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On March 29, after a 44-day strike, all railway services resumed normal operations. Strikers' original demand was to obtain a minimum \$120 per month wage. After President Carlos Menem created a new railway company for the railway lines shut down by the strike (temporary administration prior to privatization within three months), the strikers demanded only the reinstatement of over 3,000 employees fired during the walkout. At a meeting in Buenos Aires on March 28, railway employees voted to end the strike after the government offered a "relative" reinstatement. Once workers returned to their regular duties, the government will act on dismissals of employees during the strike on a "case by case" basis. (Basic data from EFE, 03/28/91; AFP, 03/29/91)

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