

10. I have heard that in 1865 Sitting Bull was camped on the Little Missouri with his people, when someone brought news that the soldiers at Fort Rice had killed all the Dakotas who went there to sign a treaty. They say that Sitting Bull rode through the camp, crying and singing and ~~cutting himself with a knife,~~ telling what had happened. Then a large party of Indians rode to Fort Rice to see if the story was true. Does One Bull remember this? Does he know what Sitting Bull sang and said that day? What really happened?

This is true excepting he never cut himself with a knife.

This are the words of the song he sang.

*Ate Oyate kin lewa taawo wakiya ea
gluwa iyo-tin ye wakiya.*

When he says Ate he means the almighty father.

Translation?