

Price It Antiques and Collectibles, a Thomson Gale database, provides pricing and auction information for a broad range of collectibles and antiques.

Computer commands, field names and mouse actions are in *Italics*.
Text that you must type is within single quote marks (' ').

Go to: **RCPL** (<http://www.myrcl.com>)

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1. I inherited my grandmother's silverware pattern, Commonwealth by Watson.

What is it worth?

- ☐ Type 'commonwealth watson' in the search box next to *Keyword(s)*.
- ☐ For *Data Channels* select *All*; for *Categories* select *Silver/Silverware*.
- ☐ Click the *Search* button.
- ☐ A detailed listing of *Historical Prices* will be displayed along with the date, type of channel and source for each separate sale. Included in the information is a box at the upper left called *Price Results* that summarizes (provides an overview) of *Average Price*, *Number of Items*, and *Price Range*.

2. I bought a lamp with the inscription 'Collection Francaise' and would like to see illustrations of others from the same collection.

- ☐ Type 'collection francaise' in the search box
- ☐ Check the box for *Only Display Items with Images* (underneath *Categories*).
- ☐ Leave all other options at default and click *Search*.
- ☐ Only matches with illustrations will be returned. Clicking *View Item Detail* will display additional material, and clicking the illustration will enlarge the picture.

3. I'm interested in Coca-Cola collectibles, but only if they are from the 1930's.

- ☐ Type '1930' (not '1930s') in the *Keywords* box
- ☐ Select *Coca Cola Collectibles* from *Categories*.
- ☐ Click the *Search* button. Over 600 matches will be retrieved.

4. How can I get in touch with *Price It Antiques and Collectibles* to ask a question?

- ☐ At the top right of the home page, click **Help**. This page lists a twenty-four hour, toll-free telephone number (under *Contact Us*) and e-mail support correspondence (under *Ask a Question*) for ***Price It*** users.