Der Giftpilz The Toadstool

Background

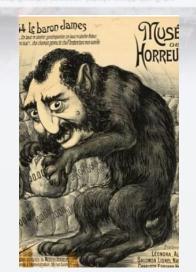
- Der Giftpilz, the German word for toadstool, was a publication of Julius Streicher's publishing house. It was aimed particularly at kids, and was sometimes used in the schools. In each case, the caption under the picture is translated to the right. In several cases, there is a link to a translation of the story that accompanied the picture.
- Propaganda Minister Joseph Goebbels did not think a lot of the book. In his diary entry for 29 May 1938 he writes: "Streicher has published a new children's book. Terrible stuff. Why does the *Führer* put up with it?"
- There are at least two different versions of the book. The second one has rather shorter versions of the stories.
- The source: Ernst Hiemer, Der Giftpilz (Nuremberg, Stürmerverlag, 1938).

Nazi Anti-Semitic Stereotypes

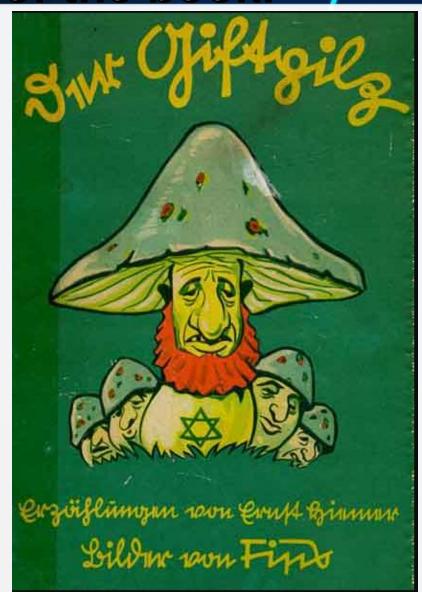
- Jews control money and finance
- Jews are taking over the country
- Jews are money-lenders
- Jews are dirty
- Jews contaminate the German race
- Jews are criminals and swindlers
- Jews killed Christ
- Jews are Communists
- Jews are heartless and dishonest
- Jews are deceitful cheats
- Jews are nit-picky, stingy misers
- Jews kill Christian children and drink their blood
- Jews have large hook-noses, and dark beady eyes with drooping eyelids
- Jews are an "alien race" that feeds off the host nation, poisons its culture, seizes its economy, and enslaves its workers and farmers.
- Jewish "race mixing" through marriage weakens Germany.



alen Ockerman's mural 'The Enemy of Humanity,' which uses anti-Semitic imagery. (photo credit: YouTube



The Poisonous Mushroom: This is the cover of the book.

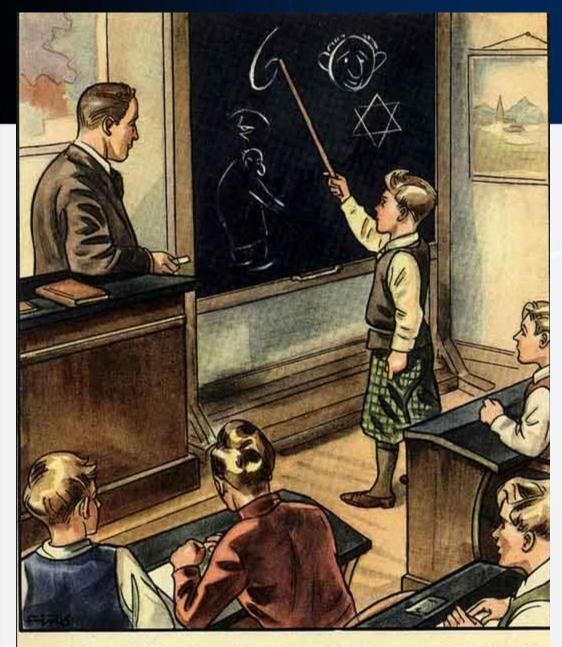




"Bie die Giftpilze oft schwer von den guten Pilzen zu unterscheiden lind, so ist es oft sehr schwer, die Juden als Gauner und Berbrecher zu erkennen..."

The Poisonous Mushroom:

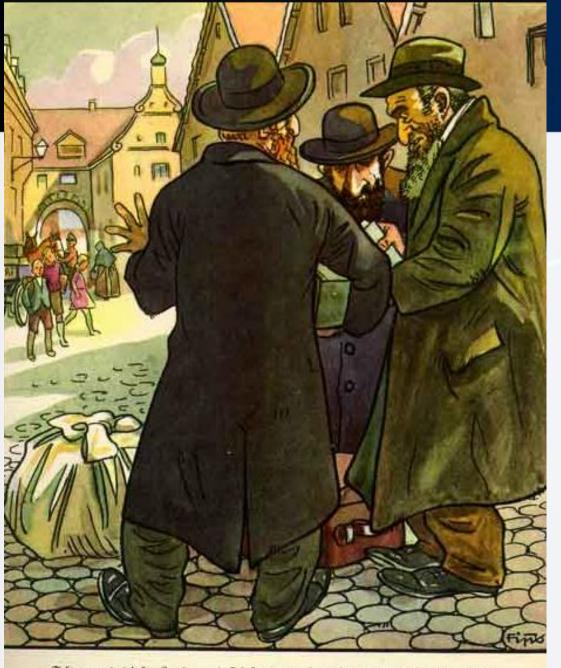
"Just as it is often hard to tell a toadstool from an edible mushroom, so too it is often very hard to recognize the Jew as a swindler and criminal..."



"Die Judennase ist an ihrer Spite gebogen. Sie sieht aus wie ein Sechser..."

How to Recognize a Jew:

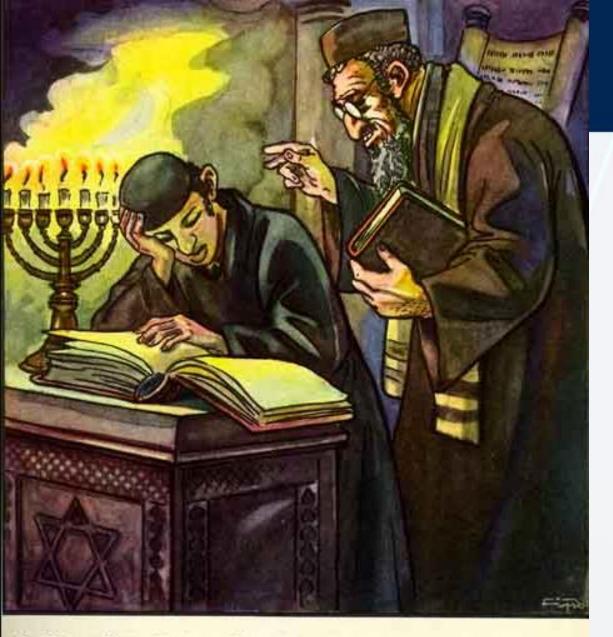
"The Jewish nose is bent. It looks like the number six..."*



"Schau nur diese Rerle an! Diese verlauften Barte! Diese ichmutigen, wegftebenden Ohren ..."

How the Jews Came to Us:

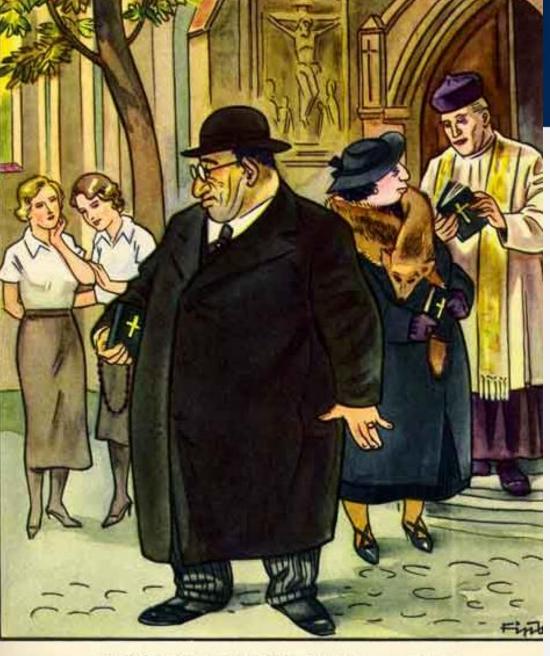
"Just look at these guys! The louse-infested beards! The filthy, protruding ears..."*



"Im Talmud steht geschrieben: "Rur der Jude allein ist Mensch. Die nichtsüdischen Bölfer werden nicht Menschen genannt, sie werden als Bieh bezeichnet." Und weil wir Juden den Richtsuden als Bieh betrachten, sagen wir zu ihm nur Goi."

What is the Talmud?

"In the Talmud it is written: 'Only the Jew is human. Gentile peoples are not called humans, but animals.' Since we Jews see Gentiles as animals, we call them only Goy."



"Die Taufe hat aus ihm feinen Richtjuden gemacht..."

Why the Jews Let Themselves be Baptised:

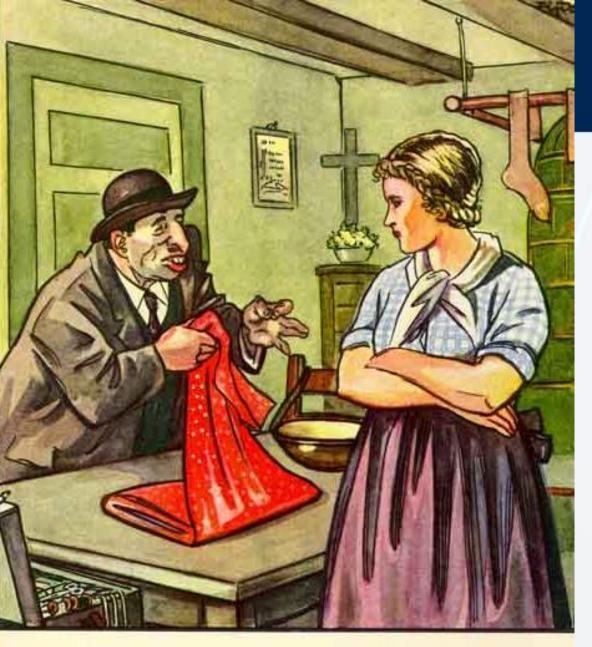
"Baptism didn't make a Gentile out of him..."*



"Du, Bater, wenn ich einmal einen Bauernhof habe, dann darf ein Jude überhaupt nicht in mein haus herein . . . "

How a German Peasant was Driven from House and Farm:

"Daddy, someday when I have my own farm, no Jew will enter my house..."*



"Sofbäuerin, heut' hab' ich für dich was Besonderes. Schau diesen Stoff an! Das gibt ein Rleid für dich, Hofbäuerin, ein Rleid, du wirst darin aussehen wie eine Baronin, wie eine Fürstin, wie eine Königin..."

How Jewish Traders Cheat:

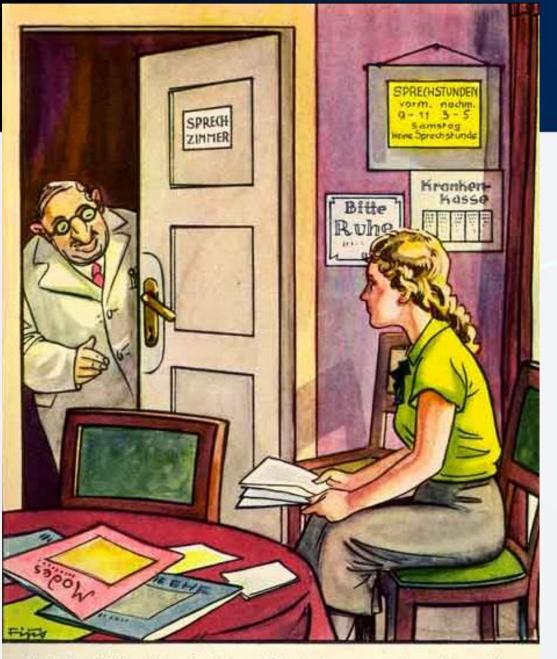
"Farming woman, have I got something special for you today. Look at this material! You can make a dress from it that will make you look like a baroness, like a countess, like a queen..."*



The Experience of Hans and Else with a Strange Man:

"Here, kid, I have some candy for you. But you have to come with me..."*

"Hier, Rleiner, haft du etwas gang Guges! Aber dafür müßt ihr beide mit mir gehen..."



Sinter ben Brillenglafern funkeln zwei Berbrecheraugen und um die wulftigen Lippen fpielt ein Grinfen.

Inge's Visit to a Jewish Doctor:

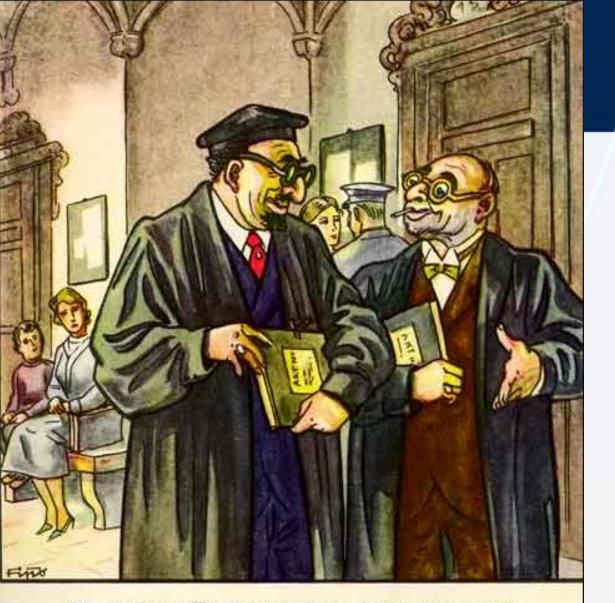
"Two criminal eyes flashed behind the glasses and the fat lips grinned."



"Am Bahnhof erwartete mich ein Mann. Er zog seinen Sut und war sehr freundlich zu mir. Aber ich merkte gleich, daß er ein Jude war..."

How the Jew Treats his Domestic Help:

"A man was waiting for me at the station. He tipped his hat and was very friendly to me. But I could tell immediately that he was a Jew..."*

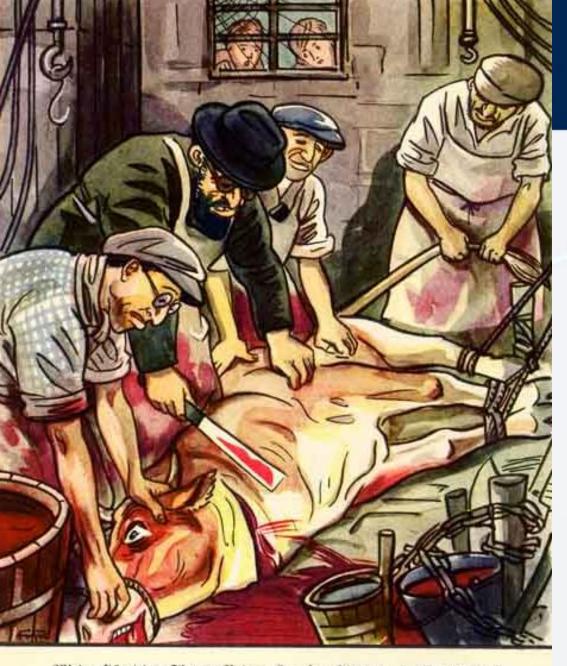


"Ra, Herr Rollege Morgenthau, da haben wir beide wieder gemacht ein gutes Geschäft."

"Großartig, Herr Rollege Silberstein! Run haben wir die beiden Gojas gebracht um ihr schönes Geld, und wir können es steden in unseren Sad."

How Two Women were Tricked by Jewish Lawyers:

"Well, Colleague
Morgenthau, we did a good
piece of business today."
"Splendid, Colleague
Silberstein. We took the
lovely money from the two
Goy women and can put it in
our own pockets."*



Wieder stürzt das Tier zu Boden. Langsam stirbt es. Die Juden aber stehen herum und lachen dazu.

How Jews Torment Animals:

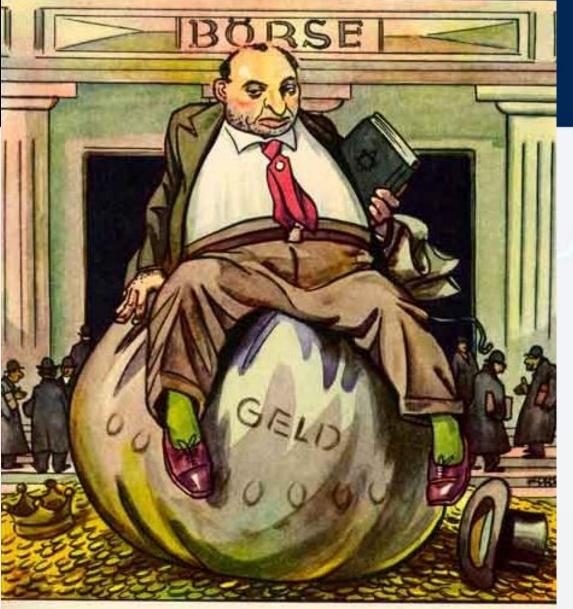
"The animal fell once more to the ground. Slowly it died. The Jews stood around and laughed."*



"Wenn ihr ein Kreuz seht, dann denkt an den grauenhaften Mord der Juden auf Golgatha..."

What Christ Said about the Jews:

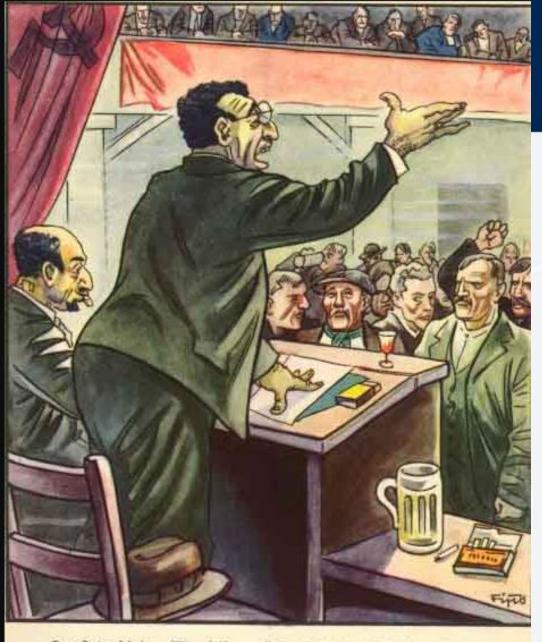
"When you see a cross, remember the gruesome murder of the Jews on Golgotha..."*



"Der Gott des Juden ist das Geld. Und um Geld zu verdienen, begeht er die größten Berbrechen. Er ruht nicht eher, dis er auf einem großen Geldsack sitzen kann, dis er zum König des Geldes geworden ist."

Money Is The God Of The Jews:

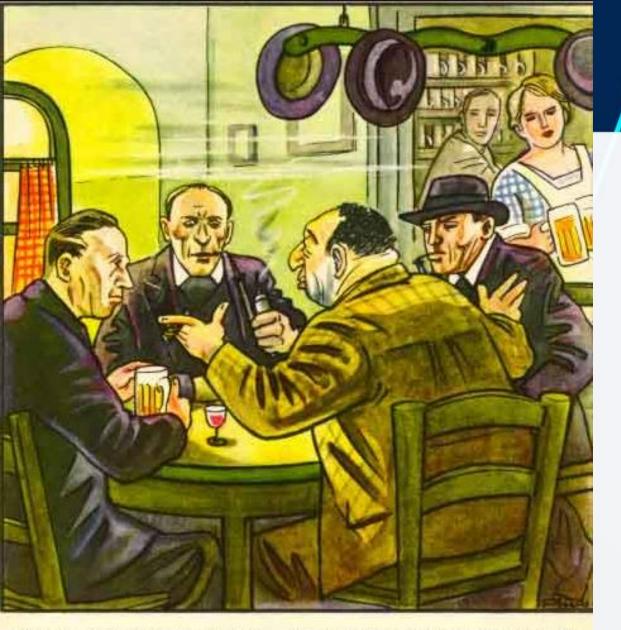
"The God of the Jews is money. To earn money, he commits the greatest crimes. He will not rest until he can sit on a huge money sack, until he has become the king of money."*



Der Jude schrie: "Wir pfeisen auf Deutschland... Die Sauptsache ist, daß es uns recht gut geht..."

How Worker Hartmann Became a National-Socialist:

The Jew cries: "We don't care about Germany... The main thing is that things go well for us..."*



"Da sagt mer immer von uns Juden, wir täten beschummeln die anderen Leut'. Wir täten lügen und betrügen. Kein Wort davon ist wahr. Wir Juden sind die ansitändigsten Menschen, die es gibt."

Are There Decent Jews?:

"People are always saying that we Jews cheat other people, that we lie and deceive. Not a word of it is true. We Jews are the most decent people in the world." "Baptism didn't make a Gentile out of him..."*



"Ber gegen den Juden fampft, ringt mit dem Tenfel." Inlins Streicher

Without Solving the Jewish Question, No Salvation for Mankind:

"He who fights the Jews battles the Devil." Julius Streicher.*