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ATTEMPTED RAPE.--On Friday night a negro named Dave entered the house of Mrs. Polly McDaniel, at New Market, Platte county, during the temporary absence of that lady, and attempted to violate the person of her little daughter, only six years of age. The screams of the girl at once brought neighbors to her aid, and the wretch was frightened off before accomplishing his hellish purpose. He immediately fled, but on Saturday was arrested in Platte City and safely returned to New Market for examination. Great excitement existed in the community, and at one time fears of the application of lynch law were entertained, but the law will now probably mete out justice to the villain.

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