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COMMERCIALS for Academy, RSA, Brewers, Outsider, Rattling Stick, Hungry Man, Outlaw, The Gate, The Mob, Red Bee, Just Shoots, And Howe, Tomboy, Harry Nash, Kream, Allfilms, MTP, Mustard, The Clinic, Jon Stanton, Production International, Another Film Co, Oil Factory, Chief, Great Guns, Addiction, Gorgeous, Baby, Blink, Bliss, Weilands, Joy, PSA, Stink, Somesuch, Annex, 76Ltd, MJZ, Plunge, Smuggler, Thing2, Maker etc...

DOPs (commercials): Dick Pope BSC, Barry Ackroyd BSC, Dennis Crossan BSC, Alex Melman, George Steel, Will Bex, Ed Rutherford, Tony Brown, Jonas Mortensen, Nic Sadler, Dan Bronks, Dan Stafford Clark, Jens Maasboel, Stuart Graham, Ben Moulden and many more.

TOOK A BREAK FROM DRAMA FOR MANY YEARS UNTIL SUMMER 2015. SPENT SEVERAL YEARS CONCENTRATING ON DALLIES AND COMMERCIALS, **SO THE FOLLOWING ARE MY OLD DRAMA CREDITS:**

FEATURE FILMS. Selected credits. (old credits, 1990s - 2000s)

'Buffalo Soldiers' Germany - 35mm feature. Action, stunt FX and vehicle unit. DOPs Oliver Stapleton BSC, Nic Sadler (2nd unit / stunt unit).

'Oblivion', 'Pre-hysteria 2' in Los Angeles. 35mm sci-fi - Building special rigs and mounts for animatronics, live action and green screen process sequences.

'Stiff Upper Lips' India, Italy, UK - 35mm feature. DOP Simon Archer.

'Three Blind Mice' - 35mm feature. DOP Stephane Le Parc (French).

'Intimate Relations' - 35mm feature. DOP Andreas Garreton (USA)

'Dragonworld' 35mm feature - DOP Alan Trow BSC.

TV DRAMA. Selected credits. (again, old credits, 1990s - mid 2000s)

ITV/GRANADA 'Housewife 49' (Victoria Wood) DOP Cinders Foreshaw BSC.

ITV / GRANADA 'Cracker' DOP Florian Hoffmeister (Germany)

BBC TV 'Silent Witness' Numerous episodes. DOP Gordon Hickey BSC.

BBC TV 'The Stretford Wives' DOP Dan Bronks.

ITV / YTV 'The Royal' Numerous episodes. DOP Geoff Healey.

WARNER BROS. 'Relic Hunter' (US TV series) DOP Alwyn Kumst (Canada).

DIPLOMAT FILMS / CH4 'Soft Sand Blue Sea' Ireland. DOP Geoff Healey.

ALOMO / BBC TV 'Dirty Work' DOP Alan Trow BSC.

ITV/CARLTON 'Peak Practice' Numerous episodes / DOPs .

OVATION / CHANNEL FOUR 'Peter Kay-Phoenix Nights' DOP Andy Hibbert.

BBC TV 'Lorna Doone' DOP Chris Seager BSC .

BBC TV 'City Central' Series 1 & 2 Twenty two episodes. DOP Len Gowing.

ITV / CARLTON 'Thieftakers' Series 3. DOP Len Gowing.

BBC TV 'Casualty' Numerous Episodes. Various DOPs.

Recently got back into drama and completed -

Summer 2015 - 'So Awkward' for CBBC - DOPs Jez Hewson, Jaz Castleton.

FULLY EXPERIENCED WITH:

Dollies: All popular stage and location dollies: Fisher, Chapman, Panther and Elemack - former Fisher 11 leaseholder.

Cranes: All popular European and US fixed arm and telescopic cranes, ride on and remote. Giraffe – former owner/operator, Scanner Remote - former owner/operator.

Experienced with remote heads, tracking vehicles, car rigs and specialist mounts. Good problem solving and improvisational skills.

Worked all over the UK as well as the U.S., India, Italy, Germany, Spain, Portugal, Ireland.

CURRENT EQUIPMENT. New gear arriving soon:

Renault Master van with loading ramp. Fully racked out carrying:

50' Ronford Baker track (5 x 8', 1 x 4', 1 x 2')

30' US style Filmair track (3 x 10' - track scissors from standard to narrow gauge and is compatible with Ronford track above).

3 Mathews curves (available on request - not carried as standard kit).

Ronford Baker 42" slider with adjustable magnetic end stops and adjustable 3-stage scaffold legs.

GFM three-way leveller.

GFM Gas Bazooka (13" - 26") with additional Ronford risers.

Rolling spider bazooka base with locking swivel castors.

Twin tube paddle mount.

Moy / Mitchell Hi-Hat.

Clamps, ratchet straps, strops, ropes and safety lines.

Comprehensive tool kits (socket sets, various hand tools for on-set running repairs etc.).

Magliner and sack barrow.

WOOD:

Set of American style apple boxes (7 of, 20" x 12" - various depths).

Set of UK style stacking camera boxes (7 of, 18" x 18" - various depths).

Various paganini stacks, wedges etc.

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