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LIVING ON WARSHIPS HOUSEKEEPING ARRANGEMENTS ON UNCLE SAM'S BOATS. Something About the Messes—Their Table Expenses Are Paid by the Officers—The Detailed Men Are Fed at the Expense of the Government. The point of the land who have plenty of room for all the various departments of housekeeping affairs, it may be inter- esting to know how the several hundred men crowded beneath the decks of a big warship manage to exist comfortably in the confined space allowed. Generally the mess is on the gun deck there is the galley on which all the cooking for the ship and men is done. This galley is a large range fastened down to the deck by iron straps, and from early morning till late at night it is surrounded by the cooks, bakers and messengers, and the tables are covered with messes of different tables aboard ship. If it be a flagship—that is, one which carries an admiral in command of a fleet of ships, the first mess of importance is the admiral's, a cook and a boy. He may eat in his cabin or have the captain and other officers of his staff with him. Then there is the captain's mess in his separate quarters, with the same complement of serving men, paymasters, doctors, chaplain and other officers, all together in a big mess with a steward, a cook and five or six servants or wardrobe boys, as they are called aboard ship. In this mess one of the officers is elected steward and has general supervision of everything pertaining to it—the general distribution of the grubbing of the dis- tinguished members are directed against the general idea of the civil- ized man who visits the ship, the officers are furnished everything by the govern- ment, but must pay for all their food from their monthly pay, and the caterer becomes the purveyor of these payments from all the officers. Of course the stewards, cooks and other boys are regularly enlisted in the service, and all hold minor fighting stations, which they regularly drill, but every- thing of food is bought by the officers themselves. Until quite recently the officers of the warships were required to buy their own articles and dishes, glassware and crockery, but these are now furnished by the government, leaving the officers only the duty of buying. The steward is entrusted with the duty of making the daily provisions for the mess, and seeing that the cook prepares them properly, and that the boys serve them. His value depends upon his knowledge of marketing, cooking and the discipline he has among the boys, and last, but far from least, upon his honesty, for in a large mess he may handle hundreds of dollars a month. The duties of the boys, besides serving the officers at meals, consist in keeping all the categories in order as well as the messes. The stewards are generally old and tried men, who have served through the inter- mediate stages of boy and cook, while the boys are of every grade of efficiency and every nationality. Next in importance after the wardrobe officers' mess is the junior officers' mess, made up of the junior lieut. and staff com- missioned officers and the naval cadets, and perhaps of all the officers aboard ship. Next in importance after the wardrobe officers' mess is the junior officers' mess, made up of the junior lieut. and staff com- missioned officers and the naval cadets, and perhaps of all the officers aboard ship. Next in importance after the wardrobe officers' mess is the junior officers' mess, made up of the junior lieut. and staff com- missioned officers and the naval cadets, and perhaps of all the officers aboard ship.

Hardly knew where he was. A colored sergeant badly mixed with horses, cannon and dirt. The Ninth cavalry was the first to use the Hotchkiss mountain gun, said Captain Day to a reporter, "and the way that gun was hauled about by the troops was a caution. Lieutenant Humphrey com- manded the gun outfit in our troop, and he could hit an ordinary target as far as it could be seen. "He was a very profane man, and when- ever any of the boys got weary on a march they would say, 'Let's go back and back and Humphrey swear.' In marching over the mountains it was often necessary to climb down inclines which are almost a sheer drop, and at such places the soldier would sit down between the forelegs of his horse, and they slid down together. The gun outfit, always being in the rear, would generally find such places worn about as smooth as glass when they came up, and Humphrey's profanity then was something terrible. I remember one amus- ing incident connected with an affair of this sort. The incline was almost a sheer precipice, leading 30 feet below into a canyon. When Humphrey came up, of course all the dirt was worn off, leaving only the slippery side of the rock. "He sat down and swore long and loud- ly, but finally got up and ordered the out- fit over. The sergeant, a colored man named McElroy, was about to let the gun and two mules go over by themselves, when Humphrey yelled: 'Hold on there. Go over with them and report.' "So over they went, and after hearing a splash in the canyon below followed by silence, Humphrey called out: "McElroy, are you killed?" "A big spluttering was heard below, and pretty soon McElroy's voice came up, "No, sah, I'm not killed!" "Where's the mule?" "He's kicking on top of the heap, sah." "Well, where's the wheel mule?" "He's under the off mule, sah." "Is the gun all right?" "Yes, sah; dat's under the wheel mule, sah." "Well, where in — are you?" "I'm under de gun, sah."—Washing- ton Times. REFLECTED HER PROFESSION. He Knew She Was a Schoolmarm by Her Dress and Hair. "How unconsciously men and women take on the atmosphere of their surround- ings and avocations!" remarked a man re- cently. "I can recall an illustration of that fact in an experience I had some years ago. I have been so long accustomed to the association of women schoolteachers that I am rarely mistaken when I come in contact with one. A prominent woman teacher from a northern city was expected here several years ago to be present at an educational meeting. I had never seen her, but received a telegram asking me to meet her at the train. I was sure I would be able to identify her. I went through the train, which was crowded with passengers. I looked around and soon found the teacher. She was perfectly astonished when I came up and said, 'Is this Miss Blank?' "Yes, that is my name," she replied, "but how did you know me?" "I did not explain, but it was easy enough. At first glance I saw her hair was short, that she wore eyeglasses and had on a plain looking sort of gray cloth dress. Any doubts I might have had were soon relieved, as I noticed hanging from her watch fob a small globe, being a mini- ature of the earth. Another earmark was a small hand satchel that snapped loudly when she closed it. I knew I could not be mistaken, and results showed I correct- ly diagnosed the profession of that won- an."—Philadelphia Press. Maine's Extinct Volcano. Although Haystack mountain in Aroostook is said to be the remains of an extinct volcano, it has been the general opinion that the traces of lava in Maine were con- spicuous only by their absence. But Pro- fessor W. S. Bayley of Colby university is quoted as proving by a series of rocks at North Haven that Knox county once was the seat of a great volcano which was sub- ject to as violent eruptions as Vesuvius. Even to the present day lava sheets may be seen stretching over the northern half of Vinalhaven. "When Vesuvius was born," says Pro- fessor Bayley, "it cast up ashes and dust, which in falling buried the cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum. The Maine volcano emptied similar material and in quantities large enough to bury a dozen towns." The age of this old volcano and even its exact site are not yet known, but it is such a perfectly preserved example of an ancient volcano that it has attracted attention be- yond the borders of the state and will be studied extensively by Mr. G. O. Smith at the Johns Hopkins university.—Lowell- ton Journal. Among the Swiss Vines. In good soil, with careful treatment, a plant will last 40 or 50 years; when it is exhausted, it is taken up and replaced by a young one. But madam, the good mother of our landlord, a little brown, withered old woman, who went about her vineyards in the flat black silk cap, the black bodice, white chemise and the full white sleeves of the Canton Vaud, as- sured us that continual care was needed to make them last as long as this. Every unnecessary shoot must be re- moved to prevent waste of strength, and when the flowers are set and the grapes be- gin to ripen every leaf that comes between the fruit and the sun, and which can be spared from the plant, is got rid of. Heavy bunches must be supported by any means that ingenuity can devise, so that the stem may not be strained. Early frost and hail are great dangers to be feared. Should hail come near harvest time, the vigneron must go through his vineyards and remove any damaged grapes with a pair of silver scissors. A watch must be kept for the grubs. And of course there is the dreaded phylloxera, but southern Switzerland, happily, seems to be free from that. If a plant is attacked, a red cross is marked on it, and it is ruthlessly destroyed.—Cornhill Maga- zine.

ONE NEW SENATOR. A New Brunswick M.P. Called to the Senate. THE C.P.R. GETS A NEW SUBSIDY. Josiah Wood, M.P. for Westmoreland, N.B., a Senator—Rearrangement of the Canadian Pacific Subsidy Which Will Be Voted on Next Session. Ottawa, Aug. 6.—Josiah Wood, M.P., has been called to the Senate, vice Kennedy Burns, deceased. The vacancy in the Commons will be filled with- out delay, the writs for Westmoreland being issued to-day. The election takes place Saturday, Aug. 24. The new Senator was born in Sackville, N.B., on April 18, 1843, and was educated at Mount Allison Wesleyan College, Sackville, where he graduated in 1876. On Jan. 14, 1874, he married Laura S., daughter of Thompson True- man of Sackville. He was called to the bar of New Brunswick in 1876, but after practicing a short time relin- quished the profession to engage in mercantile pursuits. He is now a ship- owner and largely interested in farm- ing and stock-raising. At the general election of 1878, Mr. Wood contested Westmoreland for the Legislative Assembly of New Brun- swick, but was unsuccessful. He was first elected as member for Westmore- land at the general election of 1882, and was re-elected in 1887 and 1891. He is a staunch Conservative. In view of the increased facilities and the extension of the service of the mail subsidy to the C.P.R., has been re-arranged so as to give the company about \$400,000 additional sub- vention. Parliament will be asked to vote the money next session. The Minister of Marine has refused to allow the Allan Steamship Company to reduce the space for cattle between decks on the new steamer Scotsman to two feet six inches. Last week Sheriff Groulx and his assistant of Ottawa County, went back to Low Township with 15 warrants for parties who have refused to pay their taxes. On his arrival he was surrounded by some 20 of the farm- ers, who managed to obtain possession of all the warrants, while he was engaged crowding them back, between the trees. He was returned to Hull, and will ask the Provincial Pro- cureur for sufficient force to aid him in making the seizures. Heavy Rain Ruins Japan's Crops. Yokohama, Aug. 5.—Continuous heavy rains throughout Japan have ruin- ed the crops. It is feared that the failure of the rice harvest will cause a famine. FOR THE LAKE FREIGHT FERRY. The First Boat Launched for the Port Dover-Canoe Line. Toledo, Aug. 5.—In the presence of 25,000 people, Henshaw No. 1, a car ferry, built at a cost of \$175,000, was successfully launched at the yards of the Craig Shipbuilding Co. in this city this afternoon. She is destined for service on Lake Erie, between Port Dover, Ont., and Connetquot, Pa., connecting the Grand Trunk Railway and the Pittsburg, Shenandoah and Lake Erie Railroad. She is 300 feet in length, 54 feet beam, 25 feet deep and will carry 28 loaded cars. She has special machinery for crushing ice, to enable her to navigate the year round. Victims Circular Issued by Debs. Terre Haute, Ind., Aug. 5.—A circular has been issued from the head- quarters of the American Railway Union, which after treating of various business matters, assails the old brotherhoods, and the latter's grand officers in a savage way. The circular is addressed to the local unions, and is signed by Eugene V. Debs, as president. Fathers Must Be Careful There. Among the Indians of British Guiana usage bids the father to bed when a child is born, and allows the mother to return at once to her household duties. James Rodway's recently pub- lished book of that country explains the custom by a superstition which at- taches the spirit of the child to the body of the father. The author says: "The father must not hunt, shoot, or fell trees for some time, because there is an invisible connection between himself and the babe, whose spirit ac- companies him in all his wanderings; and might be shot, chopped or other- wise injured unwittingly. He there- fore retires to his hammock, sometimes holding the little one, and receives the congratulations of his friends, as well as the advice of the elder mem- bers of the community. If he has occasion to travel, he must not go very far, and, in passing a creek must first lay across it a little bridge or bend a leaf into the shape of a canoe for his companion." An Odd Custom. The oldest temperance society in the world is the abstaining commune in Achlyka, in Siberia, all of whose mem- bers are strict teetotallers every day in the year except one. Regularly on the first day of September, year after year, all the adult members of the commune assemble in the parish church, and everyone takes a solemn vow be- fore the altar to drink no wine, beer or spirits "from the morrow" of the follow- ing day for the whole year. The clause, "from the morrow" is introduced in or- der to give them a reward for their virtues in the shape of a whole day of drunken carnival. As soon as they leave the church they begin to indulge in a horrible Bacchanalian drinking, which continues throughout the day, until neither man nor women in the vil- lage is sober. This is naturally follow- ed by considerable physical suffering, and then by mental remorse, where- upon the penitent parish enters upon its twelvemonth of model sobriety, and all live like the Rechabites. Some stu- dents imagine that this queer proceed- ing may be a prehistoric tribal custom.

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