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Growers and Pickers Meet
First Time in Dispute

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After almost four years of strikes and boycotts against California growers, the first open meeting of a committee of grape growers sat down today to discuss a settlement that would end the years-long conflict between the growers and the grape pickers.

The meeting could have significant advance in the efforts of the United Farm Workers Organization (UFW) to sue the grape growers and their labor leaders. The National Labor Relations Act.

The importance of today's meeting cannot be overestimated. A possible solution to the dispute that has raged for more than a decade in the state, which most of the nation's fruit and vegetables, could be in sight. The state is building up in Washington to place a new contract with the national labor relations government to end the strike.

The UFW already has named a strike leader, Cesar Chavez, to negotiate a new contract with the grape harvesters. The state's labor relations act.

The meeting was called by the grape growers themselves earlier this week. They presented a sharp contrast.

Carrying Briefcases

The grape growers smelled the air of compromise, and some of the growers were smiling. They were carrying briefcases. They spoke to news-

First of all, the growers who were present agreed among themselves about 10 per cent of California's grape harvest. A large majority of the growers has resisted the union's demands.

The boycott involves California grape growers, and it has a large, unified group. The California Grape Growers Association said that only 10 per cent of California's grape harvest is involved.

Another problem is that the growers have become more expensive by rising costs and have expressed doubts about the union's measurements of the large wage increase.

As a result, it is almost impossible to exclude any grow-

It is expected that the growers will continue the nationwide boycott today. The New York Times

How can you stamp a grape with the union label?