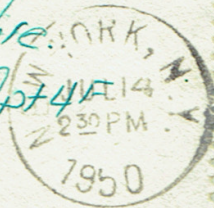


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DR. E. K. SANDERS
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HOUSTON, TEXAS

Thursday
July 13, 1950

My dearest Dandy;

Your good special delivery letter arrived at 8 P.M. Saturday. Cousin Ernest and I were out together for the evening but when I came in the gate entrance that night something told me to go upstairs and look in my mail box - I could scarcely believe my eyes, I was so excited.

Darling I hope nothing interferes with your trip to N.Y. in the late summer. I rather thought you would have to be back in time for classes in September but I'm sure you can arrange the trip if you concentrate a bit. With Joe and the new interne there to operate Caroline I should think that would take care of your biggest problem.

However, I'm not too worried about what your decision will be as the heat of the summer drags on through August.

I am still keeping on the look-out for an appropriate Silver Pattern and China (enclosed find latest crush) I think Barton's Silver is a bit heavy but if you don't mind it, you really get more weight per dollar compared with other companies. I know you don't especially care about keeping the pamphlets so you can stick them in one of your letters to me sometime. Just wanted to get your reaction to them - The China I like very much. Remember - Claire & El. have Lenox China in a plain gold pattern. I rather like the touch of Maroon - don't you?

Another point worth mentioning is - note how well the silver pattern ties in with the China.

Honey, I was looking at the snapshots we took at the station before I left last time.....

W we do look sorta like each other - ?? Even if I do look as if lightning just struck my wooden leg - ha!

Sweetheart, forget about the hysterical letter I wrote last Friday. In my heart I know you love me - and apart from that I need no other help. After all, I am the only person who can live my own life & therefore I must solve my own problems. Yes, I must learn to live alone. Guess your letter Saturday

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was all I needed to bring
me to my senses.

Write when you can in soon.

As always — — — —

All my love,

David



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For Four104.00 For Twelve 312.00

| | ONE | EIGHT | TWELVE |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| Dinner Plate..... | \$7.00 | \$56.00 | \$84.00 |
| Salad Plate..... | 5.75 | 46.00 | 69.00 |
| Butter Plate..... | 5.00 | 40.00 | 60.00 |
| Teacup & Saucer..... | 8.25 | 66.00 | 99.00 |
| Soup Plate..... | 6.00 | 48.00 | 72.00 |
| Fruit Saucer..... | 5.00 | 40.00 | 60.00 |
| Luncheon Plate..... | 6.75 | 54.00 | 81.00 |
| Coffee Cup & Saucer | 8.75 | 70.00 | 105.00 |
| After Dinner Cup & Saucer.. | 8.00 | 64.00 | 96.00 |
| Cream Soup & Stand..... | 12.00 | 96.00 | 144.00 |

Individual Pieces

| | | | |
|----------------------|---------|---------------------|---------|
| Platter—Small | \$20.00 | Covered Vegetable.. | \$41.00 |
| Platter—Medium | 30.00 | Sauce Boat | 27.00 |
| Platter—Large | 45.00 | Coffee Pot..... | 29.00 |
| Buffet Platter— | | Teapot | 29.00 |
| round | 20.00 | Sugar | 18.00 |
| Open Vegetable | 15.00 | Cream | 15.00 |

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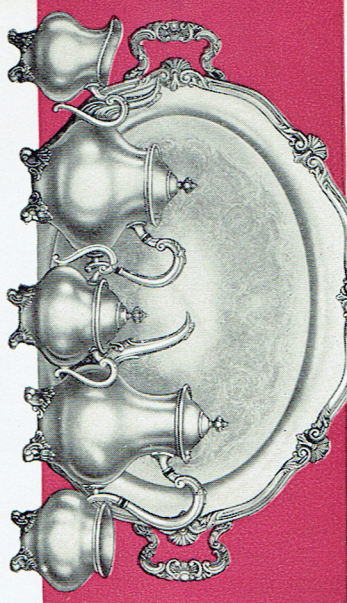
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Burgundy

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STERLING SILVER BY REED & BARTON

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| PLACE PIECES | 1 | 8 | 12 |
|---|--------|---------|---------|
| Teaspoons, heavy weight | \$3.50 | \$28.00 | \$42.00 |
| Luncheon Forks, heavy | 6.67 | 53.33 | 80.00 |
| Luncheon Knives, H.H. | 5.25 | 42.00 | 63.00 |
| Salad or Pastry Forks, ind. | 4.67 | 37.33 | 56.00 |
| Cream Soup Spoons | 4.83 | 38.67 | 58.00 |
| Butter Spreaders, flat hdl. | 3.83 | 30.67 | 46.00 |
| Minimum Place Settings | 28.75 | 230.00 | 345.00 |
| <i>(6 pieces — one each of above 6 items)</i> | | | |
| Dinner Forks, heavy weight | 8.17 | 65.33 | 98.00 |
| Dinner Knives, H.H. | 5.75 | 46.00 | 69.00 |
| Coffee Spoons, after dinner | 2.33 | 18.67 | 28.00 |
| Iced Beverage Spoons | 5.25 | 42.00 | 63.00 |
| Oyster or Cocktail Forks | 3.17 | 25.33 | 38.00 |
| Full Place Settings | 53.42 | 427.33 | 641.00 |
| <i>(11 pieces — one each of above 11 items)</i> | | | |
| Butter Spreaders, H.H. | 5.00 | 40.00 | 60.00 |
| Dessert or Cereal Spoons | 6.67 | 53.33 | 80.00 |

CARVING SETS

| | | | |
|---|---------|--------------|--------|
| Roast Fork | \$17.50 | Steak Fork | \$8.75 |
| Roast Knife* | 17.50 | Steak Knife† | 8.75 |
| Roast Steel | 15.00 | Steak Knife* | 11.00 |
| <i>*With hollow ground stainless steel blade.</i> | | | |
| <i>†With Mirrorside blade.</i> | | | |

SINGLE SERVING PIECES

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|----------------------------|---------|--------------------------|--------|
| Berry Spoon | \$17.50 | Olive or Pickle Fork* | \$4.50 |
| Butter Knife | 7.00 | Pie Server, H.H.* | 8.50 |
| Cheese Server, H.H.* | 6.00 | Punch Ladle, A.S., H.H.* | 47.50 |
| Cold Meat Fork, sm. | 10.75 | Salad Fork, large | 17.50 |
| Cold Meat Fork, lg.* | 16.50 | Salad Spoon, large | 17.50 |
| Cream or Mayonnaise Ladle* | 7.00 | Sugar Spoon | 6.00 |
| Gravy Ladle | 10.75 | Sugar Tongs | 7.00 |
| Jelly Server | 6.25 | Table Serving Fork | 10.00 |
| Lemon Fork* | 4.00 | Table Serving Spoon | 10.00 |
| | | Tomato Server* | 13.50 |
| | | Wedding Cake Knife* | 17.50 |

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