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SERGEI EISENSTEIN'S
"IVAN THE TERRIBLE"
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Sergei Eisenstein's "Ivan The Terrible", the widely discussed Soviet Film version of the life of Czar Ivan IV, will be released here early in 1947 by Artkino Pictures, Inc.

The film biography of the 16th Century Czar who unified Russia was produced, directed and written by Eisenstein, whose "Alexander Nevsky", "Potemkin" and "Ten Days That Shook The World" are still hailed as the greatest screen masterpieces of all time.

Featured in the title role is Nikolai Cherkassov, famous stage and screen actor who starred in "Alexander Nevsky", "Baltic Deputy" and "Peter I", and among the supporting players are such well-known directors and actors as Vsevolod Pudovkin, Mikhail Zharov, Alexei Buchma and Ludmilla Tselikovskaya.

"Ivan The Terrible" has an original score especially composed by Sergei Prokofiev and was photographed by Edward Tisse, the cameraman who has been associated with Eisenstein since the filming of "Potemkin." It was produced at the Alma Ata Studios, and will be released here with English titles.

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