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The Granger Collection announces addition of 35,000+ images from German picture archive ullstein bild

NEW YORK (November 17, 2011) – More than 35,000 images highlighting European politics, the arts, entertainment, and lifestyle from ullstein bild, Germany's oldest picture archive, are now available at The Granger Collection's website, www.granger.com. Based in Berlin, ullstein bild holds one of the most significant collections of historical imagery in Europe, covering the ancient past to current events.

The origins of ullstein bild date back to 1900, when the archive was established to preserve the images used in Leopold Ullstein's newspaper publishing company, Ullstein Verlag. Through the 1920s, the archive compiled a vast collection of photographs from countless Weimar Republic photographers as photojournalism was emerging. During World War II, the archive temporarily evacuated Berlin to escape the air raids and was one of the fortunate few German image resources that survived the war intact and relatively unharmed.

To the present day, ullstein bild has accumulated a comprehensive and unparalleled image collection of the Third Reich and World War II, in addition to many other aspects of European history and Middle Eastern political and social issues.

Lila Dlaboha, Managing Director of The Granger Collection notes, “We have been partners with ullstein since 2004, and we are still uncovering its highly diverse historical content and rich contemporary offerings.” Ms. Dlaboha points out, “Ullstein’s strength lies not only in its vast file on the Third Reich—they are also an excellent source for pan-European pop culture and lifestyle, personalities, and environmental issues that beg for both editorial and creative use.”

A selection of ullstein bild images may be viewed by clicking [here](#).

About The Granger Collection

For nearly a half-century as the most convenient and reliable source for the history of the world in pictures, The Granger Collection holds more than six million images spanning more than 25,000 years of world history, from before the Stone Age to the dawn of the Space Age. The Granger Collection specializes in the history of people, places, things, and events represented in a variety of mediums including photographs, paintings, engravings, lithographs, and more.

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