

#### MARRIED AT COURT HOUSE

County Clerk, G. R. Miertschin, was called to his office Wednesday night about 8 o'clock to issue a marriage license to Robert Oecolo Thomas and Scottie Lee Johnson, colored. Judge Tate was also summoned to appear and he said the words there in the Clerk's office that made the couple the license just issued to, man and wife, in the presence of several of their friends, as well as several white boys who also witnessed the ceremony. Mr. Miertschin said the Clerk's office was as good a place to tie a nuptial knot as any other, now since they are fitted up with electric lights and can perform such ceremonies day or night, and that they record a marriage with the same bindings when

performed at the court house as any where else, and also the same when the words are spoken by a judge, justice or preacher. The couple went their way rejoicing.