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Native people knew that they [Lewis and Clark] were there. They didn't want to have any kind of dealings with them, and when the Sioux people did have dealings with them, it was confrontational. And the Sioux were a great military nation themselves. I mean it was in the 1800s that the Sioux really came into their power. And they saw Lewis and Clark as being arrogant, a military-type people who were from this small little nation on the East Coast. And the Great Sioux Nation occupied most of the states of Minnesota and Wisconsin, North Dakota and South Dakota and part -- Dakota and parts of Nebraska and Wyoming, as well as eastern Montana, where I'm from. So, no, the Sioux weren't impressed.