

THESE DAYS

Handpick I's gettin' to thinkin' what
you is imaginin' them doing visiting those
relics you been treasurin' for some time
'bout some old time civil-I-zation, which
we is all goin' to be one of these days

referrin' to them
standing at the base
of a statue in another war
museum climbin' on them words
like they was somethin' else
reading this

Captain Thomas B. who led a daring charge
and also wiped out a whole mess of the enemy
before they could gouge him
a hero
—amen brother

and don't he look good in bronze
I's always said put the heroes 'n bronze & the enemies
become a pack of words in a long time