The Card and Stamp Circular.

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STYLES OF TYPE.

No. 12

No. 1

No. 2

Charles P. Corson.

John Neal Hopkins.

MARION L. PINKHAM.

Alf. C. Morse.

No. 10

Marion Louise Ritchie.

No. 5 can be used only for short names, and No. 11 can not be used for names containing over ten letters. Glass cards look best printed in No. 9 type, although we will use No's 2, 5 or 6 if desired.

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We send any of the following cards by mail, postage pre-paid, to any address in the U. S. and Canadas on receipt of price.

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We will put up packs of 25, 50 and 100 cards of the following styles all mixed together, at the same prices as given for Granite and Plaid Cards. Snowflake, Marble, Repp, Damask, University and Gingham Plaid, Granite and Extra Bristol. The different colors of each kind will be mixed in.

Extra White Bristol; Tinted Bristol, 10 colors; Blank Scroll, 10 designs; Acquaintance, 5 styles; Granite, 6 colors; University Plaid, 3 colors, Ging-ham Plaid, 5 colors; Damask, 8 colors; Repp, 4 col-ors; Mourning; Embossed Bristol, 4 colors; Snow Flake, 7 colors; Marble, 5 colors; Small Chromo, 10 designs; Blank Gold Scroll, 10 designs; Gelatine or Glass cards, 6 colors; Excelsior Chromo Cards, 12 designs; Prang's Chromo Cards, 500 different de-signs, at very low prices.

BUSINESS CARDS.

Sent post-paid on receipt of price. We use white Bristol Board for our Business Cards. We use a fine

white Bristol Board for our Business Cards.
Size 3 1-2 x 2 1-4 inches, 500, \$1.50; 1000, \$2.50.
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PARTICULAR NOTICE.

We want it to be distinctly understood that all our cards are of the very finest quality of card board, and are of full size, (17-8 x 33-8 inches.) Our cards are very finely printed, not daubed, and we never al-iow a poorly printed card to leave our office. Other parties may advertise to do cards a few cents cheaper than we do, but if you send to them you will either lose your money, or else receive cards of small size, inferior stock and poor execution. Our prices are the very lowest at which Good work can be done, and our cards always suit. Try us, and we guarantee that you will be more than satisfied.

READ THESE DIRECTIONS.

Select the style of type you want, and order by the number.

5 cents extra is charged for printing the address

on a pack of cards.

Names printed in gold or silver 15 cents extra for every pack of 50 or less. All Glass Cards are either printed in gold or silver, (state which you desire.) Marble Cards can only be printed in black. Write names to be printed very plainly, and al-ways state amount of money enclosed. Sign your

name and post office in full every time you write us.
All orders must be accompanied by the cash,
Send large orders by registered letter. Any information cheerfully given, and samples of our printing sent to any address on receipt of stamp for postage Address all orders to

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Our selection of type, border, rule, etc., embrace the newest and handsomest designs, and we have in operation the best presses in use among printers. We are not an amateur concern, but have an experience of over seven years in the best offices in New England, and have been in the business for ourselves since 1877. All work entrusted to us will receive since 1873. All work entrusted to us will receive our immediate supervision, and will be done in a

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in every city, town and school to canvass for our cards. We give better terms to agents than any other card printers. Send us a stamp for Agents' Price List and samples, or 10 cents for complete Agents' Outfit, and go to work at once. You can make money at it. DON'T DELAY but SEND NOW.

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Our limited space prevents us giving a very ex-tended price-list of single Stamps; however we give a list of some of the rare and scarcer varieties and new issues, we have in stock, with prices marked much below regular catalogue rates. A large as-sortment of cheap and rare stamps in stock, which we will price on receipt of list of wants. A good we will price on receipt of list of wants. A good way to buy the cheaper stamps is in packets or sets. We also have a very large stock of U.S. and Foreign Revenue stamps, and Match, Medicine and Card stamps in great variety. Send list of wants, with stamp for reply, which will be returned with prices of those in stock.

Special Inducements to Collectors

To any collector or dealer purchasing from us at ONE time stamps to the amount of \$2.00, we will present with a packet of 10 newly issued stamps, worth at catalogue rates from 50 to 75 cents, and to any one whose purchases IN ONE MONTH shall have aggregated \$5.00 or over, we will present with a very rure unused stamp, warranted genuine, and guaranteed to be worth over \$2. at catalogue rates.

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	Danish West Indies, 3 c., 1867, .05	*Deccan, 1 a, 1868, 1-2 a, '70, 2 .66
Of Novelties and New Issues.	Dutch Indies, 10, 20 c., 1870,05	Denmark, 1851-65, 6 .10
All orders must be accompanied	Egypt, 1 pl., 1872,03	" official, 1871, full set, 3 .00
by a 3 c. stamp for reply. Where	France, 15 c., lilac, 1876,04	†Dutch Indies, 1,2 and 21-2,
more than one stamp appears on	French Colonies, 10, 40 c.,05	(1876), 10, 50 c., 5 .20
a line, the price is for each. All	Grenada, 1 d., green,05	Egypt, 5 .10 Finland, 3 .00
warranted genuine.	Hong Kong, 2, 4, 6, 8, 30, 96 c.,03	Finland,
UNUSED STAMPS. cta	Hungary, 25 kr., 1871,08	France, Empire, 1853-60, 6 .08
Angola, 5 reis,	India, 4 a., 1866, 1 r., 1874,05	" Republic, 1872-3, 10 .08
Antioquia, 1 c., green,08	Japan, 2 sen, yellow,08	• " 5 .00
" 1 c., black,06	2 sen, olive, 1876,05	German Empire, 1871, 10 .12
Azores, 5 reis, 1871,04	Mexico, 12, 25 c., '68, 10, 25 c., '74, .04	1872, 10 .10
Bavaria, 3 pf., 1876,	" 6 c., 1868, 5 c., 1874,10	Great Britain, all issues, 15 .15
" 3 pf., " bands04 British Guiana, 2 c. yellow, 1876, .05	New South Wales, 3 d., 1856, 04	Greece, 5 .00
Canada, registered, 2 c., orange, .05	Nova Scotia, 5 c., 1860,	* " 3 .00
Cape of Good Hope, 1-2 d., 1876, .04	Oldenburg, 1 g., envelope,05	*Heligoland, 1867, full set, 4 .30
Ceylon, 2 c., 1872,04	Orange States, 6 d.,	* " 1-4 s., 1, 2 p., 3 p., 76, 4 .15
Confed. States, 2c., rose,04	Peru, 10, 20 c., 1867,	" 1867, complete set, 6 .10
" Ic., orange,08	Portugal, 25 reis, 1862,03	" 1869-71, (arms.) 5 .08
Constantinople, 20 p., green,05 Curacoa, 2 1-2 c., green,06	Roumania, newspaper, 2 var.,05	" 1872-5, 7 .10
" 3 c., grey	3, 4, 18 b., 1868-70,03	1. " 1867-71, 5 .10
Deccan, 1 a., oblong, 1868, rare, 35	" 10, 15 b., '69, 5 b., '71, .03 " 50 bani, rose, 1873,05	Hong Kong 9 .25
" 1-2 a., skeleton, rare, 35	Salvador, 1, 2 reals, 1874,05	Hungary, 1871, 5 .16
Dutch Indies, 2., 2 1-2 c., 1876,05 Finland, 2 pennia, 1875,04	" 1 real, 1867,08	" 1874, complete, 5 .08
France, 2 c., green, 1876,02	" 4 reals, 1867,30	" envelopes, 2 .05
German Empire, 2kr. 1871,04	Sandwich Islands, 2 c., 1864,03	India, 7 .16
" 1 kr. 1873,02	Schleswig, 1 1-3, 2 s., 1865,04	Italy, 1864, 6 .10
Greece, unpaid letter, 1 lepton,02	South Australia, 4 d., 1867,08	" 1863-7, complete set, 12 .15 " official, 4 .05
" 15 f., post card, 1876,10 Hamburg, 1 1-4 sch.,	Spain, war, 5 c., gr'n, 5 c., bl'k, .03	* " 5 .0s
Heligoland, 3 pf., 1876,04	Spain, war, 5 c., gr'n, 5 c., bl'k, .03 " "10 c., blue, 10 c., v'l't, .05	Jamacia, 5 .15
" 2 8., 1867,	" 50 c., green, 1872	Luxemburg, arms, 5 .15
. 6 8., 1867	5, 10 c. de p., 1876,	Mexico, 1874,
Iceland, 5 aur, 1876,	St. Christopher, 1 d04	Naples,
Japan, 1 sen, black, 1876,06	St. Vincent, 6d., green,06	New Granada, 5 .25
" 5 rin, grey, 1876,	Sweden, 1 rix-daler05	New South Wales, 5 .08
Kustenjie, 20 p., green,06	Switzerland, 10 r., 1850, 5 r., '52, .05	New Zealand, 5 .10
Lagos, 1 d.,	Turkey, 10, 20 pa., 1868,	North German Confed., 13 .15
Lubeck, 2, 2 1-2 s., 1863,05	U. S. of Colombia, 10 c., 1869,05	Norway, all issues, 6 .10
Luxemburg, 5 c., 1876,04 Madeira, 5 reis, 1871,03	" 10 c., 1874,05	*Oldenburg, 1862, full set, 5 .15
Maderanerthal, 5 c		Peru, 3 .15
Mauritius, 1-2 d. surcharged, '76, .05	United States, 5 c., 1847,05	Portugal, all issues, 6 .12
Natal, 1 d. 1874,	10 c " 10 c "	*Prince Edward Island, full set, 1860-70, 7 1.00
Persia, 1 s., black, 1876,	Wurtemburg, 5, 10, 20 pf,	• " full set, 1872 6 .75
Roumania, 2 baul, 1868,05 Sandwich Islands, 1 c., 1871,03	" 5 pf., envelope,08	*Prussia, 1861-5, full set, 6 10
Sarawak, 2 c., 1874,	" 10 pf., "04	• " 1867, " " 5 .15
" 3 c., first issue,10	20 20 20 20 20	" head, 5 .08 Ouecnsland, 2 .02
Shanghai, I ca., yellow, 1070,08	Cheap Sets of Stamps.	Queensland,
Sierra Leone, 1-2 d., 1876,04	Onoup boto of blumps,	. " " 4 .10
Spain, 4 peseta, brown, 1873,10 purple, 1874,03	All are used, except those marked	†Roumania, 1868-70, entire, 4 .12
" 4 " brown, "10	with an asterisk, (*), which are un- used; or thus, (†), which are used and unused. All warranted genu-	* 1873, complete set, 7 .15
" 5 c. de p., brown, 1876,05	used; or thus, (1), which are used	** newspaper, 2 .07
Suriname, 2 1-2 c., carmine,06	ine. All orders must contain a 3 c.	Russia, 5 .08
" 3 c., green,08 Turkey, 1-4 pl., 1876,08	stamp for reply. set of c.	Salvador, 3 .25
Uruguay, 1 c., 1866,04	Austria, early issues, 13 .15	Sandwich Islands, 1866-71, 4 .15
U. S. Cent'l envelope, either size, .05	" 1867, 7 .10	*Saxony, 1863, complete set, 6 .08
Venezuela, 1 c., lavender, 1874, .04	1850-67,	head,
. USED STANDS	Austrian Italy, 8 .20 Baden, figure, 6 .15	South Australia, 4 .05
Argentine Republic, 5 c., 1867,04	Baden, figure, 6 .15	*Spain, (some rare,) 6 .25
10 0 10	Barbados, 2 .04	official, 1854, 3 .10
" 15 c., "15	Bavaria, figure, 8 .10	" many issues, 15 .25
Barbados, 6 d.,	a mrms, 6 .10	" very old aud rare, 10 .50
Bavaria, 1 mark, 1874,	* " returned letter, 5 .15 Belgium, 1850, 3 .05	Straits Settlements, 1868, 6 .20
Bermuda, 1 d., red,04	1865-6, 5 .05	Sweden, old issues, 6 .10
Canada, 2 c., registered,02	1869, 8 .10	1872, complete set, -9 .12
" 5 c., "03	Brazil, head, 5 .12	Switzerland, 1854, 4 .08
Cashmere, 3 ples, black,08	British Guiana, 3 .08	Tasmania, 1871, 3 .06
6 pies, blue,	*Brunswick,	Turkey, 6 .20
Ceylon, 4, 8, 48, 96 c., 187203	" small size, 6 .06	United States, all issues, 40 .50
Chili, 10 c., 1862, 10 c., 1867,05	Cashmere, 3, 6 p., 8 a., 3 ,25	" Interior, full set, 10 .20
Citing 10 Co., 100c, 10 Co, 1007,	Chailmere, o, o p., o a.,	
" 5 c., 1867,03	Cape of Good Hope, 3 .05	Victoria 6 .08
" 5 c., 1867,	Cape of Good Hope, 3 .05 Ceylon, 1872, 5 .15	***************************************
" 5 c., 1867,03	Cape of Good Hope, 3 .05	Victoria, 6 .08

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