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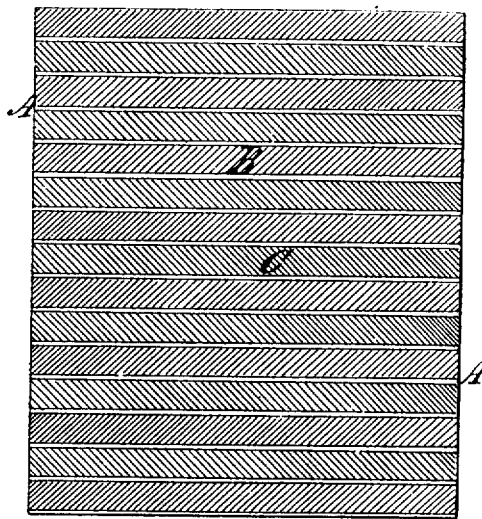
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Writing Paper.

No. 8,200.

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## DESIGN FOR WRITING-PAPER.

Specification forming part of Design No. **8,200**, dated March 9, 1875; application filed February 24, 1875.  
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*To all whom it may concern:*

Be it known that I, HENRY C. BAINBRIDGE, of Brooklyn, in the county of Kings and State of New York, have invented and originated a new Design for Writing-Paper, of which the following is a specification:

The nature of this design consists in a surface marked or otherwise provided with a series of parallel straight lines and intervening rows of diagonal lines, which in adjacent rows extend in reverse directions, as illustrated in the accompanying drawing, which represents a page of paper ornamented with the new design.

A A designate the parallel straight lines before mentioned. They may be of any suitable width, and may be arranged at any desirable distance apart. B C designate rows of diagonal lines situated between the lines A A. Each line in the several rows B C is parallel with the others in the same row, but the lines in the different rows are successively reversed, the lines in alternate rows B extending diagonally in one direction, and the lines in inter-

vening rows C extending in a reverse direction. The surface of the paper is thus traversed by zigzag lines intercepted at the angles or bends by parallel straight lines, whereby it has a very tasty and beautiful appearance.

This design may be delineated in various ways—for instance, it may be produced in manufacturing the paper, according to a well-known method of ornamenting paper; it may be indented into or embossed upon the paper; or it may be marked on the paper with any suitable marking material.

What I claim as new, and desire to secure by Letters Patent, is—

A design for writing-paper, the surface of which is marked, embossed, or ornamented with parallel straight lines and interposed alternately reversed diagonal lines, substantially as shown and described.

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