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An old Omaha was married to a comely young girl. He had a nephew of whom he was very fond. He gave him horses, clothing and other presents so he was pretty well spruced up. Everybody admired the old man for his kindness. But the nephew stole the old man's young wife. The old man did nothing. But the whole tribe, even children, gave the young man a fearful thrashing, and he was told, "If you come back, we shall do worse to you." The young man never came back; he was driven away from the tribe.

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