

Bus Firm Halts Campus Service

Bus service on the University of Wisconsin campus was halted briefly Wednesday afternoon by the Madison Bus Co. when striking students began to halt buses and block entrances to University buildings.

William H. Straub, president of the bus firm, said service was curtailed for about two hours beginning around 1:30 p.m. Service to the campus area was resumed on a limited basis at about 3:30 p.m., he said.

Bus service to the campus will continue this morning on a

normal operating basis, he added.

Straub said that drivers did not refuse to go onto the campus.

"They came in on our instructions. No one would expect them to operate under those conditions," he said.

The striking students caused some damage to a few buses. Straub said several of the eight buses operating in the area at the time had broken windows and several were splashed with paint.

"No drivers were threatened to my knowledge," he said.