

# THE PRINTER'S MISCELLANY

as a vehicle of information for printers and publishers, and as a medium through which type-founders, press, paper and ink manufacturers, etc., could, with advantage to themselves, bring their productions to the notice of printers. It circulates very largely in Canada and the United States, and as an advertising medium for any articles used in connection with printing and the kindred arts has no superior.

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## AS OTHERS SEE US.

At the risk of being accused of a lack of that shrinking modesty which is the distinguishing characteristic of printers, we reproduce the following notices, but before doing so we desire to sincerely thank the writers for the suggestions and kindly sentiments expressed:—

*From the Union Advocate, Newcastle, N. B.*

The *Miscellany* is received. Mr. Finlay has displayed considerable enterprise in filling up the gaps in the issue of this most useful publication caused by the late fire. We have formed a very high opinion of this paper, on account of its real practical value; and hope that the craft everywhere will extend to Bro. Finlay a helping hand in still further improving his publication, which bids fair to take first rank among papers of the same class in America.

*From the Western Globe.*

The *Printer's Miscellany* is the only journal published on the continent of America solely in the interest of the craft, and consequently should receive the willing support of every printer in the land. Boys, don't be content with a hasty glimpse of the exchange copy, but send along your dollar and get it for yourself. Preserve every number, bind up the yearly volumes and you will have a printer's manual that you wouldn't be without for ten times the cost.

*From the Lake City, Florida, Reporter.*

We are in receipt of *The Printer's Miscellany*, published in St. John, N. B., Canada, and devoted to the interest of printers and instructing the apprentice. It is one of the most interesting publications of the kind, and should be in the hands of every printer. It is neatly printed and well made up of valuable reading matter, both instructive and useful. The thanks of the printers of this office are extended to the publisher of *The Miscellany*, and hope he will continue to gladden our faces with it.

*From the Woodstock, N. B., Press.*

THE PRINTERS' PRIDE.—*The Printer's Miscellany*, an "exponent of printing and all the kindred arts," has become quite a worthy institution of our Province. While struggling on in its infancy, it had to share a common fate in the great fire, which was a most severe blow to its prospects; but it would not be worthy of plucky St. John did it not make a strong effort to recover itself. It has recovered itself nobly, and the printers are prouder than ever of it. The last number issued (July) opens the third volume,

and it fairly sparkles with good things. Its leading article, headed "Practical Matters," by Jul. L. Wright, occupy the first four pages, has numerous illustrations, and is very interesting. This number, too, has a wide range of correspondence, which any "comp." who has traveled a bit will know how to appreciate. The long list of "acknowledgments" contained here is quite pleasing to glance over, for it shows that something more than "old exchanges" is finding its way into many stand drawers, to be consulted in leisure moments. The *Miscellany* seeks to win for itself the support of the craft everywhere. We believe it has deserved it from the beginning.

*From the Frontenac Gazette, Kingston, Ont.*

THE PRINTER'S MISCELLANY.—The last number of this interesting sheet has come to hand and is brimful of entertaining intelligence, which will commend it not only to the members of the craft, but to others who have not the honor of belonging to the fourth estate. Its large circulation amply attests the popularity which it has achieved among the type-setting profession, not only in Canada and the United States, but in Great Britain and foreign countries. A handsome little volume of thirty-two pages, printed on excellent paper, and exceptionally clean; it only needs to be presented more fully to the notice of the general public, to treble the number of its subscribers. Although, perhaps, more particularly devoted to the interests of the printing community, its columns are so full of wit and humor, together with general news, that it cannot be stigmatised with the epithet of "shop," and would make a welcome addition to the other papers taken throughout the country. The whole of the matter is original, and one is not bored by re-reading old hackneyed articles, probably perused two or three times in other journals. The moderate price (only \$1.00 per annum), places it within the reach of all, and we shall be greatly surprised if any subscriber should discontinue his patronage after one year's experience thereof. The last number is unexceptionally entertaining; in fact, we can notice an improvement (if possible) in every issue. Go for it.