

place all the things that
I might possibly need
are marked with H. after
them instead of D. Outside
of the grand piano which
I would not take from
Nette and would not have
room for if I did. But
John, darling, let me just
read to you the things that
are D's - see if you think
they are funny or if my
sense of humor is worsted
Piston — this
goes on for an ore

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PARK AVENUE

Dearest —

Your nice letter waiting for me
when I got in this afternoon -
Linda + Arthur with me -
I read the first and last
parts and was content
to wait until they left to
solve the crossword
puzzle. Now I am
alone in my room with
the inventory of the ledgers -
and it being to my
mind more comical than
helpful. In the first

pages than I could write - 10 -

1 Hot water furnace - Progress 52 W.

1 ash sifter and barrel -

2 large ash cans - 2 small.

Large 4 burner stove - gas - with oven

4 " containers artificial gas - outside house.

coal burning stove set into wall

5 agate sauce pans

White enamel dish pan

2 aluminum sauce pans

ect - ect -

iron ham pot (whatever that is)

2 milk pails.

3 vegetable dishes, carving set - four large spoons

2 pancake turners

3 large forks and a biscuit cutter.

half a dozen glasses.

egg beater

grater -

3 wooden
spoons.

lemon squeezer - 2 ice picks

sell my camera equipment -
House & Guest Book - the
road in - neck tension -
Boat To Providence - Howards
at Newport - Cambridge - Concord.
Boston - Westport point with
fall coloring - McQuhans -
E.L. Oliver - fundamentals (?) -
Mexican reservations - St. Louis
Dallas - St. Antonio - Mexico City
Arizona & California - W.P.A.
\$400,000 athletic field -
underwriting \$7500 - sunken
stadium - playing field - endowment
G.H. - Frank Hutchins - horse -
Silvermine - Norwalk directory -
\$25 per -

And that "you love me very much -
that last line or two saves the old
neck from cracking - and makes

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Now John darling do I go on
with 2 muffin ties - a
mouse trap and a pitchfork.
or do I quietly close this
book and smile quietly to
myself over your lines "Remember
you are going to look over
temporary furniture - please
ask E.L. to get you inventory
of furniture at Ledges Belonging
to me" ect. ?

Instead you say regarding
painting, grading, committees
Rutgers, Fairfield County Chemicals
table design, selling ice-box -
repainting furniture - retaining
color in B. Pantry -

the fundamental of our
whole life — for the
rest - the lists - the endless
endless lists - are for all
the things that do not matter
in the least. I know now the
same as I knew before —
that I want for our
little cottage a few pieces
of suitable furniture but
not more. The house is too small —
it must not be cluttered - any
more than our minds or our
lives with everything jammed
in on us - I can't think beyond
this to night.

I went again to Nielson to-day -
he gave me pills which I did not
know he believed in - and I must
come again tomorrow - his talk is
more helpful I think than his treatment
he puts religion above all ~~else~~
and man's spiritual growth
as the only measure of progress.
I'm afraid he found me rather
choked by materiality - the effort
to accomplish the lesser while
killing the real. I must fight it
out in myself before I can hope
to have the gripping hands loosened
on my neck - I must make an
exray of my self and hold fast
to the truth as I see it - help me
darling - for if you help me in this
I can help you by being strong and
serene - Good night beloved of mine.

placque of a baby -
cot, mattress, pad & pillow -
Mug, Ye old Cheshire cheese.
metal scrap basket.

2 white shades.
engraved picture of Roman ruins.
high back wooden bottom chair ^{green} painted
shades 4 dark 3 light.

3 beaded copper bowl -
blue china cat -

Mahogany high back chair - striped
brocade seat -

French clock - Tiffany -

Italian walnut table -

3 mahogany chairs - flat back -
blue striped
seats —

and soon ad in furniture

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2 strainers - 2 small strainers
and a wet mop -

4 1/2 pounds of wire -

2 twin bucklers -

2 coal hods - shovel - dust pan
brush -

2 coffee containers - sugar
containers - 3 extra
containers and a brown
container - and a
flour container -

A large brown crock -
a small brown crock and
a butter crock

3 jelly moulds

Hobbe ma's "The Avenue". (2)

~~Maj~~ Mahogany victrola VR 125
5451 V/

Wagon with records. green umbrella stand -

Mahogany desk Geo. Washington
six side drawers

~~2~~ 2 center - 6 false drawers.

Japanese crackle bowl -
brass bowl with claw feet.

3 worn oriental rugs -

linen in book case 3 sections

15 shelves filled with misc cell
books -

long rose rep window seat cushion
with rose cushions.

large green jar -

six white shades -

swinging porch hammock

light blue dish ~~panda~~
and a white dish drain
bean pot - rolling pin -

Grecian plaque - frieze of

Parthenon -

Portrait of a lady in
browns (formerly hung in
entrance hall during summer)

dark bulbous flower bowl.

small framed lithograph of

Noah's ark.

Ancient panel picture of a

Japanese battle scene

Japanese god sitting above cloud.

Ancient Japanese painting on wood
horse & rider through stars.