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LEARN ABOUT MOVIE POSTERS

Heritage's March Vintage Movie Poster Auction Begins This Weekend

Over 1,200 lots will be offered at the upcoming Heritage Vintage Movie Poster Auction which begins March 25. To see a video preview of this great auction, click on the image below which will take you to the Heritage website.





eMoviePoster.com's

March Mini/Major

Auction

Part I - Begins March 29th

Part II - Begins March 31st

Click <u>HERE</u> for more information!

Thanhouser Silent Films Available for Online Viewing

Free Access to 56 Films Aimed at Improved Access



Thanhouser Company Film Preservation, Inc. announced that all 56 of the Thanhouser silent films currently distributed on DVD are now available for online viewing at no charge.

The films are available for immediate viewing on the Thanhouser website at www.thanhouser.org. The 56 films were produced by the Thanhouser film enterprise

based in New Rochelle, New York between 1910 and 1917. This collection provides a representative cross section of the company's output during this important era in early film development.

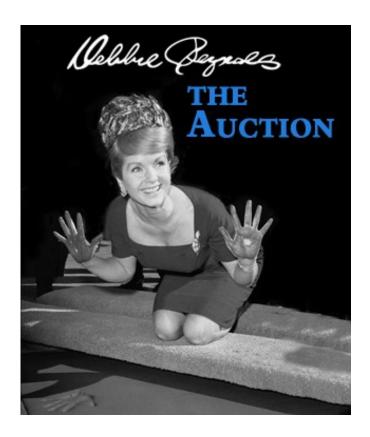
"This goldmine of rarely-before-seen films adds immeasurably to our understanding of the development of American silent cinema. Online access makes these delightful films available to researchers, film historians, media studies teachers and movie lovers everywhere," said Kathryn Fuller-Seeley, Professor of Film Studies at Georgia State University.

The films were assembled over the past 25 years with the cooperation of archives around the world, including The Library of Congress in Washington, DC, The British Film Institute in London, England, George Eastman House in Rochester, New York, The Museum of Modern Art in New York, New York, the Academy Film Archive in Los Angeles, California, the EYE Film Institute Netherlands in Amsterdam, Holland, and from the Thanhouser collection.

"Making these films accessible for online viewing is intended to expand viewership and academic study of this pioneering studio," said Ned Thanhouser, grandson of Thanhouser Company founders Edwin and Gertrude Thanhouser.

Each film includes a summary and analysis written by film historian Victor Graf. Andrew Crow, Raymond A. Brubacher and Ben Model composed and performed original musical accompaniment commissioned exclusively for this collection.

Debbie Reynolds - The Auction June 2011 - Part I



"My lifetime dream has been to assemble and preserve the history of the Hollywood film industry. Hollywood has been an enormous part of my life as I know it has been for countless fans all over the world. This collection represents a lifetime of collecting Hollywood artifacts and this is a rare opportunity to own a piece of Hollywood History for those who love the movies as much as I do. For the first time in nearly five decades, these iconic pieces will be made available to the public through a series of auctions presented by Profiles in History beginning in June 2011."

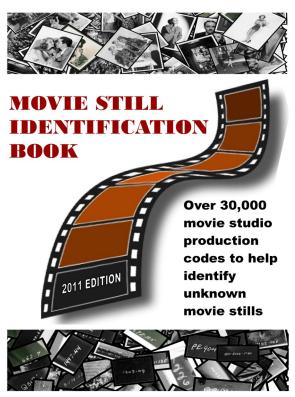
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For more information or to pre-order your auction catalog, visit www.ProfilesInHistory.com

Movie Still Identification Book Not Just for Identifying Movie Stills Also Identifies Costumes



A Learn About Network, L.L.C. Publication

In talking with the Hollywood Motion Picture Museum (who is a LAMP Member) about their upcoming sale of movie costumes at Profiles in History (who is also a LAMP member), we learned a very interesting use for the *Movie Still Identification Book* that we were not aware of. The HMPM said that had about 750 unknown costumes acquired from the studios and were using our production codes to help identify costumes!!! It seems that it was quite common for the studios to sew in a tag with the production code in it. WHO KNEW!!!

GET YOUR COPY HERE!

Moore Move Memories Double Sided Poster Lot Auction

Moore Movie Memories will be auctioning some great double-sided movie posters on the icollector.com Live Auction website. Many of these posters will be auctioned in groups of 5 posters per lot, some with 4 and a few with just one movie poster -- **ALL PRICED TO MOVE!**

Flat Shipping fee of \$3.00 per lot! USA BIDDERS ONLY!!

The auction begins March 30th. You can view the auction details HERE.

AROUND THE LAMP

Quadbod's March/April Show Schedule

For our UK friends, be sure to visit Terry & Sue of Quadbod at the following UK events:

Sat 26/Sun 27 March 2011 – Memorabilia at NEC Birmingham

Sat 16/Sun 17 April 2011 –
Antique, Home & Vintage Show
at the University of the West of
England (UWE) Exhibition
Centre, Bristol BS34 8QZ

For more information about their schedule, visit their website **HERE.**

Movie Poster Bid Upcoming Auction Schedule

These auctions end on these dates

March 23 - Magazine + Trade Ads - titles from the 1920s-60s

March 30 - Single Lobby Cards - includes many top quality titles inc. Key Largo & Lawrence of Arabi

April 6 - French Posters - posters as early as the 1930s

April 13 - Title Cards - title cards as early as 1919 includes Bogart

April 20 - Pressbooks - about as good an auction as you can find with lots of great 30s-40s titles

April 27 - Half Sheets - still gathering posters for this sale

May 4 - Folded One Sheets - still gathering posters for this sale

NEW IMAGES ADDED TO MOVIE POSTER DATA BASE

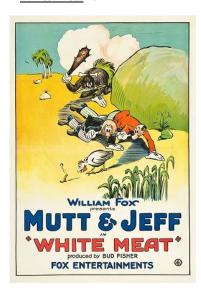
New images are added daily to our <u>Movie Poster Data Base</u> (a/k/a Cinema Poster Archive). Here are some of the titles recently added. For a full list, click <u>HERE</u>.

Belle Sommers 1962
Bon Voyage 1962
Breaker Beauties 1977
Crimson Stain Mystery 1916





Jane Eyre 1944 Jerry's Diary 1948 John and Mary 1969 Johnny Rocco 1958 Pitfalls of a Big City 1923 Show Off 1926 Sunday Sinners 1940 White Meat 1921



NEW YORK MEMORABILIA SHOW LOOKING FOR DEALERS

Your 2nd Childhood Memorabilia Show and Jimmy's Night at the Bijou show will be held on May 14-15, 2011, at Holiday Inn, 440 West 57th Street, New York. This year's show will feature a salute to legendary actor Glenn Ford with his son Peter Ford who will be promoting his new biography, *Glenn Ford: A Life*.

Vendor tables are currently available but are on a first come, first serve basis. For more information about the show, click **HERE**. To get more information on dealer tables, click **HERE**.





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That's all for this month. If anyone has any movie poster news or announcements, suggestion or comments, please let us know.

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