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NO RESERVE FUEL STOCK THIS WINTER

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are said to have been successful in inducing the men to return to work.

FRIDAY A Jinx.
PITTSBURGH, Pa., Dec. 12—Several thousand men went to work in the mines in the Central Pennsylvania fields today. Many foreigners refused to return because of the superstition about Friday.

When the officials of the Pennsylvania Coal and Coke corporation at Patton failed to open the workings this morning the men became angry and sent telegrams of protest to Secretary of Labor Wilson and acting President John L. Lewis, of the Mine Workers. The officials said their mines would open Monday.

FIFTY PER CENT.
CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 12—Early reports received from the mines of Ohio, indicated that a production of fifty per cent normal would be reached by nightfall. Cutting on a quantity scale began last night and loaders and tippers men reported in large numbers at the mines today.

Plenty of cars were at the mines today to insure rapid handling of all the coal mined, reports to the Pittsburgh Vein Operators' association indicated. Enough cars are in sight for Ohio mines to carry three days maximum production, it was said.

Union leaders generally in Ohio today were bending every effort to get the men back to the mines. While first reports were to the effect that there were some recalcitrant locals in Ohio, the leaders expressed the belief that all would be back at work by Monday.

CHARGE TRICKERY.
STUBENVILLE, O., Dec. 12—The miners of Jefferson county today are in open revolt against the Indianapolis settlement of the coal strike. Leaders of the opposition to the settlement are charging that "it is a trick to get them to return to the mines for fifty days thus tiding the country over the winter."

8,000 BALK.
PEORIA, Ill., Dec. 12—More than 8,000 miners employed in the Peoria subdivision refused to return to work today.

The miners held a mass meeting last night at which several alleged radical leaders attempted to place the men on record as repudiating the settlement of the strike at Indianapolis. The men refused to consider a resolution offered during the meeting, but expressed themselves as opposed to the terms of the settlement and refused to enter the mines today.

ANSWER WHISTLES.
ST. LOUIS, MO., Dec. 12—More than 8,000 coal miners in St. Clair and Madison counties, Ill., which supply St. Louis with coal, answered the whistles call to work this morning for the first time since No. 1, following acceptance by vote of the men of the strike settlement.

9,000 TONS TODAY.
BICKNELL, IND., Dec. 12—All miners in this field went to work today and it is expected nine thousand tons of coal will be hoisted before night in the local mines, which include three of the largest in the world.

SEVEN VESSELS IN DISTRESS IN BLINDING STORM

(INTERNATIONAL NEWS SERVICE)
BOSTON, Dec. 12—Six schooners and a schooner are in distress, according to wireless reports received here today. The steamer Lake Emdale and Lake Galewood, both U. S. shipping board boats, grounded in a blinding snow storm. The Emdale went ashore on Prince Edward Island. Reports say the crew has been saved. The Galewood foundered off Port Hood Island in the Gulf of St. Lawrence. The crew of 28 men were rescued after being battered along in open boats in the storm. The Leyland liner Merloan, Boston for Manchester, England, reported a fire, 25 miles south of Cape Race, has started for St. John, N. B. The British steamer Carmania, which was in collision with the steamer Maryland, 500 miles off Halifax, is making port under her own steam. The Maryland is continuing on her voyage. The steamer Chetopa, giving her position as 255 miles southeast of Halifax is sending urgent calls for assistance. She has lost two propellers and is unmanageable. No word has been received from the U. S. Shipping Board steamer Davidson County, reported in the same plight as the Chetopa. The British schooner Barbara W. Walton, N. S., to New York, was rescued from the shoals of Cape Poge, Martha's Vineyard Islands, by the coast guard cutter Gresham and was towed to Vineyard Haven. The possible loss of the U. S. Shipping Board tug Blison bound for this city, with the crew of 15 men, is also indicated in advices. No details were given.

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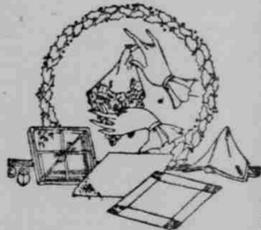
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