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H.G. Wells, Orson Welles, The Mercury Theatre on the Air : The War of the Worlds (Original 1938 Radio Adaptaion) before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised The War of the Worlds (Original 1938 Radio Adaptaion):

0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. infamous broadcastBy DAVID G.The item came quickly, w/in a week of the order I have an replica old-time wooden radio that plays only cassettes. Cassettes are getting harder to find these days.The price was low, as it is a cassette. The program is from the October 30, 1938 broadcast of Mercury Theater's "War of the Worlds." It is infamous, and is recorded in entirety. However, you do have to remove the cassette and play "side B" to hear the broadcast in its entirety.The tape is roughly an 60 minutes long. The sound is somewhat "scratchy" and the audio needs to be cleaned-up a little, but the broadcast can be heard clearly enough, and worth the few bucks you spend on the tape.This is piece of broadcast history! Welles genius was to tell H.G. Well's tale in a "real" news-format. Thousands believed it was true! There are still stories around about water towers with buck-shot holes from people shooting them, thinking they were Martian Machines! Police found parents in the Holland Tunnel with guns to their children's heads, believing the Martians were coming to get them!Whether your a sci-fi enthusiast, a radio buff, or want tio start your own Halloween tradition, get this on tape or on CD. You can't go wrong.0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Still Good, But DatedBy Stephen A. Kallis, Jr.The Mercury Theater produced what turned into an Event that made broadcast history. Books have been written on the broadcast, but often what's missing is the context in which it was aired. The time was shortly before the United States became significantly involved in World War II. International twensions were building, and the beginning of the broadcast, with "Ls {sloma," as being played by Ramon Raquello and his orchestra being interrupted by a news bulletin seemed all too realistic, especially for those who tuned in a bit late and weren't aware of the introduction, nor that they were listening to theMercury Theater.In these days of space probes and planetary missions, a listener might wonder just

how the Martian spacecraft could zip from Mars to Earth as rapidly as they did, but for the time, the "news coverage" was pretty convincing. More than 60 years later, it still holds up pretty well. 0 of 0 people found the following review helpful. Great radio Adaptation that Wrecked careers Panicked the Eastern Sea Board of America Canada By Jackson Grimes Ohio Grand Dragon A great radio drama, that ruined the careers of Orson Wells, Fred Rodgers a bunch of other people. Wells bounced back with "Citizen Kane" after exile in Canada, Fred Rodgers, who as a sound effects man, told Johnny Carson he made the sound of the Martian machine by unscrewing mason jar lids, had a very popular children's series on PBS for years. That's all the trivia I got today.

Book Description The War Of The Worlds (30th October 1938) by Orson Wells (Mercury Radio Theatre) This cd-rom contains the original radio broadcast performed by Orson Wells and the Mercury Radio Theatre On The Air, on 30th October 1938 that panicked America and the script of this program. Millions of people listening to their radios that night believed they were hearing an actual invasion take place of the earth from the planet Mars. BONUS!! INCLUDED IN THIS CD! Mercury Theater, Orson Wells Specials: -Mercury Theater Remembered -USO Tour - Guest Lana Turner and other original Wells transmissions...