

QUESTIONS SEN. KEFAUVER DIDN'T ASK.....

After the big show was over, thousands of appalled Americans turned from their TV sets, fell to rehashing the Senate Crime Committee testimony. Inevitably, in bars, restaurants, and living rooms, unanswered questions were spoken aloud. "Why didn't they ask this . . . that?" PEOPLE TODAY checked numerous TV viewers, then conferred with Jack Lait and Lee Mortimer, authors of

RELES (L.) BEAMS AT CAPT. BALS (R.) WHO LED POLICE DETAIL GUARDING HIM. FOR PICTURES OF RELES' SORDID END, SEE P. 6



WAS IT A DEAL?

1941: Wm. O'Dwyer, then Brooklyn DA, greets Abe Reles & Allie Tannenbaum, Murder Inc. stool pigeons flown back from LA after singing on Bugsy Siegel.

Question After Question Pointed to Reles →

... take evidence from Chicago's ex-police captain Drury, murdered after he phoned the Crime Committee repeatedly—getting brushed off until it was too late?

... question the NY policemen guarding Abe Reles when he “fell” from a hotel window, and the medical examiner who studied Reles' brain and stomach?

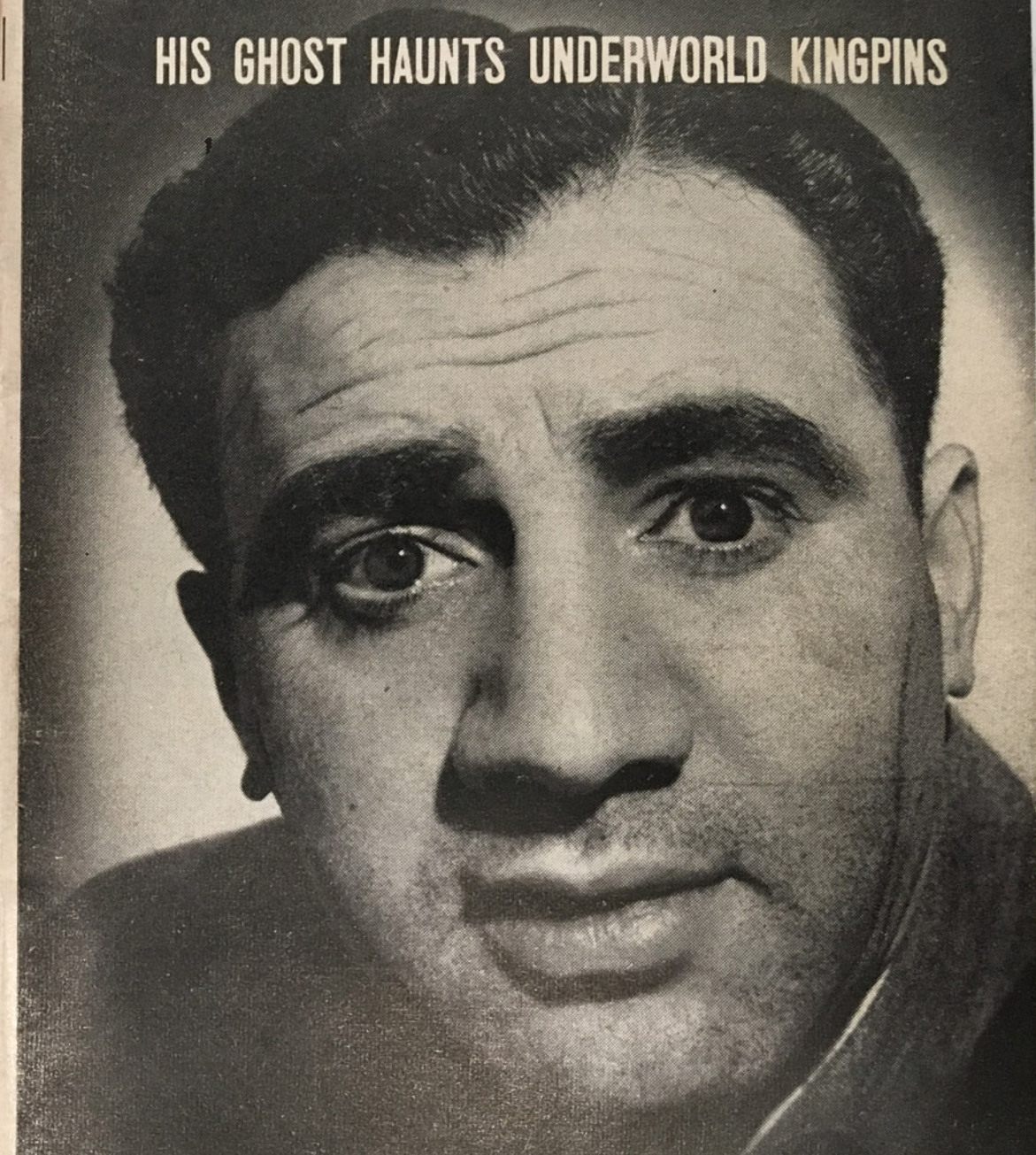
... ask Costello about any meetings with Maj. Gen. Harry Vaughan, White House military aide?

... subpoena the Mafia successors of KC's slain Charles Binaggio, Pendergast machine kingpin?

ESCAPE, REAL OR PHONY—RELES ENDED DEAD 5 FLOORS BELOW



HIS GHOST HAUNTS UNDERWORLD KINGPINS



Abe (Kid Twist) Reles told of 70 murder jobs, admitted 11 of his own, with torch, rope, gun & ice pick. He died under police guard (Nov. '41) at 34. Today his violent death again makes headlines.