

Little Gallery Shows Art on New England

The exhibition "Eyes on New England" featuring romantic, realism paintings of Joseph Barber and Jack Vallee opened this week at Little Gallery, Birmingham.

Barber was born in New York State and received his art education in New York City at the Grand Central Art School and in special classes. He has won a series of Tiffany Grants and through them has painted for several years in Taos, New Mexico.

In recent years he has spent his summers in the Berkshire mountains, Nova Scotia and Maine. In addition to Tiffany Grants he has received awards at the National Institute of Arts and Letters, Childre Hassam Purchase Fund, Berkshire Museum, Connecticut Academy of Fine Arts, and National Academy of Design, Ranger Fund Purchase Prize.

VALLEE was born and educated in Wichita Falls, Tex., where he attended Midwestern University. He attended the Art Students League in New York City and studied painting for five years.

He now works and teaches in his Oklahoma City studio and spends his summers on Monhegan Island, Maine, painting the New England scene.

He has received awards from the Berkshire Museum, Connecticut Academy, Oklahoma Museum of Art, Oklahoma National Water-

color Show; Oranquit Art Association; Philbrook Art Center; Southwest American Painting Exhibition; and Springfield Museum, Watercolor USA.

The exhibit continues through Oct. 21 at 915 E. Maple. Little Gallery hours are 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday.

Completes Training In Marine Corps

Marine Private Frederick H. Hamilton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Hamilton of 6839 Crestway, Birmingham, completed recruit training Sept. 4 at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

Marine recruits undergo more than 100 hours of physical conditioning, more than 80 hours in drill, and three weeks to rifle and pistol marksmanship in their 11-week training program. Several

hours are devoted to spiritual and character-building courses. Following graduation, he will report to Camp Pendleton, Calif. for advanced infantry training.



Talented Twosome

Backdropped by their art work are Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simper, 3075 Spring, West Bloomfield Township, whose teamed talent was featured through Saturday in an exhibition at the West Bloomfield Library in Orchard Lake. The show leads off an adult education series of cultural programs organized by the Friends of the library.

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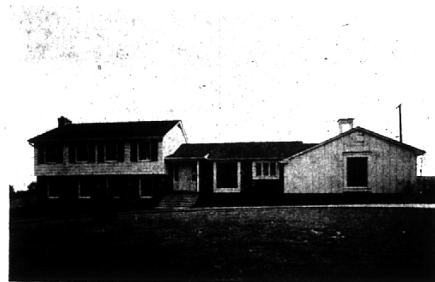
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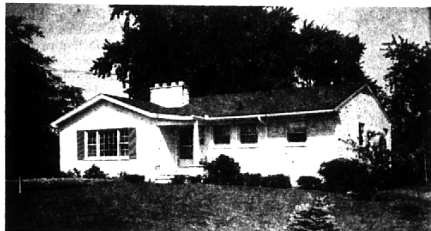
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