

Chipmunk & Owl Woman q'wəqʷcʷíya? mut l'stm̓t̓íma?s. Chipmunk lived at her grandmother's. q'wəqʷcʷíya? xʷuy'λa?λa?ám't sp̓yqałq. Chipmunk went to find some berries. q'wəqʷcʷíya? ka?kícm̓t a? člaq. Chipmunk found a bush. q'wəqʷcʷíya? ka?kícm̓t sílxʷa? t a? člaq t síya?. Chipmunk found a big sERVICE berry bush. q'wəqʷcʷíya? čqʷliw̓m̓t síya?. Chipmunk was picking some sERVICE berries. q'wəqʷcʷíya? kł nixłm̓s a? čqalwítm̓. Chipmunk heard steps. ɬ'ac̓m' q'wəqʷcwíy' a?. Chipmunk looked. wiks spapčála?. She saw Monster. spapčála? n?atníłsm̓s q'wəqʷcʷíya?. Monster wanted to eat Chipmunk. spapčála? txʷarkstm̓ kskʷi? s q'wəqʷcʷíya?. Monster reached to grab Chipmunk. spapčála? tiłxʷs tə kskʷnnúi? s q'wəqʷcʷíya? tl'a? člaq. Monster had a hard time grabbing Chipmunk from the bush. spapčála? čut, "q'wəqʷcʷíya?, an̓túm'kʷ m̓x in'ks." Monster said, "Chipmunk, your mother wants you." q'wəqʷcwíy' a? čut, "lut kn'ta kłtum?" Chipmunk said, "I do not have a mother." spapčála? čut, "q'wəqʷcʷíya?, an̓místm̓kʷ m̓x in'ks." Monster said, "Chipmunk, your father wants you." q'wəqʷcʷíya? čut, "lut kn'ta kłm̓istm?" Chipmunk said, "I do not have a father." spapčála? čut, "q'wəqʷcwíy' a?, asəsi? kʷ m̓x in'ks." Monster said, "Chipmunk, your uncle wants you." q'wəqʷcʷíya? čut, "lut kn'ta ksəsi?." Chipmunk said, "I do not have an uncle." spapčála? čut, "q'wəqʷcwíy' a?, aswawása? kʷ m̓x in'ks." Monster said, "Chipmunk, your aunt wants you." q'wəqʷcʷíya? čut, "lut kn'ta kłswawása?." Chipmunk said, "I do not have an aunt." spapčála? čut, "q'wəqʷcwíy' a?, an̓kíkwa? kʷ m̓x in'ks." Monster said, "Chipmunk, your grandfather wants you." q'wəqʷcʷíya? čut, "lut kn'ta kłkíkwa?." Chipmunk said, "I do not have a grandfather." spapčála? čut, "q'wəqʷcwíy' a?, astm̓t̓íma? kʷ m̓x in'ks." Monster said, "Chipmunk, your grandmother wants you." q'wəqʷcʷíya? nsti'l's, "way mat uníxʷ". Chipmunk thought, "well maybe it's true". ixí? snunxʷína? s q'wəqʷcʷíya?. That was Chipmunk's belief. q'wəqʷcʷíya? čut, "n̓təptpusx." Chipmunk said, "cover your eyes." of Spokane et al. spapčála? málx a? s n̓təptpusm̓t qʷxʷ q̓inksts. 'Monster pretended to cover her eyes with her claws. q'wəqʷcʷíya? kłet̓mína? s spapčála?. Chipmunk jumped over Monster. spapčála? n̓čáx ki? s q'wəqʷcʷíya?. Monster scratched Chipmunks back. ixí? i? sn̓təpíkn̓s q'wəqʷcʷíya? tl'a? čn̓čáx ki?stm̓t spapčála?. So the stripes on Chipmunk are from her being scratched on the back by Monster