
Subject: Nurses Cartouche - 221

Posted by [koskid](#) on Sat, 27 Dec 2014 00:39:19 GMT

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Model name :Nurses Cartouche 221

Type :Cartouche

Period/date :1929

Gender :Ladies

Case Maker :Wadsworth

Case Material :14K GF reinforced with extra gold

Case Serial :5260785

Case Style no :

Caliber :835

Movement Maker :Jean Aegler

Movement Serial:

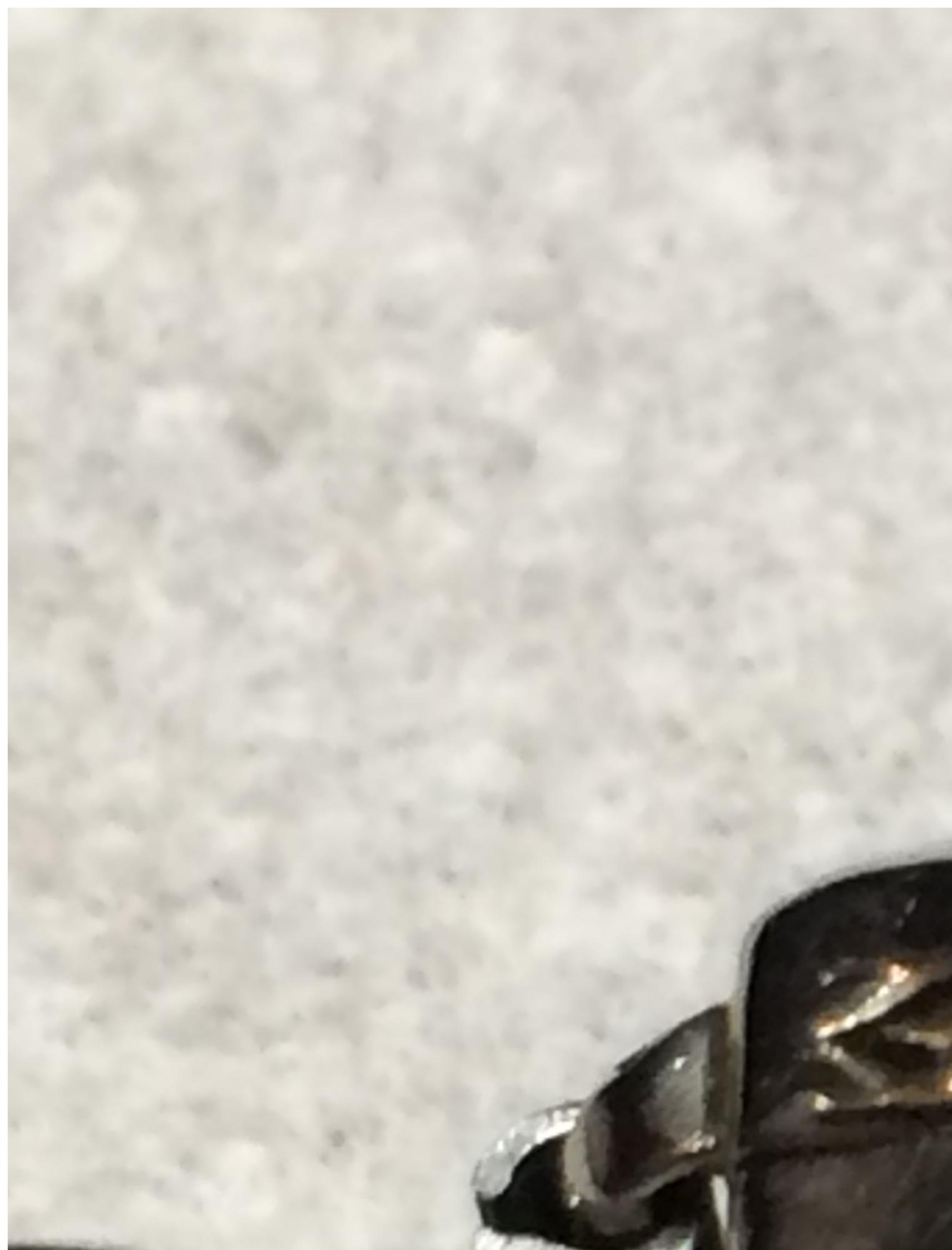
Bracelet :

I picked up a nice Cartouche with an 835ss movement. After tearing it down and cleaning it runs pretty well but needs a new intermediate bridge and stem.

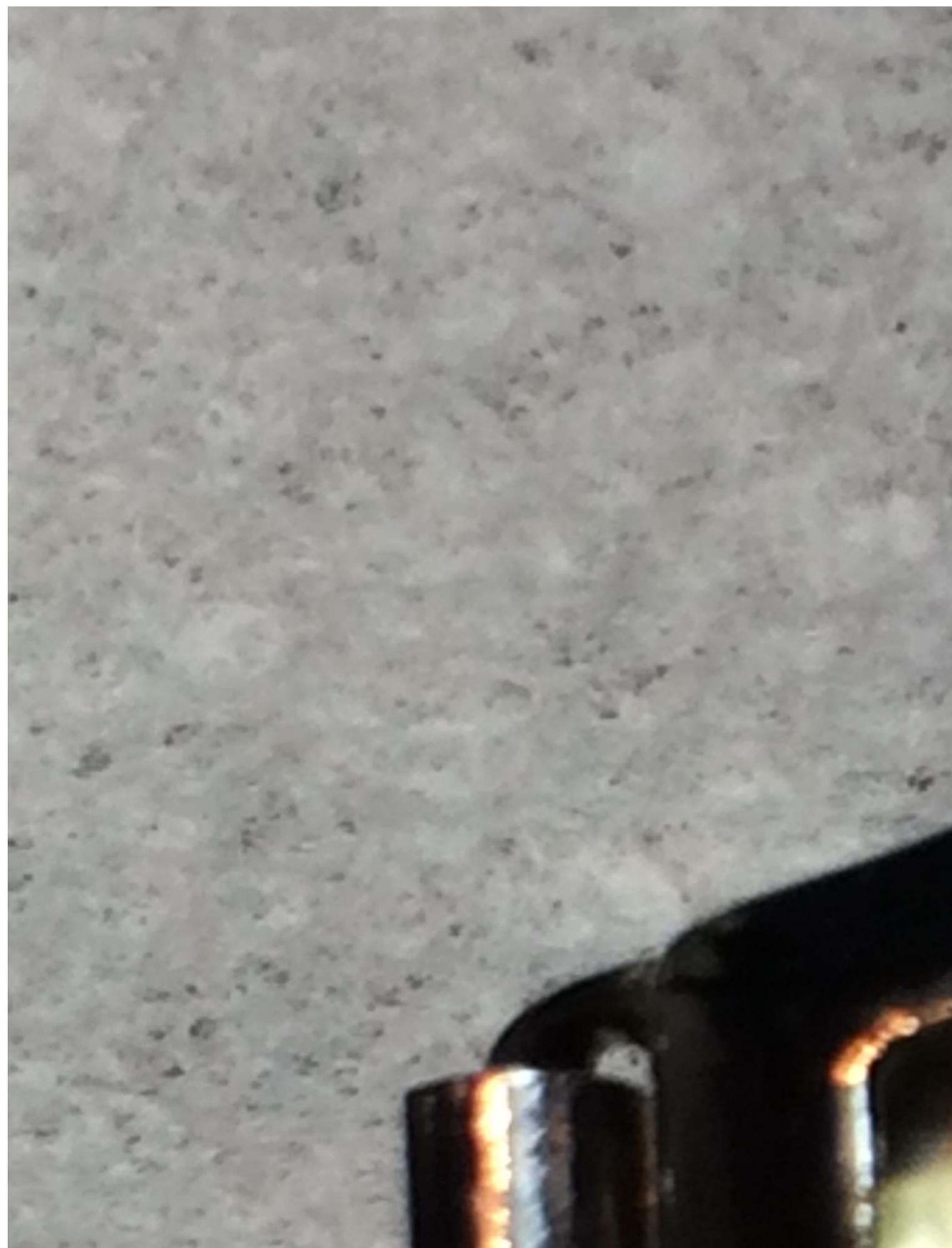
It looks like the watch in the 1929 advertisement. Does this watch have a model name other than what's in the ad?

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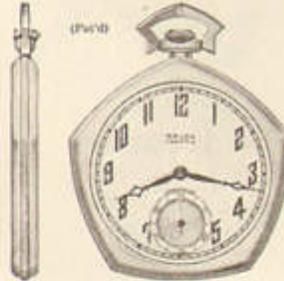
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Posted by [Barney Green](#) on Sun, 28 Dec 2014 10:20:42 GMT

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To me it looks like you have correctly ID'd your watch already. Gruen started more or less 1930 to consequently give sales names to the watches. Until then we more or less base the IDs on the master book numbers which for this watch I believe would be Cartouche 397. "Nurses" Cartouche comes pretty close to a name already and this is a very fine example which you now own.

Subject: Re: Nurses Cartouche - 1929

Posted by [Jenneke](#) on Sun, 15 Jun 2025 07:42:34 GMT

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Reinforced case makes this cartouche 221 (or 223 with a folding leather strap).
