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**A Postal Curiosity.**

A curiously addressed letter passed lately through the postoffice of Madrid, which was deciphered and correctly delivered notwithstanding all difficulties. The address was a perfect riddle. At the left hand side was the figure of a lady; it was clear therefore to which sex the recipient should belong. Over the lady's head the sun was rising; hence her name was inferred to be Aurora. For her sur-name stood a hill, with a castle at its foot, which gives us "Montessy Castillo." Next comes the town, from which the plan of the city was drawn, on which the name Alhambra was legible. This indicated Granada, but in order to leave no doubt possible a pomegranate was drawn beside the plan.

To complete the address, a number was indicated in one of the streets of the city plan. The postal authorities took three days to study its curiosity, and then triumphantly delivered the letter to "Señora Aurora Montessy Castillo, Azucayna No. 20, Granada, and so far from censoring the sender, they had the envelope photographed and the copy printed in the Madrid papers as a proof of the intelligence of the department. —Manchester (England) Times.

A man entering a coal dealer's office yesterday with a parcel under his arm, and after looking about to assure himself that the pair were alone, he removed the wrapper and displayed a lump of anthracite coal weighing about a pound.

"Well?" queried the dealer.

"I live out here on the Lake Shore Road."

"Yes."

"Found this on my land."

"Yes."

"It's coal, isn't it?"

"For sure."

"Hard coal?"

"Yes."

"If such pieces out-crop on the land my farm ought to be worth something, eh?"

"Fifty dollars an acre, perhaps."

"Put there's a coal mine."

"Coal mine hanged!" Some brakeman threw that chunk of coal at your horse or cow. Dang' em, they waste three tons for me that very way every year."

The farmer man left the lugubrious desk and went out without a word or a look.—Detroit Free Press.

When a Chicago man goes to heaven the first thing he does is to start an agitation to have the other place annexed and marked off into wards.—Philadelphia Times.

At Charleston, West Virginia, on last Friday, Sim Johnson, colored, was hanged for rape on Alice Baily, white, in April last.

Mrs. M. T. amer. Boston, fed. writes of the blood poison from birth. Knew on my limbs were as large as hen's eggs. Doctors said I would be crippled, but B. B. R. has cured me sound and well. Blood Balm were given.

A Sebright, N. J., dispatch, says a careful estimate places the loss by recent fire at \$300,000, with insurance of \$200,000.

Another Cure for Rheumatism, LAKE CITY, FLA.  
P. P. CO., SAVANNAH, GA.  
LAWRENCE, N. Y.—Rheumatism for six years, I last year was a sea man and confined to bed. My regimen now is to bathe and wash the entire body in warm water in a perfumed condition. I heat up P. P. Oil, and rub it over the body, as the formula is on the bottle—100 drops of oil to a pint of water. It was this bath that enabled me to go down town and attend to my business and I must say that I feel like another man. I am 50 years old, and I do not believe I will soon be as old again, and may live 100 years of age can expect to be. A. C. LANG.

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Dr. Sage's Remedy produces perfect and permanent cures of Chronic Cataract in the Head, as thousands can testify. "Cataract in the Head" is cured with a few applications. Cataract Headache is relieved and cured as if by magic. It removes offensive breath, loss or impairment of the sense of taste, smell or hearing, watering or weak eyes, and impaired memory, when caused by the violence of Cataract, as they all frequently are. Remedy sold by druggists, 50 cents.

**General :: Directory.****COUNTY GOVERNMENT.**

Clerk-Superior Court, W. G. Watson, Sheriff, Jas M. Monroe; Register of Deeds, H. N. Woodson; Register, J. Sam'l McCubbins; Surveyor, B. C. Arrey; Coroner, D. A. Atwell; Commissioners, W. L. Klutts, chairman; Dr. L. W. Colemen, Cornelius Kestler, J. A. Stewart and J. F. Patterson; Sup't of Public Schools, T. C. Linn; Sup't of Health, Dr. J. J. Summerell; Overseer of Poor, A. M. Brown.

**TOWN.**

Mayor, T. C. Linn; Clerk, D. R. Julian; Treasurer, J. H. Foust; Police, R. W. Price; chief, J. F. Pace; C. W. Pool; R. M. Barringer.

Commissioners—North ward, J. A. Renfrew; D. M. Miller; South ward, D. R. Julian; J. A. Barrett; East ward, J. B. Gordon; T. A. Congdon; West ward, R. J. Holmes; T. W. Mauney.

**CHURCHES.**

Methodist—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 6 p.m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 6 p.m. Rev Dr. W. H. Little, pastor.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. J. W. Mauney, sup't.

Presbyterian—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 8:30 p.m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 8:30 p.m. Rev J. R. Rumble, D. D. pastor.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. J. Rumble, sup't.

Lutheran—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Prayer meeting every Wednesday at 7 p.m. Rev Chas. King, pastor.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. R. G. Kizer, sup't.

Episcopal—Services every Sunday at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m. and Wednesday at 6:30 p.m. Rev F. Murdoch, rector.

Sunday school every Sunday afternoon at 3 p.m. J. W. Mauney, sup't.

Baptist—Services every Sunday morning and night. Prayer meeting every Wednesday night. Rev N. S. Jones, pastor.

Sunday school every Sunday at 9:30 a.m. Thos L. Swink, sup't.

Catholic—Services every second Sunday at 10:30 a.m. and 7 p.m. Rev Father Gerard, pastor.

Sunday school every Sunday at 10 a.m. Y. M. C. A.—Devotional services at Hall every Saturday at 4:30 p.m. Business meeting first Thursday night in every month. H. H. Foust, pres't.

**LODGES.**

Fulton Lodge No. 60 A. F. & A. M., meets every first and third Friday night in each month. B. B. Neave, W. M.

Salsbury Lodge, No. 21, K. of P., meets every Tuesday night. A. H. Boyden, C. C.

Salsbury Lodge, No. 775, K. of H., meets every 1st and 31 Monday night in each month. C. T. Bernhardt, Director.

Salsbury Council, No. 272, Royal Arch, meets every 2d and 4th Monday night in each month. R. Q. Kizer Regent.

**POST OFFICE.**

Office hours from 7:30 a.m. to 6:30 p.m. Money order hours 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Sunday hours 12:15 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. J. H. Ramsay, P. M.

**With the Wits.**

"Why is so dry as an alderman in June?" asked Texas Siftings. Two aldermen in July. That's easy enough.—Rochester Democrat.

Clevertown—"Well, old man, where do you expect to pass the summer?" Dashaway (sorrowfully)—"Walking back from the race track."—Judge.

Bob he took the hint.—He coldly is to-night. I could hug to a stove I feel so cold." She—"Is that so? Why, I'm so warm I feel just like a stove."—New York News.

The usual way.—Tom—"How did it happen that Miss Blanchette fuses you? It was understood that you were her favorite." Jack—"The regular way; the favorite didn't win."—New York Herald.

It was the intelligent compositor who changed "a miss is as good as a mile" to "a miss is as good as a mile." There, he said to himself with pardonable pride, "that means something."—Boston Transcript.

Printed at last.—Miss Boston—"Is it not remarkable! The writings of a man who lived before the pyramids were built have just been discovered and published to the world." Struggling author—"Which magazine dares to say you send them to?"—New York Weekly.

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One rock availed Mrs. Tiptop—"How in the world did you persuade yourself to marry a baker?"

Mrs. Van Oyen (formerly Mrs. D. Fine)—"I determined that for my second husband I would marry a man who could bake his own biscuits."

"Mr. Sharpset," inquired an attentive hostess, "how in the world do you manage to eat hot hot soup without burning yourself?"

"Madam," was pathetic reply, "I am burning myself."

She—"Where do you suppose the idea of marrying a man in order to get rid of him came from?" He—"Chicago, I fancy!"—Lake Shore News.

**CONSUMPTION CURE.**

An old sickly retired officer, who had placed his hands in his pockets, was trying to make a speech to the audience for the benefit of the Sanatorium at Broadbridge, 2 miles from Cheltenham, England, and the audience, who were mostly invalids, also a convalescent and invalids, were all looking at him with a smile, as though he was a fool. "I am here to tell you," he said, "that I have a cure for consumption, and it is a simple one."

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