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Delaware (Nelson Moses)

leñ o, man.

leñ wa k', men.

u x k wä u, woman.

u x k wä wa k', women.

ami ment<sup>g</sup>, child.

ami ment<sup>g</sup> ak', children.

nu x wa, my father, father.

k u x wa, your father.

ko x wa k', your fathers.

na k' ma u } x wal, his father.

ko x<sup>w</sup> na (his, their) our father (inc).

no x<sup>w</sup> na, our father (exc.)

<sup>g</sup>) gi k', gi k' a', my mother. (clearly sonant g).

k i k', your mother. { k i k i k', that's your mother  
you  
n i g i k', that's my mother.

n x an t<sup>g</sup>, my older brother. (n i = g)

k i k x a n t<sup>g</sup>, that's your brother. (k i, you.)

n x e i m a t<sup>g</sup>, my younger brother, younger sister.

n i m i t<sup>g</sup>, my elder sister; k i m i t<sup>g</sup>, your older sister.

gwi t<sup>g</sup> a t<sup>g</sup>, my son. (n i gwi (u t<sup>g</sup>), that's my sister.  
(k i k w i i t<sup>g</sup> u t<sup>g</sup>, that's your sister.)

da n a t<sup>g</sup>, my daughter. (n i / n da u a t<sup>g</sup>, that's my daughter.  
k i / k' , that's your daughter.

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'<sup>g</sup>i n', stone; n i c n u l, '<sup>g</sup>i n' al, 2 stones. (al is whispered).

nA'x k', my hand.

nA'xgal, my hands.

nī l iō tī k' n, my head.

k i l i c tī kAn, your head.

wi kī<sup>ewAn</sup>, nose.

nī' ſkī n tē<sup>uk</sup>, my eye; ki---, your eye.

nī nō' x̄ k wā (kAn) my neck. kī k o' x̄ --- your neck.  
(k wā<sup>ka</sup>)

[k][ſ]i' it', foot. nī ſi' tAl, my feet.

(n) dā, my heart. k' t̄ ā, your heart.

wī lA nō, tongue. k wī lA nō, your tongue.  
nī lA nō, my tongue.

wī lAx k', hair. nī lAx k', my hair.

wī k wā<sup>ma</sup> house. wī k wā<sup>ca</sup> mal, houses.

b i<sup>?</sup>, water. nī nū p<sup>eyum</sup>, that's my water.  
(i =  $\frac{e}{i}$  - diphthong.)

mō' k anā<sup>awca</sup>, dog. nō' k awā awak', dogs.

kī' kai', chief. k i' k ayak', chiefs.

amu x̄ ūl<sup>ca</sup>, boat. amu x̄ ū l a k', boats.

x wA<sup>dkwī</sup> m, corn.

<sup>ew,ewic</sup>t̄ ā hī m<sup>aw</sup>, strawberry.

b i<sup>ca</sup> k<sup>(c)</sup>, in the water.

wī k wā<sup>ca</sup> mey k', wī k wā<sup>ca meyk</sup>, in the house.

amu x̄ ū l e<sub>3</sub> k', in the boat.

pe mi<sup>o</sup> <sup>ca</sup>, he is walking past.  
 { nī<sup>ti</sup> bu m<sup>o</sup>, I'll walk.  
 { kī<sup>to</sup> k bu m<sup>o</sup>, you'll walk.

t. hī x mō<sup>wa</sup> he is swimming.  
 da' hē x moi', I'm swimming.  
 k' t a hē x moi', you're swimming.  
 ( t very strong.)

gi' nt' k a', I dance.  
 { k<sub>a</sub>  
 k i' nt' k ā wak', they dance.  
 k i' nt' k ō l, you dance.  
 ( gi' nt' k ō l)

gi' i<sup>la</sup> } i' la I run.  
 k ci' lā<sup>la</sup> run.      k ci' lā<sup>a</sup> } t' are we run  
 { t'

lu' m<sup>ca</sup> t' ap<sup>ca</sup> I'm sitting down, seated.  
 l um<sup>ca</sup> t' ap<sup>ca</sup> l, sit down.

nī' p awé, I'm standing.  
 nī' p awē l stand up,  
 nī' p awē k, stand up (pl)

(n) z i<sub>3</sub> gē<sup>i</sup> x e', I lie down  
 z i<sub>3</sub> gē<sup>i</sup> x ē l, lie down.  
 me<sup>c</sup> ce<sup>gi</sup> cin<sup>me</sup>  
 = \* ne cen kih cine  
 = \* cen kih inlu

(1x) gi' l k e<sup>je</sup> I laugh.  
 k li' k<sup>je</sup> l laugh; k li' k<sup>je</sup> wak', they're laughing.

ga t ɔ kli k<sup>ɛi</sup>, I want to laugh.  
 nō tci k li k<sup>ɛi</sup> I begin to laugh.  
 gi ci k li k<sup>ɛi</sup> I am done laughing.  
 bu mi k li k<sup>ɛ</sup> I am still laughing.  
 gu m̄ ā<sup>?</sup> gi l k i<sup>ɛ</sup>, I keep laughing.  
 la' lā p̄ i<sub>2</sub> gi l k i<sup>ɛ</sup>, I laugh several times.  
 gutci k li k<sup>ɛi</sup>, I try to laugh.  
 k<sup>u</sup> tci k̄ li k<sup>ɛ</sup><sup>u</sup> He tries to laugh.  
 kī k li k<sup>ɛi</sup> l, (try to) laugh. }  
 kī k<sup>u</sup> tci k li k<sup>ɛ</sup> l, try to laugh. }  
 nu wī<sub>2</sub> gi k li k<sup>ɛ</sup> I like (want) to laugh.  
 mā c gat ɔ k li k<sup>ɛ</sup> I pretend to laugh.  
 ( ā dark: nearly ô ).

pa k<sup>ɛw</sup>, he cries.  
 ga' t al<sup>ɛw</sup> pa k<sup>ɛw</sup>, I want to cry.  
 tci l<sup>ɛw</sup> pa k̄ o<sup>wi</sup>, don't cry.  
 lā pi l<sup>ɛw</sup> p a k<sup>ɛw</sup>, he's crying again.  
 wa k' lā p̄ i l ā<sup>ɛw</sup> I'm crying again.  
 wa k' lā p̄ l k l ā<sup>ɛw</sup> you're crying again.  
 k ā u dja la mau<sup>ɛw</sup> he cries suddenly, cries out.  
 nī' ɔgā ndja lā moi' I cry out.



n?

wi mi ū { e<sup>c</sup>, I drink.  
 { ā  
 mi u ā l, drink. n?

{ b<sup>c</sup> i li mi ū ā<sup>c</sup>, I drink water.  
 { ā  
 { b i i mi nā l, drink water.

né na yō g<sup>A<sup>d</sup></sup>, horse.  
 né nayō g<sup>A<sup>d</sup>A<sup>k</sup></sup>, horses.

ni lā<sup>wa</sup>, I kill.  
 wi ni lā<sup>wa<sup>l</sup></sup> he kills.  
 lé n̄ ɔ wa ni<sup>ta<sup>w</sup>al</sup> he kills a man (animal, person).  
 [WA] wi<sup>c</sup> li wā<sup>wa</sup> he murders person.  
 n

gāu w̄ e<sup>c</sup> I sleep.  
 gā<sup>l</sup> k̄ a wu<sup>ɔ</sup> x we<sup>c</sup> I feel sleep.  
 k̄ awi u<sup>wa</sup> he sleeps.

ni wā<sup>l</sup> wi<sup>c</sup> t̄ o<sup>w</sup> n<sup>c</sup> I know.  
 k̄ wā<sup>l</sup> wi<sup>c</sup> t̄ o<sup>w</sup> n̄ hā<sup>c</sup> do you know.  
 (not k̄, k<sup>c</sup>).

Abenaki (Pierreville) Mms. A ba.ms awi.

{ zà n Ambà, man.  
s

zà n AM bà k', men.

á ò s ì s, child.

a ò s i zàk', children.

{ mì t o gwùs, my father, father.

k e t } adá n, your father.

ō dadaná, his father.

{ mì t o(γ)k' sahá, our father (excl. and incl.?)

k i ya k i dadán, your father (pl.)

ō dadami wó, their father.

wi gwó m, house,

wi gwó ma l, houses.

note: al is peculiar; a is between a and á, nearer a;  
l is at end almost voiceless, and has quasi-palatal  
tinge, yet not really l'.

s i n, stone. s i n { al, stones.

ni bí, water. ni bí a' l, waters.

abazì nò dá, basket.

abazì nò da á l, baskets.

s k amó<sup>n</sup>, corn.

s k amó nál, corns.

wi gwá ù l, boat.

wi gwá o lá l, boats.

*left out by miss part*

das ni m<sup>c</sup>  
 si ni m<sup>c</sup> } i my stone

k i das ni m<sup>c</sup>, your stone.

o d<sup>a</sup>ps ni m<sup>c</sup>, his stone

o d<sup>a</sup>ps ni m<sup>a</sup>l.

k i d<sup>a</sup>ps ni m i na<sup>c</sup>, our stone ( inc. and excl.)

k i d<sup>a</sup>ps ni m o<sup>c</sup>, your (pl.) stone.

o d<sup>a</sup>ps ni m o<sup>c</sup>, their stone.

das ni m na<sup>l</sup>, my stones.

k da<sup>s</sup> ni m na<sup>l</sup>, your stones.

o da<sup>s</sup> ni m na<sup>l</sup>, his stones.

das ni m no<sup>wal</sup>, our stones.

k das ni m no<sup>wal</sup>, your stones.

o das ni m o<sup>wal</sup>, their stones.

ni bi } k<sup>c</sup>, in water.  
 e }

al awi go ma<sup>k</sup>, in the house.

wi gw<sup>o</sup> ma<sup>k</sup>, at the house

ki } land.

e }  
 ke } a l, country. <sup>125</sup>  
 i }

{ <sup>w</sup>lin t ɔ̄[n]<sup>c</sup>, I sing.  
 k lín.t ɔ̄<sup>c</sup>, you sing  
 áp ts i nt ɔ̄, he sings.

{ lí nt ɔ̄ b i ná<sup>c</sup>, we sing  
 k lí nt ɔ̄ bá<sup>c</sup> you sing  
 (pl).  
 lín t ɔ̄ k<sup>c</sup>, they sing.

{ ni <sup>m</sup> ~~mitz~~ i<sup>c</sup>, I eat  
 ki \_\_\_\_\_ you eat  
 mi t̄ s ɔ̄<sup>c</sup>, he eats.

{ mi t̄ s i bi ná<sup>c</sup>, we eat  
 k mi t̄ s i bá<sup>c</sup>, you eat  
 mi t̄ s ɔ̄ wá k<sup>c</sup> they eat.

né mi t̄ ɔ̄ n<sup>c</sup> I see.  
 né mi yá<sup>c</sup> I see him.  
 nemi yá<sup>c</sup> k<sup>c</sup>, I see it.

{ k nemi t̄ ɔ̄ n<sup>c</sup>, you see.  
 mzi wi né mi yá<sup>c</sup> k<sup>c</sup>, I see them all.  
 (inan<sup>c</sup>)  
 an.

{ k né mi yò<sup>l<sub>a</sub></sup>, I see you.  
 k né mi yò l.bá<sup>c</sup>, I see you (pl.)

ke - nep<sup>wa<sup>c</sup></sup>  
l.

{ k né mi yá<sup>c</sup>, you see him.  
 k nemi t̄ ɔ̄ n<sup>c</sup>, you see it.  
 k nemi yé<sup>c</sup>, you see me.  
 \_\_\_\_\_ i yí bi ná<sup>c</sup>, you see us.  
 k ne mi yá<sup>c</sup> k<sup>c</sup>, you see them.  
 (last two syllables equally high above first.)

{ nemi yò gò k<sup>c</sup>, he (they) sees me.  
 nemi yò gá<sup>o?</sup> biná<sup>c</sup> he sees me.  
 k nemi yò gò k<sup>c</sup>, he sees you.  
 mzi wi k né mi yò gò k<sup>c</sup>, he sees you all.

{ o né mi yá<sup>c</sup>, he sees him.  
 o nemi yá<sup>la</sup>, he sees them (an.)  
 o nemi t'ó n', he sees them, it (inan).

{ k némi yō l bi ná<sup>c</sup>, we see you.  
 mzi wi mzi wi we see you (pl.) all.  
 né mi yá bi ná<sup>c</sup> we see him (an.)  
 " " " we see it.  
 nemi t'ó n', we see it.

*really us T.M.*

k né mi ye bi ná<sup>c</sup> you (pl.) see me.  
 mzi wi né mi yō gabi ná<sup>c</sup>, you see us.  
 k nemi yá m ba<sup>c</sup> you see him.  
 " " you see them all.  
 k nemi yá k<sup>c</sup> you see it.

k nemi yó l da k né mi yi<sup>c</sup>, I see you, and you see me.

lin. t'ó, sing! lin. t'ó k<sup>sw</sup> sing! (pl.)

{ k i nā wá<sup>c</sup>, look at him! k i yaki nawa<sup>c</sup>, you look at him! (pl)  
 k i nā wi<sup>c</sup>, look at me! k i nā wi k<sup>sw</sup>, you look at me ! (pl)  
 k i nā ó k<sup>sw</sup> look at us! k i nā wí nana<sup>c</sup>, you look at us ! (pl)

mi t' s i<sup>c</sup>, eat.  
 mit s i k<sup>sw</sup>, eat! (pl)

k wá wadzin t ɔ̄<sup>v</sup>, I begin to sing.  
 dabadá k win tɔ̄<sup>w</sup>, I begin to finish singing.

k i zɔ̄ s á, he walks past.  
 p ayá, he comes.  
 s á k hɔ̄ s á, he comes walking.

sa k hɔ̄ m ā l á, he comes running.

{ lo māl [l] á, he runs. (l seems at beginning to have r tinge.)

almɔ̄ m ā l [l] á, he runs away.

wi [w] unú m ā l [l] á, he runs in a circle.

wi u nus á, he walks in a circle.

bazú k<sup>w</sup>, one. { baz̄ go zá n ʌ mbà, one man.  
 { baz̄ go nu wí gwɔ̄ m, one house.

niš, two. { ni zwa k zá n ʌ mbà k, two men.  
 { ni znō lu wí gwɔ̄ m á l, two houses.

nās, three.  
 'ya u<sup>aw</sup> four. { k lɔ̄ was k z, three men.  
 { han ɔ̄ l [n] w, three houses.

nalán, five. { 'yaw a k z, four men.  
 { 'yayun ɔ̄ l w, four houses.

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k wi dās, six.  
 daba ɔ̄ s, seven. { nān ɔ̄ wak<sup>o</sup>  
 { ná n anɔ̄ l

s A s á k, eight. { k wi dās z, 6 men.  
 { " w(7) 6 houses.

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nū lí wí, nine.  
 mī dā là, ten. { d. z. 7 men.  
 { d. w.  
 { s. w, 8 houses.

12  
k ā wí<sup>ˈ</sup>, sleep.

lu<sup>ˈ</sup> k̄ was i<sup>ˈ</sup> n<sup>ˈ</sup>, dream.

bā<sup>ˈ</sup> m̄ i gā dī<sup>ˈ</sup> n<sup>ˈ</sup>, dance.

mē ts̄ i nā<sup>ˈ</sup>, die.

m̄ i ruzo<sup>ˈ</sup>, crawl.

m̄ i lis ts̄ á<sup>ˈ</sup>, ~~cry~~ cry.

a bi dālī mō<sup>ˈ</sup>, laugh.

k̄ i lō zī<sup>ˈ</sup>, talk.

gagalō wa<sup>ˈ</sup>, shout.

li gi dāi<sup>ˈ</sup>, jump (down).

wah<sup>ˈ</sup> das i<sup>ˈ</sup> n<sup>ˈ</sup>, fall.

nuni k̄ i<sup>ˈ</sup>, get up.

s̄ pi gw(i) i gi da-i<sup>ˈ</sup>, jump up.

wi<sup>ˈ</sup> gi li gi dā-i<sup>ˈ</sup>, like to jump.

hō wadzi li gi dā i<sup>ˈ</sup>, begin to jump.

50 t̄ abat li<sup>ˈ</sup> gi da-i<sup>ˈ</sup>, finish jumping.

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nā ō dzi<sup>ˈ</sup> gi da-i<sup>ˈ</sup>, come jumping.

nadzi mi t̄ s̄ i<sup>ˈ</sup>, come eating.

abi mi t̄ s̄ i<sup>ˈ</sup>, (I) went to eat.

nadzi pi<sup>ˈ</sup>, go and eat.

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## Malecite (Riviere du Loup, Thomas Paul).

<sup>n?</sup>  
<sup>u?</sup>  
 s'k ē dā p', man  
 ê pi t', woman,  
 wā s i s, child.  
 lē mō s, dog.  
 mō é n, bear.  
 ahā s, horse.  
 é s' bants, raccoon.  
 abi k' ts i lō, skunk.  
 p A wā ps' k, stone.  
 wenō dj i gwo m', house.  
 ts i gā n, apple.  
 o k wē d n, canoe.  
 s amā gwan, water.  
 m' s k i k', grass (blade).

<sup>n?</sup>  
<sup>u?</sup>  
 s'kē dā bi yi k', men.  
 ê pi dji k', women.  
 wā s' i s' i k', children.  
 lē mō s A k', dogs.  
 mō é ni A k', bears.  
 abā s wō k', horses.  
 es' p' ants' ak', raccoons.  
 abi k' ts i lō wī y i k' (pl)  
 p' anā ps' k o l' (pl)  
 wenō dgi gwa mā l' (pl)  
 ts i gā ni y ak' (pl)  
 o k wē d n o l' (pl)  
 s amā gwa n l' (pl)  
 m' s k i kw n l' (pl)

n da há s o n', my horse;  
 k' t ahā s o m', your horse;  
 né gā m dā s' o m' al, his horse.  
 (he)

(nil) ne k, my house, lodging.  
 k i l/ gī k', your house.  
 you (= kil + k i k')  
 mē gā m o ē k' his house.

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\* kil kē gal<sup>c</sup> mentioned by writer was said to be wrong and is corrected as below.

nda ha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> ma n<sup>c</sup>, our horse.

nē ga n<sup>c</sup>, our house.

k<sup>c</sup> dahā s o<sup>1</sup> mō<sup>(w)</sup> a<sup>c</sup>, your (pl)

k ē gō wā<sup>c</sup>, your house.

daha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> mō wal<sup>w</sup>, their horse.

wē k o wā<sup>c</sup>, their house.

ndaha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> mō k, my horse.

nil nē ga l<sup>h</sup>, my house.

kil k<sup>c</sup> dá ha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> mō k<sup>c</sup>, your horse.

{ kil ge g l, your house.  
kē ga l<sup>c</sup>

{ nē ga m<sup>c</sup> dá ha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> wal<sup>c</sup>, his horse.  
(eng.)  
" dá ha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> m<sup>c</sup>, his horses.

{ nē ga m wē ga l, his house.  
wē g i nō l<sup>c</sup>, our houses.

ndaha<sup>c</sup> s o<sup>1</sup> m mō k<sup>c</sup>, our horses.

k i g wā l<sup>c</sup>, your house.

k<sup>c</sup> dahā s o<sup>1</sup> mō wā k<sup>c</sup>, your horses.

wi<sup>w</sup> gō wā l<sup>c</sup> their houses.

n<sup>w</sup> dli n t<sup>c</sup>, I am singing.

{ n<sup>w</sup> p e mō<sup>c</sup> s, I walk.  
n<sup>w</sup> p e m e i k<sup>c</sup> s i k<sup>c</sup>, I run.  
(n) d l d a k<sup>c</sup>, I jump.  
nē k<sup>(h)</sup> h a m<sup>c</sup>, I cough

k<sup>c</sup> dli n t<sup>c</sup>, you're singing.

{ k m e i k<sup>c</sup> s i k<sup>c</sup>, you run.

kil { k<sup>c</sup> p e mō<sup>c</sup> s you walk.

{ k<sup>c</sup> p e m e i k<sup>c</sup> s i k<sup>c</sup>

{ k<sup>c</sup> p e mō<sup>c</sup> s when slow.

{ k<sup>c</sup> t l d a k<sup>c</sup>, you jump.

k<sup>c</sup> mē k<sup>(-)</sup> h a m<sup>c</sup> you cough.

*not clear in original*

{ dli n t o<sup>c</sup> he (at present) is singing.

{ p e mō<sup>c</sup> s e<sup>c</sup>, he walks.

{ li n t o<sup>c</sup>, he sings.

{ p e m e i k<sup>c</sup> s i k<sup>c</sup> a<sup>c</sup>, he runs.

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(A) l̄ dāk<sup>w</sup> hō, he jumps.

nê k<sup>w</sup> hām, she coughs.

*dlin*  
{ dlin̄ t̄ o' bān, we sing  
bē mō' s ē' bān, we walk.  
    { bān

{ bē mē k' s i' k ā bān, we run.  
d̄ dāk<sup>w</sup> hē' bān, we jump.  
nê k<sup>w</sup> hām o' bān, we cough.

{ k̄ l̄ wā<sup>wa</sup> k' dlin̄ t̄ o' bā, you sing  
    { l̄ (you pl)  
k' p̄ nō' s ē' bā, you walk.  
k' p̄ mē k' s i' k ā bā, you run.

k' d̄ dāk<sup>w</sup> hē' bā, you jump.

*pop*  
*Repemusa*  
*puwe*  
k' nê k<sup>w</sup> hām o' bā, you cough.

{ l̄ n̄ t̄ o' wāk, they sing  
p̄ mō' s i' yāk, they walk.  
    { m̄ o'

{ k' mē k' s i' k i' yāk, they run.  
l̄ dāk<sup>w</sup> hō' wāk, they jump.  
nê k<sup>w</sup> hām o' k, they cough.

{ l̄ n̄ t̄, sing.  
p̄ mō' s, walk.

{ l̄ n̄ t̄ o' k<sup>wā</sup> sing! (pl)  
p̄ mō' s ē' k<sup>w</sup> walk! (pl).

k' (t̄) dlin̄ t̄, are you singing? (inter indic).

{ nē mē' w̄, I see him. { nē mē' yuk<sup>w</sup>, he sees me.

{ nē mē' o' l̄, I see you. { k' nē mē' yē, you see me.

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p s ā n, it snows.

t' k é' yu, it's cold.

p' mō s é' dē, he keeps on walking

p' mī ma dj ā' n' s' é, he begins walking

p' mī ma dj é' n' t' ó, he begins to sing.

é' k' wī' n' t' ó, he stops singing.

{ é' k' wī' nē' k' hā' nī, he stops coughing.

{ e' k' wī' mō' s' é, he stops walking.

t' k' ó' yē, he comes; nō' t' k' ó' wē, I come

" m' a' s' a' mā' l', he grabs him.

" k' i' s' i' k' i' n' dā' k' wē' lā' l', he is surrounded, in the middle.

n' mī' t' s, I'm eating.

gī' z' i' p', I'm finished eating.

" d' a' d' l' a' s' a' mī, I drink.

" m' e' d' j' i' s' a' mī, I'm finished drinking.

k' dī' mē' d' j' i' nē, he dies.

lī' s' i' n, he's sleeping, n' k' ó, I'm sleeping. k' ó' wō, he's asleep.  
A) { i' lying down to sleep.

{ " k' i' z' i' nē' pā' hā, I killed him.  
k' nē' pō' hō' l', I'll kill you.

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n(e) mī ā bē gi tē i i t, I saw him when he came.

nemī yu k p ē gi tē ai, he saw me when I came.

k' nemī yu k bē gi tē ā in, he saw you when you came.

nē mī ō gō n p ē gi tē ā yē k, he saw us when we came.

k' nemī(y) ō gō wā pē gi tē ā yē k he saw you when you came (pl)

nemī ā bā nē k' pē gi tē ā tē i t I saw them when they came.

past tense: ?

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Micmac (Caconna ms: Thon as).

dj í NAM, man.

tc'

ê' bi t', woman.

medj'i wá dź' í ts, child.

el e mó ts', dog.

én o, Indian(s)

mọ i n', bear.

wén dji' u' s' o n', apple.

gún dèn, stone.

s' á mọ wán, water.

wén dj' í gwò m, house.

glóy n u wè ts, star.

ná gō' j' è t', sun.

dé p' gū n s' è t', moon.

n k' ú ndè m, my stone.

k' í l k' ú ndè m, your stone.

o k' ú ndè m, his stone.

n k' ú ndem l, my stones.

k' í l k' ú ndem l, your stones.

né gam k' ú n dem l, his stones.

ts' í <sup>n</sup> á a mọ k' (pl)

ê' bi dji' k' (pl)

medj' i wá dj' í ts' k' (pl)

el e mó dj' i k', dogs.

é' n o k' (pl)

mọ i ní k' (pl)

wén dji' u' s' o n' á l (pl)

gúndal (pl)

-gwò m á l (pl)

glóy <sup>n</sup> u wets' k' (pl)

n k' ú ndeminal, our stone.

k' ú ndemi nal, your stone (pl)

nén w t̄i, 1

nen w dē dj̄ i, One man m̄  
nen w dē wendj̄ ī gw o p̄i, one house.

dā bō 2

dabō s̄ i dj̄ i k̄ dj̄ ī n Amō k̄, two men.  
dabō } gul wendj̄ ī gwō ml̄, two houses.  
ō }

s̄ ī s̄ t̄ 3

né u 4

nā n 5

á s̄ o gwō mi 6

elu wí gi nAk 7

m̄  
ugumul ts̄ i ni 8

p es̄ gunadè k 9

Am t̄An 10

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{ gé dabe gi è', I sing.  
 { k  
 k é dabegi en, you sing.  
 [gédabegi è'] Ak' t abegi á du nè'ts, we sing.  
 Ak' t abegi à, you (pl) sing (?)

nemi' k', I see him, nemi' dè s k', he sees me  
 you (?)

*he sees this M.*

nemó l' t ès, I see you

ne bō l' t ès, I kill you.

pe mī è', I walk.

{ g'et gwī mī', I run.  
 { k

nē ma' k ài', I dance

nebài', I sleep.

mī t' s' i', I eat.

ne s' aŋə wàì', I drink. Ám s' amə wà', drink!

nō yum' I cough.

en w s k wí', I sneeze.

át' k i demí', I cry.

wés' k ewe i', I laugh, wé s' k ewei' t, he laughed at me.

wénaγ a yè', I jump.

dégi s' i mi', I swim, bathe.

ní s' i yè', I fall, k î l ní s' i yen', you fall.

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né gam ní s i yet', he falls.

{	ní n, I.	k í nò' (you pl.) we.
	k í l, you.	k í l mì má dj' i wí num k', all of you.
	né gam, he.	

[mā dj' ē] wí gē' gedabegi ē, I begin to sing.

now I'll cough. (')

{	pô x ts' i nō yum', I cough.
	pô x ts' i né mal' k ai', I begin to dance.
	bunā' dō mo ya gé dabegi ou, I stop to sing.

nemi' k' djí nAm, I see the man.

gédō nemi' t' djí nAm, the man sees me  
wants to see me.

nemi yā' s' na djí nAm, he sees the man  
I'm going to see that man.

dj' í nAm nadj' í némi yadl' ē' bi lí a, the man sees the woman,  
is going to see.

ē' bi t' nadj' í né mì yadl' dj' í nAm nl, the woman sees the man.

né mì dō wendj' í nwo ní', I see the house.

{	nē' mī g' A' n' o, I see the Indian.
	dj' í nAm nemi' adjí' Ám o, the man sees the Indian.
	<sup>A' n'</sup> n' o nadjí' nemi' yadl' djí' nAm nl, the Indian sees the man.
	dj' í nAm nadj' í némi' adjí' i' A' n' o, the man is going to see the Indians.

mel mi ts' i', I got (hit) in going to eat.

de<sup>x</sup> de s' k ax, I kicked him.

k i z i t' k i de s' k ax, I gave him a kick.

k i' p e s' ax, it rains.

wa s' den, it snows.

Am k nmi', it hails.

k edn' c(u) gewè k', (il) he (l) smiles.

u?

lo z' abo n, hair.

win dj' i', head.

o<sup>x</sup> s' i du wa ya n', ear.

wi dj' i nu wau', cheek.

o<sup>x</sup> t o n' mouth

o<sup>x</sup> t o gwabè pin, chin.

wi t u', nose.

wi bi k', tooth; wi bi dlo, teeth.

o<sup>x</sup> t o yo lo wa yan', neck.

o<sup>x</sup> pi dn', hand; Am pi dn', my hand.

Am k a dlo, my feet, Am k a t', my foot.

in curly, T.M.

o<sup>x</sup> k wam Alamun' in, heart.

n undji { gé s' i n<sub>o</sub> w<sup>g</sup>i, I have pain in head.  
 ni t n { k é s' i n<sub>o</sub> g<sub>o</sub> w<sup>c</sup>i " " " nose  
 An k á m Alamùn, I " " " breast.

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k edn x s i i<sup>(c)</sup> i<sup>c,x</sup> dē m<sup>c</sup>, I yawn.  
k é s' i n<sub>o</sub> g w à t<sup>c</sup>, he is sick.

{ k i s' a<sup>a</sup> dà x k é s' i n<sub>o</sub> g w a t<sup>c</sup>, I make him sick.  
 { k i s' a<sup>a</sup> du w i t<sup>c</sup> k é s' i n<sub>o</sub> g w a i<sup>c</sup>, he makes me sick.  
 { k i s' a<sup>a</sup> d<sub>o</sub> l k é s' i n<sub>o</sub> g w a l<sup>c</sup>, I make you sick.

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ki tsa

Cree, Rupert's house (Maggie Roberts on Pointe Blene)

ná p ep̄, man.	ná pa wats, (pl).
í i ne ḡ, Indian.	í i ne wats, (pl).
i s k wé ḡ, woman.	is k wé wats, (pl).
m ásk wa, bead.	m ásk wats, (pl).
at í m, dog.	at í m wats, (pl).
mí no c, cat.	mí no cats, (pl).
tā pé yAk ns k wé ḡ, horse.	- é wats, (pl).
aš é ni, stone.	aš é ni ats, (pl).
wás ká hí gāḡ, house.	-gāḡ ats, (pl).
yí pi, water.	mis ta bí yipi, lots of water.

{ nō't ā wī, my father. k ō't ā wī nan, our father.  
 kō't ā wī, your father. k ō't ā wī wá wá, your (pl) father.  
 ō't ā wī á, his father. ō't ā wī wá wá, their father.

{ ni wa pAmāḡ yí pe ḡ, I see the man.  
 i s k meḡ wa pAm ep̄ nā pe ḡ, the woman sees the man.

{ ni ni k á mō n, I sing. ts'i ni kAmō nā non, we sing.  
 ts'i ni kAmō n, you sing. [ts'i]ni kAmō k' ts i yAwan--  
 (pl) you sing.  
 ni kAmō, he sings. ni kAmō wA ts, they sing.

1 pē yAk'w

2 ní c ọ́

3 ní s' t ọ́

4 nẹ wọ

5 pA tē tats

6 ní k wA t ô s

7 ní s ô s

8 yā nané n <sup>u?</sup>

9 pē ya k ms <sup>mmu</sup> tēp

10 m i t a t' t'

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Montagnais (Louis Clairie, Pointe Bleue)

i i' nu, person (almost l')	i l' nu w'ats (pl)
i c k we } u, woman	i c k we w'ats (pl)
at i m' dog	at i m' w'ats (pl)
mi no' c, cat	nu no' c'ats (pl)
as' i ni, stone	as' i ni d'zi (pl)
k a' bel i { k a c k, wez, horse	-k' new'ats (pl)
ni pi, water.	
s a' g' he gan, lake	s a' g' a' be gan s' i' s', small lake.
awa s' child.	- s'ats (pl)
mi s' t a s a' g' a' he gan, big lake.	

{ ni' k a' bel i k a c gwem', my house horse?  
 ts' i k a' \_\_\_\_\_ em', your house.

ni' ts', my house; ni' l ni' ts', it's my house.  
 ts' i' k s' i' ts', it's your house.  
 wi' r wi' ts', it's his house.

ni' ts' nan, our house (excl)  
 ts' i' ts' i no', our house (incl)

{ ts' i' r wou ts' i' ts', it's your (pl) house.  
 " ts' i mu' ts' i wo' p' wou, (dit)

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wir wou <sup>nni?</sup> unu ts' i wô p' wou, it's their house.

ni n̄ n̄, (I) dance.

ts' i kani n̄ n̄, you dance

ni kani mi n̄, I'll dance.

n̄ mi<sup>w</sup>, he dances.

ts' i kani mi na n̄, we dance (incl)

ni kani mi na n̄, we (excl) dance.

(ni kani mi na n̄, we dance.)

ts' i kani na wou, you (pl) will dance.

ni mi w' ts, they dance.

wi kani p' ahax<sup>w</sup>, I'll kill him.

hā w' ts; I'll kill them.

ts' i kani p' ahē tin, I'll kill you.

tin ā w' u, I'll kill you (pl).

{ ni p' i, kill him!  
ni p' hi ts' i, kill (pl) him!  
ni mi, dance.

ts' i ni p' ahi ni, you kill me.

ts' i ni p' ahi na wou, you (pl) kill me.

ts' i ni p' ahi nan<sup>a</sup>, you (pl) kill us.

ts' i ni p' ahi na w' u, you (pl) kill us.

ts'i ni pa<sup>u</sup> han, you killed him.

\_\_\_\_\_ ha wats, you killed them.

mi ts'e ts'<sup>im</sup> ni pA ha wA ts, you killed them all.

m ts'i ni p ahi k<sup>w</sup>, he killed me.

\_\_\_\_\_ hi (gu) nan<sup>(a)</sup>, he killed us.  
ko

ts'i ni p ahen<sup>w</sup>, he killed (you) him.

\_\_\_\_\_ i k o', he killed you (pl)

ts'i ni p ahe<sup>e</sup> wA ts, he killed them.

pe yuq<sup>u</sup> 1

ni c<sup>w</sup> 2

ni c t o' 3

nen<sup>w</sup> 4

pA te tA ts' 5

ni k n t o' s, 6

wi z wo } s' ts' 7  
g

m yi c wos 8

pe k<sup>w</sup> s t en 9

wi k n t o' lno<sup>k</sup>, 10

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