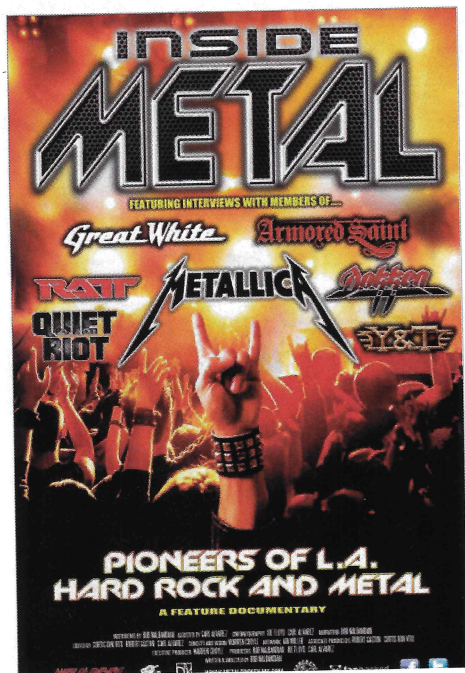


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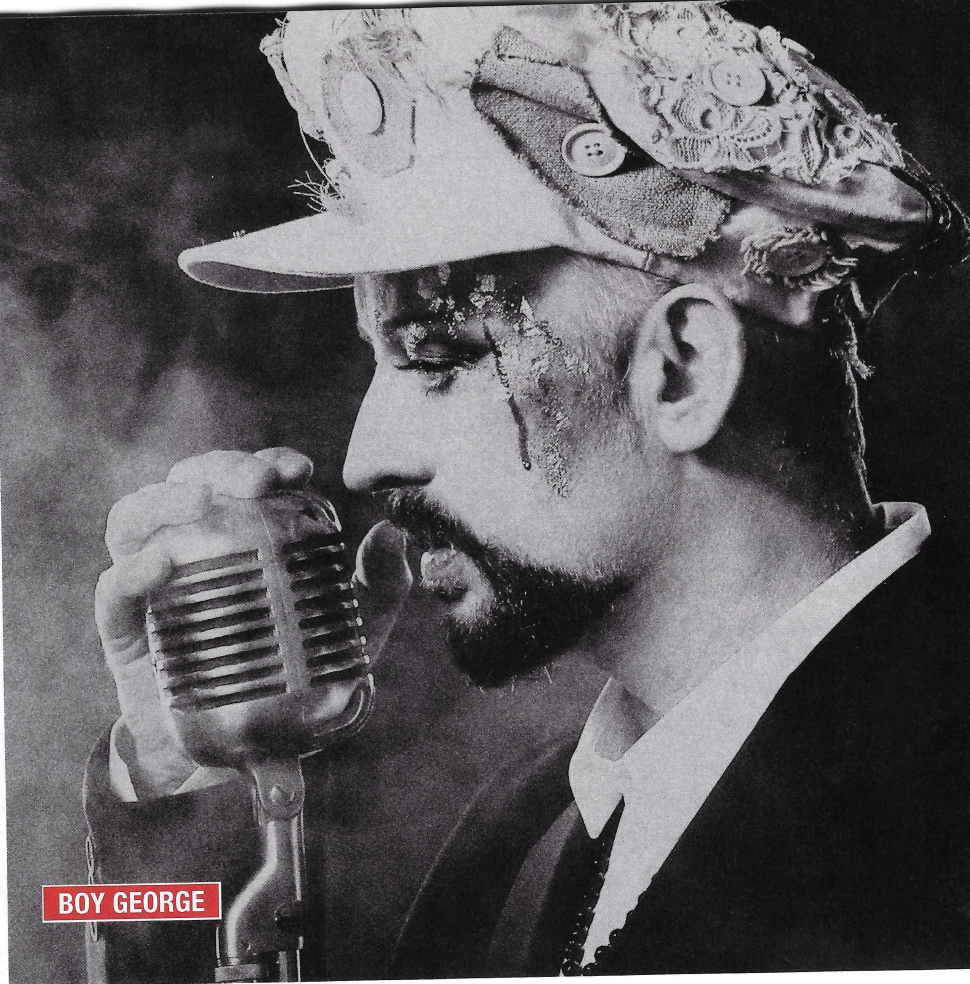
This summer, shooting will begin on a reality documentary series on '80s icon **Boy George**. The artist and **Bunim/Murray Productions** (*Real World*, *Project Runway*, *Keeping Up with the Kardashians*) are partnering with George's manager **Paul Kemsley** and award-winning producer **Cindy Cowan** to develop a docu-series chronicling George's move from London to Los Angeles. The show will capture dating, house hunting, embarking on the North American tour for **Culture Club** (the band George hit it big with), managing his pop group **Brando**, launching a vegan food line and juggling visits by family members. Contact Karlyn Nelson at KNelson@mprm.com for more information.

Now that part one of **Pioneers of L.A. Hard Rock and Metal** officially dropped in April on DVD, OnDemand/PPV, Cable and digital formats, metalheads can expect part two on DVD on June 9. Bonus material has been added to include deleted scenes, a photo gallery, trailers and a recap from the Los Angeles Premiere



event. Director/producer **Bob Nalbandian** is also working on a follow-up title, **L.A. Metal Scene Explodes** (1982-1986) and **Rise of L.A. Thrash Metal**. Both titles will also be two-DVD sets and are expected to drop by the end of 2015. For details, contact Nalbandian at BNalbandian@Roadrunner.com or visit Metalrockfilms.com.

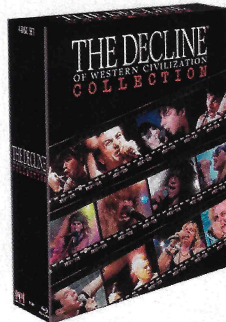
Billy Ray Cyrus will executive produce, write and star in **Still the King**, a production of Nashville-based **Average Joes Entertainment's** offshoot, **Hideout Pictures**. The scripted comedy features Cyrus as Vernon Brown, a.k.a. Burnin' Vernon, a scandal-ridden, washed up one-hit wonder kicked out of country music only to emerge 20 years later as the second-best Elvis impersonator in Laughlin, NV. After crashing into an old country church outside of Nashville during a drunken bender, Cyrus' character is sentenced to return and perform community service. Along the way, he pretends to be the congregation's new minister and discovers he



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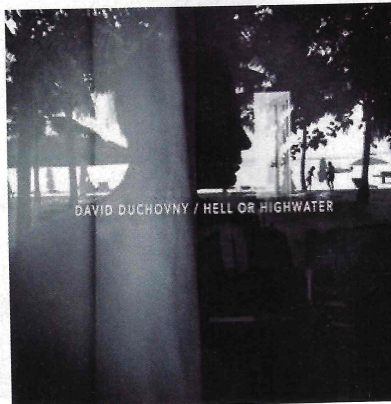
has a 15-year-old daughter he's never met. For details, contact Kristin Palmer at KristinP@AverageJoesEnt.com.

The 1980s ode-to-punk trilogy **The Decline Of Western Civilization** will receive a deluxe box set release on June 30 from **Shout! Factory**. The four-disc set will be available in Blu-ray and DVD formats, and will contain director **Penelope Spheeris' The Decline Of Western Civilization** (1980), **The Decline Of Western Civilization Part II: The Metal Years** (1988) and **The Decline Of Western Civilization Part III** (1998). The set also features a 40-page book containing an essay written by rock historian **Domenic Priore**, rare stills and bonus features including extended interviews, a commentary recorded by **Dave Grohl** in February 2015 and more. Contact Lauren Blum at LBlum@shoutfactory.com for details.



David Duchovny, known for characters like Fox Mulder on **The X Files**, Hank Moody on **Californication** and his choice cameos as Denise on **Twin Peaks**, will release his first solo album, **Hell Or Highwater**, on May 12 on **ThinkSay Records**, distributed by the Caroline/Universal Music Group. The two-time Golden Globe winner's debut album will include 12 self-penned tracks, firmly embedded in his uniquely lyrical, troubadour style. The lead single, "Hell or Highwater," dropped March 31. Duchovny is also starring in the upcoming NBC/ITV limited series **Aquarius** about the **Charles Manson** murders, which premieres May 28. Earlier this year, he also released his first novel, New York Times bestseller

Holy Cow. For more details, email Fran Curtis at FCurtis@rogersandcowan.com.



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