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WOODSTOCK, N. B., JULY 31, 1904.

The Sly Weasel.

A sawmill in an Iowa town was infested with rats, which, being unmolested, became very numerous and bold, and played round mill among the men while they worked during the day. But one day a weasel came upon the scene, and at once declared war on the rats.

One by one the rats became victims of the weasel's superior strength, until only one very large, strong fellow was left of the once numerous colony. The weasel attacked the big rat several times, but each time the rat proved more than a match for his slender antagonist, and chased the weasel to a hiding-place.

One day the weasel was seen busily digging under a lumber pile near the mill. He was engaged for some time, but later appeared again in the mill, seeking his old enemy. He soon found him, and at once renewed hostilities. As usual, after a lively tussle, the rat proved too much for him, and he ran, pursued closely by the rat, straight to the hole under the lumber pile.

He ran in, still followed by the rat, almost immediately reappeared round the end of the pile, and again dodged into the hole behind the rat. Neither was seen again for some time, but the weasel finally reappeared, looking no worse for the fight.

The curiosity of the men in the mill was aroused, and they proceeded to investigate the hole under the lumber pile. They found that the weasel had dug the hole sufficiently large at the first end to admit the rat, but had gradually tapered it as he proceeded until at the other end it barely allowed his own slender body to pass.

When the rat chased him into the large end of this underground funnel, he quickly slipped on through, and while the rat was trying to squeeze his large body into the smaller part of the hole, the weasel dodged in behind him, and catching him in the rear and in a place where he could not turn round, finished him at his leisure.

The Ship's Master.

It is a just and wholesome rule that a captain shall command his own ship, no matter who is on board. If he has the sense and spirit to enforce his authority, there is the less chance of disaster from pompous meddlers. V. C. tells a story of Emperor William which may or may not be true—probably is not; but it illustrates the principle just stated. The story is that when the royal yacht was entering a port, the Kaiser noticed that the boat was slowing down, in accordance with the orders of the pilot, an old Norwegian named Nordhuus, who knew the channel and its dangers. The emperor rang the bell for full speed.

Nordhuus placed himself in the way, leaned over the wheel, and called down the tube to the engine-room, "Half-speed! Never mind the bell!"

"You countermand my orders?" cried the emperor, and gave the bell another jerk.

"Never mind the bell!" called Nordhuus through the tube.

The emperor drew himself up.

"Go below," said he, "and report yourself under arrest."

"Leave the bridge!" repeated Nordhuus, grasping the wheel more firmly. "This ship is in my charge, and I'll have no interference with my orders from king or seaman."

The officers on deck hurried silently aft, in their hearts wishing luck to the pilot. Nordhuus stood at his post, unshaken by threats, deaf to commands, and carried the yacht safely into harbor.

The next day the emperor came to his senses, and decorated the pilot with the order of the Black Eagle.

Sorrow.

Marie Jansen, whom Coquelin several years ago termed "the greatest of American soubrettes," has the happy gift of perceiving and remembering humorous things.

"I camped in Maine one summer," Miss Jansen said the other day, "and on Sundays I used to drive over the mountain to a little brick church in the village. It amused me to mingle with the village people and to hear them talk."

"Up the path to the church one quiet June morning two elderly and lean women walked ahead of me. The first one said: 'So poor Kate Rand is dead at last, eh?'"

"Yes, the poor, dear thing," said the other. "Her five years' suffering is ended now."

"Poor Kate. Poor unfortunate creature," said the first woman. "How does my new bennet look?"

Prof. Waugh of the college of agriculture of Massachusetts claims that farm-labor is the least monotonous of any in the world. "Compare a man," says he, "who in a day milks the cows, splits the wood, drives a young colt to harness, plants potatoes, mends a drain, sells three pigs, mixes a complicated chemical fertilizer after a recent scientific formula, doctors an ailing mare, prunes his plum trees, and does twenty other odd jobs, with the man who sits all day on a stool and pastes red labels on packages of breakfast food."

An Old Salt's Observation.

When I was real certain about things I used to say, "As sure as shooting." But then I learned that in modern warfare sixteen hundred pounds of lead are shot for ev'ry man that's killed, an' now I've changed my sayin' to, "As sure as bettin' on th' races," referrin' not to th' certainty of winnin', but to that of goin' broke. I ain't seen no reason for to make another change.

We had our weddin'-trip right here on th' ship. "What makes the ocean look so blue?" asks Lyddy of me. "Reflectin' of your eyes," I says, real gallant. There comes a sea change. "I know what makes it look so green," says she, an' looked me over, laughin' so that I jest felt fluttered. Then I stepped back a mite away from the rail, so that I couldn't be reflected in th' water. "There!" says she. "It's blue ag'in."

Some women are jest great on argument. I remember that jest after we was married I was a-guyin' Lyddy 'bout her hoop-skirts. "I know a woman," then she says to me, "that would 'a' been a-drowned if it hadn't been for hoop-skirts. When she went overboard they jest ballooned around her an' held her up till help come." But what we was discussin' wasn't wearin' 'em to bathe in, but wearin' 'em to go to meetin' in.

"I sh'd think you'd find life at sea awful hard," a man said to me. I looked at him, an' he seemed kind of wore out like. "What you been doin'?" I asked of him. "Oh, nothin' much," says he; "jest potterin' around my place. I got up kind of early to mow th' lawn. Then I had some trouble with th' water-pipes. Later—that's what makes me look so dusty-like—a sewer connection busted, an' I had to crawl under th' house to fix it." "Tag!" says I. "You're it," says I. "Livin' at sea, I never have th' same front yard twice, an' don't have to mow th' seaweed. Th' hull ocean is my sewer, an' it's th' most sanitary ever known. An' as for water, why, I make my sailors fill my tanks when I'm in port."

"Why," asked th' pretty passenger of me, "do you allus speak of ships as 'she'?" "Oh," says I, "it's because they're so graceful an' so useful an' so lovable, an' answer to th' helm so quick, an' make you love 'em so, an' are so stanch in rough weather, an' so gen'ly charmin'." I says, real gallant. An' then I went to th' chart-room, where th' engineer was waitin' with an estimate of th' cost of repairs to th' machinery, an' th' first mate with a guess at th' cost of necessary new sail-cloth, an' th' bosun's mate with a kick from the crew for more wages an' better grub. Then I hustled for that pretty passenger. I wanted to tell her another reason—I wanted to say to her, "An' 'cause they're so expensive." But I couldn't find her no-where. Th' stewardess said she was in her state-room, a-shovin' of her jewelry to another woman.—"Judge."

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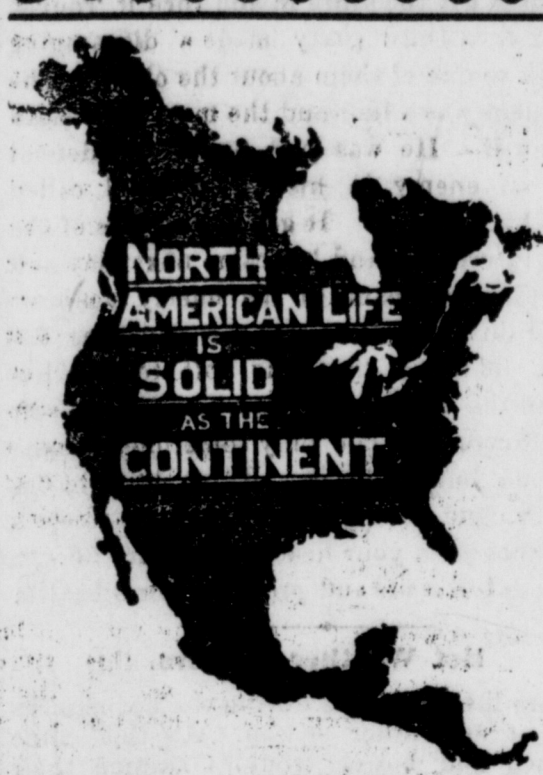
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1889.....	2,598,217	9,068,862	
1896.....	3,554,960	17,494,170	
1903.....	5,884,890	32,025,093	
*Excluding monthly plan.			
	Income	Assets	Net Surplus
1882.....	\$ 81,014	\$ 151,135	\$ 8,430
1889.....	291,741	816,710	71,365
1896.....	641,788	2,515,833	421,546
1903.....	1,381,364	5,625,801	550,237
*Excluding monthly plan.			

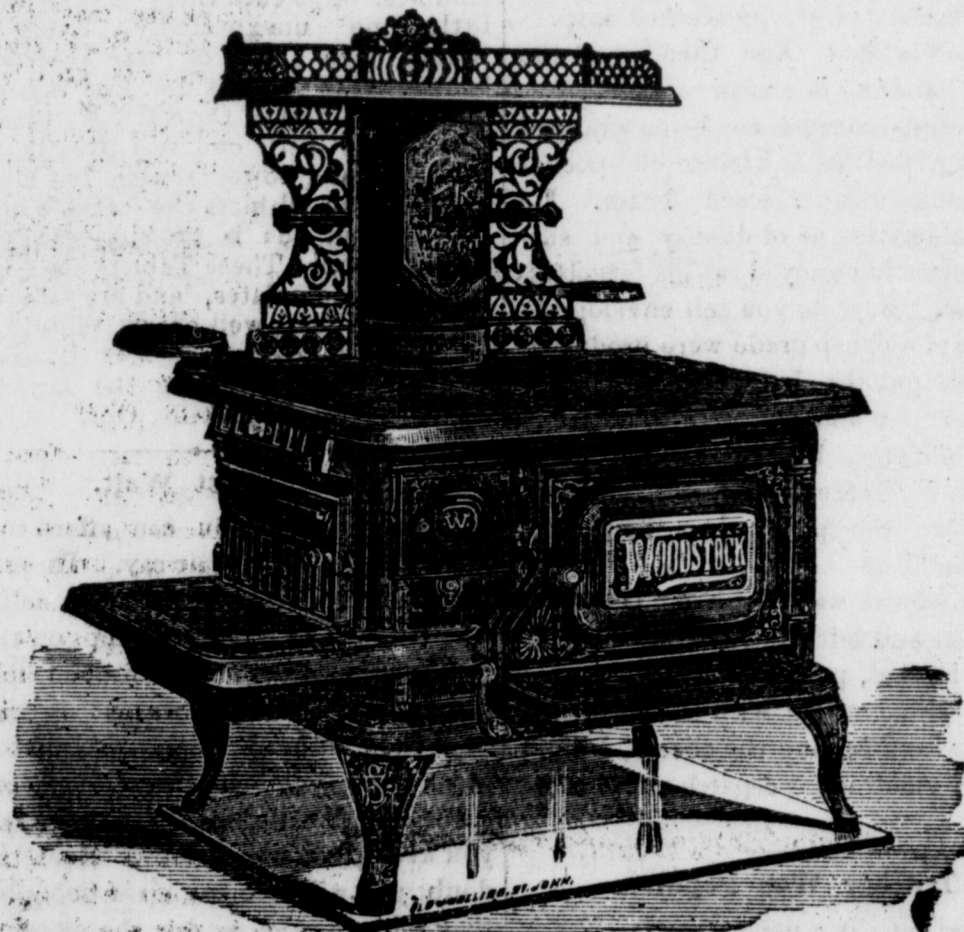
Premium Income.....\$1,132,616.91 \$1,049,652.74 \$82,964.17
Interest Income.....248,748.78 221,187.47 27,561.31
Insurance Issued.....5,884,890.00 5,773,905.00 110,985.00
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