PRODUCTION GUIDE

by Del Mehes and Michael Dorland

he following is a list of films in production (actually before. the cameras) and in negotiation in Canada. Needless to say, the films which are still in the project stage are subject to changes. A third category, In Pre-production, will be used to indicate films which are in active pre-production, having set a date for the beginning of principal photography and being engaged in casting and crewing). Films are listed by the name of the company which initiated the project, or with which the project is popularly associated. This is not necessarily the name of the production company. Where the two companies are different, the name of the production company, if known, is also given. In instances where a producer has asked us not to list a project, or to withhold certain credits due to ongoing negotiations, we have respected his request.

Please telephone additions and up-dates information to: Cinema Canada (416) 596-6829 or (514) 272-5354.

Film credit abbreviations

d. director asst. d. assistant director sc. script adapt, adaptation dial. dialogue ph./dop. photography sp. ph. efx. special photographic effects ed. editor sup. ed. supervising editor sd. sound sd. ed. sound editor sd. rec. sound recording p. des. production designer art. d. art director set dec. set decorator m. music cost costumes Lp. leading players exec. p. executive producer p. producer assoc. p. associate producer line p. line producer p. sup. production supervisor p. man. production manager p. c. production company dist. distributor An asterisk(*) following the film's title indicates financial participation by the Canadian Film Development Corporation.

ON LOCATION

CBC

(416) 925-3311

SEEING THINGS

SEEING THINGS Eight half-hour series. First show titled Snow Blind begins shooting Jan. 14 to 25. Second show titled Seeing Eye to Eye begins Feb. 11 to 22. T.V. Drama Dept. assoc. p. Martin Wiener, Duncan Lamb ex. p. Robert Allen p. Louis Del Grande and David Barlow d. George McCowan d.o.p. Nikos Evdemon p. des. Dan Yarhi music Phillip Schreibman ed. Vincent Kent, Ken Mullally publicity David McCaughna Lp. Louis Del Grande, Janet-Laine Green, Martha Gibson, Al Bernado, Lynne Gordon, Ivan Beaulieu, Frank Adamson, Murray West gate, Louis Negin, Cec Linder, Ratch Wallace.

CHRISTMAS TREE FILMS INC.

(416) 288-0500

A CHRISTMAS STORY

Feature family comedy shooting Jan. 14. 1983 in Cleveland for 2 weeks, St. Catharines for 1 week, Toronto locations for 1 week and Toronto Magder Studios for six. Distributor: MGM/UA. Budget: \$5 million. p. c. Christmas Tree Films Inc. p. Bob Clark, Rene Dupont d. Bob Clark sc. Jean Shepherd, Leigh Brown, Bob Clark narration Jean Shepherd pub-licity Janice Kaye 964-0194 Lp. Melinda Dillon, Darren McGavin, Peter Billingsley

DEAD ZONE PRODUCTIONS LTD.

(416) 255-0151

DEAD ZONE

Nine-week shoot outside Toronto began Jan. 10, to be followed by one week in Yugoslavia, on this theatrical horror fantasy. Not a certified Canadian produc tion, p.c. Dead Zone Productions Ltd. p. Debra Hill exec. p. Dino De Laurentiis assoc. p. Jefrey Chernov p. man. John M. Eckert p. sec. Michele Little p. co-ord. Philippa King loc. man. David Coalsworth p. acct. Heather McIntosh asst. acct. Lyn Lucibello asst. acct. dept. Susan McKibbon prod. asst. Andreas Blackwell asst. to producer Randi Chernov sc. Jeffrey Boam, based on Stephen King's novel d. David Cro-nenberg a.d. Carol McBride 1st. asst. d. John Board 2nd. asst. d. Otta Hanus 3rd asst d. Lydia Wazana cont. Gillian Richardson d.o.p. Mark Irwin 1st. camera asst. Robin Miller 2nd. camera asst Donna Mobbs camera trainee David Woods stills Rick Porter trainee David woods stills fick Porter key grip Maris Jansons 2nd grip Carlo Campana 3rd grip Christopher Dean 4th grip David Hines gaffer Jock Brand is best boy Scotty Allen 3rd. electric Gary Phipps 4th electric Ira Cohen sd. Bryan Day boom Michael Lacrois unit publicist Prudence Emery casting d. Deirdre Bowen (Cda), Jane Jenkins (U.S.) co-ord. Jon G. Belyeu sp. efx. Mark Molin. Michael Kavanagh stunt co-ord. Dick Warlock ed. John Sanders 1st asst. ed. Elaine Foreman 2nd asst. ed. Michael Rea video consultant Michael Lennick craft service

Jesse Cohoon trans. co-ord. Michael Curran driver captain Al Kosonic drivers David Chudd, Jerome McCann p. des. Carol Spier art d. Barbara Dunphy 1st asst art d. Dan Davis trainee art d. Jo-Ann Ladenheim storyboard artist Jim Craig set dec. Tom Coulter 1st asst. set dresser Gareth Wilson 2nd asst set dresser Gary Jack props master Peter Lauterman asst props Don Milovevich ward, des. Olga Dimitrov asst. ward. des. Denise Woodley ward. asst. Arthur Rowsell make-up Shonagh Jabour hair Jenny Arbour const. man Joe Curtin scenic painter Nick Kosonic painter James McAteer hd. carpenter John Bankson 2nd. carpenter Kirk Cheney L.P. Christopher Walken, Brooke Adams, Martin Sheen, Tom Skerrit, Coleen Dewhurst Anthony Zerbe, Sean Sullivan, Jackie Burroughs and Nicholas Campbell.

LORIMAR PRODUCTIONS.

(416) 446-5615

LOVING FRIENDS AND PERFECT COUPLES

56 half-hour series for pay television. Taping began Dec. 82 at Global Studios in Toronto. exec. p. in charge of prod. Eddie Denault **exec. p.** Michael Brand-man, David Jacobs **p.** Tom Cherones **line p.** Joyce Kozy King **d.** Sheldon Larry, Joe Scanlan sc. Joyce Keener story ed. Roberto Loiederman, Robert Porter p. co-ord. Debbie Cooke post p. co-ord. Jennifer Black post p. asst. Bruce Mai-ling p. acct. Deborah Johnson asst. acct Marr Morgan asst to acct dept Elizabeth Keaney assoc. d. Karen Estrada, Don McCutcheon p. assoc. Jayne Harris art d. Gerry Holmes asst. art d. Andree Brodeau asst to art dept Debra Deeks set dresser Jeff Fruitman, Ri-chard Allen asst set dresser Elizabeth Calderhead, Nadia Salnick props Jackie Field, Peter Fletcher costume des. Julie Ganton ward. mistress Gaye Gardiner ward. asst. Allison Till hair. Vittorio Monteleone make-up Kathy Southern p. asst. Steven Brandman, Jeff Powers.

p. asst. Steven Brandman, Jeff Powers, Gary Vandenbor, Global Personnel p. sup.Greg Copeland fl. man. Gerry Wilkinson lighting d. Tom Swartz lighting op. Richard Allen, Tom Fen-nessy, Adrian Goldberg, Martin Harrison camera Rick Boston, John Fox, Les Medon tech. d. Bob Burns post audio p. Tony Givirn audio John McEwen VTR Jerry McGuinness boom Michael O'Connor, Gary Oppenheimer videotape ed. Terry Pickford grip Norm Smith Lp. Lori Hallier, Barbara Law, Alex Leslie, James Carroll Jordan, Tom Hallick, Mimi Kuzyk, Paul Hecht, Lisa Howard, Bruce Fairbairn, Ross Petty, Dave Nichols, Melody Ryane, Dan Buccos, Audra Williams, Jamie Dick, Simon Reynolds, David Bolt, Sean McCann, Joyce Gordon, Larry Reynolds, Allan Royal, Teri Austin, James B. Douglas, Neil Dainard, George R. Robertson, Ri-chard Farrell, Alf Humphries, Lynn Vogt. Terry Harford, Annette Terry, Richard Comar, Bob Durosiers, Maida Rogerson, Suzanne Barker, Murray Lowry, Walker Boone, Linda Carter, Raymond Hunt, Reg Dreger, Bob Collins, Eric Fink, Brian George, Sharonlyn Sparrow, Cali Tim-

NATIONAL FILM BOARD

(Ontario Regional Prod. Ctre) (416) 369-3012

ABORTION

One hour documentary TV special began shooting Nov. 22 in Canada, United States and South America. exec. p. John Spotton and Kathleen Shannon p. John Kramer and Signe Johansson d. Gail

PRIMEDIA PRODUCTIONS LTD.

(416) 361-0306

AMATEUR NATURALIST

Shooting began July 25th in Europe and Canada. Will wrap June 1983. 13 halfhour programs. Budget: \$1.7 million Pre-sold to CBC, Channel 4 (G.B.) South African Broadcasting Corp., T.V. Ontario, Arrican Broadcasting Corp., 1.V. Ontario, Radio-Canada, p.c. Amateur Naturalist Prod. Ltd. ex. p. Pat Ferns, Peter Kinder-sley p. Paula Quigley d. Alastair Brown (Cda), Jonathan Harris (Europe) sc. Ge-rald Durrell Lp. Gerald Durrell, Lee

ROBERT COOPER **PRODUCTION**

(416) 977-0527

INTIMATE STRANGERS

eature film for pay television began Jan. 31 in Toronto. p.c. Robert Cooper Production in assoc. with Marian Rees Assoc. Inc. & List-Estrin Production Inc. exec. p. Robert Cooper, Marian Rees p. Shelley List, Jonathan Estrin d. Lou Antonio sc. Shelley List, Jonathan Estrin

based on novel "Nobody Makes My Cry by Shelley List pub. Helga Stephen Lp. Carol Burnett, Elizabeth Taylor

ZONE PRODUCTIONS

(604) 291-2981

SPACE HUNTER: ADVENTURES IN THE FORBIDDEN ZONE

Sci-fi adventure in 3-D with a b \$10 million plus and a negative pick-up from Columbia Pictures, on location in Vancouver until end-Jan. Slated for pos-production in L.A., sound editing in Toronto. Not a certified Canadian production. p. c. Zone Productions exec p. Ivan Reitman p. Don Carmody, John Dunning, André Link assoc. p. Stewart Harding d. Lamont Johnson sc. Edith Rey, David Preston story Harding Jean Lafleur p. man. William Zborowsky 1st a.d. Tony Lucibello 2nd a.d. Elizabeth Halka, Erika Zborowsky loc. man. War ren Carr cont. Sarah Grahame p. coo Linda Sheehy d.o.p. Frank Tidy cam. Pridy 2nd cam. asst. Doug Craik, John Clothier 3-D cons. Ernie McNabb 2nd unit cam. op. Cyrus Block 2nd unit cam. Tom Fillingham 2nd unit assts. Curt Petersen, Doug Field sd. mlxer Richard Lightstone boom Jim Thompson cable Martin Fossum ed. Scott Conrad asst. ed. Dave Dejeus, Michael Smith p. des. Jack DeGovia art d. John Jensen, Brant Swift, Michael Nemirsky models & miniatures art d. Michael Minor set d. Carol Lavoie gaffer John Bartley key grip Dillard Brinson cost des. Julie Weiss ward. Gail Filman head hair. Tom Booth head make-up Del Acevedo sp. efx. make-up To Burman, Steve Laporte props Erik Nelson head prop builder Robert Joyce sp. efx. coor. Dale Martin stunt coor. Walter Scott trans. coor, Jake Calliboo casting (Vancouver) Lindsay Walker unit pub. Steve Rubin

IN PRE-PRODUCTION

CANAMEDIA PROD. LTD.

16 Servington Cres., Toronto, Ontario

THE COMET HUNTER Movie for television, 90 min. Scheduled for spring 1983 in Ontario. p. Les Harris sc. Glenn Norman

ROCK'N'ROLL

Musical on film and tape for pay-TV, 96 min., scheduled for early 1983. p. Les Harris sc. John Gray

CANAMERICA FILM CORPORATION

(604) 738-9095

TALES OF THE MOUSE HOCKEY LEAGUE Animated feature film produced in Van-

couver set for Feb. 15 start. Budget: \$1.5 million. Late Fall '83 release. p. sc. Ralph Martin animators Malcolm Collett/Marmalade Animation with the assistance of Hugh Foulds, Norm Drew and Al Sens voices Guy Lafleur, Bobby Orr, Bobby Carpenter and others.

CFCN TELEVISION (403) 246-7111

BLOOD RELATIONS

Made-for-television feature motion picture, based on the award-winning play by Calgary author Sharon Pollock is scheduled to begin production in mid-February for a March completion. To be shot entirely in Calgary. Budget \$1 mln. plus. p. Robert Barclay d. Silvio Narizzano

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IN PRE-PRODUCTION

CINÉVIDEO INC.

(514) 284-9354

LE CRIME D'OVIDE PLOUFFE

A six one-hour TV series, and a two-hour feature film, in co-production between Canada and France. Pre-production scheduled for January '83, and shooting for March '83, in Montreal, Quebec City and I'lle d'Anticosti, with a budget of \$6M. Based on the new novel by Roger Lemelin. p.c. Cínévidéo Inc./ Filmax (France) exec. p. Denis Héroux p. Justine Héroux p. man. Micheline Garand scr. Roger Lemelin scr. adapt. Gilles Carle d. Carle l.p. same casting as Les Plouffe such as : Gabriel Arcand, Denise Filiatreault, Pierre Curzi, Serge Dupire, Gérard Poirier, Anne Létourneau.

CRAWLEY FILMS LTD. (613) 728-3513

ALICE THROUGH THE LOOKING GLASS

A two-hour documentary on the Na-tional Capital Performing Arts Founda-tion, National Arts Centre performance "Alice Through the Looking Glass", adapted from the book by Lewis Carroll, featuring the Ottawa Dance Theatre and the Nepean Symphony Orchestra. p.r. Susan Verdier.

FILMLINE PRODUCTIONS INC.

(514) 288-1638

WEDNESDAY'S CHILD

Pre-production has begun, with prin-cipal photography set for end-Jan, 1983 in Montreal. p. Pieter Kroonenburg. David Patterson p. man. Mychelle Bou-

HOTEL NEW HAMPSHIRE

Co-production of John Irving's best-selling novel set for a May start in Montreal, with second unit photography in Vienna, Austria. In conjunction with Tony Richardson's Woodfall Productions line p. Filmline p. Neil Hartley d. Ri-

BIG BEAR

Shooting scheduled for Summer '83, with backing from CBC, CFDC and the Alberta Film Development Corp. Based on the novel by Rudy Wiebe, sc. cons. Wiebe sc. Peter White, Jamie Brown exec. p. Michael Spencer p. David Pat-terson, Pieter Kroonenburg

HURON PRODUCTIONS INC.

(604) 926-7491

A contemporary American story shooting in Vancouver, Stewart, B.C. and Churchill Falls, Man. from Feb. 21 - May 21. Medium-range budget for this thea-trical feature film, with 85% Canadian crew p. Patrick Palmer co.-p. Norman Jewison assoc. p. Charles Milhaupt p. man. Robert Brown, Justis Greene p. coor. Patrice Allen p. acct. Tom Udell sc. Chip Poser, John Drimmer d. Fred Schepisi a.d. Jim Van Wyck art d. Josan Rosso, Graeme Murray des. cons. Leon Erickson cont. Christine Wilson d.o.p. lan Baker cam. Rod Parkhurst key focus Sandy McCallum grip Tim Hogan gaffer John Bartley sd. Charles Wilborn **props** Horst Grandt sp. efx. Glen Robinson ward. Rondi Johnson ward. asst. Andrew Brown (head), Linda Langdon make-up Mike Westmore efx.) Alona Herman hair Susan Boyd transp. coor. Scott Irvine transp. capt. George Greive film ed. Billy Weber Lp. Timothy Hutton, Lindsay Crouse.

INTERNATIONAL CINÉMA CORPORATION

(514) 284-9354

A feature film and a six-hour TV series in co-production between Canada and France. Shooting begins end March for three months. Estimated budget: \$12M. To be shot all in Louisiana and France. Based on the book series by Maurice Denuziere p.c. Cine-Louisiana Inc./
Tele-Gaumont (France Sec. p. Denis Heroux, John Kennedy p. Jacques Demy scr. John Melson, Dominique Fabre, Etienne Perier re-writing Chuck Israel p. man. Stephan Reichel art d. Jean-Jacques Caziot Cdian art d. Michel Dernuet d.o.p. René Verzier 1st a.d. Pierre Magny unit man. Peter Bray p. coord. Luise Massari. Crew list next

THE BLOOD OF OTHERS

A Canada-France co-production, based on the book by Simone de Beauvoir, scheduled for June '83. p. Denis Héroux (I.C.C.)/Gabriel Boustany (Filmax) sc. Brian Moore d. Claude Chabrol.

LE MATOU

A Canada-France co-production based on the book, to be shot in Sept. '83 as a feature film and a 6-one hour series p. Justine Héroux **d.** Jean Beaudin **sc**. Lise

MEGA BUCKS PRODUCTION

P.O. Box 531, Markham, Ontario L3P 3R1

NOT A PORNO

Shooting planned for spring 1983 in Toronto, Ottawa. Venice, Calif., and Swit-zerland. Feature drama. Budget: \$43 million. p.c. Mega Bucks Prod. p. Mark Wilson sc. Mark Wilson

NELVANA LTD.

(416) 863-0091

MR. MICROCHIPS (pre sold to C Channel) THE EDISON TWINS (pre sold to CBC)

Two 13-part half-hour series for pay and broadcast television. Pre-sold to C Chan-nel and CBC. Production on both projects begins this spring p.c. Nelvana Ltd. p. lan McDougall.

ORION TV/ IVERSON-IVERSON LTD.

THE WILMAR EIGHT

Two-hour t.v. drama produced for NBC. Budget: \$2,475,000. Shoot begins Feb. 14 to March 18. Three weeks in Toronto to March 18. Infee weeks in Totomound two days in Vancouver. To air late May 1983. exec. p. Everett Chambers p. Gwen Iverson, Rob Iverson, Joseph Fury and Mary Beth Yarrow d. Lee Grant sc. Jo Eliason Lp. Jean Stapleton. Dinah Manoff, Joanna Strauss, Diane Lasko and Judge Reinhold

LES PRODUCTIONS PRISMA INC.

(514) 866-3568

LES PAS POSSIBLES

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A six half-hours for TV made with and
for children. Five epica have been
shot between July Situ Sept 9, 1982. The
sixth episode will be shot in January or February, depending on snow conditions
p.c. Les Productions Prisma Inc. with
Canada and Wagner-Hallig GmbH+West Germanyl. p. Marcia Couëlle p. man. Réal Tremblay p. sec. Claude Lepine d.

Andre Melançon l.p. (all children) Éric Dubois, Véronique De Massy, Anny Steben, Steve Demers, Stephane Leblanc, Isabelle Lebrun, Jean-François Leblanc, Solene Thouin,

RONGEFER FILMS

514 844-8611

MY FATHER'S HOUSE

Shooting for this feature has been put off until Spring '83. exec. p. Denis Fortier line p. Robert Ménard p. man. Lise Abastados sc. Alvin Goldman d. R. Menard 1 st & 2 nd a.d. Michel Gauthier, Claire Wojas d.o.p. Paul van der Linden

sd. Serge Beauchemin art d. Vianney Gauthier Lp. Winston Reckert, Kerrie Kane, Kate Trotter, August Schellengerg pub. rel. David Novek Associates (514)

RSL FILMS LTD.

(514) 931-7155

JOSHUA THEN AND NOW

Feature film set to shoot in Spring '83 in the Eastern Townships, with funding decai Richler d. Ted Kotcheff

FAIRCREST FILMS LTD.

Special effects photography has begun Location filming in Toronto. Ireland, Scotland on a budget of \$4 million. p.c.

Faircrest Films Ltd. p. Budge Crawley sc. adapted from a novel by Fred Bos-worth, "The Strange One" d.o.p. Robert Ryan ph. Robert Ryan, Patrick Carey sp.

efx ph. Patrick Carey, Robert Ryan

LES FILMS RENÉ MALO

A comedy satire on the '60s-'70s general

tion, to be shot in Montreal sc. David

THE STRANGE ONE*

(613) 745-2236

(514) 878-9181

from HBO, Canadian pay-TV and CBC. p Robert Lantos, Stephen J Roth sc. Mor

PROJECTS IN NEGOTIATION

ARC CINEMA CO. LTD.

(604) 669-9111

LAST LAUGH

Horror feature with stand-up comedy to be shot in Vancouver, April start-up. p. c. Arc Cinema Development Co. Ltd. exec. p. Peter Devaney

ASA PRODUCTION INC.

HIT AND RUN'

To begin principal photography in Montreal on a \$5 million budget. p. Joseph F. Beaubien, Nicole M. Boisvert p. man. Lyse Lafontaine d. Robin Spry sc. Douglas Bowie, Arthur Fuller, Spry, based on the book by Tom Alderman.

MON PÈRE, MON AMOUR

(Working title)
Feature to be shot in Montreal with a budget of \$1.5M approximately. p. Nicole Boisvert, Joseph Beaubien scr. Roger

CINEFORT INC.

(514) 288-3350

A LIFE'S WORK

Six 12-minute films for children about work to be shot in various locations across Canada p. Mary Armstrong

HEADING HOME

A 60-minute drama about the situation of thousands of women who take gar-ment work into their homes. To be shot in Montreal, summer 1983. p. Mary

DOOMSDAY STUDIOS LTD.

(902) 422-3494

FOREIGNERS

This one-hour drama will be shot in Nova Scotia's South Shore in June '83. exec. p. Ramona Mcdonald sc. Bruce

F.A. INTERNATIONAL

654-4462

THROUGH THE EYES OF THE PERFORMER

A three part television pilot to begin shooting April 1982 in England and Canada scheduled shooting TBA. It's an in-depth look into the lives of some of the greatest rock musicians.

exec. p. Peter Bobras p. Walter Giaco-mini. For informations contact Walter (416) 532-0336

VIRGINIA; THE LOST LEGACY

Feature to begin shooting in September 1982 based on an important archeological discovery. exec. p. Peter Bobras p. Walter Giacomini. For further information call Peter (416) 654-4462.

KORICAN COMMUNICATIONS

(416) 532-0265

Project in development p. Michael Korican sc. Bob Ryan adapted from book by Charles Perkins.

GOOD-BYE, PAPA

Project in research p./sc. Michael

THE MISINFORMER

Project in development p. Michael Korican sc. Erik Knudsen

KRIZSAN FILM **PRODUCTIONS**

(902) 425-6939

MIDDLE OF NOWHERE

Made-for-TV movie. Script in develop-ment. Shooting scheduled for August. 1983. p. Corinne Lange d. Les Krizsan.

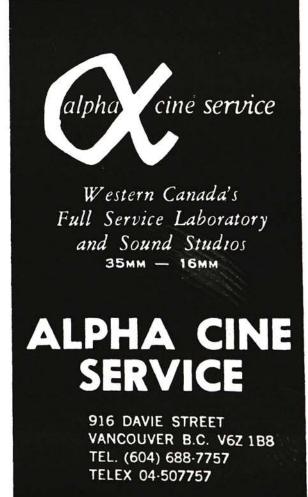
MANITOU PRODUCTIONS LTD.

(416) 924-2186

Shooting schedule TBA, exec. p. Ralph C. Ellis p. William Davidson sc. Davidson, based on autography by Roger Caron consult Roger Caron.

DON'T HIT THE PANIC BUTTON

Scheduled for 1983 exec. p. Ralph C. Ellis p. William Davidson sc. William Davidson and Martin Lager, based on a story by Lager.



PROJECTS IN NEGOTIATION

MUTUAL PRODUCTIONS LTD.

(514) 526-3761

A NEW DAVID CRONENBERG FILM (no title)

Scheduled for Spring'83. exec. p. Pierre David Productions p. Pierre David assoc. p. Denise Dinovi sc. d. David Cronenberg.

GOD'S HEAD

Scheduled for 1983. p. Pierre David assoc. p. Denise Dinovi sc. Zalmin King, Paul Golding.

JUBILEE

Scheduled for 1983. co-p. Jean-Claude Lord Productions sc. Brian Taggart d. Jean-Claude Lord

THE PRACTICE

Project under development. p. Pierre David assoc. p. Denise Dinovi.

NETWORK FILM PRODUCTIONS

(416) 487-5938

FORBIDDEN WORLDS

(Formerly Tales of Terror) Nine episodes of 30 min. for TV. First episode (60 min.) to be shot March 1st in Northern Ontario. To be co-produced with Canadian Pay TV Film Production. sc. Michael Chandler p. John T. Good-child p. supv. M. Chandler art d. Metro-polis Designs stills Greg Lawson sp. weapons Richard Cornblum layout Laine Langille art work Yanis Ertmanis cast Linda Mote/Canadian Film Casting Services Lp. Don Francks.

DANTE'S INFERNO - THE SEARCH FOR BEATRICE

THE ROCK'N ROLL MURDERS

A 90 min. docu to be shot in Toronto Start to be announce, story ed. Michael Chandler + five researchers

CHALLENGERS OF THE UNKNOWN

A 12 x 1/2 hours series exploring unex-plained phenomena. sc. Michael Chandler.

NEW FRONTIER FILM INC.

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NO PLACE LIKE PARADISE Schedule TBA. Feature length for TV p. Tibor Takacs. Stephen Zoller d. Tibor Takacs sc. Stephen Zoller

PHOENIX PICTURES

(604) 688-7858

CHANNEL ONE

Feature film scheduled for Spring '83 start. Budget and location TBA exec. p. David H. Brady p. Ken Kuramoto exec. assoc. David Gregson sc. Steven Alix asst. p. Elaine Fleming.

PRIMEDIA PRODUCTIONS

(416) 361-0306

THE ADVENTURERS OF HUDSON'S BAY

Scheduled for 1982. Co-production with Telecip in France. A six-part dramatic mini series. exec. p. Pat Ferns and Roland Gritti.

LES PRODUCTIONS DE LA CHOUETTE

(514) 288-5719

ISABELLE ET LE CAVALIER BLEU

A series of 13 five-minute episodes, the pilot of which was shown at the 1982 World Film Festival in Montreal. d. Franco Batista chief anim. Bill Malone

TROPICS: A Story About Alberta

Feature film to be shot in Alberta in Summer 1983 with an estimated budget of \$750,000. scr. Tom Berry d. George

X LOVES MALEINE

To shoot in Montreal with a \$375,000 budget. sc. Paul Toutant, Monique Champagne, Marc Voizard d. Marc

JEUNES ET ALCOOLIQUES/ TEENAGERS: CHANGE AND ALCOHOL

Three 20 min. docu-dramas on adoles-cents and alcoholism.

RIVERCOURT PRODUCTIONS LTD.

(416) 363-4444

BODY COUNT

Feature length drama shooting dates T.B.A. with a budget of \$2.7M. p. Paul Burford d. Michael Anderson sc. Tony

RTV COMMUNICATIONS

(416) 365-0733

LEE HARVEY OSWALD

Production to begin spring 1983. Live theatre productions of the play by Mi-chael Hastings, tape will be shot for pay-TV. Principal casting in January. exec. p. Robert Chorney, Tony Grillo, Victor Tovey d. Jon Michaelson.

Half-hour sitcom pilot. Script in develop-ment. exec. p. Robert Chorney, Tony Grillo, Victor Tovey.

SEAGULL PRODUCTIONS

(514) 932-7868

CALIFORNIA CHABLIS

In Vancouver with a \$3.5 million budget.
p. James Shavick sc. Steven Manners cast. Casablanca.

STANDARD/TAPESTRY **PRODUCTIONS**

(416) 863-6677 (613) 224-1313

Tapestry Prod. in association with Standard Broadcasting will develop four Canadian plays for television. Creative Consultant: Don Harron

BALCONVILLE

By David Fennario. exec. p. Bryn Mat-thews p. Gary McKeehan d. Mark Bland-

MAGGIE AND PIERRE

By Linda Griffiths and Paul Thompson, p. Rick Butler.

RODEO

By Layne Coleman. p. Rick Butler d. Les

THE SUN NEVER SETS By Paddy Crean p. Gary McKeehan d. John Hirsch exec. p. Bryn Matthews.

SPHINX PRODUCTIONS

(416) 445-7492

BORDER LIVES

Project in script development. Scheduled for late spring shot. Contemporary story based on original idea of the prohibition period between the Quebec/Vermont border. p. Emile de Antonio d./sc. Ron

TGO RECORDS LTD.

(514) 273-0984

BEAU GESTE FREDDY JAMES

Musical videos to be shot in Montreal in 1983. exec. p. Tony Green p. Peter L. Serapiglia d. Michel D. Wachniuc p.r. Linda Ekdahl.

WITTMAN RICHTER FILMS. INC.

(416) 364-4321 Ext. 69

Musical comedy to begin filming in Toronto June 1983. Budget : approx. \$1 million. exec. p. Peter Wittman d. Ota . Bob Wertheimer p. coord. Rita Picard.

IN THE CAN

FEATURES

FOR THOSE I LOVED AU NOM DE TOUS LES MIENS

Two-hour feature film. Principal photo graphy wrapped Dec. 23. Canada/France co-production. Post-production in Fran-ce. p. c. La Corporation du Film Au Nom de Tous les Miens (514) 526-3761 execp. Pierre David. For details see Cinema Canada, no. 92.

MARIA CHAPDELAINE

Wrapped Dec. 23. Scheduled for thea release in French and English, April '83. Produced in collaboration with Radio-Canada and the French TV network TF1. p.c. Astral Film Produc-tions Ltd. (514) 748-6541. exec. p. Harold Greenberg, For details see Cinema Canada no. 92.

OF UNKNOWN ORIGIN

Wrapped in Montreal Dec. 23. Post-production in Montreal, with world-wide release for Fall '83. p.c. Of Unknown Origin Film Corp. (514) 526-3761 exec. p. Pierre David. For details see Cinema Canada no. 92.

SONATINE.

Wrapped Nov. 11. p.c. Corporation Image M & M Ltee (514) 878-1474, exec. p. Rene Malo, sc./d. Micheline Lanctot. For details see Cinema Canada no. 89.

LE RUFFIAN

France-Canada co-production. Wrapped Oct. 15. p.c. Corporation Image M & M Ltee (514) 878-1474. For details see Cinema Canada no. 89.

BUNNING BRAVE

The Story of Billy Mills, Wrapped Oct. 28. Post-production in Toronto. **pc.** Englander Productions Inc. (403) 439-0201 **p.** Ira Englander **d.** Don Shebib. For details see Cinema Canada no. 89.

THE MUSIC OF THE SPHERES

Low-budget sci-fi comic horror. p.c. Lightscape Motion Picture Co. Ltd. (415) 465-1098 p./d. Philip Jackson.

One-million dollar Israel-Canada coproduction wrapped in Israel Dec. 23. p.c. Astral Film Productions Ltd. (514) 748-6541. and Roll Film Productions Ltd. (Israel) exec. p. Harold Greenberg Galia Albin p. Jim Kaufman (Canada)/Israel Ringer (Israel) d. Tzipi Trope sc. Trope, Sandra Kolber d.o.p. David Gurfinkle Lp. Nick Mancuso, Belinda Montgomery, Andree Pelletier, Kenneth Walsh, Bar-

WILD PONY

WILD PONY

TV movie purchased by First Choice
Canadian to air Spring '83. p.c. Pony
Film Productions (403) 252-6660 p. Eva
Lishman sup. ed. Stan Cole ed. Rick
Benwick mus. Hagood Hardy. Apologies
to Nives Lever. Gigi Van Ostrand. Lars
Ekstrom. Pearl Louie, Tommy Banks.
Jack Goth, Philip Clark, and Lori Ashton.

STRANGE BREW

Principal photography on this thea-trical feature film wrapped in Toronto Dec. 17. Financing by MGM, to be re-leased by MGM/UA Entertainment Co. in summer '83. p.c. Strange Brew Film Prod. Ltd. (416) 252-5021 exec. p. Jack Grossberg p. Louis Silverstein d. Rick Moranis, Dave Thomas. Details Cinema Canada no. 92.

SKULLDUGGERY

Toronto shoot wrapped Dec. 23. Non-Cdn. Budget under \$1 mln. p. c. Wittman Richter Films Inc. (416) 364-4321 exec. p. Peter Wittman p./d. Ota Richter. Crew list Cinema Canada no. 92.

CRAZY TIMES

Wrapped Nov. 21. p.c. Maurice Smith Productions (416) 225-9715 p. Maurice Smith d. Rafal Zielinski. For details see Cinema Canada nos. 90-91.

TERRY

Wrapped Oct. 15 p.c. Robert Cooper Films II Inc. (416) 591-1742 p. Robert Cooper d. Ralph Thomas, Details Cinema Canada no. 92.

TV SERIES

WAR SERIES

Seven-part series on the evolution of war. Wrapped Dec. 15. Spring '83 com-pletion. Presale to CBC-TV. No air date yet. p.c. National Film Board of Canada 1514) 333-3333. exec. p. Barrie Howells series p. Bill Brind. Details Cinema Ca-nada no. 92.

LES PAS POSSIBLES

Six half-hours for kids. p.c. Les Produc-tions Prisma Inc. (514) 866-3568. Details Cinema Canada no 92

ÉCOLOGIE

Six 30-min/6-15 min. in Eng French. p.c. SDA Productions Liter 1 937-3525

ONE-HOUR **PROGRAMS**

RUMOURS OF GLORY

Bruce Cockburn Live. Rock music does mentary and concert film. Wrapped .c. Extra Modern Produ Dec. 1. p.c. Ex (416) 967-6551.

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STUNT PEOPLE/

LA FAMILLE CASCADEUR Documentary on the stunt family Four-nier Freres. Wrapped October in Mon-treal. p.c. Productions de Film Casse Cou (514) 481-0611. Details Cinema Ca

L'HUMOUR ET LE DÉLIRE One-hour TV special on cartooning Wrapped in December, p.c. SDA Pro ductions Ltee (514) 937-3525 p. Nicole M.

(DORIS McCARTHY)

One-hour docu-drama on Canadian artist Doris McCarthy. Wrapped mid-December. Post-production in Japer. p.c. Wacko Productions (403) 852-428. p. Wendy Wacko ed. Peter Shatalow

LIONA BOYD

Toronto shooting for this one-hour concert/docu film wrapped mid-December.

Pre-sold to C Channel p.c. Pierrot Productions (416) 861-1222 p. Wyndham Paul Wise, Terrence Jacques d. Alar Simmonds.

COACH HOUSE PRESS

One-hour, low-budget look at print as an art. p.c. Sphinx Productions (416) 445-7492 p./d. Ron Mann.

PILOTS

TREASURES

Pay-TV pilot highlighting world trea sures. p.c. Richard Gabourie Produc tions Ltd./T.A.D. Productions Ltd. (416) 248-8934.

THE WORLD'S GREAT MUSEUMS

Pilot for pay-TV. p.c. Richard Gabourie T.A.D. (416) 248-8934.

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