

**Award No. 8939**  
**Docket No. TE-8383**

**NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD**

**THIRD DIVISION**

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**PARTIES TO DISPUTE:**

**THE ORDER OF RAILROAD TELEGRAPHERS**

**THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY**

**STATEMENT OF CLAIM:** "Claim of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers on the Pennsylvania Railroad company that Prairie Block Station which was closed June 18, 1940 is a Block Office which has been closed since May 1, 1938 and, therefore, within the meaning of Arbitration Award No. 153. The continued use of this office which is still shown in the time table, as a point at which train crews receive train orders and as the limits of a block is in violation of Arbitration Award 153 and claim is made that this office should be restored and an extra man be paid a day's pay or a regular man be paid a call for each violation since the effective date of this Award."

**FINDINGS:** The Third Division of the Adjustment Board finds:

That the dispute was certified to the Third Division of the Adjustment Board ex parte by the complainant party; and

That hearing thereon has been held and concluded. Under date of August 13, 1959, the parties jointly addressed a formal communication to the Secretary of the Third Division requesting withdrawal of this case from further consideration by the Division, which request is hereby granted.

**AWARD**

Claim dismissed.

**NATIONAL RAILROAD ADJUSTMENT BOARD**  
By Order of **THIRD DIVISION**

**ATTEST:** F. P. Morse  
Acting Secretary

Dated at Chicago, Illinois, this 15th day of September, 1959.