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Germans continue medal sweep

Speedskating record falls

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SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia -After three Olympics, Andrea Schoene, one of East Germany's prolific speedskating medal gatherers, Wednesday finally won a gold medal at the Winter Games

With an Olympic record time of four minutes 24.79 seconds, she won the 3,000 meter race, the last of the women's titles to be decided. Teammate Karin Enke, the earlier winner of two gold medals at the 1,000 and 1,500 meters, in which Schoene placed second, took the silver medal

Enke put in a powerful last lap, but with 4:26.33 had to be

content with her second silver ment, was happy Schoene had of the Games. Teammate at last won a gold. She said: "I Christa Rothenburger had edged Enke out for the gold in the 500m.

East Germany completed a sweep of all gold and silver medals in the women's speedskating events. It was the first time any country had swept that sector since 1964, when the Soviet Union's Lydia Skoblikova won all the events.

Mary Docter of Madison, Wis., finished sixth.

Enke, who had looked good

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wanted to win my third gold here, but was glad I lost it to Andrea.'

To make it a total East German triumph, Gabi Schoenbrunn, the world record holder, collected the 3,000 meter bronze in 4:33.13, off her 4:21.70 set at the high altitude Medeo track in the Soviet Union last year. The Olympic record, which both Schoene and Enke smashed, was 4:32.13 set by Norway's Bjoerg Eva Jen-sen at Lake Placid, N.Y., in enough before the Games to match Skoblikova's achieve-seventh place here with 4:36.28.



SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia — A

rare mishap to world champion Gerry Sorensen of Canada com-apart, in an increasingly desperbined with fog Wednesday to force a second postponement of the Women's Olympic downhill and throw the Alpine competition into utter chaos and angry recriminations.

The much-delayed Alpine races were already in sufficient confusion from last week's snowstorms when Sorensen, one of the strongest skiers racing and a highly-consistent finisher, lost a ski at a dangerous and invisible bump on the course.

She was the ninth of the 32 competitors to race, but the incident provoked a delay to repair the course, a complete res-tart and, when bad weather prevented that, a postponement of the race.

The race jury and team captains met later and decided to

downhill on Thursday, on ate attempt to complete the Alpine program before the Games end Sunday.

The Swiss, whose Michela Figini was leading when the race was halted, and other teams were furious with yet anrupted while the course was more properly prepared.

The Canadians simply requested a second run for Sorensen, but the jury — headed by American Hank Tauber quickly ordered a complete res-

As fog descended even further down Mount Jahorina, top-ranked group to set out. French Coach Sylvain Dao- She set a time of one minute Lena said conditions were so dangerous he would not allow his three racers to compete at the other top racers who comthe re-start time, two hours afhold both the women's downhill ter its original scheduled start.

racing was impossible — partic-ularly at the fog-shrouded bend where Sorensen crashed — and called off the downhill for the day

Originally scheduled for last Saturday but put back because of snowstorms, conditions seemed sufficiently good at noon Wednesday to hold the other delay, arguing that the race. Six forerunners went race should merely be inter- down the track, followed by six of the lower-ranked skiers to cut a line for the more-favored

racers. Czechoslovakia's Ivana Valesova hit the bump, which later proved so controversial, and lost her right ski, but the race went ahead - or really began when Figini was the first of the

15.18 seconds, more than 1.5 seconds quicker than either of pleted the course - Holly Beth Flanders of the United States

America buys Swiss bobsle

United Press International

SARAJEVO, Yugoslavia United States' chances in the Olympic 4-man bobsled competition, due to start Friday, received a big boost Tuesday with termediary, and Hiltebrand, the acquisition of reserve Swiss sole owner and designer of the driver Hans Hiltebrand's sled.

Tuesday to record the fastest time of the four 4-man training runs on the Trebevic bob-luge

However, Hiltebrand trained

only as part of the reserve crew on the Swiss team.

The transaction that brought the sled into U.S. team possession was made through an inriver Hans Hiltebrand's sled. sled, reportedly received Hiltebrand, used the sled \$10,000 in the deal.

The No. 1 United States team piloted by Jeff Jost, Burke, N.Y. will use the sled in Wednesday's two training runs and in the competition.

"It is much faster off the start than our sled," said Yost, who along with his crew practiced starts with the sled after Tuesday's third training run was cancelled. "It is aerodynamically clean. We just have to get familiar with it before we race

While the United States team was ecstatic over its acquisition, Swiss crew Coach Werner Camichel expressed displeasure.

The United Stat won a medal in bobsled competition

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Robertson leads Hogs to victor

United Press International

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. Alvin Robertson scored 27 points Wednesday night, including 18 in the second half, to Razorbacks to a 55-48 Southwest Conference basketball victory over Texas Christian.

Robertson gave Arkansas the lead with 15:06 left in the game after the Razorbacks trailed the Horned Frogs for more than 10 minutes. He later responded

with eight straight points to added 14. boost the Arkansas lead to 49-38

Arkansas, which upset topranked North Carolina on Sunlead the 13th-ranked Arkansas day, improved to 20-4 overall and 10-1 in the SWC to remain game behind fourth-ranked Houston. TCU dropped to 9-14 overall and 2-10 in the conference.

> Joe Kleine had nine points for the Razorbacks and eight rebounds, which tied him with Robertson for rebounding honors. Tracy Mitchell paced the Horned Frog bombers with 17 points, while Dennis Nutt

five points on three occasions in margin of the the first half, but TCU tied the score at 15-all with 9:22 left on a four minutes left drive by Mitchell. The Horned jumper by fres Frogs then reeled off six unanswered points for a 21-15 lead with 6:44 left.

Arkansas had a chance to take the halftime lead as Rob-ertson went in for an uncontested stuff. But Keenan De-Bose was called for a personal foul in the backcourt and Mitchell hit both TCU free throws for a 28-25 halftime advantage.

Arkansas led by as many as with 6:15 left was Brooks, but a Ra game and the r throws allowed push the advanta double digits with minute remaining. "Every year,

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games is one of ou Arkansas coach Edd 'Across the nation, i nized that if a team games, it has been af son. But I hope our satisfied and we

more.' Sutton said the Ra worked hard to put Carolina victory behi "Yesterday at prac tioned our team to Carolina out of their was difficult because

on campus is talking game and is still excit

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tonight." Arkansas shot cent from the field

half and finished 50-percent. Arkansa

great game, and our was solid," Sutton said

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