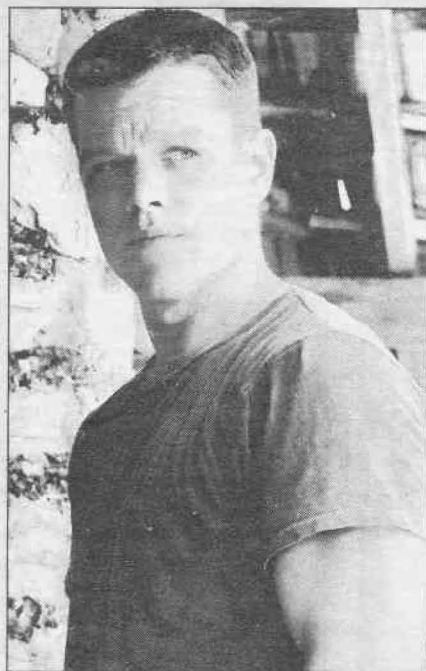


This week's DVDs

By MICHAEL GILTZ

**The Bourne Supremacy**

★★★½

Universal, \$29.98

A whip-smart thriller with Matt Damon returning as the forgetful Jason Bourne, who is forced out of hiding by a vengeful government. Director Paul Greengrass keeps everything thrilling, including a car-chase scene in Moscow that is one for the ages (and is analyzed in the extras, along with Damon's fight training and a bridge-chase scene). Another fine thriller just out: "Infernal Affairs" (Miramax, \$29.99), from Hong Kong.

Ultimate Matrix Collection

★★½

Warner Bros., \$79.92

CLEARLY the mystique of "The Matrix" was spoiled by two vastly inferior sequels. Having its innovative action scenes copied or spoofed repeatedly didn't help, either. But some of that hipness is regained with this overstuffed boxed set with 35 hours of deleted scenes, documentaries, animated shorts and — boldest of all — commentary tracks from critics who didn't like the movies.

The Mickey Mouse Club

★★

Walt Disney, \$32.99

WITH entire seasons of TV shows available in boxed sets, it's a shame Disney is only releasing the first five episodes — week one — of "The Mickey Mouse Club." (It ran from 1955 to 1959, so they've got hundreds of hours in the vault.) At this rate, it'll take 13 volumes just to cover the first year. But Annette and the gang are still fun. Far better values are "Mickey Mouse in Black and White: Volume Two" and "The Complete Pluto: Volume One," both jammed with cartoons and extras.

Dodgeball

★

Fox, \$29.98

A lazy, dumb comedy that gives lazy, dumb comedies a bad name. Vince Vaughn and his gang of misfits must win a dodgeball competition to keep his gym from being bought out by Ben Stiller. One three minute sequence with Rip Torn throwing wrenches at Vaughn's team to sharpen their reflexes is funny. The rest is distressingly stupid. Extras include commentary tracks, deleted scenes and — on the DVD-ROM — the script, which is so banal and basic it could have fit on a napkin.

Gilmore Girls Season Two

★★★★

Warner Bros., \$59.98

ANYONE enjoying the newly resurgent "Gilmore Girls" should check out the far superior second season, when this series could do no wrong. Extras include "A Film By Kirk." Also out: "24 Season Three" (Fox, \$69.98), "Carnivale" (HBO, \$99.98) and "M*A*S*H Season Seven" (Fox, \$39.98).

