SPECIAL BOARD OF ADJUSTMENT NO. 374

Brotherhood of Railway and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers, Express and Station Employes

and

THE PENNSYLVANIA RAILROAD COMPANY

STATEMENT OF CLAIM:

System Docket No. 372 - New York Region Case No. 3A-58 - "Claim of System Committee of the Brotherhood that:

- (a) The discipline of dismissal imposed upon R. V. Peterson, Station Baggageman, Baggage Department, Pennsylvania Station, New York, New York, which was later reduced to a suspension, time held out of service to apply, be removed.
- (b) Claimant R. V. Peterson, be reimbursed for all monetary loss sustained beginning with June 21, 1957, until adjusted. (Docket 353)"

FINDINGS:

This is the first of two claims arising from disciplinary action taken by the Carrier against the Claimant on two charges growing out of one incident.

We have studied the transcripts involved, and believe they should be viewed as a whole.

We believe further that we have here an arbitrary and capricious exercise of Carrier's right to impose discipline.

The claim of the Organization in Docket CL-11667 is, therefore sustained.

AWARD:

Claim sustained.

Signed this 12th day of December, 1961.

/s/ Edward A. Lynch
E. A. Lynch, Chairman

/s/ A. E. Myles
A. E. Myles, Carrier Member

/s/ A. B. Seward

A. B. Seward, Employe Member