Basic Detail Report



Title Bulkeley Bridge Construction: Method of Setting Stones in Arches, Hartford, July 14, 1906

Date 1906

Primary Maker Unknown

Medium Photography; gelatin silver print on paper

Description Two men are seated on granite blocks on one of the arches of the Bulkeley Bridge. One man is elderly and wears a suit. The other wears a straw hat, bow tie, and what appear to be sneakers or tennis shoes. A third man uses a level and wooden angle to check the position of the last stone to be placed. Details of the construction of the wooden framework for centering the spans are clearly visible at the left. Heavy bolts hold the timbers together. The iron girders of the temporary bridge are in the background. What appears to be a steam engine is at the far right.

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Dimensions Primary Dimensions (overall height x width): 6 5/16 x 8 1/4in. (16 x

21cm)