

KNOW YOUR COVERS!

Detached Strikers

“Detached strikers” refers to covers that have strikers that are only attached by the staple, and when you remove the staple...the striker comes off!

Most commonly, the collector runs into this situation with some Foreign covers, especially the slightly larger than Jewel-size German and Austrian-made covers. But, as seen here, there was at least one domestic manufacturer that issued such covers, and that was Oname Products Corp., which put out issues such as the one shown here from 1925-1940s. Most collectors reattach the striker to the cover for collecting.

