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ma kwas bear
matu k' tree (sing)
nawe' come (sing)
nīmanau man
xanam woman, wife
kox thy father (x almost voiceless)
koxna our (incl) father
dTau dog
tu'E wolf
 kui cow
na niokus horse
wikum house
mbai water
makwa bear, maxwash bears
san stone danan pl.
xekan khife
 noxna my father or our father
nox father (case of address)
nīmanau man
paxanum woman paxanumak women spammuk high up (ktamanbamse nin/ we have just been walking
kikipus whicken
ptatus potato
ckýnonan corn
tenpenTken wagon(something whirling)
damīka' come in (sing.&plu)
ktainamansin how are you
motikanewak Stockbridgesmatam (running water)
 kmatsun your pipe
   Lucius Dick can tell if any one speaks Brothertown
 p'akikwatawitk winotai hull corn basket
 kwitcimo duck
 war oggs warwan
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pso 2 pautra (W. D. makwan wampe Omeida - good water damõ e leud me dame on leud you ræseâm hit I can sta angest I can't (dameon seur que

and excl we will thou Le, she They are 17/ Intrans. m., n--man k-man k-R-mans 4, - u, -- wak m-gake R-R mel MSCHE wind Thu R-m K- noma non h - an u - awân m-ana k-ana k-an 月-五元か u-an u-an u-an m--an uf se nava v- onawa u - ân -ank u-ano it w - an - amak -ān their u - ama nawa n- an a wa they - Co then - anawa M - nawa They intrans obviation 8 - a na wa put. n- a nava They u- awan double u-awan - nawan o - o nawa nawa. - awan

3- the similarly.

Jetwon fl. excl + incl. show at once that
Stockbridge does not belong blooky to Natick.

Ment two agree with my Munoie, + Delawordwe incl + exel - him nearest my Delawore
but I - him, than - him aganst Munoce of
Delawore. w is 3 - then aw.

ye-me alone. Dinelly Stockbridge.

Result: Stockbridge can not be classified as a mere adjunct to Natick or Munsee-Delaware. Nevertheless There are some distinct fromth of contact with both groups as compared to other Algongian dialects.

Shokli dge dinne Aquitte Quinney sabout I mile book of Noch bridge John E. M. D. 10 years & ten went & Kanson Pect 708 E. M. Dick Butherton formant. 1832 in Brittertes the Dulian Sold women arout 180 min went Minnesots 25 fregete altotalel

August 3d Keshena, Wis. Told by Sot Quinney

(Jameson Quinney right name).

There was a young man who wanted to be a great man; and he was told, "You will have to be a great hinter first." And he went out hunting; and he hunted for a long while. But he could get no game. And travelling through the wood he came to a thorn apple tree. There he found a partridge And he was going to shoot that partidge. And he saw the partidge was eating thorn-apples. And the partidge spoke to him, he asked him what he wanted."I want to be a great hunter." The partage said, "I will help you to be one. "He said to him, "You go and hide in the brush a little while." He went as the partidge g had told him to do, and in a little while a deer came along. The deer said to the partidge, " How do you get those thorn apples? " he said, " I but that tree with my head. "He told the deer to go way back, so far, and that he mus run and but the tree with his head. The deer ran and struck the tree and broke his neck. The the partidge called this Indian . The Indian came and took the deer away. And he hid again. Then a bear came along. The bear said to the partidge, "How do you get such a good fruit?" The partidge said, " I climb into the top of the treef." And he told the bear, "If you want the best of the fruit, you climb into the top of the tree. " So the bear went up, and he ate so many the thorn apples that he could not get down. And the partidge called the Indian He told him, "Here's some bear for you; take him away and kill him". He took the bear away as he had been told. And the partidge said to the Indian, "You must not ki I partridges, for they are your best friends. From now on you wi will be a great hunter."

ang 4 S. P. 1's owl They to, ly lor. D. Raxétaña'a ma ekañeu mana'm jour utañetaan a longtime agi thustock widge mdian thought more wak' mdan teit so sah' that the animals and birds the direct oiga tamá má ma man pau ádvaat mhat they wanted and the main use. Thresha mana" fram utanétaan mkakwai
and the Indian substitute throught portion that they
teet as sak am wikatet undar meteetet
birds and lived and eat
men hom en trakersona" 1 knema uputawan
a elu what trusmohed and then they heard foksus teenwar auman aike untime än an out, host old man has seen m Eksasan ktank kt cas månt. kneå" men bowl to topmike and then neutón mistak odán tapak ne utánaan. kætæ ladjób kesteðu tekálmå". kr.
"now sinske good.

ndår wärk nand pak utantta 22 and again the Indians the believed
nawa mawe kakwai met Detat En tom
all what they ate or
teka Omänt nok tett susah ndår ant namesmoked the birds and animals
wak wika tamak.

May liked.

Sote Qinney informant. August 4th 1914.

A long while ago along the Hudson river the Stockbridge Indians lived there.

They planted corn and beans; and the women tended to the farming while the men were hunting. And some of them would go making baskets at different towns.

And during this time the Oneidacrenegade would come and watch these field.

Stockbridge women as they would come to the fields. And whenever they found any they would kill them, and cut their heads off, and hang them on poles or out in the field. And that would cause trouble. They would see the Oneida chiefs to make their peace good for the deeds these men had done. They would replace the women that they had killed. The Oneidas told them that they were to keep their word of peace good; that was why they had done this, a peace that had been made many years before between the Oneidas and Stockbridges.

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ang, 4 P. Story of Sote Quinner of Oakiduso Mohbridges translated int Stockbridge to William Dick. Neavyotwak' makwak' ndar maigidane yak.

theward fight Omeidas and Streklridges.

Kawak' nemakwak' otce manawa ma ze kaneak'
a Longwhile og the oneidas called the Phekhridges

mamabak'. Kaxwak' aike wetce nák' wa-Shugeons anumbe option und to go together a great me with preparate teak. Garnan aike kaxwak was hunting always meanwhile a number an månak ndar paxan mak onakanonawa old men and women they left them wéketet, kninne møkwad okutan at home and the Oneidas wented to airjot wa na wa ne na pawa, kne ni na iwe to fight Indians and then down thome mena pak onawi onawd makwak thome the Indians the Indians. fråskt némonan ukut cemonar taktar. kné ovak namébak ngwénawa na soding we are going sturgeon to hunt knené måte kané we utcolar utena na wa. Knine utputavan nawa nipak. Kni and then they heard them comay ona.

friskt uskeno neutor skår tamak newetet; Rnéma mtakwegok ntoné ket nau he nau mit he nau watcan utenón mok pepmatet. Kné ne sethat he contitue them and second hunter and the and the one das come these and they dagged then and no wan no was nep anomak nodan wan ve vad. I away make man wan ve and children nodar une no na ma ma mak. I and they killed all thought men. knine måkvak uten övanå nåva and the oneides toose them into treketet måtcåm stå-åmfiskwatet. trei homes Knewa E nestré no neuton not ma é é ka-and a youngemen went to the Stockbrieges newi pépmå" tet aige tet, kneutanén manekakere andigute. Kné åmpokur-att everything "that happened and then all went

tet kné und mitanáwa máwé kékétors and then sour all their
tet takákere ne tawé, majár paxán mak'
homes with nothing their and their were
ndan wan letak stata. Kné ne were
and their talked Tamanáha tönin ám dém nom náva about whether to how the shall der notcom aigst wawe. nden stå walvertanava kaxwagat knemá vé némanau howany true vere and all men polskun skamóners neutá tan. Kné one com Regust there and takwana katéta poewé po é san skamó-When they were finished half bushel com nar nætava. kné kësaspiwa kë wasthere and thought really watcam aiyo twatetak. kné ne utam naha orthat that could fight and the went him måkvak wiketet krefumuskama nåva Oneidas when they lived and they found the nike makwak naxa maxikanan oneidas tora vighouses -

Knt kaxwak nemanan and a few men ndån umuska wär a awa nok atonitak c had made, nda me kak and they found there and wind pelak. Knéma néma. benta pan mak nace utce peneve nand påna ukutcimen nær fram different Indians skatte klana næn, kakwai ikatte ktanminka. katte en né na nte not k sa é sou a de-X kt k' néaiké utanénéwa nawa néé makwak'. kné aigotowak nětáně, kné utám pokuvaná nowé and they onght right there and they then tack upa xánmě mok ndán ván dédak. Knéma their women and children and pust Køter und taawa n kan swe Tamanawa mike then then then then there want of a k not will in pina, sat sa wat exkoka ke.

Stringering and Rattle snakes

wante katar une taak an te katar wan kamawe's just non then then known in the nonThe fight between the Oneidas and the Stockbridges

A long while ago the Oneidas called the Stockbridges "Sturgeons". And they use to go hunting in bands a longs ways off. And in the meanwhile they only left a few old people in the camps; and the Oneidas were on the war path to fight the Indians; and in going down the river the people saw the Oneidas. A man asked them where they were going. The said they were going to hunt sturgeon. In the meantime the friends of the Stockbridges told them. And they heard they coming . One young man went to the loor of his wigwam, and he saw the Oneidas coming. He ran into the country to tell the hunters. Then the Oneidas came and captured the women and children; and killed the aged ones. The Oneidas took them to their country to make prisoners of them. This young man when he came to where these Stockbridge Indian hunters were, told them what was being done. They cam e home and found their homes all desolate, and their families all gone. And they held a council of war. They could not number them by counting, so each put in a kernel of corn. When they got through there was a half bushel of that corn ( sack full). Then they got ready, prepared for war. And when they came into the Oneida country they found that they (the Oneidas) had three forts built. And their spies went in and found where those prisoners were. And there was a man from another tribe of Indians, asking them. "What are you going to do?" "We are going to kill the Rattlesnakes" . That was what the Oneidas were called. Then they fought there, and recaptured their own people, men, women, and children. From then on they made peace with one another between the sturgeon and the rattlesnake; and have had peace ever since.

SQ's "An Indian story", translated by William Dick. Any 40 1914. Indian he toldit Nanå pau utoinavan vghte kawake påsko nonå" pan prépnia",
one onatime one Indian was hunting knéné upån sepisat neunámean kvétcemum and he came ta cruk. He saw a duck kné unantnán utaknán ndán upunán and he get his bow and Le shot knit tee mount of the meanain the duck so he could not get him Rwitcemwar, kni ne uton mbék, kni ne tu Duck and he went intribute and then di kwetter utcé name une namé dak "
liseutter were tilled with fisher." watcam nin mtuktan ne kakanak.
Hat it sticks markenan that held them. på Skun mtugut name nan ndan mse ta'an flew and hit nånk kták kwitcimo. Kné åmpokwan another duck pron the water deter interes tan manifork.

Reas and his clother trul of fishes.

phrous prés franthe. gnelfel me som com kné siå nmen skå monan "let us both ka menå na E gire him skåminam nen on tappa vikuan we gave him menå na ma ma skaminan ndan tappile. pret, compution. Ruga IN M. Dick kt se an dannt e prévé prosan madwante infoe oneida-good-natur patatasak . Informant S. Q. prtatres Ktaangesi dame on potatoes but sem pe se am 9 can't lend you dameon tappa" kwan lend you beaus. W. A. informant. Om Fowler, Hammung Brotherton Indians.
Edgar Lick
Lothrop Fowler

Sote Quinney informant. August 4th 1914.

An Indian Story

Once upon a time an Indian went hunting, and he came to a stream of water.

He saw a duck. He took his bow and arrow, and shot the duck. He could not get the duck; so he got into the water, and his pants got so full of fish that it broke the sticks that held them together. One part flew off and killed another duck. And when he came ashore he had two ducks, and his clothes full of fish.

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Tale narrated by Sot Quinney, Aug. 4, 1914.

ang .40 1914 S. 9's Story of one Stockbridge prisoners recaptured translated Kæxetana ine maxatsan De pok ne mareamany years along the Hudson river the Ftock bridge karin nanån post wikenāwan. ktak skamonan undians lived then. Meyplanted com ndån tupppå kirån, knë në k' pammak' ukaand beans and the women took

Xanawetanawa në kë an të watcam fisë
car of the field while they

nëm anak' pepmantet'. knë an men

men hunted. and then

Kaxwak newtitan na wa mdan mtakwe nooone often went and make baskets

tai yaak', penwe otanak'. Qa'e kë në
kaxwe different towns. and while they

ai ye tet makwawe matcene manau në uwert there oneidas tod man te Cane från ndar upånknavan non ma ékanewe ånd he watched the stockleridge frånma åneå pårtet keårtek ndan vonen while they came tithe field. and åmtcen mskavå'n E teta Ekntam une'End-whenever he tound them and then Rekilled wan, kneam utupan ukutsamavan, tun, and then their kings to cut off

kné ně wak odmawan antelkouk ké a ntek.

and Min te hung them on a stick inthefield.

kátce én ya Odam é yo twak kné o má wé
"Non then you will hante fight", and they all vent nameår wan madwawe maxé ne manau to su tho noida big man watce ân une ta divânkan unextat utce e nok mtce memanak an maiwañ kan.

tum bod men juin tuthin bod works.

a'm stane ya bkam en pasko panam utce fa"Wow then will have to one woman far woman
nam me ma tet. kne ma knak utena ma wa
whother katce uma san tamanawa uneta iyabkan en katce uma san tamanawa uneta i-Wanken, mé E o ne katci ista në ta ain a wa Itime
wanken, me E o ne katci ista në ta ain a wa Itime
mon thy will non they will think kné unetadiwan kan kisiktande utcene and peace was made for the makvak ndån mar i kar i ak. Oneidas and Stockbridges -

Sote Quin neys "an Indian hunting stry translated by William Rick ! any ,500 1914 Nanå spå we uta inowan dine story how they hunted Ngute kawak nanå pau sepman. Kné ne unar-one time an Indian washanting, and the kir yokkaman grittet witcawen. Wa'n' me mtukwegok' horse uit kutok him a greativage in the works Knine undkanon und myöklaman kni þépmanu. and the he left his horse and he huntig. Kné uninon jóg wan, Kninankawi magtene and Rekilled a dear after a white man maxkvan, kné pankvanan kaxvak hekilled abear and he shot ja ferr powamak. Ndan unamion Kaxwak powarniak pidgeons né utónuk utápenáwa. Kné mán káwe utoinéon almit ortting and anahitth white Minking

ta am tóne a'm men ndánaman water a'm men
howte shall do sv that

nók ktakak powa mák musnánk mávé.

there other pidgeons he could get all kné utanétaán nein uto an upánkwanta-and tithought of how, tulint his shot man. Kné upankwantaman mdan upástáman and ti shot a

nt utoran, neone umusnan ne sowa mak? tu limb tratsshow he get the pidgeons krefutenon n'ukaian, Katce nguxane to ndan and he said thinself "Now I have got a der and må kwa ndanwa'nk' neuto's on må we nok! a bear and that line all there forva mak åpetet. katce en ndanmade.

pidgeous where soit Non the I will grhome

Kné nitonon una nyotba man, menta tan

and he got his horse his horse he fout on

nkån we kanak molve änetat, Kné anambo.

a his back all hettilled and te went home. Kné annte mtukwekók anam Det na myökul and on hithwoods goinghome ttohorse késimsze Kau ndán unókéaytan uná wekan. fell down and Rebroke Lis back Knéwa frépmant mawekákwé utciené na emjók-and the hunter everything off the horse Ouk utceax maman. Kné upunawan nen utaban Letook it and be booked at the horse Kné unå me tam unöke å kman ne utå mækan.
and he sam, ke broke it his back

Kné utoineta Ean ton å n me uno tama wan
and he thought how he Re could telp him

ståna Kakwai am kese awaat. Kné utoinvcould not anything to see I to use and belooked Kvan Knt unameon nepedånkur. Kne unan-around and Lesar a tvillow and high t nån né népidankwan ndan ukantfinanian bi lodus and te tild na myökderke n'akai, snk sta una tamawan to horse body but not he helped na nyoktan Kne undkanån ndan anamto. kné motte Kaxwak késo ak wärk je pman. and after a few months and again to hunted. knima mave utoino kwan utce kakwi and the around he looked for something ån på kwå take, wå ne muke utoi nokwan A short along way, hetokul, kokwe å un åmi e tan amån ter ne nepëswesomitting he saw stanoved uiter bustes tok wankene itenia kvan kneunamean and again the booked and he saw na myöklet åt. Knéne utor påkveve a horse mas and the he went closely man and and the he went closely and his own his own hour

at Kawak na Kanant mtukwe kok noke an long ager left! in thowoods briken xak' ne utan wekan, indamme upan mepround te booked different because willows ne utanike nova ndan Kisamando. was growing there and he was well.

Sote Quinney informant. August 4th 1914

An Indian Hunting Story.

One time an Indian went hunting. He took his pony with him, a long way off in the woods. There he tied his pony and he went hunting He killed a deer, and after a while he killed a bear, and he shot some pidgeons. He saw some pidgeons on a limb of as tree. He was wondering how he could get them all! He thought of the plan of shooting the limb. He shot the end of the limb and split it; that's how he got his pidgeons. He said to himself, " I 've got a deer; I 've got a bear, and the limb with all the pidgeons. Now I will go home." So he went and got his pony; loaded his pony with game; and started for home. Going through the woods the pony fell and broke his back. The hunter then unloaded his pony. He found that his back was broken. He thought he could help him by tying him up. There was nothing for him to use. He looked around and saw a willow. He took that willow, and tied it around his pony's body. But it did not help the pony any to go home with his him. So he went home and left his pony there. After a time he went out hunting. In looking around for game, looking a long ways off, he saw something moving the brush. And he looked again; he saw it was a pony. And he went up near to it; and he saw it was his own pony that he had left in the woods with a broken back; and that he was walking around with a willow tree growing on him; aand he was well.

to is story of ang. 5 R. néona paské nemanau neuta'n metukvekte '
Neve was ou man went into the woods
ndan kutet poétau melik ka'a na bañéwé and bried to split atre it was hard

pså'an tane o'intanakat' ma'kur neupan

to split where was working a rear he come.

ma'kur ukuteema' nan nemanan Ka Kwai

tobea the man, 'what

ktana'ka nemana o ngutee namtuk psé'e ta' man

yondo man "Oh Jem tryng to by

to split et når tamawe knë nemanan upëtcënskën help me" and the man sport his hards in når då ko pleta e år dek mtrik maxkwan so far as it split the true, ben utenan Kyawank ne ktanaman Kné titoldh you two ar dothe same, sand må kva witci pet cinskan kni nima nau the bear together put his hands in and the man Rnocked memtigil nekakanuk ne poéknocked the stick which held it the offit
we odan ktoeprawa kne ne ma kwan
part and it come out and the bear umusnår neuskantan ne mtugwik.

w. Di a formant Ang 5. There was a mon who went in the woods t afslit a log which ofslit very herd. White doing or, a. bear come along and raid," What are you doing? I am trying to split This log . You help one. The man fort his hands into the split fourt of the log. He tild the bear to do the some, The bear took a light hold way down deepa: The bear did so, and the man procked the wedge, which held the log open, out, and caught the bear's francis in log and had him fist.

There was a man who went in the woods to split a log which split very hard.

While doing so a bear came along and said, "Waht are you doing!"

"I am trying to split this log. You help one?" The man put his hands into the split part of the log. He told the bear to do the same. The bear took a light hold on the edge. The man told him, "Put your paws a way down deeper." The bear did so, and the man knocked the wedge, which held the log open, cut; and caught the bear's paws in log and had him fast.

Tale narrated by Sot Quinney, August, 1914.

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Notes consist mainly of vocabularies with small amounts of data on the history, population, and racial composition of the tribe and brief notes on persons who knew the language. A few words were collected from a Brotherton informant. The Stockbridge texts include strict interlineal translations and separate free translations. Speck's copies of the notes are in an order different from Michelson's originals. They are incomplete, in part because Speck omitted some vocabulary items when informants agreed as to their form. Speck's material also includes a copy of the report on Michelson's work in Explorations and Field Work of the Smithsonian Institution, 1914, pp. 90-93 (1 p. typescript).

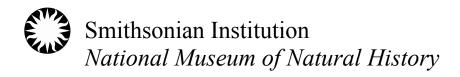
Informants: All Stockbridge texts by Jameson "Sot" Quinney: some translated by William Dick. Other informants include Lucius Dick (Brotherton), Edwin Miller, Alfred Miller, Sterling Peters, Agnus Butler, and Bernice Robinson.

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The microfilm of the manuscript includes the Speck copies only.

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