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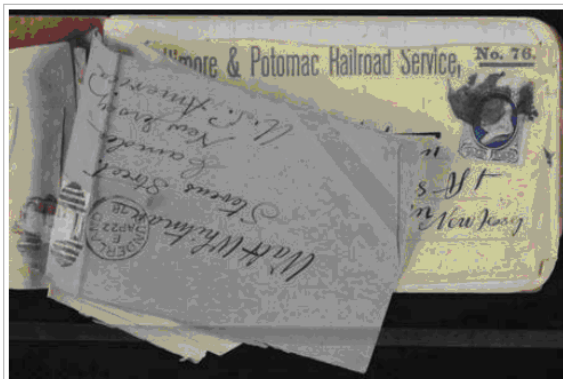
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- ["Dear photograph ..."](#) A really wonderful photo site [via [Lynda Schmitz Fuhrig](#), SIA].
- Have you heard of the [Adopt-a-Museum Project](#)? Champion your own favorite "unsung hero" of the museum world on their site, which will be added to the project's map. (And feel free to add your favorite "gem" of a museum in the comments below.)
- Text heavy, but interesting. [A report on how technology is changing the research and digitization needs of historians](#) [via [@dancobon](#)]
- A fun way to while away an afternoon. A new archive of vintage American ads: the [Jay Paul Vintage Print Advertisements](#) collection [via [Jennifer Wright](#), SIA].
- This week marked what would have been Thomas Edison's 165th birthday. Learn a bit more about this fascinating man in the video below [via [Neatorama](#)]: