

## Calendar Art Sets: V

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In writing all the previous articles on Calendar Art Sets I have been able to utilize checklists prepared in years past by others. It appears that from now on I will need to rely solely on information I gain by studying covers in my own collection and information sent me by others. Before sharing the information I have on sets picturing antique automobiles and those with patriotic themes, I thought it would be a good idea to report on sets which I have discovered which should have been included in previous articles. I am indebted greatly to Tom Gray for going to a lot of work and photocopying for me sets out of his collection of RMS convention covers. His work was especially valuable because it enabled me to put an approximate date on many of the sets not previously reported.

Match Corp of America issued at least two scenic sets in the years after 1951. Superior Match issued at least one set picturing dogs after 1949. Superior also issued a set sometime around 1967 which used pictures used first on covers in its Americana series. I labeled this reissue set Americana set 8, but Superior may have had a different name for it. The Chicago Match set I have chosen to call set number 3 uses the same images as Chicago Match's set number 2. The covers from the later set are printed on thin stock and are in very bright colors. Their appearance is quite distinct from the 1950 set. The 1950 Universal Match Corp set picturing dogs comes in at least three different varieties involving the color ink used for the dogs and the background. The varieties may reflect the different years they were issued.

Thomas Valachovic sent me some covers inscribed Merry Christmas which appear to be from at least two different Calendar Art sets issued by Superior Match in the 1940's. Their appearance is very similar to the American Scenics Superior issued. Can any one supply information on these covers?

<p><b>Scenic America Match Corp of America</b></p> <p><b>Set 3 circa 1956</b> Niagara Falls Bryce Canyon Mount Rainier Grand Canyon Yosemite Falls</p> <p><b>Set 4 circa 1958</b> Mt. Rushmore Grand Teton Wisconsin Dells Cypress Gardens Mt. Hood</p> <p><b>Blue Ribbon Dogs Superior Match</b></p> <p><b>Set 6 circa 1962</b> Collie Schnauzer Basset Hounds English Setter</p>	<p>Terrier</p> <p><b>Americana Superior Match</b></p> <p><b>Set 8 (reissue) circa 1967</b> Casey At The Bat The Old Salt Rear Action Double Trouble Excess Baggage</p> <p><b>Sports Chicago Match Co</b></p> <p><b>Set 3 (reissue) circa 1966</b> On The Wing Quick Action Old Faithful The Break</p> <p><b>Dogs Diamond Match</b></p> <p><b>Set 1 circa 1980</b></p>	<p>Dalmatians Collies Poodles Basset Hounds</p> <p><b>Dogs Universal Match Corp</b></p> <p><b>Set 1 circa 1953</b> Setter Collie Terrier Boxer</p> <p><b>Ducks in Flight Diamond Match</b></p> <p><b>Set 1 circa 1969</b> Bluebill Mallard Canadian Goose Baldpate Wood Duck Pintail</p>	<p><b>Wildlife Scenes Republic Match</b></p> <p><b>Set 1</b> Pair of Red Head Ducks Stag Deer Cock Pheasant Fisherman with Rod &amp; Net</p> <p><b>Christmas Maryland Match</b></p> <p><b>Set 1 circa 1953</b> Seasons Greetings (House &amp; Church) Seasons Greetings (Church) Seasons Greetings(Horse &amp; Sleigh) (No Inscption) ( Fence, Tree &amp; House)</p>
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