

FARMERS' COLUMN.

CHEESE BUSINESS PROSPECTS FOR 1877.—Mr. H. Farrington, at a recent meeting of the patrons of his factory, gave it as his opinion that the prospect this year is excellent, as there are 350,000 boxes less in stock than at this time last year, and of these 100,000 are Canadian cheese.

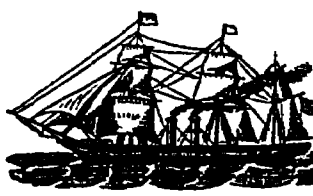
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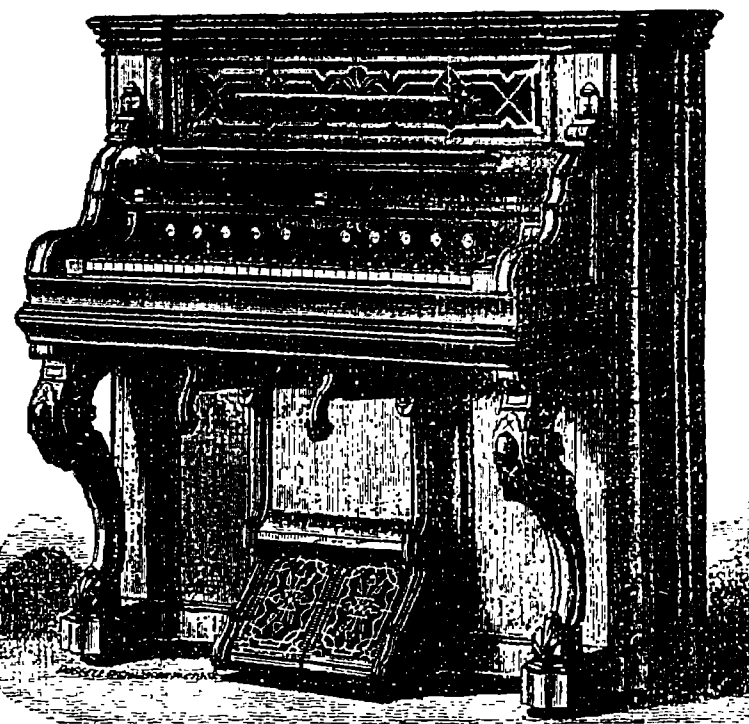
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