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November 4, 1946

FBI Laboratory Federal Eureau of Investigation Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen:

In response to your letter of October 23, 1946 from John Edgar Hoover, Director, we are forwarding by separate mail our specimen sheets of type manufactured by our company.

At the present time we do not have available any showing of our manufacture other than the specimen sheets mailed to you.

In accordance with your request we will forward our future specimen sheets to your laboratory as they are printed. INDEXED If we may be of any additional help to you we will be glad to do so.

Yours very truly,

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NEW YORK, N.Y.

Nov. 1, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. Att. John Edgar Hoover, Director.

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In compliance with your request of the 31st, we are enclosing herewith our latest catalogue of Servol-Type for your files.

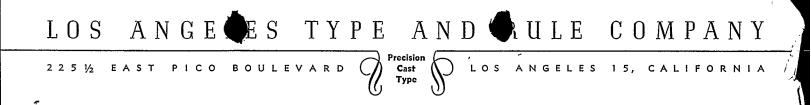
If we can be of further service, please do not hesitate to call upon us.

Yours very truly,

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Gentllemen:

We are in the process of printing our "New Catalogue and Price List" and have put your name on our mailing list for immediate mailing when completed.

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October 31, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

In compliance with your request we enclose herewith our folder #5 covering all the type faces manufactured to-date.

All supplements thereto will be promptly submitted.

Very truly yours,

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October 30, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation U. S. Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Attention! Mr. John Edgar Hoover

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We manufacture no type but have handled brass and composition type produced by the following concerns whom we suggest that you contact:

> Missouri Brass Type Company 22nd & Howard Streets RECORDEL St. Louis INDEXED. Missouri <u>129</u>

Ackerman - Gould Company 92 Bleeker Street New York City

The above is in answer to your request of Octobern 22

Yours very truly

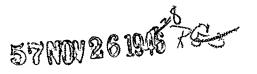
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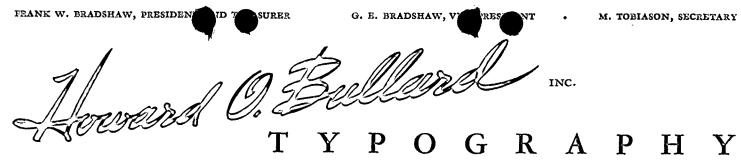
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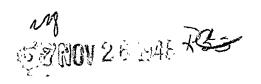
Gentlemen:

In response to your request of the 16th inst we are happy to enclose our complete list of type faces.

Also, as you request, we will place your name on our mailing list and will send you any subsequent additions.

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October 30, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation U.S.Department of Justice Washington, D.C.

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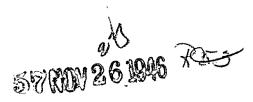
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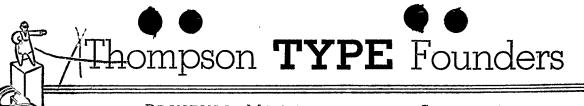
We are in receipt of your letter of October 23rd regarding the FBI Library of type face cataloges which you maintain.

We wish to advise that we do not manufacture type, merely buy from the factory and resell to our customers. Most of our type is bought through Bauer Type Founders Co., 235 E. 45th Street, New York City and Baltimore Type and Composition Co., 15-17 South Frederick Street, Baltimore, Maryland. I am sure that a letter to these concerns will give you the information wished.

Very truly yours,

PURNER PRINTING MACHINER) Fisher/lfs





PRINTING MACHINERY AND SUPPLIES 1414 South Harwood 107-NORTH-MARKET STREET DALLAS 2, TEXAS

October 29, 1946.

Federal Bureau of Investigation Laboratory Department of Justice Washington, 25, D. C.

Gentlemen:

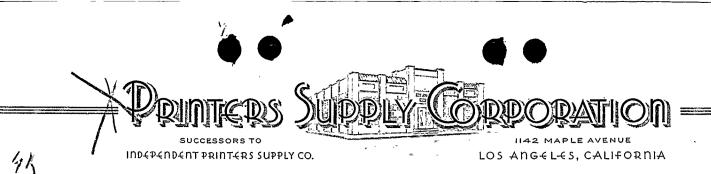
Your letter of October 23, 1946 requesting one of our type specimen catalogs has been received. We do not have a catalog at the present time but do plan to issue one before the first of the year. At that time we shall be glad to send you one and any supplements thereto.

The enclosed specimen sheet is one which we have used rather extensively during the war years. If we can be of assistance please call on us.

Cours very truly, thom poor Edward B. Thompson INDEXT Contout date of

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October 28, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Attention: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Gentlemen:

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With reference to your letter of October 18th.

We do not carry type and would suggest that you contact the American Type Founders, 222 South Los Angeles Street, Los Angeles 2, California.

> Your's very truly PRINTERS SUPPLY CORPORATION

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October 28, 1946

Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Enclosed are copies of the only two Old Fashioned Type Specimen Books we have published to date. Of course, you know these are types made before the 1890's, possibly a few in 1890-1900. We have approximately 600 more old-time faces we are using for press proofs only and many cuts, borders, ornaments, etc - not neady to show for various reasons such as lack of help, incomplete fonts and little apparent demand. When and if they are ever published copies will be sent to you.

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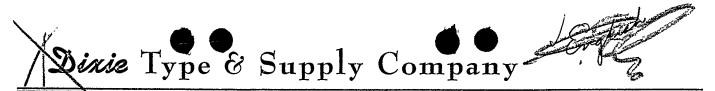
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PHONE 8-2461

1712 WARRIOR ROAD Birmingham 8, Ala.

October 28, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

Attention: FBI Laboratory

Gentlemen:

In response to your letter of October 22nd, please be advised that we are no longer manufacturers of type, our entire stock, machinery and matrices for this purpose were sold to the Quality Linotypeing Service Company, New Orleans, La. sometime ago.

If we can be of further help, please contact us.

Very truly yours,

DIXIE TYPE AND SUPPLY COMPANY

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October 26, 1946.

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

I have your letter of October 22nd regarding your library of type face catalogs.

I do not manufacture any type. The only type which I handle at all is some Brass Type which is used by bookbinders. I enclose catalog covering this type, which is manufactured by Lester H. Young, 73 Park Place, New York 7, N. Y.

which I handle, and if there is any time I can be of help, do not hesitate to call on me.

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yours,





October 25th, 1946

ATTENTION: Director

FBI U.S. Dept. of Justice, Washington D.C.

Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of October 22nd, we have taken over the Rulex Type Company. However, at the present time we are not doing any manufacturing of type. We are obtaining our type from various sources. We do not have any catalogs available. However, as soon as we do have, we will see that you receive one.

Very truly yours,

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25 October, 1946

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Your request for type samples of 22 October 1946 will bring the following booklets showing our type faces:

> Baskerville Beton Bodoni Bookface Cairo Character Showings Condensed Specimen No. 3 Egmont Exclusive Intertype Faces Futura Garamond Gothics

Goudy Ideal Kenntonian Medieval Ready Reckoner Regal Rex Specialty Faces Types for Everyday Use Vogue Waverley Weiss

Your name will be placed on our list for all future mailings.

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TELEPHONE 2-8170 P. O. BOX 2066 WICHITA 1, KANSAS

October 25, 1946.

"ederal Bureau of Investigation, United States Dept. of Justice, ashington, ک. C.

Director,

Dear Sir:

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Your letter of the 17th was received asking for copy of current type catalog.

under the impression your Deparment had copy of our 1942 issue, which was our last printing. That copy with enclosed card shows all items to date, but of course prices are obsolete.

As indicated, we have been short of catalogs for almost a year, and we are doing all possible to print a revised issue. This will be done just as soon as prices are established enough to enable us to do so, which we hope is early this coming spring season. We are now addressing catalog envelopes and you will receive one just as soon as inviting starts. As indicated, our previous printings are exhausted and we are limited to two or three copies for our office personnel, but a revised copy will be mailed at earliest possible date.

Very truly yours,

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October 25th, 1946.

Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice. Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director, Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

Replying to your letter of October 21st with reference to Type, would advise that we are not manufacturers of same. We are simply dealers in Type, procuring it from the following manufacturers:

> Franklin Mfg. Corp. 692 Pleasant Street. Norwood, Mass. Missouri Brass Type Foundry Co., 22nd & Howard Streets. St. Louis, Missouri. OlsenMark Corp., 80-613-268 New York 13 N. X. No Lester HX Young 73 Park Place, New York 7, N. Y.

Hoping the above information will be of interest, we remain

Yours very truly,

W. H. E MFG COMPANY Swallow, Gen. Mgr.

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700 E. UNION ST. - STATION G JACKSONVILLE, FLORIDA Telephone: 5-2044

October 25, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Att: FBI Laboratory

In regards to your request for a catalog of type faces that we manufacture we wish to advise you that we do not manufacture any type. The type we sell is sold on a jobbers basis and is manufactured by the Missouri Brass Type Foundry, St. Louis, Mo. and is regular stock numbers.

We will gladly send you a catalog if you so desire but the type faces appearing in our catalog will only be duplicates of the ones appearing in the catalog used by Missouri Brass Type Boundry.

Very truly yours

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235 EAST 45TH STREET . PHONE: VA 6-12,63

October twenty-fifth, 1946

Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, (Laboratory), United States Department of Justice. Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:-

As requested with your letter of October twenty-third, we are pleased to send you enclosed a set of Bauer specimens. A few designs are missing, however, the most important and most popular faces are incorporated in the material you are receiving. This is due to the fact that at present we are out of some of the descriptive folders featuring lesser known types.

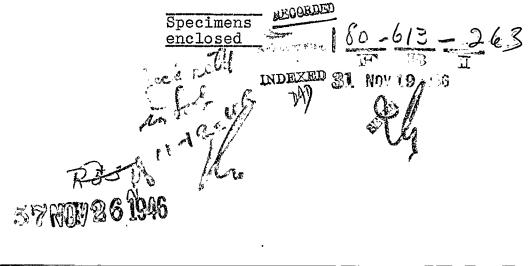
We trust the material sent you will serve your purpose, and remain,

Yours very truly,

THE BAUER TYPE FOUNDRY. INC.

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ANNERT CORPORTINE MACHINERY FOR THE GRAPHIC ARTS AND ALLIED INDUSTRIES 55 VANDAM STREET, NEW YORK CITY + PHONE: WALKER 5-8870 13

October 24th, 1946.

Federal Bureau of Investigation U.S.Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

Att:FBI Laboratory.

Gentlemen:

Complying with your request of October 21st we take pleasure in sending you enclosed copies of brass type catalogues which we used to handle or are now selling.

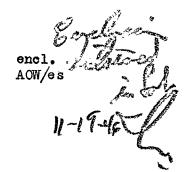
In addition to brass type we distribute a metal alloy type as per enclosed folder No.4 A.

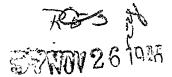
As requested we gladly will place your name on our mailing list for type faces.

AECORDER 80-613-262 INDEXED Yours very truly,

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Oct. 24th, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Dept. of Justice Washington, D.C.

Att: F.B.I. Laboratory

Gentlemen:

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In reply to your letter of October 21st, we have no catalogue to submit to you, as we do not manufacture Brass Type, except in cases where replacements are required, therefore, we cannot comply with your request.

Sorry, we cannot be of service to you,

BRCORDED -613 - 261 Most sincerely yours, INDEXED 7×7 33 NO 19 CONSOLIDATED\_ENGRAVERS INC

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ENGRAVER AND MANUFACTURER OF BRASS TYPE

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October 24th, 1946.

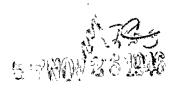
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Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

In reply to your letter of the 22nd inst., I am enclosing herewith my old and new catalogs of brass type. I shall be glad to keep you on the list for supplements and new catalogs as they come out.

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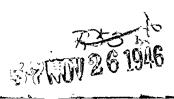
Dear Mr. Hoover:

In compliance with your request we are enclosing a catalog of the hand-finished printers' rules which we manufacture and sell.

We discontinued the manufacture and sale of type more than six months ago, hence no catalog is available.

Assuring you of our whole-hearted cooperation at all times, we are.

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October 23, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. J. E. Hoover, Director

Dear Mr. Hoover:

In reply to your inquiry of October 21st with reference to type face catalogues, we wish to advise that we are not manufacturers of brass type. We handle type on a jobbing basis and our sources of supply are Missouri Brass Type Founders, St. Louis, Missouri, and Service Engraving Works, 692 Broadway, New York City.

We are quite certain that you probably have these manufacturers on your list, but if you do not, we will be pleased to send copies of their catalogues for your files.

As a point of information, we believe there is a slight discrepancy between the actual brass type used and the face shown in the type catalogue, due to the fact that the catalogue is usually made of a lead type which is selected because it is a close approximation to the brass type that is manufactured.

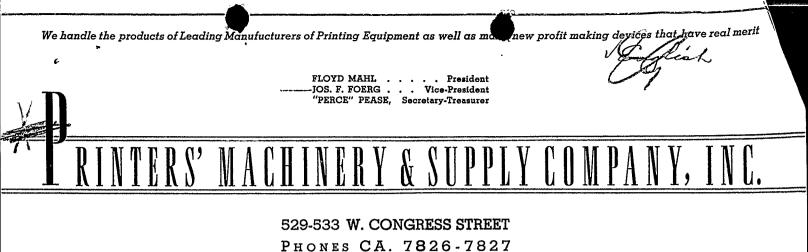
If there is anyway in which we can be of assistance to you regarding type, we will be very glad to hear from you.  $\beta \ll 1/3 - 26\%$ 

80-613 TANDL RECORDED Yours very truly, TOP DECIL NOV 19 GANE BROTHERS, AND COMPANY OF NEW YORK, INC.

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Detroit, Michigan

October 23, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation U. S. Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. J. E. Hoover

Dear Mr. : Hoover:

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This will acknowledge your letter of the 18th regarding specimen books of type faces. May we advise you that we do not manufacture type. We sell type made by Baltimore Type & Composition Company, 15-17 S. Frederick St., Baltimore, 2, Maryland. They can supply you with their books?pag.supplements.

In the future should we ever install type casting equipment we will be only too glad to furnish you any information you may desire.

Thanking you, and with best wishes, we are

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Yours sincerely,

PRINTERS' MACHINERY & SUPPLY CO.

Floyd Mahl, President

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Novembor 6, 1946

Mr. Carroll T. Harris President Mackonzie and Earris, Inc. 659 Folsom Street San Francisco 7, California

Dear Mr. Harris:

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Your letter of Ostober 23, 1946, has been received. I wish to thank you for your response in forwarding to this Bureau the catalogs which you furnish to the trade. Your offer of assistance to offices of this Bureau is indeed appreciated and will be made a matter of record.

With best wishes and kind regards,

Cincerely yours,

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CC: San Francisco (with copy of incoming) Los Angeles (with copy of incoming)



Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

· Rubber Stan - Ext. 12

This is an acknowledgement of your letter of Oct. 17th requesting catalogs of type manufactured by this company. We are glad to comply with this request and are sending you one each of the two catalogs which we furnish the trade, and which shows all the type faces we manufacture in our foundry, and other type which we have available for composition for printers, advertising agencies, publishers, etc.

For a moment I will give you my background and you will understand that I can appreciate the usefulness of such information as we have in this plant. My war service began July 1941 and ended August of this year. The first two years being with G-2 of the War Department and the last three years as Chief of the Intelligence Division of the San Francisco Port of Embarkation. During all those five years I worked very closely with your San Francisco office, and on occasion, I had dealings with your Los Angeles office.

Although the type faces which we have in our plant could be duplicated in many other plants throughout the United States, within this area we would have sold combinations of types which are not common to all print shops. Further, our sale of foundry type is accurately recorded as to customer and type faces which he has purchased. Consequently, should your local office have occasion to identify the probable place of manufacture of some printed matter, we, with our knowledge of local plants, and a check through our books of what type faces the local plants have purchased from us, could probably indicate the likely place such matter had been produced.

Should any such occasion apise, I would personally handle the matter with the same discretion and same feeling were I still on active duty in the Army. **INDEXED** (ordically round)

Cordially yours, Carroll T. Harri

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October 22, 1946

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Gentlemen:

The FBI Laboratory maintains a library of the type face catalogs published by various manufacturers in the United States. These catalogs are used in connection with laboratory examinations of materials obtained in official investigations.

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It would be appreciated if you will make available to us a catalog and supplements thereto containing type faces manufactured by you, and place the name of this Bureau on your mailing list to receive any future catalogs and supplements which you might prepare.

Your cooperation in this matter will be of material assistance to us. Please address future correspondence covering this matter and any material you make available for the attention of the FBI Laboratory.

Very truly yours,

John Edgar Hoover,

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October 22, 1946

Mr. J. Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation U. S. Department of Justice Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We have your recent letter requesting display sheets of the various type faces manufactured by us. We manufacture no type face and merely represent such foundries as American, Acme, M & L, Baltimore, and Bauer.

If you do not have catalogs from these various foundries, we will be pleased to cooperate in securing them for you.

Very truly yours,

80-613-A. E. HEINSOHN an No 19 OLA: ecb



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#### 22 EAST ILLINOIS STREET

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D.C.

> Re: Thormod Monsen & Son, Inc., 730 North Franklin Street Chicago, Illinois

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Attention: Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director

Gentlemen:

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In reply to your letter of October 7th to the above concern we wish to say that we have changed our name and address.

We do not manufacture type for sale in fonts but just make it to use in our own composition jobs. Enclosed is one of our Typographic Handibooks and a circular describing our large Type Manual.

Hoping this information answers your purpose, we are,

Very truly yours, Monson MONSEN-CHICAGO, INC. 0\_613-253 October 21, 1946 RECORDED 31 NOV 19 6 MTM:gq INDEXED 261946

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Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

Gentlemen:

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151 WEST 23rd STREET

We have your letter of October 16th from Mr. Hoover requesting copies of our Specimen Book.

These are being mailed to you under separate cover.

The writer will be glad to co-operate with you at any time if you should ever have a problem arising which requires the advice of a Type Expert.

Very truly yours,

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October 18, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

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### Att: F. B. I. Laboratory

In answer to your letter of October 16th requesting specimens of type faces manufactured by us, we wish to advise that we do not manufacture any material. We are a sales organization representing three type foundries. These are the Baltimore Type & Composition Corp, Baltimore, Md., American Type Foundries Sales Corp., Elizabeth, N.J., and the Acme Detroit Type Foundry, Detroit, Mich.

Very truly yours,

EINNEHMER & TAYLOR INC

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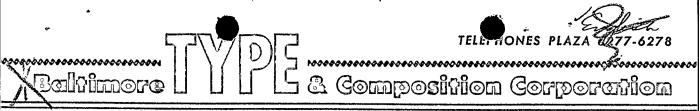
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October 16, 1946

The Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

#### Att.: Mr. John Edgar Hoover Director

We are mailing you, under separate cover, a complete set of our Catalogue and Pamphlets showing the materials we manufacture. We know you are not interested in prices at this time. The Catalogue and Pamphlets have our old prices, our new Catalogue is now being

put on the press. ALCORDEN We will keep your name on our file and mail you a proof of all future items which we manufacture.



Yours vary truly,

Baltimore Type & Composition Corporation

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November 5, 1946

Quality Linotype Service Company New Orleans, Louisiana

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Very truly yours,

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The FBI Laboratory maintains a library of the type face catalogs published by various manufacturers in the United States. These catalogs are used in connection with laboratory examinations of materials obtained in official investigations.

We have on hand your catalog entitled "Some Ludlow Typefaces" which was furnished in February, 1945 to one of our agents by your sales manager, Hr. John O. King in connection with an investigation then in progress.

It would be appreciated if you will make available to us any additional catalogs and supplements thereto which you may have prepared since that time containing type faces manufactured by you, and place the name of this Bureau on your mailing list to receive any catalogs and supplements which you may publish in the future.

Your continued cooperation in this matter will be of material assistance to us. Please address future correspondence covering this matter and any material you make available for the attention of the FBI Laboratory.

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American Type Founders, Incorporated 200 Elmora Avenue Elizabeth, S. New Jersey

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We have your "Comparative Index of Type Designs" copyright 1940, Colton Press, Incorporated and "The Book of American Types" with one supplement copyright 1941 by American Type Founders Sales Corporation, Elizabeth, New Jersey.

It would be appreciated if you will make available to us any catalogs and supplements you may have prepared since the ones listed above and place the name of this Bureau on your mailing list to receive any future catalog and supplements.

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November 1, 1946

Mr. Charles J. Feldman The Gleveland Type and Rule Company 211 High Avenue Cleveland, Ohio

Dear Mr. Feldman:

Your letter of October 22, 1946 has been received, stating that you are not making type faces but are making leads, slugs, strip rule and borders.

We would be interested in a specimen sheet of this material as suggested in your letter in order to make as nearly complete as possible the FBI Laboratory's files on type faces and related matter.

I wish to thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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211 HIGH AVENUE CLEVELAND, OHIO Telephone: MAin 3689

October 22, 1946

Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

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Attention: John Edgar Hoover, Director

Dear Sir:

This will acknowledge your letter of October 16th, requesting a catalog of our type faces, for use in connection with laboratory examinations of materials obtained in official investigations.

For your information, we are not making any type faces only leads, slugs, strip rule and borders.

If your department is interested in a specimen sheet of this material we will be glad to send it to you.

Thank you, we are,

Very truly yours,

The Glaveland Type and Rule Co. Charles J/ Feldman

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Mr. Fred N. APhillips President Frederic Nelson Phillips, Incorporated 305 East 45th Street New York 17, New York

#### Dear Mr. Phillips:

Reference is made to your letter of Ostober 28, 1946. The FBI Laboratory would be interested in receiving a copy of your catalog of old types for the completion of its files on type faces.

I wish to thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

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Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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999 0/30 ederic nelson phillips, inc. *Juhogna* MURRAY HILL FOUR-THIRTY-NINE-FORTY . 305 EAST 45TH STREET . NGW <del>\*0`R K</del> Mr. Tolson.... E. A. Tamm . Clegg. Mr. Glavin Mr. Ladd ... 28 M1946tols Mr. Rosen Mr. Tracy ... Mr. Carson . Mr. John Edgar Hoover Mr. Egan .. Federal Bureau of Investigation, Mr. Gurnea. United States Department of Justice, Washington, D. C. Mr. Hendon ..... "news In Mr. Pennington Dear Mr. Hoover: Mr. Quinn Tamm Mr. Nease. In reply to yours of the 23rd we beg to report that Q. in O Tandy manufacture type of any kind. We do, however, have a great many old types (see enclosed circular) and should be glad to send you a copy of the catalog if you deem it important enough to assist you in your work. Very truly yours. FREDERIC NELSON PHILLIPS, INC. FNP:rf President. 1 encl. Dol Pit 10/31/46 NOV 121 ð

October 31, 1946

Olsen Mark Corporation 124 White Street New York 13, New York

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Froprietor Ludwig-Duell Company 30 Beekman Street New York 7, New York

Dear Mr. Mendez:

The sheets of border designs and other decorative material recently issued which you forwarded with your letter of October 23, 1946 have been received.

We would appreciate receiving a copy of your catalog of printers' rules, borders and decorative material and, when they are ready, a copy of the sheets bearing specimens of type which you have just started casting.

I wish to thank you for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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Mr. Thomas S.A Lyons 4 Brighton Avenue Boston, Massachusetts

Dear Mr. Lyons:

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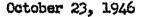
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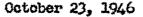
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Frederick Helson Thillips, Incorporated 305 East 45th Street New York 17, New York

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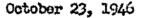
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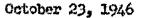
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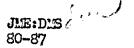
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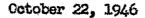
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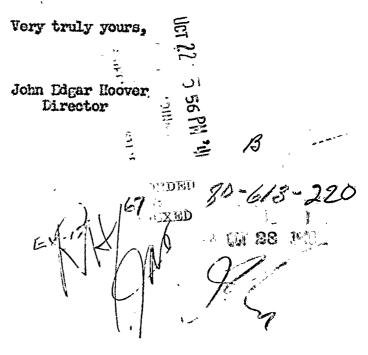
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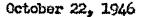
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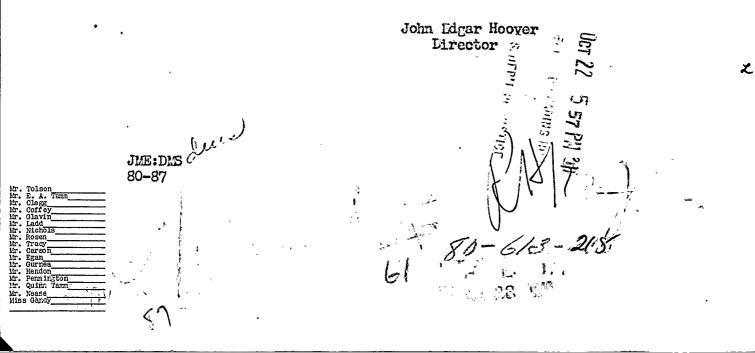
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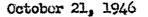
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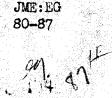
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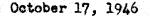
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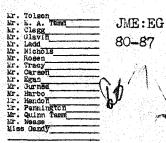
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UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

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DATE:September 25, 1946

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STANDARD FORM NO 64

cc-Mr. Clegg

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Mr. Hendon

THE DIRECTOR

: THE EXECUTIVE CONFERENCE

SUBJECT: TYPEFACE CATALOGS

The Laboratory at present has three typeface catalogs which are used for reference purposes when the field requests the Laboratory to identify printing, whether it be in an extortion communication, on a fraudulent check, or other evidence submitted by the field for examination. The information is requested by the field so that it may assist them in identifying or locating the printing firm which prepared the checks or other material.

A representative and substantially complete reference collection should consist of approximately 55 typeface catalogs prepared by the various manufacturers of such equipment. The Laboratory seeks authorization to obtain these catalogs from the manufacturers which undoubtedly will be furnished without cost. It is estimated that the 55 catalogs will occupy approximately one drawer of a filing cabinet.

To supplement and serve as an index to the reference file of catalogs, Kerry which Laboratory desires a copy of the Seventh Annual Production Year Book which is the priced at \$5 and printed by the Colton Press, Incorporated, 468 4th Avenue, New York City.

The Conference on September 25, 1946, composed of Messrs. Tolson, Tamm, Tracy, Callahan, Nichols, Morgan, Ladd, Hendon, Rosen, and Harbo; was unanimously in favor of the Laboratory proposal.

> Respectfully, For the Conference

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E. A. Tamm

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: Mr. R. T. Harbo

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

DATE: September 12, 1946

Mr. Tolson Mr. E. A. Tamm Mr. Clegg Mr. Coffey Mr. Glavin

Mr. Ladd Mr. Nichols Mr. Rosen Mr. Tracy Rosen Tracy Carson Egan Gurnea Hendon

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FROM : H. B. Long

SUBJECT: TYPEFACE CATALOGS

The typeface catalogs are used a great deal in connection with the examination of fraudulent checks in connection with the printing ' contained thereon. There follow several cases which were readily available Mr. Rease Miss Beahm Miss Gandy where these catalogs were used.

- (1)File 9-14207 In June, 1946, Los Angeles in connection with an extortion case stated, "It is requested that the Laboratory report on the printing identifying if possible the type of equipment which was used to write the message."
- File 87-5904 In August, 1946, the St. Louis Field Division (2) requested, "It is further requested that, in view of the fact that instant checks are printed checks drawn on a fictitious and non-existent insurance company, the Bureau Laboratory make an examination of both the paper and the printing and furnish this office with any information which might assist in identifying or locating the printing firm by whom these checks were made."
- (3) File 87-5241 In July, 1946, in connection with this case which is a very large National Stolen Property Act case involving checks, it was possible to advise the field division that it was believed that all of the checks in this case were printed in one printing establishment and the reasons were given therefor, which involved a study and comparison of the type used such as BANK GOTHIC BOLD, PARSONS, COMSTOCK, RANSOM SHADED INITIALS, STEELPLATE GOTHIC SHADED, et cetera. We were able to identify each of the different styles of type as having been manufactured by one company. All of this information was brought to the attention of the Investigative Division.

The catalogs that we presently have are few in number and Mr. English informs me that he is amazed to find just how few we do have because when he is consulted by the examiners relative to the type used, he has recognized the type due to his experience and was amazed to find that we had no catalogs covering the type, which would substantiate his opinion. -

It has been determined that the catalogs we do have are filed in the same drawer containing the catalogs on rubber stamps. It is not believed that all of the catalogs we desire would fill more than one file cabinet drawer, if that much, since their thickness would average about 3/4"? 80-613-172

Mr. English informs me that he doubts there is any place in Washington where we could obtain the information desired in connection with the examination of If there was, it probably would be necessary to take the evidence or phototype. graphs thereof to the place for comparison, which would not be very satisfactory since we do have these comparisons very often.

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Standard form NO. C	
Office	Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT
то :	Mr. Harbo R.H. DATE: September 6, 1946
FROM :	J. A. Sizoo
SUBJECT:	TYPE FACES, COLLECTION

The collection of type catalogs maintained by the Document Section at present is inadequate for the identification of the styles of type faces appearing on many recently printed documents. In order to rectify this condition, I should like to suggest that the Document Section acquire type catalogs from the various manufacturers of type faces in this country. These number approximately 55.

It is believed these catalogs can be obtained free of charge.

In addition it is my belief that we should obtain a copy of the Seventh Annual Production Year Book printed by the Colton Press, Incorporated located at 468 4th Avenue, New York City. This book sells for \$5.00. The Seventh Annual Production Year Book contains a Composite Type Face Directory, which is a compendium of type styles and should serve as an aid in locating a particular type face among the type catalogs of the individual manufacturers.

RECOMMENDATION:

It is recommended that the Chief Clerk's Office of the Bureau be requested to obtain for use in the Document Section a copy of the Seventh Annual Production Year Book priced at \$5.00 and printed by the Colton Press, Incorporated, 468 4th Avenue, New York City.

Further, it is recommended that the attached letters addressed to five type face manufacturers be approved. The number of such letters will total approximately 55 in all.

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FROM : J. A. Sizoo .

SUBJECT: NULS TYPE, COLLECTION

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DATE: September 6, 1946

The Records Section of the Bureau is carrying a file under the above title. This file concerns a collection of newspaper type faces. Since we have occasion to file matter on type faces other than news type, it is suggested that the title of this file be breadened to include type faces of all kinds.

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It is recommended that the kecords : ction be instructed to change the title of the file presently carried and in the set of the file bears the number 80-87. Sci-613 - (70 the title of the file presently carried as "News Type, Collection" to "Type

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# Federal Bureau of Investigation

**U.S.** Bepartment of Justice

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Washington, D. C.

April 8, 1935.

MEMORANDUM FOR MR. EDWARDS.

Reference Collection of News Type, Miss Gandy Re:

In connection with the reference collection of news type ..... which is to be maintained in the Technical Laboratory Mr. Blackburnvisited the Library of Congress on Friday, April 5th, where Mr. H. S. Parson's, Chief of the Periodical Division, referred him to the Division of Press Intelligence of the Department of Commerce.

At the Division of Press Intelligence Mr. Blackburn interviewed Mr. F. S. Gardephe who explained that his Division received copies of 375 newspapers each day from most of the cities with a population of 50,000 or over. Mr. Gardephe indicated his desire to cooperate with this Bureau and stated that he would get together one copy of each newspaper in their files and advise the Bureau when they would be ready in order that arrangements could be made to transfer them to the Technical Laboratory.

Your advice is desired as to whether the preliminary procedure for obtaining newspaper samples from the Clipping Bureau as indicated will be proper.

Respectfully.

E. P. Coffey.

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STANDARD FORM NO. 64 fice Memorandum • UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT R. T. HARBO DATE: 11-1-46 Mr. Tolson Mr. L. A. Tamm FROM Mr. Clegg H. B. LONG Glavin Ladd Nichols Examination of bottle of fluid brought to the Laboratatory SUBJECT: Rosen Tracy Carson by Dective Bader. Egan Jarnes Bureau file 80-613 1.2-12 arbo Hendon Nr. Pennington

There is attached the file which has been maintained in the Laboratory in connection with the above captioned matter. It is desired that this file be maintained as an enclosure behind the main file in the Records Section.

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This file was instituted in 1937 in connection with the Matnap case and in years past has been used on several occasions in other cases such as the Levine case and the case involving the submission of extortion letters to John D. Rockefeller. This file has been used in connection with these and other similar extortion cases in that when rubber stamp printing appears on an extortion note we can search it against the file and there is a probability we can advise the Field as to the maker or manufacturer of the rubber stamp printing set used.

At present the file is up to date, consisting of some 156 specimens. More particularly, these consist of approximately 75 catalogs and booklets of the various stamp manufacturers, 17 standards of impressions taken from common styles of type, 18 rubber stamp sets and 46 dater stamps. The types or different kinds of rubber stamp printing sets are myriad and in attempting to understand this file and its operation one should be mindful of the fact that we do not have and it would be virtually impossible to have impressions from or catalogs covering every known manufactured rubber stamp printing set. In other words, many of these things are the kind sold at the dime store and it has been found that it would just not be economical to cover all posibilities. However, the file as it has been operated covers the better known manufacturers and the printing sets which are most widely distributed.

As Mr. Egan found, it is well nigh impossible to accurately appraise the exact value of this file. He mentioned it had been used in the Matnap case, the Rockefeller case, the Levine case, the Williston Theatre case and the Judge Ralph E. Jenney case. However, he pointed out that according to the memory of Bureau supervisors, the file had not been of any value since May of 1944 in connection with kidnaping and extortion cases. Since Mr. Egan's survey the file has been used approximately five times and in two of these cases, both extortion investigations, it was possible to positively or probably identify the source of the rubber stamp printing set used in preparing the extortion letters. At least we were able to tell them the probable manufacturer of the sets. However, frankly, it cannot be said that this information solved the cases for the Field.

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#### Memorandum to Mr. R. T. Harbo

As to the cost of maintaining the file, Mr. Egan pointed out that such cost was practically negligible. As a matter of fact, it has been even more negligible during the past year. The examiner on the file has spent only about four hours throughout the entire year in keeping it up to date and in taking care of certain necessary correspondence. Furthermore, the space required to house the file is practically not worth mentioning. The entire file takes up only two drawers in an ordinary four drawer file cabinet. The various catalogs and specimens are absolutely free to the Bureau.

<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>: Although it is not possible to accurately evaluate the file in terms of the usual standards of convictions and identifications, there is a certainty that it costs practically nothing to keep this file. Although rubber printing sets are not used too frequently, we know through past experience that they are occasionally used and sometimes in rather important cases, such as the Matnap case for example. <u>I strongly recommend</u> that we maintain the file in its present condition, keeping it up to date as we have in the past. as I think it obviously has potential value. If not real value. Moreover, I would think that any real good Document Laboratory would be presumed to have at least some records (such as this file consists of) relating to rubber stamp and printing devices as they do constitute one method of writing.

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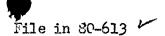
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January 22, 1946

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MR. R. T. HAEBO

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Rubbor Stamp and Printing File

Enference is made to 'r. Types's memorandum to the Eirector dated November 27, 1944, especially to the penned notation thereon approved by the Director to the effect that this file should be reviewed at the end of 1945 to determine its value. Briefly, in his memorandum Mr. Mgan considered the history and use of the file, arriving at the recommendation that it should be continued. As indicated, this was approved, subject to the provise that the file would again be reviewed at the end of 1945.

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September 11, 1945

Director, FBI

Attention: Technical Laboratory

Re: MEXICAN SEAL

Dear Sir:

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For the completion of the Bureau files, there is being transmitted herewith a rubber seal utilized by the Mexican Department of Gobernacion.

Very truly yours,

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THE AMERICAN EMBASSY BOGOTA, COLOMBIA

July 6, 1945

Director, FBI

Dear Sir:

Re: GERMAN ARCHIVLS (, ) -SECURITY MATTER - G

Reference is made to Bogota radiogram to the Bureau, No. 283, in instant case. . I. .

Among the property of the former German Legation  $C_2 L$ in Bogota turned over to the Colombian Foreign Office is a number of rubber stamps used by the German Legation.

A representative of this office has made impressions with each of these stamps on twenty-five sheets of bond paper which are transmitted herewith for the Bureau's Rubber Stamp File. 1.75

Very truly yours,

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Attention: Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director

Gentlemen:

We have been holding your letter dated March 30, 1945 in which you ask for our latest catalog on rubber stamp sets, date sets, etc., in the hopes that our new Encyclopedia of Product Marking, Catalog No. 65 would be completed. We have had a great deal of difficulty in getting this catalog completed, therefore, we will not be able to send it to you for at least six (6) months. However, the catalogs which you have at present, namely, Nos. 62, 63 and 64 are our current catalogs.

We thank you for your interest and are making a note to send you our new catalog whenever it has been completed.

Yours very truly,

PANNIER BROS. STAMP CO.

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March 20, 1945

Mr. Charles M. Reed Secretary The J. F. W. Dorman Company, Incorporated 526 North Calvert Street Baltimore, Maryland

Dear Mr. Reed:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalog numbered 90, July 1939.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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March 20, 1945

Mr. A. J. Smith Johnson, Smith and Company 6615 East Jefferson Avenue Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Smith:

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Mr. Tolson Mr. E. A. Tamm Mr. Clegg Mr. Coffey Mr. Glavin Mr. Ladd Mr. Nichols Mr. Rosen Mr. Tracy Mr. Carson Mr. Egan Mr. Hendon Mr. Hendon Mr. Pennington Mr. Quinn Tamm Mr. Nease Miss Gandy In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your 1940 - 25th anniversary catalog.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

Sincerely yours,

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March 20, 1945

Mr. Bobert A. Paimier Treasurer Pannier Brothers Stamp Company 207 Sandusky Street, North Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Pannier:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stemp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogs numbered 62, 63 and 64.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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March 20, 1945

Mr. F. H. Bronner The Irwin-Hodson Company 459 Northwest 15th Avenue Portland, Oregon

Dear Mr. Bronner:

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Mr. Tolson Mr. E. A. Tamm Mr. Clegg Mr. Olavin Mr. Navin Mr. Nikols Mr. Nikols Mr. Rosen Mr. Garson Mr. Egan Mr. Egan Mr. Hendon Mr. Pennington Mr. Quin Tamm Mr. Nease Miss Gandy In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalog numbered 66 and supplement T=83.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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## March 20, 1945

Consolidated Stamp Manufacturing Company 87 Maiden Lane New York, New York

Dear Sir:

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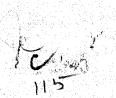
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## March 20, 1945

Mr. J. P. Marks The C. A. Hanson Company 303 West Erie Street Chicago, Illinois

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Dear Mr. Marks:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your 1941 catalog, form No. 55256.

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John Edgar Hoover Director

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Mr. J. R. Swift President The Superior Type Company 1800 West Larchmont Avenue Chicago, Illinois

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Wm. A. Force and Company 107 Worth Street New York, New York

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Mr. L. H. Tavernier Fulton Specialty Company 200 Fifth Avenue New York, New York

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Dear Mr. Teverniers

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Mr. M. Leone Louis Melind Company 362 West Chicago Avenue Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Leone:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalog numbered 102.

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March 19, 1945

Mr. P. T. O'Hal R. A. Stewart and Company, Incorporated 80 Duan Street New York, New York

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Miss A. Perella Secretary William Baumgarten and Company 111 West Fayette Street Baltimore, Maryland

Dear Miss Perella:

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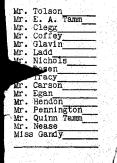
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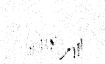
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Sincerely yours,

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March 19, 1945

Mr. N. N. Williams c/o James H. Mathews and Company 3942 Forbes Street Pittsburgh, Fennsylvania

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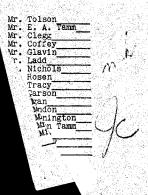
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March 19, 1945

Mr. W. Rueffer Eagle Stamp Works, Incorporated 162 North Franklin Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Rueffer:

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March 23, 1945

Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

> Attention of: Mr. J. E. Hoover, Director

#### Gentlemen:

In reply to your letter of March 19 we are pleased to enclose a copy of our recently published Temporary Catalog covering rubber stamps, etc. Also, we have included a Bulletin page covering our "Sure-Set" rubber type holders which may prove very interesting.

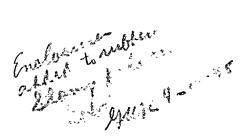
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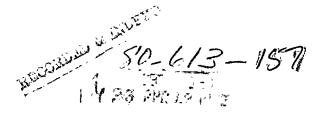
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Mr. John Edgar Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Replying to your favor of the 20th inst., addressed to the attention of the writer, would say that we have not published any new catalog in the past four or five years. Our Catalog No. G-66 and our Suppliment T-83, of which you state you have copies, are still our latest catalogs, and undoubtedly, we will not publish anything new for the duration.

Just as soon as we publish anything new in this line, we will immediately send you copies thereof.

Yours respectfully.

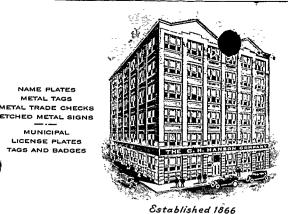
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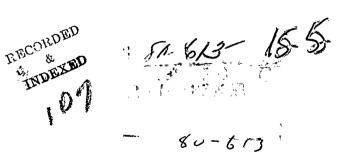
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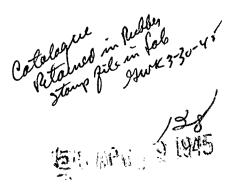
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Responding to your request of March 20, we enclose a copy of our latest catalog which is form No. R-900C and we trust this will serve your purpose.

Yours "V" truly THE (C) HANSON COMPANY PER Marks

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## Rederal Bureau of Investigation

United States Department of Instice

Washington, D. C. Narch 19, 1945

Mr. Hans H. Hellesoe Columbia Sign and Chart Printers 2444 Ainslie Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Hellesoe:

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In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalog which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalog numbered 26.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation RECORDED & ANDEXED in this matter, I am 80-613- (2) Sincerely your . 93 80 1945 John Edgar Hoover **BVICTORY** Director Gentlemen: - (Ne are still useing # 26 Catalog, in fact we are all out of same Hellew Huf 52 APR 2 4 1945

we have your request dated 3/20 regarding catalog and wish to inform that last catalog printed is our #90 dated 1939, which you now have in your files.

Dear Sirs:

As soon as we have our new ones, we will send you . one immediately.

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Mr. John Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation WASHINGTON, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

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Your letter of the 20th instant is to hand requesting copy of our latest catalog.

The last catalog issued by us was in the fall of 1943, though it bears the 1944 date. We are sending you a copy of this under separate cover. You will notice that we show a very much reduced line of merchandise, owing to scarcity of items. I doubt very much whether we will issue another one until the war is over and merchandise is more plentiful.

Assuring you of our full co-operation and with kind regards,

Yours very sincerely

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March 23rd, 1945.

Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation U. S. Dept. of Justice Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Rubber Stanf Fill

Replying to your letter of the 20th, we have not issued another catalog since our #41 and will not be doing so for the duration.

Very truly yours, ULTON L. H. Tavernier

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	SUBJECT:	-RUBBER STAMP AND PRINTING FIL	LE	- 11/1 1/	Mr. Ladd
		No. 80-613		11 17	T. Tracy
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In accordance with instructions I have examined the file and specimens in connection with the above.

Specimens in connection with the above. This file was started approximately February, 1937, as shown by Serial 1 in this file. The file consists of 75 catalogs and booklets representing sixteen manufacturers; one catalog from the American Type Founders, two booklets from the Government Printing Office, and one catalog of the Multigraph Company, as well as rubber stamp impressions and the small 10¢ store type of handprinting set. These catalogs and rubber stamps are contained in two regular file cabinet dravers made up of about  $\frac{1}{2}$  catalogs and  $\frac{1}{2}$  rubber stamps. There are approximately two days' pending work, no delinquent work or deferred work in connection with this file.

This file was set up in connection with the Matnap case, and a comparison of the letter in this case with the known standards indicated that it was printed with a dater stamp. Comparison of the extortion letters in the John D. Fockefeller case determined that these were written with a rubber stamp and the manufacturer's name was furnished to the Field. In the Levine case it was determined that the ransom letters were written on a dial toy typewriter and this information was furnished to the Field. In this way, when ransom letters are received in the Bureau which appear to be printed or made from a set of rubber stamps, the comparison is made and the Field is advised of exactly what was used and who manufactured the particular kind of type. This of course is a standards file. In other words, it is referred to like the ordinary person would refer to a dictionary for information.

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A. It is extremely hard to determine what value, if any, this file has been in connection with investigations in the Field. The administrative file, 80-613, fails to show any information in this connection. I have talked to the supervisors in the Laboratory and they have furnished me the names of the Matnap case, Bockefeller case, and the Levine case; the Williston Theatre case, Judge Ralph E. Jenney case, Unknown Subject, anti-Semitic League and the case Unknown Subject, anti-Administration and anti-Semitic Matter sent to the Italian-American Labor Council, New York City. In talking to the extortion and kidnaping supervisors who have been in charge of the above classifications in the Eureau since May of 1944, they advised me that since that time the rubber stamp and printing file has been of no value to them in any of their cases since the above date.

B. No prosecutions or convictions have been obtained because of the maintenance of this file as far as I could determine from the records.

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Mr. Jones Mr. Quinn Ter Memorandum for The Director

#### COST TO OPERATE

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The present supervisor in the Laboratory in charge of this file advised me that since July 1st to date he has spent only approximately five hours on this file. This would indicate that this file costs the Bureau very little to maintain.

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As previously stated, this file only occupies two drawers in a four-door cabinet.

It is not believed that the cost of the operation of this file could be justified in that manner. However, as previously stated, this is a reference file which takes up very little room, costs very little to operate, and is referred to each time a stamped or printed extortion or ransom note is received and the Field is advised or the police advised of the type of printing set which was used and the name of the manufacturer so that it narrows down the searches by the Agents in the Field.

#### RECOMMENDATION

I recommend in view of the above that this file be continued.

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I suggest we continue file and review its value at end of 1945 1-19 ticklerock - 2 -





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Mr. Coffey Mr. Martin

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Passports and Identity Papers

Mr. Burgess Smith, Director, Research Laboratory, The Todd Co. Rochester, New York, in the company of Messre. Charles D. Snead, Chemical Sales Division Eastman Kodak Co. 350 Hudson St. New York City, and Robert W. Carver of the Fred S. Carver Hydraulic Equipment Co., 345 Hudson St., New York City, came into the Laboratory on December 12, 1944 and were interviewed by Messre. Miller and English of the Document Section.

This was the second visit of Messre. Snead and Carver, who visited the Laboratory previously on November 10, 1944 and were interviewed by Messre. Dingle and English.

On their November 10 visit, Snead and Carver left several incased cards including one used by the War Department, A.G.O. Washington, D.C.

During the December 12 interview, Mr. Snead gave the impression that he thought the Laboratory was testing their identification cards and might give him an idea as to their security value. No such indication was made by the Laboratory Technicians who interviewed these gentlemen on November 10. It would appear that they would like to have the Laboratory test their cards and if we found a degree of security in them, they would proceed to try to sell th cards to the State Department for the Allied Military Government Officials in the liberated countries of Europe. No indication that such tests would be approved by the Bureau was given, and it was reiterated that the primary inter of the Laboratory in such identification cards was in connection with the detection of forgery.

Mr. Tolson <u>Mr.</u> Burgess Smith of The Todd check writing machine firm showed several Mr. Etypes<sup>Taype</sup> safety papers and safety identification cards on which he has been Mr. Classing. RECORDED & INDI-INC.

Mr. Nease\_\_\_\_\_ Miss Gandy\_\_\_\_\_

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which fluoresces brilliantly under ultra-violet and the waterwark design becomes more visible under ultra-violet. These are attached hereto.

Mr. Smith said that frequently the Todd Co. makes safety paper bearing an individual design for a comercial house and that he has in his Laboratory one specimen of each of these individual designs which have been produced to date. He also states that he would be very happy to arrange to have the FBI Laboratory receive specimens of each of these individual types of papers as they are prepared in the future. Mr. Smith made this offer without prompting.

In addition, Mr. Smith showed two Identity Cards which are in the experimental stage. The fundamental Safety factor of these cards was a layer of small picces of cellophane of verying thicknesses placed beneath a transparent photographic print of the person whose identity card it is which transparent print may be viewed clearly when held up to a light source. The unusual note about these cards is the fact that when a polaroid is placed on each side of the transparent photograph the design in which the small pieces of cellophane have been cut becomes visible in varying comparent which change as the polaroids are revolved.

Mr. Smith stated that the fluorescent element appearing in his firm's safety papers was not going to be made known to the public even after the paper was on the market. He also stated that the latter three types of safety paper mentioned above were entirely in the experimental stage. He gave no indication as to when these would be on the market.

Mr. Smith showed several additional identity cards and safety papers, all using variations of the fluorescent principle many of them bearing designs printed in material which fluorescent in one bank overprinted with an ink which fluorescent with a slightly different band. He also is using invisible printing inks which absorb ultra-violet light. A medallion printed in this ink is visible only when printed over other fluorescent material. The medallion design has a dark appearance in the fluorescent field.

ADDENDUM 12/20/44 "All of these security steps are very fine and should be taken advantage of in any situation wherein the cost warrants. However, it must always be kept in mind that these secret testing devices are 100% effective only until someone "in the know" sells out to the crooks or to the enemy. Then, of course, they can be counterfeited.

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DIRECTOR, FBI

SAC, Boston

JACK EDWARD MARQUARDT et al SECURITY MATTER - Q SEDITION

#### ATTENTION: FBI LABORATORY

Reference is made to the reports of the FBI Laboratory in this case which, at that time were captioned, "Card Bearing German Inscription Commencing, "Americans! Awaken to the Fact. ..." The Laboratory reports are dated September 18, 1943, March 4, 1944, and March 27, 1944. The Laboratory file numbers set out are 100-231-388-1 and #D6579, D-12077CT and #D13823CT.

Enclosed herewith are seven 3-inch strips of metal, each of which holds rubber type. They were used to print the cards previously examined by the laboratory in this case.

For the information of the laboratory, the cards in the referenced reports were printed on a child's handprinting press like the ones described in the laboratory reports and in a catalogue by the Superior Type Company, 1800 West Larchmont Avenue, Chicago, Illinois. The printing press used is #8401. It is a small hand set called the Rotaro Swiftset Press, manufactured by the T. S. T. Company, U. S. Patent #29041499.

The enclosed type and metal holders may be retained by the laboratory and need not be returned. It is sent to the laboratory for whatever use it may be in the known specimen file.

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Mr. Carson

Mr. Hendon Mr. Mumford

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To aid in the various investigations conducted by the Field Livisions of the Fureau with respect to cases in which anonymous letters have been written with the use of the rubber or dater stamp, in 1937 manufacturers of these implements throughout the country were contacted for the purpose of making a collection of type or stamp impressions in order that the source of a rubber stamp impression appearing on a threatening letter might be more readily ascertained. It was found through these contacts that most of the larger companies were equipped to manufacture rubber stamps to order, but did not maintain a stock of all the stamos manufactured by them. It was readily determined that a file of this kind would prove both costly and inefficient. due to the great number of duplications. Accordingly, efforts were made toward securing catalogues from rubber stame manufacturers showing the principal styles and sizes of the rubber type supplied by them. Information was developed that a type style might originate with any one of three principal sources or industries, namely: the engraver, the type founder, or the rubber stamp manufacturer. It was found that the catalogues obtained from the leading rubber stamp manufacturers contained and represented the finished rubber type faces, shown in actual size, that are made available to the public and the writer of an extortion or threatening letter.

Examinations involving rubber stamp impressions and having for their purpose the discovery of the source of the rubber stamp proceed along the following lines:

- lines: EX-50 1. All catalogues in the file are carefully searched for the style and size of type involved.
- 2. If the style and size of type are not located in the catalogues, contact would then be made with a representative of the Government Printing Office in an effort to identify the style and size of type.
- 3. The Trade Lagazine, "Marking Devices", or a representative of the Marking Devices Association in Chicago, Illinois, is next contacted for information relative to the probable source of such type.
- 4. Individual commanies whose names have been obtained as a result of these three steps would be contacted for information relative to its distribution.

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March 15, 1943

Mr. N. N. Williams c/o James H. Matthews & Company 3942 Forbes Street Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Williams;

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Reference is made to your letter of Pebruary 10, 1943. with which you so kindly forwarded a copy of your latest rubber stamp catalog for inclusion in our files.

I wish to express my appreciation for this catalog. which will be of great value in our files.

Sincerely yours,

John Edgar Hoover Director

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FEDERAL BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION U. S. DEPT. OF JUSTICE WASHINGTON, D. C. **February 8, 1943** 

Att: Mr. J. E. Hoover

Dear Mr. Hoover:

We acknowledge with thanks receipt of your letter dated February 4 and as per your request we are sending to you under separate cover today a copy of our latest catalog together with supplements to be used in connection with same.

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Very truly yours,

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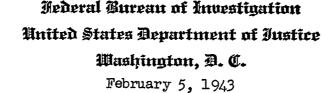
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JOHN EDGAR HOOVER





Mr. E. H. Bronner The Irwin-Hodson Company 439 Northwest 15th Avenue Portland, Oregon

Dear Mr. Bronner:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogue numbered 66 and supplement T-83.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

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February 4, 1943

Mr. A. J. Smith Johnson, Smith and Company 6615 East Jefferson Avenue Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Smith:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 145 and the 1936 Edition.

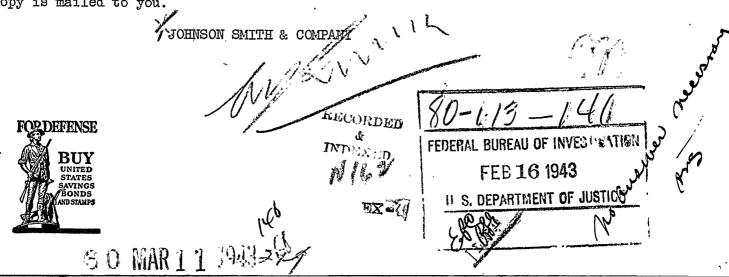
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Sincerely yours, abour John Edgar Hoover Director

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We have not gotten out a new catalog for 1943 so far. We are working on a new one now but it will not be ready until June or July, when we will certainly see that a copy is mailed to you.



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Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Department of Justice Washington, D. C.

Attention: Mr. John Edgar Hoover, Director

Gentlemen:

We refer to your letter of February 6, 1943. in which you request a copy of our latest catalog.

The most recent issue of our Catalog on rubber stamps, etc. is now in preparation form and as soon as we receive it from the printer, we shall be glad to send you a copy.

Yours truly,

PANNIER BROS. STAMP CO.

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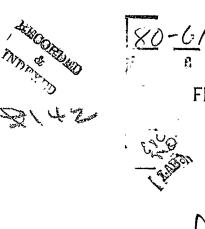
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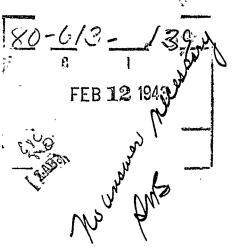
In reply to your letter of F<sub>e</sub>bruary 6th, if you have our No. 40 and No. 41 catalogs, these are the last that we have issued.

Duento war time restrictions we have not attempted to get to-gether a new catalog because many of our numbers have been discontinued.

> Cordially yours, FULTON SPECIALTY COMPANY.

L. H. Tavernier CW





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February 3, 1943.

Federal Bureau of Investigation, U. S. Department of Justice, Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

With reference to your letter of January 29, we advise that you are now in possession of the only catalog material we have to offer covering the products indicated and which we supply as manufacturers or jobbers.

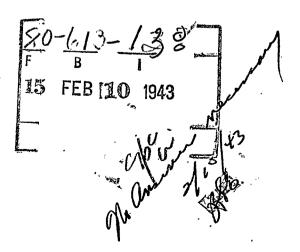
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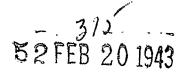
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### February 6, 1943

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Mr. Robert A. Pannier Treasurer Pannier Brothers Stamp Company 207 Sandusky Street, North Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Pannier:

In order to keep our files up to date the Eureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 62, 63 and 64.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

Sincerely yours.

John Edgar Hoover Director

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Mr. Hans H. Hellesoe Columbia Sign and Chart Printers 2344 Ainslie Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Hellesoe:

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Mr. W. Rueffer Eagle Stamp Works, Inc. 162 North Franklin Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Rueffer:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your 1942 catalogue.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

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Mr. L. H. Tavernier Fulton Specialty Company 200 Fifth Avenue New York City, New York

Dear Mr. Tavernier:

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Miss A. Perella Secretary William Baumgarten and Company 111 West Fayette Street Baltimore, Haryland

Dear Miss Perella:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 20-31 and 32.

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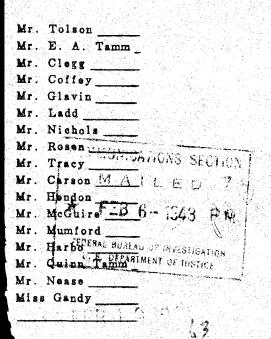
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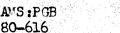
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February 6, 1943

Mr. J. R. Swift President The Superior Type Company 1800 West Larchmont Avenue Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Swift:

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February 5, 1943

Mr. A. R. Vitale R. A. Stewart and Company, Inc. 80 Diane Street New York City, New York

Dear Mr. Vitale:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 68-74 and 83-93.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

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Consolidated Stamp Manufacturing Company 87 Maiden Lane New York City, New York

Gentlemen:

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In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 70 and 85.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

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Mr. F. H. Pronner The Trwin-Hodson Company 439 Northwest 15th Avenue Portland, Oregon

Dear Mr. Bronner:

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Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

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Mr. Charles M. Reed Secretary The J.F.W. Dorman Company, Inc. 526 North Calvert Street Baltimore, Naryland

Dear Mr. Reed:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 80 and 90.

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Mr. J. P. Marks The C. A. Hanson Company 303 West Erie Street Chicago, Illinois

Dear Mr. Marks:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 90 and the 1941 edition.

Assuring you of my appreciation for your cooperation in this matter, I am

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February 4, 1943

Mr. N. N. Williams James H. Matthews and Company **3942 Forbes Street** Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Dear Mr. Williams:

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February 4, 1943

Mr. A. J. Smith Johnson, Smith and Company 6615 East Jefferson Avenue Detroit, Michigan

Dear Mr. Smith:

In order to keep our files up to date the Bureau would be pleased to receive the latest catalogue which you distribute concerning rubber stamp sets, date sets and line date bank stamps. At the present time we have your catalogues numbered 145 and the 1936 Edition.

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Mr. Theo. Kauffield Vice President American Type Founders Sales Corporation 200 Elsora Avenue Elizabeth. New Jersey

## Dear Mr. Lauffield:

Reference is made to a book entitled "The Book of American Types", a copy of which was submitted to the Newark Field Division of this Bureau. This copy has been forwarded to the Technical Laboratory of the Bureau for inclusion in the file of standards pertaining to such matters. The copy of this book which you have furnished will prove of value in the work done by the Laboratory

I wish to extend my thanks to you for this material and for the splendid cooperation and assistance you extended the Mesark Field Division in a recent investigation.

Sincerely yours, ?

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Dear Sir:-

During the course of a recent investigation conducted in the Newark Field Division, it was necessary to call upon Mr. THEO, KAUFFIELD, Vice President of the American Type Founders Sales Corporation, 200 Elmora Avenue, Elizabeth, New Jersey, for his analysis of certain specimens of type used in the printing of bank checks. His cooperation and assistance in the matter was splendid and worthy of commendation. Several days following the interview with Mr. KAUFFIED, The Newark Field Division received the enclosed WBOOK OF AMERICAN TYPES", which is the latest Specimen Book issued by the AMERICAN TYPE FOUNDERS.

In view of the fact that such information contained therein might prove useful in the Bureau Laboratory work, the book is being forwarded to you.

Very truly yours,

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April 22,1942.

Mr.John Edgar Hoover, Director Federal Bureau of Investigation, United States Department of Justice, Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover:

Acknowledging receipt of your letter of April 18th frequesting catalog or pamphlets listing or describing the various articles of fireworks that we manufacture or distribute.

For the past several years we have been doing our selling in the name of Ohio Display Fireworks Company, which is owned and operated by the same stockholders of our Company, and using the Vitale Fireworks Mffg.Co. as a manufacturing unit only.

We are enclosing herewith a copy of our 1941 Catalogue as we do not have any catalogue for this year and do not believe that we will have one as we are manufacturing Very's Signal Cart-Vridges for the Army and Navy and are not going after any of our regular display business.

We have some fireworks on stock which we may dispose of this year and if we have any prospects will sell them out of our 1941 Catalogue. Trusting that this will meet with your desired request, remain. 2 APR ? 1942 RJV.LS <u> Ohnson Smikihi & Co</u>r

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Mr. John Edgar Hoover Federal Bureau of Investigation WASHINGTON, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hoover;

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I have begun to look for your annual request for a copy of our catalog, and, as per your letter of the... 30th January, am pleased to send you a copy of our 1942 edition which is being mailed under separate cover

However, due to the war, we haven't made many changes in this year's edition and still retain the same number, viz. 403.

Now, more than ever, we are glad to co-operate with our government.

With kindest regards,

Yours very sincerely, INSON SMTTE AJS GH RECORDEN JANO å. INDEXT F ENGLO 计注册 U.S. DEM 1°C



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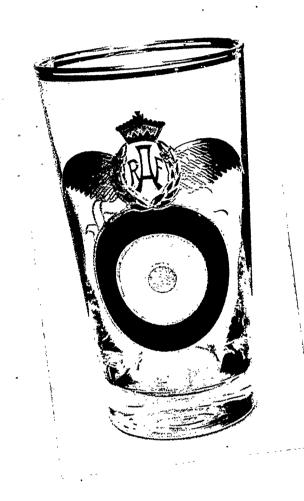
Gay -- dashing glassware to brighten up any occasion. These gracefully tapering glasses are crystal clear with a chip proof rim, banded in gold leaf, while just below is the colorful emblem of the Royal Air Force - the outstretched wings in gold leaf, surmounted by the Air Force crest - the green and gold laurel wreath encircling the white shield which bears the letters R.A.F. Below the wings and crest is the R.A.F. target in red, white and blue. The entire design has been fired on the glass to prevent peeling or washing off. The glass itself is the popular five inch size with the attractive half inch thick base.

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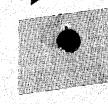








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JNW:EG 80-613-12 /2/ February 23, 1942

Mr. F. H. Bronner The Irwin-Hodson Company 439 Northwest Fifteenth Avenue Portland, Oregon

Bear Mr. Bronner:

Reference is made to your letter of February 4, 1942 advising that you have published no catalogs in addition to these I now have.

I wish to thank you for this information and for your cooperation in this matter.

Sincerely yours,

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Mr. J. E. Hoover Director Federal Bureau of Investigation United States Dept. of Justice Washington, D. C.

Dear Sir:

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Replying to your favor of the 30th ultimo, addressed to the attention of the writer, would say that we have published no further catalogs than our No. T-83 and No. G-66, of which you state you have copies.

We doubt very much under present emergencies that we will print any more catalogs as we will use our present catalogs until things adjust themselves when we can again have the opportunity of publishing a new type catalog.

Yours respectfully.

F. H. Bronner

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