

Bell Ringer

1. Who is this artist of this cartoon?
2. The leaders of what 2 countries are depicted in the drawing?
3. What is the cartoon attempting to get people to do?



Causes of WW2

1934



HITLER'S RISE TO POWER

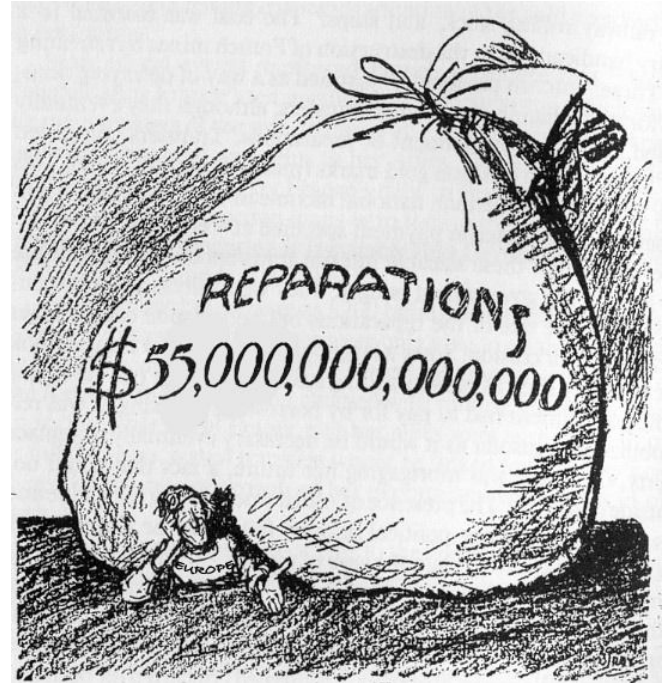
Political Instability in Germany

- The gov't of a country and its leader is weak
- Lacks support from the people or military of the country



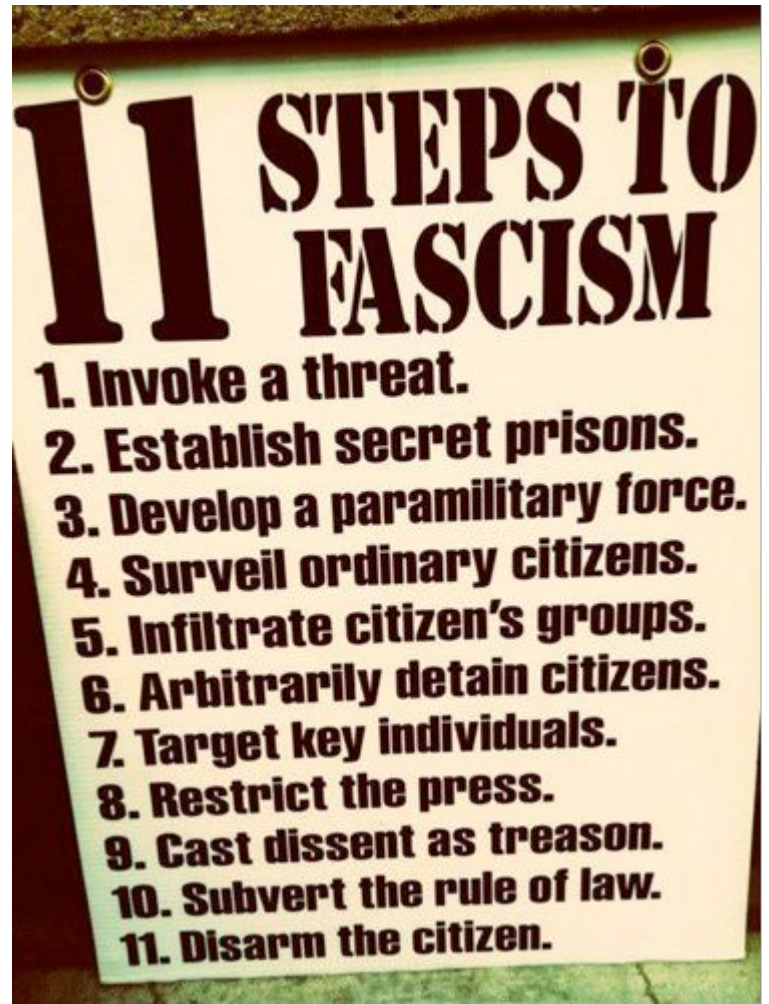
What causes political instability in Germany?

- High war debts owed by Germany
 - *From what treaty?*
- High unemployment
- Worldwide depression



Fascism

- Total power to a dictator
- No individual freedom





FASCISM



Why would people support a dictator?

- They promised a better life for the people
- Pride of Nationalism
- Promised people relief



Dictators of WW2



Adolf Hitler-Germany



Benito Mussolini-Italy



Hideki Tojo-Japan

Why did other countries allow dictators to take over?

- L.o.N. was weak
- Great Depression
- They just fought the most destructive war in history, didn't want to fight again

- **APPEASEMENT**



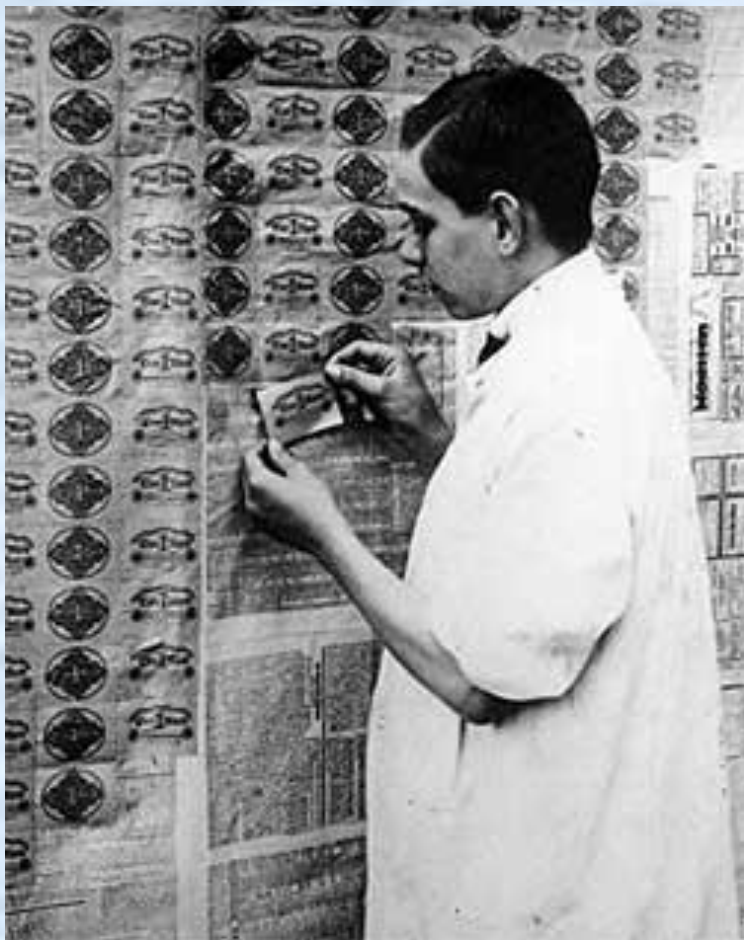
German Hyperinflation of the Early 1920s



A German
woman feeds
worthless
German
money into
her wood
stove

Stacks of real
money, now
just for play.





Useless money
served as
unique wall
paper



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**HOW DID
HITLER
RISE TO
POWER?**



“Hitler’s Actions”