

## **Benjamin Ward Mackey**

- Born March 6, 1873 in Marshfield, Missouri
- Son of John Thomas Mackey II and Rebecca L Harmon, early pioneers of Webster County
- Married Lenora Francis Shook in 1893
- Instrumental in prying confession from Claud Piersol in kidnapping and murder of baby Lloyd Keats
- Had ten children
- Died 1939 in Marshfield, Missouri