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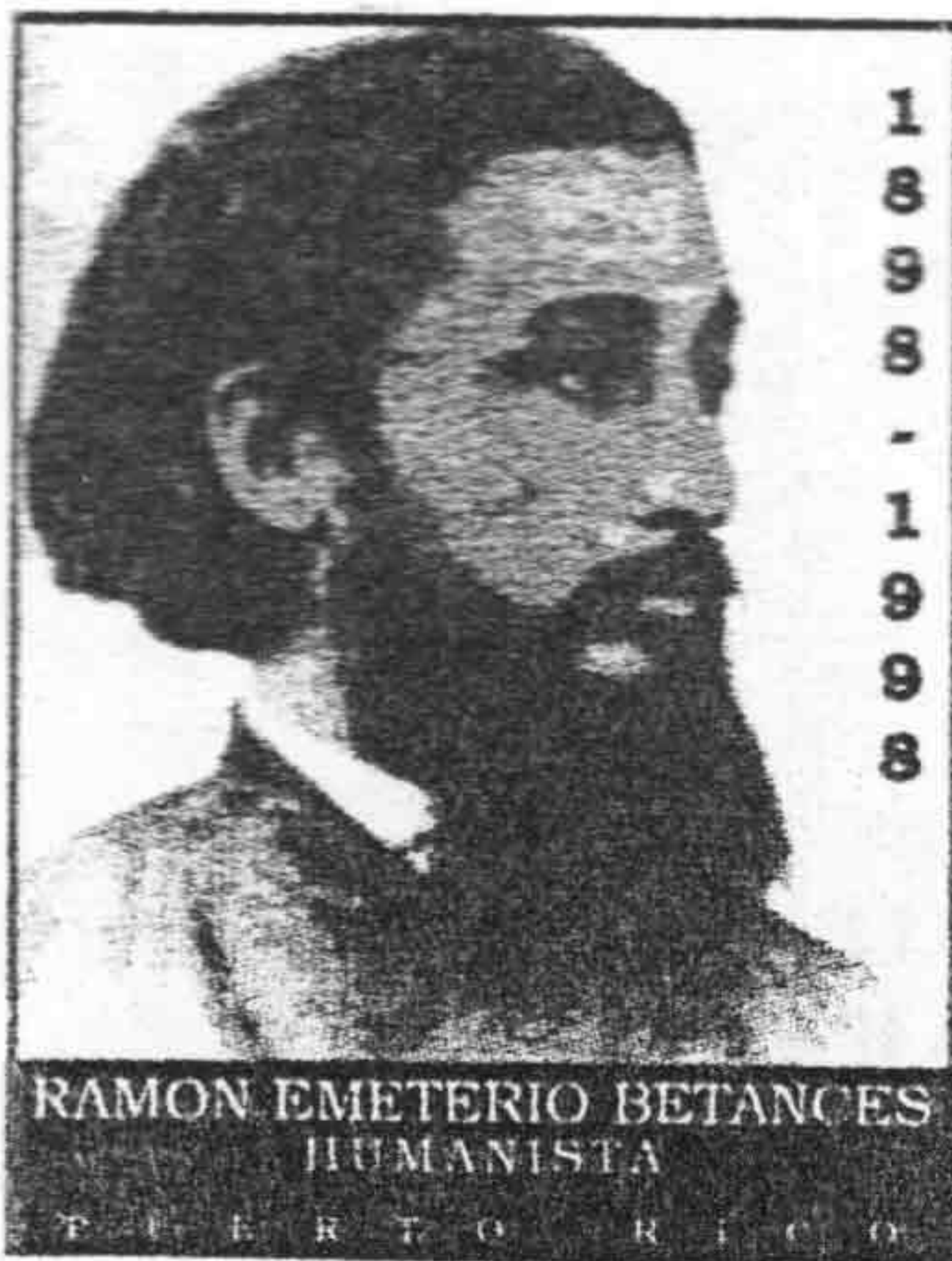
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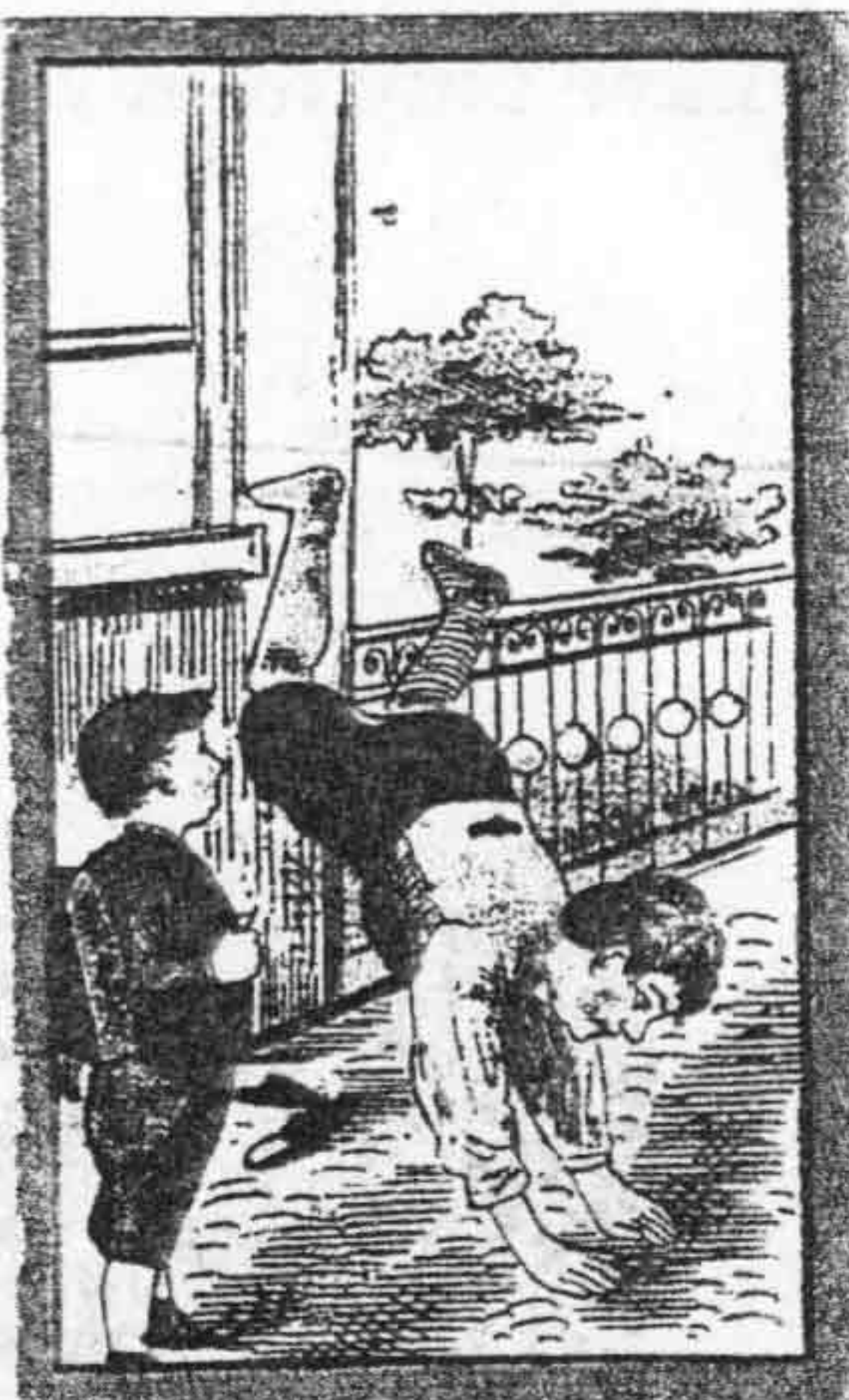
EDITORIAL:

Every culture has its heroes and Puerto Rico is no exception. A series of Poster Stamps has been recently issued to celebrate the lives of some of these heroes. We were impressed when we learned about the life of Ramon Emeterio Betances (1827 - 1898). He is considered to be the father of Puerto Rican independence even though his revolution against Spain failed. He was also a renowned physician and surgeon who was the first in his country to use chloroform to alleviate pain. He was also a poet, a novelist, and an outspoken abolitionist. Perhaps his greatest strength was as a foreign diplomat. Our conclusion after reading about him was that he was no light weight. He lived a long life that made a huge difference in his struggle for freedom and human dignity in Puerto Rico and in the world. He was a very bright and "gusty" guy.



MATCH BOX LABELS

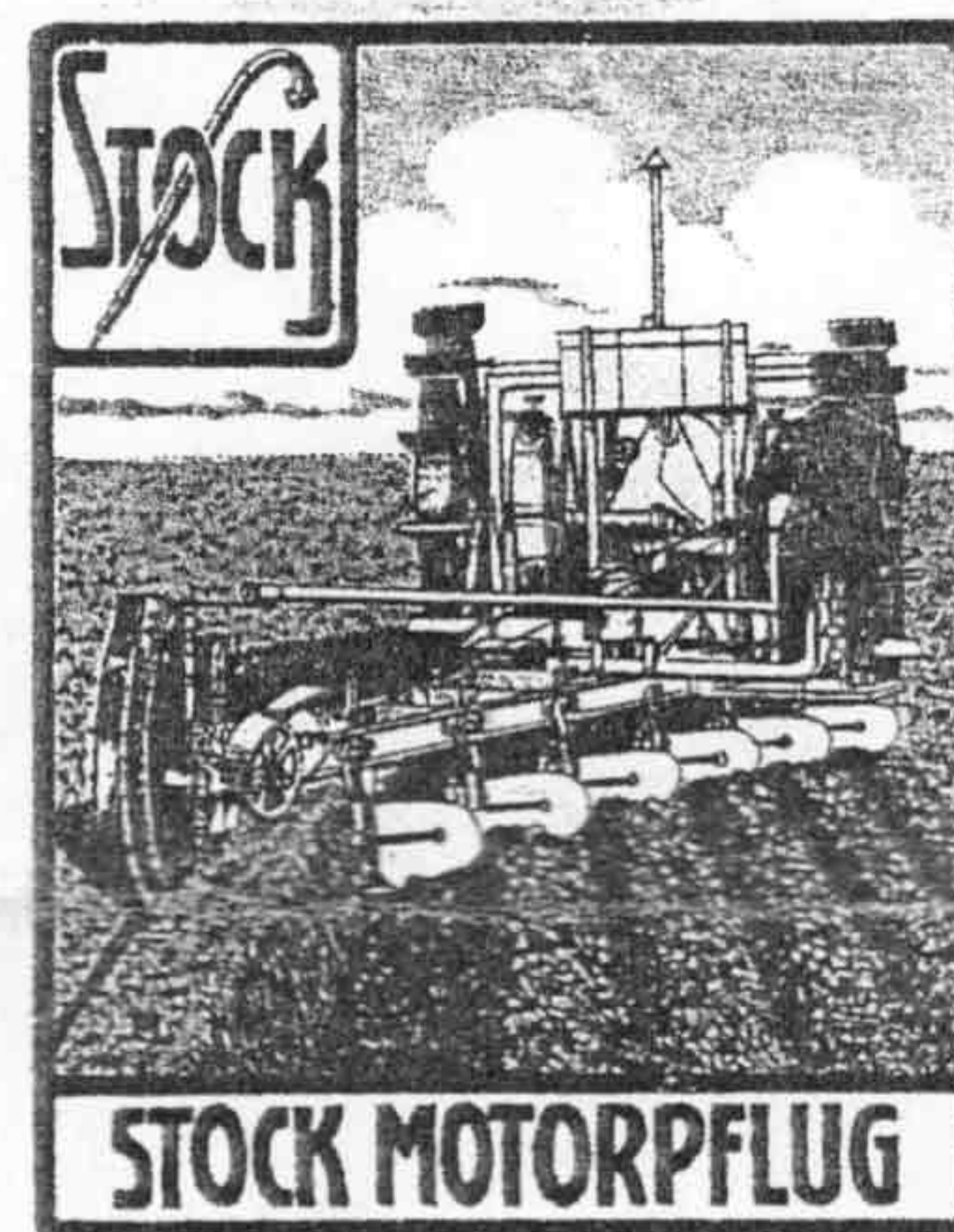
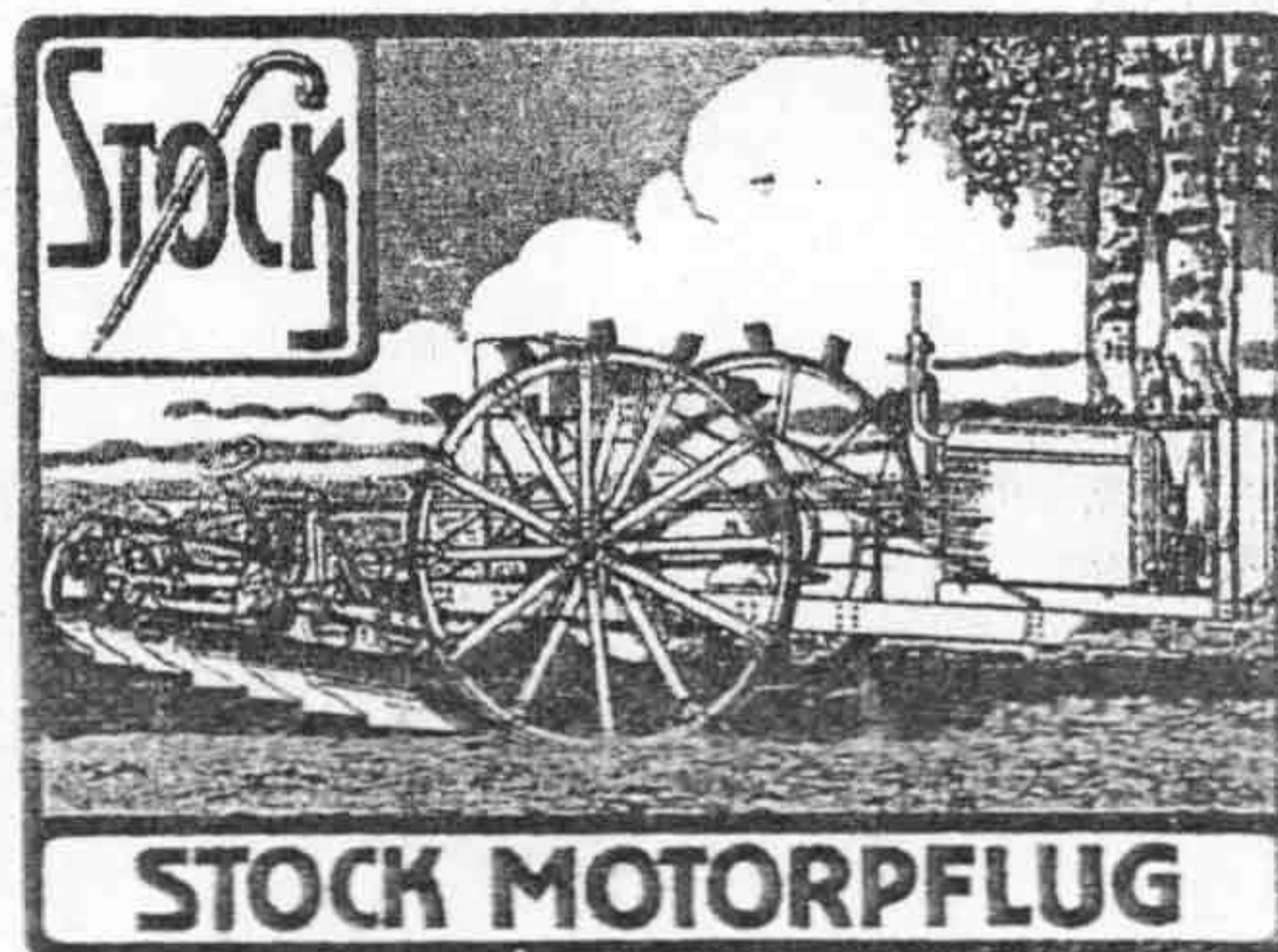
Had we discovered the following set of match box labels prior to our finding some Poster Stamps at our local stamp show many years ago, our collecting destiny may have had a different outcome. The following set was made in Sweden for German clients in 1890. Those who collect match box labels are known as phillumenist and we are told that there is one phillumenist in Japan, Teichi Yoshizawa, who has collected over one million different match box labels from all over the world. Now, this is a fellow who has obviously fallen into a pit of never ending desire.

STOP THE PRESS

We have just been informed that a fifth volume of Stewart Gardiner's **A GENERAL ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE OF EXHIBITION AND EVENT POSTER STAMPS** will be published. Steve Greiczek will be the co-author. This catalogue will include the exhibition and event Poster Stamps of 1914 and so far, Steve tells us that to date Volume V has over over 100 pages and 900 entries. Oh Joy!

THE TOPIC IS FARMING

It takes very special people to be independent farmers. They are hard working risk takers who spend their lives raising crops to feed the rest of us. Their investment is huge and the weather they depend upon is unpredictable. When life is good it is very, very good and when it is bad, it is horrible. Here we present a few Poster Stamps that celebrate the farming practices of old and scenes that ennoble the farmer.



COLLECTING FRUSTRATIONS

For sometime now we have collected Poster Stamps with an opera theme. We enjoy reviewing what we have accumulated so far, but we do not like to be frustrated. We found the following opera issues and were delighted to get them until we discovered that each vignette was numbered. Thus, we discovered that there are at least 16 issues in this set and maybe more. We have only four. Damn, we wish we knew if there were more opera items in this set. Help!



Ullstein-Jugend-Bücher
Bild 6: Siegfried tötet den Drachen



Ullstein-Jugend-Bücher
Bild 8: König Herwig und Gudrun



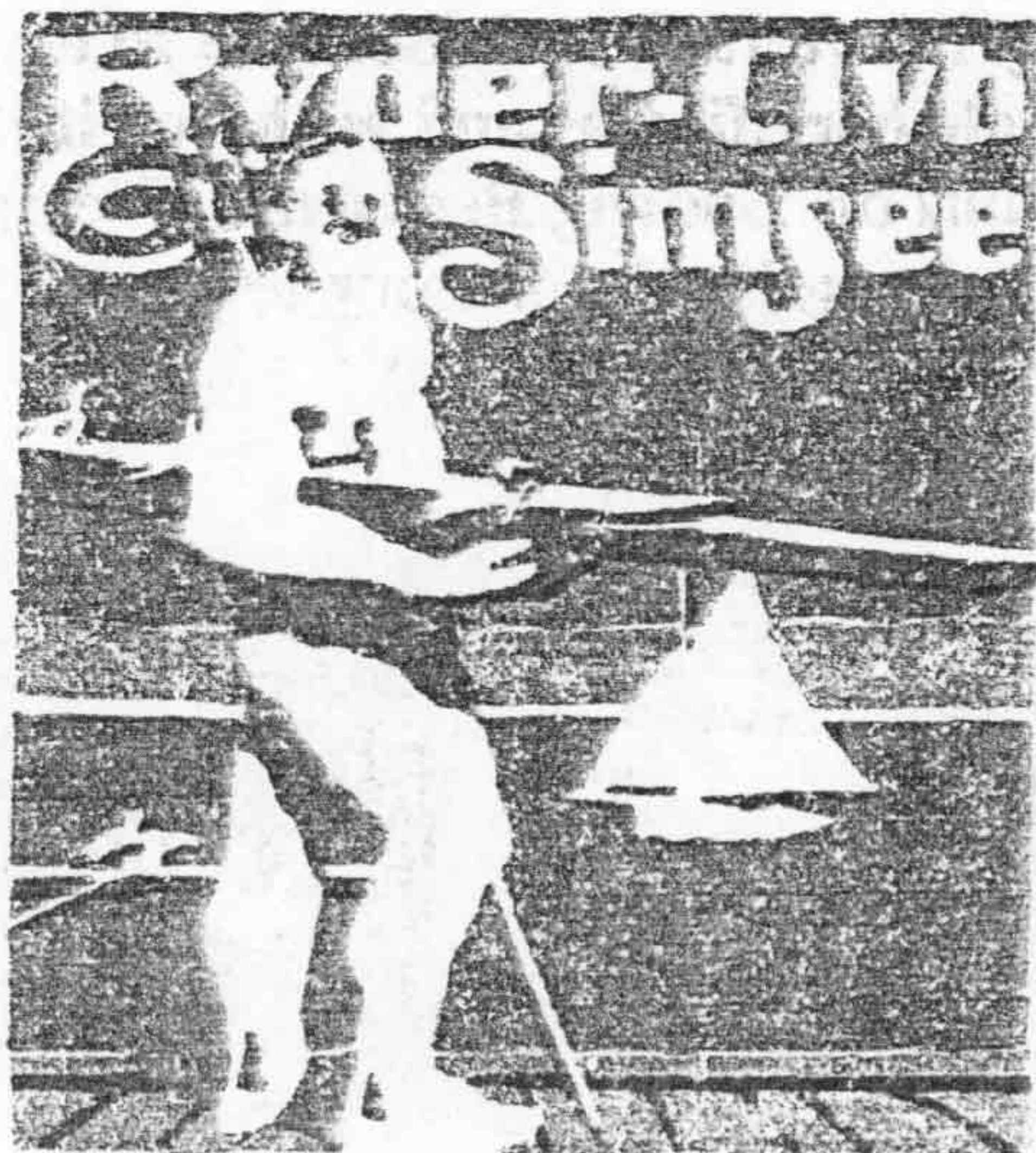
Ullstein-Jugend-Bücher
Bild 11: Parsival, der Hüter des Grals



Ullstein-Jugend-Bücher
Bild 13: Siegfrieds Abschied von Elsa

EVER HEAR OF L. BAUMGARTNER?

When we came across the following set of six, we noted that one vignette had the artist's name, L. Baumgartner, plainly visible in the upper left hand corner. Who was this fellow? We were determined to find out. So far we have found nothing. What we found to be fascinating about this set was viewing the passage of time in a sequence of events. It was like watching the separate frames in a movie.



Peter Lehmann, our German expert, writes, "This artist has been an enigma ever since we all started collecting artists' Poster Stamps. Frankly, we have no clue". Charles Kiddle writes, "Abandon hope of all who enter here".

In the event that someone knows more than the rest of us, we ask for your help. Who can tell us something about Leonard Baumgartner who lived in Rosenheim?

Correction

In the May issue of the Bulletin (See page 2) we stated that the Italians lost 400,000 men killed. Bill Weinberger pointed out that this was a gross exaggeration and he was right. The facts are as follows: After the battle of Caporetto, the Italians lost 40,000 dead and wounded and 280,000 were taken prisoner. Any way one looks at it, it was a bad day for the Italians. The total number of Italian casualties during all 12 battles of the campaign may have been as high as 400,000. Mr. Weinberger took us to task for hollywoodizing the facts. Mea Culpa.

THE TOPIC IS FAIRYTALES

Around 1914 a company called Stamp Kraft printed a series of children's books of various sizes. Each story included a series of Poster Stamps that illustrated the tale being told. Stamp Kraft was not the only publisher of fairytales, however. The Liggett Meyers Tobacco Company advertising Piedmont cigarettes issued a series of 60 Poster Stamps. There were five examples presented for each author's fairytale and each listed the name of the tale. We illustrate two examples here. We were not familiar with the work of either Wilhelm Hauff 1802-1827 or Ludwig Beckstein 1801-1860. Actually we were never wild about reading any fairytale. Why? Because when we were five years old we heard the story of Hansel and Gretel. That tale horrified us and we hated it. So it was no surprise that we had never heard of either Wilhelm Hauff or Ludwig Beckstein. We had to look them up on the Google search engine and we found both to be quite clever story tellers. Still, clever or not, we still remember the horrible story of Hansel and Gretel. We didn't like the Humperdink opera either.

Piedmont
Cigarettes

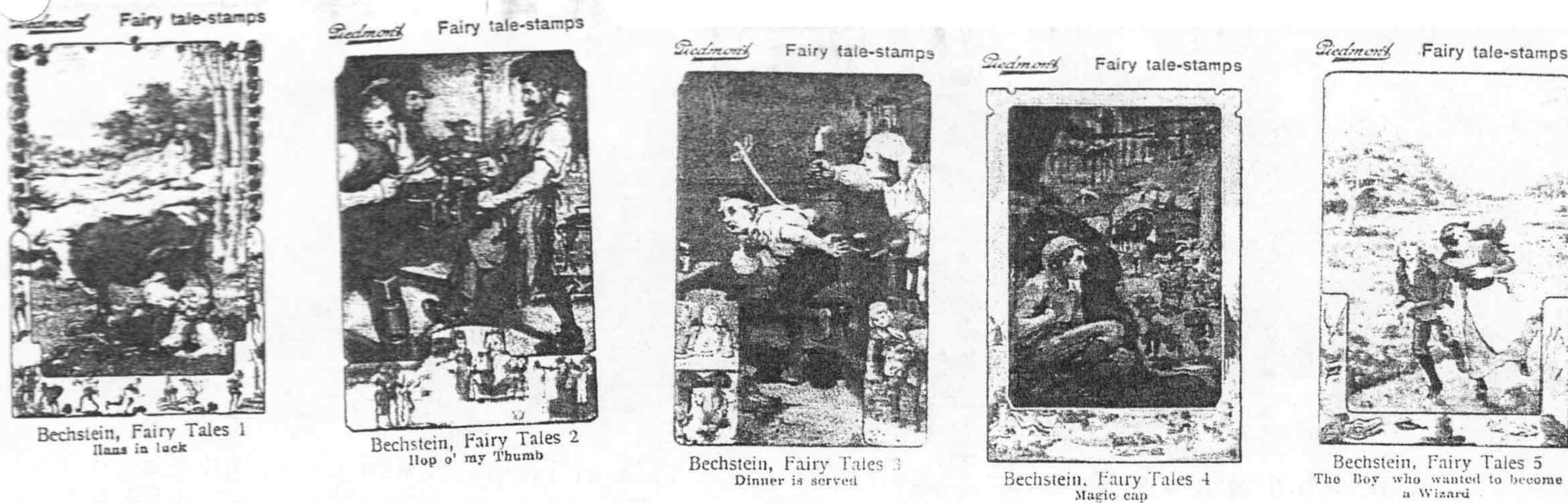
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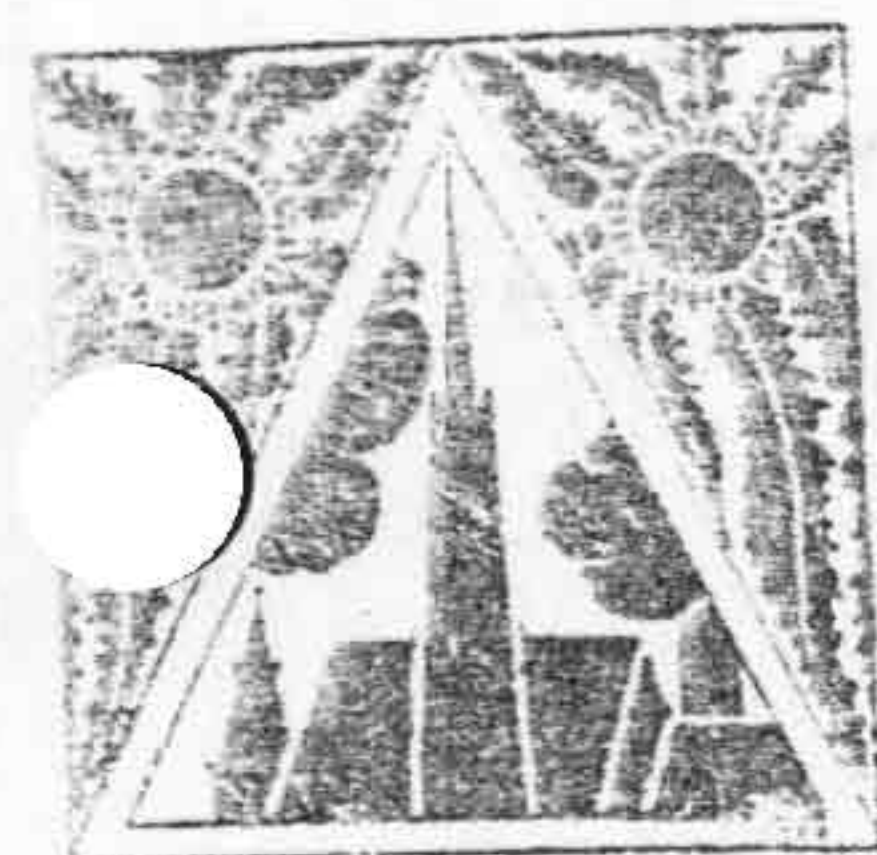
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THE JULY AUCTION

We return to the artists auction. Unlike last months "Highest bidder" auction, the rules are back to the old rules. Every lot will be sold for one step (25c) above the second highest bid. The first responder will win tie bids. The auction ends on the last day of the month and any lot may be returned within ten days if not satisfied.



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MARINE-SCHAUSPIEL
IN DER KRIEGSAUSSTELLUNG
DIREKTER EINGANG HAUPTALLEE

2 Grössler.f.

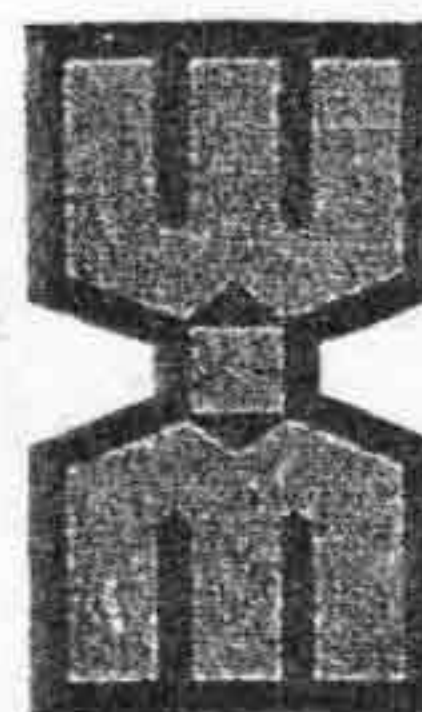


5.12. SEPT. 1937
WIENER
MESSE

3 Gibson & Kosel



4 Kilnger .J.



75. WIENER
INTERNATIONALE
MESSE

11.-18. MÄRZ 1962

5 Klinger. J



6 Klinger. J

PELZWAREN und
WINTERMODEN
Kästner & Hiller

Cafe
Korso
FINNENSTR. 110

Cafe
METROPOL
Kurfürstenstr. 15

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&
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& Hirschmann
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Ausstellung
Die
Dame
in Kunst
und Mode
Januar-Februar
1909
Zum Besten der
Erholungsheiler
f. Heimarbeiterinnen

8 Gipkins

TREFFER
ANLEIHE

9 Klinger J.

FLUGPLATZ
JOHANNISTHAL
Herbstflugwoche
28. 9. - 5. 10. 1913

10 Klinger J.

ausstellung
1927

11 Glass

JAHRESZAHL
DEUTSCHER ARBEIT
JUBILÄUMS-GARTENBAU-
AUSSTELLUNG
APRIL - DRESDEN 1926 OKTOBER

12 Gussmann



13 Hohlwein (ser ot 3)



14 Georgi W.



15 Goltl T.



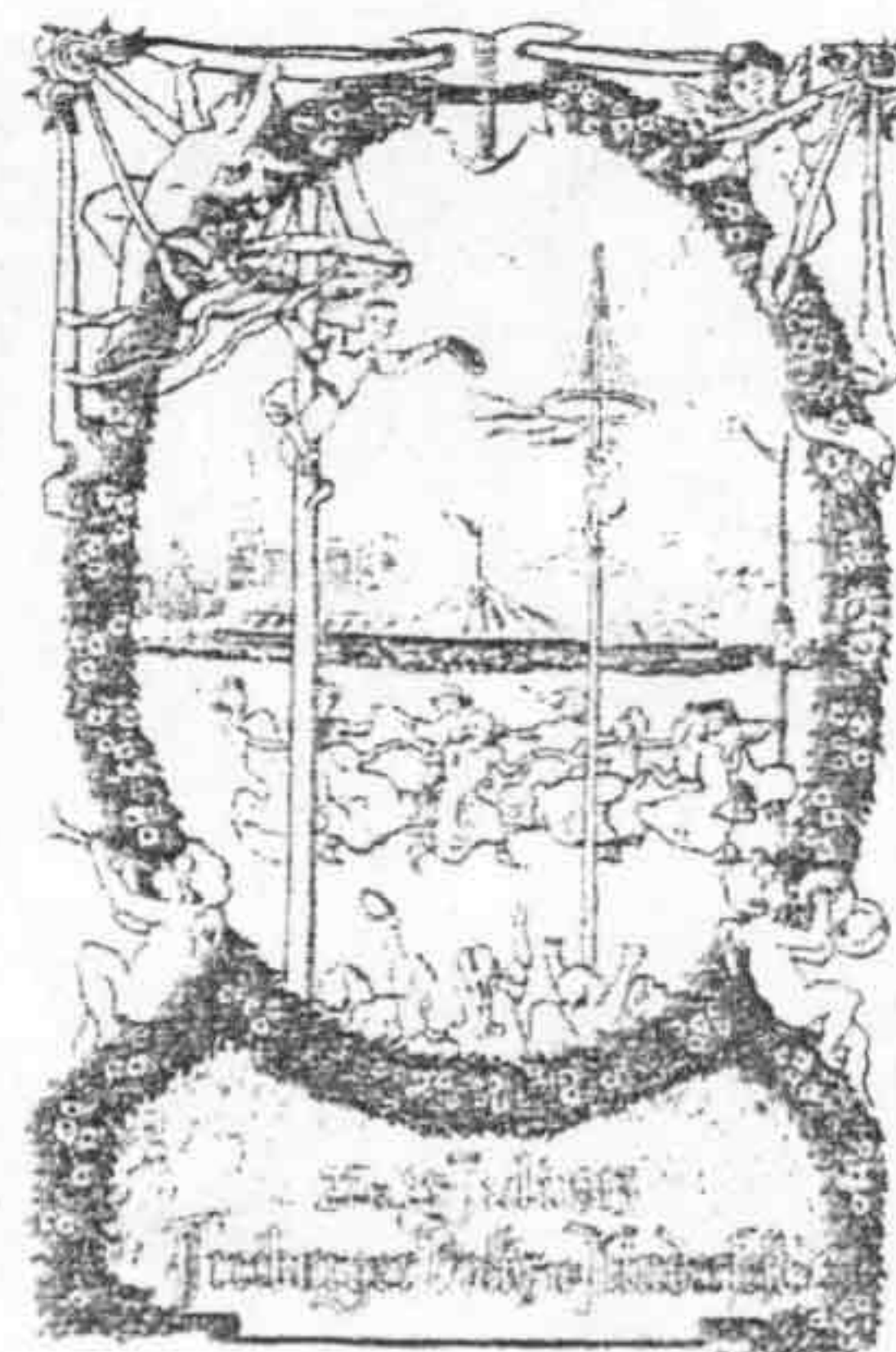
16 Georgi. W



17 Gerling M



18 Deimel



19 Greilite F.



20 Gurtler



21 Groh.w. (set of 3)



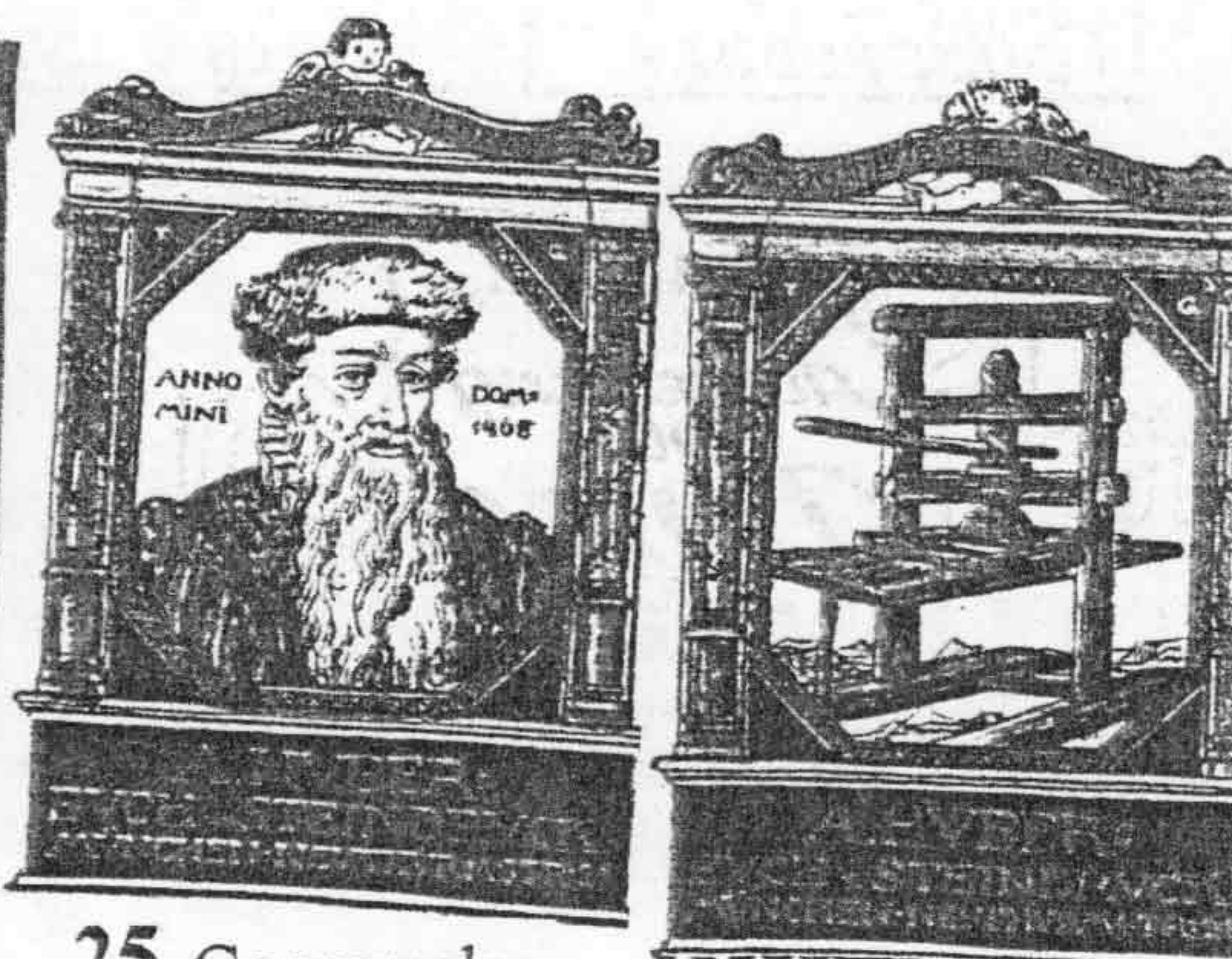
22 Fuhrmann.G (set of 4)



23 Griger



24 Groh. W (set of 4)



25 Gaemmeler

26 Gammeler



Die Zeitungsfrau
27 Hohlwein



Die Weichenstellerin
28 Hohlwein



Der schwere Reiter
29 Hohlwein



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30 Schönberger



INTERNATIONALE
PHOTOGRAPHISCHE
AUSSTELLUNG
DRESDEN 1909
31 Hartz. W



HERBST-PAPETERIE
MÜNCHEN
Prielmayerstr. 8
Carnevals-Artikel
FEUERWERK
32 Hahn. T.



33 Hohlwein



NEULICHT
Der halb bare
Glühkörper
34 Hohlwein



POLAR-FAHRTEN
NORDKAP
NORDEUTSCHER LLOYD BREMEN
35 Hohlwein



Verhüten ist besser!
36 Heimann. J



ERNEMANN CAMERAS
HEINRICH ERNEMANN A.G. DRESDEN
37 Goller (w/o signature)



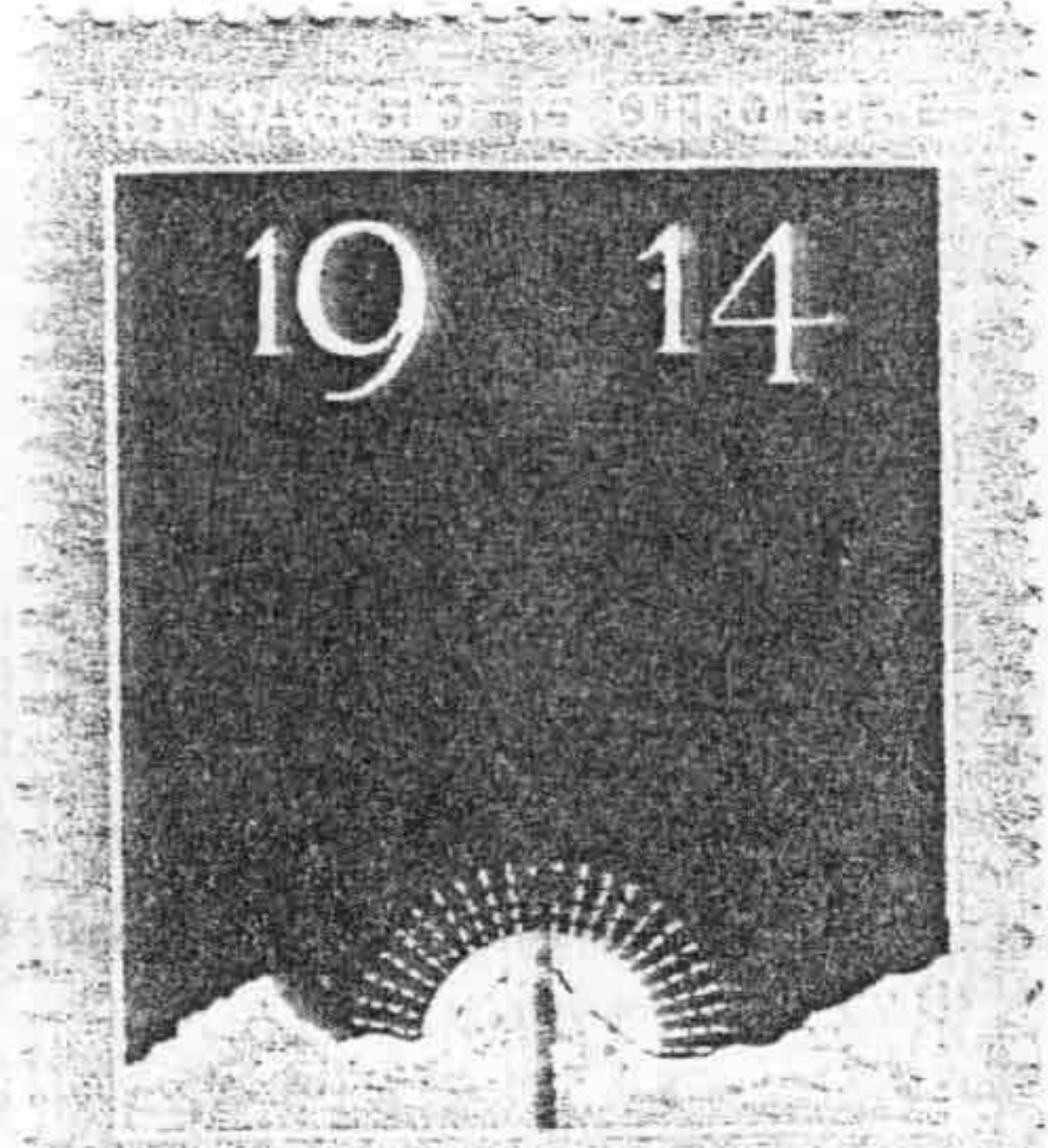
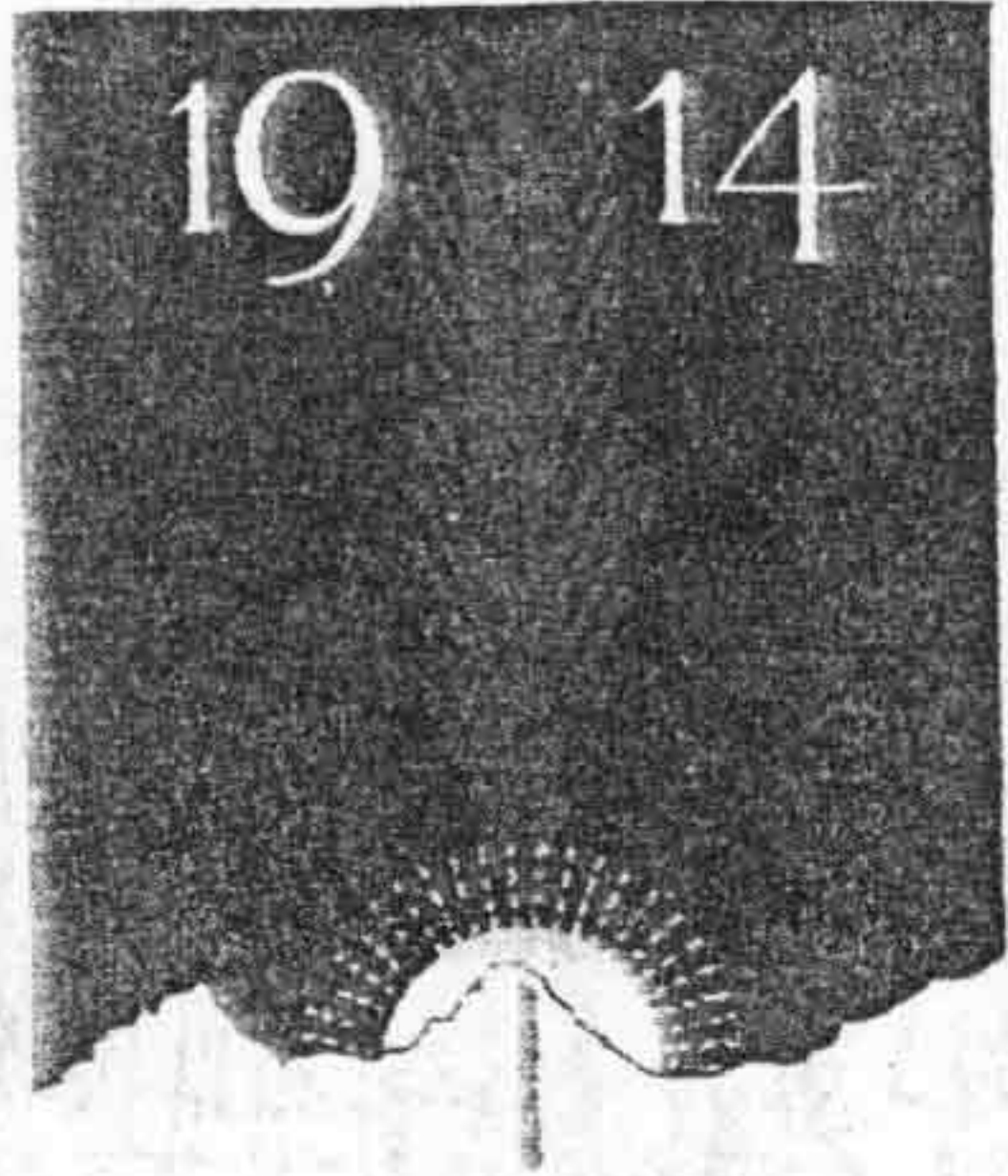
38 Gerstmaun (set of 5)



39 Grust (set of 5)



40 Goller (set of 12 signed)



41 Graf.O.

42 Swiss (set of 4)



43 Hohlein (imperf)

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44 Klinger. J
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45 Geider R.



46 Eglerr W.



47 Unknown



48 Glass



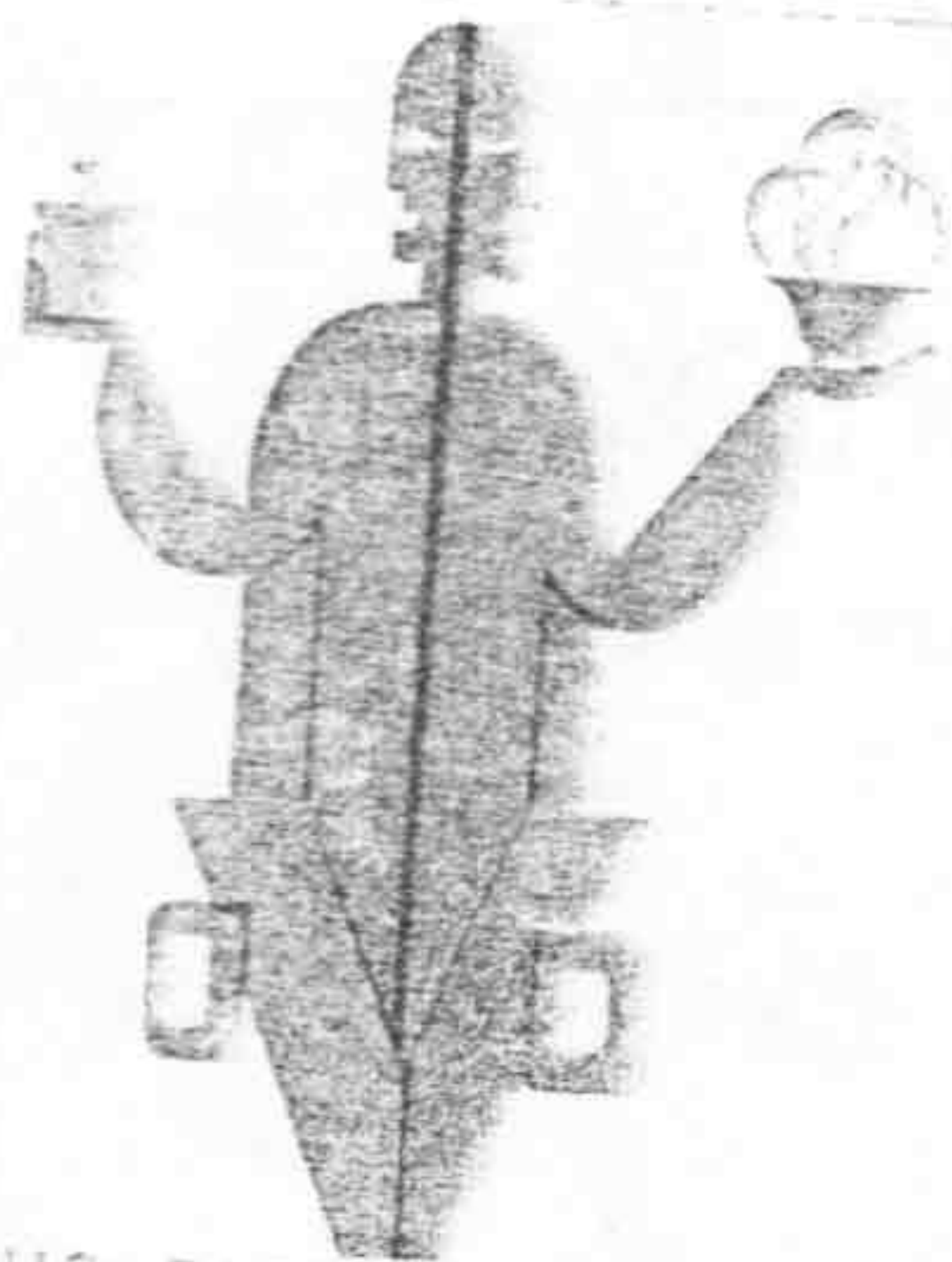
49 Gibson & Kosel 50 Gruber. F



51 Gottsauner



52 Gruber. F.



REICHS-FACH-AUSSTELLUNG
DES DEUTSCHEN DROGISTEN VERBANDES
FRANKFURT AM MAIN-FESTHALLE
8. BIS 12. JUNI 1929

53 Gussman



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55 Gradl. H



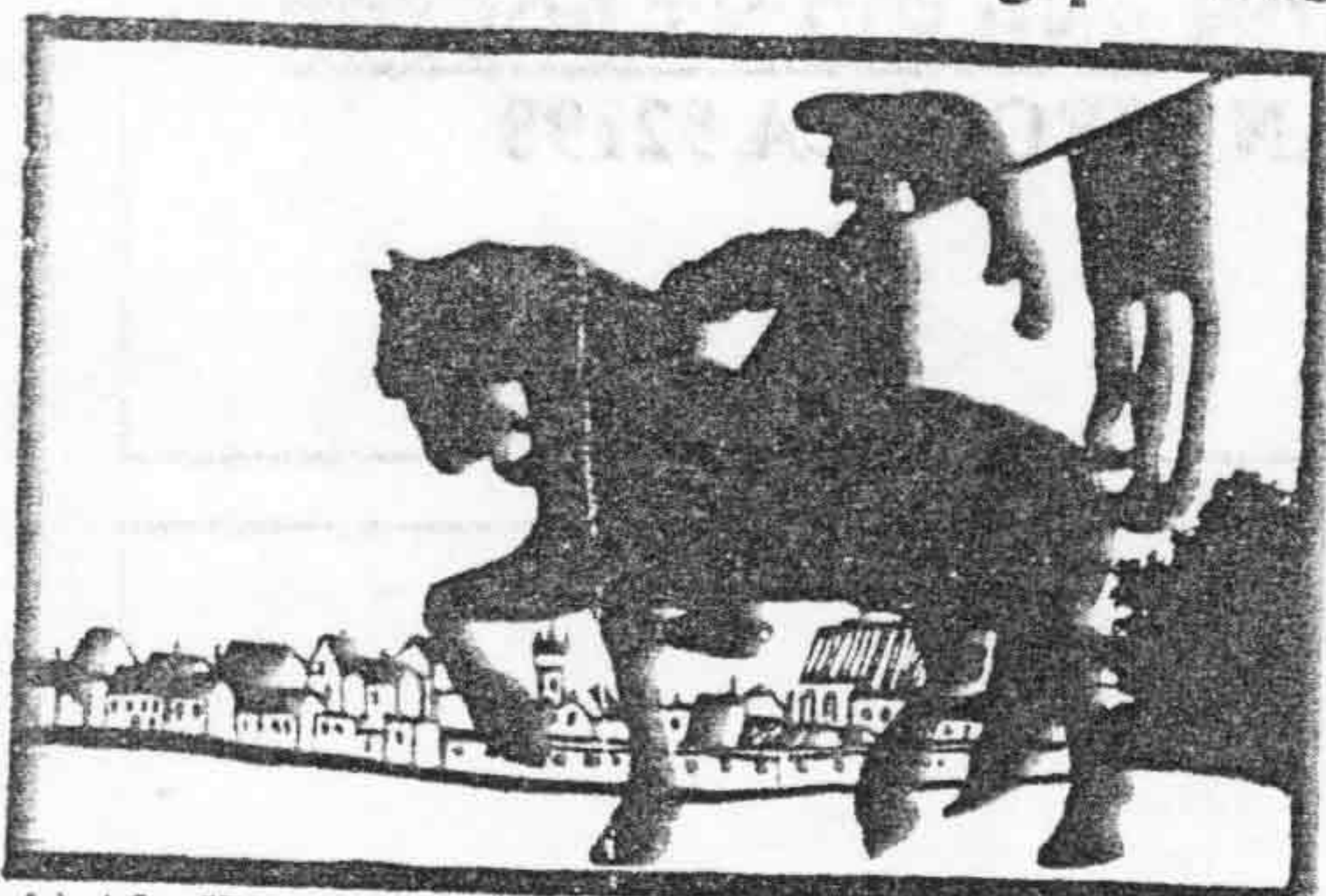
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58 Grieb. A



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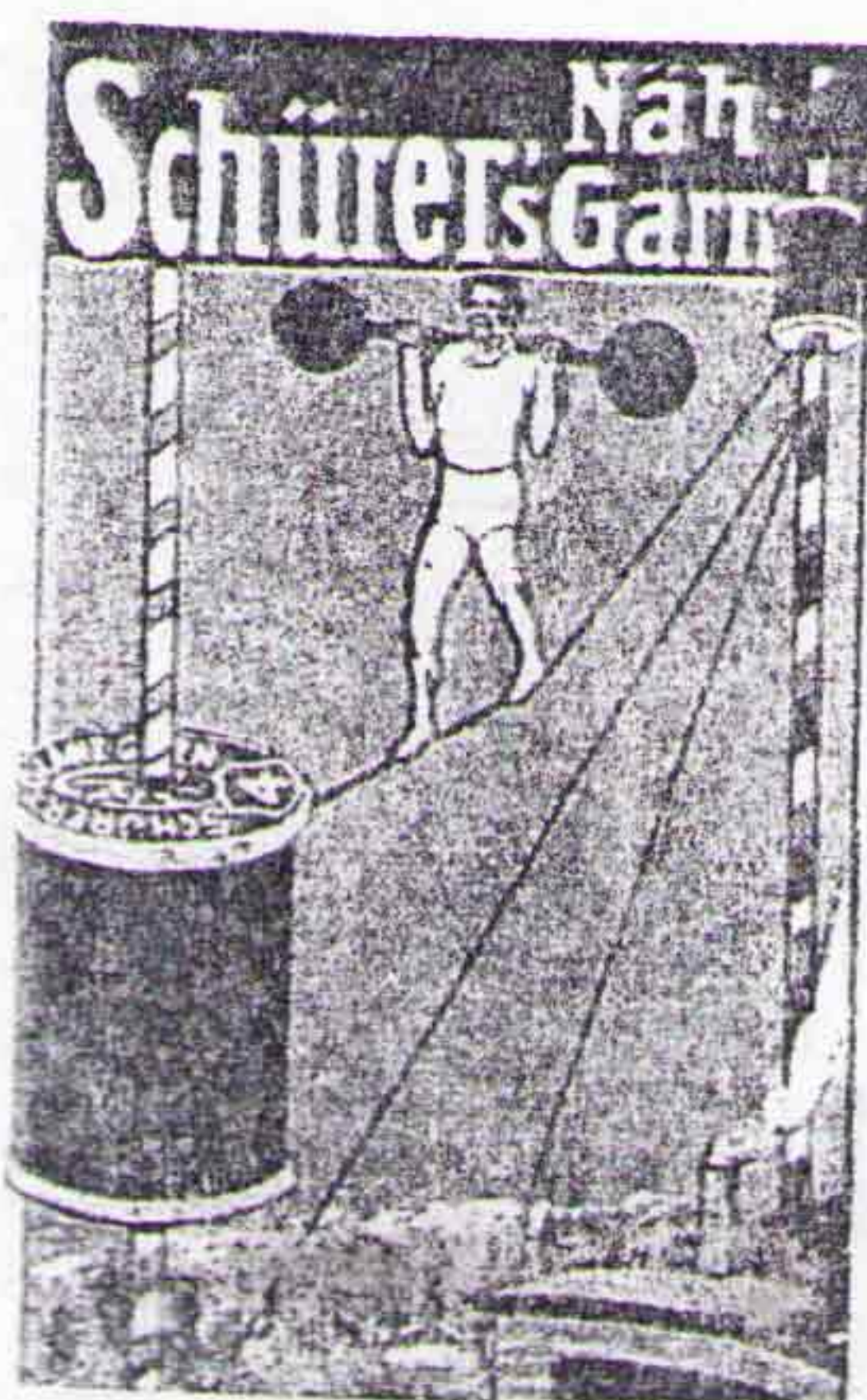
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