

HUGE TAX BOOST IS OFFICIAL PREDICTION

Probably Will Be Four Hundred Millions Higher Than at First Expected

A tax increase \$455,000,000 larger than had been expected was in prospect last week, says a report from Washington, D.C. Ogden L. Mills, acting secretary of the treasury told the house ways and means committee that the treasury estimates for the fiscal year 1933 had undershot the probable mark by that much. The difference must be made up through increased taxation of reduction in expenditures.

Bewildered by this additional burden, the ways and means committee turned more strongly to the idea of a manufacturers' sales tax on a large number of products. It also appeared improbable that the Republican and Democratic leaders would be able to live up to their promise that there would be no retroactive feature in the new tax bill.

Report for Mills' Confirmation

While Mr. Mills was before the house committee, laying the treasury's revised estimates on the table, the senate finance committee was voting unanimously in favor of recommending to the senate confirmation of his nomination to be secretary of the treasury, succeeding Andrew W. Mellon, new ambassador to England. It also voted to recommend confirmation of the appointment of Arthur A. Ballantine to be undersecretary, succeeding Mr. Mills.

The estimate the treasury submitted in November proved to be understated in two directions. Existing sources of revenue will yield \$321,000,000 less than was anticipated, due to constant shrinkage in incomes and trade. For the same reasons, the tax program proposed by the treasury now promises to yield only \$786,000,000, whereas Mr. Mellon expected it to assure \$920,000,000.

Representative Charles R. Crips, Georgia, acting chairman of the ways and means committee, called his committee into special meeting to consider the latest tax problem.

Urges Balancing of Budget

He announced that he personally favored increasing taxes sufficiently to assure a balanced budget at the end of the next fiscal year, except for the amount that must be applied to the public debt and interest thereon.

Through a tariff-tax on imported petroleum and temporary tax on electric light and gas bills, members of the ways and means committee had hoped to avoid the sales tax on the automobile and radio industries which had been recommended by the administration. In the opinion of these members it now appears probable that not only must the automobile and radio industries sustain a sales tax but many other industries as well.

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"Jimmy" Doolittle in Visit to Waukegan to Inspect Laskey Motor

James H. "Jimmie" Doolittle, crack aviator yesterday inspected the Laskey turbine motor for planes and admitted that it had possibilities if the horse power could be increased.

E. E. Lasley, of Libertyville, the inventor believes that he can bring the motor up to more than 200 horse power by synchronizing the

fuel pump, and too, he intends to alter several parts of the mechanism after talking with Doolittle.

Doolittle said that the Shell Petroleum company, of which he is head of the aviation department, hardly could back the project in view of its new policy of no expenditures that would not bring immediate results.

He spent the day with Lasley, Adolph Kucera, manager of the Shell company in the north shore district, and Charles Landis aviation editor of the News-Sun of Waukegan.

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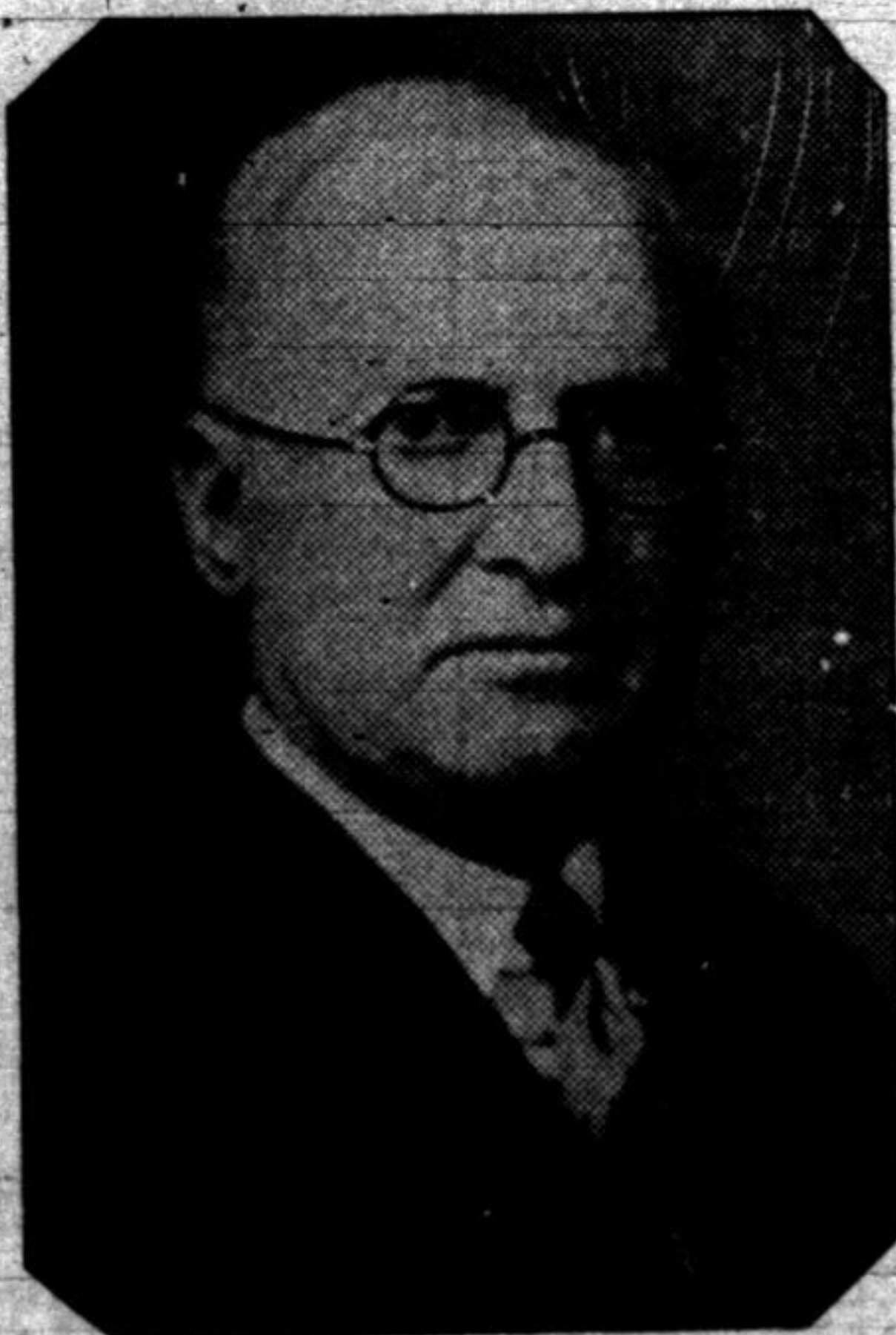
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