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## **Army Reports** McCormick's Plane Crashed

Hope that Lt. Robert E. McCor-5 mick Jr., 23, son of City Engineer and Mrs. R. E. McCormick, 1801 Second avenue south, who was reported missing while in action in Korea, might have survived faded Tuesday.

The parents disclosed the war department had notified them the young lieutenant's plane had crashed on Mount Sobokasam while the crew was on a tactical mission. No other information was provided.

Previously the war department informed Mr. and Mrs. McCormick that their son had been missing since Aug. 22, when he failed to return from a mission in an observation plane in the Taegu area.

Lt. McCormick was the first Cascade county man to be reported missing in the Korean fighting and er the second casualty, another army previously man being reported wounded.

In his last letter to his parents, McCormick said he had completed

## Methodist Church |F Breakin Reported; **Nothing Taken**

A breakin of the African Methodist church, 614 Fifth avenue south, was reported to police.

Officer Clayton Bain, who investigated, said the rear door to the of south side chapel was sawed in two to gain entrance. Two cabinets in the Sunday school room were ransacked but apparently nothing was taken.

Bain said the burglary probably took place Sunday night with the would-be thieves probably looking for Sunday collections. Whoever broke in was unfamiliar with the operation of the church, Bain said, as the offerings are taken out each Sunday after services.

The breakin was discovered by the janitor.

35 missions and was to be granted a leave when he completed 50. It is believed he had neared this total when the plane crashed.



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