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#### John L. Lewis **Gets Wage Boost** For Coal Miners

WASHINGTON — (P) — John L.
Lewis and representatives of virtually all the soft coal mines have
signed an agreement calling for a
\$1.60 daily wage increase, effective Feb. 1.
Lewis told a news conference
that "the country is now free from
any thought of a so-called coal
crisis for an indefinite period of
time."

time."

The United Mine Workers president added that was not a "no strike pledge." however.

Lewis said that the scattered

operations not represented in the signing of the agreement would be brought in "in a very short time."
He added that "mechanics, time and distance" had been factors in not getting them all signed up at Japanese Asked

ing there.
Although the government is plan-Although the government is pianning a quick wage and price stabilization program, neither the operators nor Lewis said they had contacted government officials about their settlement.

Joseph E. Moody, president of the Southern Coal Producers as sociation, said in connection with the expected price increase of five or six percent:

or six percent;
"We think that in our circumstances, no right thinking official or any one with common sense would think that the price roll-back would be pertinent to the coal industry."

There has be a talk of rolling back prices and wages to Jan. 1 levels.

#### Oregon Top State In Distribution Of Forest Funds

roads in a manner determined by each legislature.

The largest payment—\$2,230,
993—went to Oregon, the smallest
—\$40.67—to North Dakota,
Amounts allocated to the 11
western states, which got more than \$6,000,000 of the more than \$6,000,000 total, include: California, \$972,649; Washington, \$1,224,
116.

# Injured Dog Limps Alone To Hospital For Help

PHILADELPHIA — (A) —A wayfaring dog, clipped by an auto, limped into a hospital ward and squatted beside human patients to take his turn for first

aid.
As told by Dr. H. Newton Spencer of Presbyterian hospital, the dog, a black spaniel, trailed people through two sets of double doorways into the ward, and than, with many looking on, held up an injured paw. Dr. Spencer dressed the injury, settled the dog on a big pillow in a corner, and sent for the SPCA.

# N. American Ban

Negotiations are also underway covering the anthracite industry, an hour's debate, voted 19 to 10 with 80,000 Pennsylvania miners, Lewis disclosed. He expressed the opinion that "a "corresponding" wage increase would be forthcom-

The memorial goes to the House. Sen. Manley J. Wilson, Warren Democrat, sponsor of the measure, said that California and Washins-ton would take similar action.

He said that before the last war, Japanese were fishing in American waters and selling the fish in American waters, threaten-ing to week the fishing industry. Sen. Philip S. Hitchcock, Klam-ath Falls, objected to the memor-ial.

ath Falls, objected to the memorial.

"I recognize the need to protect our fishing industry," Hitchcock said, "But if we're going to have peace in the world, we must make concessions to needy nations. This memorial is too drastic."

Sen. Ben Day, Medford, objected to singling out one nation. He said that the Chinese and Russians should be kept from fishing off North America, too.

Oriental Census Assailed

State Labor Commissioner W. E. Kimsey wants to get rid of the law which tells him he must count all Japanese and Chinese in the state every two years.

WASHINGTON — (.4) —The Forest service says it is distributing \$8,343,000 to the states from the income from national forests during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1950.

Nearly \$21,000,000 will remain in the federal treasury.

The return to the states, which represents 25 percent of the receipts from timber, grazing and other sources, is the largest amount on record, the forest service said.

it except upon one occasion.

That was about 25 years ago, when a simple census count was made of all Japanese and Chinese.

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In addition 10 percent of the earnings have been allocated for roads and trails in the forests, and \$700,000 from grazing receipts was appropriated by Congress for range improvements.

Gross income from grazing fees on forest lands in the 1950 fiscal year was \$3,385,000.

The sums returned to the states must be spent for schools and roads in a manner determined by each legislature.

The largest payment—\$2,230.

## Sat., Jan. 20, 1951 - The News-Review, Roseburg, Ore.

NEW YORK — (4P) — Large producers of baking soda blame the continuing scarcity of the familiar "bicarb" on scare buying and consumer hoarding.

Baking soda (bicarbonate of soda) almost disappeared from grocery store shelves late last summer as a result of a 3½-month strike in the basic soda ash industry. That strike ended sept. 25, but most producers have been unable to catch up with demand.

"Our baking soda production is

#### **Editors Called** In Racket Probe

INDIANAPOLIS — (P) — The publisher and managing editor of the Indianapolis News have been summoned to appear before inc senate crime committee in Cleveland and tell it about the newspaper's copyrighted report of a lottery racket in Indianapolis.

The newspaper executives, scheduled to appear before the committee headed by Sen. Estes Kefauver, are Eugene C. Pulliam and his son. Eugene S. Pulliam. The News reported that baseful lottery operations in Indian apolis are the biggest in the national control of the committee of

ion, amounting to \$10,000,000 a
year. It said the Kefauver committee had received reports of
'bribery of policemen and politicians."
The News said that the Kefauver

The News said that the Kefauver committee had ordered it to discontinue publication of such reports. It said editorially it was "shocked to receive that order," and it pledged itself to "continue to print news about law enforcement — or lack of it — in our community."

#### Baking Soda Scarcity Blamed On Senseless Hoarding

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been unable to catch up with demand.

"Our baking soda production is at a record rate and for months are ver before," said a spokesman for one of the largest manufacturers.

"But housewives, remembering that shortage last summer, have been buying four or five packages of soda at a time, instead of the normal one or two.

"If consumer buying returned to normal, we could get caught up in a few weeks."

"There's no real shortage," another large soda supplier said, "and very little likelihood of a greenment with Tyler was violated when the plane was turned over to reuted a plane from the La Grande company.

At the time of the crash the plane was flown by a Tyler employee, Hap Alonzo. The La Grande firm claimed the original renting agreement with Tyler was violated when the plane was turned over to Alonzo for budworm spraying, while the Tyler company contended mechanical failure caused the crash.

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