

Straight Man's Aid Plea Falls Short By \$99,700

HOLLYWOOD, Calif. (UPI) — Comedian Bud Abbott said today his public appeal for funds to help his tax situation netted him \$300. Abbott appealed last Nov. 10 to his fans to help him raise \$100,000 to pay off back taxes that broke him.

"I don't know where my next penny is coming from," he said at the time.

"The result was \$300," he said today, adding that his financial situation is just about the same. Abbott, onetime partner of the late Lou Costello, said he certainly "is not disappointed in my old fans. They've got their troubles too, and maybe I can come up with something, although I don't know exactly what yet."

"I wish I could say things have shaped up, but I can't," said the comedian, now 64, white-haired and heavier than in the days when he played straight man to the roly-poly Costello.

"It was darned nice of those people who sent the \$300, neighbor," he added. "But everybody else is darned nice too. After all, they helped keep me and Lou on top for years, and that's more than a lot of people are ever fortunate enough to experience."

"The world would be a lovely place without taxes, wouldn't it, neighbor?"

ENLARGE AIRPORT

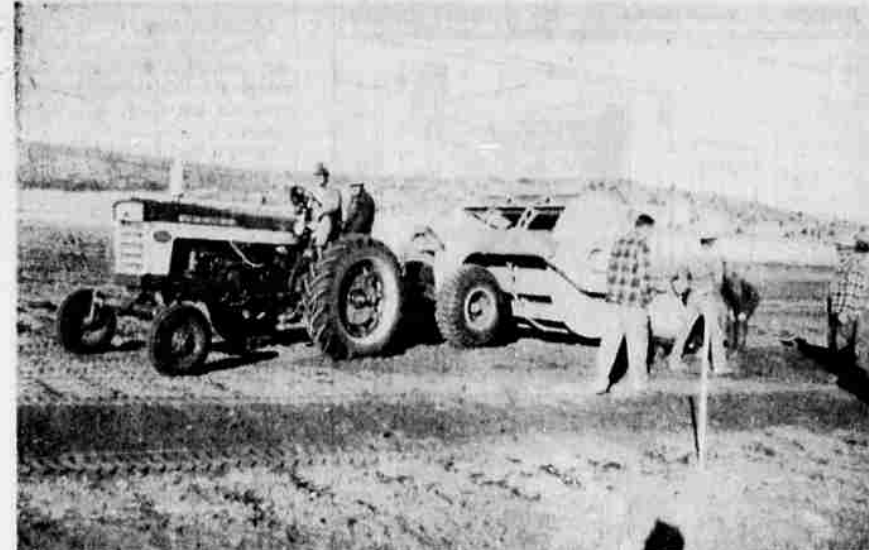
BERLIN (UPI) — East Germany's largest city, Leipzig, will be cut off from air travel soon because of an airport enlarging project the East German news service ADN reported Monday night. The only airport for the city of 610,000 will be closed for more than three months by the project that begins March 14, ADN said.



JIM DURRELL, Marine private, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Durrell of 727 North Ninth Street, finished four weeks of combat training at Camp Pendleton February 19.

SUSPICIOUS SMILES

ARLINGTON, Tex. (UPI) — A sign on the side of a turnpike entrance booth near Arlington reads "Smile — people will wonder what you're up to."



POE VALLEY SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT has purchased the new Be-Ge Roto-Haul scraper shown above being demonstrated on a leveling job on the L. L. Porterfield Ranch. The machine will be available for rent by farmers in the district. It can be pulled by the larger wheeled tractors and is designed to cut and fill to grade in rock-free soils. Farmers who wish to use the machine should call Marvin Michael at Dairy, phone Bonanza 2245. District supervisors anticipate a heavy demand for the machine and urge those wishing to use it to get their reservations in early.

Poe Valley Conservation District Meets Thursday

Farmers and ranchers in Poe Valley Soil Conservation District will hold their annual meeting and election on Thursday, February 25, at 8 p.m. at Lost River Grange Hall at Olene. The terms of

supervisors Joe Colahan of Hildebrand and Lyle Haas of Modoc Point expire. There will be election of two to succeed them.

The program will include a district report by supervisor W. F. Marshall, a report from Klamath Experiment Station by superintendent Gene Gross, a talk on SCD's at work in Oregon by Bob Baum, Corvallis, and color slides of Klamath County wildlife, wild flowers and range plants by Jim O'Donahue. Jim's pictures are known throughout the Klamath area as outstanding.

All farmers and ranchers in the district are welcome and urged to attend and bring their wives. Poe Valley Soil Conservation District covers the northern part of Klamath County, including Poe Valley, Yonna Valley, Pine Flat, Swan Lake, Sprague River, Chiloquin, Modoc Point, Fort Klamath and the Klamath Marsh and northern parts of the county.

Court Records

KLAMATH FALLS MUNICIPAL COURT
Glenn John Taylor, disorderly conduct, continued.
Charlotte E. Rhoads, drunk in an auto, \$25.
Joseph Ervin Van Meter, reckless driving, drunk in an auto, continued.
Morris Everett Roy, drunk, \$25 or five days.
Shelby Lawver, drunk, \$25 or five days.
James A. Brown, vagrancy, \$100 and 90 days.
Helen M. Parkinson, drunk, \$25 or five days.
Eleanor Martinez, drunk, \$25.
Louise E. Burke, drunk, \$25.
Max Eugene Atchison, vagrancy, \$100 and 90 days.
Joan Riskus, allowing a minor to violate curfew, \$25 or five days.
Frank Ciardullo, aiding a minor to violate curfew, \$25 or five days.
Julian Ronald Hood, disorderly conduct warrant, \$50 or 10 days.
Phillip Stanley Meglasson, vagrancy, six months probation or \$100 and 90 days.
Gerald Elton Munger, vagrancy, six months probation or \$100 and 90 days.
Rebecca Kirk Russell, drunk, \$25.
Lawrence Jackson, drunk, \$25 or five days.
Leonard Scott Jr., drunk, \$25 or five days.
Gerald Chester, drunk, \$25 or five days.
Stanley John, drunk, \$25 or five days.
Raymond Orville Gregory, reckless driving, continued.
Marjorie Ann Lopez, disorderly conduct warrant, \$25.
James Edward Van Slyke, drunk, \$25.
Everett Leonard, drunk, \$25 or five days.

KLAMATH COUNTY DISTRICT COURT
Katherine Brown, no operator's license, \$10 forfeited.
Ann Julia Frei, no operator's license, \$7.50.
Patrick Sullivan, axle overload, dismissed motion district attorney.
Robert Harold Baker, no operator's license, dismissed motion district attorney.
Joseph Manuel Vieira, tandem axle overload, dismissed motion district attorney.
Douglas McFarland Walker, fail stop at stop sign, \$5.
Bobby Kenneth Georgieff, parking on highway, \$5.
Marshall Albert Powell, inadequate brakes, \$7.50.
Charlie Wilson, fail stop at stop sign, \$5 forfeited.
Margaret May Peterson, fail stop at stop sign, \$5 forfeited.
Donald James Legget, no chauffeur's license, \$10 forfeited.
Don Raphael Fuller, violation basic rule, \$10.
John Herman Derra, violation basic rule, \$10 forfeited.
Delwin Lavorn Harrington, intoxicated in a public place, 30 days and \$100 fine and costs or 10 days in lieu of fine; committed.
Henry William Heffley, intoxicated in a public place, \$50 forfeited.
Edna Marie Heffley, intoxicated in a public place, \$50 forfeited.
Thomas Edward McCarvel, tandem axle overload, dismissed motion district attorney.
Jesse Calvin Fleming, following too close, \$7.50.
Jimmie Malcolm Thompson, following too close, \$7.50.
Vincent Orien Cheyne, violation basic rule, \$7.50.

Basin Briefs

Virginia Hamilton, city clerk of Dorris, is on vacation in Phoenix, Arizona.

Henley Grangers and members of the Farm Bureau will sponsor their annual ham dinner at the Henley Grange Hall Saturday, February 27, serving from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. Tickets will be \$1.50 for adults, 50 cents for grade school children and pre-schoolers, free. Public is invited.

James L. Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray H. Williams of Lakeview, completed eight weeks of advanced individual armor training recently at Fort Knox, Kentucky. He was graduated in 1958 from Lakeview High School.

All 4-H Leaders are asked to meet tonight (Wednesday) at 7:30 in Joan's Kitchen at the county fairgrounds. A new livestock advancement program will be presented and discussed.

Bill Henry, relief pitcher obtained by Cincinnati, last season won nine, lost eight and saved 15 games for the Cubs.

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HOTCHKIN —Born to Mr. and Mrs. William Hotchkin February 22 in Klamath Valley Hospital a boy, weighing 7 lbs., 6 ozs.	PIERCE —Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard F. Pierce February 22 in Klamath Valley Hospital a girl, weighing 7 lbs., 7 ozs.
McCLELLAN —Born to Mr. and Mrs. Stanley McClellan February 22 in Klamath Valley Hospital a boy, weighing 9 lbs., 4 ozs.	

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