

John Grass and Mad Bear were enemies of Sitting Bull thru the agitation of Agent McLaughlin.

What is the Dakota word for coup? Taka kte

What is its meaning? Conquer the enemy.

What did a man say when he counted coup on an enemy?

What he did he say for the first coup? Onhey! (Hear Ye!) You have called me (mentions his name) I have conquered this enemy.

The second? Same as first coup

The third? " " " "

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Counting coup on an enemy four times was simply a method by which the warriors shared together in a limited way the victories over their enemies.

What was the name of the white man Yugal Kiyotake -- Sitting with Upraised Hands, mentioned in the story by Old Bull? I mean the white man who was said to have lived with Sitting Bull and afterwards led a party of white men who killed some of Sitting Bull's people in 77.

Don't know.

Do you know when McLaughlin promised the police pensions in case they were killed in fighting Sitting Bull?

Don't know -- though the police -- survivors often talked about promises made to them in the way of pensions or some kind of recognition for their action with the Ghost Dancers. About 1896 Senator Hansbrough of North Dakota introduced a bill relative to pensioning these Indian Police but this failed through some reason unknown. Ex-Commission of Indian Affairs Ch. H. Burke, when in Congress was repeatedly asked to do something for these police but he never did any thing toward it. Nearly 40 years after McLaughlin had passed away Senator Lynn Jr. Farzier of North Dakota succeeded getting pension for the widows and survivors -- very few left.