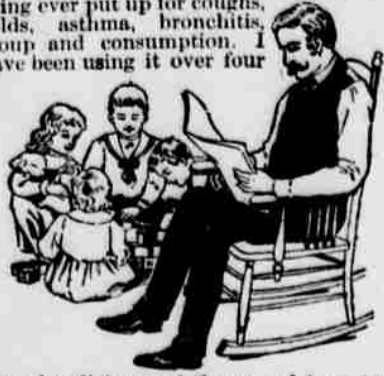


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J A Tiller, work, road dist No 34	34 30
Geo Carden, work, road dist No 34	28 50
J A Tiller, work, road dist No 34	69 25
Chas Hixson, work, road dist No 34	5 00
W Bolton, supplies, road dist No 34	51 00
Chas Cannon, work, road dist No 34	17 00
Robert Leasure, work, road dist No 8	63 00
Mosier Mill Co, lumber, dist No 9 and 10	161 90
Frank Lapiere, supervision, dist No 10	133 00
Geo T Prather, hall rent, election	2 00
E S Olinger, use of team hauling body, pauper	5 00
E S Olinger, deputy sheriff, caring for booths	3 00
W H Wolfe, sup road dist No 14	7 50
P A Kirchheiner, blacksmithing, dist 34	7 25
W W Teal, closing and opening metallic casket	5 00
Geo C Blakeley, expenses attending judges' convention	6 00
Peter Stoller, supervisor dist No 19	33 50
Dalles City water rent, Nov and December	11 85
Timothy Brownhill, justice fee, state vs John Doe	4 70
J E Hardy, sign, county judge's office	1 50
Noruan McDonald, work on county roads	3 00
G W Stewart, work on county roads	6 00
C Struggess, rebate on taxes	28 75
Andrew McCabe, work on road, dist No 17	36 50
Frank Hill, constable fees, state vs John Doe	2 00
Timothy Brownhill, justice fees, state vs Macey	3 20
Timothy Brownhill, justice fees, state vs O'Brien	3 70
Frank Hill, constable fees, state vs O'Brien	2 20
Timothy Brownhill, justice fees, state vs Fish	8 00
Frank Hill, constable fees, state vs Fish	9 00
Timothy Brownhill, telegraph message	1 00
M M F Kirchheiner, hall rent, election	2 50
W R Brown, work on 3-Mile grade	25 06
Frank Hill, constable fees, state vs Jas Kelly	5 30
Lost Lake Lumber Co, lumber, road dist No 7	6 40
Times Mountaineer, pub bills allowed, Nov term	7 70
J R Nickelsen, blacksmith work	1 70
H Prigge, work on Indian Creek bridge	5 00
Williams & Brosius, med for paupers	10 75
F C Brocius, MD, med services, paupers	27 00
Robt Kelly, expenses on prisoner transportation	30 25
N H Gates, justice fee State vs Chas Garrison	6 05
T J Driver, con fee State vs Chas Garrison	3 50
S F Blythe, pub delinquent tax notice	50
Pacific States Tel Co, Nov bill clerk's office	8 20
Pacific States Tel Co, Dec bill for clerk's office	7 35
Pacific States Tel Co, Nov bill sheriff's office	9 65
Pacific States Tel Co, Dec bill for sheriff's office	9 75
Chas Alisky, wit State vs Wm Kelly	2 00
Geo W Covert, wk Chenoweth rd	12 00
Al Smi h, do	12 00
W J Harriman, do	42 00
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Thos Elsee, do	5 50
Chas T Jones, do	6 55
Ed Frautz, do	6 00

Thos Maddron, do	do	5 00
Chas Gileinger, do	do	2 00
Ed Gosser, do	do	1 50
Mrs Maude Eaddon, clerical hire	supv reports, etc.	23 00
Miss Vesta Bolton, clerical hire	supv reports, etc.	23 00
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County clerk, incidentals for office		25 00
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A new and strange stamp has been attracting the attention and wonder of our post office officials. It is a stamp not found in any collection or sold by any government. It has no legal value whatsoever. Neither is it a counterfeit, nor intended to supplant in any way the stamps issued by the government authorities. It always appears accompanied by the proper number of United States postage stamps, either fastened by their side or stuck in the lower left-hand corner of the envelope, says the Philadelphia Press.

At a first glance the stamp is a surprise and a mystery to the officials. In size and general appearance it is much like those of oriental and South American countries. But a closer look at the design—a saint bearing the Christ-child in his arms—reveals its religious character. Then the men discover the letters S. A. G. at the top of the stamp, and for many of them the problem is at once solved.

Nearly everyone who has anything to do with the handling of the mails is familiar with these three initials. Thousands of letters bearing them in the lower left-hand corner or written upon the back of the envelope are received and delivered daily in this city alone. Even the least observant clerk or carrier has remarked and questioned them.

The initials and stamps are practically the same thing; or, rather, the stamp is a new phase of an ancient custom which exists over the entire world, and which during the last few years has sprung into popularity in this country. It is a Roman Catholic custom. The S. A. G. stands for "St. Anthony Guide."

Many wonderful things are attributed to St. Anthony by Catholics. He is known among them as the "miraculous saint." Countless stories are told of the cures he has effected—the wonders he performs even to-day. But the two things for which this saint is especially given credit are the finding of things lost and the guidance of all correspondence placed under his care.

Devout Catholics believe that a letter sent under the protection of Padua can never go astray. There are numbers of them to-day habitually inscribe "S. A. G." on all their mail matter, important or otherwise. The stamp is merely a more conspicuous method of placing correspondence in the care of the favorite saint, and so paying him additional honor. St. Anthony's stamps, as they are called, are a modern and distinctly American invention. But the custom is over a century and a half old.

It is strange that while hundreds of Catholics will not think of posting a letter until "S. A. G." is safely on the envelope, hardly one is able to explain why they have this implicit faith in St. Anthony's guidance, or from what their belief has sprung. They will say vaguely that "it is a custom; that we have always been told that St. Anthony will care for letters."

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St. Paul Fast Mail, 9:25 p. m. via Spokane.	Walla Walla, Lewiston, Spokane, Wallace, Pullman, Minneapolis, St. Paul, Duluth, Milwaukee, Chicago and East.	3:30 a. m.

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Daily except Sunday, 6:00 a. m.	Willamette River, Oregon City, Nowberg, Salem, Independence, and Way-Landings.	1:30 p. m. except Sunday.
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, 6:00 a. m.	Corvallis and Way-Landings.	4:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday.
Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, 7:00 a. m.	Willamette and Yamhill Rivers, Oregon City, Dayton and Way-Landings.	3:30 p. m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday.
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