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marked that "of course Sitting Bull got these ponies back afterwards," but failed to inform the author whether they followed him, or reached the Uncapapa village in advance of the returning visitors. The scout doesn't say so, but the inference is irresistible that Sitting Bull being a great horse thief as well as a practical joker, stole his own ponies from the Linneconjow mourners in order to "keep his hand in."

means that the relatives of the murderers replaced them x