AFRICAN LIBERATION DAY: Six hundred people turned out for May 24 African Liberation Day activities in Washington, D.C., sponsored by the African Liberation Support Committee. Demonstrators marched through the Black community to a rally in Malcolm X Park. Unlike past African Liberation Days, which focused on support for liberation struggles in Africa, this year's demonstration featured a number of slogans, including "Tenants fight rent hikes," "Lower prices at Safeway," "Long live the Vietnam victory." "Victory to the struggle of the African people." and "U.S. out of Africa."

Contingents of about 150 Ethiopian and Eritrean students led the march. Also participating were the Iranian Students Organization, Congress of African People, Student Coalition Against Racism, February First Movement, Coalition of Labor Union Women, the Young Socialist Alliance, and the Socialist Workers party.