

Abstract

This thesis is focused on a comparison of economic thought Alois Rašín and Karel Engliš. Alois Rašín and Karel Engliš were the most influential economist of the First Czechoslovak republic. They became three times the Finance minister. Rašín was a minister 14th November to 8th July 1919 and after that from 7th October 1922 to 18th February 1923. Engliš was minister between 25th May 1920 and 21st March 1921.

Unfortunately, Alois Rašín was mortally wounded in the assassination, and that is why this thesis follows only a period from 1918 to 1923.

Firstly it focuses their early life, and we try to answer the question: How they became the most influential economist of the First Czechoslovak republic? The central part of this thesis focus one's attention on their agreement and disagreement about currency separation, budgets, construction of the Czechoslovak crown and deflation.

Keys worlds

Alois Rašín, Karel Engliš, Czechoslovakia, Czechoslovak crown, Ministry of finance, currency separation, deflation,