Shahid and Ranbir in a 'royal' race

already bought the rights of Ashwin Sanghi's best seller Chanakya's Chant and are

searching for the right guy to play the role of Prince Chandragupta Maurya.

Rumours are that the production house might approach Shahid Kapoor or Ranbir Kapoor to essay the role. Though, Shahid seems to be a better contender.

It is said the makers are willing to cast someone who is young and has proved his acting abilities to the audience.

Moreover, it is a character of a king and is set in the medieval as the person should be able to manage the look. He also needs to have a suitable body.

The production house feels that both Shahid and Ranbir fit the requirements perfectly so within a



few days the final announcement will be made once it is finalised who will play the lead role.

One will have to wait and watch if it will be Shahid or Ranbir who will grab this powerful character.