

SB was doing. Especially to correct the statement that SB was making medicine. Andrew Fox told me a chief is not supposed to take part in battles. I am inclined to believe that part about helping the wounded and all that, but as to making medicine that is nothing. One Bull told me he had a bow and arrow and a tomahawk and he said, "I surely made use of it." It was then that Old Bull said, "you are talking too much."

I have often remembered Lone Man. If he were alive I could get something. He was with SB all the time and he was in that fight. He told very interesting things. How certain ones had confiscated such a soldier's horse and guns and other things. Just like right now.
- There is a dispute among even those who were actually in that fight. Nobody knows who killed Custer. Some Santees who fled from the Minn. Massacre claim that one of their number killed him. Then some claim that it was Rain-in-the-Face. I never heard it said that some of the Indians were wounded with their own arrows.

Here about three years ago when I was teaching in the Government service I went to attend a normal school at Nebraska. While I was there there was a convention held there of newspaper men in Nebraska and elsewhere. They had Indians there from Pine Ridge. The thing they were after was to get the Indian statement as to whether or not Custer killed himself. In the event Custer killed himself he was not due the credit he was given; on the other hand if he was killed by the Indians he deserved recognition. Some fellows who were not in the fight, said, "I heard that he killed himself." Some others said, "Nobody knows just who killed Custer or how he was killed." Some Indians say they looked all over the place he was killed. They called Custer Long Hair and expected to see Custer there with Long Hair on, but they didn't find him.