

I. Here are the INVADERS in this war.

Ch. 38, 2. All my references will be to this chapter, unless notice be given to the contrary. Bishop Newcome thus renders the verse before us:—"Son of man, set thy face against Gog of the land of Magog, prince of Rhos, Mesech and Jubal, and prophecy against him." Here we have according to our lecturer, the ancient Scythians and modern Russians, Muscovites, and people of Tabolski. These are the invaders.

II. The INVASION.

It is upon "the house of *Togarmah* of the north quarter." Here we have the ancient Turcomani, and the modern Turks; particularly the Turks settled in Europe. True, according to the pointing of our version, we have *Togarmah* associated with *Meshech* and *Tubal*. But this is thought to be an error. Place the period at the end of v. 4, and you have the pointing of the Hebrew, and it is thought, the true pointing, distinguishing between the Russians spoken of v. 1-4, and Turkey and her allies, spoken of v. 5, 6. Of these allies more hereafter.

But this invasion, after all, is said more especially to be "against the mountains of Israel—my people of Israel—the land of Israel." Well, does not Turkey hold Palestine? Would not Russia like to grasp it? Has there not in fact been much said about this very land, and about Jerusalem, in past