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November 19, 1941.

General E. M. Watson, Secretary to President Roosevelt, The White House, Washington. D. C.

THE PUBLIC GENERALLY THOROUGHLY APPROVES OF SENATOR CONNALLY'S ANTI-STRIKE MEASURE. TO THE SEVERAL MILLION MOTHERS AND FATHERS WHO HAVE SONS IN THE ARMY AND NAVY AS WELL AS THE BOYS THEMSELVES, THERE IS A STRONG RESENTMENT AND INDIGNATION AGAINST THE GOVERNMENT PERMITTING JOHN L. LESIS OR ANY OTHER LABOR AGITATOR GETTING AWAY WITH MUR-DER SO TO SPEAK. THE RESENTMENT IS RISING BY LEAPS AND BOUNDS FROM ALL CLASSES OF PROPLE INCLUDING UNION MEN. THE MERE FACT THAT WE ARE FIGHTING FOR A DEMOCRACY AND A FREE COUNTRY DOES NOT JUSTIFY ANYONE ENJOYING ALL OF THESE PRIVILEGES TO TELL THE PRESI-DENT OF THE UNITED STATES IN EFFECT TO GO TO HELL. IN THE MINDS OF THE PUBLIC GENERALLY THERE IS NO ALTERNATIVE EXCEPT FOR THE GOVERNMENT TO TAKE OVER THE MINES AND SEE THAT THE NATIONAL DEFENSE PROGRAM IS NOT HINDERED IN ANY WAY. OTHERWISE IT WOULD BREAK DOWN THE MORALE OF THE ARMY AS WELL AS THE PUBLIC WHO FINALLY HAVE TO PAY THE BILL. IN OTHER WORDS, GENERAL. THERE SHOULD BE ONLY ONE REAL BIG MAN IN THE UNITED STATES AND THAT IS THE DENT. EVERYONE IS ANXIOUSLY WAITING, HOPING AND EXPECTING THE PRESIDENT TO CRACK DOWN AND DETERMINE THE STRIKE ISSUE IN THESE TROUBLESOME TIMES ONCE AND FOR ALL. MEASURE WILL AND CAN PROVIDE ADEQUATE, FAIR AND JUST PROTECTION FOR ALL LABOR AND IF THE COVERNMENT DOES NOT CALL LEWIS' BLUFF OR PERMITS HIM TO GET AWAY WITH THIS LAST ARROGANT STAND, THEN GOD HELP US.

SINCERELY,
AMON CARTER

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