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I'll promise you sunshine, I'll promise you rain;
I'll promise you fabulous prices for grain;
I'll promise you music by day and by night;
I'll promise you beauty and sweetness and light.
Let's look to the future and ponder no more
On the numerous things I have promised before;
'Twas mentioned when first my career I began,
I am an exceedingly promising man,
I will flatter your fancy and nourish your schemes
With limitless wealth from the mint of my dreams
Come, pledge me a vote ere I part from the place,
And I'll fling you a promise with prodigal grace!
You'll find I won't falter whatever be the boon—
A rosebud in winter a snowstorm in June.
The health of a peasant; the pomp of a King
In short I will promise you any old thing.
—Washington Star

Remember the concert at Millerton tonight.

The Steam roller went to Moncton on Friday.

The light ship arrived at Newcastle last week. She will be repaired and put in her winter quarters.

Mrs. Aitken is an ex-officio member of the committee appointed to receive the returned soldiers at St. John.

The day the Soldiers arrive the Orange Band will play for the first time in Newcastle. "The Queens Brave Canadians".

Mr. R. H. Armstrong was up at Camp Adams and Camp Crawford this week. Both camps are in the hands of the painters.

A fisherman lost \$64 on Saturday. He left \$108. in his bunk in a schooner lying at the public wharf and went up town. When he returned only \$104. could be found.

Mr. John Dalton has resigned as vendor of liquors under the Canada Temperance Act for the Town of Newcastle and Frank R. Dalton has been appointed in his place.

Mr. John Pirie, who was a resident of Chatham for many years and also of Redbank, died in Aberdeen, Pa. on the 3rd inst. He married Miss Janet Johnston of Chatham in 1885. He was a member of the shoe-dealing firm of Johnston and Pirie, Chatham, for some years.

The names given out by the militia department today as those of the Canadians returning from South Africa on the Idaho include those given in THE GLEANER yesterday as the Fredericton boys upon that steamer, viz., Ptes. Perkins, Pickles, Aitken, Stevenson, and Wilson.

The ladies of the W. C. T. U. have arrangements well in hand for the supper they will give the heroes in khaki. Invitations are being issued to all the men in this city who have served in South Africa; to the officers of the R. C. R. I. and 71st Regt.; to the Mayor and City Council; to the city clergy; to the veterans of '66; and to the 71st Regt. Band. It is expected that about one hundred guests will be entertained at the supper, at the conclusion of which speech making will be indulged in.—Fredericton Gleaner.

A subscriber in Lyttleton writes and complains of our Lyttleton reporter's items. No doubt the writer is justified in making the complaint and in the future we will carefully watch all correspondence sent from that quarter. Sometimes "it is very difficult to distinguish improper items in our correspondence, as the writers knowing our ignorance of names etc. in his or her locality, words it so that only one familiar with the place is able to detect any impropriety. However, in the future any complaint about correspondence backed up by facts will be carefully considered, and if we find a correspondent has abused his or her privilege by using improper language we will show them up in a way that will make their hair curl. We want legitimate news and nothing more.

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The night school will be opened next Monday evening.

A large number of Newcastle folks intend going up to Millerton tonight to take in the concert.

This is Nomination Day. A large number are expected to arrive from the outside districts.

The Methodist Church, Chatham, was opened on Sunday after extensive repairs. Rev. Geo. Steel, president of the conference occupied the pulpit.

Mr. James Way of the Chaplin Island Road raised a half barrel of Dakota Red potatoes from three pounds of seeds which he received from the Experimental Farm at Ottawa.

R. F. Keith, of Boston, so well known by his "continuous theatre" business, is to start such a theatre in conservative London—and right in the heart of the fashionable West End, too.

Rev. Mr. Brown's texts next Sunday will be: Morning—"Fire Ever Burning;" Evening—"Furious Driving." Conference on Friday evening. Communion on Sunday after evening service.

A meeting in the liberal interests was held at Redbank last night. A big meeting is booked for Chatham tonight. The Speakers will be Mr. Morrissey, Mayor Loggie, Ex. Mayor Winslow, and Ald. Watt.

If subscribers will kindly examine the date on their address label and notify us if incorrect they would greatly oblige the publishers. The label bears the date to which your subscription is paid. If in arrears remit at once.

A correspondent signing himself, "Indian-town Branch" inquires whether there is a law which will allow a person or corporation to leave rotten sleepers inside or outside of the railroad fence. If the land on which the sleepers are deposited is owned by the person or company instrumental in having them deposited there we know of no law which will compel their removal.

Our Boys Under Fire of New Brunswick and Prince Edward Island volunteers in South Africa is a book that is being written by Miss Annie Mellich of Charlottetown, P. E. I. The work will tell of the departure of "Our Boys" and follow them through-out the campaign—concluding with their return home. Forty illustrations Price 30c.

Two natives of Kent County, New Brunswick, will have seats in the newly elected British Parliament, Bonar Law, who will represent Blackfriars division of Glasgow, is the son of Rev. James Law, for many years Presbyterian minister in Kingston, Kent County, N. B., where Bonar was born. Mr. Keswick, member for Surrey, was also born in Kent County, N. B.—Richibucto Review.

Most Worshipful Grand Master, James G. Forbes, Grand Director of Ceremonies, John Wetmore, Grand Secretary, J. T. Hartt and others paid an official visit to the Newcastle Masonic Lodge, Tuesday evening Oct. 23rd. Speeches were made by the Grand Master and others, after which the party repaired to the Waverly Hotel where the visiting brethren were tendered a supper by the local lodge. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mr. Cox, charged with illegal caribou shooting appeared before Magistrate Connors at Chatham on Saturday. Collin McKinnon and William Wyse swore that Mr. Cox had made arrangements with them to bring the caribou out on Sunday 16th. Other witnesses for the crown were examined after which the case was adjourned until Saturday next.

Mr. R. A. Lawlor appeared for Commissioner Robinson and Mr. Robert Murray for Mr. Cox.

Mrs. Mary Gjertz a most estimable lady died at her late residence here on Friday night. Mrs. Gjertz had a large circle of friends throughout the county and all will learn with regret of her death. She had been ill for several weeks with bronchitis. Four sons and one daughter survive her. The latter is the wife of Mr. W. Mailer of this town. The funeral took place at 2.30 o'clock Monday afternoon, and was very largely attended. Rev. P. G. Snow, conducted the service. Interment in St. Andrews Cemetery.

It took the Nelson about an hour to go from Newcastle to Chatham last Wednesday night with the delegates to the liberal convention on board. It was very foggy and the steamer could only crawl along snail like fashion. There were a number of liberals on the wharf at Douglastown anxiously awaiting the arrival of the boat, but the captain was unable to locate the wharf for a time. Someone suggested that those on the wharf procure the latest issue of the World and light it. Accordingly a match was applied to the semi-weekly. The paper made a fine blaze and the wharf was reached without further delay.

Social & Personal

Mr. Joseph Petrie, well known among commercial travellers as buyer for James Robinson M. P. of Millerton, N. B. has severed his connection with that firm and is now representing the National Insurance company. His many friends wish him success in his new vocation. Mr. Petrie was with Mr. Robinson for the last twelve years.—Railway News.

Rev. F. H. W. Pickles was in St. John last week attending the missionary committee meeting of the Methodist Conference.

Miss Ella DeBoe, who has been spending several weeks in Sussex, has returned to her home in Newcastle.—Sussex Record

Miss Gertrude Jardine is spending some time with friends in Montreal.—Campbellton Events.

Dr. Cates is in town. Mr. Harry Anselow, Miss Anselow and Mr. William Ferguson went to Halifax on Monday.

Mrs. Jones and child and Miss Jones leave for Denver today.

Mr. R. T. D. Aitken went to Halifax on Saturday to meet the Idaho.

Mrs. Phillips of Escuminac Village is visiting her brother Mr. Henry Wyse.

Miss Carrie Tait, Chatham was here last week visiting friends.

Mrs. McMurdo and Master McMurdo of Alberton, P. E. I. who have been visiting Mr. L. B. McMurdo left for home on Monday.

Mr. J. N. Golding Jr. the hustling representative of J. & A. McMillan, St. John was in town this week.

Mr. Charles Falconer, of Newcastle is in town for a few days last week.—Campbellton Telephone.

Mr. James Johnston, Chatham, left last week for Scranton, Pa. to visit his sister Mrs. Pirie.

Mr. T. W. Crocker returned from New York last week.

Major Maltby went to Halifax on Monday to meet the returning soldiers.

Mr. C. D. Manny returned from England last week.

Mr. James Rundle is expected home on Tuesday next.

Miss Minnie Maltby, Campbellton is in town.

Mr. Otto Gjertz arrived here last week.

W. J. Johnston of this town who has been labouring in the Mission fields of Hardwicke and Escuminac during the past six months, left on this morning's express for the Presbyterian College, Halifax, where he will resume his studies.

A couple left Newcastle under most peculiar circumstances Saturday night. It appears that a young lady belonging to Newcastle took unto herself a husband over in Uncle Sam's domains not long ago. Evidently she soon tired of him for not long after the marriage she returned home alone. The husband followed and not long afterwards his wife agreed to return to the States with him. But the mother of the young girl put her foot down and vowed her daughter should not leave home. However love finds a way and on Saturday night the young wife's baggage, etc. was hoisted out of a second story window, and the happy couple took the midnight express for the States.

Mr. Jacob Vanhuskirk returned on Saturday from a successful shooting trip on the Tabusintac beaches. Accompanied by his son-in-law, Mr. D. McCleave, he left Moncton Saturday night week, spending Sunday with friends in Chatham. On Monday they proceeded to the shooting grounds overland a distance of upwards of 40 miles and succeeded in bagging about 50 birds, brant, geese and duck. Mr. Vanhuskirk, though in his 72nd year, is still a capital shot; his hand is steady as a clock and he could give pointers, his friends say, to most of the young sports. He will accept thanks for a couple of fine brant laid on the editor's table.—Moncton Times.

Mr. F. A. Brownell, of Rochester N. Y. has just returned from a two weeks hunt on the Tobique with Adam Moore as guide. Mr. Brownell got a moose a caribou, two bears and a lot of small game during his short stay in the woods. He is most enthusiastic over his trip which was arranged by Mr. John J. Moore of this city, and he will certainly come to New Brunswick again to hunt big game.

Mr. Brownell certainly had exceptional good fortune, and he beats the record for a fortnight's hunt. Every hunter coming out of the Tobique region has the same happy story to tell of an abundance of game and a good time generally.—Gleaner.

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