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### Mellon Tax Cut Bill Given Out

Provisions Differ Slightly From Program Announced by Treasury Department.

Washington, Dec. 28.—Reversing its previous policy, the house ways and means committee today made public the new revenue bill in the form it was sent to the capitol by Secretary Mellon.

The text contains few changes from the outline of the bill which has been publicly announced at the treasury. It follows Mr. Mellon's proposals for a sweeping revision of administrative provisions to prevent tax dodging, includes a provision for a board of 28 tax appraisers to act as a court of appeals in disputed cases and makes detailed provision for the tax reductions advocated by the secretary.

A fight for publicity for the measure was conducted in a subcommittee meeting yesterday by Representative Garner of Texas, the ranking democratic member. Chairman Green and other majority members insisted that the text should be held in confidence as a courtesy to Mr. Mellon. Inasmuch as the principal provisions already have been published, however, Mr. Green decided today that there was no necessity for further withholding publication.

The subcommittee recessed after today's session until after the first of the year, when the full committee again will take up consideration of the measure.

The bill was made public in the form of a reprint of the voluminous revenue act of 1921, with scores of interlineations and other amendments indicated. Detailed outlines of these amendments were made public by Secretary Mellon on November 11, and on December 16, and were printed throughout the country.

In many cases the language employed in the changes introduced into effect is so highly technical as to be unintelligible except on the basis of explanations by the experts attached to the committee and to the treasury for that purpose.

The normal income tax sections of the existing law are left undisturbed except that the present 4 per cent rate is reduced to 3 per cent and the present 8 per cent rate is reduced to 6 per cent. The surtaxes provided are as follows:

- One per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$10,000 and does not exceed \$25,000.
- Two per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$25,000 and does not exceed \$50,000.
- Three per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$50,000 and does not exceed \$75,000.
- Four per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$75,000 and does not exceed \$100,000.
- Five per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$100,000 and does not exceed \$250,000.
- Six per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$250,000 and does not exceed \$500,000.
- Seven per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$500,000 and does not exceed \$1,000,000.
- Eight per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$1,000,000 and does not exceed \$2,500,000.
- Nine per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$2,500,000 and does not exceed \$5,000,000.
- Ten per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$5,000,000 and does not exceed \$10,000,000.
- Eleven per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$10,000,000 and does not exceed \$25,000,000.
- Twelve per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$25,000,000 and does not exceed \$50,000,000.
- Thirteen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$50,000,000 and does not exceed \$100,000,000.
- Fourteen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$100,000,000 and does not exceed \$250,000,000.
- Fifteen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$250,000,000 and does not exceed \$500,000,000.
- Sixteen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$500,000,000 and does not exceed \$1,000,000,000.
- Seventeen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$1,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$2,500,000,000.
- Eighteen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$2,500,000,000 and does not exceed \$5,000,000,000.
- Nineteen per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$5,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$10,000,000,000.
- Twenty per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$10,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$25,000,000,000.
- Twenty-one per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$25,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$50,000,000,000.
- Twenty-two per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$50,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$100,000,000,000.
- Twenty-three per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$100,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$250,000,000,000.
- Twenty-four per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$250,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$500,000,000,000.
- Twenty-five per cent of the amount by which the net income exceeds \$500,000,000,000 and does not exceed \$1,000,000,000,000.

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### Warm Weather Hurts Hay Price

### Movement Slow at Principal Markets With Demand Under Supply.

Lincoln, Neb., Dec. 28.—Country loadings of hay during the week December 17 to 22, and receipts at principal markets, were of small volume, while unseasonably mild weather, together with the holiday season, restricted the demand for hay, and general dullness prevailed in the market during the week, according to the report of the United States Department of Agriculture.

The government report follows in part: "In the eastern consuming markets timothy prices held at practically the same level as at the close of the previous week, but the lower grades, which constituted a large percentage of the receipts, continued dull and were difficult to sell at most markets even at wide discounts under the prices of the best hay.

"The dullness in the central western distributing markets was attributed to the nearness of the inventory period during which dealers desire to keep their stocks at low as possible. Local dealers in most markets apparently have sufficient hay in stores to meet their current needs, and farmers were not buying large amounts because of the mild and open weather.

Receipts were equal to or larger than the demand in the principal markets, with the exception of Chicago, where there was not sufficient good timothy hay available for the current needs of the market.

"The alfalfa market continued firm in most sections for good dairy hay. Recent rains caused further damage to alfalfa crops, while continued drought in California increased the demand in the Pacific coast markets.

### Packer Merger in Effect.

Kansas City, Kan., Dec. 28.—The physical merger of the meat-packing plants here of Armour & Co. and Morris & Co. took effect yesterday when H. C. Carlson, Armour manager, announced all killing would be done at the Armour plant. The financial consolidation of the two big packing interests was effected last May.

### Russ Reds Send Plotter to U. S.

### Third Internationale, Still Bent on World Revolution, Backs Propagandist.

Berlin, Dec. 28.—A clergyman of the Russian Living church, named Wredenski, has been sent to the United States by the Third Internationale to conduct propaganda in New York City, according to International News Service today after a searching investigation of the ramifications of the Russian propaganda system.

### Car Plunges Into River, Three Dead

Wayland, Mass., Dec. 28.—Three persons were known to be dead as a result of an automobile accident when a car driven by Arthur P. Beaudreau of Cambridgeton crashed through a fence after colliding with two other machines on the state highway and plunged into the Sudbury river. A fourth body was being sought by state troopers and local police.

### Woodrow Wilson Reaches 67 Today

Washington, Dec. 28.—Woodrow Wilson is 67 years old today, but there were no celebrations or demonstrations to break the quiet routine of his home.

### Farley Resignation Sent

Washington, Dec. 28.—The resignation of Chairman Edward P. Farley from the shipping board was received today at the White House. It will be effective at the pleasure of the president and was submitted as a result of adverse action by the senate committee on the nomination of Mr. Farley's nomination.

### Denies 80 Per Cent Dividend

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Dec. 28.—Charles F. Huber, president of the Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre Coal company, denied today that the company declared by the directors amounted to 80 per cent, as reported in New York today. Mr. Huber stated that the original Lehigh and Wilkes-Barre company was capitalized at \$20,000,000 in shares of \$50 par value, and that it was purchased by the Reynolds syndicate for \$20,000,000 or approximately \$100 a share. These shares, he stated now have no par value. The dividend he said was \$40 on the shares and cost \$150 and covered a period of two years, no previous dividend having been declared since the Reynolds syndicate acquired the property on November 21, 1921.

### A Queer World

Colored Soft Drinks Taboo in L. A. New Years Eve Might Conceal Kick.

No Gurgling Noises. Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—Ginger ale and other colored soft drinks the hue of which may be used to conceal the presence of bourbon and other illicit beverages will be tabooed in Los Angeles cafes New Year's eve, according to officials of the Southern California Hotel Men's association, and the restaurant association, who have agreed to co-operate with the prohibition officers by avoiding even the appearance of conviviality among their patrons. Placards will be placed on each table warning merrymakers that flask-wielding is punishable by imprisonment, and head waiters and their crews will be instructed to report immediately any alcoholic odors or suspicious gurgling noises among the cash customers.

### After 25 Years.

Los Angeles, Dec. 28.—For 25 years William and Calla Merced, brothers, roamed the United States looking for each other after sudden separation in the course of a Christmas day shooting affray on an Arizona ranch in 1898.

Christmas day this year, it became known today, both entered the Midnight mission here, broke, jobless and hungry, each ignorant of the other's whereabouts. With other "down and outs" they knelt in prayer. When they looked up their glasses met. Recognition was immediate, despite years of separation, according to those at the mission.

### New York Day by Day

By O. O. McINTYRE.

Fort Worth, Tex., Dec. 28.—Through courtesy of the city of Fort Worth I have become an official limb of the Bee.

Today I was appointed a deputy police commissioner. My commission is signed by John Alderman, police commissioner, and W. H. Lee, chief of police, and expires April 15, 1925.

I was further equipped with a silver police badge. I am pleasantly conscious of the new dignity, yet after viewing a smart Texan on the street and remembering \$12 a shot and No. 18 shells I am hoping I will not have any sudden summons to exercise authority.

This morning I motored about the various residential sections of Fort Worth. There are homes as grandiose as may be found at Tarrytown on the Hudson, but in the main they impress you with their rugged simplicity.

People of Fort Worth do not make an external show of wealth. There is a perpetual relief from what we know as "grand style." Yet one enters these homes to find splendor beyond imagination. It is the splendor of the nouveau riche, but of priceless rarity.

The homes exude the same friendly appeal of Alonzo to Aragon: "Old wood to burn, old wine to drink, old friends to trust, old authors to favor, imagineing \$12 a shot and No. 18 shells I am hoping I will not have any sudden summons to exercise authority.

London is no more adept in the use of "sir" than Texans. They are always glad to meet you, sir. In New York we are "old to meechah" if Texas they want to know how long you will stay, and in New York we want to know how long your money will last.

Fort Worth is a city in every sense, yet you will hear its people say: "We are just country folk down here." This snatches of the soil and strikes a note of true Americanism.

There are many picturesque "old timers" in Fort Worth. They are citizens who have driven cattle across the westward trail in the old days. They had much to do with the winning of the west. Outdoor life has left the indelible impression. They are erect in old age. They have a spring to their walk. They are not left in the chimney corner with old slippers and pipe. They mingle with the younger people, not to be suffered, but to be genuinely welcomed. In the east the homes for the aged are not filled with friendless and kinless, but mostly by those whose sons and daughters have no place for them in old age.

There was a convention of school teachers in Fort Worth. They came from all over the state. It was interesting to see the splendid welcome they received. It was a fine body of men and women, yet a hotel bellboy complained to me that they didn't tip much. If education inspires a curb on tipping, I'm off for New Haven shortly.

After packing up today I went down to the hotel cashier to settle my account. He said the bill had been paid. I lifted my voice—feebly to be sure—in disapproval. "Well, you can pay it, and that's all there is to it," the clerk said with a show of brusqueness. I don't ever remember of admiring brusqueness so much before.

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### How Are Things at Your House?

ARE they nice and tidy and neat, is everything just so or do you feel that there are just one or two little things that really should be fixed, but you have just seemed too tired or out of the fixing mood or something when you come home from work? There are folks who are in business to fix just such little things that you can never get time for. Read the Business Service Ads today and get in touch with a fixer.

### Read the Business Service Ads Today

### ANSWERS?

Answers to Want Ads which have box numbers as addresses may be phoned in. Just phone AT-lantic 1000—ask for an ad taker and tell her which advertisement you wish to answer. She will do the rest. Phone AT-lantic 1000 to answer Blind Want Ads—you'll be pleased.

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- Help Wanted—Female
- Help Wanted—Male
- Situations Wanted—Female
- Situations Wanted—Male
- Rooms for Rent
- Farm and Dairy Products
- Good Things to Eat
- Household Goods
- Swaps
- Merchandise
- Wearing Apparel
- Rooms Without Board
- Rooms With Board
- Rooms Unfurnished
- Rooms Furnished
- Suburban Board

### FLORISTS

EGGERS, Florist, 244th Farm, JA. 3400.  
JOHN BATH, 1804 Farm, JA. 1906.

### PERSONALS

THE SALVATION ARMY industrial home, 412 and 414, 11th and 12th Sts. Call and inspect our new home, 1118-1119-1121-1123-1125-1127-1129-1131-1133-1135-1137-1139-1141-1143-1145-1147-1149-1151-1153-1155-1157-1159-1161-1163-1165-1167-1169-1171-1173-1175-1177-1179-1181-1183-1185-1187-1189-1191-1193-1195-1197-1199-1201-1203-1205-1207-1209-1211-1213-1215-1217-1219-1221-1223-1225-1227-1229-1231-1233-1235-1237-1239-1241-1243-1245-1247-1249-1251-1253-1255-1257-1259-1261-1263-1265-1267-1269-1271-1273-1275-1277-1279-1281-1283-1285-1287-1289-1291-1293-1295-1297-1299-1301-1303-1305-1307-1309-1311-1313-1315-1317-1319-1321-1323-1325-1327-1329-1331-1333-1335-1337-1339-1341-1343-1345-1347-1349-1351-1353-1355-1357-1359-1361-1363-1365-1367-1369-1371-1373-1375-1377-1379-1381-1383-1385-1387-1389-1391-1393-1395-1397-1399-1401-1403-1405-1407-1409-1411-1413-1415-1417-1419-1421-1423-1425-1427-1429-1431-1433-1435-1437-1439-1441-1443-1445-1447-1449-1451-1453-1455-1457-1459-1461-1463-1465-1467-1469-1471-1473-1475-1477-1479-1481-1483-1485-1487-1489-1491-1493-1495-1497-1499-1501-1503-1505-1507-1509-1511-1513-1515-1517-1519-1521-1523-1525-1527-1529-1531-1533-1535-1537-1539-1541-1543-1545-1547-1549-1551-1553-1555-1557-1559-1561-1563-1565-1567-1569-1571-1573-1575-1577-1579-1581-1583-1585-1587-1589-1591-1593-1595-1597-1599-1601-1603-1605-1607-1609-1611-1613-1615-1617-1619-1621-1623-1625-1627-1629-1631-1633-1635-1637-1639-1641-1643-1645-1647-1649-1651-1653-1655-1657-1659-1661-1663-1665-1667-1669-1671-1673-1675-1677-1679-1681-1683-1685-1687-1689-1691-1693-1695-1697-1699-1701-1703-1705-1707-1709-1711-1713-1715-1717-1719-1721-1723-1725-1727-1729-1731-1733-1735-1737-1739-1741-1743-1745-1747-1749-1751-1753-1755-1757-1759-1761-1763-1765-1767-1769-1771-1773-1775-1777-1779-1781-1783-1785-1787-1789-1791-1793-1795-1797-1799-1801-1803-1805-1807-1809-1811-1813-1815-1817-1819-1821-1823-1825-1827-1829-1831-1833-1835-1837-1839-1841-1843-1845-1847-1849-1851-1853-1855-1857-1859-1861-1863-1865-1867-1869-1871-1873-1875-1877-1879-1881-1883-1885-1887-1889-1891-1893-1895-1897-1899-1901-1903-1905-1907-1909-1911-1913-1915-1917-1919-1921-1923-1925-1927-1929-1931-1933-1935-1937-1939-1941-1943-1945-1947-1949-1951-1953-1955-1957-1959-1961-1963-1965-1967-1969-1971-1973-1975-1977-1979-1981-1983-1985-1987-1989-1991-1993-1995-1997-1999-2001-2003-2005-2007-2009-2011-2013-2015-2017-2019-2021-2023-2025-2027-2029-2031-2033-2035-2037-2039-2041-2043-2045-2047-2049-2051-2053-2055-2057-2059-2061-2063-2065-2067-2069-2071-2073-2075-2077-2079-2081-2083-2085-2087-2089-2091-2093-2095-2097-2099-2101-2103-2105-2107-2109-2111-2113-2115-2117-2119-2121-2123-2125-2127-2129-2131-2133-2135-2137-2139-2141-2143-2145-2147-2149-2151-2153-2155-2157-2159-2161-2163-2165-2167-2169-2171-2173-2175-2177-2179-2181-2183-2185-2187-2189-2191-2193-2195-2197-2199-2201-2203-2205-2207-2209-2211-2213-2215-2217-2219-2221-2223-2225-2227-2229-2231-2233-2235-2237-2239-2241-2243-2245-2247-2249-2251-2253-2255-2257-2259-2261-2263-2265-2267-2269-2271-2273-2275-2277-2279-2281-2283-2285-2287-2289-2291-2293-2295-2297-2299-2301-2303-2305-2307-2309-2311-2313-2315-2317-2319-2321-2323-2325-2327-2329-2331-2333-2335-2337-2339-2341-2343-2345-2347-2349-2351-2353-2355-2357-2359-2361-2363-2365-2367-2369-2371-2373-2375-2377-2379-2381-2383-2385-2387-2389-2391-2393-2395-2397-2399-2401-2403-2405-2407-2409-2411-2413-2415-2417-2419-2421-2423-2425-2427-2429-2431-2433-2435-2437-2439-2441-2443-2445-2447-2449-2451-2453-2455-2457-2459-2461-2463-2465-2467-2469-2471-2473-2475-2477-2479-2481-2483-2485-2487-2489-2491-2493-2495-2497-2499-2501-2503-2505-2507-2509-2511-2513-2515-2517-2519-2521-2523-2525-2527-2529-2531-2533-2535-2537-2539-2541-2543-2545-2547-2549-2551-2553-2555-2557-2559-2561-2563-2565-2567-2569-2571-2573-2575-2577-2579-2581-2583-2585-2587-2589-2591-2593-2595-2597-2599-2601-2603-2605-2607-2609-2611-2613-2615-2617-2619-2621-2623-2625-2627-2629-2631-2633-2635-2637-2639-2641-2643-2645-2647-2649-2651-2653-2655-2657-2659-2661-2663-2665-2667-2669-2671-2673-2675-2677-2679-2681-2683-2685-2687-2689-2691-2693-2695-2697-2699-2701-2703-2705-2707-2709-2711-2713-2715-2717-2719-2721-2723-2725-2727-2729-2731-2733-2735-2737-2739-2741-2743-2745-2747-2749-2751-2753-2755-2757-2759-2761-2763-2765-2767-2769-2771-2773-2775-2777-2779-2781-2783-2785-2787-2789-2791-2793-2795-2797-2799-2801-2803-2805-2807-2809-2811-2813-2815-2817-2819-2821-2823-2825-2827-2829-2831-2833-2835-2837-2839-2841-2843-2845-2847-2849-2851-2853-2855-2857-2859-2861-2863-2865-2867-2869-2871-2873-2875-2877-2879-2881-2883-2885-2887-2889-2891-2893-2895-2897-2899-2901-2903-2905-2907-2909-2911-2913-2915-2917-2919-2921-2923-2925-2927-2929-2931-2933-2935-2937-2939-2941-2943-2945-2947-2949-2951-2953-2955-2957-2959-2961-2963-2965-2967-2969-2971-2973-2975-2977-2979-2981-2983-2985-2987-2989-2991-2993-2995-2997-2999-3001-3003-3005-3007-3009-3011-3013-3015-3017-3019-3021-3023-3025-3027-3029-3031-3033-3035-3037-3039-3041-3043-3045-3047-3049-3051-3053-3055-3057-3059-3061-3063-3065-3067-3069-3071-3073-3075-3077-3079-3081-3083-3085-3087-3089-3091-3093-3095-3097-3099-3101-3103-3105-3107-3109-3111-3113-3115-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