Woman's Place.

Woman's place may be the home, but, judging from recent statistics, she seems to have deliberately ignored that fact, for there are 239,077 stenographers, 327,635 teachers and professors, 481,169 in various trades, 770,055 engaged in agricultural pursuits, 7,355 physicians and surgeons, 7,295 clergy "men," 2,193 journalists, 1,037 designers, darughtsmen and architects, 1,010 lawyers and 429,497 women in various professions.—Baltimore Sun.

DEEP CRACKS ON JOINTS

P. O. Box 378, El Paso, Texas.—"My trouble began December, 1911. It commenced on me by causing a scurf-like skin and my toe joints, finger joints and lips commenced to crack and split open. My finger cracks would bleed all day long; the cracks were very deep and my thumb seemed to be cracked to the bone. My hands were so bad that I had to sleep with gloves on. The cracks in my lips would bleed often during the day and I used to put adhesive plaster across them to try to keep them closed. My toes would bleed, and I would find blood in my socks when the day's work was done. The skin around the cracks was red and inflamed. I wore shoes one size too large on account of my feet being so sore. I used to become frantic with pain at times. My hands and feet used to smart.

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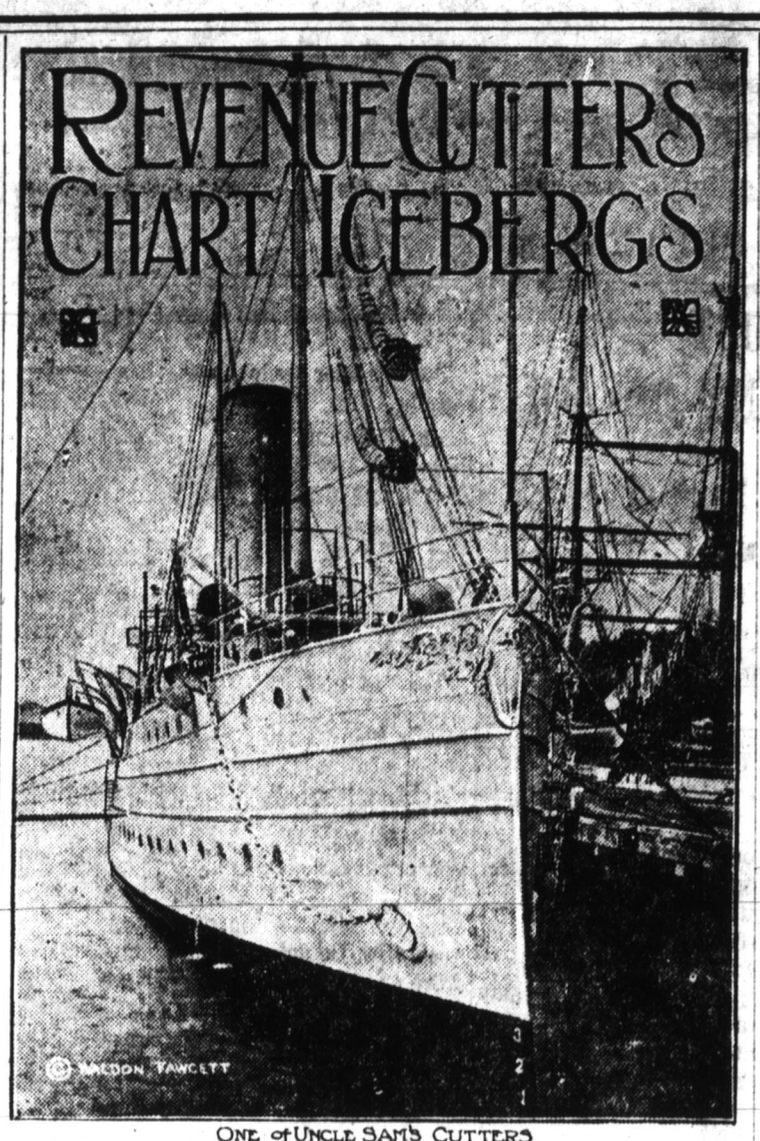

ONE of UNCLE SAM'S CUTTERS

A THREE months' game of "tag" between vessels of the United States revenue cutter service and the icebergs of the North Atlantic steamship lanes, which has just been brought to an end, has resulted in contributions of great value to the mariner's store of knowledge about ice movements and their dangers to the great fleet constantly passing between Europe and America. The ice patrol itself was a direct result of the tremendous shock suffered by both Europe and America in the loss of the giant liner Titanic a year ago last April, when more than 1,600 persons were drowned when that vessel collided with an iceberg in the same waters searched this year by the revenue cutters.

The vessels engaged in the ice patrol were the cutters Seneca and Miami, commanded by Capts. C. B. Johnston and A. S. Gamble respectively. Captain Johnston was the senior officer in command of the ice patrol, and in his final report are conclusions which ought to form the basis of study by all commanders and navigators of steam vessels in the North Atlantic ship lanes. The Titanic disaster brought to every ocean traveler, with shocking vividness, the reality of the danger to the transatlantic fast liners from the presence of ice in their tracks during the spring months. To all passengers on such steamers Captain Johnston's report may serve well as an index to the measure of care and precaution necessary for any ship in the vicinity of the annual path of icebergs, and it has therefore a definite value for the traveling public as well as to mariners.

Make Daily Reports.

The mode of procedure in the ice patrol maintained by the Seneca and the Miami was for the two vessels to take turns in scouring the ocean for ice in the waters bounded by the fiftieth and forty-fourth parallels north latitude, and the fortieth and forty-ninth meridians of west longitude. All passing vessels reported by wireless to the patrol vessels any ice they had encountered in those waters, while the vessels in turns transmitted to the naval hydrographic office at New York daily reports of all ice either seen by them or reported to them by other vessels. In a short time practically every berg in those waters had been located, identified and its general movements ascertained. Thereafter the task of of the patrol vessels was to check up on the known bergs at frequent intervals, and by observation of their positions at each sighting, to learn the rate and direction of their movements. It is this secondary phase of the patrol that yielded the general observations of greatest permanent value to maritime interests.

It was found that the icebergs were brought south along the coast of Newfoundland and the Grand Banks by what is known as the Labrador current. The southerly drift was found to vary from practically nothing to as high as 32 miles a day, depending upon wind and tide in its fluctuations. At the junction of the Labrador current, accelerated by the flow from the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and the northward moving Gulf stream from the Gulf of Mexico the direction of the drift of icebergs is changed from southerly to north and east. The Gulf stream is more powerful than the Labrador current and dominates it, taking along in its course whatever ice may be brought into it. This change usually occurs in April and May, and those months become then the period of greatest danger to transatlantic liners from ice. The tracks of the liners hardly touch the Labrador current, but do lie along the path of the Gulf stream. The area of the ice danger is at the same time restricted, because bergs coming into the Gulf stream do not last long in the warm water of that current.

Captain Johnston is of the opinion that the quantity of ice brought down in the spring is in direct proportion to the severity of the winter preceding. The severity of the winters in the north Atlantic states, he says, depends upon the prevalence of strong north winds having their origin on the Labrador coast. Similarly it is these same winds which start southward the great masses of ice broken off from glaciers which appear in the steamship tracks as icebergs. Therefore the ice danger in the steamship lanes is always greatest after the most severe winters and less as the preceding winter has been mild.

Ground on Banks.

Many of the icebergs in the southward drift become grounded on the Grand Banks and do not constitute any serious menace to the transatlantic liners. It is those which continue south parallel to and beyond the banks which threaten the safety of the ocean steamers; and it was to these that the revenue cutter patrols paid the most attention. Captain Johnston said that the largest berg that was encountered was about 400 feet long, 300 feet wide, 70 feet high out of water. The smallest ice which properly could be called a berg was 225 feet long, 100 feet wide and 35 feet out of water.

Captain Johnston estimated the rate of deterioration of icebergs floating in the Gulf stream as about 5 per cent. a day. He saw many melting so rapidly that waterfalls were pouring down from their sides while others in the advanced stages of dissolution turned over daily as rapid melting shifted the center of gravity. Sometimes icebergs were found literally covered with sea birds. Of the score of varieties of sea birds found on or near icebergs Captain Johnston concludes that the presence of none but the murre, a bird common in northern latitudes, can be safely regarded as an indication of ice in the vicinity.

Perhaps Captain Johnston's most valuable contribution is that referring to the visibility and means of detecting the presence of ice and icebergs. After three months of repeated observations and experiments, together with the results of his experience in other arctic regions, Captain Johnston concludes that there is no certain method of detecting the presence of ice other than that of a sharp lookout; that in fog, or especially dark nights, it is absolutely incumbent upon the commander of any fast liner to run very slowly and keep an extra vigilant watch.

For the "Brass Wedding."

That wholly modern institution, the brass wedding, is popular because the bride and bridegroom thus celebrating feel that they are not hinting for costly gifts when they send invitations to their friends to rejoice with them. If the "bride" is literary, she will like to have something for her desk—a stationery rack, a memorandum pad with a pencil attached to a spiral spring, a desk blotter, a string box, a book rack or book ends. Don't forget that the "bridegroom," if he is a smoker, will like a brass lamp of antique appearance, or a cigar pedestal with a dish for the ashes flaring into grooves for the stubs of his weeds.

Both "bride" and "bridegroom" will appreciate a brass serving tray, a chafing dish with a match box holder attached, a tea caddy, candle shades, bridge score pads or an egg dish holder.

The Paradox.

"There is one thing decidedly queer about the German health baths."

"What is that?"

"They all have a 'bad' ending, yet people go to them to get good results."

FROM THE TAR HEEL STATE

Short Paragraphs of State News That Has Been Condensed For Busy People of State.

Washington.—Messrs. Davis and Davis, Washington patent attorneys, report the grant to Jerry M. Hassell, Warsaw, of a patent on a logging-car.

Oxford.—Mrs. Kate Hays Fleming, one of Oxford's most accomplished teachers, was appointed by Gov. Craig a delegate to the Fourth International Congress on school hygiene, now being held in Buffalo, N. Y.

Warrenton.—This county is stirred over the proposition of a bond issue of $100,000 for good roads. The question will be decided at the polls September 16 and both sides are hard at work.

Salisbury.—The hookworm campaign, which has been under way in Rowan county for six weeks, was concluded recently. The work was done in a thorough manner by Dr. G. F. Leonard and Mr. H. E. Jenkins.

Fairmont.—Several days ago the Robeson county veterans held a reunion here and a great crowd was in attendance. There were 85 veterans present, 18 of whom were over 75 years old. Mr. L. R. Varser, of Lumberton, was the orator of the day.

Concord.—Supt. A. S. Webb, of the city schools has notified the teachers that Septtember 22 is the opening day. He has instructed the teachers to meet their pupils on Friday, Septtember 19, for the purpose of giving out book lists and assigning lessons for Monday's work.

Charlotte—That Willie Stevens was justified in slaying George Smith on May 25th was the decision of the jury sitting on the case in the superior court after a deliberation of an hour and forty minutes. The decision was announced after court had been adjourned nearly two hours. The trial continued through two days.

Dunn.—At a meeting of a committee from the chamber of commerce selected to handle the question of a union depot for Dunn and several of the leading business men of the town it was decided to accept the proposition made by the Atlantic Coast Line and the Durham & Southern to build a modern station at the junction of the two roads.

Henderson.—From present indications the extensive preparations now being made will result in greatly increasing the tobacco interests of Henderson and a part of this increase will be shown this season. The Farmers' Sales Warehouse, nearing completion, is the largest structure of the kind erected in the city since it became a tobacco market.

Asheville.—The dream of a "great white way" for Asheville appears to be materializing, workmen having already started the task of installing the light standards on Patton Avenue. The work of placing the standards will be completed within the next week or ten days and then the "juice" will be turned on on that street as well as North and South Pack square.

Durham.—Mrs. J. E. Keith, of the Creedmore section of Granville county, met a tragic death several days ago, when she was killed in the elevator of the Trust building. Mrs. Keith and her daughter were on the car, and the body of the elder lady was fearfully mangled, death resulting instantly. The daughter was a witness to the fearful death of her mother.

Salisbury.—A narrow escape from serious injury and perhaps death, was experienced recently near Salisbury by Mr. Reed Rusher, Miss Annie Rusher and Miss Olga Brown of Faith. In driving a young horse by a street car on a fill near the city limits the animal dashed down a high embankment turning the buggy over several times. The occupants escaped with slight bruises.

Raleigh.—The state fair will this year make of its tobacco and it has arranged for the exhibition with Col. John S. Cunningham and Dr. J. L. Burgess in charge. The competition is limited to North Carolina growers and the prizes are numerous and substantial. In the selection of the men in charge the fair association has chosen two of the state's best tobacco men. The directors will spend $330 in prizes alone and will confer all diplomas that mean a great deal.

Greensboro.—The preliminary trial of Ed Hargis, charged with the murder of his son, was held several days ago. The defendant was held without bail for superior court. The principal evidence against him is the story of the killing told by his daughter.

Greenville.—The county commissioners visited the county home and are considering the matter of rebuilding with modern improvements, either at the present site or nearer town. This matter has been agitated much of late, all agreeing that a new home is a necessity.

Smithfield.—Sheriff W. F. Grimes, with Deputy Johnson and two special deputies captured a 40-gallon copper still and worm, and destroyed four barrels of beer in Meadow township, on Stone's Creek near the home of Elbert Hudson.

Raleigh.—A charter was issued by the Secretary of State, this being for the Merchants and Farmers' Bank of Bakersville. Its capital stock is $50,000 but will commence business with $10,000 paid in. The incorporators are George I. White, Marion; D. E. Hudgins, and J. L. Morgan, of Bakersville.

POULTRY

PROFITABLE AS EGG LAYER

Brown Leghorn Hen, Six Years Old, Stops Laying Just Long Enough to Hatch Out Brood.

As to the age limit of profitable egg production there are many exceptions to this rule. Some hens are never profitable egg producers, while others may be profitable for years. I have a three-fourths grade Brown Leghorn that is nearly six years old and she has not stopped laying since early last spring long enough to hatch a brood of chickens, says a writer in an exchange. She got broody last April and was given eggs, but she sat but a few days until she quit her nest and was laying again in a short time. She has been almost a continual layer up to this date, and is still laying. Much of the time she laid an egg every day.

The regular profit of $1 per fowl seems to satisfy the average poultryman. This is wrong, for no one should be satisfied in any line of work,

Rose Comb Brown Leghorn.

but constantly striving for better results and larger profits. Two and three dollars per fowl is a possible profit and is being attained by some men in the poultry business today.

The secret does not lie in the fowl or the variety, but in the human brain. Let us all study more carefully the rules and principles that govern poultry culture. Let us strive to increase the profit in our flocks, and thus each year set up a new standard for the succeeding year. By thought, perseverance and persistence great things can be accomplished with poultry.

INJURIOUS HABITS OF HENS

Pulling and Eating of Each Other's Feathers May Be Cured by Allowing Them Free Range.

Sometimes a flock of hens acquire the habit of pulling and eating each other's feathers. In some cases they are so bad that the flesh of the fowls become torn and sore, and the whole flock is nearly naked.

When they first show the signs of this vice measures should promptly be taken to cure them.

The trouble is caused by too closely confining the fowls and allowing them to be idle. Where possible they should be turned on the range where the fascination of chasing bugs and eating the green stuff will make them forget the bad habit.

When they cannot be turned out they should be made to scratch for their grain in deep litter. Bundles of wheat or oats, or sunflower heads may be hung up just high enough that they will have to work to get the seeds. Give them some turnips or mangle beets or cabbage heads to work at—anything to keep them in exercise and busy. Feed them plenty of green food, meat, meal, beef scraps and green cut bone.

Rub carbolated vaseline on the plucked fowls where the feathers have been pulled out.

POULTRY NOTES

Cleanliness is more important than medicine for poultry.

Plenty of buttermilk and clabber saves buying meat scraps.

Sanitation is the great chick remedy. In other words, prevention.

Patient attention to the little things is what makes success with poultry.

Cull all your young chickens, keeping those nearest to the standard of perfection.

Late hatched chickens need as much care as early ones; don't think they can rustle a living.

The goose is a grazing bird, while the duck thrives with a limited amount of green food.

For table it pays to hatch chicks from February to November, but the number should be limited.

If duck eggs are set under the hens from this time on, it will be best to make the nest on the ground.

Remember that fowls that "look alike" will attract better attention and sell better than the hit and miss kind.

About the best remedy for scaly legs, which is the work of parasites, is an application of melted lard and sulphur once a week.

Drinking troughs need frequent looking after in summer. Nothing like a filthy water or feed trough to breed disease in hot weather.

Feed less corn and other grain than you did during the winter. The birds feed largely on worms and insects while they are running on range.

HER EXPERIENCE QUITE EXPENSIVE

Gives Out Some Interesting Facts Regarding Her Troubles, and How She Avoided Further Expense.

Pineview, Va.—Mrs. Cora Brooks, of this town, writes as follows: "I suffered for about three years with womanly trouble, and was getting worse and worse all the time.

I had two good doctors and I was sent to two good hospitals to be operated on, but no operating was done.

All this cost me lots of money, and I was no better off than before I started.

Finally I began to take Cardui, the woman's tonic. After taking six bottles, the pains are all gone, and I feel like a new woman entirely. I am now able to do all the housework for myself, husband and five children, with ease. Before taking Cardui, I was in bed seven weeks at a time, not able to do anything at all.

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There are thousands of women who have been benefited by taking Cardui, the woman's tonic, and there are thousands who are suffering from some form of womanly trouble—suffering for the lack of Cardui.

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