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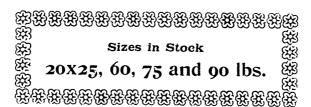
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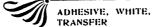
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PAPER AND INK.

Vol. II Toronto, June 1st, 1896

No. 5

MOURNING NOTE PAPER.

T has more than once been asked, When did the use of black-bordered paper come into vogue? The question is not altogether easy to answer. row black border to note paper is called by stationers an "Italian border;" and this would seem to suggest that the fashion was brought to England from Italy. There is ample evidence to show that mourning paper was in familiar use in England at the time when Mann wrote (1745), and for many years before that date. The writer of a number of the Connoisseur, one of the most interesting of the periodical papers that followed in the wake of the Spectator, makes fun of the dismal mourning customs that were then prevalent. "But what I most of all admire," he continues, 'is the ingenious contrivance by which persons spread the tidings of the death of their relations to the most distant parts, by means of blackedged paper and black sealing-wax." The writer hints that merry tales and amorous billets doux might more often be found conveyed under these dismal passports than doleful lamentations or reflections on mortality. He supposes that originally black-edged paper was intended, like gilt paper, for the use of the polite world only. But the fashions of the quality were aped by those beneath them in the social scale, and so the moralist was not surprised to be told by a stationer near the Exchange

that he not only sold a great quantity of mourning paper to the citizens, but he had lately blacked the edges of their shopbooks for several tradesmen!

DEFENDER COVER PAPERS.

THE cover of Paper and Ink on this issue is from our stock of Defender Cover Papers an ad, of which appears elsewhere on these pages. Our object in using this cover is for the purpose of showing the effect that can be obtained by a little careful thought. The dies used had been cast aside as useless metal and as all printing establishments have more or less old metal lying around, we have endeavored to show our customers how much that has been discarded can be turned to good effect when used in conjunction with Defender Cover Paper.

CHEAP WATERPROOFING.

As a "tip by the way" to those who may wish to avail themselves of the information, a cheap waterproof wrapping paper may be made by coating the paper on one side with any of the waterproof shoe blackings now on the market. For a great variety of uses the material will prove perfectly satisfactory. It is, of course, not offered as a waterproof paper in the scientific sense of that term, but for commoner uses.

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CAUSE OF DETERIORATION.

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THE ART OF ADVERTISING.

IN looking through the pages of advertisements in some of our leading papers and journals, it is astonishing to note the number of advertisers whose one aim appears to be to cram the biggest quantity of matter into the least possible space. This is a fatal mistake, and calculated only to bring disappointment and vexation to the advertiser who is led away by it. To those who advertise because they want to get business we give a little advice which will work if carried into effect. Be specific. Be a specialist in your advertisements. Make every advertisement a "special." Do not gener-Be brief and to the point. Combine boldness with clearness, and use only the words that are necessary to produce the desired impression- Exchange.

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CHEAPNESS vs. QUALITY.

DURCHASERS of paper often forget that the very characteristics which go to cheapen paper also tend toward rendering it both weak and perishable. The cheap processes which have been introduced to meet the demand for lowpriced product render it possible for us to have cheap books and other reading matter, and are accordingly a benefit to the race rather than an injury to it. theless, to expect a paper with the real strength to be gotten by the use of new linens at the price of paper made from sulphite pulp is to make demands upon scientific paper-making which the latter is, as yet, unable to meet. The one reliable rule for those who absolutely require first-class papers is to pay good prices for them, or, of a surety, dissatisfaction will ensue sooner or later. Any lowering in price means a corresponding lowering in grade of material used. Otherwise the paper-maker is a philanthropist or else unwittingly courts disaster.

A NEW WRINKLE.

A CCORDING to Stationery, Mr. Barnwell, of Manchester, announces that he has discovered a method of treating printing inks of various colors so that they may be used side by side on the same inking roller, without in the least flowing sideways or mixing with one another. He claims that by his method several colors may be printed in one impression. He treats ordinary printing inks with three mixtures, successively. The first contains castor oil, turpentine, glycerine, oil of tar, and copaiba balsam; the second consists of sulphuric ether and chloroform; the third of liquid ammonia, aromatic spirits of ammonia, and ipecacuanha. After pouring off any liquid, the ink is ready for use.

ADVERTISERS' CHAT.

WE call special attention to the cover of this issue being printed on Defender Cover Paper, the latest novelty in Cover Papers. Defender cover is especially adapted for high grade embossing and can be used to great advantage in catalogue work, etc. The price, 15 cents per lb., brings it within reach of all desirous of turning out first class work. Special quotations to those requiring a quantity.

WE are prepared to give a special discount from list to those requiring Office Baskets in quantities of one dozen, either in one size or assorted.

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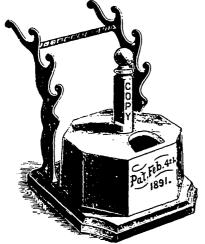
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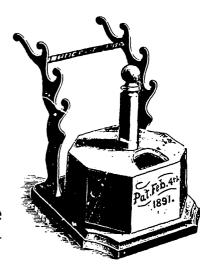
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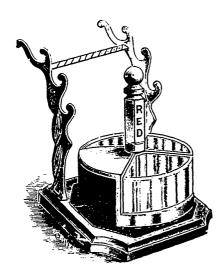
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RANDOM READINGS.

WRITE for a Laughlin Fountain Pen best on the market.

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CYRIL DAVENPORT, of the British Museum, says that Holland is the country which, more than any other, nearly approaches England in the variety of its historic bindings. The Dutch bindings, however, are generally copies from French originals.

A NEW paper-cutting machine has been patented in France which is worked by a hydraulic apparatus that controls both the locking of the paper and the action of the knife. The block is automatically unlocked and the knife raised every time the latter has done its work.

It is an axiom in paper-making that the more chemical treatment the production of paper requires the less color and strength will the finished product have.

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There is a value in the reputation of making thoroughly first-class goods which it would be difficult to fix in money, but which is none the less real. It costs a great deal to acquire such a reputation, but when once gained when the idea of supreme quality is once fixed in the popular mind—no amount of competition from goods of equal merit can take away the reputation of an article, except through the neglect of the maker.

SPAIN is going to vex the United States by urging paper tiles for roofing purposes instead of those from baked clay. A French contemporary says this industry is very successful beyond the Pyrenees, the tiles being made of papier maché and steeped in silicate of soda or of potash; they are variously colored.

Farming, published monthly by the Bryant Press, of Toronto, is one of the most interesting publications that come into our office. The press work and composition do the publishers great credit, but the chief attraction lies in the large amount of interesting and useful knowledge contained in its columns. The May number contains a full description of the Toronto Horse Show, with cuts of the prize winners, etc. Farming, is one of the very best monthlies and should be heartily supported, as the subscription, \$1.00 per year, places it within reach of everybody.

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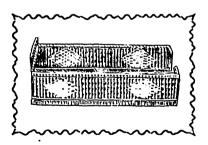


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In a "limited edition" book, recently issued, titled "Sketches of Printers and Printing in Colonial New York," the author says that there was a "New York Evening Post" in 1744. One paper of this early period was called the "Lying Gasette," and another was considered so untruthful that it was said of it "the line on the top giving the name of the printer and the price of the paper were the only words of truth in it. The Nation remarks that as the Gazette claimed a circulation in that primitive time of 3,600 copies, the "circulation lie" may be "of older origin than is commonly supposed."

It is said that the proofs of half-tone printing blocks, which in the majority of cases accompany the latter, and are sent in by the engraver as showing the possibilities of his work upon the press, are sometimes anything but examples of the actual printing qualities of the block. A British paper prints a note from somebody in which certain etchers (names not given) are said to be guilty of the charge. may be said here that practical men should examine the block itself, and then determine the printing quality. Generally speaking, whatever can be done by the engraver upon the hand-press can be better done upon the power-press with its superior distribution.





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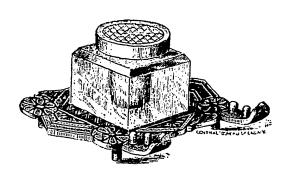
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