

JAMES COOK - mental

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James Cook, of Mt. Tabor vicinity, the man who a short time since routed a church full of people and took possession of the pulpit, and finished the sermon commenced by Rev. Stephens, came to town yesterday in a buggy, and along in the afternoon he broke out in a violent fit of insanity and was about to run a muck when Officer Grimes, after a tussle, overpowered him and locked him up in jail. Cook informed the officer that he was en route to heaven, and was fixing to "offer his daughter a living sacrifice," and no doubt would have killed some one if allowed to run at will. It is about time the authorities were putting Cook where he will do no more.