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BRUTAL OUTRAGE.—A number of negroes in a western city recently lynched a man of their own color, whom they suspected of being a spy upon fugitive slaves, in a most ferocious manner; the skin of his back, from his heels, was completely cut off by the lashes, and in some places the flesh was cut off the bones; he was then left tied to the ground. Some time after he was found by some humane person, who had him properly taken care of, and provided medical attendance. It is doubtful whether he recovers.
