

Stone plans film on Spanish war

Oliver Stone wants to make a movie about the Spanish Civil War with British rock star David Bowie in the leading role, news reports in Madrid, Spain, said Thursday.

Stone said he hoped to base the film on British author George Orwell's 1938 account of the bloody, three-year war, "Homage To Catalonia."

"I believe now is a good time to film it because there are still many survivors from the period," Stone told the leading daily El Pais.

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