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SLANG OF THE SEA

Origin of Some of the Queer Phrases
Used by Mariners

Practically every recognized lan-
guage has been called upon at some
time to help in building up the vo-
cabulary of the sea. "Davy Jones,"
for instance, might be taken to refer
to some dead-and-gone Welshman, but
the name is derived from quite an-
other source. One should speak of
"Duffy Jonah's locker," for that was
the original, "Duffy" being the West
Indian name for a spirit or ghost, and
"Jonah" referring to the prophet.
Another expression gradually cor-
rupted out of its original form is the
"dog watch." It was originally the
"dodge watch," because it lasts only
two hours, and was intended to en-
sure that the same men shall not be
on duty every day during the same
hours. The "jury mast" had nothing
in common with the "twelve good men
and true," except its derivation from
the same French word "jour," mean-
ing "one day." The jury mast is
erected temporarily, "for a day," just
as the jury in its legal sense, mean-
ing a tribunal summoned for a short time.
The "sheet anchor," the largest
anchor carried by a ship, should
really be the "shot anchor," and is
so called because of its great weight,
which allows it to shoot out in cases
of emergency.

"Port" is a comparatively new ex-
pression. In the old days they used
to refer to "larboard" and "star-
board." "Starboard" has nothing in
common with the twinkling stars of
the heavens; it is derived from the
Anglo-Saxon "steor-board" or "steer-
side." In Viking times the galleys
were steered by an oar, which the
helmsman held with his right hand.
"Larboard" was probably a corruption
of "lower-board," the larboard side be-
ing inferior to the other.
The word "admiral" is Arabic,
springing from "emil el bahr," or
"lord of the sea." "Captain" comes
from the Latin "caput," but "mate"
is Icelandic, and means "companion"
or "equal." "Coxswain" had a curious
origin. The "coxswain" was a man
who pulled the last oar in the cap-
tain's boat, which was described as
the "cockboat." This, in turn, was
a corruption of a small, round boat
found on the Rivers Usk and Wye, and
known as a "coracle." Coxswain is
therefore a Welsh Name.

Skin Disease and Plants
Dr. Arthur Whitfield insists that a
word of caution be uttered about the
handling of certain plants. A patient
came to him with eczema of 13 months
standing. She said it started by kiss-
ing an old aunt who had a similar
eruption. It appeared about the nose
and on the upper lip. He found that
she had a greenhouse in which she
grew primula obconica. Banishment
of the plants and a little local treat-
ment cured the patient. Later she
wrote and told the doctor that her
gardener suffered from an irritating
eruption on the arms after moving
some foxgloves and King Edward VII.
daisies. Similarly a lady was attack-
ed with eczema which disappeared
when she banished the primula ob-
conica from her greenhouse. Another
case was traced to poison ivy. Death
is known to have resulted from con-
tact with this plant. But there are
other offenders that cause skin dis-
eases. Dentifrices containing Salol
will do it, so will some photo develop-
ers, and even plaster-of-Paris.

Vitality of Seed

As a result of careful tests made
by the Department of Agriculture of
over 3,000 carefully selected ears of
what was considered good standard
seed corn, more than half of the ears
were found to be of low vitality and
unfit for seed. By testing individual
ears and rejecting those of low vitality
an average gain in yield of nearly 14
per cent. could be secured as a result
of the better stand and better pro-
ductiveness of strong plants.
This is a very attractive statement.
Figure out the cost of these germina-
tion tests and then figure your last
year's corn average and yield, and
strike a balance with a 60-bushel yield
per acre and with corn at, say, 60c
a bushel, the increased profit per acre
would amount to \$2.04.

Science in Library

The French National Library had
so many complaints about the length
of time it takes to find a book, that
the architect and the director, M.
Recourd and M. Homolle, are study-
ing a plan of distribution by rolling
carpets. The idea will be to place
telephones in the different rooms used
by readers. They will ask for the
books they want over a wire to the
control office, the librarian and his
assistants will then obtain them from
their places on the shelves, and in
two or three minutes they will arrive
on a rolling carpet near the seat of
the reader who has asked for them.

REAL OLD-TIME CLOWNS

Will be Seen Here With Robinson's
Famous Shows

In the days of the old one-ring cir-
cus the clown was the principal fig-
ure. Beyond doubt he was the most
popular idol of the amusement-loving
public.

When the three, four and five-ring
shows came into vogue, the decadence
of the clown began. His audience was
so far away, he was such an insignifi-
cant figure in the vast canopy, that
his vocation was gone, and he became
but a pantomime, with no opportu-
nity to display the genius of the old
days.

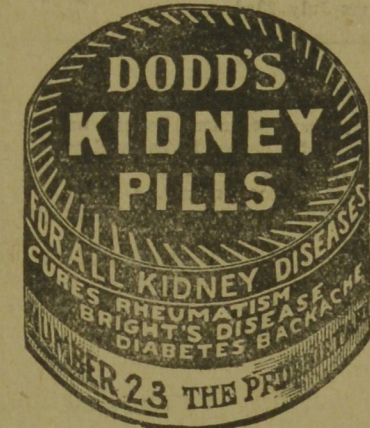
The Robinson's Famous Shows have
revived the real clown of the days
when he was in his glory. There is
just as much talent, just as much
genius, given the chance to display it,
as there ever was, and the genuine
comedians who don the white and har-
lequin with the Robinson's Famous
Shows, are given full play, and never
fail to create the roars of merriment
that convulsed our fore-fathers in the
days of the old wagon shows.

Billy Lightfoot, the most droll, irre-
sistible genius that ever ambled about
a circus ring, heads a bunch of twenty
carefully selected funmakers who
will make every moment one of up-
roarious fun during the entire per-
formances.

Don't miss this great exhibition at
Fredericton, Friday, July 24.

**OPENING OF THE
GRAND CIRCUIT**

Cleveland, O., July 20—Quartered
at the well appointed plant at North
Randall are practically all of the
trotters and pacers that are expect-
ed to make history this season.
The meeting which opened at the
track this afternoon marks the first
link of the Grand Circuit and also
the opening of the season for the
Great Western Circuit, the two meet-
ings here being held in conjunction
under the auspices of the Forest
City Fair and Live Stock Associa-
tion. That this is going to be a sea-
son of remarkable performances on
the Grand Circuit no one doubts.
Seldom before the horses reached the
big line in such excellent condition
for the summer's campaign. McDon-
ald, Geers, Murphy, McDevitt, Cox
and the other noted trainers who
are familiar with figures on the big
circuit—all are here with their strings
of trotters and pacers.



**WORLD'S NEWS
IN SHORT METRE**

New York, July 20.—Chairman Har-
lin says commission hopes to reach
decision this week in rate case.

Committee of New Haven directors
to meet attorney general at Wash-
ington today.

National Steel Car Company to
build large extension to its passenger
car plant at Hamilton, Ont.

King George calls conference of
Irish leaders to settle peacefully the
Ulster problem.

Mexico City believes Wilson will
help Carbajal and that armed strife
will soon cease.

Brazilian minister is authority for
the statement that Carbajal has
directed repairing of Vera Cruz line
of Mexican railway.

Department of Commerce reports
show big falling off in first six
months this year in manufacturing
plants, incorporated.

12 industrials advanced 16.
20 rails advanced 45.
Americans in London weak, nearly
1 point off.

Consols 75 1/2 to 3-16.

CITY CLERK'S RETURN.

City Clerk McCready, who has been
rusticating at Norton for a few weeks
returned home on Thursday evening.
His many friends will regret to learn
that he was not as well as was be-
fore leaving the city.

Will Beals Becker follow Josh De-
vore to the Boston Nationals? The
two were together with the Giants
the Reds and the Phillies.

"Birdie" Cree is doing the same
kind of fancy hitting with the Yan-
kees that he did with the Baltimore
Orioles earlier in the season.

**'The Gold Dust Twins'
Philosophy**

THE floors and doors appear to wait until the dust germs con-
gregate; the housewife hails each dawning day with grim and
harrowing dismay. Says she: "My work will NEVER end;
o'er dusty stretches I must bend, until, with aching back and hands
I finish what the day demands."

**The
"Floor-and-Door-a"
Girl**

work and the endless doors, until when Hubby saw them, too,
reflections said: "Why, howdy-do!"

"The Gold Dust Twins," said she, "I find, help leave the woes
of dust behind. Each mark of sticky hands on doors, each tread of
muddy feet on floors, each fade before the slightest touch of Gold Dust, and
the work is such that, when the
woodwork has been done, I find
said work was only fun." This
line of reasoning must show that
those who've tried it OUGHT to
know. If you, in one day's duties,
find that there's a Grouch in ev'ry
Grind, invite the Gold Dust Twins
to share such tasks as tire and
fret and wear.



From kitchen floor to bedroom suite, these tireless little chaps make
neat, and best of all, the sum expense is measured up in meager cents.
They put both dust and dirt to rout and run the last old microbe out.

The Gold Dust Twins

**GOVERNMENT TO KEEP FAITH
WITH IRISH NATIONALISTS**

London, July 18—The Right Hon.
Walter Runciman, president of the
board of agriculture, speaking at
Batley tonight, said that home rule
was now an assured fact; it would
be impossible for any government,
whether Liberal or Conservative, to
withhold it. The government, he de-
clared, hoped to launch home rule in
an atmosphere of peace, but refused
to surrender one of its main objects
under any pressure, however great.

Sir Henry Lucy, writing to the
Observer, says that Premier Asquith
on Monday will invite the House of
Commons to restore the amending
bill pretty much to the form in which
it was introduced in the House of
Lords by the Marquis of Crewe.

"Premier Asquith's present diffi-
culty in that four members of the
cabinet, two of whom are particu-
larly aggressive have at the last mo-
ment funked the situation and are pre-
pared to go in the teeth of the Na-
tionalists' injustice," says Reynolds
newspaper, which is usually well in-
ner ministerialist council.

"Happily," adds the paper, "a ma-
jority of the party support Mr. As-
quith in his refusal to betray the
Nationalist cause, and there is there-
fore some hope that the ministerial
party will not be shattered, despite
the threatened revolt of a section of
the cabinet. It is possible that the de-
bate Monday will be adjourned after
Mr. Asquith's statement."

London, July 20—The king has
called a conference of the leaders of
all the parties to seek a solution of
the Irish problem. This is the most
important announcement which Premier

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**Starvation In The
Midst of Plenty**

Many are actually starving, even though eating heartily
three times a day. They are starving because the usual diet lacks
certain essential elements.

In making white flour, the outer coat of the wheat, contain-
ing the phosphate of potash and other vital mineral salts, is discard-
ed. These mineral salts are absolutely necessary to nerve health
and therefore to body health.

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contains the whole nutriment of wheat and barley, including the
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