

Lesson of The Day

Vocabulary: **nipi bʊshli** – butcher

Casey ʋt nipi bʊshli toba bʊnna hosh makachi tuk.

Casey said that he wants to become a butcher.

Aiitʋtoba ma nipi bʊshli yʋt iksho.

That store does not have a butcher.

Word Meaning:

ʋt (aht) = subject marker

nipi bʊshli (nih-pih bahsh-lih) = butcher

toba (toh-bah) = to become

bʊnna (bahn-nah) = want

hosh (hohsh) = adverb marker

makachi (mah-kah-che) = to say

tuk (tohk) = past tense marker

aiitʋtoba (eye-iht-tah-toh-bah) = store

ma (mahn) = that

yʋt (yaht) = object marker

iksho (ihk-shoh) = none

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