Bury, To. (Buried.)

This sign made to follow that for man, or a man dead or killed.

Place both hands nearly at arm's length before the body, palms down, about 8 or 10 inches apart, and 18 inches or 2 feet from the ground; then draw them backward simultaneously toward the body, slowly.

CHIEF, HEAD.

Make the sign for man (mustache); then place the flat right hand before the face, at some distance, fingers extended and separated and pointing upward, and touch the tip of the middle finger with the extended forefinger of the left hand. Conception: The most elevated of the whole number.

CHIEF'S WIFE, HEAD

Make the sign for chief, head (mountain natives); then place the flat hand at the height of the face, palm inward, fingers extended and separated; then flex the thumb at the first joint and lay the tip of the index upon it just back of the thumb nail; conclude by passing the right hand downward over the right side of the head and outward toward the shoulder—hair, woman.

Corp

Imitate shivering as from cold. Sometimes the clinched hands are brought forward in front of the breast, as is involuntarily done when suffering from the cold. Come. To. (Infin.) CAME.

Bring the hand from one side of the body inward toward the breast, the fingers pointing upward and nearly collected to a point.

CREEK.

With the palms facing and about 10 or 12 inches apart, pass them edgewise forward to arm's length, then add the sign for drink. Course and width of water.

DAUGHTER.

Make the sign for woman (hair); designate height, and mine.

DAY

Throw the head slightly upward with the eyebrows elevated, and throw the hands upward and outward with the fingers extended and separated, palms inward and slightly to the front.

DAY.

Hands passed upward and outward toward their respective side in a curve from near the front of the breast, and terminating at a point as high as the top of the head, but on either side of it. The eyes follow an upward direction at the same time.

Same sign as for sun.

DEAD

Cross the forearms upon the breast and throw the head back, with the eyes closed.

This gesture is also made by the natives of the interior, who are unacquainted with the customs or religion of the Russians.

DEER.-BUCK

Place the hands with the fingers and thumbs extended and separated, palms forward, above and on either side of the head. Conception: Horns.

DEER.-DOE

With the hands scoop-shaped, fingers spread and extended, imitating running, with the hands thrown downward, the movement being alternately with right and left.

DEITY. (Great Spirit.)

The same sign as given by the coast Indians by pointing upward toward the zenith, and then imitate the cross by passing the fingers of the right hand from the forehead to the breast, and then from the left shoulder to the right, instead of the right to the left.