

London 21 December 40

Dear Mr. Minors

Will you be so good as
buy the Pains we looked at when in Edinburgh
(Broadwood) and Amused is of Credit to
pay it - £40. - be good enough to get the
Carriers receipt ^{before paying it} & also a Stamped receipt from
the Sellers for the Money, drawn out as received from
me, as it is exclusively mine, it would have
been an awkward commodity to have held jointly
between Father Mother & I & I did not see how
it could be divided. Please let us know the day
before it is sent off that we may have some person
to take charge of it on arrival with best respects
to Father Mother & yourself and many thanks
for your kindness
I am very sincerely
Yours
O. J. C.
M. H. H. H.

Given my respectful Compliments to Mrs. DuBois
I hope I shall not forget to send her Mr. Pratt's
but I will see what it will be when I go home
Yours truly
J. M. P.

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