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q̓itwinksitk Territories

A strange situation is evident between the g̓isgahast and the Taxkibū. There are some in both paratries who are different definitely one thing or another, but the Taxt̑y̑st̑ are in a strange position. Here the Taxt̑y̑st̑ are Taxkibū; downriver they are g̓ispawndwa'ds. Wihsn (q̓itrat'in) was a g̓ispaw who left and relinquished his territories to the Taxkibū, who assumed the name of Taxt̑y̑st̑ because one of this group joined them.

Certain territories are shared by Taxkibū and g̓ispawndwa'ds. (wigedomskek and wiceks)

The row of fish traps along the river were all about 12 feet from shore on swift water. [The tin held a] large basket trap of the w̑oo type, very large, its mouth downriver

Territories

1. gisq.a hast

Fishing stations

1a. anuksg.i'mg.an "where looks out from shore"
the fin of wicks.

1b laxpala'q , tin of wi.laxe

Territories (jointly with w.gedanskek - laxk.bu)

1c g. anu'a'ux t , with a house site at
mire porcupine
wi/p g. anamg.annauxt
house of

2. laxskik (laxlo.kst) or real laxskik.

Fishing stations

2a tin of gwixmanx

2b Salmon station on bars at mouth of amatal "place
of cedar bark" belongs to dza lu of this group
The lava field behind is vacant

2c Fishing station of agw.laxe at mouth of Shumal

2d " " " " " " " fish Cr.

Territories

2e ksqa'ma'l "across canoe" (at is too wide to bridge)
(Shumal valley), and an upper valley

2f xtsme'nugx "inside grease box" - the first
tributary

The main river is cold glacier water and
has no fish. The tributary has sprangs, sockeye,
coho, pink, steelhead.

2g t'somg.i's "in tributary. Fish Cr. (sockeye coho trout)

4 qitse'q

Fishing stations

6 4a. wilukstations "where outward sets dog"
tin of na'wəs.

Territories

M2 4b. ksegunya' "waters of spring salmon"
whole valley. East of the river is the high
mountain to which the people anchored during
the Deluge: x̄laot "high peak".

East of this couk is another one kwunsak
"where smeltchon" [formerly, not now]. It had a smelly
hotspring at its mouth kwiskut "stench".

Farther east was another stream
'anxkwyne'xku "where cold" Both it and the
first had coho, dog, hump

4c 'ansessx 'where cold frost' A mountain
in q.tlaxdanks territory east of Dragon Lake
(fur beavers)

These territories yielded fox, coyote, mink, marten, goats, groundhog. A mountain named gwandza'xs "like moccasins" at the head of 2f yielded fruits and soapberries

3 laxkibu laxtryag̓t

Fishing stations

- + 3a ta-it q̓o.t "edge of pool" tin of kwe're
- 7 3b sge'l fishing station and fruit ground for "all the laxkibu group of wiħn and kwe're"
- 8 3c gama'a g̓o.l "only the edge of" a small creek, for salmon and fruit. Still retained by informant wiħn.

Territory

- 2 3d "andzapsk iska'tsk" "where is - name of a mythical hunter", on the lava field at the mouth of si'aks. The creek is kse luix ang'i" "waters of alder on this side". Territory of wiġedzamxsk̓ek

In also the territory above this toward Lava Lake share with wiċeks.

- 3e tsɔłtsap river. Territory relinquished by wiħn to the laxkibu group.
Spared: coho, dog, hump