Business College Advertising

The Zaner-Bloser Company
612 North Park St. Columbus, Ohio

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D.T. Brimes

#### Script Advertising for Business Colleges

It is well known that fine penmanship is admired by nearly all classes of persons. It is appreciated by more people than is painting or sculpture.

This is especially true as regards young persons, the very class whose attention business schools desire to attract. Many of the leading business educators and professional penmen of today were, while young, attracted to the business college through penmanship.

Probably the reader of this will remember the influence fine penmanship had over him when he was a boy.

It behooves those who teach good writing, and wish to attract the attention of those who are desirous of improving their writing and securing a practical education, to reach them through the attractive medium of good penmanship.

Type is too universal to be striking, too plain to be attractive, hence the attractiveness of script because of its scarcity and gracefulness.

There are many kinds of script—best, good, bad and indifferent. You know which attracts and which repels. In this, as in all things else, the best is the cheapest, and we feel quite sure that there is no better than that which we are offering

You should have the benefit of this business-bringing, inexpensive advertising.

#### BEAUTY AND LEGIBILITY

There is need for a script cut that is "as plain as print," and as graceful as offhand penmanship. The styles presented herewith combine in an extraordinary degree the essentials of legibility and beauty. Certainly never before has such a variety of timely, attractive, and appropriate cuts been offered to the public.

School catalogues, journals and other advertising matter can be greatly enhanced by the use of these cuts.

#### TERMS

Cash should accompany all orders. Every cut we sell represents a direct outlay of money and time on our part and it is therefore not our custom to open accounts, bill and charge script cuts. Kindly do not overlook remittance so as to save delay.

We prepay carriage charges. Due to the constant changes in cost of materials and labor, the prices in this catalog are subject to change without notice.

#### "THE PROGRESS OF PENMAN-SHIP"

Is a large design 22x28 inches in size, presenting the history of penmanship in a nutshell. Beginning with the year 1500, it presents each style of writing used during the different stages of its progress down to our own day, each style recording its own history.

The historical part occupies the upper central portion of the design. while in the lower central part is represented, also in script, philosophy and definitions as regards writing, representing the author's best thought on these subjects after his twenty years' study and practice of the art. At the extreme top of the design is lettering and pen drawing, and at the bottom, lettering and flourishing. On the right hand side is a beautiful female figure in the stipple and pen drawing typifying aspiration and the future, while on the left side of the design is another female figure typifying achievement and the past; all blending most harmoniously and effectively. On account of the instructive historical feature and great beauty of the design it is of permanent value, and most appropriate for hanging in the office, or wherever art and good penmanship are appreciated. The original is valued at \$1,000.00. Securely sent in tube, postpaid, for \$1.00.

"PROGRESS" is a large design known as C. P. Zaner's masterpiece in flourishing. It represents an eagle, forceful and lifelike, winging himself through intricate curves and branches with much energy. It is on the finest plate paper 22x28 inches, and the original of this design hangs on the wall of the Zanerian College, being valued at \$1.000.00.

This design also makes a very appropriate prize to present to the student making the most improvement in penmanship. Hundreds have been used for that purpose. All who admire pen flourishing should have this design. When you see it, you will soon decide that it is worth framing. Securely mailed in tube, postpaid, for \$1.00.

#### BUSINESS COLLEGE DIPLOMAS

Today the best taste demands a diploma which is not overdone in ornamentation. If you are interested in our diploma, which we are furnishing commercial schools in two sizes and two styles of lettering, send stamp for samples.

The diploma is simple, plain and classic. We can furnish it in two sizes, 10½x16, or 16x21.

We can supply the following headings: Business College, Business School, Commercial College, Commercial School, College of Commerce.

Special headings and designs made to order. Ask for terms, explaining just what is wanted. Orders filled as promptly as possible. Be careful to state whether large or small, tinted or black is desired.

#### PRICES

			La	arge—16x	21	
						Prepaid
	1	Diploma	or	Certificate,	Blank	\$ .50
	6	44	66	"	"	2.40
1	2	**	66	"	"	3.50
2	5	**	46	46	"	5.50
5	0	"	66	"	**	9.50
10	0	- 64	66	44	44	18.00
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	Small—10½ x16					
						Prepaid
	1	Diploma	or	Certificate,	Blank	\$ .40
	6	- 44	46	44	"	1.75
1	2	44	44	44	**	2.50
2	5	"	**	- 44	46	4.00
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Name of school, course, name of pupil, and date filled in to harmonize with the rest of the design for 50 cents each.

Let us quote on a special diploma for you.

#### THE ZANER-BLOSER COMPANY

#### Single Column Script Cuts

(Size about 21/8 in. wide)

The cuts on the following three pages are designated single column cuts because they will go in a single column, which is about 2½ inches. School catalogs, journals, circulars and other advertising matter can be made very attractive with these cuts. When used in newspaper advertising they prove to be very effective, since they are distinctive, differing from all other advertising cuts, and are very appropriate for school purposes.

When ordering, be sure to give the number as well as the word or words the cut contains.

Any one single column cut, postpaid.....

\$1.50

We can furnish promptly all the cuts illustrated herewith. If, however, you do not find listed what is desired, let us know exactly what your wishes are and we shall be glad to quote prices. Cuts made to order, however, are higher in price than those listed herewith.

Prices of the single column cuts herewith as follows:

Any six single column cuts, postpaid.....

Any three single column cuts, postpaid	4.13 Any twelve single	column cuts, postpaid
When ordering, don't fail to give catalog reduced by the state of the	Dusiness (ourse)	Rusiness University No. 16
Announcement No. 5	Business College	Business University
Arithmetic No. 4	Business College No. 23	Business Practice No. 30
Multhmetic	Business College .	Pusiness Viriling
Athletics No. 6	Business College No. 25	Rusiness Viriling
Bookkeeping	Tous mess (ollinge) No. 345	Misiness Arithmetic No. 28
Rookkeeping	Bysiness College,	Quisiness Spelling No. 29
No. 19	Rusiness School No. 27	Commercial (ollege
No. 20	Rusiness Institute  No. 15	Commercial College No. 37

\* Those cuts with an \* before them can be supplied either white letters on dark background or dark letters on white background. Be sure to specify when ordering which kind of background you desire.

Write for illustrated catalog of penmanship supplies.

#### Single Column Script Cuts (Continued)



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Write for catalog of penmanship supplies.



Zaner and Bloser Method Writing Manual 96 Size 4½x8½, 96 pages, paper, price 25c each, net, postpaid; per dozen, \$2.40.

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Write for illustrated catalog of penmanship supplies.

#### Double Column Script Cuts

(Size about 41/4 inches wide)

The double column cuts illustrated on the following ten pages are made to go in a double column,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches wide. Any of the words listed under single column cuts, but which are not listed under double column cuts, can be furnished in double column width at a little extra cost.

When ordering be sure to give the number as well as the word or words the cut contains.

We can furnish promptly all the cuts illustrated herewith. If, however, you do not find listed what is desired, let us know exactly what your wishes are and we shall be glad to quote prices. Cuts made to order, however, are higher in price than those listed herewith.

Prices of the double column cuts herewith are as follows:

Any one double column cut, postpaid....\$1.88 Any three double column cuts, postpaid 4.50 When ordering, don't fail to give catalog number. At the prices quoted, we can furnish the cuts only as illustrated.

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Write for illustrated catalog of penmanship supplies.



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## Commercial College

No. 158



No. 157

Commercial College

Commercial School

No. 152

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College of Commerce

Commercial University

No. 155-Also furnished 31/2 in. long

Commercial University

No. 156



Commercial

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No. 169



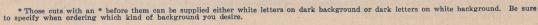
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Penmanship
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Write for catalog of penmanship supplies.

## Summer School

No. 219



No. 220

Summer School







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School of Prisiness





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It pays to use script in advertising. We shall gladly quote prices and submit sketches. for illustrated certificate circular. If you don't find what you want in this catalog, write for it.
Are your pupils working for penmanship certificates? Write

#### Three Column Script Cuts

(Size 61/2 inches wide)

The three column cuts illustrated on the following four pages are made to go in space 6½ inches wide.

In addition to the three column cuts illustrated herewith we can also furnish three column cuts of all of those illustrated under single and double column cuts at slightly higher prices.

Frices of the three column cuts shown herewith are as follows:

Any one three column cut, postpaid.

\$2.83

Any six three column cuts, postpaid.

\$12.90

Any three three column cuts, postpaid.

\$2.100

When ordering, be sure to give the number as well as the word or words the cut contains.

We can furnish promptly all the cuts illustrated herewith. If, however, you do not find listed what is desired, let us know exactly what your wishes are and we shall be glad to quote prices. Cuts made to order, however, are higher in price than those listed herewith.

At the prices quoted we can furnish the cuts only as illustrated.



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No. 246

No. 247

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## Rockkeepung No. 250

Commercial College

No. 251

Might School

No. 257



No. 258

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#### Three Column Script Cuts

(Size 61/2 inches wide)



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# Rookkeeping No. 250

Commercial College

Might School

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Mine/months afterdate we promise
to pay James S. Gennington Hompany
Tive Kundred Dollard.
Value received.
S.M. Bringer Von.

No. 321. Price \$3.20, postpaid

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No. 355. Price \$3.15, postpaid

NOT PUll BUT FUSH SPELLS UCCESS

No. 281. Price \$2.60, postpaid

Character is the Com of Life

No. 282. Price \$2.60, postpaid

No matter what line of work you need a course in business training

No. 323. Price \$2.85, postpaid

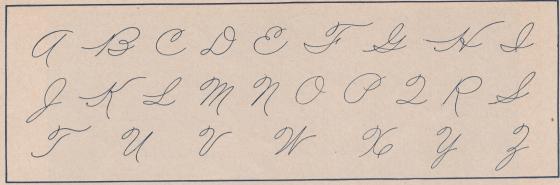


No. 319. Price \$3.50, postpaid



No. 324. Price \$3.75, postpaid

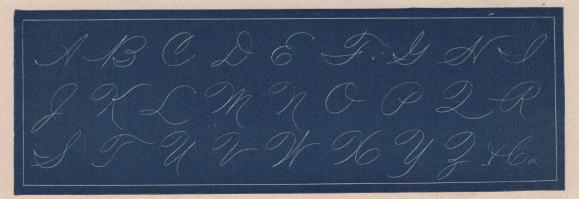
Business education is the educational keynote of our times.



No. 312. Price \$3.00, postpaid

#### Cuts of "Model Business Forms"

No. 314—3 x5½ in., same	forms as above, except da	and, as shown above, postpaidlark letters on white background, postpaidarger, white letters on dark background, post	paid 3.75
No. 316—35%x7 in., same	forms as above, except la	arger, and dark letters on white background,	postpaid 3.75



No. 317. Price \$3.00, postpaid

These alphabets can be used on blotters, post cards, cards, in catalogs and circulars.

When sent out on blotters or post cards, they are kept for the model business forms in practical penmanship they contain. Is there any better way to advertise?



No. 325. Price \$3.20, postpaid



No. 326. Price \$3.00, postpaid

No. 325. 3x5½ inches, \$3.20, post-

No. 326. 2½x4½ inches, as shown to the left, \$3.00, postpaid.

No. 327. 4x7 inches, same as No. 326 except larger, \$3.75, postpaid.

Ornamental writing of this kind attracts all who would like to attain excellence in penmanship.

The object of having one of these ornamental notes appear in your circular or catalog would be to show what skill can be reached with the pen and to secure attention.

It is not the intention to convey the idea that they represent practical writing, but instead ornamental writing. Many a student has been drawn to the business college through a specimen of ornamental penmanship.



No. 328. Price \$3.20, postpaid



No. 286, 334x6 inches, like above, white lines on dark background, \$3.00, postpaid.

No. 287, same design and size as above except dark lines on white background, \$2.70, postpaid.

No. 288, same design as above except larger, 55%x81% inches, and black lines on white background, \$4.20, postpaid. The scrolls in No. 288 can be mortised in which printed matter can be run. Extra cost for mortising, 50c.

Either one of the cuts can be used effectively on a mailing card with some printed matter to accompany it.



No. 291—3½x7 in., as shown above, postpaid	3.15
No. 292—2¼x4¾ in., same as above except in size, postpaid	2.60
No. 293-44x94 in., same as above except in size, postpaid	4.20

#### The Zaner-Bloser Engrossing Studio

We engross resolutions, make diplomas and do all classes of pen work. Submit your copy for estimates. Liberal commission offered to Business Schools sending resolutions to us to be engrossed. We can give you prompt service.

#### WE LETTER DIPLOMAS

Let us letter your next diplomas. We have a staff of expert penmen who can letter your diplomas in any style you desire, from a simple style to a carefully retouched, shaded and flourished style.

#### EXAMPLES OF DIPLOMA FILLING

The following illustrations were photo-engraved direct from hand-made copies.

The prices include postage, wrapping and the name in first-class lettering with one date line on paper diplomas. Extra matter is charged in proportion to the amount. Sheepskin diplomas cost 15c extra because of the extra work in handling. Write for quantity prices.



Style 1. Old English, shaded and flourished, best quality of work \$1.00 each, postpaid.

## K.R.Mamilton

Style 2. Old English, shaded and carefully finished and retouched, 75c each, postpaid.

### F. R. Mamilton

F.R.Mamilton

Style 4. Plain Old English, 40c each, postpaid.

### F. R. Mamilton

Style 5. Plain Eclectic Text, 40c each, postpaid. This style can be flourished for 15c extra.

F.R.Mamilton

Style 6. Engrosser's Text, 40c each, postpaid. This style can be flourished for 15c extra.

F. R. Mamilton

Style 7. Engrosser's Script, 25c each, postpaid.

Write for quantity prices or for special styles of work.





Price \$2.40, postpaid-Also furnished 3x7 in., for \$3.35, postpaid 295. No.

#### Card Writing

We will write cards for you for 50c a dozen in a neat style. However for \$1.00 a dozen we will write a dozen exceptionally skillful cards for your scrapbook. Let us select the names to go on the scrapbook cards and you will get some of our most attractive combinations.

What school can afford to use uninviting headings when such cuts as these can be purchased for but a few dollars? Give your school literature an individuality, making use of plenty of high grade pen work.



No. 284. Price \$3.00, postpaid



No. 280. Price \$2.40, postpaid



No. 300. Price \$3.00-Single column size, \$2.25

The above cut can be used as a letter heading or corner envelope design for any business college. Plenty of space is left above and below for the name of your college and address to be set up in type.

Script Letterheads A script letterhead is attractive, dignified, and is admired by all. We have pre-pared cuts for hundreds of the leading schools of the country. The cuts appearing on the following two pages are presented to give an idea of what we can prepare, specially for you. In ordering you should first give the exact wording and then as much information as possible, such as size of cut desired and style of letters, arrangement, etc. If you can give us an idea of exactly what you desire, we can go ahead with the work; otherwise, it may be best for us to submit to you a hasty pencil sketch for your approval or suggestions before getting out the pen work. Such cuts can be furnished for from \$8.00 to \$25.00, depending upon the quantity and quality of work desired. Pencil sketches submitted gladly upon request. We can prepare any kind of script advertising cuts. Let us help you. UP-TO-DATE - EVENING SESSIONS -THE BEST BECAUSE THE MOST PRACTICAL AND MODERN SCHOOL OF SHORTHAND, TYPEWRITING AND PENMANSHIP EVENING SESSIONS-PITISBURG, PA

We can make a letterhead cut for you in a simple or elaborate style for any purpose.

No. 350. Price \$2.25, postpaid

## Steubenville Business College

DUSINESS University.

Moise College

Western Torpedo Company
Independence:Kan:\_\_\_\_\_190\_



Samples of letterheads. We can prepare a coarse line cut for you for newspaper advertising or a fine line cut for smooth paper.

# SUCCESSFUL

No. 340



SUCCESSFUL

No. 341

No. 332

No. 338

No. 339

No. 337

The cuts shown on this page make fine letterheads. They can, of course, be used in circulars, catalogs, on envelopes, mailing cards, or in newspaper advertising.

By having your printer run a rule around one of the small sized cuts, leaving considerable margin between the rule and cut, a very neat and tasty letterhead can be made.

The cuts on this page can be changed to bear your name and address and can be made

Single column size......\$10.00, postpaid Double column size...... 10.50, postpaid

Three column size...... 11.00, postpaid

SUCCESSFUL

No. 342

SUCCESSFUL

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No. 331

A cut of the above letter will cost you but \$4.50, postpaid. Your signature written and a cut of same to match the letter will be furnished for \$5.00—the two cuts for \$9.50, prepaid. If wording does not suit, we can prepare one to your order, equal to the above.

The script letter No. 330 was prepared by one penman and the letter above by another. As will be seen, both the writing and wording are different in the two letters. Of course, the one shown on this page can be used in any of the ways mentioned on the page showing the other letter.

After using one letter you may conclude to use the other at another time.

It pays to have these letters well printed on good stock so that they can be preserved. They will produce results.

Are your pupils working for penmanship certificates? Write for illustrated certificate circular.

progressive school with up to Tofstudy, skilled leachers, liven help century methods of instruction, and unexcelled opportunities for advancement, you will do well to investigate our facilities for iving instruction and securing positions! The accompanying print givesinformation and particulars) toour school and work hing lo hear from you, seepoulwithus, we are, Yours lruly.

No. 330

A cut of the above letter costs you but \$4.50, postpaid. Your signature written to order to match the letter and cut of same furnished for \$5.00—the two cuts for \$9.50, prepaid. If wording does not suit, we can prepare one to your order, equal to the above.

This letter can be used with good effect in circulars, catalogs, or as a circular letter.

If you select the right kind of paper and instruct your printer to be careful, it can be made to closely resemble real pen work. If printed on cardboard with your signature included, as well as some printed matter, it can be used as a small poster to be hung up or tacked up. As a circular letter, it can be mailed with other literature. It will receive attention and therefore bring business.



No. 296. Price \$2.70



No. 297. Price \$2.40



No. 298. Price \$2.70

In preparing the script for "Merry Christmas—Happy New Year!" we adhered as closely as is possible to the style used by the famous Madarasz. These cuts represent the perfection of his appealing style of writing these words. You can easily imagine many uses that can be made of these cuts. The small ones can be used on cards, calling card size, for individual use. What a handsome post card can be prepared with the aid of these cuts to send at the proper time of the year to prospective students. If used in a circular or catalog would they not convey the season's greetings in a most attractive manner?

Write for sample Christmas cards.



No. 299. Price \$3.15

#### Zanerian College of Penmanship

The script cuts shown in this catalog were prepared in the engrossing department of the Zanerian College of Penmanship, Columbus, Ohio, (The Zaner-Bloser Company, Proprietors) which is quite generally recognized as the leading school of its kind in the world. If interested write for catalog.

#### **Business Educator**

The Business Educator, published by The Zaner-Bloser Company, is an interesting periodical devoted to penmanship and commercial education. Sample copy free to interested persons. Yearly subscription \$1.95.

#### Penmanship Supplies

The Zaner-Bloser Company not only furnish penmanship supplies such as writing books, etc., for the public schools, but they also handle the finest penmanship supplies of various kinds for professional penmen, engrossing artists, etc. Prices quoted on request.



No. 283. Price \$2.60, postpaid

#### Script Poster

Our script poster must be seen to be fully appreciated. It is unique and attractive and conveys a message to prospective commercial students. It is 22x28 inches and can be posted, tacked or framed.

The name of the school, location, etc., is intended to be printed in the white oblong. It is without doubt the finest thing of the kind ever created, and it is yours for a nominal sum. Its use means a small outlay and an increased attendance.

#### PRICES OF POSTERS

1	without	name\$	.75
12	without	name	5.00
50	without	name	15.00

Fifty printed with the name of the school, location, etc., in the white oblong, add \$3.00 to the above price.

For ten dollars additional to any of the above amounts a beautiful script cut of your school name and city will be designed, engraved and furnished for printing in the long white oblong space. This cut would then belong to the purchaser and could be used for circular or other advertising purposes. And for but a trifling additional cost, smaller sizes could be had for newspaper advertising, letterheads, business cards, etc.

#### Script Street Car

Size 11x21 inches

Practically everybody rides in the street car, and street car advertising is therefore one of the most effective methods of reaching the public.

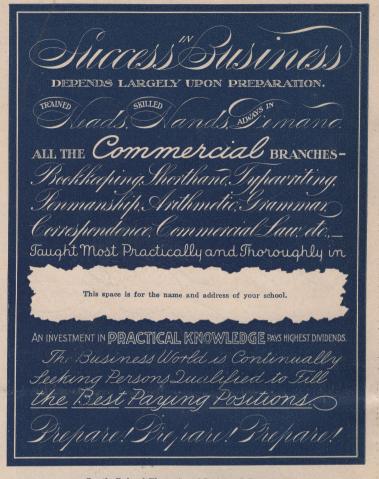
Fine script for such purposes is a rarety and a real innovation. It carries with it a tone, dignity, and practicability peculiarly fitting for business education.

#### PRICES OF STREET CAR CARDS On Cardboard Only

1	without	name	.50
12	without	name	4.00
50	without	name	11.00

Fifty printed with the name of the school, location, etc., in the white oblong, add \$3.00 to the above price.

A script cut of your school name can be furnished at same price as that mentioned for poster. The cut can be used in either the Poster or the Street Car Card.



Greatly Reduced Illustration of Business College Poster
No. 352—A cut, 4½x5½ inches, from which the above greatly reduced illustration of our
poster was printed, can be furnished, prepaid, for \$4.10.



Greatly Reduced Illustration of Street Car Card
No. 358—A cut, 4½x2% inches, from which the above greatly reduced illustration of our street car card was printed, can be furnished, prepaid, for \$3.35.
Fine for an advertising postcard.