

The Hapenny Bridge (reel)

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The musical score is written in G major (one sharp) and 4/4 time. It consists of four staves of music. The first staff has chords G, Em, G, C, G, D. The second staff has chords G, Em, G, C, D, G. The third staff has chords G, Em, C, G, D, G, Em, D. The fourth staff has chords G, Em, C, G, G, Am, D, G. The music is a reel, characterized by its rhythmic pattern of eighth and sixteenth notes.

The graceful Ha'penny Bridge (a/k/a Metal Bridge or - God help us - Wellington Bridge) is one of the landmarks of Dublin, beloved by tourists and locals alike. In the old days you would throw a half-penny coin off it for good luck. In these days of the euro, I'm not sure what you'd throw (and maybe you'd be arrested for polluting the dear old Liffey if you threw anything!)

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T:Hapenny Bridge (reel), The

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R:reel

Q:180

M:4/4

L:1/8

K:G

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A| "G"BGFG Bded| "Em"BGEF GFEF| "G"G2 AB "C"cedc| "G"BdcB "D"ADFA|  
"G"BGFG Bded| "Em"BE ~e2 dE ~e2| "G"G2 Bd "C"cecg| "D"fdcA "G"BG G :|  
A| "G"Bd^cd "Em"edBd| "C"ecef "G"gabg| "D"afdc "G"Bdgd| "Em"egdB "D"ADFA|  
"G"Bd ~d2 "Em"edBd| "C"ecef "G"gaba| "G"fgfd "Am"eage| "D"fdcA "G"BG G :|
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