

## No. 139.—HEAD OF DIAMANTINA.

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This vocabulary has much in common with those of the Upper Flinders and Porter's Range.

Kangaroo - - wungunnia.	Hand - - - murra.
Opossum - - dthangaroo.	2 Blacks - - -
Tame dog - - kooba.	3 Blacks - - -
Wild dog - - -	One - - - wonga.
Emu - - -	Two - - - poolaroo, phiddee.
Black duck - - mungara.	Three - - - koorburra.
Wood duck - - -	Four - - -
Pelican - - ooandgo.	Father - - -
Laughing jackass	Mother - - yanga.
Native companion bilbungata.	Sister-Elder - kurromee.
White cockatoo -	„ Younger -
Crow - - - wa-cun-na.	Brother-Elder - yabba.
Swan - - -	„ Younger
Egg - - -	A young man - kubbena.
Track of a foot -	An old man - mooburree.
Fish - - -	An old woman -
Lobster - - -	A baby - - -
Crayfish - - -	A White man - wit-thoo.
Mosquito - - -	Children - - -
Fly - - - ngimunna.	Head - - - wooma.
Snake - - -	Eye - - - dthillee.
The Blacks - - -	Ear - - - munga.
A Blackfellow - kandoo.	
A Black woman - bunya.	
Nose - - - ngingo.	

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Mouth	-	-	dthawa.	Boomerang	-	
Teeth	-	-	eerra.	Hill	-	-
Hair of the head	-	-	cudthaa.	Wood	-	- oola.
Beard	-	-	unga.	Stone	-	- koongoo.
Thunder	-	-	yamberri.	Camp	-	- yamba.
Grass	-	-	yagoo.	Yes	-	- ngia.
Tongue	-	-	dthalango.	No	-	- kurra.
Stomach	-	-	purra.	I	-	-
Breasts	-	-	dthamboo.	You	-	-
Thigh	-	-	walalla.	Bark	-	- koolgooburra.
Foot	-	-	d'theena.	Good	-	-
Bone	-	-	mogo.	Bad	-	-
Blood	-	-	koo-ur-roo.	Sweet	-	-
Skin	-	-	binna.	Food	-	-
Fat	-	-	tammee.	Hungry	-	- wingurra.
Bowels	-	-		Thirsty	-	-
Excrement	-	-	koonna.	Eat	-	-
War-spear	-	-	moorja.	Sleep	-	-
Reed-spear	-	-	kundwurra.	Drink	-	-
Wommera or throwing-stick			woorra.	Walk	-	-
Shield	-	-	koonburra.	See	-	-
Tomahawk	-	-	parumburra.	Sit	-	-
Canoe	-	-		Yesterday	-	-
Sun	-	-	dthooroo.	To-day	-	-
Moon	-	-	yoongee, eungee.	To-morrow	-	-
Star	-	-	yoogu.	Where are the Blacks?		
Light	-	-	kunba.	I don't know		
Dark	-	-	windtha.	Plenty	-	- pungoo.
Cold	-	-	willinga.	Big	-	-
Heat	-	-		Little	-	-
Day	-	-		Dead	-	-
Night	-	-		By-and-by	-	-
Fire	-	-	- oola.	Come on	-	- yunna.
Water	-	-	kamoo.	Milk	-	-
Smoke	-	-	yumaroo.	Eaglehawk		
Ground	-	-	kinburra.	Wild turkey		
Wind	-	-	mulloonoo.	Wife	-	-
Rain	-	-	kamoo.			
God	-	-				
Ghosts	-	-				