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So on the way round + passing
our ground where troops had halted
before battle, they horses — etc

They knew they had been "humiliatingly
defeated" and that they were "lucky not
to have been entirely vanquished."

(+ later) that only $\frac{1}{2}$ the warriors of the camp Custer
attacked had attacked Crook —

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The troops now feel that the nation
must realize that others had
underestimated the strength
of the foe