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Clyde Shipyard standstill-

Mar 19th. '57.

A staggering blow to Britain's economic recovery; pickets (posted at the dock gates) tell their own grim story- that the great strike of shipyard workers had begun.

Already work is held up on hundreds of ships in the Scottish yards alone. The silence on Clydeside is typical of the scene throughout the length and breadth of Britain.

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WITH THREATS OF OTHER

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the country faces the greatest industrial crisis for years.