

Another rating assigned to the Supply Division is the Steward and steward's man. The men in this rating minister to the many needs of the twenty-one officers assigned **Westwind** in much the same fashion as would valets, butlers and chefs.

The steward and steward's man must be butcher, baker, and almost everything but the candlestick maker. Through them substantial and wholesome meals are prepared and served to the officers of **Westwind**. In this connection they prepare menus, assist in ordering provisions, and ensure that the supplies are stowed properly. In addition to food preparation, they are responsible for the cleanliness and sanitary conditions in the officer's staterooms and in the commanding officer's cabin.

The steward and steward's man certainly make life much more pleasant for the officers through their efforts and as such are an integral part of the ship's company.



Front Row: SD3 B. Mercado, TN B. Espino, SD3 H. Pahati, SD3 J. Menor, TN L. Galman; Back Row: TN G. Manuel, TN D. Cotoner, TN V. Cantillo, SD2 P. Licayan, TA C. Viacrusis.



Espino and Licayan working in the cabin pantry.

The men take a coffee break.



Cantillo preparing a specialty for the wardroom mess.



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