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ABSTRACT

This text contains 62 lessons in Hausa for the student of Hausa as a second language. The principal emphasis of the lessons is in developing skills in the spoken language, and study is preferable with a native speaker of Hausa. The use of English is to be avoided except when absolutely necessary. Because of the attention given to oral skills, the teaching of formal grammar is also avoided, and blackboard notes are not to be provided for the students to copy. Each lesson is structured around a specific situation or topic, such as greetings, the market place, or parts of the body, and occasionally around an element of grammar. Repetition is the basic method used; students repeat a given dialogue after the teacher, and then memorize it. Substitution drills and question-answering are then used to reinforce what the student has learned. Review lessons are interspersed at regular intervals. (CLK)

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GENERAL HINTS

DON'T USE THIS BOOK until these "Ten Commandments" and the "Suggested Methods" have been carefully read:-

1. The book should be studied under someone who speak Hausa, preferably a native speaker.
2. In the course of the lessons, the use of English should be avoided except where it cannot be helped.
3. The ultimate aim is to help the Learner to speak the language. Therefore the main principle of teaching is that of DIRECT METHOD, with a lot of REPETITION by which the Learner is urged to say the same thing correctly over and over again.
4. The lessons have been designed to last an hour. If well handled, it should be mastered within the given time. Rushing through, especially in the first ten lessons, should be avoided.
5. The Instructor is warned not to introduce too many new words, that is, words which have not been dealt with before, into the new lesson. Some of the words may have been dealt with elsewhere in the book. A record should be kept of the new words introduced.

6. One temptation connected with this (No.6) is that of trying to answer digressive questions from the Learners. I should say that answers should be given only to those questions which are considered to be answerable.
7. Effort should be made to avoid the teaching of formal grammar. The Learners will eventually get to know the tenses, etc. through the exercises and drills in the book.
8. Every subsequent lesson should provide an opportunity for the revision of the previous Lesson(s). Revision always.
9. Blackboard notes for Learners to copy are not to be given: even the Learners themselves are to be discouraged from taking their own notes in class. Some of the Learners may oppose this idea. But it has been observed that generally those who depend on their notes are the ones who miss the main object of these lessons. However, Learners could built up their own English-Hausa Dictionary in their note books. Another thing to be encouraged is the recording of the various speech drills and practices for private rehearsal.
10. Attention should be strictly paid to the "Notes", especially to those portions recommending diagrams, sketches, tabular drills, etc.

1. Conversation: i. The Instructor reads the parts of A and B, and the Learners repeat these after him, line by line. One of the objects for this is enunciation. The "Conversation" is next explained in English. The Instructor then takes the part of A, while a Learner takes that of B; they go through the whole dialogue; and then another Learner, and so on, until each one gets a turn. ii. The dialogue may be acted, a Learner or a pair at a time.
2. Sentence Drill: i. The Learners read the lines after the Instructor. ii. The individuals then try them in turn, until all the lines are mastered. They may be repeated over and over again.
3. Sentence Practice: i and ii. (As in 2, i and ii). iii. Through leading questions by the Instructor, the sentences may be applied to other situations, or may be used as patterns for the Learners' own sentences.

NOTE

It is one thing to be able to read and understand the Hausa Language, and quite another thing to be able to speak it. The emphasis here is on THE ABILITY TO SPEAK THE HAUSA LANGUAGE, and therefore all efforts should be geared to this objective.

EACH LESSON TAKES ONE HOUR

LESSON I

Admittance and greeting formalities:

1. A. Salamu Alaikum! (i)
- B. Alaikum Salan. (ii)
- A. Kwalahia Maijida. (iii)
- B. Iahialaw Samari. (iv)

NOTE: One hears also: Kwalafia; Lafialaw.

2. Other Forms:

(i) Gafara.

(ii) (a) Wanine ?

(Ans. Nine Ali)

(b) Shigo, Maraba

(iii) (a) Inakwana Maijida.

(pl. Kwalahianku; Inakwananku)

(b) Baba, Nna, Yaro, Yaria, Mallam.

(c) San' da rana!, San' da Ini!

(pl. Sanunku da rana!)

(Sanunku da Ini!)

Response: Sanukadee.

Note: Dialogue should be acted. Each Learner should have a turn and in pairs.

LESSON II

A and B ask of their health: B asks A to have a seat:

3. B. Kana Lafia?

A. Nna Lafia

Kai fa?

B. Ni kuma nna lafia.

A. Mungode ma Allah

B. Ga kujera, zauna.

A. Nagode.

4. (a) Other Forms:

(i) Kana da Lafia?

(ii) Nna da Lafia.

- (b) Attention on:

Yaya jida? Yaya yara?

Yaya matanka (pl. maatanka)?

Mijinki (your husband)

(Ans. Jida na lafia; Yarana na lafia

or Simply "Lafialaw" to the questions.)

- (c) Instructor and Learners should change parts and
acted over and over again.

LESSON III

5. (a) Revision of Lessons I and II. Lesson I must be well treated.
- (b) Dialogue must be acted by Learners in turn.

LESSON IV

6. Numerals 1 to 10:

| | | | |
|--------|-------|--------|------|
| Daya | Biu | Uku | Hudu |
| Biyar | Shida | Bokwai | |
| Takwas | Tara | Goma. | |

Note: One hears of Fudu (4).

The counting must be done several times.. The idea
is to commit them to memory.

7. Names of objects:

| | | | |
|--------------|---------------|------------|---------------|
| (i) (a) Kofa | (pl.) Koofofi | (b) Kujera | (pl.) Kujeeru |
| Daci | Daakuma | Riga | Riguna.. |
| Hanya | Hanyoyi | Ka a | Kaji |
| Dusi | Duwasu | Zabo | Zabbi |

(c) Sidi (cedi) Sule (shilling)
Kwabo Kobo (Penny/Pesewa)

(ii) DRILL: Kujeru biu; Sule tara
Sidi hudu.

LESSON V

8. A and B ask each of their names:

- A. Yi hankuri, yaya sunanka? (i)
- B. Sunana SEIDU (ii)
Kai-fa? (What about you) or
Yaya sunanka?
- A. Susuna Jane.

Note: Yaya sunanki? (in case of a girl/female)

9. (a) DAYS OF THE WEEK:

| | | |
|-------------|---------|---------|
| Ladi/Lahadi | Liteni | Talata |
| Laruba | Alhamis | Jimma's |
| Asabar | | |

(b) Yau wani rana ni?

Yau Lahadi

Ranan Lahadi / Ran' Lahadi.

10. Variants of No. 8:

- A. Yaya ace ciranka (ciranki)?
- B. Ana cirana Bello.

LESSON VI

11. Week-day Names exist in few cases as nicknames for usually girls.

| | |
|---------------|----------------|
| Lahadi-Ladi | LARUBA-LARUBA |
| Liteni-Teni | Alhamis-Lamie |
| Talata-Talata | Jimma'a-Jimmai |
| Asabar-Asibi | |

12. Masculine names:

Lahadi - Dan-Ladi.
Litani - Dan-Tani.
Jimma's- Dan-Jima.

Masculine names for the rest of the days do not exist.

13. Further Drill:

- A. Yaya sunanka?
- B. Sunana Dan-Jima, etc.

LESSON VII

14. A and B ask each other where they come from:

- A. Yi hankuri, ina kafito? (i)
B. Nafito Amerika (ii)
Ina kai kuma kafito? (iii)
A. Ni nafito Bayku.

Variation:

- (i) Yi hankuri, wani wuri kafito?
(ii) ina (where) wani wuri (which place)
(iii) Kai'fa? What about you?

15. Simple terms in common use:

Yes - Ee; But Na'am - for responding to a call.

e.g. Seidu! Na'am.

No - Aa'a or Babu.

Please - Yi hankuri.

Thank you - Nagode

Dagodiya - with thanks.

16. For practice:

i. Qn. Kafito Amerika (ne)?

Ans. Ee nafito Amerika (ne) (ne) can be omitted.

ii. Qn. Sunanka John? or

Ana ciranka John?

Ans. Aa'a. Sunana Seidu/Aa'a. Ana cirana Seidu.

iii. Ga abinci. To "To" (Yes but to questions in statement form)

Qn. Kaci abinci? iv. Kafito Turai (ne)?

Ee. Naci. Nagode. Aa'a Banfito Turai ba.

Note: The negative pattern "Banfito Turai ba" has been introduced.
"To" can also mean o.k.

LESSON VIII

17. A says good-bye to B.

- A. Zaani.
- B. Kagae da gida!
- A. To. Gida yaji. Nagode.
- B. Ba godiya.

18. A says good-night to B.

- A. Zaani nyi kwana. Shei gobe.
- B. Kakwana lafia.
- A. To.

Note: Revise No.14 above.

LESSON IX

19. Sentence practice:

- (i) There is a book on/under/by/in/in front of/behind
the table.

Litafi na kan table nan(a)

(Book = Litafi; Takarda; Book or Booko but book and
takarda are more widely used in Ghana).

(When (a) is mastered introduce: karkashi, kusa da,
cikin, gabon, bayan, giving adequate time
to each in turn).

Then introduce:

- (ii) Kudi na kan table nan (b) etc. and

- (iii) Pensir (pen (alkalani) na kan table nan ... (c).

- (iv) Variation of (a), (b) and (c)

Akwai book, kudi, pensir kan table nan.

20. Revision of numerals 1 to 10.

Introduce 11 to 20. e.g. Goma sha daya.

then: ashirin, talatin, arba'in
hamsin, sitin, saba'in, tamanin
tas'in, dari.

LESSON X

21. Sentence drill: No.19 continued:

(i) Litafi na kan table nan.

" " " adaka/akwati "

" " " aljifu "

" " " lore/mato "

Use also karkashi, kusa da, cikin, gabon, bayan to fill in]

(ii) Mixed drill:

Litafi na kan table nan.

Kudi " " adaka/akwati nan.

Alkalami/Pensir na kan aljifu nan.

Diku " " lore nan.

(iii) The locative verbs "ajiye; kwance saye" may be introduced. e.g. Litafi na ajiye/kwance
kan/cikin lore nan.

These can be used to fill in the tables.

LESSON XI

22. Pronouns:

| | | | | | |
|-----|---|---------------|---------------------|-------------|----|
| I | = | Ni | We | = | mu |
| You | = | Kai | You | = | Ku |
| You | = | Key (kei) (f) | They | = | Su |
| He | = | Shi | | | |
| She | = | Ita | A = Impersonal e.g. | Annacin tuo | |

Note: Strictly speaking almost everything in Hausa, like French, is either masculine or feminine.

(i) DRILL:

| | | |
|----------------------|-------|----------------|
| Nnashan | fanta | Munashan fanta |
| Kanashan | " | Kunashan " |
| Kinashan (f) | " | |
| Inashan/Yanashan (m) | " | Sunashan " |
| Tanashan | " | |

(ii) For further practice:

- (a) Ci abinci/tuo
paaru/bodobodo
- (b)
- (c) Zo (zuwa) sukuuru/makaranta
- (d) Bida abinci
- (e) Yirawa! highlife
- (f) Tunka lore.

LESSON XII

23. (a) More drills in the pronouns:

Sentence practice:

E.g. Nnaci paanu

Tanaci akwadu

Kanaci shinkafa.

Use the following constructions:

i. Ci paanu/dakumu/tuo/dundu (doya) kalawele/roogo.

ii. Tehi (tefi) Kumasi/Bawku/Tamale/Ho

Note: Zaani " ; Zaamu Tamale etc.

iii. Zo (zuwa) sukuru/nari/Legon/Gida/taaruua (minti)

E.g. Nnazuwa sukuru.

iv. Bida abinci/kaasua.

v. So (like) magana/rawa/gujia.

vi. Yi rawa(n) highlife/adowa/soul etc.

E.g. Nnayi rawan " "

vii. Tuuka loore/Girigi/cece.

(b) Pronounce in sentences: Qns. and Ans.:

i. Me ? (what) e.g. Me cega? What is this?

ii. Ina? (where) Ina aaka Where are you going?

Pattern:

A. Me kace ci?

Me nice so?

Me Ace rawa?

Ina tatefi?

B. Nnaci tuo

Kanaso magana

Anaarawan highlife.

Tatefi jida etc.

LESSON XIII

24. Kwaana, Bokwai (mmaako) Wata, Shekara.

| i. <u>Singular</u> | <u>Plural</u> |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Kwaana | Kwaanaci |
| Bokwai | |
| Wata | Watanni |
| Shekara | Shekaru |

ii. Kwana daya, Kwaanaci biu etc. to 10 days.

(Note: Kwana biu = collog. is also sai)

Note: 134 days: Kwanaci dari da talatin da hudu.

25. i. da sukwuce (pl.)

..... da yawuce (sing.)

E.g. Kwanaci dari da sukwuce.

Bokwai daya da yewuce.

ii. Jiya (yesterday) Goobe (tomorrow)

Note: Watan jiya = last month.

Watan goobe = next month.

- iii. da sukezuwa (pl.)
..... da kezuwa (sing.)

Variation of (ii)

Wata da yawuce = last month

Wata de kezuwa = next month.

- iv. da rabi/da kadan.

Wata daya da rabi = $1\frac{1}{2}$ months.

Wata daya da kadan.

For practice:

Ranan Letani da yawuce n̄ga

Bokwai biu "

Watanni hudu " etc.

Use also: da sukezuwa

da kezuwa.

da rabi, and da kadan.

LESSON XIV

26. A and B ask each other how long they have been here:

A. Da kazo nan yadade?

B. Ee, yadade kadan.

Nasamu shekara daya da kadan(i)

Kai-fa?

A. Da nazo nan ba-yadade ba.

Nasamu watanni uku kade.(ii)

27. Variations of (i) and (ii) above:

(a) Nnada shekara daya da kadan.

Nnada watanni uku kade.

(b) Nadale korai.

(c) For practice:

Nasamu shekara .../Nnada Shekara

Nasamu/Nnada

Use: da rabi; da kadan; kwaanaci etc.

LESSON XV

28. A and B ask each other what they do:

- A. Yi hankuri, woni aiki kake yi?
B. Ni mallamin sukuuru ne.
Kai kuma woni aiki kake yi?
A. Ba ni yin aiki: nnazuwa sukuuru ne/nnakoyin abu ne.
B. Me kake koya?
A. Nnakoyan rawa daga Legon.
B. Ta yayi cawo. Zaani
A. Kagai da gida.

29. Notes: (a) i. yi aiki: to work

(Nnaa yin aiki, Ba ni yin. Ban aiki)

ii. Guada abu : to teach/show (something)

But Mallami - teacher.

Nnaguada abu = I am teaching (meaning)

I am a teacher.

iii. koya abu : to learn / to study.

(b) In "Koya abu" and Guada abu, if the object is named it should replace "abu". E.g.

Nnakoyan History/Hausa etc.

Nnaguada History/Hausa etc.

LESSON XVI

30. A finds B at work in the morning:

A. San'da aiki ! Sannuku da ... (pl.)

B. Sannu-kadée.

Yaya sanyi?

A. Lahialaw.

31. A. Yaya sanyi? B. Lahialaw

But San'da sanyi? Sannu-kadée.

San'da rana. Sannu-kadée.

San'da Ini. Sannu-kadée.

32. Common adjectives:

Kankani, Buba, daadi, cawo (beautiful)

For practice:

i. Yaro kankani ii.kankani

Buban mutum Buban

Abinci me daadi me daadi.

Riga me cawo. me cawo.

Note: i. Some verbs in Hausa come before the noun while others follow the noun.

ii. Some adjectives also require "me" before them.

LESSON XVII

33. A and B at the Post Office:

- A. Yi hankuri, woni wuri/Ina kake?
- B. Nna Legon.
- .. Akwai niisa?
- B. Ee, akwai niisa da nan
Woni wuri/Ina kai kuma kake?
- A. Nna Osu. Ba niisa da nan.
- B. Gaskiya?
- A. Ee.

34. Colours: for practice

Ja, baki, fari, shundi

- | | |
|-----------------|--------------------|
| i. Jan takarda. | ii. Ali nada |
| Bakin riga. | Fati nada |
| Farin takalmi. | Nnada |

Note: Revise adjectives in No.32.

Post Office = Post Office/Gidan waya.

LESSON XVIII

35. Where: Inna? /Woni wuri?

- i. A. Inna kace? B. Nna Osu.
Inna zaaka? Zaani Legon.
Inna Kofi ke zuwa sukuuru? Ina uwa sukuuru Tema.
- ii. A. Inna kasani? B. Nasan Kumashi.
Inna ake shan
giya/bommi? Anashan giya gida.
Inna ake hawan jiriji? Ana hawan jiriji Nsawam.
- iii. A. Inna kake koyan abu? B. Nna koyan abu Tamale.
Inna kasai koyi (egg)
nga? Naasai koyi nga kasuwa.
Inna kaci paano? Naaci paano Medina.

36. Construction of Sentences:

- i. A. Inna B. (Ans.)
Inna

LESSON XIX

37. A asks B whether he can speak French:

- A. Ni Kankuri kanajin Faransanci?
- B. Be nnaji. Nnaji Tuuranci kuma.
- A. Ni kuma nnaji Tuuranci. Faransanci de banji.
- B. Faransanci beda karfi/wuya.

38. For practice:

i. Faransanci beda karfi.

Aici nga beda karfi.

Toonanci (Twi) kuma beda karfi.

ii. Greek nada karfi.

Tuukan lore nada karfi.

Zaman duria nada karfi.

iii. Faransanci nada wuya.

Aici nga nada wuya.

Toonanci nada wuya.

39. Note: Kanajin Faransanci?

Deal with answers as well.

LESSON XX

40. A introduces C to B:

- A. (to B) Ga abocina Mallam Bawa.
- B. (to A) Ina yafito?
- A. (to B) Yafito Kumashi.
- B. (to C) San da -uwa. Nayi farinciki da ganinka.
- C. Ni kuma nayi farinciki da ganinka.

Notes:

- i. Ga - here is.

41. Sentence Drill: Watakila = "Perhaps"

Watakila ya o.

Watakila anyi hadere (rain) yawu.

Watakila munsamu wani yawu.

Watakila yadoki.

Watakila yafadi haka.

Watakila haka yake.

Note: In Hausa "Watakila" always begins a sentence.

LESSON XXI

42. A meets B at Christmas or some other festive anniversary:

A. Sannumu da sabon shekara

Sannumu da shan ruwa. (After Ramadhan)

B. Sannu kadee. Allah yakaimu na badi. Or
Allah yakaimu shekara ne uwa.

A. Amin. (Amen)

43. Other forms:

Sannumu da Sallah

Sannumu da Layyah

San da sawka (after E'el prayers)

(b) Revise some of the previous lessons.

LESSON XXII

44. Sentence Practice:

| | | | | |
|---------|---|---------|-------|--------|
| Agiye | } | Litaji | kan | Aljifu |
| Sa/Saka | } | Riga na | gikin | Table |
| Cire | } | kudi | cikin | adaka |
| Doki | } | abinci | | |

45. Revision: Adjectives and colours.

(a) i. Dogon/Guntun Hanya

or Hanya nada sawo (dogo)

Hanyan beda sawo/nisa

(b) i. Ja, Baki, Fari-n-riga

ii. " " " Takarda

" " " Diku

" " " Ankiti.

(c) Nna da cikin dacin Kofi

..... na kan taburun Ama.

LESSON XXIII

46. A and B ask each other whether they have been to Kumasi etc.

- A. Kataba uwa Kumashi. (i)
- B. A,a ban taba juwa Kumashi ba.
Kaifa, kataba juwa?
- A. Ee, nataba juwa.
- B. Hanya nade nisa/sawo?
- A. Ee, aquai nisa: male dari da sitin da tara.

47. Notes: Other form(s)

(i) Kasan Kumashi

(Ans.) (a) Ee nasan Kumashi da cawo (well)/korai.

(b) Bansan Kumashi ba kwataa.

(ii) (Adverbial numerals): Soo-guda (soo daya)

Soo-biu, Soo-uku, Soo-hudu etc.: Just add
the prefix - soo - to the numerals.

(iii) (a) The Cardinal numerals up to 1,000 (Dubu)
to be treated.

(b) "Kwataa" means 'at all' and goes with
negatives.

LESSON XXIV

48. Sentence Practice:

(a) i. Kofa nga nada karami

or Kofa nga kankani ne.

Ali yaro ne/kankani ne.

ii. Garinshi nada jirima.

or Garinshi baba ne.

Hanyan Kumashi nada sawo.

iii. Wang'a nada cawo.

Sunan kiriki nada cawo.

iv. Paanu nada dadi.

Danwana fari ne. (fair complexioned)

(b) i. Kofa nga yafi woncan karami.

Ali yafi Bawa karami.

ii. Sidi yafi pesewa 60 (sitin).

Garinshi yafi gari nga jirima.

iii. Hanyan Kumashi yafi na Tema sawo.

Ali yafi danwashi sawo.

Ali yafi kani/yaya-nshi sawo.

iv. Wanya yafi wuncan cawo.

Sunan kiriki yafi ar iki.

v. Jan ankiti yafi bakin ankiti.

Paanu yafi dakunu daadi?

vi. Pensirinka yafi nawa ja.

Kanina/Yayana yafini fari.

LESSON XXV

49. A visits B, a colleague, in B's house (in the morning)
- A. Gaafara! / Asalamu Alaikum
B. Wanine? / Alaikum Salam.
A. Nine Ali.
B. Ngwaya! Ga kujere.
A. Yauwa, inaa kwana?
B. Lafiz law, inaa gajiya?
A. Baa gajiya
B. Ne akusha?
A. Ne kake da shi?
B. Akwai pito, ruwa, beer, etc.
A. Bani pito. (pito is served)
B. San da uwa!
A. Sannu kade!
B. Lafia de?
A. O, Lafia ne/da aliheri.
B. Na o nduba lafia nku ne.
B. Na gode da uwan ka.
A. Yaya nan?
B. Nan da, to she talawci da nyinwa.
A. Allah ya sawuka.
B. Amin.
A. To, na koma jida.
B. Nagode korai. Kasai da jida.
A. To jida yaji.

Note: Dialogue to be practised and mastered.

LESSON XXVI

50. Sentence drill: nyinwa, kishin-ruwa, košhi/amfana

(a) i. A. Nnaji nyinwa.

Nnaji nyinwa kadan.

Nnaji nyinwa korai

Nnaji nyinwa da cawo.

B. Ni de ba niji nyinwa..

ii. A. Nnaji kishin-ruwa.

Nnaji kishin-ruwa da cawo.

Nnaji kishin-ruwa korai.

B. Karya! kishin-ruwa bejin'ka.

(b) A. Na-koshi

Or Naci, nasha na-koshi.

Naci, nasha na-amfana.

Or Na koshi/Na-amfana.

simply

B. Ni de, nnaci ba ni koshi.

51. i. A. Nnaji sanyi

Nnaji sanyi korai: na yi ciwo.

B. Akwai sanyi, amaa ba ka ciwo.

ii. A. Nnaji ufa/Nnaji ufa korai.

B. Ni de nnaji sanyi.

iii. Akwai sahyi da gaskiya

Akwai ufa sosai. etc.

LESSON XXVII

52. A says good-bye to B: A takes leave of B:

- A. Nnaso nroki hanya ntefi.
- B. Yaya, yan u nga?
- A. Yayı kamata ntehi, ani taruwa.
- B. To, akwai hanya.
- A. Shai anjima.
- B. Ka sawuka lafia
- A. Amin. Na gode.
- B. Nnkateki nnagai da maatan' ka.
- A. To taaji.

Notes: i. Attention on: roki hanya, yan u nga, ynyi kamata, taruwa taaji.

ii. Dialogue to be mastered.

LESSON XXVIII

53. Sentence drill: Who: Wanine/Wa

i. Wa yazo nan? ii. Wa ya tafi wurin?

Wa yaci zuwa? Wa ya cira ni?

Wa ya tuuka lore? Wa ya lawuna?

Wa ya san toonanci? Wa ya fadi haka?

iii. Wa etahi Ankara? Wa

Wa esayi takalimi? Wa

Wa ezo nan? Wa

Wa ke cira na? Wa

Note: Wanine or Wa is used only in questions, but never used to introduce adjectival clause such as in "The man who came here is my friend".

54. Revision of 49 and 54.

LESSON XXIX

55. Sentence practice: So (to like, to be found of, to love; etc)

- | | |
|---------------------|---------------------------|
| i. Nnaso akwedu. | ii. Ali na so |
| Nnaso waaka. | Fantie kuma na so |
| Ka na so magana. | Alhusan na so wasa. |
| Ka na so fiira. | Wanine be so abinci? |
| Ina so maganan shi. | Wanine be so kudi? |
| Or simply | Me-nine ba ka so? |
| Ina son shi. | Yaya kake so gwanda haka? |
| Ina son tafiya. | |

iii. Trainees own sentences:

56. Sentence Practice:

Da nna so ... (I should like to ...)

- | | |
|-----------------------------|--|
| i. Da nna so nyi waka. | |
| Da " " nroki hanya ntefi. | |
| Da " " nyi Twi (toonanci) | |
| Da " " ko-o kaduba ni. | |
| ii. Ka naso kayi waka ne? | |
| " " kagan ni ne? | |
| " " ka tambayeri magana ne? | |
| iii. Ina so yntefi | |
| " " yaci abinci. | |
| " " ya yi/ya fadi magana. | |
| " " ya yi karaatu. | |
| " " ya karenta (litafi) | |

Notes: i. These are to be practised and mastered.

ii. Pictorial or tabular devices can be employed to establish the above patterns.

LESSON XXX

57. Parts of the human body:

| | | | |
|--------|------------|-----------|--------|
| (a) i. | Kayi (kai) | Ido | Kunni |
| | Baaci | Hanci | Leebo |
| | Wuya | Hannu | Kiriji |
| | Mamma | Ciki | Muugu |
| | Dawawu | Katara | Gwiiwa |
| | Taafe-n - | hanmu ... | (palm) |
| | Taafe-n - | kafa ... | (sole) |

ii. Other parts:

| | | |
|------------------------|---------|-------|
| Hakori | Halshi | Jeemu |
| Yaasa | Hakaifa | |
| Gashi- n- kayi | | |
| Yaasosi (pl. of yaasa) | | |
| Yaasoosi- n- kafa. | | |

(b) Sentence Practice:

i. Hannu na, Hannun Ali,

Hannun wa ke ga?

ii. A. Inanka ke ciwo?

B. Gwiiwa na, kayi na, ciki na etc.

LESSON XXXI

53. Fruits to buy; and currency to use:

i. Currency: Pesewa (kwabo)

Pesewa/kwabo biyar.

sidi, sidi uku.

ii. Leemu, Gujiya, Akwadu, Gwanda, Tankwa, Kubeewa,
Kace, Gawuta, Nasara, Daawa, Maiwa, aborobe etc.

Note: Introduce ci (eat)

e.g. Ci gujiya.

59. Sentence Practice:

Knaa sammani (I think/believe, that

Knaa sammani Seidu na nan.

Knaa sammani ka na so bommin kwaakwa.

Za na sammani ina da cawo?

Negative Form:

Ban sammani Seidu na'nan ba.

Ba ka sammani Seidu na nan bo?

LESSON XXXII

60. A buys oranges from B. They haggle about the price:

- A. Mei-Leemu, nawa nawa?
- B. Ka sayi (sai) woni?
Uku sile (pesewa goma)
- A. Ina da saada, raje.
- B. Kawo pesewa takwas (i.e. takafa da damba)
- A. Raje
- B. Kai ma fadi na ka.
- A. Na baka pesewa biyar (takafa)
- B. Habs yayi kadan, kara mini.
- A. Pesewa bokwai.
- B. Kawo kudi. Nndawre ma ka?
- A. Aa-a. Pesewa ashirin (Dalla) ne
ka na de canji (change)?
- B. Ee. Naaba ka canji pesewa goma sha uku.
- A. Ee. Ba-ni jara mana.
- B. Aa-a? Mallam? Ga shi.
Chanji nka kuma cega.
- A. Naa goode.

Notes: i. Dialogue to be practised.

ii. Words to discuss:

Mai-Leemu, (Mei-Gujya etc.) raje, kara,
dawre canji.

LESSON XXXIV

61. Practise No. 60 over and over again between different pairs until it is mastered.
62. Sentence Practice: Yayi kamata --
- i. Yayi kamata ran Tani (ya tafi)
ya yi kwana
Yayi kamata njira
Yayi kamata ya o nan.
 - ii. Yayi kamata yagan shi
Yayi kamata muyi aikin mu da cawo
Yayi kamata Asibi tatefi sukuuru yau (yawu).
63. Notes: (a) The negative form:
Be kamata ba
E.g. Be kamata ka yi mi shi daaria ba.
Aa-a Be kamata 'ba.'
- (b) The sentences may be practised with the variants as well as the positive and the negative forms of the terms being studied.

LESSON XXXIV

64. A reports sick to B.:

- A. Nallam banda laffiya kokadan.
- B. Inanka/ki ke kyiwo (ciwo)?
- A. Kai na, da sakani na.
- B. Shai ka (ki) je ka (kin) ga dokta?
- A. Aa a, rafani yabani magani.
- B. Yakye (ce) ka (ki) sha ko ka (ki) yi yaya dashi?
- A. Wai iyi masi dashi
- B. He, idan ka (ki) tafi likita ka(ki) tafi.
- A. Banda kudi.
- B. Karbi sidi biyu ka(ki) tafi likita maza..
- A. To, nagode.
- B. Baa godiya.

65. Notes:
- i. Banda lafiya; Ina ke kyiwo; banda karfi.
 - ii. Kai na/sakani/kafafuwa/hakori/kyiki etc.
 - iii. Sha/hadiye/shafa/dura/tauna/shaka/kurkure etc. magani.
 - iv. The "Conversation" is to be gone through first and foremost then a treatment of any difficulties together with "Notes i - iii" and then a further practice (and acting) of the whole conversation.

LESSON XXIV

66. Sentence drill: Today = Yau, Tomorrow = Gobe, Yesterday = Jiya.

(final = karshe, ne hal = sakuni, initial = farko)

(a) i. Zani Kumashi yau.

Naga ni Kofi nanga yau.

Ya'zo yau.

ii. Wai ka (ki) zo yau.

Yazo yau.

Muna nan yau duka.

iii. Yau ruwa yazo or (Anyi ruwa yau)

Yau Laruba or (Yau ranan Laruba)

Yau munkoyi Hausa or (Munkoyi Hausa yau)

(b) i. Zo ka(ki) ziyracheni gobe.

Karkatafi (karkitafi) yau, tafigobe.

Duba hanya na gobe.

Kofi yayi wanka gobe.

ii. Tafi warin gobe da safe.

Muntafi gobe dam ranche

Ji radio, gobe,

Gobe alhamis.

(c) i. Ya zo (tazo) nanga jiya,

Munchi sakwara ji ya.

Yatafi (tatafi) Tamale jiya

Kunkoyi Hausa jiya.

(ii) Jiya muntuka mato or lore (or Nuntuka lore jiya)

Jiya kayi (kinyi) waaka.

Munyi rawan "highlife" jiya da safe.

Jiya kadai mukasai wani.

67. Notes: i. There is opportunity here to deal with:

dasafe, darana, damaranche, dadare.

ii. The instructor may use his own, methodology
in dealing with the material in this lesson.

LESSON XXXVI

68. Revision of No. 25:

Watāx da yu wuchen ga.

69. Sentence drill: Yana mini chiwo (a, b, c.)

(a) Of Physical pain:

Hafū na nayi mini chiwo.

Kai na nayi mini chiwo.

Hanu'ka (or hanu ki) na chi wo ne?

Idanu nta (idanu shi) na chi wo ne?

Jikina na chi wo.

Inan ka (inan ki) ke chiwo?

(b)

Pitying:

Ya na mini chiwo da ba ya oba.

Ya na mini chiwo da banda kudi.

Yana mini chiwo da kache banta loka chinka
or (f. kina bata loka chinki)

Yana mini chiwo da buka sani wani kassai ba
or (f. bakisamu wani kinsaiba)

(c)

Apology:

Yana mini chiwo dā na sawra bayo.

Yana mini chiwo dā nefadi hakando.

Yana mini chiwo dā banzeba.

Yana mini chiwo dā niche damunka.

- Note:
- i. Difficulties are to be dealt with.
 - ii. The sentences are to be practised.
 - iii. New words:- bata, lokachi; samu, damura.
 - iv. The Instructor may set up his own role-plays in which some of these expressions may be put into use.

LESSON XXXVII

70. Sentence Practice: Mai yasa? why? (used only at the initial position in the sentences)

To be explained and practised: Note the emphasis: -

= Mai yasa

i. Mai yasa ka zo nân? or (Meya ki ka zo nân?)

Mai yasa ko ke zanne nan? or (meyasa ki ke zanne nan?)

Mai yasa ka ke koyon Hausa (Ke yasa kike ko yau Hausa?)

Mai yasa ka ke duba (or kalo) na hakanan?

ii. Mai yasa zaka? or (zaki)

Mai yasa kasai abinchi or (kika sai abinchi)

Mai yasa baka (or ki) so ka (or ki) yi magana?

Mai yasa ka (or ki) ke dariya.

71. Notes: i. New words: - duba; dariya.

ii. "Domin" and "bakomi" are to be introduced.

The questions may now be practised on a dialogue form:

e.g. A. Meyasa kake (or kike) dubâna hakanan?

B. Bakomi (or) Nadu banka (or ki) domin kanada
(or kinada) chao. (cawo)

The sentences will be taken up one by one, and answered, every one getting a turn.

iii. In a sentence like: "Because I said that/so, he left". would be translated "Domin...." but with another "because" which is "abinda ya sa .."

The translation then becomes "Domin fadi haka man, she ya
(or ta) tafi."

72. (i) Revision of the numerals to 1 Million.

(ii) The personal numerals 1 - 9 being:

daya, subiyu, suwunku, sufude, subiyar,
sushida, subakwai, sutakwas, sutara, to be
practised: e.g. Wadansu yara swiludu na nanga.
Mmutani shida.

LESSON XXVIII

73. Vocab. for buying and selling:

- i. Fruits and vegetables (See No.58) Also: ayaka or burde, dundu, mankani, kwakwan taguri, kwakwaniya, kwai, masara.
- ii. Household goods: paranti; kyanshi, kato, isankarochin abinchi, tukunya, takalme, riga, fulla, zari, kujera, tabum, kofa, tukunya taba.

74. A buys from B at B's shop:

- A. Nallam yi hankuri, zaninga nawa?
- B. Kudinshi (or kasuan shi) sidi goma
- A. Yi hankuri ba erage wa?
- B. Aa, a, ama idan kisai (or kasai) donki sidi tarz.
- A. Yi hankuri ba ka (or ki) karban takwas?
- B. Kawo..
- A. To, ama bieri kodan; masee idu bu furintinka, da mada da kyansuna ga kuma.
- B. To, ina sayurwine, sai ngarn make (or niki)
- A. Ka bani (kin bani) bushii?
- B. Yi ankuri ponga ba abudu bushii.
Sai (ki or) kaje ki same runche kabia.
- A. To, neji, karbi sidi takwas ga tu kuma
- B. To, nagede.

Note: The "conversation" is to be practised, and then acted (as the rest look on, or in pairs when all get going at the same time.)

LESSON XXIX

75. Revision of No.74.

76. Sentence Practice:- "whether - or":

(This is expressed in Hausa by the use of "oo".)

i. Yazo oo, bezuwa oo, baruwana.

ii. Yana chin abinchi oo, bechin abinchi oo, ban
iyanguada.

iii. Nkayimagana oo, bakayi magunaba oo, ankinaka.

iv. Yaronam yanakwana oo, be kwa na oo, baya sani ba.

77. Sentence practice: But — ama

i. Natafi wurin ama banyi maganan wani ba.

ii. Ya yia (yi) de ama baikai ubanshi.

iii. Yana son kuka ama nyayi yakayi daria.

iv. Hanyan na da nisa de, ama mantafi.

78. Sacking or Showing Direction:

B. helps A. to find his way to the U.T.C. Shop

- A. Tihankuri, gudarini hennyan fiyadum U.T.C.
- B. Wukye polisin SWI, iyaso kififi gabangka mike.
- A. Akwai wani lankwasa gaba ne?
- B. Eee, akwai wani lankwasa. Idan ka kai wurim bitahagu.
- A. As u! me ne ne kuma?
- B. Idan kabitahegu U.T.C. na wurin nu.
- A. To ena kiswi kuma yake?
- B. Yen'a baya U.T.C. nan noo.
- A. Yoo, Mallam magode,
- B. G, karka goda (or o, ba godiya)

Notes: i. New words to be discussed: wuche, polisi, lankwasa, kaiwa, lankwasawa, wurin nan.
ii. The conversation should not be merely read but each learner should get the essential items and use them in his own expressions - a point to which the practice should be geared.

79. Sentence practice: Ni — even.

- i. Kai ma kache baika da shi bale ni.
Ni ma na'iyi nyi.
Shi ma, ya iyi yubiyi ba le kai.
Wanga ma, like Allah no da bari haribi.
- ii. Bayandubi ifo na tamu.
Ko ruwa ma karska ba.
Kai ma kayi dadin kai ai-kasaru kadan.
Yau ma kega kala gobe.

Note: Difficult sentences may be broken into simple forms for study, and then joined up again for practice.
E.g. "Bunshi ba" "Ko ruwa ma ..." then "Ko ruwa ma karska ba."

LESSON XII

61. Sentence practice: Me — what (or Yaya).

(a) i. Me sunan ka (ki)

or Yaya sunanka (ki)

Me kake dashi,

(f. kike dashi)

Me kasaba sae?

ii. Me zaka samu?

Me zaka sai?

Me yabata? or (me ya ba che?)

(b) i. Meka ke so? or (Me ka ke nema?)

Me kz che? (ce)

Me ya che? (ce)

ii. Me zakayi?

Me zakasha?

Me zaka bani?

(c) i. Wani abu? ii. Me yasa? iii. Me ya fa ru?

iv. Don mi?

Bisa kan mi ya sa?

Me zaka samu?

.../

- Notes: i. New words to explain: sumu shi, bayar, bayar, gasa,
mazana (or labiri)
- ii. The questions may be practised with their appropriate
answers:
e.g. Mai ka che?
(Answer) Na che bani kudi
Na che bani hanya.
Na che biya shi (or biyita)
("Mai ka che"? is like "Yi anhuri" when you want
a statement repeated).
- iii. Role-plays and other ways may be used to establish
the expressions with "me" (what)

84. Extension of 83.

Shey-karanjiya - the day before yesterday.

Yau - today (with emphasis)

Jibi - the day before tomorrow.

i. Naachi rogo sheykaransiya; yau kuma muna chin rogo;
donshi gobe bamu chin rogo kuma.

ii. Kuntafi garin Kofi jibi.

iii. Munkai Kumashi yau-yau.

Notes: i. Attention on: fahimta; rogo; kaiwa/kai.

ii. Much practice..

iii. Other aids may be employed.

LESSON XLIV

65. New words to be explained: (safia - morning, rana - noon-tide,
maranche - evening, wayewa guri - day; däre - night.

(b) yi waka, tafi aiki, koyi Hitua, kuna fitila, yitafia,
yi wasa, tafi taruwa, donshi, korkuyi kwana. - shey

66. i. Naatuka mato (or lere) dasafia.

cr Nikan tuka mato dasafia.
Kofi kawji waka dasafin.

ii. Bonzuwa aiki darana;
Natafi aiki da-dare.

iii. No-kuna fitila da-däre.
Bon kuna fitila da-safe.

iv. Yokan tuka mato da-dare.
Be-kan tuka mati da-rana.

v. Mukayi waka kowani safia.
Shey mukayi wasa dambranche.

vi. Mukayi tafii da-ran.

Tafi taruwa da-maranche.

vii. Kofi kantafi tarbo da-safe.
Be kantafi tarbo da-dare.

viii. Ann tafiya da-dare.
Donshi ann kuna fitila da-dare.

ix. Nasha tii da-maranche.
Eai na ka kan sha tii da-maranche.

x. Bamayin wasp yiu.
Zuman taruwa da-ranan ga.

Note: There should be opportunity for the Learners to make
sentences of their own using these terms above.

LESSON XLV

87. Sentence drill: Wani lokachi (lit. "what time") when

- (a) i. Wani lokachi kake shan tii?
Wani lokachi kake zuwa aiki?
Wuni lokachi ake farawa?
Wani lokachi ake gwada abu?

ii. Wani lokachi katafi wurin?
Wani lokachi mukafadi hakanan?
Wani lokachi kazo nanga?
Wani lokachi kayi waka?

iii. Wani lokachi yake zuwa?
Wani lokachi zamutafi?
Wani lokachi yashigu chiki?
Wani lokachi zamuyi rawan highlife?

iv. Kanashan tii wani lokachi?
Munfadi hakanan wani lokachi?
Zamu wurin wani lokachi?
Munyi rawan highlife wani lokachi?

(b) Questions and Answers:

- i. Q. Wani lokachi kakeshan tii?
Ans. Nna shan tii da-safe/da raha, etc.

ii. Q. Wani lokachi kazo nanga?
A. Nazoo nanga jiya.

iii. Q. Wani lokachi ya kezuwa?
A. Yena zuwa da-maranchenga.

iv. Q. Munyi rawan highlife wani lokachi?
A. Munyi rawan highlife yau/gobe etc.

- Notes: i. Vocab. (Revision) Faro, tafi, aiki, fadi hakanan, yi aiki.
ii. Learners may be given the chance to put the questions for others to answer, working in turns.

LESSON XLVI

88. Sentence practice: (a) ... Idan (b) Idan ...

(a) i. Idan natafi warin (de) yayi aikin.

Idan yiye nanga (de) natombey shi magana

Idan yi waka (de) yataashi.

Idan akabaga highlife (de) yaatafi gida.

ii. Idan Kofi yazo warin kafitha.

Idan kafahinta, kayimagana.

Idan ka-ganshi, kirani.

Idan yafadi hakanan, yikuwa.

(b) Idan yayidaria, fita kafifi.

Idan kagari kaman yeri chiwo, bashi magani.

Idan kaji maganan nan, kaboye.

Idan jirjin riwan yatashi, ka zogida.

(c) Idan ... etc.

89. Notes: i. Vocab. (Revision) yi aiki, tambayi, roki,

yi waka

(new words) fita, yikuwa, trishi, boye, gida.

ii. Further practice of (a) and (b) should be done after the discussion of the vocabulary.

LESSON XLVII

90. Sentence practice: Ajiye etc. (Negative: kar ka ajiye)

(a) i. Ajiye wurin. ii. Ajiye kudin nan.

Chira bisa. Pensiri (alkalami)

Ajiye kuma. takalmi

(Doki) Chira bisa. takarda.

iii. Ajiye takardan nan kan teburun na/chikin, karkashin/
kusar etc. kudi, akwati, pensiri (alkalami)
kujera.

(b) i. Zuba wurin.. ii. Zuba kasan wurir.

Chira, Zuba Zani nan nanga.

Zuba nan. Zuba lerai nan nanga.

Chira etc. Zuba kudin na wurin.

iii. Zuba zani nan kan kasan nan/chikin/kusa da
lerai, kudi, ruwa, la-aka, lore (mato)
adaka (akwati) etc.

(c) i. Ajiye wurin. ii. Ajiye firawasi nan wurin
nan

Chira bisa, tii,

Ajiye nanga. giya,

Chira bisa. etc. kudi.

iii. Ajiye firawase nan kan teburun nan/karkashi etc.
Ruwa, kudi, tii, lore (mato) daki, akwati (adaka)

Note: i. Vocab.: lerai, firawase, tii, giya, daki,

ii. The negative forms — "Karka ajiye firawase nan
wurin" etc. should be practised.

LESSON ELEVEN

PI. Sentence practice:

Kawo (brings) Tafi dashi (take away)

Kawo ma (bring to) Kai ma (take to)

(a) i. Kawo

ii. Tafi dashi.

Kawo man

Tafi dashi wurin.

Kawo maza

Tafi dashi maza.

Kawo wurin

Tafi dashi yawynu.

(b) With dates: "kawo" becomes "kawoma" and "kai" becomes "kai ma"

i. Kawo mini

ii. Kai mi shi.

Kawo mishi

Kai musu.

Kawo mana

Kai ma suduka.

Kawo wurin man.

Kai ma shi kaddi.

(c) With accusative without datives, the forms are:
"Kawo" and "Tafida dashi".

i. Kawo ruwa man.

ii. Tafida ruwa man.

Kawo kujera man.

Tafida kujera wurin.

Kawo kudi maza.

Tafida kudi yan'u.

(d) The dative is introduced, and therefore the forms change accordingly as before (see b. above)

i. Kawo mini kudi.

ii. Kai ma Amma Zani.

Kawo ma Kofi kujer kirkii.

Kai ma dabi man abinchii

Kawo maza alheri.

Kai ma Akup kudi.

(e) Notes: i. Negatives: 'kawo'

Kurka kawo.

Kawo mini.

Kurka kawo mini.

Tafi dashi

Kurka tafi dashi.

Kai ma Yaw ruwa.

Kurka kai ma Yaw ruwa.

ii. Methodology: At the discretion of the Instructor.

LESSON XLIX

92. Sentence Practice: Zan ajiye: Negative: Ban ajiyewa etc.

- | | |
|---|---------------------------------|
| i. Zan ajiye. | ii. Na ajiye pensere wurin nan. |
| Zuba nan. | Tii yena chikin moda |
| kara ka/chiki etc. | Zani yena karkashi terburu. |
| ii. Na ajiye takardar na kan teburu nan/kar kashi; etc. | |
| Kudi | yena chikin ekwati (adaka) |
| Lerai | yena kan kujera. |
| Zani, | kwataku. |
| pensiri | lore (mato) |
| ferawas | endo |
| tii | guga. |

Note: The negative forms "Ban ajiye tii kan kujera" should also be practised.

Kofi ya .../Ama ta ... should also be introduced.

93. Sentence practice:

Ya-isa (i) (ba kari, nagode) Na samu wansaya isheyni.

(ii) Ya-ayi

(iii) Ya isa.

(iv) A-a, nagode) Na iya iyi dabara.

i. Ea-sha kuma? (Ans.) O, yayi (or yaisa)

Moaka "cake" nga kadan? "

ii. Nabashi kudin nam:

Ya ajiye loren (mato) karkashi
itache nan

iii. Ya-aya yake? (Ans.) Yayi.

Zarani nan wani nasamu nka. "

iv. Ntafi dekai? (Ans.) O, yayi.

Kana chiwo ne nyaso kazo

ka karbi magani (Ans.) O, yayi.

LESSON L.

94. Reading the clock:

(a) To be mastered:

- i. Karfe daya, karfe biyu, karfe uku, karfe fudu,
karfe biyer, karfe shida, karfe bakwai, karfe takwas,
karfe tara, karfe goma, karfe goma-shadaya, karfe goma-shabiyu.
- ii. Karfe daya da-rabi; biyu da-rabi; uku da-rabi.

(b) Sanran minti goma-abuga karfe daya.

" " goma-sha-daya abuga karfe shi-de.

(c) Karfe daya yawuche da minti ashirin,

karfe uku yawuche da minti biyar etc.

(d) Karfe Fudu da minti takwas.

Karfe shida da minti goma-sha-biyar etc.

95. General practice: Ambuga nowi? (alternative: ambuga kaman...)

(See the answer pattern in 94 a, b, c, and d)

Notes: i. Vocab. Kaman: it's about.....

(alternative : ambuga kaman.....)

ii. Learners should be given their turn to put the question for the others to answer. The whole exercise should be practised over and over again.

iii. The lesson proceeds better with a clock or with a paper clock or at least the diagram of a clock.

LESSON LI

96. i. New words: shiga chiki, kai, shekara, kwanzafudu kega etc. gariruka.

ii. Revision: tafi, zo, kwanta, sha, chi.

97. Revision: Wani lokachi ... (No.87)

Question: Wani lokachi yazonan?

Patterns answers: i. Ya-a zona karfe^e shida da-rabi.

ii. " " " jiya

iii. " " " ranan da-dare.

iv. " " " dasafenga.

v. " " " (rana) ran-laraba.

vi. " " " rana litani daya wuche

vii. " " " shekara fudu kega.

viii. " " " ya-a dade.

ix. " " " yakai wata biyu.

x. " " " yau-nga/jiya kadai.

Note: (a) The question could be diversified.

e.g. Wani lokachi mukafara?

Wani lokachi ya zo?

Wani lokachi kukar kai wurin

(use other vocab. too)

(b) Answers should be related to the questions.

LESSON LII

98. Relationships:

(a) Pronunciation drill: baba, umu, dan-uwa, da, refani,
kaka, miji, mata, aboki, suriki, aboki, yaro.

(b) Sentence practice:

Question: Nallamanga wa ne ne?

Nallamanga

or Nallamangu fa?

Yaronga wa ne ne?

or Yaronge fa?

Answer: 1. Baba-na ne

Uma-na ne

Dan-uwa-na ne

Da-na "

Refani-na "

Kaka-na "

Miji na "

Mata-na "

Aboki-na "

Sarakuna-na ne.

99. Note: Another term for "Uma" is "Ura" and for "baba" is "Uba". Paternal uncles and aunts are "babani"; and maternal aunts are "umanni": hence "baba bobba" and "baba-karaki" and "Uma bobba" and "Uma Karama". Maternal uncle is "Refani", one's true avuncular relative.

LESSON. LIII

100. Can: To be able, etc.

(a) Sentence drill:

i. Na-iya tuka lōre (or mato)

Ina-iya chin sakwara.

Yena-iya waka.

Yena-iya rawan adoa (solo)

ii. free to ... (If you wish)

Ka-iya ka kirishi

Kun-iya mu sey abinchi nanga.

Ka-iya katafi.

Kun-iya kufadi wani..

(b) Questions and Answers:

i. Q. Kana-iya chin abinchi Ghana? Ans. Ee, ina-iya chin abinchi Ghana.

ii. Q. Kana-iya tuka lōre? (or mato) " E, na-iya tu ka kowani irin lōre (mato)

iii. Q. Kana-iya fadi Hausa? " Ee, ya-iya fadi Hausa kwarai.

iv. Q. Yena-iya rawan highlife? " Ee, ye na-iya rawan highlife kwarai.

101. The negative forms ... ban-iya fadi/chin etc.

i. Ban iya tuka lōre (or mato) etc. (see 100. i)

ii. Baka-iya gaga nini hakanan: ka-ji (see 100. ii)

iii. Q. Baki iya zuwa ne? Ans. A-a, ban-iya zuwa..

Be-iya magana ne? " A-a, be-iya magana koo-ka dan.

Note: 100 and 101 should be practised and mastered.

LESSON LIV.

102. Conversation: washing.

- A. Yihankuri, wanke hanuku li: ne.
- B. Kaniso nyi naki wane abure?
- A. Ee, imason ka wanke nini diki da faringado na na.
- B. Kanada sabulu, blu da chanshi?
- A. Ee, ina da wani.
- B. To, idan kayan suka busha wazegoge maka?
- A. Kani na ya goge.
- B. Kana da teburi da gowaji?
- A. Eee, mada biyun dulci wanji?
- B. Ina zaka shangi?
- A. Kan igiyen ga?
- B. Nadala, na wanke dachau.
- A. To, magode.
- B. O, ba godiya.

Note: (a) Vocabo, i. verbs — wawanke, wanke

ii. nouns: faringado, giden-laferu;

sabulu, gowaji, busha, sus,

shangi, kyanshi.

(b) The conversation may now be practised over and over again. If the Learners deviate from the actual words here and use correct expressions of their own to embody this sense required — so much the better.

(c) The Instructor may employ "aidan" to establish the vocabo in this lesson.

LESSON LV

103. Idan haka nan ne (then, i.e. "in that case" ...)

For practice:

i. Kazo? Idan haka nán ne tafi.

Kanaso sakwara? Idan haka nan ne zoma na.

Ya san hanya? Idan haka nan ne yatafi mana.

Munfahimta? Idan haka nan ne mutashi mana.

ii. A. Ni dan Kofi ne. B. Idan haka nan ne tafi dashi.

Nasan gidan ka. Idan haka nan ne zo wurin.

Yena da kudi. " " " sayar mi shi.

Yena némanka. " " " kirawo shi.

104. Kuma (then, and then, also etc.)

i. Nayi waka, kuma iyi rawa.

Yena tuka lore (mato), kuma ye na noman gona.

Bayá gani, kuma bayayin megana.

Yena da aziki, kuma yasan takarda.

ii. Yena gwada abu (karantawa), kuma

Chachawani, kuma

Yena shan giya, kuma

Yena jinya (maganá), kuma

105. i. Tukuna ii. Sanan (before)

i. Used in the final position of the sentence.

Ko-tifi? idan haka ne yiko kari ka gini tukuna.

Idan kana so danki, ama biye tukuna.

Ji abinda yakefadi tukuna.

Muntafi, ana yazo tukuna.

(or sanda yazo)

ii. Used in the initial or medial position of the sentence.

Kare sanan katifi.

Duba idonu sanan kayi magana.

Nna-chin abinchchi sanan ntifi.

Fara tafia sanan abuga karfe fudu.

Note: New words: tashi, bida (nr nemi), yikokori, biyu.

LESSON LVI

106. Revision: i. Conversation: No.102.

ii. Relations No.98(b)

107. Yenə mini kamen (It seems to me/it appears).

Sentence practice:

i. Yenə mini kamen kanyin Hausa.

" " " kanyi chiwo.

" " " kanyi neman wani.

" " " ka-iya kayi.

ii. Yenə mishi kamen bainuson bumi.

" " " banda kudi.

" " " matan shi na nanga.

" " " kanada kudi deewa.

Note: With these as patterns, other sentences can be made.

LESSON LVII

108. Conversation: Drumming, Dancing and Singing.

A. and B. talk on drumming, dancing and Singing

A. Nnason "highlife" kwarhi (dagsake)

B. Ka iya rawa?

A. Ee, na iyi rawan "highlife". Kuna naiya wakan
highlife.

B. Ka kan yi waka?

A. Ee, ne kan yi waka, bale waka ibadu.
To, knime kana son rawa da waka?

B. Inason waka (or wakewaka). Kuna, idan akoyi
kidi da chin, nikan yi rawa.

A. Kunada dan kalangu? (ney kalangu?)

B. Eee, mana da woni. Yao-iya kidi sosni.

Note: New words, bale (especially), kalangu, kidi, etc.

LESSON LVIII

109. Revision: i. Reading the clock: No. 94.
ii. Nos. 100 and 101.

110. It looks as if.... i. Natana ii. Kaman
(Nna samani)

For practice:

- i. (a) Nna samani bakada lafiya?
" bakaji abindayafaru ba?
" - bamuzuwa ya?
" Kwadwo yayi kwani?

(b) Nna samani bakida lafia?
Nna samani bakaji abinda yufaniba?
" " bamuzuwa yan?
" " Kwadwo yayi kwani?

ii. (a) Kaman hadari/ruwan ga zaizo
Kaman Kofi kezuwan ga.
" kanaso, kaman bakaso.
" yenakukta, " yena dariya.

(b) Kaman hadari ga zaizo,
" Kofi ke zuwon ga
" kanaso, kaman bakaso.
" yenakukta, " yena dariya.

Note: Other sentences may be formed along these lines.
(i.e. i. and ii.)

LESSON LIX

III. Everyday Commands:

- i. Zo (come); Yaro, zo; zo nanga kvasi ee, zo.
- ii. Bari (stop); kai, bari; Kofi, bari; bari haka na.
- iii. Yi tayi (go on; proceed; go ahead.)
- iv. Kira (call) kira mini Amma; kira ta; kira su.
- v. Bida (or' nemi) (look for it; search for it; seek)
- vi. Yar (throw it away) Yar da ha-ama na (throw the meat away.)
- vii. Karkayi magana (don't talk) karkayi magana, kaji?)
Yishuran (be quiet); yi kurun:
- viii. Ji (listen)
- ix. Duba (look); duba nan! (look here!) duba abu.
- x. Tashi 'get up; be standing); tashi bisa; tashi katafi.
- xi. Fita wurin (get away) fita wurin katafi; fita wurin na.
- xii. Saya (halt) saya wurin; saya mini da lord (nato) na.
- xiii. Karkayi (don't ...); karkayi hakunan; karka kara,
- xiv. Fadi kuna (say it again; repeat it)
- xv. Yiduriya (laugh, smile) yikuka (cry; weep)
- xvi. Yi kuya (shout); yikakiru (shout repeatedly)
- xvii. Chi (eat it) chi abinchi (take some food) chi duka. Sha.
- xviii. Danki (take it, pick it up) Tafi dashi/kwac.
- xix. Karanta (read it)
- xx. Yigudu (run up; speed)

Note: Drill in these:- Each of them may be acted.

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LESSON LX

112. Conversation:

In church, before the start of the service: A. whispers to B. who is sitting beside him

- A. Yihankuro wahene zayayi sala you (or wanene liman)
- B. Liman Kofi.
- A. Wani lokachi kuke farawa?
- B. Tara-darabi; nya so mutashi gom-sha-daya.
- A. Meyesa Ibadan keda dadewa haka?
- B. Mukon yi ibade (or aduwa), makarante litafi, muji waka, muji wa-azi.
- A. Ana sibban kudi?
- B. Chikin ibadan ankai paranti guban kowa.
- A. Kuna da gariya yanwaka (ishirihiya)
- B. Eee, muda "choir" munada "singing band" kuma.
Kuma munada whenti molo mai dadi. Mai sanmari za-kaso wanen ibade nema.
- A. O, Haka ne, mma sanmari haka.

Notes: i. New words: masluchi (the church, prayer)
farawa, taski (to bring any session or meeting
to a close); yi adua; Hadisi; wa-azi.

ii. The "conversation should be practised and acted.

LESSON LXI

115. Sentence drill: Kuma (also, although ... yet)

i. Kuma kafii?

Skima yazo nange jwu.

Kuma maha koyen Hiruse.

Kuma kiyi kokari.

ii. Yena kokari; Kuma yena da wayo.

Yena "Law", yena "Music"

Ideu kashukki bunde (ayeba), shoy ka shu kwadu kuma.

iii. Ama (although, yet)

Bayasani ba, ama, bayafadi.

Yena zuwa nan kulun, ama bangani shi.

Kayi kiwa, ama bayaji ba.

Says zuomisalachi, ama yasan batun Allah.

116. Sentence drill: Donshi/saboda (therefore, so, because of)
shi ya sa (that is why) etc.

i. Yena chiwo, donshi karka dameshi; or baida lafi)

Kasan wurin, don shi tafi.

Yena na ari, she ya sa, ya sin abu.

Yena aiki shiya se ye na da kudi.

ii. Domir (Because of ...)

Domir kai nazozurin nan.

Domir una ne kayi hankali (or nadubi dachau)

Domir Ikon Allah bonsoro.

iii. Shi ya sa (that is why)

Bansha lore (mate) ba, shiyasa benzo ba.

Boya san kowu ba, shiyasa yayi shurun-na.

Note: i. Damu (to trouble: worry) Damuwa (non-trouble - damuwa-ne)

ii. Learners should be encouraged to use these patterns
in sentences of their own.

LESSON LXII

115. A. intend to take a journey and talks to B. about it:

A. Zan yi tafiyu.

B. Wani lckachi za kafern -- Gobey?

A. Ne-h, yzu, kaman karfe uku da minti gom shi biyar.

B. Do jirgi zaka?

A. Ne-h, dd lore (mato) idan nadanki lor, nākai maza.

B. Newi ckey karba?

A. Sidi da kwabe ashirin kadai.

B. Naili newa ne?

A. Naili dari da telatin-da-biyu.

B. Halman ne yang da chan.

A. Yone d' chan kwarai.

B. Ha ha da koyi mai girmu (or deyru).

A. O, ne-h, son adika (akurati) ne ke dai.

B. Nadala, mangam.

Note: The dialogue may be practised in pairs after the drills.
New words and difficulties should be dealt with first.

LESSON LXII

116. Hush Songs: Two Gitarra-guitarra songs to be learnt.