

DESIGN.

W. F. CAPITAIN.  
FONT OF PRINTING TYPE.

No. 19,800.

Patented May 6, 1890.

A B C D E F G H I J

K L M N O P Q R S T

U V W X Y Z & T H C

a b c d e f g h i j k l

m n o p q r s t u v w

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# UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE.

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## DESIGN FOR A FONT OF PRINTING-TYPE.

SPECIFICATION forming part of Design No. 19,800, dated May 6, 1890.

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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, WILLIAM F. CAPTAIN, a citizen of the United States, residing at Chicago, in the county of Cook and State of Illinois, have invented and produced a new and original Design for a Font of Printing-Type; and I do hereby declare the following to be a full, clear, and exact description of the same.

My invention relates to a new design for a font of printing-type, consisting of plain heavy-faced letters and numerals formed of lines of unvarying thickness, having the peculiar shape as hereinafter described and as shown in the typographical impressions herewith presented.

The back and front lines of A, H, M, N, V, and W, the back lines of B, D, and K, and the stems of L and P are very slightly curved. The upper portion of the back line of A is inclined forward at an obtuse angle and is extended over and slightly in front, not touching the upper end of the front line of this letter. The lower curve of B is extended backward, below, and slightly beyond the lower end of the back line of the letter. The curve of C gradually diminishes from the upper to the lower portion, which extends obliquely downward and forward below the bottom of D. The middle line

of H is slightly curved and extended across and beyond the back line of the letter. The lower front portions of capital K and lower-case k are curved backward and extend below and terminate slightly in front of the lower ends of the back lines. O and Q are open at the top. The lower portion of the curved line of P terminates slightly in front of the stem of the letter. The upper portion of R is curved and extended backward, slightly beyond and above the upper end of the back line of the letter, and the lower front portion of this letter consists of a straight line extending obliquely downward and forward below the lower end of the back line. The front portion of the lower-case v is curved backward and extended upward beyond the top of the back line.

What I claim as new is—

The design for a font of printing-type, as herein described and shown.

In testimony whereof I have affixed my signature in presence of two witnesses.

WILLIAM F. CAPTAIN.

Witnesses:

THOS. WILSON,  
JAMES HAWKINS.