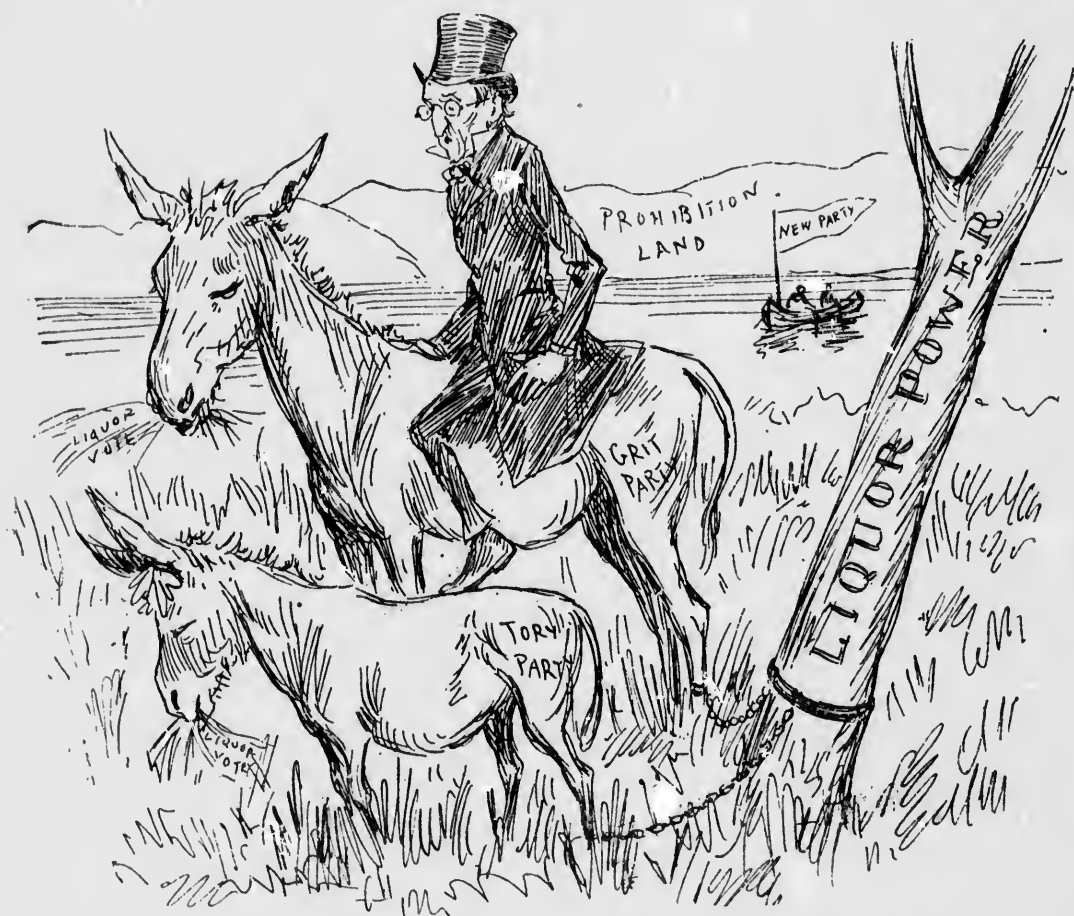




FABLE XIV.

THE DONKEY AND THE MULE.

A Voter, wishing to cross the Rubicon to the Beautiful Land of Prohibition, accosted a Donkey and asked for a lift across the Stream. "No, sir!" promptly replied the Donkey. "It's not my Policy to carry Passengers in that Direction. Besides, don't you