



B-3

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As a new man wanders through *Westwind* he might in his travels discover an engine room known as B-3. After a close inspection he will find two more mighty Fairbanks-Morse steeds used for main propulsion, and two Fairbanks-Morse ponies used for ship's electrical power.

Among the various cables, pumps, valves and piping lines, he will occasionally catch a glimpse of that elusive and rare bird known as the "Snipe". The snipe will be going about his various tasks of checking gauges, pumping excess bilge water, looking for any kind of a leak, or engaged in his favorite sport of skylarking. Should a malfunction occur, the new man will suddenly see a flock of these snipes with wrenches, screw drivers, or precision instruments pounce upon a steed and cure his ills with undue speed.

The new man can leave B-3 with a sense of pride knowing that whatever happens, when *Westwind* is heading home, B-3 can be counted on to help push her a little harder and faster.



EN3 Bray takes hourly readings on ship's service generator board.

Routine maintenance on No. 3 ship's service generator.

