## D. W. Corey

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Transcription:

D. W. COREY OF PRESQUE ISLE.

IF you say "Corey" in Aroostook, you don't have to say it twice;

If it's Corey it's potatoes -- just a matter of their price;

For he's a farmer who has leanings to the larger business side

And whose farm is fit occasion for a universal pride.

Its broad acres are an Eden in the garden-spot of Maine,

With their fields of growing tubers and their waving hay and grain; --

But it's not alone in farming, that "D. W." holds his own;

For he's the biggest, hustling buyer of potatoes that is known.

Many years the firm's been buying of the crops this region round; --

Their potato-house, the biggest that the world has ever found –

And of the stream of wealth that's pouring, from the richness of the land.

There's a share, I know, that's tribute to the grace and grit and sand

Of the Carter-Corey Company who demonstrate their worth,

By backing with their dollars the rich promise of the earth.

He's a hustler is friend Corey: for Presque Isle has made a fight

Helped develop her resources in her power and her light

Says "'Aroostook is a garden and Presque Isle is its flower"

And like the busy-bee himself, keeps in it every hour.

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