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OBSERVER THOUGHT
FOR THE WEEK:

"Some people make others happy
wherever they go; some, whenever
they go."

— anon.

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Guardians train in un-historic Hohenfels MTA

by Russ Richall

The history of Hohenfels and the surrounding towns is not steeped in rich tradition but rather follows a path towards disaster. Dating back as far as 500 B. C., the first significant mention of the Hohenfels area is made by Caesar Augustus when he crossed the Alps to conquer the tribes that lived here. Following the decline of the Roman Empire the influence of the Huns increased and it is believed the area was pillaged during a bloody massacre by the Hun hordes.

It is believed that Hohenfels was actually a town as far back as 1366. However inefficient administration and high taxes imposed by a band of highway robbers kept the town from prospering. The economic decline was accompanied by disaster in the 14th century when migratory locusts swept the countryside and in the 15th century when the Bubonic Plague struck.

Unable to recover from such misfortune, Hohenfels remained one of the poorest sections of Germany and the most neglected part of Bavaria until 1933.

Becomes Training Area in 30s

The re-arming of the German Forces in the mid 1930s led to a search for additional troop training areas. The Grafenwöhr Training Area no longer sufficed due to the size of the new army but the sparsely settled, poor in industry, barren area near Hohenfels fit the bill perfectly.

Since 1937 the area has been used for troop training, prisoner detention and more troop training. The

Germans began operations in 1937 firing small arms, anti-aircraft weapons and howitzers. Between 1940 and the end of the war, the training area became a prison camp and after the fighting ended, it was used for displaced persons, the camp finally closing in 1949.

The U.S. Army requisitioned the area for training in 1951 and on August 17, 1951 it was agreed to extend the training area to the West making the total size some 40,000 acres, an increase of 15,000 acres.

Guardians Continue Tradition

Today members of the 2nd Battalion, 6th Infantry carry on a tradition of training that began when the first American units moved into the area in October, 1951. The landscape is, as it seems to always have been, barren with little or no industry. There are but small villages of farmers that dot the valleys between these rolling hills and it is obvious that the hub of activity in this section of Bavaria is the Hohenfels Training area.

Sunday evening that activity consisted of night fire training for companies B and C using tracers, ground flares and pop flares. Classes in night fire technique and the use of the starlight scope were held in preparation for the shooting.

The densely foggy night came to life on command from the tower as ground flares behind the 75 meter targets were triggered and the brilliant red streaks of the tracer bullets emerged from the rifle barrels. The firing of pop flares and the tracers ricocheting in all directions



14TH USED CAR FAIR AT THE FUNKTURM — Beginning Thursday throughout Sunday a "Used Car Fair" will be underway in Halls 11 through 18 and 20 on the AMK Exhibition Grounds. On an area of approximately 20,000 square meters, 59 dealers will show 756 privately

owned vehicles and car accessories. The "Used Car Fair" is open daily from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. and admission is DM 3. Here's a hint — 358 cars, worth approximately DM 2.2 millions, found a new owner at last year's "Used Car Fair." (Photo courtesy — AMK Berlin)

gave the effect of a fireworks demonstration that was dramatized by the snow's reflection of this light.

The range personnel handled the operation quickly and smoothly with the men from both companies moving in and out of the damp cold weather in just over an hour.

The battalion is settled in and the companies have all qualified with their weapons so the preparation for the start of Platoon Tactical Training is complete. We'll have more on that for you next week.

1LT Frye completes advanced AG course

by Vincent A. Drosdik, III

After more than 1½ years of self-study, First Lieutenant John H. Frye, executive officer of the AG Division, Berlin Brigade, completed the Adjutant General Officer Advanced Course. Feb. 1.

The course included 477 correspondence credit hours on military subjects ranging from "Civilian Disturbances" to "Unit Activation, POR Processing, and Personnel Reporting Systems."

Completion of the course satisfies military education requirements for promotion through the grade of lieutenant colonel. Frye's next goal is to enroll in the Command and General Staff College correspondence course.

Frye is a graduate of the 7th Army NCO Academy (he was commissioned a second lieutenant in Dec. 1970), Infantry Officer Candidate School, AG Officer Basic Course, Personnel Management Officer Course, and Military Personnel Officer Course.

Frye is a strong believer in self-study, especially the Army's correspondence courses. He said that they are the result of all the gathered experience, good and bad, of all the Army in the various fields. Scattered regulations are brought together by branch schools and fully explained in the course texts. Frye said the workbooks are so good that often they can be used on the job as reference works.

He recommends self-study for everyone. Better job performance is a guaranteed result!

Customs hints, rules prepared for military, civilians abroad

Military and civilian employees of the U. S. Government stationed abroad will find many useful facts on U. S. Customs requirements in the free leaflet, "Customs Highlights for Government Personnel (Military and Civilian)."

U. S. Commissioner of Customs Vernon D. Acree urges all affected Government employees to obtain a copy of the publication. The Commissioner noted that the leaflet offers valuable information on the entry of personal and household effects, basic exemptions, prohibited and restricted articles, and other helpful data.

Military and civilian personnel of the United States Government who are terminating an extended duty assignment overseas of at least 140 days are afforded Customs exemptions in addition to those granted returning U. S. residents. For naval personnel the extended duty assignment is at least 120 days if serving on a naval warship or support vessel. Federal employees who live and work in the United States are classified as returning residents upon their return from abroad.

A recent ruling allows U. S. Government personnel to be classified under nonresident status when entering the United States for a short visit on leave or TDY before returning abroad to their duty stations. Previously the returning resident classification was applied to all returning military and civilian personnel except those under official Government orders terminating their extended duty abroad.

Under the nonresident exemption you may temporarily import the fol-

lowing items into the U. S. free of duty and tax:

1. Personal effects for one's own use while traveling but not intended for another person, such as wearing apparel, jewelry, and similar articles.
2. Vehicles, such as autos, airplanes, motorcycles, and boats for personal use. These must be owned or rented by the visitor and must be imported in connection with the arrival.
3. One quart of alcoholic beverages, provided the bearer is 21 or older.
4. Up to 300 cigarettes, 50 cigars, or three pounds of smoking tobacco. (No tobacco of Cuban origin.)

A special gift exemption is also available to nonresidents. It provides for the importation of up to \$100 worth (retail value) of bona fide gifts for other persons. This exemption may include up to one gallon of alcoholic beverages and 100 cigars. These items are in addition to the regular nonresident exemptions. The special gift exemption cannot be claimed if it or any part of it has been used during the previous 6 months. Also the bearer must be in the United States for at least 72 hours.

Persons treated as nonresidents under this special provision for temporary visits must export all articles (except gifts and articles consumed during their visit) on their departure from the United States. Also, the Customs officer receiving your declaration may require you to submit a list of imported articles of substantial value, in duplicate, and instruct you to present the copy to the Customs representative at your port of embarkation.

If you are permitted the nonresident exemptions on your short visit

to the United States, none of the returning resident exemptions apply.

Most states have limitations on the importation of alcoholic beverages. Customs cannot release any such beverages which exceed restrictions of the state in which you arrive. It would be wise to check with state authorities before arrival in the U. S.

Transfer Under Official Orders

For persons returning to the U. S. under Government orders, terminating their extended duty assignments, the following limitations apply:

1. Personal and household effects sent home before official orders are issued, or purchased abroad and not delivered there, but sent directly to the U. S. do not qualify for free entry.
2. Up to 100 cigars and unlimited cigarettes may be imported. (Cigars of Cuban tobacco are prohibited.)
3. Up to one gallon (128 fluid ounces) of alcoholic beverages, of which 3 quarts must be manufactured and bottled in the U. S. can be brought in. The beverages must accompany the person at the time of entry.
4. A foreign-made automobile for personal use may be included as part of your effects and entered free of duty. Excise taxes are no longer imposed by the Internal Revenue Service on automobiles. However, new and used vehicles must be certified as meeting both Federal highway safety standards if the car was manufactured after January 1, 1968, and emission control standards beginning with the 1968 model year.

Details on exemptions for returning residents can be found in the (Continued on page 2)



BRIGADIER GENERAL ROBERT D. STEVENSON, commanding general, Berlin Brigade, accompanied by Colonel James T. Bradley, deputy brigade commander, and Major General William W. Cobb, U. S. commander, Berlin inspect the troops during an honor ceremony held last Monday at BB compound. He assumed command Saturday, March 3. (Photo by John Gaines)

Just Like You

I am Chicano; somewhat different from you.
 I belong to this country, but think differently, too.
 I dress like you, do what you like to do;
 I am as human as you, with my own feelings, too
 I feel pride and feel pain like you do;
 I feel disgust and concern,
 I can laugh and I can cry, too;
 I was born, like you, and, like you, I will die.
 When I'm reading a book written in English
 It's hard for me to understand
 Because I'm Mexican and don't think in
 another language.
 I ask for a job and you say there is none,
 Then continue interviewing the moment I'm gone.
 I improve myself by going to school, but
 If I speak with an accent, you think I'm a fool
 But think — if you speak Spanish,
 You will speak with an accent, too.

—Joe Anaya



by Philip C. Russell

Armed Forces Press Service
 Using the telephone is such an ordinary, every-day thing that we sometimes take it for granted. Because the telephone is so important, we should all sit back once in a while and take a good look at our phone technique.

Intelligent use of the telephone can save you hours of wasted time, too. For instance, have you ever talked to a party on the telephone and found it impossible to hang up? There are cures for this kind of telephitis.

When you can see that the business at hand has been transacted, and your caller is just wasting time, try a 'positive disconnect' approach.

"Well, I'm glad you called to let me know about that. It's been nice talking to you, John." Combined with a firm, cheery tone of voice, this almost demands a 'goodbye' from John, and leaves nothing but positive vibrations with him.

"Oops, I've got a long distance call coming in on the other line, John. I guess we about have it all wrapped up, anyway, so I'll see you later. Bye." If you have two or more lines this one is guaranteed to work.

"Well, I guess there isn't anything more I can add, so I'll let you get back to work." This one really puts the onus on your caller to come up with a real reason for wasting any more time.

When you recognize a time-waster on the phone, get your mental attitude set to deal with him. First, be sure you hear and understand everything important he says, so he

doesn't have an excuse to go over it all again. Second, listen closely for 'closing' opportunities which allow you to close off the conversation naturally and, finally, don't introduce new topics which give him a chance to chatter on and on.

Getting people to call you back is another necessary telephone skill. Thank goodness for people who religiously call back all those who have left messages for them.

The best approach to a person who has failed to call you back is this call to him:

"My line has been busy for two solid hours, so you probably couldn't get through to me. Sorry about that." This ploy puts the blame on you, and allows your caller to avoid mentioning that he never did call you anyway.

Another solution is not to leave a number, but to keep trying yourself. This solution is for hard core cases who are notorious for not answering their callbacks.

How do the people in your office answer your phone? Do these samples sound familiar?

"May I speak to Mr. Jones, please?"

"Who's calling?" That answer implies that Mr. Jones is indeed in, but he won't condescend to talk to certain people, and you may be one of them. The correct answer is:

"Yes; may I say who is calling please." And then Mr. Jones had better get on the line, or he'll be on the callers' list.

In other situations you might say, "Yes, but he is in a conference. May I take your number and have him call you right back?" The conference routine sounds rather formal, and you may prefer, "He has someone in his office right now."

You might say: "Let me see if he can talk to you right now, and if he can't I'll have him call right back as soon as he has a chance."

One of the most irritating phone habits is putting a party on hold and leaving him for long periods of time. The sharp secretary comes back on the line every minute or so and apologizes for the delay. If it continues, she may ask if the party would rather have Mr. Jones return the call.

Secretaries who recognize that their bosses sometimes forget to call back can establish systems for reminding him. They might reach an agreement that they can place return calls and

connect the boss under specified conditions.

One-upmanship has no place in telephone technique. Don't play the childish game of making sure that your secretary has Mr. Jones on the line before you get on the line. This kind of nonsense can anger a sensitive caller, and the boost it may give your ego isn't worth the result.

Some of the biggest names in industry answer their own phone. You're no better, and they may be a lot smarter.

The phone amplifier is another possible source of irritation. Have you ever called someone who put you on the amplifier? You get that 'talking down the rainbarrel' sound. And you can envision your voice booming out to an assorted crowd of amused spectators on his end. If you want to use an amplifier to let other people in the room share in the call, be sure you do it for a reason, and ask your caller first if he minds.

Plan your calls before you start dialing. If there are a number of points to be covered, jot them down. In this way you can quickly get your business transacted and get off the line. This is doubly important if your call is long distance.

There are a lot of other telephone techniques. This article hits on a few. Perhaps a basic rule is "If you don't like it done to you, don't do it to someone else."

If that sounds an awful lot like the Golden Rule — it is.

Customs

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leaflet "Know Before You Go," available from any Customs office.

"Customs Highlights for Government Personnel" is available free from any Customs office including overseas offices located at American Embassies or consular offices in London, Paris, Rome, Frankfurt, Tokyo and Hong Kong and from most military transportation offices. Those wishing to write directly to the Bureau of Customs may do so to the following address: P. O. Box 7118 Washington, D. C. 20044.

Bulk quantities may be ordered from the Superintendent of Documents, U. S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D. C. 20402 at the rate of 10 cents each or \$5.00 per 100.

(Armed Forces Press Service)

DIAL ACTION

Why is the commissary continually out of stock? Whole shelves are vacant. Everytime you go up there it's a source of frustration. Can something be done?

LTC Brown, Chief, Supply & Services Division says: The Commissary Store has 1/3 the sales area it needs for the volume of sales the store does each month. Personnel are allocated according to Stateside policies but, in the States 35% of the stocking is done by vendors. This is against regulations governing European commissaries. Problems with our supply sources and unpredictable individual demands and shopping patterns result in items being unavailable for months. Plans have been finalized to double the size of the sales store, and a method of augmenting store personnel is under development. Significant improvements are hoped for in the near future.

Make contacts with KONTAKT

by Bob Sader

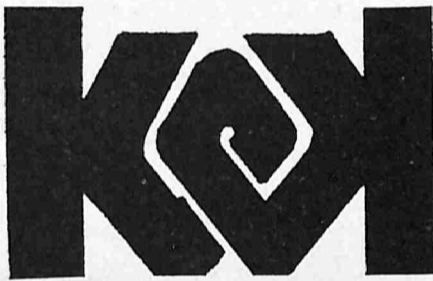
What do Germans and Americans have in common? Plenty! Take this month, for example, when bowling, folk music, discussions and swimming will draw young Americans and Germans to KONTAKT gatherings. How about you?

Tomorrow at 2 p.m. the KONTAKT bowling group hits the lanes for the first time. The place is City Bowling. The idea is to have a few-togethers first, forming a regular group, then to start a league with frequent tournaments. All young (18-25 years old) bowlers are welcome.

The first five bowling meetings will feature a FREE clinic starting around 2 p.m. followed by two FREE games, courtesy of the German owner of the alleys. The games will be unstructured, just for fun, with Germans and Americans paired together — a great way to meet Berliners!

City Bowling is located at Kurfuerstendamm 156. You can take the U-Bahn to Bahnhof Zoo or Bus 85 to the end of the line, then Bus 19 or 29 down the Kurfuerstendamm to Rosenack.

This Sunday at 5:30 p.m., the Center for Creative Living and KONTAKT are sponsoring a folk singing session in the dayroom of Headquarters Co., Special Troops at



Andrews Barracks. American and German musicians will create an atmosphere in which to relax and sing along, or just enjoy each other. If you play a guitar or harmonica, or like singing folk, you'll find a bi-national group there that would like to meet you.

Another group always interested in meeting new people is the German-American Discussion Group. This meets each Sunday at 3:30 p.m. at the American Haus.

Swimming Tournament

Besides the regular Monday evening dips from 5:30 to 9 p.m. at the Andrews Pool, KONTAKT and the Hi-Lite Club are sponsoring a swimming tournament for all interested. The meet will take place Thursday, March 29 at Andrews Pool. Registration is at 6:30 p.m. Competition in individual events, relays and medleys will all be offered with all events open to Germans and Americans, male and female. To pre-register, call Marian Vracin at the Hi-Lite Service Club at 3527.

Winter to spring makes us sing

The transition from winter to spring normally occurs during March. Days become rapidly longer and the normal daily high temperature climbs 10° F to 46° F. The normal low temperature is 33° but a record low of 3° F occurred in 1942. A record high of 77° F occurred in 1968.

Precipitation is normally 1.2 inches, slightly less than is usual for February. Two inches of snow are likely during the month, falling on an average of three days. By the end of the month most precipitation falls as rain or rainshowers.

People in Brief

Berlin Brigade DRIVER OF THE QUARTER is PFC Daniel Hendricks of 287th MP Co. for which he receives two \$25 Savings Bonds (one from Special Troops) and a trophy.

Safe Driving Awards
 SAVE DRIVING AWARDS were presented to 18 members of the 592d Signal Company (Spt) by LTC Eldon L. Mansfield, Special Troops commander, in a brief awards ceremony held recently at Signal.

The first and second awards were given for accident-free driving of tactical vehicles for 9 and 18 months respectively. Receiving the Second Award for 18 months of accident-free driving were SGT Johnny L. Alexander, SGT Eugene J. Gudenkauf and SP4 Bewford B. Brown. Each man was presented with a special Berlin Brigade wallet.

Receiving the First Award for nine accident-free months were SP4 Wilbur G. Aldridge, SP4 Terry P. Axley, SP4 George Boutros, SGT Jerry R. Bray, SP4 Charles S. Cross, SP4 John J. Eickholt, SP4 Thomas M. Elder, SGT Paul W. Gomez, SP4 Bruce G. Gomez, SP4 William A. Johnson, SP4 Ernest McCabe, SP4 Frederick Peltier, SP4 Dennis M. Phillips, SGT Douglas Pottorff, SP4 Daniel Vermillion.

U. S. Army Hospital Berlin's SOLDIER OF THE QUARTER is SP5 Joseph B. Boland of the

social workers section. Boland is from Jackson, Miss. and came to Berlin in Sept. 1971.



REENLISTMENT SERGEANTS HONORED — Receiving awards Feb. 20 for a reenlistment record in BBde of 357.1% of the goal for first term personnel in January are, left to right: SFC Joe L. Massey, HHC-2/6; SFC Harold Berg, HHC, BBde; SFC Paul G. Boyle, HHC-2/6; SSG Eugene Harris Jr., HHC, Sp Trps; SSG James T. Locashio, HHC-4/6; and SFC Thomas F. England, HHC-3/6. Also awarded, but not pictured, was SFC James T. Hammett, HHC, BBde.

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'Gamma Goats' replace 3/4 ton trucks at 4/6

by Norm Ham

Have you ever seen a 10,200 lbs. O.D. green goat? If you haven't, stop by the 4th Battalion, 6th Infantry motor pool and take a look. The Vanguards have recently given up 27 3/4 ton trucks and 3 field ambulances in exchange for 27 goats. Gamma Goats...

Around 1965 the Army decided it wanted a general purpose, all terrain vehicle which would be equally efficient in times of combat and peace. While plans were being initiated for this all purpose vehicle the Army used the M715 cargo truck and M725 field ambulance as interim vehicles. These trucks had a poor frame, though, and the use of the 3/4 ton cargo truck prevailed. Then sometime in 1969, after almost five years of painstaking planning and testing, the M561 1 1/4 ton cargo truck was accepted by the Army as the vehicle to replace the 3/4 ton.

The 4th Battalion, 6th Infantry was the first unit in Berlin to receive the M561 (or Gamma Goat as it is more commonly called due to its ability to maneuver over rugged terrain). The Vanguards received the "goats" in February and have since been preparing them for their trip to the MTA this month. Six of the new trucks are with the 4.2 mortar platoon of Combat Support Company

and each of the other companies has four.

The Gamma Goat is a dual bodied articulated six-wheel vehicle. Powered by a three cylinder diesel engine that uses diesel, jet or CITE fuel, the "goat" is able to swim using its wheels for propulsion. The vehicle is selective for either two or six wheel drive and the use of limited slip differentials provides maximum power to all wheels. One of the main features of the "goat" is the articulation joint coupling the tractor and carrier, which permits the tractor carrier to roll and pitch independently to keep all the wheels on the ground and provide maximum traction. Spare tires are not needed with the goats. An interbody truss kit is used to lock out the joining feature and allows one of the center wheels to be removed and used as a spare when needed. The M792 ambulance truck is the same vehicle with structural and component additions which enable it to be used as an ambulance.

In order to familiarize the drivers of the goats with the proper maintenance and operational techniques, a one week school is offered at Andrews Barracks. A driving course has also been set up at Parks Range giving the drivers the chance to operate the goats over rough ter-



TESTING THE GOAT — SP4 Stephen R. Sims of Co. C, 4th Bn., 6th Inf., has no problem clearing any obstacles at Parks Range as his "goat" cruises through the course in six wheel drive. (Photos by Norm Ham)

rain under supervised conditions.

Maintenance officer for the 4th Bn, 6th Inf, CW2 William D. Haughton said that although more maintenance is required and that the cab is fairly small, no major problems have yet been encountered with the new trucks and he doesn't expect any during the upcoming zone trip.



American Women's Club donates 1500 DM to 'Arbeit Kreis Lerina'

by Bernita Mansfield

The American Women's Club of Berlin proudly presented a check for 1500 DMs during a luncheon meeting at the Harnack House, March 6, to the founder of the Arbeits Kreis Lerina, a music therapy program for handicapped children.

Mrs. Hede Haenchen, an instrumental music teacher from Berlin, became interested in working with Thalidomide damaged children born with deformed or missing limbs. In order to provide instruments that children without fingers or elbows could play, she invented instruments and had them built.

She discovered that since these children have normal intelligence, they could learn to read music, compose, and improvise, as well as discipline themselves through the enjoyment of the music training. She also found that this discipline carries over into other educational situations such as regular schools.

Helped by members of the Berlin Philharmonic medical departments and engineers, she discovered that the instruments could also be used by hearing impaired children handicapped from other crippling diseases and accidents.

Her methods require much patience and devotion on the part of teachers. Thus she set up training seminars for music teachers from all over Europe.

Among the four therapy centers in Berlin is a room to be opened at Oskar Helene Heim Hospital where Americans are treated as part of the U. S. Berlin medical ser-

vices. The others are in the Children's Clinic at Steglitz and in Mrs. Haenchen's home, the first therapy center.

She has set up two rooms in Mainz, at the University and in the orthopedic hospital; one in Goslar; two in Zurich; and one in Israel.

She uses puppets, paintings and dolls in the improvisations and performances on instruments by the children.

The handicapped children perform with normal children in addition to their individual lessons. Performing with normal children gives the handicapped child self-confidence and an improved self image when he finds that he can do something skilled and creative as well or better than normal children.

Frau Marika Heyck has volunteered hours of time aiding Mrs. Haenchen with teaching, training teachers, devising techniques and instruments. Frau Heyck first brought the program to the attention of the American medical community.

Mrs. William W. Cobb presented the check for the 1500 DM on behalf of the American Women's Club of Berlin. Mrs. S. J. Marmor, treasurer of the club introduced Frau Haenchen and Frau Heyck.

Paintings made to music by the children, puppets used in teaching, and some of the instruments decorated the room and were demonstrated by the two women. A film produced by German television was shown later in the program to illustrate the work with the children carried on by the foundation called the Arbeits Kreis Lerina.



MRS. WILLIAM W. COBB PRESENTS A CHECK TO FRAU HEDE HAENCHEN for 1500 DM from the American Women's Club of Berlin for a music therapy program for handicapped children. Pictured (left to right) are Frau Haenchen, receiving the check with help from Andi, the puppet, Mrs. Marika Heyck, Mrs. Cobb and Mrs. Herbert H. Ray, club president. (Photo by Klaus Anger)

Andrews Chapel Notes

by Chaplain (CPT) Cal D. Gleaton

LIVING IN A VOID?

All too often, many a soldier living in the barracks encounters a feeling of void. A feeling that sometimes leaves him frustrated and drives him to the bars where he many times overindulges in drinking. This, of course, is a futile attempt to drown away his loneliness and discontent.

Stop!

The Center for Creative Living is aware of this and many other problems often encountered by the American soldier in Berlin. The Andrews Chapel and the Center have developed together a stimulating new program, Apex.

You will hear more about this special program later. Its first project will be held this Sunday at 5:30 p.m. in the Headquarters Co., Special Troops dayroom. It will be a time for getting together and replacing loneliness and discontent with music, songs and the joy of sharing a happy occasion with other soldiers and young Germans.

You are invited to display your talents, play the guitar or harmonica, or just sing a favorite song. Bring a friend

with you. Refreshments will be served.

Project KONTAKT will be there assisting us. Apex is attempting to provide for many of your needs where you are, therefore your support will be greatly appreciated.

GOSPEL SINGERS

The Voices of Inspiration Gospel Singers will appear at Andrews Chapel tomorrow at 7 p.m. The group will provide a special performance Sunday at the 10:40 a.m. worship service. The group delivers its gospel message in the stimulating form of "I Believe," "Joy Comes in the Morning" and many others.

DIAL A PRAYER

Andrews Chapel is now equipped with a Dial-a-Devotional telephone service. This consists of a scripture passage, devotional meditation and prayer. Everyone is encouraged to use this unique outreach ministry. The phone number is 3600.

LIBRARY

Everyone is encouraged to use the new Andrews Chapel. We are building an excellent library of religious and related material.

PENN STATE TO VOTE

The State of Pennsylvania has announced that it will hold a primary election on May 15, 1973 to choose candidates for two Judgeships in the Commonwealth Court and two Judgeships in the Superior Court. A general election will be held on November 6, 1973. Additional voting information can be obtained by contacting your voting officers.

Air Force Ties Army In Indoor Soccer Finale

by Ray Stahl

The Air Force Indoor Soccer Team put three goals in the net in the last five minutes to blemish the Army team's attempt to record a perfect season as the two teams battled to a 4-4 draw in the indoor league finale. The teams were scoreless in the first half.

In its inaugural season, the indoor soccer competition can surely qualify as a successful endeavor. The polished skills of the German teams afforded the four American teams in the league the opportunity to improve their own individual skills. Although the Army team won the league title, all the teams in the league were the real winners, as through their enthusiasm and spirit they made the competition wholly worthwhile.

Special mention goes to the team from Field Station Berlin, a club with only a couple of players with previous soccer experience. They were easily the most improved club by the season's end. They showed the willingness and desire to try a sports competition foreign to them and it is hoped they'll continue to compete in the outdoor season.

In closing, and please excuse the editorializing, it is a mystery that sports such as soccer and team handball have not been more widely accepted by the American sports competitor. The physical requirements are far from herculean. The key is the willingness to try a sport unfamiliar to you, and towards that willingness, clubs like the FSB Soccer Team and the Highly Successful Bears Team Handball Team should be warmly congratulated.

Boxing Tourney in Stuttgart, April 24-29

All branches of the German and U. S. Military Forces in Europe are invited to participate in the 1973 VII Corps German-American Invitational Boxing Tournament to be held at Jayhawk Gym, Kelley Barracks in Stuttgart April 24-29.

Both open and novice class competition will be held with boxers having seven or more previous fights

competing in the open class. All others will compete in the novice class.

Tournament matches are scheduled for three two-minute rounds for open boxers and three one-minute rounds for novices.

Applications should be forwarded to: Commander VII Corps, ATTN: AETSGA-A, APO 09107. Applications should include your name, grade, unit, weight and previous fights (won, lost, draw).

For more information, telephone Kelley Military (2723) 517.



PADDY YARR of the Air Force indoor Soccer team "dribbles" the ball trying to get past Marty Best (#5) of the Army team. Yarr was a big asset in his team's come from behind to tie the Army 4-4.

(Photo by Joe Bolduc)

Sport Shorts

Pistol match

The Berlin Rod and Gun Club announces a Pistol Match on Sunday at Rose Range (near the Wannsee Rec Area). Shooting competition will be divided into three categories, with a trophy awarded to the top shooter in each category. The action begins at 9:30 a.m.

Bowling tourney

Applications are still being accepted for this weekend's German-American Bowling Tournament sponsored by the Berlin Today magazine at the Neue Welt (1 Berlin 61, Hasenheide 108-114, in the Neukoelln district).

Applications must be in by tomorrow to either Ken Staggs at BBde (6518) or Jim Davis at TCA (5011). There is an entry fee of DM 5 per category and DM 2 per line.

Coaches' Registration

All persons interested in coaching AYA baseball this year are asked to register at the AYA House Monday through Friday during normal duty hours.

Player registration will begin March 19 and continue until March 30.

For more information, contact the AYA House at 6247.

Bubble Reservations

Reservations for the BBde Tennis Courts will now only be made by telephone or in person at the Sports Center Office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. on weekdays or by calling 6581 from 8-9 a.m. on weekdays.

BWBA Tourney

The Berlin Women's Bowling Association will hold their annual tournament April 7-8 at the Sports Center Lanes. Competition will be in team events, singles, doubles and all-events. Registration closes March 24 and the fee is \$3.00 per event. Entrants must be a member of WIBC.

For more information, contact your leave secretary or Jan Bullington at 813-6852.

A Better '73 for Racers

The Berlin American Auto Association promises that 1973 will be a bigger and better year for automotive competition in Berlin.

The opening of Friendship Raceway and the Sports Car Calendar is approaching fast, so if you're interested in participating, why not get a head start. Everyone will be competing for points this year, and points mean money, so don't lose out on some money because you car isn't ready for the season's opener.

Why not come to the general membership meeting Wednesday at 8 p.m. in the Alter Krug-Dahlem, 52 König-Luise Strasse? At the meeting, you can pick up a copy of the 1973 Competition Rules Book which should answer any questions you might have.

AFRC's Chiemsee Lake Hotel: Convenience, Fun and Relaxation

You want an American style hotel with all the conveniences of your home base or post, at an economical rate and with excellent ski slopes near by?

If that's the case your choice will be the Armed Forces Recreation Center's Chiemsee Lake Hotel, about an hours drive from Munich on the Berchtesgaden-Salzburg Autobahn.

Your stay at Chiemsee will be economical through the Chiemsee Package Plan for all guests, regardless of grade. Cost per guest per day, including breakfast, is \$2.80 for a room without bath and \$3.30 for a room with bath.

For your convenience, the Chiemsee Lake Hotel has a ski shop, PX, gift shop, Stars & Stripes Book Store, boutique, barber shop and beauty shop. For your enjoyment after ski-

ing there is a sauna, theater, cocktail lounge, billiards, ping pong and a dining room serving the finest of foods.

Within 25 miles of Chiemsee are some of the finest ski slopes in Bavaria, ranging from beginner to advanced skiing levels. You can ski at these locations at special daily rates by showing your ID card: Hochfelin, 12 miles from Chiemsee; Eauschberg — 20 miles, Winklmoos — Seegatterl 22 miles, Reit-im-Winkl — 19 miles, Sagberg — 6 miles, and Kampenwand — 10 miles. These slopes offer skiing for the beginner as well as the expert.

Reservations for your stay at Chiemsee may be made by writing the Berchtesgaden Billing Office, APO 09108 or by calling Berchtesgaden Military (2538) 823 or 623.

Bears' Streak up to 5; Bury Charlottenburg, 27-11

by Mike Dunn

Somebody had better tell the Berlin Bears Team Handball Team that their middle of the week games are training games against Berlin's tougher teams. On Feb. 28, the Bears completely dominated a new opponent, Sports Club Preussen, jumping to a 24-6 lead before settling for a 33-22 victory.

Although individual records are neglected in most Bears' team efforts, this game saw forward Donnie Wilson score ten goals and assist on many more. Pirkle, LaRose, Best and Wilson all keyed in on an unbelievable fastbreak that even saw the point-hungry Bears score two goals in the last thirty seconds of both the first and second periods.

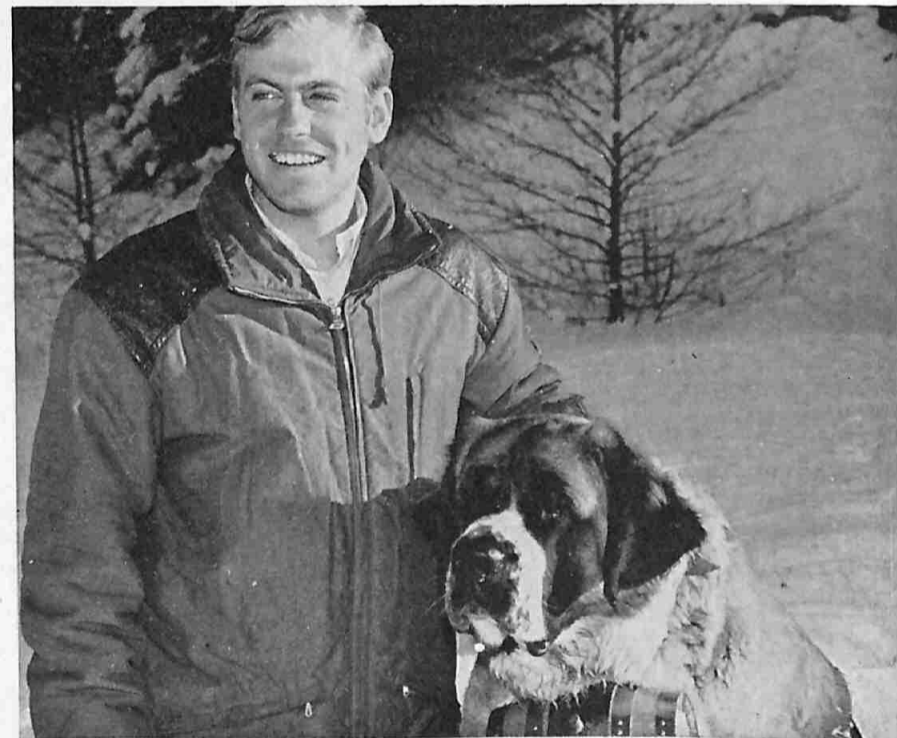
If Wednesday, then, was a warm-up for Sunday's league action, the Bears didn't need the practice. The game of March 4, played before a substantial crowd, found the Bears burying the Charlottenburg Sports Club, 27-11. The pleasant surprise in this game was the fine performance

of second string goalie, Marty "The Beast" Best. Minus their superstar goalie, Bruce Scolton, the Bears were prepared to sacrifice some offensive punch to see that a super defense was available to protect Best and the goal area. "The Beast" proved all of this unnecessary, however, as in the second period he made numerous super saves holding the Bears opponent to only four goals in that 20 minute span.

This game, more than any recent performance, was marked by a balanced offensive and defensive attack. "Plunge" Pirkle, Ted Purdom, Donnie Wilson and "Joltin Joe" Boland all contributed three or four goals each, while the defensive responsibilities were handled by half of the "foursome": Tom Young and Chuck Swannack.

The victory pushed the Bears league record to 5 wins with no losses and five games remaining on the schedule. The next league encounter is Sunday beginning at 4 p.m. at the Berlin Brigade Sports Center.

Samantha is Ski Patrol's Darling



THE SKI PATROLMAN'S BEST FRIEND, Samantha, keeps an eye open for skier in distress. The 200 pound St. Bernard is the mascot of the Garmisch ski patrolmen.

She's the darling of the ski slopes at the Garmisch Recreation Area, all 200 pounds of her. And even through Samantha has become a regular at the Eibsee and Hausberg, no one has ever seen her on skis. Sam, as she is known to her close friends, prefers running up the slopes, then racing skiers to the bottom of the run. Her favorite racing partners are members of the AFRC Ski Patrol.

The envy of all other ski-bunnies, Sam is the favorite of the ski patrol in Garmisch. Adopted as their mascot in October, the two year old St. Bernard eats, sleeps and skis with the 60 man Garmisch patrol. Patrol members share not only Samantha's affection, but they also split her food bill, which is sizeable. Samantha puts away one quart of dry food, a tin of

canned food, one half pint of cottage cheese and an egg each day.

Chief meal-preparation responsibilities rest with patrolman Gary Davis, who says, "At dinner-time, Sam picks up her bowl and follows me around until I start fixing her food. She knows when it's time to eat." Sam has her own house, built by the patrolmen and painted in the blue and gold colors of the National Ski Patrol. She has also been fixed up with the St. Bernard's traditional brandy keg. Skiers in distress will find the keg full, too, since Sam permits her boozing to beer.

Any skiers who pile up on one of the Garmisch Recreation Area ski slopes may have Sam and her keg among the rescue party. It's all in a day's work.

AFTV Sports

SATURDAY 2 p.m. Weekend World of Sports with Randy Campbell

Fancy yourself as an automobile racing driver? You can learn about slalom racing by watching today's program. Also on tap:

NBA Basketball
Los Angeles vs Milwaukee
The defending National Basketball Association champions, the Los Angeles Lakers — the famous "Day-Bucks" at the Los Angeles Forum.

The Lakers, prior to this match, had lost 4 straight games.

Wilt Chamberlain proved he is still one of the most dominating players in the history of the game. A capacity crowd of almost 18,000 saw Wilt outscore Abdul-Jabbar 24 points to 21.

The Lakers, hurt by the absence of Jerry West and Happy Hairston who were out with injuries, turned it on in the last quarter to prove they may still emerge as the world champs in Pro basketball.

This was a fast-moving and wild game with both sides playing as though the championship was at stake.

According to the Laker's coach, Bill Sharman, it was Chamberlain's best game of the year.

Wide World of Sports
The battle of the heavyweights, Muhammad Ali vs Britain's Joe Bugner originates in appropriately enough, the city of chance and bets, Las Vegas, Nevada with the inimitable Howard Cosell calling the blows as well as the interviews.

An added bonus is a replay of the Frazier-Foreman fight — but this time Ali does the commentary. His opinion of the new champ is very interesting.

Another highlight is the warm-up games Lakers, took on the Milwaukee "125" at Daytona Beach, Florida. Buddy Baker, Gale Yarborough and Gordon Johncock fight it out for the top 3 spots all the way from start to finish.

SUNDAY 2 p.m. Weekend World of Sports with Randy Campbell
Filmed highlights of opening ceremonies as well as first-round action of the TCA Invitational Bowling Tourney are included in today's local segment. Join Randy for the scoreboard, as well as:

NHL Hockey
St. Louis vs Detroit
The Detroit Red Wings try to break their 5-game National Hockey League winless streak.

Marcel Dionne scored his 33rd and 34th goals of the season and goalie DeJordy turned away 24 shots for the 15th shut-out of his 11-year NHL career.

The St. Louis Blues came in to this game at the Olympiad in Detroit with a record of having won 12 of the last 19 games. The Detroit team is placing much of its hopes for a Stanley Cup playoff berth on their young stars,

Mickey Redmond and Marcel Dionne. Garry Unger of the St. Louis Blues tried his best to help his team, but the determination of Detroit's Redmond and Dionne couldn't be matched. These two tough players are a pair of stars of tomorrow for the Red Wings.

Wide World of Sports
At Haywood, Wisconsin, in the Lumberjack Bowl, an event takes place called the World Series of the Forest. This competition pits lumberjacks, with sports that include women, matching their skills in pole climbing, bucking (sawing through a log) and log rolling. Jim McKay does the commentary.

And at the Charlotte Speedway in North Carolina, the 13th Annual Grand National 500 Stock Car Race includes veterans Richard Petty, Bobby Allison, Buddy Baker, A. J. Foyt and Butch Hartman — all striving for a first place finish. Keith Jackson calls the action.

WEDNESDAY 10:15 p.m. Boxing from the Forum
Tom Harmon and Micky Davies describe the fierce action of a great fight as Frankie Crawford meets Hugo Barrasa in a 10-round lightweight bout from Los Angeles, California.

11:55 p.m. Roller Derby
The St. Louis Blues came into this team, the Northeast Braves tangled with the San Francisco Bombers at Kezar Pavilion, San Francisco.

The Braves leaders, Ronnie Robinson, has his troubles with the Bombers Larry Smith and Tony Roman. In the women's battle of the "oval," Bomber Joannie Weston and little Carol Myers more than hold their own against Braves Dorothy Lee and Susan Jones. Walt Harris calls the action.

THURSDAY 10:15 p.m. Thursday Night Sports Special
Game 1
PAC 8 Basketball
Washington State vs Stanford
The Cougars of Washington State invade ancient Maples Pavilion, the lair of Stanford's Cardinals in Palo Alto for another in the series of PAC 8 showdowns.

UCLA's Bruins already have a lock on the Conference title, so with nothing at stake, Stanford hopes to move up in the standings and the Cougars are anxious to avoid a seventh straight loss and escape the PAC 8 cellar. Jerry Gross and Beeb Lee call the action.

Game 2
WHA Hockey
Cleveland vs New York
The fourth place New York Raiders try to improve their standings in the Eastern Division as they meet the league leading Cleveland Crusaders in New York's Madison Square Garden before 13,673 fans, the largest crowd ever to see a WHA game in New York.

McNair Chapel needs you

McNair Chapel announces a special concert for Palm Sunday, April 15. The Chapel Choir, assisted by the McNair Baroque Ensemble, will present in its entirety *Messiah*, by George Frederick Haendel. The Oratorio, one of the greatest works of concert music, will be performed in the original version, which uses small baroque orchestra and chorus and four soloists. The entire performance will be under the direction of the noted Berlin composer, Gerald Humel. This will be the first complete performance in English of this work in Berlin in a great number of years.

Herr Humel has emphasized that persons who can sing and are interested in working with the McNair Chapel Choir should feel free to come to any of the open rehearsals, Thursday evenings at 7:30 at the chapel. Instrumentalists (violins, violas, cello, basses and oboes) are also most welcome.

Love is

'Last of the Red Hot Lovers'

by Guy Pitzer

Steve McQueen has raced sports cars up and down the hills of San Francisco, driven motorcycles over barbed wire barriers, and handled a number of lovely ladies during his motion picture career. Now you can watch McQueen as **JUNIOR BONNER** performing as a rodeo champion in an effort to impress his townspeople during frontier festivities. Robert Preston and Ida Lupino also star.

Regardless of your views on nudity, sex, and profanity, **MAKING IT** is better. If you need proof, watch Kris Tabori as he entertains and educates all of the young ladies in his high school. The plot balloons when Marilyn Mason, his widowed mother, turns up pregnant. But being the

smooth mover that he is, Kris finds little difficulty in overcoming the situation.

We have all been warned that "It is not nice to fool Mother Nature." However, **NIGHT OF THE LEPUS** refuses to listen. A team of scientists accidentally create a mutant strain of rabbits which grow and grow and grow. Stuart Whitman and Janet Leigh lead the society's attack upon these wretched creatures who have upset man's world. The short subject features Superbowl 73.

Paula Prentiss owns many interesting things and some of those things become the object of quest and

desire in **LAST OF THE RED HOT LOVERS**. Alan Arkin and Sally Kellerman co-star in a film about a frustrated cafe owner who gets tired of handling dead fish and decides to vent his emotions on some live ones but soon discovers his bait is not so appealing.

Jack Lemon and Walter Matthau return in the roaring comedy, **THE ODD COUPLE**. Both lose their wives (see the movie and you'll know why) and as a result decide to set up house together to share their loneliness. But Lemon's perfection clashes with Matthau's sloppiness and soon the couple find themselves on the verge of "divorce".

MOTION PICTURES

March 9 through March 15

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| OUTPOST | Wed Junior Bonner (PG) Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | ASTRA | Monday-Friday 7:30 p.m. Saturday and Sunday: 6 and 8:30 p.m., unless otherwise stated |
| Fri Ben (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | Thu Same show as above Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | Fri Hickey And Boggs (AA) | |
| Sat Children's Matinee City Beneath The Sea (G), 2:30 p.m. | | Sat Children's Matinee Voyage To The End Of The Universe (U) 2 p.m., also Young Jacobites, Ep. 2 | |
| Sat On Any Sunday (G) 4:30, 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | Sat Waterloo (U) | |
| Sun Junior Bonner (PG) Inc. Adm. 4:30, 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | Sun The French Connection (X) | |
| Mon Same show as above Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | Mon Same show as above Tue Two Mules For Sara (A) | |
| Tue Making It (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | Wed Goodbye Gemini (X) | |
| Wed Night Of The Lepus (PG), 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | Thu Monte Walsh (A) | |
| Thu Last Of The Red Hot Lovers (PG) Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| ANDREWS | | | |
| Fri Fuzz (PG), Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. and 1 a.m. Saturday | | | |
| Sat Same show as above Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| Sun The Graduate (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. and 1 a.m. Monday | | | |
| Mon The Culpepper Cattle Company (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| Tue Ben (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. and 1 a.m. Wednesday | | | |
| Wed Same show as above 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| Thu On Any Sunday (G) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| COLISEUM | | | |
| Fri The Graduate (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| Sat The Culpepper Cattle Company (PG) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
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| Sat Same show as above Inc. Adm. 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| Sun Making It (R) 6:30, 8:30 p.m. | | | |
| Mon Night Of The Lepus (PG), 7 p.m. | | | |
| Tue Last Of The Red Hot Lovers (PG) Inc. Adm., 7 p.m. | | | |
| Wed Same show as above Inc. Adm., 7 p.m. | | | |
| Thu The Odd Couple (G) 7 p.m. | | | |
| STEWART | | | |
| All shows at 7 p.m. | | | |
| Fri No show | | | |
| Sat Cool Breeze (R) Inc. Adm. | | | |
| Sun Barquero (PG) | | | |
| Mon Frogs (PG) | | | |
| Tue XY and ZEE (R) | | | |
| Wed No show | | | |
| Thu Resurrection Of Zachary Wheeler (G) | | | |
| JERBOA | | | |
| All shows at 6 and 8:30 p.m. unless otherwise stated | | | |
| Fri Shoot Out (AA) | | | |
| Sat Same show as above | | | |
| Sat Children's Matinee at 10 a.m. Clash Of Steel (U), also Young Jacobites, Ep. 1 | | | |
| Sun Five Savage Men (X) | | | |
| Mon Same show as above | | | |
| Tue Zeppelin (U) | | | |
| Wed On The Buses (A) | | | |
| Thu Carry On Cowboy (A) | | | |
| FRANCIS | | | |
| All shows at 7 p.m. | | | |
| Fri No show | | | |
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L'Agillon

French Movie Theater at Quartier Napoleon on Kurt-Schumacher-Damm

Sat Quelques Messieurs Trop Tranquilles, 8:30 p.m., starring Renee Saint-Cyr, Michel Galabru, Bruno Pradal

Sun Trois Millions Sans Ascenseur, 3 and 8:30 p.m., starring Michel Bouquet, Marcel Buzozzi, Dany Carrel

Tue Deux Salopards En Enfer, 8:30 p.m., starring George Hilton, Klaus Kinski

Wed Les Chiens Verts Du Desert, 3 p.m., starring Ken Clark, Horst Frank, Jeanne Valerie

Thu La Prairie, 8:30 p.m., starring Robert Walker, Keith Canadine, Hilary Thomson

Admission to be paid in Francs. No telephone reservations will be accepted

TAT production will drive you Halfway Up the Tree

by Betty Hoffle

It's never too late to live in a tree! At least this is actor-writer Peter Ustinov's answer to today's search for personal freedom in his comedy **Halfway Up the Tree**. Ustinov's comedy of a family war between today's parents and their kids is Tempelhof American Theatre's (TAT) first production of 1973. If you have never probed the possibilities of living in a tree, this unusual comedy may open the door to a whole new way of life.

Directing the production is Betty Hoffle, who has performed in and directed theatre productions here in Berlin for the past three years. AIC Dave Rodgers has designed a set which will enhance the kookiness of the script. SGT Haukur Hazen is the Technical Director in addition to playing one of the male featured roles.

The British general who comes home from the wars only to have to fight a generation gap with his own kids will be played by TSGT Bruce Limpus. His secretly philandering wife is Nancy Mansfield. Doris Ison portrays the voluptuous Norwegian au pair girl. In the roles of the general's two freaked-out kids are: Linda Bash as the very pregnant daughter and Haukur Hazen as the very long-haired hippie. Supporting roles will be played by SGT Bob Todd as the pompous, dogmatic Vicar, SGT Dave Hickey as an uptight Scout Master, David Rodgers as Lady Fitzbutress' fuddy-duddy lover, and Lynn White as a strange folk singer whose sex is somewhat in doubt.

The cast of **Halfway Up the Tree** has commenced rehearsing and four performances of TAT's comedy are scheduled the last weekend in March at the Sky Rider Recreation Center. The dates are March 29, 30 and 31 and April 1. All performances are free and all members of the Berlin American Community are welcome to attend.

AFN frequencies on your radio dial: AM 935 KC; FM 87.85 MC. FM Berlin presents its "Golden Sound" around the clock in STEREO.

(March 10)

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| 0:00 World News and Markets | 2:00 Weekend World |
| 0:05 Night Beat | 6:00 World News and Comments |
| 1:05 Night Time Experience | 6:10 Sports Journal |
| 3:05 Ted Quillin Show | 6:30 New Breed (TASCOM) |
| 4:00 Fire Report | 6:45 This is Germany |
| 4:05 Ted Quillin Show | 7:00 World News |
| 5:00 Jimmy Wakely Show | 7:05 Golden Record Gallerie |
| 5:55 This is AFN | 7:30 Voyage of the Scarlet Queen |
| 6:05 C & W Hit Parade | 8:00 World News and Comments |
| 6:55 Road Conditions Report | 8:15 Charlie Tuna Show |
| 7:00 News, Sports and Markets | 9:00 World News and Comment/Special Announcement Summary |
| 7:15 Notes from Nashville | 9:05 Bill Stewart Show |
| 7:30 Contempo | 11:05 The Young Sound |
| 8:05 Morning Request Show | |

RADIO Saturday

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| 9:05 Bolero Time | 2:00 Weekend World |
| 10:00 World News | 6:00 World News and Comments |
| 10:05 The Soul Story | 6:10 Sports Journal |
| 11:00 World News | 6:30 Golden Days of Radio |
| 11:05 Jim Pewter Show | 6:55 Fire Report |
| 12:00 News and Sports | 7:05 Playhouse 25 |
| 12:15 Jim Hawthorne's Comedy Theater | 7:30 Great Works in Jazz |
| 12:45 Any Questions? | 8:05 The Bacharach Bio |
| 1:05 American Top 40 | 8:50 This is Living |
| | 9:00 World News / Special Announcement Summary |
| | 9:05 Stastide Sports Standby Schedule |
| | 9:05 The Young Sound |
| | 11:05 Just Music |

Sunday

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| 0:05 Night Beat | 2:00 Weekend World |
| 1:05 Johnnie Darin Show | 6:00 World News and Comments |
| 2:00 Special Announcement Summary | 6:10 Sports Journal |
| 2:05 Roland Bynum Show | 6:30 Golden Days of Radio |
| 3:05 Bobby Troup Show | 6:55 Fire Report |
| 4:00 The American Hall of Fame | 7:05 Playhouse 25 |
| 4:05 Young Sound | 7:30 Great Works in Jazz |
| 5:55 This is AFN | 8:05 The Bacharach Bio |
| 6:05 Just Music | 8:50 This is Living |
| 6:55 Road Conditions Report | 9:00 World News / Special Announcement Summary |
| 7:05 Message of Israel | 9:05 Stastide Sports Standby Schedule |
| 7:30 Hawaii Calls | 9:05 The Young Sound |
| 8:05 AFN Tree House | 11:05 Just Music |
| 9:00 World News | |
| 9:05 Protestant Hour | |

Weekdays

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| 0:05 San Francisco Scene | 4:05 Afternoon Request Show |
| 1:05 Barbara Randolph Show | 5:00 World News |
| 2:00 Special Announcement Summary | 5:05 Afternoon Request Show |
| 2:05 Bob Kingsley Show | 5:40 Sports Journal |
| 4:00 Rock Genesis | 6:00 The Six O'Clock Report and Today in Europe |
| 4:05 Herman Griffith Show | 6:30 Nightside |
| 5:00 Town and Country | 7:00 World News and Comment |
| 5:55 This is AFN | 7:10 Nightside |
| 6:00 The Six O'Clock News and Sports | 9:00 World News and Comments |
| 6:05 Morning Request Show | 9:10 Nightside |
| 6:30 Road Conditions Report / Special Announcement Summary | 10:00 The Ten O'clock Report |
| 6:38 Morning Request Show | 10:15 Nightside |
| 7:00 Seven O'Clock Report | 11:00 World News |
| 7:30 Morning Request Show | 11:05 American Music Hall |
| 8:30 Ira Cook | 11:35 Latino |
| 9:05 Roger Carroll Show | |
| 10:05 Adventures in Good Music (FM) | |
| 10:50 Songs By (FM) | |
| 11:05 Noon Request Show | |
| 12:00 News and Sports | |
| 12:15 Road Conditions Report / Special Announcement Summary | |
| 12:20 Noon Request Show | |
| 1:05 Wolfman Jack Show | |
| 2:00 World News | |
| 2:05 Tom Campbell Stateside | |
| 3:00 World News / Special Announcement Summary | |
| 3:05 Gene Price's Country Corner | |

EES prices increase

MUNICH — Prices of foreign procured merchandise (offshore), such as stereo equipment, cameras and gift items sold by the European Exchange System, will be increased on or about March 28, 1973 as a direct result of the devaluation of the U. S. dollar.

However, BG C. W. Hospelhorn, Commander of the European Exchange System has announced that its patrons will not feel the impact of the devaluation of the dollar, as applied to these foreign goods, for up to 45 days. All foreign merchandise presently in stock will continue to be on sale at the predollar devaluation prices, pending new procurement receipts in approximately 45 days.

The increased salary cost for EES will also impact CONUS items to some degree by increasing some prices of CONUS items.

General Hospelhorn goes on to point out that the EES concessionaires provide such services as barber, beauty, laundry, dry cleaning, tailoring, film processing, laundrettes, merchandise repair, shoe repair, and others, and are paid for in local currencies. With the announced devaluation of the U. S. dollar, EES will be required to buy foreign currencies with the devalued dollar and, therefore, prices have been increased for concession services. The price of gasoline books, food and vending items, automotive repair and meat products are also impacted in the same manner by the dollar devaluation and will be increased in the near future.

However, Hospelhorn stated "wherever possible, prices will be held to a minimum consistent with the need for customer service and with welfare fund requirements."

Big Red to meet

All members, prospective members, guests and hangers-on are cordially invited to attend the monthly business meeting of the Berlin chapter of Big Red One, Wednesday, March 14 at 7:30 p.m. at Gasthaus "Zum Holstein" (Charlies).

The evening agenda will include plans for the division birthday social and a slide presentation by Major John Hyde.

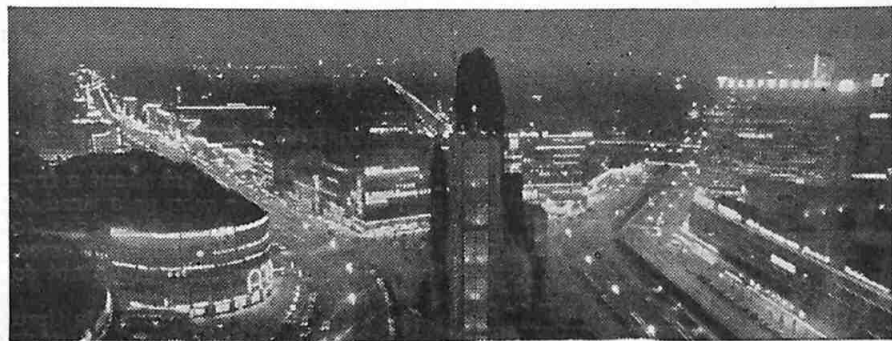
Concert Hall

WITH JOHN PROFFITT

9:10-10 p.m., Mon-Fri

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| Friday, March 9 | P. Hindemith — Symphonic Metamorphoses on Themes by Weber |
| | William Schuman — "New England Triptych" |
| | Charles T. Griffes — Poem for Flute and Orchestra |
| Monday | Peter Mennin — Symphony # 5 |
| | Aaron Copland — "The Red Pony" |
| Tuesday | L. Beethoven — Concerto in G Major, Op. 58 for Piano and Orchestra |
| | Andre Jolivet — Pastorales |
| Wednesday | Benjamin Britten — Sinfonia da Requiem, Op. 20 |
| | Sir William Walton — Concerto for Violin and Orchestra |
| Thursday | W. A. Mozart — Concerto # 17 for Piano and Orchestra, K. 453 |
| | Ernst Chausson — Poeme, Op. 25 |

Cultural Events Around Town...



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Hardenbergstrasse 33
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March 10, 11, 8 p.m. — Symphonic Orchestra Berlin. Conductor: C. A. Bunte
March 11, 8 p.m. — Berlioz Prokofiev — Berlioz
March 12, 8 p.m. — Violin Night by Dona Lee Croft, USA. Pugnani — Schumann — Wieniawski — Glasunov — Prokofiev
March 14, 8 p.m. — "La Guitar d'Or de Manitas de Plata" and his Baleardos
March 17, 8 p.m. — Symphonic Orchestra Berlin. Conductor: Thomas Ungar Weber — Franck — Hindemith
March 18, 8 p.m. — Berliner Barock-Orchester. Conductor: Konrad Latte. Riciotti — Telemann — Händel — Bach
March 31 and April 1, 8 p.m. — Symphonic Orchestra Berlin. Conductor: C. A. Bunte. Mozart — Brahms.



DEUTSCHE OPER BERLIN

Bismarckstrasse
Tel: 3 43 81

March 9 — "Tosca" (in Italian)
March 10 — "La Boheme" (in Italian)
March 11 — "Götterdämmerung"
March 12 — "Die Fledermaus"
March 13 — "Fürst Igor"
March 14 — "Die Fledermaus"
March 15 — "La Traviata" (in Italian)
March 16 — "Die Entführung aus dem Serail" (in Seraglio)
March 17 — "La Boheme" (in Italian)
March 18 — "Carmina burana" / "Catulli carmina"
March 19 — "Die Zauberflöte" (The Magic Flute)
March 20 — "Hoffmanns Erzählungen" (Tales of Hoffmann)
March 21 — "Otello" (in Italian)
March 22 — "Die Zauberflöte" (The Magic Flute)

SCHLOSSPARK THEATER

Steglitz, Schloss Strasse 48
Tel: 791 12 13

March 9, 12, 15 — "Wecken Sie Madame nicht auf"
March 10, 13 — "Urfaust"
March 11 — "Der Ignorant und der Wahnsinnige"
March 14 — "Ein Freudenfeuer für den Bischof"

THEATER DES WESTENS

Kantstrasse 12
Tel: 313 72 50/93 20

Daily at 8 p.m. — "Hallo Dolly" a Musical with Marika Röck. No performances on Mondays.

BRITISH CENTRE

Hardenbergstrasse 20
Tel: 31 01 76

March 9, 7:30 p.m. — Feature Film "Winslow Boy"
March 20, 8 p.m. — "Concert" Marianne Boettcher, violin and Robert Spillmann, piano. Mozart — Schumann — Debussy — Bartok — Hindemith — Lutyens. Tickets: 4 DM
March 29, 30, 8 p.m. — Documentary Films "Environment in the Balance" and "Fair Land of Gwent"
For bookings call 31 01 76

The Library is open Monday-Friday from noon-8 p.m.
The Music Library is open Monday, Wednesday, Friday from 10:30 a.m.-1:30 p.m. and Tuesday and Thursday from 4-7 p.m.



PHILHARMONIE

Tiergarten, Kempert
Tel: 261 43 83

March 10, 11, 8 p.m. — Berliner Konzert Chor — concert choir presenting "Johannes-Passion" by J. S. Bach. Conductor: Fritz Weisse.
March 13, 8 p.m. — Vivaldi Ensemble Tokyo
March 14, 15, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. Conductor: Karl Böhm. Brahms — Schumann — Beethoven
March 16, 8 p.m. — 3. Beethoven Concert presented by 'DAS' Symphony Orchestra Berlin. Conductor: BMD George Singer.
March 19, 20, 21, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. Conductor: Erich Leinsdorf. Mozart — Bartok — Schumann
March 24, 25, 8 p.m. — Sing-Akademie, Berlin and Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. Conductor: Mathieu Lange. Scarlatti — Mozart
March 26, 8 p.m. — Marlon Williams — The Origin of Soul and Blues
ATTENTION: Group ordering will get a 25 percent discount on tickets purchased at Konzertdirektion Jänicke. Tel: 855 22 22 for the "Marlon Williams" Concert.
March 28, 8 p.m. — Friedrich Gulda presents his own works
March 29, 8 p.m. — Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra. Conductor: Michael Gielen. Baird — Serocki — Bartok.
April 12, 8 p.m. — "Juliette Greco"

STUDIO CHOR BERLIN presents:
March 18, 8 p.m. — "Singendes Amerika" — Singing America with music from well-known American movies, musicals and shows, such as "Hello Dolly," "Hair," "South Pacific," "Love Story," "West Side Story," starring Irene Oliver, USA, soprano, Tony Moore, USA, tenor, the Kal-Rautenberg-Trio and the String Sound Orchestra. Conductor is Eddy Rhein. Tickets: DM 4 to 14 can be purchased at all ticket agencies.

THEATER AM

KURFÜRSTENDAMM
Kurfürstendamm 407
Tel: 881 24 89

Daily at 8 p.m. — "Hotel zum guten Ton" — Patrick Pearse Motel, a comedy by Hugh Leonard. There will be two performances on Saturday, at 6 and 9 p.m. Fridays at 11 p.m. — "Insterburg & Co."

DEUTSCHLANDHALLE

Messedamm 28
Tel: 302 50 31

March 11, 8 p.m. — "Jethro Tull". Special Guest: Cotton wood. DM 12 on all seats.
March 19, 8 p.m. — "Led Zeppelin"

HEBBEL THEATER

Stresemannstrasse 29
Tel: 251 22 12

Daily at 8 p.m. — "Der Raub der Sabinerinnen" a comedy by Franz and Paul von Schönthan. Sundays at 6 p.m. only.

SPORTPALAST

Potsdamer Strasse 170-72
March 13, 7:30 p.m. — "s-f-beat"
March 15, 8 p.m. — Good Bye, Sportpalast — Chris Barber's Jazz and Blues Band and Mr. Acker Bilk and his Paramount Jazzband
March 23, — 31, daily at 8 p.m. — "La Compagnie Andre Tahon"

FOX-MGM present:

MGM Kurfürstendamm 197-98
Tel: 881 40 99

"Les Mariés De L'an Deux" (in German) starring Jean-Paul Belmondo, Marlene Jobert, Laura Antonelli, Michel Auclair, Pierre Brasseur and Sami Frei. Daily performances are at 1, 3:30, 6 and 8:30 p.m.

A LOOK AT BERLIN...

Horse Races at Mariendorfer
Mariendorfer Damm 222-298
"Trotting Races" at the Mariendorfer Race Tracks are scheduled for Sunday, March 11 at 2 p.m. and Thursday, March 15 at 6 p.m.



Double Program at NEUE WELT
It's back to good old bockbeer-sipping at the "Neue Welt" with mug-lifting time at 8 p.m. daily. There will be a specialty going on on Wednesday at 7 p.m. when "Mr. Bockbierfest" will be elected — so why not give it a try?
If you rather see wrestling, the "Neue Welt" is offering daily fights called "Catch" beginning at 8:15 p.m. Advance tickets can be purchased at all ticket agencies or directly at the "Neue Welt" daily from 5 p.m.

There's Music in the Air
There will be a District Music Festival on Sunday in the Berlin American High School Auditorium at 3 p.m. The Music Festival will be presented by students from Bonn, Frankfurt, Wiesbaden, Bremerhaven and Berlin and will feature the music of Bach, Heyden, Mendelssohn, Tchaikovsky, Shostakovich as well as selections from "The Man of La Mancha" and current pop tunes. Admission is .50 and tickets may be purchased from one of the music students at the Berlin American High School or at the door.

Cross-Country
The German Automobile Club ADAC Berlin begins this year's motorsport season tomorrow with the 19. "ADAC-Geländepfährung" (19. ADAC Cross-Country) called "Kreuz und Quer durch die Havelberge". The first run begins tomorrow at 11 a.m. at Restaurant "Waldhaus am Grunewaldturn" and will come to an end at about 6 p.m. So far 90 registrations from the Federal Republic and Berlin have been made, among which six champions of previous cross-countries are listed.

Exhibition
Today, Bauhaus-Archiv is opening its exhibition of Drawings and Graphic Arts by "George Muche" in its rooms located at 1, Schloss Strasse in Charlottenburg. The exhibition will be shown until April 29 daily from 11 a.m.-6 p.m. and Wednesday from 2-9 p.m. The exhibition is closed on Tuesdays. Admission is DM 1.50, students pay 50 pfennigs.

14. GEBRAUCHTWAGENMARKT

AM FUNKTURM

14th Used Car Fair at the Funkturm
Beginning Thursday throughout Sunday a "USED CAR FAIR" will be underway in Halls 11 through 18 and 20 on the AMK Exhibition Grounds. On an area of approximately 20,000 square meters, 59 dealers will show 756 privately owned vehicles and car accessories. The "Used Car Fair" is open daily from 10 a.m.-7 p.m. and admission is DM 3. Here's a hint — 359 cars worth approximately DM 2.2 millions, found a new owner at last year's "Used Car Fair" —

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Good-bye Sportpalast concert

"Good-bye Sportpalast" is the fitting motto of the last big jazz concert in the smoky, rather ugly hall. It's a dirty rotten shame that the Sportpalast will be torn down to make way for something new, because this hall has always had a certain something, which made jazz musicians return to Berlin again and again. If you would list them all, you would wind up with a great big piece of jazz history spanning the last 20 years. Louis Armstrong, Dave Brubeck, Ella Fitzgerald, Lester Young, Benny Goodman, Ray Charles and Kid Ory are just some of the many jazzers that came and conquered.

Two traditional bands from England had their biggest successes here, and these two will blow taps, so to speak, to this unique place on March 15, when jazz music will be played here for the last time. They are Chris Barber's Jazz and Blues Band and Mr. Acker Bilk and his Paramount Jazzband. Their hits "Ice Cream" and "Stranger On the Shore" sounded from every jukebox in the late 50s in Germany. I wonder if all those who were teenagers in those years will come and maybe relive some of their memories. I would imagine that this evening will probably create a rather nostalgic mood. This concert will not only bring the very likeable sounds of these jazz bands, but will let you be a part of Berlin's entertainment history.

Parisien Doll Show

The audience that will come to the Sportpalast from March 23 to 31 surely won't give the fate of this building much of a thought, because the guests from Paris that appear each night during these days make



SAYING GOOD-BYE to the Sportpalast March 15 will be Mr. Acker Bilk and His Paramount Jazz Band. Joining them will be Chris Barber's Jazz and Blues Band. (Photo courtesy Konzertdirektion Karl H. Lyrmann)

one forget all cares and woes. La Compagnie André Tahon and his stick dolls were the sensation of the "Cultural Festival" in Berlin last year, and I can't rave enough about the adorable show they put on.

The dolls are merely heads on sticks, but what they can do and the many precious costumes they wear is so lively that you forget that they are only dolls. When "Fifi la Plume" strips, the audience is in stitches. Treat yourself to a couple of hours of really happy entertainment. I'll guarantee you that you'll join me in my enthusiastic praise for this troupe. If there are youngsters over 10 years of age in your family, do take them along. Performance are at 8 each night.

Tickets for the above-mentioned events can be purchased through the PX ticket agency or directly at the Sportpalast.

Fashion Show

And here's another tip for the fashion conscious ladies, who'd like to gather ideas of what to wear this spring. The clothes that are to be shown at the fashion show in the Wertheim Department store downtown on Ku-Damm on March 14 can be purchased. They have been selected only for this show in order to demonstrate what can be created with materials available on the market now. There will be two showings at 3 and 4:30 p.m. Tickets can be obtained at the information stand on the ground floor of the department store or reserved by calling 881 00 extension 200.

Jethro Tull

Just in case there is a pop fan who hasn't gotten the word yet, let it be said that Jethro Tull will be in Deutschlandhalle this Sunday, March 11, at 8 p.m. Special guest of the evening is "Cotton wood." Everyone pays the same price — DM 12.

Community Observations

St. Patrick's Day

The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints will have a St. Patrick's Day dinner program at the church at 23 Pacelliallee at 7:30 p.m. March 17. Dining by candlelight, a slave sale, and a floor show will be featured. Babysitting will be available at the church for \$.50 per child for the evening. For more information, call Mrs. John K. Matthews at 833-1286.

BAHS Principal

Beginning this Monday, the hours 9-10 a.m. each Monday that the Berlin American High School is in session are designated as open office times. Anyone may see the principal about any school matter without an appointment.

Ladies Coffee

The Headquarters Berlin Brigade Ladies Coffee will be held at the Harnack House Wednesday at 10 a.m. Reservations for the coffee can be made by signing the permanent reservation list available at each coffee or by phoning Mrs. Meyer at 831-3678. Reservations must be made by noon Monday. Cancellations will be accepted until 10 a.m. Tuesday.

Beta Sigma Phi

Beta Sigma Phi will have its next meeting March 20 with Rose Ann Young as hostess. There will also be a St. Patrick's Day party March 17. For further information, call Mrs. Cagley at 811-8189.

TOPS organize

A new TOPS chapter is being organized to meet in the evenings. Those interested should go to the music room in the Thomas A. Roberts Elementary School Tuesday at 7 p.m. for the organizational meeting.

Closing the GAP

Come learn with the Berlin Group Against Prejudice (GAP) as they study Ancient African Civilization. The meeting will be held Monday at 2 p.m. in the EES Conference Room, Building 4, BBde. Remember: Not everything that is faced can be changed, but nothing is changed until it is faced!

PX hours

The EES Department Store hours of operation will improve effective Saturday, March 17. The hours will then be: Tuesday through Saturday, 10 a.m.-6 p.m. Mondays, closed, except for end-of-month payday, when the hours are 10 a.m.-8 p.m.

Home care class

March 22 is the day for all you mothers and mothers-to-be. You can find out everything you've always wanted to know about home nursing and home child care but were afraid to ask. A program on this subject will be presented by CPT Robinson, the Army Health Nurse, at 2 p.m. March 22 at the All-American Service Club, McNair. Free baby-sitting will be provided at the McNair Chapel Nursery, across from the service club. Reservations for both baby-sitting and the program should be made by calling 819-6585/6500.

Shoftour

SHOFTOUR recently announced that the Civil Aeronautics Board has authorized SHOFTOUR to be the first military charter operator to carry overseas military across the Atlantic for rates as low as \$64 each

Insignia exhibition

The American Society of Military Insignia Collectors (ASMIC) will hold its 2nd Annual Convention at the Terrace Officers Club, Frankfurt, West Germany on March 11 from noon to 6 p.m. Collectors from over Europe, both military and civilian, will be displaying their collections of patches, unit insignia, medals and uniforms. This exhibition is open to the public and there is entrance fee of \$.25.

Wrestling meet

The U. S. Armed Forces Wrestling Team will meet with a German team at Siegfried Nordwest tomorrow 2:30 p.m. with a freestyle match beginning at 3:30 p.m. All are welcome to attend this exhibition match.

ON THE HOME FRONT.

All American Service Club
Fri (March 9) — 8 p.m. — Couples and Singles Games
Sat 8 p.m. — ZODIAC PARTY — for Capricorns, Aquarians and Pisceans — "Happy Birthday"
Sun 9 a.m. — Coffee Call with Berty
2 p.m. — Spades Tournament
2:15 p.m. — Tour to Charlottenburg Castle
5 p.m. — Buffet
8 p.m. — Sunday Night at Home
Mon 8 p.m. — Popcorn and Films
Tue — closed —
Wed 8 p.m. — Fussball Tournament
9 p.m. — Ping Pong Tournament
Thu 6 p.m. — Gourmet Tour to Spanish Restaurant
8 p.m. — Learn and Play Dominoes

Hi-Lite Service Club
Fri (March 9) — 7 p.m. — Table Tennis Tournament and Fussball Tournament
Sat 7 p.m. — Smoker's Poker
Sun 9:30 a.m. — Coffee Call
11 a.m. — Pinochle Tournament
2 p.m. — Tour to Charlottenburg Schloss
8 p.m. — Films
Mon — closed —
Tue 7:30 p.m. — Learn to Play Bridge
Wed 8 p.m. — Sundae and Regular Gas
Thu 8 p.m. — Self-directed Activities Club 50
Fri (March 9) — 8 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Country Squires"
Sat 8 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Blackbirds"
Sun 6:30-10:30 p.m. — "Nashville Express"
Starlight Grove
Fri (March 9) — 9 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Western Union"
Sat 9 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Pacific Stones"
Harnack House
Fri (March 9) — 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m. — "Extract"
Sat 9 p.m.-1 a.m. — "Statesiders"

ALL AMERICAN TOURS IN MARCH
March 11 — Charlottenburg Castle
March 15 — Spanish Restaurant
March 25 — West Berlin
Please make your reservations early by phoning 3147.