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that many young people have left the CDU because it is too closely connected with the church and with some of the Allies. It was also stated that there must be a certain degree of cooperation with the FDJ.

4. Among Berlin CDU youth there is sentiment in favor of retaining the Youth Committees rather than sanctioning the FDJ and other youth organizations. The Deutscher Jugend Bund, sponsored by Dr. Plewe, pre-Hitler Boy Scout official, has the unofficial backing of the CDU. In Berlin it is planned to have a CDU Sports Committee which will cooperate with Dr. Plewe.
5. Heinrich Keul's proposed Pan-European Youth is less and less popular in CDU youth circles. The Pan-European Youth Movement has laid plans for a journal and is waiting now for a license. The SED considers the "Pan-European Youth" just another form of anti-Russian "Western Bloc" backed by the CDU.
6. A former Hitler Youth leader, Heinz Brenneke, attended the FDJ school at the Bogensee, north of Berlin, where he was unpopular because of his SPD leanings. He tried then to reorganize the Youth Home at 181 Brunnenstrasse (Russian Sector) which, according to source, is immoral. SED youth leaders kept Brenneke from cleaning up the Brunnenstrasse home. Thereupon, Brenneke set up a new youth home at the corner of Gartenstrasse and Invalidenstrasse in the Russian Sector, where he plans eventually to re-found the Rote Falken (SPD Youth).

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