

## Lt. Robert E. McCormick Jr. Reported Missing in Korea

Lt. Robert E. McCormick Jr., 23, son of City Engineer and Mrs. R. E. McCormick, 1801 Second avenue south, is reported missing in action in Korea.

The war department advised the parents Friday that McCormick has been missing since Aug. 22, when he failed to return from a mission in an observation plane in the Taegu area.

In his last letter home, McCormick said he had completed 35 missions and was to be granted a leave when he completed 50. He said he was to be promoted to first lieutenant Sept. 1.

McCormick was one of 8 pilots sent from McChord Field, Wash., July 10 to Korea soon after the Korean conflict broke out.

McCormick enlisted in the navy in 1945 when he was 17 years old. He had finished his junior year at the Great Falls high school. He served with the navy in the Philippines. When he finished his enlistment he returned to Great Falls, where he obtained his high school

diploma and studied flying under the GI bill.

In June, 1948, he enlisted as an air cadet and was assigned to Randolph Field, Tex. He was sent from there after a year's training to a bomber base at Barksdale, La., where he became a second lieutenant and was assigned to McChord air force base, Tacoma, Wash.

## Floyds to Leave For California

Mr. and Mrs. O. P. Floyd, Fair addition, will leave Sept. 3 for California and will return to Great Falls during May.

Floyd said he had disposed of considerable realty in Great Falls, most of which was located in the southeastern section. Much of this property is now being developed for residential purposes.

Floyd said he is opening up a new real estate project at Sacramento, Calif., and that he and his