

THE RED CLOUD CHIEF.

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RED CLOUD, NEBRASKA

QUEER.

I know a woman who hath bounteous share of this world's wealth, and who is young and gay. With not a care save to bedeck herself in finest silks and satins every day.

UNDER THE RUSSET LEAVES.

One happy day, a man and a maid together walked within a glade. The summer-time was past—the ruscus leaves and nuts as brown.

MADE OR MARRIED.

BY JESSIE FOTHERGILL. Author of "Our Three Probation," "The Widdow," etc. CHAPTER XXI.—CONTINUED. "It seems to me," said Mabelle, "that all the master mariners who ever lived have been shipwrecked and died, and got buried here."

sky grew gray, and the stars began to peep forth. Although they had reached the top of the hill they still continued to walk, hand in hand, and arm in arm, along the upland road, and through the dewy fields, slowly and silently, as if they would have kept the precious moments by them a little longer.

"Bradshaw" echoed Grace, with a sudden look of suspicion. "What do you want with Bradshaw?" "To tell Angela by what train to expect me, of course," replied Mabelle, nervously, and unsuccessfully essaying a smile of indifference.

He has evidently quite forgotten how very kind he used once to be, but I have not even if he does deserve it, I can't begrudge him. Grace might be more considerate. When she comes and towers over me like she did just now, and flashes her great eyes upon me, she looks so exactly like him that I could almost—

To What End? The testimony already taken before the investigating committee of the United States Senate, establishes the fact that the death of J. P. Matthews, of Mississippi, was not an act of individual assassination, but an incident in the course of an armed insurrection and organized rebellion against the authority of the United States.

The Party of Wisdom and Prudence. The idea is being industriously urged by certain newspapers and politicians—with the best intentions in the world we are bound to believe—that a Western man should by all means be selected as the Republican candidate for President. So much is heard from day to day to that effect, indeed, that it is worthy while to analyze the notion a little, and see what it really amounts to.