

torical Society in 1830, all depicted in the *Antiquitates Americanae* of Rafn before mentioned. Dighton Rock is now in possession of the above society.

15. Vide *The North American Review* for 1838, pp. 161-203.

16. Vide *History of the United States*. By George Bancroft, Boston, 1841, Vol. I., p. 56.

17. Dicuil in *De Mensura Orbis Terræ*, shows that the Faroe Islands were known to the Irish as early as 725 and Iceland in 795. Vide *Antiquitates Americanae*, p. 204.

18. Vide *History of the Voyages and Discoveries made in the North*, by John Reinhold Forster, Dublin, 1786. Also *History of the Northmen and Danes and Norsemen from the Earliest Times*, etc. By Henry Wheaton, London, 1831.

19. For an excellent translation of the Sagas reference may be made to *Voyages of the Northmen to America*. Prince Society, Boston, 1877. Edited by the Reverend Edmund F. Slafter, A. M.

20. In going to the ship the horse which he had mounted, stumbled causing the old man to fall off and bruise his foot, which discouraged him from attempting the voyage.

21. Dr. Thomas H. Webb, secretary of the Rhode Island Historical Society, in *Antiquitates Americanae*, p. 368.

22. Vide *Report on the Geology of Massachusetts*, p. 96, et seq.

23. Vide *Documentary History of the State of Maine* by J. G. Kohl, Portland, 1869, Vol. 1. p. 71.

24. Vide *An Historical Sketch of the Discovery of America by the Norsemen*, by Rasmus B. Anderson, A. M., Chicago, 1874, p. 56, et seq.

25. Vide Migne's *Patrology of the Latin Fathers*, Vols. 119, 133, 139, 143. Archbishop Adelbert was raised to the see of Hamburg in 1045 and died in 1072. Adam of Bremen says of him, that, "he was so gentle, so generous, so hospitable, so desirous of divine and human glory, that little Bremen, having become known by his virtue like another Rome, was devoutly resorted to from all quarters of the earth, especially from the North. Among the comers were Icelanders, Greenlanders and Arcadians, who came to ask for preachers." Vide *Gesta Pontificum Ecclesiæ Hamburgensis*. Book III., ch. 33; also cf. Book IV., ch. 36.

26. Vide *Monumenta Germaniæ Historica*, edited by George Henry Pertz, Hannoveræ, 1846. Tome VII. The following is perhaps nearer the original. Adam speaking of his friend and patron Adelbert says, "He spoke also of another island found in that ocean called *Winland*, because vines grow there spontaneously, yielding excellent wine. For that fruit grew there spontaneously we know not by fabulous report, but for certain, from the reports of the Danes."