

**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 General Committee of the Order of Railroad Telegraphers on The Pennsylvania Railroad Company that:

The operation of hand operated switches at the following locations, Crothersville-switch at west end siding, Atterbury-switch at east end siding, Greenwood-switch at east end siding, Burr-switch at west end siding, Lebanon-switch at west end siding, Burr-switch at west end siding, and Bringhurst-crossover switches at block station, is a part of the operator's duties at the points shown, and were negotiated into the Agreement. The transfer of these switches to others not covered by the Scope Rule of the Agreement is a violation of such Agreement and is supported by N. R. A. B. Award 4042. Claim is made for a day's pay for an idle extra man, or a day's pay for a regular idle man, if no extra men available, for each time an employee not covered by our Scope Rule operates these switches.

**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.

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By Order of **THIRD DIVISION**

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

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