



**Young Heroine**—Fire broke out in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Davis of Moorland, a small community near Muskegon, Mich. The mother was out during chores. But four-year-old Margaret Davis, center, was equal to the occasion. She wrapped her 10-month-old brother, Dale William, (right), in a blanket, and led two-year-old Alice Marie, (left), by the hand, to take them safely from the burning house. (AP Wirephoto)

## One-Day Bridegroom Kills Self Because Married 'Wrong Girl'

Los Angeles, Calif., Nov. 16 (AP)—A 20-year-old bridegroom of one day scrawled a suicide note on the back of his marriage certificate then killed himself because he married the wrong girl, police said today.

Former high school football star Tommy Lee Schwader wrote a trembling farewell note to his 16-year-old bride, Edna Irene (Jackie) Hamman, which said in part:

"If anybody ever tells you this is a coward's way out, you try it once. . . Jackie, please don't dream."

The youth's body, the muzzle of a 12-gauge shotgun jammed against his head, was found in his car Monday barely a day after he and Jackie were married in Yuma, Ariz. He had fired the death blast with his big toe.

Beside his body, officers found a Yuma, Ariz., marriage certificate with a scrawled suicide note on the back. In his pocket, they found a note from the girl he had courted for months, Betty Jean Cron, 16, that turned down his plea to "go steady."

"Tommy was sore because I had broken with him," Betty Jean, the bride's best friend, explained today.

"He married the wrong girl, not the girl he loved. I was sure it would not work out."

Although they went out together in a party Saturday night, Betty Jean said the final break in their romance came the day before, when he found she had dated another boy.

But Saturday night after the party, Schwader, a Compton college student, talked Jackie into accompanying him to Yuma where they were married by a justice of the peace.

"I thought I loved him," Jackie told police. "But on the way back from Yuma, I suddenly felt it was all wrong. I told him so."

They went to a motel, however, where she said she told him she didn't love him and couldn't live with him.

It was then that the one-time high school football star threatened to take his life, the sobbing girl said.

After the tight-lipped youth drove her to her home, he disappeared.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Karl Schwader, searched frantically for him most of Sunday night. But a stranger, L. C. Walling, was the first to discover Tommy's auto and its grisly contents.

His pretty, red-haired bride was at home when the news came that she was a widow. Her friend, Betty Jean, was in high school.

The youth's suicide note urged his mother not to "carry on too much."

## Tobin Talks to Negro Crowd

Washington, Nov. 16 (AP)—Secretary of Labor Tobin told a gathering of negroes Tuesday that "the fight will be kept up" for passage of a law ending job discrimination.

Other engagements prevented Tobin from making the speech in person. It was read for him by Undersecretary Michael J. Galvin.

"The peoples of the world," he said, "are looking to America and Americans for help in building a world where all races, colors, and creeds can live and work together harmoniously and constructively."

Tobin addressed the convention of the National Council of Negro Women, President Truman was to address the group tonight (about 5:30 PST). He was expected to make it the occasion for a new plea for enactment of his civil rights program.

Tobin listed recent instances in which colleges have permitted the entry of negro students, and added that there also have been gains for the negro "on the job front."

## International Meal Plan Proves Success

Mill City—The international

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dinner sponsored by Mill City Parent Teachers' association, was reported by women in charge to be very successful. About 150 plates were served during the evening and \$80 was cleared. The meal was served in the form of a progressive dinner at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blazek, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Mienert and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Toman. The final course, dessert, was served at the high school recreation room, where a musical program was presented. Acting as general chairman was Mrs. Arthur Kriever, chairman of the ways and means committee. Mrs. Robert Veness is president of the Mill City Parent Teachers' association.

## Norman Marsh Gives Up Flight

Dunkirk, N.Y., Nov. 16 (AP)—Norman Marsh, 48-year-old comic strip artist, gave up his attempted non-stop transcontinental flight Tuesday and landed here after 26 hours in the air.

"I had weather all the way from El Paso, Texas, on," said Marsh. There were shifting headwinds something like 60 or 70 miles an hour and it was pretty rough going.

Marsh said he flew on instruments for five hours at about 12,000 feet.

Marsh landed here about 3 p.m. He left Los Angeles at 2:12 p.m. (EST) Monday.

It was his third attempt to make the flight. He was flying a single engine Aeronca in an attempt to beat the 30-hour record set a decade ago by Johnny Jones, now an American airlines captain.

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## Commission Gets Ready For Joint Meeting Friday

At its meeting Tuesday night the city planning and zoning commission squared off for the joint meeting Friday afternoon with the state capitol planning commission and the Salem long-range planning commission.

Revision of the Salem zoning code will be studied by a committee of the city commission, which will give special attention to restrictions that the state commission wants to put on business and industrial encroachments on the capitol area.

On the committee Chairman Robert F. White appointed W. W. Rosebraugh, chairman, J. L. Franzen, Chris J. Kowitz and Milton L. Meyers.

One of the questions to come up Friday afternoon when the joint meeting is held at City hall will be a proposal that the old Washington school grounds be used by the state as an off-street parking area. The parking problem about the capitol area was recognized again Tuesday afternoon at a meeting of the state board of control.

Pending the Friday meeting the city commission is deferring action on zoning questions in the capitol area. There are two of these, one involving property at the southeast corner of North Capitol and Center and the other the northwest corner of North Capitol and Marion.

Since West Salem is now part of Salem the planning and zoning commission will consider zoning on the west side of the river. No serious complications are expected. Some requested changes in the Kingwood district zoning are still before the commission.

Some changes in street names were approved. Name of Newkirk road was changed to Mize road. It runs east from Liberty road. In south Salem Bruce street was changed to Morning-side. On Kingwood Heights the name of Ridgeway drive was changed to Lowen avenue.

Orchard lane was rejected as the name of a road north from State street beyond Four Corners for the reason that the city

## Another Snag-Cutting Contract Coming Up

Acting State Forester George Spaur announced Tuesday that a contract will be awarded December 2 for the second job of snag-cutting in the Tillamook burn area. It is part of the gigantic job of "fire-proofing" the area, Spaur said.

The state forester said that the first snag-free corridor contract is practically completed. These corridors must be completed before hand planting and aerial seeding of the area is undertaken.

The latest snag-cutting contract includes 3,333 snags with an average diameter of 32 inches. The area is in the vicinity of Owl camp on the Tillamook - Forest Grove highway and is readily accessible by road.

The first snag-felling contract was awarded several weeks ago to McCracken brothers of Seaside, Ore.

## Dayton High School Prowled at Night

Dayton — It was discovered Monday morning that an entry had been forcibly made into the Dayton union high school by one of the windows. It was noticed later that windows had been forced and damaged. Inside, the door locks and knobs were broken from the doors. In the office, the safe was damaged, but the persons trying to gain entry into the safe were disappointed. There was nothing missing.

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