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THIS BOOK OF ROYAL IMPRESSIONS IS

**Dedicated**

TO MY MOTHER AT HOME,

MRS. RUTH L. RANNEY BRONSON;

ALSO, TO MY HUSBAND,

P. H. DUDLEY, C. E., PH. D.

A REPORTER AND DELEGATE TO THE  
INTERNATIONAL RAILWAY CONGRESS IN PARIS, 1900,

BY THE AUTHOR,

MRS. LUCY BRONSON DUDLEY,

THE TWELFTH OF DECEMBER, NINETEEN HUNDRED.





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MY DEAR RUTH, —

It has been a third time my pleasure to mail my daily letter to you from the ocean and many of the realms of royalty. It was all so regal that we might have been a king and queen from our royal republic, traveling, as we did, first-class.

These recorded recollections are the result of passing the jubilee year, and an inherited taste for reading and study, with years of travel, and a trip in the tropics.

I hope you and all who may read of these events, which are to me as the voice of Divinity, may enjoy the sparkle of the royal gems of these memories.

Psalms, 89th Chapter, 27th Verse.

ST. LUCY'S DAY, NEW YORK, 1900.