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## WARREN'S LIBRARY TEXT

NHEN one thinks of a library as "the treasure house of the world," a new significance may appear in the title, LIBRARY TEXT. This name implies a paper which has admirable qualities for legibility in type and a suitable surface for such kinds of technical and reference illustrations as may be used in works on the sciences, industries and for school books. This is a distinct field for Warren's Library Text. It is not a coated paper, but its surface has been developed through certain finishing processes to the point where well prepared illustrations can be printed upon it to advantage in large editions.

Warren's Library Text folds well and has the necessary strength required in standard works. It may also be secured in lighter weights than coated papers, and is being used to an increasing extent in catalogue making. It is not intended for vignetted and brilliant illustrations, but those of certain lines of merchandise and manufactured products can be printed upon Warren's Library Text with a distinct saving in weight. An instance of this is in a recent edition of a large catalogue issued by the Murphy Chair Company, Cleveland. There are advantages in the use of Warren's Library Text for music sheets in which decorative titles, the music score and the text can all be presented with due merits.

Warren's Library Text, one of Warren's Standard Printing Papers, is used for many forms of direct advertising. Illustrated price lists, follow-up folders and broadsides are being produced in large edition work on Warren's Library Text, so that while the name, Library Text, suggests its principal field, it still offers many opportunities as an all-round paper.

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CASLON I
From the original painting by Kyte, shown in the specimen book of H. W. Caslon \& Co., London.
"This new Foundery was begun in the year 1720, and finished 1763; and will (with God's leave) be carried on, improved and inlarged, by William Caslon and Son, Letter Founders in London."

William Caslon began engraving punches in the year 1716.
Among those whose names are indelibly written into the history of the Arts of Printing and Type Founding during the last hundred and ninety years, few did more to advance those arts than William Caslon of London, who, through his skill as a punch-cutter and type-founder, gave to the world a face of type the use of which has covered nearly two centuries, and the popularity of which increases rather than diminishes with the years; and which, for beauty of form, readability and dignity, as well as effectiveness as a display letter, when rightly used, has rarely been surpassed.

Walter Gilliss

## EARLY AND MODERN TYPE FACES



HE step from block printing to movable type marked the greatest single advance in the civilization of the world. Printing has meant even more than the inscription over Coster's doorway: "The art preservative of arts." It has been a world power in the dissemination of knowledge through books, in quickening the human pulse by the news and great events through the press and as the universal point of contact in industrial, commercial and social life.

The earliest types were in black letter, in imitation of manuscript. Then followed the development of Roman types under Latin and Anglo-Saxon influences. Some of the noblest of Roman lettering was inscriptions on triumphal arches and classic buildings and in type forms in the Jenson and Elzevir faces. To Aldus, we owe the introduction of what was known then as cursive and now as italic types.

Most prominent among the Anglo-Saxon types has been the general classification of modern, based on the thick and thin elements with pointed serifs. One of the most important examples of book types is of English origin, Caslon Oldstyle.

There must always be a definite adjustment between the types and papers upon which they are to be used. Roman and light faced types look thin and wiry on coated papers, while nearly all modern display faces print well on highly finished papers. Under the present day tendency toward formality in typography, bookish types are more commonly used as a part of the revival in the appreciation of antique book papers.

In previous generations, many fine volumes were issued upon the invention and history of printing, but in recent years there have been but few comprehensive works. The student of printing and those who wish to acquire ability in modern typography must turn to early work as the model for format and for the best uses in accessory features of design and display.

In connection with the commemoration of the Franklin 200th Anniversary, the Boston Public Library issued a reference list of books on the history and art of printing. Hereafter, the student of printing may find in this reference list a guide to important volumes containing a comprehensive grouping from which an intelligent basis can be obtained.

In the accompanying pages are examples of a few standard types with explanatory titles about their origin and present day use.

# A S P E C I M E N 

## By WILLIAM CASLON, Letter-Founder, in Chifwell-Street, LONDON.

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## Quoufque tandem abutere,

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Two Lines Englith
Quoufque tandem abutere, Catilina, patientia noftra? quamdiu nos etiam furor ifte tuus elu2uoifque tandem abutere, Catilina, patientia nof fra? quamdiu nos etiam furor

Double PicaRoman.
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## Great Primer Roman.

Quourque tandem abutêre, Catilina, patientia noftra? quamdiu nos etiam furor ifte tuus eludet? quem ad finem fefe effrenata jactabit audacia? nihilne te nocturnum prafidium palatii, nihil urbis vigilix, nihil timor populi, nihil conABCDEFGHIJKLMNOPQRS

Englisa Roman.
Quourque tandem abutêre, Catilina, patientia noftra? quarmdiu nos etiam furor itte tuus cludet quem ad finem fefce effrenata jactabit audacia ?
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## Great Primer Italick.

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The broadside, of which the above is a reduced facsimile, is the earliest specimen of types issued by William Caslon I. Only one copy of this important specimen is known to be in existence. It is in the possession of the American Type Founders Company, and is exhbited in the Typographic Library and Museum in Jersey City. Until the year 1909 a broadside specimen with the Chiswell Street address (also in the same library) was supposed to be the earliest.


Men may be pure as alabaster and Parian marble, elegant as a Tuscan villa, sublime as Niagara, and yet if there is no milk mingled with the wine at their entertainments, better is the hospitality of Goths and Vandals. My Friend is not of some other race or family of men, but flesh of my flesh, bone of my bone. He is my real brother. I see his nature groping yonder so like mine. We do not live far apart. Have not the fates associated us in many ways? Is it of no significance that we have so long partaken of the same loaf, drunk at the same fountain, breathed the same air, summer and winter, felt the same heat and cold; that the same fruits have been pleased to refresh us both, and we have never had a thought of different fiber the one from the other!

A-An example of uniform spacing with three-em spaces
and leaded with two-point leads

As surely as the sunset in my latest November shall translate me to the ethereal world, and remind me of the ruddy morning of youth; as surely as the last strain of music which falls on my decaying ear shall make age to be forgotten, or, in short, the manifold influences of nature survive during the term of our natural life, so surely my Friend shall forever be my Friend, and reflect a ray of God to me, and time shall foster and adorn and consecrate our Friendship, no less than the ruins of temples As I love nature, as I love singing birds, and gleaming stubble, and flowing rivers, and morning and evening, and summer and winter, I

Nature doth have her dawn each day,
But mine are far between;
Content, I cry, forsooth to say, Mine brightest are I ween.

For when my sun doth deign to rise Though it be her noontide, IIer fairest field in shadow lies, Nor can my light abide.

Sometimes I bask me in her day, Conversing reith my mate, But if rue interchange one ray, Forthwith her heats abate.

Through his discourse I climb and see, As from some eastern hill,
A brighter morrozu rise to me Than fieth in her skill.

As 'twere two summer days in one, Trwo Sunday's come together, Our rays united make one sun, With fairest summer weather.

B-The proper spacing with four-em spaces and leaded with
two two-point leads

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D -The same matter as " "C" but too widely spaced producing
the common fault of rivers in text matter
C-An excellent standard of spacing in widely leaded matter
Comparative displays in leading and spacing in which the example " $A$ " shows many advantages over " C " and " D "

In the final analysis there is but one thing to do if you want to broaden yourself along these lines. Go to your printer, your engraver, your paper-maker, or jobher, and admit your ignorance. Throw yourself upon his good graces. He will welcome the opportunity to inform you, for by so doing you will be able to work more intelligently with him and it will show in the results for both of you. Then, when you order a job of printing, you will speak as one having authority and not as an incompetent and amateur. The blunders you will avoid, the efficiency you will secure, the better work all along the line, will save thousands of dollars for your department in a year and increase your value to your concern. And, what is more, you will find the subject, in all its ramifications,

E-Correct spacing in which several hyphens are necessary

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F-Spaced to overcome the hyphens, but not as good composition

## THE FEATURES OF A

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THE USUAL FORMS WITH
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H-A less pleasing effect due to monotony in leading

## OUR LEADERS

FROM the beginning, two great instinctive forees have worked in man impelling him to expression. These are the demands of neeessity leading to invention, and the demands of his emotional nature to satisfy his longings. Some one has reminded us that "the art of infaney is the infaney of art."

In the erude, often grotesque art of the past we read man's attempt to supply his simple needs and satisfy his primitive tastes, and we see a people in process of cvolution as they applied nature's forms and forees to their inventions and sought to beautify them in aecordanee with the prineiples of order, unity, balanee, rhythm, and harmony. When these people passed away, their art was all that remained, and in it we largely read the history of their eivilization, a book of art that reeords, not alone their thoughts, but their deepest and best feelings as well.

Art has ever been a medium for liberal edueation, for it has been the vehiele for its propagation and dissemination. As our edueation opens the door to the world of art, the world that man has created, and we eontemplate the mighty works of arehiteeture, seulpture, painting, music, and literature, we are so impressed by eharaeters and seenes, bearing in turn the mighty impress of the artists who created them, that we follow where they have led, hoping by so doing to reach the same heights.
C. VALENTINE KIRBY

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transpose
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put in italic
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quotation marks
hyphen
space
even spacing
push down space
broken letter

THE above marks are the ones most generally used in proofreading. There are many others that are required in different classes of work, but these are in the main self-explanatory. This display of proof marks and their meanings was prepared from standardized practice and endorsed by the Boston Proofreaders Association.


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