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THE COAL STRIKE IS ON! The Rank and File

coal mine strike was not stopped by Woodrow Wilson's Supports the Miners letter. It was not stopped by the "mandatory injunction" of one little man sitting on a Federal bench in Indianapolis. And it will not be stopped by any order from officials who have no authority

observed to veto the action of the Cleveland Cenvention.

The strike remains in full force and effect until the miners nselves decide to stop it. Up to date there has been no good reason advanced for them to change their original decision to stick it out until their demands are gained. Orders from union officials are worth no more than orders from a court unless there is some power to enforce them. And we have never yet seen any power in this country to make men work against their will. The constitution specifically prohibits involuntary servitude, and men who have heard so much talk about "Democracy" are poor subjects to port the n attempt to force it on so suddenly.

AN INTERNATIONAL STRIKE

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By Eugene Lyons

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FIRE THE LEADERS!

The rank and file of the American working class is manifest ssiveness and a solidarity never before known. ing an aggressiveness and a solidarity never before known. But every way they turn phey find their actions hampered by their con-servative, corrupt and cowardly leaders. The spontaneous revolt of the railroad men a few months ago would have gained all their demands in short order, but the officials "fixed" it. The New York sidemands in abort order, but the officials "fixed" it. The New York longshoreme and the printing trades are out on strike and strug-sling desperately for a little more of the needs of life. And their own upins officers have joined hands with the bosses, the police and the thugs to break 'the strike. The great majority of the strike which are shaking the very foundations of the capitalist system in America are "unauthorized" by the officials, who are limited that the property of the strike which is because the view and and comfort to the enemy.

system in America are "unauthorized" by the officials, who are cloing all in their power to give aid and comfort to the enemys. The latest gang of "labor lieutenants of the capitalist class" to betray the trust of a body of workingmen are the International officials of the United Mine Workers of America. With half a million miners standing solidly behind them and organized labor generally in a mood to join in the fight to maintain the hitherto generally in a mood to join in the fight to maintain the hitherto unchallenged right of workingmen to strike, they have crawled on their bellies to lick the boots of a corporation tool on the Federal

"We are Americans," says John L. Lewis in explanation of reason for "calling off" the strike at the bidding of one man. A fine set of Americans!

Since when did craven cowardice become the badge of Amer-ism?

That was not the spirit of the men who made America. That was not the spirit of the pioneers of the American Labor move-ment who established the right to strike and who defended that right against all comers. That is not the spirit of the organized

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By Gerge Andreyteline. (13101)

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