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German Guest Visits B'ham On State Department Tour

By KAY REED

Mrs. Maria Kehren of Dusseldorf, Germany, is a very pleasant person. But when you ask her why she left her husband and three daughters and crossed the Atlantic to spend seven weeks touring the United States, she is the essence of determination.

Speaking softly in only slightly accented English, Mrs. Kehren states simply but positively, "Because it is our last chance."

This German housewife, a graduate of the University of Konigsberg and formerly a teacher of commercial subjects, believes time is running out on Europe.

PEACE AND, above all, freedom can come only through the workings of democratic processes. And the Germans, like many other European countries, find it hard to help themselves after centuries of being ruled.

The slang expression "let George do it" is a deep rooted reality abroad. Adding to the lethargy is the tremendous scar of the war, ruined cities, personal loss and general confusion.

BUT MRS. KEHREN, chosen by the women's organizations of her district of North Rhine-Westphalia to participate in the exchange program of the Women's Bureau of the United States State Department, is a firm believer that democratic action can take root in Germany.

She reminds us that Russian armies are only a day's march from the Rhine and feels that only unity in the satellites keeps them from overrunning Europe. The respite may be only temporary however, and Mrs. Kehren repeats, "This is our last chance."

And the danger is not only from the Russian sphere, but in Germany itself. After the terrorism of the Nazi regime, Mrs. Kehren points out that it could, but must not, happen again. Self government in even the smallest unit is essential for a peaceful, prosperous nation.

HER PRIMARY interests for observation in this country were women's organizations, schools, parent-teacher groups, and community action.

Together with the others participating in the State department program, Mrs. Kehren spent ten days in Washington, D.C., studying at first hand American history, economics and international policy. Of particular interest to her was a visit to the vocational high school where she found "better relationship between teacher and student" than exists abroad.

GENEVA, N.Y., where a conference of teachers and professors was in session was her next stop. Mrs. Kehren considered the panel discussions and workshops on the proposition "America Can Be Built Through Better Communities" to be the high point of her trip.

After a weekend at Niagara Falls ("Ah, the honeymoon place," she said with a smile), the group

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It is not known just what made him fall, but fellow workmen believe the ladder tilted as he attempted to climb down from the roof. He fell about 12 feet to the concrete but was not hurt seriously.

He was taken to St. Joseph's hospital but returned to the job the same afternoon. A bit later he went home to rest.

Several weeks ago, a truck driver delivering supplies to the Kresge site was accidentally electrocuted as he stood along side a crane whose boom momentarily touched overhead high voltage wires.

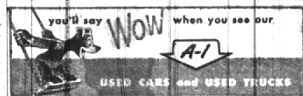
Accept Low Bid On Water Line

A contract to construct an eight-inch water main at Lincoln from Eton east to the Braund property was awarded to the low bidder, L. Keworkian of Pontiac, by city commissioners Monday night. The project also will include installation of two fire hydrants and an eight-inch sewer line.

Keworkian's bid was \$5,409. Are you thinking of buying a new home? Then read the "For Sale—Homes" columns on the Classified Ad page of this week's Eccentric.



ANNOUNCEMENT HAS BEEN received from Hq. Tenth Air Force and from Mg. Air Training Command of the promotion of Lt. Colonel James R. Patterson, 967 Southfield, to full Colonel, Col. Patterson has been stationed at Sampson Air Force Base, N.Y., for the past 27 months where he has been commanding the 865th Group. He has now been assigned as Assistant Chief of Staff, Bq. Air Training Command, Scott Air Force Base, Ill. He is the son of Garrett Wellington Patterson, formerly of Birmingham, and now living in Beechfield Beach, Fla.



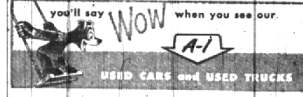
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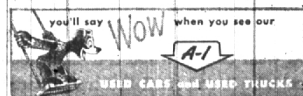
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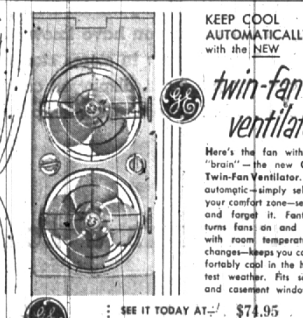
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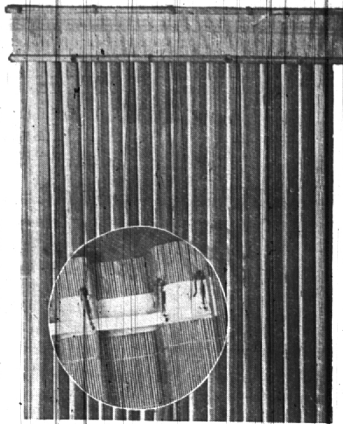
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