faot much delighted him and his ohiefe I talked over situations with them and told them the straight faots, not omitting details that were unfavorable to the Indians, for you know many, if not all, of the whits people who had talked to them told them only the favorable aides and left the dieagreeable things out, which of course makes it much harder for the Indians in nis unenlighted life to know just what his desires are concerning the goverument questions.

My counsel with the Indians was vexy satislactory and I leaxned many thinge about sitting Bull's individuality. Be had som very inderinable power whi oh could not be resisted by his own people or even others who came in contact with him. When I become a mo thor uch student of payohology I ahall underatand him botter, but oven With what knowledge I did have I compehonded more easily the character of the Indian Chief who was always ao tendor, gracious and invariable sweet.

About this time the people were mach concemed about the dxy year; there had been no rain for ranths. The Indians nent to 1 t . Yates for their rations and one dey at this rerod, they were gathered together, sitting Aull innounced that it would rain. He to $k$ a buffalo skin, waved it round lis the ar, made somesiens, plaoed it upon the ground and m-m. IT RUIMED. Not immadiately of course, but in a day or two. I had some practice myself in discorerine signs of $x$ in but on this oocesion i was not prapared from the loois of the weather to gere with the prophot ijitting Bull. Io say, tho, by some monn unknown to the, rest of us that it was liable to raine mia is only one incident which shows why the poole had such falth in him. ilis nowledge of the el menta was very accurate and he was alwaya ahrewd enough to make advantegeous use of these shinge to better his own power and influenoe. Fe underatand the grass affis and oould tell by obseaving it closely ,hat sort of $a$ winter we would $h$ ve, whether it would be mild or severe. I remamber particulariy that during the winter of the Ghost dence he prophesied that the winter would be mild and said. TYes, my people, you can dance all the winter thia year, the sun will shine wamily and the weather will be falx" He told by the growing of the grase to whether the snow would be deep or not.

