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THE BRIDGE BUILDERS

They have built magnificent bridges
Where the nations' highways go;
O'er perilous mountain ridges,
And where great rivers flow.

Wherever a link was needed between the new and the known
They have built their marks of Progress, in iron and steel and stone.
There was never a land too distant,
Nor ever a way too wide,
But some man's mind, insistent,
Reached out to the other side.

They cleared the way, these heroes, for the march in future years:
The march was civilisation—and they were its Pioneers.
Now through a nation's sinning
They are building a bridge so wide
That those at the work's beginning
Scarce dream of the other side.

They spared no thought for a future with the need for "now" so plain:
They worked for others' reaping—and they died for others' gain.
And what has gone to the making?
And a thank that knows no slackening
For the Right at any price;
Comradeship caring nothing for rank or birth,
For builders like these build only with things of eternal worth.

Be comforted, wives and mothers!
Your men, in their splendid youth,
With a thousand thousand others,
Have opened the way of Truth.
They are building into a future where terror and strife shall cease;
And the span of the bridge is Honour, and the goal that it leads to—Peace.

Prize Poem in *The Bookman*, July, 1916.

A 'NOW'

Descriptive of a Hot Day
Now the rosy (and lazy) fingered
Aurora, issuing from her saffron
house, calls up the moist vapors to surround her, and goes veiled with them
long as she can; till Phœbus, coming
forth in his power, looks everything out
of the sky, and holds sharp, uninterrupted
empire from his throne of beams. Now
the mower begins to make his sweeping
cuts more slowly, and resorts oftener to
his load of hay, or plods with double
slosh of shoulder, looking out with eyes
winking under his shading hat, and with
a hitch upward of one side of his mouth.

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and is of quadrangular section. The spinous
projections arise from transverse folds
which cross the tail.

Certain authors profess that the ashes
of Hippocampus, when commingled with
liquid pitch, tallow, or oil of sweet majo-
ram, cure baldness and pain in the sides.

An application of oil of roses into which
the live animal has been dipped and killed
is an efficacious remedy for chills and
fever.

Dr. Eastman mentions alleged medicinal
properties of Hippocampus gravelly set
forth by Matthioli, Belon, Rondet, Ges-
ner, and others. Aristotle does not men-
tion the Hippocampus, and this word was
used by the poets of classical antiquity as
the name of a sea monster, half horse and
half fish, on which sea divinities rode. It
is probably in this character that conven-
tionalized representations of the creature
appear in Etruscan and other ancient
works of art.

A curious confusion of this odd fish with
some other species occurred years ago,
when its identity was mixed with the Re-
mora, or sucking-fish, also known as
"Ship-stayer," which clings to ships and
held them steadfast in the sea, as though
the ships were aground, although the
wind and waves strove to wreck them.

Another story connected the Hippocampus
with the eel-like "Reversus," said to have
a cap attached to its head with which it
captured other fish and tortoise, and was
therefore used by the natives, reported by
Columbus for catching other fish. It is
also once called "sea dragon," or "Zy-
maris," "Horse of the Sea," on account of
the fact that these creatures were all sup-
posed to die in the air or at least suffer
when out of water.—*New York Evening Post.*

start up, with playing a burning glass on
his hand; and blacksmiths are super-car-
bonated; and cobblers in their stalls are
but a few feet to be transplanted; and
butter is too easy to spread; and the
dragons wonder whether the Romans
liked their helmets and old ladies, with
their lappets unpinned, walk along in a
state of dissipation; and the servant
maids are afraid they look vulgarly hot;
and the author, who has a plate of straw-
berries brought him, finds that he has
come to the end of his writing.—*Leigh Hunt.* (Born 1784; died August 28, 1859).

JUDICIAL APPOINTMENT AND
PROMOTION
Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 19.—Mr. Justice H. A. McKeown of the supreme court of New Brunswick was today appointed chief justice of the province.

The vacancy on the bench was filled by the appointment of W. B. Chandler, K. C. of Moncton.

The new chief justice, Hon. H. A. McKeown is now in his fifty-third year, a native of St. Stephen, son of the late Rev. H. McKeown, and a graduate of Mount Allison University. He entered politics early in life and reached the position of attorney general of the province. He was then head of the bar in New Brunswick when he was raised to the supreme court bench in 1909. His record has been an admirable one and he will be heartily congratulated on his promotion.

W. B. Chandler, K. C., Moncton, the new judge, is a son of the late E. B. Chandler, a prominent lawyer at Moncton and Dorchester in his day, and a grandson of the late Chief Justice, E. B. Chandler.

He is a graduate of Harvard Law School, and studied with Messrs. Fraser & Winslow at Fredericton. He first took up the practice of law at Woodstock, and then came to St. John, where he formed a partnership with T. Carleton Allen, of Fredericton, who had been at Harvard with him. Later he established himself in Moncton. Mr. Chandler, who is about sixty-two years of age, is married to a St. John lady, (formerly Miss Agnes MacNamara), and attends St. Bernard's church at Moncton, of which Rev. E. Savage is rector.

On Wednesday night the field adjoining the Canadian Camp was completely tenanted by the men of the Canadian detachment, and was difficult to recognize. A platform had been erected in rustic style, bedecked with bunting, and a large Union Jack forming the background, while the maple leaves were cleverly worked into the scheme, making an artistic setting. On the right of the platform was an Indian tepee with fire complete.

The programme had been arranged entirely by the men of the Canadian detachment; and several novel stunts were much appreciated by the thousands of local people who attended. Pie Brooks' rendition of the "Larkhill Camp" was greatly appreciated, while Pie Simpson simply brought the house down with his ball-punching exhibition. His show was followed by an artistic finishing up with a very high-class show. The Shanty Dance, entitled "Breakdown," showed a real Canadian dance as carried out in the Shanties in the Far West.

The chief attraction was the competition arranged between representatives from the Canadians and Bovey locally in the log sawing and chopping. This was a keen contest, and the Canadians showed very complete gear, and the usual program was followed by those in local use, and had a good victory.

Another special feature was the Indian War Dance by real Indians, something never before seen in this part of the country. The war chief was bedecked in complete garb, and was sitting at the camp fire. He then summoned the other braves who issued from the tents, and with their weird yells danced around the fire, afterwards smoking the pipe of peace. This was followed by another dance, which was cleverly arranged, but the Indians were quite at home with it, and, needless to say, this was much appreciated by everyone attending. Mr. Bickford was in the chair, and handed the unusual programme with commendable skill. At the conclusion he called on Mr. Parker, of Newton Bovey, to propose a hearty vote of thanks to the officers and men of the Canadian Camp, which given unstintingly. The piano, banding, etc., were kindly loaned by the Bovey Trust Council, and they in no small measure were responsible for the success of the entertainment.

A sum of \$116.66, was collected, to be equally divided between the Bovey Trust and Cottage Hospital, Bovey Trust War Supply Depot, Bovey Nursing Association, and Newton Bovey, V. A. D.—*Mid-Devon Advertiser*, Newton Abbot, Eng., Aug. 5.

Meeker.—"Didn't I always give you my check the first of every month?"
Mr. Meeker.—"Yes; but you never told me that you got paid on the 1st and 15th, you embezzler!"—*Judge.*

WEIR OWNERS MEET AT ST. GEORGE

St. George, N. B., Aug. 20.—Representatives from every section of St. John and Charlotte counties of the Weir Owners' Association, met here on Saturday. The consideration of the price of fall fish was laid over until Tuesday, Aug. 29. The following resolutions were adopted:

Resolved, that this association views with much satisfaction the recognition and promise of practical support, from the department of marine and fisheries of Canada, as expressed in the letter from the head of that department to the president of this association, which has been read at this meeting, as the strength and usefulness of this association could not be so materially advanced in any other way as by the sympathy, co-operation and assistance of the department, through which the fishing industry is controlled; and further

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News in Brief

—Peking, Aug. 23.—The parliament has unanimously approved the appointment by President Li Yuan-hung of the Chinese republic.

—London, Aug. 22.—The beauty show amongst Canadians afforded vast amusement at Falkenstein. The competing bachelors smiles intentionally upon the audience, but they were obviously embarrassed by the spectators' audible admiration or otherwise. After much fun Trooper Holmes, of Brandon, narrowly beat Trooper Deferge, of Winnipeg.

—Washington, Aug. 23.—Secretary of State Lansing announced last night that the American members of the joint commission to undertake settlement of differences between the United States and Mexico would be Franklin E. Lane, Secretary of the Interior, George Gray, Delaware, and Dr. John R. Mott, of Montclair, N. J.

—Washington, Aug. 16.—A treaty between Great Britain and the United States for protection of insects-destroying birds on both sides of the Canadian border was signed at the state department today by Secretary of State Lansing and Ambassador Spring-Rice. The treaty is very broad, and covers practically all kinds of bird life. Its administration will be left to local authorities. So far as is known this is the first treaty of its kind ever signed.

—Toronto, Aug. 23.—An order-in-council was passed today changing the name of Berlin, Ont., to Kitchener. The proclamation will be issued Sept. 1.

—Halifax, Aug. 23.—The Duke of Connaught arrived this morning for his three days visit. He will be quartered on a battleship and he will inspect the fleet here. On Saturday he reviews the troops at Aldershot.

—Montreal, Aug. 20.—Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, returned from England on the S. S. *Missanabie*, which arrived in Montreal today, but he disembarked at St. John's, where he attended to the duties of his office. He was accompanied by Messrs. Dugal, Pelletier, and Smith, Opposition members of the Legislature.

—Hon. Dr. Landry, Clerk of the Crown in Chancery and Provincial Secretary, has been served with papers calling upon him, under the provisions section 173 of the Election Act passed last session, to stand aside from the vacancies in the city of St. John and in the counties of Albert, Kent and Gloucester. The demand was made by Messrs. Dugal, Pelletier, and Smith, Opposition members of the Legislature.

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VISITORS AT THE BIOLOGICAL STATION

Quite a number of visitors from the Town and from a distance have visited the Station and taken an interest in the work during the last few days.

A SEA MONSTER VISITS ST. ANDREWS

The staff of the Biological Station report the visit to the shores of St. Andrews, on Friday and Saturday last, of an interesting member of the sea monster family.

Social and Personal

The Rev. R. W. Ross, M. A., Pastor of Fort Massey Church, Halifax, N. S., will preach in Greenock Presbyterian Church next Sunday morning.

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Wanted to Rent. A family to live on the Gardner Point Farm, Deer Island, N. B.

Wanted. Experienced girl to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. Edwin Odell.

For Sale. Offer for sale my farm of 175 acres, situated at the Bay Side, 100 acres in timber.

For Sale. Boat ROBERTA, 33 feet over all with 6 h.p. Mianus engine.

For Sale. Dairy Farm and Homestead of 100 acres at Bay Side, 3 miles from St. Andrews.

For Sale. 2 sets Sleds, 1 Mowing Machine, 1 Teller, 1 Scraper, 1 Disc Harrow, 1 Roller, 1 Seeder, 1 Potato Hoer.

For Sale. Estate Land Sale. There will be offered for sale at Public Auction at early date.

SWEATERS For Men, Women and Children. PURE WOOL All Styles and Colors.

FISHERMEN. We have a complete stock of FISHING TACKLE.

A.E. O'NEILL'S MILLINERY AND FANCY GOODS.

H. O'NEILL. Up-to-Date Market. Meats, Groceries, Provisions, Vegetables, Fruits, Etc.

Liquid Granite. A Varnish You Can Scrub. Here's a finish so tough and durable.

NYAL'S CORN CURE. If you're tired of messing or musing with corn salves, awkward and cumbersome bandages.

Findlay Ranges & Heaters. Have no equal for Cooking, Heating, or as Fuel Savers.

Wall Papers, Varnish Stains, Paints, Brushes, Etc., Etc. J. A. SHIRLEY.

TAKING WORDS FOR THINGS

Another great abuse of words, is the taking them for things. This, though it in some degree concerns all names in general, yet particularly affects those of substances.

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ST. GEORGE, N. B.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Sheffield, of St. John West, were guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. McAdam.

BEAVER HARBOR, N. B.

The fishermen have been making quite good catches of fish of late.

BAYSIDE, N. B.

Miss Mildred Mowatt returned to her home in Houlton, Me., on Tuesday.

SEAL COVE, G. M.

A pleasant evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Harvey on Monday last, it being the celebration of Mr. Harvey's sixty-fourth birthday.

BARTLETT'S MILLS, N. B.

Miss Marion Greenleaf spent a few days last week with her sister, Mrs. Joseph Gibson, in St. Andrews.

ELMSVILLE, N. B.

A Benefit Pie Social and dance will be held at the hall in Elmsville on Wednesday night of next week, Aug. 30.

LAMBERTVILLE, D. I.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Holmes, of Lettice, visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holmes last week.

EDMUND HOYLE

Of this celebrated writer of treatises on games of chance, including a number of others, piquet, quadrille, and backgammon, whose name has become so familiar, as to be immortalized in the well-known proverb, 'According to Hoyle,' little more is known than that he appears to have been born in 1672, and died in Cavendish Square, London, on 29th August 1769.

ROLLING DAM, N. B.

Mr. Albert Simpson, of St. Stephen, was a recent visitor here.

CAMPBELLO

The sewing circle in connexion with St. Anne's Church held their annual sale of aprons, fancy articles, etc., on Thursday last, netting the sum of \$260.

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SHERIFF'S OFFICE ST. ANDREWS, N. B.

Time of Sitings of Courts in the County of Charlotte.

MORTGAGE SALE

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