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Highlights for week beginning

**Mon 28th September 2020**



## **The Assassination Bureau on Talking Pictures TV**

Stars: **Oliver Reed, Diana Rigg, Telly Savalas, Warren Mitchell, Beryl Reid.** Directed by Basil Dearden in 1969. Just before World War I, a journalist investigates the Assassination Bureau, a mysterious organization that chooses its targets based on moral issues. An enjoyable 60s take on Edwardian London combined with humorous chemistry between Rigg and Reed as they race from London to Paris, Vienna and Venice make the film great fun to watch. **Airs: Thursday 1st October at 10:00pm.**



**Monday 28th September 09:25am  
The Girl in the Taxi (1937)**

Comedy. Director: André Berthomieu. Stars: Frances Day, Henri Garat, Lawrence Grossmith, Jean Gillie. Blackmail and intrigue ensue when the head of a Parisian purity league is found to be leading a double life.

**Monday 28th September 4:25pm  
Miranda (1948)**

Comedy. Director: Ken Annakin. Stars: Glynis Johns, Googie Withers, Griffith Jones, Margaret Rutherford. A Harley Street doctor returns to his wife from a fishing holiday with a mermaid, disguised as an invalid.

**Monday 28th September 11:00pm  
The Raging Moon (1971)**

Drama. Director: Bryan Forbes. Stars: Malcolm McDowell, Nanette Newman & Georgia Brown. Bruce is paralysed by a degenerative disease and placed in a nursing home where he meets fellow wheelchair user Jill.

**Tuesday 29th September 2:40pm  
The Court Jester (1956)**

Musical Comedy. Directors: Melvin Frank and Norman Panama. Stars: Danny Kaye, Glynis Johns, Cecil Parker, Basil Rathbone and Angela Lansbury. A carnival performer acts as court jester in a plot against an evil ruler.

**Tuesday 29th September 4:45pm  
British Intelligence (1940)**

War. Director: Terry Morse. Stars: Boris Karloff, Margaret Lindsay, Bruce Lester and Leonard Mudie. Bennett's home is a hotbed for spies. But no one knows the identity of the German spymaster.



**Tuesday 29th September 10:00pm  
No Sex Please - We're British (1973)**

Comedy. Director: Cliff Owen. Stars: Ronnie Corbett, Beryl Reid and Arthur Lowe. A shop owner's order is mixed up in transit and sent to Barclays Bank.

**Wednesday 30th September  
07:45am**

**Gert & Daisy's Weekend (1942)**

Comedy. Directors: Maclean Rogers and Reg Taylor. Stars: Elsie Waters and Doris Waters. Gert and Daisy are put in charge of a group of tearaway evacuee children.

**Wednesday 30th September  
7:00pm**

**Nowhere To Go (1958)**

Crime. Directors: Seth Holt, Basil Dearden. Stars: George Nader, Maggie Smith, Bernard Lee. Paul Gregory is released from jail following a stretch for robbing a woman who falls for his charms.

**Wednesday 30th September  
10:00pm**

**Hit! (1973)**

Action. Director: Sidney J. Furie. Stars: Billy Dee Williams, Richard Pryor, Paul Hampton, Gwen Welles. A federal agent tries to destroy a drug ring after his daughter dies from a heroin overdose.

**Thursday 1st October 08:05am  
Wanted For Murder (1946)**

Drama. Director: Lawrence Huntington. Stars: Eric Portman, Dulcie Gray, Derek Farr, Roland Culver. The son of a Victorian hangman is driven insane by thoughts of his father's profession...





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## One of Our Aircraft is Missing

Stars: **Godfrey Tearle, Eric Portman, Googie Withers.**

Directed by Michael Powell and Emeric Pressburger in 1942.

One of the most "well-remembered, accomplished, and enjoyed" realist films of the period. **Airs: Saturday 3rd October 3:25pm.**

Thursday 1st October 6:30pm

### Take Two: Valerie Leon

Valerie Leon talks to Morris Bright about her life and career.

Thursday 1st October 10:00pm

### The Assassination Bureau (1969)

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Friday 2nd October 09:20am

### Trottie True (1949)

Musical comedy. Director: Brian Desmond Hurst. Stars: Jean Kent, James Donald and Hugh Sinclair. Music hall star, Trottie True joins the legendary Gaiety theatre in London and marries Lord Digby Landon. (AKA *The Gay Lady*)

Friday 2nd October 2:30pm

### Flight Nurse (1954)

War drama. Director: Allan Dwan. Stars: Joan Leslie, Forrest Tucker, Arthur Franz. Based on the life of Lillian Kinkella Keil, one of the most decorated women in American military history. Nurse Lt. Polly Davis flies to Japan for her assignment with the Medical Air Evacuation Unit.

Friday 2nd October 6:40pm

### Waterfront (1950)

Drama. Director: Michael Anderson. Stars: Robert Newton, Kathleen Harrison, Avis Scott, Richard Burton and Susan Shaw. A sailor leaves his family in the Liverpool slums.

Saturday 3rd October 1:40pm

### Submarine Command (1951)

War. Director: John Farrow. Stars: William Holden, Nancy Olson, William Bendix. A Lieutenant Commander is called back to active duty and asked to lead his old submarine in the Korean war.



Saturday 3rd October 3:25pm

### One of Our Aircraft is Missing (1942)

War. Directors: Michael Powell, Emeric Pressburger. Stars: Godfrey Tearle, Eric Portman, Googie Withers. When a British bomber is shot down over Nazi-held Holland, the crew connects with the local resistance.



Saturday 3rd October 7:30pm

### The Seventh Survivor (1943)

Espionage. Director: Leslie S. Hiscott. Stars: Austin Trevor, Linden Travers, John Stuart. Survivors from a torpedoed passenger vessel are rescued by a lighthouse crew, but the German captain responsible for the attack is also rescued.



Saturday 3rd October 9:05pm

### The Day of the Locust (1975)

Drama. Director: John Schlesinger. Stars: Donald Sutherland, Karen Black, William Atherton, Burgess Meredith. In 1930s Hollywood an introverted accountant watches as a corrupt society collapses.



Sunday 4th October 1.55pm

### The Extra Day (1956)

Comedy drama. Director: William Fairchild. Stars: Richard Basehart, Simone Simon and George Baker. The final scene of a film has been lost and the extras have to be rounded up for a re-shoot.



Sunday 4th October 3.40pm

### The Ghosts of Berkeley Square (1947)

Comedy. Director: Vernon Sewell. Stars: Robert Morley, Felix Aylmer, Yvonne Arnaud, Claude Hulbert. At a court in the afterlife a pair of 18th century soldiers are sentenced to haunt a mansion.



Sunday 4th October 6:10pm

### Teacher's Pet (1958)

Comedy. Director: George Seaton. Stars: Clark Gable, Doris Day, Gig Young and Mamie Van Doren. A city editor finds himself attracted to a college lecturer and ends up in her class as a student.

