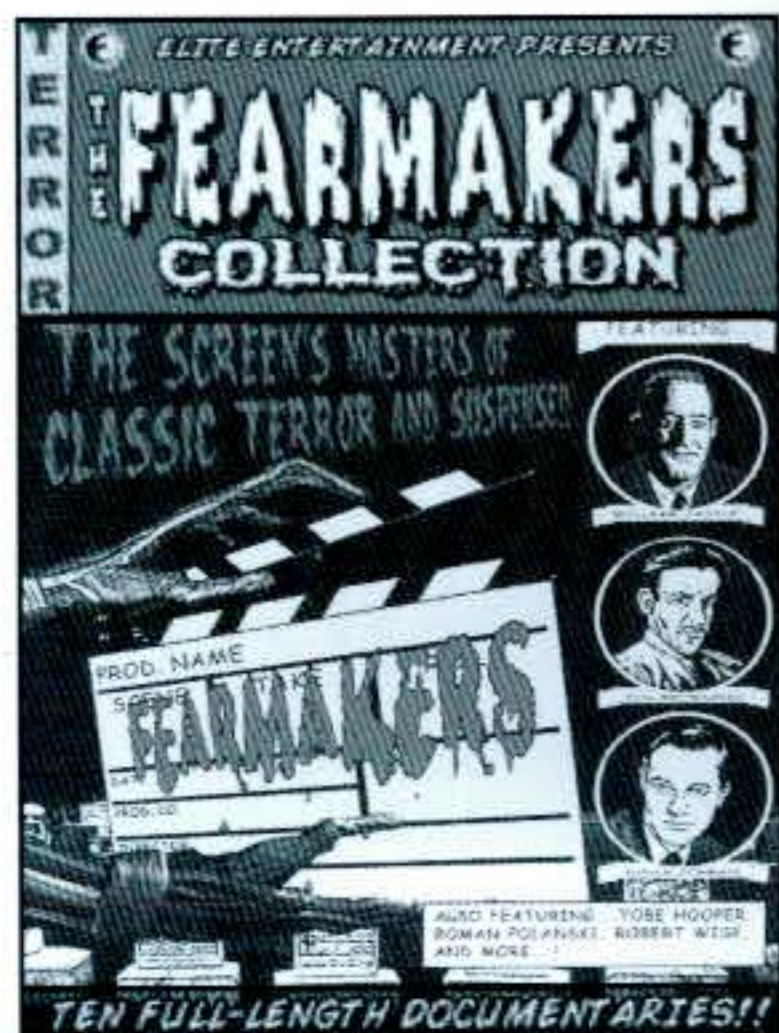


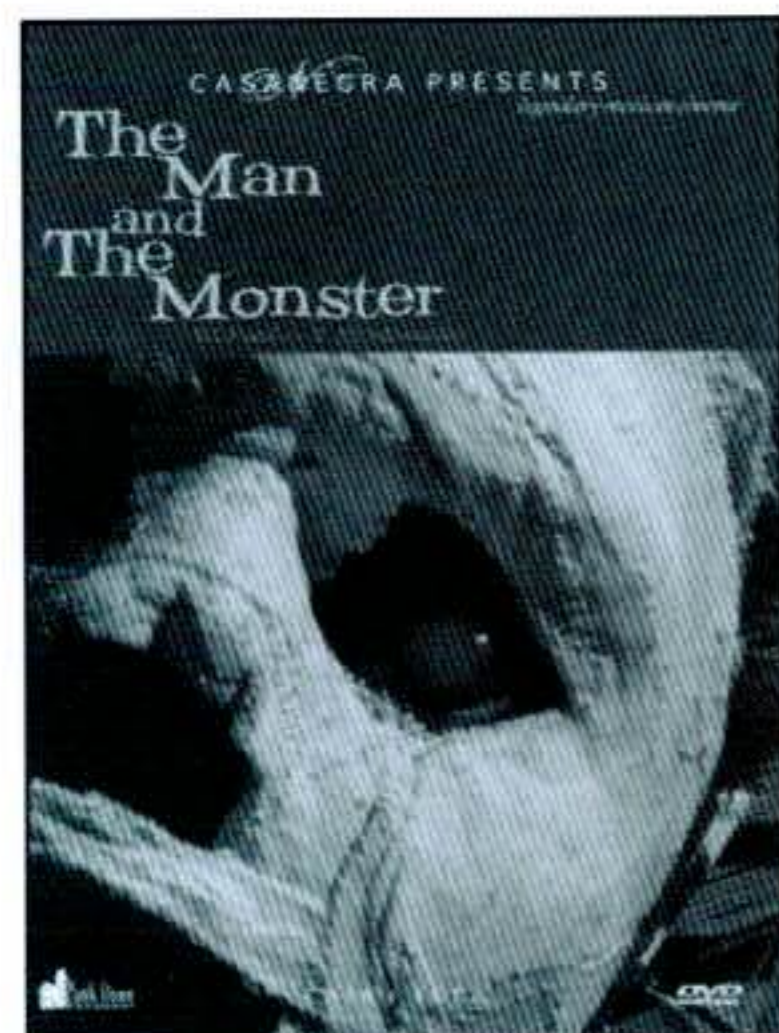
DVD COLLECTIBLES

Brief reviews and DVD News



It's late. Popping a movie in the DVD player is a bad idea. Since 45 minutes into the film, you'll be snoring once your head hits the pillow. The perfect solution is to get your hands on *Festival of Fright*, a great compilation of classic horror movie trailers, ranging mostly from the 1950's and early 60's. The collection includes trailers from *The Tingler*, *Black Sabbath*, *The Projected Man*, *Dr. Terror's House of Horrors* and plenty more. You can score your own copy for \$13 at TheMonsterClub.com

It's been a while since we've heard from Elite Entertainment, but we're glad to see that they are back with a must own title, the 3 DVD set *The Fearmakers*. Based on the book by John McCarty, *The Fearmakers* takes a look at ten influential directors-Tobe Hooper, Roman Polanski, Robert Wise, William Castle, Jacques Tourneur, Jack Arnold, Terence Fisher, Roland West, Tod Browning and Roger Corman. At the retail price of \$29.99, it's an incredible bargain.



The predecessor to MTV's *Oddville* was *Beyond Vaudeville*. If you don't remember *Oddville*, it can be best described as a mix between Joe Franklin and Uncle Floyd. This 2 hour compilation contains appearances from the always entertaining Tiny Tim, sixties throwback David Peel, The Female Elvis, Woodstock relic Wavy Gravy, Professor Irwin Corey, Mr. Rogers regular "Lady Betty" Aberlin, and Benny "Shaving Cream" Bell. Other highlights include *Carnivale's* Michael Anderson (singing "I Wanna Be Bigger Than Life") and Rich Curtis, an Al Jolson impersonator. A bargain at only twenty bucks. You can find it exclusively at myspace.com/beyondvaudeville.

Cinema of Death (Cult Epics) is a Goth lover's dream. The five short films compiled on this collection feature *Pig*, from the late Rozz (Christian Death) Williams, Nico B.'s tribute to Kenneth Anger, *Hollywood Babylon*, Olivier Smolders cannibalistic tale *Adoration*, the surrealistic *Dislandia*, and *Le Poeme*, which shows an actual autopsy. The disc is limited to 2500 copies.

Media Blasters heard the complaints from fans about their first DVD edition of *Lizard in a Woman's Skin*, and have found better elements for the Fulci film. Coming soon from MB, Toho Pictures *Frankenstein Conquers the World* and *Latitude Zero*.

Our friends at Casa Negra continue to add more fantastic Mexican films to their catalog. New to DVD are *The Living Coffin* and *The Man and The Monster*.

El Duce and his sultans of sleaze, The Mentors, get their first official DVD release from MVD Video, titled *El Duce Vita*. Fans of the band won't want to miss out on this collection of vintage music video clips and live performances.

