Average Farm Income For 1953 Revealed By Bureau

By OVID A. MARTIN

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Agriculture Department reported Thursday that the income of the farm population last year averaged $882 for each person compared with an average of $1,898 for the non-farm population.

These figures were said to represent a decrease of $23 from 1952 for the farm population and an increase of $56 for the non-farm population. The record average for the farm population—$986—was said to have been reached in 1951.

Last year's $1,898 average was reported to be the highest on record for the non-farm population. The decline in the farm income recorded lower farm product prices.

The total income of the farm population from all sources was reported at $20,466,000,000 last year compared with $22,458,000,000 in 1952 and with the record of $25,700,000,0 in 1951.

The total income of the non-farm population was reported at a record $259,99,000,000 last year.

The reduction in the farm population income last year was about 8.8 per cent on an overall basis, but only about 3 per cent on an individual average basis. The number of persons living on farms last year was smaller than the year before.

The department said farm operators, as distinguished from farm laborers and other non-farm operators included in the farm population, realized a net income of $12,802,000,000 from farming operations last year compared with $14,153,000,000 in 1952 and with a record high of $15,644,000,000 in 1951.

Farm production expenses were reported at $22,218,000,000 last year compared with $23,027,000,000 in 1952 and with $23,448,000,000 in 1951.

The department said the inventory value of crops and livestock held on farms declined $675,000,000 last year compared with an increase in value of $654,000,000 in 1952.

The average net income for the nation's farms was put at $2,212 last year compared with $2,557 in 1952 and with a record of $2,884 in 1948.

Tax Bill May Cause Fight

WASHINGTON (AP)—Speedy and overwhelming House approval was forecast today for a bill to cut a wide range of excise or sales taxes almost one billion dollars.

But the bill, okayed by the Ways and Means Committee over opposition by the Eisenhower administration, threatened to set off a storm in the Senate over another issue.

Sen. George (D-Ga) said today he might move to tack onto the excise tax measure—when it hits the Senate—his controversial proposal to increase individual income tax exemptions and thus lower taxes, particularly for low income families.

The administration argued that the government cannot afford now such broad and sweeping revenue reductions as are provided in the bill to cut to 10 per cent all excise taxes now above that level, except for liquor and tobacco.

The changes would be effective April 1. They would cut taxes on movies and other admissions, telephone bills, rail, bus and air passenger fares, jewelry, cosmetics, pocketbooks, furs, luggage, telegrams, sporting goods, cameras, pens, mechanical pencils, lighters and other items.

Oregon Jobs Show Increase

BEND (AP) — Employment is now picking up in Oregon, Gov. Paul Patterson said here Wednesday night, following an annual trend.

The winter slump was just that, he said, and not the start of a depression. He said that as usual, jobs are scarce in the winter, then in February the outlook starts to improve.

The governor was speaker at the third of a series of Central Oregon forums being held here.

Canadians Seek New Oil Field

VANCOUVER, B.C. (AP) — Exploratory drilling for oil in the Fraser River delta of British Columbia is expected to start soon, it was announced here Wednesday.

Frank Yeomans, a city real estate agent, said four exploratory wells are planned in a $600,000 oil-hunting project to be financed by two Vancouver businessmen and Glasscock Drilling Co. of Corpus Christi, Texas. He added that no stock was being offered for sale.

Final approval of permits to drill some 100,000 offshore acres around Roberts Bank, Boundary Bay and the banks of the Fraser is expected shortly, Yeomans said.

Yeomans said the backers hope to discover oil or natural gas at from 8,000 to 10,000 feet.

Radio Log

KFLW — 1450 Kc. — PST
Thursday Evening, March 4
6:00 Meet Mr. McNutley CBS
6:30 Record Derby
7:00 On Stage CBS
7:30 The Choraliers CBS
8:00 Meet Millie CBS
8:30 Lowell Thomas CBS
8:45 Family Skeleton CBS
9:00 Beulah CBS
9:15 Doctor's Orders
9:30 Mystery Theatre ABC
10:00 10 p.m. Headlines
10:15 Lum & Abner ABC
10:30 Kilocycle Klub
11:00 Sign Off News Summary
11:05 Sign Off

KFLW — 1450 Kc. — PST
Friday, March 5
6:00 Early Bird News
6:05 Alarm Clock Club
6:30 Hafter's Almanac
6:45 Ride the Bus
6:55 Music
7:00 News Breakfast Edition
7:15 Charlie's Roundup
7:30 Bob Garred ABC
7:40 Betty Crocker ABC
7:45 Harry Babbitt CBS
8:00 Breakfast Club ABC
8:00 Blue Skies
9:15 Chet Huntley ABC
9:30 Helen Trent CBS
9:45 Our Gal Sunday CBS
10:00 Better Living Club
10:15 Ma Perkins CBS
10:30 Young Dr Malone CBS
10:45 Stop & Shop
10:55 Whispering Streets ABC
11:15 Perry Mason CBS
11:30 Nora Drake CBS
11:45 Brighter Day CBS
12:00 Noon Edition News
12:15 Payless Sidewalk Show
12:30 House Party CBS
1:00 Sam Hayes ABC
1:15 Arthur Godfrey
1:45 Hank Henry Show
2:00 Arthur Godfrey CBS
2:45 Ted Malone ABC
3:00 Wizard of Odds CBS
3:15 Ruth Ashton CBS
3:20 Betty Crocker ABC
3:25 Untold Story CBS
3:30 Hank Henry Show
4:00 Grand Central Station ABC
4:25 Basin Briefs
4:30 Spin with Wynne
4:45 When a Girl Marries ABC
5:00 Edward Murrow CBS
5:15 B & B Melody Time
5:30 Today's Sports Highlights
5:45 Frank Goss CBS
5:55 Hometown News
6:00 Godfrey Digest CBS
7:00 Gillette Fights ABC
7:30 Les Griffith ABC
7:35 Hits & Encores
8:00 Mr. Keen CBS
8:30 Lowell Thomas CBS
8:45 Family Skeleton CBS
9:00 Ozzie & Harriet ABC
9:30 Concert of Favorites
10:00 10 p.m. Headlines
10:15 Lum & Abner ABC
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KFJI — 1150 Kc. — PST
Thursday Evening, March 4
6:00 Gabriel Heatter MBS
6:15 Evening Edition Local News
6:25 Hollywood Highlights
6:30 Virgil Pinkley News DLBS
6:45 Sam Hayes News DLBS
6:55 Bill Henry MBS
7:00 Official Detective MBS
7:30 Sports Report
7:40 According to the Record
7:45 Eddie Fisher Show MBS
8:00 Crime Fighters MBS
8:30 U Never Know
8:45 Heidelberg Serenaires
9:00 Newspaper of the Air DLBS
9:15 Fulton Lewis Jr. MBS
9:30 Moonlight Melody Time
9:45 Harry Wismer Sports MBS
9:55 News DLBS
10:00 Music Box Medley Time
11:00 Sign Off

KFJI — 1150 Kc. — PST
Friday, March 5
6:00 Sunrise Serenade
6:30 Farm Reporter
6:45 Sons of the Pioneers
7:00 Frank Hemingway News MBS
7:15 Breakfast Gang MBS
7:30 Today's Best Buys
7:45 First Edition Local News
7:55 Something to Think About
8:00 Cecil Brown News MBS
8:15 Bob Greene News DLBS
8:20 Titus Moody MBS
8:35 Holland Engle News
8:30 Breakfast Gang MBS
8:45 Join the Navy
9:00 Melody Manor DLBS
9:15 A Visit to Currin's
9:20 Gabriel Heatter MBS
9:30 Carnation Milk Time KWS
9:45 Music of Manhattan
10:00 Newspaper of the Air DLBS
10:15 Tello Test DLBS
10:30 Music
10:45 A Visit to La Pointe's
11:00 Wonderful City MBS
11:25 Sam Hayes News MBS
11:30 Queen for a Day MBS
12:00 Tips From the Town Slicker
12:15 Noonday Edition Local News
12:30 Best on Record
12:45 Korn Kobblers
1:00 The Hour of Stars
1:00 Tony Martin
1:15 Ginger Rogers
1:30 Dick Powell
1:45 Peggy Lee
2:00 News DLBS
2:05 Northwest News DLBS
2:15 Music DLBS
1:25 News MBS
2:30 South Sixth Street Varieties
3:00 Hughesreel DLBS
3:15 Tello Test DLBS
3:30 Jack Kirkwood DLBS
4:00 Homes on The Land
4:15 Frank Hemingway News MBS
4:30 Curt Massey Time MBS
4:40 Sam Hayes News MBS
5:00 Songs of the B-Bar-B MBS
5:30 Wild Bill Hickock MBS
5:55 Cecil Brown MBS
6:00 Gabriel Heatter MBS
6:15 Evening Edition Local News
6:25 Hollywood Highlights
6:30 Virgil Pinkley News DLBS
6:45 Sam Hayes News DLBS
6:55 Bill Henry MBS
7:00 Starlight Theater MBS
7:30 Sports Report
7:40 According to The Record
7:45 Perry Como Show MBS
8:00 It's Basketball Time
8:05 Basketball—Malin vs. Talent
9:00 Basketball—Malin vs. Talent
9:30 Newspaper of the Air DLBS
9:45 Fulton Lewis Jr. MBS
10:00 Harry Wismer Sports MBS
10:10 Robert Hurleigh News MBS
10:15 Music Box Medley Time
11:00 Sign Off

KCNO Radio Monday-Friday
Alturas, California
6:30 Top O' The Morning
7:30 World News
8:00 Record Room
8:15 Melody Club
8:30 News
8:45 Pastoral Call
9:00 Variety Soires
9:30 Melody Club
9:55 Hawaiian Music
9:45 Peggy Lee Club Meetings
10:00 Music by Maupin
10:30 Juke Box Review
11:00 Music We Remember
11:30 Club 570
12:00 Noon Prayer
12:00 Sport News
12:05 Lake County News
12:10 Modoc News
12:15 Noon News
12:30 All Time Hits
12:55 Through the Years
1:00 Farm Forum
1:30 Concert Hall
2:00 News
2:05 The Stars Sing
2:30 Listeners' Choice
4:00 News
4:05 Sports
4:15 Popular Piano
4:30 Rhythm on Review
4:45 American Folk Music
5:00 Waltz Time
5:15 World News Final
5:30 Sign Off

KBES — TV — Channel 5
Thursday Evening, March 4
3:5a Devotions
3:45 Garry Moore
4:00 Feminine Fancies
4:30 On your Account
5:00 Uncle Bill's Adventure Time
5:30 Fashion Review
5:45 Captain Video
6:00 Western Theater
7:00 Cisco Kid
7:30 Rogue Rod and Gun Club
7:45 Sportsman's Club
8:00 Groucho Marx
8:30 4 Star Playhouse
9:00 Lux Video Theater
9:30 Ford Theater
10:00 Favorite Story
10:30 News
10:35 Weather Forecast
10:40 Sign Off

Friday, March 5
4:00 Feminine Fancies
4:30 On Your Account
5:00 Uncle Bill
5:30 Val Rogue
5:45 Captain Video
6:00 Western Theater
7:00 Gillette Cavalcade of Sports
8:00 TBA
8:30 So. Ore. Roundtable
9:00 Best Theater
10:00 My Friend Irma
10:30 Weather
10:35 Weather Forecast
10:40 Sign Off

Labor Leaders Freed By Jury

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Three of eight AFL leaders who were named in a labor racketeering indictment here last summer have been exonerated by a federal grand jury in a superceding indictment.

The new indictment, returned Wednesday, cleared Peter P. Higgins Sr., former head of Teamsters' Local 682, and John L. Lawler and George E. Seaton, both business agents for steamfitters' locals. They had been named with the other five in an indictment charging them with the extortion of $28,000 from a construction firm on a crude oil pipeline near Moberly, Mo.

The five other AFL officials were re-indicted by the jury on similar charges in the alleged shakedown. Three of the five already have been convicted in another labor racketeering indictment and are scheduled for sentencing Friday.

CHINESE ATTACK

TAIPEH, Formosa (AP) — Premier Chen Cheng said Thursday Nationalist China is starting active preparations for an attack on the Red-held mainland and "I believe the counterattack. . . should not be far away."

Police Seize Puerto Ricans

CHICAGO (AP) — Police seized five Puerto Ricans Thursday in a roundup of leaders of the Puerto Rican nationalist movement in Chicago.

Lt. William Walsh, in charge of the investigation, declined to say what action would be taken against the five men. All were held without formal charge.

Police Commissioner Timothy J. O'Connor had ordered police to bring in for investigation any Puerto Rican knowing about the nationalist movement. He said the city's Puerto Rican population is about 20,000, scattered throughout the city.

His order came after Mrs. Alvin D. Rose had reported she had received telephone death threats from anonymous Puerto Ricans intended for Alvin E. Rose, Chicago's welfare commissioner. Mrs. Rose said the welfare commissioner had angered some Puerto Ricans in Chicago when he suggested recently that unemployed Puerto Ricans be sent back to their homeland rather than be placed on Chicago's relief rolls.

Mrs. Rose said she did not believe there was any connection between the telephone calls and the shooting of five congressmen in Washington Monday by members of an extremist group seeking independence for Puerto Rico.

Europe Press Eyes Ike Talk

LONDON (AP) —Western Europe's press divided Thursday over whether President Eisenhower's latest statement on Sen. McCarthy was a sharp censure for the Wisconsin Republican or a mere "slap on the wrist."

Nearly all comment was contained in the headlines over the story.

British newspapers were almost unanimous in expressing disappointment that the President's news conference statement Wednesday was not stronger in his criticism of McCarthy's Red-hunting tactics.

"Scarcely a slap on the wrist," commented Lord Beaverbrook's independent Daily Express in its account of the President's statement.

But West German newspapers headlined the story with such words as "sharp censure," "reprimand" or "blow in the face" or McCarthy.

Communist newspapers in France and Italy were openly scornful of the President. L'Humanite, organ of the French party said "Eisenhower officially gives his support to the Fascist activities of McCarthy."

"Green light for American Fascism," trumpeted L'Unita, the Red organ in Italy.

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Producer Leland Hayward Says Television Too Rushed

By BOB THOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP) —What's the matter with TV entertainment? Producer Leland Hayward says it's too rushed.

Hayward is worth listening to. Once a top Hollywood agent, he switched jobs to become Broadway's most successful producer. He has fostered a string of hits, including "A Bell for Adano," "State of the Union," "Mister Roberts," "South Pacific," "Call Me Madam," "Point of No Return" and "Wish You Were Here."

He is also responsible for two of TV's most memorable shows. The first was the Ford anniversary show, which is still being talked about. His second effort was last Sunday's Comedy Hour version of "Anything Goes" with Ethel Merman, Frank Sinatra, Bert Lahr an Sheree North. It was one of the happiest TV outings within memory.

"I wasn't at all satisfied," said the rugged, plain-talking Hayward, who appears to be something of a perfectionist. "There were so many things that could have been improved if we'd had more time."

I asked him how he felt after the historic Ford show.

"I was miserable after that one," he replied, which proves he is a perfectionist.

"Everything is done in too much of a hurry in TV," he continued. "Why, we only began work on 'Anything Goes' three weeks before the show went on. Our first rehearsal was a week before the performance, and then it was only a reading of the book.

"Look how they do it in the movies. Next week Ethel starts 'There's No Business Like Show Business.' They will take eight weeks just to record the songs. The picture is budgeted at 4½ million dollars and will take six months to shoot!

"You put a good show together, then you have to cut, cut, cut. It's the same with straight plays. They build up a good plot, then kiss off the final scene with a fast 'Is that so?' 'Yes, it is,' 'Hello,' 'Good-by.' You leave the audience hanging on the ropes."

He believes that shows will have to go an hour and a half to be effective.

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