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ART DECO

Sterling & 14K Stamp Case

Marked STERLING & 14K · Monogram E G ·
1920s–1930s

A stamp case is a small, private desk, made to be carried: a place for a postage stamp, a calling card, or a note, close at hand when a letter is ready to go.

This one is sterling silver with inlaid 14K gold vertical stripes and engine turning. The interior is gold-washed, with a geometric pattern inside the lid and a spring-loaded clip. A jump ring lets it hang from a chatelaine, a watch chain, or a purse, and a cartouche is engraved with the monogram E G.

It belongs to the 1920s–1930s, and might have been carried by E. G. on a chatelaine or a purse, ready whenever a letter needed a stamp or a card needed to be left.

A striped case, already monogrammed — a small history of correspondence, now yours to keep and pass on.

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