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STRIKE IS UNLIKELY.

Steamboat Owners On Marine Engineers' Demand — Engineers Set June 15th As The Date For The New Schedule To Go Into Effect.

There seems to be little disposition on the part of the Baltimore steamboat owners to believe that a strike will follow the request for higher wages for marine engineers, asked for in a circular issued last week by the Marine Engineers' Beneficial Association No. 5. The owners say that a great many of the men are paid within $2 or $3 of what is asked—some of them more—and it is unlikely that they will get at odds with the company which the majority of them have been serving for years for this amount. They are loath to discuss the matter at length, however, as the circular does not ask that the new schedule be put in effect before June 15. A meeting is to take place Monday at the Third National Bank, where all the steamboat companies are expected to be represented.

The Rate Asked For.

The rate of wages asked for in the circular is:

Passenger Steamers to York River and below York River—Chief engineer, $115; first assistant engineer, $85; second assistant engineer, $65.
All Passenger Steamers Running Above York River—Chief engineer, $100; assistant engineer, $75.
Ferryboat, $60.
Ocean Tugs of the First Class—Chief engineer, $120; assistant engineer, $75
Ocean Tugs of the Second Class—Chief engineer, $105; assistant engineer, $65.
All Tugs Towing on the Chesapeake—Chief engineer, $75; assistant engineer, $50.
Harbor tugs, $2.50 a day.
Ten hours to constitute a working day, with overtime 25 cents an hour.
Engineers on All Pleasure Vessels—Salary increased 20 per cent.

Decision As To Licenses.

There is now a regular rate of wages, but the men on the harbor tugs are said to get on an average $2 a day. As they are more likely to shift from one employer to another, there seems to be more uneasiness about them. A recent decision in the West when the licenses of engineers were revoked by the Government authorities on their entering a strike, under the ruling that they were bound, on taking the licenses, to do nothing to interfere with commerce, is also cited as making a strike improbable. On the other hand, the union has absolute control over firemen and transient engineers, according to one gentleman in steamboat circles. One of his engineers told him that unless he belonged to the union he, the engineer, could not get a fireman to work for him.

It is the practice among such companies as the Tolchester and the Chester Rive Line to keep certain engineers all the year round, even the season when their boats are laid up for weeks, and sometimes for months, paying them working wages.

Men on Harbor Tugs.

In the Old Bay Line and the York River Line a great many of the men have been under their present employers for years, and some of those talked to had no notification of the demand and knew nothing of it. All seem to see justice in the men on the harbor tugs demanding more pay, for their working day is said to stretch from sunrise until an hour or more after sunset sometimes. They get out at 4 o'clock in the morning, and, as one of the engineers expressed the matter, "they can't quit and walk home at a certain hour if they happen to be down the river on a job; they have to stay until they have finished it." The union is said to number 300 men and to be well organized. Should they strike, the shipping of Baltimore would, of course, be crippled. One owner said that some of the demands were reasonable enough, while others were not.

The Companies Affected.

The companies affected are:

Merchants and Miners' Transportation Co.
Baltimore, Chesapeake and Atlantic Railway Company.
The Ericsson Line.
The Weems Steamboat Company.
The New York and Baltimore Transportation Line.
Queen Anne's Railroad Company.
Chester River Steamboat Company.
Tolchester Steamboat Company.
The Old Bay Line.
The Chesapeake Line.
The P. Dougherty Company.
Philip Weaver & Son.
Baker-Whiteley Coal Company.
American Towing and Lighterage Co.
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Consolidation Coal Company.

AFTER spending 10 years and sacrificing a fortune in search of his son William, who was led astray in his boyhood by the glitter and tinsel of a circus, Gustav Rhea, living near Mount Vernon, Ind., last week located his long-lost boy in the Nebraska Penitentiary, condemned to death for murder.

High political influence has been brought to bear to have young Rhea's sentence commuted to life imprisonment, but so bitter and unrelenting is the feeling against him in the little town where he committed the crime that slight hopes are entertained for saving his life. Rhea's crime has been exploited as one of the most uncalled-for in the history of the State.

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