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Chief Sitting Bull
Sioux Reservation
Near ~~Pierre~~ Stand Rock
Dakota

Printed advertisement as follows:

Office of Prof. Gay Waters,
Lecture Manager of
"Red Cloud!"
Chief of 20,000 Sioux.

Executive Mansion,
Washington, D. C. Jan. 11, 1888.

Prof. Gay Waters, Centralia, Ill.

My Dear Sir: - I have received the copy with which you have been kind enough to favor me of your work, entitled, "Wicota and other poems," based upon the legends and ceremonies of the Sioux Indians. For your courtesy please accept my thanks, and believe me,

Very truly yours, Grover Cleveland.

"Red Cloud", the famous chief of the 20,000 Sioux, (whose ultimatum - after a year's desperate fighting - was signed in 1868 by General Sherman) will accompany the author of "Wicota," to fill a limited number of lecture appointments, on the way to Washington, D. C., 1888.

OPINIONS OF RED CLOUD AS A TALKER.

Hon. Alonzo Bell, late Assistant Secretary of the Interior Department, says: "I have met Red Cloud in council often, and I regard him the intellectual peer of any man in the United States Senate. A man of the strictest integrity and the highest sense of honor."

Ex-Secretary Lamar says: "One of the best specimens of eloquence to which I ever listened."

President Cleveland speaks of his speeches in complimentary terms.

Hon. G. W. Manypenny, ex-Commissioner of Indian affairs, says: "Red Cloud is a man of honor, as well as of superior intellectual and rare executive ability."

OPINIONS OF WICOTA - "POET OF THE SIOUX."

"The writer evidently thinks these dusky wards have been abused." (Chicago Herald.

"Wicota, cloth, 153 pages, \$1.50, Standard Pub. Co., Cin., O., is the most remarkable book of poems issued from the press for many years. The poet has opened up a new field of literature." - (St. Louis Chronicle.

"A luxuriant imagination. * * * There are some really good things in the book." (St. Louis Republican. Jan. 7, 1888.

"Wicota displays reaches of feeling that entitle him to consideration among the poets. There is delicacy of touch, and elegance of vigor in all that he attempts. A new and promising American singer." - (St. Louis Post Dispatch.

"Sitting Bull has deserved no such honor from literature." (Chicago Inter Ocean,

Jan. 14th, '88.