Subject: Re: GRUEN PRECISION 17 JEWELS 10KT GOLD FILLED W/ BOX Posted by Barney Green on Sat, 05 Mar 2022 15:51:02 GMT

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Ah, OK, I just know that the original plan had been to release this watch in solid gold. There was unfortunatley no description of the material used nor a price mentioned in the few advertisements showing this stylish watch.

If you are wondering were I got the name from, it is mentioned in the advertisement which was published in the Life magazine in December 1955:

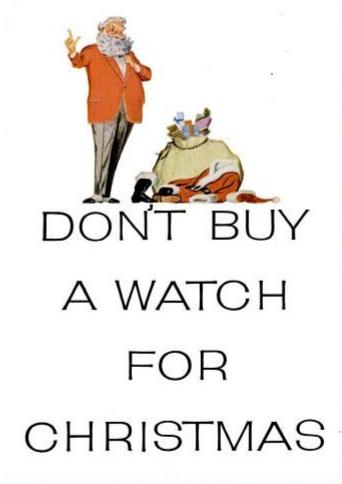
I have been convinced that the case was made by Jonell because of the case serial number, thanks for confirmation.

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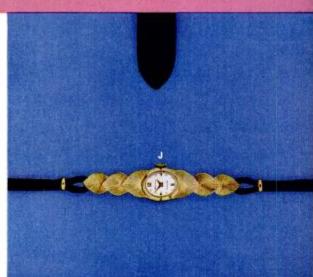




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