

KINDERLIFT FINIS

The 'Kinderlift Kids' left this week for their homes. A full account of their visit and their activities is featured in this edition of the CHRONICLE.

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FRANKFURT DISTRICT, NORTHERN AREA COMMAND

PX to Close

The Frankfurt Shopping Center Main Post Exchange will be closed for two days, on Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 28 and 29, for renovation.

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NAC MPs Plan Events to Fete 12th Birthday

Col Arthur L. Selby, Northern Area Command Provost Marshal, announced that members of the Military Police Corps will observe the 12th anniversary of the founding of their branch of service with social events on Saturday, Sept. 26.

In Frankfurt, a reception is scheduled for all officers of the MP Corps and their ladies at the Casino on Saturday, Sept. 26, starting at 3 pm. Also invited are reserve members of the MP Corps as well as military police officers currently assigned to other duties. Corps are planning a gala get-together in the Guleut Kaserne Messhall, where a dinner and floor show will be the order of the day. Members of the 79th MP Bn, 537 MP Co, 540th MP Rvy Guard Bn and 7751st MP Customs Unit and other MP units will attend, as well as German police who have been invited by MPs.

Photographic displays in the lobbies of the Headquarters Building and the Casino will illustrate military police operations.

Enlisted and officer personnel will also carry out their assigned duties of maintaining law and order.

MP History

Col Selby explained that, although the Military Police is but 12 years old, military policemen have been necessary since the start of recorded history. During the time of the Norman conquest of England in 1066, the office of provost marshal was existent. He was appointed by the king to maintain the peace, safeguard the royal interests, and handle disciplinary matters.

After World War I

He explained that the Provost Marshal General's Department and the Military Police Corps were disbanded with the AEF after World War I. In the 1920's, military police duties were performed by troops drawn from posts, camps, stations and tactical units, unusually on roster basis. There were provost marshals, but never the corps area level. The Provost Marshal Generals Office and the Military Police Corps were recreated by Executive order in August of 1940.

Although there was no regularly constituted Corps of Military Police before 1941, the corps found itself the possessor of a noble tradition when it finally became a permanent part of the Army.

During World War II a total of (continued on page 8)

School Bus Safety In Parents Hands

USAREUR safety officials pointed out today that the responsibility for the safeguarding of American school children between their quarters and school bus stops rests with the parents.

School guards paid from Army appropriated funds are not available for this duty, they explained. They suggested that parents and school authorities cooperate closely to solve local school bus problems.

AER Total Jumps \$3,500 in Week



LIAISON WORK—Local MP's and the German police often work together to provide the community with law and order, and the maintenance of peace. The Military Police Corps celebrates its 12th anniversary tomorrow. (US Army photo)

NAC Troops, Civilians Get Suggestion Awards

Eight US Army and German members of the Northern Area Command recently found that their ideas for cutting expenses and improving operations paid dividends, both in cash and in suggestion award certificates.

Mr. W. K. Amann, a German employee of the Ordnance Section, earned 900 DM by his suggestion for installing an overhead crane at the Ordnance Service Center. Previously, a mobile crane was used to move boxes, an operation which interfered with traffic and caused loss of time. His idea will save 33,978 DM yearly in wages and equipment.

Sfc James D. Dermody, of the Frankfurt Civil Affairs Office, recently became disturbed about the involved procedures necessary before sportsmen could be issued hunting and fishing licenses. Applicants had to go to the Civil Affairs Office to have their papers signed, then had to travel to the

Landrat Office to again have their papers signed, and then had to return to the Landrat Office to turn in the papers. An employee of the S-5 Section accordingly visited the Landrat Office the following day to pick up processed licenses. Applicants later returned to the S-5 Section to claim their licenses.

Sportsmen now leave their application with the Civil Affairs Office and get them the following day after a Civil Affairs employee had personally expedited their clearance through the Landrat Office. Sgt Dermody's idea will save an estimated \$4,200 yearly in time previously lost by license applicants. He was presented with a suggestion award certificate.

Mr. George Paffrath, of the Ordnance Section, was awarded 557 DM when his idea on the computation of monthly work measurement reports was accepted. Where sections formerly prepared lists indicating the names of all employees and the hours each worked, they now submit records only of personnel who did not work the standard number of hours. His idea will save 13,100 DM yearly.

Concern over the waste of fuel and a determination to do something about it gained Mr. Helmut

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Hampton Orchestra Coming Next Week

Lionel Hampton and his 20 piece orchestra, will appear in person for two performances at the local Filmpalast Theater, Friday, Oct 2nd at 7:15 pm.

Hampton, who began his career with Benny Goodman in 1938, has made history in jazz circles with his Decca-Brunswick recordings of "Flying Home", "Moon Glow" and "The Mess Is Here".

Frankfurt jazz enthusiasts will have the opportunity to see and hear such Hamptonites as George Wallington, pianist; Clifford Solomon, new tenor sax fnd; Arthur Farmer, trumpet ace; top-notch blues vocalist, Sonny Parker; Curley Hornsner, jazz dancer and others.

Tickets for the Frankfurt concert, scheduled for 7:15 and 9:30 pm, are currently on sale at the Filmpalast box office in downtown Frankfurt.

Drive to Run Through Pay Day; Ends Oct 2nd

Donations to the Army Emergency Relief-Army Relief Society by units located within the Northern Area Command climbed to \$15,163.90 from last week's total of \$11,657.75, announced Maj Stratten F. Callier, NAC campaign chairman. Donations by area are: Würzburg District, \$6,833.05; Giessen Detachment \$750; Frankfurt Municipal Detachment, \$4,235.85; Hanau Detachment, \$2,250; Kassel Detachment, \$295, and Darmstadt Detachment, \$500.

Army Reveals Europe to Get A-Gun Troops

A battalion of 280mm mobile guns, the Army's latest and largest field artillery weapons, will shortly be sent to Europe for support of NATO defense forces under Gen Alfred M. Gruenther.

Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens named the 868th FA Bn, Ft. Bragg, N. C. as the first of several 280mm battalions planned for Europe. They will be assigned to US units already in the continent.

Mr. Stevens stated that the shipment of these battalions to Europe has been in the planning stage a long time and is part of established US policy to make available highly trained and well-equipped balanced forces for support of NATO.

"No single weapon will solve the military problems of Western defense or deter aggression," Gen Stevens stated. He pointed out that although the 280mm gun strengthens the defense shield of NATO it cannot be regarded as a substitute for other weapons and forces required for the defense of Europe.

The 868th FA Bn, now finishing training at Ft. Bragg, will be stationed in Western Germany to train and maneuver with NATO forces.

Notice!

The Frankfurt, Hedderheim and Hoechst Commissaries will be closed Wednesday, September 30 for regular month-end inventory.

All three Commissaries will be open on a regular week-day schedule thereafter.

Commissary Bills Explained

Current directives require that commissary bills will be paid by the 10th of the month for purchases made the preceding month. Accounts which are still unpaid at the close of business on the 20th of the month will be reported delinquent and the charge account privilege will be withdrawn. Reinstatement of the commissary charge privilege may be made 30 days after payment of the delinquent account.

Commissary bills may be paid at the Frankfurt Commissary Monday through Friday from 8 am until 3 pm, and on Saturday from 9 am until 11:30 am.

The Hedderheim Commissary cashier cage is open Monday, Tuesday and Friday from 10 am until 3 pm and on Wednesday and Friday from 9 am until 11 am. In Hoechst the cashier is available from 9 am until 1 pm on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday and from 9 am until 11 am on Wednesday and Saturday.

Payment can be made only by Military Payment Certificates, US Postal Money Orders, or by checks on the local American Express Offices or Chase National Bank, if they are made payable to the treasurer of the United States.

Maj Callier explained that the current AER-ARS drive has a two-fold purpose. In addition to giving to all personnel within the geographical limits of the Northern Area Command an opportunity to contribute to the fund, the campaign is succeeding in making known to military personnel the facilities of Army Emergency Relief which are at the disposal of people who are in financial difficulties of an emergency nature.

Capt Harriet S. Orvis, NAC officer, reveals that a total of \$7,970.50 has already been loaned and given in grants to local military personnel during the first 20 days of September. In her office at room 154 of Headquarters Building, telephone 7190, she interviewed and gave financial aid to an average of 14 applicants per day.

"If we are to continue a full program of Army Emergency Relief financial assistance to troubled soldiers," said Capt Orvis, "the current fund-raising campaign must be successful."

Fire Damage Loss Tops Million Mark

Northern Area Command Firemen answered 45 alarms in July and 50 in August with fire damage of \$1,509,044 and \$187 respectively for each month. The damages were held to a minimum by the alert fire detachments, however, the damages soared because of several large fires in the command.

The enormous July figure was run above the million dollar mark because of the infamous Kassel Warehouse fire and the Oberursel EM Club blaze.

The fire stations also answered a variety of emergency calls and aided German fire fighters in a number of instances.

The greatest causes of fires during the month of August were unattended pressing irons neglected by housewives.

Army Mishap Rate Takes 9% Decline

The non-combat accident rate for the Army's civilian and military personnel and employees at Army plants operated by private contractors shows a nine percent drop for the first six months of 1953 over figures for the last half on 1952. From January to June 37,900 such accident occurred in contrast with 41,400 for the last six months of 1952.

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You and I, USA

Most young Americans resent having military service break into the progress of their lives. The student who must interrupt his studies, the husband who must leave his wife and children and the young man who just got started in life with a good job all feel they must sacrifice too much for a cold war.

At the time of Pearl Harbor everyone was ready and willing to do their share and there was no resentment then. But a half-way war, half way around the globe, is a bitter pill to swallow.

Why should any American be serving anywhere overseas is the big question now. The answer lies in the position of our nation in world government. We have grown in power and in responsibility. Our nation's strength and security is a trust upon which rests the hope of free men in all the world.

Security based upon heavy armaments is a way of life that has been forced upon us and upon our Allies. We don't like it. But as long as such an unmistakable, self-confined threat to our freedom exists, we will carry these burdens with dedication and determination.

Someone must help to defend the nation. Able-bodied men are needed to help the nation in its crisis. It is the inheritance of every male citizen, along with the many rights and benefits of the American way of life.

The Command Conference for the week beginning Sept 28 deals with this subject. It is entitled "You and I, USA".

Religious Services

FRANKFURT

Frankfurt District Chaplain's Office, Hq Annex, 21 Escherheimer Landstr. Municipal Detachment Chaplains Office: 29 Hansa Allee, phone 7020.

PROTESTANT

Chaplain's ph. 7031 & 7494 - CHRIST CHAPEL, 21 Escherheimer Landstr., Tel: 6675 - Sunday: 8:30 am Lutheran Worship Service; 9:30 am Sunday School and Bible Class; 11 am General Protestant Worship; Holy Communion; Lutheran Communion first Sunday of each month; 7:30 pm, Youth Fellowship; Tuesday 7 pm, Choir Rehearsal, Christ Chapel.

SEVENTH DAY ADVENTIST (Christ Chapel) Sabbath School, Saturday: 9:30 am, Church Services, Saturday: 10:30 am CHURCH OF CHRIST, Senckenberg Anlage 17 (Corner: Robert Mayer Strasse, Sunday: 11 am, 5:30 pm, Worship Service.

- ATTERBERY CHAPEL, Atterberry Area, Tel: 7031. Sunday: 9:30 am, General Protestant Worship; 10:15 Sunday School - GIBBS BARRACKS, Sunday: 9 am, 6 pm, General Protestant Worship. - LATTER DAY SAINTS, Atterberry Chapel, Atterberry Area (Branch President: Cap Clyde Hart, Tel: 56468) - Sunday: 1 pm, Sunday School and Sacrament Meeting.

- ST. CHRISTOPHER'S CHURCH Anglican and Episcopal, Corner of Hansa and Miquel Allee, Sunday 9 am, Holy Communion; 11 am, Church Services. - CROSS CHURCH at Edwards Area. - Sunday: 10 am, Protestant Worship Service, Sunday: 7:30 pm, Protestant Fellowship Hour.

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST SCIENTIST, Reading Room in Boerse (Stock Exchange Building), 19 Hansa Allee, Sunday: 11:30 am, Wednesday: 6:00 pm, Reading room open Mon, Wed, Thurs, 7:45 pm, Tues, Fri, 10-12 am and 4-8 pm.

CATHOLIC

Chaplain's Office, 29 Hansa Allee, Phone: Office 7020, billets: 51234. - ST. SEBASTIAN CHAPEL, 19 Hansa Allee, Tel: 7020. Sunday: 8, 9 am (Children's Mass), 10 am (Rected Mass), 11, 12 am, Mass. Weekday: Mass Mon-Sat: 5:45 pm. Mon: Novena Devotions following Mass-Confessions, Sat: 7-9 pm. Confessions before all Masses. - HOLY CROSS CHURCH, Edwards Area. - Sunday: 7:45 am and 11:30 am, Mass. - Mon through Sat: 11:55, Mass, Confessions before all Masses. ATTERBERY CHAPEL, Atterberry Area. - Sunday: 9:30 am, Mass, Confessions before Mass. - GIBBS BARRACKS, Sunday, Mass 10 am.

JEWISH

Chaplains Office: Synagogue Center,

8 Lisa Brandstrom Str. (off Mainzer Landstr., Tel: 844. - SYNAGOGUE CENTER, 8 Lisa Brandstrom Strasse, Tel: 844.

Sabbath Eve Services Friday 8 pm, Oneg Shabbath 8:45 pm; Sabbath Services Saturday 9 am (Jewish Chapel Center) - Sunday Services 10 am. Brunch: 10:30 am; Maariv (evening) Service Wednesday 7:30 pm; Council Meetings 4th Wed. monthly 8 pm; Sisterhood Meetings 2nd Wed. monthly 8 pm; Cultural Programs 1 & 3 Wed. monthly 8 pm.

FRANKFURT SYNAGOGUE, Baumweg 229 - Sabbath Services: 8:30 am, Morning Service; 4:30 pm, Sabbath Mincha Service.

HEDDERNHEIM

PROTESTANT

HEDDERNHEIM COMMUNITY CHAPEL, Hadrian Str./Am Forum, Tel: 2037-ext. 819. - Sunday: 11 am, Junior Church; 11 am Nursery for Pre-school children; 7 pm, Young People's meeting; 9 pm, Evangelist Hour; 11 am, morning worship; 9:30 am, Sunday School, Wednesday: 8:30 pm, Choir Practice, Friday: 4 pm, Good News Club; 7 pm, Hour of Power.

CATHOLIC

HEDDERNHEIM COMMUNITY CHAPEL, Hadrian Str./Am Forum, Tel: 7421-ext. 237, Sunday: 9 am, Mass, Confessions before Mass.

HOECHST

Chaplain's Office, a Lederbacher Strasse, Office phone: 1484.

PROTESTANT

SOLDIER'S CHAPEL Hoechst, Windst. Strasse, opposite Athletic Field, McNair and Michael Barracks. Morning Worship, 10:45 am Sunday, 9:30 am Dependent School.

CATHOLIC

McNAIR BARRACKS CHAPEL, 9 am; ST JUSTINS CHURCH, 10:30 am; Religious instructions for children each Sunday morning at 10:30 am at Teen-Ager Club.

97th GENERAL HOSPITAL

Chaplain's office, 97th GH, Tel: 312 ex 406 (Prot.), ex 405 (Cath.).

Hospital Chapel (end of A-Wing) Sunday: 11 am, Morning Worship Service. Daily: 3 pm, Daily Devotions (Mon through Fri), Wednesday: 7:30 pm, Bible Study.

CATHOLIC

Hospital Chapel (end of A-Wing) Sunday: 6:15 pm, Holy Mass; 9 am, Holy Mass. Daily: 4 pm, Holy Mass (Mon through Fri), Saturday: 6:30 pm, Holy Mass; 7 pm to 11 pm, confessions and 30 minutes before all Masses.

Know Your Finance

This is the last in a series of articles to appear in the CHRONICLE clarifying the different phases of finance regulations. These articles appear as a service to our readers to aid them in understanding the complexities of Army Finance.

Following the close of World War II various studies were made by the National Military Establishment, known today as the Department of Defense, to devise a uniform, prompt, and correct payment of military personnel regardless of location and not withstanding changes of duty station.

After this study was completed, a new pay system was initiated which became effective July 1, 1949. At this time the preparation of payrolls by personnel officers and individual pay vouchers for officers was eliminated.

It also provided a complete chronological and centralized pay record of all military personnel, eliminating the necessity of submitting pay vouchers and payrolls for signature prior to the time of actual payment. Under the new pay plan each member of the armed forces on active duty on July 1, 1949, had a military pay record opened. It also called for military pay record to be opened when an individual first reports for active duty, enlists, or re-enlists after broken service. On each January 1 and July 1, a new pay record is automatically opened.

Unique in Design

The new military pay system which provided for a military pay record was unique in design because it provided a complete picture of a members pay account for a six month period, covering all pay and allowances due, all payments made to members concerned and all collections and deductions made from his or her pay.

At the close of the six month period this military pay record is closed and the members account is settled. If the member has been under or over paid this amount is carried forward to his new pay record which is opened following a normal close on July 1, or Jan 1. Payments under this system provided further that all payments were to be in even dollars unless a final settlement of accounts was to be made.

Military pay records of armed forces personnel closed for prior periods are readily available through the form of photostatic copies of old military pay records. Upon proper request photostats of pay records for periods involved will be obtained.

'Heroes' Schedule Dinner, Meeting

Frankfurt Camp, Heroes of '76, sponsored by the National Sojourners, Inc, will meet in the Frankfurt Casino on Monday, September 28, 1953.

The meeting will be preceded by dinner at 7 pm. The meeting will begin at 8 pm. All Heroes of '76 are cordially invited.

The National Sojourners will picnic this Sunday at the Darmstadt Stars and Stripes Club. The picnic will begin at 1 pm. Fried chicken and refreshments will be available at the club. For reservations phone Frkft Mil 8373.

Fraternity to Meet Oct 6

The Frankfurt Alpha Chapter of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority will have an open meeting on Tuesday night, Oct 6, at the Rhein-Main Officers' Club, starting at 8 pm. All Beta Sigma Phis in the Frankfurt area are urged to attend. Further information can be obtained from Mrs Norma Carter, corresponding secretary, at Frankfurt 57782.



BREAKING THE FAST—Chaplain (Capt) Joseph S. Messing, Northern Area Command Jewish Chaplain, gives the invocation during a Yom Kippur break-the-fast supper held recently in the Frankfurt Casino. At Chaplain Messing's right is Pvt Shephard Block, cantor. Honored guests included, at left, Mrs Albert C. Morgan, and to Chaplain Messing's left, Col Harold L. Marshall, Deputy Comdr, Frankfurt Municipal Det; Col Albert C. Morgan, NAC Deputy Comdr, Mrs William M. Frost, and Col H. Jordan Theiss, CO, Frankfurt Municipal Det. (Army photo by Hutchinson)

PTA Roundup

Casino Banquet Will Fete Frankfurt School Teachers

The Frankfurt Casino's Les Palmiers Room will be the locale of the annual banquet for teachers of the Frankfurt Elementary School and Frankfurt High School, scheduled for Monday, Oct 5, at 7 pm.

Except for the election of a first vice-president and secretary from floor nominations, the evening will be devoted to music, good food and fellowship, and a floor show.

Mimeographed sheets have been sent home with school children so that parents may indicate if they will attend and at which home-room teacher's table they wish to sit. The hospitality chairman asks that the information sheets be returned as soon as possible so that adequate arrangements may be made.

The sheets are available at the principals' offices in both schools, or reservations may be made with Mrs W. E. Short, telephone 74202, Mrs R. S. Collins, 58424, or Mrs George Tyrrell, 53997.

Boy Scout Program. Light refreshments were served after the meeting by ladies of the executive committee.

FWC Announces Change in Hours At Trading Post

Starting on Thursday, Oct 1, the Trading Post will be open Tuesdays and Fridays only from 10 am to 3 pm. Checks for items sold at the Trading Post may be picked up at any time. Unless claimed within six months, however, money from sales will be put into the Trading Post fund.

Golfers of the Frankfurt Women's Club will close their 1953 season on Wednesday, Sept 30, with a luncheon at the Frankfurt Golf Course at 1:30 pm.

Members interested in playing in the match or attending the luncheon may call Mrs Paul Kelly, 51792. Prizes won during the last half of the golf season will be awarded after the luncheon.

Winners of the Frankfurt Women's Club party bridge during the past week were Mrs A. E. Berger, first, and Mrs R. A. Peltier, second.

Mrs R. T. Schloberg and Mrs R. W. Schweigert won first place in duplicate and Mrs J. D. Phillips and Mrs W. E. Showalter, second.

Die Bruecke Elects New Co-Presidents

Frau Herta von Schwerin and Mrs Juliette Madison were chosen co-presidents of "Die Bruecke", Giessen's German-American Women's Club at elections held during the club's September business session. Frau von Schwerin is the wife of the Landrat of Kreis Giessen and Mrs Madison is the French-born wife of a Department of the Army civilian.

Other officials elected at the meeting were: Frau von Schlieben and Mrs Martha Hamilton, vice-presidents; Frau Schmidt and Mrs Margaret Uim, secretaries; and Frau Erika Reuter, treasurer.

Bad Homburg Lunch

The monthly meeting of the Bad Homburg Women's Club will be held Wednesday, September 30, at the "Im Laternen" Restaurant, 126 Luisen Strasse, Bad Homburg, at 12:30 pm. Price of the luncheon \$1. For reservations call Mrs Stewart, Bad Homburg 3143.

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Giessen PTA Sets 1st Meeting Date

First Fall meeting of the Giessen Parent-Teachers Assn will be held Monday, September 28, at 7 pm.

Lt Col Lawrence B. Curtis of the Giessen QM Depot, who is chapter president, states that he hopes for a full turn-out for the initial meeting, which has been labeled as a "get-acquainted" evening. All Giessen elementary school teachers and all commanders of major units in the area have been invited to attend, so the parents of school-age children will have a chance to "get acquainted" with them.

Locale of the meeting will be the community center. In the event the number attending is too large for the chapel community room, the meeting will be held in the former chapel, which is adjacent.

Hanau Group Gets Education Lecture

The new school semester's first Parent-Teacher Association meeting in Hanau was held last Monday in Argonner Kaserne and was attended by a large representation of local educators and parents.

Mrs Sarah P. Luthman, vice president of PTA, introduced Col Mortimer J. O'Kane, Hanau Det CO, who gave an interesting talk on the advantages of PTA and its importance in the American military community. Mr Dale Smith gave a talk on the PTA-sponsored

Refugee Youths End Kinderlift Visit

The first contingent of 200 East Zone children left Rhein-Main Airport Monday morning for Berlin and their homes in the West Sector after a five-week stay in the GYA Camp near Eschborn. The remainder left Tuesday morning, also in aircraft of the US Air Force.

Present at the civilian section of the airport to bid "Auf Wiedersehen" to the 96 youngsters was Maj Gen Thomas W. Herren, NACOM CG, who addressed the children in German; Lt Col J. W. Norvell, USAREUR HQ; Eschborn, Bürgermeister Heinrich Graf; Col Lawrence B. Kelley, CO, 50th Troop Carrier Wing. Fourteen-year-old Wolfgang Hofman, mayor of "Little Berlin", also gave brief farewell addresses.

Dressed in brand-new woolen jackets and trousers, the youngsters clutched large packages of canned meat, chocolate bars, jelly, and other nourishing foods which were handed them as they boarded the airplanes. Material for 200 pairs of trousers and 100 of the 200 jackets was donated by members of the Quartermaster Women's Club of Frankfurt. Labor and material for the remaining 100 jackets was provided by the German clothing firm of E.C.C. Erna Nilges GmbH. Trousers and other clothes were provided by the firms of Deutsch Kleiderwerke and Elbe Clothing Co, all of Frankfurt.

Ten of the boys also carried handsome athletic trophies of bronze and pearl, presented by the Northern Area Command

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HEADED FOR HOME—Wearing new clothes and carrying farewell gifts of candy, canned food, and other items, three Kinderlift boys board the plane which will take them to Berlin. The 200 youngsters gained an average of six pounds in weight during their five-week stay at the GYA Camp in Eschborn.

(Army photo by Hutchinson)



TUG OF WAR—The Kinderlift kids enjoy and old fashioned game, tug of war, during their stay at the Eschborn camp. The youngsters had an opportunity to choose their own games, as well as elect their own city officials' at the camp.

(Army Photo by O'Grady)



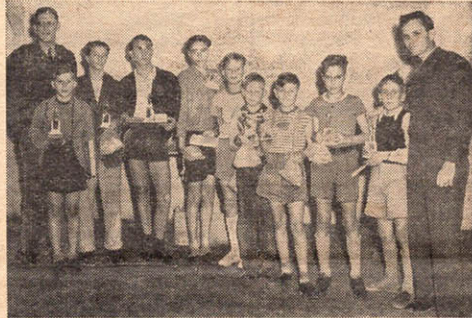
THE BOY AND THE GENERAL—Gen Charles L. Bolte, commander in chief, US Army Europe, was among the number of distinguished guests at the Eschborn GYA Camp during the five-week vacation of East Zone youngsters. Gen Bolte expressed the hope "that this experience of living under freedom and democracy will never be forgotten and that the memories of this camp will be happy one, indeed".

(Army photo by O'Grady)



AW, CUT IT OUT!—Frau Brigitte Keller, director of the GYA Camp at Eschborn, bids farewell to one of her young charges before the airplane takes off from Rhein-Main Airport for Berlin's Tempelhof Air Field. She directed activities of the camp during the entire Kinderlift operation.

(Army photo by Hutchinson)



ATHLETIC AWARDS—Leading athletes among the 200 East Zone youngsters who vacationed for five-weeks at the Eschborn GYA Camp are shown with their trophies and prizes, provided by the Northern Area Command Special Services Section. Left to right are Lt Rudolph I. Nichols, NAC athletic officer, Manfred Maier, Peter Bolz, Arnim Merkel, Manfred Galois, Gunther Reinicke, Klaus Schlosshauer, Hannes Wesner, Herbert Timmes, Helmut Willschuetz, and Cpl Horace E. Tucker, athletic director at the camp.

(Army Photo by Pasquale)



PARTING GIFTS—Before they board US Air Force planes for Berlin and home, every one of the Kinderlift children is given bags containing canned meat, jelly, chocolate bars and other food high in vitamin content. Doing the honors is Sfc Clarence E. Whatley, of the 7795 Labor Supv Det. The food was provided jointly by the Northwest German Radio Station and enlisted men of Frankfurt area.

(Army photo by Hutchinson)



BERLIN BOUND—Wearing new clothing and carrying packages of candy and canned meat, 12-year-old Brigitte Winter, only girl among the kinderlift group of 200, and Wolfgang Hoffman, mayor of "Little Berlin", board the US Air Force plane that will take them to Berlin. Brigitte stayed with an American family in Frankfurt while Wolfgang was elected mayor of the camp and congratulated by Ernst Reuter, mayor of Berlin.

(Army photo by Hutchinson)

Knights Drop Exhibition Tilt to Air Force in England

FHS Slates Gridiron Tilt For Tuesday

The Frankfurt High School Eagles football team will play their first game of the season against Kaiserslautern at the Frankfurt athletic club, Tuesday, Sept. 29 at 1:30 pm.

Injuries have put a dent in Frankfurt's chances of a successful season as three of the proposed starting lineup are benched for the first part of the season due to injuries sustained during practice sessions.

Bob West, fullback, one of the four returning lettermen from last year's team and voted the most valuable player last year, will be out for the season with a leg injury.

A starting lineup is not available, but the following boys are slated for action in Tuesday's game:

Stone, Dougovito, McCune, McHugh Radtke, Estes, McCormay, Turbyville West, Moommaw, Hesch, Logen, Bohannon, Olson, Robbins, Willis, Danning, Bolick, Sanders, Reynolds, Vickers, De Camp, Basker, Warren and Garret.

The USAREUR High School football Program has been changed this year so that teams playing six-man football teams last year will be playing 11-man teams, resulting in leagues of seven teams. The teams are:

Frankfurt, Kaiserslautern, Munich, Heidelberg, Stuttgart, Wiesbaden and Nurnberg.

With the exception of next week's game, all high school games will be played on Friday afternoons.

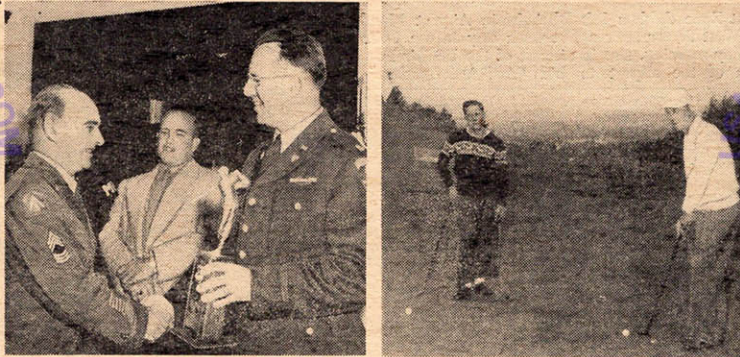
Frankfurt Eagles Football Slate

Sept 29	Kaiserslautern	Home
Oct 9	Stuttgart	Away
Oct 16	Bye	
Oct 23	Heidelberg	Home
Oct 30	Wiesbaden	Away
Nov 6	Nurnberg	Home
Nov 13	Munich	Away

Boxing Clinic Slated

A coaches and officials boxing clinic for personnel in Frankfurt District will be held Oct. 6, it was announced yesterday by the Frankfurt District athletic office.

Anyone interested in attending the clinic is requested to contact the athletic office at 7778-6785.



TOP LINKSMEN—Left: M/Sgt Agon Occhialini, winner of the 1953 USAREUR Golf Championship, receives his trophy from Maj Frederick Weichel, NAC Special Services Officer. Occhialini registered 295 for 72 holes of medal to cop the trophy. Right: A/c Howard George, winner of the first annual Kassel Invitational Golf Tourney, watches runner-up WO Dick Adams putt on the final green. George won the tournament with a 256 for 54 holes. (US Army Photo)



2 Frankfurt Swimmers Chosen for CISM Meet

The Services' best swimmers were selected in Berlin this week to represent the US Armed Forces in Europe, at the Conseil International du Sport Militaire swimming meet in Alexandria, Egypt, September 25-27.

The 16-man US squad is composed of Army Navy and Air Force personnel, with the majority holding either college or service titles.

The entries for the 12 swimming and diving events are:

100 m free style: Cpl Donald Post, Cpl Philip Thompson and Pvt Wells Whitney;

400 m free style: Pvt Wells Whitney, A/c Jack Nelson, Cpl Donald Post, 2d Lt Robert Caffray and Cpl Philip Thompson;

1500 m free style: A/c Jack Nelson and 2d Lt Robert Caffray;

800 m free style relay: 2d Lt Robert Caffray, Pvt Wells Whitney, Cpl Donald Post, Pvt Michael Doyle and Cpl Philip Thompson.

400 m medley relay: A/c Jack Nelson, Pfc John Masters, Pfc

Harry Ackerman, Frankfurt, A3/c John Sampson, Frankfurt, and Pfc James Selekman.

100 m backstroke: Pfc Harry Ackerman and A3/c John Sampson;

Rod & Gun Club Sets Ladies Day

Ladies Day will be featured at the next scheduled meeting of the Bad Nauheim Rod and Gun Club on the second Saturday in October, Oct. 10.

At the last meeting a discussion was held regarding the feasibility of initiating new activities for the wives of members. It was agreed that the ladies should hold a meeting to decide what activities would be most interesting to them.

All members are urged to bring their wives to the meeting at the clubhouse so that as many ladies as possible may participate in reaching a decision and formulating plans for successfully carrying out the program.

District Boxers Requested for Frankfurt Team

A call today went out from the Special Services Section of Frankfurt District for boxers of all weight classes who will be needed on the Frankfurt District mitt squad.

The boxing team will be formed in October for competition which will start during the latter part of that month. Meets will be conducted according to Olympic rules, which divide all men into the following ten weight classes:

Flyweight, bantamweight, featherweight, lightweight, light welterweight, welterweight, light middleweight, middleweight, light heavyweight, and heavyweight. Past experience has shown that the Frankfurt District boxing team usually lacks men in the lighter divisions, between flyweight and light welterweight.

Training will take place at Frankfurt's Blozis Hall and berths are open to all men who are not members of Seventh Army units. Fighters are placed on full-time TDY on the boxing team.

Prospective applicants are asked to contact Lt Rudolph L. Nichols, telephone Frankfurt 7778, or Cpl Horace E. Tucker, telephone Frankfurt 6787, for further information.

BPO, Eucom Top Football Circuit

Touch-football came into the spotlight in Frankfurt District last week and will continue until Oct 13 when the company-level conference champions will be decided.

Frankfurt Detachment has been divided into two leagues with five teams representing various units in each league.

The 312th BPO squad is currently on top of league I after compiling four wins against no losses. They are followed by the 513th MIS who have logged a 3-1 record for their first week of play.

In League II, Hqs EUCOM Red Team has notched three wins against no losses to lead their league. Following EUCOM, is the 7807 Detachment squad who have two wins, one loss and one tie. ASA is currently in third place with a 1-1-1 record.

The games are being played at the Compound Athletic Field and the Frankfurt Athletic Club. Game time for weekdays is 3:30 pm. Saturday games begin at 1:30 pm.

Knights Bow, 13-0; Injuries Sap Strength

Playing under a four-hour-out-of-thirty-six-hours-loss-of-sleep-period due to an uncontrollable flight service handicap, the Frankfurt District Black Knights dropped an exhibition tilt to the 40th Fighter Bomber Wing Raiders at Weathersfield, England last Saturday, as a crowd of approximately 5000 English and American gridiron fans watched the Knights suffer their first loss of the season, 13-0.

The Knights returned without one of their most valuable players. Hugh Pierce, Frankfurt center formerly starring on the North Carolina State squad, injured his back on a defensive play and was detained at a hospital in England. Pierce will be out of the lineup for the rest of the season narrowing Frankfurt's chances for the conference championship.

The Raiders got their first touch-down in the second quarter when David Washington received a 45-yard pass and sprinted 15-yards into the end zone. The kick was good and the Knights went behind, 7-0. The Knights were scored on again in the third quarter after an aerial and running attack that finished in pay-dirt; the kick was not good and the final score read: Raiders 13, Frankfurt 0.

Good Start

The Knights got off to a good start in the early minutes of play after they recovered a fumble in the second play of the game on the Raiders' 32-yard line. On the next play Chuck Hamilton threw to Bruce Austin who grabbed the aerial for a gain of 27-yards. However, on the next play Frankfurt fumbled and the Raiders' took over on their five-yard line. The Raiders took control of the game mid-way through the second on a running and passing attack that finished in pay-dirt and resulted in Pierce's injury. George Pierce went around right end and Ayer dove through center to set-up a first down on the Frankfurt 45. The next play paid-off with Ayer throwing to Washington for 45-yards and a TD.

Again in the third quarter, Frankfurt was scored on after a passing-attack that netted several first downs. The Raiders went over again on an end-around-end by Ayers who scored the second tally. The kick was blocked by "Buster" Cattanzaro and the final score saw Frankfurt defeated 13-0.

The Knights next home game will be played tomorrow, Saturday, Sept. 26, at the Frankfurt Athletic Club when the Knights play host to Bremerhaven in a scheduled conference game.

The game is slated to get underway at 2 pm.

Officials Hoop Clinic Slated for October

Two USAREUR officials basketball clinics, designed for the instructing of potential hoop officials throughout Europe, will be held Oct 19-23 in Schwetzingen and Oct 26-30 in Nurnberg, it was announced this week by the Frankfurt District athletic office. All personnel in the Frankfurt District interested in attending the clinic, at which rules and regulations of play will be discussed, are requested to contact the athletic office at 7778-6785. Personnel attending will be required to conduct a follow-up clinic in their area upon returning.

FRANKFURT BOWLING NEWS

By Steven Collole

The Singles Handicap Bowling Tournament staged for the benefit of the Army Emergency Relief Fund at the Hansa Alleys over the weekend was a huge success. Credit for the successful conduct of the tournament goes to the personnel of the Frankfurt Municipal Detachment Special Services Section, and to each and everyone of the 228 participants. Congratulations to all of you for a job so well done.

Fund Money

Of the \$458 total fees taken in \$228 was turned over to the fund thus making it the biggest winner, and the rightful champion. Other winners were: Mrs Langenderfer, first place trophy and No 10.00 prize money for her 660 winning total fashioned on 534 actual pins scored and 126 pin handicap.

Mrs Steinbring, took second place trophy along with an \$8 money prize. Her total was 523 plus 108 handicap, 631. Third place went to Mrs Radtke, 617, on 536

and 81 pin handicap, and was worth \$8 in prize money.

Leading the male division was Mr Rothwell, who hit 603 plus an 84 pins handicap for his winning 687 total, worth a trophy, and \$15 in prize money. Second place trophy and \$10 prize money went to Pfc Mohr, who topped 612 plus 54 handicap for his 666 total. Third place prize money of \$8 went to Sgt Ranshow, one 571 plus 81 handicap for a 652 total. Three leagues saw action last week so lets see how they fared:

Spare Time

Top honors went to the Bull-Back Boys on 2408 and 861. Runners-up were the Barbarians with 2336 and 788; and the Bulletes, 2220.

Martz, 557; Jones, 510, and Matchick, 509 took individual series honors in that order. Single game laurels went to Rompot, 209; Kearns, 198, and Martz, 197.

Monday Mixed

Top honors on the first night of the season went to the Per-

kolaters who topped 1831 and 673. Runners-up were the MIS, 1828; Pirates, 1750 and 635; and the Mixers, 608.

Sgt Anderson got off to a good start to top the men with a 565 series. In addition to that, Anderson converted the very difficult and seldom made big four split (No 4-7 and 6-10 pins) Top game was rolled by Givett. Runners-up were Warton with 549; Anderson 204; Kivett, 548; and Adams, 203.

Odds and Ends

New leagues are in the process of being formed so if any of you interested, here are a few details. An afternoon ladies league (Tuesday) at Hansa Alleys has opening for eight teams. The name is "Ladies Pastime league" and the party to call is Mrs Collole at 1623 or, the writer at 7778-6785.

The Gibbs Handicap league has openings for four teams. It will roll at Gibbs alleys. For details call the writer at the above numbers.

CHRONICLE PRESENTS COLLEGE GRID SLATE

Alabama
Sept. 18-Mississippi S'Brien
Sept. 25-At LSU
Oct. 1-At Vanderbilt
Oct. 8-At Tulane
Oct. 15-At Tennessee
Oct. 22-At Mississippi St.

California
Sept. 19-At Oregon St.
Oct. 2-At Oregon St.
Oct. 9-At Oregon St.
Oct. 16-At Oregon St.

Colorado
Sept. 19-At Washington
Oct. 2-At Colorado
Oct. 9-At Colorado
Oct. 16-At Colorado

Florida
Sept. 19-At Florida
Oct. 2-At Florida
Oct. 9-At Florida
Oct. 16-At Florida

Georgia
Sept. 19-At Georgia
Oct. 2-At Georgia
Oct. 9-At Georgia
Oct. 16-At Georgia

Illinois
Sept. 19-At Illinois
Oct. 2-At Illinois
Oct. 9-At Illinois
Oct. 16-At Illinois

Indiana
Sept. 19-At Indiana
Oct. 2-At Indiana
Oct. 9-At Indiana
Oct. 16-At Indiana

Iowa
Sept. 19-At Iowa
Oct. 2-At Iowa
Oct. 9-At Iowa
Oct. 16-At Iowa

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THEATER TIPS FOR THIS WEEK

Casts
 All I Desire (M)—Barbara Stanwyck, Fred Cavay, William Lundigan, Ambush at Tomahawk Gap (F)—John Hodiak, John Derek, City of Bad Men (F)—Jeanne Crain, Dale Robertson, Column South (F)—Audie Murphy, Joan Evans, Cry of the Hunted (F)—Vittorio Gassman, Polly Bergen, Down Among the Sheltering Palms (F)—Mitzie Kaynor, William Lundigan, Dream Wife (M)—Cary Grant, Deborah Kerr, Every Minute Counts (F)—Theresa Wright, MacDonald Carey, Fast Company (F)—Howard Keel, Polly Bergen, Francis Covers the Big Town (F)—Donald O'Connor, Yvette Dugay, Hans Christian Andersen (F)—Danny Kaye, Farley Granger, It Happens Every Thursday (F)—Loretta Young, John Forsythe, Jamaica Rum (F)—Ray Milland, Arlene Dahl, Law and Order (F)—Ronald Reagan, Dorothy Malone, Let's Do It Again (M)—Jane Wyman, Ray Milland, Loose in London (F)—Leo Corcoran, Plunk Hall, Man in the Dark (F)—Edmund O'Brien, Audrey Totter, Meet Me in St. Louis (M)—Clark Gable, Gene Tierney, Peter Pan (F)—Bobby Driscoll, Kathryn Beaumont, Pick-up on South Street (M)—Richard Widmark, Jean Peters, Pony Express (F)—Charlton Heston, Rhonda Fleming, Powder River (F)—Rory Calhoun, Corinne Calvet, Raiders of the Seven Seas (F)—John Payne, Donna Reed, Rogue's March (F)—Peter Lawford, Janice Rule, Scandal at Scourie (F)—Greer Garson, Walter Pidgeon, Scared Stiff (F)—Dean Martin, Jerry Siren, Of Baghdad (F)—Paul Henreid, Patricia Medina, Sombro (F)—Ricardo Montalban, Yvonne DeCarlo, South Sea Woman (M)—Burt Lancaster, Virginia Mayo, Take Me to Town (F)—Ann Sheridan, Sterling Hayden, The Big Frame (F)—Mark Stevens, The Farmer Takes a Wife (F)—Betty Grable, Dale Robertson, The Show Man (F)—John Ireland, Richard Denning, The Glass Wall (F)—Vittorio Hassman, Gloria Carname, The Glory Brigade (F)—Victor Mature, The Great Sioux Uprising (F)—Jeff Chandler, Faye Dunaway, The Juggler (F)—Kirk Douglas, Milly Vitale, The Magnetic Monster (F)—Richard Carlson, Jean Hill, The Story of Three Loves (M)—Lester Caron, Pier Angeli, The Vanquished (F)—John Payne, Jan Sterling, Variety Show: "Prosit".



Shirley Modell seems to have found one of Miami's cooler spots. The lovely blonde, not exactly dressed for climbing trees, appears pleasantly cool in her lofty hideaway.

Thurs—Scared Stiff, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm.

CONTINENTAL — Bad Nauheim
 Fri—South Sea Woman, Sat—Loose in London, Sun—Mon—Hans Christian Andersen, Tues—Raiders of the Seven Seas, Wed—Shoot Out, Thurs—City of Bad Men, Children's prog Sat 1:30 pm—Jumping Jacks, Shows Mon-Sat 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 2, 4 & 6 pm.

DOUGHBOY—Friedberg Kas
 Fri—Jamaica Rum, Sat—The Big Frame, Sun—Mon—Scared Stiff, Tues—Siren of Bagdad, Wed—The 49th Man, Thurs—Powder River, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 4:30 pm.

GLORIA—Giessen
 Fri—Column South, Sat—All I Desire, Sun—Mon—Pony Express, Tues—7 pm, variety show "Prosit", Wed—The Juggler, Thurs—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Children's prog Sat 1:30 pm—Honeyhive, Shows 7 pm daily; Sun mat 2:15 pm.

CAPITOL—Marburg
 Sat—The Magnetic Monster, Sun—Column South, Tues—Pony Express, Thurs—Never Let Me Go, Shows 7 pm.

BELVOIR—Rivers Barracks
 Fri—Sat—Down Among the Sheltering Palms, Sun—8 pm, variety show "Prosit", Mon—The Magnetic Monster, Tues—Wed—Column South, Thurs—All I Desire, Shows 7 pm daily Sun mat 4 pm.

KIRCHGOES THEATER
 Fri—Sat—Pony Express, Sun—Never Let Me Go, Mon—The Juggler, Tues—Wed—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Thurs—Fast Company.

KASSEL DETACHMENT
OUTPOST—Hersfeld
 Fri—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Sat—Fast Company, Sun—Mon—Sombro, Tues—Wed—The Story of Three Loves, Wed—It Happens Every Thursday, Thurs—Law and Order, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 2, 6 & 8:30 pm.

STARLIGHT—Hanau
 Fri—The Story of Three Loves, Sat—It Happens Every Thursday, Sun—Mon—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Tues—Wed—The Story of Three Loves, Wed—The Glass Wall, Wed—Thurs—The Great Sioux Uprising.

DARMSTADT DETACHMENT
BABENHAUSEN THEATER
 Fri—Sat—Peter Pan, Sun—Dream Wife, Mon—8 pm, variety show "Prosit", Tues—Wed—Ambush at Tomahawk Gap, Thurs—Rogue's March, Children's prog Sat 1:30 pm—Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 2 pm.

POST No. 1—Darmstadt
 Fri—Column South, Sat—All I Desire, Sun—Mon—Pony Express, Tues—Never Let Me Go, Wed—The Juggler, Thurs—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Shows 7 pm daily; Sun mat 2 pm.

POST No. 2—Darmstadt
 Fri—Sat—Pony Express, Sun—Never Let Me Go, Mon—The Juggler, Tues—Wed—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Thurs—Fast Company, Children's prog Sat 2 pm—cartoons, Shows 6 pm & 8:15 pm; mat Tues-, Thurs & Sun at 2 pm.

RHEIN MAIN AREA
GATEWAY—Rhein-Main
 Fri—Sat—Let's Do It Again, Sun—The Vanquished, Mon—Man in the Dark, Tues—Wed—South Sea Woman, Thurs—Loose in London, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm daily.

GARDENS—Rhein Main
 Fri—The Vanquished, Sat—Man in the Dark, Sun—Mon—South Sea Woman, Tues—Loose in London, Wed—Thurs—Man in the Dark, Children's prog Sat 2 pm—Hot Lead, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm daily; Sun mat 3 pm.

'Continental Flair' Set For QM Lunch
 The Blue Room of the Frankfurt Casino will be the setting of a "Continental Flair" luncheon scheduled by the Quartermaster Ladies Club for 12:30 pm on Thursday, Oct 1.

All members are asked to don a bit of costume acquired in Europe to add to the continental atmosphere. Reservations can be made by calling Frankfurt 55633 before Wednesday noon, Sept 30.

WAC—Hansa Alice, Frankfurt
 Fri—Sat—The Glory Brigade, Sun—Pickup on South Street, Mon—Scandal at Scourie, Tues—Wed—Jamaica Rum, Thurs—The Big Frame, Children's prog Sat 2 pm—Masked Raiders, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 2 pm.

MCNAIR—Frankfurt/Hochst
 Fri—Sat—The Great Sioux Uprising, Sun—Take Me to Town, Mon—Every Minute Counts, Tues—Wed—Francis Covers the Big Town, Thurs—Cry of the Hunted, Children's prog Sat 9:30 am—Amoza Goes to College, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm daily.

HANAU DETACHMENT
CIRCLE C—Gelnhausen
 Fri—The Story of Three Loves, Sat—It Happens Every Thursday, Sun—Mon—Sombro, Tues—The Glass Wall, Wed—Thurs—The Great Sioux Uprising, Children's prog Sat 9:30 am—Pistol Harvest, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sat mat 2:30 pm; Sun mat 3 pm.

HESEN HOMBURG KASERNE
 Fri—The Farmer Takes a Wife, Sat—Fast Company, Sun—Mon—Sombro, Tues—The Story of Three Loves, Wed—Order Happens Every Thursday, Thurs—Law and Order Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat at 2:30 pm.

DOWNS BARRACKS—Fulda
 Fri—Law and Order, Sat—The Glass Wall, Sun—Mon—The Great Sioux Uprising, Tues—Take Me To Town, Wed—Every Minute Counts, Thurs—Francis Covers the Big Town, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 3 pm.

LITTLE THEATER—Buedingen
 Fri—Francis Covers the Big Town, Sat—Cry of the Hunted, Sun—Mon—The Glory Brigade, Tues—Pickup on South Street, Wed—Scandal at Scourie, Thurs—Jamaica Rum, Shows Mon-Fri 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sat & Sun continuous shows 1:30 pm, last complete performance starting 9 pm.

SIGNAL—Hanau Signal Depot
 Fri—Sat—Sombro, Sun—The Story of Three Loves, Mon—It Happens Every Thursday, Tues—Wed—Law and Order, Thurs—The Big Town, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 2:30 pm.

EVENING STAR—Hanau
 Fri—Law and Order, Sat—The Glass Wall, Sun—Mon—The Great Sioux Uprising, Tues—Take Me To Town, Wed—Every Minute Counts, Thurs—Order Happens Every Thursday, Children's prog Sat 9:30 am—Dynamic Pass, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 3 pm.

GIESSEN DETACHMENT
CASTLE THEATER—Butzbach
 Fri—Pickup on South Street, Sat—Scandal at Scourie, Sun—Mon—Jamaica Rum, Tues—The Big Frame, Wed—

Children's Programs

Bonzo Goes to College — Edmund Gwenn, Maureen O'Sullivan, Dynamic Pass — Richard Martin, Honeyhive — Judy Canova, Joan Dixon, Lead — Richard Taylor, Joan Dixon, Ivanhoe (F)—Robert Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor, Jumping Jacks (F)—Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis, Masked Raiders—Tim Holt, Pistol Harvest—Tim Holt, Roy J., Wild Stallion — Ben Johnson, Edgar Buchanan.

FRANKFURT MUNICIPAL

BETTS AREA—Frankfurt
 Fri—Pickup on South Street, Sat—Scandal at Scourie, Sun—Mon—Jamaica Rum, Tues—Wed—Big Frame, Wed—Thurs—Scared Stiff, Shows Mon-Fri 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sun mat 2 pm.

EXLI—Frankfurt
 Fri—Francis Covers the Big Town, Sat—Cry of the Hunted, Sun—Mon—The Glory Brigade, Tues—Pickup on South Street, Wed—Scandal at Scourie, Thurs—Jamaica Rum, Shows Mon-Fri 6:30 & 8:30 pm; Sat & Sun continuous shows 1:30 pm, last complete performance starting 9 pm.

GLOBE—Frankfurt
 Fri—Jamaica Rum, Sat—The Big Frame, Sun—Mon—Scared Stiff, Tues—Siren of Bagdad, Wed—The 49th Man, Thurs—Powder River, Shows 6:30 & 8:30 pm Mon-Fri Sat & Sun continuous from 1:30 pm.

STRAND—Heddernheim
 Fri—Take Me to Town, Sat—Every Minute Counts, Sun—Mon—Francis Covers the Big Town, Tues—Cry of the Hunted, Wed—The Big Frame, Thurs—The Glory Brigade, Children's prog Sat 1 pm—Bonzo Goes to College, Shows Mon-Fri 7:30 pm; Sun mat 1 pm.

Last of Summer Tours Planned for October

An opportunity to visit both Italy and Switzerland has been fashioned into a three-day tour by the Hotel-Plan Leave Center. The group leaves the Hotel-Plan offices in Frankfurt on Thursday evening, October 8 by train, arriving in Lugano the next morning. After lunch at the hotel, a lake steamer cruise has been planned. On Saturday morning, a full day's excursion by bus is scheduled to Milan, Italy, via Lake Como. The tour returns to Lugano in the early evening.

The cost of the entire trip, including meals, rail and bus transportation, hotel accommodations, guide and service charges is \$42 per person.

Black Forest

A two-day bus trip through Germany's famed Black Forest is planned as a short weekend affair with departure planned for Saturday at 1 pm from Frankfurt's main railroad station. The party stays overnight at the Luz Hotel Waldstatt in Friesenstadt.

The next morning the tour continues to Triberg for a sight of the Water Falls. The entire cost of the trip, including hotel, meals and sightseeing, is \$20 per person.

Pilgrimage Tours

The pilgrimage shrines of Lourdes and Fatima are included in Ameropa's 10-day special tour leaving Frankfurt on October 10. The next day the group arrives in Paris. Second-class rail transportation is provided from the French capital to the Spanish border and first class sleeper from the border to Lisbon, arriving there the next day, October 12. Fatima, world-famous shrine, is visited on October 13. The following day is taken up with a sight-seeing tour of the Portuguese capital. On October 14th, the tour entrains for Madrid, via first-class sleeper.

First Class Sleeper

The tour travels first-class sleeper on October 16th to the Spanish border and second-class to Our Lady of Lourdes shrine in France on the 17th. The next day, Sunday, the 18th, is spent in Lourdes, leaving there the next day for Paris and Frankfurt. The entire cost of the tour is \$280 per person.

Ameropa has arranged a 72-hour pass tour to Paris, which is scheduled to leave Frankfurt by bus October 10. The cost of this

trip, which includes a performance at the Folies Bergere, sightseeing trips through the French capital, bus transportation and meals, is \$36.

Additional information on all tours is available at service club tour booths and special services offices.

Enrollments Hit New Mark

The Frankfurt Army Education Center announces a record high of 230 enrollments in University of Maryland courses in the district this month. Of the 230 the highest enrollment was in the elementary German course. Three separate beginning German classes of 20 students each have been started in Frankfurt and Giessen.

Enrollment Figures

Other enrollment figures are: Soviet lands, 24; history of medieval Europe, 34; English Composition and Literature, 17; French 2, 12; German intermediate literature, 11; Algebra, 9; American foreign relations, 31; English 14 (expository writing, 17; and Military logistics, 20.

Stork Stops At The 97th

Sept 14
 Marsha Lee, to Lt and Mrs William H. Mullenbush, Frankfurt/Main.
 Patricia Elizabeth, to Sgt and Mrs Daniel A. Tatarowicz, Frankfurt/Main.
 Elaine Maria, to Lt and Mrs Frank X. Keimig, Bad Nauheim.
 George Richard, to Ed and Mrs Melvin E. Skynner, Gelnhausen.

Sept 15
 Natalie Elizabeth, to M/Sgt and Mrs Curtis T. Johns, Hoechst.
 Gregory Walter, to Sfc and Mrs John D. Tobias, Darmstadt.

Sept 16
 James Paul, to M/Sgt and Mrs Donald P. Huey, Frankfurt/Main.
 William John, to Mr and Mrs Robert G. Grammann, Frankfurt/Main.
 Christine Anita, to Cpl and Mrs George W. Martin, Aachenburg.
 Timothy Michael, to M/Sgt and Mrs Olin D. Stewart, Hedderheim.

Sept 17
 Christine Ann, to Sgt and Mrs John A. Korenko, Frankfurt/Main.
 Mark Allen, to Sgt and Mrs Charles C. Shafer, Bad Hersfeld.
 Gary Walter, to Sfc and Mrs Walter W. Braggdon, Frankfurt/Main.

Sept 18
 Stephen VanDerveer, to Capt and Mrs Warren V. Rock, Regensburg.

Calendar of Events

Grosses Haus, Tel: 9444—Fri, Sept 25, 7:30 pm—"Don Giovanni", Sat, Sept 26, 7 pm—"Wallenstein", Sun, Sept 27, 7:30 pm—"Don Giovanni", Mon—Sept 28, 7:30 pm—"Cost fan tutte", Tues, Sept 29, 8 pm—"Salome", Wed, Sept 30, 7 pm—"Wallenstein", Thurs, Oct 1, 8 pm—"Cost fan tutte", Fri, Oct 2, 8 pm—"Der Barber von Sevilla", Sat, Oct 3, 8 pm—"Madame Butterfly", Sun, Oct 4, 8 pm—"Aristan and Isolde", Mon, Oct 5, 8:30 pm—"Cost fan tutte", Kleines Haus, Tel: 9373—Fri, Sat, Sept 25 & 26, 8 pm—"Geliebte Hexe", Sun, Mon, Tues, Sept 27, 28 & 29, 7:30 pm—"Im Raderwerk", Wed-Sat, Sept 30-Oct 3, 7:30 pm—"Geliebte Hexe", Oct 4—ridenardender dra u umhau Sun, Oct 4, 7:30 pm—"Die Heirat", Mon, Oct 5, 7:30 pm—"Im Raderwerk", Sept 16-Sept 30, Althoff Bau at the Fkt Zoo 3 pm daily, Sat-Sun also 5 pm—"Kalanans" Master of Magic, Sept 24-Sept 29, Frankfurt Fairgrounds (near Rheingau Allee)—Frankfurt Book Fair with 14 countries participating.
 Frankfurt picture Gallery-Staedel at Offenbach, exhibit of modern 1953 Group Art, Modern Art, Abstract Expressionist (continuous exhibit).

DEADLINE
 Announcements must reach the CHRONICLE office by Tuesday noon for publication in the Friday paper.

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Kinderlift Youths End Holiday at GYA Camp

(continued from page 3)
Special Services Section for outstanding athletic performances.

Many organizations and groups in Frankfurt area banded together to provide aid to the boys during their five-week stay in Eschborn. Complete sets of underwear were provided by the US Civilian Council for the youngsters.

Ladies of the Frankfurt Women's Club inaugurated a drive to provide the boys with clothing, shoes and toilet articles during their stay and were aided in their program by the NAC Chaplain Section. Princess Margaret of Hesse also helped to obtain clothing for the youths.

One of the highlights of their stay in Eschborn was an outing on the Rhein River, provided by craft of the US Navy.

The children gained an average of six pounds during their stay at the Eschborn GYA Camp. Some of the boys gained as much as ten and twelve pounds, records showed.

Among the first group of youngsters to leave Frankfurt was 12-year-old Brigitte Winter, who boarded the wrong plane in Berlin at the start of the Kinderlift program. She spent her vacation

with the family of Lt Col N. S. Irey in Frankfurt.

Wolfgang Rohe, one of the Kinderlift boys scheduled to leave the GYA vacation camp for his home in West Berlin is not going. Word has just been received that his parents have moved to Weinsberg near Heilbronn in Wurttemberg-Baden where he is scheduled to join them.

7811 Troops Will Parade To Honor EM

Local NAC personnel who are to receive awards and commendations and personnel leaving the command will be honored with a parade this afternoon at 3 pm on the Frankfurt Athletic Club Field.

Four companies of the 7811 Station Complement Unit will form a composite battalion under Maj F. V. Janacek. The companies will include Company A as color company, along with Companies H, C and B.

Among those receiving good conduct medals at the parade will be Sgt Harold C. Anderson, and Sgt George R. Hartry, with an award of a bronze clasp with two loops; M/Sgt John F. Coffey, M/Sgt Howard F. Holbrook, and M/Sgt John L. Skinner, with three loops; M/Sgt Carl H. Radtke will receive a bronze clasp with four loops.

Travel Uniform Regs Clarified

USAREUR clarified the uniform regulations when traveling through or visiting in foreign countries.

Civilian clothing may be worn in Germany from the air terminal to and aboard the aircraft when traveling on leave or duty status to a country in which the wearing of the uniform is prohibited, except that in the case of travel by air on leave to Switzerland and the Netherlands the uniform should be worn.

The proper uniform should be worn in all cases while en route in Germany to and from the point of aerial embarkation and/or debarkation. Orders directing the wearing of civilian clothing should clearly identify the travel for which the clothing is authorized.

Guest Speaker for YFC

Rev Walter Frank, representative in Germany for Youth for Christ International will give his farewell message at the Youth for Christ meeting this Saturday at 7:30 pm.

The meeting will be held at the Holzhausen School at Bremer and Eschersheimerlandstrasse, 1 block south of WAC Circle.

Allowances Cut For Utility Use

The utilities allowance for this fiscal year has been reduced. The allowance reduction requires an effort on the part of everyone concerned to conserve utilities to the maximum. This may be accomplished by constant vigilance in turning off unnecessary lights, stove burners not in use and running water faucets.

During the coming heating season it is essential to conserve coal by keeping doors and windows closed and advising the firemen when the temperature is too high. Coal is expensive and every dollar spent on it reduces the amount of funds on hand to effect repairs of dependent quarters and troop billets.

Red Cross Begins Christmas Plans

The Red Cross has made a careful count of the shipping days left until Christmas and started stuffing stockings with Christmas gifts for men in overseas hospitals and isolated outposts.

In addition, field offices will distribute 914,000 Christmas cards donated by the card industry to patients in stateside military hospitals soon enough that they can send the cards to loved ones.

Also underway is a program to ship 50,000 gift boxes to servicemen who will be at sea or on their way to foreign bases on Christmas Day. Some of this years outgoing supply of gifts will be delivered to remote Arctic stations by air drops. (AFPS)

They're On Their Way!

Arrivals

Capt Bender, William R.; Capt Galpin, Robert E.; Lt Denison, Alice T.; Lt Hallman, Jesse R.; Pvt Keifer, Donald C.; Pvt Jolls, Raymond A.; Pvt Lilley, Glenn F.; Pvt Sutton, John W.; Pvt Boegner, Ernest E.; Pvt Betts, Bill D.; Pvt Richard, Francis D.; Pvt Hawkesworth, William L.; Pvt York, Harold E.; Pvt Ohhoven, Wilbert J.; Pvt Watkins Jr, Edward F.; Pvt Vrecko, Vincent P.; Pvt Feimater, Ross A.; Pvt Rice, Dale E.; Pvt Hybell, Larry L.

Departures

Maj Clark, Paul; Sfc Panelli, Maurice; M/Sgt Geary, Patrick W.; M/Sgt Gray, William D.; Cpl Locher, Sigurd G.; Sfc Massenillo, Howard L.; Sfc Murricks, Robert T.; Cpl Ryan, Philip W.; Lt Roth Jr, Alfred H.; Pfc Rortune, Joseph L.; Pvt Koester, Donald R.; Pfc Trammel, Harry G.; Pvt Plano, Donald D.; Pfc Sechner, Lothar; Cpl Tissot, Samuel E.; Cpl Houser, Clifford E.; Pfc Zeil, Edward A.; Cpl Marzucco, Anthony F.; Cpl Irwin, Robert P.; Pfc Culver, Marvin D.; Pfc Somrack, Donald L.; Pvt Weber, Raymond C.; Cpl Barrett, Willard E.; Cpl Buffey, Vernon T.; Pvt Cuttor, Robert W.; Pfc Machado, Eladio A.; Cpl Schmitt, William F.; Cpl Silverman, Clarence; Pfc Foelgen, Lloyd R.; Pfc Richmond, Levi R.; Cpl Krudys, Steven L.; Cpl Price, Maurice P.; Cpl Heidenreich, Donald L.; Pfc Johnson, Robert L.; Cpl Nahod, Eli; Pfc Poinston, Guy R.; Cpl Bachman, Harold R.; Jr; Cpl Metz, Carl W.; Cpl Pevokla, Michael E.; Cpl Smith, Daniel R.; Pvt Decker, Clarence A.; Pfc Jackson, James E.; Cpl Huff, Roland R.

Special Events to Mark 12th Year for MP Corps

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150 military police battalions and more than 900 military-police units were activated. From a total of three battalions and four separate companies in September of 1941, the Corps grew to a peak strength in June, 1945, of some 20,000 enlisted men and 9,250 officers.

Since VJ-day, the Corps of Military Police declined in numbers to 2,078 officers and 19,630 enlisted personnel in October of 1947. With the start of the Korean conflict, the size of the MP Corps

again increased. On June 19, 1948, the chief of staff approved the continuation of the Corps of Military Police as a part of the permanent established military installation.

Congressional approval has since been given for the action. The primary function of the Corps of Military Police is the maintenance of law and order, the protection of property, and the prevention and investigation of crime within the Army.

Officers and enlisted men of the Corps of Military are provided military and specialist training

appropriate to their branch at the Provost Marshal General's School, Camp Gordon, Ga. In addition to basic courses, the school provides advanced instruction at the field-grade level.

The school also trains officers and NCOs in criminal and special investigative techniques, and in guard house administrative and operational procedures, and military government. Selected officers are given specialized training in police-trained engineering, polygraph operation, radiological safety, industrial mobilization, and scientific criminal investigation.

Intelligence School

Where such training cannot be given within the service, special courses are conducted at approved civilian institutions. In Europe, MP personnel are trained at the USAREUR Military Police and Intelligence School in Oberammergau, Germany.

One of the Army's best-known MP units is the 709th Military Police Battalion, an organization which has been in Germany since World War II. Trained in all phases of patrol duty, security functions and field operations, the organization is supplemented by the 537th Military Police Company.

Another crack organization is the 540th Military Police Railway Guard Battalion, a unit that provides security for the shipment of Army supplies and equipment within Europe. Men of the unit also guard duty trains on the continent.

Officers and men of the 7751 Military Police Customs Unit handle customs controls in the US Zone of Germany for US and allied personnel. The organization operates at all border crossing points, Rhein-Main Airport, and Bremerhaven.

27th MP Crime Lab

A highly trained group of technicians make up the 27th MP Crime Laboratory and render scientific crime detection assistance to the various criminal investigation units operating throughout Europe.

The 52nd Military Police Criminal Investigation Detachment is one of the top operational criminal investigative units in Germany. The organization is composed of men possessing broad backgrounds in the investigative field and has attained an outstanding unit mark in the field of crime prevention and solution.

Also located in Frankfurt is the 4th Military Police Company, an organization that controls traffic, apprehends stragglers and is trained for the handling of prisoners of war. It is a unit of the crack 4th Inf Div.

Signal Agency CO Now Full Colonel

The eagles of a full colonel are now being worn by Horace M. Wood, commander of the 7795 Signal Supply Control Agency.

Col Wood's temporary promotion, effective on August 25, comes after 13 years of active duty. An electronics engineer in civilian life, Col Wood wears the Bronze Star Medal, Commandation ribbon, and French Croix de Guerre with Star as the result of World War II service.

QM INSPECTION

L. E. Taylor, safety director for USAREUR Quartermaster Division, was a visitor at the Giessen Quartermaster Depot this week.

His 8-day stay at the depot was part of the regular semi-annual safety inspection of all USAREUR Quartermaster installations.



WAC INSPECTION—Lt Col Mary L. Milligan (left), USAREUR WAC Staff Advisor is shown athletic trophies of Co H, 7811 SCU, by M/Sgt Irene F. La Bae, first Sgt of Co H. Col Milligan inspected the company this week. (Army photo by Hutchinson)

Suggestors Are Honored For Money Saving Ideas

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F. Melzig, of the Engineer Section, an award of 121 DM. Melzig noticed that heating controls were lacking on warm-water boilers at the Rheingau Allee power plant and came to the conclusion that fuel was being wasted. His suggestion of installing thermostats in the steam pipe lines will save 2,400 DM in fuel costs.

Mr Julien Zboinski, German employee of the Ordnance Section, decided that two hours was too long a time to spend in dismantling a speedometer cable from the handbrake drum of various vehicles. He figured out a way to do the job in five minutes with a special device constructed especially for the operation. His suggestion will save 842 DM yearly and won him 42 DM.

Another Ordnance operation was improved when Mr Karl Ruhl saw that 3/4-ton Dodge truck transfer cases had to be taken apart when oil seals were replaced. He also noted that gaskets were ruined during the operation. His idea, built around a tool he made, allows for the removal of oil seals without disassembly of the transfer case and also saves the cost of new oil seals. He was awarded 169 DM for his suggestion which will save 3,378 DM yearly.

Mr Karl Linneweber, of Kassel Detachment, won 35 DM for a suggestion which will save the Army 690 DM yearly. He saw that paint was stored 80 yards away from the issue point, and suggested that it be moved to an empty space 20 yards away from the issue center.

Capt Claud T. Birdsong, of the

Ordnance Section, applied the techniques of work simplification to the operations of maintenance contact teams and worked out a consolidation program which will save the Army 100,000 DM yearly. Teams were once located in Giessen, Bad Nauheim, Fulda, Hersfeld and Frankfurt, but have now been consolidated to three, in Frankfurt, Kassel and Giessen.

QM Units Get Safety Awards

Safety awards took the spotlight at the Giessen Quartermaster Depot recently as figures for the second quarter, 1953, were totalled.

Miscellaneous Services Office, with 312,229 accident-free man-hours was awarded the plaque for minor divisions. Stock Control, with 135,659, took the banner for major divisions.

Col Mark A. H. Smith, depot commander, presented the plaque to Lt Col Ned I. Looney, depot executive officer and chief of miscellaneous services, as members of the five branches stood by. Representing the various branches were: Maj E. E. Moreland, depot property & purchasing; Lt C. E. Oliver, motor pool & maintenance; CWO Virgil A. D. Young, depot facilities; Sgt Curtis G. Lemar, veterinary; and D/A civilian Horst Volkhard, security.

Col Smith then presented the safety banner to Maj Victor W. Hummel, assistant chief, stock control division.