

Strange Newes

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Strange Newes is a development of my Chapbook type, based on 17th century typography. The characters have been made much smoother and more regular. The font takes advantage of Unicode and includes a large number of glyphs, including accented characters for eastern European languages, Irish and Welsh, plus Cyrillic and Greek letters. The font also includes a long-s, and a selection of period ligatures. These characters can be accessed by either choosing an appropriate keyboard layout in the International preferences panel, or via the Special Characters.../Glyphs menu option (the name seems to vary depending on the application).

This archive contains the TrueType version for the Macintosh, compatible with both MacOS X and Classic, and includes the following files:

- **About Strange Newes TT.pdf** - this file.
- **StrangeNewes** - the font itself. In MacOS X, double click on this to see a preview. Click on the “Install Font” button to install. For earlier versions of Mac OS, this file should go in the ‘Fonts’ folder in the System Folder.

A PostScript Type 1 version for the Macintosh is also available. Italics and further weights are planned.

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