## Men of the Hour: James M. Larrabee

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JUDGE JAMES M. LARRABEE, GARDINER.

A RECIPE for fame is this

Should ere your fortune wane,

That if at first you don't succeed

Just try, then try again.

This formula has long been used,

And never used for naught;

A testimony we will give

To prove it what is sought.

As Judge for twenty years or more,

A trying time he's had,

But if he'd serve for twenty more,

The people would be glad.

The mouthpiece of the Law is he,

Not ruling by the past,

But meting justice fair to all,

Unmindful of the caste.

So fair as you have ruled for all,

So Fate decreed with you

And left you rich in character,

With friends, all staunch and true.

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