# Typography

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# Context & Meaning



for intentional organization

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### The royal order of the coin

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While the coin may be eventually in danger of going extinct in the United States, it is still at large and very much in play. And while it is, there is a bad habit that needs to be acknowledged. Cashiers the country-over are guilty of it, and it's the violation of the *coin order*.

Let's agree: there is a right and a very wrong way to receive change from a cashier. Whether you're standing, sitting, or crouching through a double-paned plexiglass window, if your change involves at least one bill, and one or more coins (a receipt is a variant), there are simple rules. And when they're broken, the common laws of user-centered courtesy come undone.

### The royal order

Certain countries use dishes to distribute change in retail shops. Their counterparts in other areas, MUJI for example in the United States, follow this dignified tradition. Giving change the right way, like any service design process, takes an understanding of the human, and here it's no different — cashiers are clearly missing what happens when customers receive change. Men throw change in pockets or a tip jar. The end. Bills and receipts get categorized differently depending on their various organizational strategies and attention to detail.

# SERIFS

ASCENDER

The extra strokes at the end of a letter.

The part of a letter that extends above the body of the type.

# Somme

X-HEIGHT

The height of a typical lower-case letter.

## DESCENDER

The part of a letter that extends below the body of the type.

## BASELINE

The invisible grid line the characters sit on.

extends below the body of the type.

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[ Size Matters: Does this make you lean in? ]

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# Is this elegant?

# What about this?

# [ If one type face is good...]

# Pairing

# PURE DARJEELING TEA HOUSE BLEND

20 individually wrapped bags

NET WT. 1.5 OZ / 42 G

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Gerhard Szymon and Natalie Wasserbauer

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Javanese Music and the Roots of

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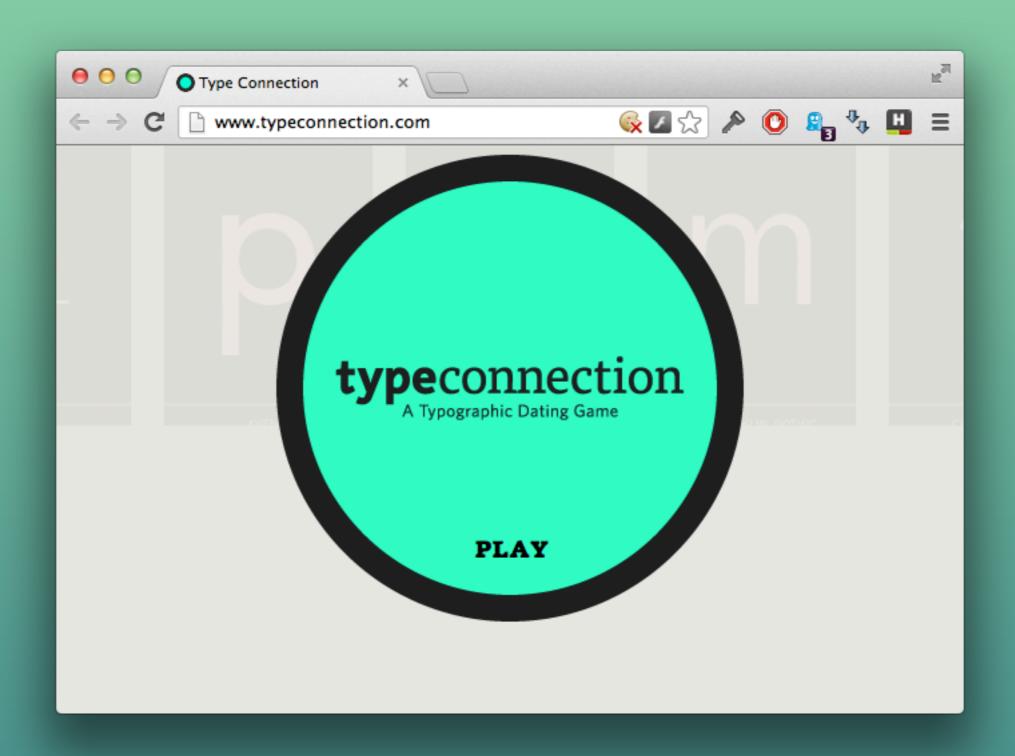
# Bach Cello Suites

BWV 1007-1012

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Suite No. 1 in G Major

Recognized as some of the finest works ever written for the solo cello, the Six Suites for Unaccompanied Cello are among the most intimate compositions written by Bach during his tenure as kapellmeister in Cöthen (1717–1723). The Suite No. 1 in G Major, widely recorded in a variety of highly interpretive



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# **MEXICO**

# UNSPOILED

TRAVEL & LEISURE Most have not yet discovered San Carlos, Guaymas and Alamos E1

### **STATE OF BOOKS**

■ TROPICALIA Florida a popular subject with writers

### **PLAYOFF FOOTBALL**

■ **SPORTS** Patriots top Titans 17-14; Panthers beat Rams in double overtime 29-23 C1



### **IPOD MANIA**

■ BUSINESS & MONEY Apple's music machine becoming a must-have D1

FINAL | \$1.50

### **NOT SO SMALL**

■ REAL ESTATE Larger home sprouting in Lehigh Acres G1

# Chamber falls into disrepair

Fort Myers asked to sell site so it can be fixed up

### BY ALISON KEPNER

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Packing tape holds up ceiling tile in one office, but the room looks better than others at the Greater Fort Myers Chamber of Commerce.

Broken windows are boarded up with plywood in a back conference room. Floor tiles — inside and on the front walk — are missing. Throughout the building, brown spots mark the roof's many leaks.

"I don't know what's growing up there," Executive Director Marietta Mudgett said as she pointed to a discolored wall. "I'm afraid to find out."

After years of neglected maintenance, the 51-year-old city-owned buildmain Officiale acti-

# nding the right chemistry



We're working on our strategy on how we promote our area for biotechnology ... We feel like we have an opportunity in Florida."

- Danina Cmith

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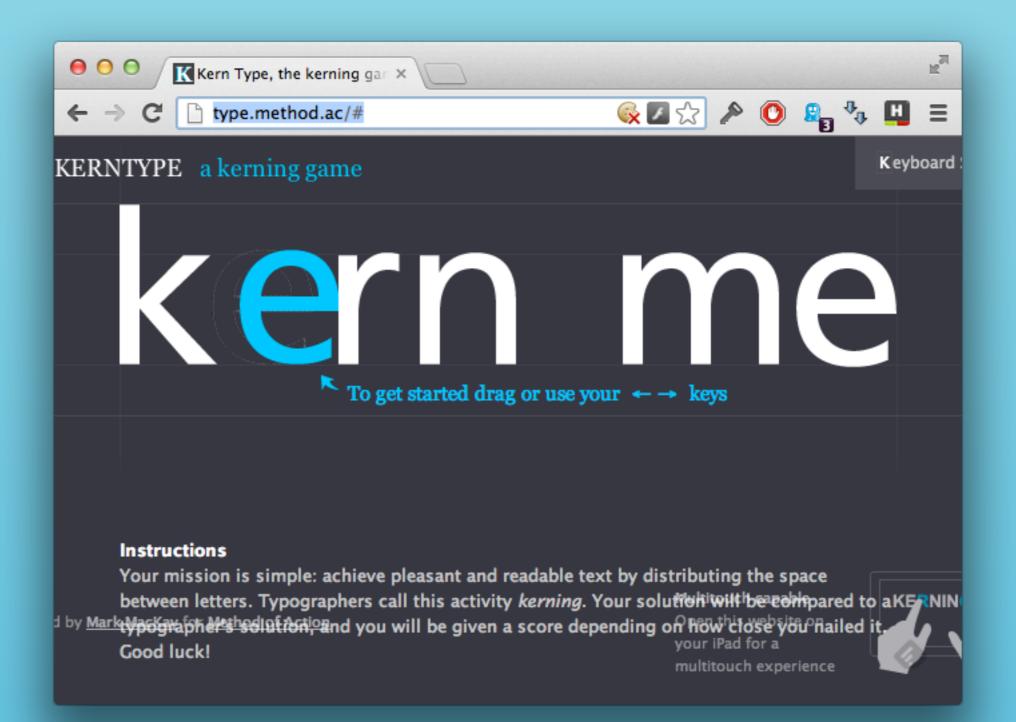
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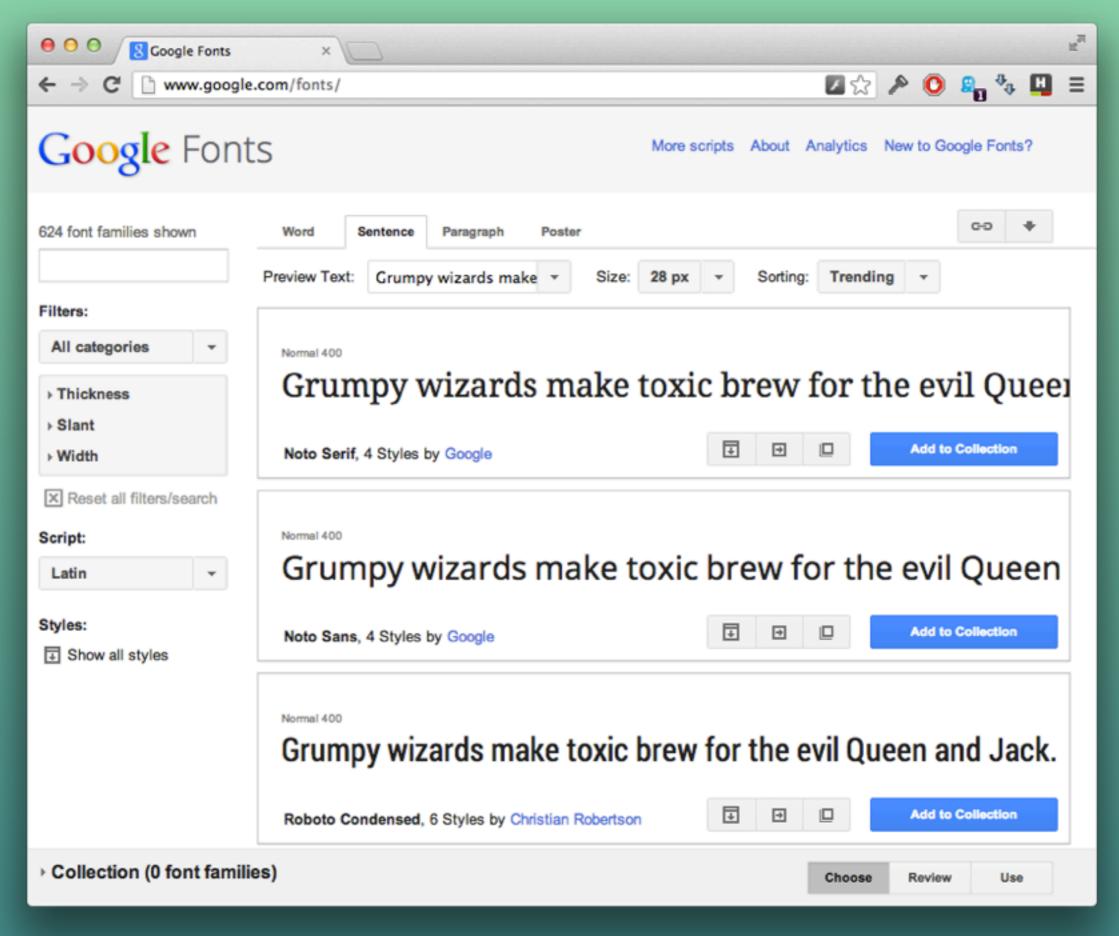
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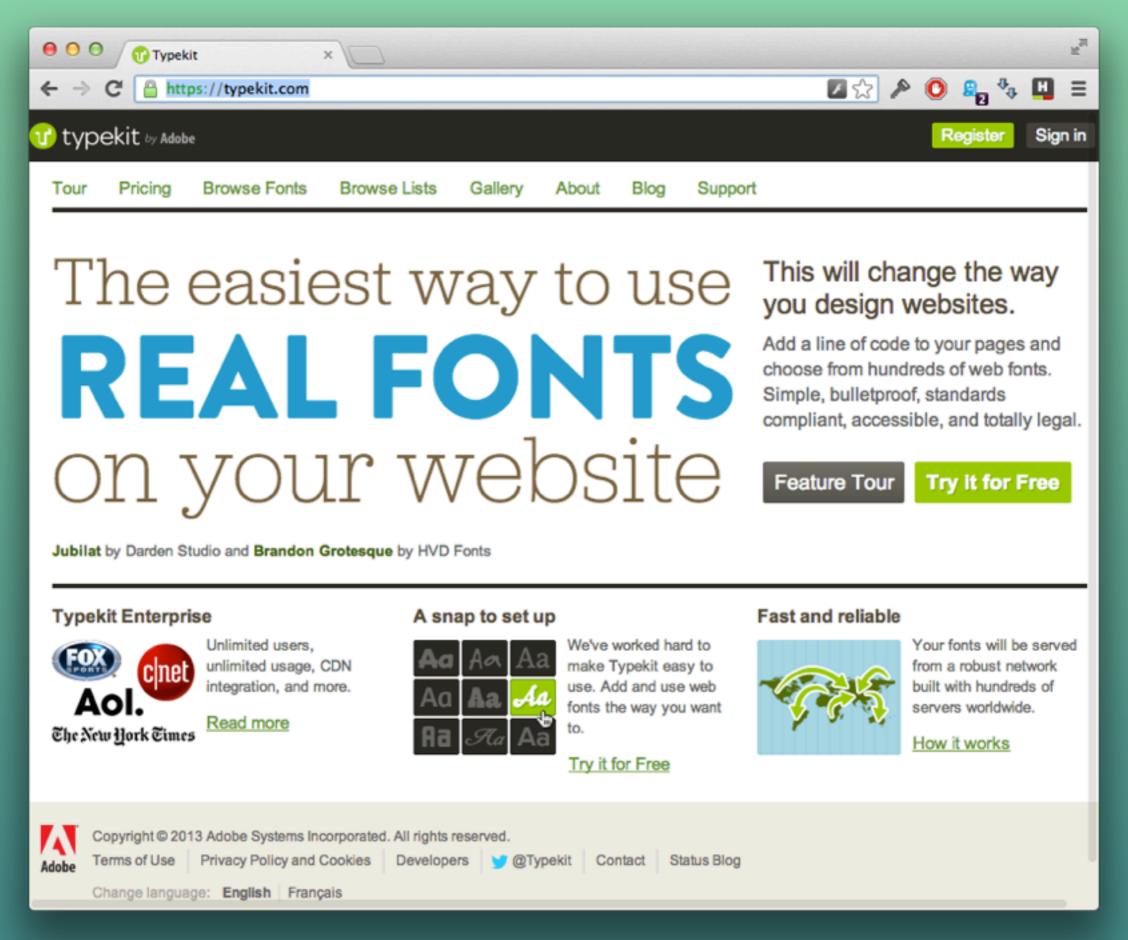
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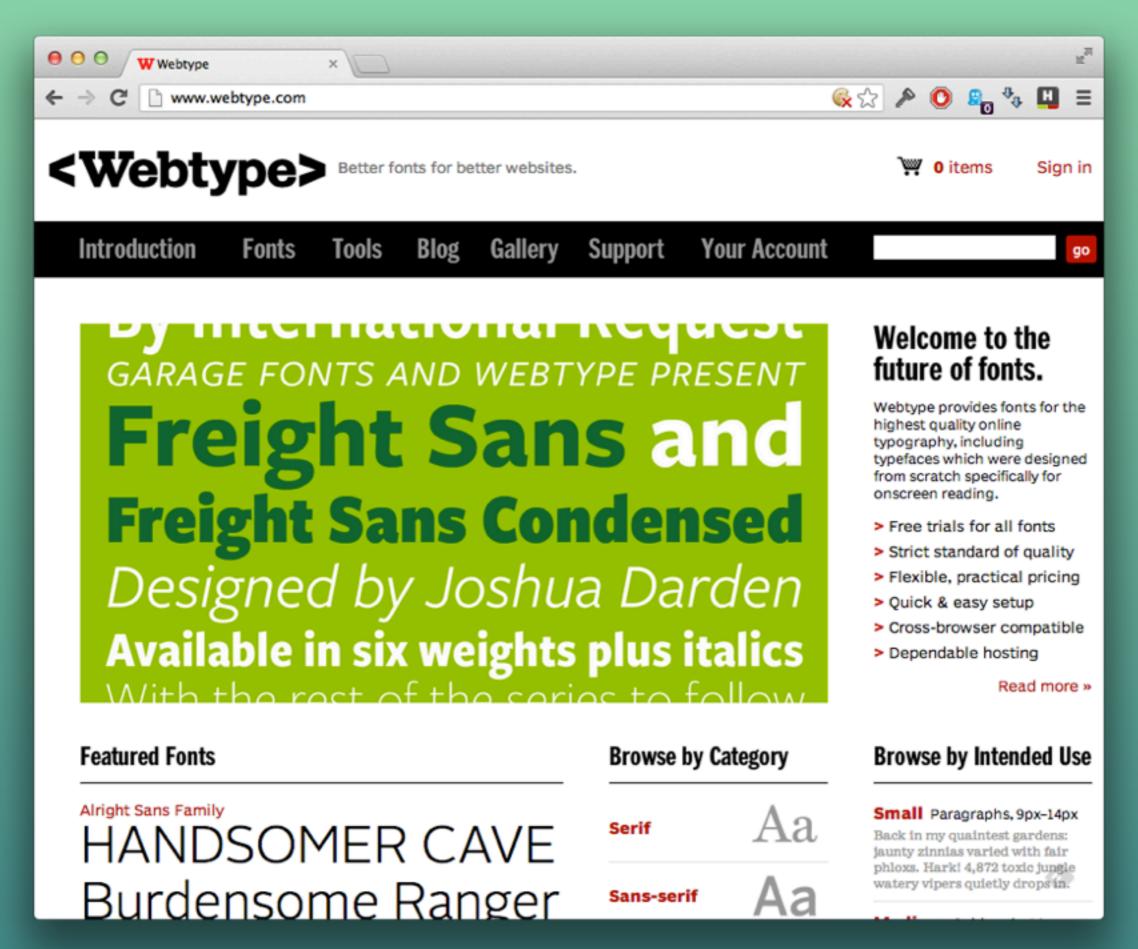
# Google Webfonts

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<link href='http://fonts.googleapis.com/css?
family=Open+Sans' rel='stylesheet' type='text/css'>
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body {
  font-family: "font-family: 'Open Sans', sans-serif;"
}
```







# Post-work

- Add a web-based font to your page
- Introduce contrast with font weight
- Introduce hierarchy with font size
- Improve readability with line height
- Send jour 390@gmail.com your link and a paragraph explaining what you accomplished with your styling.

# Questions?

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