

W. GERMAN EXPELLED FROM GDR

HAMBURG, SEPT 2, REUTER -- HERR JOST NOLTE, THEATRE AND LITERARY CRITIC OF THE WEST GERMAN NEWSPAPER DIE WELT, WAS EXPELLED FROM EAST GERMANY LAST NIGHT BECAUSE OF AN UNFAVOURABLE COMPARISON HE HAD MADE ABOUT THE SOVIET AND NAZI INVASIONS OF CZECHOSLOVAKIA.

HERR NOLTE SAID HERE TODAY HE HAD BEEN CALLED TO THE PRESS OFFICE OF THE LEIPZIG FAIR WITHIN TWO HOURS OF HIS ARRIVAL AND TOLD TO GET OUT.

THE COMPARISON, WHICH HERR NOLTE HAD DOCUMENTED LAST WEEK WITH EDITIONS OF NEUES DEUTSCHLAND, THE MAIN EAST GERMAN COMMUNIST NEWSPAPER, AND THE NAZI NEWSPAPER VOELKISCHER BEOBACHTER, HAD BEEN GIVEN AS REASON FOR THE EXPULSION BY THE EAST GERMAN AUTHORITIES, HE SAID.

PRAGUE GIVES CONCERT IN FLORENCE

FLORENCE, ITALY, SEPT 2 (UPI) - THE "KUHNUV" CHOIR FROM PRAGUE, DIRECTED BY PAVEL KUHN, GAVE A CONCERT SUUNDAY AT THE MUNICIPAL THEATER.

THE CHOIR, ONE OF THE WINNERS AT THE INTERNATIONAL CHORAL CONTEST AT AREZZO, WAS SPECIALLY INVITED BY MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES TO SHOW THE CITY'S SOLIDARITY WITH THE CZECHOSLOVAK PEOPLE.

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