

They say that Sitting Bull was in the fight with Reno but not in the fight with Custer. What have you heard about this? What did Sitting Bull do the night after the Custer fight? Was there a council? Is it true that some of the Indians were angry with Sitting Bull that night? What did he say? It is very important for me to know all about what happened to him and what he did and said at the time just before and just after this battle. As you know the white men are more interested in that battle than in anything else in the life of Sitting Bull. If I can tell the whole story of Sitting Bull's part in that battle and in the days before and after the battle then all the white men will want to read my book, and very many people will learn the truth about Sitting Bull. But if I cannot tell all the story of Sitting Bull at that battle from start to finish then they will not want to read the book and they will never know the truth about the Dakotas. You have told me that you believe my book will help the cause of the Indians. I believe so too, so please help me tell all the truth about Sitting Bull from the time of his vision at the Sun Dance until the Indians broke camp after the Custer fight. I want to know where he was, what he was doing and saying in those days before and after the battle and also in the battle.