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The announcements for the February Red Book include in the table of contents such names as Nelson Lloyd, Owen Oliver, Anne Warner, Harry Irving Greene, Elizabeth Phipps Train, Harriet Prescott Spofford, Juliet Sager, E. F. Stearns and others that justify the promise of unusual excellence.

If a man is a coward he always claims to be conservative.

To Write History of Sioux Nation. Dr. Charles A. Eastman, the noted Sioux Indian author and historian, is on the Pacific coast collecting material for his comprehensive history of the Sioux nation. The work is being prepared under direction of the interior department. Official attention being given to land titles. Dr. Eastman is a gentleman of culture and in addition to having been a frequent contributor to the leading magazines has written several books.

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It will interest all readers of this paper to hear that at last a genuine cure for Consumption, Indigestion, Dyspepsia, Complaint, Headache and Biliousness has been found in Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin. It is a pleasant, tonic purifying syrup, with a mild action and no bad after-effects. Sold by all druggists at 50c and $1.00. Money back if it fails.

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