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PAY YOUR TAXES GLADLY

Hagen Hasselbalch, Denmark, 1945

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Mr. Middleman is a tax evader, or rather - he was! This morality drama shows what ought to happen to him and to everyone else who does not want to pay their fair share of public expenditure. His wife is turned out of the public hospital; his son is expelled from the municipal school; fire breaks out in his home, but the public water supply is cut off; he is robbed of his new clothes, but he, and not the robber, is arrested. He has learned his lesson. He promises to pay his taxes next time - and gladly!

Basic information

Credits



Original title	Betal din Skat med Glæde
Danish title	Betal din Skat med Glæde
Keywords	Taxes, Tax fraud, Tax evasion, Social conditions, 1940-1949
Director	Hagen Hasselbalch
Screenplay	Hagen Hasselbalch
Director of Photography	Ib Dam, Verner Jensen, Erik Thielst
Composer	Kai Rosenberg
Appearance	Viggo Brodthagen
Production country	Denmark
Domestic distribution	Statens Filmcentral
Technical info	269 meter, 35 mm, 1,37:1 Academy, Black/white, Sound
Danish theatrical release	14.05.1945
Cinemas	Toftegaards Bio, Hvidovre sammen med den amerikanske film "I married a witch" (Min Kone er en Heks)

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