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The Schedule referred to in these Letters Patent and making part of the same containing a description of the nature of the said Samuel Randall himself of his improvement in the art of Penmanship

The Alphabets here small and Capitals or what ever it may be deemed by Scholars Pupils should first practice are prepared and taught in the following manner by small marks easily seen by the Pupils, who is to trace said marks and Letters with a pencil taught regularly to a point. After which the Pupils pass through the Copy the Letters which being made with his pencil are blotted with a sponge or cloth or otherwise but the small Letters remain for the Pupil to trace over again and again by which he soon obtains the proper shape and stand of every Letter which is by far the most difficult part in the process of obtaining the art of writing

The process or practice is somewhat similar. Where it is intended for the Pupil to write is ruled on the paper from the copy plate or otherwise as may be thought best by the Instructor and made except the line on the left which is to be omitted to prepare it for the Pupil to credit his Letters by the chain Letters below being designed to guide him to the proper shape and stand of the Letters only — The Pupil must carefully imitating one Letter with a pencil or one pupil with a pen Letters previously formed in a chain stroke as before stated above. Which will give the acme of Penmanship

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