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Some months ago a man named Silas May abandoned his wife and children, near Weston, Mo., and eloped with Mrs. McKee, the wife of his neighbor and the mother of several children. Last Saturday week May returned to Platte county for the purpose of running off his negroes. The neighbors, hearing of it, gathered for the purpose of driving him out of the county. May concealed himself, but he was discovered and chased through the woods several miles by two men named Bell and Barnes, who fired at him and brought him to. The citizens took his horse from him, and turned him loose with the injunction never to return to Platte county.

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