Subject: Gruen 707 mainspring needed Posted by mikey on Sun, 01 Mar 2015 21:31:14 GMT

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Anyone have a new mainspring for a Gruen 707 they can sell me? '48 catalogue shows dimensions of 1.90 x .12.5 x 320. which i believe converts to 10 x 9.5 x 12.5 in Dennison size?

Doesn't appear to be interchangeable with any other model than the 7 jewel 713 (which i've never seen).

Subject: Re: Gruen 707 mainspring needed Posted by Thoill on Wed, 04 Mar 2015 21:56:42 GMT

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I checked my stock and I do have an original Gruen packaged one. The only concern I have is whether the spring is still ok. My experience is that 50% of these "new" old stock springs have lost their capacity and if you can find the same dimension new you're much better off. I most of the time fit new springs nowadays unless the dimensions are impossible to find.

Anyway I got one in case you want it.

Subject: Re: Gruen 707 mainspring needed

Posted by mikey on Thu, 05 Mar 2015 02:05:58 GMT

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PM sent!