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Warrant Arrest

At 11:25 a.m. on November 16, 2017, officers of the Kearney Police Department were called to a disturbance at 2620 Avenue E. It was reported that one subject involved was threatening to strike another subject with a baseball bat. After officers arrived, it was discovered that a known fugitive was hiding in the locked garage of the residence and that he may be armed with a firearm. After several minutes and with the assistance of the Buffalo County Sheriff's Office K-9, the suspect was taken into custody without incident. Due to the proximity of Emerson School, the school staff was advised of the situation so they could implement any safety precautions they deemed necessary. Within minutes of this notification the suspect was taken into custody.

Brandon J. Jacobs, 35, of Kearney was arrested for Failure to Appear Possession of a Controlled Substance, Failure to Appear 3rd Degree Assault and 2nd Degree Trespassing, and Failure to Pay Child Support.

No injuries or property damage was reported during this incident. No firearm was found at the residence.

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