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THE THREE STOOGES SCRAPBOOK, UPDATED EDITION with Joan Howard Maurer and Greg Lenburg

"A must have for any eye-poking, face slapping, nose grinding aficionado." — *ForcesofGeek.com*

CAREER OPPORTUNITIES IN ANIMATION

"Both high school and college libraries with career sections will want to consider this book, as well as any library that serves people with animation ambitions." -- *American Reference Books Annual*

LEGENDS OF ANIMATION (SERIES):

Tex Avery, Walt Disney, William Hanna and Joseph Barbera, Matt Groening, Walter Lantz, John Lasseter, Hayao Miyazaki, and Genndy Tartakovsky

"...well researched with extensive reference aids including websites, video collections of their works, and a bibliography...will introduce readers to the individuals who were responsible for creating some of the most memorable characters on film...Recommended." -- *Library Media Connection*

THE FACTS ON FILE GUIDE TO RESEARCH, SECOND EDITION

"...an excellent volume that should be a useful addition to most reference collections." -- *Choice*

"...an invaluable and ecclesiastically recommended resource." -- *Midwest Book Review*

WHO'S WHO IN ANIMATED CARTOONS:

An International Guide to Film and Television's Award-winning and Legendary Animators

"...an exceptional book highlighting the creative talents that have made animation not only an art but also a successful industry." -- *Library Journal*

"..a fascinating tour of animation history." -- *Gale Reference Reviews*

THE FACTS ON FILE GUIDE TO RESEARCH

"...[the author] brings a great deal of wealth to this subject for students and general readers...This guide succeeds in being a comprehensive map to doing thorough and accurate research." -- *Christian Library Journal*

"This book is a winner." -- *Gale Reference Reviews*

"A nuts-and-bolts guide to research...A no-frills, solid reference source." -- *School Library Journal*

HOW TO MAKE A MILLION DOLLARS WITH YOUR VOICE (OR LOSE YOUR TONSILS TRYING)

with Gary Owens

"This book is Gary's tour of the unique voice-work field, packed with great Hollywood anecdotes and inside poop about how to handle the mike." --*Jonathan Cohen*

"One of the most illuminating and funny books ...a pleasure to read the musings and goings-on from a true classic pioneer." --*Stock Trading Success.com*

SCARED TO DEATH: A Lori Matrix Hollywood Mystery

"SCARED TO DEATH is a delightful Hollywood cozy mystery written from the inside...a sweet and entertaining read from a skillful author." -- *Midwest Book Review*

THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ANIMATED CARTOONS, SECOND EDITION

"What this book does really well is compile a great deal of information on an impressive number of subjects..."
--*Animation Journal*

"The historical tidbits are wonderful..." -- *Book Page*

"The Encyclopedia of Animated Cartoons' is an important, benchmark publication for students, fans, and historians of cartoon animation." -- *Bookwatch*

"...best general work of its kind available today." -- *Reference and User Services Quarterly*

ALL THE GOLD IN CALIFORNIA AND OTHER PEOPLE, PLACES AND THINGS with Larry Gatlin

"Co-written by Jeff Lenburg, it is so conversational that it reads as if Gatlin wrote every word."
-- *Country Music*

THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ANIMATED CARTOONS

"No other work has gleaned and marshaled such a rich and comprehensive, truly encyclopedic, mass of valuable historical and filmographic items for the student of the American animated film. Recommended enthusiastically for all libraries, students and general readers." -- *Choice*

"This book satisfies the hungriest fact-addict. Lenburg flickers across the animated front with wonderfully fussy details. For the animator cel collector...or popular culture aficionado, the author nails down the facts and fancies of this still-expanding art form." -- *New York Times*

"...a unique resource, and a treasure-trove for casual cartoon fans, budding animators or serious film scholars young and old." -- *School Library Journal*

ONCE A STOOGES, ALWAYS A STOOGES

with Joe Besser and Greg Lenburg

"A fascinating look at the development of American entertainment from a person who managed to experience it all in one way or another." -- *Philadelphia Daily News*

"An affectionate, thoroughly enjoyable remembrance of a lifetime spent on the road and on the screen."
-- *Los Angeles Times*

BASEBALL'S ALL-STAR GAME: A GAME-BY-GAME GUIDE

"The perfect book for those who treasure past All-Star Games." -- *Baseball Insight*

"Die-hard fans will enjoy the book for casual reading and its comprehensive coverage of the topic." -- *Booklist*

"A must for avid baseball fans, as no other books deals with the All-Stars so thoroughly." -- *School Library Journal*

"A welcome addition on a subject..." -- *Spitball*

"Written in lively prose, no other source provides the detail of Lenburg's book." -- *Wilson Library Bulletin*

NOT JUST A STOOGES

with Joe Besser and Greg Lenburg

"A fascinating look at the development of American entertainment from a person who managed to experience it all in one way or another." -- *Philadelphia Daily News*

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-- *Los Angeles Times*

PEEKABOO: THE STORY OF VERONICA LAKE

"Both harrowing and poignant..." -- *Publisher's Weekly*

"A poignant story of the self-destructive side of human nature and how it decimated the life and career of a talented actress, 'Peekaboo' offers us a rare glimpse at the inner workings of a woman who had it all, but didn't even begin to have the slightest idea of what life was all about." -- *Orange County Register*

THE GREAT CARTOON DIRECTORS

"What today's animators owe to their forerunners is vividly presented...the personal style and technical innovations of such creative artists as Friz Freleng, Dave Fleischer and Chuck Jones that gave impetus to the art of the animated short subject." -- *Back Stage*

"This is one book which will delight the legion of movie buffs that appreciate good animated cartoons. This book is a must for cartoon fans." -- *The Big Reel*

"A swell little volume that really delivers...For cartoon fans, it is, literally, a book you can't put down."
-- *Choice*

"Jeff Lenburg's expertly researched book shows how the great directors prepared for their craft. A huge amount of facts and good reading is packed in one valuable volume." -- *Classic Images*

"Jeff Lenburg has chronicled a popular and sadly overlooked aspect of film history and the resulting volume is one that will be used again and again in researching and studying the history of the motion picture cartoon." -- *Double Feature*

"...a useful complication of historical information on the work of Friz Freleng, Ub Iwerks, Chuck Jones, Hanna and Barbera, Bob Clampett, Tex Avery, Walter Lantz, Dave Fleischer, and others." -- *Film Quarterly*

"The keen student of cinema animation will find in it much that is of value." -- *Film Review*

" This volume is very thorough and goes into detail about the individual styles of the directors themselves and describes how this style shaped the cartoon characters they came to work with. A joy to read!" -- *Midnight Marquee*

THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ANIMATED CARTOON SERIES, REVISED EDITION

"...an exhaustive study, well worth its price for any cartoon fanatic..." --*Reading Eagle*

DUSTIN HOFFMAN: HOLLYWOOD'S ANTI-HERO

"Lenburg does a great job of digging up anecdotes and gives a professional understanding of the actor."
-- *Daily Variety*

"Roses to Lenburg for not pulling any punches...He gives all of Hoffman, the good, the bad and even a tad of the ugly. As biographies go, Lenburg's detail sketch of Hoffman is a nifty effort." -- *Los Angeles Daily News*

"The information Lenburg has culled is a credit to his enterprise. He has unearthed some of the most interesting details of Hoffman's life...a great reference to one of Hollywood's hottest things going." -- *Gannett News Service*

THE THREE STOOGES SCRAPBOOK with Joan Howard Maurer and Greg Lenburg

"...an intimate and amusing memento volume. The authors have compiled a treasure chest of Stooges curios and memorabilia, with illustrations outlining their acts, offstage photos, selections from their comic books, and so on."
-- *Booktalk*

"The official, authorized Stooges history leaves no stone unturned..." -- *Films in Review*

A nostalgic treat to linger over...[with] the most comprehensive Stooges' filmography ever printed." -- *Fresno Bee*

"...lovingly assembled...The entire history of the prolific slapstick team is detailed. Hundreds of hilarious pictures adorn the book, making this a Stooze lover's dream book." -- *Goldmine*

"'The Three Stooges Scrapbook' is a first-rate look at the impact of the slapstick comics on popular culture. Ads, 12-sheets, cartoons, films, etc.—all show the depth and breadth of popular reaction to the Stooges...contains everything Three Stooges fans may want to know about their favorite comedy team."
-- *Los Angeles Times*

"There is no need to be a Three Stooges fan to thoroughly enjoy this book. The research shows this to be a labor of love. It's a great tribute to the comedy team; add the great many pictures in the book, and this is a winner."
-- *The Passaic Citizen*

"The Three Stooges—Moe and Shemp Howard and Ted Healy were the originals—had one of the most loyal followings of any comedy team during their antic years, and this scrapbook is a fond tribute to them. Fans will enjoy this book, which includes many black-and-white photos." -- *The Seattle Times*

"'The Three Stooges Scrapbook' is certainly the ultimate source of its kind, generously illustrated and meticulously researched." -- *Showcase*

"The official Three Stooges bible..." -- *The Washington Post*

THE ENCYCLOPEDIA OF ANIMATED CARTOON SERIES

"Lenburg has done an amazing job of researching and compiling this exhaustive study." -- *Daily Variety*

"Highly recommended for reference collections, nostalgia buffs and movie fans." -- *Library Journal*

"A valuable reference for film scholars and film fans alike." -- *Los Angeles Times*

STEVE MARTIN: AN UNAUTHORIZED BIOGRAPHY

with Greg Lenburg and Randy Skretvedt

"...an amusing survey of the comedian's clever and often outrageous brand of humor."

--*American Cinematographer*

"Factual and informative...This book will appeal to devoted Steve Martin fans." -- *Collegian*

"...admirably complete. A must for serious students of comedy." -- *The Entertainer*