## **Amazing Die-Cuts!**

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"Amazing" *is* the word! The old Jewelites pale in comparison! Today's die-cuts, when opened, remind me of the drawings of opened boxes on intelligence tests where you have to figure out what side goes where. The die-cuts pictured here are all foreign, and, although none carry manumarks, I assume that most or all are from Swedish Match, which has been cranking out such creative beauties for years.

Note that I have added the shaded backgrounds on pp. 2-3 to better show the shapes of the covers. Also, most covers pictured here have been reduced due to space restrictions. Special thanks to John Bachochin, OK, for supplying me with these gems.





