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Lost and Found

For several months now Media & Reserve Services has been seeking the owners to two media titles mistakenly returned to us:

The Dreamers.
(1 DVD)

Food for Thought: M.F.K. Fisher.
(Series: **A World of Ideas**)
(1 videocassette)

If ever title belongs to you or someone you know, please contact either Rhonda Rosen at rosen@lmu.edu or 310-338-4584, or Reggie Melonson at rmelonson@lmu.edu or 310-338-7672.

"Welcome to Hard Times."

(All of the following titles are available at the Media & Reserve Counter.)

We All Fall Down: the American Mortgage Crisis.

On Order.

This timely and informative documentary chronicles the history of America's mortgage finance system, from its origins in the 1930s, when the federal government first made available long-term, fixed-rate loans to new American homeowners, to its current state of crisis, after an excess of risky mortgage financing led to the system's collapse, which in turn triggered a wider economic recession.



Capitalism Hits the Fan: a lecture on the economic meltdown.

DVD3288

"Richard Wolff breaks down the root causes of today's economic crisis, showing how it was decades in the making and in fact reflects seismic failures within the structures of American-style capitalism itself. Wolff traces the sources of the economic crisis to the 1970's, when wages began to stagnate and American workers were forced into a dysfunctional spiral of borrowing and debt that ultimately exploded in the mortgage meltdown"--Container.



I.O.U.S.A.
DVD3323

"I.O.U.S.A. tells the story of America in debt. Faced with key deficits in budget, savings, trade and leadership, increased foreign competition and ballooning financial obligations, the federal government is critically overextended. With the economy already in shambles, 78 million baby boomers are now expecting retirement benefits from their indebted federal government. Weaving together archival footage, economic data and candid interviews with Warren Buffett, Alan Greenspan, Paul O'Neill, Robert Rubin, Alice Rivlin and Paul Volcker, along with David Walker of the Peter G. Peterson Foundation and Robert Bixby of the Concord Coalition, the film offers a vivid and alarming profile of America's financial status"--Container.



In Debt We Trust: America before the bubble bursts.
DVD2584

This documentary, examining the increasing debt burden carried by millions of Americans, argues that corrupt practices by financial and government institutions are fostering citizens' dependence on credit while creating a ballooning national debt that is leading the country towards fiscal disaster.



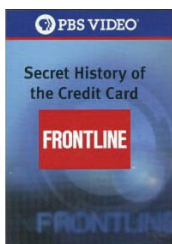
Maxed Out.
DVD2317

Take a journey deep inside the American style of debt, where things seem fine as long as the minimum monthly payment arrives on time. Shocking and incisive, it paints a picture of a national nightmare, which is all too real for most--Container.



The Overspent American.
HF5415.33 U6 O92

"Juliet Schor scrutinizes what she calls 'the new consumerism' -- a national phenomenon of upscale spending that is shaped and reinforced by a commercially-driven media system. She argues that 'keeping up with the Joneses' is no longer enough for middle and upper-middle class Americans, many of whom become burdened with debilitating debt as they seek to emulate materialistic 'TV lifestyles'"--Container.



Secret History of the Credit Card.
DVD1089

This documentary investigates how the credit card industry became so pervasive, lucrative, and politically powerful. Explores the techniques used by the industry to earn large profits and get consumers to take on more debt.

70th anniversary year of the classic Great Depression film, based on the illustrious novel by John Steinbeck:



The Grapes of Wrath. (1939)

DVD0657

Directed by John Ford.

Stars Henry Fonda, Jane Darwell, Charley Grapewin, Dorris Bowdon, John Carradine.

The migration of the Joad family to California from their dust-bowl farm in Oklahoma during the Great Depression.

New Compact disc:

[Chaucer, Geoffrey, d. 1400](#)

The Shipman's Tale.

[CDS1134](#)

Performed in Middle English.

Readers: Nicholas R. Havely, Mary Hamel, Winthrop Wetherbee, Peter G. Beidler.

Originally recorded at Santa Monica College in association with the 10th International Congress of the New Chaucer Society, Beverly Hills, July 1996.

1 compact disc, 31 min., 2007

New DVDs:

37°2 le matin = Betty Blue.

[DVD3311](#)

Unrated director's cut.

Videodisc release of a 1986 French motion picture.

French or dubbed English dialogue with optional subtitles in English, French, Spanish, or Portuguese.

Written and directed by Jean-Jacques Beineix.

Stars Jean-Hugues Anglade, Béatrice Dalle, Gérard Darmon, Consuelo de Haviland.

Betty and Zorg are not your average French lovers. Together, they make life a magical fantasy in which absolutely anything can happen-- until their dreams collide with reality.

1 DVD, Color, 185 min., 2004

1917: the People's Revolution

[DVD3283](#)

How did a single wayward intellectual become the father of the Soviet Union? This program examines the unlikely alignment of forces that enabled Lenin to return from exile and to take power over a vast nation fully engaged in a world war.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 54 min., 2008

L'Amico di Famiglia = The Family Friend.

[DVD3276](#)

Originally released as an Italian motion picture in 2006.

In Italian with optional English subtitles.

Written and directed by Paolo Sorrentino.

Stars Giacomo Rizzo, Laura Chiatti, Fabrizio Bentivoglio, Gigi Angelillo.

Geremia, a sixty year old man, earns his living as a moneylender. His face is just as unpleasant as his character. He, on the other hand, has the impression that he is fair and socially useful. He also thinks that he can save families to whom he lends money and interfere in their lives, like a "friend of the family."

1 DVD, Color, 96 min., 2007

DVDs (continued):**Apparitions at Fatima = Aparição.****DVD3295**

Videodisc release of a 1994 Portuguese/French motion picture. A film by Daniel Costelle.

Stars Teresa Costa, Cecile Maupeu, Henrique Reis, Jacinta Henriques.

Story of three young shepherds in Portugal, whose lives were transformed by the apparition of the Virgin Mary and the miracles at Fatima. Her message of repentance and devotion to Her Son to a world plunging into world war convicts all of the seriousness of sin and imparts great hope to the faithful.

1 DVD, Color, 90 min., 2006

Bianco e Nero.**DVD3275**

Videodisc release of a 2008 Italian motion picture.

In Italian with English or Italian subtitles.

Directed by Cristina Comencini.

Stars Fabio Volo, Ambra Angiolini, Aïssa Maïga, Eriq Ebouaney.

"Racial integration is Elena's profession and passion, not only filling her working day as a cultural mediator assisting immigrants, but spilling over into her home life as well. All too often her daughter Giovanna and her husband Carlo, a computer technician, must attend evening charity events where they feel distinctly out of place. During one of these evenings, Carlo meets Nadine, a beautiful black woman with whom he establishes an intimate understanding at first glance. Nadine's husband Bertrand, a refined black intellectual and the evening's featured speaker, stirs everyone with his heartfelt words. Later Carlo convinces his wife, who is quite hesitant, to invite Nadine and her children to Giovanna's birthday party. In the midst of the fun and noise of the party, Carlo and Nadine barely say a word, but their feelings are unmistakable.

A computer needing repair breaks down the last barriers, allowing their passion to flow free, while others, their family and friends, are flooded with feelings of astonishment, rejection and a certain morbid curiosity: what is it like for a black woman to love a white man? What happens to a passionate love when everything is working against it?"--Filmitalia.

1 DVD, Color, 100 min., 2008

Big Brother, Big Business.**DVD3290**

The rapid advance of technology allows companies to monitor our every move and record our most private personal information. Driving habits are being recorded; employees are monitored, shoppers and diners are observed and analyzed; internet searches are saved and used as evidence in court. It is big business that collects most of the data about us. But increasingly, it is the government that's using it. Big brother, big business take an enlightening and sometime disturbing look at how the growth of the information society may be eroding the freedoms many people take for granted.

1 DVD, Color, 79 min., 2008

Les Blues de Balfa ; Cajun Visits - Visites Cajuns.**DVD3287**

Les Blues de Balfa(27 min.): Dewey Balfa traces the development of the Balfa Brothers musical family and their contributions to Cajun music. "In addition to the Balfa Brothers, musicians appearing include: Allie Young, Nathan Abshire, Tony Balfa, Rockin' Dopsie, Raymond Francois & the Cajun Playboys and Tracy Schwarz"--Container.

Cajun visits (29 min.): "Presents six masters of traditional Cajun music: Denis McGee, Wallace 'Cheese' Read, Canray Fontenot, Leopold Francois, Robert Jardell and Dewey Balfa, singing and playing traditional songs and tunes and talking about their music, their lives, their work and their environment"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 56 min., 2007

Capital of Earth: the Maroons of Moore Town. (1979)**DVD3261**

A historical documentary, filmed in Jamaica, which focuses on the Maroons, direct descendants of escaped African slaves who formed rebel communities in the Blue Mountains.

Illustrates the traditional culture and the threats of urban social forces and economic pressures.

1 DVD, Color, 40 min., 2006

Capitalism Hits the Fan:**a lecture on the economic meltdown.****DVD3288**

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1 DVD, Color, 57 min., 2009

Chinese Zodiac Signs: the animal in all of us.**DVD3291**

"This program introduces the legends of the Chinese zodiac and visits the Lantern Festival, the Ching Shan Temple exhibition of traditional zodiac lanterns, Taiwan's shadow show, the street of fortune tellers, and the Taiwan observatory"--Insight Media website.

1 DVD, Color, 28 min., 1998

City Living.**DVD3278**

Series: **What the Industrial Revolution did for us**

"Scours London to examine how the mechanism of industrialization generated urban life as people know it today"--Container.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 31 min., 2004

DVDs (continued):**Consuming Kids: the commercialization of childhood.****DVD3265**

"Consuming Kids throws desperately needed light on the practices of a relentless multi-billion dollar marketing machine that now sells kids and their parents everything from junk food and violent video games to bogus educational products and the family car. Drawing on the insights of health care professionals, children's advocates, and industry insiders, the film focuses on the explosive growth of child marketing in the wake of deregulation, showing how youth marketers have used the latest advances in psychology, anthropology, and neuroscience to transform American children into one of the most powerful and profitable consumer demographics in the world.

Consuming kids pushes back against the wholesale commercialization of childhood, raising urgent questions about the ethics of children's marketing and its impact on the health and well-being of kids"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 67 min., 2008

Division of Hearts.**DVD3299**

The British division of colonial India into Pakistan and the Republic of India caused tremendous loss of life and relocation of millions of people. After centuries of coexistence, Hindus, Sikhs and Muslims fell victim to mutual suspicion as violence and murder swept through the countryside, and village populations changed overnight. In this film, ordinary people from Pakistan, India and Bangladesh tell this history and recount their own tumultuous experiences.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 57 min., 1987

The Examined Life.**DVD3253**

Offers in-depth analysis of the wisdom of the western world. Studies the "great questions" that have intrigued philosophers from antiquity to the present. Using writings of past philosophers and interviews with more than 50 contemporary thinkers, these episodes underscore how these classic questions still reverberate in society today.

4 DVDs, Color, 748 min., 2004

Forgotten Ellis Island.**DVD3280**

In the era before antibiotics, tens of thousands of immigrant patients were separated from family, detained in the hospital on Ellis Island, and healed from illness before becoming citizens. 350 babies were born, and ten times that many immigrants died on Ellis Island and were buried in pauper's graves around New York City.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 62 min., 2009

The General.**DVD3302**

Ultimate 2-disc edition.

Full screen (1.33:1) presentation.

Videodisc release of a 1926 silent motion picture.

Written and directed by Buster Keaton and Clyde Bruckman.

Stars Buster Keaton, Marion Mack, Glenn Cavender.

Rejected by the Confederate army, and taken for a coward by his beloved, young Johnny Gray is given a chance to redeem himself when he wages a one-man war against Yankee spies who have stolen his locomotive.

2 DVDs, Color Tinted, 78 min., 2008

2nd disc contains special features.

Generation M: misogyny in media and culture.**DVD3301**

"Despite the achievements of the women's movement over the past four decades, misogyny remains a persistent force in American culture. In this important new documentary, Thomas Keith, Professor of Philosophy at California State University, Long Beach, looks specifically at misogyny and sexism in mainstream American media, exploring how negative definitions of femininity and hateful attitudes toward women get constructed and perpetuated at the very heart of our popular culture. The film tracks the destructive dynamics of misogyny across a broad and disturbing range of media phenomena: including the hyper-sexualization of commercial products aimed at girls, the explosion of violence in video games aimed at boys, the near-hysterical sexist rants of hip-hop artists and talk radio shock jocks, and the harsh, patronizing caricatures of femininity and feminism that reverberate throughout the mainstream of American popular culture. Along the way, Generation M forces us to confront the dangerous real-life consequences of misogyny in all of its forms--making a compelling case that when we devalue more than half the population based on gender, we harm boys and men as well as women and girls"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 60 min., 2008

The Gospel at Colonus.**DVD3260**

Standard full frame presentation.

First shown as an episode of the television program

Great Performances in 1985.

Stars Morgan Freeman, Clarence Fountain, Isabell Monk.

Told from the perspective of a Black Pentecostal preacher and his congregation, this play dramatizes legendary Greek character Oedipus' last days on Earth. Having blinded himself out of guilt, Oedipus makes a solace-seeking pilgrimage to Colonus, the place where he believes he is meant to die. Primarily through song, the preacher and his congregation translate this story of redemption into a Christian parable.

1 DVD, Color, 90 min., 2008

DVDs (continued):**Hildegard.** (1994)**DVD3257**

Written & directed by James Runcie.

Stars Patricia Routledge, Peter Vaughn, Janet Suzman, Amanda Root.

Hildegard of Bingen was one of the most remarkable women of the Middle Ages--an abbess and woman of God, a visionary, naturalist, playwright, mystic, political moralist and composer. Yet, despite her outpouring of religious creativity, her visions were called into question, and she was put on trial by the Church in 1148. This is the story of the events leading up to that trial and of the trial itself.

1 DVD, Color, 52 min., 2005

Hustle Harder XXL.**DVD3309**

"Experience Disco's intensity as he makes and sells beats in the competitive hip-hop industry, fighting corporate power and seeking to short circuit 'The Matrix' with genre defying beats that emanate from his emotional core"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 2007

Imaginary Witness: Hollywood and the Holocaust.**DVD3254**

This documentary examines the American film and television industry's response to the rise of Adolph Hitler and the Nazi persecution of the Jews before, during, and after World War II. Uses film clips, newsreel footage and interviews of filmmakers and Holocaust survivors.

1 DVD, Color and B&W, 92 min., 2009

Into the Wind: the Sport of Powered Paragliding.**DVD3286**

Examines the sport of paragliding following two paragliding pilots from their initial training to their solo flights.

1 DVD, Color, 90 min., 2005

Jesus & Mary in Art.**DVD3262**

Traces the ways Jesus Christ and his mother, Mary, have been represented in art around the world. Dramatically shows how their images have changed over time.

Disc. 1. **The Face** (2001, 110 min.) -- disc 2. **Picturing Mary** (2006, 57 min.).

2 DVDs, Color, 167 min., 2008

Lawrence of Arabia.**DVD3293**

Collector's edition.

Widescreen (2.20:1) presentation.

Directed by David Lean.

Stars Peter O'Toole, Alec Guinness, Anthony Quinn, Jack Hawkins, Omar Sharif, Jose Ferrer, Anthony Quayle, Claude Rains, Arthur Kennedy.

A look at T.E. Lawrence, a British officer who unites the desert tribes of Arabia against the Turks during World War I.

2 DVDs, Color, 226 min., 2008

2nd disc contains special features.

Little Caesar. (1930)**DVD3292**

Full screen presentation.

Directed by Mervyn LeRoy.

Stars Edward G. Robinson, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., Glenda Farrell, William Collier, Jr., Sidney Blackmer, Ralph Ince. A small-time hood rises to criminal fame and power.

1 DVD, B&W, 78 min., 2005

Love is a Choice: the Life of Gianna Beretta Molla.**DVD3258**

This documentary tells the story of Gianna Molla, a wife, mother, and medical doctor who sacrificed her own life to save her unborn child ; includes interviews with her husband and children, friends and relatives, excerpts from her letters, etc.

1 DVD, Color and B&W, 52 min., 2005

The Mahabharata.**DVD3282**

Originally produced as a television mini-series in 1989.

Widescreen (1.66:1) presentation.

Directed by Peter Brook.

Stars Urs Biher (Dushassana), Ryszard Cieslak (Dhritharashtra), Georges Corraface (Duryodhana), Mamadou Dioumé (Bhima).

The Mahabharata (which can be translated as 'The Poetical History of Humanity') is an epic tale of two sets of cousins: the Pandavas, the five sons of Pandu, the king of Hastinapura, and the Kauravas, the one hundred sons of Pandu's brother, Dhritarashtra. The eldest brother of each set of cousins claims the throne of Hastinapura for himself and a struggle arises between them. At first the kingdom is divided, but, as a result of a rigged gambling match, the eldest of the Pandavas, Yuddhishtira, loses his half, and he and his brothers are forced into exile for thirteen years, after which time they will be given back their kingdom. However, when the eldest of the Kauravas, Duryodhana, refuses to do so the two sets of cousins gather their armies and go to war.

1 DVD, Color, 170 min., 2008

DVDs (continued):**Miracles... of Lourdes, Fatima, Guadalupe, and Knock.****DVD3294**

Gives background about each of the visions and seeks to teach about them through information and inspiration. It points out particularly the spiritual miracles at these various shrines.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 58 min., 200-?

Mr. Deeds Goes to Town. (1936)**DVD3274**

Full screen (1.33:1) presentation.

Directed by Frank Capra.

Stars Gary Cooper, Jean Arthur, George Bancroft, Lionel Stander.

"When small-town innocent Longfellow Deeds heads to New York to collect a \$20 million inheritance, he ends up a target of ridicule thanks to Babe Bennett, a cynical reporter whose demeaning stories have made him the joke of the city. So when he discovers his sweet and unassuming new girlfriend is actually the hardboiled Bennett in disguise, a disillusioned Deeds decides to give his fortune away, an act of charity his crooked lawyer will stop at nothing to prevent"--Container.

1 DVD, B&W, 116 min., 2008

Nobi = Fires on the Plain.**DVD3312**

The Criterion Collection ; 378.

Widescreen (2.35:1) presentation.

Originally produced as a Japanese motion picture in 1959.

Japanese dialogue with optional English subtitles.

Directed by Kon Ichikawa.

Stars Eiji Funakoshi, Osamu Takizawa, Mickey Curtis.

In this Japanese anti-war film, acts of cannibalism bring home the terrifying brutality of war. Japanese troops are in retreat in the Philippines. Supplies run out and discipline crumbles.

1 DVD, B&W, 104 min., 2007

Nyócker! = The District!**DVD3252**

Originally released as a Hungarian motion picture in 2004.

In Hungarian with English subtitles.

Animated Film. Set in a Budapest ghetto, outlines a Romeo and Juliet type story between the offspring of two rival gangs.

1 DVD, Color, 95 min., 2007

On the Frontlines: doing business in China.**DVD3281**

An examination of range and depth of doing business in China. Also includes a look at economic and social conditions in China.

Disc 1. program 1. **Postcards from Tomorrow Square**

(ca. 113 min.) -- disc 2. program 2. **Where is China?**

(ca. 97 min.) -- disc 3. program 3. **The World's Factory**

(Manufacturing) (111 min.) -- disc 4. program 4. **Many**

Chinas, Many Markets (Marketing) (ca. 114 min.) -- disk 5.

DVD extras. **Powering China: China's Alternative Energy**

Sector (63 min.) / moderator, Thomas L. Friedman ; **China's**

Consumers / moderator, J. Michael Chu ; **Why We Fight:**

the Battle of China / directed by Frank Capra -- disk 6.

The China Toolkit CD-ROM from Technomic Asia. China

readiness assessment ; China Business Province almanac ;

The virtual anthology of China business books ; reports ; articles ; podcasts.

5 DVDs, Color with B&W sequences, 2009

Ostrov.**DVD3285**

Videodisc release of a 2006 Russian motion picture.

In Russian with English subtitles.

Directed by Pavel Lungin.

Stars Petr Mamonov, Viktor Sukhorukov, Dmitrii Diuzhev, IUrii Kuznetsov.

Somewhere in Northern Russia in a small Russian Orthodox monastery lives an unusual man whose bizarre conduct confuses his fellow monks, while others who visit the island believe that the man has the power to heal, exorcise demons and foretell the future. The film explores this man's intense, enigmatic spirituality, rooted in a wartime act of betrayal followed by lifelong guilt.

1 DVD, Color, 110 min., 2006

The Philadelphia Story. (1940)**DVD3256**

Standard full screen presentation.

Directed by George Cukor.

Stars Cary Grant, Katharine Hepburn, James Stewart,

Ruth Hussey, John Howard, Roland Young.

A sophisticated romantic comedy about a rich, spoiled socialite who learns some things about who she is and what she really wants on the eve of her second marriage.

1 DVD, B&W, 112 min., 2005

Replaces VHS copy.

DVDs (continued):**The Price of Pleasure:
pornography, sexuality & Relationships.****DVD3298**

"Once relegated to the margins of society, pornography has emerged as one of the most visible and profitable sectors of the cultural industries, assuming an unprecedented role in the mainstream of our popular culture at the same time that its content has become more extreme and harsh, more overtly sexist and racist. This eye-opening and disturbing film places the voices of critics, producers, and performers alongside the observations of men and women as they candidly discuss the role pornography has played in shaping their sexual imaginations and relationships. The price of pleasure moves beyond the liberal versus conservative debates so common in the culture to paint a myth-busting and nuanced portrait of how pleasure and pain, commerce and power, liberty and responsibility have become intertwined in the most intimate areas of our lives"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 56 min., 2008

The Red Billionaire.**DVD3272**

Title on disc label and container: First Red Multinational.
"As China transitions from a planned economy to a market economy, its rapidly growing companies must learn to compete on a global scale. This program presents a case study of TCL-China's first multinational corporation and the parent company of Thomson Color TV and other major manufacturers-giving viewers an unprecedented look inside Chinese business practices. The film illustrates TCL's evolution from a state-owned enterprise to an industrial giant that observes only the most superficial of socialist principles. It also profiles Li Dongsheng, a former engineer now serving as chairman and president of TCL, whose personal history parallels the rise of Chinese capitalism. Portions are in Chinese with English subtitles"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 50 min., 2007

Right at Your Door.**DVD3297**

Multiple dirty bombs are detonated, spreading deadly toxic ash across Los Angeles. The city is under siege and martial law is in effect. Brad and Lexi struggle to survive with little supplies, limited time, and no information.

1 DVD, Color, 96 min., 2008

Standard Operating Procedure.**DVD3273**

First revealed to the world through impromptu photographs taken by U.S. soldiers stationed within the facility, this documentary investigates the story and causes behind the Abu Ghraib prison scandal. Involving apparent wide-scale abuse and torture of prisoners, the photos forced attention on the decisions and actions that turned the once-notorious Iraqi prison into an even more notorious U.S.-run detainment center. One of the most dramatic moments in recent U.S. military history is examined through interviews with participants and dramatic reenactments.

1 DVD, Color, 116 min., 2008

Stash Best of 2007.**DVD3310**

"Collection of the most spectacular commercials, music videos, virals, broadcast designs, game cinematics and short films of 2007 ... 40 extraordinary animation, VFX and motion graphics projects from Stash DVD magazine"--Container.

2 DVDs, Color, 92 min., 2008

The Story of India.**DVD3255**

Historian Michael Wood chronicles the history of the Indian subcontinent, the richness and diversity of its peoples, and its continuing relevance in today's world.

2 DVDs, Color, 360 min., 2008

Trouble the Water.**DVD3289**

Aspiring New Orleans-based rapper Kimberly Rivers Roberts (a.k.a.: Black Kold Madina) films her experiences in the 9th Ward the day before, during & in the two years after Hurricane Katrina.

1 DVD, Color, 96 min., 2008

Through the Eastern Gate.**DVD3296**

Documents the aspirations, practices, and beliefs of three young Westerners who follow three different Eastern spiritual traditions. An intimate, compelling look at the people who turn their backs on the material to find new meaning in their lives.

1 DVD, Color, 51 min., 2008

DVDs (continued):**The Tudors. The Complete Second Season.****DVD3279**

Widescreen presentation.

Stars Jonathan Rhys Meyers, Henry Cavill, Natalie Dormer, Maria Doyle Kennedy, Peter O'Toole, Jeremy Northam, Sam Neill, Jane Seymour.

After failing to have his marriage to Katherine annulled, Henry appoints himself the head of the Church of England. Anne Boleyn insists that Henry remove the Queen from the picture. A royal visit to France finally prompts Anne to consummate her relationship with Henry. After failed attempts to have his marriage annulled, Henry's patience finally wears out and he marries Anne in secret. The king and new queen are disappointed that their first child is a girl, whom they christen Elizabeth.

4 DVDs, 542 min., 2008

Up Against the Wall.**DVD3264**

"China, the 'land of the dragon', once shrouded in mystery, is rapidly rising as a great world power - and facing new ideas and challenges. This insightful documentary, which features a soundtrack by Yoko Ono, offers a unique look at women in China today. Through an historical and psychological lens the program tracks the suppression of the feminine from dynastic times through the communist era"--Container.

1 DVD, Color, 40 min., 1998

Using Classroom Assessment to Guide Instruction.**DVD3303**

A video series that introduces teachers to a wide variety of daily classroom assessment techniques, from pencil-and-paper tests to simple observations. Shows how teachers in every grade and subject can use classroom assessments to guide their daily instruction. Conveys how classroom assessments can reflect the learning goals of state- and districtwide assessments.

Techniques of Classroom Assessment (29 min.) --
The Assessment-Instruction Link (28 min.) -- **The Role of Classroom Assessment in School Improvement** (30 min.).

1 DVD, Color, 87 min., 2002

War Machine.**DVD3277**

Series: **What the Industrial Revolution did for us**

"Examines what happened when some of the brightest minds of the Industrial Revolution applied their skills to the field of battle. Host Dan Cruickshank takes viewers on a tour of military innovation, from camouflage and rifled gun barrels to David Bushnell's ingenious submarine and William Congreve's terrifying war rockets, which brought combat under the waves and into the skies. Some less spectacular but farther-reaching inventions motivated by warfare include wrought iron, interchangeable parts, and the world's first fully mechanized production and assembly line"--Container.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 30 min., 2004

When Two Won't Do.**DVD3284**

Documentary film explores polyamory through the journey of one couple, who embark on a quest to discover how other people deal with open relationships. They visit a swingers convention, a polyamory conference, and group families, and openly discuss their own feelings on polyamor relationships.

1 DVD, Color, 58 min., 2001

Zora's Roots.**DVD3300**

This program examines the life of author and anthropologist Zora Neale Hurston. The film follows Hurston, best known for her novel, *Their Eyes Were Watching God*, to the subtropical paradise that shaped her childhood and her life's work - where she returned again and again for inspiration and solace. This documentary tells her story through the people who knew her and the places and events that she brought to the world through her writing.

1 DVD, Color with B&W sequences, 60 min., 2008

New Videocassette:**Haiti: a Painted History.** (1997)**F192 .H34 1997**

The 500-year history of one of the poorest places in the world, shown in a traveling exhibition of paintings by Haitian artists; the natural beauty of the country and the rich ethnic, political and cultural heritage of its people are presented in their colorful, figurative, and sometimes naïve art work.

1 videocassette, Color, 56 min., 1999