

He made the following announcement.

"The party who had committed this great wrong shall meet ^{a very serious accident} ~~his~~ death in front of Black Bird's tipi by being thrown off a horse which would come to pass within a short space of time."

Two days after, young ~~boys~~ ^{men} were breaking horses for riding purposes, in the center of the camp circle more as a sort of showing off their skill in rough handling of horses.

A young man rode a very vicious outlaw. The animal, instead of bucking at the start, ran away with the rider through the camp and just as it got in front of Black Bird's tipi, through some mishap, the horse's front foot was caught into a gopher-hole, turned turtle and landed on the top of the rider - crushing him instantly.

It was a hard thing to say whether or not this was the guilty party.