



Vol. 1, No. 11
February 4, 2009

Lock-Out at the *Journal de Montréal*: A Call To Boycott the Quebecor Empire!

On January 24, *Journal de Montreal* management locked out its employees after refusing to make any concessions on the savings it intends to achieve by attacking the working conditions of its employees. From the start, Quebecor never intended to negotiate a new agreement with its 253 unionized employees; instead, the company had clearly planned to impose a lockout before any negotiations had gotten underway, just as it had done in the dispute at the *Journal de Quebec*.