

S'field Man Killed In X-Way Accident

SOUTHFIELD—A 49-year-old Southfield man was fatally injured Monday when his car crashed into a bridge abutment on the Farmington-Brighton expressway.

Bernard J. Tyler, 24951 West Nine Mile, was killed almost instantly State Police said. The accident occurred about 6 p.m. near the Novi road overpass. The immediate cause of the accident was undetermined.

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WEST BLOOMFIELD—Herman D. Searney, M.D., 5400 Pontiac trail, Orchard Lake, Mich., was placed on the retired list of the United States Navy Reserve with the rank of Rear Admiral as of Sept. 1, 1959.

Admiral Searney completed more than 30 years of service in the United States Navy and was active in the aviation arm of the Navy during World War II. He spent five and one-half years on active duty serving as senior medical officer and chief flight surgeon at the Naval air station, Grosse Ile, Michigan; Naval air station, Dallas, Tex., and senior medical officer and chief flight surgeon on the staff of the commanding general, U.S. Marine air station, Cherry Point, N. C.

HE SERVED as senior medical officer and chief flight surgeon aboard the aircraft carrier U.S.S. Cabot, operating with the third and fifth fleets under the command of Admiral William Halsey and Admiral Spruance.

THE U.S.S. CABOT was one of eight aircraft carriers which were presented the presidential unit citation for extraordinary heroism in action against enemy Japanese forces in the air, ashore and afloat in the Pacific war area from Jan. 29, 1944 to April 8, 1945.

ADmiral Searney is authorized to wear four campaign stars for action in the China Sea, Manila, two Jima, Tokyo and Okinawa. For participation in the Battle of Leyte, Admiral Searney was awarded the bronze star with Combat "M" for heroic service while under immediate attack off the Philippine islands.

ADmiral Searney is a member of several other hospital staffs including Harper hospital and Detroit Receiving hospital; he is assistant clinical professor of ophthalmology of Wayne university medical school; past president of the Detroit ophthalmological society.

Senior fellow the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology; fellow of the American College of Surgeons; diplomate of the American board of Ophthalmology and diplomate of preventive medicine (aviation medicine). He is aviation medical advisor to the General Motors corporation.



ADMIRAL SCARNEY

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Have You Met ...

Newcomers to Bolingbroke drive, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Foust, former Ohio residents? Foust is affiliated with Miller Manufacturing, Golf and bowling are among their interests.

Senior residents on Far Hill drive, the Henry Shears of Indianapolis, Ind. They have three children, Ken, Paul, 7, pupils at Harlan school, and Jeffery, 4. Shear is district manager of Farmica Corp. and is an avid golfer.

S'field Students React To Question of Payola

SOUTHFIELD—Southfield high school instructor James G. Owen took a poll among his social studies students recently after discussing the "payola" question that has hit newspaper and magazine headlines.

A composite of these students' opinions stated in the following letter written by Owen.

"A NEW WORD has been added to the English language: 'Payola.' Its meaning: when disc jockeys accept money or gifts from producers in exchange for giving them certain records over the air. Public opinion seems divided as to whether or not this type of behavior is proper. Those who condone payola feel that this is the 'norm,' the 'American way,' an 'accepted business practice.'"

"THEY ARGUE that it can be

found in all echelons of life, like tipping waitresses, buying products offering gift stamps, or salesman giving businessmen gifts at Christmas time for buying their products. In my opinion, it is difficult for us to justify or sanction payola for the following reasons:

1. Income tax evasion—Some disc jockeys accept money without declaring it on their income tax forms.

2. Discriminatory—Good records and recording stars could be neglected.

North Adams Elizabeth Yates - MI 6-1682

Eastover Farms Slates Dec. 10 Dinner-Dance

NORTH ADAMS—Eastover Farms No. 1 has chosen Dec. 10 as the date of its Christmas dinner-dance at Sylvan Glen country club. More than 40 residents are planning to attend the subdivision's "first" big party. An evening of dancing will follow the smorgasbord dinner.

Mrs. Lawrence Hofstetter is hosting a pre-Christmas party in her home on Pine Hill drive for members of the Hickory Heights morning cancer group on Tuesday.

Thanksgiving Day brought added joy to the J. G. Schmidt household on Eastover road this year. Helping them celebrate the holiday were their daughter and son-in-law, the Glen Dicks of Waterford township, who made the trip from the hospital with their new daughter, Terri Jo, who was born Nov. 21.

Terri Jo is the Schmidt's first grandchild. She and her parents will be visiting the Schmidts through this week.

Janine, another daughter of the Schmidts, hurried home from Western university to spend the holiday weekend with her family and new little niece.

More new babies have arrived just in time for Thanksgiving in the North Adams area. The William Baldwin little newcomer arrived Nov. 18 and has been named William Charles. The mother is Baldwin, Scott, 5; Elizabeth, 3; and James, 18 months are quite taken with the little fellow.

A little daughter, Lauren Ann, was welcomed Nov. 13 by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gardner Allen of Far Hill drive. The Allens have two other daughters, Elizabeth Ann, 5; Julie Ann, 2.

The Robert F. Owens of Brooklawn road are enjoying their new little son, David Duncan, born Nov. 18. Mrs. Owens was the former Judy Vander Pol of Birmingham. The Owens are also enjoying their new home on Brooklawn, moving here two weeks ago from Nova 2 Oak.

Another new baby arriving for Thanksgiving is Sally Sweger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Sweger of Lanerang drive. Sally's birthdate is Nov. 5. The Swegers have another daughter, Suanne, 2.

Larry Hofstetter was home to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hofstetter of Pine Hill drive. Larry returned on the weekend to Ferris Institute in Big Rapids where he is a student.

Guests arriving at the Charles Howson home on Lanerang drive to spend Thanksgiving day were relatives, Mrs. Esther Howson, Miss Sarah Roak and Bruce Walkmister of Lincoln Park, James Tancock and son, Ken, of Detroit.

The Rod Campbell of Paddington road invited relatives to share Thanksgiving day with them. They included Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mustard and daughter, Linda, of Wing Lake; Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Campbell of Bloomfield Hills, Mr. and Mrs. V. Tennant and daughter, Campbell of Detroit, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Langdon and daughter, Wendy, of Farmington.

The Kenneth Foust entertained Thanksgiving day in their new home on Bolingbroke drive. Their dinner guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pierson of Detroit and Emil Allstead of Wayne.

The Carl Widneys hosted a cocktail party in their new home on W. Orchard Hill drive a Saturday evening recently. The guests were all of Birmingham, Grosse Pointe and Ann Arbor.

The Edward Medestrip from the Chicago home of Chicago were houseguests of the Widneys that weekend and returned to spend the Thanksgiving holiday with the family.

The Henry White, Jr., of Orchard Hill drive are spending the week in New York. Their plans include shopping trips, sight-seeing and taking in the current plays.

The Charles Booths of Orchard Hill drive are home again after traveling through Canada, Boston for a two-week visit. They made the trip to visit their son, Max and to well-wish to welcome the "little newcomer" who was expected but didn't arrive until after the Booths departure.

Contagious—If this was conceded, all disc jockeys could accept payola and probably would. 10. Too much emphasis placed on money—Payola makes the dollar sign the all important aspect of the broadcasting industry. 11. Unethical—The moral code of the U. S. would tend to be lowered instead of being improved. 12. Secretive—Money is given "under the table" without telling anyone. It is a "hush-hush" business. 13. A public not a private affair—A tip to a waitress is a private affair; a bribe to a disc jockey affects thousands.

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