How Warlike were the sioux?

The Sioux were mainly hunters just trying to stay alive by hunting buffalo. When the White Americans turned up, war became more frequent between them towards the end of 1994. Although the indians tried to stay peaceful with the white americans by trading with them. however arguments occurred when the whites tried to buy their lands. these attempts were unsuccessful due to the indians beliefs and refusal. This caused the whites to try and forcefully take the land from them. Resulting in a small battle. The whites were stronger because they had guns and the Indians were only had tomahawks, bows and arrows and daggers. Also indian war was different. instead of charging at the enemy and head on conflict when the indians fought they would have small raids, and they would usually steal a few horses or weapons. but when the whites were charging at them firing guns they had no idea what to do. so the sioux were not warlike at all, instead they were a peaceful people.