

8.1.3 Comments -- L'Assassin dans l'hôpital QUE in agreement with MGMT as to extremely poor quality of production. Fgm Dir QUE to take action. -- Défense de stationner QUE agrees with MGMT series not up to expectations. The General Manager notes corrective action not being taken rapidly. -- Beer Label Designs General Manager noted designs looking more and more like real bottle labels & affecting shape of containers, inquired if policy changed. Dir TV QUE indicated present procedure approved by Counsel QUE. CB looking into with QUE. -- Chefs de file CB inquired on disappearance of this series on Canadian political leaders. Fgm Dir QUE explained series delayed by late scripts, later founds no sufficient reference material available, then appraised preferable to delay; now planning to resume in near future.

8.2 English TV Network

8.2.1 General -- Situation Resulting from Unfavourable Reaction to Fall Schedule Further to circuit program meeting of Aug. 7th, the General Manager outlined action to be taken on three points:
a) CBC vulnerable because of absence of any Canadian program on Wednesday night; every effort should be made to have at least one;
b) re-establishment of at least one Canadian-produced live variety show; c) CBC stated last year that percentage of Canadian-produced broadcasts would be increased; it has, to all appearances, decreased by one quarter-hour.

8.2.2 Commercial -- Variety Programs Generally Awaiting reply from General Motors, Detroit, Aug. 9th. ONT said program officers trying to find Wednesday night slot for half-hour Canadian production. The General Manager stressed need for regular opportunities to discuss program plans and situations.

8.3 English Radio Networks

8.3.1 General -- Assignment Continued difficulties concerning free lancers operating NABET-controlled equipment. -- Party Line Curtailed largely because of difficulties in establishing pick-ups. -- Double Exposure Programs P&I ONT indicated favourable reaction from audience.

8.3.2 Commercial Local Spot Announcements COM asked for MGMT policy for next year. Until MGMT takes up with Board at next meeting, stations should try to achieve estimated budget. AGM to follow-up.

9. CBC Local Operations Questionnaires sent to stations & AGM to follow-up. The General Manager suggested arranging visits to station managers.

10. Forthcoming Meetings

10.1 Board of Governors Meeting Sept. 25th-26th-27th in Ottawa. Studies to be ready: Programming Standards in Metropolitan Areas (with particular reference to Vancouver) for Aug. 22th; by Broadcasting for Aug. 16th; by ENG, Aug. 16th.

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