

Streicher's One-Time Romance With Nazi Beauty Disclosed in Letters; Actress Under Arrest

Editor's Note: In the following chapter of his inside story on Julius Streicher, Liene Casarin bares for the first time the details of the Nazi war criminal's romance with Leni Riefenstahl, one-time German film beauty.

CHAPTER FIVE
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NEW YORK, Nov. 9 (INS)—The details of Julius Streicher's romance with Leni Riefenstahl, beautiful czarina of German's film industry, are contained in a bizarre series of letters among the files I found at Streicher's estate.

While the actress' name has been linked with many leading dignitaries including Adolf Hitler himself, her connection with Streicher had never before been mentioned and is revealed here for the first time.

As owner of the leading anti-Semitic newspaper, Der Stuermer, Streicher was one of the wealthiest publishers in Germany. Leni's first contact with Streicher was in an effort to get her book published. On Nov. 15, 1940, the gauleiter replies to her letter, addressing her formally as "Dear Leni Riefenstahl."

By the following spring the romance had evidently blossomed and Streicher's greeting was much warmer. His letter of April 8, 1941, begins: "Dearest Leni," and says: "At the moment I am lying on the same chaise longue on which you poured out your soul to me, and I am thinking of you." It ends with "Greetings and



Among the files of private documents and correspondence found in Julius Streicher's home near Nuernberg by Lt. Daniel Causin were carbon copies of numerous intimate letters written by the No. 1 Jew-baiter of Nazi Germany to Leni Riefenstahl (above), German movie actress who was appointed directress of Nazi party photography by Hitler. Leni was arrested by U. S. army authorities during the final collapse of Germany, but disclaimed any connection with the Nazi party. She is still under surveillance.

kisses, Your Julius," and expresses regret over her "illness." But Streicher did not yet know the nature of Leni's "illness." This he discovered during his next

rendevouz with her. In his next letter to the actress how startled he is to have discovered that she has become addicted to narcotics. The letter is dated May 26, 1941, and says:

"Today I can tell you honestly that I was appalled when, during your last visit here, you showed me your arms with the small red dots. It revealed to me to what depths you had sunk. There are ways which make it possible to rid yourself of the poisonous drug. It is important that through courage and decision you preserve yourself in the long run, for the German people and for a long time.

Letters Cool Off
"Many years ago I advised party member, Reich Treasurer Schwarz (Xaver Schwarz, one of Streicher's best friends, was also treasurer of the Nazi party) to seek a cure in Bad Woerishofen. He never regretted this decision. If I were in your place I would go there too."

Streicher's tone became somewhat cooler after this. His correspondence lagged and finally, the aging Don Juan of Franken, no longer making a pretense of being in love with the movie star now broken in health, ends the affair in his last letter to her on April 13, 1942, by signing it simply as "Your faithful friend."

There were too many other fish in the pond for Julius Streicher. When Leni Riefenstahl was captured by soldiers of the American 7th army last spring she indignantly denied having had anything to do with the Nazis.

And, from his cell in Nuernberg, where he will soon face charges as a war criminal, Julius Streicher no longer brags about his romantic conquests.

(Tomorrow — Streicher fights religion and uses son as tool to paganize German schools.)

County Choice



Theresa Denier, principal of St. Mary's grade school at Mt. Angel, has been picked as Marion county woman 4H club leader-candidate for Oregon representative to attend the national congress in Chicago. The choice was made by the Marion county executive committee composed of Mrs. William Wiederkehr, Sidney; Esther Kleper, Cloverdale; Elmer Jeskey, Aurora. The state choice will be picked at the state club office in Corvallis on basis of records submitted by the counties. Miss Denier has been a club leader for 20 years. No Marion county man leader was selected because the longest period any one has served, so far as records in the club agent's office show, is five years. This was the statement of James Bishop, county club agent.

Woodburn Honor Students Listed At Six Weeks End

WOODBURN — Names of students making the first six weeks honor roll and qualifying for Torch honor society were announced this week by Milton Gralop, high school superintendent. Robert Pillsbury, junior, had the highest grades for the six weeks with a 1.2 average. Four seniors, five juniors, 11 sophomores and 17 freshmen were on the roll.

Following is the list of all students making a 2.2 grade average or better: Samuel Anderson, Dorothy Bjelland, Patricia Brown, Jeanne Butterfield, Clifford Cannon, William Croco, Joan Davis, Betty Jo DeHaan, Hazel Engle, Dwight Gralop, Sidney Harper, Mary Heisel, Edith Hove, Gordon Kadmas, Jack Krieger, Delmar Kuns, Fred LaBonte, Hazel Mason, Anita Miller, Eleanor Moen, Arlyss Nelson, Lillie Nelson, Honny Pearson, Robert Pillsbury, Eileen Prinslow, Charlene Ross, Donald Scarborough, Joan Schuler, Donna Sebern, Barbara Sim-

National Parks Give Gains in Visitors

WASHINGTON, Nov. 9—(AP)—Increased volume of visitors during the 1945 season was reported by national parks in Washington and Oregon. Mount Rainier, with 287,289 visitors, registered a gain of 121 per cent over 1944. Crater lake had 69,422 visitors, a 59 per cent increase. Olympic national park gained 78 per cent with 103,827 visitors, and Oregon caves national monument, closed during the war, drew 12,548 visitors after it was reopened.

ENTERTAINERS ARRIVE
HAMILTON FIELD, Calif., Nov. 9—(AP)—Leo Durocher, manager of the Brooklyn Dodgers, and Danny Kaye, movie comedian, arrived here today from Japan aboard an ATC plane. The two toured Pacific bases under sponsorship of the USO. A few minutes after their arrival here they boarded a plane for Los Angeles.

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Valley Obituaries

Emma Violet Applegate
ALBANY—Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Viola Applegate, 52, were held Thursday, November 8, Rev. Orville Mick conducted the services. Mrs. Applegate died in the Corvallis General hospital November 7 following a long illness. Born at Goldendale, Wash., January 23, 1893, Emma Viola Hamilton and lived until she married Roy Applegate in 1914. They came to Albany and since have made their home near this city. She had been a member of the Christian church since a young girl and of Western Star grange.

Besides the widower, survivors two children, James Applegate of route 3, Corvallis; Ralph Applegate of the U. S. army now home on a furlough; also her mother, Mrs. Alex Hamilton, a brother, Orville Hamilton and two sisters, Mrs. Minnie Watson and Mrs. Anna Crooks, all of Goldendale, Wash.; two other brothers, Walter Hamilton of Waitsburg, Wash., and James Hamilton of Sunnyside, Wash.; another sister, Mrs. Tena Jobe of Phoenix, Ariz.; also four grandchildren.

Frederick William Bergman
ALBANY — Frederick William Bergman, 81, resident of Albany for 45 years, died in the Fiesler home, November 5. Funeral services were held Wednesday. Burial was in Willamette Memorial park. He had been in the home for a year.

Frederick Bergman was born in Hanover, Germany, June 23, 1864, and came to the United States in 1877 and to Albany in 1900. He was a member of the IOOF lodge. On June 28, 1903, he married Lillie May Smith in Albany and she died October 28, 1944.

Survivors are two children, Mrs. Parthena May Turpin of Albany, and Victor Bergman of Portland. Also a brother, A. J. Bergman and a sister, Mrs. George Onkin, both in Iowa, one granddaughter, Mrs. Paul Peterson of Albany.

Mrs. Carrie Jones
SILVERTON — Mrs. Carrie Jones, 66, died at her home at 616 West Main street Friday morning. She was born at Toronto, Canada, and came here 18 months ago from Omaha, Neb. Funeral arrangements are in charge of the Ekman Funeral home.

Survivors are three children, Samuel Jones and Ruth Miller of Silverton, Robert Jones of Omaha; seven grandchildren, all but one, PFC James H. Jones, at Silverton. Private Jones left five

Suit for Four Years Alimony Not so Funny

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 9—(AP) Film Comic Oliver Hardy was sued today for back alimony payments which, his wife charged, dated back to 1941.

The suit, latest of several brought by Mrs. Hardy since the couple's divorce in 1933, said an alimony agreement called for \$250 weekly as long as Hardy's income remained above \$1000 a week and for one-fourth of the income if it fell below \$1000.

days ago for Camp Ruckner, Ala. One brother, James Parks, Texas, also survives.

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- A customer with an electric water heater may actually save money by installing an electric range.
- The average home use of electricity where there is an electric water heater but no range, is 424 kwh a month, costing \$6.52 under PGE's general residential schedule No. 8. The new "All-Electric" rate will apply if an electric range is added. This will bring total consumption to 540 kwh a month, and will cost \$5.94, an actual saving of 58 cents a month after adding a range.
- A customer with neither electric cooking nor water heating will pay only \$2.94 additional for average use of both.
- The average home without electric cooking or water heating uses about 100 kwh a month at a cost now of \$3.00. The new "All-Electric" rate will apply after adding range and water heater, and the electric consumption will then be about 540 kwh, costing \$5.94 a month, an increase of only \$2.94 for both cooking and water heating.

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