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PARTY POLITICS, ETO.

We are not drifting away from the party dea. On the contrary the party is all powerful, and the unfortunate individual who vencure ures to keep without its boundaries is in a althy disagreeable kind of limbo. The great men England for just the kind of manufactured rely of the politicians have about concluded that is ciousit well to bring dominion politics into county idneyand town affairs. Of course, each party acmplicuses the other of being the first mover in ered bringing about this state of affairs. That alers would seem to argue that each party is rather ashamed that dominion politics should be brought into local affairs, or if not, why should there he this very manifest desire to blame "the other fellow" for it?

It really seems necessary to have party government, ait igh as Goldwin Smith says, at the time of elections a condition almost like civil war exists. But it must be remembered that the parties are the creatures of the state. They are not pretty or attractive a creatures, and their characters are becoming less preposessing every day.

How far should we tollow the party? If the party says, "Thou shalt not buy goods of pla a Grit or Tory," as the case may be, should we reply "We will buy no goods, then, most noble Master."

If the party says, "You must not speak to such and such when you meet them on the street," shall the loyal elector reply "We will not speak to that person, most illuscrious

There is one saving element in the party idea. A lot of fellows who promise that they will vote for the party, vote quite differently when the day comes. As a matter of morals, Is an elector bound to vote for the man or party whom he promises, when this promise is secured by threats, or co-ercion, or duress, or the trickery with which the successful politician doth trick?

We would gladly give such an one a dispensation, had we the giving of the same. If a robber binds you and threatens to shoot you unless you promise that you will not tell on him, you do not feel bound to keep such a promise, and the man, especially the poor man, who is forced to promise his vote, is quite guiltless in our opinion, if he relieves himself from an obligation most corruptly

We would not mind the party business so much, if it did not breed such an endless talk about politics. One gets horridly sick of it all, and heartily wishes that the politicians of Canada had formed a regiment to go to the war in South Africa. They might have talked the Boers to death.

A Wonderful Piano.

The oldest of all pianos manufactured up to date will shortly start from San Francisco for a long tour of the world. With it will go its inventor and manufacturer, Moritz Rosenthal, the famous pianist, whose ingenuity has produced something really new under the

The piano is anti-climatic—that is to say, it is proof against all atmospheric changes that heretofore have assailed all perambulating pianos. Tested carefully and thoroughly with all degrees of heat and cold, dryness and moisture, it has demonstrated that none of these conditions can affect its tone quality.

The inventor has "treated" it after prescriptions known only to himself. The piano, which is smaller than a small grand, has had all kinds of experiments tried upon it, until now it is perfected-neither the tropics nor the arctic can disturb its musical serenity. The length of the instrument is five feet, its width three feet. Beautifully polished rosewood will encase its mechanism, and its sounding board was brought from Germany.

All of the 7000 pieces used in its construction were handled by the musician himself during the many months that the piano has been building.

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BETTER TIMES COMING.

An Important New Industry with Head quarters Here.

The indications are that Woodstock will soon experience a boom in business, and that the days of depression are about over. The closing of two saw mills was quite a blow to the place, but it was inevitable. It will not be a surprise to everybody to find a company organized in the not distant future with the object of manufacturing all manner of wooden implements such as rake and fork handles, a certain class of waggons and carriages. This subject has been talked of for some time, and an extra stimulus was given to the project by the visit here of Mr. W. White a member of the firm of Sharp & Tylee dealers in wood of Liverpool, Eng. Mr. White stated that there is an unlimited demand in articles which can be handled with a profit in this county. Of course an industry of this nature is now only talked of, when it may get beyond the range of talk and become a practical operation is more or less prob-

There is an industry the headquarters of which has been placed in Woodstock which needs special mention. It is the business conducted by the Carleton Creamery Co. The Company buys milk and manufacturs butter which during the past season has found a ready market in Great Britian. The town having offered the Company reasonable inducements, they are now erecting their new building on the railway a little below the old station. The buildings when completed will be exactly what is required for the company's use. The main building connected with this industry, just nearing completion is 30 x 81 and annexed is an engine and boiler room 16 x 24. The main building is a story and a half high and is shingled on the roof and sides. At the north end is an apartment 30 feet square which will be used as an ice house. Air spaces are arranged between the walls, and this will do away with putting sawdust among the ice. The company have their own cutting apparatus complete, and being near the river can get their ice with little difficulty. Last year they used at the old station about 800 cakes. This year they expect to use nearly 4000 cakes. The main building is further sub divided into two cold storage rooms, and 30 feet is cut off for a work room, while good quarters up stairs will be available for an office. Entirely separate from this main building is another structure 18 x 30 which will be used for general purposes. A railway siding is to be built up to the floor of the main building and the railway company will provide refregerator cars.. All the milk supplied by the farmers in the immediate vicinity of town will be brought to this building and the cream from various skimming stations throughout the country will be brought here. Last year there were eight skimming stations. This year it is expected their will be fourteen. This industry means a great deal to the farmers of the country and will be found to be considerable of an addition to the industries of Woodstock. Word has been received from England where he went for his health that Mr. George E. Phillips who is to be credited with starting this valuable institution is improving and it is hoped that he will be able to return to Woodstock by March.

Catarrh of Long Standing Relieved in a Few

It is not alone the people of our own country, and prominent citizens like Urban Lippe, M. P. of Joliette, Que., and other members of Parliament, who, having used Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, pronounce it the most effective remedy they have ever known, but people every are expressing their gratification at the effectiveness of this medicine. C. G. Archer. of Brewer, Maine, says: "I have had catarrh for several years. Water would run from my eyes and nose days at a time. About four months ago I was induced to try Dr. Agnew's Catarrhal Powder, and since using the wonderful remedy I have not had an attack. I would not be without it," It relieves in ten minutes. Sold by Garden

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A Chicago lady, who is the wife of a wealthy and influential citizen, had a great deal of trouble recently with her domestics. She had discharged her cook and second girl and for a few days was obliged to do her own

It was on one of these mornings that a peremptory knock sounded on the kitchen door. She wiped her hands on the apron and found at the door a low-browed, insolentlooking-man, with a small satchel swung over his shoulder.

"Go and tell your mistress I want to see her, Jane," he said, with a wave of the hand. Madam surveyed him in silence a moment and then replied, stiffly: "I don't cho-ose to.

"Oh, you don't, eh? Well now, trot along, my dear, or I'll have you fired," he returned, with a vicious glance.

Mrs. Blank was backing within. To be so insulted on her own doorstep was such a heinous crime that her resources failed her. But in a moment she hit upon a plan that would bring this piece of insolence to abject humility Drawing her stately figure up to the full and fixing on him a gaze of imperious

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disdain, she said in measured, frigid tones, "I am the lady of the house."

Did he quail? Oh, no!

"Are you?" he rejoined, quickly. "Why didn't you say so and not keep me waiting all this time? I got some soap here that you want and-"

He was staring at the door while the bang echoed out over his shoulders into the back yard .-- Chicago News.

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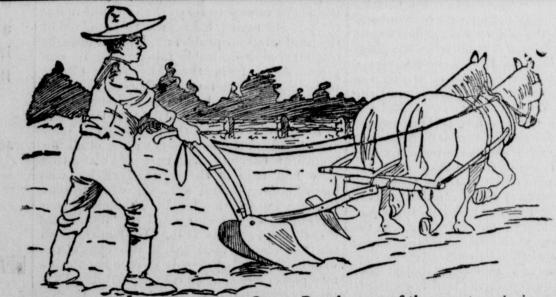
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I am a farmer located near Stony Brook, one of the most malarious districts in this State, and was bothered with malaria for years, at times so I could not work, and was always very constipated as well. For vears I had malaria so bad in the spring, when engaged in plowing, that I could do nothing but shake. I must have taken about a barrell of quinine pills besides dozens of other remedies, but never obtained any permanent benefit. Last fall, in peach time, I had a most serious attack of chills and then commenced to take Ripans Tabules, upon a friend's advice, and the first box made me all right and I have never been without them since. I take one Tabule each morning and night and sometimes when I feel more than usually exhausted I take three in a day. They have kept my stomach sweet, my bowels regular and E have not had the least touch of malaria nor splitting headache since commenced using them. I know also that I sleep better and wake up more refreshed than formerly. I don't know how many complaints Ripans Tabules will help, but I do know they will cure any one in the condition I was and I would not be without them at any price. honestly consider them the cheapest-priced medicine in the world, as they are also the most beneficial and the most convenient to take. I am twenty-seven years of age and have worked hard all my life, the same as most farmers, both early and late and in all kinds of weather, and I have never enjoyed such good health as I have since last fall; in fact, my neighbors have all remarked my improved condition and have said o' Say, John, what are you doing to look so healthy?" AN ED.—A case of bad health that R'I-P-A'N'S will not benefit. They banish pain and prolong life to One gives relief. Note the word R I-P-A'N'S on the package and accept no substitute. R'I-P-A'N'S for 5 cents or twelve packets for 48 cents, may be had at any drug store. Ten samples and one that testimonials will be mailed to any address for 5 cents, forwarded to the it pans Chemical Co., If 6 Spruce St., New York.