

ELIZABETH

Oh! He's just waiting for Detective Oliver to return. He's agreed to sign up for...

SOUND: (discussion) Owen runs in

OWEN BROWN

Tom, Elizabeth...They got Sheriff Hendrix!

ELIZABETH

What?!

OWEN BROWN

They got all our guys!

TOM FIELDER

Who got---The Young brothers!

OWEN BROWN

And who knows how many more are with them! Sitting ducks.

ELIZABETH

What? You mean, they're...

TOM FIELDER

Look at me, Elizabeth. Don't pass out...Look at me. Get on the phone, tell everyone to grab their gun and meet us at the Young farm. Everyone.

SOUND: We hear them run away fade to...

EXT. RURAL ROAD OUTSIDE SPRINGFIELD - NIGHT

SOUND: Car driving along that slows and stops for Fred.

FRED PIKE

Help! Help me! Please stop. Stop!

FRANK RHODES

Fred. Fred, it's me Frank from The Ledger. Calm down. What happened?

FRED PIKE

I took off. Got away...They're all dead! They're all-- The Sheriff, Detective Tony and Sid, Ollie and Wiley, and Charley, and ---I'm the last of 'em. All gone. They're all gone.

FRANK RHODES

How many shooters?!

FRED PIKE

A dozen or more! Musta been a small army! Bullets everywhere!

FRANK RHODES

Oh, God. You're safe now. There's a group of men with guns gathering just down the road...Get in!

SOUND: Fred gets in the car and they drive away.

EXT. YOUNG FAMILY HOME DRIVEWAY - NIGHT

SOUND: Angry mob sounds throughout scene

DAN NEEL

Now, everyone. Everyone...

FRANK RHODES

Hey! Listen up! The DA is giving instructions!

DAN NEEL

Uh...Everyone, uh...I need... Uh -- if it's true that they got our whole detective team. Ahem.

(He chokes up. Wipes his eyes. He takes a deep breath.)

If it's true, we'll need all of you authorized to, uh,

FRANK RHODES

Come on, Dan!