

there now, there can be no doubt that with the progressive tightening of the situation radical purges will follow according to plan. After all, it is well known that Moscow issues the same fatherly guidance to all its Communist children. In short, it is now the turn of the gentlemen from Pankew. The assignment of responsible offices in state and Party becomes less attractive from day to day. A racy BMW (Soviet Zone automobile) and a villa with a bodyguard do not make up for a prolonged retirement in Siberia and still less for a death by hanging. All those who today still express their indignation at higher headquarters over the actions of their comrades, in order to avoid similar fates, can very well be made to assume the role of accused in show trials by threatening prosecutors. This is the story and nobody can or wants to help them. He who sells himself to the system has no right to complain if the system kills him. All these supercomrades sit in a train whose engineer once in a while takes pleasure in dumping a few passengers on the tracks.

"It has sometimes been said that the Communist dictatorship enjoys a factor which, although bad in nature, puts it ahead of the democracies. That is the possibility of giving orders without parliamentary procedure with its wear and tear. This advantage, which the democracies according to their very nature have given up voluntarily, is also voluntarily relinquished by the Communists because they wear out themselves and each other. Not only has the revolution devoured its own children, but the system which evolved from the revolution has not relinquished the maintenance of this tradition. Pankow is now going to find out how high the cost of this procedure will be. Good Evening!"

A feature of vital interest to Soviet Zone residents, unmasking Communist agents is the

W a r n i n g S e r v i c e,

part of the Soviet Zone program "Berlin Speaks to the Zone."

1st SPEAKER: In conclusion, warnings from the East Bureau of the Social Democratic Party.

2nd SPEAKER: Attention, Niesky, - attention, Niesky!

- 1st SPEAKER: Johannes B R U E C K N E R - Brueckner. Lives on Zinsendorfer-Platz. Is setting up a State Security Service office in Niesky. This is located in the buildings of the County Economic Enterprise on Koenigshainerstrasse.
- 2nd SPEAKER: Erna H O E R G O T T - Hoergott, born Popitz, Brueckner's secretary in the county police headquarters. Married to
- 1st SPEAKER: Commissar H O E R G O T T - Hoergott, former head of Department K 5. About 32 years old. Both have connections with the State Security Service.
- 2nd SPEAKER: Attention, Glauchau - attention, Glauchau!
- 1st SPEAKER: The SSD office is located in the villa formerly occupied by factory director Goermann, on Plantagenstrasse. The head of the office is
- 2nd SPEAKER: M I T T A G - Mittag, former head of Department K 5. Lives in Glauchau-Rotenbach. His deputy is
- 1st SPEAKER: Richard N O E T Z E L - Noetzel. Lives at Lungwitzerstrasse 30. Fanatical SED man.
- 2nd SPEAKER: Attention, Weisswasser - attention, Weisswasser, Oberlausitz!
- 1st SPEAKER: Police Inspector M A C K - Mack. In charge of certain FDJ activities.
- 2nd SPEAKER: Attention, Calau - attention, Calau, Niederlausitz!
- 1st SPEAKER: Gustav M U E H L B R E D T - Muehlbrecht. Lives on Bahnhofstrasse. Now in Senftenberg as head of the works police at the Ilse Mines.
- 2nd SPEAKER: Further warnings follow.

Pinsel and Schnorchel

For more than two years "Comrades Pinsel and Schnorchel" - the two 250% Communists - have brought chuckles to East and West German listeners. Every Saturday evening RIAS broadcasts a conversation between the two, usually meeting in the tavern "Ye Olde Red Mill." Schnorchel