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## LEARN ABOUT MOVIE POSTERS

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# HERITAGE AUCTION GALLERIES Vintage Movie Posters Signature Auction 2011 November 18-19





Heritage Auction Galleries will present its Vintage Movie Posters Signature Auction #7043 this weekend in Dallas, Texas.

This great auction features several one of a kind and never before seen in the collector's market movie posters, including a half sheet for the *Most Dangerous Game*; a Three Stooges one sheet for *Three Little Bears* and great one sheets for two early Walt Disney cartoon shorts for the Alice Comedies.

#### CHECK OUT THE VIDEO HIGHLIGHTS OF THIS GREAT AUCTION HERE.



## **STOLEN POSTERS ALERT**

### We want to alert the entire poster industry of some stolen movie posters.

The first of this month, 14 movie posters were stolen from Four Color Comics in Scarsdale, New York. It is believed that they were taken by NON-poster people, so there is an excellent chance that they will be offered to someone in the industry. We are asking everyone that comes in contact with movie posters to be on the "**look-out**" for these posters. If you see any of these, please contact Robert Rogovin. Robert can be reached at 914 722 4696 or at <u>rob@fourcolorcomics.com</u>.

#### These are ALL unbacked one sheets. Here are the titles:

Beast From 20,000 Fathoms	Mole People
Colossus of New York	<b>Monolith Monsters</b>
Giant Gila Monster	<b>Red Planet Mars</b>
Godzilla	<b>Revenge of the Creature</b>
How to Make a Monster	Them
It, the Terror From Beyond	Tobor the Great
Mighty Joe Young	When Worlds Collide

How do you know if you are getting one of these posters? Well, here's something the crooks didn't know about.

All of the above posters were graded AND MARKED by **MP Grading**. OK, what does that mean?

That means that each have an identifiable invisible ink DNA stamp. If you wave a UV light over the bottom of the poster, you will see an identification number.

The police are happy because NOW they have a way to identify the owner of THAT specific poster AND gives a greater chance in tracking down the thief.

The insurance company is happy because they are more likely to reclaim their insurance money and prosecute the crook once the police has caught him.

#### SO, POSTER INDUSTRY - BE ON ALERT!!

This grade of poster WILL SHOW UP... and when they do, MPGrading has hi res scans and invisible ink to help prosecute them.

## eMoviePoster.com's December Mini/Major Auction begins 11/27

eMoviePoster.com's December 2011 Mini/Major Auction will begin November 27th in four parts, and it will contain many hundreds of great posters, both linenbacked and unbacked. One of the featured items is a *IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE* one-sheet pictured below.

A preview gallery of 34 of the "better" that will be in their December 2011 Mini/Major Auctions, which runs from November 27th to December 11th. Check out that gallery <u>here</u>.

Here's the schedule:

- 11/27 December mini/major Part I CHANGED
- 11/29 December mini/major Part II
- 12/1 December mini/major Part III
- 12/4 December mini/major Part IV



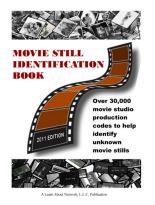


# AROUND THE LAMP

# **MovieArt Featured on Texas Country Reporter**

MovieArt was recently profiled in the syndicated weekly television magazine TEXAS COUNTRY REPORTER. Bob Phillips and his intrepid crew visited Kirby in April of this year and recorded a short feature which aired in Austin. The show is seen on a number of television stations in the South and Southwest and is also viewed on the cable outlet RFD Channel. The show is episode number 1250. This video is currently available on YouTube. <u>Here</u> is the link to the video.





#### **QUADBOD'S NOVEMBER SHOW SCHEDULE**

If you're in the UK area, be sure to visit <u>Quadbod</u> at one of these great shows:

Sat 19/Sun 20 November 2011 – Memorabilia at NEC Birmingham

And be sure to pick up your copy of the *Movie Still Identification Book* which is now available in the UK through <u>Quadbod</u>.

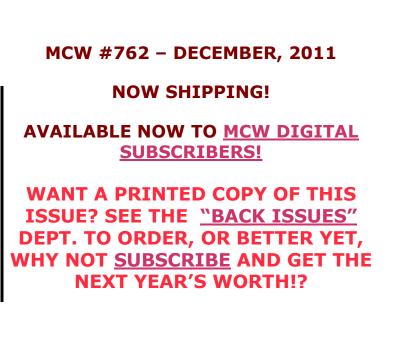
## KERRY HAGGARD ENTERS A GUILTY PLEA

On October 24, 2011, Kerry Haggard pled guilty to the one count of mail fraud charged against him in April of 2010. This according to the court records of the United States District Court of the Southern District of New York.

The original complaint filed against Haggard alleged that the defendant traded and sold fake horror movie posters and lobby cards which he falsely represented as authentic, thereby defrauding dozens of victims and causing over a million dollars worth of loss.

Sentencing is currently set for January 24, 2012.





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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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