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A Political Sally.

A man in Platte City last week, who came from a part of the country where there are no negroes, remarked to John J. Morton: "I see you have lots of black men here. I understand that Southern people call them "niggers." Is that right?" "Yes," said Mr. Morton, "we who are democrats call them that; but the republicans call them 'colored brethren' — especially about election times." And young George Farmer quietly smiled, while Richard Ross laughed so audibly that some people two squares away thought an earthquake was rumbling.

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