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RED CLOUD, WEBSTER COUNTY, NEB., FRIDAY, DECEMBER 7, 1888.

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The Western & Southern

# MERCANTILE ASSOCIATION,

Red Cloud, Nebraska,

GREAT

## Slaughtering Sale.

Commencing Monday November 19th 1888.

CONSISTING OF

# Dry Goods, Clothing,

Boots, Shoes, Hats, Caps, Cloaks,

Shawls, Notions, &c.

Immense bargains in everything.

All winter goods will be sold

## Regardless of Cost!

Call early before the rush.

The Western and Southern Mercantile Association

MASON'S OLD STAND

Chas. Schaffnit, Manager.

# CHRISTMAS NOTES.



## Headquarters FOR

# Holiday Goods!

## AT HENRY COOK'S

Old woman, old woman, whither so high?  
I'm going my Christmas goods to buy.  
Old woman, old woman, you'd better come down.  
Where prices are LOWER than any in town.

## The sensation of the season!

So original, So novel, So new!  
So complete, So cheap, So gay.

### WE ARE PLEASING THEM ALL!

A Large and Varied Assortment of

Books, Fancy Goods and Toilet Article, Perfumes  
Notions, Novelties, &c. Newest designs and  
the Finest goods of the season.

ONLY 3 DAYS. ONLY 3 DAYS.

A GOLDEN OPPORTUNITY

AT THE

# CHICAGO STORE

Commencing Thursday, Nov. 22.

And continuing until Saturday the largest line of Cloaks and winter wraps ever displayed in Red Cloud. We mean business and intend to slaughter prices.

# A L S O

Wednesday, November 28th 1888.

We will offer our entire line of Boots and Shoes at prices that will surprise the public, Special inducements offered in all departments. Highest prices paid for Butter & Eggs.

R. M. MARTIN.

## No Difference How You Vote

IT STILL REMAINS A FACT, THAT

### S. F. SPOKESFIELD,

KEEPS ON HAND A LARGE LINE OF

## DRY GOODS, GROCERIES, ETC.,

Which he is selling at remarkable low figures, in keeping with the close times. He don't make a great show but sells goods as cheap as any one. OLD STAND, RED CLOUD.

## Hacker & Parker,

THE GROCERS.

Keep the finest line of

## Teas and Coffees

In the City.

**LIGHTNING HAY KNIFE**  
WE LEAD!  
THE BEST MATERIALS  
THE HIRAM HOLT COMPANY, East Wren, Mo.

## C. SCHENCK,

NOTARY PUBLIC.

PROMPT ATTENTION GIVEN TO

# FARM LOANS

Collections, Taxes Paid, &c.

Office with the County Judge, Moon Block, Red Cloud, Nebraska.