

FASCISTS SPLIT IN GERMANY ON HITLER'S RULE

Powerful Organization Is
Periled by Revolt of
Key Detachment.

By United Press

BERLIN, April 2.—The Fascist party of Adolf Hitler—recently become one of the most powerful political organizations in Germany—was split today by a rebellion of part of its Berlin and east German forces.

Captain Walter Stennes, who had been dismissed by Hitler, led the rebellion, which seriously threatened to disrupt the military-like organization of the Fascist storm detachments.

Hitler's dismissal on Wednesday of Stennes, who was in command of the Berlin and eastern German storm troops, aroused partisans of the ousted lieutenant and led to the revolt movement.

Stennes' announcement said he had assumed command of the Fascist "storm squads" in Berlin, Mecklenburg, Pomerania, Brandenburg and Silesia. He blamed the rebellion on Hitler's "breach of faith."

The rift came at an inopportune time for the Fascists, in view of the fact that only Wednesday the state government of Thuringia—the first in which Fascist ministers had participated—was overthrown in a campaign against the Hitlerites.

CITY COURT FINES HIKED 25 PER CENT

Increase Is Announced by Deputies
in Clerk's Office.

Twenty-five per cent increase in fines paid in two municipal courts since Jan. 1, as compared with the amount collected for the first three months of last year, was announced today by clerk's office deputies.

The total collected since Jan. 1 is \$24,750. The 1930 figure was \$19,026. Judge Clifton R. Cameron levied fines totaling \$9,450 for the first quarter, while Judge Paul C. Wetter assessed monetary judgments of \$14,867.50.

Of the fines collected, \$12,246.50 will be turned over to the common school fund. In the same period in 1930, \$9,993 were donated to the fund.

Alumni Hear Leslie

By United Press

HAMMOND, Ind., April 2.—Speaking at the annual banquet of the Lake County Purdue Alumni Association here Wednesday night, Governor Harry G. Leslie declared the Calumet region of Indiana will be the nation's greatest industrial center.

BINNY HAD THINGS TO WORRY HIM SICK

A New Southern Writer Gives Two Women a Chance to
Compete With Moral Standards and Ideas of Life.

BY WALTER D. HICKMAN

A DAUGHTER and a stepmother is a nice pickle for any man to solve, whether it be in life or a novel.

But let the daughter as Joel have a haughty and a strange temperament and the "mess" is more of a mess.

Let the stepmother have brains, beauty and the modern sense of loving her rich husband (not too rich) and the ability to attach a man to her by the strength of her beauty and ideas and the "mess" gets even worse.

This happens under the same roof in Binn McElroy's home in New Orleans, as told by Gladys Knight in "Binny's Women," published by the Century Company.

You will find that the author has created in Joel, the daughter of Binny, one of those strange moderns who at the age of 18 thinks she understands life and that she is only a problem.

Here is not a "gin modern" but a girl who keeps away from all the wildness of sex. She cheats only in her mental capacity to adjust herself to her own life.

The result is that her ideas bring only death and grief into the home of Binny, this very honest and wholesome contractor who discovered at an advanced age that he needed another wife.

And so he married a girl of "nice people" in St. Louis and brought her home to share the roof with his own daughter.

Then the battle of hate and pride and even opportunity to control Binny comes to the front.

Death kept Binny from knowing the truth of this battle and his will was another link in the chain of bondage of Joel to her stepmother.

Was Joel right? Was her stepmother right? That is the problem that Gladys Knight has tackled in this very strange story of female conflict over a man.

And in this case the women of Binny was his own daughter and his second wife, his first having died when Joel was just a baby. Here is a novel of intense power, filled with the terrible combat fighting over a man who did not mean "sex" to either woman.

Here is not a neurotic story, but a straightforward account of a battle of two women under one roof. To me it is a startling discovery of a new power in story telling.

I hated Joel. I hated her stepmother. But I understood the motives and the power employed by both women to "master," or to keep on the right side of this remarkable man.

Here is a story of startling strength into a subject that is as old as the hills.

Here is a battle that is commanding in its strength and its honesty.

Here is a book that invites and takes you on a new excursion over the old and very ancient hills of domestic strife.

Read this one and meet a new author who will grow.

Indianapolis theaters today offer: "Lonely Wives," at the Lyric; "June Moon," at the Indiana; "Beau Ideal," at the Circle; "Parlor, Bedroom and Bath," at the Palace; "Doctor's Wives," at the Apollo; double movie bill at the Ohio; movies at the Colonial, and burlesque at the Mutual.

FIND \$2,000 IN BURGLARY LOOT; TWO ARE HELD

Suspect Pair in Louisville
of Plundering City
Homes.

Detectives today were in custody of stolen goods valued at \$2,000 found Wednesday in the home of Clarence J. Cones, 23, at 2309 East Thirty-eighth street, who, with Roy Lockwood, 24, of 1833 Lambert street, is held in Louisville on larceny charges.

Included in the plunder were radios, clothing, jewelry, and household effects. Police say Cones and Lockwood are members of a gang that operated in Cincinnati, St.

Louis, Louisville and Indianapolis.

Radio solved a theft quickly Wednesday night, according to Sergeant Dan Cummings, whose squad arrested three Negroes on burglary, larceny and vagrancy charges within a few minutes after they are alleged to have run from the Barton hotel tailor shop with clothing valued at \$130.

Held are: Frank Majors, 20, of 431 West Michigan street; Richard Robinson, 18, of 851 West Michigan street, and Bert Weathers, 19, of 519½ Ogden street. The clothing was recovered at 306 East Michigan street.

Ora Johnson, 1126 North Beville avenue, collector for the Standard Grocery Company, staved off a hold-up attempt at Nineteenth street, and Ashland avenue Wednesday, driving in front of the bandit car which issued an order, "Pull over to the curb," and drawing his own gun on the bandits. They fled.

Two Negroes in an automobile asked Roy Barnett, 524 East Michigan street, the way to State Road 67, Wednesday night. He told them and then surrendered \$6 when they produced guns.

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Betty Compton Gets Divorce

By United Press

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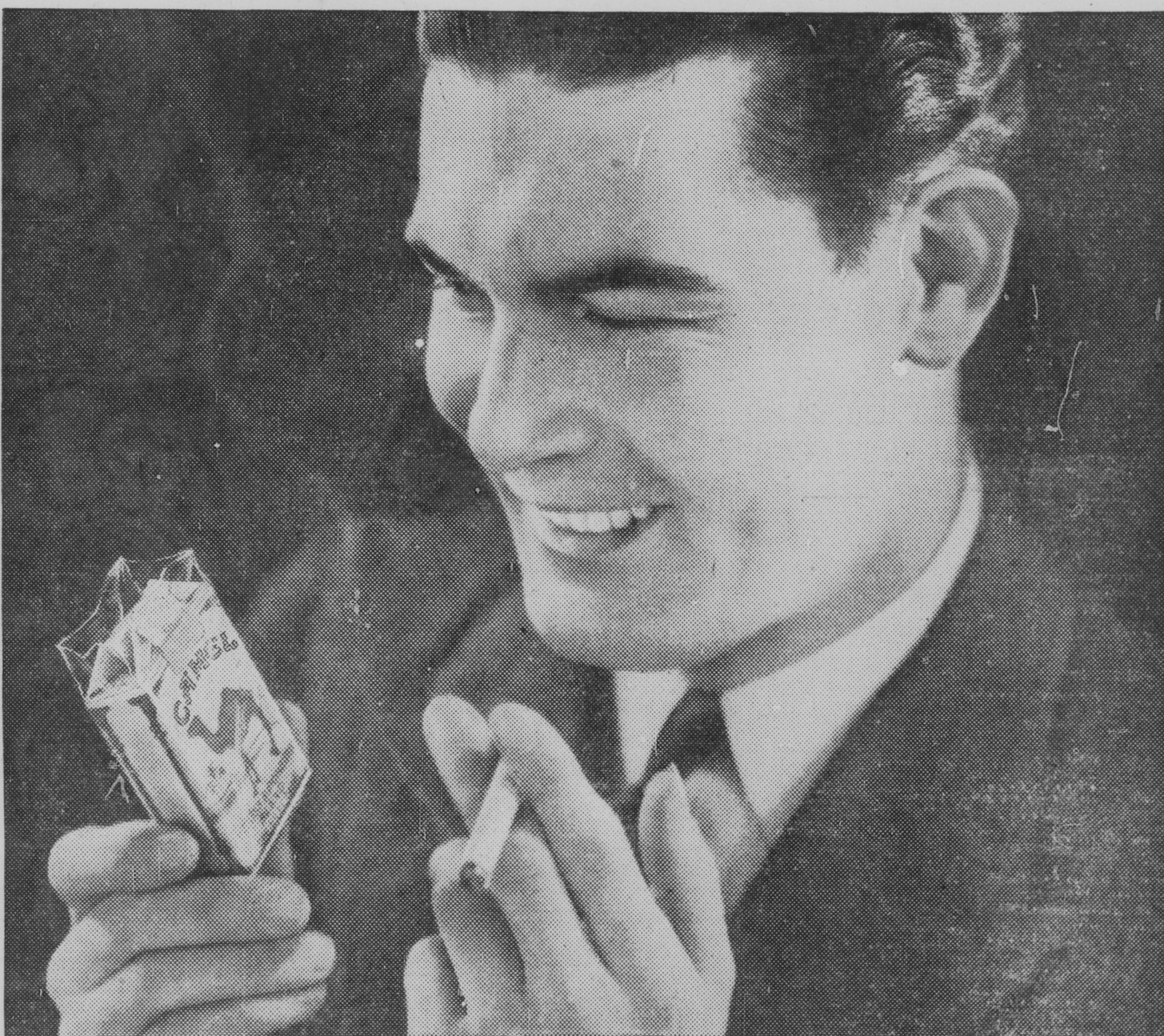
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