

Parson Snow's Broad Hint.

The sermon was affecting, and so many hearers wept. That no dust would have arisen had the floor just been swept.

"This is my last sermon among you, and it pleases me to see that the fountain of your feeling has broken up so easily."

"I understand de salaries of preachers down dis way come from the contribution box—now what I've seen today."

"Although old age has somewhat dimmed de keenness of my sight, it hasn't had no effect as yet upon my appetite."

"Let your sympathetic tears my fren's in de future freely flow. Don't run in onions on me—don't use de old man so."

"But de best tings in dis worl', my friends, can all be overcome, and dis weeping over sermons we must all admit is one."

Russia Not Eager for War.

THE RUSSIAN MINISTER ON THE SITUATION—CAPTAIN ABRKANOFF DISAVOWED.

Baron de Struve, the Russian Ambassador at Washington, paid a flying visit to New York last week. The purpose of his visit was not made known, but has remained no secret.

"You must not believe me vain enough," said the Ambassador, "to suppose that I shall have anything strikingly new to say concerning the pending difficulties."

"But what of the Queen's summons calling out the reserves and the militia?"

"That signifies little. England is at present engaged in an active warfare in the Sudan. Besides, Ireland is in a state of irritation which may well give cause for apprehension to the English Ministry."

"Has Russia been approached by the Irish patriots with offers of assistance?"

"Though it will be generally conceded that great discontent may exist in Ireland, Russia cannot recognize that province as a belligerent power and open negotiations with Ireland."

"Then you think that the war cloud which has loomed up in the East will pass by?"

"I am in hopes that a satisfactory solution of the difficulty between Russia and England will be arrived at. Why should we go to war? We have not violated our agreement with England about Afghanistan."

"What wrong have we done to England for which she can justly demand retribution? We stand without reserve by our agreement with that nation."

"Have the good offices of Emperor William been invoked in the difficulty between Russia and England on the Afghan question?"

"I cannot tell, but the relations of the reigning families of Germany and Russia are certainly of the most cordial character. It is also well known that Emperor William considers it his special mission in his declining years to be a prince of peace to mediate between nations and to prevent war and bloodshed."

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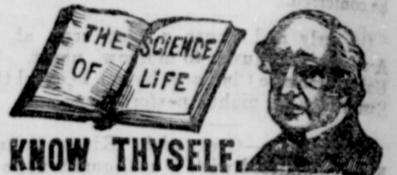
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