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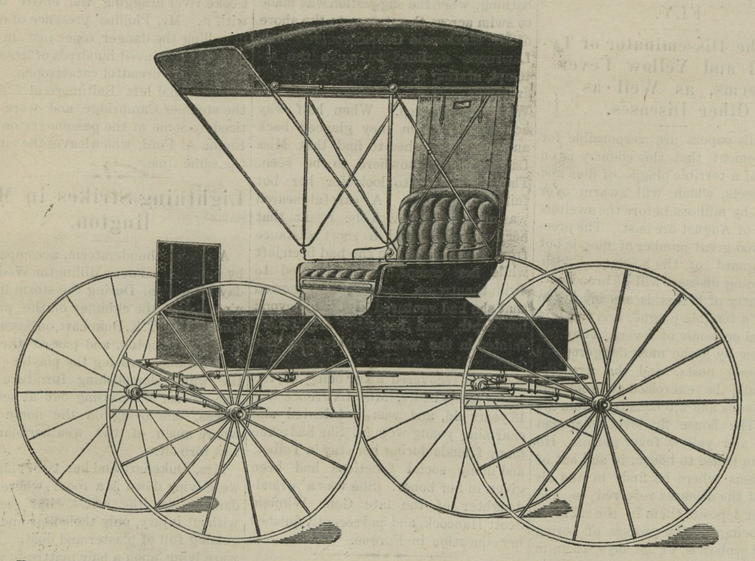
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Three Bank Bills.

General Samuel Veazie of Bangor built the first railroad in Maine and also founded the Veazie National bank of Bangor. He had occasion to visit Boston once and made the trip by the circuitous means of transportation used in those early days, by stage, railroad and steamboat. He arrived in Boston in the evening and went to the old Tremont House for the night. All he had with him was an old carpet-bag, and as he was unknown to the clerk he was informed that, having no baggage, he would be expected to pay in advance.

"All right," said he, reaching into his inside pocket. He drew out a pocket-book and took therefrom a $1,000 bill of his bank. The clerk took it, got out his bank detecter and looked up the standing of the Bangor bank institution. In a moment he came back and said:

"That bank has issued but three bills of that denomination."

"Yes," said the general, "and if that one is not enough for you, here's the other two." And he laid the bills before the eyes of the astonished clerk.—Boston Herald.

A Book and a War.

Copyright questions are grave enough nowadays, but they no longer threaten to end in war, as in the case of St. Columba, the Irishman who settled in Iona converted north Britain and is commemorated on June 9. He had a passion for fine manuscripts and copies of them and among others copied a certain Latin psalter belonging to an Irish abbot whereupon King Diarmaid condemned Columba at Tara ruling that "to every book belongs its copy, as to every cow its calf." Columba appealed against the verdict in the practical form of inciting his kinsmen to revolt, and they defeated Diarmaid in the battle of the Psalter. The book is claimed to be the one which in a silver cover was carried into battle by the O'Donnells during more than a thousand years and may be seen at the Royal Irish academy today.—London Chronicle.

Old Sevres.

Old Sevres porcelain holds its own among those who are wealthy enough to buy it, because, within definite limits, it is perfect. The united skill of the best French chemists, potters, artists and sculptors of the time went to its making; the sordid necessity of earning a profit did not trouble the director of Sevres, for an easy going monarch was always ready to make good the yearly loss.

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Somber Christianity.

The Auld Licht kirk when Dr. Chalmers visited it was a terribly bare little building. The elders were a grim set. They kept their bonnets on their heads till the minister entered, and they had each a large stick in hand, which they used for "chappin" their noses through all the service. The minister wore no gown or bands. He gave a very long sermon, full of sound divinity, but without the smallest practical application and without a vestige of feeling. At length Dr. Chalmers got out, the dismal worship being ended, and his word was, "If these people ever get to heaven, they will live on the north side of it."

Indian Magic.

A traveler tells a story of Indian magic. The juggler was a Malay, who stroked with his fingers the blade of a long knife or creese. The observer saw water fall drop by drop from the blade, which became flaccid, like a strip of india rubber. Thrown on the ground, it bounced about, but was a knife blade again when lifted by the juggler. An examination showed that there was no water on the mat on which the observer saw the drops falling.

A Prayer Before Work.

The day returns and brings us the petty round of irritating concerns and duties. Help us to play the man; help us to perform them with laughter and kind faces; let cheerfulness abound with industry; give us to go blithely on our way all this day; bring us to our resting beds weary and content and undishonored, and grant us in the end the gift of sleep. Amen!—Robert Louis Stevenson.

Would Like to Be There.

A Maine French Canadian mill operative in Biddeford asked his overseer for a few days leave of absence. Being short of help, the overseer asked him if it was anything very particular that he wanted to stay out for, and he replied, "Yaasir; I'm goin' to git marrit, un I'd lak be there; that all."

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