

It happened about two o'clock yesterday morning E. W. Scott and his brother F. B. Scott in company with Bert Heath, all three of the men workers on the Allen lease west of the city, were returning home from their work on the lease in a motor car, when their machine broke down, and they were forced to walk the rest of the way to where they reside. They noticed a slight disturbance as if some of the men were working in a hollow on the lease, as they walked toward their home, and when they arrived there they decided to investigate the matter. They journey to the place where the noise was coming from, and upon their approach saw two men loading supplies into a Dodge touring car.

The three men asked them what they were doing and the alleged thieves intimated that they getting a load of supplies that they had purchased sometime before. As the five men continued to talk, their words waxed warmer until soon a free for all fight ensued between them. It was but a short time until the men working on the lease had the two men down and it is said that they gave them a good beating, and then turned them loose again.