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DESIGN FOR A FONT OF PRINTING-TYPES.

SPECIFICATION forming part of Design No. 12,805, dated March 14, 1882.

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To all whom it may concern :

Be it known that I, CHARLES E. HEYER, a citizen of the United States, residing in the city of Chicago, county of Cook, and State of Illinois, have invented and produced a new and original Design for a Font of Printing-Types, of which the following is a specification, reference being had to the accompanying typographical illustration, forming a part thereof.

The characters consist of capitals, lower-case, points, figures, and two ornaments. The face is of medium weight, and is of Gothic or block-letter style, differing from either and any similar face, in that all the letters have a spur-like ceriph and a square and pointed appearance. The perpendicular strokes of the letters are somewhat heavier than the horizontal strokes. A number of the letters have also inside spur-like ceriphs, instead of a heavy horizontal stroke. (See capital letters A F H I J K L M N P R U V W X Y and the figures 1 and 4.) The lower-case letters b, f, h, i, j, k, l, m,

n, r, u, v, w, x, and y have either on top or bottom, or both, spur-like ceriphs. The center cross-strokes of capital letters A and H run through the left main stroke, and the ends of said strokes have spur-like ceriphs, and the center strokes of capital letters E and F and figures 3 and 4 end with the same kind of ceriphs. The short perpendicular strokes or flags of capital letters C, E, F, G, J, L, S, T, and Z, the lower-case letters a, c, e, g, r, s, y, and z, the figures 2, 3, 5, 7, and 9, and the character ? end with horizontal spur-like ceriphs on either side. The flags of lower-case letters f and j taper down to a point. The two ornaments are similar in style with the appearance of the letter.

I claim—

The design for a font of printing-types, as herewith described and illustrated.

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