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Two Berliners see bear again

by Mike Gelfand

In August 1961, a small white Berlin bear and a postcard in a plastic bag entwined the lives of one young American and two Berliners. Now, twenty years later, that same bear has brought those three men together.

The story began when the Berlin Wall went up on August 13, 1961. 1st Lt. Edward S. Szvetecz was the executive officer of a rifle company in the 1st Battalion, 18th Battle Group, 8th Infantry Division. As part of the reinforcement of the Berlin Garrison, Szvetecz's unit was ordered to Berlin. Vice President Lyndon Johnson arrived in Berlin on August 19 and on August 20, in a show of Allied resolve, American forces paraded through the city.

For 25-year-old Szvetecz it was a new experience. "It seemed as though millions of Berliners lined the streets. They threw us flowers and other souvenirs. It was very emotional," said Szvetecz.

During that brief trip a small Berlin Bear with a card welcoming the forces to the city was thrown into his jeep. On the card were the names of two young Berliners.

He kept the bear and twenty years later, now Colonel Szvetecz, Chief of Staff, U.S. Army, Berlin, wanted to meet the men who were so friendly and thoughtful.

Szvetecz explains that his wife Pamela played an important role in keeping the bear.

"As a soldier I've always thought I served my country in the effort to preserve peace and freedom. Over the years my wife Pamela and I kept that bear because to us it was a physical symbol of two men also hoped for their freedom. I guess it was somewhat inspirational," Szvetecz said.

The two Berliners, Gert Pruschke, 46, now an electrician, and 44-year-old taxi driver, Horst Laemmche, were very surprised to learn who Szvetecz was and that he was trying to locate them. Pruschke said, "We're glad that he is an important man now, but we wouldn't have cared if he had been a regular soldier. We were proud to do it."

On February 3, 1982, Szvetecz and his wife hosted a luncheon for the two Berliners and their wives so they could finally meet for the first time. After lunch Szvetecz presented each man with a silver tray engraved with a message of thanks for their thoughtfulness and friendship 20-years ago.

The two Berliners explained that they never knew if anyone had caught the bear and they were overwhelmed with feelings after the presentation.

Mrs. Pruschke summed it up when she emotionally said, "It's like a fairy tale come true in our time."

TOGETHER AGAIN—Colonel Edward Szvetecz, Chief of Staff, shows the Berlin Bear and postcard thrown into his jeep in 1961, while Horst Laemmche (1) and Gert Pruschke display the silver trays given to them by Szvetecz commemorating the twenty-year tie between the three men. (Photo by Mike Gelfand)

"Laying it all out"

Sp4 Russell Colburn, Berlin's Soldier of the Year, makes a final check of his squad's equipment before the inspection. Colburn, a mortarman, has earned the respect of the battalion. (Photo by John Cosgrove)

Soldier of the Year

Mortarman selected

by John Cosgrove

Sp4 Russell Colburn, a squad leader in the mortar platoon of Company A, 4th Battalion, is the United States Army Berlin, Soldier of the Year. He was selected by a command sergeants major board this past Tuesday.

While assigned to Company A, he has served as a gunner, fire direction center operator, the platoon leader's driver and since last November, he has been the squad leader for a mortar squad.

"Colburn proves his reputation as a super soldier each time I see him, whether it's training his squad in the field, in the motor pool or in the barracks," said Lt. Col. H.I, Buckles, 4th Battalion Commander. "Young men like him are the heart of our Army and I'm proud to see his accomplishments recognized," he said.

SFC Antonio Guerrero, mortar platoon sergeant said, "His selection is a superior achievement for himself and his unit in maintaining the tradition of the 'All the Way' Battalion."

Being responsible for his squad and the overall maintenance of his squad's equipment is only part of his job. Colburn trains and supervises the mortarmen who require on-the-job training. His entire squad scored an average of over 90 percent on their last SQT.

In September of 1974, he completed his Basic Combat Training and AIT. After a 30-month break in service he reenlisted as an indirect fire supporter. He arrived in Berlin last year and has been assigned to Company A ever since.

The next stop for Colburn is a trip to Wuerzburg for the USAREUR Soldier of the Year board. He will be Berlin's representative during the competition to be held on Feb. 24.

Editorial

Who's in charge here?

Customer questions bowling lanes policies

Dear Editor!

I am writing this letter because I care about how people are used in the American community. There is a small problem which I would like printed before it gets to be a big problem. The subject I'm talking about is the Berlin community bowling lanes.

I bowl in a couple of leagues up there and people are so disappointed with the problems I am going to bring up in this letter.

There are a lot of unhappy people that bowl in leagues and open bowling also. The management at the bowling center isn't doing his job of being a manager if he is never there or he's out there bowling and not taking care of his business in the right way.

Here are some of the main reasons for the problems that someone should look into. I have, and it hasn't gotten me anywhere. I am asking for help.

— The poor management of the lanes.

— The increase of prices in bowling shoes, the last couple of months. Bowling shoes went up from 10 cents to 25 cents without going up a nickel first.

— The poor lane conditions before leagues and for open bowlers as well.

— The grit build up in the bowling area.

But the only thing I can say is the people who work at the counter and at the snack bar are very nice and they're always there to help and to serve you. But it's not due to the management.

Thank you for your time, I feel that this is a help to the community. The bowling lanes are for enjoyment, but you can't even go there anymore. I will be looking forward to seeing an article in your paper in the future.

Thank you.

MSAD explains to patrons

The management of the Berlin Sports Center Lanes is consistent with and conforms to the ABC Standards and the USAREUR Bowling Program. Every effort is made to clean and oil the lanes before regular and league bowling.

Rental shoes cost an average of $20 per pair and are purchased with non-appropriated funds. At a rental fee of 10 cents, a pair of shoes must be rented 200 times just to pay for the cost of the shoes. Rental shoe fees were revised to more realistically cover replacement cost.

Beer prices, like food, are raised periodically to adjust to wholesale price increases. Beer prices were last increased in April 1981. Such increases are necessary from time to time to enable the Bowling Center to generate income adequate to meet payroll and operational expenses.

Fees and charges in all Morale Support Activities facilities are not established unilaterally by MSAD, but are approved by the Command Morale Support Council and the Community Commander.

MSAD is pleased to receive this and all comments and suggestions to enable us to correct and/or explain management of your MSAD facilities.

C.A. Schofield
Chief, MSAD

Berliners express joy for Dozier's return

All Americans breathed a sigh of relief and thanks when the news of Brig. Gen. James Dozier's rescue hit the media.

Many Berliners were also pleased at the outcome of the ordeal. In fact, several took the opportunity to telephone the USCOB Public Affairs Office to express their congratulations personally.

One caller said "We're glad General Dozier is free and we're glad the Americans are here in Berlin."

It's nice to know you're wanted.

Inconsiderate neighbors — answer these questions for me

Dear Fellow Occupant:

I can no longer stand the curiosity, and I am sending this letter in hopes that one, some, or all of you will respond. Perhaps some of you reading this feel that the questions don't apply to you. Then you, too, are probably interested in the answers.

Why do you blast your stereo at hours when normal people are trying to sleep in preparation for the next day's activities, be it work, a once-a-week early Saturday morning trip to the commissary or Sunday School and Church?

Why must you have your drunken family feuds at 3 a.m. in the morning when happy families are trying to sleep?

Why do you scream obscenities at your children and spouses in a volume that shatters glass and exposes my family to things that they would rather not hear?

Why must you have enormous dogs (I don't care how friendly you tell me that they are) in your apartments and then let them travel the hallways unleashed?

Why do you leave these beloved animals alone to whine and bark on your balconies and in your apartments? Haven't you ever heard of cruelty to animals?

Why do you allow these animals to urinate and defecate in the halls and elevators which I must use? Just Sunday, Jan. 31, I had to clean your animal's mess up before I could ride the elevator in comfort.

Why do you take two sips from your Michelob bottle and then tuck the bottle in the corner of the elevator or apartment entranceway?

Why do you dirty the laundryroom with your butts and soda cans and lint from the dryers and never think to put it in the trash cans provided?

Why do you put your trash beside the dumpster instead of in it?

Why do you put bags of trash out without tying them up?

Why, when they move the dumpsters, do you still put the trash where the dumpsters have been rather than walk a few feet to the new location?

Why don't you ever think of the common good and not just yourself?

Disgruntled and caring

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MOPP 3rd Battalion soldiers perform mission despite 'unusual' gear

SEE THIS — Sgt. James Chadwick, shop foreman, checks Sp4 Mike Turner's mechanics of removing the steering gear. Both soldiers performed maintenance in MOPP gear for Monday morning's training. (Photo by Sue Sweeney)

by Sue Sweeney

Monday morning chow was served as usual. Sick call was held as usual, and maintenance was pulled on downed vehicles as usual at Headquarters Company, 3rd Battalion.

The only thing that was not "as usual" was the soldiers' uniforms. They were wearing Mission Oriented Protective Posture uniforms.

MOPP gear, as it is commonly called by the soldiers, consists of gloves, Nuclear, Biological and Chemical (NBC) boots, pants and shirts plus their protective masks.

According to Sp4 Fred Kappler, training NCO, Headquarters Company, soldiers are required to have MOPP training at least six hours per year. He says the training is important to get soldiers used to working in a MOPP environment and using their equipment while wearing the suit.

The training began at 4:30 a.m. with a muster formation. Each soldier was told that for the next six hours he would be in a contaminated environment. After donning their gear, the soldiers continued their regular duties.

Soldiers did not go into this training "cold turkey". They had spent an hour each day in MOPP gear the week before their acclimatization training.

"We had to wear MOPP clothing to cook breakfast this morning," said Sp4 Alan Harshaw. "It was hard to do sometimes, and the steam from the kettle we used to cook the creamed beef in fogged the eyepieces of our masks."

Comments from other soldiers supported the fact that working while wearing MOPP gear was difficult.

"This training made me realize that working in MOPP gear sure can be rough at times," said medic Sp4 Felipe Smith. "It was hard to see what I was doing and since I had my gloves on. I had to slow down on some of the things I did."

Harshaw, a cook, discoverd he could do his job after all. When he first put on his equipment, he wasn't too sure. He said he not only learned about the equipment but about himself as well.

When the six-hour training finally came to an end and the soldiers were allowed to remove their MOPP gear, the general consensus was that the training was good.

One of the soldiers seemed to sum up the training when he said, "Maybe one day I'll have to operate in a tactical situation, and then I'll know how to do it. But what's more important is I'll know that I can do it, thanks to this MOPP training."

Not a drop to drink

Engineers can change bad water to good

by John Spinelli

Probably one of the things we most often take for granted as we train here in Berlin is what we drink — water. But in sustained combat, particularly if chemical warfare has been initiated, a stable and dependable water supply will be critical to the Berlin Brigade.

The water purification section of the 42nd Engineer Company trains to meet this important mission to provide purified water for the brigade.

The section, consisting of two water purification units (WPUs) and four personnel when at full strength, has the capability to set up and purify up to 1,500 gallons of water per hour.

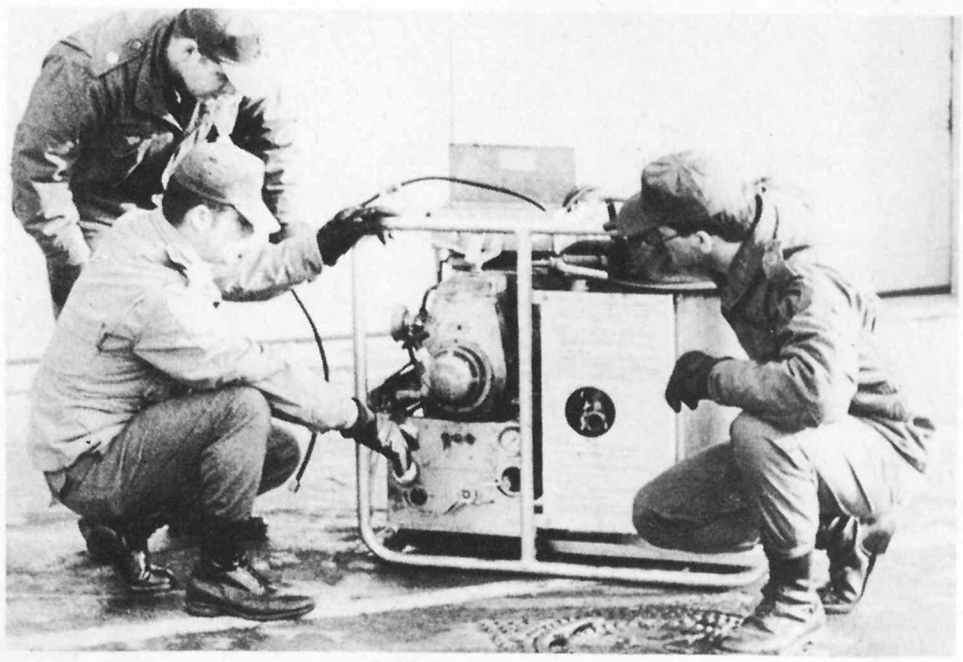
Part of the mission of the water purification section is to recon areas for an acceptable site in which they can operate. Section sergeant Joseph Rochford explained, "A running stream at least three feet wide and three feet deep is ideal. We also must look for areas which can handle the storage bladders and traffic expected at the site."

Finding the water is only the first step towards purifying it. Initial tests must be made on water samples to determine how the water will be treated during the purification process.

PFC Thomas Hayes, another member of the section, explained some of the tasks. "We run tests for acidity and alkaline levels, as well as for water hardness." Based on the results of the tests, they determine the amount of chemicals needed to purify the water.

After the necessary tests are completed, the purifying process can begin.

Pvt.2 David Hoepker normally runs the WPU. The unpure water is fed into the unit with an electric pump. It then goes through aspirator nozzles (which release gasses that would slow the purification process) and into a tank which contains chemicals and material which kill bacteria and filters out solid particles. The clean water from the tank is then pumped through an earth filter to obtain 98 percent pure water.



Sgt. Joseph Rochford reviews operating procedures for the SANATOR decontaminating apparatus with PFC David Hoepko and PFC Thomas Hayes. The water point section maintains and operates the SANATOR for the Combat Support Battalion.

In addition to its major mission of purifying water, the section also has an additional responsibility. They transport, operate, and maintain the SANATOR decontamination apparatus for Combat Support Battalion. During the last trip to Grafenwoehr, the section provided water and operated the equipment necessary to support the personnel and equipment decontamination operations for the battalion.

More recently, the section braved the cold and ice to run a personnel decontamination site for Combat Support Battalion's NBC training.

The water purification section of the 42nd engineer company has an important mission in support of the Berlin Brigade. Although often taken for granted, the availability of purified water cannot be forgotten. In the Berlin Brigade, engineers stand ready to meet the challenge to provide pure water in time of need.

HIDE AND SEEK — This soldier believes he has found good cover and concealment from the opposing force during 2nd Battalion's MOUT ARTEP. The soldiers used the MILES system during the ARTEP. If they were hit, they knew it and were required to leave the action.

2nd Battalion soldiers defend city, forest

by Sue Sweeney

It's ARTEP time again for 2nd Battalion soldiers — this one has a new twist! The soldiers not only trained using conventional ARTEP methods, but used MOUT ARTEP methods and included the MILES system for both types.

On Monday, the battalion's 90mm gunners were tested, and TOW and DRAGON gunners went to Tempelhof Central Airport for tracking procedures and vehicle recognition testing.

Beginning Tuesday and each following day throughout the ARTEP each company performed several missions on a rotating basis.

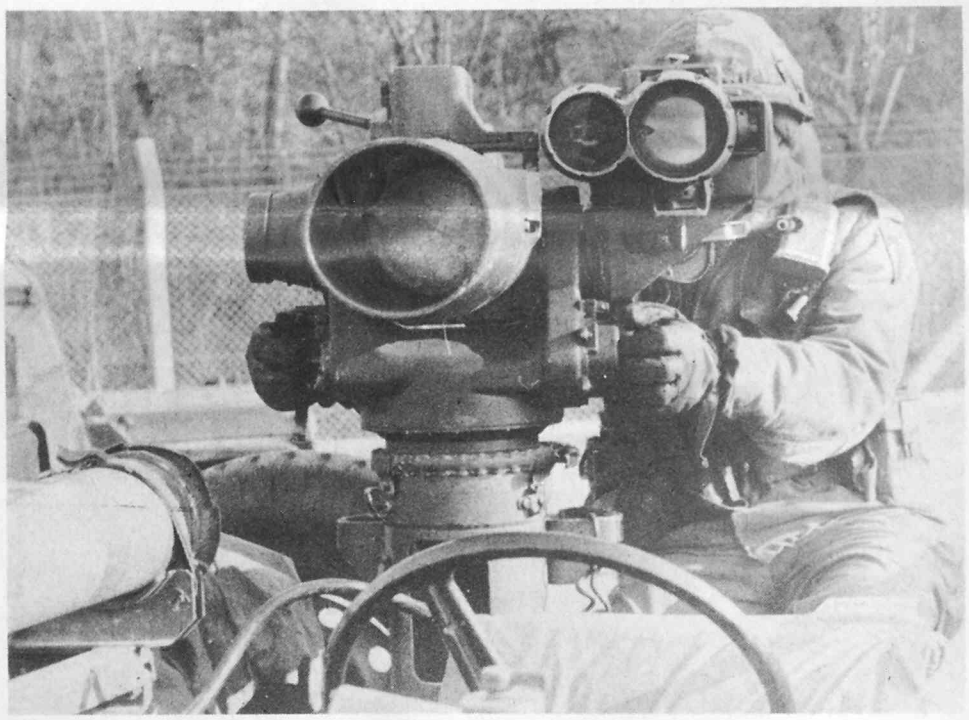
The MOUT ARTEP was conducted at Doughboy City. A company of 2nd Battalion soldiers went air mobile daily from the 4-Ring to Doughboy City. There they captured the city with some aggressive fighting tactics and then defended it from counterattacks by Company B, 3rd Battalion.

Company F, 40th Armor, Combat Support Battalion, supplied tanks and tankers for both the aggressors and defending force. The 42nd Engineers at Doughboy City, worked as infantry soldiers.

At the range, the soldiers practiced squad level NBC proficiency evaluations. In the Grunewald, the activity centered around night moves. Highlights included tank ambushes, reconnaissance patrols and night raids.

Throughout both the conventional and MOUT ARTEP, the MILES system was used. According to Col. D.H. Harris, deputy brigade commander, this added realism to the training. At Doughboy City, he noted, more of the soldiers were keeping their heads down. He felt the added realism was definitely a plus for this testing.

HIT ME WITH YOUR BEST SHOT — One of the aggressor's tanks lines up a good shot during 2nd Battalion's MOUT ARTEP. Both aggressors and defenders had tanks and tankers from Company F, 40th Armor, on their side during the attacks at Doughboy City. (Photos by Sue Sweeney)



TOWING THE LINE — Sp4 Jeff Ibbotson, Company C, 2nd Battalion, practices his tracking technique on the TOW, at Tempelhof Central Airport on Monday. The testing was all part of the 2nd Battalion ARTEP conducted Monday through Thursday. (Photo by R. Gibson)

STICK'EM UP — PFC Samuel Veanueva, Company A, 2nd Battalion, lies ready and waiting with his 90mm recoiless rifle for his air mobile lift to Doughboy City during 2nd Battalion's MOUT ARTEP. In the meantime city life goes on undisturbed around the training soldiers.

community calendar

Deutsche Oper Berlin

Tonight — **Madame Butterfly** — in Italian — by Giacomo Puccini, at 8 p.m.
Tomorrow — **Die Zauberflöte** by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, at 7 p.m.
Sun. — **Die Hochzeit des Figaro** — in Italian — by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, at 7 p.m.
Mon. — **Don Giovanni** — in Italian by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, at 7 p.m.
Tue. — Ballet Night: **3 und 16/Twilight/Tristan**, at 8 p.m.
Wed. — **Don Giovanni** — in Italian — by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, at 7 p.m.
Thu. — Ballet Night: **La fille mal gardée/Gala performance**, at 8 p.m.
Fri. — **Don Carlos** — in Italian — by Giuseppe Verdi, at 7 p.m.
Sat. — **Die Hochzeit des Figaro** (Figaro's Marriage) — in Italian — by Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, at 7 p.m.
Sun. — **Chamber Music Matinee** at the Foyer, beginning at 11 a.m.
Sun. — Premiere of **Lulu** by Alban Berg, at 6 p.m.

Philharmonie

Tonight — **Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra** under the direction of Christian Ehwald presents a Bartók program, beginning at 8 p.m.
Tomorrow — **das sinfonie orchester berlin** presents "Barocke Symphonik," works by Bach and Haendel under the direction of GMD Thomas Mayer, Vienna. Program begins at 8 p.m.
Sun. — **Symphonisches Orchester Berlin** under the direction of Guenther Wich presents Respighi, Mozart and Reger, at 4 p.m.
Sun. — **Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra,** together with the **Philharmonic Choir Berlin** presents a Bruckner program under the direction of Uwe Gronostay. Curtain time is 8 p.m.
Mon. — **National Symphony Washington** under the direction of Mstislav Rostropovitch presents works by Schumann, Beethoven, Shostakovitch at 8 p.m.
Tue. — **Johann-Strauss-Ensemble der Wiener Symphoniker** perform at 8 p.m.
Wed. — **Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra** under the direction of Carlo Maria Giulini presents works by Dvorak and Schubert at 8 p.m.
Thu. — Same program as above, at 8 p.m.
Fri. — **das sinfonie orchester berlin** under the direction of GMD Thomas Mayer, Vienna presents a "Haydn-Festkonzert" at 8 p.m.
Sat. — **Melos Quartet** presents Mozart, Shostakovitch and Schumann at 8 p.m.
Sun. — **Berliner Konzert-Chor** under the direction of Fritz Weisse presents Haydn at 8 p.m.

Deutsche Staatsoper

Tonight — **Der Freischütz,** at 7 p.m.
Tomorrow — **Turandot,** at 7:30 p.m.
Sun. — Same program as above, at 6 p.m.
Mon. — **Blaubart**, a Pantomime Ensemble performing at Apollo Saal, at 8 p.m.
Tue. — **Carmen**, at 7 p.m.
Wed. — **Die Entführung aus dem Serail** (Il Seraglio), at 7:30 p.m.
Thu. — **Fidelio**, at 7:30 p.m.
Fri. — **The Marriage of Figaro**, at 7 p.m.
Sat. — **Die Zauberflöte** (The Magic Flute), at 6:30 p.m.
Sun. — Same performance as above, at 6 p.m.

Special Concerts

Tonight and tomorrow — **Herman von Veen,** Hochschule der Künste, at 8 p.m.
Feb. 14 — **Richard Clyderman,** ICC, Saal 1, at 6 p.m.
Feb. 15 — **Eberhard Schoener,** Hochschule der Künste, at 8 p.m.
Feb. 17 — **Earth, Wind and Fire,** Deutschlandhalle, at 8 p.m.
Feb. 19 — **Barry Manilow,** ICC, Saal 1, at 8 p.m.

Berlin club happenings

Tonight — **Friendship Lounge** — PPI from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Checkpoint NCO — Greg Foss from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.
Starlight Grove — Pierre on the Air from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Gator Club — The Outlaws from 8:30 p.m. to 2:30 a.m.
Harnack House — British Band: Ex-Ite from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Tomorrow — **Friendship Lounge** — Pierre on the Air from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Checkpoint NCO Club — Soul Showband: Ralph DeBlanc with Freedom Express from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.
Starlight Grove — The Outlaws from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Gator Club — The Gambler from 8:30 p.m. to 2:30 a.m.
Sun. — **Checkpoint NCO Club** — Slick Moore Inc. from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Starlight Grove — Soul Showband: Ralph DeBlanc with Freedom Express and D.J. Prince
Mon. — **Friendship Lounge** — Country Class from 8 p.m. to midnight
Tue. — **Friendship Lounge** — Champagne Jam from 8 p.m. to midnight
Starlight Grove — Prince from 8 p.m. to midnight
Wed. — **Friendship Lounge** — The Sugar Bear from 8 p.m. to midnight
Checkpoint NCO Club — Master Blaster from 8 p.m. to midnight
Starlight Grove — Champagne Jam from 8 p.m. to midnight
Thu.— **Friendship Lounge** — Pierre on the Air from 8 p.m. to midnight
Starlight Grove — Slick Moor Inc. from 8 p.m. to midnight
Fri. — **Friendship Lounge** — Showband: Joe Hodgkins and Twigg Showband from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m., also Disco PPI until 4 a.m.
Starlight Grove — Pierre on the Air from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.
Gator Club — Country Class from 8:30 p.m. to 2:30 a.m.
Checkpoint NCO Club — Greg Foss and Prince — 2/6 Winter Ball from 9 p.m. to 2 a.m.
Harnack House — Super Sound Disco from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

on the screen

Feb. 5—Feb. 13

Outpost — Clayallee (6524)

Fri. **Happy Birthday to Me** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Special Matinee **Seven Alone** (G), at 2 p.m.
Sat. **Wholly Moses** (PG), at 6:30 and 8:35 p.m.
Sun. **Tarzan, the Ape Man** (R), at 2 and 7:30 p.m.
Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Tue. **In God We Trust** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.
Wed. **The Fan** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Thu. **Used Cars** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Fri. Walt Disney's **The Fox and the Hound** (G), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Same show as above, at 2, 6:30 and 8:35 p.m.

Columbia — Tempelhof (5522)

Fri. **Yanks** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. **Melvin and Howard** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sun. **Happy Birthday to Me** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Tue. **Wholly Moses** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.
Wed. **Tarzan, the Ape Man** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Thu. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Fri. **In God We Trust** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. **The Fan** (R), at 7:30 p.m.

Coliseum — McNair Brks. (3131)

Fri. **Death Hunt** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. **The Private Eyes** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.
Sun. **The Dragonslayer** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.
Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Tue. **Yanks** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Wed. **Melvin and Howard** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Thu. **Happy Birthday to Me** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Fri. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. **Wholly Moses** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.

Andrews — Barracks (3538)

Fri. **Kramer vs Kramer** (PG), at 6:30 p.m. and 12:30 a.m.
Sat. **Fear no Evil** (R), at 6:30 p.m.
Sun. **Death Hunt** (R), at 6:30 p.m.
Mon. Same show as above, at 6:30 p.m.
Tue. **The Private Eyes** (PG), at 6:30 p.m.
Wed. **The Dragonslayer** (PG), at 6:30 p.m.
Thu. Same show as above, at 6:30 p.m.
Fri. **Yanks** (R), at 6:30 p.m. and 12:30 a.m.
Sat. **Melvin and Howard** (R), at 6:30 p.m.

Jerboa — located on Theodor-Heuss-Platz

Fri. **Herbie Goes Bananas** (G), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Children's Matinee **Batman** (G), at 10 a.m.
Sat. **Herbie Goes Bananas** (G), at 7:30 p.m.
Sun. **Enter the Ninja** (X), at 7:30 p.m.
Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Tue. **Buck Rogers in the 25th Century** (PG), at 7:30 p.m.
Wed. **The Deer Hunter** (X), at 7:30 p.m.
Thu. —closed—
Fri. **The Janitor** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Children's Matinee **Sheriff of Fractured Jaw** (G), at 10 a.m.
Sat. **The Janitor** (R), at 7:30 p.m.

Astra — located on the Royal Air Force Gatow compound

Fri. **The Janitor** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Children's Matinee **An Elephant Called Slowly** (G), also serial: **Rangi's Catch**, Ep. 8, at 2 p.m.
Sat. **The Janitor** (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sun. **Altered States** (X), at 7:30 p.m.
Mon. Same show as above, at 7:30 p.m.
Tue. **Arabian Adventure** (G), at 7:30 p.m.
Wed. —closed—
Thu. **The Warriors** (X), at 7:30 p.m.
Fri. **History of the World**, Part I (R), at 7:30 p.m.
Sat. Children's Matinee **Batman** (G), at 2 p.m.
Sat. **History of the World**, Part I (R), at 7:30 p.m.

afn tv

Feb. 5—Feb. 14 — Program is subject to change —

Friday
8:30 AFN Morning News
8:35 Kartoon Karnival
9:05 Sesame Street
10:05 Incredible Hulk
11:00 Vegas
11:50 AFN Midday News
12:00 Donahue
12:50 Dynasty
1:40 Ryan's Hope
2:05 General Hospital
2:50 Presente
3:15 Muppets
3:40 Afternoon Fun Time
4:05 Sesame Street
5:05 Daniel Boone
6:00 AFN Evening News
7:00 Waltons
7:50 Benson
8:20 Quincy
9:10 Hill Street Blues
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:35 AFN Theater: "Burnt Offerings" (A)
12:30 Second City TV (A)
1:35 Soul Train
2:20 Sign Off

Saturday
8:00 Kartoon Karnival
8:50 Choppy and the Princess
9:15 Kids are People too
10:00 Fables of the Green Forest
10:25 ABC Weekend Special
10:50 Soul Train
11:35 Going Platinum
12:25 Championship Billiards
12:50 Greatest Sports Legends
1:15 Tiberty Bowl Football: Navy vs Ohio State
4:00 NCAA Basketball: Whichita State vs Tulsa
5:35 America's Top 10
6:00 AFN Evening News
6:30 Alice
7:00 It's a Living
7:25 Viewer's Choice: "Ice Station Zebra"
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:30 AFN Theater: "Skokie" (A)
12:35 Spyforce
1:30 Wanted Dead or Alive
2:00 Sign Off

Sunday
8:00 Kartoon Karnival
8:45 Space Angel
9:10 Christopher Closeup
9:40 Hour of Power
10:30 Sacred Heart
10:45 In Search of
11:10 Six American Families
12:00 Mark Russel Comedy Special
12:30 Real People Family Reunion
1:45 Sunday Movie: "Trapeze"
3:30 Sunday Movie: "Some Like it Hot
5.30 Washington Week in Review
6:00 AFN Evening News
6:30 60 Minutes
7:20 MASH
7:50 Angie
8:20 Breaking Away
9:10 Variety Special: Bob Newhart
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:30 Best of Carson
11:20 AFN Theater: "Apache Warrior"
12:50 Hammer House of Horror"
1:45 Sign Off

Monday
8:30 AFN Morning News
8:35 Kartoon Karnival
9:05 Sesame Street
10:05 Waltons
11:00 Quincy
11:50 AFN Midday News
12:00 Donahue (A)
12:50 Hill Street Blues
1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)
2:05 General Hospital (A)
2:50 Dance Fever
3:15 Angie
3:40 Afternoon Fun Time
4:05 Sesame Street
5:05 Star Trek
6:00 AFN Evening News
7:00 Happy Days
7:25 Incredible Hulk
8:20 Sea Gull Island
9:10 Vegas
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:35 Too Close for Comfort
11:00 AFN Theater: "The Westerner"
12:40 High Chaparral
1:30 Sign Off

Tuesday
8:30 AFN Morning News
8:35 Gasthaus
8:45 Kartoon Karnival
8:55 Fables of the Green Forest
9:20 Viewer's Choice: "Ice Station Zebra"
11:50 AFN Midday News
12:00 Donahue
12:50 Sea Gull Island
1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)
2:05 General Hospital (A)
2:50 Omni
3:15 Happy Days
3:40 Afternoon Fun Time
4:15 Roy Rogers
4:40 ABC Weekend Special
5:05 Richard Diamond
5:35 Sherlock Holmes
6:00 AFN Evening News
7:00 Bad News Bears
7:25 Lobo
8:20 FBI
9:10 Flamingo Road (A)
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:35 AFN Theater: "Magnificent 7 Ride (A)
12:15 Going Platinum (A)
1:05 Gunsmoke
1:55 Sign Off

Wednesday
8:30 AFN Morning News
8:35 Kartoon Karnival
9:05 Sesame Street
10:05 Incredible Hulk
11:00 FBI
11:50 AFN Midday News
12:00 Donahue
12:50 Flamingo Road (A)
1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)
2:05 General Hospital (A)
2:50 In Search Of
3:15 Bad News Bears
3:40 Afternoon Fun Time
4:05 Sesame Street
5:05 Burke's Law
6:00 AFN Evening News
7:00 Mork & Mindy
7:25 Angie
7:55 AFN Theater: "The Russians are coming"
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:35 One Day at a Time (A)
11:25 In Concert
12:35 Fractured Flickers
1:00 Police Story
1:50 Sign Off

Thursday
8:30 AFN Morning News
8:35 Gasthaus
8:45 Kartoon Karnival
9:00 AFN Theater: "The Little Mermaid"
10:25 Lobo
11:00 Vegas
11:50 AFN Midday News
12:00 Donahue
12:50 One Day at a Time (A)
1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)
2:05 Gerneral Hospital (A)
2:50 Car Care Central
3:15 Mork & Mindy
3:40 Afternoon Fun Time
4:10 Choppy and the Princess
4:35 3-2-1 Contact
5:05 Bonanza
6:00 AFN Evening News
7:00 Muppets
7:25 Bob Newhart
7:50 BJ and the Bear
8:40 Taxi
9:10 Dynasty (A)
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:35 It's a Living
11:00 AFN Theater: "Wild and the Free"
12:40 Untouchables
1:30 Sign Off

Friday
8:30 AFN Morning News
8:35 Kartoon Karnival
9:05 Sesame Street
10:05 BJ and the Bear
11:00 Too Close for Comfort
11:25 Taxi
11:50 AFN Midday News
12:00 Donahue
12:50 Dynasty (A)
1:40 Ryan's Hope (A)
2:05 General Hospital (A)
2:50 Presente
3:15 Muppets
3:40 Afternoon Fun Time
4:05 Sesame Street
5:05 Daniel Boone
6:00 AFN Evening News
7:00 Waltons
7:50 Benson
8:20 Quincy (A)
9:10 Hill Street Blues (A)
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:35 AFN Theater: "A Study in Terror" (A)
12:05 Second City TV (A)
1:15 Soul Train
2:00 Sign Off

Saturday
8:00 Kartoon Karnival
8:45 Choppy and the Princess
9:10 AFN Theater: "The Little Mermaid"
10:20 Fables of the Green Forest
10:45 ABC Weekend Spcial
11:10 Soul Train
11:55 America's Fight of the Week
1:30 Bob Hope's Desert Golf Classic
3:20 The Way It Was
3:50 NBA Basketball: Los Angeles vs Detroit
5:35 America's Top 10
6:00 AFN Evening News
6:30 Wonder Woman
7:20 Alice
7:50 Rhoda
8:20 AFN Theater: "I Was a Male War Bride"
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:30 AFN Theater: "Lion in Winter"
12:45 Spyforce
1:35 Soundstage
2:35 Sign Off

Sunday
8:00 Kartoon Karnival
8:50 Space Angel
9:15 At Home with the Bible
9:40 Tell a Vision
10:10 Music and the Spoken Word
10:40 In Search of
11:05 Six American Families
12:05 Info Special: Mau Mau
12:55 Good Life
1:20 Hee Haw
2:15 AFN Sunday Movie: "The Westerner"
3:55 AFN Sunday Movie: "Wild and the Free"
5:30 Washington Week in Review
6:00 AFN Evening News
6:30 Sixty Minutes
7:20 MASH
7:50 Big Girl Now
8:20 Breaking Away
9:10 Variety Special: "Magic"
10:00 AFN Evening News
10:30 Best of Carson
11:20 Broadway to Hollywood
12:20 Hammer House of Horror
1:15 Sign Off

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community events

DYA activities

Preteens, the DYA is offering a tour to a woodwork shop on Tuesday for all preteens, ages six to 12 years. The tour will be from 4 to 6 p.m. Sign up with the DYA program director.

Teens, join in the festivities as the DYA celebrates Valentine's Day with a Dating Game service for teens on Feb. 13, at 2 p.m. Prizes will be awarded to the winners. A Valentine's Dance will also be held the same night from 7 to 11 p.m.

At the Preteen Valentine's Party, join cupid as he strings his bow towards the DYA. It's a Valentine's Party for all preteens, ages six to 12 years old. It all happens on Feb. 14, from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.

CIC change in hours

There will be a temporary change in hours at the Community Information Center in February. They are as follows: today from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., tomorrow from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., Monday through Feb. 12 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m., Feb. 13 from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Feb. 15 will be closed for Washington's Birthday, and on Feb. 16 CIC will resume normal hours.

Fasching Party with Kontakt

On Feb. 12, Kontakt will have a Fasching Party at the TAR School, beginning at 7 p.m. If you want to participate, call 819-6809.

Kontakt daily events: Monday—Tennis at 7 p.m. on Huettenweg; Tuesday—Scottish Dancing at 7:30 p.m. at TAR School and Volleyball at 6:30 p.m. at McNair; Wednesday—Stammtisch at Hotel Deutsches Haus, at 7:30 p.m., Tennis at TCA at 7 p.m. and Swimming at Andrews, at 5:30 p.m.; Thursday—Chess at Skyrider Recreation Center at TCA, begins at 7 p.m., Dancing Group meets at 7 p.m. at the Hi-Lite Recreation Center; Friday—Ice Skating at Eis-Stadion Wilmersdorf, at 7:30 p.m. and on Saturday—Bowling at TCA (meet at Gate No. 2) at 1:45 p.m.

BWAC meets

The next Berlin Women's Advisory Council meeting will be held on Monday at 2 p.m. in the Main Conference Room at General Lucius D. Clay Headquarters. Main topic of discussion will be BWAC responsibility to present two seminars per year to promote awareness of women's issues. All members of the community are welcome to come and give their suggestions concerning which topics should be presented.

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For sale

Nikon equipment for sale — Nikon F2S body (black) $400; Nikon MD-2 motor drive & MB-1 battery pack $450; Nikkor 28 mm f3.5 wide angle lens $95; Nikkor 85 mm fl.8 telephoto lens $120; Vivitar Series 1,70—210 mm f3.5 macro zoom lens $150; Nikkor 18 mm f4 wide angle lens $400; Vivitar 292 Thyristor flash unit two RS-1 remote sensors and charging unit (110—220 v) $55. Call 813-8929 between 6 and 10 p.m.

Akai GX 280D reel-to-reel stereo tape deck with dustcover. Automatic reverse, excellent condition, 50/60 cycles, 110—240 volts, $110. Call 832-8261 after 6 p.m. weekdays and any time on weekends.

1977 Toyota Chinook camper, sleeps four, refrigerator stove, furnace, sink and water tank, dual rear wheels new tires and paint, 18 to 25 MPG. 802-5357.

Two ER 78-14 radial tires, like new. 802-5357.

Leaded stained glass lamps and window panels, copper foil technique. 802-5357.

1979 Mercedes 200, four-cylinder, automatic, power steering, sun roof, only 20,000 miles. $6,000. Call 813-6255.

King-size bed and matching mattress, $200. German living room schrank teak wood brown $600 or best offer. Bluish shag rug 6x8 feet $50. Dining table, teak wood, with five matching chairs $135. Call 811-8161 any time.

1970 VW camper, U.S. specs, $1,500 or best offer by March first. Stereo components: Pioneer RG-2 dynamic range processor, $65; Kenwood KX-1060 stereo cassette deck, $225; Kenwood KL-555S three-way speaker system, $110. Transformers: 1500 watt, $35; 750 watt, $20; 300 watt, $10; two 75 watt, $5 each; 220 volt appliances: G-E toaster oven, $10; G-E toaster, $5; two extention cords, $1 each. Phone 813-6477 evenings or weekends.

VW beetle, 1971, good mechanical condition. Call 712-2927.

1970 Mercedes Benz 250 C Coupe, U.S. specifiations, in outstanding condition. Car has been completely restored and has low mileage engine. This limited production automobile can be shipped at government expenses and is fully equipped. Ideal investment will increase in value for years — limited production. Must see and drive this luxury car to appreciate it. Call 832-8401 for details how you may become the next owner. Serious inquiries only.

PCS sale, large family, all clothing will sell below dollar. A sale you must not miss. Come early: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. tomorrow and Sunday, at Apartment 14, Bldg. 11, Flanagan Strasse. 813-8505.

Philco 19" portable B/W TV, 110 V. Receives German and AFN stations, $70. Phone 802-8821.

Miscellaneous

Class reunion: Class of 73 graduates of the Berlin American High School, or anyone knowing the whereabouts of any of them, please call Debbie at 801-3922 (evenings). There are still a few of us left in Berlin, and we're planning a reunion for next year.

Typing done in my home for groups or individuals. Club rosters, research papers, etc. Reasonable rates. For more information, call 802-6894.

lunches

The following is the menu for TAR and BAHS schools for the week of Feb. 8:

Monday — Salad, Italian Meat Sauce, Spaghetti, Peaches, Milk, Bread and Margarine.

Tuesday — Lettuce/Pickles, Hamburger on Bun, French Fried Potatoes, Popcicle and Milk.

Wednesday — Salad, Hot Meat Loaf, Gravy, Mashed Potatoes, Pears and Milk.

Thursday — Turkey à la King, Steamed Rice, Fruit Cocktail, Milk, Bread and Margarine.

Friday — Cole Slaw, Fried Fish, Sauce Tartar, Potato Salad, Fruit Jello, Milk, Bread and Margarine.

The following is the menu for JFK School for the week of Feb. 8:

Monday — Chicken with Curry Sauce, Rice, Peas, Jello with Vanilla Sauce.

Tuesday — Shishkebob, French Fries, Apple Sauce.

Wednesday — Sauerbraten, Potato Dumpling, Red Cabbage, Mandarinenquark.

Thursday — Noodles with Meat and Cheese, Tomato Sauce, Apple.

Friday — Fish à la Francaise, Mashed Potatoes, Strawberry Pudding.

New officers for PTSA

Anyone interested in running for an elective office of T.A.R. PTSA for school year 1982—83, please call Lou Tatum at 819-6874.

Tempelhof Officers Wives Club

Tempelhof Officers Wives Club members bring your husbands out for an evening of dining at the Somerset Arms on Feb. 20. A menu of prawn cocktail, soup, Cafe de Paris filet, vegetable platter, potato croquette, hot cherries and ice cream, and coffee is available at DM 26,05 per person, wine extra. Cocktails are from 7 to 8 p.m. and dinner is at 8:15 p.m. For reservations, call 801-5591 or 826-3316 no later than Feb. 16.

PTSA meeting

There will be a meeting of the Berlin American High School PTSA on Feb. 17, at 7:30 p.m. The 1982—83 PTSA budget will be explained as well as the upcoming AA Basketball Tourney. There will be entertainment. Please plan to attend and take part in the life of your high school.

Red Cross courses

CPR: Feb. 8 and 10 from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. at Room 111, Building 4, General Lucius D. Clay Headquarters. Feb. 10 and 12, from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Music Room of TAR School.

Multimedia First Aid: Feb. 9 and 11, from 6 to 10 p.m. at the Music Room at TAR School.

Advanced Lifesaving: Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings from 6:30 to 9:30 p.m. beginning Monday through March 25 at Berlin Brigade Pool. Minimum age is 15 years.

For further information and registration call 819-6437 or 819-6459.

Berlin American Preschool

The Berlin American Preschool has openings for the remainder of the school year. To be eligible to attend, the child must have been three years old by May 1981.

Please watch requirements and deadline!

Community Events and Classified Ads for each week's issue will be printed space available only, and are due by close of business Tuesday. Only double-spaced, typewritten events and ads will be accepted for printing.

Officials meet

The Berlin Athletic Officials Association will have a General Membership meeting on Tuesday, beginning at 7 p.m. in the ACS office in Truman Plaza. Officials for all sports are requested to attend. If you are new in the Berlin Community and interested in working as an official in softball, baseball, football, soccer, volleyball, basketball or wrestling, plan to attend this meeting. New officers for the association were elected at the last general meeting. Elected were Randy Jordan, President, Sam Freeman, Vice-President, Ernie Phillips, Secretary, and Ed Foster, Assignment Secretary. For further information contact Randy Jordan at 819-6876 or Ed Foster at 819-6168.

Recreation Center fun

Come and see clowns, jugglers, exotic dancers, and more when "The Franzini Family" comes to Berlin. They will be doing their thing "Circus-Style" on Monday, at the Hi-Lite Recreation Center at 7:30 p.m., on Wednesday at the All American Recreation Center at 7 p.m. and on Thursday at the TAT in TCA at 6 p.m. Don't miss this exciting show! For more information call 819-6907.

Every Monday is family night at Hi-Lite Recreation Center, Andrews Barracks.The fun begins at 7 p.m. with lucky number games, movies and play time for the little ones. Get the whole gang together for loads of fun. Call 819-3554 or 819-3527 for more information.

Something new at the All American Recreation Center. Each Monday night in February and starting at 7 p.m., there will be great music for dancing and entertainment with DJs Prince and Lady Luck. Come out and join us at the All American. Telephone is 819-3125 or 819-3254.

It's a BYOB social special. That's right. Bring Your Own Boss to Hi-Lite Recreation Center on Wednesday, from 4:30 to 6 p.m. It's Happy Hour activities featuring lots of refreshments and munchies, exotic entertainment and many prizes. Come on over! Call 819-3554 or 819-3527 for details.

Celebrate Lincoln's Birthday on Thursday at the All American Recreation Center, with a sizzling steak and a firey round of monopoly. The complete delicious steak dinner with all the trimmings costs only $2.50. Please make your reservation at the All American by Tuesday. Remember, Lincoln's Monopoly and Steak Night. Telephone 819-3125 or 819-3254 for information.

Reserve Feb. 12, from 7:30 to 11:30 p.m. for the All American Pioneer Party. It will be happening at the All American Recreation Center. The Outlaws will be playing your favorite country-western music and a big attraction will be the Miss Country Contest and the Best Dressed Western Contest. We will also be having a Cotton Eye Joe Contest, Quick Draw Contest and a Beer Keg Lifting Contest. Entrance is free and lots of fun is included. Telephone 819-3125 or 819-3254 for information.

An evening of fun and entertainment is yours, free at Hi-Lite Recreation Center's Dating Game. It's a live game show for you on Feb. 12 at 7:30 p.m. Call 819-3554 or 819-3527 for more information.

Chapel activities

The Catholic Parish Council will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday at the American Community Chapel. For more information call 813-6412.

Bear-A-Cudas Booster Club

The Bear-A-Cudas Swim Team Booster Club will meet at 5 p.m. on Tuesday at the Hi-Lite Recreation Center.

Berlin Investment Club

The Berlin Investment Club will hold their next meeting on Thursday at the TAR Elementary School Cafeteria at 7 p.m. The Investment Club seeks to educate members in the fundamental principles and techniques of sound investment practices.

AAFES recalls beads

A potential hazard has been found in teething beads, style number 62658, manufactured by Baby World. The Army and Air Force Exchange Service (AAFES) is recalling the item and has removed it from exchange shelves. The strand knots holding the multi-colored plastic beads are loose and not hidden. The knots can be easily untied which may result in infants swallowing the loose beads. Customers who have bought these defective Baby World Beads should return them to the exchange for a full refund.

Hunting course postponed

Due to the non-availability of USAREUR controlled instructional material, the German Hunting course, scheduled for February, will be postponed until April 10. Personnel already registered for the course need not re-register. Interested persons may sign up at the Rod and Gun Club store, McNair Barracks. For more information call 819-3566.

Volunteers needed

The American Red Cross will have a volunteer orientation on Thursday, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. in the auditorium at Berlin MEDDAC. Openings for volunteers are available within the hospital, the school health rooms, the field office and Safety Services. For more information and registration call 819-6459.

Tour with ITT

Spend a morning shopping at West Berlin's popular Schlosstraße in Steglitz. ITT will provide the transportation on Thursday. Call ITT at 819-6523 or 819-7189 and come shopping with ITT.

For Valentine's Day brighten your sweetheart's life by visiting the "City of Lights". ITT has a tour to Paris on Thursday to Feb. 16. For more information on this and other tours call 819-6523 or 819-7189.

ITT offers a very special BVG tour on Feb. 15. A Berlin city bus will transport you to the U-Bahn training center for a movie and tour. This will be followed by a ride on an automatic train and a visit to the control center. Have fun and learn more about Berlin's transportation system. Call ITT at 819-6523 or 819-7189 for additional information.

Get ready for spring with a trip to IKEA. ITT takes you there on Feb. 16. What is IKEA? Call ITT to find out. The numbers are 819-7189 or 819-6523.

ITT returns to the Reichstag on Feb. 20. Join us for an interesting look at Germany's former parliament building. This tour also includes a three-course meal, so you can satisfy your curiosity and your appetite. Call ITT at 819-6523 or 819-7189.

If you still have not visited Berlin's beautiful Charlottenburg Palace, now is your chance. Join ITT's tour on Feb. 21. You will visit the main rooms, see the crown jewels, and the palace gardens. Sign up for this tour at ITT in the Sports Center.

By popular demand ITT returns to the medieval Spandau Citadel for a Valentine's Day Banquet. Treat your favorite sweetheart to a lovely dinner in a most romantic setting. Make your reservation now at the ITT office. Call 819-6523 or 819-7189 for more information.

Berlin library system

For those of you who get winter doldrums, and even for those who don't, your Berlin library system has a few special things to offer you in February. First, to celebrate Black History Month and Black History Week from Sunday through Feb. 14, each library will display pictures and biographical sketches of famous black Americans including Lawrence Joel, Malcolm X, Wilma Rudolph and Edmonia Lewis. If you don't know about these people, you can read about their lives in Russell Adams' book Great Negroes, past and present, or in Famous Black Americans by John and Marcet King. These and similar books on the subject are found under the call number 920 in your library's biography section.

Magic!

Have you ever wondered how magic spells, witches, hexes and Voodoo dolls work? Want to know more about astrology, the pyramids, herbal medicine, or the power of taboo? Visiting anthropologist and folklorist, C.A. Fiedler is seeking interested students for a University of Maryland weekend seminar on magic this spring. If you would like to learn more about witchcraft, please stop by the ITT office at the Sports Center Gym and sign up on the interest sheet.

something special

Soloists and the Corps de Ballet from the Oldenburg State Theater present "Romeo and Juliet" tomorrow and Sunday at the Uraniahaus. Ballet begins at 8 p.m. on both days and advance ticket sale (DM 15 to DM 32) is today from 3 to 7 p.m. at the Urania, located on 10 Kleiststraße. You can get there by U-Bahn to Wittenbergplatz station. Telephone: 24-9091

Stanley Walden, an American in Berlin, sings and plays at the piano songs from "Oh, Calcutta," "Desperado City" and others tomorrow at the Akademie der Künste, located on 10 Hanseatenweg. Curtain time is 8 p.m. and general admission is DM 7, students pay DM 5. You can get to the Akademie by U-Bahn to Hansaplatz. Telephone number is 391-1031.

Holiday on Ice can be seen at the Deutschlandhalle until Feb. 14. This colorful ice show can be seen daily at 8 p.m., tomorrow also at 4 p.m. and on Sunday at 3 and 7 p.m. Tickets are DM 10 to DM 28 and can be purchased at ticket agencies, or the Deutschlandhalle on weekdays from noon to 6 p.m. and on Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. You can get to the Deutschlandhalle, located on 26 Messedamm by buses 4, 66 or 69.

"Dance in the U.S." is a film series running at Amerika Haus Berlin this week. On Tuesday "American Ballet Theater," a 90-minute color film will be shown and on Thursday "Dance: Echoes of Jazz" is on the program. Both movies begin at 8 p.m. and admission is free. Amerika Haus is located on 22—24 Hardenbergstraße. Telephone number is 819-7606 or 819-7661.

The British Council Film Club, located on 20 Hardenbergstraße presents "Roseland" starring Geraldine Chaplin, Lilia Skala, Christopher Walken and Lou Jacobi on Thursday. Two performances will be given at 6 and 8:30 p.m. Tickets are DM 3 for members and DM 5 for guests. Telephone number is 31-0176.

On Wednesday, German TV Programm III, Channel 31, presents "Salute to Rita Hayworth", a film in the original English version and German undertitles. The film begins at 10:05 p.m.

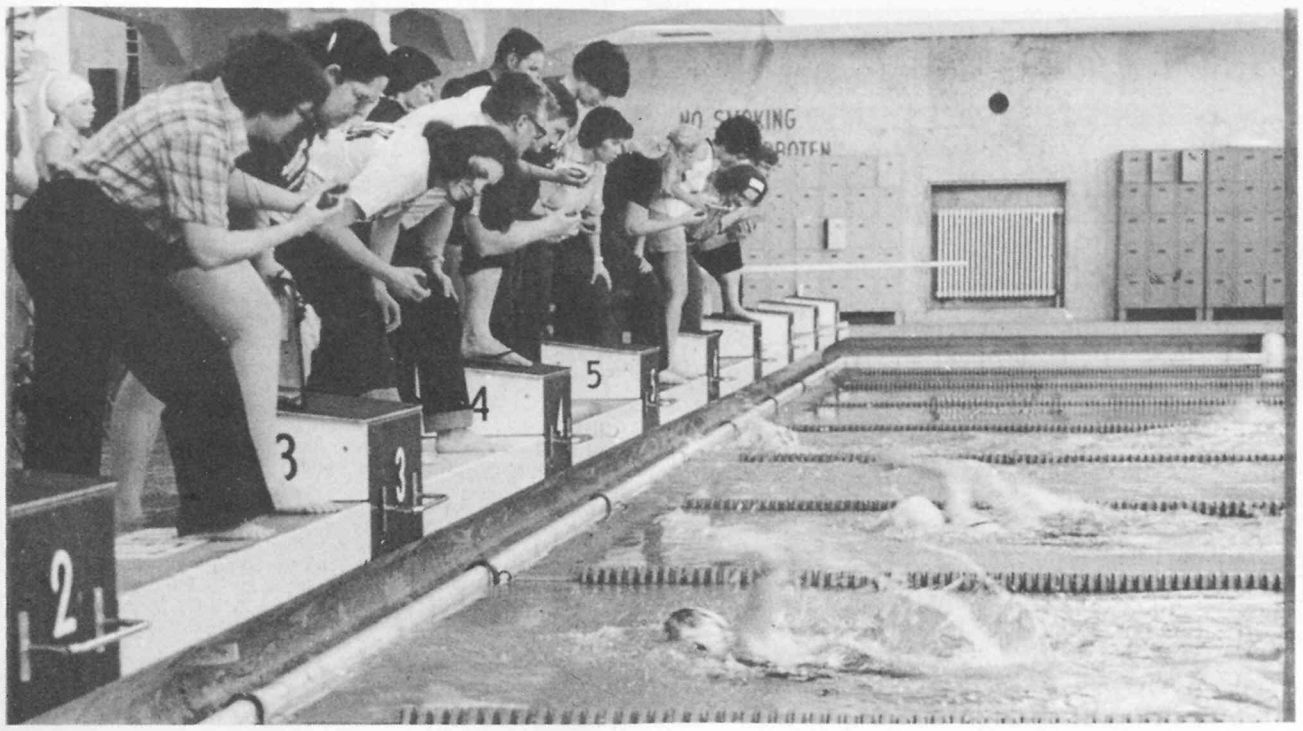
A Tchaikovsky-Ballet-Gala '82 will be presented at the ICC on Feb. 12 and 13. World stars will dance parts from the ballets "Sleeping Beauty," "The Nutcracker," "Swan Lake" and "Romeo and Juliet". Ballet begins at 8 p.m. on both days and tickets range from DM 12 to DM 100.

Barry Manilow is coming to Berlin on Feb. 19 to perform at the ICC, Saal 1. Performance begins at 8 p.m. Tickets range from DM 30 to DM 48 and are now available at the ITT Office. Call ITT at 819-6523 or 819-7189 for more information.

Sammy Davis, Jr. will give a guest performance at the ICC on March 15. He will present his "Show '82" at Saal 1 at 8 p.m. Tickets are DM 18 to DM 60.

— Tickets to above cultural events can be obtained at the Truman Plaza Ticket Agency, located at American Express Travel Agency or ITT office, located at the Sports Center, on Huettenweg. All programs are subject to change —

Bear-A-Cudas remain undefeated



HURRY UP! — Swimming stroke for stroke and urged on by the crowd, the Bear-A-Cudas remained undefeated last weekend by drowning Augsburg and Wuerzburg. (Photo by A.J. Corzen)

The Bear-A-Cudas remain undefeated after compiling 414 points to beat Augsburg's 224 and Wuerzburg's 50 in swimming action at Andrews pool Sunday.

Peter Stowell broke the 50-meter backstroke record for the pool and the European Forces Swim League, in the 10 and under boys age group, by 16 seconds with a 42.35.

Stowell also grabbed a close 100-meter freestyle victory.

Todd Walsh swept up the 13-14 age group finishing far ahead in the 200-meter individual medley, 100-meter breaststroke and 100-meter butterfly. In the 15—19 boys events, Lars Asmis also was a triple winner.

Double wins were claimed by Jeff Edelman, in butterfly and freestyle, and Suzanne Rivard, in the backstroke and butterfly. Ten and under girls divided titles, with Karen Edelman's individual medley and butterfly and Kristen Walsh's freestyle and breaststroke victories.

The Bear-A-Cudas will host Heidelberg Feb. 21 at Andrews Pool.

Brigade Basketball

The Berlin American High School Bears hosted the Zweibruecken Trojans in their first home basketball games of the season last Friday and Saturday.

The Berlin Varsity boys settled for a split against their AA North conference opponents. They won Friday night 53-50.

In Saturday's action, a Trojan basket with only four seconds in the game narrowly defeated Berlin, as the Bears fell to the Trojans 52-50.

The BAHS Varsity girls dropped both of their weekend contests, losing Friday to Zweibruecken 35-23 and being squeezed out on Saturday in a close game 36-35.

The Junior Varsity girls split their action, with a 29-24 loss Friday and a 19-17 victory Saturday. The boys were successful both nights, beating the Trojans 24-22 and 26-24.

The Bears play at home again today and tomorrow against Baumholder.

BAHS Basketball

The Berlin Bears men's team boosted their record with weekend victories here over the Heidelberg Celtics.

In Saturday's action, Berlin men beat the team from Heidelberg 78-75, with Edward Moss hitting for 20 points.

The women blasted the visitors 68-45. Queen Risher chalked up a successful 12 points

Sunday found the men still doing what they do best. Tyrone Saunders set the pace by scoring 25 big points. Jones' hoop shots brought 18, Williams added 12 more and Sam Knight dropped in 10 to outscore Heidelberg 87-81.

The women again rolled over Heidelberg 62-47, behind the 13 point tally of both Marsha Brock and Chris Keller.

The Bears next contest on their home turf will be against Ansbach, Feb. 27—28, at the Sports Center Gym.

DYA Basketball

Weekend basketball for DYA showed 24 teams out there trying their best to win the big one. The results of the games are:

PEEWEES

Pistons	11	UCLA	9
Jazz	12	Hawks	6
Ohio	8	Iowa	2

MIDGETS

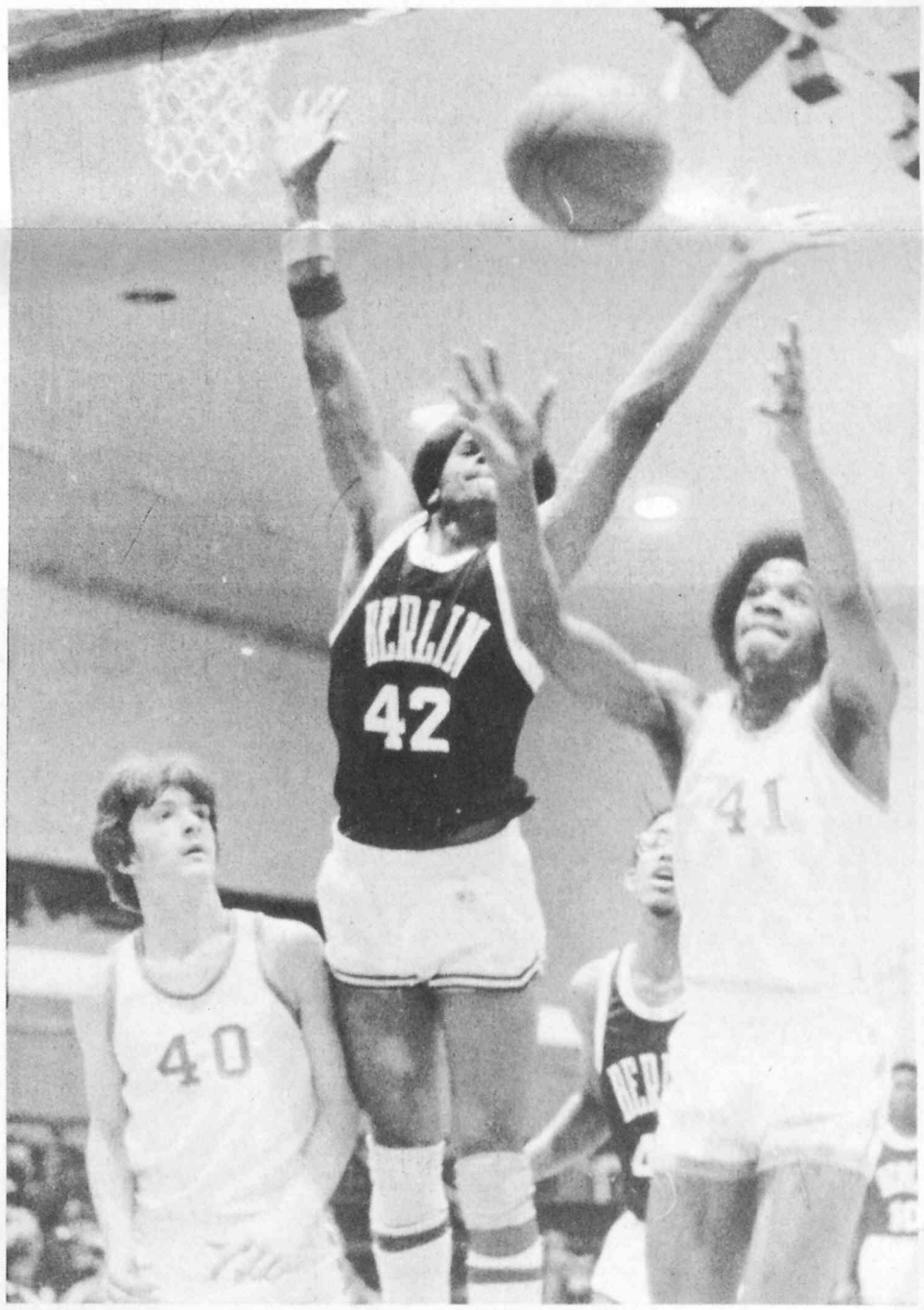
Lakers	19	Knicks	16
Royals	21	Blazers	14
Hawks	bye		

BANTAM'S

Hawks	25	Suns	17
Jazz	33	JFK	5
Blazers	bye		

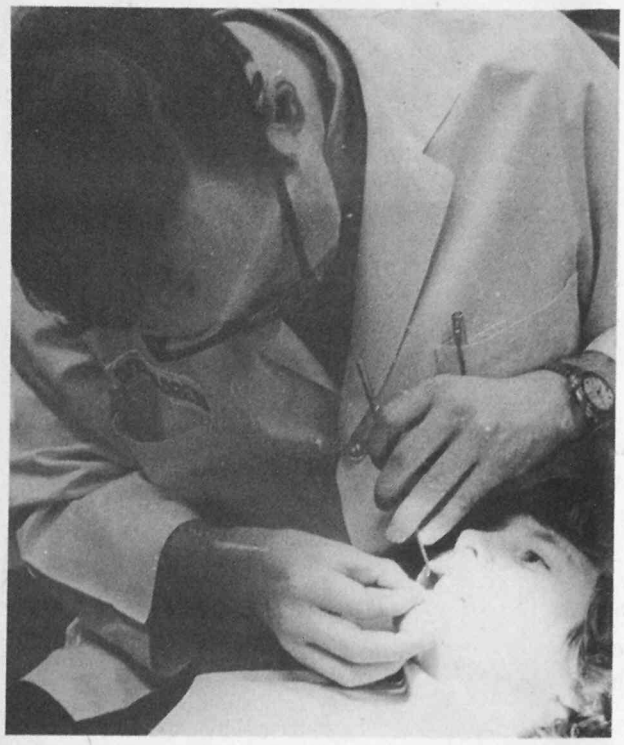
JUNIORS

Bucks	34	Sonics	33
Osterholz	42	Clippers	34
Bremerhaven	47	Suns	43
Suns	38	Sonics	37
Senior Girls	32	JFK	29
Senior Boys	bye		



UP, UP AND AWAY—In Fridays action, Berlin's Markus Fishler (42) outstretches Zweibrueckens' Tony Washington (41) and Jim Floyd (40). The Bears went on to win 53-50. The weekend BAHS wrap-up shows the Bears teams taking six of the eight game played. (Photo by Patrick Bair)

Parents help shape dental habits



LOOKS GOOD TO ME—As Dr. Robert Childress makes his examination, he explains to Kevin McGoey that good dental care is vital to the health of his teeth and gums. (Photo by A. J. Korzen)

by A.J. Korzen

February is National Children's Dental Health month, and we all know regular dental care is of the utmost importance. But, we sometimes forget how large a role parents play in teaching children good dental hygiene.

Doctor Robert Childress, Berlin DENTAC's pedodentist, said, "If parents practice good oral hygiene habits — brushing, flossing and so forth — and are at ease going to the dentist, they will more than likely have a better time with the child." An adult with a lot of fears will inadvertently pass them on to the child. "Parents with dental problems," continued Dr. Childress, "must make a conscious effort not to pass their inhibitions on to a child."

Ideally, a child's first dental visit should take place between the age of two and three, when all the baby teeth have broken through the gums. This is normally a get acquainted session, to make future dental visits as positive an experience as possible.

The poorest time, psychologically, to bring a child for his initial introduction to the dentist, and to dental care, is when the child is suffering with a toothache. "It's a real tough time for the child, for the dentist, and for many parents because there's no way to ease into dental care in that situation," said Dr. Childress. "It's better if the child is already familiar with the dentist's office when an emergency situation develops."

Some important points to remember when taking a child to the dentist are:

- Never bribe your child to go to the dentist. This will signify to the child that there is danger ahead.
- Do not promise the child what the dentist is or is not going to do. The dentist should not be placed in a compromising position where he is limited in what he can do for the child.
- Keep your personal fears from being voiced in front of your child. The primary cause of "fear of dentistry" in children is hearing their parents complain about their own dental experiences.
- Never shame, scold, or ridicule to overcome fear of dental treatment, or use dentistry as a threat of punishment.
- Once at the dental office let child go into the care of the dentist. Do not attempt to follow the child to the treatment room unless specifically requested to do so by the dentist.

Positive reinforcement from parents, and early and routine dental visits, can serve to develop in children a healthy attitude toward dental care which they will have throughout their lifetime.

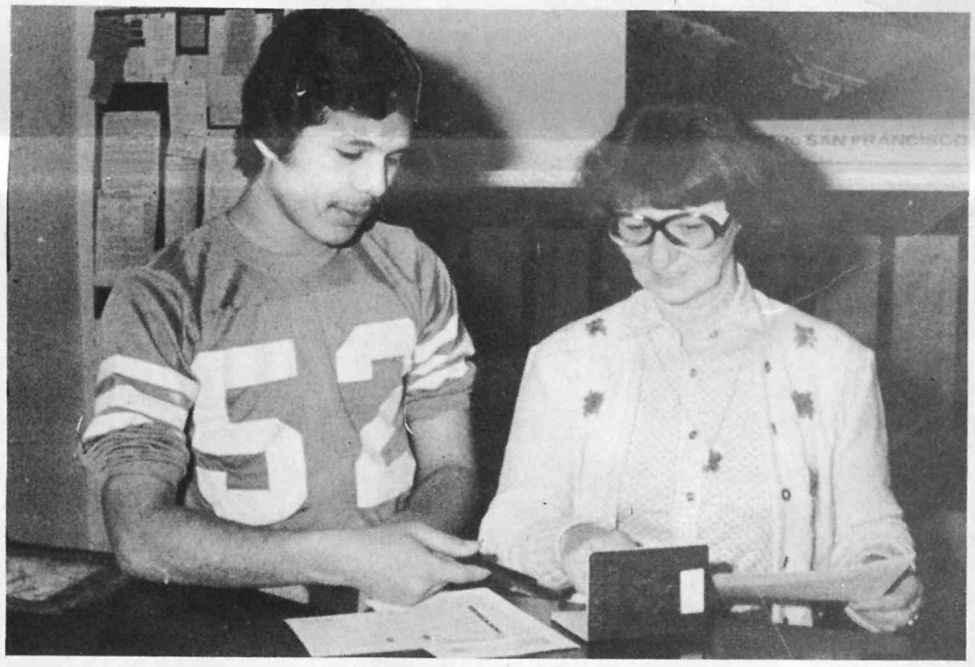
Selective Service will grant grace period to enroll without penalty

The Director of Selective Service in Washington has announced that young men who should have registered with the Selective Service System before Jan. 8, but did not do so, will be granted a grace period until Feb. 28. During this period, these men may register without fear of prosecution for late registration.

Men born between Jan. 1, 1960 and the end of 1963 should already have registered and are eligible to take advantage of the grace period. Men born in 1964 should now be registering within thirty days before or after their 18th birthday.

Those who fail to meet their obligation to register by the end of the grace period will be subject to prosecution. Failure to register is a felony punishable by a maximum penalty of $10,000 fine and/or five years imprisonment.

In Berlin, men may register at the U.S. Consulate General at 170 Clayallee, Building 2 of Clay Headquarters. Active duty members of the Armed Forces are not required to register, but members of the reserves or National Guard in the relevant age groups must do so.



JUST PART OF GROWING UP—Elias L. Uriegas, Jr. checks with Ruth Schulze, a consulate assistant on just how to fill out the Selective Service registration form. Uriegas did his part this past week to meet the Selective Service Department's requirements. (Photo by Frank Jones)

Renew USAREUR Privilege cards — Old cards expire March 31

All holders of the red and white USAREUR Privilege Authorization Card will need a new privilege card to use military facilities beginning April 1.

According to AG Personnel Actions Chief, CW02 W. J. Hughes, the current privilege card (AR form 174-1) will expire March 31. A New USAREUR Privilege and Identification Card (AE Form 174) will replace it. The new card will be yellow.

Local AG officials have designated Feb. 16—March 31 as the reissue period. Hughes expects Berlin to issue about 1600 new cards during this time.

The command has established a separate office to issue new cards and has specified times during which individuals may apply for the new card. The times correspond to the initial of the sponsors' last name, according to the schedule below:

Monday: A—F (first letter last name)
Tuesday: G—L
Thursday: M—S
Friday: T—Z

The cards will be issued in Room 101, Building 4, Clay Headquarters, from 8 a.m. until 4 p.m. They will not be issued in AG Customer Service during this special issue period.

To receive a new card, individuals must submit a correctly completed application, AE Form 3412. If an individual is receiving the privilege card as a result of employment, he/she must have section three of the application verified by a captain or GS-9 or higher, with a valid signature card on file with AG. Individuals must also have their passport and old privilege card with them at time of application.

The new privilege cards will be authorized in facilities as soon as they are issued. The red and white card will not be valid for use after March 31 regardless of the expiration date on the card.

Active duty personnel and Department of Defense civilians and their family members are not affected by this change.