in which he composed and revised most of the prayers they have in use up to the present. Since June, 1891, he has also had to deal with the Shushwap Indians, and, as the language is similar to that in use by the Indians of Thompson River, he very soon became familiar with it.

"He tried several years ago to teach the Indians to read in the English characters, but without avail, and two years ago, he undertook to teach them in shortland, experimenting first upon a young Indian boy who learned the shorthand after a single lesson and began to help teach the others. The work went on slowly until last winter, when they began to be interested in it all over the country, and since then they have been learning it with eagerness and teaching it to one another."

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