

*Napyoyis = a house.*

## SINGULAR.

## PLURAL.

My house = Nitsapyoyis.

My houses = Nitsapyoyists.

Thy " = Kitsapyoyis.

Thy " = Kitsapyoyists.

His " = Otsapyoyis.

His " = Otsapyoyists.

*Exclusive.**Exclusive.*

Our house = Nitsapyoyisinan.

Our houses = Nitsapyoyisinanists.

*Inclusive.**Inclusive.*

Our house = Kitsapyoyisinon.

Our houses = Kitsapyoyisinonists.

Your " = Kitsapyoyisoawa.

Your " = Kitsapyoyisowawists.

Their " = Otsapyoyisoawa.

Their " = Otsapyoyisoawawists.

## EXAMPLES OF THE POSSESSIVE CASE.

*Animate :—*

Niskun = My younger brother.

Neesa = My elder brother.

Nituna = My daughter.

Amoksi mokosiks = These are my children.

Akekwan oksista etupoyeo oni = The girl's mother went to her father.

Aqsitupi otuna aioqtokoqseo = The good man's daughter is sick.

Nitoqkeman nitukomimao = I love my wife.

Otas iqkonoyeo = He found his horse.

Aisukukomeo okosiks = He is kind to his children.

Kukqaiiqsoqsini kotomitam = You should feed your dog.

*Inanimate :—*

Nina okoa = My father's house.

Tcima kitseetan = Where is your saddle?

Amo nokoa = This is my home.

Amosht natsikists = These are my boots.

Kitcinakasem akusio = Your waggon is old.

Otsistotoqsists awaitcinimae = She mends her clothes.

Names of parts of the body beginning with *M*, when put in the possessive case, drop the letter *M* : as,

Miwapsi = The eye.

Niwapspi = My eye.

Mokoantsi = The abdomen.

Nokoantsi = My abdomen.

Moqkinistis = The elbow.

Noqkinistis = My elbow.

Maaye = The mouth.

Naaye = My mouth.