Subject: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by slinfiniti on Sun, 27 Feb 2022 11:55:51 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I am seeking hands to complete this restoration. I believe the hands would of been yellow, perhaps called plume or dart if I recall correctly. I would appreciate your help

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Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by afire on Mon, 28 Feb 2022 19:32:29 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I can't help, but that's a stunning watch. If you can get a blue set, can ID plate them gold? I've had them plate yellow hands white with rhodium, but not sure what they can do with blued steel.

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by kastner on Tue, 01 Mar 2022 14:19:09 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I have a couple of these boxes and maybe they can help? What exactly are you looking for?

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Model Bottle 280-290-11

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by thesnark17 on Tue, 01 Mar 2022 23:22:43 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

He's looking for 117 hands in Gilt. Unfortunately, they are hard to come by, since they predate most of the assortments. My assortment is missing them too.

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by kastner on Wed, 02 Mar 2022 04:08:41 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I'm looking The Watch Repairer's Reference and I think these hands are called Pax.

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by afire on Wed, 02 Mar 2022 18:48:46 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

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I've never seen them in an assortment. Although I do have Guild-era assortments of blue steel and luminous hands. I'd imagine there was a gilt one too, but I've never come across one. Any time I've needed gilt hands, I've just had to be on the lookout for a loose donor movement.

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by Gary on Wed, 02 Mar 2022 19:11:50 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I have... :lol:

The box weighs 50lbs no kidding!

I don't have the conversion chart and not sure if the watchmaker was shifting parts around in them. Most are the winding and setting bits. Not sure I want to give these up because I have a few quardons waiting in the wings myself. I'll search the rest and see if there are dups. The OP doesn't post much here so not sure he will be back.

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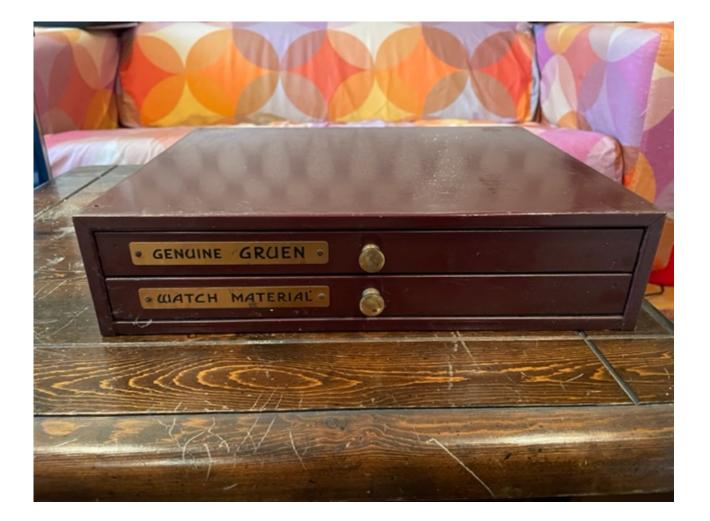
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Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by kastner on Thu, 03 Mar 2022 14:24:24 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I don't have any Quadrons waiting in the wings and also have a full 377 bottle. If OP wants them I'll be happy to give them up.

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by slinfiniti on Sun, 06 Mar 2022 11:36:10 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I thank everyone for the responses. This has been an ongoing project for about 6 months. The dial has raised gold numbers, I want to keep the restoration as close to original as possible. I have a collection of Quadrons, but none with the gilt hands. If the hands show I'll fit, I am happy to pay for them. Thank you for all the help<. Message me

I'll post pics when I am done. I have two other Quadrons in the pipeline almost completed, see pic

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Awesome watches! I've always wanted one of those. Good luck with the hands...hope they fit.

Subject: Re: Quadron 117 Hands Posted by slinfiniti on Sat, 19 Mar 2022 21:17:39 GMT View Forum Message <> Reply to Message

I have another Gruen I just finished. I love the Art Deco influence

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Another beauty, already looking dressed for its 100 year birthday a few years from now. I am also a fan of this style. How did you relume it?

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