



## RAILROAD TERMS

Railroad terms:

Section men are "gandy dancers" or "Jerries,"

Brakeman ----- "shack"

Fireman ----- "Tallow Pot"

Engineer ----- "hog head" or "Eagle eye."

Conductor ----- "captain"

Car repairer ----- "car tink"

Quick stop signal ----- "wash out"

Out of town ----- "high ball"

Take a hold & lift ----- "grab root and growl"

Shoveler ----- "shovel stiff"

Telegrapher ----- "lightning slinger"

Demerits ----- "brownies"

Intinerant laborer is a "gay cat" or "bindle stiff."