Sensational new ease of operation! Remarkable new smoothness! Perfect balance! These are the features that make the Houston Fearless Cradle Heads by far the finest camera heads ever available to the television industry!

The perfect balance of these new Houston Fearless heads is made possible by the cradle action. When the camera is tilted up or down, the cradle rotates around a constant center of gravity, maintaining absolute balance at all times. There are no counterbalancing springs to get out of adjustment or to produce noise. TILTING. Tilting is controlled by an adjustable handle. Four phenolic-covered ball bearing rollers mounted in the base of the head support the cradle. The cradle tracks ride on these bearings, providing smooth, quiet operation.

The head tilts down 38° and up 30°. Stop blocks prevent the cradle from riding off the bearings at the extreme limits of travel. The amount of drag on the tilt is controlled by a convenient knob, provided with a vernier differential screw for fine adjustment.

BALANCING. The camera, with all accessories attached, can be balanced perfectly when mounted on the head without loosening the camera hold-down screws. This is accomplished by moving the top camera plate on the head forward or back with a lead screw.
PANNING action is accomplished by two precision ball bearings in the base of the head which carry the vertical load. All ball bearings are of the sealed type and require no service or lubrication for the life of the unit. Drag adjustment is provided on the pan.

BRAKES on the pan and tilt quickly lock the camera in a fixed position.

Rigid aluminum alloy castings are used for all major parts to provide and maintain accurate alignment. Separate cradle tracks allow for replacement in case of damage.

Adapted to fit all standard tripods, pedes-tals, dollies, cranes or hi hats.

MODEL MCH
For all Standard Monochrome Television Cameras
SPECIFICATIONS
Top plate ......................... 67/8" wide x 8" long
Height ............................ 71/4"
Weight ........................... 26 lbs
Shipping Weight .................. 45 lbs
Adjustable handle mounted on head.

MODEL CH-1
For RCA Color Television Cameras
SPECIFICATIONS
Top plate ......................... 12" wide x 14" long
Height ............................ 101/4"
Weight ........................... 55 lbs
Shipping Weight .................. 90 lbs
Control handle not included; available on special order.