

# The Poster Stamp Bulletin

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EDITORIAL:

#### THE QUEST

Recently we were advised by a member that we highly respect that the Poster Stamp Bulletin has degenerated into just an auction with very little editorial content. Stung by this insightful criticism, we decided to do a bit of editorial Poster Stamp research. We selected the following set to find out what we could about Steigerwald & Kaiser that we assumed was a 19th century Jewish department store.















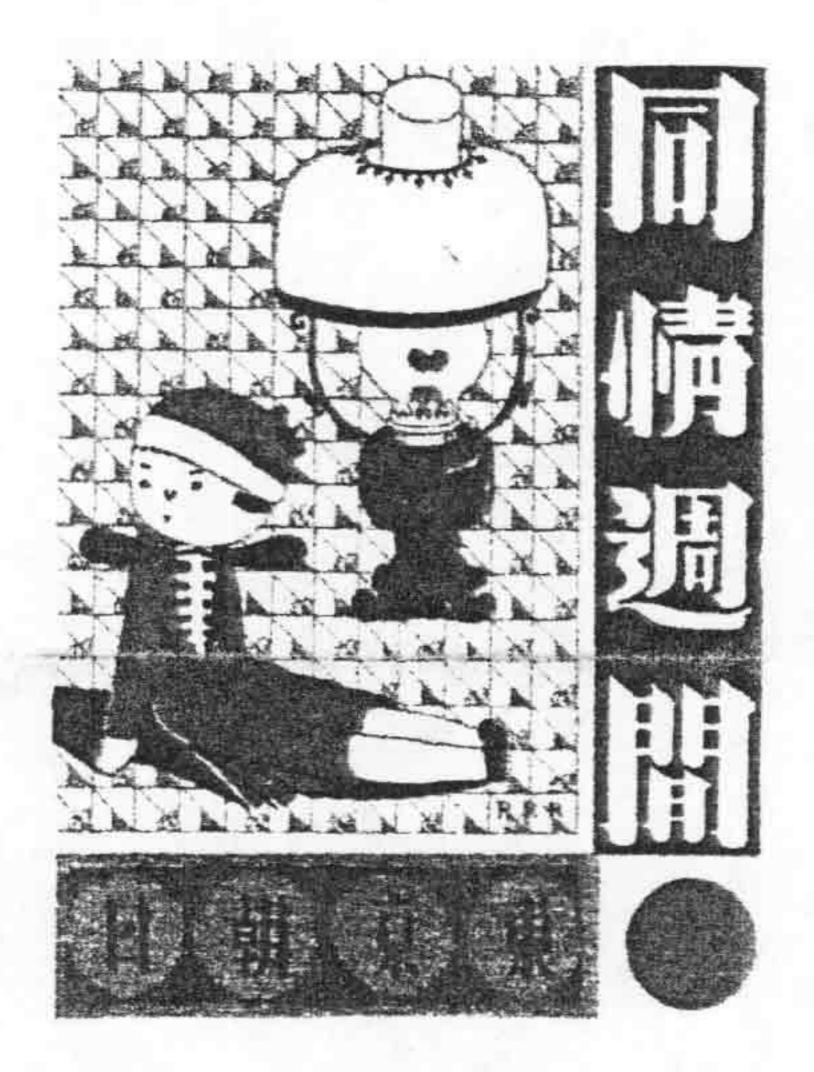
We were interested to learn if Karl Kaiser suffered the same fate as other Jewish department stores owners when the Nazis simply took over and kicked them out. We entered cyberspace and learned that there were a number of Kaisers and a few Steigerwalds. Wicapedia advised us that Steigerwald was a medieval knight who supported a medieval Kaiser in the 12th century. When we asked our friend in Germany about Karl Kaiser, (1859-1945), he reported that he was a Jewish textile salesman who ran department stores in five different cities.

Whoops! Big mistake! Our friend wrote again in haste saying that he was was not only wrong, but very wrong indeed. Continuing his research he learned that in 1935 the Kaiser company celebrated its 50th anniversary and pictures taken at that time showed Nazi symbols everywhere indicating that Karl was definitely not Jewish, but proved to be one who actively supported the Nazi ideology.

What does this all mean? It means that we will continue our monthly auctions, but further attempts to improve our editorial content in the future will probably fizzel as this one has.

#### TRANSLATION NEEDED

We find Oriental Poster Stamps fascinating. In the past we have presented some interesting Japanese advertising issues. Here we find two additional Oriental issues that we would like to know more about. Are they Japanese, Korean, or Chinese issues? Are they advertising issues or charity issues or lottery issues? This inquiring mind wants to know. Can any member let us know?





Nick Follansbee's marvelous <u>A CATALOG OF U.S. SEALS AND POSTER</u>

<u>STAMPS FOR MINOR EVENTS</u>, 1890-1999, can be yours by Emailing Don Bodow for details. dbodow1@san.rr.com As far as we can tell, this catalog is as definitive as one can hope for. However, this catalog does not contain any undated U.S. event issues. For this information one must read our <u>Poster Stamp Bulletin</u>. The pages of this catalog are being compiled piece meal as they are being completed. Here are some of the examples of what is yet to come in the <u>Undated U.S.Minor Event Catalog</u>.





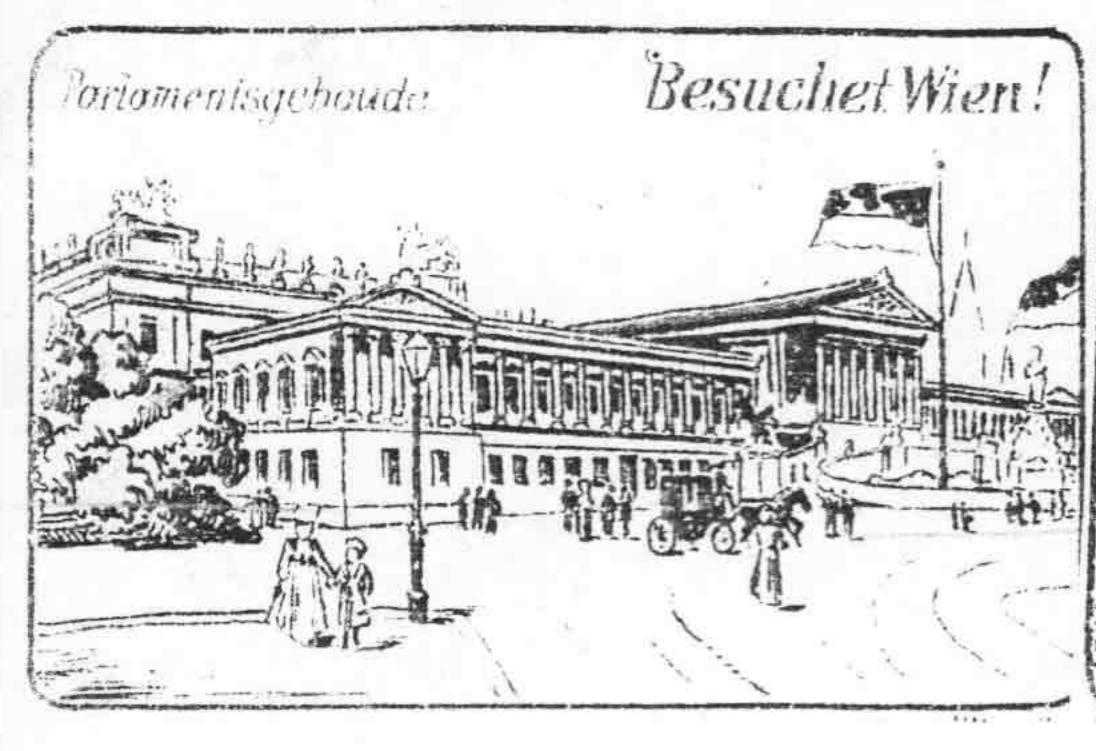


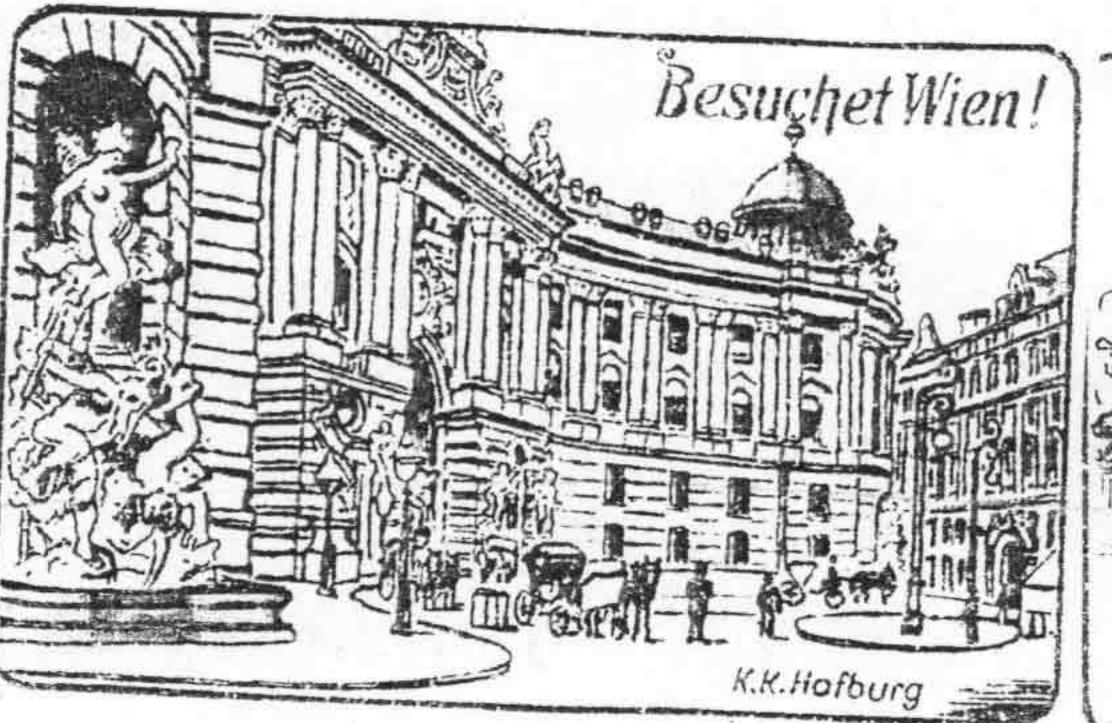


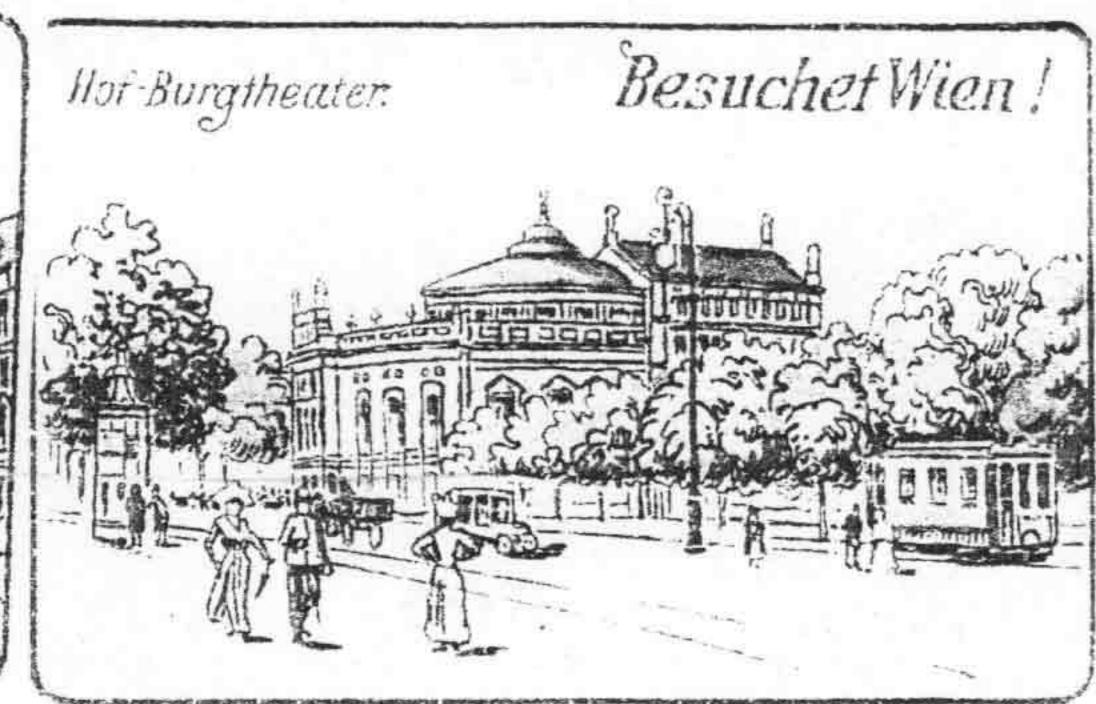
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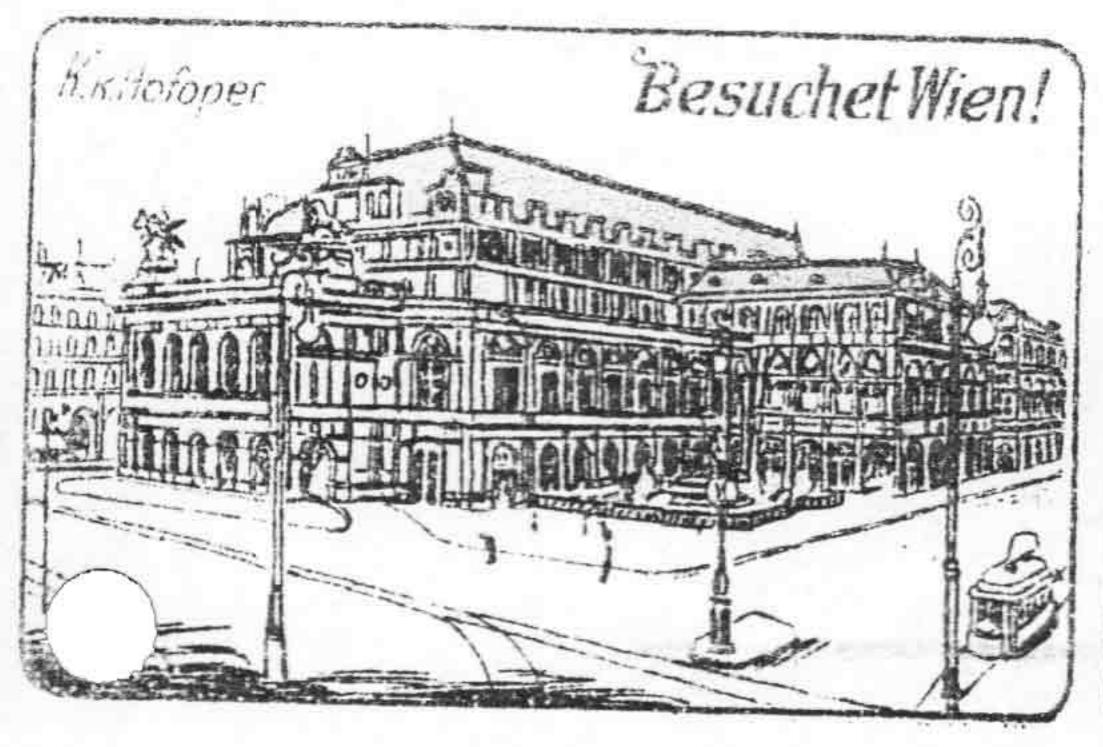
## A LOVELY SET OF 10

This is a set that, to the best of our recollection, has never appeared in the Poster Stamp Bulletin before. If one has an interest in architecture mark it well. One will find great detail portrayed in a very small space. Note the tiny people wandering about in front of the grandeur of huge structures. This is indeed a very lovely and colorful set. Is It for sale? We don't know, but we can ask.





















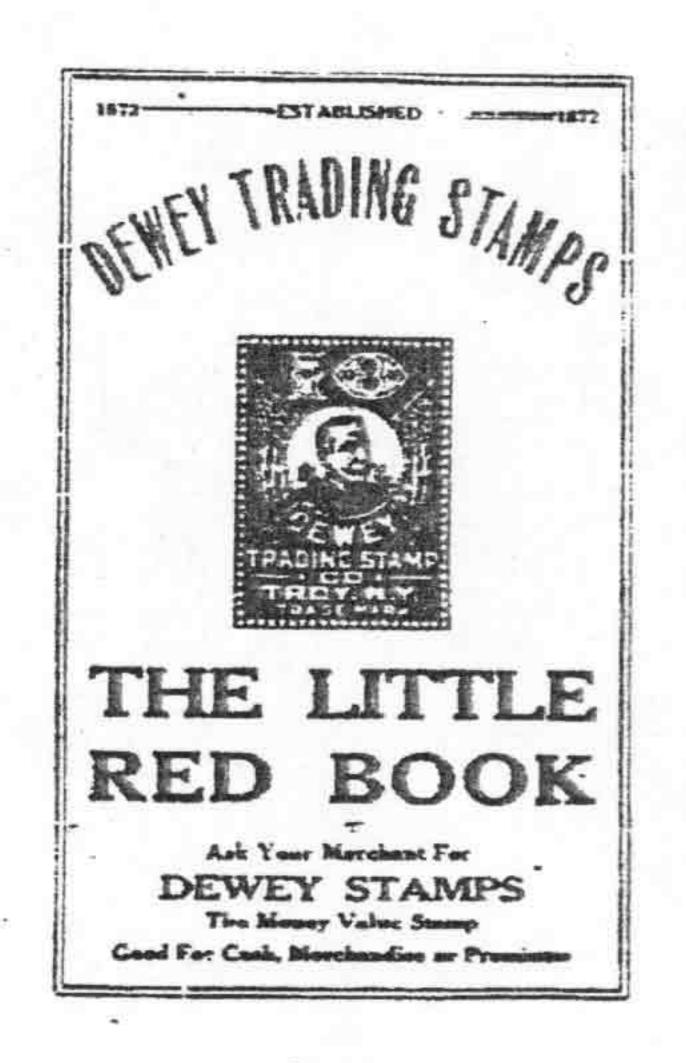
## SOMETHING SPECIAL

Long ago we heard these words of wisdom, "It is the common man who is awed and inspired by the spectacular, but it is the uncommon man who is awed and inspired by the most common place thing." Art Mongan is not a common man. Long ago he obtained Dick Green's collection of trading stamps who, Incidently, was another uncommon man. We remember our grandma collecting S & L green stamps by the hundreds and placing them in booklets in order to redeem them for a toaster or a steam iron. From Green's collection of this common stuff, Art expanded his collection to include deposit, rebate and savings stamps. This work now contains over 700 pages. We purchased a copy for \$28.50. This uncommon man has taken the road less traveled to to study and enjoy a mountain of utterly "common" (???) stuff.

We proudly shout out loud, "Praise be to Art Mongan!"

#### DEPOSIT, REBATE, SAVINGS & TRADING STAMPS

ARTHUR J. MONGAN

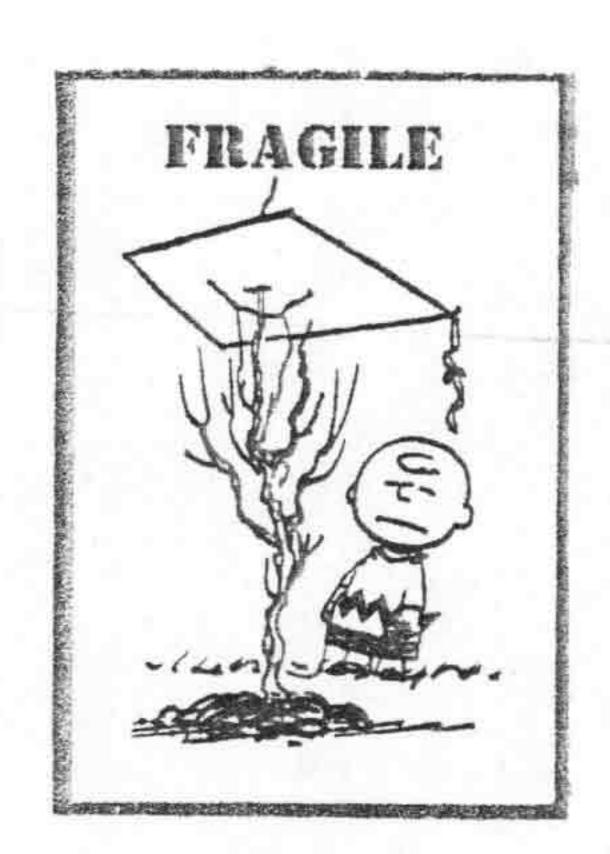


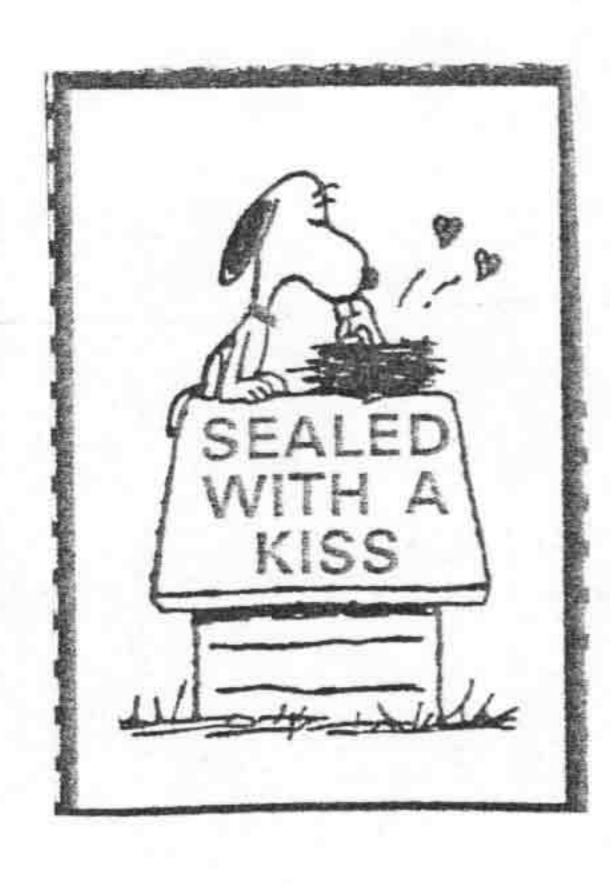
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## POSTAL STICKERS

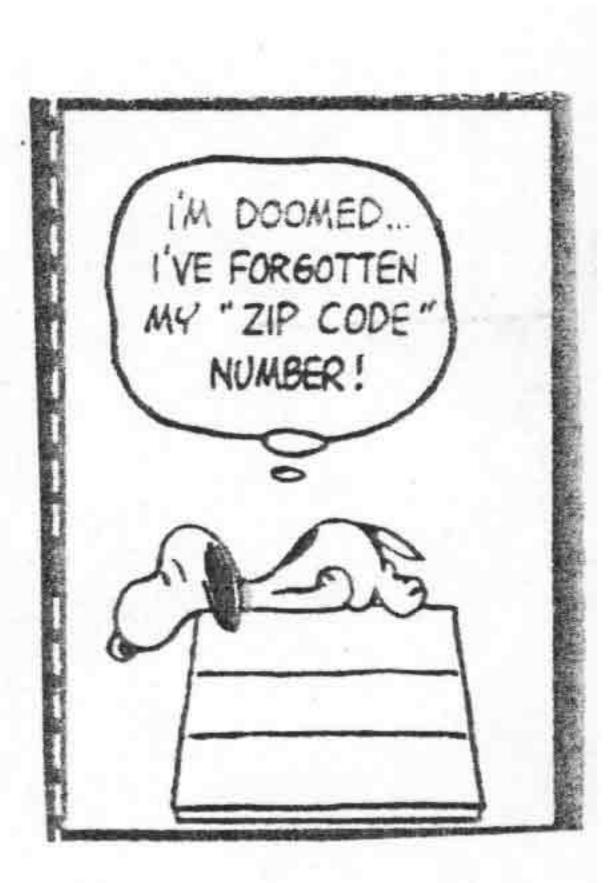
Most collectors that we know consider collecting stickers as pointless because they have no value. Recently we came across some postal stickers, however, that may go against the grain. Carl Shultz created funny paper characters that have charmed the entire nation for years. Everyone knows Lucy and Charlie Brown and Snoopy. The following postal stickers affixed to an envelope may also charm the recipient as well as the collector. They are indeed kind of cute.



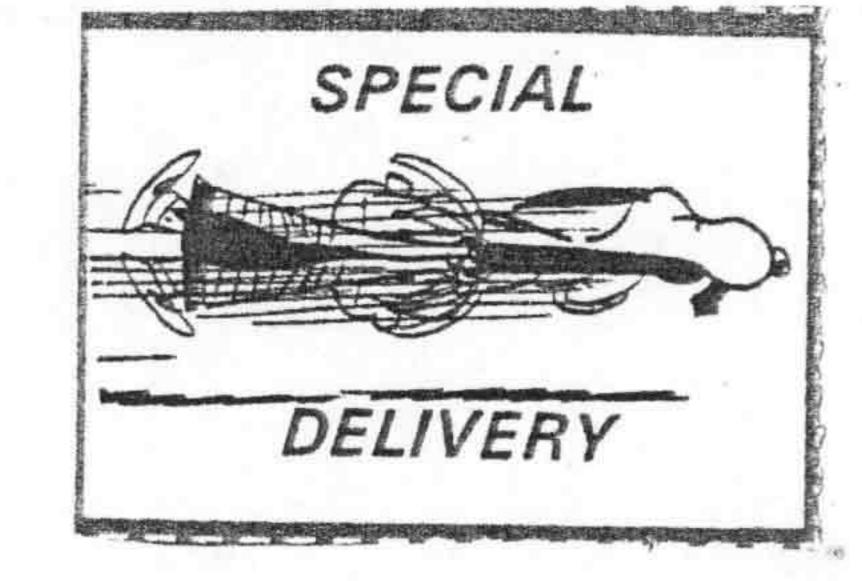












## THE MAY AUCTION

We continue the artist auction pointing out that many hours of research has already been done for the collector struggling to learn who designed what. Many of these artist are obscure while others are very well known. We are pleased indeed to present the research of others to our membership. Remember that ties will go to the first responder. You will have 10 days to return any items that you don't want. All lots will be sold for one step (25c) above the second highest bid. The auction ends on the last day of the month.

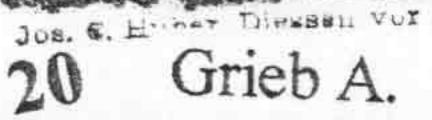


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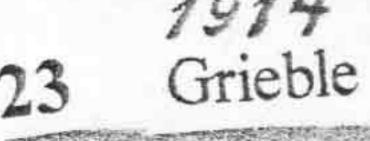
21 Durrwang



Dennrich, K.



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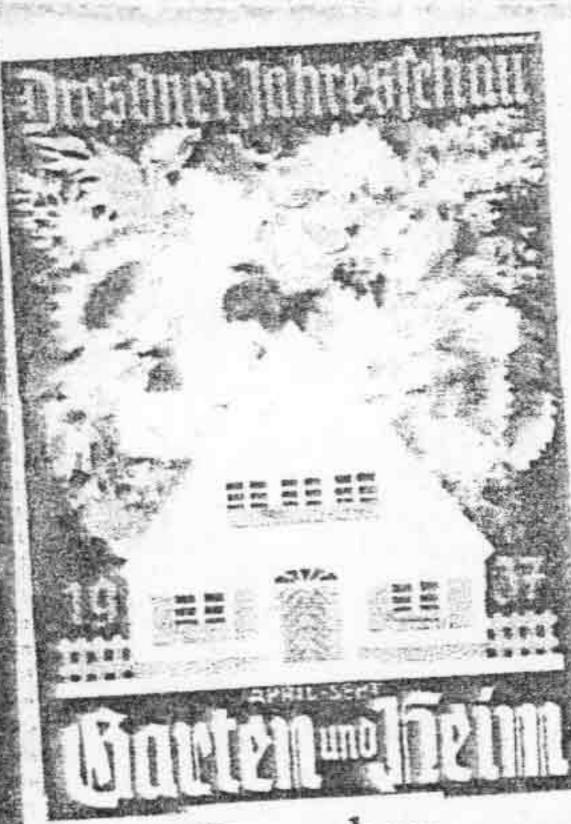
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Cardinaux



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Engler, C.

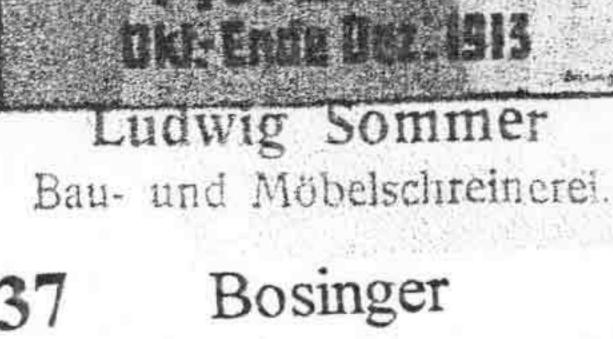


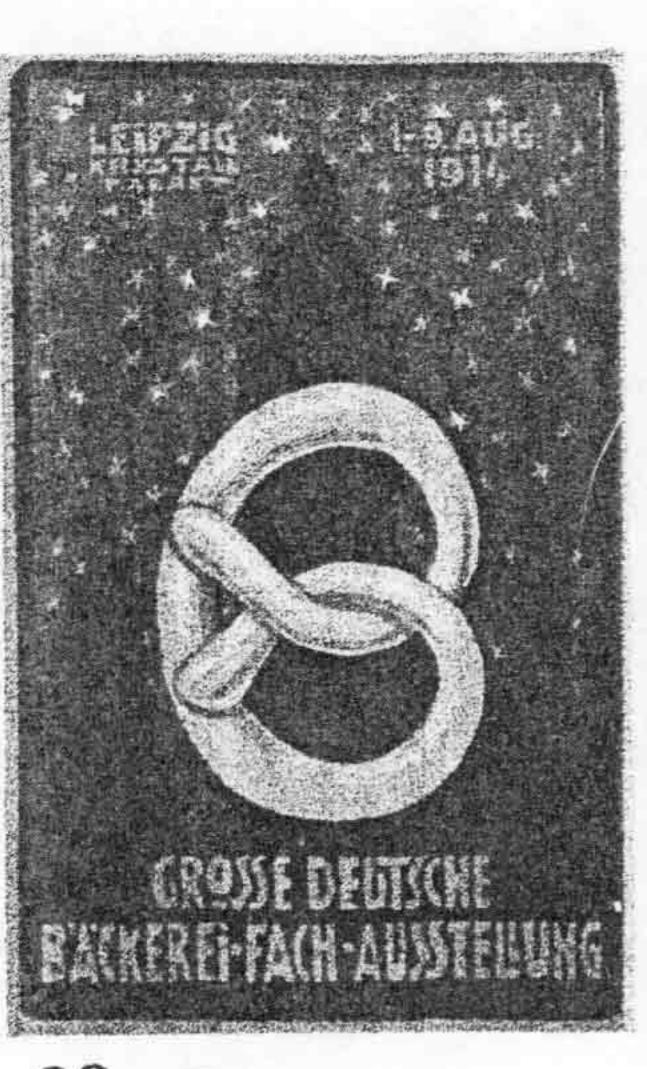
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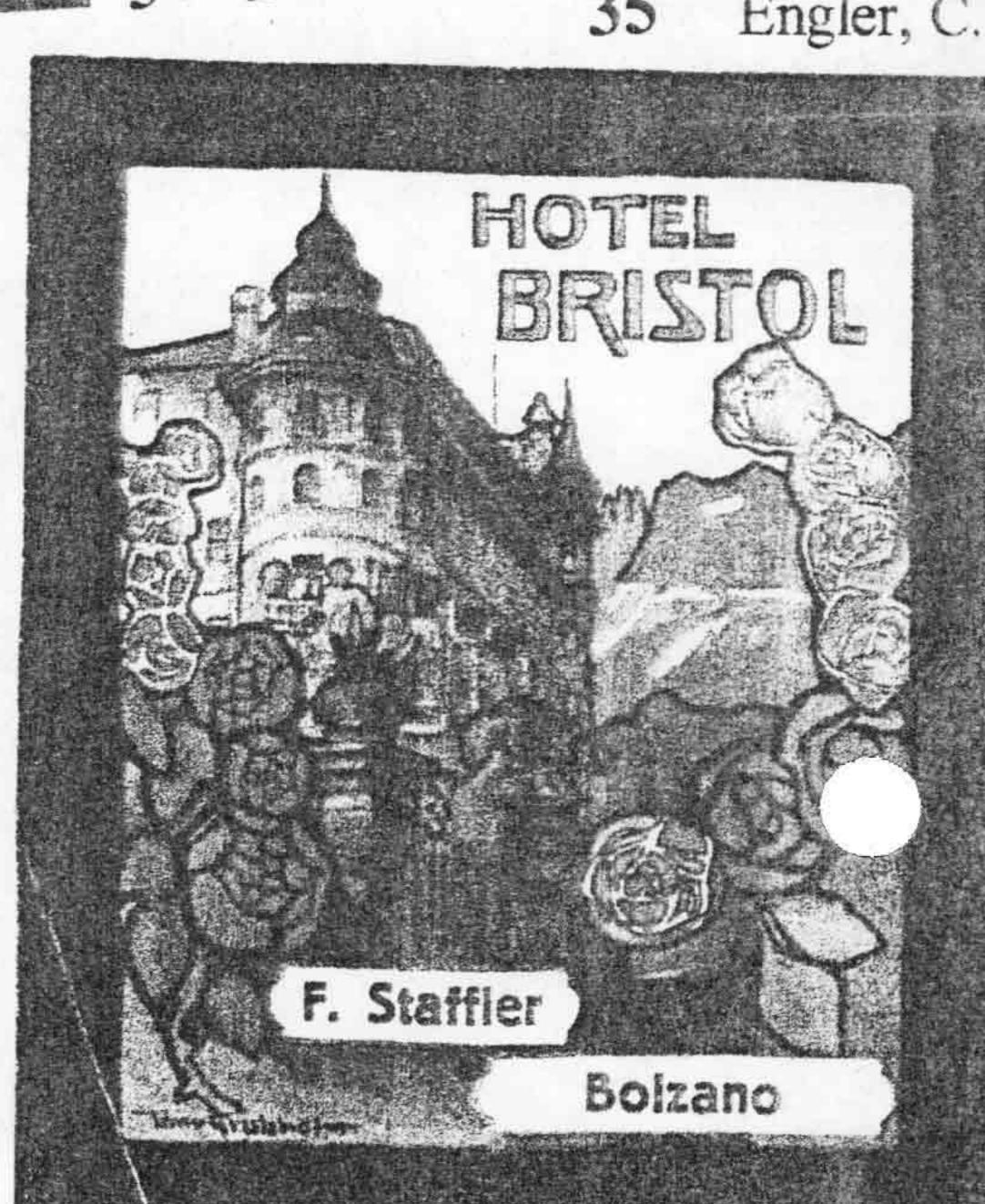
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Busch, H.



39 Grulshofer



Aecht Franck Jer Raffeemühle der seine Jusatz zu jedem Kaffeegewank

klebt, leimt, kittet Alles 56 Egler, W.

53 Flinzer's calendar (Set of 12)

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der feine Jufatz zu jedem Kaffeegewank

Aecht Franck Je Raffeemühle

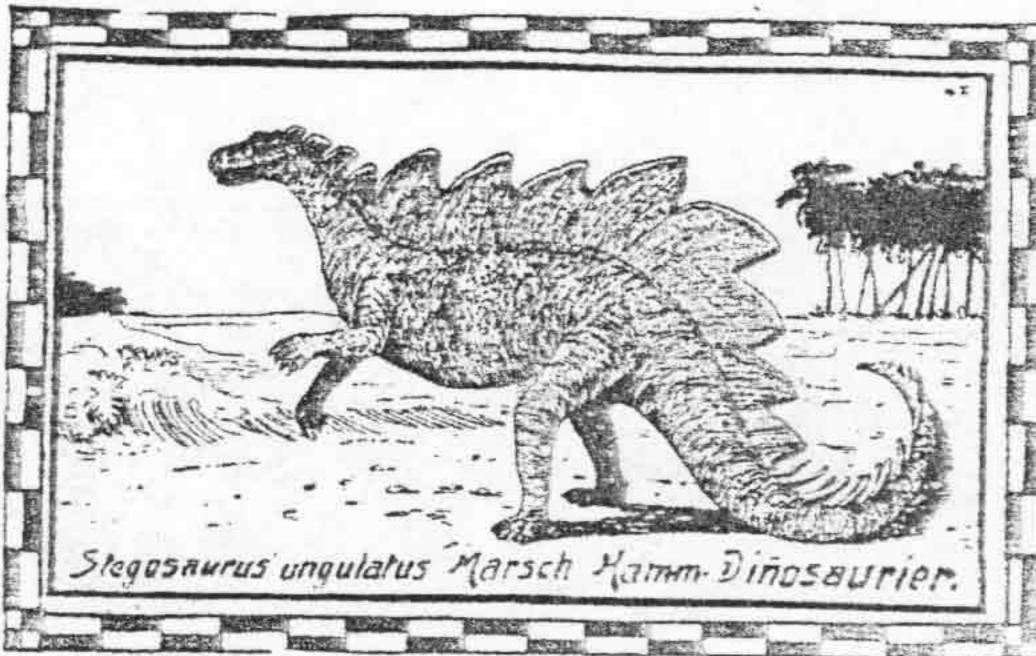
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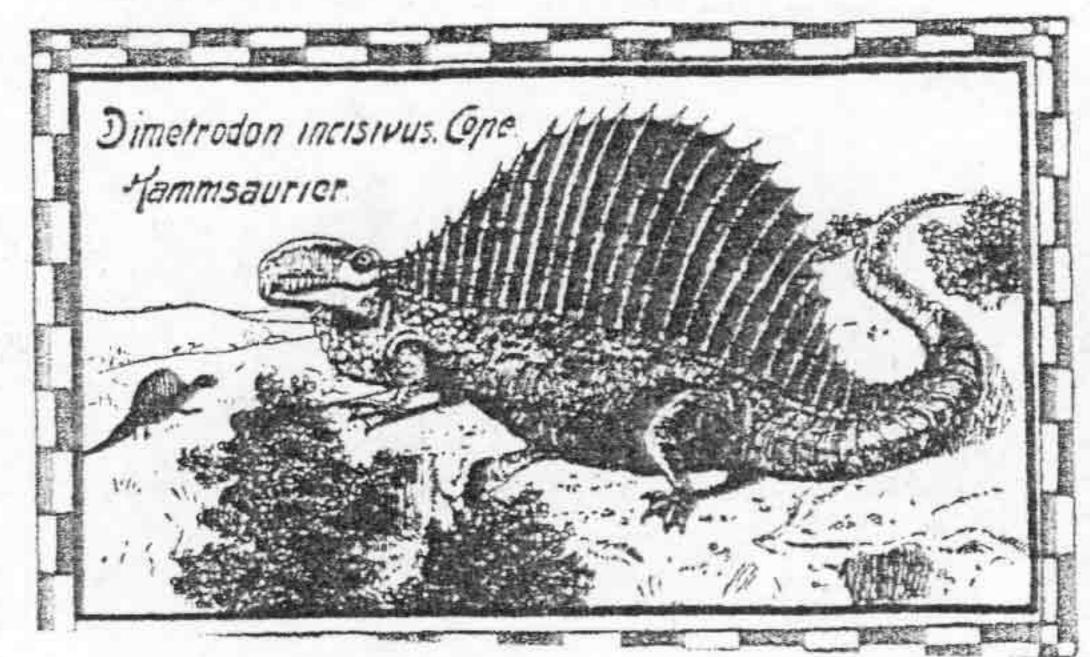
Frenz



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60 Frenz



Hohlwein



Flinzer



Franzen



Fiedler



Franck, F.



Franzen, L.





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71 Frahn, H.



72 Grate, T.



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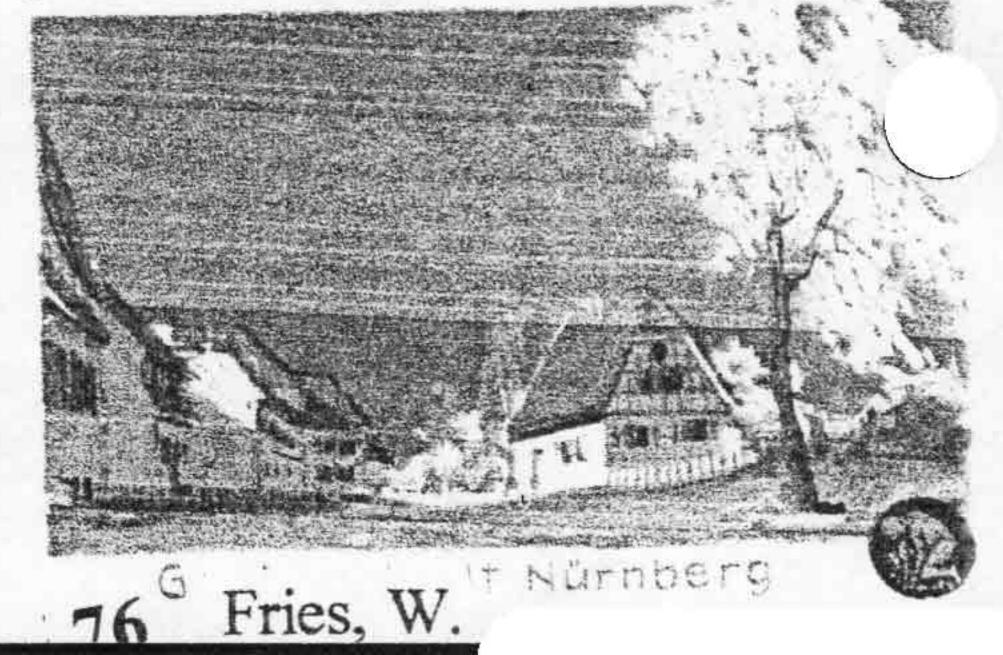
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Flinzer



Gartenstadt Nürnberg







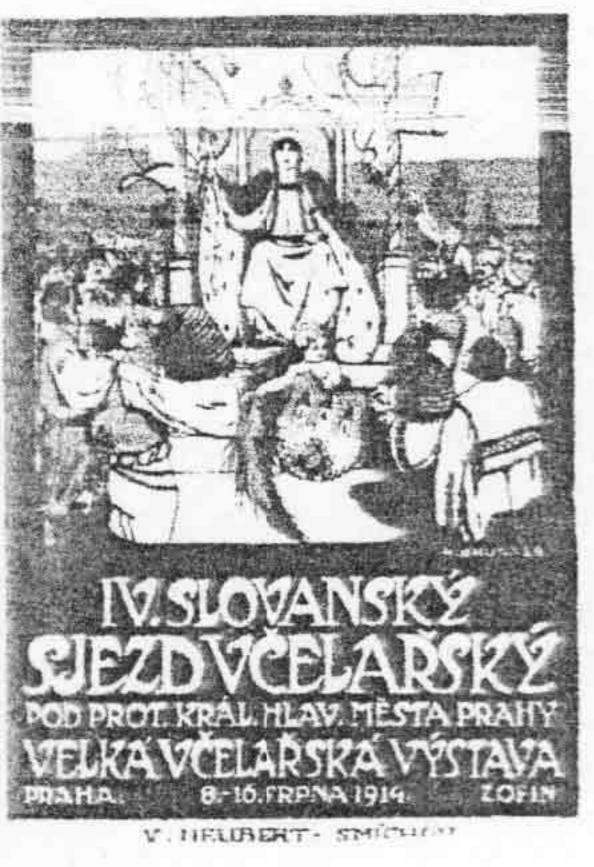








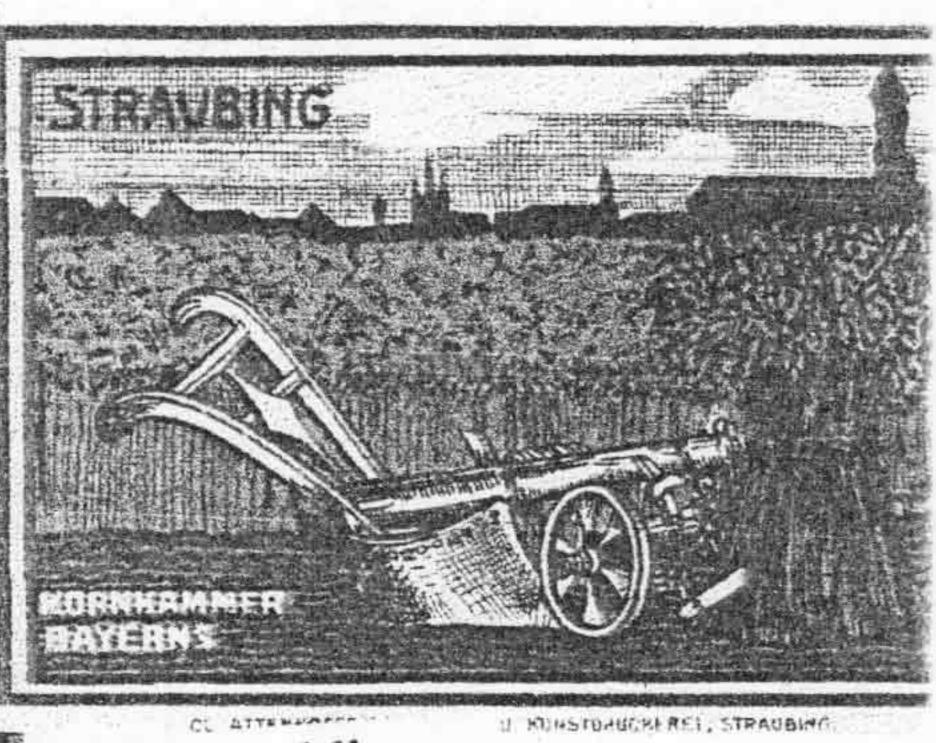
Flinzer (set of 6)











Diez, J.

Heine, Th.

80 Friez, A.

Doblinger





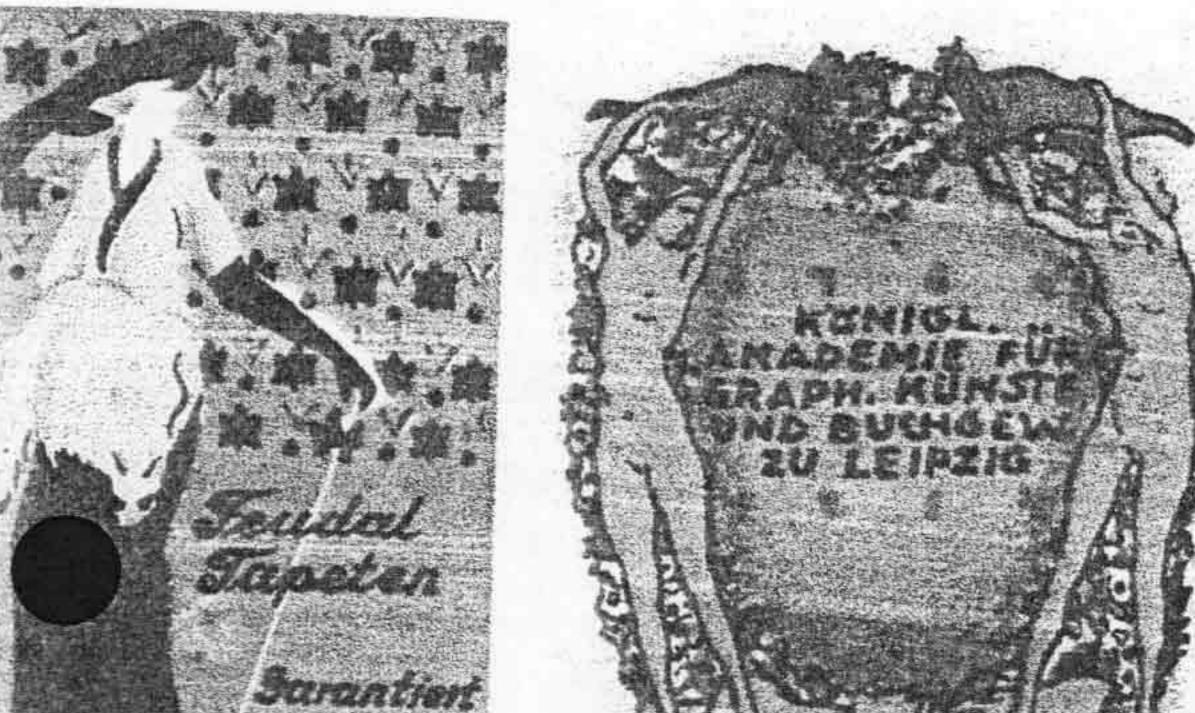
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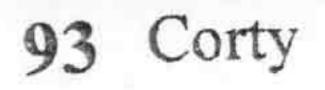


90 Unknown

Lichtecht



Dorffel





112 Dietz, J (set of 6)

Fries 115

Gartenstadt, Nürnberg

#### The Omaha Auto Show

I was inspired to jump ahead in the listings of undated U.S. events when I received a letter from our member in Gothenburg, Sweden, Esbjörn Janson, which discussed, among other topics, the issues for the Omaha Auto Show. He had four with year dates as part of the design and four others without year. For three of the latter he had worked out the year based on the show being designated the "\_\_th Annual." His photocopy of his eight issues reminded me of just how attractive and varied the designs for these issues happen to be.

I found I have fifteen different Omaha Auto issues, and there may well be others. Here they are, at 75% size:



10th (1915) 25.00



11th 1916 25.00



12th 1917 15.00



13th 1918 20.00



(15th) (1920) 15.00



(16th) (1921) 15.00



(18th) (1923) 15.00



19th 1924 15.00



21st (1926) 10.00



22nd 1927 8.00



23rd 1928 7.00



24th 1929 5.00







25th 1930 5.00

26th (1931) 5.00

28th 1933 5.00

If the 10th annual show was 1915, presumably the 1st was 1905. Will any stamps from the 1st through 9th show ever be found? Who knows?!

The issues where neither the year nor the annual sequence is indicated are assigned both (in parenthesis) on the following basis: The others are Monday through Saturday events, so it is assumed these are, as well. A perpetual calendar shows that March 1st fell on a Monday in 1920. March 14th was a Monday in 1921. February 26th was a Monday in 1923. February 22nd was a Monday in 1926. By the way, If you don't have a perpetual calendar, a World Almanac will have one and there is always the internet. It is an indispensible tool when collecting U.S. Event issues.

Were stamps issued for 1919, 1922, 1925 and 1932? Please report any Omaha Auto Show stamps not shown in this listing.

From 1927 to 1933, the Herzberg Style Review was held in conjunction with the Auto Show. I have been unable to learn anything about it.

During 2010 Omaha will be the site of about a dozen auto events including the big Midlands International Auto Show (was held in January) and the 54th World of Wheels (March), but it seems none of these events are the descendents of the show whose stamps have been discussed. Does anyone know when the last of these original Omaha Auto Shows was held? 1933?

Thanks to Esbjörn Janson for the inspiration to look into this subject.

#### More on Sütterlin

Peter-Hannes Lehmann has informed me that Sütterlin's Jewishness was a figment of Hitler's imagination and that, in fact, the real (rational) reason for banning his handwriting system was military in nature. When the Germans invaded the Soviet Union in 1941, they did so with supporting units from Hungary, Italy and Romania. Military orders scribbled in Sütterlin came with the potential for confusion since only Germans could read it. I also rather suspect that the generation schooled before Sütterlin was taught, including the general staff and Hitler, himself, probably didn't care much for the "new" writing. And who could blame them?

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Many of our members have collected a favorite topic over the years. We have heard of a non-member who has amassed a large collection of Poster Stamps on one topic...Shoes. Should you be one of these topical collectors, please consider submitting an illustrated article to the Poster Stamp Bulletin. Your editor would be pleased to hear from you.

#### CORRECTION

We have been recently informed that Ludwig Suetterlin was not Jewish, but was accused of being such by Joseph Goebbels. The real reason why Hitler forbid the Suetterlin type of German script to be used was because the people in the occupied territories, especially in Eastern Europe, could not read this script and therefore could not understand the military orders and commands printed on posters in the streets.

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