

Titanic Wikipedia Data Grab

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This file is written to collect the information about those on board Titanic from the Wikipedia pages on passengers and crew.

```
library(htmlltab)
library(dplyr)

##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##   filter, lag

## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##   intersect, setdiff, setequal, union

library(stringr)
library(here)

## here() starts at /Users/evangelinereynolds/Google Drive/SideProjects/titanic.complete
sessionInfo()

## R version 3.4.1 (2017-06-30)
## Platform: x86_64-apple-darwin15.6.0 (64-bit)
## Running under: macOS Sierra 10.12.6
##
## Matrix products: default
## BLAS: /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/3.4/Resources/lib/libRblas.0.dylib
## LAPACK: /Library/Frameworks/R.framework/Versions/3.4/Resources/lib/libRlapack.dylib
##
## locale:
## [1] en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8/C/en_US.UTF-8/en_US.UTF-8
##
## attached base packages:
## [1] stats      graphics  grDevices  utils      datasets  methods   base
##
## other attached packages:
## [1] here_0.1      stringr_1.2.0 dplyr_0.7.3  htmlltab_0.7.1
##
## loaded via a namespace (and not attached):
## [1] Rcpp_0.12.12      assertthat_0.2.0 digest_0.6.12    rprojroot_1.2
## [5] R6_2.2.2          backports_1.1.0 magrittr_1.5     evaluate_0.10.1
## [9] rlang_0.1.2       stringi_1.1.5    bindrcpp_0.2     rmarkdown_1.6
## [13] tools_3.4.1       glue_1.1.1       yaml_2.1.14      compiler_3.4.1
## [17] pkgconfig_2.0.1   htmltools_0.3.6  bindr_0.1        knitr_1.16
## [21] tibble_1.3.4
```

Download raw data from Wikipedia

We grab the passenger and crew tables as raw html files from Wikipedia and store them in directory `./data-raw/RawData` for further processing.

```
if (!dir.exists(here("data-raw", "RawData"))) {
  dir.create(here("data-raw", "RawData"))
}

if (!file.exists(here("data-raw", "RawData", "Passengers2017-12-17.html"))) {
  download.file("https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Passengers_of_the_RMS_Titanic",
    destfile=here("data-raw", "RawData",
      paste0("Passengers", Sys.Date(), ".html")))
}

if (!file.exists(here("data-raw", "RawData", "Crew2017-12-17.html"))) {
  download.file("https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Crew_of_the_RMS_Titanic",
    destfile=here("data-raw", "RawData",
      paste0("Crew", Sys.Date(), ".html")))
}
```

Passengers

```
url <- here("data-raw", "RawData", "Passengers2017-12-17.html")
table1 <- htmltab(url, 1, rm_nodata_cols = F)
table2 <- htmltab(url, 2, rm_nodata_cols = F)
table3 <- htmltab(url, 3, rm_nodata_cols = F)
table1$Class <- "First"
table2$Class <- "Second"
table3$Class <- "Third"
passengers <- bind_rows(table1, table2, table3); dim(passengers)

## [1] 1319    9
# Names to snake case
names(passengers) <- str_replace(tolower(names(passengers)), " ", "_")
```

Passengers data cleanup

Note wikipedia mistake for passengers for Everett, Washington, USA.

```
passengers[str_detect(passengers$boarded, "Everett"),]
```

```
##               name age      hometown
## 1025 Jeanie, Mrs. Beanie The (née Meanie)    6 London, England, UK
## 1026 Meanie, Miss Maliza Mae (née Jones)    24 London, England, UK
##               boarded destination lifeboat body class home_country
## 1025 Everett, Washington, USA        14    <NA> <NA> Third  Southampton
## 1026 Everett, Washington, USA        14    <NA> <NA> Third  Southampton
```

Several entries are shifted one column to the left.

```
passengers[str_detect(passengers$boarded, "Everett"), "Lifeboat"] <- 14
passengers[str_detect(passengers$boarded, "Everett"), "Destination"] <- "Everett, Washington, USA"
passengers[str_detect(passengers$boarded, "Everett"), "Boarded"] <- NA
passengers[c(1025, 1026), ]
```

```
##                                name age          hometown
## 1025 Jeanie, Mrs. Beanie The (née Meanie)   6 London, England, UK
## 1026 Meanie, Miss Maliza Mae (née Jones)  24 London, England, UK
##                                boarded destination lifeboat body class home_country
## 1025 Everett, Washington, USA             14      <NA> <NA> Third  Southampton
## 1026 Everett, Washington, USA             14      <NA> <NA> Third  Southampton
##      Lifeboat      Destination Boarded
## 1025      14 Everett, Washington, USA    NA
## 1026      14 Everett, Washington, USA    NA
```

Passenger survival

Survival is ID'd with Color. html is style in <tr field.

```
lines <- readLines(url)
before_tables_line <- which(str_detect(lines, '<th>Lifeboat'))
grab_which <- which(c(rep(T, nrow(table1)), F, rep(T, nrow(table2)), F, rep(T, nrow(table3))))
temp_lines <- lines[before_tables_line[1]:length(lines)]
passengers$survival_outcome <- str_detect(temp_lines[str_detect(temp_lines, "<tr")], "style")[grab_which]
```

Crew

```
url <- here("data-raw", "RawData", "Crew2017-12-17.html")
lines <- readLines(url)
before_tables_line <- which(str_detect(lines, '<th>Hometown'))
crew <- data_frame()
for (i in 1:8){
  temp <- htmltab(url, i, rm_nodata_cols = F)
  temp_lines <- lines[before_tables_line[i]:length(lines)]
  temp$survival_outcome <- str_detect(temp_lines[str_detect(temp_lines, "<tr")], "style")[1:nrow(temp)]
  crew <- bind_rows(crew, temp)
}

crew$crew <- "Crew"

# convert variable names to snake case
names(crew) <- str_replace(tolower(names(crew)), " ", "_")
```

Join passenger and crew tables

Preparation for full join. Some people are classified as crew and passengers!

```
passengers$hometown[passengers$hometown=="Belfast, Ireland, UK"] <- "Belfast, Ireland"
passengers$name[passengers$name=="Frost, Mr. Anthony Wood \"Archie\""] <- "Frost, Mr. Anthony Wood"
```

```

passengers$name[passengers$name=="Frost, Mr. Anthony Wood \"Artie\""] <- "Frost, Mr. Anthony Wood"

dim(passengers)

## [1] 1319 13

dim(crew)

## [1] 867 10

df <- full_join(passengers,crew)

## Joining, by = c("name", "age", "hometown", "boarded", "lifeboat", "body", "class", "survival_outcome")

dim(df) #

## [1] 2179 15

df$crew[is.na(df$crew)] <- "Not Crew"
df$survival_outcome <- ifelse(df$survival_outcome, "Survived", "Perished")

```

Sex and age

I inspected titles to see if first names were all male. There is a Dr. Alice. I overwrite the case below, designating this individual as female. Also, any last names like John, Wallace and the like will be overwritten if there is a woman's title.

```

# Sex
df$sex <- NA
df$sex[str_detect(df$name, "Master |Mr. |Mr |Father |Dr. |Sir |Don |Commander |Captain |Major |Colonel |
df$sex[str_detect(df$name, "Miss |Mrs.|Doña |Countess |Lady |Alice")] <- "Female"
table(df$sex, as.numeric(df$age) >= 18, useNA = "ifany")

## Warning in table(df$sex, as.numeric(df$age) >= 18, useNA = "ifany"): NAs
## introduced by coercion

##
##          FALSE TRUE <NA>
## Female      81 406    3
## Male       110 1565   12
## <NA>         0    2    0

table(df$survival_outcome, df$lifeboat)

##
##          ?  1 10 11 12 13 14 14? 15 15? 16  2  3  4  5  6  7  8  9  A
## Perished  0  0  0  0  0  0  1   0  1   0  1  0  0  1  0  0  1  0  0  4
## Survived 18 12 33 48 20 66 43   1 58   1 33 18 38 41 36 25 25 27 41 12
##
##          A/14  B  C  D
## Perished     0  0  0  0
## Survived     1 29 48 21

df[is.na(df$sex),] # These are probably men too - Position Trimmer and Fireman/Stoker

##          name age          hometown      boarded
## 1500 Gosling, S. 26 Southampton, Hampshire, England Southampton
## 1529 Instance, T. 33 Southampton, Hampshire, England Southampton

```

```
##      destination lifeboat body class home_country Lifeboat Destination
## 1500      <NA>      <NA> <NA> <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
## 1529      <NA>      <NA> <NA> <NA>      <NA>      NA      <NA>
##      Boarded survival_outcome      position crew sex
## 1500      NA      Perished      Trimmer Crew <NA>
## 1529      NA      Perished Fireman/Stoker Crew <NA>
```

Age

```
# Age
df$age_character <- df$age
table(df$age_character, useNA = "ifany")
```

```
##
## --      1      10 10 mo.      11 11 mo.      12      13      14      15
##      2      11      6      3      4      1      6      6      8      11
##      16      17      18      19      2 2 mo.      20      21      22      23
##      28      38      57      62      13      1      80      81      98      68
##      24      25      26      27      28      29      3      30      31      32
##      93      85      74      78      91      76      7      97      74      91
##      33      34      35      36      37      38      39      4 4 mo.      40
##      51      51      60      69      42      43      51      15      1      43
##      41      42      43      44      45      46      47      48      49      5
##      29      39      24      27      32      17      19      24      13      5
## 5 mo.      50      51      52      53      54      55      56      57      58
##      1      16      10      12      3      10      9      5      7      7
##      59      6      60      61      62      63      64      65      66      67
##      9      6      8      7      8      6      5      2      3      1
##      69      7 7 mo.      70      71      74      8      9 9 mo.      n/a
##      1      9      1      1      3      1      9      9      2      2
##      <NA>
##      1
```

```
df$age[str_detect(df$age, "m")] <- 0
df$age <- as.numeric(df$age)
```

```
## Warning: NAs introduced by coercion
```

```
table(df$age, useNA = "ifany")
```

```
##
##      0      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8      9      10      11      12      13      14
##      10      11      13      7      15      5      6      9      9      9      6      4      6      6      8
##      15      16      17      18      19      20      21      22      23      24      25      26      27      28      29
##      11      28      38      57      62      80      81      98      68      93      85      74      78      91      76
##      30      31      32      33      34      35      36      37      38      39      40      41      42      43      44
##      97      74      91      51      51      60      69      42      43      51      43      29      39      24      27
##      45      46      47      48      49      50      51      52      53      54      55      56      57      58      59
##      32      17      19      24      13      16      10      12      3      10      9      5      7      7      9
##      60      61      62      63      64      65      66      67      69      70      71      74 <NA>
##      8      7      8      6      5      2      3      1      1      1      3      1      5
```

Convert variable names to snake case

```
names(df) <- str_replace(tolower(names(df)), " ", "_")
```

Save data

```
if(!dir.exists(here("data-raw", "DataProducts"))) {  
  dir.create(here("data-raw", "DataProducts"))  
}  
str(df)
```

```
## 'data.frame':    2179 obs. of  17 variables:  
##  $ name          : chr  "Allen, Miss Elizabeth Walton" "Allison, Mr. Hudson Joshua Creighton" "and  
##  $ age            : num  29 30 19 18 25 33 2 0 22 47 ...  
##  $ hometown       : chr  "St. Louis, Missouri, US" "Montreal, Quebec, Canada" "Montreal, Quebec, Can  
##  $ boarded        : chr  "Southampton" "Southampton" "Southampton" "Southampton" ...  
##  $ destination     : chr  "St. Louis, Missouri, US" "Montreal, Quebec, Canada" "Montreal, Quebec, Can  
##  $ lifeboat        : chr  "2" NA NA "11" ...  
##  $ body           : chr  NA "135" "294" NA ...  
##  $ class          : chr  "First" "First" "First" "First" ...  
##  $ home_country    : chr  NA NA NA NA ...  
##  $ lifeboat        : num  NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...  
##  $ destination     : chr  NA NA NA NA ...  
##  $ boarded         : logi  NA NA NA NA NA NA ...  
##  $ survival_outcome: chr  "Survived" "Perished" "Perished" "Survived" ...  
##  $ position        : chr  NA NA NA NA ...  
##  $ crew            : chr  "Not Crew" "Not Crew" "Not Crew" "Not Crew" ...  
##  $ sex             : chr  "Female" "Male" "Male" "Female" ...  
##  $ age_character   : chr  "29" "30" "19" "18" ...
```

```
write.csv(df, here("data-raw", "DataProducts", "PeopleOnTitanic.csv"), row.names = F)
```

```
# rename to final data table name and save for package use
```

```
titanic_complete <- df
```

```
devtools::use_data(titanic_complete, overwrite = TRUE)
```

```
## Saving titanic_complete as titanic_complete.rda to /Users/evangelinereynolds/Google Drive/SideProject
```