Subject: Browsing Jules Borel site difficult?

Posted by Thojil on Thu, 19 Sep 2013 13:22:18 GMT

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Recently I was browsing the Jules Borel&Co site for hands, which used to be easy when they still had the clear "catalog" style site. Now I can only find them through searching on "hands". What you get though is a huge list with part numbers, no picture and minimal description. Do you have the same experience or am I missing something? Is there is a more user friendly way to search that I haven't discovered?

Subject: Re: Browsing Jules Borel site difficult? Posted by Gary on Thu, 19 Sep 2013 14:05:52 GMT

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I think they went back to their original format. They now have the old watch parts database back. If you go to the "Catalogs/Flyers" menu and download the Horological Catalog in PDF, page 78 is where the hands are.

Subject: Re: Browsing Jules Borel site difficult?

Posted by Thojil on Thu, 19 Sep 2013 15:37:14 GMT

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Thanks, that was the missing link.

Subject: Re: Browsing Jules Borel site difficult? Posted by afire on Thu, 19 Sep 2013 17:30:49 GMT

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GaryM wrote on Thu, 19 September 2013 14:05I think they went back to their original format. Thanks for that. I had pretty much given up on using their website.

Subject: Re: Browsing Jules Borel site difficult? Posted by JackW on Fri, 20 Sep 2013 01:14:38 GMT

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Yeah, their website got harder to use not easier, with the transition. At least they heard the out-cry on the interchangeability catalog and put it back up.