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## Community AER drive better goal

The Army Relief Campaign is over, and officials say the \$55,000 has been surpassed.

"We've raised more than \$61,000, but the final tally isn't in yet," AER Campaign Coordinator Megan Bair said.

She said that she expects to have a better idea just how much the campaign compiled next week.

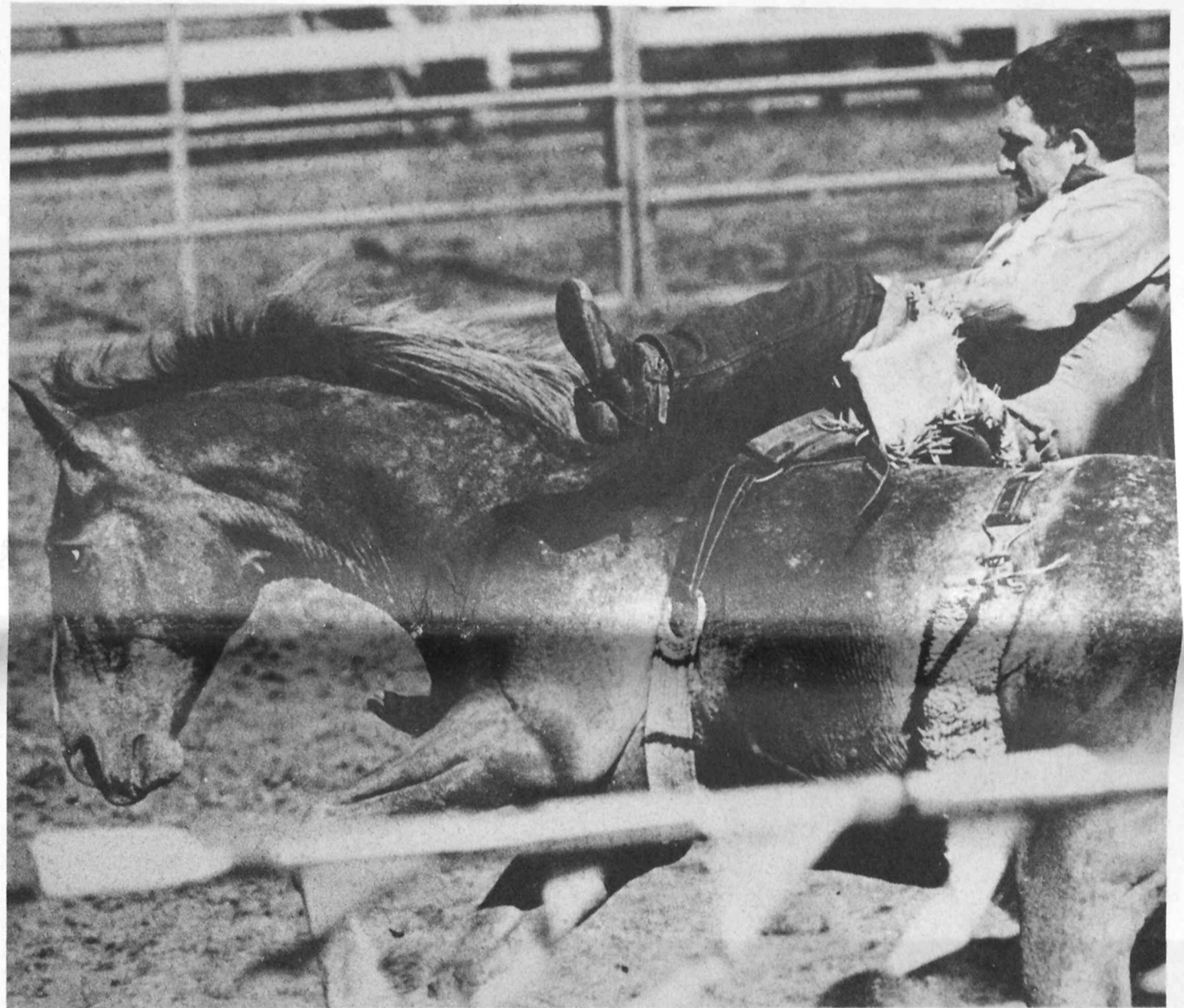
"We're very happy and very grateful to the campaign's 'key persons' for doing such a great job," Campaign Officer Capt. Barbara Swanson said.

Each unit had a designated person to contact its members and solicit funds for the campaign. The money goes to help soldiers in emergency financial situations and with higher education.

"It was easy to tell which of the key people were working and who was making individual contacts and who was concerned for the program and the campaign," Swanson said.

Besides people, many private organizations got involved in the campaign. Some of those were, according to Swanson: the Association of Retired Members of the Armed Forces, the U.S. Army Warrant Officers Association, Berlin Chapter, the American Art Guild of Berlin, the Berlin Spielbank and the Order of the Eastern Star, Berlin Chapter 99.

Last year the campaign raised \$50,648, nearly \$5,000 short of the goal.



Paul White

## Ride 'em cowboy!

A cowboy tries to jump off his bucking bronc onto another horse during last year's rodeo. The Rodeo USA show has rode into Berlin and performances will begin Saturday at the Volksfest field behind the Youth Activities building. Show times will be 2 and 5 p.m. Saturday, Sunday, May 23 and 24. One showing of the rodeo will

be held 6 p.m. May 22. The rodeo grounds open at noon. Some of the events seen will be roping, bull riding, barrel racing and rescuing. American food specialties will be available and a country band will be on hand both in the arena and in the beer tent. Tickets will be available at the grounds DM 12 for adults and DM 9 for children under 12 years of age. All sales, food and tickets will be in Deutsch Marks.

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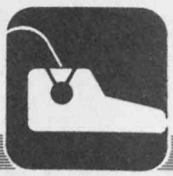


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# Commentary

## The quiz

What you should know about where you live

by Joe Ferrare  
Editor

Much has been made lately about American students failing "general knowledge" tests. You know the type: "Who was Josef Stalin?" "Where is Yemen?" "Which side do we support in the Sandinista-Contra war?"

So, sure, it's not too good that 30 or 40 percent of American students think Joe Stalin was the executive producer for "Star Trek II: The Wrath of Khan." And I'm not exactly proud that some Americans seem to think that because Korea, Yemen and Germany are divided countries they must all share a common border.

But how relevant is all this stuff anyway?

It was fashionable a few years back to show how culturally biased the IQ test was by coming up with an equally biased test to embarrass the people who did well on the IQ test. There is merit in this.

So if you've been feeling guilty because you heard some of these supposedly general knowledge questions and thought Yemen was a memory aid for remembering the five primary colors (Yellow, Ebony, Magenta, Ermine and Neon, of course), take heart: the Berlin IQ test is here. With answers.

**Q.** Friedrich Str. U-Bahn station is:  
a. The U-Bahn station in East Berlin.  
b. The Twilight Zone entry station.  
c. A great place to buy some cigarettes and vodka on the cheap.

**A.** A. If you answered b, a leave form will be on your desk when you get back to work. If you answered c, three guys in trench coats will be at your desk.

**Q.** The Berlin Wall is:  
a. A 13-foot high wall that divides the former capital of Germany.  
b. A 110-mile long, 13-foot high easel for graffiti artists.  
c. Where the East Germans test fire their new automatic weapons.

**A.** A. If you answered b, you depended too much on reality. If you answered c you also depended too much on reality.

**Q.** Erich Honecker is:  
a. The political leader of East Germany.  
b. A terrible speller.  
c. The East German fitness expert who came up with the famous Death Zone motivational technique to fitness.

**A.** A. If you answered b you may be right, so take half credit. If you answered c, you probably confuse Richard Simmons with Rambo.

**Q.** Kreuzberg is:  
a. A major district in West Berlin.  
b. The site of the *Berlin Observer's* printing plant.  
c. A great place for fire sales right now.

**A.** A. If you answered b, we want to know how you knew. If you answered c, you get extra points for keeping up with current events.

**Q.** The Spree is:  
a. One of Berlin's primary waterways.  
b. A slang word for free. In German. With a speech impediment.  
c. Payday weekend at Truman Plaza.

**A.** A. If you answered b, return to the School of Standards, do not pass go and do not collect \$200 (in COLA). If you answered c, you get three free hours of parking at Truman Plaza on the weekend of your choice.

**Q.** A smog alert is:  
a. An alert called by city and command officials when the city's air gets too dirty.  
b. A great excuse for being late.  
c. A secret signal for your wife or child to need something from somewhere not within walking distance.

**A.** A. If you answered b, your boss will be at your desk with a counseling statement when you return. If you answered c, it's a tough life, isn't it?

**Q.** OPSEC stands for:  
a. Operations Security.  
b. (The) Other Party's Satanic, Extremist Criteria.  
c. Osmanian People's Secular Euphamistic Country.

**A.** A. If you answered b, you pay too much attention to the nightly news. If you answered c, stick to questions about Yemen, Korea and Germany.

**Q.** The Tempodrom is:  
a. A Berlin concert venue.  
b. What Mad Max went beyond.  
c. That funny looking guy with the big stick who marches in front of all those marching bands.

**A.** A. If you answered b, you paid too much attention to Tina Turner and not enough to the plot. If you answered c, you're lucky today's sensitive drug tests weren't around when you were in high school.

If you got 0-3 right, pray your father gets rich before he dies. If you scored 3-5, so what; a trained monkey could have guessed as well. If you scored 6-8, lighten up.

## Observer salutes

The *Observer* would like to salute seven soldiers from the Finance and Accounting Branch who ran the French 25 km together and finished under the qualifying time. These seven soldiers represent seventy percent of their division's office strength.

The runners were: Maj. Claud Bryan, Capt. Caryl Randolph, 1st. Lt. Ralph Calvano, MSgt. William McWhorter, SFC John George, Sgt. Nathaniel Lokey and SP4 Jack Holland.

## Observations

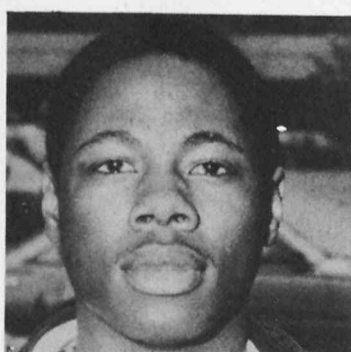
### Are you participating in the Summer Hire Program?



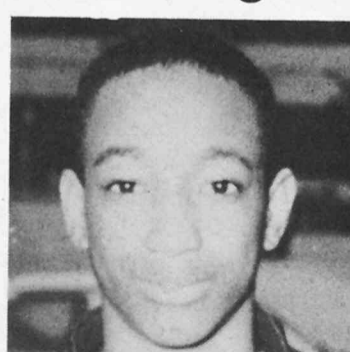
**Todd Sefick, family member:** "Yes, mainly because I need the money. Plus, it's a good experience expanding my political ideas, and teaching me more responsibility."



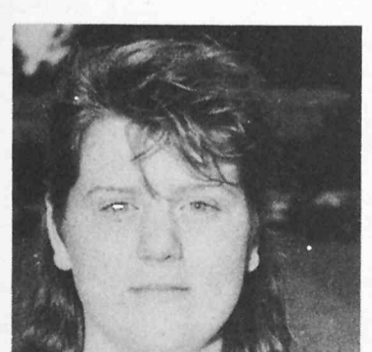
**Rob Ahrens, family member:** "I'm participating in the Summer Hire Program because I believe it's a good way for teens to learn about the world and to learn about working. I want to know about working, and what to expect out there in the real world."



**Willie Robinson, family member:** "Yes, because I want to make some money, learn more responsibility and maybe make some new friends."



**Eldred Ramtahal, family member:** "I'm participating in the Summer Hire Program because it gives me a sense of responsibility, and to get a chance to earn some money on my own, without the help of my parents."



**Catherine Coyle, family member:** "I'm working so I can get money to go back to the states with, to buy clothes and for the experience. I'd like to work at either the Youth Activities Center or the Children's Center."

# Brigade soldier dies

## 4th Bn. soldier's shooting death under investigation

A Berlin Brigade soldier died Sunday night as a result of a gunshot wound to the chest received at approximately 7:30 p.m.

PFC J. R. Morast, B Company, 4th Battalion, was on B.B. guard duty Sunday when he received the fatal chest wound from a .45 caliber pistol. He was rushed to the U.S. Army Hospital, Berlin where he was pronounced dead at approximately 8:15 p.m.

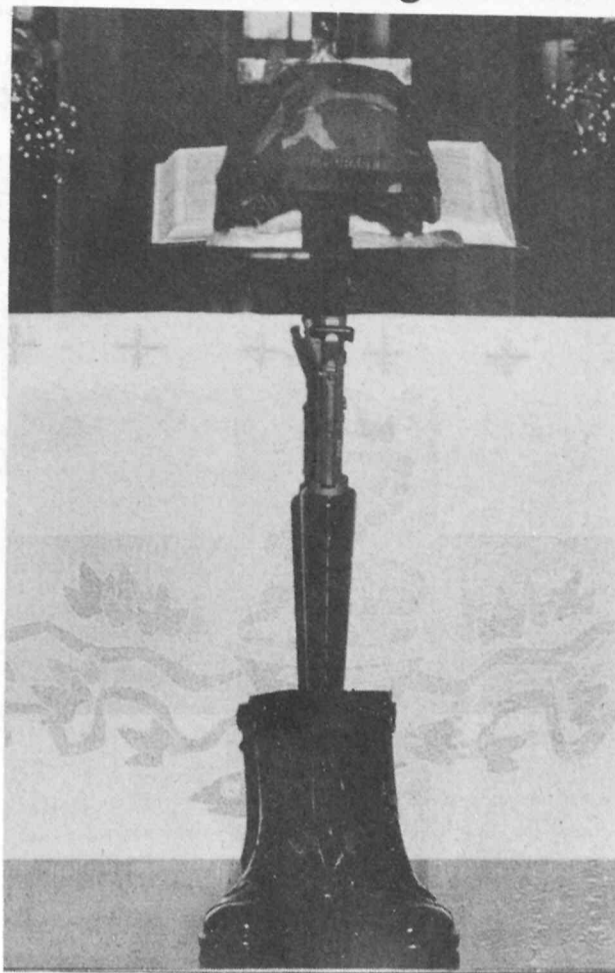
Morast, 19, was a Fremont, Neb. native. He went to basic training and advanced individual training at Fort Benning, Ga., and arrived in Berlin in November 1985. He was an assistant M-60 machine gunner, automatic rifleman, and radio telephone operator with B Company's 2nd Platoon.

A memorial service was held for Morast Wednesday. At it, 1st Lt. Edward Bappe, 2nd Platoon Leader, gave the eulogy, which read in part: "On the night that Private Morast passed away, amid the shock, anger and grief that we all felt, a teary-eyed young soldier came up to me and asked me in an emotional voice, 'Sir, if it's all right, I'd like to be one of the pallbearers at his funeral.'

"I believe this young soldier speaks for all of us—those of us who were Private Morast's leaders, his fellow soldiers, and his friends. This young soldier speaks for all of us because the courage and quiet sincerity of his words are the way our human hearts say,

"Thank you, Private Morast, for serving America. Thank you, Private Morast, for being one of our soldiers. Thank you, J. R., for being our friend. We're going to go on with our lives now, because you have shown us how important life is. I know we will carry a part of you with us always. Rest in peace, our fallen comrade."

The circumstances of his death are under investigation.



The helmet, rifle and boots, a symbol of a lost comrade, stand for PFC J. R. Morast.

## Energy office zeroes in on savings

Tony Goodings, the Directorate of Engineering and Housing's assistant energy chief, reminds "that we need to be working at energy savings everyday if we are to win an energy award this year too." He refers to Berlin's third place finish in the 1986 energy competition.

Goodings offers some energy saving tips:

- Television, radio and stereo use about three percent of daily electrical energy with TV using the most.

- Televisions with instant-on circuits consume the most energy because they continue to draw current to keep the circuit "ready" even when the set itself is off.

- A transformer plugged in without any appliances connected still uses energy. A 600 watt transformer left plugged in or on consumes \$20 of energy in a year.

"We are below our energy consumption goal so far this year," Goodings said. "Let's all work to keep it that way."

American civilians not attached to the command who want to receive invitations can send a letter with the full names and addresses of all accompanying family members and their dates and places of birth to:

Reagan Visit Invitation  
U.S. Mission  
Clayallee 170  
1000 Berlin 33

Dependents under 16 years old have to be accompanied by an adult. Children under six don't need invitations.

In addition to the invitation, each person over six years must show either a passport or ID card at the admission gates, according to command officials.

## Presidential visit tickets available

President Ronald Reagan will visit Berlin June 12 and will deliver a foreign policy address at the Brandenburg Gate 2 p.m. that day.

Americans in the city and command employees may attend. Admission will be by invitation only, according to U.S. Mission officials.

Those who want to attend can get tickets through their offices or units. Instructions will be announced through the chains of command.

SERVICEMEN!  
EMPLOYEES OF MILITARY ESTABLISHMENTS AND LABORATORIES!  
ALL WHO ARE ENGAGED IN ARMS BUSINESS!

Today giant arms corporations and arms dealers are making huge profits. A brisk trade is going on in the advanced military technologies, as well as in military and state secrets. Politicians, senior civil servants, congressmen and top brass are not above taking a rake-off. All their impressive talk about national interests, patriotism, duty and honesty is pure bunkum.

LOOK AROUND!  
MOST OF THE MONEY IS MADE BY THOSE WHO ARE RICH ALREADY!

And what about you, who build, service and set in motion this gigantic war machine, sometimes risking your life in doing so? What are you getting out of it? Isn't it high time you thought about yourself and your family and get your share of this highly profitable business? Many others do!

You may have access to the newest weapon systems or plans for their use, to secret documents in which military preparations are discussed. If you are not a fool, a reliable and generous customer can always be found. He will pay well for valuable information. What about the risks? Well, there is no business without risk, especially if the business is profitable.

MAY GOD HELP YOU!



## Officials tracking invitations to err

Some Berlin soldiers and airmen have opened air mail envelopes postmarked from Italy only to discover what officials describe as a "blatant" attempt to convince them to commit espionage against the United States.

While the letter may appear to be a crude attempt at subverting America's soldiers, intelligence officials here are taking it seriously.

"They started arriving eight—10 days ago, and they're still arriving. There's a significant number of these things coming into our office and the Air Force office," said Alan R. Wartes, special agent with the 766th Military Intelligence Detachment here.

"Army personnel who receive such a letter are directed to send it through normal distribution channels to the 766th Military Intelligence Detachment. Air Force personnel should forward the letter to the Office of Special Investigations. Along with the letter, they should provide name, rank, social security number, unit, duty phone and the date they received the letter," Wartes advised.

The mailing seems to be a random sampling of soldiers and airmen here, and is not aimed at any one unit, Wartes reported. "Anybody could get one of these," he said.

Anyone who has gotten a letter and not forwarded it and thrown it away should contact Wartes.

"They don't have to worry about that, if they just tell us that they received one so we can keep track of how many come in."

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## Steppin' out

# District weeks dominate Berlin festivities

by Helga Haftendorn  
Cultural events editor

### Neukölln Friendship Day

Neukölln district is next on the list to celebrate Berlin's 750th anniversary with a district fest. The fest begins on Sunday with a German-American Friendship Day and continues with a tight schedule of activities until May 24.

Characteristic for the district of Neukölln, which was called Rixdorf until 1912, is the "Böhmisches Dorf," the Bohemian Village, which has kept its self-willed architecture and way of living until today.

Two-hundred and fifty years ago, religiously persecuted Bohemians found here a new home and have since significantly influenced the district's way of life.

Get an impression on Neukölln's cultural happenings during the district's "Parkfest Britz," serenade concerts, children's party, or the historical and cultural fest, entitled "Kulturachse '87." Enjoy the battle of flowers on Hermannstrasse next Saturday and the concerts at Neukölln's Dorfkirchen, the village churches, on May 24.

Neukölln's introduction to the festive days begins on Sunday with "Parkfest Britz," and everybody is invited to join in the day's activities, offering rural entertainment for the whole family. Doors open at 3 p.m. for lots of music, games, food and beverages. This year, the German-American Friendship Day will be celebrated in connection with "Parkfest Britz," held at Gutshof Britz, located on 81-89 Alt Britz.

To get there, take the U-Bahn to Parchimer Allee and follow the crowd to the GutsPark. You can also use buses 25 and 91.

Sunday's "Parkfest" is only part of the whole district celebrations. You can also enjoy daily serenade concerts at 6 p.m. in the Körnerpark, located on 8 Schierkerstrasse, listening to "Music from Berlin-Brandenburg-Bohemia." Take the U-Bahn to Neukölln station, or use Bus 91.

The opening of an exhibition, entitled "250 Years Bohemia in Neukölln" will be at 11 a.m. Sunday at the Galerie at Körnerpark, located on 8 Schierker Strasse. This show will tell you all about the religiously persecuted Bohemians, and their Bohemian Village in Neukölln, then called Rixdorf. The hours are 11 a.m. to 6 p.m. Tuesday to Sunday and are open to the public until Sept. 2. Take the U-Bahn to Neukölln station, or use Bus 91.

The historical and cultural fest "Kulturachse '87" will introduce the cultural life of the district on May 23 and 24 to you, with lots of music and entertainment. There will be theater groups and artists performing in volksfest-type of activities from Heimatmuseum Richardstrasse to Richardplatz and Körnerpark. Doors open at 2 p.m. on both days.

### Neuköllner Maientage

Before Neukölln's district fest opens on Sunday, the Neuköllner Maientage fest opens its doors. Don't miss Saturday's 3 p.m. opening at Volkspark Hasenheide. If you can't make it then, don't worry, the festive May Days will be celebrated daily until June 8.

There will be fun, music, food and entertainment for the whole family beginning 3 p.m. daily, Wednesdays and on weekends at 2 p.m.

The big dance and entertainment orchestra "Echo-Berlin" will not only be playing on the opening day, and also on weekends and upcoming holidays.

Children and grown-ups can take their pick from the rides offered. You can choose from Melodie Star, Breakdance, Happy-Clown, Fire-Bird, Moon-Taxi and



Jesus Christ Superstar can be seen on Thursday at the ICC. Curtain time is 8 p.m. There are still tickets available.

Autoskooter.

Every Saturday night, Neukölln will be "on flames" when fulminate fireworks will be part of the day's late evening program.

Every Wednesday is a Volks- and Kindertag, when children and grown-ups pay only half the price on all rides on the grounds.

The main entrance to all the fun is on Hasenheide and parking on Columbiadamm. Take the U-Bahn to Süd- stern or Hermannplatz. You can also use buses 4, 28, 29, 91 or 95.

### Steglitzer Woche

With all the anniversary activities going on in town, Steglitz's traditional Volksfest, celebrated for the 35th time this year, should not be missed. Why not spend the last three days of their fest enjoying all the activities offered for the whole family. The Steglitz district week began last weekend and will end on Sunday. Doors open today at 3 p.m., tomorrow and on Sunday at 2 p.m. Enjoy fun, food and entertainment, also outdoor dancing tomorrow and on Sunday.

You can find the "Festwiese" on Teltowkanal, the canal, between Bäke- and Krahrmerstrasse, at Stadium Lichterfelde. Buses 3, 11, 17, 53, 85 or 86 will take you to the fest grounds.

### Brunnenfest

One fest after another keeps Berliners moving these days. But this "Brunnenfest," which will be held in Lankwitz tomorrow, is a one-day only event. It is named after the fountain in front of the Rathaus, the Lankwitz townhall, located on Leonorenstrasse. Much fun, games, entertainment food and beverages are awaiting from 1 to 5 p.m.

There will be coffee, cake, souvenirs, hot wafers, grilled specialities, small round-trips on an historical bus, dance presentations, pictures and postcards of Lankwitz and a bazaar.

While you are at the Rathaus, why not walk across the street to the Pavilion and look at the exhibition on display, telling all about the beginning of Lankwitz district.

To get to the fest, take buses 30, 32 or 96 to the Rathaus.

### Jesus Christ Superstar

After the great public success of "West Side Story," the Broadway Musical Company, New York, will now present the world famous rock opera Jesus Christ Superstar here Thursday.

Jesus Christ Superstar was composed by famous composer Andrew Lloyd Webber, who has written as peppy a music for this piece as he has for "Cats" and "Evita." The text to this rock opera was written by Time Rice, and under the choreography of Jane Setteducato, the stars from New York will present their ballet, accompanied by the Musical Company's choir and orchestra.

There are still tickets available for this ICC presentation, beginning at 8 p.m. You can buy DM 20-42 advance tickets at any downtown ticket agency, or the night of performance, at the ICC ticket booth.

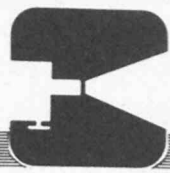
### David Bowie

On his European Tour, David Bowie will hit Berlin June 6, 7 and 8, presenting his "Concert for Berlin."

This three-day concert will be held in connection with Berlin's 750th anniversary on the Platz der Republik, and will only cost you DM 50 admission to enjoy all three concerts.

Look forward to David Bowie and guest on June 6, to Eurythmics and Bruce Hornsby and the Range on June 7, and Genesis and guest on June 8.

Doors to the festival grounds open at 4 p.m. and all three days. The visitor capacity to this spectacle has been limited to 80,000. Tickets are still available and you can buy them at any downtown ticket agency, also check with ITT.



# On the screen

May 15-21

## Outpost — Clayallee (6524)

Fri. **Assassination** (PG-13), 19:30  
Sat. **Special Matinee: The Bugs Bunny / Roadrunner Movie** (G), 14:00  
Sat. **The Mosquito Coast** (PG), in Dolby stereo, 18:30 and 20:45  
Sun. **The Bedroom Window** (R), 14:00 and 19:30  
Mon. Same show as above, 19:30  
Tue. Same show as above, 19:30  
Wed. **Witchboard** (R), 19:30  
Thu. **Wanted Dead or Alive** (R), 19:30

## Columbia — Tempelhof (5522)

Fri. **The Morning After** (R), 19:30  
Sat. **Crocodile Dundee** (PG-13), 19:30  
Sun. Same show as above, 19:30  
Mon. Same show as above, 19:30  
Tue. Same show as above, 19:30  
Wed. **Brighton Beach Memoirs** (PG-13), 19:30  
Thu. **Assassination** (PG-13), 19:30

## Coliseum — McNair Brks. (3131)

Fri. **Solarbabies** (PG-13), 19:30

Sat. **The Golden Child** (PG-13), 19:30  
Sun. Same show as above, 14:30 and 19:30  
Mon. Same show as above, 19:30  
Tue. **Jumpin' Jack Flash** (R), 19:30  
Wed. Same show as above, 19:30  
Thu. **The Morning After** (R), 19:30

## Andrews — Barracks (3538)

Fri. **52 Pick-Up** (R), 18:30  
Sat. **Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home** (PG), 18:30  
Sun. **Early Bird Show: Little Shop Of Horrors** (PG-13), 01:00  
Sun. **Star Trek IV: The Voyage Home** (PG), 18:30  
Mon. Same show as above, 18:30  
Tue. **The Fly** (R), 18:30  
Wed. —closed—  
Thu. **Solarbabies** (PG-13), 18:30

## Jerboa — Theodor-Heuss-Platz

Fri. **Golden Child** (PG), 19:30  
Sat. Children's Matinee: **E.T. — Extraterrestrial** (G), 10:00  
Sun. **Golden Child** (PG), 19:30  
Mon. Same show as above, 19:30  
Tue. **Plenty** (R) 19:30  
Wed. **Commando** (X), 19:30  
Thu. Same show as above, 19:30  
— closed —

## Astra — RAF Gatow compound

Fri. **Jewel of the Nile** (PG), 19:30  
Sat. Children's Matinee: **What's Next** (G), 14:00  
Sat. **Jewel of the Nile** (PG), 19:30  
Sun. Same show as above, 19:30  
Mon. **Critters** (R), 19:30  
Tue. Same show as above, 19:30  
Wed. — closed —  
Thu. **Critters** (R), 19:30

## Thalia

— German movie downtown, playing movies in the original English version —

— Kaiser-Wilhelm-Strasse 71, 1-46 (admission DM7)

Tel. 774-3440 from 5 p.m.

(Note: ID card holders get a discount; air conditioned; fully licensed bar)

To get to the Thalia movie theater, take bus 2, 30, 32, 81, 83, 61, 86. Get off at Lankwitz Kirche, the

church. Theater is located opposite Woolworth's.

— Daily at 22:00 — **Pink Floyd: The Wall**

## Odeon

— German movie downtown, playing movies in the original English version —

— 116 Hauptstrasse, Schöneberg  
Tel. 781-5667 from 5 p.m.

— Take U-Bahn to Innsbrucker Platz —

Daily: **Platoon** at 18:00, 20:30 and 23:00, also Sat. and Sun. at 15:30

## Yorck Cinema

— Yorckstrasse 86, Tel.: 786-5070

U-Bahn to Mehringdamm—

Daily: **The Little Shop of Horrors** at 17:00, 19:00, 21:00, 23:00 and 01:00. Sat. and Sun. also at 15:00.

# AFN-TV

May 15-21

Friday

06:00 NBC Nightly News  
06:30 CNN Sports  
06:55 AM Notebook  
07:00 ABC Nightline  
07:30 Just For Kids  
08:55 Jeopardy  
09:20 AFN's Morning Movie: "You Light Up My Life"  
11:05 Larry King  
11:55 Berlin PM (R)  
12:00 CBS Evening News  
12:30 Donahue  
13:20 General Hospital  
14:05 Guiding Light  
14:50 For Kids Only  
16:00 Today Show  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 Berlin Tonight  
18:45 CNN Sports  
19:00 What's Happening Now  
19:25 Best of the West  
19:50 Berlin PM  
20:00 Designing Women  
20:30 Entertainment This Week  
21:25 Berlin Tonight—Late Edition  
21:30 Miami Vice  
22:20 CNN Headlines  
22:30 The Tonight Show  
23:30 AFN's Late Show: "The Defiant Ones"  
01:05 Tales From The Darkside  
01:30 ABC World News  
— Nightwatch continues through the night —

Saturday

— Nightwatch continues through

the morning —

06:00 NBC Nightly News  
06:30 CNN Sports  
06:55 AM Notebook  
07:00 ABC Nightline  
07:30 For Kids Only  
10:15 F.B.I.  
11:10 Star Trek  
11:55 Berlin PM (R)  
The Saturday lineup which follows was tentative at the time this schedule was prepared.  
12:00 CBS Evening News  
12:30 Hee Haw  
13:20 Music City USA  
13:45 Wheel Of Fortune  
14:05 Solid Gold  
15:00 The In—Fisherman  
15:30 Starring The Actors  
16:00 Wide World Of Sports  
17:00 McLaughlin Group  
17:30 EUCOM Report  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 You Again  
19:00 Riptide  
20:00 Trapper John M.D.  
21:00 Sports: TBA  
After the Sports:  
AFN's Late Show: "Sourdough"  
Saturday Night Live  
Maximum Security  
— Nightwatch continues through the night —

Sunday

— Nightwatch continues through the morning —  
06:00 CNN News  
06:30 Bobby Jones Gospel  
07:30 Christian Lifestyles Maga-

zine  
08:00 Insight  
08:30 For Kids Only  
09:35 New Tech Times  
10:00 Christopher Close-Up  
10:30 This Is The Life  
11:00 Meet The Press  
11:30 Face The Nation  
The Sunday lineup which follows was tentative at the time this schedule was prepared.  
12:00 CNN Headline News  
12:30 Nickelodeon Matinee: "Captain Future"  
14:05 Lifestyles Of The Rich And Famous  
15:05 America's Top Ten  
15:30 Firing Line  
16:30 Starch Search  
17:30 American Forces Perspective  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 Growing Pains  
19:00 60 Minutes  
20:00 Hotel  
21:00 Sports: TBA  
After the Sports:  
AFN's Late Show: "Against A Crooked Sky"

Monday

06:00 CNN Headline News  
06:30 This Week With David Brinkley  
07:30 Just For Kids  
08:35 Jeopardy  
08:55 TBA  
09:25 AFN's Morning Movie: "Against A Crooked Sky"  
11:00 Money Week  
11:30 Essence, The Television Program

12:00 CNN News  
12:30 Hour Magazine  
13:20 General Hospital  
14:05 Guiding Light  
14:50 For Kids Only  
16:00 Today Show  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 Berlin Tonight  
18:45 CNN Sports  
19:00 T. J. Hooker  
19:50 Berlin PM  
20:00 Cheers  
20:30 Hardcastle and McCormick  
21:25 Berlin Tonight — Late Edition  
21:30 Dynasty  
22:20 CNN Headlines  
22:30 AFN's Late Show: "Shaka Zula" (Pt. 3)  
00:20 Soldiers  
01:10 ABC World News

Tuesday

06:00 NBC Nightly News  
06:30 CNN Sports  
06:55 AM Notebook  
07:00 ABC Nightline  
07:30 Just For Kids  
08:45 Jeopardy  
09:10 Our World  
10:05 F-Troop  
10:30 Air Power/Beverly Hills  
11:05 Larry King  
11:55 Berlin PM (R)  
12:00 CBS Evening News  
12:30 Oprah Winfrey  
13:20 General Hospital  
14:05 Guiding Light  
14:50 For Kids Only  
16:00 Today Show  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 Berlin Tonight  
18:45 CNN Sports  
19:00 Fame  
19:55 Berlin PM  
20:05 AFN's Evening Movie: "Thomas Crown Affair"  
21:25 Berlin Tonight—Late Edition

18:30 Berlin Tonight  
18:45 CNN Sports  
19:00 Love Boat  
19:50 Berlin PM  
20:00 Alfred Hitchcock Presents  
20:30 Moonlighting  
21:25 Berlin Tonight—Late Edition  
21:30 The Colbys  
22:21 CNN Headlines  
22:30 TBA  
After the programming:  
ABC World News

Wednesday

06:00 NBC Nightly News  
06:30 CNN Sports  
06:55 AM Notebook  
07:00 ABC Nightline  
07:30 Just For Kids  
08:45 Jeopardy  
09:10 Exciting World Of Speed And Beauty  
09:35 AFN's Morning Movie: "Elephant Boy"  
11:05 Larry King  
11:55 Berlin PM (R)  
12:00 CBS Evening News  
12:30 Donahue  
13:20 General Hospital  
14:05 Guiding Light  
14:50 For Kids Only  
16:00 Today Show  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 Berlin Tonight  
18:45 CNN Sports  
19:00 Fame  
19:55 Berlin PM  
20:05 AFN's Evening Movie: "Thomas Crown Affair"  
21:25 Berlin Tonight—Late Edition

21:45 The Equalizer  
22:35 CNN Headlines  
22:50 The Tonight Show  
23:40 AFN's Late Show: "Master Of The World"  
01:15 ABC World News

Thursday

06:00 NBC Nightly News  
06:30 CNN Sports  
06:55 AM Notebook  
07:00 ABC Nightline  
07:30 Just For Kids  
08:45 Jeopardy  
09:10 Laverne And Shirley  
09:35 Nature  
10:35 American Business History  
11:05 Larry King  
11:55 Berlin PM (R)  
12:00 CBS Evening News  
12:30 Oprah Winfrey  
13:20 CNN Showbiz Today  
13:45 A Single Light  
14:45 For Kids Only  
16:00 The Today Show  
18:00 CNN Headline News  
18:30 Berlin Tonight  
18:45 CNN Sports  
19:00 Misfits Of Science  
19:50 Berlin PM  
20:00 Amen  
20:30 Crazy Like A Fox  
21:25 Berlin Tonight—Late Edition  
21:30 L. A. Law  
22:20 CNN Headlines  
22:30 The Tonight Show  
23:20 AFN's Late Show: "Northstar"  
00:35 TBA  
01:10 ABC World News

# BFBS-TV

## The Services Sound and Vision Corporation BFBS Television Program Schedule May 16-22

\* Denotes that a program is being transmitted "live" from London

Saturday

12:15 Birthday Time Cartoon Show  
12:25 Pop Spot  
13:00 Grandstand — The FA Cup Final\*  
18:15 In The Making  
18:35 News and Weather\*  
18:45 The Little And Large Show  
19:20 The A-Team  
20:05 The Price Is Right  
20:55 One By One  
21:45 Tutti Frutti  
22:45 Parkinson One-To-One  
23:25 Shoot for the Sun  
00:50 Close down

17:00 He-Man and the Masters of the Universe  
17:20 Supergran  
17:45 Adventure Of A Lifetime  
18:05 Antiques Roadshow  
18:50 Highway  
19:25 News And Weather\*  
19:40 Catchphrase  
20:05 Eastenders  
21:00 Live From The Palladium  
21:50 L.A. Law  
22:35 An Audience With Mel Brooks  
23:30 Close down

Monday

13:15 Ragdolly Anna (New)  
13:25 Schools: Stop, Look, Listen  
13:35 Schools: Music Time  
14:00 News And Weather\*  
14:30 Domesday  
15:10 Frocks on the Box  
15:35 BFG Teletext  
16:25 Children's SSSVC starting with:

Sunday

13:00 Weekend World\*  
13:55 Horses (New)  
14:45 Qed: The World's Longest Drop  
15:15 Blackie's Magic (New)  
16:45 Birthday Time Cartoon

16:40 Chock-A-Block  
17:00 Bananaman  
17:10 The Wind In The Willows  
17:30 Lay on Five (New)  
17:50 The Adventures of Spot (New)  
17:55 The Secret World of Polly Flint  
18:20 Box Clever  
18:45 News And Weather\*  
19:00 Head of the Class  
19:25 Coronation Street  
19:50 Treasure Hunt (New)  
20:40 My Husband And I (New)  
21:05 Paradise Postponed  
22:00 News And Weather\*  
22:30 World In Action  
22:55 SportsScene — Scottish FA Cup Final  
00:25 Close down

Tuesday

13:15 Foxtales  
13:25 Schools: Finding Out  
13:40 Schools: Watch  
14:00 News And Weather\*  
14:30 The Newlywed Game  
14:55 The Pennine Challenge  
15:25 BFG Teletext  
16:15 Children's SSSVC starting with:  
Fingermouse  
16:30 Play School

16:50 Ivor The Engine  
17:00 Yogi Bear  
17:10 Think It... Do It (New)  
17:25 Blue Peter  
17:50 Bellamy On Top Of The World  
18:15 Bobby Davro's TV Weekly  
18:45 News And Weather\*  
19:00 Emmerdale Farm  
19:25 A Question Of Sport  
19:55 Me And My Girl  
20:20 Horizon: The Search For The Disappeared  
21:10 The Equalizer  
22:00 News and Weather\*  
22:30 Hello Mum  
23:00 Grand Prix: Belgium  
23:35 Close down

Wednesday

13:10 Tickle On The Tum  
13:20 Schools: Search  
13:35 Schools: Near And Far  
14:00 News And Weather\*  
14:30 Plants For Free (New)  
14:55 Take The High Road  
15:20 BFG Teletext  
16:15 Children's SSSVC starting with:  
Rainbow  
16:30 Play School  
16:55 Odysseus  
17:10 Jonny Briggs  
17:25 What On Earth?  
17:55 Worzel Gummidge

18:20 Grange Hill  
18:45 News And Weather\*  
19:00 Go For It  
19:25 Coronation Street  
19:50 Forty Minutes  
20:30 UEFA Cup Final — Dundee UTD v Gothenberg\*  
22:55 UK and Local Weather  
23:00 News\*  
23:30 Close down

Thursday

13:15 Creepy Crawlies  
13:25 Schools: You And Me  
13:40 Schools: Our World, My World  
14:00 News And Weather\*  
14:30 Wildlife Showcase  
14:55 Farmhouse Kitchen  
15:25 BFG Teletext  
16:05 Children's SSSVC starting with:  
Postman Pat  
16:20 Play School  
16:45 Sooty  
17:05 Henry's Cat  
17:20 First Class  
17:45 Splash  
18:10 Telly Addicts  
18:45 News And Weather\*  
19:00 Emmerdale Farm  
19:25 Tomorrow's World  
19:55 Dallas  
20:40 The Brothers McGregor

21:05 Rumpole Of The Bailey  
22:00 News And Weather\*  
22:30 Animal Squad  
23:00 Life Without George  
23:30 Close down

Friday

13:10 Mop And Smiff  
13:25 Schools: Think About  
13:40 Schools: Good Health  
14:00 News And Weather\*  
14:30 Mediterranean Cookery  
15:00 Take The High Road  
15:25 BFG Teletext  
16:10 Children's SSSVC starting with:  
Hokey Cokey  
16:25 Play School  
16:50 The Blunders  
16:55 Lift Off! With Coppers And Co. (New)  
17:25 Think It... Do It  
17:50 Blue Peter  
18:20 Grange Hill  
18:45 News And Weather\*  
19:00 Watching You, Watching Us  
19:25 Top Of The Pops  
19:55 Top Gear  
20:25 Forty Minutes: Emergency — Bloomsbury 3  
21:05 Lost Empires  
22:00 News And Weather\*  
22:30 Film: "The Enforcer"  
00:05 Close down



## Leader wins scout award

by Chris Allbright  
Community writer

When April Legler got involved in the Boy Scouts nearly 15 years ago her primary motivation was to spend more time with her husband, a scouting fanatic since he was 9.

But her contributions to scouting over the years have earned her the highest award a local scout council can give—the Silver Beaver Award.

Of the more than 10,000 adult volunteers serving 27,000 registered scouts in the Transatlantic Council of Boy Scouts of America, only 11 received the award at the 37th annual council meeting in Garmisch, West Germany.

"This is an award recognizing her for a long term commitment to scouting," Lt. Col. Bill Hall said.

Hall, the assistant district scout commissioner for Berlin, put her up for the award.

"She's lively, entertaining, educational and a spark behind the Boy Scout program," Hall said.

The award sparked a response from Legler.

"Getting the Silver Beaver award was overwhelming. I never expected to get it. I always thought that it was reserved for people who'd been with scouting for a long time and had done great things for the organization," Legler said.

She has been involved in the training of other adult leaders throughout her career at the Cub Scout, Boy Scout and Explorer levels.



Chris Allbright

April Legler recently won the Silver Beaver Award from the Transatlantic Council of the Boy Scouts of America for outstanding service to the organization during her 15-year scouting career.

### Scout meeting first date

It all started because of her husband. Their first date in college was to a Boy Scout function, according to Lt. Col. T. R. Legler, chief of optometry at the U.S. Army Hospital, Berlin.

But it wasn't until after four years of marriage that she really got involved.

Her husband, then a captain and clinical optometrist, arrived in Europe in December of 1971 and immediately began to get involved in scouting. By the time his wife arrived two weeks later, he had every weekend for the next six months booked with scouting outings.

"I was appalled," she said. But the shock soon wore off.

"I knew if I wanted to see my husband, I'd have to go where he was going," Legler said.

"After her initial joining, she became more and more involved, and continued in areas where I wasn't involved. She believes strongly in the scouting program," Lt. Col. Legler said.

In Berlin, she has been the adult trainer for Cub Scout den leaders for the past two years and has seen the number of packs double.

At monthly training meetings, called roundtables, she trains and encourages other leaders.

"Scouting offers something that no other organization does by doing things that young people would enjoy. Scouting does more to instill citizenship and character than any other organization," she said.

Scouting works to provide good adult examples while letting scouts learn leadership and decision making skills, she said.

"In scouting you get involved with developing mental alertness, spiritual awakening and physical fitness."

During her scouting career, she has earned many awards from local and district councils.

She has served as an Explorer Post advisor, a roundtable staffer, and Explorer service team chairman,

a district and council trainer, and is currently the Cub Scout roundtable commissioner.

She also has completed many outdoor training programs, sometimes being one of the first women to do so.

"When I first got involved, women weren't doing much beyond being den leaders. So, I started working on roundtables and training adult leaders."

### Forged women's trail

She forged the trail for women by getting involved in outdoor adult training programs, known as Wood Badge courses. She was one of the first women to complete the course in California and later was a trainer for the course.

"Anytime more people (women) are involved, the better for the organization. But things have changed dramatically for women in the last 15 years. They now hold roles previously reserved for men, except for scoutmaster," said the mother of three.

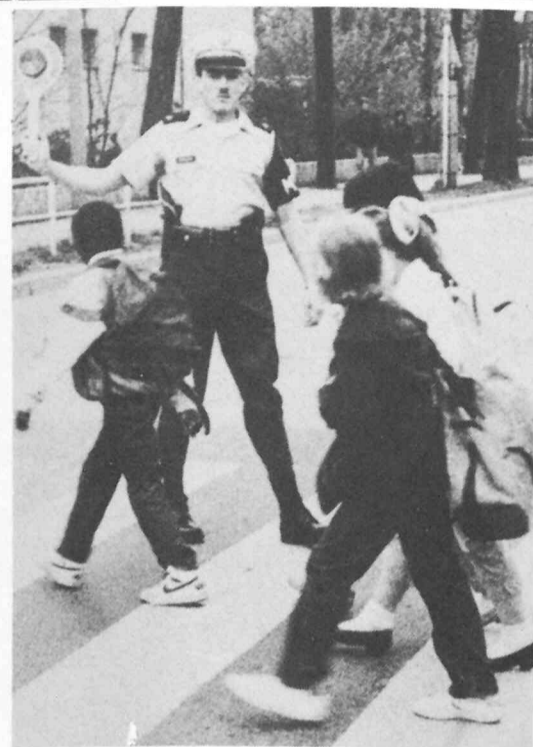
"I'm a woman, and like being a woman. I'm content in contributing in the capacity where women are needed or (gender) doesn't make a difference," she said.

She's also involved in other community activities. She is a member of the German-American Women's Club, the Berlin American High School Parents-Teachers-Students Association, a junior Girl Scout troop leader, Health Services Club, a member of the Allied Forces Choir and of a local Church of Christ.

She's also a "recreation technician" and English teacher for Big Bend University.

Recently, her youngest son joined Cub Scouts and her oldest daughter joined an Explorer Post.

"After all of these years of being involved with scouting, this is the first time our children have gotten involved," Legler said.



Chris Allbright

Officer Friendly Sgt. Kenneth Dowless helps youngsters across the street mornings and afternoons at Thomas A. Roberts School.

## Officer Friendly keeps kids safe

The Army recognizes him as a military policeman but children know him as "Officer Friendly."

He's Sgt. Kenneth Dowless of the 287th MP Company. Dowless is responsible for the crosswalk near the Cole Sports Center and Thomas A. Roberts Elementary School mornings and afternoons as well as patrolling housing areas during the summer and talking to children about safety.

He teaches children about bicycle safety as well as the dangers of drug abuse and shoplifting. Dowless also makes appearances at Boy Scout troop meetings, TAR or the Youth Activities Center to give talks.

Dowless replaces SP4 Vic Cera, "Officer Friendly" for the past 28 months.

Coming from the 101st MP Company at Fort Campbell, Ky., Dowless is in a higher visibility role than the average military policeman.

"I came from a division MP company where I lived in the field." He described himself as "100 percent grunt."

He said that he isn't used to working with television yet. He does weekly police reports for American Force Network, Berlin.

"Everybody tells me to loosen up, but it's not as easy as it looks. What's bad is that we don't use cue cards. I have to memorize everything before I do it."

He also does the School of Standards briefings for incoming military people. The briefings consist of rape and crime prevention, customs, drug awareness and traveling through the corridor.

Throughout the summer, he will be patrolling the housing areas on his 10 speed bicycle. His uniform then will be coaching shorts, a green or gold T-shirt, a baseball cap, tennis shoes and MP leather gear.

A t t h e  
**ZOO**

The biggest collection of animals on the continent awaits in downtown Berlin

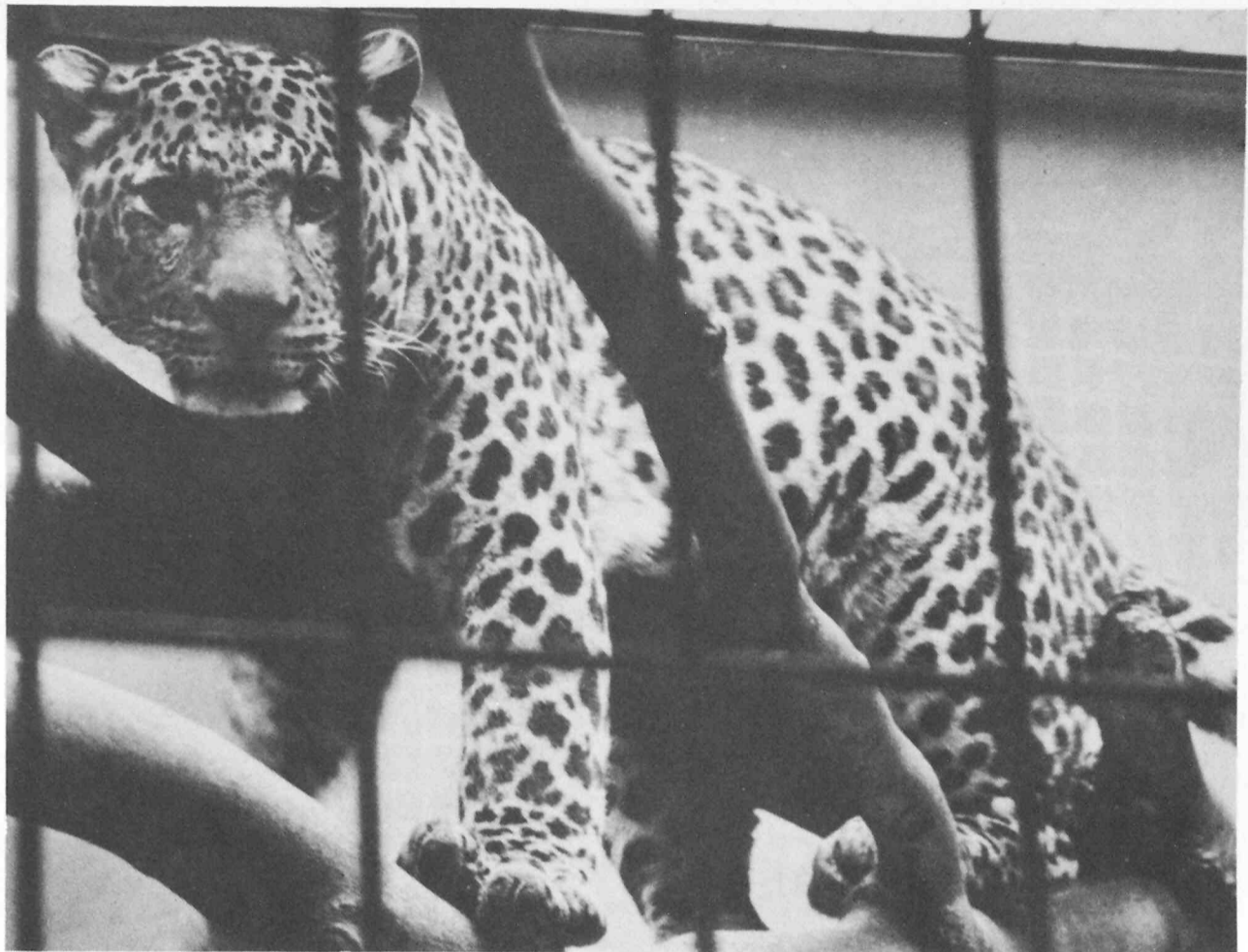
The return of fair weather to Berlin has prompted an increased interest in one of Berlin's less famous, but more enjoyable places to visit.

Berlin's zoo is the largest zoo in all of Europe, boasting almost 12,000 animals of more than 1,700 different species.

The surroundings and sidelights are also worthy of a visit, as the zoo sports unique garden and building combinations as well as a children's zoo and a large children's playground.

The zoo is located in the heart of the city, and can be gotten to by getting off at the Zoo U-Bahn station, or taking any of the following buses to Hardenbergplatz: 9, 19, 29, 54, 60, 62, 69, 73, 90, 92 or 94. Once there the walk down Budapester Strasse to the decorative elephant side gate can be worth the walk.

The zoo is open 9 a.m.—7 p.m. daily. Admission is DM 6.50 for adults, DM 3.25 for children.



A leopard rests in a tree, watching passers by.

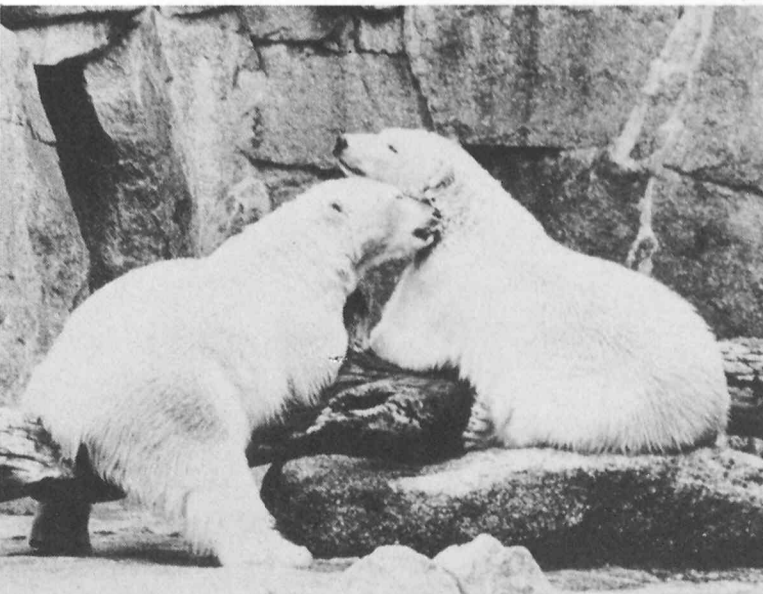
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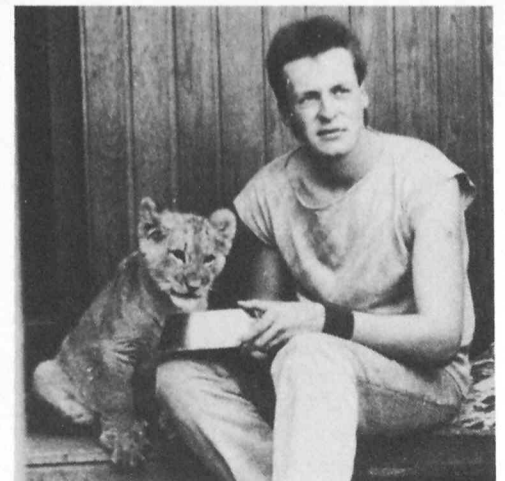
A pelican sits at the edge of a pond.



Three elephants walk through their compound, the largest area of the zoo.



Two friendly polar bears nuzzle each other.



An animal tender feeds a young lion.



# Community events

## CPR course

The American Red Cross is offering a Cardiopulmonary resuscitation course 8:30 a.m.-4:30 p.m. Saturday. This course offers training for situations when adults, children or infants need help. To register contact American Red Cross, BM 6437/6459.

## CCC job, seminar

City Colleges of Chicago is seeking a full time field representative. Applications are available at the CCC office, room 403F, building 4, Clay Headquarters.

The dates for the CCC emergency medical systems seminar entitled "Cardiac Care" have been changed from May 23-24 to May 30-31. Registration runs through May 27.

For more information contact CCC at 7235/7236.

## Allied coffee morning group

The May Allied Coffee will be held 10-11 a.m. Tuesday in the American sector.

Plans are being made for a tennis morning and luncheon in the French sector one June 23. This will be the final Allied coffee morning event for the year. You do not have to be a frequent, consistent or good tennis player. Players at all levels may attend. However, reservations must be made by June 1. More details on the tennis morning will be available at that time.

For reservations call 831-3991.

## Booster club meeting

There will be an Athletic Booster Club meeting 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Berlin American High School Cafeteria. All parents with children participating in high school sports programs may attend to vote for booster club officers for school year 1987-88.

## Berlin Medieval Society

The local branch of the Society for Creative Anachronism, a group which researches and recreates the Middle Ages and Renaissance, will hold its next meeting 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Harnack House library room. Anyone interested may attend. For more information call Michael or Sandra Chance, 341-7660.

## Signal car wash

The Signal Support Company Enlisted Members/Wives Club will have a car wash 10 a.m.-3 p.m. May 23 within the Thomas A. Roberts School drive-in area. Costs will be \$2 per car and \$3.50 for pickup trucks or vans.

"Operators of personally owned vehicles which bear USA-REUR license plates are encouraged to keep their vehicles clean," said publicity spokesman SP4 Patrick Gainey.

## Appointment waiting times

Officials at the U.S. Army Hospital, Berlin, have released the next available appointment dates for the following clinics as of May 8:

- Gynecology: for active duty, June 1, and for family members, June 4.
- Mental Health: Monday.
- Optometry: for active duty and family members, June 1.
- Pediatrics: for routine appointments, June 2, and for the Well Baby Clinic, June 1.

There is same day appointments for acute illness in the mental health, pediatrics and outpatient clinics.

Appointments can be made through the Central Appointment System, BM 4211.

## TCA Open House shuttles

A special shuttle bus will run on May 30 and 31 for the TCA Open House in addition to the regular B bus. It will leave Truman Plaza bus terminal every half hour beginning at 9 a.m. both days until 6 p.m., when it will run on the hour only. This bus will make its last run at 7 p.m.

A bus will leave Eagle Square bus terminal at TCA every half hour beginning at 9:55 a.m. until 6:25 p.m., when it will only run on once again at 7:05 p.m.

## Christian officers pot luck

The Officer's Christian Fellowship will combine with the Christian Military Fellowship to hold a pot luck dinner 7 p.m. May 22. The event, designed to gather all members of the several home Bible studies sponsored by the two groups will be held in the fellowship hall at Andrews Chapel.

"People interested in learning more about either of these two groups or in joining a home Bible study should plan on attending," said Maj. Dan Puckett, one of the organizers of the pot luck. For more information, contact Puckett, BM 8891, or Lt. Col. J. B. Kump, BM 5392.

## Sunday School open house

The Protestant Sunday School will close with an open house Sunday, where parents can visit their children in their classes at the Thomas A. Roberts Elementary School from 9 a.m.-10 a.m. Vacation Bible School will be from June 23-July 2 from 9 a.m.-11:45 a.m.

## Warrant officers meeting

The Berlin chapter of the United States Army Warrant Officer Association will hold its monthly meeting 7 p.m. May 28 at the S&S compound. For more information BM 9104/6580.

## American club meets

The American Duplicate Bridge Club holds an open game at the Harnack House on the first and third Wednesday of each month. Game time is at 7:30 p.m. and all Americans may attend.

## ACS orientation tour

Newly arrived family members have an opportunity to become involved in and learn about the Berlin community at the Family Orientation Program 9 a.m. May 20 at the Harnack House. Free child care is provided at the Children's Center (call BM 6270 for child care reservations) along with a special free lunch and tour of West Berlin.

For more information contact Army Community Services, BM 6500.

## La Leche invites fathers

Fathers are invited to attend a La Leche League meeting "to discover ideas and gain support from other fathers," in a special meeting of the league. The meeting will be held 7 p.m. Monday at the Children's Center. This discussion will focus on the father's relationship, and will be followed by buffet/potluck-dinner. For more information call 801-4356.

## Upcoming auditions

A music direct/accompanist and a choreographer are needed for the Volksfest revue "America Salutes Berlin." For more information call BM 3550.

Auditions for the Volksfest revue will be 7 p.m. June 1-2 at the Hi-Lite Community Center. Singers and dancers are needed.

Jousters, jugglers, strolling minstrels, musicians and other acts are needed for the renaissance fair in June. Auditions will be 7 p.m. June 3-4 at the Hi-Lite.

## Wannsee Harbor activities

Water skiing starts May 19. Three rounds cost \$2, and reservations can be made 9 a.m.-7 p.m. Tuesday-Fridays.

Ten speed bikes, tandems and camping equipment are now available at Outdoor Rental Equipment. For more information call BM 6555/6696 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Tuesdays-Sundays.

Reservations for a new 40 passenger boat will be accepted starting May 23. The new boat is expected to be in service on June 2.

The outdoor swimming pool at the Wannsee Harbor opens Saturday. The hours will be 11 a.m.-7 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. If an American holiday falls on a Monday the pool will be open according to the harbor master. The pool will be open May 25.

## Gospel kids play, minister

The Kids of the Kingdom and Youth choirs will present the play "Kids Praise IV" 7 p.m. May 23 at American Community Chapel.

The play is a comical presentation of Christian living.

The community is invited. Admission and refreshments are free.

Also, J.D. Lauton will be at ACC 1:30 p.m. May 24. He's a Christian musician/minister. Admission is free and refreshments will be served afterward. The activity is open to the community.

## Cole Bowling Center

The Cole Bowling Center has announced bowling times for the following:

■ "Lunch Time Blue Pin Bowling" starts today and continues through Aug. 31. Those who roll a strike on a rack with a blue pin Monday through Friday from 11 a.m.-2 p.m. win a free game and a half-price meal at the snack bar.

■ "Youth Blue Pin Bowling" will be 1-5 p.m. June 1-Aug. 31 Sundays and Wednesdays for those 6-16 years old. Prizes will include free games, soft drinks and dinner for two.

## Smocking meeting

The Hemmed-In Stitches Chapter of the Smocking Arts Guild of America will meet 9:30-1:30 a.m. Monday instead of the regular Tuesday meeting, in the music room of the American Community Chapel on Hüttenweg. The project will be smocked nametags and all materials will be available for a nominal fee.

## Tennis club

There will be a general membership meeting of the Berlin American Tennis Club 7 p.m. Thursday at the Harnack House. All members and prospective members may attend.

## Births in Berlin

**Isabell Laura Berger**, born April 15 to Sgt. Douglas and Manuela Berger, B Company, 4th Battalion.

**Christopher Kelley Blose**, 7 pounds, 9 ounces, born April 10 to 1st Lt. David and Kathleen Blose, Headquarters Company, Berlin Brigade.

**Natasha Alexandra Chance**, born May 6 to SSgt. Michael and Sandra Chance, 6912th Electronic Security Group.

**Andrea Tiffany Cohen**, born April 17 to SSgt. Mark and Florence Cohen, F Company, 40th Armor.

**Zachary Lee Elgin**, born April 29 to SP4 William and SP4 Florence Elgin, 287th Military Police Company.

**Elise Candice Flanagan**, 7 pounds, 4 ounces, born April 21 to SSgt. John (Jr) and Marion Flanagan, 6912th Electronic Security Group.

**Aushia Marie McCoy**, 8 pounds, 1 ounce, born April 21 to Sgt. Gregory and Joann McCoy, Headquarters and Service Company, Combat Support Battalion.

**Jessica C Pesina**, born April 8 to Sgt. Juan and Caroline Pesina, B Company, 6th Battalion.

**Kenneth Michael Porturica**, born April 26 to SP4 Kenneth and Heike Porturica, A Company, 4th Battalion.

**Michele Lynette Pruitt**, born April 30 to Lester and Mary Pruitt, A Company, U.S. Field Systems Office, Berlin.

**Ryan Matthew Pursifull**, 8 pounds, 15 ounces, born April 6 to SFC Monte and Pamela Pursifull, 298th Army Band.

**Felix Ramon Romero Jr.**, born April 21 to SSgt. Felix and Blanca Romero, Headquarters and Service Company, Combat Support Battalion.

**Bailey Alexandra Sipes**, 8 pounds, 1 ounce, born April 23 to Sgt. Robert and Louise Sipes, B Company, Field Station Berlin.

**Anthony John Williams**, 5 pounds, 10 ounces, born April 21 to Sgt. John and Denise Williams, B Company, Field Station Berlin.

**Travis Ray Wilson**, 7 pounds, 13 ounces, born April 6 to SP4 Bryan and Darlene Wilson, Combat Support Company, 6th Battalion.

**Latdya Mischell Whitaker**, 7 pounds, 14 ounces, born April 17 to Sgt. Frederick and Tywandalo Whitaker, 42nd Engineer Company.

**Sarah Anne Wagenvoord**, 9 pounds, 1 ounce, born March 27 to Sgt. Richard and Kimberly Wagenvoord, C Company, Field Station Berlin.





# Bulletin board

## Correction

In our haste to report the command's selectees for sergeant major and command sergeant major, we incorrectly reported which selectee was on which list. The list should have read:

|                                   |                                      |
|-----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| For sergeant major:               | MSgt. George Sherrard, HHC BBde      |
| 1st Sgt. Clyde Bough, HHC BBde    | MSgt. Henry L. Thornton, FSB         |
| MSgt. Samuel Richardson, HHC BBde | For command sergeant major:          |
| MSgt. Larry Robinette, USCOB      | Sgt. Maj. Robert H. Horton, HHC BBde |
| MSgt. Jesse Shupert, CSB          | MSgt. George Sherrard, HHC BBde.     |

## East travel pre-processing

The Provost Marshal's Office will be conducting pre-processing for travel to East Berlin for the Memorial Day weekend. The pre-processing will be 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Tuesday-Thursday.

Pre-processing will be conducted at the ACS Office in Truman Plaza. Anybody planning on travel to East Berlin over the

Memorial Day weekend is strongly advised to take advantage of the opportunity to pre-process, so as to preclude having to wait in long lines on the day of travel.

"Berlin-based personnel who have pre-processed will be handled expeditiously at Checkpoint Charlie," according to the PMO.

## BB water turned off

The water in the BB housing area will be turned off from 8 a.m.-noon on the following schedule:

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|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| ■ Tuesday: 31-31b Flanagan Strasse | ■ May 25: 9-9b Taylorstrasse     |
| ■ Wednesday: 2 Taylorstrasse       | ■ May 26: 6-6b Taylorstrasse     |
| ■ Thursday: 13-13b Taylorstrasse   | ■ May 27: 19-23 Flanagan Strasse |
| ■ May 22: 14-14b Taylorstrasse     |                                  |

## Spring Cleanup winners

Command officials have announced the winners for the 1987 Spring Cleanup. At a 1:30 p.m. ceremony Monday in the main

conference room, building 1, Clay Compound, CSM Gary Donelson will present the awards to coordinators of the following buildings:

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|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| ■ 5/7 Steward Strasse        | ■ 10/10a/10b Taylorstrasse |
| ■ 16a Goldfinkweg            | ■ 222/224 Argentinische    |
| ■ 245/247 Argentinische      | ■ 109/111/113 Baseler      |
| ■ 5/7 Jaenickestrasse        | ■ 1/3 E. C. Diltzstrasse   |
| ■ 52/54 Leichhardtstrasse    | ■ 27/29 Lisabonallee       |
| ■ 2/4 Lloyd G. Wells Strasse | ■ 4/4a Flannagan Strasse   |
| ■ 6/6a/6b Taylorstrasse      |                            |

Winners will receive a plaque to put on the building and either a DM 3,000 or DM 2,000 work order, depending upon the building, from the Directorate of Engineering and Housing.

## Claims deadline

All claims against the estate of the late PFC J. R. Morast, 506-06-3502, must be filed no later than June 10 with the Summary Court Officer, 2nd Lt. Bappe, at 1001G McNair Barracks, BM 9736.

## Requirements for printing ads and events

All submissions for this page must be:

1. Typed double spaced.
2. On an 8x10 sheet of paper.
3. Typed in complete sentences (except for want ads).
4. Signed.

Deadline each week is close-of-business Monday. Entries must be resubmitted for each issue. Ads for firearms or weapons will not be taken. Submit at room 2061, building 2, Clay Headquarters.

## Want ads

### For sale

**1976 Mercedes 280SE.** A/C, AM/FM cassette, some rust, runs good; \$800, OBO. Home phone 802-5696 after 6p.m. or BM 5152.

**1979 Oldsmobile Cutlass Calais.** One owner, accident free, loaded w/ extras. Auto trans, power steering and brakes, cruise control, AM/FM stereo radio, sports instrument package, bucket seats. 64K miles. A bargain at \$3,095. Call 832-4544 (home) or BM 6507/6508 (office).

**1977 BMW 520.** 4 door, AM/FM stereo cassette radio, only 97,000 kms; \$1,395. Call BM 7772 or 826-2185.

**1979 VW Polo.** 60 PS, Navy blue metallic, l.h.d. 79,000 kms, regularly serviced, good condition. Vehicle is British Forces registered and was BFG tested in Nov. '86; asking DM 3,900. Call 309-5288 (office) or 852-3716 (home).

**1965 Mercedes Coupe.** Convertible, 90 percent rebuilt, must sell; \$10,000 or best offer. 1974 Audi 100. Body in good shape. Mechanically sound; \$300 or best offer. 1979 BMW 316, runs good, body needs minor work; \$750 or best offer. Call 802-6694 5-9:30p.m.

**1971 VW Bug.** German specs., looks good, needs clutch work; best offer over \$400 or DM equivalent. Call BM 6185 during duty hours or call 726-727 after 6p.m.

**1978 VW bus.** 9-passenger; \$950. Call 802-5765.

**1984 Honda civic.** 1.3 liter, 71 HP, new model, one owner, accident free, AM/FM radio, blue metallic, German specs., excellent condition, regular authorized maintenance, meets German emission standards for tax rebate; \$4,250 or DM, best offer. Call 819-9173 (office) or 822-0451 (home).

**1976 Mercedes.** Asking \$4,500. Excellent condition. Call 832-4168.

**1987 Saab.** 5-door hatchback turbo, automatic transmission, Blaupunkt radio/cassette player, German specs, 8,000 kilometers, perfect condition, unexpected PCS causes sale. DM 23,500 or dollar equivalent. Call BM 7532 or 801-1762.

**1983 Mercedes 500 SEC.** Lapis blue metallic, air conditioning, electric windows and sunroof, heated leather seats, ABS, Cruise Control, Lorinser package, many more extras; excellent condition, one of a kind car; serious inquiries only. M-F, BM 8712, for more information.

**1983 Yamaha XT-250 Enduro motorcycle.** Driven only 4 months, 1750 miles, excellent condition; \$900. Call 802-7624 after 9:45 p.m. weekdays or weekends all hours.

**1981 Honda CX650 Motorcycle.** Needs work, best offer; freezer, small, 220 v, works great; DM 125 or Dollar equivalent. Polaroid Pronto; \$5. AM/FM stereo headphones; \$5. 6 ft neon lamp and other lamps; radio AM/FM stereo, cassette, BMW Bavaria; car radio amplifier 4 x 20 Watt; BDU field jacket w/ liner; \$30. Stereo record player; \$10. Call 792-6700 anytime.

**1986 Yamaha XJ 600 motorcycle** with 2 helmets and bike cover in excellent condition; \$1600. Full length mirror; \$40. Call 813-6243.

**PCS sale.** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday at 4B Taylorstr. Childrens & mens clothing, household items, toys, wicker, kitchen items, wagon, VIC 20 Computer, games & books, more. Sale in the basement if weather is bad.

**PCS sale.** 9 a.m.-1 p.m. Saturday at 5a Taylor Str. across from Outpost Theatre. Small 220v appliances, 110v toaster oven, 4,000-watt transformer, dishes, pots & pans, books, LP's, BDU's, maternity uniforms, clothes, more.

**Yard sale.** 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday 1 Edwin C. Diltz (Düppel). Crib mattress, high chair, typewriter, (Pica) 220 v, upright vacuum (110 v), portable dishwasher (110 v), two P 165-13 all weather radials, 6 ft. artificial Christmas tree, children's clothes, shoes and toys, more.

**PCS sale.** Ikea queen size sofa bed w/ natural wood finish frame, roll out drawer; \$300. Ikea child's table w/ natural wood finish & 2 stools; \$35. 3'6" metal shelf w/ dark wood grain finish; \$10. Woman's 26" 1 speed bike; \$15. Hitachi capacitive electronic video disc player w/ stereo capabilities & ability to record video discs onto video cassette, w/ 41 video discs; all for \$150. TI 99, 4A, 16K expandable computer w/ cassette cables; \$60. Whirlpool Custom Imperial automatic dishwasher w/ super scour, butcher block top; \$225. 220v, 10 cup, automatic Ismet coffee maker; \$10. 3 transformers, available after June 15 — 750W for \$25, 1400 W for \$30, 2000W for \$60. Call 813-6307 9 a.m.-9 p.m. DMs accepted at 2-1 ratio.

**PCS sale.** 220 v upright freezer; \$75. 220 v vacuum cleaner; \$50. 220 v battery charger (12 v); \$25. Two white Ikea shrank; \$50 each. Call 72-5689 after 5 p.m.

**Basement sale.** 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday at L. G. Wells Bldg. 41. Girls clothes, boys clothes, baby clothes, womens clothes, more. Baby basinet; \$30. Coffee table; \$50. Mirror dresser; \$25. Marble dresser; \$125. Furniture and basinet can be seen in Apt No. 1.

**JVC VHS video camera.** Comes complete with battery, 110/220 v charger, carry handle, AV cable, RF unit, plus VCR cassette adapter and hard carrying case, like new condition; \$950 or DM 1900. Call 831-3706.

**Commodore 128 Computer** with 1571 Disk Drive, 1902 Monitor and extras, used less than six months; asking \$850. Call 813-6505 after 6 p.m. or anytime on weekends.

**2000 watt transformer;** \$50. Tabletop ironing board; \$5. 220 volt iron; \$5. 220 volt toaster used; \$2. Call 813-6764.

**Lithograph (picture).** "Duty Calls" by Don Slivers. Medium; Lithograph; Edition: 602 (1000-3500); Plates were destroyed; \$300. Call 813-6820 after 7 p.m.

**PCS sale.** Paperback bks; 50 cents each/3 for \$1. Boy's jeans/dress pants, polo/short and long sleeve shirts; 25-50 cents. Boy's shoes/boots, sizes 11-13; 50 cents-\$1. Women's blouses, pants, skirts, formals; \$1-5. Women's casual/dress shoes, sizes 7 1/2-8; \$2. Men's size 8 1/2, tan leather, calf high, lace-up boots; \$4. Children's toys schools supplies, lunch boxes; cheap. Child's roller skates size 1; \$3. 2 LP/Video Disc racks; \$3 and \$4 and other misc. household/gift items. Form 10 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday at Am Hegewinkel No. 7 (across from BAHs), outside weather permitting, otherwise in basement. DMs accepted at 2-1 ratio.

**Yard sale.** 9 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday at 20 L.G. Wells, in case of rain, will be in basement. Cake decorating pans, children's clothes, jeans size 7, bedspreads, twin size sheets, punch bowl, other odds and ends.

**Basement sale.** 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday at 8 Janicke Strasse in the Sundgauer housing area. Baby clothes, sizes ranging from newborn to 2 toddler, shoes, baby items, more.

**PCS sale.** 27" Toshiba color TV, 11-system, 105-channel cable ready, automatic voltage adjustment 110-240 volts, 50/60 Hz, remote control, on/off timer, six months old; \$600 or DM equivalent. One man's and two women's Staiger bicycles, hardly used. Sealed front and rear brakes in hubs, keeping them dry and effective in rain; \$200 apiece or DM equivalent. New foldable ping-pong table, with wheels, one person can play. With four paddles, net and balls; cost DM 495, selling for DM 350 or dollar equivalent. Call BM 7453 or 801-1762.

**Group basement sale.** 16 May, Time 10 a.m.-4 p.m., location 25 Lloyd G. Wells. Items for sale: Clothes, plants, dishes, carpets, furniture and other items.

**Multi-family PCS-ETS sale.** Saturday 9 a.m.-4 p.m. 9 families. Vacuum cleaner (110), electric rollers (110), radio (110), can opener (110), hair dryer (220), small appliances (220), mops brooms, kitchen wear, stroller, Gerry cuddle pack, 3 infant seats, high chair, 2 play pens, walker, toys, games, jewelry, books (novels & college), clothes women's sizes 10-22, maternity size 18-20, men's W 30-34 L 32, 38-40 R, boys 12-14, girls 2, some baby clothes, metal shelves, plants, pots, soil, shoes women's size 7-11. 15 E.C. Diltz (across from Foodland).

**Furniture.** Massive wooden schrank with carved doors and beveled glass. Wooden desk that matches schrank with black vinyl executive swivel desk chair. Typewriter table on wheels with five slot paper compartment. Six mahogany dining room or office chairs with velvet seats. Four-piece sectional light brown leather sofas with matching armchair and foot hocker. Velvet covered bed with two storage compartments under mattresses. Solid oak hand-carved bookcase with matching octagonal oak framed mirror. Oak telephone stand. Women's clothing. Burgundy leather jacket. Raincoat in excellent condition. Ski clothes, blouses, pants, suits, dresses, size 10, 12 and 14. Men's suede leather coat with lamb lining. Excellent condition. German size 52. Men's ski suit jacket and matching overalls, German size 102. Everything at best offer. Call 852-3098 days and evenings.

**Yard Sale.** 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Saturday 148 Sundgauer Str. Infants and children's clothes and toys, women's clothes sizes 5 through 9, changing table; \$35. Walkers, cloth diapers with stacker, and other baby items. In basement if it rains.

**Four family PCS sale.** 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday at 5B Am Hegewinkel. Small 220 v appliances, childrens clothing, infant to size 6 mostly boys, baby furniture, transformers, portable heaters, more.

**Basement sale.** 8:30 a.m.-noon Saturday at 6 Lloyd G. Wells Strasse. Women's clothes American size 3 to German sizes 40-42, some items for infants, knick knacks for the house, more.

**PCS sale.** 9 a.m.-3 p.m. Saturday 13 Taylor Str. Apt. 3. 19 inch color TV, movie projector, boy's bike, pole lamp, microwave stand, women's clothes, women's shoes, boy's clothes, infant clothes, car seat, stroller, play pen and many more items.

**Used 26" and 27" ten speed bikes,** misc. bike parts, best offer, 9 a.m. to noon Saturday, 16 Goldfink Weg.

**Chrome table** with smoked glass top; \$20. Large brown vinyl sofa, excellent condition; \$65. Small sofa, new cover, 6 cushions; \$50. Nightstand with lamp; \$25. Two dressers, 5 and 6 drawers; \$30 each. Square end table with glass top; \$25. 3 carpets, 9 x 12: gold, blue-gravy, charcoal; \$60 each. Fuji video cassette VHS, never used; \$4. Call 813-6468 after 4 p.m.

**Chrome dinette set,** four chairs, thick glass round table, black and white; \$200 or best offer. Call 801-3407.

**1/4 size bass violin.** Good condition with bow and transducer; asking \$400 or best offer. Call Sgt White, BM 7525.

**4' x 6' train board,** 4 tracks, German cities and scenery; \$175. Call 826-3743.

**FCF certified child care** in my home available in the Sundgauer area. Mondays through Fridays, ages 2 and up. Call Mrs. Levesque, 811-8202.

### For rent

**Two bedroom with garage** and full basement. On No. 11 bus line in Marienfelder; DM 1550 per month (cold). Call 721-5087 after 4 p.m.

### Wanted

**Roommate & apartment** for female summer intern for Monday through Aug. 31. Contact Mrs. Irwin, BM 6795/6081.

**Mattel Intellivision Video Game Cartridges.** Call Patrick, 801-2142 after duty hours.

**Looking for a color television** that receives German and American stations. 220 volts. Call 815-2645.

**Musicians/vocalist** to form group. And a bassist, would like to play jazz, R&B, rock (hard & soft) and crossover. Call Sgt White, BM 7525.

**Anyone wanting to donate items** large or small (books, clothing, toys, furniture, etc.) for the Field Station Operations Battalion Fleamarket this year please drop off at the C Company orderly room anytime (Building 908, Andrews Barracks) or contact Sgt. Kouns BM 3136 &/or Sgt Robb BM 3403. Pick-up service available. All proceeds will go to the Elisabeth Weiske Kinderheim (children's home).

## School lunches

—TAR and BAH schools have the following menu for the week beginning May 18:

**Monday**—Baked ham, sliced pineapple, mashed potatoes, gravy, green beans, fruit cocktail, bread and butter, white or choco milk.

**Tuesday**—Cucumber salad, chicken nuggets with honey, steamed rice, apple sauce, bread and butter, white or choco milk.

**Wednesday**—Lettuce, tomato, hamburger on bun, French fried potatoes, ice cream, white or choco milk.

**Thursday**—Mixed salad, Texas toast with cheese and pepperoni, beans, peaches, white or choco milk.

**Friday**—Cole slaw, fried fish sandwich, tatar sauce, corn, fresh fruit, white or choco milk.



## Sportscene

by Jeanne Pollock  
DPCA/G-1 publicist

The annual Berlin Road Runners 5 km run begins 10 a.m. Saturday at the Outpost Theatre parking lot. Entry fee is \$5 for members and \$6 for non members. Anyone completing the course will earn a medal and certificate. Trophies will be awarded for the top overall female and male winners and there will be drawings for prizes. Preregistration can be made 8—9:30 a.m. at the race site on the day of the race. For non runners who would like to get involved with the Berlin Road Runners organization call Tommy Thompson, BM 3154 or 801-1739 . . . **The U.S. Army Berlin men's volleyball championships** finals begin 5 p.m. tonight at the Cole Sports Center . . . **The Outdoor Community Recreation's new tour and party boat** is expected to arrive in the city June 2. The boat can carry 40 passengers and costs \$15 per hour, \$50 for half a day or \$85 for a whole day with driver. The harbor will start accepting reservations May 25 at BM 6555 Tuesday through Sunday . . . **Tennis court reservations** can be made by calling Andrews Gym, BM 3521. The courts are open 9 a.m.—9 p.m. daily. Tennis pro Tom Wickey offers classes and individual instruction at all levels . . . **The Andrews swimming pool** will be closed May 18—June 1 for renovation. Andrews Gym will be closed during the time of the Rodeo USA . . . **Football tickets** for the professional football game between the Los Angeles Rams and the Denver Broncos in London, Wembley Stadium on Aug. 9 can be ordered from the ITT at BM 6523. The deadline for ordering tickets in COB Saturday and there is no refund on ordered tickets . . . **Registration for Youth Activities** June classes begins May 20. Classes in gymnastics, karate, tap dancing, art, piano and saxophone are offered. For 4 and 5 year olds, gymnastic and aerobic classes are available. Stop by the YA or call BM 6239 . . . **After Work Aerobics** always has room for more people and meets 5—6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at the TAR school gym . . . **Water slimmastics** for beginners and advanced students meets 6 p.m. Wednesday at the Cole pool . . . **Bike tours through Berlin** are held weekly by the Hi-Lite Community Center and the meeting place is the YA parking lot 1 p.m. every Sunday in June. Call BM 3554 . . . **Squash Players** interested in participating in an international squash tournament held in Berlin in August can contact Don Carter, BM 6168. Women and men are needed to compete against German, French and British teams in a 750 year celebration tournament . . . **The Berlin Open Golf Tournament**, 72 holes stroke play begins June 2. Entry deadline is today and the course will be closed to non-tournament play until 1 p.m. each day . . . **The Rod and Gun Club store** at McNair Barracks will be closed for renovation from May 25—June 1 . . . **A pantomime class** for physical fitness and to increase body awareness is offered 7 p.m. Mondays at the Hi-Lite Community Center.



Adler quarterback Gene Kennedy fires over the reach of a rushing Giant defensive lineman. Kennedy tossed five touchdown passes for the day. Larry Lane

## Adlers knock down Giants

The Berlin Adler American football team wasted the Dortmund Giants 64-12 Sunday at the Radrennbahn stadium in Schöneberg. This win ups the Adler's record to 3-0.

Quarterback Gene Kennedy threw five touchdown passes in the victory, using wide receiver Thorsten Carroll, tight end Florian Gneist and running back Clarence Rambo, Headquarters and Service Company, Field Station Berlin.

Rambo scored on a run and Gneist, acting as back up quarterback ran a touchdown in. Gneist took over at the half after a 33-6 Adler lead was established.

Strong safety Tom Deaver of the 1946 Communications Squadron returned an interception for a score. Defensive end Boss Hogg and outside linebacker Andreas Reichel each picked up a safety. Hogg got his safety on a blocked punt. Reichel tackled his man in the end zone on a kickoff.

Adler kicker Thomas Schwanbach is credited with kicking seven extra points and one field goal. Hogg took one over the line for a two point conversion.

"As long as our offense continues the blocking, Kennedy will be able to throw touchdown passes all game.

## Bearkats team beats BAHS Bears boys squad

The Berlin American High School Bears boys soccer team suffered its first conference defeat, taking a 3-1 beating by the Bad Kreuznach Bearkats in an away game played Saturday. The Bears are now 5-1.

"The last time we won the overall conference was four years ago in 1983. Since then, we have had second place. We are tired of being number two," Head Coach Phillip

Right now, we are averaging four touchdown passes a game," head coach Jay B. Archie said.

The Giants offense was able to squeeze one touchdown through the tough Adler line early in the first quarter to put the score at 7-6.

"After some defensive adjustments we were able to shut them down," Archie said. Archie said his team is averaging 57 points a game while giving up only 8.

"I tell the defense before the game that I want a see a big goose egg on the other team's score," he said. The Adler defense has been answering his request.

In another game played at Monheim May 3, the Adlers shut out the Sharks 31-0.

Kennedy threw three touchdown passes in that bruising. Rambo scored two touchdowns, one from a reception and the other on a run.

Alexius Tank grabbed one interception and Martin Wolney recovered two fumbles for the Adlers.

Fifty free tickets are available at Sky rider Tours for Sunday's game. The Adlers will play the Recklinghausen Chargers. Tickets are picked up on a first come, first serve basis. The game begins 2 p.m.

Schmoll said.

The Bears next game will be with the Osterholz Blackhawks, a match up the Bears had earlier in the season.

"It will be an all or nothing game. We beat them once before and we feel we can do it again," Schmoll said. The bears will be playing without starting forward Thierry Debailles, who was injured in the last game and scored the lone goal for Berlin.

The BAHS Berlin Bears girls team were shut out by The Bad Kreuznach Bearkats 6-0.



A soccer player leaves the field with a broken leg and little hope of ever playing the sport again. Larry Lane

## Injuries increase in spring

Strains and sprains can be prevented by cautious play

by Larry Lane  
Sports writer

As spring draws winter's closet athletes from their couches and easy chairs, the spectre of sports injuries looms large.

The biggest problem, according to local health officials, is overuse of long-neglected muscles and bones. Those officials recommend foresight and preparation before undertaking a new workout regimen.

"What we are seeing is a lot of the overuse syndrome," Chief of the Physical Therapy Clinic Capt. Joan Beebe said.

Overuse syndrome is a broad term to classify a variety of injuries. Injuries included would be shin splints, tendonitis, stress fractures and various bio-mechanical problems.

"Overuse syndrome is any kind of musculo-skeletal problems or injuries caused by overuse or over-training of various muscle groups. This often happens when someone does too much too soon; athletes being too demanding on themselves before their bodies are ready," she said.

### Alternate activities

"It is a good idea to alternate activities. To swim one day and run the next day. This way you don't overstress one muscle group," she said. Another way of preventing some sports injuries, Beebe said, is to exercise year 'round and to be in better shape before the bigger sports season begins.

A lack of such planning frequently leads to injury, as emergency room medics can attest.

"What we are seeing a lot of, I would say 30 percent of the sports injuries, are overuse related. This would be strains and sprains," head nurse of the U.S. Army Hospital, Berlin, emergency room Capt. Brenda Finnicum said.

Finnicum listed a variety of sports-related injuries that appear to come out with the sun. Softball and baseball players come into the emergency room with injuries from being hit with a ball or bat. Bicycle riders, especially the young, receive injuries from not wearing proper protection or riding recklessly.

"Some things can be avoided. One way is to wear the

proper protective gear, especially with a sport in which an object travels at high velocity. Protective eye and head gear should be used. With biking, gloves and head gear should be used. You have to use the appropriate gear for the sport," Finnicum said. "If you're not a professional don't try to act like one."

Finnicum noticed weekend softball players who wear shorts and receive heat stroke are a problem. A sun block for the skin and a hat is suggested by Finnicum for people who are fair skinned. Drinking more fluids and paying attention to how long one is out in the heat is also suggested.

### Command's control

The Athletic and Sports Training Branch oversees the community's sports programs and facilities to help prevent sports injuries, Sports Director Don Carter said.

"We make every effort that all of the facilities are within safety specifications. This means setting softball bases down properly, dragging and leveling off the softball fields. We fill in holes on a daily basis," Carter said.

The sports department runs clinics for officials before each sports season begins. This updates officials with current rules and regulation changes which often derive from safety reasons.

The sports department also purchases the equipment for the various programs. The sports department keeps abreast with the latest equipment safety measures and orders accordingly.

Carter cites athletes wearing improper shoes for the various sports as a leading cause of sports related injuries. The wrong shoe can cause slips and falls. A jogging shoe is made for running straight ahead and not for the side to side play of basketball. A basketball shoe is not for jogging and can cause flat feet.

The metal or plastic screw-on cleat shoes are not allowed to be used in U.S. Army Berlin sports programs. Jogging shoes are not allowed on the indoor courts of recreation centers.

Many injuries come from what Carter calls "self-initiated" sports. These are games not regulated by the sports department and are usually started on the spur of the moment as on an organizational day celebration. These are the sporting events when common sense for personal protection should be used.

## One-pitch, women's softball tournies set

The one-pitch single elimination slowpitch softball tournament will be May 25 at the McNair Barracks sport fields.

Deadline for entry is close of business Wednesday and can be accomplished by calling CRD sports, BM 6168.

A coaches meeting and draw will be noon May 22 at the Mann Fitness Center at McNair Barracks.

The women's pre-season slowpitch tournament begins May 23 at the McNair fields.

Women's community slowpitch practice takes place 6-8 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday and 10 a.m. Saturdays at the Yankee Stadium. More players are needed.

## Baseball, softball registration ends

Deadline for the Youth Activities baseball and softball registration is May 22. In order to participate in the 1987 season, youths must register in the program.

Family members 6-19 years of age of U.S. military, Department of Defense civilian and allied personnel residing in West Berlin are eligible. Youths of non military U.S. citizens meeting other eligibility requirements may be allowed to participate.

A current YA membership and current physical are mandatory and must be valid throughout the season. All children must participate during one of the designated assessment days in order to more equally distribute the teams.

Games will begin June 20. Game schedules will be distributed at the YA sports office after June 12. For more information on age groups and divisions, skill assessment schedules and uniform checkout dates and times, call the YA sports office, BM 6247 or 6239.

## 25 km Volksmarch is Berlin's big walk

The Berlin 25 km Volksmarch, one of the year's most popular, begins 9 a.m. Sunday, and the course must be completed by 5 p.m.

The march begins in front of the Mommsen Stadium at Waldschulallee and a medal with the Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church will be awarded to those who preregistered.

For those who did not already register, the price of the volksmarch is DM 3 which does not include the medal. A certificate instead will be provided on completion of the course.

## Sprinters tourney scheduled for June

The 1987 Berlin Sprinters Invitational will take place June 6 and 7 at the Yankee Stadium at Andrews Barracks and promises to feature the fastest feet in the command.

Entry fee is \$3 per event up to five events which includes relays. The invitational is open to all active duty military personnel in Berlin and selected German clubs. Athletes from West Germany are expected as well.

Deadline for entry is June 1 and entry blanks are available through the sports office, BM 6168.

## Snapshots



Larry Lane

### The wraps are off

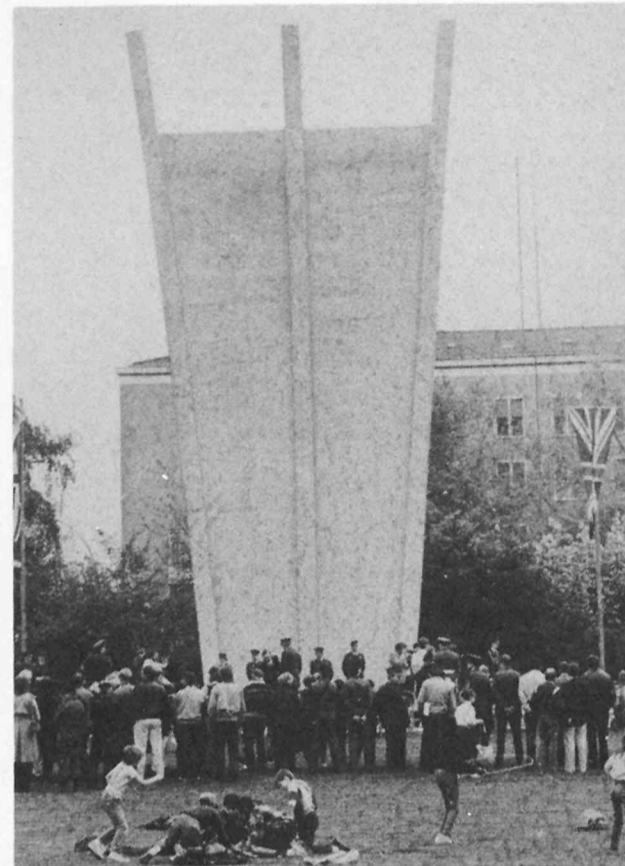
Various representatives from Berlin and America, to include U.S. Ambassador to West Germany Richard Burt and Eleanor Dulles, wife of former state department head John Dulles attend a ceremony to unveil a memorial statue of Baron Fredrick Wilhelm von Steuben on the lawn near the Nicholson Memorial Library Saturday.



Chris Allbright

### Walking the line

William Imman leads the Berlin American High School Junior Reserved Officers Training Corps at German American Friendship Day at the Schöneberg Fest, Sunday.



Ken Jones

### Uplifting ceremony

During the annual ceremony Tuesday, a wreath was laid at the base of the Airlift Memorial. Hosted by the British, the ceremony commemorates the 77 men who died during the airlift.

## German-American Women's Club lasts 25 years

This Sunday the German-American Women's Club will convene at the Domäne Dahlem to celebrate their 25th anniversary in Berlin. Karen Rotschild and Lily Heiliger, the German and American presidents, will preside over the special assembly at which Monika Diepgen, the wife of Berlin's governing mayor, American Minister John Kornblum and U.S. Commander Maj. Gen. John H. Mitchell are each scheduled to deliver short congratulatory speeches.

The GAWC was founded on May 29, 1962 with the

objectives of encouraging German, American and international understanding through common cultural and charitable works. Among the projects that have grown out of the clubs' community work is the "MOSAİK" program which provides training, jobs and counseling for severely handicapped young men and women.

Since the program was first conceived in 1965 in an empty drugstore owned by the wife of an American officer, it has been expanded with help from local business and government to its present dimensions.

Today, "Mosaik" is run by a full-time staff of 35 who provide supervise over 200 handicapped workers. Members of the GAWC also maintain a regular relationship with the residents at two senior citizens homes and at the Theodore Wentzel Hospital in Zehlendorf.

The club sponsors students in an international exchange program and keeps in touch with events outside Berlin through affiliated clubs in West Germany. The membership includes both German and American women and among the most active are wives of 5th Battalion soldiers and the 287th Military Police.

## City roundup

**ALL PAPERS REPORTED ON LAST FRIDAY'S RIOTS**, with headlines as "Consequences to be drawn from the night of riots in Kreuzberg," "Police leadership admits mistakes," "Will the police chiefs be fired?" or "Special meeting of the Berlin parliament on the Kreuzberg riots." A full-page report on the riots, including a detailed minute-by-minute police report on Friday's developments, was carried by the *Morgenpost* on Tuesday.

**HANS WALTER, MAYOR OF EAST BERLIN'S PANKOW DISTRICT**, canceled his invitation of West Berlin district mayor Detlef Orwat of Reinickendorf to join him in East Berlin for talks on Berlin's 750th anniversary. The reasons cited by Walter included "misuse of the 750th anniversary opening ceremony in West Berlin for staging anti-GDR propaganda." The Senat and Orwat rejected the charges, saying that the cancellation was incompatible with the spirit of good neighborly relations. (*most papers*)

**IN MOSCOW, THE SPOKESMAN FOR THE SOVIET** Foreign Ministry, Gerasimov, condemned FRG Chancellor Kohl's speech in West Berlin at the 750th an-

niversary ceremony, saying that the "independent political entity West Berlin" is not a constituent part of the FRG and may not be governed by the FRG. Some in Bonn seem not to accept this central idea of the 1971 Quadripartite Agreement on Berlin, Gerasimov said. (*Tagesspiegel et al*)

**INTERIOR SENATOR KEWENIG**, after a Senat meeting, announced the deployment of additional 70 policemen and a special police unit to Kreuzberg district as measures to cope with possible violent riots in the area. Policemen on stand-by in this district will no longer need to go on patrol. One of the causes of the police forces' failure last Friday was the fact policemen on alert stand-by were on patrol and unable to reach the riot area soon enough. He said, although riots were anticipated, the degree of the escalation was unexpected. (*Tagesspiegel et al*)

**PERMISSION FROM THE ALLIES**, to open its Berlin-Brussels service, has not yet been received by America's TWA airline. The airline had applied for permission on March 5. The 60-day period in which the allies

normally make a decision elapsed last Monday. TWA postponed the opening of its service to July. (*Morgenpost*)

**BERLIN'S UNIVERSITY STUDENT ORGANIZATIONS** have called for boycotting the national census because the confidential information on the individuals can be traced back by unauthorized people and organizations. Census officials claim that this is impossible. (*Tagesspiegel*)

**THE MAYORS OF 16 US CITIES NAMED BERLIN**, in telephone conversations with Governing Mayor Diepgen, extended congratulations on the 750th anniversary of Berlin. Diepgen underscored that Berlin is a symbol of freedom in the world. (*Bildzeitung, BZ, Morgenpost*)

**FORMER FRG PRESIDENT CARSTENS** opened one of the central exhibitions of Berlin's 750th anniversary, the "Citizens, Peasants, Noblemen — Berlin in the Medievals" show at Spandau Citadel. It is the first exhibition showing the continuous development of Berlin. (*Volksblatt, Morgenpost*)