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THE DAILY DOPE

BY THE CUB-EDITOR

THE OLD ROUTE.

Enough of first-class passages
And lines like hotels,
With "lits" and bands and swimming-
pools
And nice electric bells!
I'm sick of sailing cotton-wooled
Lest I grow cold or damp;
I want to hit the ocean trail
Upon a dingy tramp.

A blowzy, frowzy ocean tramp,
With cargo down below
For Argentina and Brazil,
Cape Town or Borneo;
No snoring stewards "airing" me,
But just a roughneck crew
Of hairy, hardy sailors
Who've sailed the seasons through.

No twenty-knotted racing pace,
But just a steady ton
That thrusts us up the grayback's side
And slides us down again;
That eases us through smiling seas
Or bucks the tempest's raid,
With sturdy engines throbbing on
Unhurried, unafraid.

Enough of first-class passages
Across the tumbling foam;
Enough of first-class passengers
Like those I know at home!
For me the bluff world-wanderers
Who make the seas their camp;
For me the workaday romance
Upon an ocean tramp!

—Berton Braley, in Munsey's Mag.

ALTERNATE INSOMNIA.

Admiral Sims said at a dinner in Washington:
"And another frequent cause of divorce is alternate insomnia."
"Alternate insomnia," said a nerve specialist, "is a condition in which the mind is so excited that it is unable to sleep."
"What the deuce is that?"
"Alternate insomnia," the admiral explained, "is a complaint common to a great many husbands and wives. Whichever goes to sleep first keeps the other awake all night snoring."

AND CHEAP, TOO.

The women of Mexico use fireflies as jewels. They tie them in little gauze bags and put them in their hair or clothing. Then, until they require them again, they keep them in little wire cages and feed them on scraps of sugar cane.

WE DON'T FIND ANY GOLD.

Microbes are never found on gold coins, while paper money is an ideal home for them. The reason is that gold acts as a bactericide.

A TIGHT FIT.

"I thought you said the vest you sold me last week would not shrink."

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GRAVENEY APPLES,
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GREEN TOMATOES,
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GRAPE FRUIT.

Pre-War Patent Robin Hood Flour.

DURKEE'S SALAD DRESSING.
COOKED CORNED BEEF,
6 lb. tins.

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FRESH EGGS,
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Early June Peas,
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\$2.50 doz.; 25c. tin.

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Brazil, its wings extend fourteen inches from tip to tip.

YOU KNOW THE KIND.

Editor (to Reporter): "What do you mean by writing 'Among the prettiest girls at the dance was Captain Hand-some?' The captain is a man."
Reporter: "Yes, but he spent most of his time among the prettiest girls there!"—The Cub-Editor.

The Brownrigg Somersault.

Editor Evening Telegram
Dear Sir,—A week ago to-day I wrote you a letter in which I invited Mr. Brownrigg to reply to certain inquiries which I addressed to him prompted by his speech at the Squires meeting a night or two previously.

He has made no answer to them but in the meantime has accepted a place on the Squires ticket for St. John's West. I can, therefore, only conclude that he is another case of a good man gone wrong, tempted by offers of honors and emoluments which have overcome his good judgement and inclined him towards dark and devious ways politically. It is an open secret about the West End these days that Mr. Brownrigg has been induced into the Squires camp by a promise of a seat in the Executive Council if Mr. Squires is successful and the Portfolio of Finance as well and it is for this visionary mess of pottage that apparently Mr. Brownrigg has sold his birthright as a Liberal and forfeited the respect and esteem of his fellow countrymen.

I deeply regret that Mr. Brownrigg has taken this course because I can assure him that he has fallen greatly in the estimation of many who like myself and himself are old-time Liberals who have battled for the cause of the public rights in elections heretofore and who decline to regard Mr. R. A. Squires as in any way a representative of the Liberalism of this country and especially of St. John's. I regret it all the more because I fear that Mr. Brownrigg, whose honesty and adherence to principle have in the past been recognized, will find himself committed, "willy nilly," to policies and courses through his connection with Mr. Squires which will bring him the severest condemnation of his fellow citizens in the West End and his fellow countrymen throughout Newfoundland.

Mr. Brownrigg has put his finger upon one of our largest political issues of the future in the question of what is to be done with the Reid Newfoundland Company, and having now committed himself to Mr. Squires he will be powerless to exercise any control over Mr. Squires' manipulations of this matter in the future because his openmindedness will make him an easy tool for the deceptive and tricky Mr. Squires to work with.

I would like to ask Mr. Brownrigg, can he give any confidence in Mr. Squires dealing with the Reid question in the future as it deserves to be dealt with? Is there anything in Mr. Squires' record in the past to foster public confidence in his handling of this question hereafter? Mr. Squires stands to-day charged by N. Coaker, the man with whom he is now virtually allied, as having while Chairman of a Committee of the Executive Council dealing with Reid matters taken \$5,000.00 in Bank of Montreal notes from the Reid, he stands charged also with having submitted to Mr. H. D. Reid a letter for publication, a letter so phrased as to induce the public to believe that there was no foundation for this charge, a letter which Mr. Reid refused to sign on the ground that Mr. Squires had received the money, and it has also been charged that Mr. Coaker proceeded against Mr. Squires before the Governor and the whole Executive Council eighteen months ago with a demand for the dismissal of Mr. Squires from the Upper House because of this incident. For all that long period Mr. Squires has remained

silent under this indictment and has offered no explanation whatever of how he came to take this money, if he did take it, and yet he asks the people of this country to-day to entrust with the reins of power and put in his hands the machinery of Government so that he can deal with the Reid question in a manner advantageous to the public interests. What confidence can Mr. Brownrigg, or any other fair-minded man not bound by the ties of a prospective cabinet position have of the good faith of Mr. Squires in connection with Reid matters or the preservation of public interests by a man who put himself in the equivocal position Mr. Squires did when he took that money—and we are entitled to assume he took the money until he explains that he did not. But even if he could satisfactorily explain the taking of the money how is he to satisfactorily explain the charge that he tried to deliberately deceive the people of the country through the publication of a letter suggesting that he did not get it all? This, I think it will be admitted, is in some respects the more reprehensible of the two features of this transaction. It shows that Mr. Squires was quite prepared to perpetrate a flagrant well-thought out deception upon the public generally and to meet Mr. Coaker's charge with a reply that, if true, would be an ample answer, but which was not true, which he was trying to make Mr. Reid a party to although he knew it was not true, and which if he had "got away with it" would have represented one of the most flagrant political frauds upon our people in our modern history. In writing this I am, of course, assuming that the charge that Mr. Squires wrote such a letter and brought it to Mr. Reid is a truthful one and Mr. Squires failure to contradict it is, as in the previous case, a justification for the public accepting it as being truthful. If, of course, Mr. Squires is prepared even now to contradict it, the matter will assume a somewhat different aspect, but in the light of his failure to attempt any denial, so far, people are naturally concluding that he is unable to do so.

Therefore on the assumption that the statement is true Mr. Squires stands pilloried before the country to-day as a man who attempted to perpetrate upon its people a monumental falsehood, the far-reaching effects of which it is impossible to even indicate and one which naturally engenders the greatest suspicion as to the good faith, honesty, and truthfulness of Mr. Squires in any future relations in connection with the Reid Newfoundland Company and its affairs.

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Yours truly,
AN OLD TIME LIBERAL.
Sept. 19, 1919.

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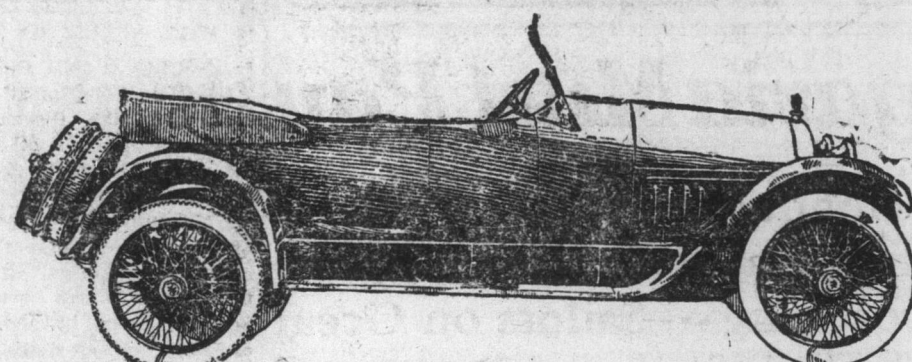
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June 28, 1919

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"There was a young lady said 'Why first di
Can't I look in my ear with my eye?' just the
If I put my mind to it, perhaps I can
do it—
You never can tell till you try."

Doubtless you have heard that classic before. It is one of my favorites among all the stock of nonsense rhymes which so often have a kernel of truth inside the jest. She wrote it. Copied it And sent it. What set me to thinking of it for the thousandth time, more or less, was a little tale of how a young writer got started. She had been shopping and had noticed how many amusing things one overheard. Then she had an idea. She thought perhaps a newspaper would publish a little collection of these eavesdropping. Of 100 people seized with this idea, 75 would have gone no further than thinking of it. But she was the one hundredth person, she wrote the article, copied it and sent it to an editor. (Some of the remaining 25 would have stopped at the end of each of those steps.) He accepted and asked her for more, and that was the stepping stone on which she clambered into magazine work.

She Sold Her Point of View.

Again I read in a recent magazine of a woman who fell to thinking how little the buyers or the advertising writers of a big department store, with their purely business experience, know of the needs and difficulties of the average woman with her average family. Then she said to herself that, although she couldn't buy or write advertisements, she did know what the average woman wanted and that she could sell that viewpoint to some big shop. A good many people might have had that idea (I had a very similar one once on a time myself) but 75 per cent. (and I, alas, among them) would have stopped right there. This woman didn't. She called on executives of big department stores (24 of the remaining 25 per cent. would have stopped after the

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ONE BUCK, ISN'T
IT?

