

will be no quarrelling after I am dead. All this I have sa'-s'ixt (proclaimed).

And now another robe which I have made for the use of my successor, the name of the robe is "Frog of g. ande'. Ix" (a large mountain behind Segukla Mtn). It was here that a former mɔ'lxɔn saw a huge frog decorated with abalone and took it as his crest in the form of a robe. For many generations this crest has lain dormant. I am now reviving it, and I call upon my "father" to call out the name of this robe. (The Hazelton man ^{called out} said "Frog of g. ande'. Ix will be perpetuated forever.")

I have shown you a small portion of the many exclusive things belonging to mɔ'lxɔn. Even though we are now almost extinct, we possess great powers. I have been told that mɔ'lxɔn's people once made up a whole village themselves. I have called you together to witness these actions of mine, and I thank you. May you return to your homes without mishap.

Replies:

The following chiefs made speeches in reply, praising mɔ'lxɔn for what she had done, wishing her long life, and promising to see that her wishes were carried out. These were hɔxpəgwi'tk, g.ɔx, gwa'aṣṭa'm, and sps'x (who spoke as her "father").

Naming of children.

The ganhadas who wanted to bestow children's names on their children took advantage of this occasion to do so. [It is

not clear from the notes exactly when this was done]. Any q.anhada who had contributed to the hosts' potlatch could ~~do~~ name children. The children named, of course, all belonged to q.anhada's houses. Their names were formally announced, however, by chiefs in the phratry of the father. For example, a girl of gisgahet's paternal origin was going to take the name wine'x. The master of ceremonies called out "wise'ks will call out the name wine'x" wise'ks called out:

"will be perpetuated wine'x 'a nág̓x̓sg̓
wim̓di:k" (full version of name).

wise'ks was then compensated, and one by one other high ranking gisgahet's were asked to announce the name.

This procedure was used only for first names or child's names.