chi	ck	a	cga	cl	cha	ena
	chc	ck	e	ege	cl	khe	CHE
	chi	ck	i	cgi	cl	khi	eni
Click with	cho	cko		ego	ckho		eno
Consonant,	chu	ck	u	$\mathbf{c}\mathbf{g}\mathbf{u}$	ckhu		cnu
and Vowel.	vha vhc	vk	a	vga	v]	kha	vna
	vhc	vk	e	vge	vk	che	vne
	v hi	vk		vgi	v)	khi	vni
	vhi vho vhu	vk		v go		ho	vno
	(vhu	7}	cu	vgu	vk	hu	Vnu

	(qha	qka	qga	qkha	qua
	qhe	qke	qge	qkhe	que
	qhi	qki	qgi	qkhi	qni
Click with	qho	qko	qgo	qkho	qno
Click with Consonant, < and Vowel.	զհա	qku	qgu	qkhu	qnu
	xha	xka	xga	xkha	xna
	xhc	xke	xge	xkhe	xne
	xhi	xki	xgi	xkhi	xni
	xho	xko	xgo	xkho	xno
	xhu	xku	xgu	xkhu	xnu
			IV.		

Click, with chai ckai egai xkhai Consonant . chae; and so forth, through all the forms of Tables II. and III. Diphthong.

W is the only remaining consonant that appears to be at all liquid with respect to the clicks, but when it occurs in combination with a click, it will be better to regard it as a vowel, and write it u, as qkua, instead of qkwa. In the Namaqua it is never followed by any other vowel than a.

Examples:—		
ca, sharp.	câ, wet.	chamis, a collection.
ckamsa, hot.	$cg\hat{a}$, poor.	ckhu, to tremble.
cnams, love.		
va, to slaughter.	vû, to eat.	vha, to push.
vkagha, to enter.	vguap, clay.	vkha, to oppose.
vnu, black.	vnû, to sit down.	
qas, a place.	qâ, to hunger.	qhamis, a hunt.
qkam, to kill.	qgam, dcep.	qkham, to fight.
qna, in.	Secondary Secondary	pepare (
xa, to wash.	xâ, to love.	xha, to chop.
xkams, water.	xgari, to urge.	xkha, to be able.
xna, to fall.		

By the above examples, any person acquainted with the language will be able to identify the sound which each combination of the clicks and consonants is intended to The distinctions, though important, are, in many instances, very nice, and require a quick ear to eatch, and a practised tongue to articulate them.

The caret, denoting a strong nasal accent, is often placed over a final vowel, which appears to have the ringing sound of ing, as in ring, sing, &c., but which is not sounded with sufficient distinctness to warrant our adopting the same orthography as in English. The Universal Alphabet of Lepsius, as he proposes to adapt it to the Namaqua Hottentot, will require his \dot{n} to meet this case, and his q to represent the deep guttural which we have denoted by kh. With these two additions it will form a basis for a correct, concise, discriminating, and highly intelligible spelling and syllabification for the Namaqua and all its cognate dialects.

II. ETYMOLOGY.

The words of the Namaqua language admit of the following classification,—Noun, Adjective, Pronoun, Verb, Adverb, Preposition, Conjunction, and Interjection.

This order corresponding with that generally adopted by English Grammarians, is the most easy and simple. The Article, however, properly belongs to the Noun, as will be seen when treating of that part of speech.

1, NOUNS,-THEIR DERIVATION.

The genius of the Namaqua language affords considerable latitude for the derivation of nouns. Nothing is required for this process but to take the root or most convenient part of a word belonging to another class, and affix to it a letter distinctive of gender. Sometimes a particle is introduced between the root and the sign of the gender.

1. We have nouns derived from adjectives, as amap, truth; from ama, true: qkheip, cold; from qkhei, cold.

A more numerous class is formed by adding the particle si to the adjective, with the masculine, feminine, or common terminational sign of the gender; thus from qanu, pure; qkuri, high; qkhu, rich; vo, narrow; qgam, deep; are formed qanusip, purity; qkurisip, height; qkhusip, lordship; vosip, narrowness; qgamsis, depth.

2. Many nouns are derived from verbs; these follow the same rule of observing the termination by which the gender is indicated with or without an intervening particle; so from cnam, to love; véi, to think; dan, to conquer; tanisin, to conduct oneself; musin, to see oneself, we have cnams, love; véis, thought; dansis, victory; tanisins, conduct; and musinis, a looking-glass.

For the process of derivation the root of the verb is employed through all its conjugations. In this service, it is more usual to adopt the feminine than the masculine termination, because, generally speaking, the euphony of the language is most promoted thereby.

- 3. Participles, which we regard as integral parts of the verb, assist in increasing the number of words which may form the subject of discourse, and thus enrich the language by extending the range of its essential parts; so from mura, seeing; hara, will be coming; and xnaira, singing; we derive murap, one that sees; harap, one that will come; and xnairap, one that sings. Nouns formed in this manner are personal. The Namaqua does not contain any verbal common nouns with a participial termination. Such as correspond in sense with the verbal nouns of the English language are formed in the regular manner from the primitive root of the verb, as;—xnaus, a hearing; ghuas, a writing; qhus, a going: from xnau, hear; ghua, write; and qhû, go.
- 4. A few substantives may be traced to prepositions; thus from xaika, between, is formed xaikap or xaikup, the midst; qouka, outside; qoukap, the exterior; qua, in; quap, the inside.

Compound Nouns may be formed by the combination of two or more simple nouns, an adjective and a noun, a verb and noun, or a participle and noun; as qhu-khaus, an excavation, or a mining operation, from qhup, ground, and khaus, a digging; qgaru-qhup, a wilderness, from qgaru, waste, and qhup; xkhaxkha-aup, a teacher, from xkhaxkha, to teach, and aup, a man; cumi-aup, an heir;

from cumi, to inherit, and aup, a man; hara-xaip, the future; from hara coming, and xaip, time. It will be seen that in all combinations of this kind the letter or particle which denotes gender, is essential to the formation and must constitute the final member of the word.

Proper names are formed from nouns, adjectives, verbs, and participles. Any little circumstance attending the birth of a child, or any peculiar feature in the character, manner, or appearance of an individual, will suggest an appropriate appellation.

Thus we have hatup, from ha, to come; vkharis, from vkhari, small; qkubus, from qkubu, round; qnoughap, from qnoup, red clay; vkuivnubisavkumtis, one-that-does-not-fear-a-multitude.

NOUNS OF MULTITUDE.

Collective nouns, when only employed in the singular number, take the termination of the feminine gender, as: ukui-vnubis, a multitude; chamis, a collection or assembly. The feminine form of many nouns is taken in a collective sense, as: xkûs, a springbok; gumas, a cow; vhums, a locust; which severally become, a flock of springboks, a herd of cattle, and a swarm of locusts. But when a collective noun is put into a plural form it assumes the terminations of the common gender, as,—vkui-vnubin, chamin, rhumn.

GENDER OF NOUNS.

In the Namaqua Hottentot we find three genders, the masculine, the feminine, and the common.

These are easily distinguished from each other, for words of the masculine always end in p, as khoip, a man; words of the feminine always end in s, as khois, a woman; words of the common always end in i, as khoi, a person. There are no deviations from this simple rule.

Except for the names of living creatures which naturally take the termination required by their sex, there is no fixed rule to determine to which gender any given noun shall belong. The names of things without life may be either in the masculine or in the feminine gender. The only law which the Namaqua appears to follow in the imposition of gender upon things inanimate is that of euphony, and, in some cases, that which is imposed by a certain distant resemblance or analogy to the natural distinctions of the two sexes;—a rule which we observe in English, when, by making the names of inanimate objects either masculine or feminine, we depart from the literal for the figurative style.

It appears from the classification of words which we have adopted, that the Namaqua language contains no article, but this deficiency is, to some extent, supplied in the following manner:—

The masculine or feminine termination serves to give every noun a definite sense, and the common to make it indefinite; the following examples will illustrate this provision:—

the arrow; vaï, vap, an arrow. heis, the tree; heii, a tree. the time; xaïi, a time. xaip, khoin. the man: khoii, a person. khois. the woman;

When the sex requires to be particularly shown, the words auri, male, and tarari, female, are often employed. Thus we have,—

auri-khoi, a male person;tararikhoi, a female person.auri-ckoï, a male child;tarari-choï, a female child.

NUMBER OF NOUNS.

There are three Numbers,—the Singular, Dual, and Plural. The nominative masculine ending in p, changes p into kha in the dual, and ku or ka in the plural, as,—hap, the horse; hakha, two horses; kaku or kaka, horses.

The nominative feminine ending in s, changes s into ra in the dual, and ti in the plural, as,—teras, the woman; tarara, two women; tarati, women.

The nominative common ending in i, changes i into rain the dual, and na in the plural, as,—qui, a sheep; gura, two sheep; guna, sheep.

Example of the masculine nonn ckop, the boy; the feminine noun ckos, the girl; and the common noun ckor, a child.

SING.	DUAL.	PLURAL.
ckop.	ckokha.	ckoku or ckhoka.
ckos.	ckora.	ekoti.
ckoi.	ekora.	ekona.

From these rules there are neither deviations nor exceptions.

CASES OF NOUNS.

In enumerating the cases of Namaqua nouns, we shall only specify such a number as seem to be clearly indicated by the difference of termination. This will reduce the forms of nouns obtained by declension to three, viz.,—the Nominative, Objective, and Vocative.

A masculine noun ending in p, is thus declined:—

SING.	DUAL.
N. Qgap, the servant.	N. Qgakha, the two servants.
O. Qgaba, the servant.	O. Qgakka, the two servants.
V. Qgazi, O servant.	V. Qgakho, O two servants.
	PLURAL.

N. Qgaku or Qgaka, servants.

O. Qgaku or Qgaka, servants.

V. Qgako, O servants.

SING

A feminine noun ending in s takes the following forms:

DHAT.

N. Taras, the woman.	N. Tarara, the two women.
O. Tarasa, the woman.	O. Tarara, the two women.
V. Tarasi, O woman.	V. Tararo, O two women.

PLURAL.

N. Tarati, women.

O. Tarati, women.

V. Taraso, O women.

A noun of the common gender ending in i,-

SING.	DUAL.	PLURAL.
N. Cuii, a stone.	N. Cuira, two stones.	N. Cuina, stones.
O. Cuiba, a stone.	O. Cuira, two stones.	O. Cuina, stones.
V. Cuizi, O stone.	V. Cuiro, O two stones.	V. Cuido, O stones.

In composition the nominative case often takes the objective form ending in a, for the sake of euphony; thus for zughup ni ha, the night will come, we should say zughuba ni ha.

The possessive is formed by the particle di, which is placed immediately after the nominative form, as:—gauaup di guman. The cattle of the chief.

But the particle is frequently dispensed with; thus we should say, gau-aup guman, which is equivalent to,—the chief's cattle

The dative is the same as the objective, as,—qgaba ma. Give it the servant.

When it is necessary to be more explicit the post position qua is employed to indicate the dative case, as,—qgaba qua ma. Give it to the servant.

The ablative is formed in like manner by the aid of post positions, which may follow either the nominative or the objective cases, as:—

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omi qna, in a house. amap ckha, with truth. khoip gha, of the man. quâba vui, out of the light. qasa ghu, from the place. cous diba, at the fountain.
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DIMINUTIVE NOUNS.

There are two forms of diminutive nouns, the first is obtained by inserting the particle ro, and the second by inserting the particle da between the root of the noun and the final letter, which marks the distinction of gender, thus:

qums,	a hand.	qumdas,	U	little	hand.
zâup,	a calf.	zâurop,	11	little	calf.
qhumi,	a mountain.	qhumdai,	U	little	mountain

Example of the declension of a diminutive noun, agharop, the little lad.

SING.	DUAL.	PLURAL.
N. Agharop.	N. Agharokha.	N. Agharoku.
O. Agharoba.	O. Agharokha.	O. Agharoku.
V. Agharozi.	V. Agharokho.	V. Agharoko.

The diminutive particle *rop* is more used for persons and things having life, and *dap* for inanimate objects, though this rule is often reversed in order to promote the euphony of sentences.

Example of a diminutive noun in da, coudai, a little fountain.

SING.	DUAL.	PLURAL.
N. Coudai.	N. Coudaira.	N. Coudaina.
O. Coudai.	O. Coudaira.	O. Coudaina.
V. Coudaizi.	V. Coudairo.	V. Coudaido.

2. ADJECTIVES.

The adjectives of the Namaqua Language resemble those of the English tongue in not being subject to any inflections of gender, number, or case. Whether primitives or derivatives, they invariably preserve the same form.

DERIVATION OF ADJECTIVES.

A large number are primitives, such as, quri, white; vnu, black; cku, near; qkai, good; kei, great; vkhari, small.

Many others are derived from nouns. These are formed by affixing the particles gha, or sa, to the radical part of the substantive, thus from xkams, water; qnap, light; cais, fire; cnams, love; we obtain,—xkamgha, watery, or abounding with water; qnasa, light; caigha, hot or fiery; and cnamsa, lovely.

Some that are derived from the root of the verb take the same affixes as those which may be traced to nouns, as, burugha, wonderful, from buru, to wonder, cnamgha, lovely, from cnam, to love.

The particitipial forms of verbs are likewise used in the sense of adjectives, as, dâura-xkami, running water; nabara-qnaï, shining light; xora-caip, a dying fire. Also, zwa-zwara, beginning, from zwa-zwa, to begin; and xkaura, insipid, from xkau, to spoil. Sometimes nouns are used as adjectives, when placed before other nouns. In this case the sign of the gender must be elided, as, hei-omi, a wood house; curi-qurip, a metal bowl; gham-qhamis, a lion hunt.

When adjectives are used in the sense of substantives, they take the terminational sign of gender, as, *vkhamu* qua tara kuba, I speak to the young. Here the adjective *vkham* takes the letter n, which is the sign of the common gender, nominative case, plural.

DIMINUTIVE ADJECTIVE.

The particle ro is joined to an adjective, in order to give it a diminutive signification, in the same way that it is affixed to nouns for a similar purpose; thus, from vnu, qkai, cku, we have vnuro, a little black; qkairo, a little good; and ckuro, a little near.

COMPARISON OF ADJECTIVES.

Adjectives do not admit of any inflections in order to express the comparative and superlative degrees. The only method in which degrees of comparison can be formed is by employing prepositions or adverbs, such as gha, of, and qka ei, above. Although this provision exists, the genius of the Namaqua Language does not afford equal facilities for the process of comparison as are found in many other languages.

The following examples will illustrate the manner in which the comparative and superlative degrees are expressed:—

P. Kei, great.

C. Qkâ ei kei, more great.

S. Wan gha kei, great of all.

Qkâi, good.

Qkâ ei qkâi, more good.

Wan gha qkâi, good of all.

- P. Kci omi, a lurge house.
- C. Ne omi ke xna omi gha qka ci kei, this house is more great than that house.
- S. Xna omi ke wan gha kei, that house is great of all.
- P. Nezi ke ckamsa, to-day is hot.
- C. Xari ke qkâ ei ckamsa ke i, yesterday was more hot.
- S. Aizi ke wan gha ckamsa ke i, the day before was hot above all.

Comparisons are often denoted in a general way. First, by adverbs, as,—keisi, greatly, ama, truly, burughasi, wonderfully; qkhu, rich; keisi qkhu, very rich; burughasi qkhu, wonderfully rich. Second, without any distinctive sign of degree; as,—Yohanip ke qkhu xeip qkásan qna, John is rich amongst his brethren, i.e.: the richest of all his brethren.

NUMERAL ADJECTIVES.

The Namaqua language does not provide facilities for a very extensive numeration. In fact, counting is a very difficult process for a Hottentot should it ever be carried above a hundred.

We insert the following lists of Cardinal, Ordinal, and Adverbial Numbers.

ckui, one. ckam, two. qnona, three. haka, four. kore, five. qnani, six.
hû, seven.
xkhaisi, eight.
goisi, nine.
disi, ten.

The combinations of tens, and also of tens and units, have to be expressed in the following way,—

qnona disi, haka disi, disi disi, ckam desi desi, qnona disi disi, kei vgou disi, ckam kei vgou disikha, qnona kei vgou disikha, disi ckui ckha,

ckam disi,

two tens.
three tens.
four tens.
a hundred.
two hundred.
three hundred.
a thousand (or great whole ten).
two thousand.

eleven, or ten with one.

disi ckam ckha,

cham disi ckui ckha,

ckam disi ckam ckha,

disi disi ckui ckha,

disi disi ckam disi ckui ckha,

disi disi ckam disi ckui ckha,

disi disi ckam disi ckui ckha,

kore disi disi, qnona disi, haka ckha, five hundred and thirty-four, or,

literally, five ten tens, three ten with four.

In counting eleven, twelve, &c., the word disi, ten, is often omitted, and then we say ckui ckha, ckam ckha, &c.

There is only one numeral to express an ordinal adjective, viz., vkuro, first; all the rest are formed by adding the particle $x\hat{e}i$ to the cardinal numbers, as,—

ckam xêi, second. qnani xêi, sixth.
qnona xêi, third. disi xêi, tenth.
haka xêi, fourth. ckam disi xêi, twentieth.
kore xêi, fifth. ckam disi ckui ckha xêi, twenty-first.

Adverbial numbers are formed by employing the term quas, turn or time, which being a noun, observes the inflections of number, as,—

ckui quas, one time or once.
ckam quara, two times or twice.
quona quadi, three times or thrice.
disi quadi, ten times.

Multiplication may be carried on in the following manner,—

ckam quara ckui ke ckam, twice one, &c.
ckam quara ckam ke haka,
quona quadi ckui ke quona,
quona quadi ckam ke quani,
quona quadi quona ke goisi, &c.

This is the simplest mode of which the language admits, but it will readily be conceived that if the whole multiplication table were worked out it would be exceedingly complex and puzzling to the unpracticed ear of a Namaqua, who has no idea of the elementary rules of arithmetic; for



instance, twelve times twelve are one hundred and forty-four, would stand thus,—disi cham chha quadi disi cham cha ke disi disi zi haka disi zi haka chha.*

3. PRONOUNS.

The pronouns of the Namaqua language admit of the simple and comprehensive classification adopted by many English Grammarians, viz.: Personal, Relative, and Adjective. The last will include Possessive, Interrogative, Demonstrative, and Indefinite Pronouns.

PERSONAL PRONOUNS.

These resemble substantive nouns, in being subject to inflections of gender, number, and case. In the gender of the personal pronouns there are some nice distinctions, which, from their peculiarity in the structure of language, are both interesting and important to philological science. It will be seen, for example, that distinctions of gender are not, as in the dead and nearly all the known living languages, confined to the third person, but that they also extend over the first and second person in all the numbers, except the singular of the first person. There are likewise double forms of the first personal pronoun in the dual and plural numbers, which serve to express both an exclusive and inclusive signification. This will be more fully explained below.

To illustrate the manner in which personal pronouns are inflected, we subjoin the following formula, showing the terminations distinctive of gender, number, and case. This will not only prove serviceable in the declension of pronouns, but also in the conjugation of verbs, when it will be seen that the primitive part of the pronoun is often rejected and only the terminational signs of gender,

^{*} The guttural is often omitted in ckha, and the word sounded simply as ca, by which much of the asperity of the pronunciation is taken off.

number, and case are retained, to show the governing person.

FORMULA OF PERSONAL AFFIXES.

First person :-

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Sing. $\begin{cases} Nom. & \text{ta,} \\ Obj. & \text{te,} \\ Voc. & \text{tai,} \end{cases}$	The feminine and common the same as the masculine.
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	MAS.		FEM.	COM.
DUAL.	$\begin{cases} Nom. \\ Obj. \\ Voc. \end{cases}$	khum, , khuma,	im, ima,	rum, ruma,
PLUR.	$\begin{cases} Nom. \\ Obj. \\ Voc. \end{cases}$	ke, kum, ke, kuma,	se, se,	da, da,

Second Person :-

MAS.	FEM.	COM.
Sing. $\begin{cases} Nom. & z, \\ Obj. & za, \\ Voc. & zi, \end{cases}$	s,	z or s,
Sing. \(Obj. \) za,	sa,	za or sa,
Voc. zi,	si,	zi or si,
DUAL. $\left\{egin{aligned} Nom. \ Obj. \ Voc. \end{aligned} ight\}$ kho,	$\left\{ \mathrm{ro,}\right.$	}kho or ro,
PLUR. $\left\{ egin{aligned} Nom. \ Obj. \ Voc. \end{array} ight\}$ ko,	$\left\{ so,\right.$	}du,

Third Person :-

MAS.	FEM.	COM.
Sing. $\begin{cases} Nom. & p, \\ Obj. & ba, bi, \\ Foc. & \end{cases}$	s, sa, si,	i, ·i,
Dual. $\left\{ egin{array}{l} Nom. \\ Obj. \end{array} \right\}$ kha,	{ ra,	} kha or ra,
Plur. { Nom. } ku or ka,	. { di,	n or na.

The personal pronouns are tita, I; saz, thou; $x \hat{e}ip$, he; $x \hat{e}is$, she; and $x \hat{e}i$, it.

Tita is thus declined :-

MAS.

SING.
$$\begin{cases} Nom. & \text{tita, } I, \\ Obj. & \text{tita or ti, } me, \\ Voc. & \text{titai, } O me, \end{cases}$$
 The feminine and common are the same as the masculine.

MAS.

FEM.

COM.

sakhum,
$$\begin{cases} Nom. \text{ sakhum,} \\ \text{sikhum,} \end{cases} we two. \begin{cases} \text{saim,} \\ \text{siim,} \end{cases} we two. \begin{cases} \text{sirum,} \\ \text{sirum,} \end{cases} we two. \end{cases} we two.$$

DUAL.

$$\begin{cases} Nom. \text{ sakhuma,} \\ \text{obj.} \text{ sakhuma,} \end{cases} us two. \begin{cases} \text{saima,} \\ \text{siima,} \end{cases} us two. \begin{cases} \text{saruma,} \\ \text{siruma,} \end{cases} us two. \end{cases} we.$$

PLUR.

$$\begin{cases} Nom. \text{ sakum,} \\ \text{sikum,} \\ \text{sikum,} \end{cases} we. \begin{cases} \text{sasi,} \\ \text{sisi,} \end{cases} we. \begin{cases} \text{sada,} \\ \text{sida,} \end{cases} we.$$

PLUR.

$$\begin{cases} Nom. \text{ sakum,} \\ \text{sikum,} \end{cases} us. \begin{cases} \text{sasi,} \\ \text{sisi,} \end{cases} us. \begin{cases} \text{sada,} \\ \text{sida,} \end{cases} us. \end{cases} us.$$

Sakhum and sakum may be termed inclusive, whilst sikhum and sikum may be denominated exclusive pronouns. The first two include any person or persons addressed, but the latter only embrace the persons speaking, and those spoken of.

Thus, one person speaking to another would say, sakhum $ni \ qk \ u$, we will go; i.e., you and I will go.

But in speaking of himself and a third party, he would say, sikhum ni qkhû, we will go; i.e., he and I will go.

Saz:-

$$Xeip:$$
—

The Possessive Cases of Pronouns are expressed in the same way as those of Substantives by the aid of postpositions, thus, *Tita di*, *tita gha*, of me; likewise the Dative and Ablative, as,—xeiba qua, to him; tita ckha, with me; saz aghu, from thee, xeis osi, without her.

Te-eizama, I myself; sa-eizama, thou thyself; and xei-eizama, he himself, are Compound Personal Pronouns. Except in the nominative case, which has no distinction of gender, they are declined as the examples above.

The nouns aup, man; taras, woman; and khoi, person, would be thus declined in conjunction with the first and second personal pronouns:—

In this mode of declining a noun and pronoun conjointly, the radical part of the substantive is inserted between the root of the pronoun and the various inflections.

The Dual and Plural numbers do not admit of any alteration either of the Noun or Pronoun; thus we should say, sakum-aukum, we men; sase-tarase, we women; sadu-khoidu, ye people.

Ti ckuita, I alone; saz-ckuiza, thou alone; xeip-ckuiba, he alone; te xkhata, I the same, and the like, follow the example just given.

To these may be added:-

7.6	sakhum wakhum,	7	
Mas.	{ sakhum wakhum, sikhum wakhum,		
	saim waim,		
Fem.	{ saim waim, siim waim,	7	we both.
Com.	{ sarum warum, sirum warum,	j	
	sakho wakho,	7	
		}	ye both. they both.
	saro waro,	۲	
	xeikha wakha,	}	they both.
Fem.	xeira wara,	J	9
	f sakum wakum.	2	
Mas.	{ sakum wakum, sikum wakum,		
	Cenci wasi		
Fem.	{ sasi wasi, sisi wasi,	>	all we.
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Com.	{ sakum wakum, sikum wakum,		
	•)	
Mas.			
Fem.		}	all ye.
Com.	sadu wadu,	J	
Mas.	xeiku waku,)	
Fem.	xeidi wadi,	}	all they.
Com.	xein wan,)	

RELATIVE PRONOUNS.

In this class of Pronouns the Namaqua Language is very deficient. The only example corresponding to the Relatives of the English tongue is found in the word hîa, that.

Hia, which is undeclined, may relate to antecedents of any Gender, Number, or Case, for example:—

khoip hĩa xari ke ha, taras hĩa ra xnai, dumi hĩa ra kuba, ghun hĩa ke maï, The man who arrived yesterday.
The woman who sings.
The voice which speaks.
The things that were given.

But although hia is undeclined in its relation to the antecedent, it takes the personal affixes which distinguish the gender of the noun governing the following verb, as—

khoip hîata xari ke mu, taras hîaz ke vkei, dumi hîan ke xnau, The man whom I saw yesterday.
The woman whom you called.
The voice that they heard.

The Relative Pronoun is, however, frequently dispensed with, and the sense expressed by transposing the members of the sentence. The verb is put before the noun it governs. According to this method the examples above given would stand thus:—

xari ke ha khoip. xnaira taras. kubara dumi. xari ta ke mu khoiï. vkeiz ke taras. xnaun ke dumi.

This may be further illustrated by the following translations of Luke vii. 10: "And they that were sent, returning to the house, found the servant whole that had been sick":—

"Ziku xein hîa omichaku ke sîhe xkhaba sio, on ke qqaba hîa caisin ke hâi vgousi ke ho.

Ziku ke sîhe-keka omichaku ke xkhaba sio, caisin ke haï qgaba vgousi ke ho.

These two methods appear to be used according to the taste and style of the speaker. The former, however, is more general. The latter may contribute to the conciseness, but not to the perspicuity of sentences. Knüdsen invariably adopts it in his translation of St. Luke's Gospel, whether from its being more in use among the tribes with whom he resided, or from having followed analogies furnished by other languages, I cannot say. In the passage above quoted he has evidently assimilated the translation to the German text as closely as the idiom of the Namaqua would allow.

Pronouns termed in English Compound Relatives are, in the Namaqua, derived from Interrogatives, and will, therefore, fall more properly under that division.

ADJECTIVE PRONOUNS.

In this class we have comprehended Possessive, Interrogative, Demonstrative, and Indefinite Pronouns. Those termed Distributives, as, each, every, either, neither, have no corresponding words in the Hottentot dialects.

Possessive Pronouns ;-

These are derived from the Personals, and, in some instances, exactly correspond with them. The following list includes all of them:—

And so forth through all the inflections of Number and Gender. There is another form of possessive pronoun expressed by the particle d. To this the various terminations which stand as signs of the Genders and Numbers may be affixed, and thereby all the possessive pronouns will be represented in a convenient and comprehensive manner. The first form of possessive pronouns is derived from the roots of the personal pronouns, and the latter from the inflections.

Examples of nouns and possessive pronouns,—qkap, brother, qkas, sister, and khoi, friend.

	MAS.	FEM.	COM.
Sing	te qkâp	te qkâs	te khoi
		sasi qkâra	sarum khoikha
DUAL.	{ sakhum qkâkha { sikhum qkâkha	sisi qkâra	sirum khoikha
PLUR.	sakum akâka	sadi qkâdi	sada khoin
Plur.	{ sakum qkâka { sikum qkâka	sidi qkâdi	sida khoin
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Or,			
Sing.	qkâp âta	qkâs âta	khoi âta
DUAL.	qkâkha âkhum	qkâra âsi	khoikha ârum
PLUR.	qkâka âkum	qkâdi âdi	khoin âda
Sing.	sa qkâp	sa qkâs	sa khoi
DUAL.	sakha qkâkha	saro qkara	saro khoikha
PLUR.	saku qkaka	saso qkadi	sadu khoin
Or,			
Sing.	qkâp âz	gkâs âs	khoi âi
DUAL.	qkâkha âkhu	qkâra âro	khoikha âro
PLUR.	qkâka âku	qkâdi aso	khoin âdu
Sing.	xêip qkâp	xêis qkâs	xêi khoi
DUAL.	xêikha qkâkha	xêira qkâra	xêkha khoikha
PLUR.	xêiku qkâka	xêide qkâdi	xêin khoin
Or,	_		
	qkâp âp	gkâs âs	khoi âi
	qkâkha âkha	qkâra âra	khoikha âkha
	qkâka âku	qkâdi âdi	khoiu ân
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According to the first form the pronoun stands before the noun, but in the latter the substantive takes the precedence, thus,—

Te omi, my house, and sa qhanap, thy garden, are changed into omi ata and qhanap az.

Saku tani cnami qua, saku cumdi uhâ, "In your patience possess ye your souls," may be rendered by Tani cnami âku qua, cumdi âku uhâ.

Interrogative Pronouns :--

Hami? who? mai? which? and tari? what?

From these are formed hamitap-wap, whoever; maii-wai, whichever; and tari-wai, whatever. The two former admit of inflection of gender, as,—

Mas. hamitap-wap. Fem. hamitas-was. Com. hamitai-wai.

Demonstrative Pronouns :-

Ne this; with nou and xna that, are thus declined.

	MAS.	FEM.	COM.
Sing.	$\begin{cases} N. \text{ nep} \\ O. \text{ neba} \\ V. \text{ nezi} \end{cases}$	nes nesa nesi	neï neï nezi
DUAL.	$ \begin{cases} N. \text{ nekha} \\ V. \text{ nekho} \end{cases} $	nera nero	nekka nekho
PLUR.	$\left\{egin{array}{l} N. & ext{neka} \\ V. & ext{neko} \end{array}\right.$	nedi nedo neso	nen neua nedo

Noup, nous, noui, the same as nep.

Sing.	$\begin{cases} N. \text{ xnap} \\ O. \text{ xnaba} \\ V. \text{ xnazi} \end{cases}$	xnas xnasa xnasi	xnaï xnaï xnazi
DUAL.	$\left\{ egin{array}{l} N. \ ext{xnakha} \ V. \ ext{xnakho} \end{array} ight.$	xuara xuaro	xnakha xnakho
Plur.	₹ N. xnaka ₹ V. xnako	xnadi xnado-xnaso	xnan xnako, or xnado

The Demonstrative Pronouns are only declined when they stand singly without any noun expressed.

Indefinite Pronouns:-

Such as cni, some; cni ckui, or cni kumaï, any; ckui, one; cniï, other; ckhara, another; ghari, none; wan, or wazoma, all; wakha, both; xnadi, such.

These, like the Demonstrative Pronouns, when standing in conjunction with a noun expressed, are undeclined, but otherwise admit of the following inflections of gender:— ,

enip,	cnis,	cnii,
cni-ckuip,	cni-ckuis,	cni ckuiï,
ckuip,	ckuis,	ckuiï,
ckharap,	ckharas,	ckharaï,
gharip,	gharis,	ghariï,
wakha,	wara,	wakha,
xnadip,	xuadis,	xnadiï.

Cnii, wan, and wazoma, are exceptions which have no variations.

4. VERBS.

In treating of Namaqua Verbs we have to notice their Derivation,—Forms, Voices, Moods, Tenses, Numbers, Persons, and Conjugation.

THEIR DERIVATION.

The roots of verbs in the Namaqua Language are found in the second person singular of the Imperative Mood, as:—cnam, love; mu, see; $qk\hat{u}$, go.

A large class of Verbs consists of primitives. All monosyllabic verbs are of this kind, some of more than one syllable are also included, as, cari, to sprinkle; qhami, to hunt; cguri, to pray.

Some are obtained by a reduplication of the radical part of primitive verbs, thus from van, know, is formed van-van, to inform; from vêi, think, vei-vei, to remember; from kon, move, kon-kon, to disturb.

Others are compounded of two or more different verbs, as, from $kh\hat{a}i$, to rise, and from vnu, sit, is derived, $kh\hat{a}i$ -vnu, to sit up, from qku, to go, and ma, to stand, is formed $qk\hat{u}$ -ma, to walk about.

Many are formed by combining a preposition with the root of a primitive verb, thus, from ha, come, and vam,

upon, we have ha-vam, to happen; from vkei, call, and vui, out, is formed vkei-vui, to challenge; from ma, stand, and qua, against, ma-qua, to oppose or resist; from cu, to be ignorant of, and ba, for, is formed cuba, to forgive.

A few are obtained from nouns by affixing ri to the radical part, as, from gui, a sheep, is formed guri, to herd; from cka, grass, ckari, to graze; from caip, fire-wood, is formed cairi, to fetch wood. A may also be added to the root of a substantive to construct a verb, as from ckams, water, we obtain ckams, to give water, or irrigate.

The reduplication of substantive roots also serves for the formation of verbs, as from *qnap*, light, is formed *qna-qna*, to illumine, and from *qkhup*, a lord, *qkhu-qkhu*, to enrich.

A large number of verbs are also obtained by the reduplication of adjectives, as quri-quri, to whiten, from quri, white; qkâi-qhâi, to appease, from qkâi, good; vou-vou, to tame, from vou, tame; kei-kei, to honor, from kei, great; ckabi-ckabi, to elevate, from ckabi, high; qgam-qgam, to deepen, from qgam, deep.

FORMS OF VERBS.

Namaqua Verbs assume various forms by which their signification is extended irrespective of the regular inflections of Mood, Tense, Number, and Person. The particle indicating an alteration or extension in the sense of the verb is inserted between its root, and the different signs used in conjugation.

The following forms are found in connection with Namaqua Verbs:—The Primitive, Relative, Reflective, Causative, Reciprocal, Diminutive, Negative, Potential, and Optative.

The *Primitive* form exhibits the verb in its radical state, and forms the basis upon which the rest are constructed.

The Relative is formed by adding ba to the primitive, as

xn $\hat{a}uba$, to hear for, from xn $\tilde{a}u$, to hear, muba, to see for, from mu, to see.

Ba, is equivalent in sense to the preposition for, and hence this form indicates that the action denoted by the verb, has a relative purpose.

The Reflective adds sin to the primitive form. In this form the action is reflected upon the actor; thus

xnâusin, to hear oneself, from xnau musin, to see oneself, from mu cnamsin, to love oneself, from cnam

The Causative affixes kei to the primitive form: kei signifies to cause, and shews that the action of the verb is necessitated, as

mukei, to cause to see xnaukei, to cause to hear cnamkei, to cause to love

The Reciprocal is derived from the primitive by adding ku, and denotes that the action is performed by two or more mutual actors, thus

xnauku, to hear one another muku, to see one another cnamku, to love one another.

The Diminutive is derived from the primitive by adding the particle ro to it, as

> xnauro, to hear a little muro, to see a little cnamro, to love a little.

The Negative form is derived from the primitive by adding dama to it, thus

xnâudama, not to hear mudama, not to see enamdama, not to love. The Potential is formed from the primitive by affixing to it *xkha*, to be able. This form stands instead of a Potential Mood. It ranks more properly as a form than as a mood, since it corresponds with the other forms in standing before and not after the pronominal affixes, thus,

xnâuxkha, to be able to lear muxkha, to be able to see enamkha, to be able to love.

The Optative form adds vkau, to wish, to the primitive. It may be considered a form for the same reasons as the Potential, thus

xnâuvkau, to wish to hear muvkau, to wish to see cnamvkau, to wish to love.

From the above simple Derivative forms, some compound forms may be obtained.

The Relative and Reflective are often combined, thus,

xnâubasin, to hear for oneself mubasin, to see for oneself enambasin to love for oneself.

To these may also be joined the Potential and Optative, thus,

muxkhabasin, to be able to see for oneself xnâuvkaubasin, to be able to hear for oneself.

To the above the Negative may be affixed, as

xnâubasin, not to hear for oneself xnâuvkaubasindama, not to wish to hear for oneself.

The Reciprocal and the Negative, and the Reciprocal and the Optative, may also be combined, as

xnâukudama, not to hear one another xnâukuvkau, to wish to hear one another.

It will be shewn below to what extent these forms run through the various moods and tenses in conjugation.

VOICES OF VERBS.

The Primitive forms of Verbs have two voices, the active and the passive. The passive voice is formed by adding $h\hat{e}$ to the radical part of the active, as

xnauhé, to be heard, from xnâu muhé, to be seen, " mu cnamhé, to be loved, " cnam

The Causative, Diminutive, and Negative forms are also found in the passive voice, thus,

xnaukeihê,
to cause to be heard
murohê,
to be seen a little
cnamhêdama,
not to be loved.

The remaining forms are generally confined to the active voice, though there is nothing in the genius of the Namaqua Language to prevent their being conjugated passively should the sense of discourse require it.

MOODS.

There are four moods, the Infinitive, Imperative, Indicative, and Subjunctive. The definitions generally given of these moods in English Grammars will fully explain their nature in Namaqua Grammar.

The Infinitive is used to express a thing in a general manner.* It contains the Present, Perfect, and Future Tenses.

The Imperative commands, exhorts, entreats, or permits. The Indicative simply declares a thing.

The Subjunctive represents a thing under a condition, supposition, motive, or wish.

^{*} The particle se is often required to assist in its formation.

TENSES.

The Tenses of a Namaqua Verb are the Present, Past, Perfect, Pluperfect, Future, and Future Perfect.

The Present Tense represents an action in a state of progress. It may also be used as in English and other languages in a general sense, without allusion to any particular time.

The Past Tense represents an action either as completed or in a state of progress, at some time past.

The Perfect Tense represents an action as completed at the present time.

The Pluperfect Tense represents an action as completed previous to some other past event.

The Future Tense represents an action as yet to come. The Future Perfect represents an action as about to take place subsequent to some previous event or action.

The Tenses are formed by the help of the Substantive Verb.

The Tenses of the Substantive Verb are as follows:-

Pres. a, ke, ke-a, ra,
Past ke, keke,
Perf. ko,
Pluft. ke, ko,
Fut. ni, keni,
Fut. Perf. nihâ, ke-ni-hâ.

A, ke, ke-a of the Present; keke of the Past; keni of the Future, and ke-ni-hâ of the Future Perfect, are forms not used in the conjugation of Tenses but in the construction of sentences, and when the substantive verb is employed separately.

NUMBER.

Verbs have three numbers, the Singular, the Dual, and the Plural. The number is not distinguished by any



inflection of the root of this verb, but by the governing noun or pronoun. In the case of pronouns governing, the number is indicated by remnants of the personal pronouns which are usually inserted between the verbal root, and the particles of the substantive verb, thus,

mutara, I see mukumra, we see.

PERSONS.

There are three persons in the Conjugation of a Namaqua Verb. These, like the numbers, are only distinguished by the substantive or the governing pronoun, the radical part not being subject to any variation.

CONJUGATION.

Under this head examples will be given of the manner in which verbs pass through the Forms, Voices, Moods, Tenses, Numbers, and Persons.

Conjugation of the verb $h\hat{a}$, to be.

INFINITIVE.

Pres. hâ, to be Perf. hâko, to have been Fur. hâni

PARTICIPLES.

Pres. hâra, being Perf. hârako, having been Fut. hâvira,

IMPERATIVE MOOD.

Present Tense.

Sing.			DUAL.
1 Pers. îta hâ,	let me be	1 îkum	hâ, let us two be
2 hâ,	be thou	îm	hâ, let us two be
3 îp hâ,	let him be	îrum	}
îs lıâ,	let her be	2 hâkho	} be ye two
îi hâ,	let it be.	hâro	} be ye two
		3 ikha	7
		îra	} hâ, let them two be

PLURAL.

INDICATIVE MOOD.

Present Tense.

	Sing.	DUAL.
1 hâta-a	I am	l hâkhuma)
2 hâza hâsa	thou art	hâima > we two are
hâsa	s inou are	hâruma
3 hâpa	he is	2 hâkhoa
hâsa	she is	hâroa } ye two are.
hâïa	it is	3 hâkha-a
		hâra-a { they two are

PLURAL.

PAST

PERF.

PLUP.

Fur.

SUBJUNCTIVE MOOD.

PRESENT hâtaka, If I be
PAST hâtakeka If I were
PERF. hâtakeka If I have been
PLUP. hâtakekahâ If I had been
FUT. hâtanikâ If I shall be
FUT. PERF. hâtanikahâ If I shall have been.

i and o are also signs of the subjunctive mood used in conjunction with ka, thus hâtakai, or hâtakao, if I be.

The Present Tense is the model upon which all the remaining Tenses in the Indicative and Subjunctive Moods are conjugated.

i, to be, is conjugated in the same manner as ha, and with its assistance, thus,

Pres. itabâ, I am Plupp. itakeko, I had been
Pres. itake, I was Fur. itani, I shall be
Perf. itako, I have been Fur. Pr. îtanihâ, I shall have been

Conjugation of the Verb *cnam*, to love. ACTIVE VOICE.

INFINITIVE MOOD.

Pres. cnam, to love
Perf. cnamko, to have loved
Fut. cnamni,

PARTICIPLES.

Pres. cnamra, loving
Perf. cnamrahâ, having loved
Fut. cnamnira,

IMPERATIVE MOOD.

Present Tense.

01.	NG.	ע	UAL.
1 îta cnam,	let me love	1 îkhum)
2 cnam,	love thou	îm	cnam, let us love
3 îp cnam,	let him love	îrum	} .
îs c nam,	let. her love	2 enamkho enamro	love ye
îï cnam,	let it love	cnamro	f love ye
		3 îkha	7
		îra	cnam, let them love

PLURAL.

INDICATIVE MOOD.

Present Tense.

	TRANS	ITIV	E FORM.		INTRAN	SITI	VE FORM.
Sing.			G.	Sing.			
2	enamtara, enamzra, enamsra, enampra, enamsra, enamira,	}	I love Thou lovest He loves, She loves It loves	2	cnamtahâ, cnamzhâ, cnamshâ cnamphâ cnamshâ cnamihâ	}	I am loving Thou art loving He is loving She is loving It is loving
		DUA	.L.			Du	AL.
	cnamkhumra cnamimra cnamrumra cnamkhora cnamrora	}	we love ye love		cnamkhumh cnamimhâ cuamrumhâ cnamkhohâ cnamrohâ	}	we are loving ye are loving
3	enamkhara enamrara	}	they love	3	enamkhahâ enamrahâ	}	they are loving
		Plu	R.			Plu	R.
1	enamkera enamsera enamdara	}	we love	1	cnamkehâ cnamsehâ cnamdahâ	}	we are loving
	enamkora enamsora enamdura	}	ye love		enamkohâ enamsohâ enamduhâ	}	ye are loving
3	enamkura enamdira enamnra	}	they love	3	enamkuhâ enamdihâ enamnhâ	}	they are loving

The pronouns and particles may be placed before the root, thus,

tara ena	m,	zra cnam,	pra cnam, &c.		
TRANSI	TIVE.		Intransitive.		
Past	cnamtake		PAST	cnamtakehâ	
Perf. cnamtako			Perf.	cnamtakohâ	
PLUPERF. cnamtakeko			PLUPERF.	cnamtakekohâ	
Fur.	cnamtani		Fur.	cnamtanihâ	
FUT. PERF.	cnamtanihâ.		FUT. PERF.	cnamtanihâhâ.	

The above Tenses of the Indicative Mood, are all conjugated in the same manner as the Present.

SUBJUNCTIVE MOOD.

Signs ka, kai, kao.

Present Tense.

TRANSITIVE FORM. INTRANSITIVE FORM.

	~						
1	cnamtaka		If I love	1	cnamtakahâ		If I be loving
2	cnamzka cnamska	}.	If thou lovest	2	enamzkahâ enamskahâ	}	If thou be loving
3	cnampka		If he love	3	cnampkabâ	-	If he be loving
	cnamska		If she love		cnamskahâ		If she be loving
	cnamika		If it love.		cnamikahâ		If it be loving.

The Dual and Plural Numbers are conjugated as in the Indicative Mood.

Past. cnamtakekâ
Perf. cnamtakokâ
Pluperf. cnamtakekokâ
Fut. cnamtanikâ
Fut. Perf. cnamtanikahâ.

The Relative, Reflective, and other forms of Verbs, are conjugated in the same manner as the Primitive; thus, cnamba, to love for, forms in the Present Tense,—

	SING.		
1	cnambatara		I love for
2	enambazra	7	Milan lange Com
	cnambasra	5	Thou lonest for
5	cnambapra		He loves for
	cnambasra		She loves for
	cnambaïra		It loves for.

In the Reciprocal form the conjugation is necessarily confined to the Dual and Plural Numbers.

The Negative form is irregular in some of its Tenses.

The infinitive Mood with the Present, Past, Perfect, Pluperfect, and Future Perfect of the Indicative and Subjunctive Moods, are conjugated regularly. The exceptions are as follow:—

The Imperative Mood forms its negative by prefixing ta to the first and third person, and titi to the second person, as

ta îta cnam, let me not love ta îp cnam, let him not love cnamztiti, thou shalt not love.

The Future Tense forms its negative by substituting titi for ni and dama, as

cnamtatiti, I will not love cnamztiti, Thou shall not love cnamptiti, He will not love.

The Future Perfect also admits of being expressed in a similar manner, as

enamhâtatiti, I will not have loved.

When the object upon which the action of a verb terminates is represented by a substantive, then it may be placed either before or after the verb by which it is governed, as

> Eloba tara cnam, I love God Cnamtara Eloba, ,, ,,

But when it is represented by a pronoun, the inflected part of the pronoun is joined to the root of the verb, so as to stand before the nominative pronoun, thus,

cnamzitara cnamsitara l love thee cnambitara I love him. cnamsitara I love her. cnamitara I love it.

PASSIVE VOICE.

Sign hê.

INFINITIVE MOOD.

Pres. cnamhê Perf. cnamhêko Fut. cnamhêni.

PARTICIPLES.

Pres. cnamhéra Perf. cnamhérahá Fur. cnamhénirahá.

IMPERATIVE MOOD.

îda cnamhê, let me be love
cnamhêz, be thou loved
îp cnamhê, let him be loved
and so forth as in the Active Voice.

INDICATIVE MOOD.

Present Tense.

1 cnamhétahâ
2 cnamhézhâ
cnamhéshâ
3 cnamhéphâ
cnamhéshâ
Cnamhéihâ
Cnamhéihá

The Dual and Plural Numbers are the same as in the Active Voice, hê being inserted between the theme and its inflections.

Past Tense cnambétake I vas loved
Perfect ,, cnambétako I have been loved
Pluperf. ,, cnambétakeko I had been ,,
Future ,, cnambétani I shall be ,,
Future ,, cnambétaniha I shall have been loved.

SUBJUNCTIVE MOOD.

PRES. TENSE cnambétaka If I be loved. And so forth through the remaining tenses.

IMPERSONAL VERBS.

Impersonal Verbs correspond with the third person singular of the various tenses, as,—cabiïra, it rains, cabiïnira, it will rain, &c.

The remaining parts of speech comprehending Adverbs, Prepositions, Conjunctions, and Interjections, being undeclined, it will suffice to append lists of those most commonly in use.

5. ADVERBS.

Adverbs of manner, which constitute a large class in the Namaqua Language, are chiefly derived from Adjectives. They are formed by affixing the particle si to the root of the Adjective as, ama, true, amasi, truly; vow, slow, vowsi, slowly; qkai, good, qkaisi, well.

LIST OF ADVERBS.

a,	yes	ckui-ckuisi,	singly
	{ day before yesterday day after to-morrow	ckuisi,	only
aizi,	day after to-morrow	ckusi,	near
ari-o,	doubtless	ckuri,	alone
eibi,	first	cniï,	another
eka,	afterwards, by and bye	cnin,	some
îbi,	very much, greatly	cnisi,	perhaps
osi,	without	cnei,	already
ghari,	not, never	coro,	few
hê-e,	no	corosi,	seldom
ham?	which?	cuazisi,	execedingly
hamo?	when?	qaroma,	because
hus,	all	qgo-eisi,	separately, especially
huka,	long ago	qhaisi,	quickly
huka ckui,	always	qkâ-ei,	more
kanubi,	as yet, hitherto	qkharaka,	separately
kcisi,	much		with the back towards
khauqkâ,	afterwards	-	one
maba?	where?	qna-qkâsi,	sideways
maba-ghu i	? whence?	qnoubi,	early, quickly
_	whither?	qnup ei,	
madi?	how?	ckharasi	otherwise
madi-kosi?	how much?	ckuibi,	altogether, at once
nari,	this morning	qnurisi,	often
neba,	here		far

nedi,	so, thus	qouka,	outside
nedikosi,	thus much, thus far	quia,	late
neghaba,	hither	quagu,	opposite
nesi,	now	vanibi,	wilfully
nezi,	to-day	vheisasi,	clearly
nouba,	there	xari,	yesterday, to-morrow
saugu,	successively	xkhaba,	again
tari?	what?	xkhadi,	aiso, too
tari-qaroma	1? why?	xkuaka,	in the morning
tazi,	never	xna-amaka,	therefore
tazi-tazi,	by no means	xnaba,	there
twazowa,	finally	xnaba-ghu,	thence
wa-zedi,	daily	xna cî,	thither
warakasi,	altogether	xnadi,	so
zâsi,	perhaps	xnadi-kosi,	so much
casi,	soon, immediately	xnei,	then
ekama,	secondly, a second time	xoubi,	almost
ckhara)		xousi,	for nothing.
ckurigha }	different		•
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6. PREPOSITIONS.

The name usually given to this class of words is retained, although in the Namaqua Language they are generally placed after the words which they govern.

LIST OF PREPOSITIONS.

ei,	on	cku,	near
ci-qâ,	before	qâ-xai,	between, in the midst
osi,	without	qna,	in
di,	of, or belonging to	qnaka,	below
diba,	at	qua,	to
gasi,	as	quagu,	opposite to, against
gha,	of	vama,	иров
ghu,	from	vkana,	within
khau-qkâ,	behind, after	xaika,	between
ekha,	with		
	· 7. CONJU	NCTIONS.	
amaka,	because .	ghui-ki,	for
au,	because	ka,	if
î, }	1	se,	that
0, }	and	zî,	and
gha,	than	quup ci,	\
ghabi, {	but, although, however, nevertheless		} then

8. INTERJECTIONS.

abozi! O my father! exclamation of surprise aie! aisi, do. do. muho! do. do. muzo! do. do. okha! exclamation of impatience O me! tetai! denotes cold or heat zu! signifies pain cî, xnaûho, hear.



SPECIMENS OF TRANSLATION.

LUKE IX. 1.

1. Zîp ke disi-ckam-ca qgaku âba ke vkei-chû, zî wa

- Zîp. And he. The pronominal remnant joined to the conjunction. The same arrangement would be observed if either the noun or the pronoun were expressed in full. In that case they would be in apposition with p, and would be put in the obj. case after the substantive verb: thus,—"Zip ke Jesiba," &c., or, "Zip ke xéiba," &c. If the sentence were in the subjunctive mood, the substantive verb would be omitted, and the nominative pronoun affixed to the possessive, thus,—"Zi disi-ckam-ca qgaku âbap ke vkei-chúo," &c. The subject in an affirmative sentence is placed as near the beginning as possible. Nouns placed in apposition take the obj. case.
- ke. The past tense of the substantive verb, used here as a temporary predicate. When ke is employed in this way, the verb to which it refers is put near the end of the sentence, as,—Qkhup ke Mosip qua ke mî. "The Lord said to Moses." Knüdsen places p and ke in the second member of the sentence. This does not accord with the usage of the Namaqua language, which seems to require that the subject and predicate should stand prominently forth.
- disi-ckam-ca. twelve. A numeral adjective undeclined. Adjectives are generally placed immediately before the nouns they qualify, as ;—qkhu khoip, a rich man; qam heis, a green tree.
- qgaku, servants or disciples. A noun, mas. gen. plur. obj., governed by the verb vkei-chú.
- âba, his. Poss. pron. abbreviated terminational form,—see page 32. Obj. case agreeing with qgaku. Another form would be xéip disi-ckam-ca qyaku, in which the pronoun appears in full. Or a preposition, di, of, might be introduced, as,—xéip di disi, &c. The mode adopted in the text is, however, the most elegant and concise.

- xkâuaku vama gaus zi cgeiba ke maku, zi caisinhân âni vgou-vgouse.
- 2. Zîp ke ke sî-vuiku, Elob gau-qhuba ku ni au xna, zî caisinhâna vgou-vgou-ka.
- ke vkei-chû, called together. ke, sign of the past tense, vkei-chû a compound verb, from vkei, to call, and chû, together. Active voice. Indic. Past. Sing. 3rd person governed by the pronominal remnant p.
- zî, and, copulative conjunction. Here a repetition of the pronoun is not required.
- wa, all, adj. pron. Standing in conjunction with a noun, and therefore undeclined. See page 33.
- xkâuaku, devils, n. mas. pl. nom.
- vama, over, prep., governs the nominative case. All prepositions are placed immediately after the nouns or pronouns to which they relate, as;—qhumi ei, upon a mountain; qasa-ghu, from the place.
- gaus, authority, n. fem. sing. nom.
- zî egeiba, and power, n. mas. sing. obj. When two nouns are joined by a conjunction and followed by a verb, the first is put in the nominative and the latter in the objective case.
- ke ma, gave. Verb. Active. Indic. Past, sing. 3rd pers.
- ku, them. third pers. pron. affix. plur. mas. obj. See page 26. ku is the form employed as a dative. Being the object upon which the action of the verb terminates, it is affixed to the root of the verb. See page 45.
- zî caisinhân, and them that are sick. noun plur. com. gen. obj. governed by vgou-vgou.
- âni. that they. \vec{a} is equivalent to the conj. that; n is the pronominal remnant 3rd pers. com. gen. plur. nom.
- vgou-vgou se. might heal. vgou-vgou formed from vgou, whole, perfect. Act. subj. fut. plur. 3 pers. Ni is the sign of the future, there being no pronominal affix, it is placed before the verb.
- Zîp ke ke sî-vuiku. And he did send out them. P the pronominal

3. Zîp ke xêiku qua ke mi, Ta ghuï daup ei qkû-u, heiï kai, koâï kai, beriï kai, mariï kai; zî ckuiï âku ghariï ckam ana-vam-gkukha ni uhâ.

affix, is the nominative to the whole verse. Ke the temporary predicate is often followed by the verb itself. Si-vui, a compound verb, from si to send, and vui, out. Act. Indic. past. 3 pers.

- Elop. God. n. sing. nom. mas. A foreign word formed from the Hebrew. Introduced to supersede the term Zui-xwap, literally sore knee, by which the Namaqua God, "Heitje Ebip," was designated.
- gau-qhuba. Kingdom. n. sing. mas. obj. The possessive case is generally expressed in this way, by placing two nouns in conjunction, the possessor being put before the thing possessed. The former must be in the nom. case, the latter may be either nom. or obj. When the possessor is represented by a pronominal affix, the order is reversed, as;—qqaku âba, his servants, as in the previous yerse.
- ku, they. pers. pron. affix, plur. nominative to the verbs au-xna and vgou-vgou.
- ni au-xna, shall preach. ni is the sign of the future tense. au xna compounded of an to throw, and xna, off, hence to throw off or preach.
 - Zì caisinhâna, and them that are sick, or, taken as a participial noun, the sick, the participle caisinhâ, being sick, is changed into a noun by adding the personal affixes, as caisinhâp, caisinhâi.

Thus caisinhana is the plur. com. gen. obj. governed by vgou-vgou. vgou-vgou-ka, that they might heal. ka sign of the subj. mood. When two verbs in the future subjunctive, occur in the same sentence, the sign of the future tense is prefixed to the former, and that of the subjunctive mood to the latter.

Zîp ke, and he did.

Xeiku them. 3rd pers. pron. mas. plur. obj. governed by qua, qua, to, governs an obj. case.

- 4. Zî tari omi wai qna ku ka vkâ, xnaba hâ, ê xnaba ghu qkû-vua.
- 5. Zî qkho-quaku dama kaïna, ku keni xna qasa ghu
- ke mi. said, verb. act. transitive form, Indic. past tense, sing. 3rd pers. governed by p. in zîp.
- Ta, do not, sign of the imperative mood, forbids, or entreats, and always stand at the beginning of a sentence;—as Ta xnadi di, do not do so; Ta îda ckama muzi, do not let me see you a second time.
- ghuï, a thing. n. com. gen. hence indefinite.
- daup ei, on the road. ei, a prep. governs the nom.
- qkû-u. take along. formed from qkû to go, and n, to take, Imperative mood. pres. plur. 2nd pers.
- heiï kai. whether staff. kai from ka whether or if, with the personal affix i to agree with heiï. When used in this way it always takes the personal affixes, as khoip kap, khois kas, khoii kai, whether man, or woman, or child.
- koâï kai, beriï kai, or knife, or bread, &c.
- zî ckuï âku, and one of you. ckui, numeral adj. undec. ûku, possessive pron. affix. see page 32.
- gharii, none. adj. indefinite pron. When combined with ckni it signifies not one. It is very emphatic. The personal affix of the com. gen. is attached to it here to be the nom. to the verb uhû. When a noun or pronoun is expressed it must be placed between the numeral and the indefinite adjective, as: ckui koii gharii not one person; ckui ûke gharii, not one of us.
- ckam ana-vam-ghukha, two coats, or literally things to be worn over, a compound noun formed from ana to wear, vam over, and ghui a thing.
- ni uhâ, shall have, verb active, intransitive form Imp. fut. plu. 2nd pers.
- zî tari, and what.

qkû-vua, zî xkhadi veika âku ghu zaraba qhaibi-xua, qkho-qkâsa qua xêin vama.

omi wai, house soever. tari-wai, whichever, forms one word, both members being declined; the noun to which it relates being expressed, requires to be placed in an intermediate position.

qua, into. prep.

ku ka vkâ, ye may enter. pres. subj. plur. 2nd pers.

xnaba hâ, there remain. xnaba is an adverb undec. Adverbs as well as adjectives generally stand before the verbs they qualify. hâ, imp. mood.

ê xnaba ghu qkû-vua, and therefrom go out. ghu prep. governs the obj. qkû-vua, a verb from qkû, to go and vua, out, agrees with kû.

Zî qkho-quaku dama kaïna. And receive you not that they. qkho-qua. formed from qkho, to catch, and qua, to, verb. negative form. ku you, pers. affix of 2nd pers. pron. plur. num. obj. governed by qkho-qua. kaï sign of the subj. ua. 3rd pers. pron. affix. plur. com. gen. nom.

ku keni, you shall. ke substantive verb, used with ui, as temporary predicate.

xna, that. demonstrative pron. undec.

qasa, place. n. sing. fem. obj.

ghu, from or out of prep. governing qasa.

qkû-vua, go out. Active transitive. Imperative mood. fut. plur. num. 2nd person.

zî xhadi, and also.

veika, feet, n. plu. mas. obj.

âku ghu, your from, áku possess. pron, affin. agreeing with veika in number, gender, and ease.

zaraba, dust, n. sing. mas. obj. governed by the following verb.

qhaibi-xna, shake off, verb. act. trans. form.

qkho-qkasa. a testimony, n. compounded of qkho to catch, and qkā, back, literally to catch behind, so to take up, or witness. sing. fem. obj.

qua, to or for, prep. governing qkho-qkasa.

xêin vama, them upon. vama governs them in the nominative.

6. Zî ku ke vua, zî wa qarodi qua ke qkû qkâi-vhuâs ara au-xna, zî qkhein wan debara vgou-vgou,

zì ku ke vua, and they went out. vua, verb. act. trans. indic. past. tense. plu. 3rd pers.

zî wa qarodi qua, and all small places in: qarodi, a diminutive noun. fem. plur.

ke qkû, went.

qkâi-vhuasa, the gospel. literally the good news, n. fem. sing. obj. ara au-xna, preaching, pres. participle.

zî qkhein wan, and places all. wan adj. pron. agreeing with the noun in num., gen, and case.

deba, at.

ra-vgou-vgou healing. present participle.

Exodus xx. 1-17.

THE TEN COMMANDMENTS.

- 1. Op ke Eloba ne midi wadi ke kuba, zî ke mi,
- 2. Tita ke a Qkhuta za Elota, hîa Egheipte qhuba ghu, qkai-omi ghu, u-vuaghazi-hâ.
- 3. Ckhara Elokaz ke ti-eiqâ uhâ tite.
- 4. Qkauihâ ip, zî ii gharii chumi qna qkurika hâ ghun gha, qhup vama qnaka hâ ghun kori, xkamka qhup qnaka qna hâ ghun zîn ghaz ke tazi dibasin titi.
- 5. Xnan eiqâz ke qhunsin titi, zîz ke sisinban titi, Tita Qkhuta sa Elota ke a ôâsa Elota, hea xkun di
- 1. Op ke Eloba. and God. O has the signification of then. ke the temporary predicate. Eloba put in the acc. because in apposition with p, the personal affix. This construction has been explained above.
- Ne midi wadi ke kuba, these words all spake. ne demonstrative pron. undec. because placed before a noun; wadi, adj. pron. dec. when following a noun. Agreeing with midi, words, in gender, number, and ease. ke kuba, v. Active transitive form, Indic. past tense.
- Zì ke mi. and said. mi agrees with kuba.
- 2. Tita ke a Qkhuta sa Elota. I am the Lord I thy God I. ke a the substantive verb. The pronoun is repeated twice by means of its pers. affixes. This is a peculiarity of idiom which the genius of the language requires.
- hîa Egheipte qhuba ghu; that Egypt land from, hía is the Relative prou. undee. qhuba gov. by ghu in the obj. c.
- qkai-omi ghu, the bondage house from, qkai-omi, from omi, a house, and qkai to bind.
- u-vuaghaziha. have brought thee up. U-vuagha from u, to take, and vuagha, to come out. Zi the personal affix of the 2nd pers. pron. obj. c. The verb is in the intransitive form, indic. pres. literally means, am bringing thee up.
- 3. Ckhara Elokaz, &c. other gods before me thou have not. ckhara, see p. 33. ke the temporary predicate. The negative future,

- vkhabap ckon vama ra xkui, qnona-xêi zi haka-xêi suriba qua, xnan xkhantihân gha;
- 6. Zî kei-vgou-disin xêin cnamtihân, zî qkhâi-kumdi ada ra sâun gha, ckhumsara xkou.
- 7. Cuns Qkhup sa Elop dis êz ke xousi kuba-u titi, Qkhup ke chabi-osi qkuâbi titi, hîa xêip cunsa xousira kuba-uba.
- 8. Sabat-zeba vêi-vêi, îz qanu-qanubi.
- 9. Qnani zedi eiz keni chumrebasin, zî sisins was âza di.
 - as indicated by the negative form titi. See p. 45. ti-eiqa. ti is here used as a possessive pron. with the prep. eiqa before.
- 4. Qkauihâ ip. A cut likeness. ip a likeness or image from i to be. qkauihâ. eut. perf. part. pass. hê changed into i for the sake of euphony, and the particle ra omitted.
- Zî iï ghariï. and image not any. ip changed into the com. gen. because indefinite.
- chumi qua, &c. heaven above are things of the prep. qua requires to be nearest the noun which it governs.
- qhup vama qnaka hâ ghun kori, the earth upon beneath are things also.
- xkamka qhup qnaka qna hâ ghun zîn ghaz. waters earth under in are things and of. No Relative pron. being employed, the second noun and pronoun require to be placed between the antecedent noun and the pron. by which it is governed. Zin, the affix 3 pers. plur. nom. joined to the conjunction to agree with ghun. On the same principle as ta is repeated in vs. 2. ghaz. affix of the 2nd pers. pron. joined to the preposition.
- ke tazi dibasin titi, never make for thyself not tazi, never, adds to the force of the prohibition. dibasin. the compound Relative, Reflective form. di, to make, ba, for, sin, one's self.
- 5. Xnan eiqûz ke qhunsin titi, *Those before thou bow not*. The demonstrative pron. declined in the absence of a noun expressed, the pers. pron. affixed to the preposition, *qhunsin*, the Reflective form bow thyself.
- Zaz ke sisinban titi. and thou serve them not. sisinban, the Relative form, to serve for.

- 10. Ghabi hû-xêi zep ke Qkhup sa Elop sabbata, xêip eiz ke tazi sisin titi, saz, sa ôap kori, sa oâs kori, sa qgap kori, sa qgas kori, sa guman kori, sa omi-amka qua hâ cu-khoi âz kori.
- 11. Quani zedi eip ke Qkhuba chumku kori, qhup kori, hurip kori, zî xêin qua hâ ghui-wai a-ke kuru, zî hu-xêi zeba ke sâ, xna-amakap ke Qkhuba sabatzeba ke ckhai zî ke qanu-qanubi.
- Tita Qkhuta, &c. I the Lord I, &c. The pers. pron. appears four times in this sentence.
- hea xkun di vkhabap ckon vama ra xkui, that the parents of wickedness children upon do lay. Tita is the nom. to ra xkui. ra, the sign of the present tense.
- quoua-xêi zî haka-xêi suriba qua, the third and fourth generation to. Xnan xkhantihan gha, those that hate me of. xhan hate, ti, me, han, they are. By this construction the relative pron. and ra, the sign of the pres. tense are dispensed with, and a participal noun substituted.
- 6. Zì kei-vgou-disin xêin enamtihan, and thousands those loving me, the numeral adj. pron. and participial noun agree in number and gender.
- Zì qkhâi-kumdi âda ra sâun gha. and commandments my they keeping of. ada abbreviated form of poss. pron., sau to keep, preserve; n the 3 personal affix.
- · ckhumsara xkou. mercy do show, or showing mercy.
 - 7. Cuns Qkhup sa Elop dis. The name of the Lord thy God's. the gen. is here expressed by the prep. di of; the pers. affix fem. gen. is joined to it to agree with cuns.
 - iz ke xousi kuba-u titi. thou idly use in speech shalt not. i is a particle inserted for the sake of euphony, as z could not have been joined to the final s of the preceding word. If this were not employed the sentence might stand thus—" Qkhup sa Elop de cunsaz." kuba-u, to use in speech, from kuba to speak, and u to take.

Qkhup ke chabi-osi qkuâbi titi. the Lord without fault count him

- 12. Sa xkûp zî sa xkûsa amaba-ma, êka zeka âza vkuivkuibazi, Qkhup sa Elop ta mazi qhup ei.
- 13. Qkamz ke titi.
- 14. Ceiz ke titi.
- 15. Câz ke titi.
- 16. Amadama qkho-qkâïz ke sa cku-khoip vama qkho-qkâ titi.
 - will not. chabi, fault, osi, without, bi the objective pron. placed next to the root of the verb.—See page 45.
- hîa xeip eunsa xousira kuba-uba. that his name idly uses in speech.

 cunsa obj. governed by kuba-u. ba the 3rd pers. affix obj.

 sing. to agree with bi.
- 8. Sabat zeba vêi-vêi, êz qanu-qanubi. the Sabbath-day remember, that thou hallow it. i has the force of that.
- 9. Qnani zedi ciz keni chumrebasin. six days npon thou shalt labour. z joined to the prep. chumrebasin, the relative-reflective form, future tense Imperative Mood.
- zî sisins was âza di. and work all thine do. was, adj. pron. agreeing with sisins in gen., num., and case.
- 10. Ghabi hû-xei zep, &c. But the seventh day, &c. the definite article is expressed by the mas. termination p in zep. Sabbata, obj. case in apposition to zep.
- xêip eiz ke tazi sisin titi. him upon thou not work shalt not. tazi and titi form a double negative equivalent to not by any means, or not on any account.
- saz, sa oâp kori, &c. thou, thy son or &c. kori unlike ka does not require any sign of gender.
- sa omi-amka qna hâ eu-khoi âz kori. thy gates in is stranger thine or. sa and âz are the two different forms of the poss. pron. Omi-amka, literally, house-mouths.
- 11. Qnani zedi eip ke Qkhuba, &c. Six days upon he did the Lord, &c.
- 12. Sa xkûp zî sa xkûsa amaba-ma. thy father and thy mother give honour. Two nouns joined by a conjunction, governed by an

- 17. Sa cku-khoip omiz ke dura titi; sa cku-khoip tarasaz ke dura titi, xêip qgap kori, xêip qgas kori, xêip gumap kori, xêip qkori-hap kori, zî ghuï gariï, sa cku-khoi di.
 - active verb, the last only put in the obj. amaba-ma, literally to give truth.
- 13. Qkamz ke titi. kill thon shalt not. Imperative Future ke though a sign of the Past Tenses, is often used both in the Pres. and Fut. as an expletive.
- 16. Amadama qkho-qkâs, &c. a false witness thou thy neighbour upon witness shalt not.

THE LORD'S PRAYER.

- Sida îzi, chumku qna hâzi, sa cuns as qanu-qanuhê, sa gau-qhup ap hare, sa vêis as ire, chumi qna kmi, xnadi on qhup ei; wa zedi ei vhâdahâ vuna madare,
- Sida îzi. Our Father. Sida, the 1st poss. pron. plur. com. gen. it is the exclusive form which is always used when addressing a third party not associated with those speaking. îzi the voc. case of îp.
- chumku qua hâze. heavens in art. the voc. case of the 2nd pers. pronoun is affixed to the verb $h\vec{a}$, to be, to govern it.
- sa cuns as qanu-qanuhê. thy name let her hallowed be. the sign of the obj. case in cuns is clided, because it is immediately followed by another vowel in ás, let, s keeps up the pronominal concord between cuns and as. qanu-qanuhe, the imp. mood pass. 3rd pers.
- sa gau-qhup ap hare. thy kingdom let him come. re is often affixed to verbs in the imperative mood, it is a particle denoting either earnest supplication or impatient entreaty.

sa vêis as ire. thy will let her be done.

chumi qua kmi. heaven in as. kmi from i to be, and kuma like.

xnadi on qhup ei. so also earth on. ei governs a nom. case.

wa zedi ei. all days on.

- vhâdahâ vuna madare. need we are food give us. vhâdahâ, verb act. Intransitive form. Indic. pres. plur. num. 1st pers. da is the pronominal affix. da in madare is the acc. plur. of the 1st pers.
- ê sada xorena cubada. and our sins forgive us. cuba, to forgive, is the relative form of the verb cu, not to know, and means literally to be ignorant of for, hence to forgive.
- sida on surute-dahan-ara cuba ghasi. we also owe us they that do forgive as. surute-dahan-ara is abbreviated for xein héa sida surutihan ida ra, &c., they that us owing are we do, &c. If

ê sida xorena cubada, sida on surute-dahan-ara cuba ghasi; ê xeiba ghu oreda, sadip ke gauqhuba, zî egeiba, zi keisiba, camop qna. Amai.

the sentence had not contained the particle on, it might have been still further abbreviated into suruti-dahan idara, &c.

e xeiba gliu oreda. and evil from save us.

sadip ke gau-qhuba, &c. thine is the kingdom, &c. gau-qhuba, cgeiba, and keisiba are in the obj. case because in apposition with p in sadip.

NAMAQUA PHRASES.

Koiï ke cumsa u-hâ Cums ke camop qua ni ûi Madiz xnasa van-hâ? Elop mis gha take xkhaxkhasi Cam op qua ta ka ûi! Soros ke ni xo Cnin ke vkhamsis qua ra xo Tari hozi hâ Zûsise ta caisinhâ Madi ko ha caisini? Cutaha? Ckurizha? Huiï hâbazi dama-hâ Ckhumzitara Hamo tani vuru? Xkheis ke-a qkum Xnadi idama Huigure xna sinini cka Nep ke amabara mi, noup kera kara Madiz vanha? Xousi tara mu Tari ghaz xnâuenamsindama hâ? Cabi ni xkua Hamos sorisa ni vhi? Tariba dâusa sorii! Nidi xkhûaba ta vumghasi zâdama-hâ

Cabinira se ra xkhûa

Ckhuruko qhuba

Man has a soul The soul will live for ever How do you know that? I am taught it by God's Word O that I might live for ever The body will die Some die in youth What is the matter with you? I am very sick How did the sickness come? I do not know Are you alone? There is no help for you I pity you When shall I recover? The fever is severe It is not so Help each other with that work This one tells the truth, the other deceives How do you know? I perceive it without difficulty Why are you not obedient? It will soon be day-break When will the sun rise? What a burning sun? Such a heat I have not long felt

It is becoming hot in order to

The land has become dry

rain

Ni xkhâp qua ni keisi zâbi cabi

Ckui xkami Hamo ni soua?

Konis ke nabap gha ke vnouhê

Quona au-khoin ke ke vuou-qauhe

Ibi ta qouhâ ghuï ke nabaï

Nep ke saup qkheiba Ckhutara qkheip gha Nep ke tu-enanu xaiba Xkhunap ke qkua-i-hâ Qhamis ke xari ko da-xna Zî ni hamo uwa? Tari vanhâ? Tarinta qou qkû? Honta kmi

Hamoz ra xaru Qhamisa tara qôu Khona ta vhâ-hâ Xnas ke qnabasa kou Vnua xkuisi Vnua-sa ta ko Qabusa mati îda sau-qkonsi

Xou cibi ita xha Qhaire, ûi-qari ni Hê-ê, arin usi-hâ Macizara dui? Qap ke ra dâu Ham qhaus koiza? Tita ke a Qgami-vnuta Xna Damaba vkei Caisa khou It will probably rain very much during this month It is all one sheet of water When will it be fine weather? The wagon was struck by lightning

Three men were struck dead

Lightning is a thing I am very much afraid of
This is winter cold
I tremble with cold
This is the time of thunder showers
Summer is gone by
The hunt started yesterday
And when will it return?
Who knows?
What are they going to hunt?
Just as they find
The Giraffes will perhaps have come down

When are you going home?
I am waiting for the hunt
I am in want of skins
There goes a Rhinoceros
Shoot her down
I have missed
Give me the gun that I may follow her

Wait a little till I load
Be quick, she will escape
No, the dogs have her
Whither are you removing?
The river is running
To what nation do you belong?
I am a Bundel Zwaart
Call that Damara
Make a fire

Xkami mati Qharasa tara di Xna gumas ke cauï gha ke nahê Qhouna tara enami qkû. Taribi vkhubiï Cubizi ta hâ Haï tani ckhubizi Burugha khoiz ke saza Ta xnorati Vkouzkara, o tani ha Qkû ez gau-auba vkei Hâ-gari tani

Ghuï ta xnâutama hâ Cneiz ta qkû?

Taribi vhuanaz ko uha?

Curuzi ta titi

Vhanizi ta titi

Mebazi tako macî tara qkû qkheiï

Ta xnadikosi chana Tariz saza xnas cka xaihâ? Qôuzi tani Qôubazi tani Mibabe âp qôu Qôukeibi tako Qkâibai tama tahâ Tari kon-konzi hâ? Ckama ta vnuagus qna vkâ titi

Vhanuba ta ke uhâ Tarii ni xhoba vhanu-vhanubati?

Gau-aup eiqa tani xkuîsi Macitz ta qkû-uti? Xarukumra Xna-ghuti ida be-ghuzi

Zû-qkaba tara mu

Give me water I am making a kraal

That cow was bitten by a snake I am going to throw partridges

What noise is that? I am tired of you I will lend you a horse You are a strange person Do not tease me

If you wish I will come Go and call the chief I will remain altogether I will not forget you

What news have you brought? I have heard nothing Are you going already?

I have told you whither I am going

I will not detain you Do not delay so long

What have you to do with that?

I will expect you I will wait for you Tell him to wait

I have caused him to wait

I am not pleased What has disturbed you?

I will not enter into strife a second

I was in the right

time

Who will make the affair right for me?

I will lay it before the chief

Whither are you taking me? We are going home

Let me alone, that I may leave 9011

I see danger

Maba ta huiba ni ho? Nep ke xnâucnamsindamackûaba Xkhaxkha-vkoudamap ke hâ Têtizka ota ka mebazêkâ-ha

Mibati xnei nesi Cnisi ta sa-hâ Xhoba xnei ôa-qnadamaz-hâ

Vheizisi ta mu-vuidama Nesatara di cnamtiz-nika Tara-kosiz chubu-hâ! Vkharidama dauba ta qku-ha Ma qasaz qkuba-hâ? Daup ke-a xkam-o Taziz xnadekose si titi Ckhurup ani xkhaizi O ta kmo ni owa Quo xuaza? Tari vhani-hâ, kuba tani qkheiï Arin ra qhu Anip ta a Moos qua ta uzi-hâ Qkûa-ghuzi ta-hâ? Tari ta xnei dizi-hâ? Tariz ko nari di-vûi?

Ti sisinsa ta ko di-twa
Ziz tari am-quaï uhâ
Nep ke noup gha qkuri-hâ
Maï qkâi nen wan gha?
Wan ke-a ckuidiï
Ha, ikum qkû

Where shall I find help? This is a disobedient child He does not wish to learn If you had asked me I would have told you Tell me then now Perhaps I am mistaken Have you not then investigated the case 2 I do not apprehend clearly I do this that you may love me How weary you are! I have not travelled a little way To what place are you going? The road is without water You will never get so far The drought will turn you Then I will return Can you not be silent? What hinders me from speaking? The dogs bark The cock crows I have you under observation I despise you What have I then done to you? What have you accomplished this morning?

I have finished my work
And what reward have you?
This is higher than that
Which is best of all these?
All are alike
Come, let us go.



VOCABULARY.

A.

Λ , adv.	ves
a, v.	to cry, to weep
a-sin, v.	to sigh, to bewail one's self
a, v.	to drink
a-khann, v.	to drink to satiety
a-twa, v.	to finish drinking
a-xo, v.	to drink to death, to be drowned
â, v.	let
âi, v.	to laughter
âi-qho, v.	to mock
âi-vui, v.	to hold in derision
âi-xo, v.	to laugh immoderately,
âis, s.	laughter
aia! interj.	exclamation of surprise
aise! interj.	do. do. do.
au, prep.	by. Used especially in taking
7.4.4	oaths, as "ti qkas au," by my
	sister
au! interj.	exclamation of surprise
au, v.	to throw
au-be, v.	to throw away
au-ghu, v.	to cast away
au-qaba, v.	to throw up
an-qhun, v.	to overthrow
au-vui, v.	to throw out, eject, reject
au-vkâ, v.	to throw in
au-xkui, v.	to cast down
au-xna, v.	to throw off
au-xnâ, v.	to preach

a preacher au-xnâ-aup, s. sour, bitter âu, adj. sour-milk âu-taiï, s. a man, husband, an aged person aup, s. auri, adj. male ans, s. a woman, an aged female to perspire ausin, v. ausini, s. perspiration ausin-qkheip, s. a pocket-handkerchief aûzi-vkaris, s. the apple of the eye aba, v. to nurse an infant by carrying it on the back a calabash abas, s. abop, s. a father abozi! interjec. O my father! abo-kusip-oata! interj. an exclamation of surprise a lad, a youth aghap, s. a little boy agharop, s. a vessel to drink out of aghus, s. to broil or roast am, v. roast meat am-xkani, s. ama, adj. true amaka, conj. because verily, verily amamasi, adv. truth amap, s. amaba-ma, v. to honor truly amasi, adv. the mouth ams, s. a wild animal am-cnip, s. am-ckhap, s. the right side a portion, reward, recompence am-qnas, s. to reward am-quasa-ma, v. am-qnâs, s. the palate, the inside of the mouth am-vami, s. am-vkâ, s. to put into the mouth am-xûap, s. the right arm to conquer, to surmount, to get am-xna, v. over a difficulty

am-xna, adj.
an, v.
an-ansin, v.
ana, v.
anasin, v.
ana-ghup, s.
ana-yam-ghup, s.

anip, s.
anis, s.
ani-as, s.
ani-oms, s.
anu, adj.
anu-anu, v.
anudama, adj.
anugha, adj.
anu-hâ, v.
anusi, adv.
anusip, s.
anzîbip, s.
ap
as
Personal Affixes.
ai

ap, s. ari, v. ari-arisa, adv.

ê, conj.
ei, prep.
ei-ei, v.
eio, adv.
eibi, adv.

eigha, *adj. pron.* eigha-qhup, *s.* ei-khup, *s.*

blessed, happy to make a shew of one's self to beautify one's self to put on, to wear to clothe one's self a garment a cloak, mantle, any upper garrice a bird coek-crowing a bird's nest fit, worthy, becoming to beautify, to make right unfit, unworthy beautiful, seemly to be fit, to be worthy worthily, properly beauty an owl

a hole to doubt, to be perplexed doubtful.

E.

the firstborn

and
on, upon
to lead, go before
yes
first, a little, as nxam eibi, wait a
little
own
fatherland

I.

eîp, s.
eis, s.
ei-chamis, s.
ei-qâ, prep.
ei-qkû, v.
ei-qkûs, s.
ei-qkû-aup, s.
ei-vuas, s.
eka, adv.
êka-egep, s.
Elop, s.
elosis, s.
êsa, adj.
êsasi, adv.

i, v.
i, v.
i-qkû, v.
i-vam, v.
i-xua, adj.
i-xkha, adj.
î-î, v.
îgu, v.
îgu-cis, s.
ip, s.
is, s.

O! interj.
ôa, v.
oâ, v.
oâ-am, v.
oâ-qna, v.
oâ-qnas, s.

isi, adv.

the liver
a face, lid, cover of anything
a preparation
before
to go before, precede
the van, a going before
a leader
the east
afterwards, by and bye, ultimately
care, anxiety, doubt
God
Godhead, Divinity
beautiful, pretty
well.

to be
to go to pass by
to go beyond
to exceed, surpass
impossible
possible
to adorn, beautify
to commit adultery
adultery
a likeness, an image
a passing by
whether.

how! what!
to beget, bring forth
to look for, seek
to seek out
to tempt, to examine
temptation, examination



ôaghais, s. a virgin ôap, s. a son ôas, s. a daughter ôasa, adj. lively ôasasi, adv. in a lively manner bitter ou, adj. to give, used principally of food ou, v. exclamation of impatience okha! interj. om, v. to build omi, s. a house a door omi-ams, s. a builder om-kuru-aup, s. a steward om-mu-vam-aup, s. omi-qnap, s. the interior of a house om-vami, s. the roof of a house also, and on, conj. on-xhon, v. to shrug the shoulders ora, adv. ora-xkani, s. raw meat ora-xnuii, s. butter ori, v. to loosen ori-aup, s. a deliverer, Saviour ori-qkâ, v. to saddle off deliverance, salvation orip, s. to leap, spring, jump oro, v. without osi, prep. owa, v. to turn back, to return a return. owas, s.

U.

u, v.to takeu-be, v.to take awayu-be-ghu, v.to take from, to depriveu-diba, v.to hold back, retainu-ha, v.to bring hitheru-hâ, v.to have, possess, keepu-hâ, v.to retain

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u-khâi, v.	to lift up
u-ma, <i>v</i> .	to stand holding
u-si, <i>v</i> .	to take thither, to conduct
u-qua, v.	to receive, accept
u-qkû, v.	to take along, to lead captive
u-qkûs, s.	captivity
u-vûi, v.	to take out
u-vkâgha, v.	to bring in
u-vkau, v.	to wish to take
u-xna, v.	to take down
ûi, <i>v</i> .	to live
ûi-ûi, v.	to quicken, restore to life, refresh
ûi-ûi-aup, s.	one that restores to life, a Saviour
ûi-kei, v.	to cause to life
ûis, s.	life
ûizama, <i>adj.</i>	alive, living
unu, v.	to move
unusin, v.	to change one's position
up, s.	a fault
uri, v.	to spring, jump, &c.
uri-khâi, <i>v</i> .	to jump up
uri-yua, <i>v.</i>	to jump out
urip, s.	a louse.
	В.
batari, v.	to pay (betalen?)
be, v.	to go away, depart
be-ghu, v.	to go from, leave
be-ghu-qari, v.	to go away for good
berip, s.	bread
bo, v.	to hate, to envy, to avenge

berip, s.
bo, v.
bo-aup, s.
bos, s.
buru, v.
buru-buru, v.
buru-burusa,
burugha,
burughasi, adv.

to hate, to envy, to avenge an avenger envy, hatred, vengeance to wonder, to be surprised to astonish wonderful wonderfully.

	D.
da, v.	to tread
da-ma, v.	to stand firm
da-mas, s.	a standing fast, stedfastness
da-qkâ, v.	to tread under foot
da-vui, v.	to tread corn out of the ear
da-vui-qharas, s.	a threshing floor
da-xna, v.	to start
dâ, v.	to rejoice, to exult
dâsis, s.	exultation
dai, v.	to suck
daisi, v.	to suckle
daiï, s.	milk
dâu, v.	to flow
dâu-vui, v.	to flow out
dâu-xkams, s.	a stream, a flood
dâu, v.	to burn, to scorch
dâu-qna, s.	to fill and light a pipe
dâusa, <i>adj</i> .	scorching, burning
dauï, s.	a road .
dau-ams, s.	a door, gate
dan-dau, v.	to shew the road, to lead
dan-xkou-aup, s.	one that shows the way, a guide
dabi, v.	to geld
dabi, adj.	rich, wealthy
dabi-gup, s.	a wether
dabi-hap, s.	a gelding
dabi-heis, s.	the dabee tree
dabip, 8.	wealth
dama, adv.	not
damap, s.	a Damara
dama-qhup, s.	Damaraland
dan, v.	to conquer, to overcome
danas, s.	a head, a chief
dana-khoip, s.	a headman, ruler
dana-zûp, s.	the headache, any disease of the
dana-vkhop, s.	the skull

dana-xkha-xkha-aup, s.	a chief priest
danis, s.	honey, sugar
dansis, s.	a victory
di, prep.	of
di, v.	to do
di-hâ, v.	to keep on doing
di-unu, v.	to rectify
di-twa, v.	to finish
di-zâ, v.	to try, attempt
di-cua, v.	to fulfil
di-qua, v.	. to do in return, to resent an injury
di-vui, v.	to accomplish
di-xari, v.	to mix together
diba, prep.	at
disi, adj.	ten
disi-disi, adj.	a hundred
doi, v.	to remove, journey
doi-omi, s.	a ship
doi-be, v.	to remove
doi-vua, v.	to move out
doi-xkha, v.	to drive
doi-xkha-aup, s.	a driver
dora, v.	to bleed at the nose
dubu, v.	to dive, submerge
dubus, s.	a drum
dums, s.	a voice, the throat
dum-qkhum, s.	the windpipe
dura, v .	to desire, long for
durap, s.	desirę
durup, s.	a mouse
druiï, s.	a grape
drui-heis, s.	a vine
drui-qhanap, s.	a vineyard
drui-tûi-qûi-aup, s.	a vineyard keeper, a husbandman
	G.
ga, adj.	wisc
ga-ei, adj.	wise

gau, v.	to rule
gau-aup, v.	a ehief or governo
gau-omi, s.	a palace
gau-qhup, s.	a kingdom
gaup, s.	a gnoo
gaus, 8.	dominion
gausap, s.	a king
gautas, s.	a queen
gagha, adj.	sly
gagha-qnâ, adj.	deceitful
gagha-quas, s.	· deceit
gakas, s.	a spirit
gâp, s.	a gander
gari, v.	to roll
gâri, adj.	stupid, dull
gârip, s.	stupidity, dulluess
garu, v.	to straighten
gas, s.	wisdom
gâs, s.	a goose
gâ-qkâ, v.	to gape
goisi, adj.	nine
goisi-disi, adj.	ninety
goisi-ca, adj.	nine
guap, s.	foam
gumap, s.	au ox
gumas, s.	a cow
gup, s.	a sheep
gu-khop, s.	a sheepskin
gu-chaus, s.	a flock of sheep
gu-qûi-aup, s.	a sliepherd
gu-qharas, s.	a sheep-fold
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GH.

ghami, v.

gha, prep. ghải, v.

gháis, s.

ghabi, conj.

to roll up
of
to swell
a swelling
but, although

ghan, v.	to grind
ghan-euis, 8.	a mill-stone
ghan-dum, \ v.	to strangle
ghan-gion,	to strangle
ghari, adv.	not
ghasi, prep.	like, as
ghêi, v.	to blow a horn
gheiï, s.	a kudoo, antelope
ghop, s.	a cheek, beard
ghokha, s.	the whiskers
ghora, v.	to scratch
ghori, v.	to loosen
ghu, prep.	from
ghu, v.	to leave
ghu-qkâ, v.	to permit, allow
ghu-qkâs, s.	permission
ghua, v.	to write
ghua-am, v.	to foam at the mouth
ghua-mei, v.	to imprint, inscribe
ghua-vui, v .	to erase
ghuas, s.	a writing, Scripture
ghuasa-van-aup, s.	a scribe
ghuï, s.	a thing
ghuï-au, } prep.	for, because
	ioi, securee
ghuï-dama, adv.	nothing
ghûip, s.	wine
ghûi-heis, s.	a vine
ghûi-ekabis, s.	a wine cup
ghui-xkubus, s.	a wine press
ghuri, v.	to lade water
ghuri-xuap, s.	a ladle
ghurup, s.	gunpowder
ghrika-xaip, 8.	a Griqua
	КН.
kha, v.	to sink
kha-khoip, s.	an enemy
and anoth, or	- Carona J

khái, v.	to rise, stand up
khâisin, v.	to raise up one's self
khâi-vnu, v.	to sit up
khâis, s.	a revolt, a resurrection
khau, v.	to dig
khau-qkâ, prep.	behind
khaus, s.	the back
khaus-ei, prep.	afterwards
khabop, s.	a slave
khabu, v.	to flame up
khabus, s.	a flame
khabuï, s.	a blister
khap, s.	war
khap, s.	a bow
kha-xabap, s.	a bow-string
kharop, s.	a bed or couch
khei, v.	to separate
	to break
khôa-kaka, v.	to break in pieces, to shatter
khôa-qa, v.	to break asunder
khôa-xna, v.	to break off
khoii, s.	a person
khoip, s.	a man ·
khois, s.	a woman
khoigu, v.	to make friends
khoighagus, s.	friendship, matrimony
khoi-khoip, s.	a Hottentot
khoisis, s.	humanity
khoi-chaus, s.	an assembly
khoi-enams, s.	philanthropy
khou, v.	to burn
khous, s.	a burning
khoba-am, v.	to open
khop, s.	a skin
kho-saran, s.	skin garments
khora, v.	to open
khora-xkui, v.	to open out, to spread
khum, v.	to speak, utter, break silence
khum-ei, v.	to read.
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H.

ha, v.	to come
ha-vam, v.	to happen
hâ, v.	to be
hâ, v.	to remain
hâ-i, v.	to be
hâ-be, v.	to remain away
hâ-hâ, v.	to continue
hâ-qari, v.	to remain altogether
ha-qkâ, v.	to wait for
ha-qkâs, s.	delay
ha-qkheis, s.	a dwelling place
ha-qna, v.	to dwell among
ha-qnasis, s.	presence
habai, v.	to mix
haba-zurup, s.	a mole
hagup, s.	a pig
haka, adj.	four
haka-ca, adj.	fourteen
haka-disi, adj.	forty
ham, v.	to smell
ham-ghus, s.	something to smell
ham-xkami, s.	scent
hami, pron.	who, which
hamo, adv.	when
hana, adv.	indeed
hap, s.	a horse
hara, v.	to swallow
hara, adj.	wide
hara-hara, v.	to widen
harasi, adv.	widely
has, s.	a mare
has, s.	a coming, an advance
hê-e, adv.	no
heis, s.	a tree, a stick
hei-omi, s.	a wooden house
hei-kuru-aup, s.	a carpenter
heira, s.	gum

hî, v.	to be
hî-kaka, v.	to destroy
hî-churu, v.	to destroy
hî-churus, s.	annihilation .
hî-qkheis, s.	a duty
hîa, pron.	that *
hîa, adv.	whilst
ho, v.	to find, to beget, to bring forth
ho-vui, v.	to find out
$ho-q\hat{a}, v.$	to discover
honi-xais, s.	a member
hora-hop, s.	the only begotten
horesap, s.	a comrade
hos, s.	a birth
hû, adj.	seven
hû-disi, adj.	seventy
hû-ca, adj.	seventeen
hui, v.	to help
huis, s.	help
hui-aup, s.	a helper, assistant
huis, s.	assistance
huka, 'adv.	long ago
huka-ekui, adv.	always, continually
huni, v.	to stir
hunguri, s.	a hen
huri, v.	to leap
hurinip, s.	an Englishman
hurip, s.	the sea
huri-omi, s.	a ship
huri-ekhinap, s.	a partridge
huri-vuap, s.	the west wind
hurtup, s.	a lizard
hus, adj.	all
	K.
ka, conj.	that
ka, v.	to lose
kabus, s.	a native parasol, made of ostrich
	feathers
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kabup, s.	foul weather
kama, adj.	crooked
kamanas, s.	the·loins
kanubi, adc.	as yet
kan-kan, v.	to praise
kan-kans, s.	praise
kap	•
kas conj.	whether, of
kai J	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
kara, <i>adj.</i>	cool
kara-kara, v.	to cool
karan, s.	beads (kralen?)
karap, s.	the cool
kari, s.	to praise, extol
karibi, r.	to roll
karip, s.	praise
karusa, adj.	hard
ke, v.	past tense of the substantive verb
ke, v.	to look
ke-khâi, v.	to look up
kei, adj.	great
kei-ghu, adj.	long
kei-ghup, s.	length
kei-korap, s.	a vulture
keira, v.	to be old
keirap, s.	old age
keisis, s.	greatness
kebo, v.	to prophesy
kebo-aup, s.	a prophet
kes, s.	a looking
ko, v.	to look
ko-qaba, v.	to look up
ko-vam, v.	to look upon
ko-vnamibe, v.	to look around
kôas, s,	a knife
kou, v.	to be going
kouï, s.	fat
kou-kou, s.	to hide
kousa, adj.	fat

koba, v. koba-qua, v. koba-vui, r. kobap, s. kom-kom, udj. kom-komi, s. kon, v. kon-kon, r. kon-kons, s. konidas, s. konis, s. koni-oms, s. koni-kuru-aup, s. koni-cnus, s. korap, s. kori, adj. kori-disi, adj. kori-ca, adj. korosi, adv. kuasin, v. kuasins, 8. kurip, s. kuru, v. kuru-aup, s. kurus, s. kuru-unu, r. kuru-khâi, v. kururu, v. kururus, a. kururu-heis, s. kururu-xuahâ, adi. kmi, adv.

to speak, to talk to speak against to speak out speech, language rotten rottenness to move to disturb disturbance, tumult a cart a waggon a waggon or coach-house a waggon-maker a wheel a crow five fifty fifteen as yet to boast a boast a year to create, make a maker, creator a creation to remake, to repair, rectify to build up to measure measure a foot rule or any other measure

M.

infinite

like, as.

ma, pron. ma, v. ma-am, v.

which to give to permit, allow

ma-ams, s.	permission
ma-gu, v.	to trade
ma-gus, s.	trade
ma-gliu, v.	to give away
ma-qnas, s.	tribute
ma-qkhuni, v.	to give in exchange
ma-vui, v.	to give out, dispose
ma-xna, v.	to give up, deliver
mâ, v .	to stand
$m\hat{a}$ -u, v .	to stand holding
mâ-hâ, v .	to remain standing, to persevere
mâ-hâs, s.	perseverance
mâ-khais, s.	an uproar
$m\hat{a}$ -egei, v .	to stand steadfast
mâ-qua, v.	to resist
mâ-quas, s.	resistance
maba, adv.	where
mabaghu, adr.	whence
madi, adv.	how
madikosi, adv.	how much
madiko-quadi, adv.	how often
mana, v.	to chatter
mari, s.	money
mariros, s.	a small coin
mari-ckhubi, v.	to lend money
mari-ekhubis, s.	usury
mari-vkais, s.	a money-box or treasury
masin, v.	to yield
masinha, adj.	willing, submissive
maeî, adv .	whether
mi, v.	to speak, to say
mi-ei, v .	to reproach, to tell tales
mi-eis, s.	reproach
mi-ba, v.	to tell
mï-mêi, v.	to promise
mi-mĉis, s.	a promise
mi-sa, v .	to be mistaken
mi-ci, v.	to address

mi-chau, r. to speak together, to agree mi-chaus, s. an agreement mi-vui, v. to speak out mi-xna, v. to confess mi-xnas, s. a confession minis, s. a net mîs, s. a word mu, v. to see mu-aup, s. a seer to distinguish mu-qa, r. mu-vam, v. to overlook, to superintend mu-vam-aup, s. a superintendent mu-vui, v. to discern mu-vuis, s. discernment mu-xna, v. to forgive mu-xnas, s. forgiveness muho! interj. exclamation of surprise mus, s. an eye muzo! interj. exclamation of surprise.

N.

na, v.

naba, r.

nabap, s.

nama, v.

namap, s.

namis, s.

nabasa, adj.

nama-kubap, s.

nama-qhup, s.

namigha, adj.

namgha, adj.

nam-xanip, s.

nagu, r.

na-qan, r.

na-vkhu, v.

to bite to bite one another to bite to death to tear in pieces to shine, to lighten lightning shining to talk Namaqua a Namaqua the Namaqua language Namaqualand knowledge possessing knowledge talkative, loquacious a tongue the string of the tongue

to entice nana, v. to have ease after pain nana, v. a spark nanip, 8. this morning nari, adv. to run round a corner naru, v. this neï, pron. here neba, adv. nebaghu, adv. hence thus nedi, adv. thus much, thus far nedikosi, adr. neghaba, adv. hither $\left\{
 \begin{array}{l}
 \text{nesi,} \\
 \text{nesara,}
 \end{array}
 \right\} adv.$ now to-day nezi, adv. shall ni, v. that noui, pron. nouba, adv. there nouba-ghu, adv. thence thither nou-ci, adv. to take an oath nu, v. an oath. mii, s.

P.

a goat the Kaffir tribes a kid.

R.

a ring.

S.

thy
to miss
to rest
the Sabbath
a place of rest

Reîsa, s.

pirip, s.

piriku, s.

piriroi, s.

sa, pron.
sa, v.
sâ, v.
sâ-zep, s.
sâ-qkheis, s.

sâ-quaus, s.	a couch
sau, v.	to follow
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sau-qkon, sau-xai,	to follow after, to pursue
sau, v.	to mark
sauï, s.	a mark
saugu, ade.	in succession
saup, s.	the winter •
saup, s.	thy father
saus, s.	thy mother
sâu, v.	to keep, preserve
sâu-qkheis, s.	a place of safety
sami, s.	a breast
samku, s.	the mammae
sain-sain, v.	to soften
sap, s.	a Bushman
sâp, s.	rest
sâp, s.	buchu (scented wood)
saran, s.	garments, clothes
sari, v.	to visit
sari-qkû, v.	to go on a visit
sas,	11
sas, saz, pers. pron.	thou
se, conj.	that
sêi, v.	to cook or boil
sêi-oms, s.	a kitchen
sczi-qkubip, s.	a bat
si, v.	to go
sî, v.	to sneeze
sî, v.	to send
sî-be, v.	to send away
sî-unu, v.	to order aright, to direct
sî-qgap, s.	an apostle
sî-qkon, v.	to send in pursuit
sî-vui, v.	to send out, to commission
sida,)	
sida, sike, sisi,	W.G
sisi,	

sisin, v.	to work
sisin-aup, s.	a workman
sisin-ma, v.	to employ
sisin-vui, v.	to carry into effect
sisin-twa, v.	to complete, finish
sisini, s.	work
sôip, s.	a lung
soua, s.	fine weather
somi, s.	a shadow, shade
som-som, v.	to overshadow
sonis, s.	the navel
sonu, v.	to strive, contend
sonus, s.	strife, contention
sora, v.	to despise
soraku, s.	the peel or rind of anything
soris, s.	the sun
sorop, s.	the bark of a tree
soros, s.	a body
subu, <i>adj</i> .	light
subu-subu, v .	to lighten, alleviate
subusi, adv.	easily
suruti, v.	to be in debt
suruti-aup, s.	a debtor, a creditor
surutip, s.	debt
sus, s.	a pot, pan, or any cooking utensil
swas, s.	a water barrel.
	m.

T.

ta, v.

tau-hâ, v.

tan-tan, v.

tau-tausin, v.

tani-be, v.

tausis, s.

tabidi, v.

tabidis, s.

tani, v.

do not
to be ashamed
to make ashamed
shame
to be bashful
to greet
greeting
to carry
to carry off

tani-bes, s.	captivity
tani-ei-ghup, s.	a ray, a bier
tani-enami, s.	patience
tani-tanisa, adj.	patient
tani-vui, v.	to carry out
tarari, adj.	female
taras, s.	a woman
tara-ghus, s.	divorce
tari, adv.	what, why
tarigha, adv.	what .
tari-qaroma? adv.	why?
tazi, adv.	never
tazi-katip, s.	eternity
tazi-katise, adv.	eternally
ti, pron.	my
tî, v.	to ask
tî-am, v.	to offer in marriage, to court
tî-ams, s.	courting
tî-qna, v.	to inquire into, to investigate
tî-vui, v.	to find out
timi, adv.	so
tîs, s.	the thigh
tî-vkhos, s.	the thigh bone
tî-vams, s.	the lap
tita, pers. pron.	I
tôip, s.	a garden
tougu-eis, s.	jealousy _
torop, s.	war
toro-vhûas, s.	a rumour of war
tu-cnanup, s.	a thunder cloud, thunder rain
tu-vuap, v.	the North wind
tum, adj.	very small
tum, v.	to swallow
twa, v.	to end, to finish
twas, s.	an end
twazwa, v.	to begin
twazwas, s.	a beginning
twâsi, v.	to be in want
twâsis, s.	want, need, a defect.
UT 4010; 0.	want, necu, a defect.

M

W.

all

wazoma, adj. pron. wakha) wara } pron. warakasi, adv.

yap, s.

both

altogether.

Y.

a rebok.

Z.

za, v. zâ, v. zâ, v. zâ-am, v. zâ-ams, s. zâ-zâ, v. zâ-ckha, v. zabap, s. zabip, s. zamap, s. zamarop, s. zamsa, adj. zam-birip, s. zam-zam, v. zanas, s. zanana, v.

to liek

to swim to feel to begin a beginning to touch, to taste -to touch, to feel

gall the ebony tree a wild melon .

snow soft, tender flour, meal to soften a hymn, song to touch, to feel

to attempt in vain, to give up in despair

dust a fan

to purge, to winnow

ashes a calf soft

mueus, slime

a day

zarap, s. zarip, s. zau-vui, v. zaup, s. zaûp, s. zaura, adj. zap, s. zep, s.

zana-xkhui, v.

zì, conj. zoro, v. zoro-aup, s. zû! interj. zû-zû, v. zu-ami, s. zu-ke-ami, s. zu-ckhap, s. zu-qkâp, s. zubn, v. zughuß, s. zughu-qkas, s. zuni, s. zûp, s. zurip, s. zwa-zwa, v. zwa-zwas, s. zwas, &.

ca, adj. ca-ca, v. câ, adj. câ-câ, v. câ, v. caï, s. caigha, adj. caip, s. caire, v. cais, s. caisin, v. caisin, adj. caisini, s. cau, v caugha, adj. cauï, s.

caup, s.

and to sow a sower denotes cold or heat to hurt, put into pain, grieve trouble, affliction do. do. danger, difficulty do. to grasp night midnight to melt pain a rope, a cord to begin a beginning anus.

C.

sharp to sharpen wet to make wet, to moisten to steal wet, moisture fiery, hot fuel, firewood to fetch firewood fire to be sick sick sickness to milk bloody a serpent blood

cau-khoi, s. cau-qhuis, s. caba, adj. caba-chûap, s. caba-cgaru, adj. cabi, v. cabi, s. cabii, s. cabii, s. cabi-cabi, v. cabi-eis, s. cabi-ma, v. cabi-mu-qna, v cabi-xari, v. cabigha, adj. cabop, s. caghari-ghu, v. eaghari-ghui, s. camis, s. cami-qamku, s. cam-cam, v. camika, s. cam-o, adj. cam-op, s. camosi, adv. cams, s. can, v. cana, v. canaï, s. cana-qkâ, v. cana-qhâi, s. cani, s. cangha, adj. cap, s. cara, v. carap, s. cari, v.

a relative a flow of blood red a red wild cat red spotted to rain the front dress of women rain counsel, advice to take counsel a device to give advice to wink to take counsel together ingenious, skilful splinter to curse, to swear a curse an ostrich ostrich feathers to finish, to come to an end the eyelashes eternal eternity eternally an end to smoke to delay delay to accuse an accusation smoke smoky a weapon to blame, find fault a rib to extinguish a fire, evaporate, dry up, to stanch

caro, v.	to add to
caroha, adj.	increased
carup, s.	manure
casa, adj.	new
casi, adv.	soon
casi-casi, adv.	immediately
catanin, s.	armour
cei, v.	to commit fornication, or adultery
ccii, s.	fornication, adultery
cei-aup, s.	an adulterer, fornicator
cei-aus, s.	an adultress
cî, interj.	exclamation denoting pain
co, v.	to smell, to stink
co, v.	to sound
co-co, v.	to wean, to stanch a wound
coï, s.	a sound
coi, v.	to slander, to speak evil of another
coi-aup, s.	a slanderer
cou, v.	to blame
couï, s.	blame, fault
coup, s.	dew
cous, s.	a spring or fountain
cou-xkami, s.	spring-water
cona, v.	to beg
coro, adj.	old
coro, adv.	few
corosi, adv.	seldom
co-ckha, adj.	naked
co-ckhap, s.	nakedness
cu, v.	to be ignorant of, to deny
	a stranger
cu-qna, adj.	ignorant
cu-qnase, adv.	ignorantly
cu-vamse, adv.	do.
cû, v.	to cease
cua, adj.	full
	to fill
cuâ, v.	to wipe, to sweep

cuai, s. a cold cuahê, s. do. cuap, s. fulness cui, adj. thin, slender cui-khum, v. to whisper eui-khums, s. a whispering · cuis, s. a stone cui-qhum, v. to stone cui-vnua, v. to throw stones a brother-in-law cuip, s. cuis, s. a sister-in-law cui-ckûas, s. a daughter-in-law cûis, s. a net cuisap) cuisas \ s. a relative by marriage cûizibip, s. a gnat cuba, v. to forgive cubas, s. forgiveness cubi, v. to grow tired of any one, to be disgusted with anything cubi, v. to be lazy cubii, s. forgetfulness cubip, s. a heathen cubip, s. laziness cubisa, adj. lazy cum, v. to wipe cum, v. to grow to shoot up, to sprout out cum-vua, v. cum, v. to breathe cum-cum, v. to breathe into, to make alive cuma, v. to sigh to inherit cumi, v. an heir cumi-aup, s. an heiress cumi-aus, s. cumïs, s. an inheritance breath, the soul cums, s. cun, v. to name cuni, v. to cease, give up

cuns, s. cup, s. cûp, s. cûp, s. enrigha, adj. curi-curi, v. curin, s. curip, s. curi-vnou-aup, s. curu, v. chau, v. châup, s. chaus, s. chabiï, a. chabi-o, adj. chabi-o-qkûa, v. chabi-ma, v. cham, v. cham-zu-zu, v. cham-ei, adj. chami, v. chami, v. chamis, s. chamisinha, v. chamisins, s. chami-vam-gu, adj. chari-vka, v. charus, s. charu-onii, s. chei, adj. chei-curip, s. chêi-mei, v. chĉi-meis, s. cho, adj. cho-vui, v. choign, v. chobi, adj.

chouï, s.

a name urine hair colour dirty, foul to soil, to defile metals iron a blacksmith to forget to gather together, to assemble a duiker an assembly, congregation wonder, or sore, a fault faultless, innocent to excuse, to hold innocent to accuse to flog, to whip to flog severely blind to make ready to collect, gather a collection to be ready preparation double to dip a basket, a mat a mat house gray, light blue copper to sigh a sigh wide to stretch out to speak evil of one another mouldy

steam vapour

chon, v. chu, v. chû-chû, v. chûbi, adv. chubu, adj. chubu-chubu, v. chum-gion, chuma-vgui, chumi, s. chum-qgap, s. chûp, s. churop, s. churu, v. chus, s. cka, v. cka, conj. ckâi, v. ckâi, v. ckâigha, adj. ckaighap, s. ckâup, s. ckaup, s.

ckâigha, adj.
ckaighap, s.
ckaup, s.
ckaup, s.
ckausip, s.
ckaba, v.
ckabakas, s.
ckaba-qkhcip, s.
ckabi-ckabi, adj.
ckabi-ckabi, s.
ckabisi, s.
ckabisi, s.
ckabisi, adv.
ckaip, s.
ckai-vnap, s.
ckâgha, adj.
ckam, adj.
ckama, adv.

to choke
to smother
to collect, assemble
altogether
wearied, tired
to tire, weary
to smother

heaven
an angel
a white man
a tortoise
to play
a scorpion
to take refuge in a cave fro

to take refuge in a cave from rain with to spread to be greedy, to refuse a gift

through covetousness greedy, stingy greediness, stinginess an edge

a buffalo
the Buffalo River
to cover the head

to cover the head a trumpet a cap

a handkerchief for the head high

to clevate a cup height, cle

height, elevation

highly
a gemsbok
a ferret
grassy
two

a second time

ckam-disi, adj. ckam-hos, s. ckam-ca, adj. ckam-cuns, s. ckam-cgi, v. ckam-cgikha, s. ckam-ckha, v. ckam-ckhasis, s. ckam-vhiegu, v. ckam-vhiegus, s. ckain, v. ckam-ckam, v. ckamirop, 8. ckamiros, s. ckams, s. ckamsa, adj. ckanap, 8. ckana, v. ckâp, s. ckarasi, adv. ckinap, s. ckêi, v. ckêi-qa, v. ckoi, v. ckoip, s. ckous, s. ckou-vnûi, v. ekobap, s. ckop, s. ckos, s. ckosis, 8. cku, adj. cku-cku, v. ckuse, adv. ckû, v. ckuâp, s. ckuârop, s.

twenty regeneration twelve a suruame to have twins twins to be pregnant pregnancy to contend, strive strife, contention to be hot to warm, make hot a pole cat a star heat hot an echo to echo grass otherwise a fly to spread to spread out to be a lunatic a lunatic a price to fix a price a sand-hill a boy a girl childhood near to approach nearly to boil, to cook a boy a little boy a girl

ckuâs, s.

ckui, adj.	one
ekui-uâbip, s.	the only-begotten
ckui-disi, adj.	ten
ckui-ghariï, adv.	not one
ckui-ca, adj.	ten
ckui-ckui, v.	to cause to agree
ckui-ckuise, adv.	singly
ckui-qna, adj.	agreed
ekui-qnasis, s.	agreement
ckubi-xnos, s.	a similitude
ckuri, adv.	alone
ckurigha, adj.	different
ckurisis, s.	solitude
ekurup, s.	a wild beast
ckusis, s.	nearness, proximity
cgâ, adj.	poor
cgâup, s.	an eyebrow
cgabirap, s.	a species of lizard
egari, adj.	unhandy, awkward
	a mane
egarip, s.	
	the blood-sickness, a disease of
egarip, s.	
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarn, v.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarin, v. cgarin, adj. cgarip, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal
cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper
cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery
cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong
cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v. cgeip, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen
cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen strength
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v. cgeip, s. cgcip, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen strength a lizard
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, v. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v. cgeip, s. cgeip, s. cgeip, s. cgeip, s. cgeisa, adj.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen strength a lizard strong
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v. cgeip, s. cgcip, s. cgcip, s. cgcisa, adj. cgcisasi, adv.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen strength a lizard strong strongly
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgci, v. cgci-cgei, v. cgcip, s. cgcip, s. cgcisa, adj. cgcisasi, adv. cgeizap, s.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen strength a lizard strong strongly the front of the leg
cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgarip, s. cgaru, adj. cgarup, s. cgâsap, s. cgirip, s. cgi-qoup, s. cgei, v. cgei-cgei, v. cgeip, s. cgcip, s. cgcisas, adj. cgcisasi, adv. cgcizap, s. cgora, v.	the blood-sickness, a disease of sheep to scatter spotted a panther a pauper a jackal the dysentery to be strong to strengthen strength a lizard strong strongly the front of the leg to judge

a judgment day egora-zep, s. to separate egora-qa, v. a judgment seat cgora-quaus, 4. a judgment, separation, difference egoras, s. rust egup, s. to swear cgui, v. a fig tree cgubis, s. the hip egubus, s. to pray eguri, v. a house of prayer eguri-omi, s. egurip, s. prayer ckhai, v. to present to bless ckhai, v. ckhais, s. a blessing ckhabup, s. a sandal to pass urine ckham, v. ckhamas, s. a nostril a side ckhap, s. the person, a body ckhap, s. ckhara, pron. another otherwise ckharase, adv. a hare ckharup, s. ckhei, v. to be wanting or missing empty ckhei-qna, adj. olive oil ckherap, s. to come ckhi, v. a guinea fowl ckhinas, s. ckhip, s. a black rhinosceros ckhoip, s. the calf of the leg to tear, to rend ckhou, v. to tear asunder, to rend in pieces ckhou-qa, v. ckhora, adj. raw to tremble ckhu, v. to cluster ckhu, v. the Pleiades ckhuisedi, s. to vomit ckhûi, v. ckhubi, v. to borrow, to lend ckhubup, s. an ant-eater

ckhum, v. to pity, to have mercy upon mercy, pity, grace ckhums, s. to itch ckhun, v. ckhunup, s. a finger the tip of the finger ckhunu-vams, 3. ckhuri, v. to creep ckhuru, adj. sour ckhuru-ckhuru, v. to leaven ckhuru-ckhurup, s. leaven ckhurup, s. drought to appease, to settle a dispute, to cnai, v. separate contending parties cnai-aup, s. one that separates combatants cnais, s. the navel cnabas, s. a herd cnabu-qna, v. to sweep out to love cnam, v. love cnami, s. lovely cnam-cnamsa, adv. cnamgha, adj. loving a friend cnam-khoip, s. a cloud cnanus, 8. rain cnanup, s. cnari, s. to walk a walking, conduct cnaris, s. enei, adv. already cneisa, adj. old, ancient cnii, adv. another some cnin, adv. a baboon cnirap, s. cnise, adv. perhaps to prepare, to tan cnoro, v. cnuas. 3. a heifer cnûis, s. a spider a leg cnup, s. cnu-daup, s. a foot-path cnu-qkû, v. to go on foot, to walk cnu-xkhamku, s. fetters

qa, v. qa-xhui, v. qâ, v. qâ-xo, v. qâ-zu-ckhap, s. qae, v. qae-aup, s. qaidap, s. qaiream, v. qaireams, s. qan, v. gans, s. qau-qausa, adj. gau-qhuri, v. qaup, s. qau-quo, v. qaup, s. qau-qkhas, s. qaba, v. qaba-vora, v. gabap, s. qabus, s. qâdai, s. qam, adj. qama, prep. qam-am, v. qam-am-cais, s. qam-za, v. qam-xai, v. qanu, adj. qanu-qanu, v. qanu-qanus, 8. qanup, s. qanusip, s. qaroma, adv. qarup, s. qaru-cî, s.

0. to spread · to spread out to hunger to famish a famine to spy a spv a flea to answer, to reply a reply to fear fear fearful, timid to be terrified a neck to run away through fear a rock rabbit an eagle to climb, to ascend to climb to the summit an ascent a gun a fragment green for, because of to kindle a torch or candle a torch, candle to try on a garment to splice pure, clean, holy to purify, to make holy a purification purity, holiness glory because a species of lizard thither, away from here

qaru-cî-ckui, <i>prep.</i>	all the more
qap, s.	a river
qâp, s.	a portion
qarup, s.	a leopard
gas, s.	a place
qa-qkhanup, s.	a rivulet
qâs, s.	hunger
qâ-qâ, v.	to go along an edge, to skirt a
	border
qie, v.	to spring up, to vegetate
qou, v.	to shout
qou, v .	to hunt
qou-qkû, v.	to go on a hunt
qou, v.	to complain
qou-qousa, adj.	sorrowful
qoû, v.	to expeet
qoû-ei, v.	to hope
qôu-eis, s.	hope
qoû-ba, v.	to wait for
qonka, adv.	outside .
qoukap, s.	the outside
qous, s.	a shout
qous, s.	a complaint
qôus, s.	an expectation
qora-am, v .	to reward, to retaliate
qora-ams, s.	a reward, retaliation
qorabep, s.	a bush-louse
qoras, s.	a daughter-in-law
qorip, s.	a bowl, or wooden trough
qos, s.	a hatehet
qû, v.	to feed, to graze
qua, prep.	to, towards
qua, v.	to meet
qua-qkû, v.	to go to meet
qua, v.	to mourn
qua-am, v.	to reward
qua-ams, s.	a reward
quagu, adv.	opposite to

quap, s. quâs, s. qua-taras, s. qua-zanas, s. qui, v. quia, adv. quiam-xaip, s. qûi, v. qûi-aup, s. quis, s. qûis, s. qûi-sin, v. qubus, s. qububisin, v. gum, v. qumi, s. qum-eis, s. qum-qarus, s. quni, s. quri, adj. quri-quri, v. qus, s. qhai, v. ghai, v. qhai-be, v. qhaibi, adv. qhaibi-qna, v. qhaip, s. qhau, v. qhaup, s. qhânp, s. qhaus, s. qhau-qnas, s. qhabup, s. qhana, v. qhanap, s. qhana-khoip, s. qhanuï, s.

sorrow, mourning a hare a widow a song of sorrow to become evening late, in the evening the afternoon to watch, to herd cattle a watcher, a herdsman an evening a watch to beware, take care an egg to wallow to push a hand a palm the wrist the elbow white to whiten the forehead to make haste to chase, to gallop to drive away quickly to shake a rat to call by shouting a bank of rock a leathern thong a nation a tribe, a family a bee to murmur a garden, an enclosed field a gardener

mucus

to despise, neglect

qhara, v. qhara-ghu, v. qhara-vui, v. qharap, s. qharip, s. qho, v. qhous, s. ghoba, ghobas, s. ghobasin, v. qhobasins, s. qhon, v. qhonsin, v. qhop, s. ghora, adj. ghorap, s. qhorop, s. qhoro-ckap, s. qhoro-vkous, s. qhoros, s. ghos, s. qhu, v. qhua, v. ghuagus, s. qhûa-qliua, v. qhû, v. ghû-xari, v. qhû-vka, v. qhuip, s. qhui-vkhuru, v. qhumi, s. qhuni, adj. qhup, s. ghu-khau, v. ghu-khaus, ghu-khau-ghus, s. ghu-ckhus, s. qhu-cnamsis, s.

to abuse, revile to strain ont neglect, disrespect to mock, to ridicule a quail to return a return to repent repentance to kneel to bow down mockery, ridicule lame lameness wheat straw, chaff a corn measure an ear of corn an hatclet. to bark to converse conversation to bend to tie in a knot to bind together to shake a wild peacock to bleed a seal vellow the earth to dig, to excavate an excavation, a mine a spade, a plough an earthquake worldly mindedness

qhu-qkhup, 3.	a landlord
qhuri, v.	to frighten, to terrify
qhuri-qhurisa, adj.	frightful
qhuri-qkhai, v.	to faint
qhuri-qkhais, s.	a fainting fit
qhuriï, s.	a fright
qhûrop, s.	an owl
qhurudup, s.	the jaguar
qka-xkhâp, s.	the new moon
qkâ, v.	to listen
qkâ-ei, v.	to listen
qkai, v.	to tie, to hire
qkai-ei, v.	to tie upon
qkai-eis, s.	a bandage
qkai-mei, v.	to tie up, to fasten
qkai-meis, s.	a fastening
qkai-cgei, v.	to tie fast
qkai-xabo, v .	to tie fast
qkai-xari, v.	to tie together
qkai-qua, v.	to string a bow
qkaisap, s.	a hired servant
qkâi, adj.	good
qkâip, s.	good, pleasure
qkâi-qo, adj.	blessed, happy
qkâi-qop, s.	blessedness
qkâi-qkâi, v.	to appease, satisfy
qkâia-vkau, v.	to rejoice
qkâia-vkaup, s.	joy
qkau, v.	to cut
qkau-qa, v.	to cut asunder
qkau-vkhu, v.	to cut in pieces
qkâu, v.	to ford a river, to cross over
qkâu-daup, s.	a bridge
qkâu-daus, s.	a ford
qkaus, s.	eircumcision
qkaba, v.	to look upon
qkabakas, s.	a leathern bottle
qkari-au-qkams, s.	a night snake

qkabi, v.	to ride
qkam, v.	to kill
qkami, v.	to marry
qkamis, s.	a marriage
qkams, s.	a killing, murder
qkani, v.	to bruise
qkanip, s.	a footpath
qkanu, prep.	through
qkanup, s.	a bracelet
qkans, s.	the chin
qkap, s.	poison
gkâp, s.	a back
qkari, adj.	hard, hardy, strong, brave
qkarip, s.	strength, hardiness, bravery
qkariku, s.	rocks
qkarise, adj.	hardly
qkarup, s.	a pack-ox
qkaru-khup, s.	a chameleon
qkeis, s.	a puff-adder
qkou, v.	to leave a portion of anything, to
	be in excess
qkou, v .	to throw down
qkôu, v.	to erucify
qkougu, v.	to wrestle
qkougus, s.	wrestling
qkôus, s.	crucifixion
qkorip, s.	a zebra
qkû, v.	to go
qkû-u, v.	to conduct, to take along
qkû-be, v.	to go away
qkû-ghu, v.	to depart, to forsake
qkû-khoip, s.	a traveller
qkû-ma, v.	to walk about
qkû-qari, v.	to depart for good
qkû-qna, v.	to go to meet
qkû-vua, v.	to go out
qkû-vna, v.	to go astray
. qkua, v.	to crack a whip

qkuâ, v. gkuâ, ghu, v. qkubu, adj. qkum, adj. qkum-qkum, v. qkum-quoro, adv. qkum-qnoro-qkû, v. gkum-vêi, r. qkum-vêis, s. qkum-ei-gu, adj. qkunkip, s. qkuri, adj. qkuri-qkuri, v. qkurip, s. qkurise, adv. qkurisip, s. qgais, s. qgaban, s. qgabi, v. qgabigha, adj. qgabip, s. qgam, adj. qgam-qgam, v. qgam-qgamsius, s. qgam-qkâ, v. qgami, v. qgami-vnup, s. qgamsin, v. qgamsis, s. qganu, v. qgara, v. qgarap, s. qgarasa, adj. qgarip, s. qgaru, adj. qgaru-qhup, s. ggâsin, v. ggasis, s.

to count. to despise round heavy to make heavy with the back turned towards one to walk away from any one to be anxious anxiety double a lizard high to elevate pride highly height the front dress worn by men a leathern bottle to scold, to rebuke, to upbraid peevish, cross a wave deep to humble humility to stoop to fold a Bundel Zwaart to humble one's self depth to cross a river to become thin leanness lean the Orange River waste, barren a wilderness

to recline, to lean against anything

servitude

qgei, v.	to kick
qgei, v.	to bewitch
qgei-aup, s.	a sorcerer
qgei-qkam, v.	to bewitch
qgo, v.	to bellow, to roar
qgoup, s.	an hyena
ggorop₄ s.	an ancle
qgubu, v.	to knock
qgum, v.	to blow
qgum-vhangu, v.	to blow back
qgums, s.	frost
qgumi, adj.	dumb
qgu-va, v.	to make a wedding feast
qgu-va-aup, s.	a bridegroom
qgurup, s.	thunder
qgurus, s.	a quiver
qkha, v.	to stick
qkha-xai, v.	to stick together
qkhai, adj.	dark
qkhai-qkhai, v.	to darken
qkhaip, s.	darkness
qkhaus, s.	an hippopotamus
qkham, v.	to fight
qkhams, s.	a fight
qkhani, s.	an eland
qkhari-qkho, v.	to be drunk
qkharu, v.	to snort
qkhei, v.	to be cold ·
qkhêi, v.	to order, to command, forbid
qkhĉi-khums, s.	a commandmeut
qkheip, s.	cold
qkheip, s.	an handkerchief
qkho, v.	to catch
qkho-deba, v.	to hold back
qkho-ckara, v.	to restrain
qkho-ckha, v.	to touch, retain
qkko-qua, v.	to receive, accept
qkhou, adj.	mad

qkhou-qkhou, v. qkhoup, s. qkhousa, s. gkhorop, s. qkhui, v. qkhui-vna, v. qkhûi, v. gkhubis, s. qkhuma-vui, v. gkhumap, s. qkhuni, s. qkhup, s. qkhusasi, adj. qkhusip, s. qna, prep. quâ, v. qnâ-qnâ, v. qna-qkasi, adv. quâ-vamsi, adv. qnai, v. qnâi, v. qnais, s. qnau, v. qnaup, s. qnaus, s. qnaba, v. quabap, s. quabas, s. qnabi, v. qnabi, v. quabi, v. qnabigha, adj. quabighase, adv. qnakâ, adv. qnami, s. gnami-vka, v. qnani, adj. qnani-disi, adj.

to madden, to enrage madness wild, shy, timid limestone to run to go astray to be pregnant a pond to tumble out eanis megalotes a seam a lord or master richly lordship, wealth to exceed to exceed sideways excessively to be born, to happen to blow a birth to load a load a bench to patch, to mend a patch a rhinosceros to shake to beckon to be sober, watchful sober, watchful soberly, watchfully below a side to invest six

sixty

quani-ca, adj. sixteen to steal quari, v. a thief qnari-aup, s. quarin, s. hail quap, s. the stomach, the interior of anything quas, s. a turn a giraffe queip, s. a giraffe chase quei-qhais, s. to be silent quo, v. qno-qno, v. to silence qnosa, adj. silent qnozisi, adv. silently qnou, v. to make haste qnoubi, adv. quiekly qnou-xkuaka, adv. early in the morning quoup, s. red elay qnona, adj. three quona-disi, adj. thirty qnona-ca, adj. thirteen three at a birth qnona-egi, s. the third qnona-xeî, adj. a toad quos, s. far quu, adj. to stumble quuâ, v. qnuap, s. a porcupine quubu, adj. short quubu-quubu, v. to shorten quubusi, adv. shortly quumap, s. a root quumip, s. the leprosy quunup, s. a ridge quurise, adv. often quurup, s. an outery qnusi, adv. far, distant.

V.

va, v.

va-aup, s.

to slaughter a butcher

vâns, s. a sweet berry vau, v. to paste up vaba, adj. burst vama, prep. upon to bruise vam, v. vam-hâ, adj. bruised vamkus, s. a roof the top of anything vams, s. vam-qnas, s. the crown of the head van, v. to know van-van, v. to inform vanbasin, v. to take care vanibi, adv. purposely, wilfully knowledge vans, s. saliva vap, s. vap, s. a reed, an arrow vara, v. to spit vari, adj. burst varis, s. a tail vêi, v. to think vêi-vêi, v. to remember, to remind vei-vêisin, v. to remember, to recollect vêi-vêisins, s. a collection veip, s. copper vêis, s. thought a foot veis, s. the sole of the foot vei-quap, s. vei-qna-xkui, v. to put under foot vi, v. to rise vo, adj. narrow vo, adj. salt vobo, adj. lukewarm, blunt vou, adj. vou-vou, v. to tame, to appease meek vou-qua, adj. vou-quasis, s. meckness vôu, adj. enough, sufficient vôu-vou, v. to satisfy vôusasi, adv. enough, sufficiently

vû, v.	to eat
vû-ma, v.	to feed
vua, v.	to go out
vuap, s.	a going out, departure
vua-ghu, v.	to leave, to go out from
vûï, s.	food
vum, v.	to sew
vum-am-qkas, s.	a seam
vum-xnaus, s.	an awl
vumgha, adj.	sleepy, slow, tedious
vums, s.	sleep
vûnap, s.	a glutton
vunip, s.	a worm
vup, s.	the nature or essence of anything
vuru, adj.	healthy, well
vuru-vuru, v.	to restore to health, to heal
vha, v.	to push
vha-khau, v.	to push on, to instigate
vha-vui, v.	to push out
vha-xna, v.	to push off
vhâ, v.	to need, to be in want
vhâ-eisins, s.	eare, anxiety, distress
vha-vhaba, adj.	flat, level
vhaba, adj.	broad
vhabap, s.	breadth
vhabusin, v.	to fall out by the way
vhâgha, <i>adj</i> .	needy
vham, v.	to overleap
vhan, v.	to ereep, to shrink
vhani, v.	to hinder, to obstruct
vhansin, v.	to plague or torment one's self
vhanu, adj.	straight, right, just
vhanu-vhanu, v.	to administer justice
vhanu-vhanu-aup, s.	a judge
vhanup, s.	justice, rectitude
vhanusi, adv.	justly, rightly
vhâp, s.	want, need
vhei, v.	to appear

vhei-vhei, v.	to reveal
vheisa, adj.	clear, manifest
vheisasi, adv.	clearly
vhi, v.	to hurt, to injure
vhî-qkâu, v.	to cross over
vhîrap, s.	a wolf
vhira-caisini, s.	a pestilence
vhop, s	the uterus of an animal
vhobibi, v.	to tickle
vhou, adj.	whose, perfect
vhou-qna, adj.	upright, perfect
vhou-qnap, s.	uprightness, perfection, sincerity
vhou-qnasi, adv.	perfectly, righteously
vhou-qna-disin, v.	to appear righteous, to assume rectitude
vhou-vhou, v.	to make level
vhoup, s.	cow-dung
vhonap, s.	a branch
vhua, adj.	blue
vhûa, v.	to inform, to report, to tell the
	news
vhûas, s.	the news, a report
vhûa-vkhanis, s.	a newspaper
vhubi, v.	to burn
vhubis, s.	a conflagration
vhumi, s.	a locust
vhums, s.	a swarm of locusts
vka, adj.	bald
vka, v.	to plant
vka-am, v.	to accuse
vka-ams, s.	an accusation
vka-am-qnap, s.	a bridle
vka-mêi, v.	to fix
vka-qau, v .	to yoke oxen
vka-qnâ, <i>adj</i> .	shallow
vka-vgui, v.	to pierce the nostril
vka-ghun, v.	plants
vkâ, v.	to go in, enter
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vkågha, v.	to come in
vkā-daus, s.	a door, an entrance
vkai, v.	to pull, to draw
vkai-garu, v.	to stretch
vkai-vui, v.	to undress
vkai-vhabu, v.	to lead astray
vkai-vka, v.	to dress
vkai-xkui, v.	to stretch one upon the ground
vkai-xna, v.	to pull down
vkai, v.	to smoke
vkaip, s.	a leaf
vkais, s.	a box, the ear
vkairap, s.	an ear-ring
vkau, v.	to wish, to desire
vkaup, s.	a heart
vkama, adj.	brown
vkan, v.	to ask, to beseech
vkan, v.	to shut
vkana, prep.	within
vkan-am, v.	to shut
vkan-am-ghus, s.	a key
vkan-ei, v.	to eover
vkan-eis, s.	a cover
vkan-qkâ, adj.	sceret, concealed
vkan-qkâsis, s.	secresy, a mystery
vkan-qkâsi, adv.	mysteriously
vkan-vkai, adj.	deaf
vkap, s.	baldness
vkap, s.	a plain
vkap, s.	a precipiee, a well
vkarop, s.	a footpath, a lane
vkâsis, s.	an entrance
vkei, v.	to call
vkei-ei, v.	to reproach
vkei-cis, s.	a reproach
vkei-chu, v.	to call together
vkei-vui, v.	to challenge
vkei-vuis, s.	a challenge

vko, v. to give place, to avoid a missile vkona, v. to beg vkonap, s. a beggar a skin to lie upon vkuap, s. vkui, adj. many vkui-vnubis, s. a multitude vkui-vkui, v. to multiply to believe vkum, v. vkum-vkumsa, adj. credible, trustworthy faith vkums, s. vkuru, adv. first the first vkurup, s. marrow, a marrow-bone vgaip, s. whole, entire vgou, adj. to heal vgou-vgou, v. vgou-vgou-aup, s. a physician vgoup, s. health vgobrop, s. an ant vguap, s. clay vguas, s. mud vguip, s. the nose vgubirup, s. an ant vkha, v. to resist, to oppose vkhâ-vkharu, adj. steep (in ascent) vkhå-qna, v. to quicken, support, strengthen vkhagus, s. opposition vkhaba, adj. wicked, evil wickedness vkhabap, s. vkhabasi, adv. wrong, improperly vkhabis, s. a cushion or pillow vkhabu, adj. weak weakness, imbecility vkhabup, s. vkhabu-vkhabu, v. to weaken . vkhabusi, adv. weakly vkham, adj. young vkham-khoip, s. a youth vkham-vkham, v. to make young vkhamsis, s. youth

vkhanis, s.	a book, letter
vkhani-xkha-xkha-aup, s.	a scribe
vkhann, adj.	smooth
vkhanu-vkhanu, v.	to smoothen
vkharap, s.	a whale
vkharap, s.	a testicle
ykhari, v.	to slip
vkhari, adj.	small
vkharip, s.	smallness
vkharise, adv.	a little
vkhari-vkhari, v.	to lessen, to minify
vkhei, v.	to be awake
vkhei-vkhei, v.	to awaken
vkei-heri-hâ, v.	to remain awake
vkhei-xaip, s.	a night-watch
vkhî, v.	to be at peace
vkhî-vkhî, v .	to pacify
vkhî-qna, v.	to be content
vkhî-qnasis, s.	contentment
vkhîgha, adj.	peaceful, quiet
vkhîp, s.	peace
vkhobap, s.	a bush louse
vkho-vkho, v.	to liken, to speak a parable
vkho-vkho, s.	a parable, a comparison
vkhou, v.	to smear, to anoint
vkhos, s.	a bone
vkhu, v.	to tear, to destroy, to lay waste
vkhuap, s.	an elephant
vkhua-xkûp, s.	ivory
vkhubi, v.	to make a noise
vkhubip, s.	a noise
vkhum, v.	to shave
vkhum, adj.	sweet
vkhum-vkhum, v.	to sweeten
vkhuni, s.	sweetness
vkhuns, s.	the brain
vkhurup, s.	a vein .
vna, v.	to dry

vna, v.	to kiek, to dance
vná, v.	to pour
vnâ-ei, v.	to pour upon
vnâ-ghu, v.	to pour from
vnâ-mu, v.	to baptise
vnâ-mus, s.	baptism
vnâ-quâ, v.	to pour into
vnâ-vui, v.	to pour out
vuabu, v.	to move about
vnabus, s.	a dove
vnabusin, v.	to move one's self about
vnam, v.	to whistle
vnami, s	a splinter
vnams, s.	a skin blanket, a kaross
vnam-soua, s.	fine weather
vnan, v.	to look around
vnanis, s.	a reed pipe, a flute
vnani-vnou, v.	to play the flute
vnani-churu-aup, s.	one that plays the flute
vnaru, adj.	quieted, subdued
vnasa, adj.	dry
vneip, s.	a turtle dove
vnou, v.	to beat, to flog
vnou-qa, v.	to break in pieces
vnou-qan, v.	to beat to death
vnou-qkam, v.	to kill by beating
vnou-vkhu, v.	to beat so as to draw blood
vnou-xam, v.	to wound
vnou-xna, v.	to start.
vnougus, s.	boxing
vnoup, s.	a stroke
vnu, adj.	black
vnu-ghua-qkâ, adj.	black, with white stripe along the
	back
vnû, v.	to sit down
vnû-ei-quaus, s.	a bench
vnû-eu, v.	to choke
vnua, v.	to throw, shoot, cast

vnua-gho, v. to box the ear, to strike on the face a box on the ear vnua-ghop, s. viiua-ho, v. to hit vnua-kaka, v. to shot to pieces vnua-sa, v. to miss vuua-xkui, v. to knock or shoot down to strive, to quarrel vnnagu, v. strife vnuagus, s. to bring together vnubi, v. vnubi-khâi, v. to heap up vnubis, s. a multitude vnûi, v. to place vnuî-ei, v. to set before vnuî-qkhuni, v. to interpret, to translate, to transvnuî-qkhunis, s. translation, transposition vnuîsa, adj. withered, palsied vnumku, s. coals.

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to wash xa, v. to baptise xa-xna, v. baptism xa-xnas, s. one that baptizes xa-xna-aup, s. xà, adj. sated xa, v. to love xai, v. to be concerned xaiku, prep. between in the midst xaikup, adv. time xaip, s. a feast xaûs, s. thread, a sinew xabap, s. to box the face xabu, v. to pant xagi-xa, v. to clap hands xam, v.

xama, v.	to buy
xama-eis, s.	barter, trade
xama-ghu, v.	to sell
xama-ghu-qkheis, s.	a market
xama-qkhuni, v.	to give in exchange
xama-vui, v.	to redeem
xama-vuis, s.	redemption, a ransom
xamasa, adj.	damp
xamasap, s.	dampness
xan, adj.	ripe, done
xan-oms, s.	an oven
xandama, adj.	unripe, raw
xan, v.	to dwell, to inhabit
xan-qkheis, s.	a place of abode
xan-vkâ, v.	to occupy a place
xani-xkû, v.	to gnash the teeth
xara, v.	to shorten
xari, adv.	to-morrow, yesterday
xari, adj.	the left
xaru, v.	to go home
xaru,	spotted
xås, s.	love
xei, v.	to churn
xei-xhois, s.	a churn
xeigha, v.	to be angry
xeip, s.	anger
xeîp, pron.	he
xêis, pron.	she
xêi, pron.	it
xêi-xheis, s.	a weed
xo, v.	to die
xou, v.	to wait, tarry
xou, adj.	vain, useless
xôus, s.	a feast
xousi, adv.	for nothing
xoubi, adv.	almost
xoup, s.	a fish
xou-qkho-aup, s.	a fisherman
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xop, s.	death
xori, v.	to plague, tease, commit sin
xori-aup, s.	a sinner
xorip, s.	sin
xua, v.	to kiss
xuap, s.	a kiss
xuâp, s.	an arm
xuii, s.	a cough
xmip, s.	wealth, treasure
xui-quaus, s.	a throne
xum, v.	to sleep
xums, s.	sleep
xurikip,	an ape
xha, v.	to chop
xha-qno, v.	to chop through, to cut a way
	through
xha-vui, v.	to chop out
xha-xna, v.	to chop off
xha-xna-dana, v.	to behead
xhai-eip, v.	a shooting pain
xharakap, s.	a bustard
xhas, s.	a chopping
xhas, s.	the womb
xhei, v.	to flee
xhei-ghu, v.	to flee from
xhei-vua, v.	to escape
xheî, v.	to cast a dart
xhêi-kuâs, s.	an assegai
xhois, s.	a wooden vessel
xhou, v.	to bind
xhou-xhon, v.	to hook on
xhou-omi, s.	a prison
xhuap, s.	a cave
xhuhâ, v.	to be torn
xhuï, s.	a rend or tear
xhûi-vui-basin, v.	to choose
xka, adj.	thin
xka, v.	to wrap round the neck

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xkai, v. to chew to mimic xkai, v. xkaisi, adj. ugly to spoil, to destroy xkau, v. xkau-xkau, v. to devastate xkâu-ap, s. the devil xkaus, s. destruction xkâu, v. to form a village xkâus, s. a village or town xkabop, s. a wing a tear xkamrop, s. to fetch water xkama, v. xkams, s. water to be without water xkam-o, v. xkam-caisini, s. the dropsy xkana, v. to give cattle water at a well a camel thorn-tree xkanas, s. meat, flesh xkans, s. to sift xkara, v. to drag xkara, v. a shoulder xkarap, s. xkêi, v. to press xkêibasin-heis, s. a walking-stick to shew xkou, v. instruction xkous, s. xkon, v. to move xkon-xkon, v. to disturb a finger or toe-nail, a claw xkorop, s. to dawn xkua, v. xkua-xkaunis, s. the morning star to descend xkuâ, v. xkuâgha, v. to come down xkuap, s. a spoon xkuâp, s. the knee xhuasi, conj. then xkui, v. to lie down xkui-vui, v. to explain xkui-vuis, s. an explanation xkui-xna, s. to put off

vkůn a	a anninghuale
xkûp, s. xkûp, s.	a springbuck a tooth
xkûp, s.	a father
xkûs, s.	a mother
xkûï, 8.	a parent
xkûzi-xkubip, s.	a frog
xgans, s.	a storm or tempest
xgamabip, s.	a beetle
xgari, v.	to persuade, to urge
xgaruï, s.	a hollow place upon the face of a rock
xgarus, s.	a leather pouch
xgu, v.	to force, compel
xgubi, v.	to stir
xgurip, s.	a moth
xkha, v.	to be able
xkha, adj.	the same
xkha-xkha, v.	to teach
xkha-xkhap, s.	instruction
xkha-xkha-aup, s.	a teacher
xkha-xkha-ckûap, s.	a pupil
xkhai, v.	toturn
xkhai-unu, v.	to turn around
xkhai-uwa, v.	to turn back
xkhai-vkau, v.	to comfort
xkhai-vkaus, s.	consolation
xkhaip, s.	the breast
xkhaisi, adj.	eight
xkhaisi-disi, adj.	eighty
xkhaisi-ca, adj.	eighteen
xkhaisi-xêi, adj.	eighth
xkhaisin, v.	to repent
xkhaisins, s.	repentance
xkhaup, s.	a lamb
xkhâu, v.	to shoot
xkhâu-xna, <i>v.</i>	to rob, to carry off booty, by force
xkhâu-xna-aup, s.	a robber, a marauder
xkhau-xhû, s.	a species of lizard
xkhaba, adv.	again
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xkhamap, s.	the hartebeest, antelope
xkhami, v.	to grind
xkhami-cuis, s.	a mill stone
xkhamis, 8.	a mill
xkhan, v.	to hate
xkhaus, s.	hatred
xkhâp, s.	the moon
xkhara, v.	to punish
xkharap, s.	punishment
xkhi, v.	to pinch
xkheis, s.	a fever
xkho, v.	to bury
xkhou, v.	to take captive, to seize
xkhou-oms, s.	a prison, a place of confinement
xkhora, v.	to determine, to push
xkhos, s.	a burial
xkhua, v.	to be able
xkhuâ, adj.	hot
xkhuadama, adj.	bad, weak
xkhoba, v.	to open
xkhui, v.	to miss, to find wanting
xkhuis, s.	a barrier, a fortification
xkhums, s.	the stomach
xkumgha, v.	to be pregnant
xkhunap, s.	the summer
xkhunip, s.	a tiger
xkhurup, s.	the bladder
xkhuru-xop, s.	the gravel
xkhuruzi-khubip, s.	a chameleon
xkhus, s.	a mimosa tree
xkhus, s.	a thorn
xna, prep.	that
xna, v.	to fall
xna-ei, v.	to fall upon
xna-vam, v.	to attack
xna-xkui, v.	to fall down, to fall prostrate
xnâ, v.	to leave
xnâ-ghu, v.	to forsake
xna-amaka, adv.	therefore
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xna-ei, adv.	thither
xnai, v.	to sing
xnais, s.	a singing
xnai-zanas, s.	a song, hymn
xnâu, v.	to hear
xnâu-cnam, v.	to be obedient
xnâu-enams, s.	obedience
xnâu-qa, v.	to understand
xnâu-qas, s.	understanding, comprehension
xnaba, adv.	there
xnaba-ghu, adv.	thenee
xnaba-ei, v.	to fan
xnaban-ei, v.	to fan one's self
xnadi, adv.	such
xnadikosi, adv.	so much
xnadimisi, adv.	thus, so
xnam, v.	to wait
xnam, v.	to embrace
xnama, v.	to warn, to exhort
xnan, adj.	straight
xnasin, v.	to repose in confidence, to trust one's self to another
xnap, s.	a horn .
xnasip, s.	the iguana
xnign, v.	to contend
xnigu-aup,	an enemy
xnei, adv.	then
xno-qhama, adj.	steep (in descent)
xnora, v.	to plague
xnua, s.	a snare
xnuâp, s.	the diaphragm
xnuîï,	string of beads, worn by women round the loins
xnuip, s.	tallow, dripping
xnurip, s.	a cousin
xnuris, s.	a consin
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xnusin, v.

to rub against anything.







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