

THE HIGH LEVEL BRIDGE.

The first woman who walked over it.

We read of Engineer Ridout,
And Engineer Barrow,
Engineer Wingate,
Inspecting the bridge.

Dad Fee had the pleasure
Of being the first
Hackman
To drive across ;
But I was the first
Woman
Who walked over the
Bridge.

With temerity I crossed
The grand structure,
Which span I hope will
Never sever;
Then beholding the beautiful
Farm lands beyond,
I exclaimed,
"Canada forever!"

I hope you will not think
That it is boasting
I am :
But when William Doran
Drove across his span,
I think he was proud of
His protege.

It has been a week ago ;
But I did not know
Until yesterday
That I was the first woman
Who crossed the
Bridge.