Letter written on bottom as follows:

Centralia, Ill., Jan 18, 1888.

Chief Sitting Bull: -

I sent you a letter last week which I hope you received. Red Cloud will try to raise money in this way to fight the had features of the Dawes Bill, and I have promised to help him. He says he is willing to lay down his old prejudice against making a "show" of himself and try and raise money by this means. A telegram from Pierre said that you and the great chief "Running Eld" are in favor of the Bill. Is it so?

Affectionately for your cause
Gay Waters.