

**The Navy Took Him On a Sea Cruise**

LONG BEACH, Calif.—Maurice R. Beardles, fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Spicker, 1610 Chapin, Birmingham, returned to Long Beach, Calif., recently aboard the destroyer USS Rupert after a six-month tour of duty with the U. S. Seventh Fleet in the western Pacific.

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**School's Back in Session At B'ham Community House**

Registration for the new fall series of craft and hobby classes sponsored by the Birmingham Community House will begin next Tuesday, Sept. 8, at the House on Bates and Townsend Streets.

The popular series will be increased this year to include a course in Russian, which Mrs. Veronica Maximovich will teach. This will include written and spoken Russian. Students will be taught to converse, read and write, as well as facts about Russia.

IN THIS DAY of widening interest in world affairs and greater travel by the average man, this course is expected to be one of the most popular ever offered by the Community House.  
Seamanship and safe boat handling will also be taught for the first time this fall. This course, for ages 14 and up, will offer basic instruction in nautical terminology; boat handling, mooring and docking; knots and splices; aids to navigation; charts and compass; inboard and outboard engines; rules of the road; and

motorboat safety. Lectures will be given by the training staff of U.S. Coast Guard auxiliary, Flotilla 12-3.  
Returning as part of the regular series will be courses in bridge, festive pottery, adult ballroom dancing, design, enameling and silver, first aid, flower arrangements, gardening, interior decorating, magazine writing, millinery, painting, sculpture and sewing.

THERE WILL also be a youth program of painting and drawing taught after school hours and on Saturdays.

Registration will continue for two weeks, but Miss Myra Showman, in charge of the classes at the Community House, said yesterday that classes will be limited in size, and advises early registration. All classes will be open to all interested persons.  
Miss Showman said that 10,000 folders have been mailed to Birmingham residents containing details of the program. More folders are available at the Community House for those who request them.  
OVER THE years, the bridge courses have proven the most popular. The series is going into its 10th year.  
Three new teachers have been added to the staff this year—Neal Maas, interior decorating; Mrs. Peter Dumas, design; Kenneth Peck, first aid; Mrs. Alice Slavson, flower arrangement; Mrs. Patricia Cuccini, millinery; Mrs. James Rosen and Mrs. Dorothy Siddall, painting; Laszlo Ispanky, sculpture; Mrs. Bea Roach, sewing; Mrs. Thelma Anderson, silver and enameling.  
Mrs. Virginia Schaffer has charge of the youth program in painting and drawing.



**The 'Ring's' the Thing**  
Listening for the ringing noise that indicates the presence of a land mine is 1st Lt. Charles Zabriskie, Jr. (right) 680 Amn., Birmingham. Lt. Zabriskie is commanding officer of the 910th Explosive Ordnance Disposal unit of Dearborn, Mich. The unit completed summer training Aug. 30 at Ft. Sheridan, Ill.

**Obituary Notices**  
Jesse Kilpatrick, former pastor of First Methodist church of Birmingham, died at his home, 1115 1/2 St. Charles, Birmingham, Sept. 2, 1959. He was 82 years old. He was a member of the First Methodist church and Order of the Eastern Star chapter 220.  
Surviving are her husband; three sons, Mrs. E. M. Olin of Birmingham; Mrs. Ralph E. Ruler of Bradenton, Fla.; and Mrs. John R. Hale of Royal Oak; also three grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.  
Services will be today at 3 p.m. from the Bell Chapel of the William H. Hamilton Co., with burial in Acacia Park cemetery. The Rev. Dr. Harry O. Martin will officiate.

**Lawrence C. Myers, Long-Time Resident**  
Lawrence C. Myers, long-time resident of Birmingham who died of a heart attack, was buried Saturday in White Chapel Memorial cemetery.  
Mr. Myers of 4249 Mowr road, was vice president of the National Outdoor advertising bureau and managed their Detroit office.  
He had spent a lifetime in outdoor advertising and had been in Detroit for more than 32 years. Previous to joining National he had managed the Detroit office of the General Outdoor Advertising company.  
He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth.  
Mr. Myers had been a member of the Players for 20 years, and a member of the Acraft club of Detroit for 24 years.

**Eugenie O. McKie**  
A resident of Birmingham for 15 years, Eugenie O. McKie of Townsend died Monday at Grove Crest Manor convalescent home in Pontiac after a short illness.  
She leaves one great-niece, Mrs. Wayne Andrews of Birmingham.  
Services will be today at 11 a.m. from the Bell Chapel of the William H. Hamilton Co., with burial in Woodlawn cemetery. The Rev. Robert DeWitt will officiate.

**Mrs. Anna Bird**  
Mrs. Anna E. Bird of Purdy street, Birmingham, died Monday at her residence after a several weeks illness. Born Aug. 15, 1870 in Coruna, Mich., she lived in Birmingham and area most of her life.  
She was married in Birmingham in 1895 to Robert D. Bird. They lived in a farm house located at Maple and Telegraph for 50 years. She was a daughter of the Rev.

**Ewald E. Schaffer**  
Ewald E. Schaffer of Commerce Lake, Birmingham, died Tuesday at St. Joseph's Mercy hospital after a long illness.  
Mr. Schaffer was a graduate of the school of engineering and a member of Redeemer Lutheran church. Mr. Schaffer was a consulting engineer in the automotive field.  
He was a member of Oakland County Engineering Society, Michigan in the automotive field.  
He was a member of Oakland County Engineering Society and a trustee of the Commerce Lake Civic association and former member and chairman of the Southfield Planning board.  
Survivors are his wife, Effie; a daughter, Mrs. V. Warner Leipprandt, Jr., a granddaughter and a sister, Mrs. Peter Schneider.  
Services will be today at 2:30 p.m. from the Manley Bailey funeral home with burial in Commerce cemetery. Memorial contributions are being made to St. Joseph's Mercy hospital building fund and Michigan Cancer society.

**Mrs. Phyllis Lyter**  
After a long illness, Mrs. Phyllis Golvansky Lyter of 5925 Middlefield, West Bloomfield township, died Monday at her home. She lived in Birmingham for three years.  
Mrs. Lyter was a member of Our Lady of Refuge, Orchard Lake.  
She is survived by her husband, Charles M.; two children, Mrs. Mary Jane and Charles W., both at home; two sisters, Mrs. Edgar Roberts and Mrs. Edwin Zwiesel; and a brother, Lawrence Golvansky.  
Funeral services will be Wednesday from the Manley Bailey funeral home. Services will be this morning at 10:30 a.m. from Our Lady of Refuge. Interment will be in Holy Sepulchre cemetery.

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