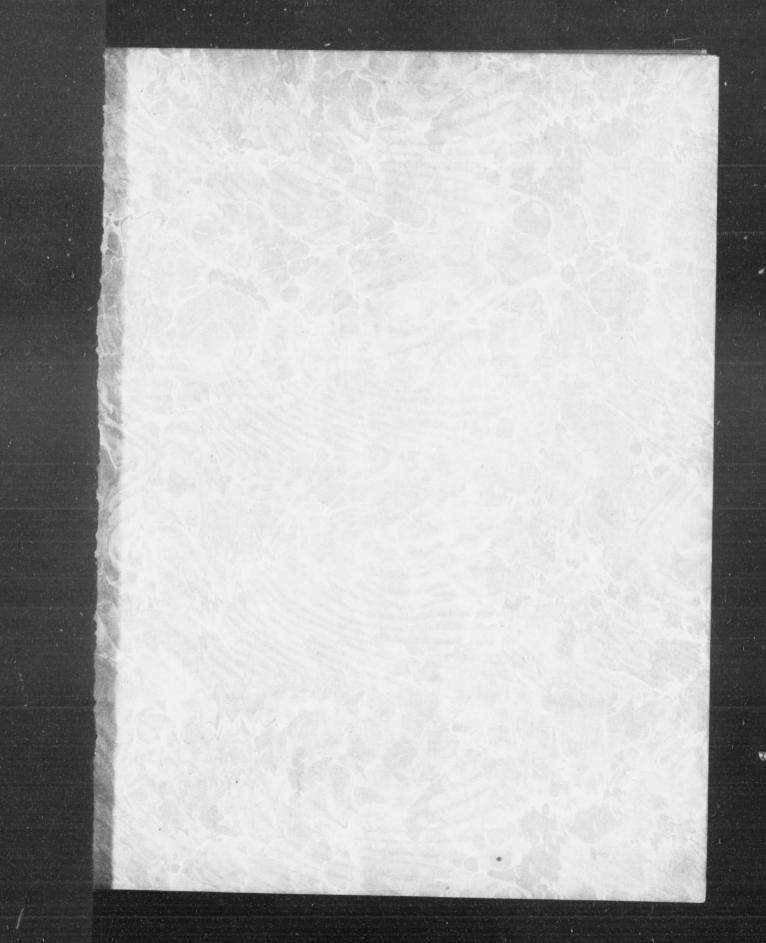


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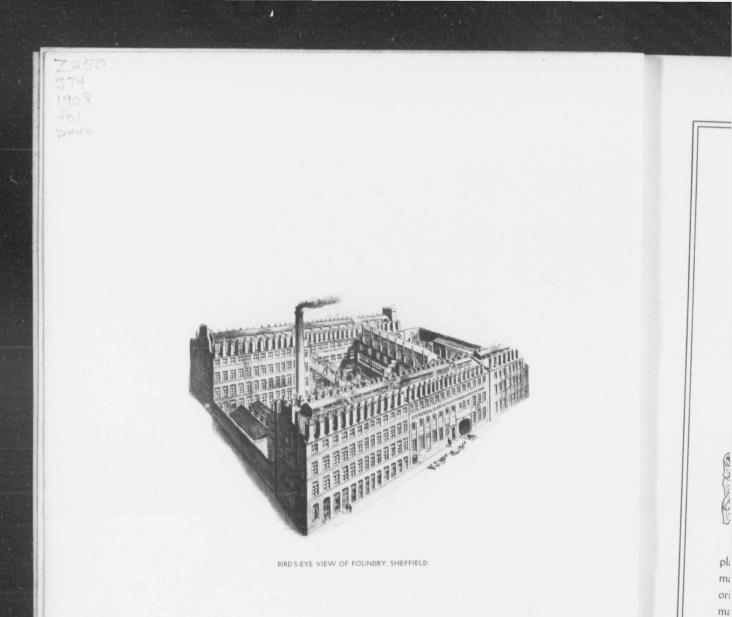
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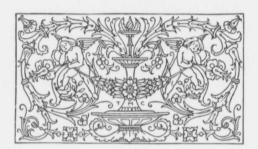


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E have pleasure in offering to the Printing Trade this new and revised Edition of our Specimen Book, and trust that in respect of matter and arrangement it will be considered far in advance of its forerunners, while equal, if not superior, to them in point of artistic merit.

The title of the book itself bears witness to the changes which have taken place in the system of typefounding during recent years, while its issue also marks an epoch in the histories of two foundries which, sprung from a common origin some century and a half ago, are now once more amalgamated under one management.

To the discriminating printer the most important feature of the book will undoubtedly be the evidence, now offered for the first time in a concrete form, that we can supply our complete collection of Body and Jobbing Types not only on American Point Bodies, but also on a uniform Lining System.

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Other useful features of this book which we believe will be welcomed, are its division into sections, and the provision of an index. Some page numbers are omitted at the end of each section to allow of the insertion, in their proper sequence, of future specimens, which will bear page numbers for this purpose. We trust our friends will make a note of this arrangement.

Although Specimens of Wood Letter are not included in this book, it may not be out of place to mention that we have pleasure in forwarding our Wood Letter Book on application, and that all orders for Wood Letter will receive our prompt and most careful attention.

We take the present opportunity of thanking those Printers, who in the past have been regular users of our Type, for their loyal support, and we desire to assure them, and the Printing Trade in general, of our determination in the future to leave nothing undone to maintain and, if possible, enhance the reputation which, we have reason to believe, our Type and Material at present enjoys for accuracy, finish and durability.

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THE AMERICAN POINT SYSTEM, BODY, LINE AND SET.

ALTHOUGH the American Point System is now generally understood and appreciated by British Printers, it cannot be said to have as yet secured such full adoption in this country as in America. Under these circumstances a few words in explanation of the system may not be out of place.

The American Point System (like the French Didot Point System) was, in the first instance, merely a systematic arrangement of type bodies, each body being a multiple of a common unit. The scope of the "system" has, however, since been extended so as to regulate both the position of type faces on their bodies as regards alignment, and also the thickness of types.

Point Body.—In 1886 the United States Type Founders' Association adopted the present American Point Standard, taking as their unit a pica measuring '166044 inch divided into twelve equal parts which were called points. The American point therefore measures '013837 inch. The above figures are given on the authority of the American Type Founders' Co.

Under the Point System each size of type is cast on a body measuring an exact number of these points. Leads, clumps, brass rules, metal furniture and all similar material, being made both as regards body and length to point measurements, are also in mathematical agreement with **all Point** bodies—not as under the cld dispensation merely with some one particular founder's **pica and multiples threeof!** The convenience of such an arrangement must be obvious to the most conservative printer. The gradation of point bodies and their relation to the old

bodies is shown in the following table :--

Table Showing Relation of Point to Old Bodies.

5	Point	Rather larger than Pearl.	
6		Same as S. B. & Co.'s Nonpareil.	
7		Shade smaller than Minion.	
8		Rather larger than Brevier.	
9		Rather larger than Bourgeois.	
10		Rather larger than Long Primer.	
11		Shade larger than Small Pica.	
12	44 101 101	Same as S. B. & Co.'s Pica.	
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Point Line.—This is a term signifying that the distance between the bottom edge of the printing surface or face of the type and the bottom edge of the type body (in other words "the beard") measures a definite number of points, varying according to the size of body.

All type faces of the same class on the **same size** of body have the **same amount** of beard—that is, are cast **to the same alignment**. and **line together accurately** as shown in these lines, without any haphazard justification such as was formerly necessary whenever Antiques or other display founts were required to line with Romans.

Moreover, under the Point Lining System all faces, irrespective of class or size of body, can, with a minimum expenditure of time and trouble, be made to line accurately together by the use of point leads, quads or clumps.

To suit different classes of letter, there are three descriptions of Point Line ---

 Point Common Line.—For ordinary founts consisting of both capitals and lowercase.

2. Point Title Line.—For founts of full-faced capitals.

3. **Point Script Line.**—For Script and similar faces which have long-tailed descending sorts.

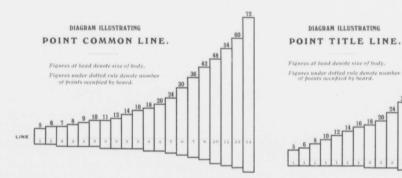
The diagrams appended below show the beards agreed upon by the British Type Founders' Association in 1903 for Point Common and Point Title Lines.

Point Set.—This is the application of the Point System to the thickness of types. Under its provisions every sort in a fount has a definite width of body, which width is a multiple of a given "unit."

This unit varies in magnitude according to size of body from 1 point to $\frac{1}{2}$ -point, or in special cases even $\frac{1}{2}$ -point. The units generally recognised are:—

For	12	Point and smaller bodies	1	point.
For	14	Point to 30 Point inclusive	1	point.
For	all	bodies larger than 30 Point	1	point.

A large number of the series shown in this book, including all recent productions, are cast to Point Set.





Subtract the beard of the smaller body from that of the larger : the result gives the number of points of spacing required at foot of smaller body. The remaining difference in body must be made up at head.

MISCELLANEOUS INFORMATION.

HOW A BODY FOUNT IS MADE UP.

A fount of body letter is made up in the following proportions, unless any other assortment is specially requested :----

Capitals 9 per cent.	Lowercase, Points and
Small Capitals 4	Leaders 56 per cent.
Figures 6 "	Spaces 15 "
	Quads 10

Rules, accents and fractions are not supplied, except in new complete founts, or when specially asked for. The weight varies according to size of type, the same proportions being used for all. Italic is only supplied when ordered.

When ordering additions and sorts, it will save much time and trouble if a pattern type of each fount required is sent with the order. A Cap \mathbf{H} and lowercase \mathbf{m} , as little used as possible, are the best to send.

TO ESTIMATE QUANTITY OF BODY LETTER REQUIRED.

To ascertain the quantity of body letter for a newspaper, magazine, book or other work, find the number of square inches in the matter to be set, and divide this by 4; the quotient will be approximately the weight of type required in Ibs., but as the cases can never be entirely set out, it is necessary to add an extra 25 per cent. to large founts, and 40 per cent. to small founts, to allow for unused type left in the cases.

NUMBER OF WORDS TO THE SQUARE INCH.

In calculating the number of pages a manuscript will occupy, the following figures may be used as representing the number of words to the square inch:—

18 Point, so	lid	7 1	10 Point, solid	21	7 Point, solid	38
14 Point, so	lid	11 1	10 Point, leaded	16	7 Point, leaded	27
12 Point, so	lid	14	9 Point, solid	28	6 Point, solid	47
12 Point, le	aded	11	9 Point, leaded	21	6 Point, leaded	34
11 Point, so	lid	17	8 Point, solid	32	5 Point, solid	69
11 Point, le	aded	14	8 Point, leaded	23	5 Point, leaded	50

"Leaded." as here used, means "whiting out" with 2-point leads.

QUANTITY OF TYPE REQUIRED TO FILL A CASE.

The following table shows how much type each box in the case will hold when filled:—

acdhimnorstuboxes, each hold	2 lb.	
b f g l p v w y boxes, each hold	12 oz.	
j k q x z and all figure boxes, each hold	6 oz.	
e box holds		
Cap. and small cap. boxes, each hold	5 oz.	
Comma box holds	12 oz.	
Full point and other point boxes, each hold		
A pair of cases holds about 501b. of type, a double case	201b. to	25

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NUMBER OF ENS IN 1 1b. OF TYPE.

Four square inches (2 in \times 2 in.) of solid type weighs approximately 11b. The number of ens contained in 11b. of the various bodies are:—

5 Point 1656 7 Point 846 9 Point 512 11 Point 342 6 Point 1152 8 Point 648 10 Point 414 12 Point 288		1.0.0		12 14 25 1	- E.N.S.	ENS.
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RETURN OF OLD TYPE.

Old type should be securely packed and plainly addressed (labels for this purpose will be sent if desired), and full advice sent to us when despatched, giving number of boxes and weight. Old types should not be mixed with old leads, clumps, furniture or brass, as these are all credited at different prices. For particulars of allowances, see Price List

particulars of allowances, see Price List. Type melted up, zinc plates, or metal containing zinc, will not be received at any price.

NUMBER OF LEADS TO THE POUND.

The following table indicates the approximate number of metal and brass leads to the pound of the several lengths and thicknesses given :—

	3-point	2-p	oint	1 <u>å</u> -p	oint	1-p	oint
LENGTH	Metal	Metal	Brass	Metal	Brass	Metal	Brass
3 ems	166	250	313	332	418	500	627
4 ems	125	187	235	250	313	374	470
5 ems	100	150	188	200	251	300	376
6 ems	83	125	156	166	209	250	313
7 ems	71	107	134	142	179	214	268
8 ems	61	94	117	122	156	187	235
9 ems	55	83	104	110	139	166	209
10 ems	50	75	94	100	125	150	188
11 ems	45	68	85	90	114	136	171
12 ems	42	62	78	84	104	125	156
13 ems	38	58	72	76	98	116	144
14 ems	35	53	69	70	89	107	134
15 ems	33	50	62	66	84	100	125
6 ems	31	47	58	62	78	94	117
7 ems	29	44	55	58	74	88	110
8 ems	28	42	52	56	69	83	104
9 ems	26	39	49	52	66	79	99
20 ems	25	37	47	50	62	75	94
21 ems	24	36	45	48	60	71	89
22 ems	23	34	43	46	57	68	85
23 ems	22	33	41	44	55	65	82
24 cms	21	31	39	42	52	62	78
25 ems	20	30	38	40	50	60	75
26 ems	19	29	36	38	48	58	72
27 ems	18	28	35	37	46	55	69
28 ems	18	27	34	35	-44	53	67
29 ems	17	26	32	34	43	52	65
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LINING OLD STYLE, No. 4.

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NOTWITHSTANDING the fact that this generation evinces so strong a liking for Old Style faces, this is purely a matter of fashion, and it must not be thought that the day of Modern romans and italics is past. There are indeed many persons of undoubted excellence of taste who distinctly prefer an elegant and well cut Modern letter to an Old Style. To such persons our Lining No. 17 Series here shown will irresistibly appeal as eminently suited for book, journalistic and commercial work, and it is now supplied in common with our other standard faces on the American Lining System, the types used in this specimen being cast on American Point Line.

THE TYPEFOUNDERS' RING.

MOST PRINTERS are familiar with the term The Ring, as applied to the Association of British Type Founders. It is popularly supposed that the Ring exists for the sole purpose of upholding prices. It would, however, be more correct to describe it as an association for the preservation of honesty and fair dealing among type founders. The chief difference between the Ring founder and an outside founder is not to be found in their respective price lists, but generally lies in the fact, that while the former offers for sale no face or design to the ownership of which he cannot show a clear title, the "Pirate Founder's" specimen book teems with type faces annexed without payment or acknowledgment from the books of their legitimate owners.

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THE ELECTROTYPE PROCESS.

A Question of Price.—It has frequently been said that "Experience must be paid for," but her teachings are made needlessly expensive by the want of forethought sometimes displayed by printers about to equip new offices. Specious offers of cheap type on improved principles are apt, on occasion, to deceive the most experienced printers; how much more tempting, then, must they not appear to the inexperienced beginner?

But although an odd fount of inferior quality in an old-established office is a matter of small moment, a complete outfit of similar inferiority is certain to severely handicap the beginner in his efforts, if not to foredoom his otherwise successful enterprise to failure. Prospective purchasers should therefore carefully investigate these tempting offers before closing with them, in order to ascertain whether the slightly lower prices asked are due to the superior philanthropy of the vendor, or to the lower quality of his wares.

THE DISCOVERY of the process of depositing metals upon any given surface by means of electricity has proved of great utility. With respect, however, to the type founder's art, this otherwise valuable application of electric force has not been an unmixed blessing, since it has placed in the hands of unscrupulous persons a ready means of counterfeiting, at trifling cost to themselves, the productions of founders who have, at very great expenditure of capital and labour, engraved the original steel punches. metal faces, or matrices, without which originals no type face can, in the first instance, be produced. As the types placed on the market are exact replicas, so far as face is concerned, of the original engravings, the "pirate" type founder has merely to procure, at usual type prices, small founts of the series he purposes to purloin, and by means of the electrotype process make therefrom copper or nickel matrices. From these he casts counterfeit types, of inferior finish and quality of metal, to be unblushingly offered to the public as his own original productions.

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IVE centuries have now passed since Caxton introduced "the noble mystery and craft" into this country, and during all those years writers and printers in England have been wishing for an authoritative Style Book. Mr. F. Howard Collins has filled the void of centuries. The "Author and Printer," however, is more than a mere style book. It is difficult to coin a title which aptly embraces all that the work contains. English words of difficult or doubtful spelling, words and phrases in foreign languages, contractions, principles of punctuation, notes on grammar, typographical rules, capitalisation-all are included in this remarkable "manual for authors, editors, printers, correctors of the press, compositors, and typists." The publication of this volume is an event of great importance, not only in the history of Printing, but also in that of Language and Literature. Mr. Howard Collins has spent several years in its production. Far from the madding crowd, in his quiet country retreat at Torquay, he has toiled at his task with a devotion worthy of the cause. The heavy burden has at last fallen from him-he has created what no other man has more than attempted.

Mr. F. Howard Collins was born at Edgbaston, Birmingham, in the year 1857. Schooldays, in the ordinary sense of the word, he hardly remembers, as his education was entrusted almost entirely to tutors. Organisation and systematising, it would seem, have always been marked traits of his character; and it is these qualities, combined with unflagging perseverance, that have enabled him to succeed where other men have failed. Until overtaken by a serious illness in 1899, Mr. Collins led a very active life, his holiday pursuits including even Alpine climbing and yachting. The science of navigation, indeed, appealed to him very strongly. Not only has he devised several useful instruments to aid navigation, but he has also written works on the tides of the coasts of Britain, while his analysis (on a new system) of yacht-racing is now an annual feature in the Field. Other journals that have had many contributions of his are Nature and The Times. In 1884 Mr. Howard Collins began his long and intimate acquaintance with the "Synthetic Philosophy" of Herbert Spencer, admiration for it leading him to compile indexes to each work; and with the knowledge thus gained commenced, with Mr. Spencer's approval, the "Epitome of the Synthetic Philosophy of Herbert Spencer." This work, which is now in its fifth English edition, embraces the whole of the Philosophy, as finally revised by Mr. Spencer before his death. An American edition has been printed, and it has also been translated into French, German, Russian, and Austro-Hungarian. All his works are well known and highly valued.

PLANING A FORME

Real RLY every reference to the operation of planing a forme emphasises the need to be "gentle": but rarely, if ever, do we encounter a remark about the differences existing in formes as regards planing. Perhaps the fear of being misunderstood deters instructors from suggesting that there are occasions when a little more power is required than the "gentle tapping" so often enjoined. To speak of planing a forme as an art will conjure up a smile in many quarters. The office wag may refort that it cannot be the "art preserva-tive," while the man whose frame is next the stone will express his appreciation in his own way. Nevertheless, planing a forme is an art, to which a little more consideration than is generally given will yield ample repayment. There is as great a difference in the requirements of various

formes as in the conduct of those who handle mallet and planer. A blow which, in one case, would break off all the kerned sorts A blow which, in one case, would break on all the kerned sorts or print fine rules on the face of the planer, would do no harm and be quite necessary on another forme; while a stroke which would be effective on an octavo circular would be utterly use-less in other circumstances. What is the use of teaching a youth to "gently tap the planer," if he sees a frequent exhibi-tion of qualities which might do credit to a village blacksmith? tion of qualities which might do credit to a village blacksmith? Example is far more potent than precept, but a youth may easily err in trying to follow example without some word of explanation. Hence these notes are addressed to the juniors. To prevent misunderstanding it may be emphasised that we do not advise that Indian clubs and dumb bells be discarded in favour of exercises with a mallet. The immediate object of this article is to make clear the folly of "laying on" in some instances and the necessity in others. A printing surface requires such a fine degree of accuracy that the units comprising a forme need to be forcibly reduced to a perfect level. Particles of dust and dirt and varieties of compression in a stick or on a galley conspire to raise some of the characters above the normal height, and the most satis-factory way to remedy this defect is to apply sufficient pressure to a place or seventher height most the forme. Care Tactory way to remeny this detect is to apply sufficient pressure to a planer or smoother laid upon the face of the forme. Care should be taken that the planer is quite true and clean. When the planer is frequently used on inked formes, and the ink allowed to dry, a sticky accumulation forms on the face, much to the detriment of small type. Unless the face of the planer is clean, true and reasonably hard, it cannot do the work for which is measured activity desired. which it was originally designed. VERNON POSSNETT.

-----IN CASE OF FIRE.

As the best reply to a correspondent who is anxious to know how he stands in the event of fire on his premises, we may re-quote from the information supplied by the Master Printers' Association :—

A printer is not liable for the loss or injury to his customers' good-arising from accidental fire during the period of his having custody of the goods, including the time during which they are in use for work

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Printing in Russia.

T a time when attention is constantly being directed to the land which bulks so large in the map of Europe, something concerning the conditions attendant on the exercise of the craft of printing amongst its people will be appropriate. An American contemporary states that from the moment a Russian subject petitions the Czar's Government, through the Minister of the Interior, for a concession to conduct either a printing or publishing business, he is subject to the most galling regulations, restrictions and surveillance that the Muscovite mind is capable of conceiving. A most searching enquiry is made by the secret police into the antecedents of the applicant, and if it is found that the slightest suspicion was ever entertained as to the loyalty of any member of the family, this fact is held to be sufficient reason for a peremptory refusal of the concession, even though the life record of the applicant may have been beyond reproach from an official standpoint. The policy of the Russian Government is restrictive in the extreme. Publicity and the dissemination of progressive ideas are most strictly tabooed, and as a precaution,

the Government exercises complete control over every printing office and typefoundry throughout the empire, and neither of these establishments can be opened without first securing very special authorisation, which each year is becoming more and more difficult to obtain.

The Minister of the Interior, next to the Czar the most powerful official in Russia, has absolute sway in the matter of granting petitions, and he may render his decision when he sees fit, and it is no uncommon occurrence for the petition to find a final resting place in an obscure pigeon hole, the applicant having to await this official's pleasure. An appeal would be worse than useless. Should the printer be so fortunate as to obtain the concession, the

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that accompany it and the resistive censorship that fetters his every action, and his helpless dependence upon a number of venal officials devoid of scruples of any kind, are sufficient to crush out much of the enterprise with which he may have originally been endowed.

MODERN DISPLAY.

REPUTATION for artistic printing of an advanced class is probably the most valuable asset that any printing firm can possess. It is only to be gained by truly consistent work-far above the ordinary. Many firms have laid themselves out for this particular branch of the trade with more or less success. The greatest difficulty to contend with lies in making the work pay.

In the production of high-class printing there can be no time limit, either for composition or machine. Time is a secondary consideration, the primary object being an excellent result; naturally this increases the estimate difficulty. Many printers complain that their clients will not pay a fair price for jobs of this description, therefore they cannot afford to experiment; they want good ordinary work-jobs that will pay.

But the printer who intends to specialise in art work should not be discouraged with this view, for customers are beginning to realise that good printing can go into any society. He must make his own trade. In order to do this it is necessary to produce in the smartest possible manner, according to his resources, some original up-todate ideas in the way of advertising; something that stands out amongst everyday ordinary stuff, and speaks for itself. When he has sufficient examples ready, post them to prospective customers, together with prices for various quantities. He cannot expect to drive home the

nail the first blow, but he can follow up the first despatch with a second example, and so on, until he hears from the recipient. Of course, all this means sinking a little capital, yet in the end may prove a profitable investment.

The latest demand on our craft is that of writing copy for customers. This was left in the hands of outsiders for some considerable time, but the modern printer has awakened to the fact that there is money in it. The man who has the ability to make type talk, should at least have a good idea of how to put together good forcible advertising matter.

R. WORTHINGTON.

Sheffield Typographia.

THE Sheffield Printing and Kindred Trades Technical Classes com-menced the new session by a lecture from Mr. A. W. Morris, entitled "Four Centuries' Progress in the Realmos of Typography," on Staurday, October 1st, 1904. This lecture is a counterpart of that already delivered by Mr. Morris so successfully in London and various other centres, and was much appreciated by the large attendance of members.

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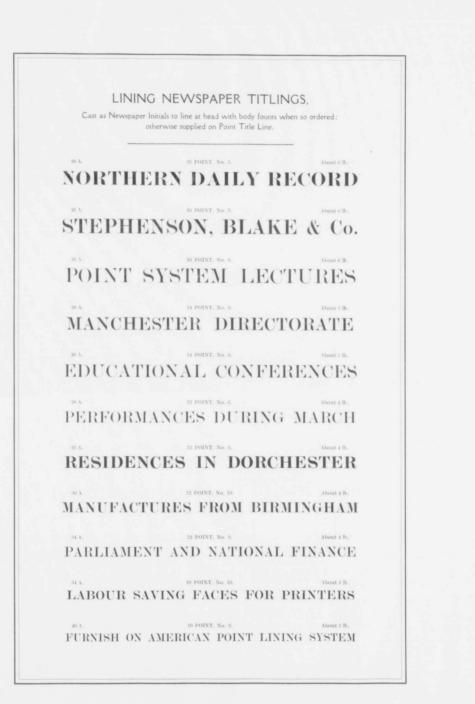
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OLD STYLE.

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STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co. have much pleasure in submitting this Specimen of Lining Hallamshire Old Style, which will appeal to the Printer as being suitable for either Book or Display Work. The character has been designed to meet the demand for quaintness, combined with bold and striking effect, so fashionable in present-day printing of every description.

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HISTORY OF HALLAMSHIRE.

Where is now collected a numerous and active population was anciently a deep solitude, the silence of which was broken only by the rivers pouring their waters in natural cascades through the woodland scenery, and by the cries of wild animals.

Who was the first to raise the axe amongst the forests of Hallamshire, or who first established himself and his family in one of its romantic valleys, it is in vain now to aftempt to recover. England boasts to have more and better early native historians than any other country of what may be called modern Europe; and yet we are seldom able to fix, with certainty, the era of the foundation of our cities and towns, much obscurity rests upon the ancient topographical divisions of our country, and even upon many important points of its general polity and history.

Direct historical evidence is wholly wanting: and if from a few existing remains of the ante-Norman period of our history, and by deduction from the view given of

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HINTS ON DISPLAY. How few compositors recognise the true scope of their art in the meaning of the word, which is the putting together of materials provided by type founders. They are not, and should not endeavour to be, engravers or

brass rule finishers. How few comprehend the value of relieving white space about lines of type or cuts. How many times has an elaborately constructed bit of decorative composition, on which the compositor had spent a day, been reset in simpler style to the customer's greater satisfaction in less than half the time. It is comforting to know that filed and twisted brass rules are now out of fashion, and supplanted by flat-faced rules that are cut to join accurately, and to be subdivided in panels of appropriate sizes.

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80 THOMAS CHIPPENDALE.

The earliest of the best-known men of the eighteenth century was Thomas Chippendale. How familiar the name sounds! In point of fact it has become quite a household word. Throughout the United Kingdom everyone with any pretensions to the remotest knowledge of furniture knows this famous master by repute. He is considered by those able to judge as the "King of Designers," in spite of the scathing criticism to the contrary against some of his styles, by his successor-the great Sheraton to witwho regarded his designs as obsolete. Time has, however, proved entirely different. Thomas Chippendale has been avenged since the Renaissance occurred in the latter half of the nineteenth century, and he stands out to-day second to none in his own particular style, to which he gave his name. The record prices obtained for his finest productions at the present day are a striking proof of this.

Chippendale, the date of whose birth is unknown, was of a Worcestershire family, and his father came to London at the beginning of the eighteenth century. He describes himself in 1752 as a cabinet maker and upholsterer, of St. Martin's Lane (in those days an aristocratic quarter of London); and it is worthy of note that No. 60 of this well-known thoroughfare, where the quaintly carved stone doorway existed until quite recently, formed the entrance to his premises, consisting of his dwelling-house, shop, workshops and timber yard. Here Chippendale and his



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INTRODUCTORY CHAPTER.

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it was when Ulric Zel indited that memorable narrative to the Cologne Chronicle in 1499. Indeed, the dust

Hartley Coleridge.

XLVII.

NOT IN VAIN.

Let me not deem fhat I was made in vain. Or that my being was an accident Which Fate, in working its sublime intent, Not wished to be, to hinder would not deign. Each drop uncounted in a storm of rain Hath its own mission, and is duly sent To its own leaf or blade, not idly spent Mid myriad dimples on the shipless main. The very shadow of an insect's wing. For which the violet cared not while it stayed Yet felt the lighter for its vanishing. Proved that the sun was shining by its shade. Then can a drop of the eternal apring. Shadow of living lights, in vain be made ?

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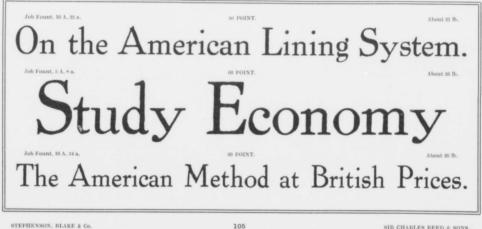
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THE USES OF THE BOOKLET SERIES.

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HOLIDAY RESORTS.

JERSEY is probably the most important of the Channel Islands, and visitors might spend at least a month there without exhausting its many points of interest. The climate is equal to any in Europe, whilst its record of sunshine is unsurpassed anywhere in the British Isles. As he approaches St. Helier's, the attention of the visitor cannot fail to be attracted by that very interesting pile of masonry, Elizabeth Castle, which was erected by Sir Walter Raleigh upon a shoal of rocks to protect the entrance to the port-but which now can only be regarded as useful for garrison purposes. Another equally prominent object, Mount Orgueil Castle, stands out very conspicuously near Gorey, situated on the eastern side of the island—though, like Elizabeth Castle, it is no longer looked upon as There are several first-class a fortification. hotels, boarding houses and lodgings, and there is plenty of amusement thoughout the summer months. Passengers who prefer to go first to either Guernsey or Jersey may do so if they wish, but in fine weather it is considered more convenient to continue the outward journey to St. Helier's, so as to arrive in time for dinner. Throughout the summer excursions are made almost daily to Alderney, Sark and Herm. Sark has the

reputation of having once been the abode of pirates. GUERNSEY is 198 miles from Waterloo, 119 miles from

Southampton. 30 miles north-west of Jersey, and is the first of the Channel Islands reached when sailing from England. Never excessively hot in summer nor severely cold in winter, the elimate is so healthy that many English families have made their *permanent place of residence* in Guernsey, and they are as enthusiastic in praising its advantages as are the great number of tourists who flock to its shores regularly each summer. St. Peter Port, he principal town of the island, has provided three separate bathing places which have no equal on the British coast

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3	Selection Lohengrin
4	Two Hungarian Dances Brahms
5	Moreeau Mignon Salut d'Amour
б	Selection
7	Two Songs without Words Mendelssohn
8	Ballet Music - Faust - Gounod
9	Duet . Lo! Here the gentle Lark Bishop
10	Nocturne
11	Three Dances . Henry VIII . German Morris Dance Shepherds' Dance Torch Dance
12	Reminiscences of all Nations arranged by Godfrey
	Intermezzo Cavalleria Rusticana . Mascagni
	Selection . Patience
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HENCE it cometh to this, SANCHO, replied his master, it is highly needful for a knight errant to wander about seeking adventures; that by achieving some he might acquire such fame and renown, that, when he comes

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READINGS FROM MICHAEL.

WHENCE it comes to this. Sancho, said his master, it is highly needful for a knight errant to go about in search of adventures: that by achieving some he might acquire such fame and renown, so that, when he comes to the court of some great monarch, he shall be known by his works beforehand; and scarcely shall the boys see him enter the gates of the city, but they shall all follow and surround him, crying aloud, This is the knight of the sun, or of the serpent, or any other device, under which he might have achieved brilliant exploits. This is he, will they one and all say, who overthrew the huge giant Broccabruno of the mighty force in single combat; he who disenchanted the great Mameluco of Persia from that long enchantment, which had held him confined for nearly nine hundred years. Thus from hand to hand they shall go forth blazoning his deeds; and presently at the bustle of the boys, and of the rest of

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WHENCE it comes to this, Sancho, replied his master, it is highly needful for a knight errant to go about seeking adventures; that by achieving some he may acquire such fame and renown, that, when he comes to the court of some great monarch, he shall be known by his works beforehand; and scarcely shall the boys see him enter the gates of the city, but they shall all follow and surround him, crying aloud, this is the knight of the sun, or of the serpent, or any other device, under which he might have achieved great exploits. This is he, will they all say, who easily overthrew the huge giant Broccabruno of the mighty force, in single combat; he enchanted

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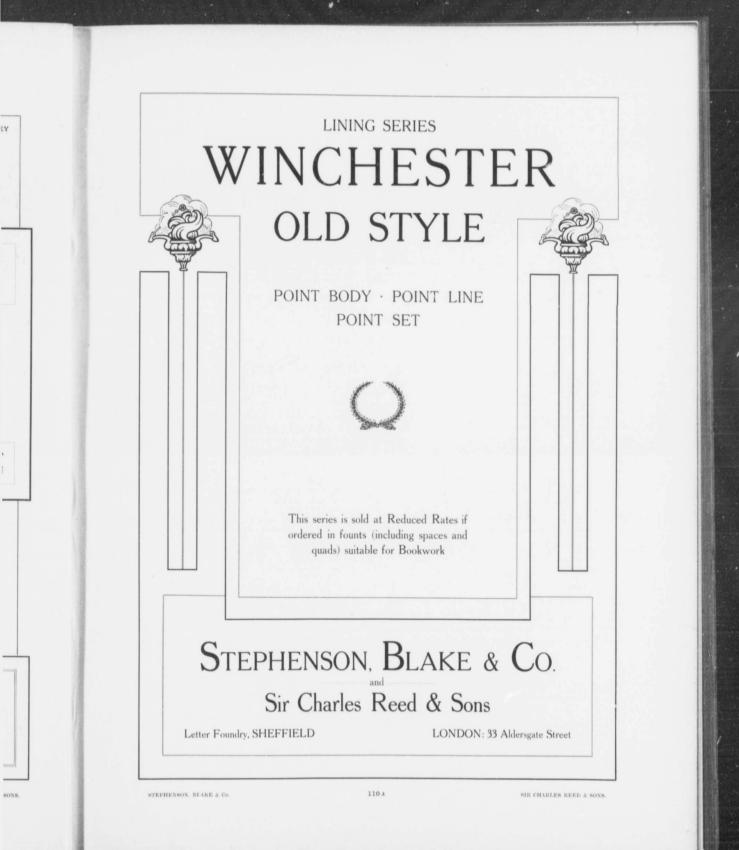
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Practical Examples of Lining Winchester Old Style in Bookwork form.

ECCENTRICITY IN COMPOSITION.

PERHAPS it is only the expression of revolt against orthodoxy which shows itself in the eccentric arrangements of lines of type. Types are made square to be used square, but there is a spirit abroad which is ever prompting us to use material in a different way. When compositors have learnt the lesson that this sort of thing may be a great consumer of time, the day is not far distant when they will meekly return to things orthodox. Then the daily time-note ceases to haunt, and resumes its place amongst the nebulæ

MEMORY AND SUCCESS.

In the pressure and strain of modern life, success becomes every day a matter more difficult of attainment, for in the pursuit of success, various factors play a part, among the more prominent being trustworthiness, industry, and a readiness of resource. But, important as are these qualifications, there is one which is even far more indispensable, and that is a thoroughly good memory. It is probably safe to assert that no man ever has, or ever will, attain success on his own merits unless he possesses a decidedly sound memory. And yet, strange as it may seem, although memory is of the first necessity in striving for success, few faculties are more inexcusably neglected in cultivation. This circumstance no doubt arises from the prevalent, though entirely erroneous, impression that a man's memory is a quantity definitely fixed by nature and incapable of improved

THE CORNISH RIVIERA IN WINTER

Three quarters of a century and more have passed since this rare and curious little volume made its appearance, but the struggle for supremacy between foreign and home health and pleasure resorts still continues, and it is only continues, and it is only continues. tively recently that the dwellers in London, the Midlands, and further afield, have, to any appreciable extent, realised the fact that the blessings of warmth, sunshine, and a mild climate may be enjoyed during the winter months without crossing either the Channel or the Continent, or incurring toil and expense of a sojourn in Egypt, a visit to Algiers, or even a trip to Nice or San Remo. It is obviously in the best interests of the British householder and taxpayer that the favourable climatic conditions of Cornwall between September and April should be made as widely known as ssible. To this end reliable statistics on the subject of the winter climate of Cornwall have been added to a brief account of the prominent features of this old world county. which have rendered it an object of supreme interest both to English and foreign travellers from time immemorial. The once prevalent idea that Cornwall was to be visited only in summer or autumn is fast disappearing. I Englishmen, and also English women, at the commencement of the twentieth century, have realised the truth of what had been boldly asserted at the beginning of the nineteenth, but the dangers and difficulties of that far-off epoch have long since vanished. A pleasant journey of eight hours only divides London from Penzance, and carefully organised services of motors bring different points of interest within easy reach.

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SIMPLICITY OF TREATMENT IN DISPLAY.

NDOUBTEDLY a great deal of truth lies in the remark that no royal road leads to the attainment of a thorough knowledge of the art of job display work. Comparatively few workmen reach even a moderate degree of efficiency in this branch of the composing department, for the simple reason that very few indeed will devote the amount of thought and study, outside the ordinary office routine, which is necessary to the subject, if success is to be secured. If At the present time it is generally recognised that every job or advertisement of importance should first of all be designed; in other words, that a rough, more or less perfect, sketch should be made of the wording, which sketch is to act as a guide to the compositor for the arrangement and whiting-out of the job.

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PROFITABLE INVESTMENT IN SUPPLIES.

Just as the successful investment in type, paper and ink is by means the selection of the cheapest, but rather the power to choose the one quality which is the most economical and at the same time fulfils its required purpose, so it is in dealing with blocks, when the prices for the same class of work may vary as much as 50 per cent. There is bound to be a difference in the quality somewhere, for the increase, although it may partly but cannot altogether represent more profit, high rent and poor organization, must mean that the expenses of production have somehow been reduced by means of much cheaper matrial and labour, and a lack of that thoroghness which, for hest work, is most essential. The pence saved on a cheap block frequently changed by the quality is induced. It is a false and expensive policy to let price be too big a factor in the purchase of blocks. Of course, huy as cheaply as you can, but first see that the quality is right. If These points should be left with the man who is in touch with the actual printing, but seeing that usually this is not so, it behaves everyone who has the ordering of blocks to put himself in that position as far as possible, and to ascretain carefully will be kept of sereetyping or electrotyping. The wood mounts are the most common cause of difficulties in the machine room, for if they are of new, soft wood, they perceptibly yield in due time to the constant pressure of the platen or cylinder, thus defauity the object of the overlay. If stored for any little time the wood out of turk, but the mat and and one. The best timely for outs, is a hard and close-grained wood, such as mahogany or oak; neither of varnish to the base is a further protection. A warped block is such a time-waster that a number of special mounting woods have been introduced to take the gaae of the ordinary timber. The best timely discussed to the date wood which consists of several sheets of mood heing guide together with the game is a such and block word beready in the printed wood, which consists of s

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HOLIDAY TOURS ABROAD.

For many years the Swiss tours have been a dominant feature of the Polytechnic programme, and certainly they can offer unique facilities, for they possess a beautifully wooded estate of over seventy acres on the shores of Lake Lucerne, on which have been erected some very fine buildings. The estate is most conveniently situated a little over a mile from the town of Lucerne, and accommodation is provided for six days, and a return ticket from London for the charge of five guineas. The travellers also have the advantage of the Polytechnic special train, which obviates the tiresome changing of carriages and Customs formalities at Basle. The week can be profitably occupied in carrying out a unique series of excursions, including the ascents of the Rigi and Pilatus, and the trip on the wonderful Gotthard railway, besides a visit to the interesting sights of Old Lucerne. The extra charge for this series is extremely moderate. ¶ A well-arranged tour to Paris has also proved very popular, facilities for everything in the way of sightseeing, under the superintendence of experienced conductors,

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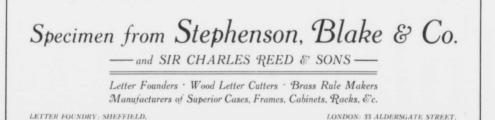
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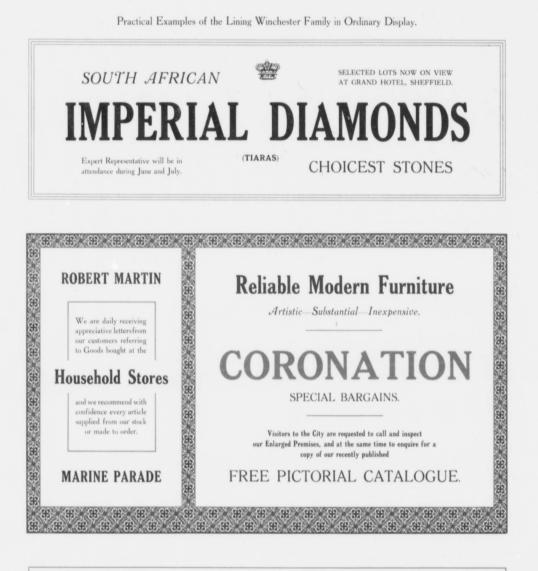


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NYONE who considers the history of Westminster will observe with some surprise that he is reading about a city which has no citizens. In this respect Westminster is alone amongst cities and towns of the English speaking race : she has had no citizens. Residents she has had—

tenants, lodgers, subjects, sojourners within her boundaries—but no citizens. The sister city within sight, and almost within hearing, can show an unequalled roll of civic worthies, animated from the beginning by an unparalleled tenacity of purpose, clearly seeing and understanding

what they w and why, an could obtain their desires.



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To write about Westminster and not to speak of Caxton would be well nigh impossible. As well write upon America and forget Columbus. Even at the risk of doing again what has already been done by the antiquary or by the historian. even though one may have found little to add to the investigations and discoveries of those who have gone before, we must still speak of Caxton, because through his agency was effected the change — that of printing for manuscript—which has proved the most momentous, the most far-reaching, the most fruitful of all the changes and inventions of modern days. The Reformation threw open the door for freedom of thought; the Renaissance restored

to the world the literature and philosophy of the past. Printing scattered broadcast the means of acquiring knowledge. The humble beginnings of this revolution, the life and achievements of the man by whose hands it was effected in this country, are not so widely known that they may be assumed as common knowledge. Let us ask, for instance, who was Caxton?

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THE Houses of Parliament, their constitution, their history, their buildings, all belong to the history of the Empire. They happen to stand in the City of Westminster, but their history does not form part of the City History. The House of Commons has been called to Westminster almost without interruption for about six hundred years. It sat for three hundred years in the Chapter House of the Abbey: then for three hundred years more in the Chapel of St. Stephen: when that was burned down, the site was preserved and set apart f

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HEN I am in a serious humour I very often walk by myself in Westminster Abbey, when the gloominess of the place, and the uses to which it is applied, together with the solemnity of the building and the con-

ditions of the people who lie in it, are apt to fill the mind with a kind of melancholy or rather thoughtfulness that is not disagreeable. When I look upon the tombs of the great, every emotion of envy dies within me: when I read the epitaphs of the beautiful, every inordinate desire goes out : when I meet with

rdinate desire goes out : when I meet with The beginning of the City and Abbey of Westminster is an oft-told tale, but tale never ruly and properly told. Antioparise, or raher historians who have to depend on antiquaries, are apt to follow each other blindly. Thus, we are informed by everyone who has treated of this beginning, that the place upon which the Abbey stands was selected originally as a fitting place for a monastic foundation, because of its selection, sitence and remounders of the first Abbey, and adopted by abby and the earlier writers upon this subject. The idea in their minds was of a place deliberately chosen by the founders of the first Abbey, and adopted by Edward the Confestor, as a wild, deserted, secluded place, difficult of access, remote from the ways of men, where in silence and peace the holy men might work and mediate. Let us examine into this assumption; the result, we venture to think, will upset many chrished opinions. In the examination of ancient sites there are five principal things to accertain before any conclusion is attemptedthat is to say before we attempt to restore the place as it was, or to identify it.

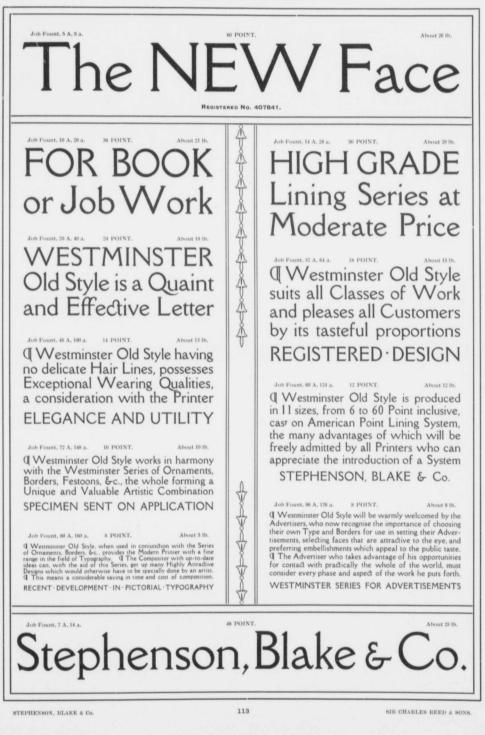
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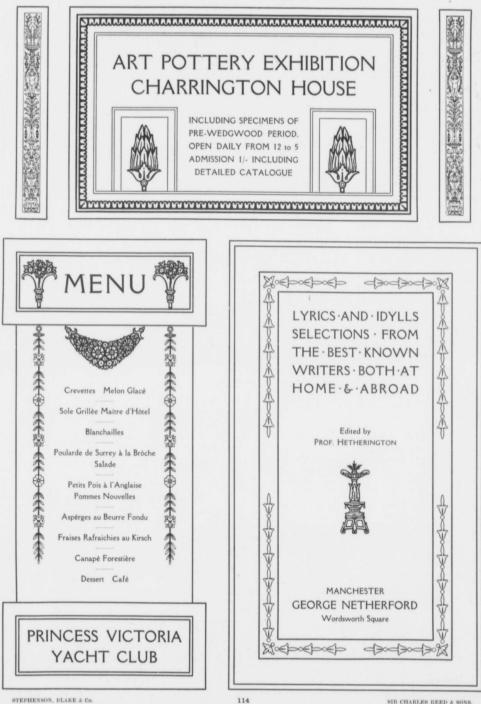
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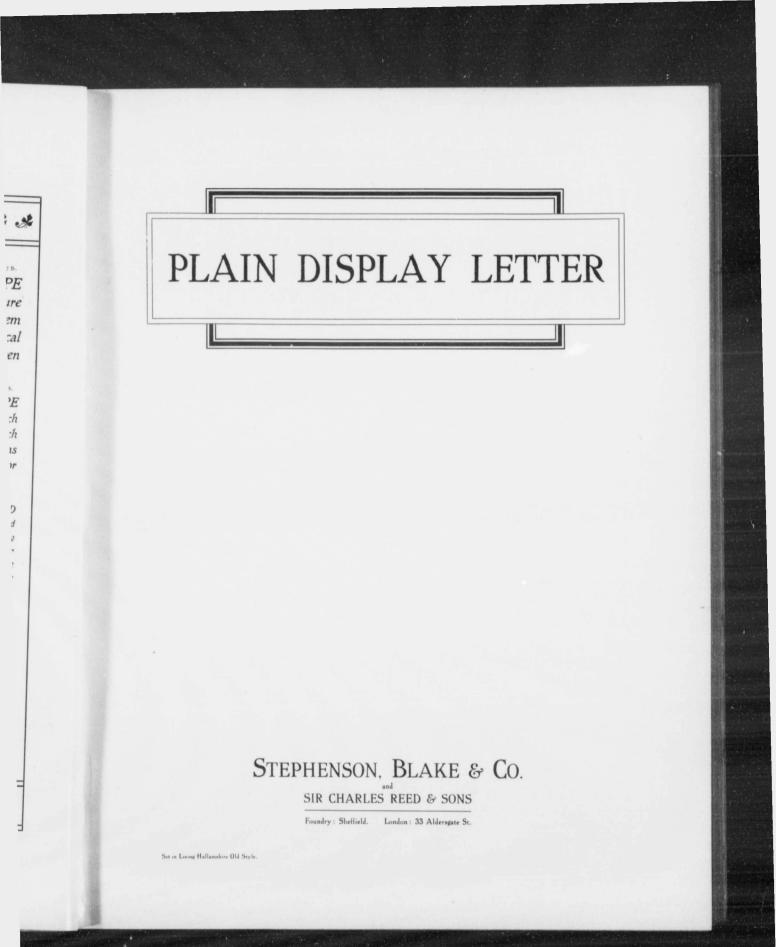
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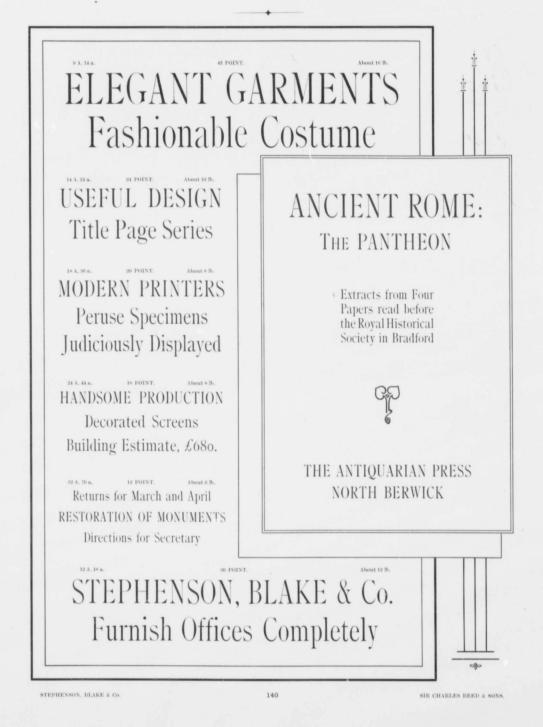
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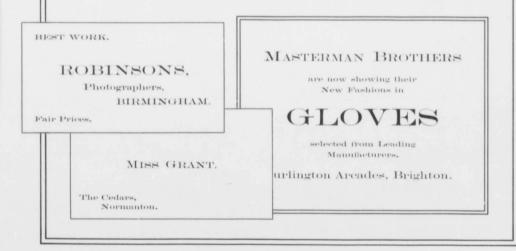
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56 A. 114 a.

68 A, 150 a.

24 A. 54 a

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

The WINDSOR Series is of very important interest to the Printer who does work for Advertisers, that increasing class of modern business men who value new and STRIKING TYPE FACES

10 POINT

The WINDSOR Series is supplied at prices which put it within the reach of small as well as large printers. In this respect it compares favourably with certain other series of British and American origin. £123 WINDSOR CAPITALS FOR HEADINGS

8 POINT.

70 A, 150 a. 6 POINT. About 5 lb. WINDSOR SERIES IN GREATER BRITAIN.

AUSTRALIA.—Alex. Cowan & Sons, Ltd., Melbourne and Sydney: Webster & Co. Ltd., Brisbane. NEW ZEALAND.—Whitcombe & Tombs, Ltd., Wellington, Christchurch and Dunedin. INDIA.—Oakes & Co. Ltd., Madras.

SOUTH AFRICA.—Charles H. Lamb, Capetown. CANADA.—British Type Founders' Agency, Limited, 70 Pearl Street, Toronto.



14 POINT.

The WINDSOR Series is now strengthened by the introduction of this size, which fills a gap in gradation, and which will be found of the utmost utility FOUNTS NOW READY



SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

TWENTIETH CENTURY PRODUCTION Printers admire the distinguished appearance of the Windsor Family, now obtainable in Solid, Outline, Condensed, and Elongated

147

18 POINT

LINING WINDSOR OUTLINE. (Read, No. 427900.)



HARMONISE Two Colours

CHOICE DESIGN Pleasing Result

SUPERIOR PRINTING Prominence Ensured

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & C

LINING WINDSOR OUTLINE. (Regd. No. 427900.)

LINING WINDSOR FAMILY Solid-Outlime,-Condensed-Elongated

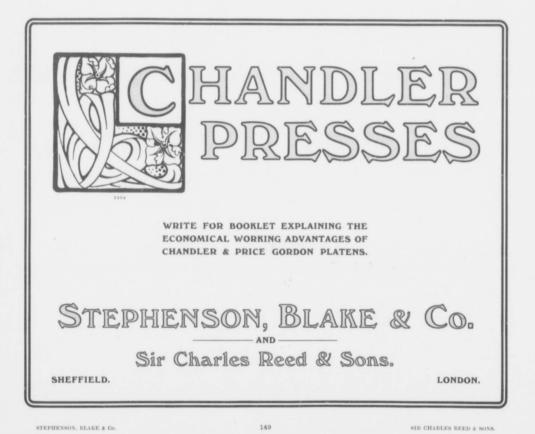
THIS WINDSOR Outline is cast to fit Windsor Solid

24 POINT.

About 12 lb.

10 A 20 a

ISA. 25 A. DIS POINT. About 10 B. PRINTERS HAVING Windsor Solid should now order the Outline for Two Colour Work



LINING WINDSOR CONDENSED. Registered No. 453879.

BODY & JOB TYPE Old and New Series

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & CO.

THE phenomenal popularity achieved by our Series of Lining Windsor has created an irresistible demand for a Condensed Letter in the same style, and we have very much pleasure in submitting this companion series of LINING WINDSOR CONDENSED, which is complete in twelve sizes, ranging from 6 to 72 Point.

SHOULD BE IN EVERY PRINTING OFFICE.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co

WINDSOR CONDENSED IN GREATER BRITAIN.

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SOUTH AFRICA. C. H. Lamb, P.O. Box 382, Capetow

ANADA. . . .

British Type Founders' Agency, Ltd., 70 Pearl Street, Toronto.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

FOUNDERS, Sheffield and London.

Supplied on American POINT LINING SYSTEM

LINING WINDSOR CONDENSED.

Registered No. 453879.

36 POINT.

STEPHENSON

Blake & Co. can

SUPPLY ALL FOUNTS

On American Point Line

BEGINNERS SHOULD NOTE that we now supply Complete Printing Outfits in the latest American Style, including all Body and Jobbing Founts on a Uniform Lining System.

BEGINNERS SHOULD NOTE THIS FACT that we regularly supply Complete Printing Outfits in the Latest American Style, including Chandler & Price Platen Machines, Hamilton Cases, Cabinets, &c., and Body and Jobbing Founts cast on a Uniform Lining System, enabling them to be used together in any combination without fudging.

8 POINT.

About 81 lb

100 A, 200 a.

FURNISH ON UP-TO-DATE METHODS

36 A. 74 B.

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BEGINNERS SHOULD NOTE THE fact that Outfits include not only Lining Body and Jobbing Founts, but also American Pattern Labour Saving Machinery and Office Fittings, on view in London at

10 POINT.

About 10 lb.

72 A, 150 a.

33 ALDERSGATE STREET, E.C.

110 A, 220 a. 6 POINT. About 5 Bb BEGINNERS SHOULD NOTE THE FACT THAT WE supply everything for the Progressive Printer, and that our Complete Outfits embody the latest American improvements and labour-assumid devices. Both time and money are saved by the use of our Point Lining Type in conjunction with Hamilton Polished Weod Cabinets, which economics space and labour while embellishing an office, and Chandler & Price Gorden Platen Machines, the best of their class.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

THE UP-TO-DATE PRINTER desiring Latest Improvements should write for Sample Types

SO POINT.

LABOUR SAVING

Point Line System

18 POINT.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

About 16 lb.

LINING WINDSOR ELONGATED. Registered No. 479817.

PRINTED SPECIMENS Windsor Elongated

RECOGNISED RESOURCES Stephenson, Blake & Co.

MODERN REGISTERED DESIGNS Economic American Methods

GUARANTEED OF BRITISH MANUFACTURE Stocks held in Sheffield and London

IR CHARLES REED & SON

TEPHENSON BLAKE & Co

LINING WINDSOR ELONGATED. Registered No. 479817.

PLEASING RESULTS OBTAINED WITH LINING WINDSOR FAMILY Quartette of Popular Series for Modern Artistic Printing

24 POINT

HANDSOME TWENTIETH CENTURY PRODUCTIONS Material and Workmanship of Highest Quality

44 A, 90 a

44 A, 90 a.

About 8 fb

30 POINT.

LINING WINDSOR ELONGATED MUST appeal to Printers as a useful member of the highly popular Windsor Family

24 A. 50 a.

32 A. 64 a.

About 7 lb. LINING WINDSOR ELONGATED IS CAST POINT Body, Line and Set, working in harmony with the other three members of the Windsor Family WINDSOR ELONGATED COMPLETES THE FAVOURITE Lining Windsor Family, and Printers will appreciate the convenience of having such a popular character in various widths, all cast on American Point Line. £1234567890.

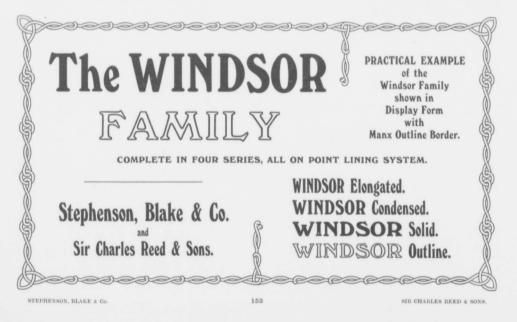
About 11 lb.

About 6 lb

About 5 fb.

LINING WINDSOR ELONGATED IS THE LATEST MEMBER OF the Windsor Family, and Printers will appreciate the convenience of having so popular a character in various widths, especially as all the four series are cast on the American Point Lining System

10 POINT.





COMPOSITION rendered easy

48 POINT

Series

De Vinne

ROMA

49 A. 100 A. 12 POINT. About 12 B. UNDIMINISHED POPULARITY OF DE VINNE SERIES EFFECTIVE AND DURABLE

5 A, 10 a.

64 A. 134 A. 10 POINT. About 10 B. THE POINT LINING SYSTEM AFFORDS ECONOMICAL AND LABOUR SAVING ADVANTAGES

About 23 lb.

CRESCENT

I looked upon his Of guilt or fear He stood as prou As even o'er des

There was a que A spirit that co The deadliest for And dared it for

> Printing Offices Furnished by Modern Methods Stephenson, Blake & Co.

N WARFARE. —but not to claim earth-born treasure, ild a vaunting name, in tents of pleasure.

> at the way is smooth, the thorns are roses; wishful eye of youth unny beam reposes; sterner work to do, hy passage through: gulfs are burning here is no returning.

The Manipulation of Types and Borders is a pleasure when cast on the American Point Lining System

THE AMERICAN Lining System

LINING DE VINNE.

COMPLETE PRINTING OFFICES Equipped on Latest Methods

PRINTERS' FURNISHERS Stephenson, Blake & Co.

THE MAGNIFICENT PROMENADES Roman Buildings suggestive of Architectural Grandeur

EXHIBITION OF WATER COLOUR PAINTINGS Subscribers Tickets Free on Application Splendid Representations of several Old Masters

AMERICAN POINT LINE IS THE SYSTEM FOR PRINTERS Types and Borders are Justified Rapidly and Easily Labour Saving, Economical and Accurate

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72 A, 150 a.

14 POINT

PEA, 100 a. S POINT. About 8 lb. COMPLETE PRINTING OFFICES FURNISHED ON LATEST AND APPROVED METHODS

Highest quality type, cast on the American point lining system by Stephenson, Blake & Co., who are agents for the world renowned Hamilton Manufacturing Company's space-saving cabinets, cases and material; also for the Chandler & Price Company's Gordon platens and cutters, all of which are on view at their London Showrooms, 33 Aldersgate Street CONVINCING ARGUMENT WHY EVERY PRINTER SHOULD FAVOUR THE DE VINNE SERIES CAST ON THE AMERICAN POINT LINING SYSTEM

The De Vinne Series prints clearly, wears well, and makes exceptionally sharp, durable electros. Advertisers who prefer the Old Style character, will find in this Series an exceedingly useful variation, and the reading public will be impressively attracted by advertisements when set in this characteristic letter, while the still increasing demand has now established it as a permanent type fashion. An examination of the printed matter produced by printers of all classes will be sufficient evidence of the foregoing

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

About 15 lb

About 5 fb.



CONDENSED TYPES for Effective Display

40 A, 82 a.

80 A, 156 a.

156

88 A, 186 a.



POINT SYSTEM Type or Borders

COMPLETE PRINTING Offices furnished on the most approved methods

PRINTERS SHOULD NOT HESITATE TO adopt the American Point Lining System in its entirety. They will be amply repaid

18 POINT.

THE PRIME OBJECT OF ALL PRINTED MATTER IS TO attract attention. How to secure this and thereby add to its value is the study of progressive printers who strive to meet the demands for the best in modern typography

10 POINT

IF YOU ADOPT THE AMERICAN POINT SYSTEM ENTIRELY THROUGHOUT YOUR COMPOSING Department, including all Types, Borders, Rules, Leads, Clumps and Justifying Material, you will soon recoup yourself for the extra expense, as the Lining System is a great saver of time and labour, besides being absolutely accurate, thus proving more profitable and economical than the Old System which has no particular standard wherewith to recommend liself to the compositor to work upon

6 POINT.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

About 17 lb.

About 5 th



POINT LINING SERIES De Vinne Condensed

You Recognise

There is a difference between book and news paper, and between book and news ink,

and you have to pay much more for the former than for

the latter. Ink and paper are

THERE IS A

between best and worst type. Type is constantly in use, and if you can effect any saving of labour with it, the best kind is worth many times the

Highest Quality Type, cast

to the correct American Point Line Standard, labour saving

and durable, is supplied by

STEPHENSON.

BLAKE & Co. Sheffield and London.

CONFER WITH US if you are about

to re-organise your Office, or if you are about to start a new Printing

Establishment. We shall be pleased

to place ourselves at your disposal.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

used but once.

worst.

FINE RESULTS may be obtained by using this 12

MONEY EASILY SAVED and composing a pleasure by using Type cast on the American Lining System

24 POINT.

HIGH-CLASS ADVERTISING IS CONCEDED to be, without a doubt, the keynote to success in the majority of commercial undertakings, and Stephenson, Blake & Co.'s Type will be found of material assistance in obtaining that effect which will catch the eye of the reader

PRINTERS SHOULD EMBRACE THE OPPORTUNITY AND make a bid for Art Work. Those who are eager to keep pace with the times, are invited to call at the London Warehouse of Stephenson, Blake & Co., 33 Aldersgate Street, E.C., and inspect the Chandler & Price Co.'s Gordon Platen Machines by various makers always on view. If too busy to call, full particulars will be forwarded on receipt of your trade card

S POINT.



64 A, 130 a

100 A, 200 a.

157

About 12 lb

About 8 lb

LINING DE VINNE ITALIC.

ROMAN Herdsman

About 11 lb.

About 10 lb.

About 5 fb.

36 A 74 B

PURSUING Exceptional

CONSIDERATION Established nearly fourteen years ago

HISTORICAL EVENTS Invention of Electricity Spanish=American War American Point Lining

21 A. 30 A. 12 POINT. About 6 B. EFFECTIVENESS SECURED BY using this popular Series. Cast on the American Point Lining System throughout, all bodies line together by justifying them with Point Lead

PRICES BASED ON GUESSED FIGURES The check for uncertain estimating is to keep records of every item of expense that enters into the work of all departments and comparing them with the estimates when job is finished, thus showing profit and loss at a glance 1234

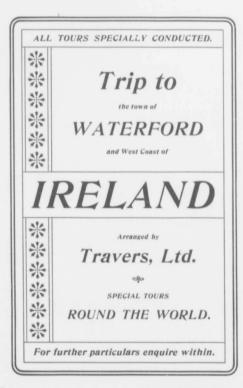
10 POINT.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

82 A, 64 a.

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SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.



44 A, 06 A. 6 POINT. About a b. 1TALIC CHARACTERS, WHICH ARE USUALLY CONSIDERED accessories of the Roman, have an origin quite independent of that letter, and are thought to be an imitation of the writing of Petrarch, being used by Aldus Manutius for the printing of most beautiful classics. Aldus produced six different sizes between 1801-1588 STEPHENSON, BLAKE & CO., LETTER FOUNDERS

PROGRESS OF PRINTING FROM MOVABLE TYPE There is, perhaps, no craft which has shown more interesting phases of development during the present

there would be unparalleled progress in the near future

Foundry: Sheffield London Offices: 33 Aldersgate Street, E.C.

decade than the printing business, and there has been a feeling that in some of its important sub-divisions

About 4 lb

LINING LATIN ELONGATED.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co. American Point System

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PRESENTMENTS Encumbrances

NORTHUMBERLAND £1234567890 Masonic Remains

NATIONAL MANUSCRIPT Benedictine Memorial

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Cr

24 POINT. DESCRIPTIVE CALENDAR Historical Literature **Developments** of Science 18 POINT. BOURNEMOUTH AND DORCHESTER **Democratic Representative** Preliminary Financial Statement 50 A 70 a 12 POINT. REPERTORY OF MATHEMATICAL TREATISES Astronomy Notes published 1796 Anecdotes of Famous German Composers 10 POINT. About 5 lb 60 A, 74 a. BENEFIT BUILDING SOCIETIES IN MANCHESTER **Reminiscences of Eminent Contributors** Descriptive Catalogue of Household Furniture 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90 90

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

LINING BOLD LATIN CONDENSED.

DIRECTORIES DIRECTORIES Merchandise

MORNING CONCERTS Debenture Holders Committee of Enquiry

NATIONAL CREMATORIUM Afternoon Performance Valuable Freehold Property

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & C.

LINING BOLD LATIN CONDENSED.

THE CHARACTER OF NAPOLEON BONAPARTE Wrapped in the solitude of his own originality, he possessed that bold, independent and decisive mind

SWANSEA HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY The Exhibition Committee announce two **Competitions open to Amateur Gardeners**

ELECTION ADDRESS TO THE RATEPAYERS OF ISLINGTON Amongst the most important subjects which will in the future affect the welfare of the British nation as a whole, undoubtedly

SERIES OF BOLD LATIN CONDENSED Attractive News Headlines are provided by using this letter, which is also suitable for the principal lines of Advertisements

24 A, 50 B.

60 A, 125 a.

68 A, 136 a

80 A, 170 a,

76 A, 160 a.

THE FIGURES OF THIS SERIES BEING CAST on an en-quad body, will be found exceedingly effective in railway and every other description of tabular work, catalogues or price lists where bold figures are specially required £1234567890

10 POINT.

THE REPEATED HANDLING OF TYPES IS QUITE AS injurious as the impression of the press or machine. The wear of type in the composing room is far greater than is generally supposed; it is battered in distribution and composition, whilst the compositor inexperienced in planing a forme is universally recognised as the typefounder's friend

8 POINT.

6 POINT. STEPHENSON, BLAKE & CO. AND SIR CHARLES REED & SONS Furnish Printing Offices with highest quality Type cast on the latest development of the American Point Lining System, time and space saving Material and Furniture to meet all requirements. Machinery of every description, including the world-famous Chandler & Price Gordon Presses and Cutters, Wire-Stitching and Eyeletting Machines

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

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About 81 lb.

About 5 lb.



STEPHENSON, BLAKE & CO., 33 Aldersgate St., London, E.C. LETTER FOUNDRY: SHEFFIELD.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

About 16 lb

LINING BOLD LATIN.

MAGNIFICENT Lining Series

NEW POINT LINE DIAGRAMS, Simple and Instructive, showing at a glance how to use Point Line Type, forwarded on application to Messrs. Stephenson, Blake & Co.

10 POINT.

About 10 lb

56 A, 114 a,

66 A. 180 a. 8 POINT. About 9 D. **POINT LINE IS A TERM SIGNIFYING** that the distance from the line to the edge of the Type measures a definite number of Points. All ordinary Body and Jobbing Founts which consist of Capitals and Lowercase are cast upon

64 A. 185 a. 6 POINT. About 5 B. **POINT LINE IS A TERM SIGNIFYING THAT** the distance from the line to the edge of the Type measures a definite number of Points. All Ordinary Body and Jobbing Founts which consist of capitals and lowercase are cast upon what is called Point Common Line. In this the depth of the beard varies in the case of the

00 A. 125 a. 5 POINT. About 8 b. POINT LINE IS A PHRASE SIGNIFYING THAT THE distance from the line to the edge of the type measures a definite number of points. All ordinary body and jobbing founts which consist of capitals and lowercase are cast upon what is called Point Common Line. In this the depth of beard varies in the case of the different bodies, being just sufficient to carry the descending sorts. The

STEPHENSON BLAKE & Co.

BOLD LATIN Durable Type

FORCEFUL AND attractive display in advertisements

24 POINT.

A BUSINESS AXIOM Honest dealing creates many friends £123456

18 POINT.

About 15 lb.

THIS EXCELLENT SERIES MAY be used with decided advantage in Advertisements, the Figures being clear and prominent £1234567890

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

AMERICAN SYSTEM Correct Standard

94 A 50 m

LINING WIDE LATIN.

ROMANTIC Nominated



BIRMINGHAM French Made

BEDFORDSHIRE Garden Chairs

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Reforms

4 A. OD A. DO POINT. About 10 B. **TYPE AND ORNAMENTS American Point System**

© A, SO A. * POINT. About # Ib. **TYPOGRAPHICAL HARMONY** Colour Schemes Simplified

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

DEPARTMENTS Consideration

WIDE LATIN SERIES Suits Colour Work

48 A, 74 a. 6 POINT. About 5 lb. AMERICAN MATERIAL ON VIEW at 33 Aldersgate Street, London

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

REED'S LINING LATIN OLD STYLE.

RHENISH MUSIC Health Resorts

ENGLISH ROMANCE Handsome Mansion

NORMANTON EMPORIUM Western Frontage Modern French Design

MANCHESTER DISPENSARIES Bournemouth Promenade Estimates and Specifications

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

STEPHENSON BLAKE & Co

REED'S LINING LATIN OLD STYLE.

94 POINT.

REVOLUTION IN TYPOGRAPHICAL DISPLAY Acknowledgment of Modern Principles Correct Interpretation of Original Designs

DIGNIFIED COMMERCIAL PRINTING Appreciated by Manufacturers Harmonious Borders and Ornaments

ASSOCIATION IS NECESSARY TO STANDARDISE PRICES Which, by their Fairness and Stability, would Benefit equally both the Manufacturer and the Consumer

76 A, 160 a.

BY THE ADOPTION OF FIXED PRICES Competition is shifted to quality and service: at equal prices those giving best value will secure the most orders

94.5.50 0.

66 A, 188 a. 10 POINT. About 10 lb. UNREGULATED COMPETITION LOWERS THE quality, reduces wages and degrades Commerce to individual bargaining, in which trickery and untruthfulness often secure better terms than those who would not use such base arguments

About 18 lb.

About 5 lb.

80 A. 170 a. 8 POINT. About \$\exists b. **REALLY EFFECTIVE STATIONERY IS NOT SO MUCH** the matter of having high-priced paper and expensive copperplates, but simply the application of a little discretion in choosing the paper combined with a dignified type design, the type being specially chosen to meet the requirements of every individual customer's business

GREATER WORKING VALUE WILL BE FOUND IN A COMPLETE Series of well-graduated sizes, purchased in founts sufficiently large enough not to disappoint while working out of them, than anyone can possibly derive from a selection costing twice as much and made up of incongruous faces, each selected on account of its own particular merit STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co. and SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

6 POINT.

Telegrams Stephenson, London	Telephone Nos. 12393 Central and 3420 London Wall			London 33 Aldersgate Street, E.C.
		ENSON, BL		Co.
	LETTER FOUNDERS WOOD LETTER CUTTERS MANUFACTURERS OF BRASS RULE OFFICES COMPLETELY FURNISHED WITH TYPE CAST ON THE POINT LINING SYSTEM			
Letter Foundry: Sheffield			Lond	lon,
STEPHENSON, BLAKE &	Co.	165		SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.



BRANCH Moulds PROGRESS Advertise RESOLUTIONS Constructed DISCRIMINATION Nomenclature STEPHENSON, BLAK

REED'S LINING BOLD GROTESQUE.

SECONDARY EDUCATION Executive Government

DISTINCTIVE SERIES American Standard

INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION Manufacturers Represented

About 12 lb.

ADVERTISEMENT Display Character

AMERICAN LINING SYSTEM Facilitates Composition and helps to increase the Output

12 POINT.

THE AMERICAN POINT LINING SYSTEM is thoroughly explained in a little leaflet, which also shows by means of Diagrams the method of justifying one size of type with another to ensure perfect alignment

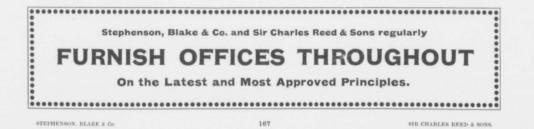
-52 A, 110 a

PRINTING OFFICES equipped throughout

AMERICAN POINT LINE SYSTEM AMERICAN POINT LINE SYSTEM All Series Line readily with each other, irrespective of size, when justified together with point lead

POINT LINE IS A TERM WHICH SIGNIFIES THAT the distance from the line to the edge of a type measures a definite number of points, and all ordinary body and jobbing founts consisting of Capitals and Lowercase are cast upon what is universally recognised as Point Common Line

6 POINT



60 Å, 120 a.

REED'S LINING BOLD RUNIC.

MENSURATION Performances

GRAND CONCERTS Dramatic Recital

GOVERNMENT SECURITY Capital Investment Documentary Evidence

FINANCIAL CORRESPONDENCE Branches in Edinburgh Northern Furnishing Company

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SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co

REED'S LINING BOLD RUNIC.

18 POINT.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co. and SIR CHARLES REED & SONS Highest Quality Type on the American Lining System **Printing Offices Completely Furnished on Modern Principles**

AGENTS FOR HAMILTON CO.'S MATERIAL **Chandler & Price Co.'s Gordon Platens** Improved Metal Furniture and Quotations

68 A, 134 a.

About 12 fb.

24 POINT

The origin of our Type Bodies, and the nomenclature which has grown around them will remain shrouded in obscurity

12 POINT.

10 A 68 a

20 A. 40 a.

52 A. 114 a.

INTRODUCTION OF TYPOCRAPHY

Properly to understand the important question of the Point System, it is necessary to go back to the earlier days of the nineteenth century, when the type founder worked absolutely and

10 POINT.

About 16 fb.

About 10 lb.

INTRODUCTION OF THE POINT SYSTEM



REED'S LINING RUNIC ELONGATED.

96 POINT

BRIGHT Series THE DE LANGE RUNIC ELONGATED Plain Character

POINT LINING SERIES American Standard

PRINTERS SHOULD SECURE Highest Grade Material

CHARLES REED & SONS

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co

REED'S LINING RUNIC ELONGATED.

APPROPRIATE FOR NEWSPAPER HEADINGS Condensed Series for Advertisements

PROMINENT SHEFFIELD FOUNDRY Specimens of Modern Printing

LINING RUNIC ELONGATED American Point System

24 POINT.

14 A. 20 n.

10.5.14 8

20 A. 72 a.

28 A, 40 a.

28 A, 50 a.

ARTISTIC TYPOGRAPHIC DESIGNS rapidly produced by using Stephenson, Blake & Co.'s Type

ECONOMY IN MODERN PRINTING OFFICES Facilitated by the Introduction of Space and Labour Saving Wood Material

14 POINT.

About 7 lb.

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26 A. MA. 12 POINT. About 6 B. RUNIC ELONGATED FOR MAGAZINE DISPLAY This Series affords excellent scope in Headings or narrow measure Advertisements

22 A. 64 a. 10 POINT. About 5 B.
DISTINCTIVE PRINTING QUICKLY ATTRACTS ATTENTION
Our Point Line Specimen Book contains many
Types and Borders which should please your Customer

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.



Reduce the Expenses in your Composing Room by using Dust Proof Cabinet Frames They hold more Cases than Ordinary Frames and are cleaner.

ECONOMISE TIME

Write at once for full particulars to

Stephenson, Blake & Co.

LINING METROPOLE CONDENSED.

36 POINT. About 14 lb HARMONIOUS DESIGNS Letterpress productions

POINT LINE IS A TERM SIGNIFYING THAT the distance from the line to the edge of the type measures a definite number of Points. All ordinary body and jobbing founts which consist of capitals and lowercase are cast upon what is called Point Common Line. In this the depth of the beard varies in the case

8 POINT.

About 4 lb

48 A. 94 a.

ECONOMICAL ADVANTAGE afforded by Point Line type Finish and accuracy proved

24 POINT.

IS A DAR.

24 A. 44 a.

32 A. 64 B.

44 A. 84 n.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

THIS CONDENSED SERIES SHOULD find favour with printers desirous of obtaining an effective and useful letter with bold figures 1234567890

18 POINT.

12 POINT. SUITABLE FOR ADVERTISING, COMMERCIAL and other printing. Bold and striking in design and cast on the American Point Line System, its artistic effect and adaptability to the necessities of a modern printing office are self-evident 123

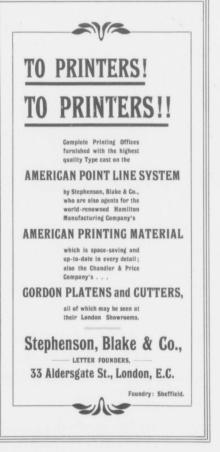
EFFECTIVE, HIGH-CLASS ADVERTISING CATCHES THE eyes of readers. The primary object of printed matter is to attract attention, and this may best be done, not by using heavy and tasteless types, but by a more quiet and tasteful style of display, which, while showing a good variety of type, has the necessary amount of white space

10 POINT.

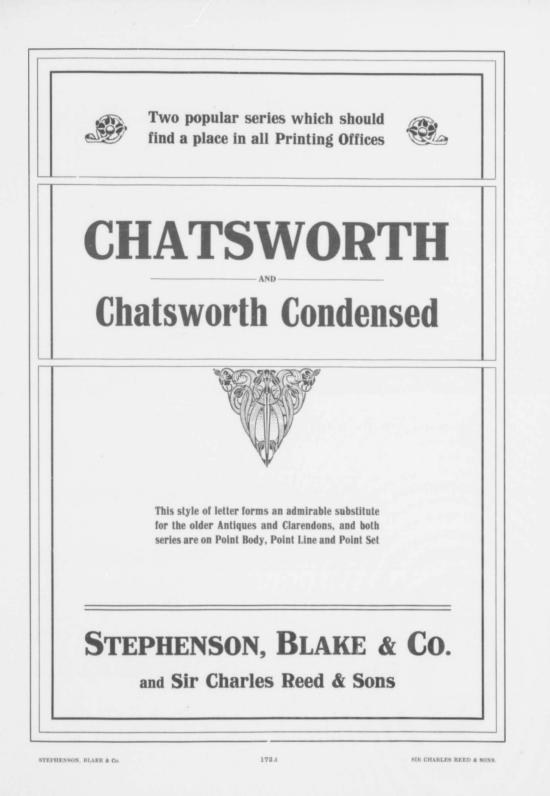
PRINTING OFFICES FURNISHED on latest and approved methods

About 5} lb.

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56 A 112 a 5 POINT. FOUNTS OF FULL FACED CAPITALS WITHOUT LOWER case are cast on a line called Point Title Line, the beards provided for such faces being of course very shallow. Scripts, and other similar faces in which the descending sorts have very long tails, are cast on a line called Point Script Line. This line is much higher on the body than Point Common Line, the beards being



LINING CHATSWORTH.

72 POINT.

PRICE Cards

MODERN DEVICES Uniform Methods

ECONOMIC QUESTIONS Save Time and Money

44 A, 100 A. 12 POINT. About 12 B. **THIS CHATSWORTH SERIES Popular with Clients Requiring Tasteful Designs**

61 A. 100 A. 10 POINT. About 10 B. Offices Completely Furnished SIMPLE POINT LINING SYSTEM Stephenson, Blake & Co.

16 A. 151 a. 8 POINT. About # lb. CHATSWORTH FOR NEWSPAPER DISPLAY Prominent Advertisement Series Favoured by Monthly Magazine Printers

22 A, 100 a. 6 POINT. About 5 b. MATERIAL GUARANTEED TO CORRECT STANDARD Detailed Estimates sent on Application Highest Grade Woodwork of Every Description **REMINDS Donation**

MONUMENT Easter Cake

CHATSWORTH Useful Series

FRENCH GARDENS Oriental Perfume

MARKET AND THE TAXABLE TO TAX

LINING CHATSWORTH CONDENSED.

72 POINT.

BRIGHT Design

Steamship NATA ATA ATA BIOGRAPHERS BUSIC HOUSE

EDINBURGH

PERSIAN CARPETS Sewing Machine

CHRISTMAS GREETING Household Furniture

24 POINT.

24 A, 44 n.

BEAUTIFUL COUNTRY Residences within easy distance of Manchester

18 POINT.

About 16 fb.

About 13 lb.

16 A. 71 a.

48 A, 90 B.

72 A. 150 a.

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LINING CONDENSED SERIES forming useful companion to the ever popular Chatsworth

BOTH CHATSWORTH CONDENSED and Chatsworth will be found most useful in General Work 234567890

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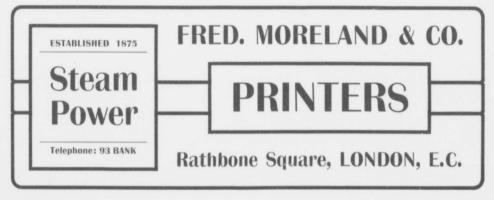
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LINING BOLD BRITANNIC.

PROMENADES Notice Board

PROMINENT PRINTERS Order Best Faces Guaranteed Accurate

FORCEFUL DISPLAY LETTER Bold Britannic Series Suitable in Election Work

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30 POINT

12 A.24 a.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co

LINING BOLD BRITANNIC.

24 POINT. **USEFUL ORIGINAL MODERN DESIGN Enhances Ordinary Printing Bold Display in General Demand**

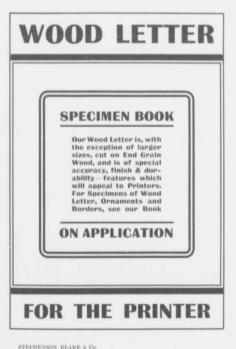
BRITISH PRINTERS SHOULD PURCHASE Composing Room Material on American System Type Cast Point Body, Line and Set

36 A, 70 a. 14 POINT. STRIKING FACES NECESSARY IN EVERY PRINTING OFFICE Small or Large Founts are readily Supplied The Bold Britannic Series attracts many Admirers

44 A. 94 a.

60 A, 130 a.

60 A, 130 a,



18 A. 36 a.

26 A. 50 a

METAL IS GUARANTEED DURABLE in productions from our Foundry a fact of greatest importance to Printers who have large orders

About 19 fb.

About 15 fb.

About 12 fb.

About 8 fb

About 5 lb.

PRINTERS OBSERVE HOW SUITABLE this series is for Advertisements and work requiring a Bold and Attractive appearance. Figures are 1234567890

10 POINT.

ADVERTISEMENT PRINTERS CANNOT DO BETTER than order Bold Britannic Series for their work. Striking effects readily obtained with minimum amount of labour, reducing cost of production, pleasing Customers, and also increasing profits

PRINTERS IN DOUBT REGARDING THE ADAPTABILITY AND usefulness of this Original and Striking Letter should send at once for Booklet showing many Practical illustrations of every-day work entirely in the Lining Bold Britannic Series Stephenson, Blake & Co. and Sir Charles Reed & Sons.

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LINING BRITANNIC ITALIC.

HANDSOME MODES Smart Costumes

MODERN DESIGN Consideration

BRIGHT ADVERTISING Increases Business

AMERICAN POINT SYSTEM Accuracy Guaranteed

GOVERNMENT ADMINISTRATION Hague Peace Conference Royal Shakespearian Society

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LINING BRITANNIC ITALIC.

18 POINT

SPLENDID SERIES FOR ADVERTISEMENTS Especially when Used in conjunction with Lining Britannic and Bold Britannic

48 A, 100 a.

64 A, 184 a.

About 13 lb.

BRIGHT AND COMMANDING Effects rapidly produced by using the Britannic Family. Cast entirely on Point Line DISTINCTIVE SERIES

24 A. 54 a

44 A, 90 a.

THE LINING BRITANNIC ITALIC SHOULD be freely introduced wherever bold and striking effect is required. This Series being Cast on the Point System, readily lines with any Member of the Family by justifying varying sizes with Point Lead

ADVANTAGES OF LINING TYPE

THE LINING BRITANNIC FAMILY should be introduced wherever a striking effect is required. Cast throughout on the Point System the Series are interchangeable. STANDARD GUARANTEED

10 POINT.

About 10 Th

About 10 lb.

THE BRITANNIC FAMILY SHOULD BE INTRODUCED where Bold and Striking Characters are required. Made of Highest Quality Metal and containing no Serifs, the Lining Britannic, Lining Bold Britannic and Lining Britannic Italic are admirably adapted for long runs on the Machine, such as would often be required when printing Drapery Catalogues, &c.

POINT SYSTEM FACILITATES OUTPUT



LINING GROTESQUE, No. 6.

S6 POINT

MODERN IMPROVEMENT The Nineteenth Century has made notable progress with

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10 POINT.

24 POINT. NORTHUMBRIAN **Panoramic Views** of Mountains and **Rivers supplied on**

About 17 th

28 A, 54 a. About 15 lb. RECONSTRUCTIONS American Point Line System only adopted throughout this book

About 12 fb GENIUS OF SHAKESPEARE Many persons are very sensible of the effect of fine poetry on their feelings, who do not well know how to refer such feelings to their causes; and it always

48 A, 100 a.

14 A. 84 a.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

68 A, 134 a. 10 POINT. About 10 fb. THE GENIUS OF SHAKESPEARE Many persons are very sensible of the effect of fine poetry upon their feelings, who do not well know how to refer these feelings 80 A, 174 a. About 8] Ib. HIS EXQUISITE POETICAL CONCEPTION All his excellencies. like those of Nature herself, are thrown out together; and, instead of interfering with, support and

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at 21 fb.

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

6 POINT. 80 A, 174 a. About 5 fb. THE MOST EXQUISITE POETICAL CONCEPTIONS Images and descriptions given with such brevity and introduced with such skill, greatly adorn the sense which they accompany. Although his sails are purple and perfumed, and his prow of beaten gold, they waft him more rapidly and directly than if they had been composed of baser material. All his excellencies, like those of Nature 1234567890

recommend each other. A thousand slight harmonious touches and indications give

INTERESTING REPRODUCTION Photographs Copied and Enlarged with Experience and Promptitude

LINING GROTESQUE, No. 10. (Reed's Grotesque, No. 6.)

MORNING COSTUME Fashionable Materials

44 A. 100 a. 12 POINT. About 12 B. PLEASURES OF SCIENCE Whilst contemplating the sad end of Burns more generous

66 A, 184 A. 10 POINT. About 10 B. UNCERTAINTIES OF FORTUNE Whilst contemplating the sad end of Burns, more generous persons have often thought to themselves

80 A. 174 a. 8 POINT. About 8 h. MEANS OF ACQUIRING DISTINCTION Whilst contemplating the sad end of Burns more generous persons have often thought to themselves, with a reproachful sorrow, that by counsel and friendly ministrations

80 A, 174 a. 6 POINT. About 6 h. MINOR PLANETARY AND TERRESTRIAL WORLDS Whilst contemplating the very add end of Burns, more generous persons have often considered to themselves, with a reproachful sorrow, that by counsel and friendly ministrations he might have been saved to himself and the world. But it seems dubious whether the richest

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MANCHESTER Popular Services from Ship Canal

SOUTHERN SHORES Frequent Train Service between Edinburgh and Eastbourne via London

BEAUTIFUL DEVONSHIRE Charming and varied scenery may be found in the vicinity of old Clovelly, familiarly known as England's Eden by the sea

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

14 POINT.

NORTH HIGHLAND ROUTE embraces many famous places combining pleasure in Scotland LINING GROTESQUE, No. 8.

BOHEMIAN Nominates

PRODUCTION Lining Series

REMEMBRANCE Popular Design

EVENING CONCERTS Pianoforte Recitals

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STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co

LINING GROTESQUE, No. 8.

30 POINT

About 20 fb. STEPHENSON, BLAKE & CO. **Cast Superior Quality Type**

ON THE AMERICAN LINING SYSTEM Guaranteed Accurate to Standard

About 12 lb.

About 101 lb

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BY THE ADDITION OF new and artistic Types you help out new ideas

12 A. 24 a.

20 A, 50 a

44 A. 80 a.

52 A, 110 a.

60 A 130 a

ADVERTISING IS NOW AN ART. dependent upon practice; it is a skilful combination of knowledge and capital £1234567890

LENGTHY ARGUMENT UNNECESSARY. Good business men know that a neat, tasteful job of printing will attract the attention and inspire confidence £123

HAVING TYPE ATTRACTIVE IN DESIGN IS HALF way towards good printing. You could hardly expect a builder to construct first class houses from the materials of old, dilapidated buildings

60 A, 130 a. About 5 fb. FOR MANY YEARS THIS USEFUL GROTESQUE SERIES HAS been in conspicuous usage in nearly every printing office, and is to-day as popular as ever. Its great legibility and effectiveness make it preferred in many places where the less easily read fancy letter would be unsatisfactory

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.



About 18 lb.

LINING GROTESQUE, No. 9.

Moderate in Price

High Grade Printing

GROTESQUE SERIES NECESSARY Popular with General Public

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

STEPHENSON BLAKE

LINING GROTESQUE, No. 9.

THIS HANDSOME SERIES OF LINING GROTESQUE Cast throughout Point Body, Line and Set

24 POINT.

AMERICAN METHODS AT BRITISH PRICES Simple and Accurate Composition

48 A, 90 a.

100 A, 200 a.

About 15 Ib.

GROTESQUE SERIES SHOULD form an important feature in Magazine Advertisement

24 A. 44 a.

36 A, 74 a.

ALLIGAL DE POINT. ALLOUTERS FAVOUR GROTESQUES BECAUSE of their greater durability: there are no serifs to be bruised or hair-lines to gap

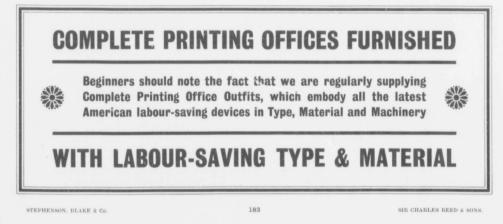
00 A, 100 a. S POINT. About * B. THIS FINE GROTESQUE SERIES POSSESSES AN INDIVIDUALITY which will appeal to both Printers and Advertisers as being clearly cut, forceful and attractive, whilst embodying all the Latest Developments of the American Point Lining System. ADVERTISERS FAVOUR GROTESQUES because of their great simplicity and readability in all kinds of work

About 18 lb.

About 5 B.

POINT LINE ENABLES THE COMPOSITOR EASILY to secure the Accurate Alignment of any one size with another without resorting to the use of card or paper. En Quad Figures 1234567890

PRINTERS WHO EXPERIENCE DIFFICULTY WITH FASTIDIOUS CUSTOMERS regarding the choice of Types to be used in their work will sometimes find it good policy to fall back on the Grotesque character which, amid the constantly changing Fashion in Typography, still finds favour with the general public, and promises to hold its own for years to come.



LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS, No. 7.

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PERMANENT FASHION **Demand Enhanced AMERICAN POINT SYSTEM Practical Achievement SPLENDID CONDENSED SERIES Useful Gradation of Sizes PRODUCTIVE ADVERTISEMENTS CREATED** With Forceful and Attractive Letter

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STEPHENSON BLAKE & CO

LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS, No. 7.

DEVELOPMENT OF INTERESTING TERRITORIAL ARMY SCHEME Proposals of the Government Carried by Large Majority

MANCHESTER ECONOMIC ASSURANCE CORPORATION Representatives of British Theatrical Enterprise

BROMSGROVE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY Regulations of Metropolitan Police

20 A: 24 a.

40 A, 50 a.

48 Å, 60 Å.

64 A, 90 a.

68 A, 94 A.

88 A, 120 a.

ENGINEERING EXPERIMENTS AT PORTSMOUTH Photographic Views of Mountain Scenery

OBSCURE IMAGININGS AND IMPERFECT DEDUCTIONS The dogmatic speculations of former ages only exist at present in the prejudices of the vulgar. 1234567890

IMPROVEMENT IN LOCAL GOVERNMENT BOARD ADMINISTRATION The dogmatic speculations of former ages only exist at present in the prejudices of the vulgar, or in circumstances 234567890

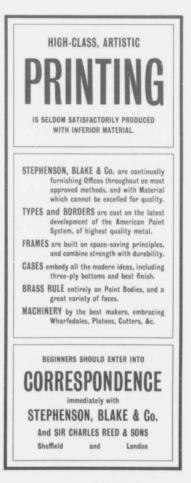
HAGUE PEACE CONFERENCE DISCOURSES ON INTERNATIONAL DISARMAMENT The dogmatic speculations of former ages only exist at present in the prejudices of the vulgar, or in circumstances where, as if conscious of their weakness, they willingly keep themselves in the shade 67890

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co. AND SIR CHARLES REED & SONS, LETTER FOUNDERS The dogmatic speculations of former ages only exist at present in the prejudices of the vulgar, or in circumstances where, as if fully conscious of their weakness, they willingly keep themselves in the shade. They also maintain themselves 1234567890

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

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About 5 th.



LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS, No. 5.

ELEGANT DESIGN Durable Material

FURNISHER Harmonium

MEMORANDUM Demonstration

MORNING PERFORMER Physical Deportment STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co. have pleasure in submitting this Favourite Series cast on

AMBITIOUS COMPOSITORS SHOULD carefully study the various Specimens issued by the Type Founder, as well as the Advertisement pages $\pounds1234567890$

About 7 lb

40 A, 60 a.

48 A, 64 a. 10 POINT. About 3 B. **TECHNICAL EDUCATION PROVES VALUABLE** when the student determines to overcome the difficulties and to learn something of the Principles and Theory of the Art Preservative, and

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 8 POINT.
 About 4 b.

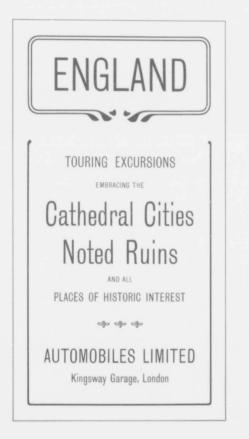
 PUBLIC TASTE IS BEING SILENTLY EDUCATED AND improved, and will not tolerate bad printing, thus giving striking demonstration of this important progress in art.
 The advertiser must command the attention of the public

BRITISH PRODUCTION Everywhere Popular

LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS, No. 10.

(Reed's Condensed Grotesque, No. 2.)

EMINENT HIBERNIAN PRODUCE MERCHANTS Metropolitan Musical Society Regulations



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CONDENSED SANS SERIFS are popular because simplicity

CONDENSED SANS SERIFS HIGHLY popular on account of their readability

CONDENSED SANS SERIFS ARE VERY POPULAR because of their readability, and the Printer knows that in years to come they will ever hold a place

GLA, 90 a. 12 POINT. About 6 B. CONDENSED SANS SERIFS REMAIN POPULAR BECAUSE of their readability, and the Printer knows that in years to come they will always hold a foremost place in Typography

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 10 POINT.
 About 5 Bc.

 CONDENSED SANS SERIFS ARE POPULAR BECAUSE OF THEIR readability, and the Printer knows that in years to come they will ever hold a foremost place in Typography. There is room in every printing

88 A. 120 a. 8 POINT. About 4 Ib. CONDENSED SANS SERIFS ARE POPULAR BECAUSE OF THEIR READABILITY and the Printer knows that in years to come they will always hold a foremost place in Typography. There is room in every printing establishment for several variations

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

DESIRABLE MODERN RESIDENCE Handsome Parisian Ornaments

LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS, No. 1.

36 POINT About 11 lb. **CONTINENTAL ENGRAVINGS ORIGINAL BORDERS AND NOVEL DESIGNS** 24 POINT. IMPROVED FACILITIES FOR DISPLAY COMPOSI 18 POINT. About 5 lb. **CONDENSED SANS SERIFS WILL ENHANCE AN ADVERTISEMENT**

12 POINT. 48 A. About 4 lb. ADOPT POINT SYSTEM THROUGHOUT AND ENSURE MATHEMATICAL PRECISION

59 A. 10 POINT. About 3 lb THESE FIGURES BEING CAST ON NUT QUAD BODIES **ARE SUITABLE FOR TABULAR WORK 123456**

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52 Å. About 1 lb. COMPLETE PRINTING OFFICES FURNISHED WITH THE HIGHEST QUALITY TYPE CAST ON THE AMERICAN POINT LINING SYSTEM TYPES AND EORDERS ARE GUARANTEED CORRECT TO STANDARD

About 4 lb.

12 POINT LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS, No. 3. OFFICES PLANNED AND FITTED THROUGHOUT ON LATEST AND APPROVED PRINCIPLES SPACE AND LABOUR SAVING FURNITURE AND MATERIAL OF EVERY DESCRIPTION

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LINING GROTESQUE, No. 4A.

About 17 lb.

22 A. S POINT. About 5 B. THE AMERICAN POINT SYSTEM PERFECT ADJUSTMENT SECURED AUTOMATIC ALIGNMENT

40 A. 60 A. 6 POINT (CAPR. AND SM. CAPR.). About 8 Ib. THIS SERIES IS CAST THROUGHOUT UPON POINT TITLE LINE, ENABLING THE PRINTER TO LINE ALL THE SIZES ACCURATELY TOGETHER

48 A. 5 POINT ON 6 POINT. About 1 lb. POINT LINE DIAGRAMS, SHOWING AT A GLANCE HOW TO USE POINT LINE TYPE, WILL BE FURNISHED ON APPLICATION TO THE FOUNDRY, SHEFFIELD, OR ALDERBGATE STREET, LONDON.

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19 A. 00 POINT. About 10 B. ENRICHMENT

MARINERS

60 POINT.

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MODERN DESIGN

BRIGHTON HOSPITAL

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & CO.

40 A. 13 POINT. About 5 B. BIOGRAPHICAL REMINISCENCES

48 A. 10 POINT. About 4 B. OFFICES FURNISHED THROUGHOUT POINT LINE TYPE AND MATERIAL STEPHENSON, BLAKE 4 Co. 190 MAY 28TH. 1908.

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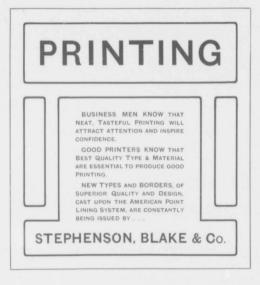
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PRONOUNCEMENTS

10 A. IN POINT. About 5 B.
PHONOGRAPH COMPANIES

48 A. 10 POINT. About 4 B.

00 A. 8 POINT. About 8 lb. REMARKABLE MODERN DISCOVERY



40 A, CO A. C POINT (CAPS, AND SM. CAPS.). About 8 th, INTERESTING DOMESTIC AND COMMERCIAL RELATIONS ADVENTURES IN THE AMERICAN BACKWOODS DETERIORATION OF TEXTILE INDUSTRIES IN GERMANY

10 A. 5 POINT ON 6 POINT. About 1 lb. NUMEROUS DESCRIPTIONS OF ARCHITECTURAL AND MONUMENTAL REMAINS FORMATION OF PHILANTHROPIC SOCIETIES IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA

LINING GROTESQUE, No. 7A.

186 A. 52 A. 6 POINT (CAPS. AND SM. CAPS). About 5 Ib. ORCHESTRA OF CONTINENTAL PERFORMERS SELECTIONS DAILY DURING MARCH South Kensington Technological Examiners Full particulars on application 44 A, 40 A. 5 POINT on 6 POINT (CAPS. AND SM. CAPS.). About 2 b. PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT OF DEMONSTRATIONS THROUGHOUT WIGHN HARBORE BEGINEN VOLUME OF ARCHITECTURAL DESIGNS COMPARISONS OF ENGLISH AND AMERICAN TRADE PUBLICATIONS COMPARISON OF PERMARSHIP CONTAINING DISLUED IN 1996

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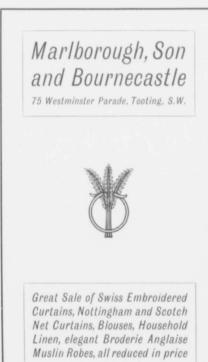
LINING CONDENSED SANS SERIFS ITALIC.

Artistic decorations enhanced by the judicious selection of colours TYPOGRAPHICAL DESIGNS

Artistic type designs are enhanced by the judicious harmonising of colours and careful selection of paper SPECIMENS OF LETTERPRESS PRINTING

40 A 54 B

48 A. 64 a



Artistic printing is not dependent so much on the selection of high priced paper and expensive copperplates as SELECTION OF TYPE DESIGNS

Artistic printing is not dependent so much on the selection of highly priced papers nor of expensive copperplates, but simply the application of a little DISCRETION IN SELECTING TYPE FACES

Artistic printing is not dependent so much on the selection of highly priced paper nor of expensive copperplates, but is simply the application of a little discretion in the selection of paper combined with dignified type designs. 1234567890

TYPE SPECIALLY CHOSEN TO SUIT REQUIREMENTS

© A. ≪ B POINT. About I B. Artistic printing is not dependent so much upon the selection of highly priced paper and expensive copperplates, but is simply the application of a little discretion in choosing the paper combined with a dignified type design, the type being specially chosen in every instance to meet REQUIREMENTS OF THE INDIVIDUAL CUSTOMER'S BUSINESS

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LINING BOLD ITALIC GROTESQUE.

Printers consider various economical advantages before ordering founts, for recent improvements FACILITATE MODERN COMPOSITION

Printers must consider various economical advantages before ordering new founts, for the improvements recently introduced EMBRACE NUMEROUS LABOUR SAVING METHODS

Printers must consider every economical advantage when ordering new founts, for the improvements recently introduced are RECOGNISED AS REMUNERATIVE

Printers should consider the economical advantages before ordering new founts, for the improvements recently introduced by the founders are of greatest IMPORTANCE TO PROGRESSIVE EMPLOYERS

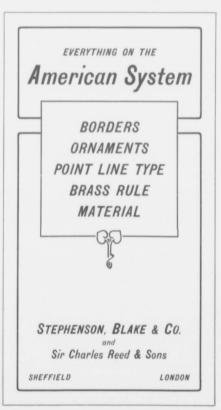
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Printers must consider the various economical advantages before ordering new founts, for the improvements recently introduced by the founders are too important to be ignored, reducing as they do the cost of production. 1234567890 FURNISH ON THE AMERICAN POINT LINING SYSTEM

Printers should consider the various economical advantages before ordering new founts, for the improvements recently introduced by the founders are too important to be ignored, embracing as they do time and labour saving methods, thereby reducing the cost of production SAMPLE BOXES OF POINT LINE TYPE FORWARDED FREE



About 4 th

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LINING SKELETON ANTIQUE, No. 2.

POINT LINE TYPES Accurate and Durable

LINING SKELETON ANTIQUE, No. 1.

00 A. 130 a. S POINT. About 5 B. **METROPOLITAN AND PROVINCIAL UNION BANKING COMPANY** having various Branch Establishments throughout England, and several Correspondents at home and abroad, presents numerous facilities to parties changing their residence or intending to travel, as well as to Officers of the

46 A. 96 A. 10 POINT. About 6 B. **METROPOLITAN AND NATIONAL BANKING COMPANY** having various Branch Establishments throughout England, and numerous Correspondents at home and abroad, gives great

40 A. 80 A. METROPOLITAN AND NATIONAL COMPANY having various Branch Establishments throughout England, and several Correspondents at home and

ALGOR. IN POINT. ADDRESS AND AND PROVINCIAL BANK has many Branch Establishments among

IS A. SG AL. SH POINT. THOUSE BANKING HOUSE having many Branches among

14 A. 22 n.

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co

MUNICIPAL BANKS Established Branches FIRST BANK having Branch

PERSIAN BANK Branch established

BANKING COMPANY having several Branches

NATIONAL DEPOSIT BANK having opened many Branches at home and abroad, with over 2408

MUNICIPAL BANKING COMPANY having Branches established throughout England with numerous Correspondents

44 A. SO A. S POINT. About 6 b. METROPOLITAN BANKING CORPORATION having numerous Branches established throughout England, with 3620 Correspondents at home and abroad, this Bank presents unlimited facilities to

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS

COMPLETE PRINTING OUTFITS Stephenson, Blake & Co. Sheffield

About 13 lb.

40 A, 80 a.

LINING ANTIQUE, No. 3.

About 45 lb.

HOME mound

BANKING new Branch

DEPOSIT BANKS having many Branch establishments about

NATIONAL CREDIT COMPANY having now Branches established in London and 280 Agents abroad, presents great facilities to parties about to change their residence or

NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL CORPORATION having many Branch Establishments in England, and 360 Correspondents abroad, presents various facilities to parties who contemplate a change of residence or about to travel, as well as to Officers of the Army and Navy for receiving or sending of

54 A. 110 a. 5 POINT. About 5 B. METROPOLITAN AND PROVINCIAL BANKING CORPORATION having numerous Branch Establishments throughout England, and over 290 Correspondents at home and abroad, this Bank gives great facilities to parties changing their residence or about to travel, as well as to Officers of the Army and Navy for receiving or sending their remittances, and has year the aggregate value of guaranteed deposits amounted to £25,470, showing a decided increase above the previous

SIR CHARLES REED & SONS.

MASON merchant

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ERITH BANK having branches

PROVINCIAL BANKS having Branches founded for convenience of clients

MUNICIPAL BANKING COMPANIES having Branch Establishments throughout England, and 230 Correspondents abroad, grant numerous facilities to parties about

NATIONAL AND PROVINCIAL BANKING COMPANY having numerous Branch Establishments throughout England and 380 Correspondents at home and abroad, this Bank gives several facilities to parties changing their residence or about to travel, as well as to Officers of the Army and Navy for sending

STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.

70 A, 150 a.

195

About 5 lb.

44 A, 90 n.

LINING CONDENSED ANTIQUE, No. 3.

NOMINATIONS Parliamentary

PROVINCIAL Deposit Banks Deposit Banks BIRMINGHAM BANKS having numerous Branches

MUNICIPAL BANKING CORPORATION having prosperous Branches established in England, with 2840 Correspondents at home and abroad, gives facilities to any

throughout 230 important

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Printer, n. One who prints, im-

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4 Achillea The Pearl, double white, grand		1	0
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5 Acomitum Napellus Albus, fine white		1	8
8 Agrostemma Coronaria Flos Jovis, fine rich pink		2	6
3 Alstromeria Aurantiaca, orange, Peruvian Lily		1	0
9 Astilbe rivularis, drooping cream plumes		3	0
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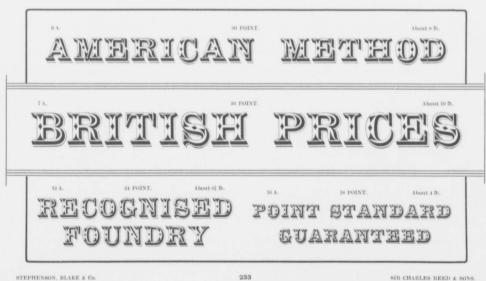
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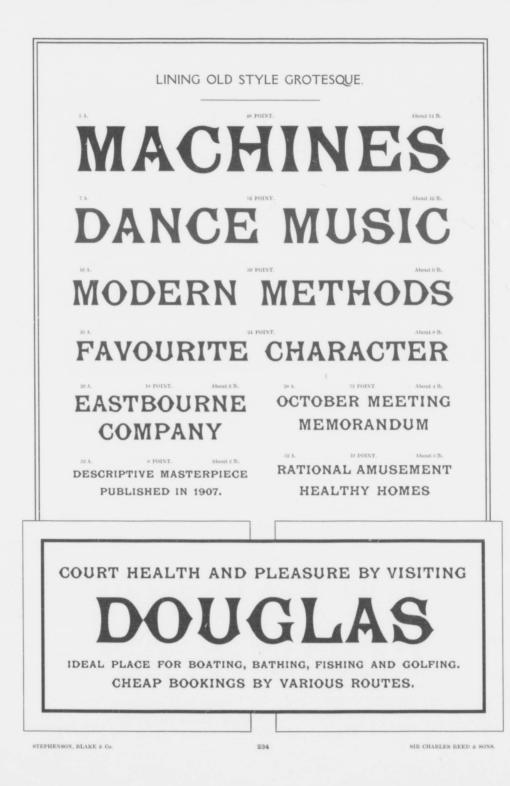
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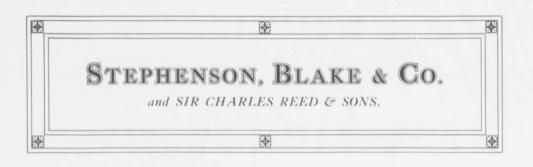
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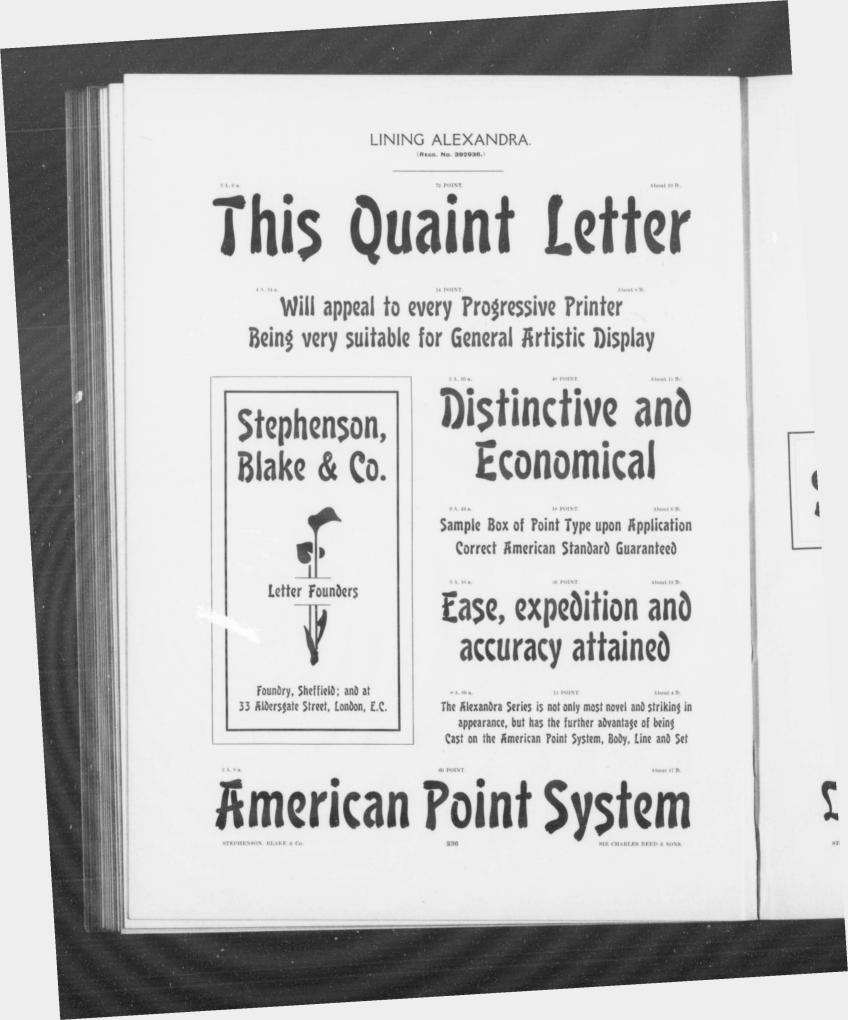
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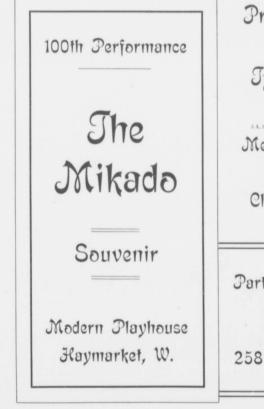


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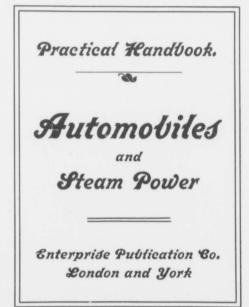
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MODERN METHOD

ELEGANT AND PRACTICAL ELEGANT PRACTICAL

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EXAMPLES OF LINING AURIOL OUTLINE with AURIOL BORDERS, &c.



Lining AURIOL Series. 5

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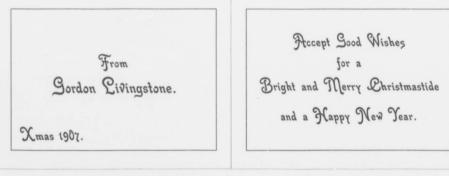
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36 A, 74 a.

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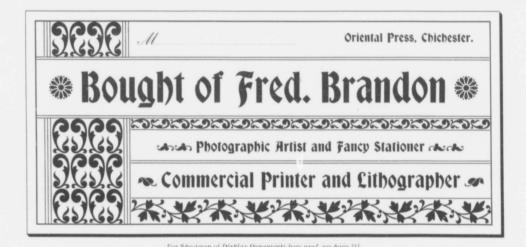
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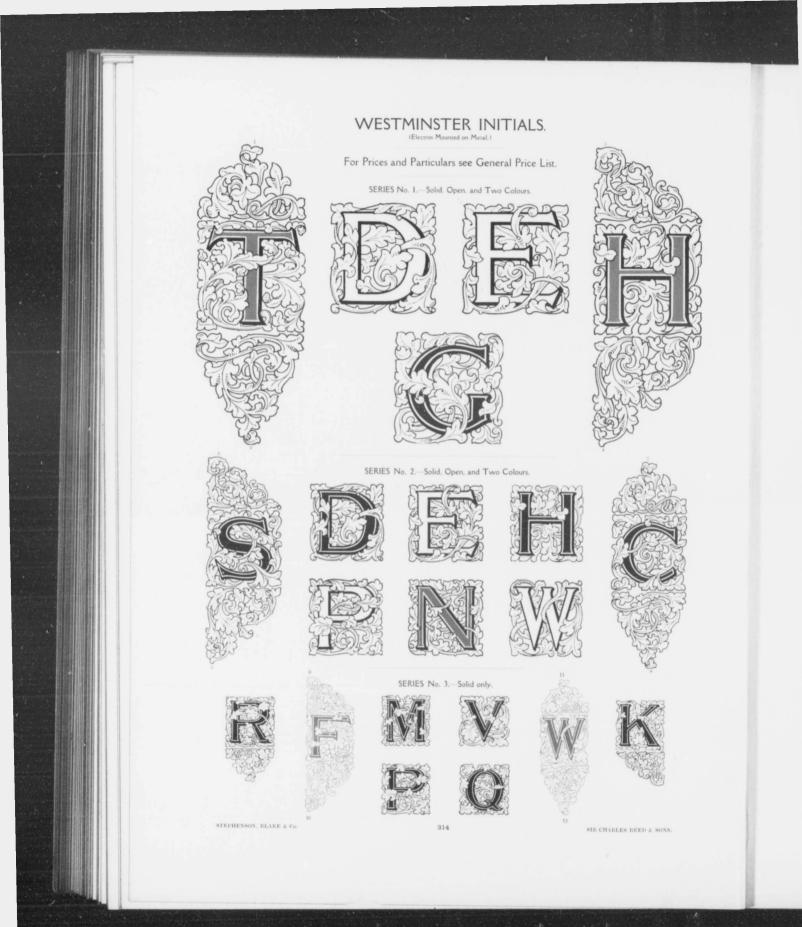
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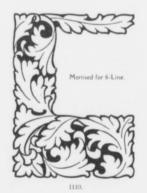
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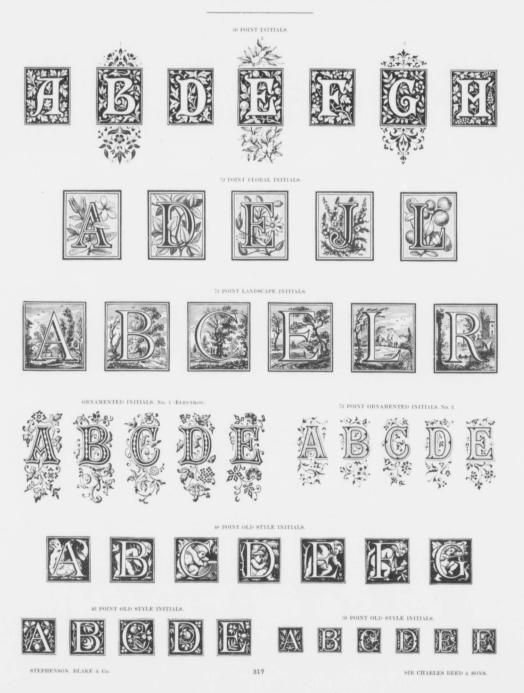
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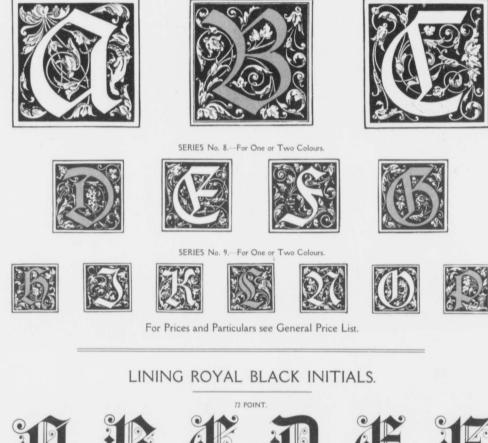
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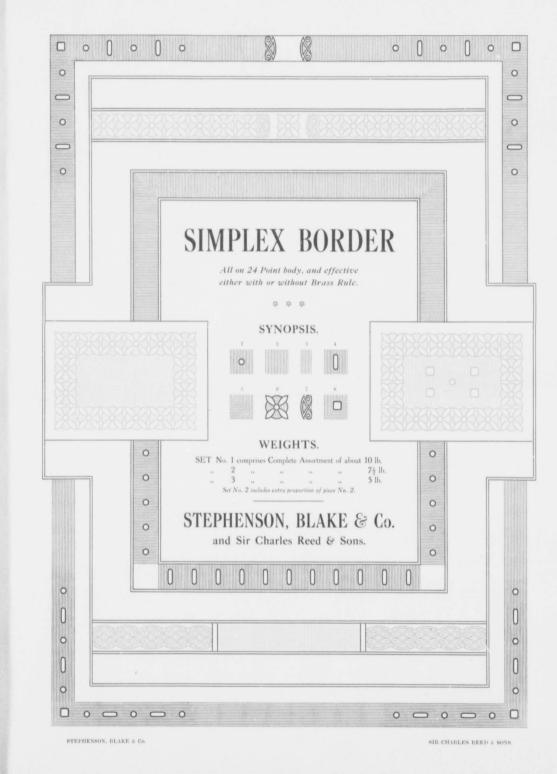




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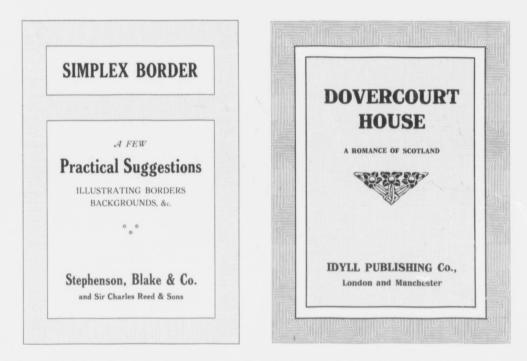


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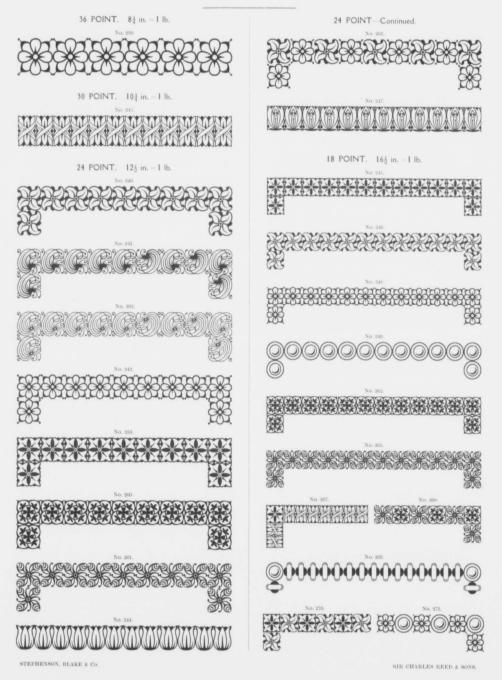
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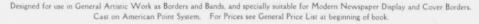


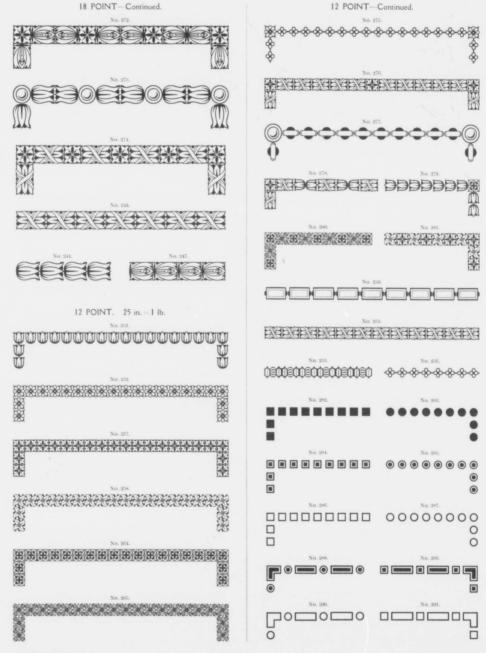


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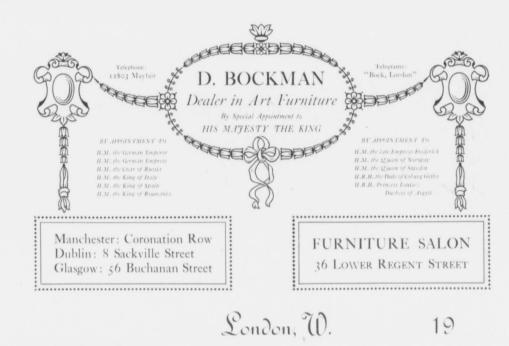
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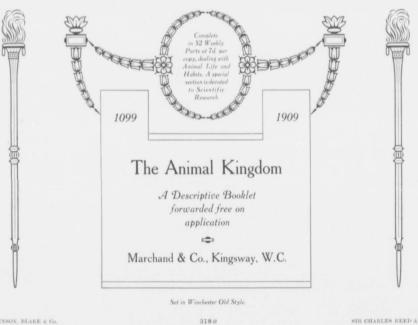
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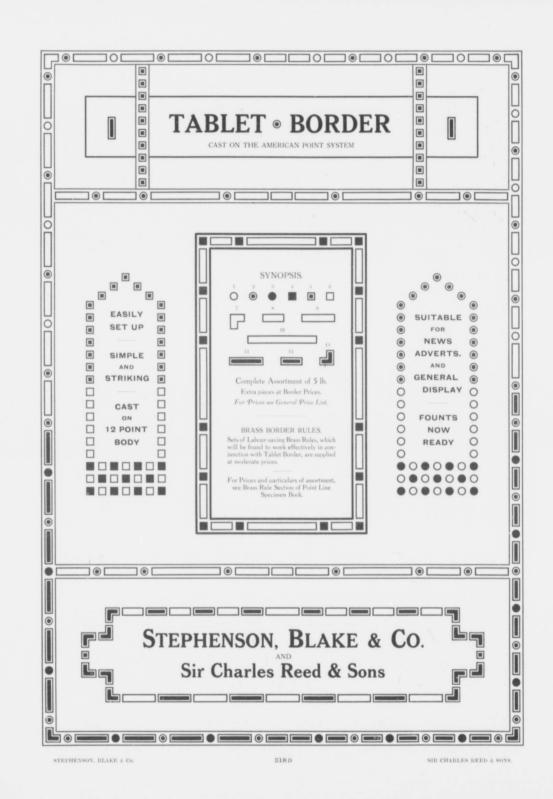
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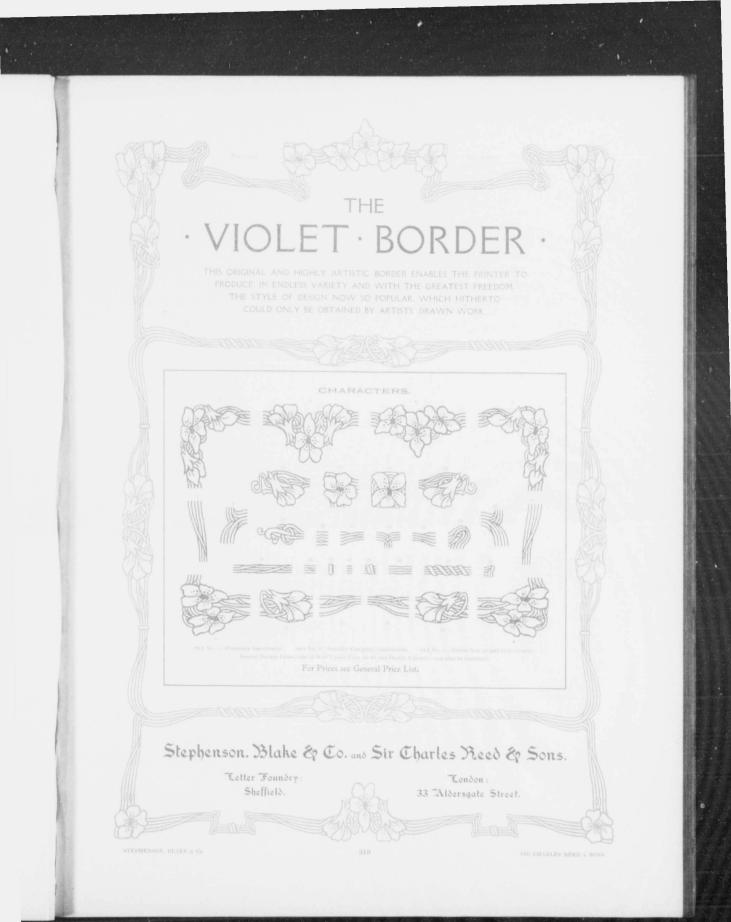
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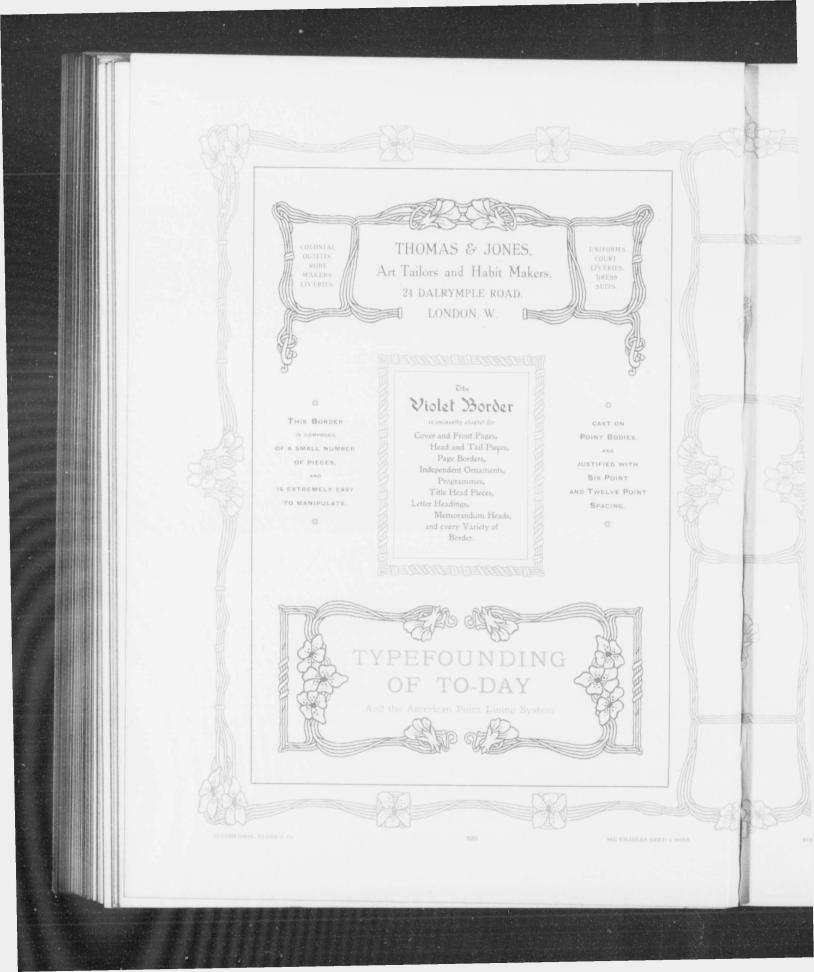
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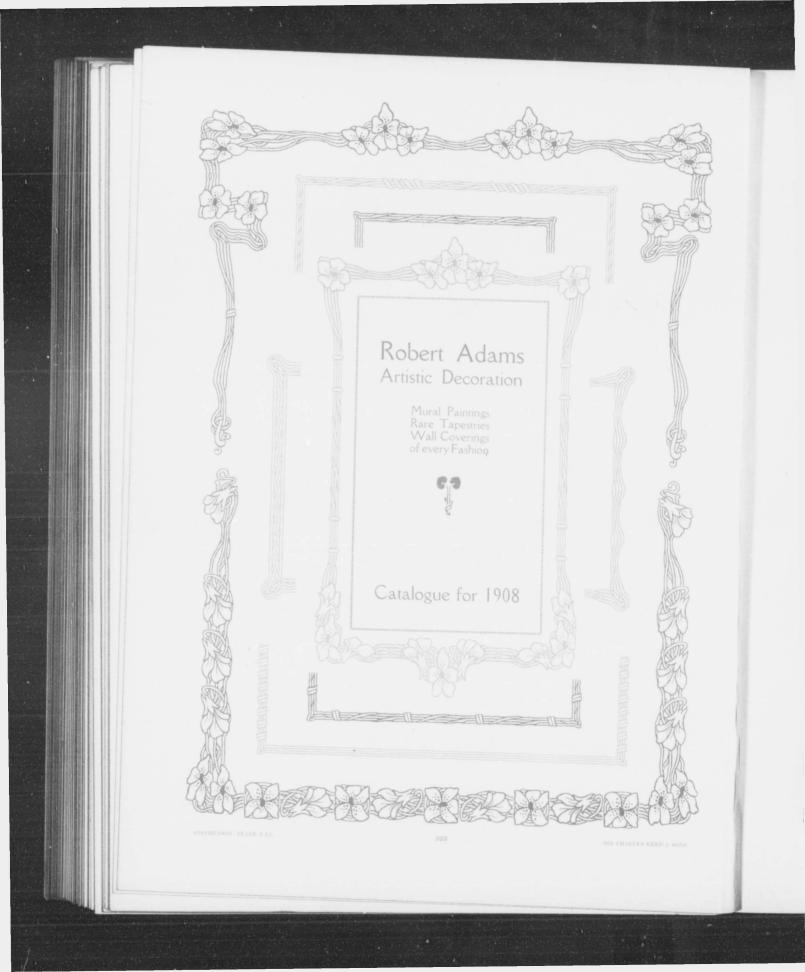
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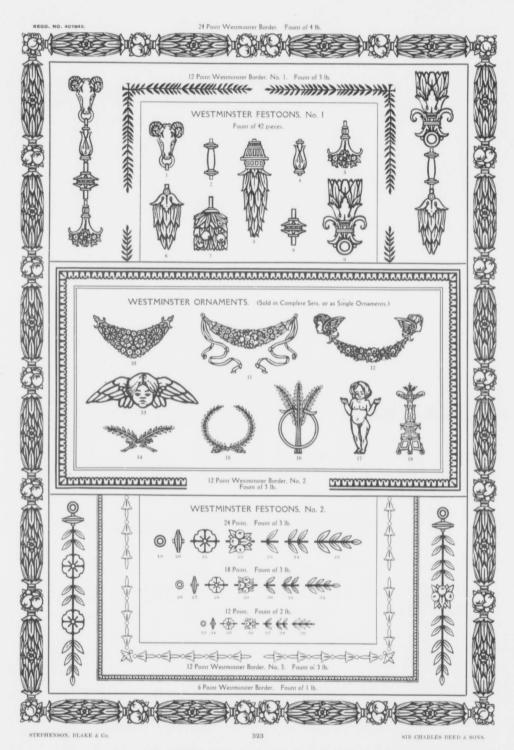




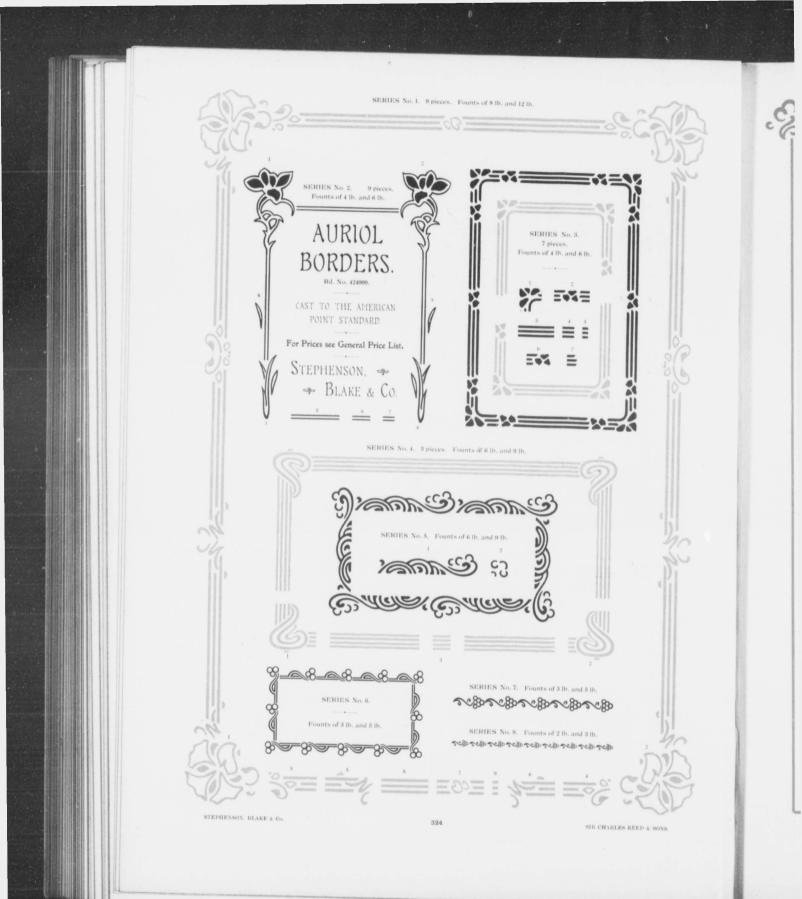




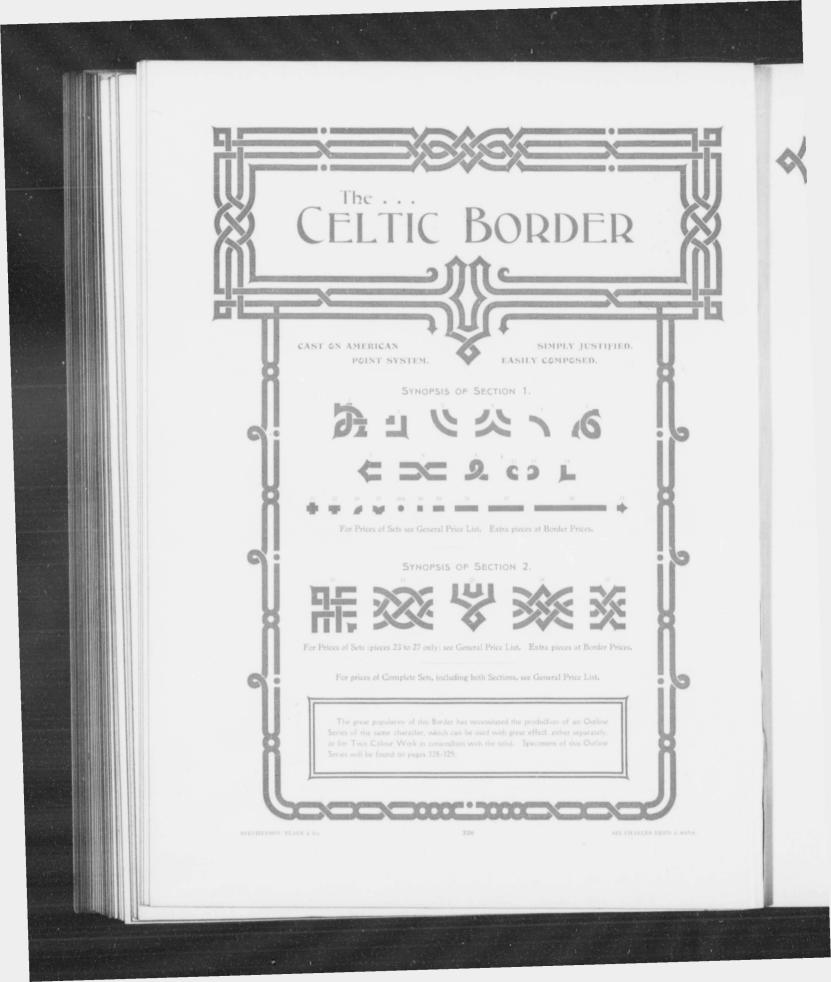


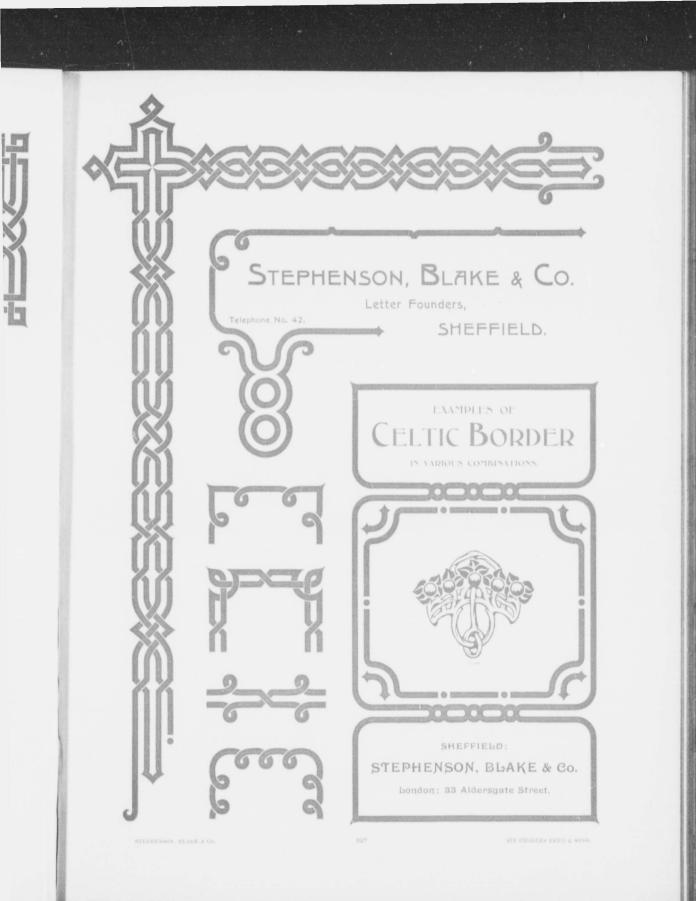


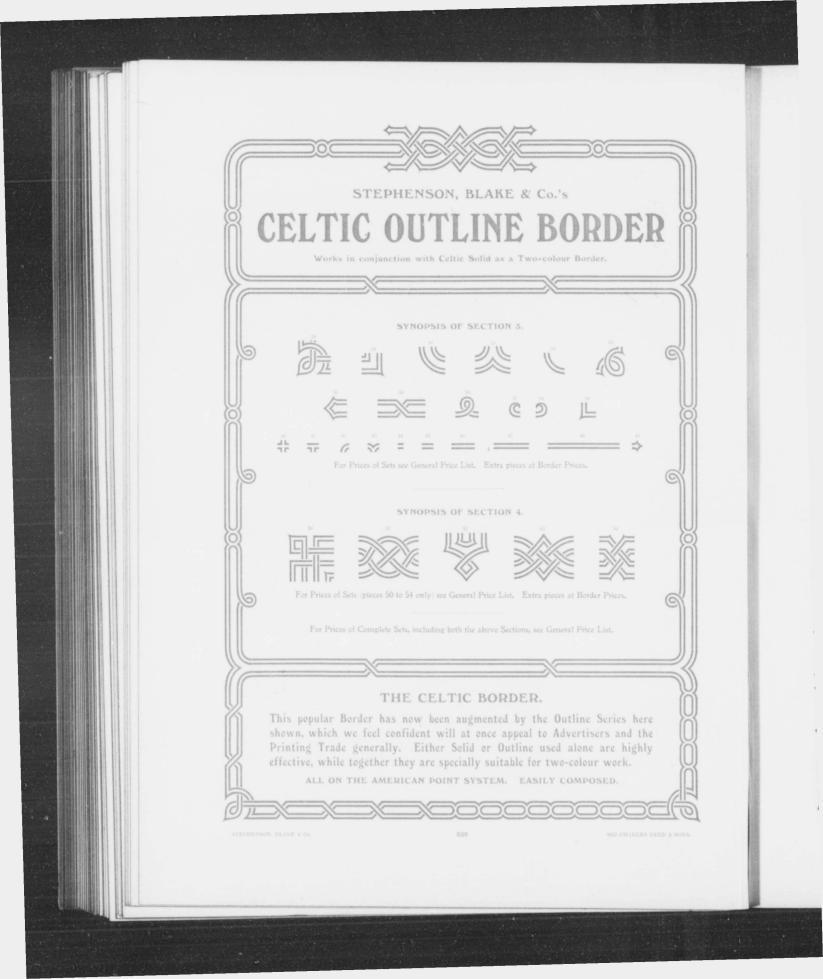
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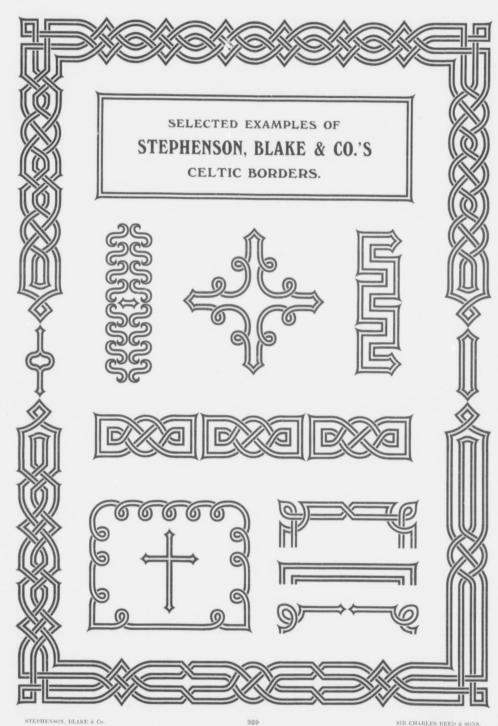






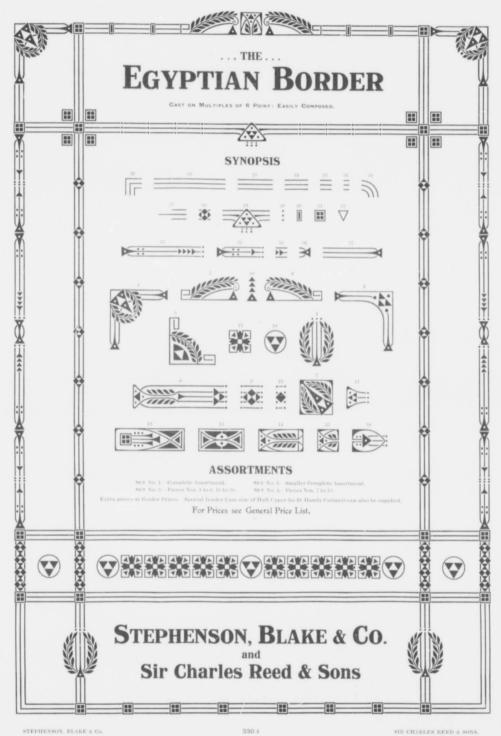


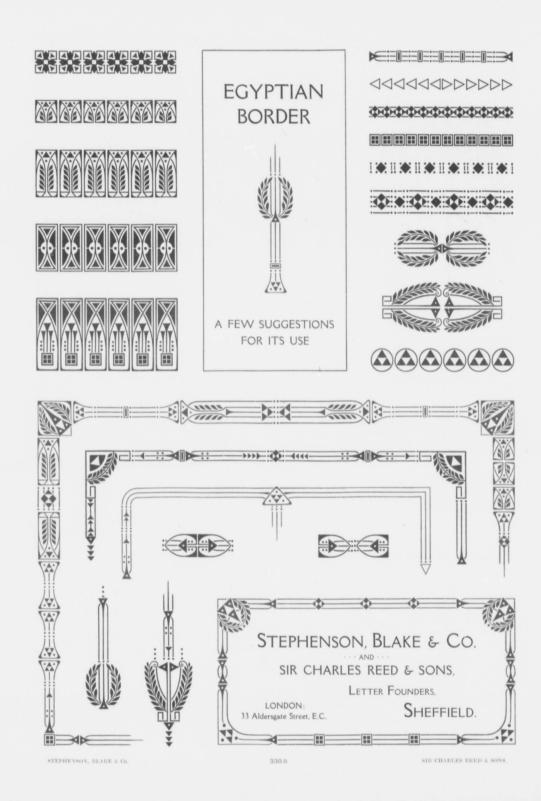




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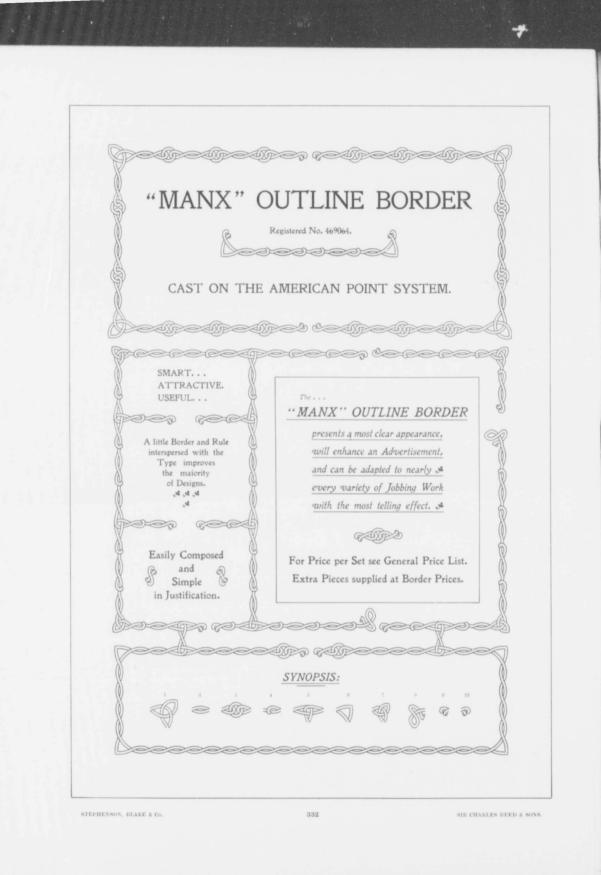


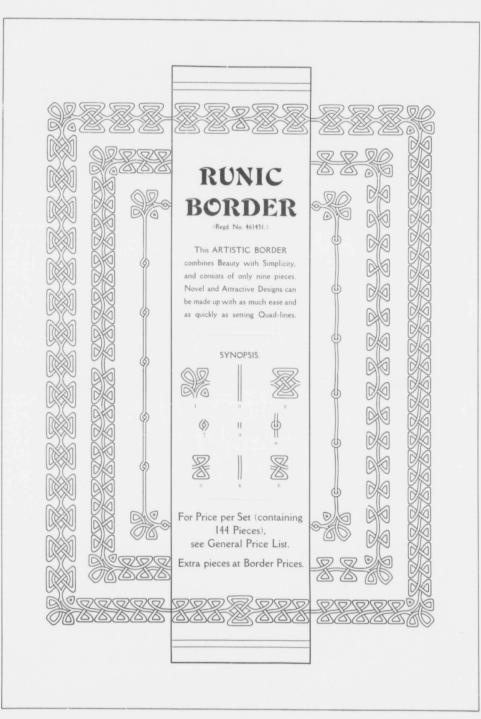


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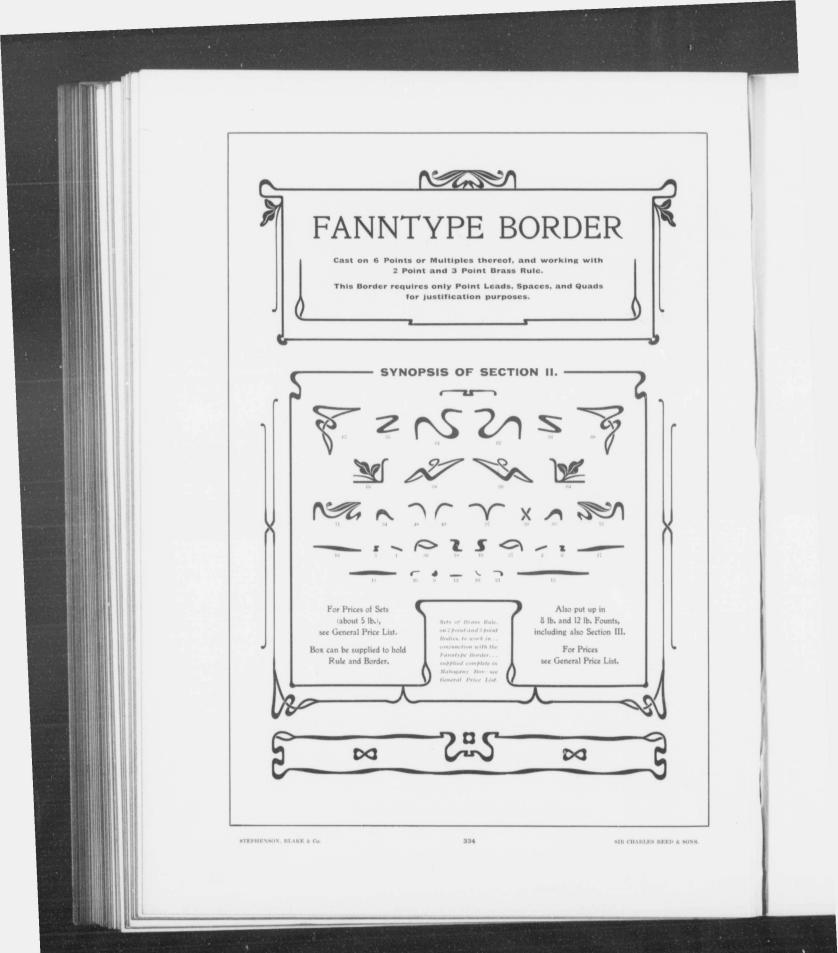


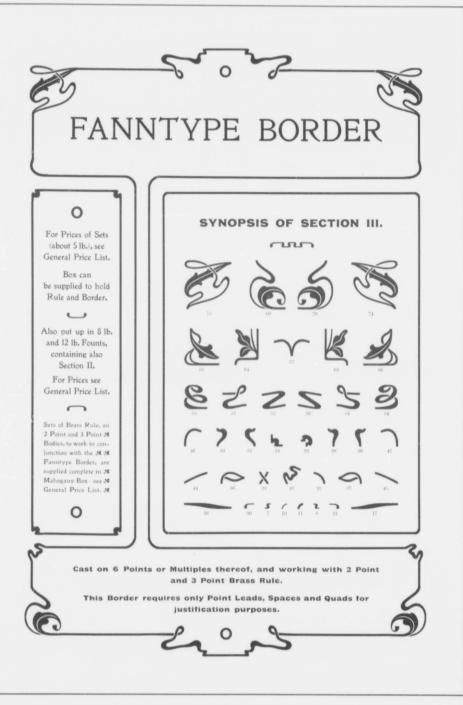




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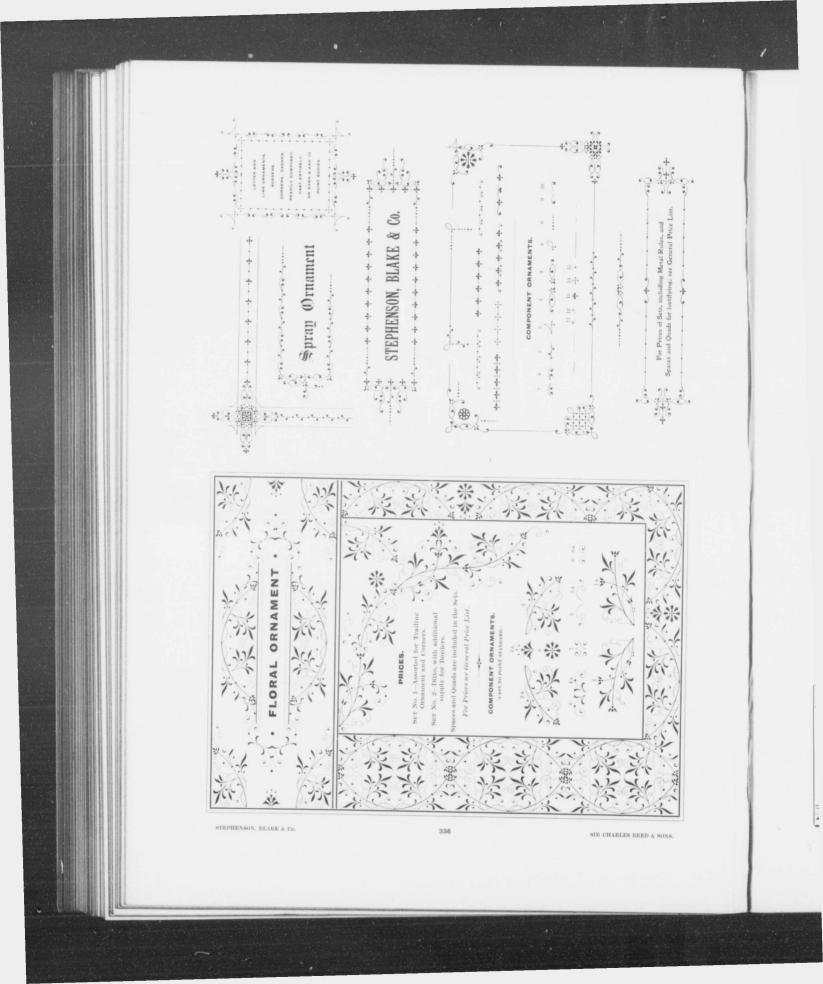
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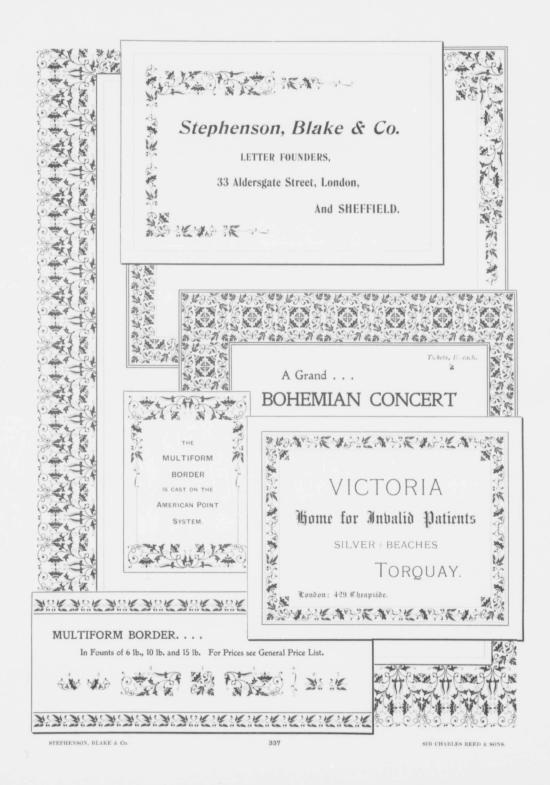




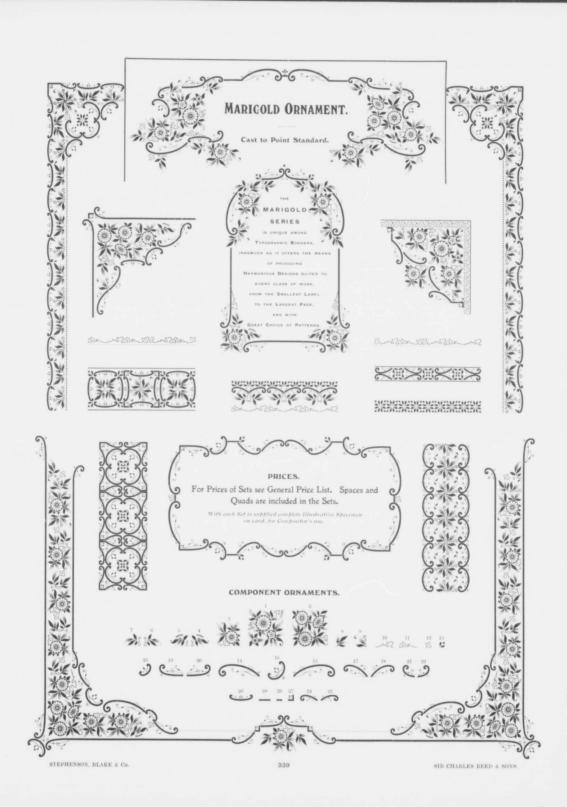
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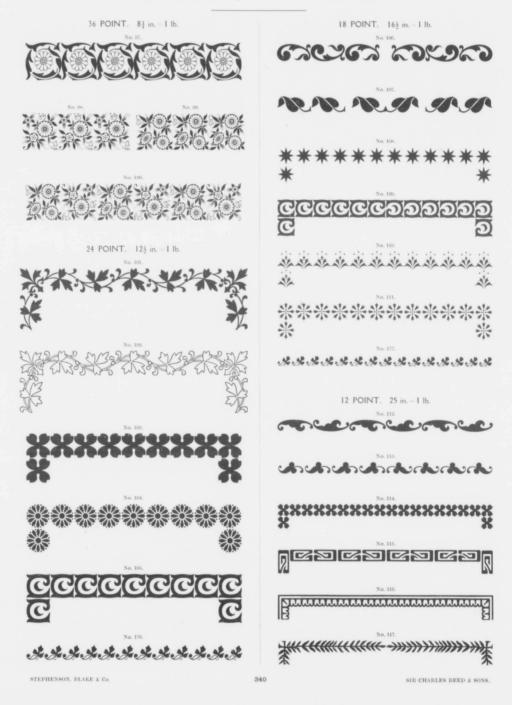


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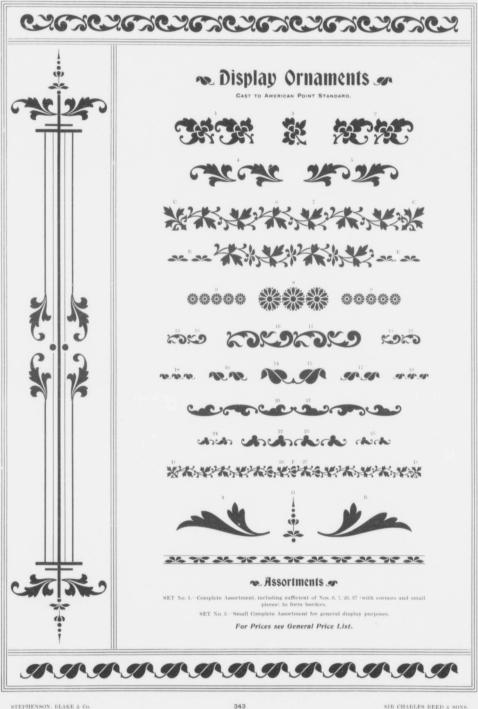
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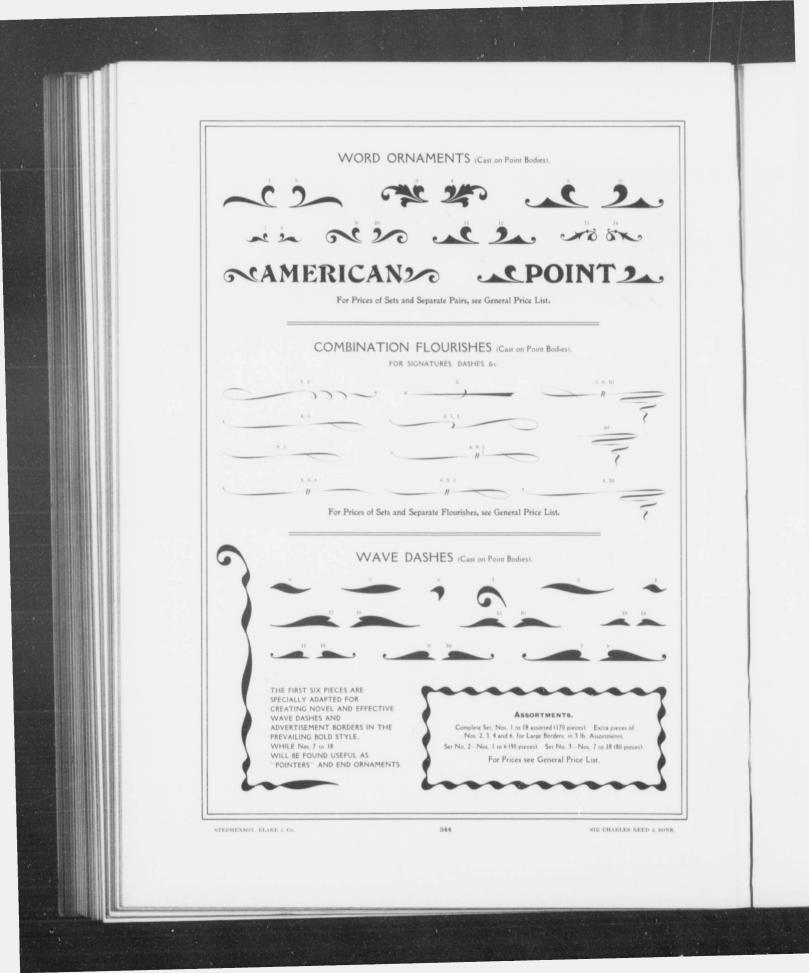
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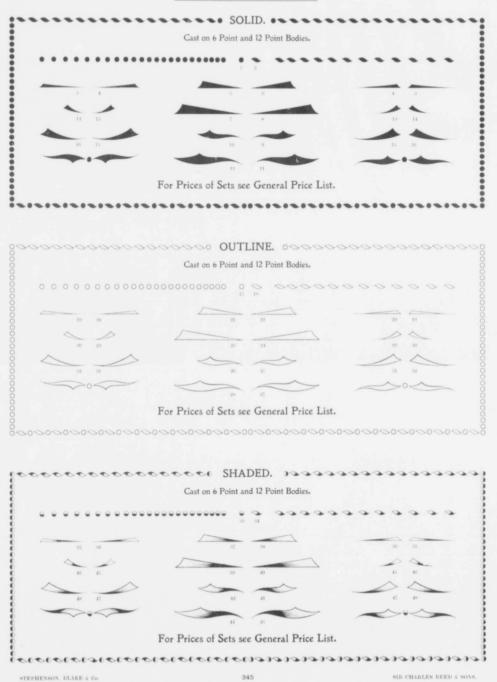
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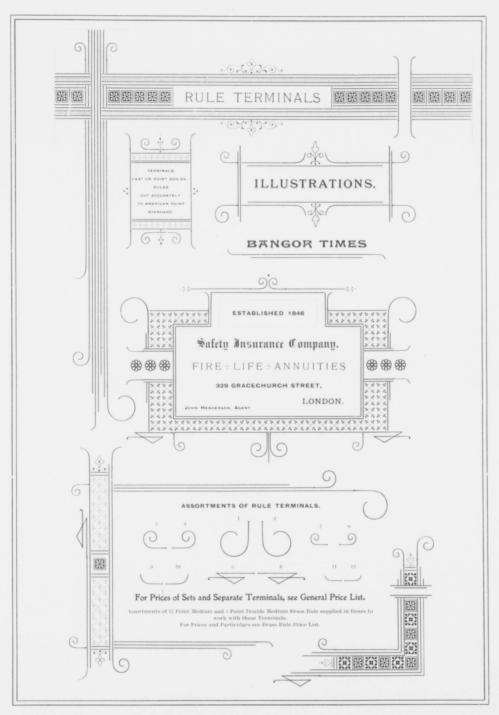
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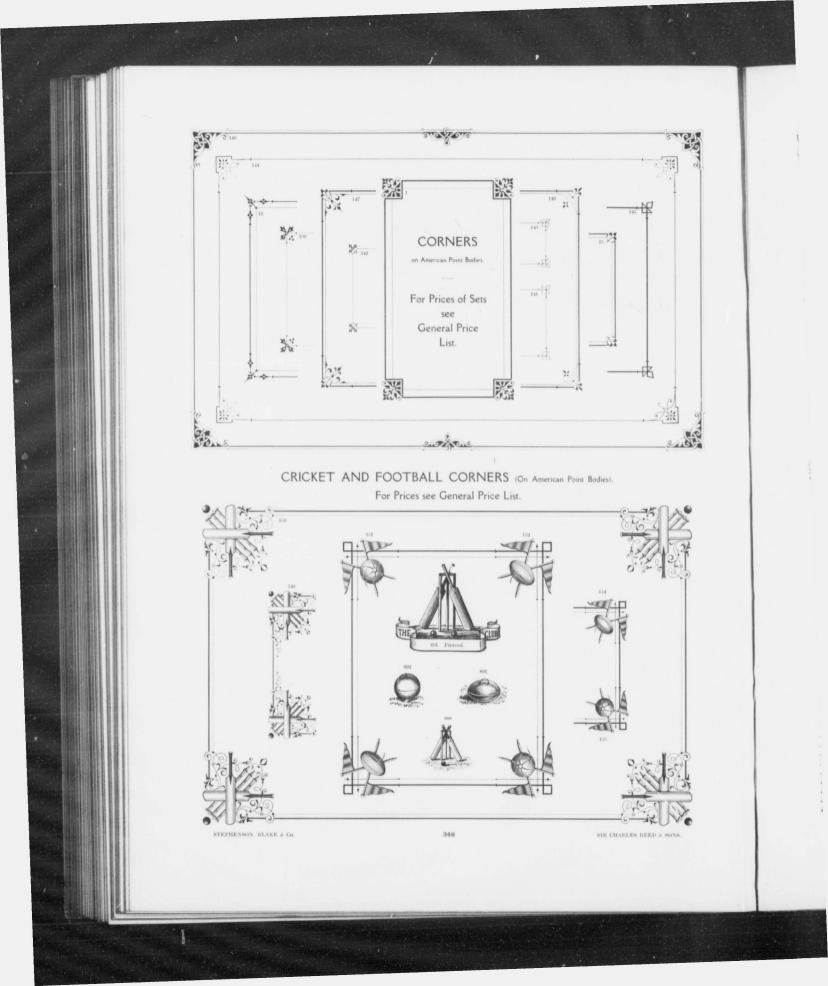


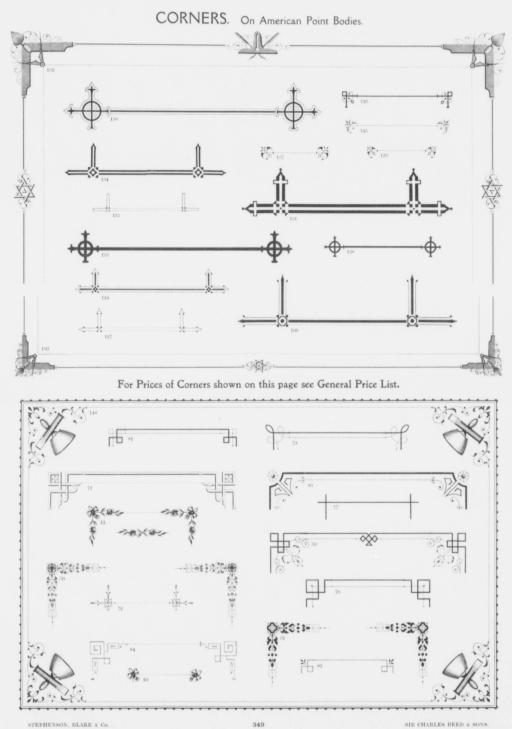


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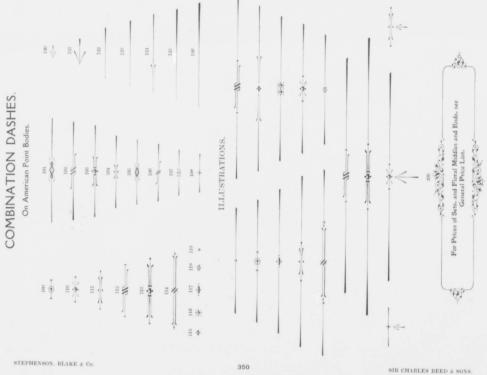




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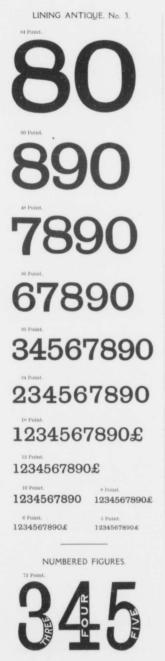


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Foundry: Sheffield. London: 33 Aldersgate St.

Set in Lining Old Style, No. 5.

STEEL FURNITURE.

The advantages of Steel Furniture being fully recognised, this most useful addition to the Printing Office can now be supplied in convenient assortments, made from high-class steel, with the greatest accuracy and

a preventative against rust.

may be briefly stated : Saves space in the office.



SRT NO. 1.

Saves labour in making up blank spaces in formes. The formes are lighter, truer, and can be more securely locked up. Greater accuracy, especially in colour work, ensured by its use.

Some of the advantages derived by the use of Steel Furniture

superior finish, by plant specially laid down for the purpose. The great utility of this Labour Saving Material is now well established, thus enabling it to be manufactured in large quantities, and by this means the cost of production is lessened. STEPHENSON, BLAKE & Co.'s Steel Furniture is, therefore, now offered at a very considerable reduction, as shown in the Price List, thus putting it within the reach of small as well as large printers. This Steel Furniture is made accurately to the American Point Standard in Sheffield; it is nickel-plated, and in addition is finely coated with a special lacquer, which forms

No risk of working up on the machine. Being practically indestructible, it is more economical than any other kind of furniture.

Makes six times as much blank space as an equal weight of metal furniture at much less cost for time.



As will be seen from the accompanying illustrations, the Steel Furniture is made in 24 Point and 36 Point body (which work together). The 24 Point is made with one notch and the 36 Point with two notches, and it is supplied in convenient assortments as follows:

Set 1Complete Set (assorted as below*)	1380 in.	***
Set 2Half of Set 1	690 in.	
Set 3 The 24 Point portion of Set 1	600 in.	***
Set 4 The 36 Point portion of Set 1	780 in.	
Set 5 Half of Set 3	300 in.	***
Set 6Half of Set 4	390 in.	

*The Complete Assortment consists of 8 pieces each length (24 Point body) 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40, 42 ems; and 8 pieces each length (36 Point body) 45, 48, 51, 54, 57, 60, 63, 66, 69, 72 ems; giving a total of 28 lengths, 224 pieces. In addition to these sizes, lengths of 9, 15, and 21 ems can be supplied in the 24 Point body; though not included in the sets, provision is made for them in the cases.

A Case is included with Sets 1, 2, 3 and 5.

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All the pieces are interchangeable, and work with each other.



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IMPROVED LEADS.

These Leads are cast and finished by patented machinery, and are unapproached for accuracy and finish. They are supplied in full lengths of 16 inches; or will be cut to sizes as required from 4 ems upwards, and in any assortment, at an extra charge of per lb.

Assortments of Leads. -Leads may be ordered in assortments, calculated on the following basis:

An assortment of 100 lb. gives 24 inches in height of all the sizes provided for in the Washington Lead Rack. An assortment of 36 lb. gives 2 inches in height of all the sizes provided for in the Eureka Lead Rack.

It will be seen that this formula provides a basis of calculation from which the printer may readily determine what weight will be required to fill the various divisions to whatever extent he may require; and as 1 inch of height gives, in 3 point—24 leads; in 2 point—36 leads; and in $1\frac{1}{2}$ point—48 leads, the number of leads in any given height is also quickly ascertained.

IMPROVED CLUMPS.

Cast in all bodies from 6 Point to 12 Point, on the American Point System, and supplied in the assortments described below, or cut to order to any size. They are manufactured with greatly improved accuracy and finish, and the form in which they are now

offered will be found very economical and convenient. The annexed diagram shows the 60 lb, assortment in suitable case, and indicates the proportions sent of each length. Other assortments supplied to order.

Two Cases for ditto, each.

SCALE 2.—30 lb. each of 6 Point and 12 Point, same lengths. Total 60 lb. Case for ditto.

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Clumps are supplied in all bodies in 16 in. lengths; or will be cut to sizes as required from 4 ems upwards, and in any assortment, at an extra charge of per lb.

Numbered Clumps for news work, 12 Point body, all widths to 16 ems, per doz.

Metal Corner Clumps, for use with Mitred Borders, cast on 12 Point and 6 Point bodies, per lb.

IMPROVED METAL FURNITURE AND QUOTATIONS.

Metal Furniture.—Accurately cast to point standard, and made up in the following assortments, in weights of 60 lb. and 120 lb. :—

Scale 1.—The following lengths and widths: 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 12, 14, 15, 16, 18, 20, 22, 24, 25, 30, 35, 40,

and 45 ems, by $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 10 line.

SCALE 2.—The same widths, but stopping at 25 ems in length. Or,

SCALE 3.—The 6, 8, and 10 line widths may be omitted altogether.

Quotations.—Supplied to the following sizes in 12 Point ems: -2×3 , 2×4 , 2×6 , 2×8 , 3×3 , 3×4 , 3×5 , 3×6 , 3×8 , 4×4 , 4×5 , 4×6 , 4×8 , 5×5 .

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PLAIN AND FANCY BRASS RULES.

All Rules on the American Point System. Cut or Mitred to order. Quote Number when ordering.

	AIN RULES (in 24 inch lengths).	FA	NCY RULES (in 16 inch lengths).
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37	4 Point.	171	3 Point.
38	5 Point.	175	3 Point.
90	3 Point.	176	a Point.
107	5 Point.	177	3 Point.
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CASES OF BRASS RULE.

Cases of 14 point and 2 point Brass Rule can be supplied, cut to any of the following Scales the size being distinctly marked on each Rule :-

Scale 1. 64	Pieces each	h from	1 to	151	ems,	rising	by 6	Points.
40	Pieces	., 1	6 tc	251	**		6	Points.
40	Pieces	2	6 to	36		**	12	Points.
30	Pieces	., 3	18 tc	50	11	**	24	Points.

Scale 2. Half of Scale 1.

Scale 3. 24 Pieces each from 1 to 151 ems, rising by 6 Points.

- Scale 4. 24 Pieces each, 1, 2, 21, 3, 31, 4, 41, and 5 ems. 24 Pieces each from 6 to 18 ems, rising by 24 Points. 18 Pieces , 20 to 30 , , , 24 Points.
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2 point Rule: SCALE 1,	SCALE 2,	SCALE 3,	SCALE 4,

CASES FOR SETS OF LABOUR-SAVING RULES.

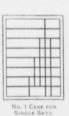
(For Particulars of Sets and Specimens of Rules, see page 366.)

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The Cases, of which illustrations are here given, are designed to hold the Sets of Labour-Saving Brass Rules, of which particulars are given on page 366. The No. 1 Case will hold any Set up to 6 Point body, and the No. 2 Case will accommodate any two Sets of any body.

The No. 1 Case being small is specially handy, its size enabling the compositor to place it near him wherever desired on the frame or stone.

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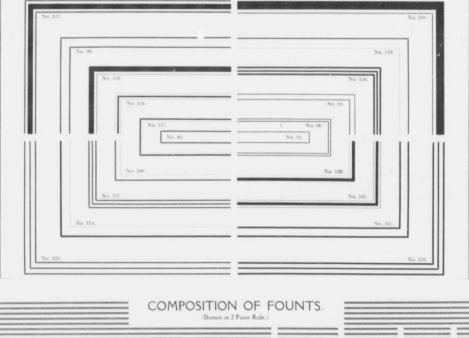
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These Sets of Border Rules contain an assortment of various lengths, with mitred pieces for corners, at

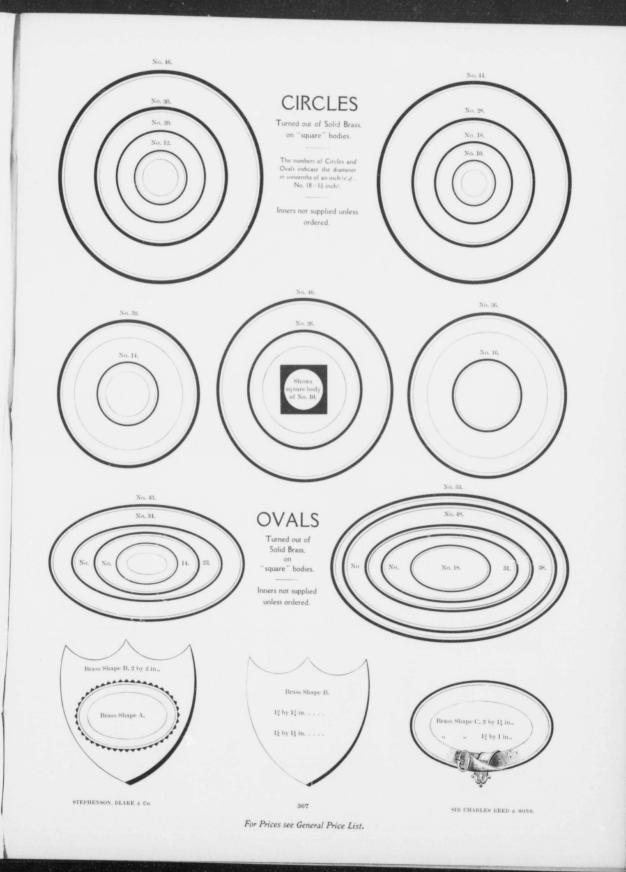
The assortment consists of eight pieces each $\frac{1}{2}$, 1, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$, 1 $\frac{1}{4}$, 2, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$, 3, 3 $\frac{1}{2}$, 4, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ and 5 ems; ten pieces each 6, 8, 10, 12, 15 and 18 ems; eight pieces each 20 and 24 ems; eight pairs each 6, 3 and 2 em mitred pieces; eight pieces each 3 and 2 em double mitres; four pieces 1 em double mitres; 4 pairs 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ em parallel mitred pieces. See illustration at foot of page.

The Rules shown below are specially recommended for this purpose, but any other patterns are supplied at corresponding rates. Other assortments can be cut to any requirement.





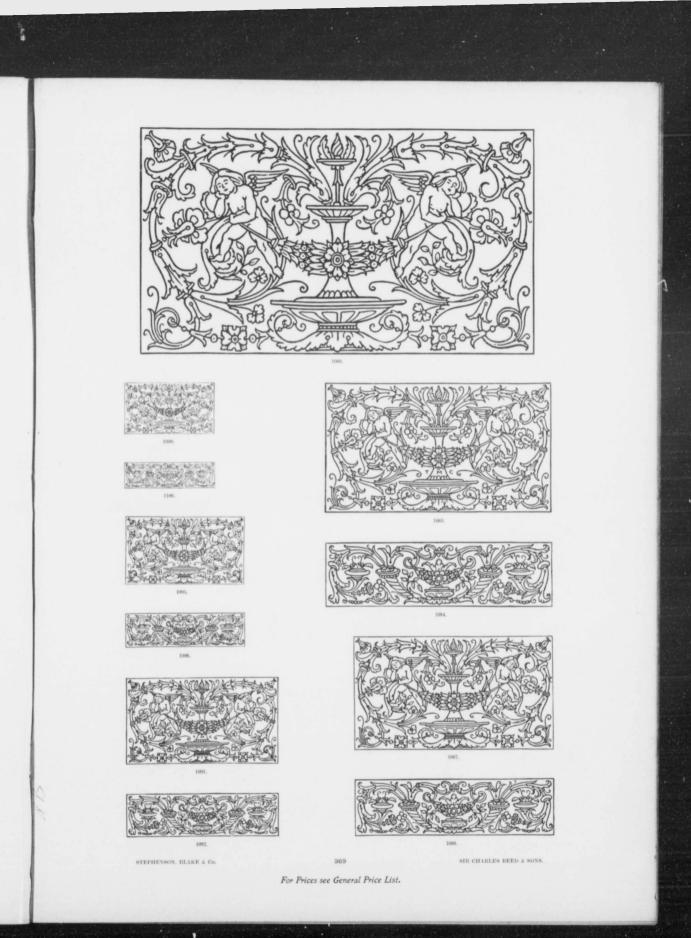
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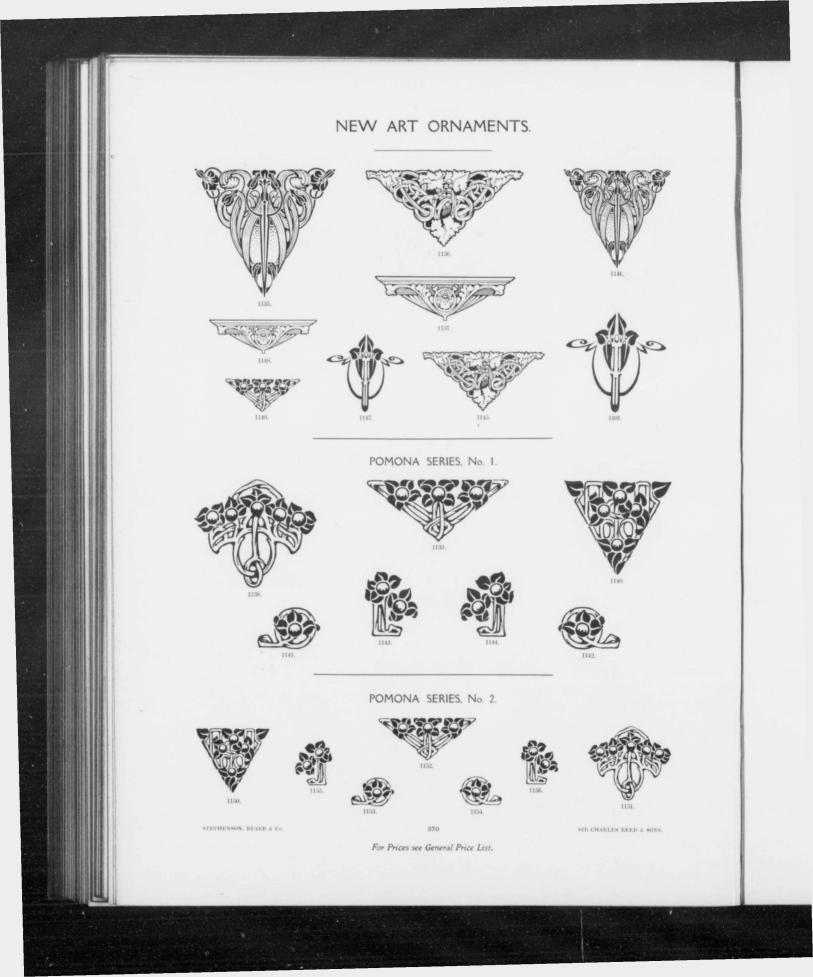




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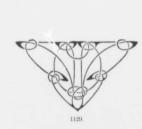








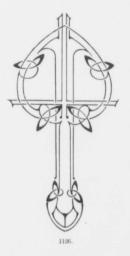








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