

AUGSBURG

AFTERMATH OF ATROCITY

At Augsburg, Ilse Koch, who made lampshades out of human skins, now faces trial by her own people in a German court. Widow of the Butcher of Buchenwald she's accused of instigating murder, and other atrocities. Despite a sudden frenzy (thought to be an attempt to feign madness) the trial goes on.

In Poland, people of 22 nations visit Auschwitz, to pay tribute to the countless thousands deliberately and methodically put to death in this one-time Nazi horror camp, their pitiful possessions - even to the gold in their teeth - salvaged and recorded. Today, Auschwitz stands as a grim warning to an uneasy world. Auschwitz may be closed, but there are other camps of despair where men and women live as beasts of burden, and die as a number struck from an unfeeling list.