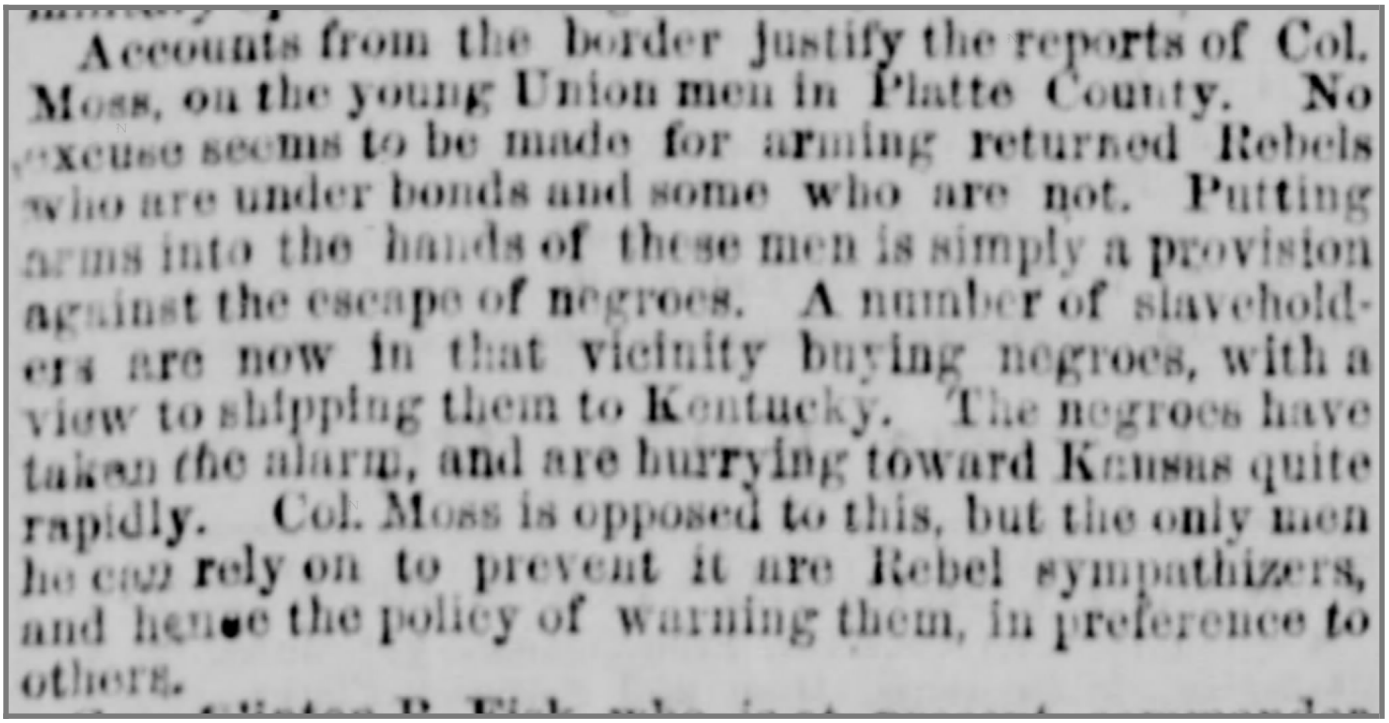
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Accounts from the border justify the reports of Col. Moss, on the young Union men in Platte County. No excuse seems to be made for arming returned Rebels who are under bonds and some who are not. Putting arms into the hands of these men is simply a provision against the escape of negroes. A number of slaveholders are now in that vicinity buying negroes, with a view to shipping them to Kentucky. The negroes have taken the alarm, and are hurrying toward Kansas quite rapidly. Col. Moss is opposed to this, but the only men he can rely on to prevent it are Rebel sympathizers, and hence the policy of warning them, in preference to others.

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