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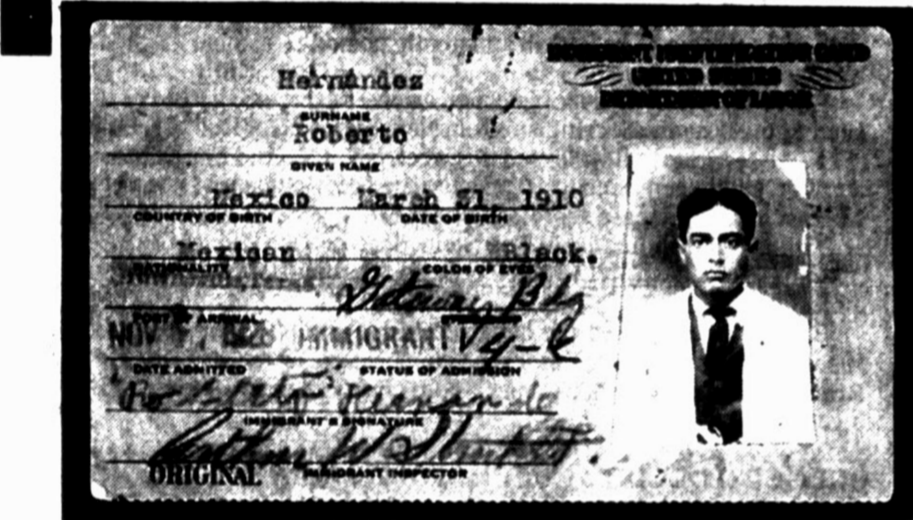
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WEEKEND Profile

'Los Tejanos: Sus Huellas en Esta Tierra'



Lupe Cerda of Hereford (below) shows her father's "box" at the LBJ Presidential Library/Museum at the University of Texas at Austin. At left is an enlargement of her father's immigrant identification card, which is in the exhibit. Above, migrant laborers work in a Texas onion field. The ID card and onion field picture are included in a post card packet on sale at the museum.

Lupe Cerda: Her family, Hereford represented in exhibit

By BECKY CAMP
 Lifestyles Editor

Hereford and the entire Panhandle are proudly represented in an exhibit which opened in October at the LBJ Presidential Library and Museum on the campus of the University of Texas in Austin.

Most proud is Hereford resident Lupe Cerda, whose family is featured among the Texas Mexicans who made lasting impressions on the history of Texas.

The exhibit, titled "Los Tejanos: Sus Huellas en Esta Tierra (The Texas Mexicans: Footprints on the Land)," includes oral histories, artifacts and historical documents.

The lives of Roberto Hernandez and Guadalupe Alvarez Sanchez, Cerda's father and grandmother, are documented in separate displays in the exhibit that enriches an understanding of Tejano culture and its impact on the shaping of Texas.

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Cerda's personal history, while not included in the LBJ exhibit, reflects the influence of those who are.

Before moving to Hereford, Cerda's father had been a farmer in

the Waco area. "During the years when we lived in the country and Daddy was farming, my mother often worked along with him, so Grandmother took care of us kids," Cerda said.

The grandmother Cerda refers to is the one featured in the LBJ exhibit - her maternal grandmother.

"She is where we got our desire to do things. She had been a teacher in Mexico, so she taught us (Cerda and

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AMENDMENT A
 Those who are called to office in the church are to lead a life in obedience to Jesus Christ, under the authority of Scripture and instructed by the historic confessional standards of the church. Among these standards is the requirement to demonstrate fidelity and integrity in marriage or singleness and in all relationships of life. ...

PRESBYTERIANS Local congregation takes stand on ordaining gays

By DONALD M. COOPER
 Brand Editor

It's not an issue like slavery, which split the Presbyterian Church along regional lines more than a century ago, but the debate over ordination of homosexuals certainly is divisive.

The Presbyterian Church U.S.A. had thought to have put the issue to rest in 1996 when the General Assembly adopted Amendment B, which was approved earlier this year by a majority of the presbyteries for incorporation into the denomination's Book of Order. However, the 1997 Assembly has adopted Amendment A, which would replace 1996's Amendment B, and it is now circulating among the presbyteries.

Amendment B, which is included in the Presbyterians' governing Book of Order as G-6.0106b, sets the standards for clergy and other ordained church officers, such as deacons or elders.

The standards established in Amendment B included the "requirement to live either in fidelity within the covenant of marriage between a man and a woman ... or chastity in singleness."

The controversy surrounding Amendment A is found in one clause, which opponents, such as the Rev. Jeremy Grant, pastor of Hereford's First Presbyterian Church, claim replaces clear standards with vague guidelines that would pave the way for the ordination of practicing homosexuals.

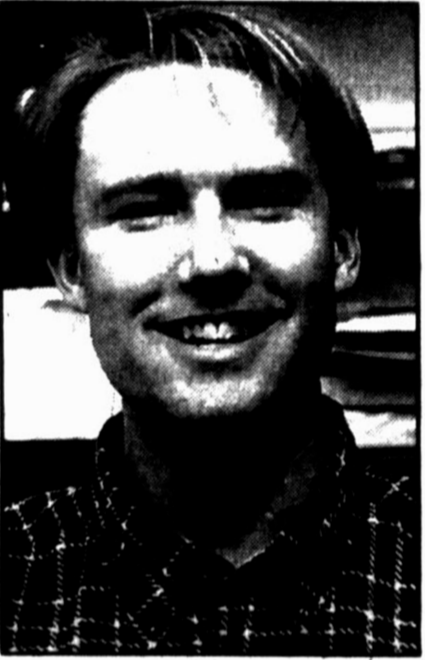
Amendment A would require its clergy to "demonstrate fidelity and integrity in marriage or singleness and in all relationships of life."

Opponents say the amendment doesn't provide clear standards of teaching, claiming that it would be like playing a sport without any rules.

To show its opposition to Amendment A, and its rejection of the position of the two highest officials of the General Assembly - the moderator and stated clerk - that Amendment A represents a better way to common ground, the First Presbyterian Church of Hereford has petitioned the Palo Duro Presbytery, the local authority, to withhold the church's per capita gifts to the General Assembly, using the funds in other areas of the Presbyterian work.

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- The Rev. Jeremy Grant, pastor, Hereford First Presbyterian Church



The Rev. Jeremy Grant
 First Presbyterian Church

The Witness Committee, which oversees the Hereford church's mission giving and witness to God, asked the local congregation to redirect the per capita apportionment to other Presbyterian missions.

Grant said Wednesday he believes the Palo Duro Presbytery likely will continue to send the per capita funds to the General Assembly, but the local congregation wanted to make its position on Amendment A known.

Grant said the clause in Amendment A that would remove the requirement of fidelity in marriage "sticks in the craw."

"We struggled to make some definite stands (on moral issues)," Grant said.

Although the local congregation opposes the ordination of practicing homosexuals, Grant said there is no intention to "opening anyone's closet."

Also, he said, opposition to the ordination of homosexuals does not mean the local congregation does not accept gay or lesbian members.

"And, it doesn't help that a year ago we were debating this same topic," he said.

Grant said he believes there is a fairly even split on Amendment A in the Panhandle, noting the real "debate is 'we have the Bible, how are we going to read it?'"

Students get special Christmas 'tour'

By DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE
 Staff Writer

Geography is seldom named as one of most students' favorite classes, but for the Aikman Elementary School third graders, their study of "Christmas Around the World" has been very exciting.

For the past several weeks, the students have studied the customs, traditions and simple vocabulary of countries around the world.

Through arts and crafts projects, students have learned what children in Sweden, Germany, the Netherlands and Russia do for fun, where they live, and what traditions and customs are honored in each country.

To top off the studies, Clint and Greta Coneway visited the students and told them of their travels this past summer in Russia.

Clint Coneway, a retired naval captain, and Greta

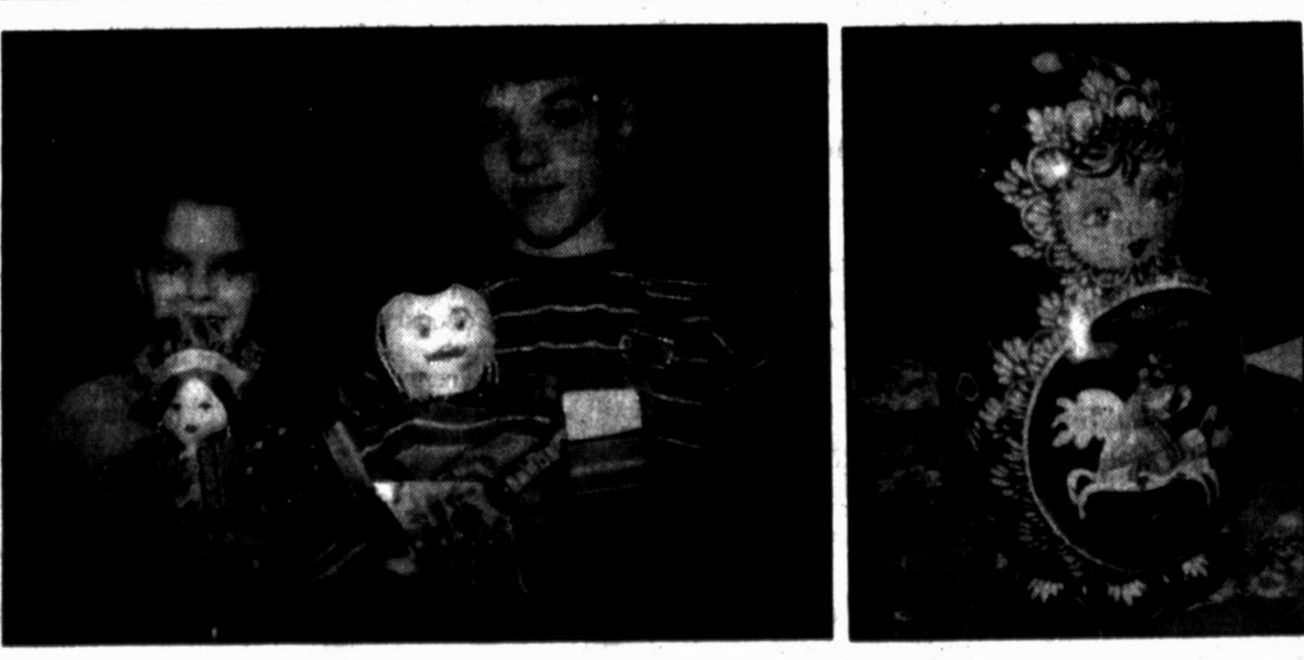
Coneway, a teacher at San Jacinto School in Amarillo, have travelled extensively and enjoy bringing the foreign countries they visit into the classrooms.

"These programs are an important and effective way of exposing student to worlds outside of what they know in Texas," said Nan Coneway, an Aikman

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Callie Newton and Colby Marsh were just two of the Aikman Elementary School students who got a first-hand look at Russian dolls, including the stacking dolls decorated with traditional symbols.

Photo by Dianna F. Dandridge



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Local Roundup

County commission

Members of the Deaf Smith County Commissioners Court cast ballots for county appraisal district directors at 9 a.m. Monday at the courthouse, 235 E. 3rd.

The commissioners also will discuss eight-year vesting for county employees, a request to cross a county road with a water line, an outside audit, and set the 1998 county holidays.

AC placement test

Amarillo College placement test will be given at 6 p.m. on Dec. 11 in Hereford High School cafeteria. For more information call Mr. Severo Reyna at 363-7625.

Scholarship fund established

A scholarship fund has been established in the name of Gary Billingsley to benefit an outstanding Industrial Arts senior at Hereford High School. Billingsley, a longtime resident and administrator in the Hereford Independent School District, died Sunday, Nov. 30, 1997. All donations made to the Gary Billingsley Scholarship Fund may be sent in care of Marilyn Culpepper, Hereford High School, 200 Avenue F, or to the HISD Administration office at 601 N. 25 Mile Avenue.

Road project

Completion of the road rehabilitation of U.S. Hwy. 385 (25 Mile Avenue) from U.S. Hwy. 60 to the north city limit is near, according to the Texas Department of Transportation (TxDOT) engineers office in Canyon.

Permanent striping was completed sooner than expected because of unseasonably warm weather before Thanksgiving. A subcontractor's crew will be in town this week to complete the traffic sensing loops.

"IRS Listens"

AMARILLO - Panhandle taxpayers who have chronic tax problems will be able to get face-to-face help at an "IRS Listens" session this week.

Taxpayer advocates and other employees will be available 4-9 p.m. Thursday at the Amarillo IRS office, 7201 Interstate 40-Westm Suite 105. The IRS personnel will be there to listen and help taxpayers.

Taxpayers are urged to set an appointment, although walk-ins also will receive service. For an appointment, call (800) 829-1040 or (806) 359-2165. Taxpayers are asked to bring any documents or IRS correspondence with them to help identify and resolve the problem.

Cloudy, chance of rain

Tonight, cloudy with a 30 percent chance rain and low about 30.

Sunday, cloudy with 50 percent chance of rain and high in mid-40s. Sunday night, cloudy with 50 percent chance of rain and low in lower 30s.

3- to 5-day forecast

Monday, mostly cloudy with a chance of rain and high in the mid-40s.

Tuesday, mostly cloudy with a slight chance of snow, low 25 to 30 and high in upper 30s.

Wednesday, mostly cloudy and cold with a chance of snow, low around 20 and high 30 to 35.



AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery: 8-18-21-26-32

AUSTIN (AP) - The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery, in order: 6-2-3



Candidate

David Wesley (Wes) Gulley, 222nd Judicial District judge, announces his candidacy for re-election. Gulley stated it "is a privilege, an honor and serious responsibility to serve as judge of the ... 222nd Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith and Oldham counties." Gulley also pledged to continue "to faithfully and impartially perform the duties of office..."

U.S. public's interest in saving energy appears to be on wane

WASHINGTON (AP) - Amory Lovins, an efficiency guru who for 30 years has railed against America's energy-squandering habits, sits in a downtown coffee shop and immediately points to the lights.

The fluorescent tubes overhead are an older type, ones he says use far more electricity than more efficient ones now readily available. Energy is being wasted. And there's more.

"This building," he said, "is wired with wires so skinny that there's so much electrical resistance that 6 percent of the electricity gets lost." Thicker wires would save electricity and money, he says.

With diplomats struggling in Kyoto, Japan, over how to rein in carbon dioxide and other "greenhouse" gases that scientists fear will cause global warming, energy efficiency is taking on new urgency.

At the core of the Clinton administration's global warming strategy is a belief that energy efficiency and development of new energy-saving technologies will allow reductions in the use of coal and oil - and still not threaten economic growth.

But America's track record on energy conservation has been lackluster. It has reversed course recently in some areas such as automobiles, where the public has become enamored of gas-guzzling sport utility vehicles, shunning high-mileage autos.

Energy efficiency would address both environmental and financial concerns, say experts in those areas. "Energy efficiency is the single most cost-effective step to reduce pollution that leads to global warming,"

said David Nemetzow, president of the Alliance to Save Energy, a private advocacy group.

The oil shocks of the early 1970s prompted a rush toward efficiency, but billions of dollars are still lost because of energy waste at power plants, in factories and in cars, the experts say.

Lovins, director of the Rocky Mountain Institute, an environmental think tank in Snowmass, Colo., and other experts estimated that energy conservation measures over the last 25 years have reduced energy costs to the economy by about 30 percent, or as much as \$200 billion. "But about \$300 billion a year is still wasted," he said.

Whatever the reason, the public's interest in energy conservation has waned, said Nemetzow, adding, "With low energy prices, there isn't a mood for it."

A few examples:

- Last month, according to auto industry experts, Americans for the first time bought more minivans, sport utility vehicles, and small trucks than automobiles. The trend toward these vehicles, which on average use more fuel, has contributed to a record use of gasoline this year.

- Electric utilities, under new competitive pressures, have started abandoning programs aimed at getting customers to use less electricity. Many programs where utilities subsidized the purchase of more efficient appliances, insulation and better windows have disappeared under the pressures of emerging competition.

Elderly couple besieged by problems

Good health is, indeed, one of life's greatest blessings and certainly a gift to be cherished at the holiday season.

A 73-year-old Hereford woman who has worked hard all her life, and

even now works when she can, has been besieged by medical problems during the past two years. She's undergone heart and optical surgery, battled problems with blood pressure, and recently mourned the death of a son.

Medical expenses weigh heavily upon this woman. She and her 81-year-old husband attempt to get by on a small Social Security pension, and the little she makes doing odd jobs. She'd like to pay more on her medical bills, but says the money's just not there.

This woman has asked for help with utilities and food this holiday season.

The willingness of Hereford and Deaf Smith County residents to share their holiday good fortune through the Christmas Stocking Fund can make it possible to extend help to these senior citizens this Yule season.

An anonymous committee of volunteers representing a broad cross-

section of the community is in charge of the Christmas Stocking Fund. Not affiliated with any other organization or entity, the charity is funded solely through contributions.

Assistance from CSF comes mostly in the form of food boxes or vouchers which help with utility, medical or clothing expenses. Needy children and the elderly are given high priority by the CSF group.

Applications for help were taken last month. The CSF committee screens the list and makes the sometimes-tough decisions on extending help.

Food and some voucher deliveries from CSF are scheduled for Dec. 19.

The Hereford Brand is now accepting contributions to the 1997 Christmas Stocking Fund. Donations may be made in person at the newspaper office, 313 Lee, or mailed to CSF in care of Box 673, Hereford.

Donors will be listed in the newspaper from time to time, along

with a running tally of giving. Those wishing to contribute anonymously should so designate their gifts.

The CSF contribution total has been over \$18,000 the past three years. The record year for giving was 1993 when the total was \$21,451.

CSF CONTRIBUTIONS

Balance forward:	\$2,295.00
Frances Hansen	100.00
In memory of O.A. & Jewell Smith	50.00
In memory of Tom and Etelle Manning	200.00
M/M B.F. Cain	25.00
Bill & Melissa Condit	50.00
Imogene Zlack	25.00
Anonymous	10.00
Anonymous	100.00
Raymond & Avis White	100.00
J&S Hydraulics	150.00
Anonymous	20.00
M/M Ira Ott	100.00
TOTAL 12 5-97	\$3,225.00



CHRISTMAS STOCKING FUND



Greta, Nan, and Clint Coneway demonstrate the Russian welcome with the breaking of the bread, a sprinkle of salt and a gentle salute to each visitor.

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third-grade teacher.

The Coneways demonstrated the Russian tradition of welcoming someone into a home by slicing fresh bread, sprinkling a little salt on the fresh slice and then breaking the slice before eating it.

"Clint and Greta are totally involved with the children," said Nan, "and while they are teaching the students about other countries, they also want to get the point across of how lucky we are to live in the United States."

As part of the "Christmas Around the World Tour," Clint and Greta displayed numerous souvenirs, trinkets and slides to help the students get a better feel for country and citizens of Russia.

"The children really get into the studies when we do it this way," said Nan. "But, sometimes I think the teachers enjoy learning about different places as much as the students."

Russian jet crashes, killing more than 100

MOSCOW (AP) - A military cargo jet crashed into a Siberian town seconds after takeoff today, killing all 46 people aboard and up to 100 on the ground as flaming wreckage set at least five buildings on fire, a news agency reported.

As many as 100 others in the industrial town of Irkutsk-2 were injured when the plane barreled along the main street shortly before 10 a.m., the Interfax news agency said. A four-story apartment building, home to 200 people, was leveled.

The ITAR-Tass news agency said 23 bodies had been recovered from the apartment house by late afternoon.

It said the plane leveled that building and damaged an orphanage, two wooden houses and a school. Interfax, quoting unidentified emergency officials, said hundreds of children were evacuated from the area and 13 were hospitalized. Twelve people were taken to the burn center in the nearby city of Irkutsk, the news agency said.

The An-124 aircraft, one of the world's largest planes, crashed about 20 seconds after taking off at 9:44 a.m. from Irkutsk, about 2,600 miles east of Moscow, Defense Ministry spokesman Lt. Col. Nikolai Baranov said. ITAR-Tass quoted unidentified investigators saying both left engines had failed at an altitude of 210 feet.

NEWS

in brief

U.S. NEGOTIATORS SEEK COMPROMISE ON FUEL EMISSION REDUCTIONS

KYOTO, Japan (AP) - American and other negotiators at the global warming talks are exploring a new compromise on fuel emission reductions, one that might set national targets over a longer period of the 21st century, U.S. congressional and other sources reported today.

"We're willing to be flexible," Rep. George Brown, D-Calif., said after meeting with U.S. negotiators as the talks neared their critical final days.

The United States and the European Union are at odds over the size of the cut to be imposed on carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gas emissions.

The new approach under discussion might allow the United States to take a smaller cut than Europe by 2010 or so, but then catch up on cutback levels in a later period, said one source close to the negotiations, speaking on condition of anonymity.

The conference, involving 2,000 delegates from 150 countries, is wrapping up two years of negotiations to strengthen the 1992 Climate Change Treaty, by setting legally binding limits on emissions of gases, mostly byproducts of fossil fuel burning, that trap heat in the atmosphere.

POLLS SHOW BROWN LIKELY HOUSTON WINNER

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston voters planned trips to ballot boxes Saturday with polls showing Lee Brown apparently poised to become the city's first black mayor.

But on the eve of the runoff election against businessman Rob Mosbacher came some last minute criticism from New York Mayor Rudolph Giuliani.

Three separate polls released this week put the former federal drug czar anywhere between three to 10 points ahead of Mosbacher, son of Robert Mosbacher, commerce secretary under President Bush.

"It's all on turnout," said Bob Stein, dean of Rice University's School of Social Sciences. "If the black vote goes below 30 percent, this will be a close race."

Brown is considered the departed Mayor Bob Lanier's hand-picked successor. Lanier, who cannot run again because of term limits, endorsed Brown this week and much Lanier's political staff began working for Brown a year ago.

JUDGE TO DECIDE IF MICROSOFT VIOLATED ACCORD

WASHINGTON (AP) - It's now up to a federal judge to decide if Microsoft Corp. violated a consent decree by requiring computer makers that want to use its Windows operating system to accept its Internet browser as part of the package.

The Justice Department is seeking an unprecedented \$1 million-a-day fine for continued violations.

Microsoft and the department argued their cases Friday before U.S. District Judge Thomas Penfield Jackson, who adjourned the hearing in his crowded courtroom without ruling in the dispute.

In a separate lawsuit, the Texas attorney general last month sued Microsoft in Austin, contending the company has interfered with a state antitrust investigation. A company spokesman has denied the accusation.

In the latest suit, the federal government has asked Jackson to rule quickly on whether Microsoft is in contempt of court for violating the 1995 agreement aimed at preventing anti-competitive practices.

THE HEREFORD BRAND

Obituaries

WILLIAM F. SMITH
Dec. 2, 1997

William F. (Bill) Smith, 79, of Brawley, Ca., died Tuesday in the Veterans Hospital at San Diego. He was a former Hereford resident and son of the late William J. and Gladys Smith.

Burial will be 10 a.m. Monday in West Park Cemetery. A memorial service for family and friends will be 2 p.m. Dec. 14 at the Brawley Stockmen's Club in Brawley, Calif.

Mr. Smith was born Oct. 27, 1918, in Brownfield. He was a Navy veteran of World War II and graduated from New Mexico State University in 1950.

Mr. Smith was an independent seed broker, a Mason, active in the Imperial Valley Rodeo Association, a charter member of the Stockmen's Club and a member of the Disabled American Veterans.

Survivors include his wife, Elsie Mae; one son, Gary A. Smith of Corville, Ariz.; a daughter, Suzanne Caudill of LaJolla, Calif.; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

He was predeceased in death by a sister, Minnie Dee Turner of Roswell, N.M. The family requests memorials be made to the Imperial Valley Rodeo Association or Brawley Stockmen's Club in Brawley, Calif.

ORVILLE HOWARD
Dec. 5, 1997

Orville Howard, 69, former Amarillo Globe-News reporter and city editor, died Friday.

Services will be Monday at 11 a.m. in Midway Church at Logan, Ok. Burial will be in Kiowa Cemetery at Logan. Arrangements are by N.S. Griggs & Sons Funeral Directors.

After retiring from the Globe-News, Howard had been a freelance writer and photographer and farmed near Vega. He did a series of "Hustle Hereford" articles for The Hereford Brand in 1989-91. The articles profiled major Hereford businesses and charitable organizations.

Howard was born on a stock farm near Logan, Ok. He graduated from Darrouzett High School and West Texas State College.

Howard had also been a police reporter, farm editor and regional editor at the Globe-News before becoming city editor in 1972. He also worked as Southwest editor of the Record Stockman magazine in Denver.

Survivors include a daughter, Sheryl Olson of Canyon; three sons, Les of Dalhart, Ken of Amarillo and Wade of Denver; a brother, Robert Howard of Laverne, Ok.; two sisters, Mary Adair of Canyon and Marjorie McCune of Beaver, Ok.; seven grandchildren and a great-granddaughter.

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her three older sisters) to play musical instruments. "I played the guitar; Rose, the banjo; Dolores, the violin; and Trini, the mandolin. So we actually had a little band. Our favorite pastimes were baseball and music."

The mandolin, which Cerda's sister, Trini, (now Trini Gamez, who also lives in Hereford) learned to play, belonged to their grandmother. Gamez has donated it to the exhibit.

Cerda came to Hereford with her family on July 4, 1947, when her father went to work for the Santa Fe Railroad.

Cerda also went to work, but at Anthony's, where she was a bookkeeper for 10 years.

"I was about the first Hispanic doing clerical work in Hereford. Since I could speak both English and Spanish, I often got calls from someone in the courthouse or the Western Union office or from others who needed an interpreter," Cerda said.

"She left her job at Anthony's to become a doctor's receptionist and found the field in which she would remain.

"I grew with the medical profession. I began transcribing and learning the codes. As the profession grew, I grew with it," she said.

And, Cerda adds, she never worked for a doctor she didn't like.

"I think people in the medical profession and peace officers are very special people," she added.

Her regard for peace officers centers around her children. One son, Johnny Moya, became a deputy for the Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department at the age of 18. He is still in law enforcement in the Houston area.

Her oldest son, David Moya, was the first Hispanic warden in the state of Texas. He served as warden for the Clemens Unit of the Texas Department of Corrections in Brazoria.

Cerda has two other sons, Frankie Cerda, who is a park ranger at Lake Canyon and, Steve Cerda, who lives in Amarillo.

Cerda and her family, past and present, epitomize the written tribute which ends the exhibit for Tejanos at the LBJ Museum written by museum director Harry Middleton, a former aide to President Lyndon Johnson:

"These pilgrims who came from the South, even earlier than those who colonized the East, brought with them not only the richness of several cultures. They brought strong backs and deep beliefs and a stout spirit that would endure generations of disappointment and determination, to continue their struggle for full inclusion in a land where their music softens the air and their footprints trace the building of a state."

In addition to the displays for Cerda's father and grandmother, "The Texas Mexicans: Footprints on the Land" exhibit at the LBJ Museum features a mural titled "The Onion Fields." The mural is an enlargement of a photo taken by A.O. Thompson, courtesy of Joe D. Rogers, showing migrant workers near Hereford as they trimmed and bagged the onion harvest, preparatory to loading the 50-pound bags on trucks for shipping.

Japanese film firm wins trade dispute

WASHINGTON (AP) - The World Trade Organization issued a preliminary ruling against the United States Friday, rejecting claims that Japanese photo film company Fuji conspired with the Japanese government to keep Eastman Kodak products out of Japan.

The decision, in a high-profile case filed last year, was made available to both governments and the results were confirmed by Kodak and Fuji officials.

Kodak Chairman George Fisher called the ruling "totally unacceptable."

"This ruling ignores market reality. Japan's market is closed and in desperate need of deregulation and reform. The U.S. Government was right on the facts and on the law," Fisher said in a statement.

In light of the adverse ruling, Fisher called on the Clinton administration to come up with a "concrete plan" to open the Japanese market.

There was no immediate reaction from the administration. In 1996, President Clinton's trade negotiators decided against imposing trade sanctions on Japan because of the film dispute, preferring to send the case to the Geneva-based WTO.

The WTO film case was filed by the United States in June 1996. A WTO panel examined more than 20,000 pages of evidence from the U.S. and Japanese governments. A final ruling is expected early next year.

The United States had sought to demonstrate "deliberate and extensive" efforts by Japan since the 1960s to block Kodak from compet-

ing in the Japanese film market.

Fuji strongly denied the charges of its major international rival. It said it had never conspired with the Japanese government to keep Kodak products off Japanese store shelves.

The high-profile battle had been seen as a major test case for the WTO, created in 1995 as a successor to the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade. The administration had banked on the WTO's expanded powers to give it more clout in breaking down complex barriers to trade.

NEWS
in brief

WHAT SOME PEOPLE WILL DO FOR COFFEE

BRISTOL, Conn. (AP) - What some people will do for a cup of coffee. A man was arrested for armed robbery after he demanded a free cup of coffee from a Dunkin' Donuts clerk while brandishing what looked to be a pistol, then admitted it was only a lighter when she started crying.

Joseph Castellano, 26, was wearing a jacket with his name on it when he walked into the shop and left with a small coffee, police said.

"He didn't even get a doughnut," police Lt. Jack Quilter said. Police said the clerk offered Castellano a small cup of coffee when he first walked in and said he didn't have any money. Instead of accepting, he went to his car and returned with what appeared to be a bronze-colored gun and stuck it in her face.

When she started to cry, he calmed her down by showing her it wasn't a real gun; the lighter, however, would not light. The young woman fled the shop looking for a police officer.

Castellano, who lived just two doors away, was charged with first-degree robbery, brandishing a facsimile of a firearm and sixth-degree larceny. He was released without bond and is due in court Dec. 18.

STUDENT GOT GOOD GRADE AND MORE

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) - All Jeremy Fisher wanted was a good grade. What he got was that much more.

Jeremy's composition, "Gentle Rain," which was written for his ninth-grade band, had its orchestral debut Thursday when the 95-member Minnesota Orchestra played it for school children.

Jeremy's band director remembered the composition from two years ago and submitted it for a young composers competition - without Jeremy's knowledge.

Minnesota composer Libby Larsen selected the piece. "First of all, he wrote a really beautiful melody," she said. "That is a very hard thing to do. Not only was the melody memorable, it carried the content of possibility in it."

Jeremy, now a 17-year-old junior at Bloomington Kennedy High School, said playing center field is more important to him than composing. As for his grade, he got an A-plus.

WOMEN RESCUED FROM EDGE OF PARKING GARAGE

MIAMI (AP) - Two women in a Buick dangled over the second-story edge of a municipal parking garage for 45 minutes after the driver plowed through a wall of concrete and glass.

Svetlana Voytenkova, 37, of North Miami, was parking the car Thursday and "thought she was putting her foot on the brake, but actually hit the accelerator ...," said Miami Det. Delrish Moss.

A concrete planter kept the car from toppling onto a police mini-station, Moss said.

"You're looking at a car that probably would have done a nose dive into a concrete sidewalk," Moss said. "They could have even been killed."

Ms. Voytenkova and her passenger, Inina Rozenshteyn, 37, also of North Miami, remained calm during the ordeal, Moss said.

Neither woman was injured and police and firefighters helped them climb down a ladder to the street, Moss said.

Ms. Voytenkova was given a \$58 ticket for careless driving.

FAMILY KNEW WHAT TO DO WITH PURSE

OXNARD, Calif. (AP) - The Ayala family knew just what to do when they found a purse someone had left behind in a shopping cart.

"We saw her bag right there lying in the cart and my dad grabbed it," said 15-year-old Daniel Ayala. "My dad told us to take the bag to this lady. My dad felt sorry because she had all kinds of cards."

The purse, which contained \$60 cash, blank checks and several credit cards, belonged to Lorraine Toucher, an accountant who figured she would never see it again after leaving it behind in a drugstore parking lot.

A few minutes after Toucher filed a police report, 21-year-old Jesus Ayala phoned to tell her that his family had the purse and would take it to her home.

"Pretty soon, here come these two boys straggling up the driveway and I said, 'By the way, Jesus, you look great carrying that purse,' and he smiled from ear to ear," Toucher said. "Everything was intact ... It's a wonderful story of true honesty that the parents truly instilled."

Toucher insisted on giving the boys a \$20 reward.

IRS OFFICIALS LOOKING IN SANTA'S BAG

COVINGTON, Ky. (AP) - Even IRS officials think there's something for them in Santa's big black sack.

The Internal Revenue Service is so desperate for short-term help at its tax processing center here that it put up a 7-foot sign in red letters on the roof: "Dear Santa, Send IRS workers!"

The center is also advertising for seasonal workers in newspapers and on television, radio and buses. The sign went up Tuesday.

Seasons Greetings



We enjoy being a part of the Hereford community. Please join us for a holiday celebration as an expression of our thanks for your friendship and support over the past year.

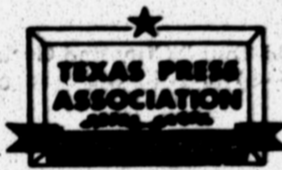
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Viewpoint

SPEEDY NIEMAN

Hereford Bull

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says there's a good reason lightning never strikes twice in the same place - the same place isn't there the second time.

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'Tis the season to be jolly, even if you look at the calendar and see there are only 15 shopping days before Christmas!

I have a favor to ask...one which I believe can be profitable for all of us: Support your local merchants by buying from them when you can. When you shop in Hereford, you are helping keep a hometown business open, and your are supporting a store which supports the things in our community, and the taxes come back to help build our town.

Most merchants want their business to be one that meets the needs of residents. There are some areas where they cannot compete with the big-city stores, so they don't stock those items. They don't expect you to pay an unreasonable price just for the convenience of staying in town.

But, in order to stay in business, they do hope you will shop Hereford first. Give them a chance -- this can be your contribution to the economic development of our community!

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Everyone has to be an equal opportunity employer -- whether they want to be or not. Here's a story which appeared in a civic club publication:

A business firm ran a classified ad looking for office help. Requirements for the job included ability to type, experience with computers, and being bilingual. The ad stated the firm was an Equal Opportunity Employer.

A dog applied for the job with the newspaper ad in his mouth. The dog whined and the receptionist got the idea. She summoned the office manager.

The dog seem determined, so the office manager led him into her office. The dog jumped up on a chair and stared at her. She explained she couldn't hire the pup because of the typing requirement.

The dog jumped down, went to the keyboard and proceeded to pound out a perfect letter. The manager was stunned but told the dog, "The ad said you had to be able to operate a computer."

The dog went to the computer terminal and proceeded to enter and execute a perfect program that worked flawlessly for the first time.

The office manager was impressed, but she resisted. "I realize that you are a very intelligent dog and have some unusual abilities. However, I still can't give you the job."

The dog scratched on the ad and pointed a paw to the Equal Opportunity portion. The manager responded, "Yes, but the ad also states that you have to be bilingual."

The dog looked at the manager calmly and said, "Meow."

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Speaking of classified ads, the following ads actually appeared in various newspapers:

Lost: small apricot poodle. Reward, Neutered like one of the family. Dinner special: Turkey \$2.35; Chicken or Beef \$2.25; Children \$2. For sale: an antique desk suitable for a lady with thick legs and large drawers.

Now is your chance to get your ears pierced and get an extra pair to take home, too.

We do not tear your clothing with machinery. We do it carefully by hand.

Tired of cleaning yourself? Let me do it! The hotel has a bowling alley, tennis courts, comfortable beds and other athletic facilities.

For rent: 6-room hated apartment.

Used cars: Why go elsewhere to be cheated? Come here first!

Christmas sale: Handmade gifts for the hard-to-find person.

We will oil your sewing machine and adjust tension in your home for \$10.

Three-year-old teacher needed for pre-school. Experience preferred. And now, the Superstore -- unequaled in size, unmatched in variety, unrivaled inconvenience.

Have a good weekend!

BOB JOSSERAND

Guest Commentary

Focus on the city

If you missed the 2nd Annual "Christmas in the Park" with the lighting of the Christmas trees, you missed a special time. Certainly, it is a time of fellowship and remembering that Christmas is a time of sharing and pulling together for all the residents of Hereford.

So many people made a difference in the tree lighting, and I just want to say thanks to Matt Collier and his employees of Top of Texas for hanging the lights; to the Pilot Club for preparing and serving refreshments; to Johnny Carr and his parks division staff; to Don Kundert and Tony Mendoza from the construction staff; to City Secretary Terri Johnson, who organized both this and last year's "Christmas in the Park" celebrations; and especially to Margaret Williams and the various singers/choirs from our school system - they were great.

It is our intent to continue lighting additional trees in Dameron Park in the future so that some day we can really light up the world. Hopefully, next year when you come for "Christmas in the Park," we will have a sound system which allows everyone to hear the singing as well as other comments.

Speaking of Christmas lighting, have you noticed the Deaf Smith County Courthouse? Have you noticed so many of the new lights on buildings downtown? I think it's really great that Clint climbed to the top of his broadcast tower to string the lights. Way to go, Clint! Seriously, thanks to our county commissioners and Courthouse staff, and our Chamber of Commerce and its executive, Don Cumption, Hereford is beautifully lighted for the Christmas season. I know that when all of the homeowners get their lights hung, we'll really shine as a special spot in the Panhandle!

At 5 p.m. Dec. 15, the City Commission will hold a planning session in which they will hear a review report from the city staff on accomplishments/activities of the city in 1997. This is kind of an annual review of city activities and give the City Commission a little better look at where they are headed. I would encourage any interested citizen to attend this open review session at 5 p.m. Dec. 15 at City Hall.

You might be surprised to hear all of the activities your city is involved in and about. You are welcome, so please trot on down to City Hall.

Can you believe those Hereford High School volleyball girls? What a marvelous Christmas present for the citizens of Deaf Smith County. Those girls exhibited a world of heart and a strong belief in themselves as well as giving credit to God. Way to go, volleyball team and Coach Brenda Kitten! Thanks for making us the envy of Texas.

As we rapidly approach Christmas, let me extend our heartiest greetings to you and yours from your City Commission and city staff. We are trying to make a positive difference in your life and we hope that we are succeeding.

Merry Christmas to all of you!

Bob Josseland is mayor of Hereford.

Looking for the perfect Christmas tree

DON COOPER

Reflections

Driving around town at night, I've seen quite a few Christmas trees ablaze in windows.

The trees are beautiful, and I enjoy them, but it's still hard for me not to think it's too early to put up a tree.

When I was a kid in southwest Arkansas, I lived on a farm about 3 miles from town, so every Christmas Eve, my mother and I would tramp over the farm in search of the perfect tree. My father never took part on any of these tree-hunting expeditions; he drove a truck and usually didn't get home until late in the day.

I used to wonder why we never got a tree until Christmas Eve, especially since most of my friends' trees were put up the weekend before Christmas. Even my cousins' trees were up two or three days before Christmas.

There were two reasons why Mom was so set on Christmas Eve for the tree.

One reason was practical. The longer the tree was up, the drier it would get, and that increased the risk of a fire. Since the tree was going to stay up until New Year's Day, she wanted to wait until closer to Christmas to get the tree.

The other reason was traditional. When she was a little girl, her family always cut and decorated the tree on Christmas Eve. My mother was a stickler for family traditions (especially when they served her purposes), so it had to be done the way her family had always done it.

I used to think there were 11 commandments and the 11th was: "Thou shalt not put up a tree before Christmas Eve."

It usually was chilly, although never white, on Christmas Eve when Mom decided it was time to go find our tree.

She would bundle up - all the while checking to make sure that I was properly outfitted for an Arctic expedition - grab the hatchet that was just inside the door of the storage building, a former smokehouse, behind the house, and we would set off up the hill toward where there was a large grove of cedar trees.

Mom was also firmly convinced that the only proper tree was a cedar tree. My Aunt Missie made the mistake of buying a pine tree one Christmas,

and she had to endure my mother's scorn for several weeks, which is probably why Missie was the first in the family to buy an artificial tree. I guess she decided if it couldn't be a cedar, at least it could look like one.

I wasn't very choosy. I usually liked the first cedar that I saw that was likely to touch the ceiling. But Mom had her exacting standards.

"No," she would say, her lips tight and shaking her head from side to side when I would point out what I thought was a good tree. "Look at the gap on that side. It just wouldn't look right."

This little routine would go on through four or five trees - too short, too crooked, too tall for the house, not full enough - until she spotted the one she thought best.

A few chops with the hatchet, and we'd grab an end of carry the tree back to house, where she already had carefully arranged the decorations.

Mom wasn't one of those people who like conformity in her decorations. No, she didn't like to have just all blue balls, or all red balls - she liked the tree to be a cornucopia of color, shapes and sizes. There would be little Santas, birds, animals, balls, snowflakes, even Christmas cards hanging on our tree.

At the top was a rather battered star that never sat up straight, but it had been a gift from her grandmother years before, so it had its place of honor.

The last thing we did was put the presents under the tree. After that was done, Mom also had me turn out the lights and we'd go outside to see how the tree would look from the little gravel road that ran in front of our house.

It always looked wonderful to me, but Mom would always shake her head and say, "Well, it's not quite as good as last year's, but it's nice."



Hey! Just try to listen to people!

I'm not a very patient or tactful person, but I normally try to accept everyone just as they are. I don't care about the color of a person's skin or what church they go to, but I do mind stupidity.

It's bad enough that anytime you make a phone call, the answering party says, "You have reached the desk of ----. I am not in right now, but if you leave a message, etc., etc., etc."

And, when you finally reach an honest-to-goodness living human every question is answered with "UH, I don't know. UH, I'll give you the number of ----. They'll have the answer."

What good is a public information office when the people in the office either can't or won't answer the public's questions?

It's kind of like when you're in a

DIANNA F. DANDRIDGE

The Real World

strange area and you stop to ask someone directions.

I love it when some old fella says "Go down to old Mr. Green's house turn right, go about a half mile 'til you get to Frank's farm"

If I'm asking directions, how much of a chance do I have of knowing old Mr. Green or even Frank?

Or better than that is the hovering salesperson hoping to make a big commission or trying to prevent a known shoplifter from doing his thing.

You walk into a shop and head for the Misses apparel. Then this little bitty tiny (size 3) salesgirl offers to help. You tell her you are looking for a swimsuit. She shows you two matching scraps of material that together aren't as big as tissue. Maybe we should make it clear who we are planning to purchase the item for.

Another fun trick is to be the only woman in a busy car parts house on Saturday afternoon.

Gays at part houses always wait on the other guys before waiting on a woman. Finally, when there are no more men in the shop, some guy decides to ask if you need something.

"Yes, I need a top and a bottom radiator hose for a 1989 Plymouth Grand Caravan, L.E, straight six, fully equipped, electric everything."

Then the guy asks, "Does it have air conditioning?"

If it's a fully equipped, luxury edition of any vehicle, doesn't it make sense that it has an air conditioner?"

My all-time favorite, though, is when you've managed to have some sort of accident. Blood is gushing from an open wound and you're ready

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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Editorials

By The Associated Press

Here are excerpts from editorials in newspapers in the United States and abroad:

The (Portland) Oregonian, on Kyoto conference on global warming:

Will our descendants hate us 50 years from now for leaving them a climatic disaster?

That's the question that ought to draw prime attention from the delegates to the international conference on global warming that opens today in Kyoto, Japan. ...

Developing nations worry that their economic growth will be restricted; many industrialized nations worry that they will be asked to bear the bulk of the burden of correcting a problem for which they are the bulk of the cause. ...

No matter how serious the threat, the Kyoto conference at best will only produce a minimalist response. What's critical, however, is not a total, global solution but movement in the responsible direction toward restraint on greenhouse gas emissions and enhanced support for essential scientific research on global warming. ...

The Gazette, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, on new weight-reducing medication:

The latest in a long line of "silver bullets" or magic antidotes sought by too many overweight Americans appears destined to be on the market soon. The Food and Drug Administration has cleared for distribution a new compound, called Meridia.

So desperate are many of the 58 million overweight Americans for respite from the excess baggage they carry that they may consider the new medication's unknown side-effects a justifiable trade-off for the potential loss of unwanted and unhealthy body weight.

Meridia arrives on the heels of the FDA's decision to ban distribution of Redux and fenfluramine because of the apparent risk of heart valve damage. The newcomer has been greeted in some quarters as a "moderately effective" course of treatment for some who qualify as seriously obese. Yet, the FDA warned that Meridia may affect blood pressure and pulse rates in some patients. ...

The Wall Street Journal, on Japan's economy:

If Japan wants to find a way out of its financial difficulties, it need look no further than the policies of a man who studied economics at Eureka College in Illinois: Ronald Reagan. Tokyo has tried about everything else this decade, to no avail. How about something that actually worked, the policy mix that President Reagan introduced in his first term, with a tax cut at its center? After the initial shock that resulted from firming a slumping dollar, the United States went on an upward growth path that has continued with little interruption to this day.

The Reagan policy mix consisted of sharply reducing the highest marginal personal income tax rates to restore incentives for work and investment, broad economic

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deregulation, a sharp reduction of inflation and a moderation in the growth of public spending.

Japan has a chance to do something similar next month when the government announces a package that again addresses tax policy. Surely by now the Ministry of Finance has learned that you can't restart an economy with nothing more than the slender and slippery tool of monetary policy. The Bank of Japan has cut short-term interest rates to around a half a percentage point, but the economy just hasn't responded to easy money. ...

Evening Standard, London, on attempt to patent Princess Diana's face:

The attempt by the Diana trustees to patent the late Princess' face is an absurd conceit. The notion of slapping a "copyright" symbol on Diana's physiognomy suggests that those who have applied to the patents office lost their marbles on the way. No sane person could believe you can copyright a face - any face. The Silly Season is in August. Not December.

Liberation, Paris, on global warming conference:

The first success of the conference on global warming at Kyoto is that it happened. That is proof that warnings about the consequences of global warming have been heard.

And even better, there is a general agreement on the diagnosis: global warming is essentially caused by carbon gas emissions released by burning fossil fuels.

The treatment still is being debated, though, and that's where the pain is.

Contrary to popular belief, the most precarious disagreement facing the conference is not between the United States and Europe.

The most complex problem lies in convincing emerging nations, whose energy needs are growing exponentially, not to repeat the errors of already industrialized countries. ...

Der Bund, Bern, Switzerland, on Swiss banks' gold dealings with Nazi Germany:

The commercial banks accepted more gold from the German Reichsbank in World War II than was previously suspected. Does this mean more trouble for Switzerland? ...

Some will accuse the commission (of international historians) of going too far in its interpretation of the facts. Others will accuse it of lack of courage.

In the heat of the battle, the fact that the debate over the past is above an enormous opportunity for Switzerland threatens to be forgotten.

At last a public debate that should have happened long ago is being held.

Those who close their ears and carry on repeating that Switzerland's gold and credit policies were correct for a neutral state, and that their use to the German arms industry was infinitesimally small, are missing out on this opportunity. ...

HEREFORD BRAND

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor:

Time...sometimes all too critical. People hurt in major accidents need quick care and service from their health care providers. Sometimes we don't realize for our own good how crucial that time element is.

What I'm saying to your readers is how vital it is for Hereford and Deaf Smith County to have our local hospital. Without our hospital, there would be times when it could be too late for someone.

One of the factors that keeps our local hospital alive and vibrant is your Deaf Smith Healthcare Foundation. The Foundation Board is comprised of local citizens who give of their time, dollars and efforts to make your hospital a better place. We need your help for the Foundation to continue to improve its support of the hospital.

During this holiday season, you could make a big difference for the Deaf Smith Healthcare Foundation by making a financial gift just because you care; but you can also make a gift honoring someone, or in memory of a loved one, or just because you care enough.

Please think about what a difference one hour can make when medical attention is necessary. Then open your hearts to help support the Foundation.

Robert D. Josseland,
Board Member

Dear Editor:

This may be one of the most important letters your readers will ever read. They are being offered a special opportunity to help save the lives of the youngest Americans. A pro-life pilgrimage from the Diocese of Amarillo is now little more than a dream, but it can become a reality.

A bus has been reserved to take us to the Jan. 23 National March for Life in Washington, D.C. This was done entirely on faith. We need 47 people to say "Yes to Life" by stepping forward in faith to sign up for this special pilgrimage. We are far short of having enough people to pay for the bus.

As far as we know, this will be the first time the Panhandle will be represented in the National March for Life by a busload of pilgrims. At this time, only about eight or nine persons have signed up to make the trip.

The bus ticket and lodging (two nights) will cost about \$200. This is the actual costs; there is no group promotion for profit or whatever. The route takes us through the scenic mountain areas of Tennessee and Virginia. Overnight stays, coming and going will be in Roanoke, Va.

Every day, another 4,000 American babies are murdered before birth. We must stand up for them. For more information, contact Margaret Diller, 364-8564, or 258-7218 evenings.

Shirley Anderson

The Hereford Brand welcomes letters to the editor on subjects of interest to our readers. Short letters are most likely to be chosen for publication, but the use of any material is at the discretion of the editor. The editor reserves the right to edit letters to meet space requirements, for clarity, or to avoid obscenity, libel or invasion of privacy.

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IMF: Asian crisis cuts world growth

WASHINGTON (AP) - In its most extensive assessment so far of the financial firestorm sweeping Asia, the International Monetary Fund said Friday the crisis may soon be contained but has already shaved nearly a full percentage point off world growth next year.

At the same time, the lending agency defended the tough austerity programs it is imposing, saying Asia's battered economies have no choice but to make painful reforms.

Deputy IMF Managing Director Stanley Fischer and other IMF officials briefed reporters Friday in Washington, a day after the IMF's 24-member executive board gave its final approval of a \$21 billion loan program for South Korea.

The IMF loans will be part of a total package of international assistance for South Korea that is expected to top \$60 billion, making it the largest bailout in IMF history, surpassing the \$48 billion program for Mexico two years ago.

Earlier this year, Thailand received approval for a \$17.2 billion bailout package and in October, Indonesia received a \$40 billion bailout as one after another of the once strong Asian economies has fallen victim to

plunging currencies, stock market declines and spreading bankruptcies.

Fischer said that it was essential for South Korea, Thailand and Indonesia to follow the stiff reform plans they agreed to in return for the IMF bailout assistance so that they can stabilize the current crisis.

"We are confident these programs will succeed if fully implemented," Fischer said. "We are confident that doing so is the best way to restore growth of the miracle economies of Asia."

But Fischer said the fallout from the turmoil, which resulted in the biggest one-day point loss in Wall Street history, has already taken a toll on the world economy.

He said the IMF has revised its estimate for economic growth to 3.5 percent for 1998, down from its 4.3 percent forecast just last September.

Private economists have predicted that growth in the United States is likely to be reduced by one-half percentage point next year, reflecting slower growth in U.S. exports to the troubled Asian economies and higher imports from those countries because their weaker currencies will make their products cheaper in the U.S. market.

Raymond James & Associates Research Finishes First in Quarterly, One-Year Results for Wall Street Stock Selection Competition

(Hereford, TX) - Raymond James & Associates, Inc. finished first among 16 investment firms in the quarterly stock picking competition tabulated by Zacks Investment Research Inc. and reported in the "Wall Street Journal," with a return of 28.3 percent for the quarter and 59.5 percent during the trailing 12-month period ended September 30, according to Dan Warrick C.P.A., of the Investment Management & Research's Hereford office. (Investment Management & Research is an affiliate of Raymond James.)

The firm also finished second for the five-year period ended September 30 with a 314.4 percent return for the trailing five years, according to the November 6 "Wall Street Journal."

This compares to a 156.9 percent return for the S&P 500 Index over the five-year period, 40.5 percent for trailing 12 months and 7.5 percent for the September quarter.

"We are very pleased that the Raymond James research has topped the chart," he continues.

The stock recommendations which are submitted to Zacks for review are published regularly on the Raymond James "Focus List." A copy of that list is avail-

able by contacting Warrick.

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For additional information, please contact: Dan Warrick, C.P.A. at 364-4087. (advertisement)

El Nino hits S. California with storms

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Sandbags were at the ready and holiday plans were postponed as Southern California was battered by its first El Nino-powered storm of the season.

Rain, high winds and heavy surf pounded the region and were expected to continue through the weekend, though emergency officials vowed they were ready.

"We've got about 100,000 sandbags salted away," said Andy Rosenberger with the state Office of Emergency Services in Santa Barbara. "We've kind of planned it to death."

Cheri Hudson at an Orange County sandbag pickup point urged everyone in the area to be prepared: "It's better to be safe than sorry."

The storm's first band hit Friday and dumped 3.28 inches of rain on Goleta and 2.09 inches in Santa Barbara, the National Weather Service said. Farther south, 1.89 inches were recorded in Oxnard and 1.02 inches in Woodland Hills.

More rain was expected today with the next wave of the storm, and the weather service issued a flash flood watch for some mountain and coastal regions. Urban and small stream flood advisories also were issued.

Waves of up to 9 feet were expected along the coastline, and between 2 and 5 inches of snow were predicted in the mountains, where the snow line was expected to fall to about 5,500 feet.

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to pass out from the sight and pain and someone is bound to ask, "Are you hurt?"

"No! I'm just trying to see how much blood I can lose without it killing me!"

The point is not so much that we all say and do stupid things, but that when we are dealing with the public we really need to make a conscious effort to appear to have some semblance of intelligence.

Maybe the secretary should try to take down a phone number and message. Maybe just really listening to what is asked would help immensely.



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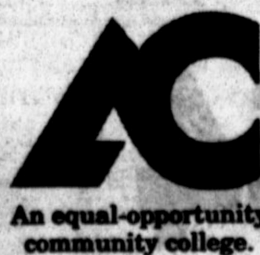
"A Closer Look: 1997 Tax Act Opportunities"

The seminar will be held in the Hereford Independent School District Building.

Refreshments will be served. RSVP by Friday, December 5th, 1997 by calling 364-3740.

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Amarillo College

Placement Testing for Spring classes is 6 p.m. Thursday, Dec. 11, 1997 at Hereford High School. Regular registration is 6-7 p.m. Monday, Jan. 12, 1998 at Hereford High.



Contact Severo Reyna at 363-7625.

Course Title	Day	Time (p.m.)	Instructor
Computer Concepts	W	7:15-10	Regina Vieth
Computer Concepts Laboratory	W	5:10-7	Regina Vieth
Basic Grammar I	TT	7-8:20	Staff
Basic Writing I	TT	8:30-9:45	Staff
Freshman Composition I	Tu	7-9:45	Cheri Zinck
Freshman Composition II	Tu	7-9:45	Cheri Zinck
Government of the United States	W	7-9:45	Severo Reyna
Government of Texas and U.S.	W	7-9:45	Severo Reyna
History of the United States I	M	7-9:45	Malcolm Manchee
History of the United States II	M	7-9:45	Malcolm Manchee
Basic Algebra I	M	7-9:45	Becky Weatherly
Basic Algebra II	M	7-9:45	Becky Weatherly
College Algebra	Th	7-9:45	Staff
Child Psychology	Tu	7-9:45	Katherine Claypool
Reading Techniques II	M	7-9:45	Linda Lowe
Business-Professional Speaking	Th	7-9:45	Don Abel

TOM BAUM

Inside Politics

GOP leaders vow push for counsel

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Clinton is hoping for a "return to normal," but Attorney General Janet Reno's decision against seeking a new special prosecutor has touched off a storm of new Republican criticism.

Reno's decision was clearly a cause for small celebration - or at least large relief - for President Clinton and Vice President Al Gore.

Clinton has seen the continuing inquiry into 1996 fund-raising abuses become a major second-term distraction. For Gore, it was an irritating interference with preparations for a 2000 presidential run.

But Republican leaders pledged not to let the matter die with Reno's decision on Tuesday against seeking an independent counsel investigation into telephone fund-raising calls by Clinton and Gore.

Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., called it a preordained "tragedy."

Rep. Dan Burton, R-Ind., who heads the House fund-raising investigation, said he would call Reno to testify before his committee next week to explain her action - and also would question FBI Director Louis Freeh, who openly disagreed with Reno's conclusion.

And Sen. Fred Thompson, R-Tenn., chairman of the Senate inquiry, said his panel would take a fresh look next year at modifying the independent counsel law.

Thompson accused Reno of "misinterpreting the law" and reading it too narrowly. Her interpretation hamstrung the FBI, he asserted.

Still, even though it was clear that Reno had become a new target for conservatives - and Freeh a new heroic figure to them - Thompson observed with intended irony, "As long as Janet Reno has Congress as her enemy, she's OK."

"People think less of us than of her," he said. Reno denied that pressure or politics played a role in her decision - a decision that became a lonely one once she found herself opposed by the FBI director.

But while Republicans know attacks against Reno will appeal to outraged conservatives, Democratic defenders suggested she is one of the less political of attorneys general.

After all, said Rep. Robert Torricelli, D-N.J., a member of the Thompson committee, John Kennedy appointed his brother Robert to the job, while Richard Nixon and Ronald Reagan appointed friends and political operatives - John Mitchell and Edwin Meese, respectively.

"Janet Reno stands apart," Torricelli said. Republicans have tried to persuade the public that fund-raising misdeeds are a Democratic scandal. But critics suggest they've failed to score any direct hits with their congressional hearings.

Thompson's inquiry was plagued with uncooperative participants. It also came under attack from Republican lawmakers who suggested the panel was tougher on their fellows, like former GOP chairman Haley Barbour, than on Democrats.

The Burton hearings got off to a slow, rocky start - but now they're the only remaining GOP congressional probe of the issue.

Public opinion polls suggest voters have yet to develop much interest in the investigation. "I don't think people are going to take to the streets on this one," said pollster Andrew Kohut of the Pew Center for the People and the Press.

Furthermore, Clinton's approval ratings have increased steadily in spite of the GOP investigations, and Gore's don't seem to be getting any worse. Kohut cited a poll last week by his organization that found that Gore's "favorable" ratings were at 57 percent, compared with 38 percent "unfavorable."

That's down from 65 favorable - 29 unfavorable at the start of the year, but close to where Gore stood in April.

That wasn't stopping Republicans from trying to capitalize on the issue and seeking to tar Reno, who maintained that Tuesday's decision did not exonerate anyone and that a Justice Department task force would continue its investigation.

"Once again, she is doing nothing more than protecting members of the Clinton administration," Burton said.

"I think she ought to resign," said GOP chairman Jim Nicholson. Political scientist Steven Wayne of Georgetown University thinks that both Republicans and the Democratic administration gain something from Reno's decision.

"It will give the Republicans ammunition" for more political attacks. "And it does sort of officially let Clinton and Gore off the hook."

Tom Baum covers politics and national affairs for The Associated Press.

Bush facing arrest?

AUSTIN (AP) - A Round Rock man running for the GOP nomination for governor has threatened to make a citizen's arrest of Republican Gov. George W. Bush.

R.C. Crawford says he first intends to seek a federal arrest of the governor over an 1883 state law that Crawford says isn't being enforced.

Crawford said the law gives judges and lawyers the power to determine which laws approved by the Legislature should be enforced. He blames Bush and the Supreme Court for "hiding this law."

"Should federal forces refuse to arrest you, I will make a citizen's arrest," Crawford wrote in a letter to the governor and distributed to news media Friday.

Karen Hughes, Bush's spokeswoman, said Capitol police have met with Crawford and informed him that he has no authority to arrest the governor.

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Names in the News

LUCIANO PAVAROTTI

ROME (AP) - The taxman wants to have a word with Luciano Pavarotti.

Reports in the Italian media say the tenor is the first "big fish" tax authorities are going after in a new operation aimed at more than 100 rich and famous expatriates.

The reports said Pavarotti is accused of failing to report about \$6 million in income from concerts he gave abroad.

His official residence is the tax haven of Monte Carlo, but authorities reportedly claim he really lives in Italy, which taxes the worldwide income of its residents.

The singer's accountant, Vanni Trombetta, told the Rome daily *Il Messaggero* that Pavarotti "has always declared income that non-residents are required to declare in Italy."

"DEVIL'S ADVOCATE"

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (AP) - The National Cathedral and a prominent sculptor are suing Warner Bros. because they claim a central image in the movie "Devil's Advocate" is a distorted, sexually graphic copy of a religious artwork over the cathedral's main entrance.

In the movie, which stars Al Pacino as Satan disguised as a New York lawyer, human figures in a large sculpture on a wall appear to come to life and have sex, the lawsuit said.

The figures in the movie sculpture are "virtually mirror images" of the forms in the sculpture "Ex Nihilo" at the cathedral, according to the lawsuit filed in federal court.

"Ex Nihilo," a 1983 bas-relief, depicts the creation of mankind in the book of Genesis. Sculptor Frederick Hart and the cathedral claim the movie violates their copyright and damages their reputations.

They want to stop further distribution of the movie and promotional materials featuring the

sculpture. They also seek damages and a share of the film's profits.

Warner Bros. spokeswoman Barbara Brogliatti declined to comment Friday because the company had not seen the lawsuit.

SUSAN SARANDON

WASHINGTON (AP) - Susan Sarandon gave her alma mater a piece of her mind by returning an alumni achievement award it gave her 15 years ago.

The Oscar-winning actress was upset over Catholic University's decision to rescind actor-director Joseph Sicari's alumni achievement award after he said he was a "founding member" of the AIDS activist group ACT-UP. *The Washington Post* reported Friday.

Catholic University cited a 1989 ACT-UP protest in which several activists disrupted Communion at St. Patrick's Cathedral in New York.

Sicari told the *Post* he took no part in the protest and said the university's move "was like a Catholic witch hunt."

The *Post* said Sarandon, who received the award in 1982, complained to university officials: "If you are following the tenets of the Catholic Church, you should have mine back, too. I don't deserve it. I just think that this mixing of politics and religion is dangerous."

A university spokesman said no other alumnus had returned an award.

CHRISTIAN SLATER

SANTA MONICA, Calif. (AP) - Christian Slater is being sued by a police officer who claims he suffered physical and emotional injuries in a struggle to arrest the actor.

Los Angeles police Officer Julio Flores said he suffered emotional distress, was hospitalized and unable to work for a time due to his injuries, according to a complaint filed last month in Municipal Court.

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Sports

On the Sidelines

NHL

Friday's Games
 Washington 3, Florida 2, OT
 Phoenix 2, Carolina 2, tie
 Buffalo 4, Tampa Bay 0
 Philadelphia 4, N.Y. Rangers 4, tie
 Dallas 4, Calgary 1
 Edmonton 8, Detroit 1

Saturday's Games
 Carolina at Boston, 6 p.m.
 Anaheim at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
 Phoenix at N.Y. Islanders, 6 p.m.
 Buffalo at Ottawa, 6:30 p.m.
 N.Y. Rangers at Montreal, 6:30 p.m.
 Tampa Bay at New Jersey, 6:30 p.m.
 Los Angeles at Toronto, 6:30 p.m.
 Calgary at St. Louis, 7:30 p.m.
 Vancouver at Colorado, 8:30 p.m.

NBA

Friday's Games
 New Jersey 107, Philadelphia 88
 Miami 117, Boston 87
 Seattle 84, Detroit 69
 Minnesota 101, Sacramento 90
 Portland 94, Utah 77
 Chicago 84, Milwaukee 82
 Indiana 88, Denver 85
 Phoenix 110, Toronto 91
 Cleveland 107, Vancouver 88
 L.A. Lakers 88, San Antonio 88
 Golden State 104, Orlando 88

Saturday's Games
 Charlotte at New York, 12 p.m.
 Minnesota at Washington, 6 p.m.
 Houston vs. Dallas at Houston, 8 p.m.
 Orlando at L.A. Clippers, 10:30 p.m.

NCAA Basketball

EAST
 Army 57, Bethany, W.Va. 39
 Manhattan 84, Iona 82, OT

SOUTH
 North Carolina 60, Chattanooga 38
 South Carolina 74, Virginia Tech 73

MIDWEST
 Buffalo 70, NE Illinois 59
 Minnesota 63, W. Carolina 46

SOUTHWEST
 No major team scores reported from the SOUTHWEST.

FAR WEST
 Montana 87, W. Illinois 85

TOURNAMENTS
American Classic
 First Round
 Grambling St. 53, Cornell 49
 Nebraska 85, N.C.-Wilmington 88

Cyprus Challenge
 First Round
 Coppin St. 60, SW Texas St. 59
 Iowa St. 83, Texas Southern 60

First Bank Classic
 First Round
 Marquette 84, Montana St. 80
 St. Bonaventure 88, Ohio U. 48

CVC Classic
 First Round
 Ball St. 69, Quinnipiac 48
 Mississippi 102, Long Island U. 88

Phoenix Classic
 Championship
 Fairfield 52, Yale 41

First Round
 Hartford 85, Conn. Connecticut St. 72

Pizza Hut Classic
 First Round
 Bowling Green 88, Maine 88
 SW Missouri St. 80, Texas-San Antonio 54

Super Clays Shootout
 First Round
 Iowa 81, Rice 52
 Weber St. 81, Mount St. Mary's, Md. 73

IN BRIEF

Iowa steams Rice

IOWA CITY, Iowa (AP) -- Guy Rucker and Ricky Davis each scored 14 points as No. 10 Iowa beat Rice 81-52 Friday night at the Hawkeyes' Super Shootout. Iowa (5-0), which led 41-18 at halftime, will play Weber State for the championship on Saturday night.

Bobby Crawford scored 12 points and Robert Johnson 10 for Rice (2-6).

Marshall wins MAC

The Associated Press
 Randy Moss caught three touchdown passes as Marshall (10-2) beat Toledo 34-14 to earn the automatic bid to the inaugural Motor City Bowl on Dec. 26 in Pontiac, Mich.

Moss' three scores gave him 25 TD catches this season, breaking the mark of 22 he shared with Houston's Manny Hazard, set in 1989.

UTSA pounded

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) -- Southwest Missouri State held the University of Texas-San Antonio to a field goal and a free throw in the first 9:15 on the way to a 90-54 win Friday in a semifinal of the Pizza Hut Classic tournament.

The Bears advanced to Saturday night's championship game against Bowling Green, which defeated Maine 89-83 in the first semifinal.

Southwest Missouri (2-3) scored 17 straight points to take a 21-3 lead with 11:25 remaining in the first half. The Bears led Texas-San Antonio (2-3) 41-18 at the half.

Sports calendar

Monday
Basketball
 Hereford freshman boys, "B" and "A," at Amarillo Caprock, 6 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

Tuesday
Basketball
 Lubbock Monterey boys, sophomore, junior varsity and varsity, at Hereford, 4:30 p.m., 4:30 p.m., 6 p.m.

Canyon girls, junior varsity and varsity, at Hereford, 6 p.m., 7:30 p.m.

Two plead guilty in ASU gambling probe

PHOENIX (AP) -- Deep in debt from gambling, Stevin "Hedake" Smith asked Arizona State teammate Isaac Burton Jr. in 1994 if he would miss some free throws against Oregon State, if needed, to shave points.

That conspiracy turned into what federal officials Friday called one of the nation's worst sports gambling scandals.

In an agreement struck with federal prosecutors, Smith, 25, and Burton, 24, pleaded guilty to conspiracy charges. The two former

Sun Devils admitted taking the bribes for fixing four games in 1994.

The FBI also announced a 72-count indictment against four men accused of conspiring to fix games. More indictments are expected.

Indicted in the scandal were sometime bookmaker Benny Silman, 26, of San Diego, a former partner in a cappuccino stand at America West Arena; Joseph Gagliano Jr., 29, a Phoenix investment adviser; and alleged bookmakers Dominic Mangiamiele, 61, of Mount Prospect,

Ill., and his son, Joseph Mangiamiele, 36, of Arlington Heights, Ill.

The charges against them include sports bribery, conspiracy to commit sports bribery, interstate transportation and aid of racketeering.

"This is one of the most significant sports bribery conspiracies involving college athletes in the country, and I must stress the investigation is not over," said Bruce Gephardt, head of the FBI's Phoenix office.

The NCAA said there would be no

sanctions against Arizona State.

"To date, there is no information ... indicating that the institution knew or should have known" about the fixed games, Bill Saum, the NCAA's agent and gambling issues representative, said at a news conference on the Arizona State campus. "What occurred here today is the result of a societal problem, not just an Arizona State problem."

The conspiracy charge against Smith, the school's No. 2 career scorer, and Burton carries a possible

five-year prison sentence and \$250,000 fine. But Gephardt said they would likely receive a lighter sentence in return for testimony against others in the case.

Potential penalties for the four others on the 72 counts could total hundreds of years in prison and millions of dollars in fines.

The FBI arrested the Mangiamieles on Thursday, and they were released on bond Friday. Summonses were

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Plainview pulls away from Herd in 2nd half

From staff reports
PLAINVIEW -- It was almost as if two different Hereford Whiteface basketball teams showed up at their second-round game at the Plainview Lions Club Tournament.

Unfortunately, the Hereford team that played in the second half didn't play anything like the team that played in the first half against the Plainview Bulldogs.

Outscoring the Whitefaces 44-13 in the second half, the Bulldogs pulled away to rout Hereford 69-35 Friday night.

"It was a Dr. Jeckyl and Mr. Hyde," Hereford head coach Randy Dean said. "We didn't match their intensity (in the second half). That's

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Surrounded by Dimmitt Bobcats, Hereford's Mitch Wagner takes a shot Tuesday night in Kenneth Cleveland Gymnasium in Dimmitt during a non-district game.

Photo by Julius Bodner

Dallas snuffs Flames

DALLAS (AP) -- Ed Belfour stopped 20 shots and Pat Verbeek had a goal and an assist as the Dallas Stars beat the Calgary Flames 4-1 Friday night for their seventh straight win.

The Stars were without top scorer Mike Modano, lost for four to six weeks with a torn knee ligament suffered on a check by Edmonton's Bryan Marchment in a game on Wednesday night.

Belfour (16-4-4) continued his strong work as the Stars improved to 10-1-0 in their last 11 games. With a 20-7-4 record for 44 points, the Stars top the NHL.

Michael Nylander ended Belfour's bid for his club-record seventh shutout with 11:34 left, Nylander's ninth goal.

Jamie Langenbrunner, Bob Bassen, Tony Hrkac and Verbeek provided the goals for the Stars. Hrkac, called up from Michigan of the International Hockey League to replace Modano, notched a third-period power-play goal to extend Dallas' lead to 3-0. Hrkac hadn't scored an NHL goal since March 4, 1994 for the St. Louis Blues.

Verbeek completed the scoring with 3:17 left, notching his 12th off a rebound.

Dallas' penalty killing shut down four Calgary power-play chances. The Stars have blanked the opposition in the past 34 power-play chances.

Meanwhile, the Flames are scoreless in their last 46 power-play opportunities.

Calgary 0-1-1
 Dallas 11-2-4

First Period -- 1, Dallas, Langenbrunner 14, 7:40. Penalties -- Hulse, Cal (tripping), 2:19; Verbeek, Dal, misconduct, 6:01; Marchment, Dal (hooking), 8:32; Hrkac, Cal (hooking), 12:07.

Second Period -- 2, Dallas, Bassen 2 (Harvey), 12:02. Penalties -- Fleury, Cal (roughing), 3:32; Hulse, Cal (roughing), 3:32; Verbeek, Dal (roughing), 3:32; Ludwig, Dal (elbowing), 2:33; Chambers, Dal, misconduct, 12:33; Silman, Cal, misconduct, 12:33.

Third Period -- 3, Dallas, Hrkac (Sydor, Verbeek), 2:17 (pp), 4, Calgary, Nylander 6 (Simpson, Titor), 8:26, 5, Dallas, Verbeek 12 (Neuwendyk, Ludwig), 16:43. Penalties -- Hulse, Cal (slashing), 1:15; Errey, Dal (slashing), 5:27; Zalapski, Cal, major (fighting), 18:25; O'Sullivan, Cal, double minor (roughing), 18:25; Sydor, Dal, major (fighting), 18:25; Lind, Dal (roughing), 18:25.

Shots on goal -- Calgary 9-7-5-21, Dallas 9-11-5-25.

Power-play Opportunities -- Calgary 0 of 4; Dallas 1 of 6.

Goalies -- Calgary, Rolosen 0-4-2 (25 shots-21 saves), Dallas, Belfour 10-4-4 (21-20, A - 16, 88 (16, 82)).

Referee -- Mark Faucette. Lineamen -- Dan McCourt, Dan Schachte.



Hereford's Briar Baker takes a shot in traffic as Lubbock Coronado's Shelby Williams (23) and Ginny Toon defend Nov. 25 at Whiteface Gymnasium.

Photo by Julius Bodner

Lady Whitefaces reach Angelo tourney finals

From staff reports
SAN ANGELO -- The Hereford Lady Whitefaces won twice Friday to advance to the finals of the Concho River Classic for the second straight year.

Hereford senior Catie Betzen scored 18 points to lead the Lady Whitefaces to a 64-47 second-round win over Class 5A Midland High. Julie Rampley added 17 points for Hereford.

Rebecca Nobles had 12 points to lead the Lady Bulldogs.

"Catie's really shooting the ball

well," Hereford head coach Eddie Fortenberry said. "She's had a shoulder problem ... and it's actually helped her two-point shooting."

Hereford got out fast on Midland, staking themselves to a 17-8 lead after the first quarter. Both teams picked up the pace in the second quarter, but the Lady Whitefaces took a 36-21 lead at half.

"They were a talented 5A team," Fortenberry said. "We're starting to get to that consistency that we

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Seventh-graders win pair

From staff reports
 Hereford Junior High School's seventh-grade "A" and "B" boys basketball teams both won their first-round games Thursday at the Hereford Invitational Tournament.

The "A" team got 16 points from Wade McNutt to beat Canyon Westover 47-33. Derek Mendoza and Stewart Carr both added seven points, and Tyler Yenzler had six points for the Whitefaces.

Hereford took a 13-5 lead after the first quarter and extended the advantage to 28-9 at halftime.

Westover started a rally in the third, outscoring the Whitefaces 13-7 to close the gap to 35-22 going into fourth quarter.

In other first-round "A" games, Pampa downed Dumas 42-34; Plainview dumped Canyon 49-35 and Borger routed Dimmitt 64-36.

The Whitefaces were to face Borger at 7:45 p.m. Friday night in their second-round game.

In the "B" game, Hereford used a 13-point fourth quarter to pull away

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Dallas, Carolina look to keep struggling seasons alive

IRVING (AP) -- The Carolina Panthers can finish off a season for the Dallas Cowboys twice in one year.

The Panthers knocked the Cowboys out of the NFL playoffs on Jan. 5 with a 26-17 victory in the NFC divisional championships as Kerry Collins threw two touchdown passes. Michael Irvin suffered a separated shoulder in the first quarter and Deion Sanders broke an orbit bone around his eye in the second half.

The Panthers can put the Cowboys down again Monday night as the two teams try to stay alive with 6-7 records.

"It's ironic, isn't it?" said Dallas running back Emmitt Smith. "Both teams were flying high earlier in the year. Now, we're struggling to keep in the race. Both teams are frustrated. I know we are."

But forget a revenge factor as far as the Cowboys are concerned.

"We just need to win a game," Smith said. "We need to win three games. And we haven't won three

games in a row all season."

Irvin, who was injured on a tackle by linebacker Lamar Lathon, said survival is all the Cowboys have in mind.

"Believe me, I won't be running over there to Lathon," Irvin said. "I want to stay far, far away from him."

Sanders won't play against Carolina, but it isn't because of the orbit bone, which healed. He fractured a rib last week and the injury is so painful that rookie Kevin Mathis will start at cornerback.

Cornerback Eric Davis of the Panthers, who could be matched up against Irvin, said "this game isn't at all like the playoff game. It's two different seasons and two different teams. It's two teams fighting for their lives. Things haven't worked out this year for either club. In a way, this is a playoff game for both clubs, with the loser likely out."

Carolina coach Dom Capers said the Panthers won't have any edge because they won in January over the Cowboys.

"That's water over the dam,"

Capers said. "Both teams need a win. Both teams have been inconsistent and have been battling injuries."

Something else is different: Both clubs have banged-up quarterbacks.

Collins, who broke a jaw earlier in the year, suffered a concussion last week against the New Orleans Saints. He's expected to play.

Dallas quarterback Troy Aikman, who had a concussion earlier this season, has been battling back spasms and a swollen thumb on his passing hand he jammed in a 27-14 loss to Tennessee on Thanksgiving Day. He expected to play.

While losing Sanders, the Cowboys gain strong safety Darren Woodson, who had been battling a shoulder injury, and defensive tackle Leon Lett, who missed the first 13 games because of an NFL-mandated drug suspension.

"The Cowboys will be better physically up front with Lett back in there," Capers said.

"We'll play Leon a lot," said Dallas coach Barry Switzer. "He came back in good shape. He had been playing basketball."

Van Exel leads L.A. past Spurs, 98-88

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) -- Nick Van Exel scored 25 points, including consecutive 3-pointers that restored a double-digit lead in the fourth quarter, as the Los Angeles Lakers defeated the San Antonio Spurs 98-88 Friday night.

The Lakers, whose 15-2 record is the league's best, are 8-0 at the Forum and remain the only NBA team with a perfect home record.

Elton Brand added 21 points and Kobe Bryant had 17 for Los Angeles, which had five players in double figures.

David Robinson, saddled with four fouls midway through the final period, led San Antonio with 19 points and 10 rebounds. Ronnie Turpin added 18 points and nine rebounds.

Van Exel and Bryant dominated the fourth quarter when the Spurs cut their deficit to single digits six times.

Bryant scored six of the Lakers' first eight points to give them their biggest lead, 52-67, three minutes into the fourth.

But the Spurs didn't go away easily. Cory Alexander hit a 3-pointer that put the Spurs within nine, then Sean Elliott did the same to make it 85-78 with 6:21 remaining. Alexander had San Antonio's first eight points of the fourth.

But Van Exel answered with his second straight 3-pointer after Alexander stole the ball and missed a 3-point attempt at San Antonio's end.

Van Exel, barely fouled by Vinny Del Negro, hit both free throws to increase the Lakers' lead to 90-80 with 3:01 remaining.

San Antonio got no closer than six points the rest of the way.

The Lakers broke open a six game with a 19-10 run over the final 6:23 of the third period to take a 74-65 lead into the final 12 minutes. Campbell had six points and Robert Horry and Eddie Jones five each in the span that gave Los Angeles its biggest lead to that point.

Brown makes good impression

AUSTIN (AP) -- Wearing a Longhorns tie and flashing a Hook 'em Horns sign, new football coach Mack Brown walked into a room of 100 or so Texas alums and officials Friday and seemed to win over everyone in the room.

Brown promised a pro-style offense and an attacking defense, gave extensive praise to former coach John Mackovic, said former coach Darrell Royal was a big part of the reason he came to Texas and talked about unifying all Longhorns supporters.

"We have to pull all the constituents together who care about Texas," Brown said. "This is a very powerful institution, probably as powerful as any in the country, and football is so important, not only to this community but across the state of Texas."

Brown, who resigned as coach at North Carolina on Thursday, arrived in Austin Thursday night with wife, Sally, and son, Chris, and met with Longhorns players for about 20 minutes.

During that meeting, he drew applause when he said that he will

employ an attacking defense with nine men on the line and two cornerbacks playing man-to-man.

North Carolina, ranked No. 7 at 10-1, is currently second to top-ranked Michigan in total defense and has been a strong defensive team for several years.

"When he said we were going to be attacking and blitzing on every play, I just started clapping," said sophomore linebacker Brandon Nava. "He got everyone excited. He's an emotional guy, and it's nice to have a coach who is as intense as I am."

Junior quarterback Richard Walton, a likely candidate to succeed senior James Brown, said Texas' new coach "was amazing, the way he holds himself. He's just down to earth. He won everyone over by talking about playing with passion while still having fun."

As a young head coach at Tulane more than a decade ago, Brown had asked Royal to come to New Orleans and evaluate his program. He said Royal's input meant a lot to him then and that Royal's continued presence at Texas was a big reason he decided

to leave a successful 10-year run at North Carolina.

"I plan on leaning on him pretty heavily. He's amazingly humble for the things he's accomplished," Brown said.

Royal said Brown, who has averaged nine wins over the past six years at North Carolina, has come a long way since his days at Tulane.

"He's more mature. He's won," Royal said. "Back then, there was still a twinge of doubt about him. But not now."

Brown praised Mackovic for running a clean program focused on priorities like academics.

"You always wonder about following another coach, but I have a lot of respect for John Mackovic," Brown said.

Brown said he hoped to make contact with Texas recruits and begin assembling his coaching staff immediately.

"I place a lot of importance on organization, and right now I have none," Brown said.

Brown said he's fully aware of the pressure that comes with coaching at

Texas.

"Because D.X. Bible and Darrell Royal won, everyone likes winning a lot more than losing. I understand that," Brown said. "I don't back away from competing. It's the reason I came. I like to fix. I like to build. I think this is a real challenge."

When asked if trying to keep junior running back Ricky Williams from jumping to the NFL was a priority, Brown drew laughs by responding, "I know I'll probably be a better coach if he decides to stay."

"I had the same situation with Natrone Means at North Carolina," Brown said. "All I can do is make sure he understands his options so that he can make the best decision for him."

When asked if he winning a national championship at Texas was realistic, he said, "Whether it's realistic or not, it's expected."

"I'm going to put more time, more of my life into this than anyone else, so I want to win more than any fan."

With the Tar Heels headed to the postseason, Brown said he would coach in North Carolina's bowl game if his players wanted him to

Marchment suspended for hit on Stars' Modano

NEW YORK (AP) -- Edmonton Oilers defenseman Bryan Marchment has been suspended for three games without pay and fined \$1,000 by the NHL for his vicious hit on Dallas center Mike Modano, the league announced Friday.

Marchment kneed Modano in the first period of a 4-1 Dallas win Wednesday and received a game misconduct for attempting to

injure.

Modano has 15 goals and 23 assists and led the league in scoring but is expected to miss six weeks after the crushing hit.

"You make a hit like that, you think you're going to change the momentum of the game and you're booted out," Marchment said Thursday after being told the league was reviewing the hit. "It's disappointing."

HIGH SCHOOL PLAYOFF RESULTS AND PAIRINGS

DALLAS (AP) -- High school football playoff results and pairings:

CLASS 5A
Division I
Region I/II
Semifinals

Duncanville (12-1) vs. Longview (13-0), 1 p.m. Saturday, Texas Stadium

Region III/IV
Semifinals
Katy (12-1) vs. SA Tatt (6-5), 5 p.m. Saturday, Astrodome

FINALS
Duncanville (12-1) or Longview (13-0) vs. Katy (12-1) or SA Tatt (6-5), TBA

DIVISION II
Region I Final
Flower Mound Marcus (11-2) vs. Abilene Cooper (12-1), 1 p.m. Saturday, Abilene's Shotwell Stadium

Region II Final
Richardson Lake Highlands (11-2) vs. Tyler John Tyler (11-2), 6 p.m. Saturday, Texas Stadium

Region III Final
Beaumont West Brook (11-2) vs. Alief Hastings (12-1), 2 p.m. Saturday, Astrodome

Region IV Final
SA MacArthur (11-2) vs. New Braunfels (12-1), 1 p.m. Saturday, Alamo Stadium

SEMIFINALS
Flower Mound Marcus (11-2) or Abilene

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Division I
Region I/II
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Canyon Randall (10-3) vs. Corsicana (11-2), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Wichita Falls' Memorial Stadium

Region III/IV
Semifinals
Texas City (12-1) vs. Waco Midway (12-1), 8 p.m. Saturday, Astrodome

FINAL
Canyon Randall (10-3) or Corsicana (11-2) vs. Texas City (12-1) or Waco Midway (12-1), TBA

DIVISION II
Region I Final
Denison (13-0) vs. Sweetwater (13-0), 2:30 p.m. Saturday, Wichita Falls' Memorial Stadium

Region II Final
Mount Pleasant (8-5) vs. Terrell (13-0), 4:30 p.m. Saturday, Texas Stadium

Region III Final
La Marque (4-1), LC-Mauriceville 20

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Region I Final

Aledo (13-0) vs. Breckenridge (13-0), 8 p.m. Saturday, Bedford's Pennington Field

Region II Final
Commerce 38, Linden-Kildare 27

Region III Final
Columbus (10-3) vs. La Grange (11-2), 11 a.m. Saturday, Astrodome

Region IV Final
Sealy 31, Cuero 0

SEMIFINALS
Aledo (13-0) or Breckenridge (13-0) vs. Commerce (14), TBA
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CLASS 2A
Region I Final
Stanton 21, Lockney 20

Region II Final
Italy 28, Colins 20

Region III Final

Alto (13-0) vs. Elysian Fields (13-0), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Kilgore's R.E. St. John Stadium

Region IV Final
Rogers 35, Religio 21

SEMIFINALS
Stanton (14-0) vs. Italy (14-0), TBA
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Celeste (13-0) vs. Granger (11-1), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Glen Rose

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Region III
Semifinal
Borden County 68, Lazbuddie 22

Region III/IV
Semifinal
Panther Creek 36, Trinidad 32

FINALS
Borden County (14-1) vs. Panther Creek (13-1), TBA

Coppin State edges SW Texas State, 60-59

AMES, Iowa (AP) -- Antoine Brockington scored 21 points and Fred Warrick hit a 3-pointer with one minute left to give Coppin State a 60-59 victory over Southwest Texas State on Friday night in the first round of Iowa State's Cyclone Challenge.

Coming off a 78-70 victory at Missouri, Coppin State (2-1) bolted to an early 19-point lead, then had to hold on at the end as Southwest Texas State missed two shots in the final

seconds.

Southwest Texas (2-3) trailed 46-29 early in the second half before rallying. The Bobcats held Coppin State scoreless for 6 minutes while running off 11 points to tie the score at 53-all on Donte Mathis' layup with 5:10 left.

Jeff Foster's two free throws with 1:15 left gave Southwest Texas its first lead, 59-57, but Warrick knocked in his 3-pointer from the left of the key 15 seconds later.

Danny Singletary then forced an over-and-back violation on Southwest Texas' Clifton Ellis -- the Bobcats' 27th turnover -- but Singletary missed a jumper shot and Southwest Texas got one more chance.

After a timeout with 3.7 seconds remaining, Ellis missed a 3-pointer from the top of the key, the ball bouncing off the back of the rim, and his follow shot was blocked by Tyrann Watkins at the buzzer.

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Sprewell's agent says NBA influenced decision

NEW YORK (AP)—The agent for suspended All-Star guard Latrell Sprewell accused the NBA of influencing the Golden State Warriors' decision to terminate his client's contract.

Asked if he thought the league had been behind the turn of events, agent Arn Tellem said: "My guess is yes, they did, because the Warriors changed their position so abruptly."

"It was strictly an internal matter and it wasn't a league issue," Tellem said in a telephone interview Friday.

"When the Warriors made their initial reaction of a 10-game suspension and \$1 million in lost salary, we were prepared to live with it and accept it. Then, all of a sudden, everything changed abruptly."

Sprewell received the longest suspension in NBA history Thursday when the league banned him for one calendar year for attacking coach P.J. Carlesimo during practice Monday. The NBA's action came just a few hours after the Warriors took the unprecedented step of terminating the

final three years of Sprewell's four-year, \$32 million contract.

The players' association will file a formal grievance in 20 days with arbitrator John Feerick, dean of Fordham University Law School. The league has 30 days to file its argument.

Warriors general manager Garry St. Jean, informed of Tellem's comments, had no comment.

"We can't make any type of statement because it all relates to a situation that's in litigation. That's

the way the whole team is treating this issue," St. Jean said.

The NBA also declined comment on Tellem's accusation, league spokesman Seth Sylvan said.

Billy Hunter, executive director of the players' union, said: "I don't have any evidence that the league orchestrated it except for my gut feeling. We're still investigating it."

Tellem said he was suspicious of the league's involvement because St. Jean admitted publicly Monday night and Tuesday that he was trying to

speed up the trade process -- and possibly even reduce the original 10-game suspension -- in the wake of Sprewell's two attacks at practice Monday.

A league source with intimate knowledge of St. Jean's dealings early in the week said as many as 10 teams came to the Warriors with offers.

Many players thought the Warriors' original 10-game suspension, which would have cost Sprewell \$1 million in salary, was sufficient. The

termination of his contract and one-year suspension were seen by some as excessive.

Sprewell's suspension was much harsher than the previous longest one issued by the league -- the 60-day (26-game) suspension of the Los Angeles Lakers' Kermit Washington in 1977 for a windmill punch that broke the jaw of the Houston Rockets' Rudy Tomjanovich during a game.

Sprewell remained in the Oakland area Friday and did not comment.

Probe

issued for Silman and Gagliano, and a Dec. 17 court date set for all four in Phoenix.

Silman's attorney declined comment. Gagliano did not return phone messages left with his attorney and his wife. A call to a Mangiamcile family business was not returned, and their home phone numbers are unlisted.

After the pleas were announced, Burton was suspended indefinitely from the Continental Basketball Association, where he'd been playing for the Quad City Thunder, said CBA spokesman Troy Furr. A final decision on Burton's status will be made after league officials review the case, the CBA said.

No court date was set for Burton and Smith.

Burton was most recently in Boise. Smith has been playing pro basketball in France. Neither his agent nor his attorney returned calls Friday.

When he first went to Burton with the plan -- meeting him in a truck outside a dormitory the day before the Oregon State game -- Smith was in debt from betting on pro football and

hockey, owing money to Silman, a fellow student.

Silman wanted Smith to guarantee the Sun Devils would beat the Beavers by fewer than eight points. If Smith could do it, Silman would forgive the debt and throw in \$20,000 on top.

So Smith asked Burton, the team's best free-throw shooter, to miss a few tosses if needed to keep the margin under eight. Burton's payoff would be \$1,000 up front and maybe more cash later, Smith said.

"After considering everything he said, I told him I would do it," Burton said.

Smith scored 37 points. Arizona State won by six points. In Las Vegas, gamblers won against the odds.

Smith agreed to fix the four games for \$20,000 a game, promising Silman to keep the Sun Devils' victory margin to less than the point spread by oddsmakers, said Assistant U.S. Attorney Joseph J. Lodge.

Oregon State was followed by games against Oregon, Southern California and Washington.

UT sweeps Gamecocks

AUSTIN (AP) -- Demetria Sance scored 16 kills as Texas beat South Carolina 15-11, 15-3, 15-10 in the second round of the Mountain Regionals of the NCAA Volleyball Championships on Friday night.

The junior and two-time All-American became the Longhorns' all-time kills leader, needing only three kills coming into the second-round game to pass Angie Bretenfield's 1,460 kills. She recorded seven in the first game alone.

Texas (25-6) opened the match convincingly, getting out to an early 8-1 lead in the first game, including

seven straight points on junior Katie Austin's serves.

South Carolina (21-8) bounced back and brought the game to 11-10. But it was Texas from that point on as the Longhorns reeled off four straight points to take the first game and steamrolled the Gamecocks 15-3 in the second.

South Carolina jumped to an early 4-1 lead in the third game, but a string of loose errors couple with error-free Texas hitting did the Gamecocks in at 15-10 in the decisive third game.

Texas has not lost a home match this season (15-0).

Seventh

from Borger 39-29 Thursday.

Patrick Jones scored eight points to lead the Whitefaces. Jeremy Blakely and Glen Castro each added seven points, and Chris Ruckman had six points.

The Whitefaces took a 13-9 lead in the second quarter and moved their advantage to 22-13 at the intermission. The Bulldogs outscored

Hereford 8-4 in the third quarter to narrow the Whiteface lead to 26-21.

In other first-round "B" games, Canyon defeated Plainview 35-23 and Pampa popped Dumas, 37-29. Canyon Westover had a first-round bye.

The Whitefaces were scheduled to meet Westover in a second-round game at 7 p.m. Friday.

Angelo

wanted. It was just consistent play all the way through."

In their third-round game Friday evening, Hereford defeated another squad of Lady Bulldogs -- this time from Plainview, 57-48.

Rampley had 18 points to lead the Lady Whitefaces and Betzen added 12 points.

"It was one of our better defensive efforts yet," Fortenberry said. "They're quick. They rely a lot on running the ball."

Both teams scored 17 points in the first quarter. Hereford outscored the Lady Bulldogs 13-9 in the second for a 30-26 advantage at intermission.

Hereford (8-1) opened up their slight halftime lead in the third and fourth quarters, outscoring Plainview 14-12 and 13-10, respectively.

Hereford's two wins puts them into a championship rematch with San Angelo Central. The title game was scheduled for 3 p.m. Saturday.

"We beat two good teams, and one really, really good team in Plainview," Fortenberry said. "That's encouraging. Midland High is a good 5A team. They were real athletic. Plainview is just an all-around good team, so probably the Plainview win is more encouraging."

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something else we have to learn."

Hereford (1-5) was scheduled to play Dimmitt at 2:30 p.m. Saturday in the consolation final for third place.

Bryant McNutt and Bryan Mathews each had 10 points to lead Hereford. David Mata scored 17 points to lead Plainview and Rod Ainsley added 11 points for the Bulldogs.

Plainview held only a 9-8 lead after the first quarter and was only up by three, 25-22, at halftime.

"In the first half, we played well," Dean said. "We handled their press pretty well... In the second half, we didn't do that."

Two areas told the demise of the

Whitefaces in the second half -- turnovers and Plainview's field goal percentage.

"We had a lot of turnovers in the second half," Dean said. "It was like totally different groups played the first and second halves."

In the first half, the Bulldogs shot only 17 percent from the field, the second half, 53 percent.

Still it wasn't a complete debacle, despite the score, Dean said.

"Our stretches of playing well is getting longer," he said. "We put together 16 minutes against a real good team... We still have a long way to go. Fortunately, the last three games, there have been positive strides."

SFA women pound Pacific, 81-52

NACOGDOCHES (AP) -- Katrina Price scored 23 points and Anitra Davis added 12 more to help No. 23-ranked Stephen F. Austin to an 81-52 win over Pacific in the first round of the 1997 Dial Classic on the SFA campus Friday night.

Price and Davis were the only two Ladyjacks to score in double figures

as SFA (3-2) freely substituted. Tami Raier came off the bench to grab eight rebounds.

SFA rolled up a 46-20 first-half lead as it held Pacific (1-5) to 8-of-22 shooting from the field before intermission, including 3-of-13 from 3-point range, and just 1-of-2 from the free-throw line.

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IRS, tax overhaul leading on Congress' agenda

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Analysis

By ROB WELLS
 AP Tax Writer
 WASHINGTON - When it comes to the tax agenda for Congress in 1998, bank on one thing: Lawmakers will pick up where the Senate left off this year, arguing about the scope of restructuring the Internal Revenue Service.

Less clear, however, is other tax cut legislation and whether Republicans can muster the unity to begin work on fundamental overhaul of the tax system.

House Speaker Newt Gingrich said the House even may vote to abolish the complicated income tax code by 2001, clearing the way for a new, simplified system. "I think it's very likely we will be voting on that sometime next year," the Georgia Republican said as the House adjourned in November. The idea is backed by the National Federation of Independent Business, a powerful lobbying group that has launched a national petition drive.

The White House is another wild card. Aides say President Clinton would like to offer a tax-relief initiative in his State of the Union address, but details are still being discussed.

Amid speculation about the tax initiatives, the Senate Finance Committee plans to put its own imprint on IRS restructuring. Sen. Bob Kerrey, D-Neb., tried to push his bill through in the hectic week before the Senate adjourned in November, arguing that taxpayers deserved the service improvements the legislation sought to deliver.

But his effort failed because of objections by committee Chairman William V. Roth, R-DeL., who refused

to rush a bill he said suffered from "very, very serious weaknesses." "The simple truth is that I am not willing to compromise on real reform," Roth said. For example, he wants a proposed IRS oversight board to have authority to examine audit and collection activities.

Meanwhile, Gingrich and other House leaders concluded the session by debating the scope of a tax cut for 1998, which would come on the heels of the \$152 billion tax cut Clinton signed into law in August.

High on the agenda are these tax items, none of them cheap:
 - "Marriage penalty" tax: A House bill would eliminate the

increased tax bill that some 21 million newlyweds experienced in 1996. The penalty refers to the higher marginal tax rates that hit two-earner couples when they combine their previously separate incomes. The fix is expensive, costing the Treasury about \$18 billion in annual revenue.

- Alternative minimum tax: This was designed to make sure that rich individuals and big corporations paid at least some tax after deductions. But because the tax has not been indexed for inflation, it increasingly will affect the middle class - some 8.4 million taxpayers by 2007. The cost to fix this is estimated in the billions.

- Child care: Clinton has promised that expanding child care will be a top

priority next year, with one option being an increase in the tax credit for child care expenses.

- Estate taxes: This tax on assets after death, which can range as high as 55 percent, has long been targeted by Republicans, but it also is gaining support from conservative Democrats. Abolishing the "death tax" is now a staple in Gingrich's stump speech on taxes: "We do not believe it's right for you to have to visit the IRS and the undertaker the same week."

The size of any tax cut will depend on the economy, the size of the budget deficit and whether Congress can muster the power to close loopholes.

"It's all nice to hear about these things, but it's all another thing to figure out a strategy to pay for them," said Rep. Robert Matsui, D-Calif., a senior member of the House Ways and Means Committee.

After a hiatus for most of the year, fundamental tax changes moved back to the GOP agenda and are expected

to be a major defining issue for the party to the midterm elections in November 1998.

In a bid to achieve consensus, Republicans held a series of debates last fall featuring flat-tax proponent Rep. Dick Armey, R-Texas, and Rep. Billy Tauzin, R-La., cheerleader for a national sales tax.

House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., was not invited to the debates, but his proposal to give 70 percent of workers a flat tax rate of 10 percent has captured the attention of some prominent conservative economists.

As the 1997 congressional session wound to a close, Gephardt said he would support tax overhaul in 1998, so long as it "eliminates all the loopholes and gimmicks" that benefit the rich.

"We are willing to work with the Republicans to fairly renovate this system, but we will not roll over for a Republican campaign proposal masquerading as reform," he said.

National Geographic with no photos?

WASHINGTON (AP) - The magazine is known for its stunning photographs, but some people insist they buy it for the articles. Now, as if to prove them right, a book of some of the *National Geographic's* best articles is on the market, and it doesn't contain a single picture.

Instead of high-quality, arty photographs, "From the Field: A Collection of Writings from *National Geographic*" is filled with the words of Theodore Roosevelt and Maya Angelou, Joseph Conrad and Shelby Foote, Charles Lindbergh and William O. Douglas.

No photos? "That was the condition under which I did it," explained Charles McCarry, a former *National Geographic* editor who edited the new book.

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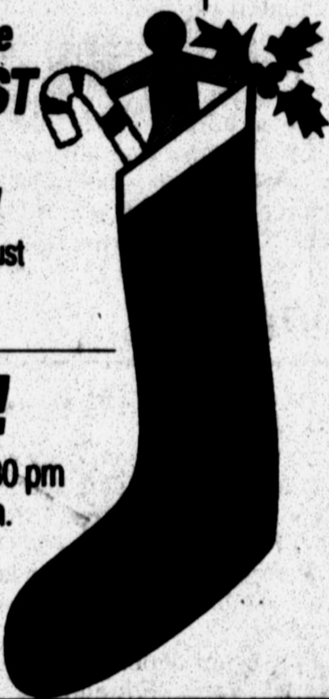
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Survey finds tougher DWI laws backed

WASHINGTON (AP) - Nearly seven in 10 Americans favor lowering the legal blood alcohol content level below the limits that prevail in most states, according to a holiday season survey released Friday by Mothers Against Drunk Driving.

In addition, 53 percent of respondents ranked drunken drivers as the nation's No. 1 highway safety problem, the poll said. People who drive too fast ranked second at 19 percent.

The survey, sponsored by the Allstate Insurance Co., is part of a push for legislation introduced in Congress that would require states to lower their legal blood alcohol content levels to 0.08 percent or risk losing some of their federal highway aid. The measure has not advanced out of House and Senate committees.

"We are ... calling on our government here in the nation's capital and in every state capital to take swift and decisive action to combat this major public health and safety problem," Katherine Prescott, MADD national president, said at a news conference.

Thirty-four states and the District of Columbia enforce 0.1 percent blood alcohol levels, while 15 states already have the lower 0.08 percent limit. According to the survey, 69 percent of respondents would like to see the level lowered to 0.08 percent.

The poll also found that 31 percent of people admit they have driven after drinking too much, and 79 percent believe the roads are more dangerous during the holidays because of drunken drivers.

The MADD poll shows that groups can construct polls to prove anything they want, said Rick Berman, general counsel of the American Beverage Institute, which represents thousands of restaurants.

"Clearly, drunk driving, though it is a problem, is not one of the biggest problems on the national roadways," Berman said. He said speeding and overly aggressive driving were more serious.

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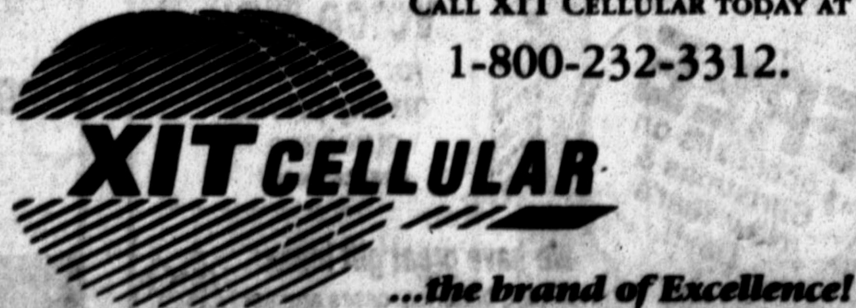


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Lifestyles

Red Cross Update

New and carefully used toys are being accepted at the Red Cross office for the Christmas Toys Program. Toys are given to children whose parents have applied for the program. Applications are still being taken for toys at the office. Call 364-3761 or come by the office at 224 South Main Street. Volunteers will be working on the toys at the office 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. each day until the 19th.

We will be working on Saturday, Dec. 13 beginning at 10 a.m. at the office. Volunteers will be working at the Bull Barn on Monday, Dec. 15 from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. and again on Wednesday from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. at the Bull Barn. The toys will be delivered on Friday, Dec. 19 beginning at 9.

We are accepting Christmas trees at the office. We have several requests for trees and decorations.

Used clothing will be given on Wednesday, weather permitting, beginning at 10 a.m. Children's coats and extra large mens and women's coats are still needed. We have given 170 coats to date.

We have First Aid Kits and CPR masks for sale. Come by to look at the selection.

The Tri County Chapter of the American Red Cross is a United Way Agency.

Family program to be at SJCC

A Family Awareness Program on communication will be held at San Jose Community Center from 6:30 p.m. to 9 p.m. on Tuesday.

sponsored every other month and are targeted at giving families opportunities to explore areas that are needed in a healthy home.

A meal and door prizes accompany the program.

Bean will speak at Barn Church

Ty Bean of Athletes International Ministries will be the featured speaker at 7 p.m. Thursday at Barn Church in B Bar S Arena.

college and professional rodeo cowboys across the nations.

As the rodeo ministry director of Athletes International Ministries, Bean ministers to junior, high school,

Through human videos, illustrated sermons and life changing teaching he is able to deliver the gospel more effectively.

HRSEA plans Christmas dinner

Hereford Retired School Employees will meet at 6 p.m. Monday at the

Hereford Community Center for a traditional Christmas dinner and game nights.

Each person is asked to bring a covered dish.

All retired school employees are invited to attend.

Birthdays, special days, a year-around remembrance? Send them The Hereford Brand.

New Arrivals

Ysabel and Trisha Ledezma of Midland are the proud parents of a son, Ysabel Ledezma III, born Dec. 4 in Odessa Regional Hospital.

The infant weighed 4 pounds, 15 ounces.

He has a sister, Bailey Alyson Munoz, 2.

Grandparents are Teresa Munoz of Hereford and Isabel and Annie Ledezma Sr. of Brady.

Great-grandparents are Pedro and Lale Vargas of Hereford and Juanita Martinez of Garland. Great-great-grandmother is Salustina Gonzales of Hereford.

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Special Christmas ornaments

Members of MIMIC (Morals in Mind Improves Character) Club of Hereford High School place special Christmas ornaments which they made on the tree at Hereford State Bank. Each ornament bears the name of a foster or underprivileged child in Deaf Smith County and lists an item that child would like for Christmas. Residents of the community can stop by the bank and take an ornament from the tree to help make some child's Christmas wish come true. Wrapped packages should be returned to the bank and placed under the tree by Dec. 19.

Today in History

By The Associated Press
 Today is Sunday, Dec. 7, the 341st day of 1997. There are 24 days left in the year.

Today's Highlight in History:
 On Dec. 7, 1941, Japanese warplanes attacked the home base of the U.S. Pacific fleet at Pearl Harbor, an act that led to America's entry into World War II.

On this date:
 In 1787, Delaware became the first state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

In 1796, electors chose John Adams to be the second president of the United States.

In 1836, Martin Van Buren was elected the eighth president of the United States.

In 1842, the New York Philharmonic gave its first concert.

In 1946, America's worst hotel fire broke out at the Winecoff Hotel in Atlanta, killing 119 people, including hotel founder W. Frank Winecoff.

In 1972, America's last moon mission to date was launched as Apollo 17 blasted off from Cape Canaveral.

In 1972, Imelda Marcos, wife of Philippine President Ferdinand E. Marcos, was stabbed and seriously wounded by an assailant who was then shot dead by her bodyguards.

In 1985, retired Supreme Court Justice Potter Stewart died in Hanover, N.H., at age 70.

In 1988, a major earthquake in the

Soviet Union devastated northern Armenia; an estimated 25,000 people died.

In 1995, a 746-pound probe from the Galileo spacecraft hurtled into Jupiter's atmosphere, sending back data to the mothership before it was presumably destroyed.

Ten years ago: Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev set foot on American soil for the first time, arriving for a Washington summit with President Reagan. Forty-three people were killed in the crash of a Pacific Southwest Airlines jetliner in California after a gunman apparently opened fire on a fellow passenger and the two pilots.

Five years ago: The Supreme

Court rejected a challenge to a Mississippi abortion law that required women to get counseling and then wait 24 hours before terminating their pregnancies.

One year ago: The space shuttle Columbia landed at the Kennedy Space Center, ending a nearly 18-day mission marred by a jammed hatch that prevented two planned spacewalks.

Today's Birthdays: Actor Eli Wallach is 82. Bluegrass singer Bobby Osborne is 66. Actress Ellen Burstyn is 65. Senator Thad Cochran, R-Miss., is 60. ABC News anchorwoman Carole Simpson is 57. Baseball Hall-of-Famer Johnny Bench is 50.

Between the Covers

By MARTHA RUSSELL

Do you have your Christmas decorations up yet? At our house, we just got most of ours down--out of the closet, that is. They are not "up." In fact, the Christmas tree, at the time of this writing, is still in the garage.

I should be really inspired to get with it. Sue Cherry is in the process of decorating the library for Christmas, and will probably have it mostly done by the time you read this. We invite you to come and see the beautiful trimmings, and catch a little Christmas spirit for yourself.

'Tis the season for Christmas fiction as well as decorations.

The Angel Doll by Jerry Bledsoe, set in a North Carolina manufacturing town during the 1950's, is about a boy, Whitey Black who reads The Littlest Angel to his sister Sandy everyday. Sandy is a four-year-old stricken with polio. Now she wants just one thing for Christmas: an angel doll. No one in this small town has ever heard of such a thing.

Nevertheless, Whitey and his best friend set out to find her one, at great cost and for an even greater reward. Along the way they learn much about sadness and heartbreak, but most important, they learn about the transforming power of love.

In Chris Heimerdinger's A Return to Christmas, the holidays seem forever shrouded by a cloud of sadness and despair for 11-year-old Artemus Holiday. Until they were three years old, Artemus and his twin brother, Andrew, shared the

adventures of life together. A terrible tragedy on Christmas day ended all that.

However, miracles have been known to happen during this time of year...The weary and cynical Artemus and an outcast named Chess, a homeless con-artist with a heart of gold, team up when a simple twist of fate plunges them into the adventure of a lifetime.

Tidings of Great Joy by Sandra Brown is something of a classic Christmas romance that is now out in hardback for the first time. Ria Lavender is a talented, sophisticated and determined woman who has worked hard to carve out a place for herself in the most prestigious architectural firm in the city. She is hardly the kind to be swept away by a smooth line and a seductive smile. But she finds herself carrying the child of the handsome, charming, and mayor-elect, Taylor MacKensie after a one night fling.

After initial outrage when told about the baby, Taylor insists on a hasty marriage. Aware that Taylor's motives may have more to do with protecting his career and his baby than with his feelings for her, Ria resolves to keep her distance, in spite of the increasing tenderness and passion she feels for him. Tragedy strikes and teaches them both a lesson in miracles and love.

Each of the above books is a short, easy read, just perfect for the too-busy holiday season.

A little longer book, but worth the

extra time is A Holly, Jolly Murder: A Claire Malloy Mystery by Joan Hess. Arkansas bookseller-sleuth, Claire Malloy, rings in the holidays with a Druid ritual, a run-in with a witch and a far from ho-hum case of homicide.

When Malthea Henderson, the self-proclaimed Arch Druid of the Sacred Grove of Keltria, wanders into the Book Depot looking for New Age titles, Claire assumes that the elderly woman is a harmless eccentric. Then Malthea invites Claire to a winter solstice celebration at the Sacred Grove. Feeling restless, Claire is actually looking forward to a traditional bonfire, but what she gets, however, is murder.

The neo-Druids' wealthy benefactor has been found dead of a gunshot wound. Claire finds herself sifting through pentagrams and mistletoe for a motive among the peculiar members of the group. She discovers that several Druids are harboring secrets so dangerous someone might have killed to keep them hidden.

Planning to wrap up the case before Christmas, Claire isn't prepared when her teenage daughter's job with a mall Santa turns out to be no laughing matter. Worse, Claire has underestimated the cunning of a callous killer and may have set herself up as the next victim.

There are Christmas resources galore on the new nonfiction shelf. We have everything from songs from John Tesh: A Family Christmas and

Christmas with Southern Living Cookbook to Christmas Classics: A Festive Collection of Merry Masterpieces and It's in The Bag: Tasty Gifts in Crafty Sacks.

Of course we always have lots and lots of Christmas decorating, cooking, and craft books from Leisure Arts, Southern Living, and Better Homes and Gardens.

New non-Christmas fiction includes the sequel to Florian's Gate, The Amber Room by T. Davis Bunn, and another in the Rocky Mountain Memories Series by Lori Wick, To Know Her by Name.

In Deception Pass by Earl Emerson, P.I. Thomas Black's first impression of Lainie Smith is, "Mother Teresa with a bankroll." That sentimental assessment is destroyed as Black investigates her hidden past and a reportedly serene spot called Deception Pass.

State of the Union by David Callahan is the story of Lieutenant Zachary Turzin, the most decorated soldier on active duty in the U.S. armed forces, who has been newly assigned to the Pentagon. Only Zach has a chance to stop a conspiracy that will bring down the government. As time runs out, he embarks on his most risky mission yet.

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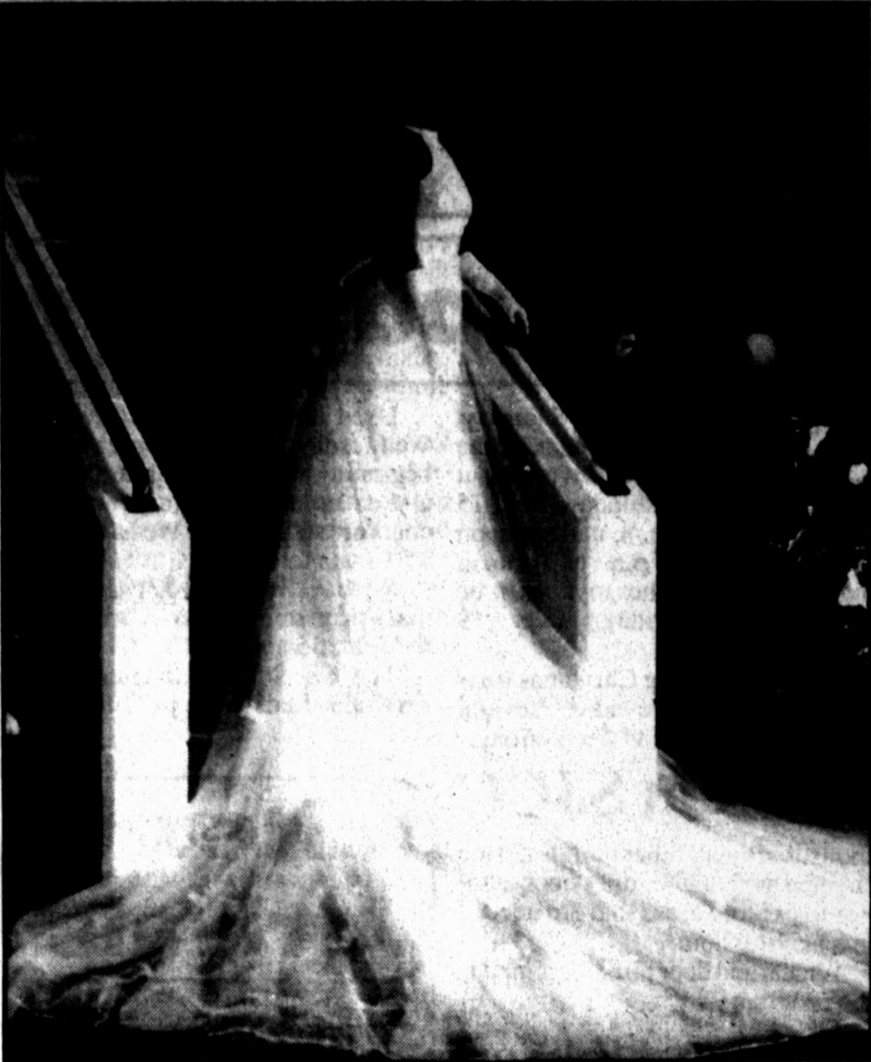
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Hicks, Kliesen wed

Jennifer Susan Hicks and Michael Norbert Kliesen, both of Lubbock, exchanged wedding vows Nov. 29 in First United Methodist Church in Hereford.

The bride is the daughter of Mark and Susan Hicks of Hereford and parents of the groom are Stanley and Janet Kliesen of Wright, Kan.

Officiating at the ceremony was Dr. Tom Fuller of First United Methodist Church and Monsignor Orville Blum of St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

The church was decorated with Christmas garlands, fresh red poinsettias, evergreen, holly and peacock feathers. Pews were marked by white tulle bows and elevated brass bowls filled with fern and peacock feathers.

Maid of honor was Tobin Taylor of Lubbock. Best man was Joe Kliesen, brother of the groom, of Wright.

Bridesmaids were Cindy Banta of Lubbock, Amy Wilson of Bedford, and Karen Bolen of Irving.

Groomsmen were Ron Tenbrink of Hayes, Kan., Gary Grasser of Little River, Kan., and Chris Burton of Strong City, Kan.

Guests were seated by Alan Burghart of Hayes, Scott Ackerman of Wright, Jason Fanning of Martin, S.D., and Jay Wade Johnson of Lubbock.

The bride's mother was escorted by Jeff Hicks, brother of the bride. The groom's parents were escorted by the groom.

Candle lighters were Jordan Hicks and Joshua Hicks, brothers of the bride.

At the registry was Ashley Bridge, cousin of the bride and daughter of Bill and Melinda Bridge.

Music was provided by Linda Gilbert, organist; Nancy Denison, pianist; Joe D. Rogers, vocalist; and Eric Gilley, trumpeter.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a white, fitted, floor-length, heavily laced gown, completely encrusted with pearls and sequins and beaded to follow the lace designs. The sleeveless high neck bodice was edged with a wide border designed with pearls and sequins.

The gown featured a cathedral length train, made by the bride's grandmother, Dean Bradley. The train was fashioned from 10 layers of white tulle gathered under a folded satin

bow that attached to the back of the dress at the waist. The top layer of the train was edged with a single row of pearls and scattered with beaded lace appliques.

The bride wore long white gloves. The hip length veil of illusion was attached to a circular band covered with pearls, beads, and sequins. The veil was worn by the bride's sister-in-law.

The bride carried a bouquet of calla lilies, lemon leaves, fern, and baby's breath. The bouquet was hand tied with French chiffon ribbon.

Attendants wore black beaded silk tops with jewel necklines, scalloped sleeves and hemlines, full black silk palazzo pants, and hand tied arm bouquets.

The couple was honored with a reception at Hereford Country Club.

Those assisting with the reception were Teresa Baker of Irving, Brek Binder of Andrews, and Lori Sanders of Irving.

The wedding was coordinated by Jill Savoini.

The bride's round cake table was covered with floor length Christmas plaid taffeta cloth topped with a square cutwork cloth, both made by the bride's maternal grandmother. The white frosted wedding cake was assembled to resemble a stack of gift boxes topped with a gold bow and fresh holly. The cake was cut with a silver knife used by the bride's grandparents at their 50th anniversary.

The groom's chocolate cake resembled a large present covered with holly and topped with a large red bow.

After a wedding trip to Santa Fe, N.M., the couple will be at home in Lubbock.

The bride is a 1992 graduate of Hereford High School and received a Bachelor of Science in Food Nutrition from Texas Tech University. She had a dietetic internship at Texas Women's University at Houston Medical Center. She is employed as a dietician at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

The groom is a graduate of Texas Tech University with a Bachelor of Science in Agricultural business. He received an associate degree in Farm and Ranch Management from Texas Christian University. He is employed by High Plains Energy.

FCE Christmas activity planned

The Deaf Smith County Family Community Education clubs will hold their annual Christmas activity beginning at noon Monday in the Heritage Room of the Deaf Smith County Library.

The activity will begin with a covered dish lunch, followed by installation of the 1998 officers of Council.

The club and council members will then work on their community service activity and end the days festivities with recreation activities.

All club and council members are urged to be present and to bring items for the community service project.

Welcome to the World

The merchants and health care providers of Hereford wish to recognize these new babies recently born to Hereford parents.

This week's recipients of a free, commemorative baby plate:

*Jose Flores Jr. born Nov. 25 to Ms. Ramona Castillo.

*Jazzlyne Celeste Alvarado born Nov. 28 to Mr. and Mrs. Josh Alvarado.

Congratulations upon the arrival of your new born.

Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I've been reading your column for many years, and every now and then, I detect a letter I believe you "invented" to add a little excitement. The one about the condom that whistles "Dixie" strained credibility. Funny, yes, but it certainly was too far out to be genuine. You invented that one, didn't you? How about 'fessing up? -- Toledo Reader

Dear Toledo: There is no way I could make up letters that compare with what crosses my desk every day. I wouldn't even try. Keep reading for one that should clear the air regarding "Dixie."

Dear Ann Landers: I read your column about the tune-playing condom in the San Francisco Examiner & Chronicle. I am the attorney who obtained the patent for my client, Paul Lyons, who invented it.

I have one minor correction. You stated that the patent was "recently issued." Actually, the patent was issued in 1992. Sincerely yours -- David Pressman, intellectual property law, San Francisco, Calif.

Dear David Pressman: I stand corrected. Thank you for taking the time and trouble to write. I have received dozens of suggestions for tunes that would be "appropriate," but none were suitable for a family newspaper.

Dear Ann Landers: I have wrestled all my life with this question, and I hope you can provide an answer. What is God's name? The Jews say the real name has been lost to the ages. The Christians call Him Jesus. The Muslims call Him Allah, and the AA crowd chooses "Higher Power." So, what is it? -- Bluegrass Believer in Nicholasville, Ky.

Dear Nicholasville: This response is from a Chicago Jesuit: According to ancient Hebrew teachings, God is omnipotent, so He cannot be contained in any one name. I assure you, however, He (or She) will answer to any name you respectfully come up with.

Dear Ann Landers: I am a Middle-America, Wisconsin teenager who has grown up reading your column. I would like to say something about people who take their own lives. You dealt with this recently, and it made me remember something that happened in our town last April. One of my fellow classmates committed suicide.

The girl was only 13 years old and in the seventh grade. She thought her parents hated her and decided life wasn't worth living, so she killed herself. The whole school and half the people who live in Wausau, Wis., mourned for weeks. People who barely knew her felt terrible.

Ann, please tell your readers that suicide is NEVER the answer. Sign me -- Thirteen is Too Young to Die

Dear Thirteen: Thank you for a thoughtful and compassionate letter. You are wise beyond your years. I have been telling my readers for a very long time that suicide is a permanent solution to a temporary problem and invariably creates more problems for the survivors.

Dear Ann Landers: I was upset by that rude reader who said she didn't want to read another boring "how we met" letter. Well, too bad. We love those romantic stories, especially when we hear that half of all marriages today end in divorce. Those "how we met" letters in your column give us hope. Ignore that grouch. -- Boston

Dear Boston: I intend to. Thanks for the encouragement.

Have trouble sleeping at night and don't want to get involved in a novel? "A Collection of My Favorite Gems of the Day" is the perfect bed-stand mate. Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$5.25 (this includes postage and handling) to: Collection, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562 (in Canada, \$6.25).

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HJH Roundup

By CAROLYN WATERS

"Shared joy is double joy. Shared sorrow is half sorrow." -Swedish Proverb

Speedy, thanks for the column about "Real teachers." Many Hereford teachers can relate to that! We'll share it with others.

HJH students and teachers are preparing for a joint Science and History Fair-a first. This will be during the week of January 19. We're looking forward to some interesting projects, performances and papers. Parents, there is much work to be done, so be prepared to spend some "together time" with your teen!

In preparation for the fair, we will have some project boards for student use. These will be available for \$2.50. Those who advance to regional competition may be required to change to a more sturdy board.

Conservation and DAR essays will be finished, hopefully, by mid-week. Students are learning the value of proofreading and re-writing...and patience. The next writing projects are Christmas stories and in January, an essay about Juan Sequin.

HJH is hosting a Scholastic Book Fair on Dec. 8-12, from 8:15 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. The reading event features the newest titles from over 100 publishers and presents students, authors and teachers a golden opportunity to see the latest works by popular authors and illustrators of books for young readers. Students and teachers will be competing throughout the book fair for prizes and free books.

These remaining two weeks before Christmas will be very busy weeks as Dec. 19 ends the semester. The last week will be filled with recitals and performances, also.

Parents, we hope that you received progress reports and will discuss them with your child. Several teams sent reports to every student on their team.

Honor Roll recognition was observed on Thursday with students taking a break for refreshments and to receive a certificate. Some students do not take those certificates home, so parents may want to ask about them.

As we busy ourselves with the holiday season, it is sometimes easy to forget to spend quality time with your loved ones. "No time on earth is long enough to share with those we love or to prepare our hearts for that last good-bye." -Alarie Tennelle

We would like to express our gratitude to all of our friends who expressed acts of kindness through your prayers, visits, flowers and food given during our time of sorrow in the loss Mary Lou. We need your continual prayers as we deal with this great sorrow in our lives. Thank you for reflecting God's goodness and love.

The family of Mary Lou Garcia

YOUR EYES

Applying Eye Drops

It seems simple enough. You're supposed to put a few drops in your eyes. Easier said than done. Chances are you've had the experience. You put medication in your eye only to have it immediately spill out. Here are some precautions and steps you might take to assure that the medication stays in and works.

Start by washing your hands. Read the recommended dosage and stick to it. Lie down or sit up with your head tilted back and put in the drops. Once in, keep your eyes closed for 30 to 60 seconds. This encourages absorption of the drug. Do not blink for a few minutes. Finally, hold your index finger at the junction of your lower eyelid and nose for a few minutes. This blocks the opening of your tear outflow canal and cuts down on drainage.

If your nervous about putting in eye drops, enlist the help of a family member or friend.

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Military Muster

Marine Cpl. David D. Ramirez and Lance Cpl. Benito Ortiz both recently visited Singapore while on a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific Ocean with the 13th Marine Expeditionary Unit (MEU), embarked aboard the ships of the USS Peleliu Amphibious Ready Group.

During the port visit, Marines participated in a community relations project at a boys and girls brigade camp. Working with minimal equipment in the hot and humid climate, the Marines dismantled a cabin piece by piece, moved the pieces and rebuilt them at the new location on the campsite.

The 13th MEU is an expeditionary intervention force with the ability to rapidly organize for combat operations in virtually any environment. MEUs are composed of more than 2,000 personnel and are divided into an infantry battalion, an aircraft squadron, a support group and a command element. With the combination of these teams, the 13th MEU supplies and sustains itself for either quick mission accomplishment or clearing the way for follow-on forces.

Ortiz, son of Benito and Ernestina Ortiz of Hereford, is a 1995 graduate of Hereford High School.

Ramirez graduated from HHS in 1994. He is the son of Benigno and Aurora Ramirez, also of Hereford.

Army Pvt. Whitney E. Killingsworth has graduated from the avionic mechanic course at Fort Eustis,

Newport News, Va.

In the course, students learned to perform maintenance on avionic communications, navigation and flight control systems, radar and associated wiring installed in Army aircraft.

Killingsworth is the daughter of Jerry and Meri Killingsworth of Hereford.

She is a 1994 graduate of Hereford High School.

Army Pfc. Raymond M. Trevino is one of 360 soldiers who has returned from the Joint Readiness Training Center (JRTC) at Fort Polk, Leesville, La. The soldiers are assigned to the 3rd Squadron, 17th Cavalry Regiment, 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry) at Fort Drum, Watertown, N.Y.

Their mission was to support the 25th Infantry Division's 1st Brigade from Fort Lewis, Tacoma, Wash., with air reconnaissance and close air support during the JRTC training rotation.

Trevino, light wheel vehicle mechanic, is the son of Gloria M. Trevino and Raymond G. Trevino of Hereford.

He is a 1996 graduate of Hereford High School.

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VICKY MEDINA, JOSH PENNA

Engagement announced

Vicky Isabel Medina and Josue "Josh" Pena, both of Hereford, plan to be married Dec. 27 in Primera Iglesia Bautista.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Ramon and Dora Medina and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Andres and Teresa Pena, all of

Hereford.

The bride-elect is a candidate for December graduation from Hereford High School.

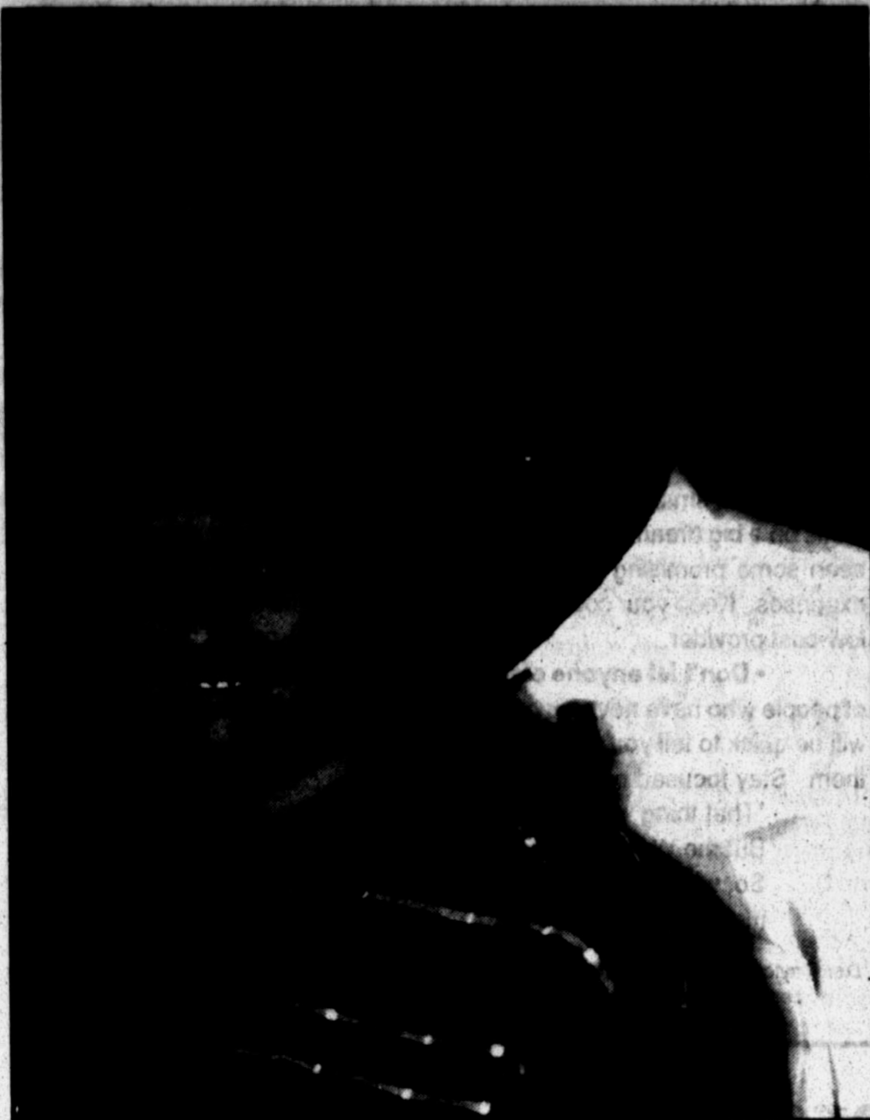
The prospective bridegroom is a 1996 graduate of Hereford High School and is employed by Affiliated Foods in Amarillo.

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KYANNE LINDLEY, STONY GRIFFITH

Lindley, Griffith to wed

Loyd and Pam Lindley of Hereford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nicki Kyanne Lindley, to Stony Griffith of Hereford.

Parents of the prospective bridegroom are Luc Griffith of Dimmitt and Randy Griffith of Oklahoma.

The couple will be married Feb. 14, 1998, in the Hereford Elks Lodge.

The bride-elect is a 1992 graduate of Hereford High School. She is employed by Top of Texas Millwrights.

Griffith graduated from Dimmitt High School in 1991. He is also employed by Top of Texas Millwrights.

Hereford student plans to attend leaders conference

Terri L. House, a junior student at Hereford High School, has been selected to represent Texas as a Scholar at the National Young Leaders Conference to be held in Washington, D.C.

The Congressional Youth Leadership Council sponsors the National Young Leaders Conference which is the premier youth leadership program in the country.

The council is an independent non-profit educational organization with over 400 members of the United States Senate and House of Representatives on its honorary, bipartisan advisory board. The council is not affiliated with any political party or the federal government.

The purpose of the National Young Leaders Conference is to distinguish a select group of exceptional high school students for their scholastic

merit and demonstrated leadership and provide them the opportunity to witness history in the making; to meet the leaders who fundamentally affect the workings of the executive, legislative and judicial branches of the federal government; and to bring to life the American constitutional process as they develop their own skills.

House, the daughter of Donna Burns and Robert House, is involved in local 4-H and FFA activities and other clubs and organizations.

"I plan to attend college at Texas A&M University to pursue a career as a veterinarian," House said. "I hope to gain some skills from this trip to Washington to help me reach my goal of taking the animal aspects of agriculture to higher levels of understanding for the future of the industry."

Food and Family

By LAWRENCE HEADLEY

Iron in your child's diet could help her learn more easily. One of the most common nutritional disorders in children is iron deficiency anemia. It can impair a child's growth--and increase the chance of infection. Studies have shown it may also interfere with a child's ability to learn. If you send a child who gets plenty of iron into a room, that child is likely later on to recall many

objects in the room--clocks, lamps, rugs, and so on. Meanwhile, children with too little iron in their diets aren't as likely to remember as much. It's as though iron deficiency creates a kind of "intellectual tunnel vision" for these children. It's also been shown that children with iron-poor diets don't do as well on standardized tests. So serve iron-rich foods often. And remember, vitamin C--like that from oranges--helps the body absorb iron.



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Flying boll weevils are nothing to laugh about

AUSTIN - They're rather comical-looking, these quarter-inch-long insects of song and sorrow. But they're more likely to move Texas cotton farmers to tears than to laughter.

Big-bottomed and long-nosed, the cotton boll weevil looks too ungainly to fly. Yet there is evidence that the yellowish-brown or gray members of the beetle family can fly high enough to hitch long-distance rides on prevailing winds.

Mary Ann Rankin speculates that the unknown migratory patterns of

these tropical pests that destroy millions of dollars' worth of cotton each year in the Americas could be a main reason that periodic claims of their impending eradication have proved premature.

Rankin, a University of Texas professor of entomology and dean of UT's College of Natural Sciences, is a pioneer in the physiology of the bugs, which are believed to have

entered the United States through Texas, flying across the Rio Grande from Mexico in 1892.

Despite decades of research into controlling them, Rankin says their migratory patterns, life cycle and reproduction, and their relationship to each other remain poorly understood.

"Very little had ever been done with that," she said. "We had to start

from scratch.

Chemical pesticide-based eradication programs from North Carolina to southern California - and increasingly in Brazil and other South American countries - largely ignore or dismiss the possible role of migration in boll weevil population dynamics, Rankin said.

She has found that it may be particularly important in midsummer

when weevil population densities are high and their urge to migrate seems to be strong.

But cotton growers have to focus on their immediate problems.

"Either you get rid of (them), or you get out of the cotton business," said John Norman, a Texas A&M University entomologist.

Adult weevils relentlessly destroy cotton by boring into its seedpods, or

bolts, and laying eggs in the hole. Hatching weevil larvae feed on the bolts from the inside.

North American cotton producers lose an estimated \$350 million a year in reduced yields and in spending on insecticides and other pesticides. Even heavy use isn't always effective, sometimes triggering new outbreaks of crop destruction by killing natural enemies of other pests.

Good hay supply, quality leaves much to be desired

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP)

Producers in Texas are having a field day with this year's abundant hay supplies, reports the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Dr. Don Dorsett of College Station, Extension forage specialist, said because of better weather conditions, hay supplies are much higher this year than they were last year.

"The good spring rains and fall weather has led to plenty of hay for a long winter," Dorsett said.

Dorsett said on the average, a producer needs one ton of hay per every thousand pounds of cattle. This year, he has heard as much as six round bales per cow reported. This is a drastic difference from last year, he said, when some producers had only three-quarters of what they needed.

Producers have also not been so quick to get rid of cattle this year, according to Dr. David Bade of College Station, Extension forage specialist. Herd reduction was a way of coping with a shortage of hay last year, but Bade said this winter he has seen a complete turnaround.

"If anything, some people are starting to think about buying and expanding their herds as soon as winter is over," Bade said.

Bade warned, however, that not all hay is created equal. He said while the quantity is high this winter, quality is not.

"Some hay got too mature due to an abundance of rain in the spring," Bade said. "Now low quality is being reported in some areas."

Bade suggested producers have hay tested for protein and energy content. He said the supplements producers use depends on the quality of the hay and what it might be missing.

"It is important to be able to know what your hay lacks so you can use the right supplement," Bade said. "If you have hay that is low in protein, then use a protein supplement."

Dorsett said the conditions of pastures and cattle also determine the quality of hay that is acceptable.

"If you have adequate winter pastures, then there is no problem using lower quality hay," Dorsett said. "But if you have (nursing) cows then low quality hay is not going to work."

Bade said good quality hay is available to producers now.

"Prices are good right now because supply and demand is in effect," Bade said. "Producers just have to look to buy good quality

hay."

The cotton harvest is drawing to a close across the state, but both the Panhandle and the South Plains have had harvest delays because of wet weather.

"Weather conditions allowed harvest to be wrapped up on all crops except cotton, which was halted because of a few light showers," said Bob Robinson of Amarillo, district Extension director.

In the Southeast district, Extension director Dale Fritz reports some cotton stalks still need to be destroyed but are too wet.

The Far West and the Southwest are reporting deer hunting as a big part of their operations this season.

"Hunting and hunter activity is the principal ranching focus, especially during weekends," said Jose Pena of Uvalde, district Extension director.

The following specific livestock, crop and weather conditions were reported by district Extension directors:

PANHANDLE: soil moisture short to adequate. Ranges poor to good. Cattle good with supplemental feeding under way. Cotton harvest under way. Irrigated wheat good but dryland crop stressed. Sugarbeet harvest complete with fair yields reported.

SOUTH PLAINS: soil moisture short. Pastures in need of moisture. Livestock fair to good with supplemental feeding under way. Cotton harvest nearing completion. Sorghum, peanut harvest under way. Wheat planting nearing completion.

ROLLING PLAINS: soil moisture short. Pastures, ranges fair. Cattle fair; supplemental feeding under way. Cotton harvest nearly complete. Wheat needs moisture as greenbug activity increases. Sorghum harvest under way with excellent yields reported.

NORTH TEXAS: soil moisture short to adequate. Pastures, ranges very poor to excellent. Cattle good with some supplemental feeding under way. Cotton harvest nearing completion. Wheat planting nearing completion. Pecans harvest delayed by rain.

EAST TEXAS: soil moisture adequate. Permanent pastures dormant, but good improvement in winter pastures. Cattle condition good with hay feeding under way. Winter green production good. Good pecan yields reported.

FAR WEST TEXAS: soil moisture short to adequate. Pastures, ranges in need of rain. Livestock in fair to good with supplemental feeding under way.

Cotton, sorghum harvest nearing completion. Pecan harvest under way with light crop quality.

WEST CENTRAL TEXAS: soil moisture very short to adequate. Pastures, ranges fair. Livestock in fair to good condition. Cotton harvest continues. Peanut harvest complete. Wheat planting delayed; now nearing completion. Pecan harvest in full swing; good quality.

CENTRAL TEXAS: soil moisture adequate. Winter grasses emerging. Cattle being hayed as stock water levels

recede. Most wheat planted. Most pecan yields were large, but quality poor with lack of moisture. Winter vegetables showing good growth.

SOUTHEAST TEXAS: soil moisture adequate to surplus. Pastures benefited from moisture but still very wet. Supplemental feeding under way. Some cotton stalks need to be destroyed. Soybean harvest delayed by rain. Oat stands good.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS: soil moisture short. Ranges becoming dormant as cold temperatures, high

winds persist. Livestock good but stocking levels below normal. Cabbage, southern greens, spinach harvest under way. Peanut, pecan harvest complete.

COASTAL BEND: soil moisture adequate. Most winter pastures good. Cattle good with supplemental feeding under way. Oat stands excellent. Wheat planting under way. Pecan yields good on native varieties. Disease spraying under way on peach crop.

SOUTH TEXAS: soil moisture short. Pastures, ranges in good condition. Some supplemental feeding under way.



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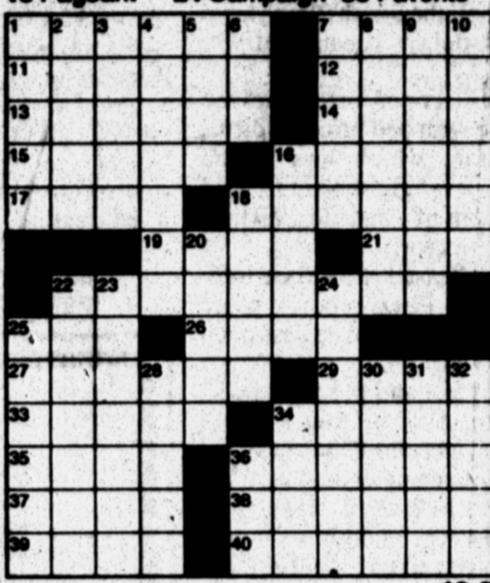
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12-6 CRYPTOQUOTE

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Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
Price	1.25	1.30	1.35	1.40	1.45	1.50	1.55	1.60	1.65	1.70	1.75	1.80

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Month	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec
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Cooks or bell ringers?

Members of the handbell choir at First United Methodist Church are not only practicing for their choir duties, but are busy preparing for the Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast which they will serve from 5:30 a.m. to 8 a.m. on Saturday, Dec. 13. Cost of the meal is \$5 and will be served in the church Fellowship Hall. The all-you-can-eat menu consists of scrambled eggs, sausage, bacon, biscuits and gravy, fruit and orange juice or coffee. Pictured are, from left, Christy Henson, Caroline Gilley, Shirley Carlson, Connie Brumley, Patsy Giles, Don Minchew, Margaret Williams, Karen Abney, Vicky Higgins, Trow Mims, Donna Ruland and Betty Wolle.

Real Estate

The House of the Week

Rustic and Cozy



G-57

A CHARMING COVERED PORCH and a rustic stone chimney give this country-style home real appeal.

By BRUCE A. NATHAN
AP Newsfeatures
Plan G-57, by HomeStyles
Designers Network, offers 1,191
square feet of living space. This

cozy, rustic home gets the most
from its square footage by virtue
of an efficient interior layout.
The spacious living room fea-
tures a 13-foot sloped ceiling

accented by exposed beams and a
corner fireplace — an eye-catch-
ing focal point, for certain.

The dining room flows nicely
from the living room, and has
handy access to the utility area
and a backyard patio. The U-
shaped kitchen, too, is designed
for efficiency while conveying a
sense of openness.

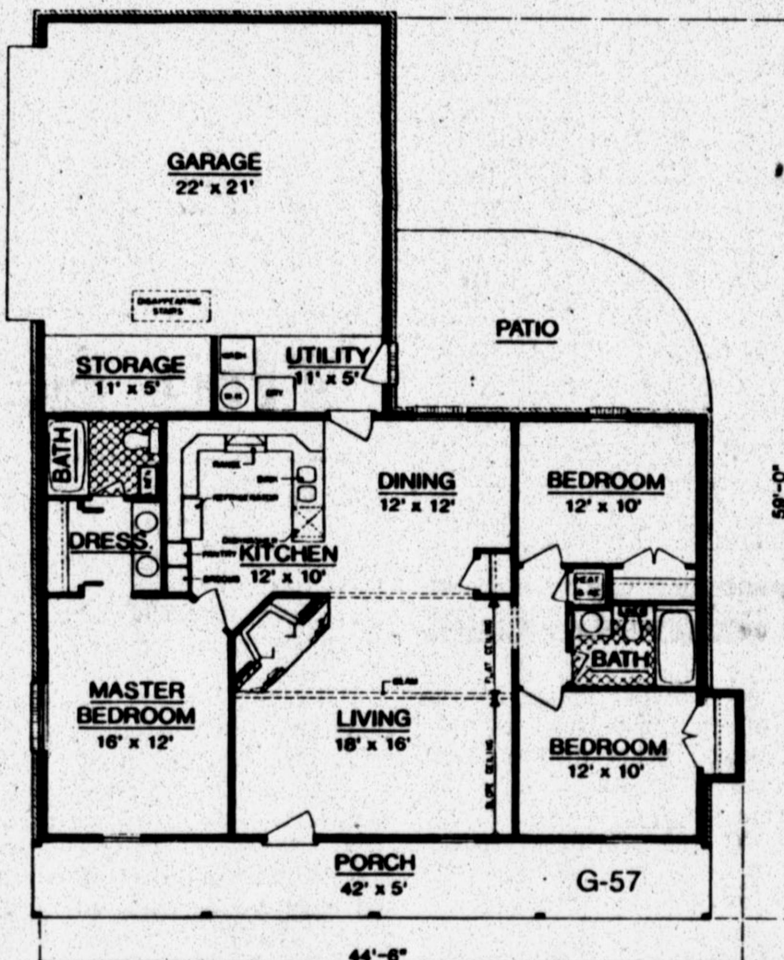
Just off the kitchen, the large
master bedroom is secluded from
the rest of the home, and includes
a private bath and a separate
dressing area with a dual-sink
vanity.

Across the home, a short hall
connects the remaining two bed-
rooms and provides entry to a full
bath.

A two-car garage and a garage
space are neatly tucked behind the
home.

G-57 STATISTICS

Design G-57 has a living
room, dining room,
kitchen, three bedrooms
and two full baths, totaling 1,191
square feet of living space. This
plan includes a crawlspace or
slab foundation, and 2x6 exterior
wall framing. The two-car
garage, combined with the stor-
age and utility areas, provides an
additional 572 square feet of
space.



THE ENTRY opens immediately into the large living room. The dining room flows from the living room, and includes a door to the utility room and garage in back. To the left is the U-shaped kitchen. The secluded master bedroom is off of the kitchen. Across the home, a short hall provides entry to two bedrooms and a full bath.

(For a more detailed, scaled plan of this house, including guides to estimating costs and financing, send \$4 to House of the Week, P.O. Box 1562, New York, N.Y. 10116-1562. Be sure to include the plan number.)

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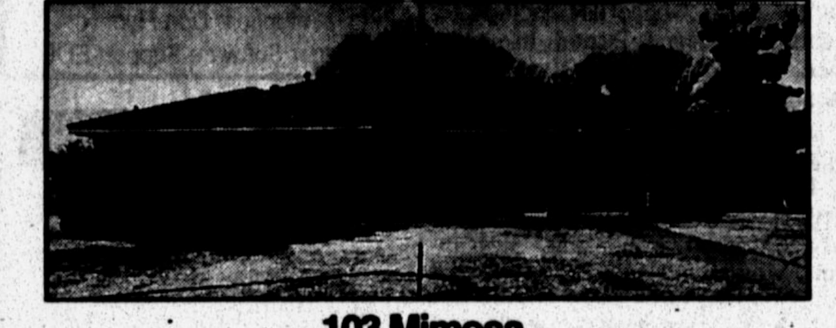
- 117 NW DRIVE - 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, one car garage with carport, central heat & air. Covered deck with nice backyard. \$94,000.
- 217 AVENUE J - 2 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, oversized garage, repainted inside, new linoleum in kitchen, storm windows & doors. \$29,000.
- CITY LIVING IN THE COUNTRY - 3 bdrm., 3 baths, 2 car garage. Wonderful kitchen with all the extras. Hot tub room with 2 skylights, stone fireplace. All on 10% acres. 133 AVENUE C - 3 bdrm., one bath, nice large living room & dining area. Nice neighborhood. Close to schools & park. \$25,000.
- COMMERCIAL PROPERTY - Located near intersection on Hwy 60 & 385. 3 dining rooms, large kitchen, all equipment owned by seller go with sale. \$225,000.
- 244 ELM - 4 bdrm., 2 baths, completely redone. New carpet throughout. Large closets, beautiful backyard with patio. Storage building. \$94,000.
- 146 GREENWOOD - 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, formal living room, large dining room, den or sunroom, sliding on trim, storm windows, completely redone. \$26,500.
- 723 COUNTRY CLUB - 3 bdrm., 1 1/2 bath, 2 car garage, completely redone, all new carpet & paint. \$74,500.
- 806 AVENUE J - 3 bdrm., one bath, one car garage, 2 storage sheds, good location. \$36,500.
- 612 IRVING - 3 bdrm., one bath, garage has been converted into living room, storm windows. \$26,900.

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103 Mimosa
NEW LISTING ... Very attractive 3 bdrm., 2 baths, screened in sunroom with tile flooring. Fireplace, isolated master bdrm. and bath. Sprinkler system, rear entry garage.



506 Lawton
NEW LISTING ... Wonderful older home with hardwood floors. Updated with a "new kitchen look" of paint, flooring and wallpaper. Upstairs bdrm. ideal for the family. 3 bdrm. down and 1 1/2 bath.



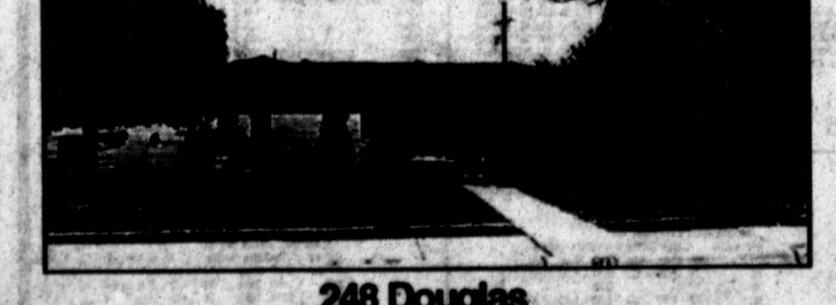
516 Willow Lane
1,880 sq. ft. a GREAT BUY, GOOD FLOOR PLAN!! This home needs very little and it's a lot of house for the money. 3 bdrm., 2 baths, a very nice cathedral ceiling in den with fireplace. Great master bdrm. and bath.



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248 Douglas
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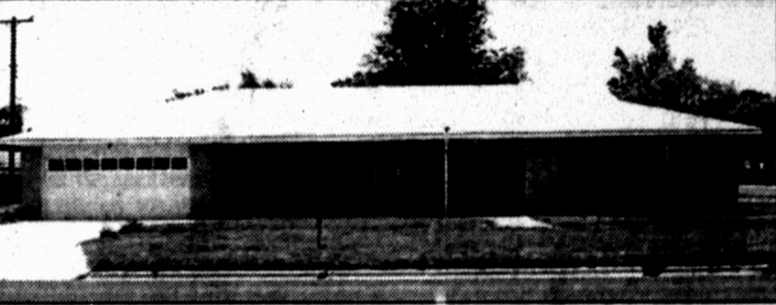
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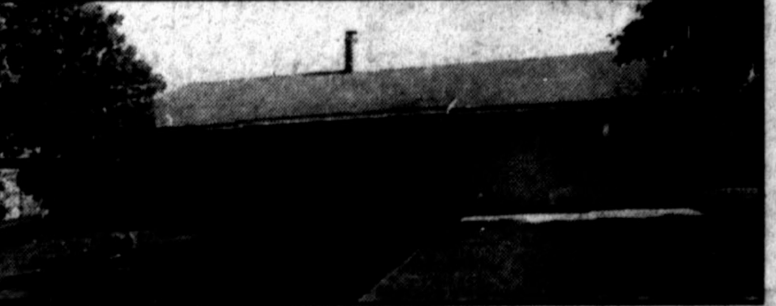
205 Centre
Great location! Large open living/dining area. Neat! Neat! Neat! Must see!



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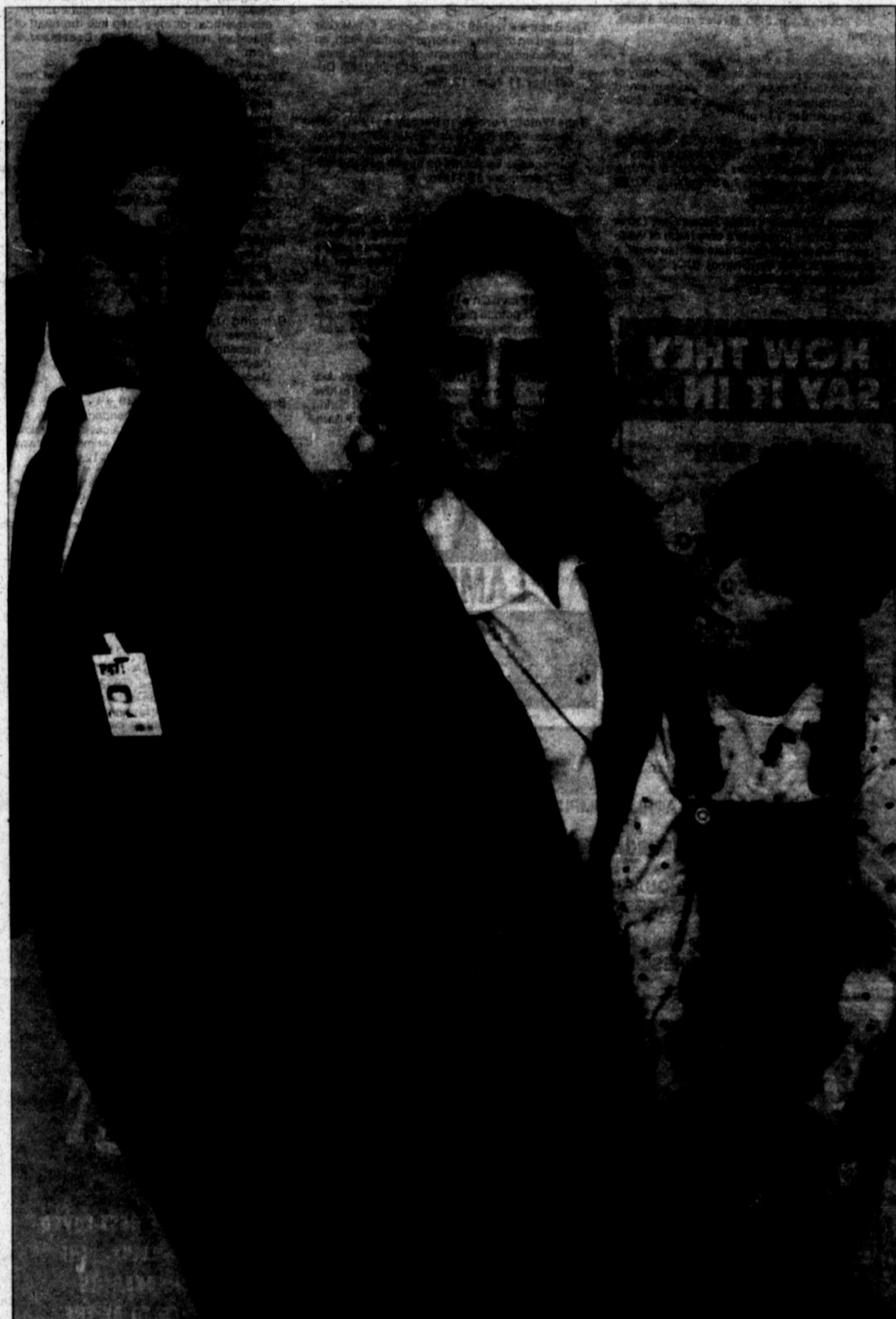


Entertainment

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Lifetime's Second Day at top of Christmas wish list



Mark Ruffalo, Mary Stuart Masterson and Lauren Pratt (from left) kick off the holiday season in *On the Second Day of Christmas*, premiering Monday on Lifetime. The uplifting comedy-drama is one of the many yuletide offerings airing this week.

By Suzanne Gill
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A voice like a bell, an ascetic with a sweet tooth, a ghost story retold as a struggle for equality and a pickpocket with a heart of gold — there is no lack of variety among the week's Christmas movies and specials.

Among the best of these is *On the Second Day of Christmas*, airing Monday, Dec. 8, on Lifetime. Mary Stuart Masterson stars as a pickpocket working the aisles of a New York department store with her young niece (Lauren Pratt) when they run into Bert (Mark Ruffalo), a zealous security guard and lonely guy.

It's clear enough where the film is headed as soon as the store's owner orders the thieves to spend Christmas in the guard's custody. But it turns out to be a pleasant journey, with humorous twists and a bit of Santa Claus magic. Among the supporting characters, Arlene Meadows' portrayal of Bert's mom is a gem, and Howard Hesseman adds last-act fun as David Elfman, the tallest member of Santa's New Jersey staff.

Also on Monday, A&E Network presents *A Judy Collins Christmas at the Biltmore Estate*, featuring Collins' crystal-clear voice in an intimate setting. Between-song banter is not Collins' gift; music, thank goodness, is. Selections run the gamut from "Let It Snow" to Collins' signature "Amazing Grace."

The week's other music specials include *The Soul of Christmas: A Celtic Music Celebration With Thomas Moore*, airing Tuesday, Dec. 9, on PBS (check local listings for all PBS programs). Hosted by the former cleric who has had a second career as a pop soul-healer, the program is a feel-good "festival for people of all faiths" with

Celtic and Appalachian renderings of well-known Christmas songs. Martin Sheen makes a special appearance.

Thursday, Dec. 11, mezzo-soprano Denyce Graves sings carols and songs of the season at the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C., in PBS' *Denyce Graves — A Cathedral Christmas*.

The holidays are usually haunted by the specter of *A Christmas Carol*, and this year is no different. Alas, the USA Network's *Ms. Scrooge*, airing Wednesday, Dec. 10, should be a marquee attraction, but instead is a disappointment. With Cicely Tyson in the title role and Katherine Helmond as Marley, inspiration seems to turn on and off like a string of lights. A back story about growing up in the segregated South is defeated by the production's thoughtless inconsistencies, from time line to set dressing (an upright piano in the Cratchits' miserable warehouse dwelling is particularly out of place). Tyson alternates growls with baby talk, affecting a mumbling speaking style more suggestive of a stroke patient than a tight-lipped miser.

On the nonfiction shelf, PBS offers *The Saints With Sister Wendy*, an art-and-anecdote special drawing on the illuminated manuscripts of the Vatican library and other religious art.

Airing Sunday, Dec. 7, this is no dull church-school lesson. Sister Wendy Beckett gives a warm portrait of Mary Magdalene and shares her childhood horror at the suffering of St. Agatha. She shows her sense of gallows humor on the subjects of St. Lawrence and Thomas a Becket (who may, after all, be her distant relation). Side trips include a stop at Assisi in Italy, where Sister Wendy reveals that the dying St. Francis asked for marzipan candy.

The week is a mixed bag — or should that be stocking? But if you need a little Christmas right this very minute, something good is bound to shake out.

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- 3--LOCAL
- 4--KAMR (NBC), AMARILLO
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- 7--KVII (ABC), AMARILLO
- 8--TBN
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- 10--KFDA (CBS), AMARILLO
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- 13--KCIT (FOX), AMARILLO
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Winter Quiz

How much do you know about winter? Test your knowledge by taking the quiz below. Circle the answers you think are correct.

- Winter begins when this event occurs.
 - First frost
 - Winter solstice
 - First snowfall
 - Christmas
- This weather condition consists of a bitterly cold wind accompanied by blowing snow whipped up from the ground.
 - Snowstorm
 - Cyclone
 - Squall
 - Blizzard
- This winter holiday celebrates the birth of Jesus Christ.
 - Christmas
 - Epiphany
 - Kwanzaa
 - Hanukkah
- This weeklong festival is celebrated by exchanging presents and eating a meal that is known as karamu.
 - Christmas
 - Epiphany
 - Kwanzaa
 - Hanukkah
- This winter sport has been included in the Olympic Games since 1964.
 - One-man luge
 - Two-woman luge
 - Four-man bobsled
 - Two-man bobsled
- This runnerless sled first was built about 5,000 years ago.
 - Luge
 - Bobsled
 - Sleigh
 - Toboggan
- These racket-shaped devices are worn to prevent a person from sinking in deep snow.
 - Skis
 - Snowshoes
 - Boots
 - Moccasins
- When under this popular holiday decoration, a person is supposed to kiss whoever is with him or her.
 - Pine branch
 - Evergreen bough
 - Mistletoe
 - Holly
- Sonja Henie popularized this winter sport.
 - Figure skating
 - Ice dancing
 - Speed skating
 - Cross-country skiing
- This area of the United States is characterized by cold, snowy winters.
 - East Coast
 - Snow Belt
 - Southwest
 - Deep South
- This multicolored candy treat is available throughout the Christmas season.
 - Chocolate bars
 - Gumdrops
 - Candy canes
 - Bubble gum

Answers
1. b 2. d 3. a 4. c
5. a 6. d 7. b 8. c
9. a 10. b 11. c

A

Abe Lincoln in Illinois ★★★ (1940) Raymond Massey, Ruth Gordon. The career of Abraham Lincoln is traced from his early years to his election to the presidency in 1860. 2:00. December 11 12:30am.

Above the Rim ★★ (1994) Duane Martin, Leon. A talented high-school basketball player is caught between a drug dealer, his coach and a tormented security guard. 2:00. December 9 10pm.

The Accused ★★★ (1986) Jodie Foster, Kelly McGillis. A female attorney attempts to prosecute the onlookers who cheered while three bar patrons savagely raped a local woman. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 9 1pm.

Across to Singapore ★★★ (1928) Ramon Novarro, Joan Crawford. Silent. Two seafaring brothers must contend with romantic jealousies and a mutinous crew during a trip to the Orient. 1:30. December 8 6:30am.

Aftermath: A Test of Love ★★½ (1991) Richard Chamberlain, Michael Learned. A doctor is forced to rally his shattered family in the wake of a crime that killed his wife and injured his son. 2:00. December 11 1pm.

All Capone ★★★ (1959) Red Steiger, Fay Spain. Based on the violent life of the racketeer who ruled Chicago's criminal underworld during the '20s and '30s. 2:30. December 8 8am, 2pm.

Alas: The Life of a Child ★★½ (1986) Craig T. Nelson, Bonnie Bedelia. Based on the true story of a cystic fibrosis victim whose spirit remained undiminished throughout her brief life. 2:00. December 13 1pm.

The Alphabet Murders ★★½ (1986) Tony Randel, Aida Elberg. A Belgian detective attempts to solve a series of crimes involving a schizophrenic obsessed with the alphabet. 1:30. December 7 8:30am.

American Gigolo ★ (1980) Richard Gere, Liane Haber. A male prostitute's only hope of vindication in a murder case rests with his client, a politician's wife. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:30. December 8 12:30pm.

Angel and the Badman ★★★ (1947) John Wayne, Gal Russell. A notorious outlaw is reformed by the Quaker woman who nurses him back to health. 2:00. December 13 6am.

Apollo 11 (1966) Xander Berkeley, Jeffrey Nordling. Based on the story of the challenges faced by three astronauts and their crew during the historic 1969 moon landing. 1:30. December 11 2:30am.

Arizona Legion ★★ (1939) George O'Brien, Laine Day. A cowboy hero puts a halt to bandit activity by infiltrating a group of vigilantes. 1:30. December 7 5am.

Arizona Whirlwind ★½ (1944) Hoot Gibson, Kim Meynard. The Trail Blazers vow to round up a gang of diamond smugglers. 1:30. December 7 6:30am.

Arrowhead ★★½ (1953) Charlton Heston, Jack Palance. Trouble brews in the Southwest when a cavalry unit attempts to sign a peace treaty with the Apaches. 2:00. December 11 1pm.

Assassination ★½ (1967) Charles Bronson, Jill Ireland. A Secret Service agent is kept busy thwarting an apparent assassination plot against the first lady. 2:00. December 9 12:00pm.

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The Babe ★★½ (1992) John Goodman, Kelly McGillis. Based on the life of George Herman Ruth, an orphan who became one of baseball's greatest legends. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 11 8pm; 12 1pm.

Babe Watch: Forbidden Parody ★ (1986) Taw McMan, Aida Elberg. Bathing-suit contests and man-watching are all in a day's work for three curvaceous lifeguards on beach patrol. 2:00. December 13 11pm.

Bachelors ★★½ (1980) James Burt, Meg Foster. An architect is accused of murdering his boss after a passionate night of romance with a seductive stranger. 2:00. December 11 1am.

The Band Plays On ★½ (1934) Robert Young, Betty Furness. Football players mix fame with notoriety when they become implicated in a scandal. 1:30. December 11 8am.

Battle Circus ★★½ (1953) Humphrey Bogart, Jane Bryan. An Army doctor and a nurse fall in love while serving at a mobile surgical unit during the Korean War. 2:00. December 9 3am.

Beaches ★★ (1988) Bette Midler, Barbara Hershey. Two women with different upbringings and lifestyles manage to keep their friendship intact through 30 turbulent years. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:30. December 7 12pm.

The Bear ★★½ (1988) Jack Wallace, Tcheli Kaya. An orphaned grizzly cub and a wounded kodiak bear join forces in a struggle for survival in 1885 Canada. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 7 2pm; 12 7pm.

Beethoven ★★ (1992) Charles Grodin, Bonnie Hunt. A suburban family rallies to the rescue when an evil veterinarian kidnaps their St. Bernard. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 13 7pm.

Best Foot Forward ★★½ (1943) Lucille Ball, Jane Bryan. A movie star becomes involved in a national scandal when she attends a pre-school dance. 2:00. December 8 7pm.

Big Business ★★½ (1986) Bette Midler, Lily Tomlin. Two sets of identical twins separated at birth converge in Manhattan on opposite sides of a corporate maneuver. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 13 11am.

The Big Heat ★★ (1953) Glenn Ford, Gloria Grahame. An angry cop sets out to break a mobster's hold on a corrupt city administration. 1:30. December 7 3pm.

The Big Sky ★★ (1952) Kit Douglas, Dewey Martin. Howard Hawley's frontier saga about a dangerous riverboat journey deep into the heart of Blackfoot territory. 2:30. December 9 7pm.

Blackboard Jungle ★★ (1955) Glenn Ford, Anne Francis. A dedicated teacher attempts to restore order in an inner-city high school where teen-age lawlessness has taken root. 2:00. December 13 11pm.

Blazing Saddles ★★ (1974) Clifton Collins, Gene Wilder. A black railroad worker is appointed sheriff to a town marked for destruction by a scheming politician. 2:00. December 11 8pm.

Blind Faith ★★½ (1990) Robert Urich, Jessica Kavan. Three boys must come to terms with their mother's death and the fact that their father has been accused of the crime. 4:00. December 7 5pm.

Bringing Up Baby ★★½ (1938) Cary Grant, Katharine Hepburn. A paleontologist's search for a missing dinosaur bone involves him with a madcap heiress and her pet leopard. 1:45. December 10 2am.

Broadway Melody of 1940 ★★ (1940) Fred Astaire, Eleanor Powell. A dancer coaches his less-talented partner after a case of mistaken identities lands the latter a prime Broadway role. 2:00. December 13 12pm.

The Buccaneer ★★ (1958) Yul Brynner, Charlton Heston. Gen. Andrew Jackson's dependence on pirate Jean Lafitte is complicated by the governor's daughter. 2:30. December 9 8am, 2pm.

Buffalo Soldiers (1997) Davy Glover, Mychal Henson. A black U.S. cavalry unit skirmishes with American Indian tribes in the post-Civil War West. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 7pm, 8pm, 11pm; 13 6pm.

HOW THEY SAY IT IN...

ENGLISH: BODY
SPANISH: CUERPO
ITALIAN: CORPO
FRENCH: CORPS
GERMAN: KÖRPER
LATIN: CORPUS

new word

LAMENT

To regret strongly.

TIME LINE

1976

- APPLE COMPUTER WAS FOUNDED.
- PITTSBURGH BEAT DALLAS IN SUPERBOWL X.
- AN EARTHQUAKE IN CHINA KILLED HUNDREDS OF THOUSANDS OF PEOPLE.
- JIMMY CARTER WON THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION, BEATING OUT PRESIDENT, GERALD FORD.

Did You Know?

TUNA ARE FAST SWIMMERS AND CAN TRAVEL AT MORE THAN 30 MPH.

READY-TO-EAT CEREAL, A TYPICAL AMERICAN BREAKFAST FOOD, ORIGINATED WITH A GROUP OF SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTISTS SEEKING HEALTHY ADDITIONS TO THEIR VEGETARIAN DIET.

ARTS FACT

PERHAPS THE BEST LOVED OF ALL BALLET THE NUTCRACKER IS BELIEVED TO BE THE MOST FREQUENTLY STAGED BALLET IN HISTORY

HOROSCOPES

★ ★ December 7-13 ★ ★

ARIES - March 21/April 20
You've got to be aggressive early in the week, Aries. There are a lot of things that you need to get done, but if you don't take the initiative, no one is going to help you. A close friend has a secret agenda when he or she asks you to go out. Keep your eyes and ears open. Scorpio plays a key role on Friday.

TAURUS - April 21/May 21
Be determined this week. Co-workers and friends will try to distract you from the task at hand, but you can't let them. A loved one gets into trouble and needs your help. Don't get too involved, or you could end up with a problem yourself. You meet an intriguing stranger over the weekend.

GEMINI - May 22/June 21
You're in for a good week, Gemini. You have a lot of fun whether you're at work or home. Loved ones and friends want to spend time with you, and you're always on the go. Enjoy it while you can. That special someone takes you out to a romantic dinner later in the week. Cancer plays a role.

CANCER - June 22/July 22
Your sense of humor draws attention from business associates and acquaintances. You form closer relationships with some people whom you thought you didn't even like. An old friend calls you up to ask for help. Do what you can for old time's sake. He or she truly needs you.

LEO - July 23/August 23
Even though you make great strides both personally and professionally, Leo, it's going to be a frustrating week. You have to cut through a lot of red tape in order to make any progress. Keep working hard; you'll have a chance to relax this weekend. A loved one tells you about a family problem. Don't let it upset you.

VIRGO - Aug 24/Sept 22
Don't be so critical of yourself, Virgo. Everyone is very happy with your efforts, and a reward is on the way. A family event takes up a lot of your time later in the week. While it tires you out, loved ones truly appreciate all that you're doing. Leo plays a role.

LIBRA - Sept 23/Oct 23
Your pleasant nature is put to the test early in the week. Stress at work has everyone on edge - including you. Don't let it get to you. Remain calm, and everything will work out just fine. That special someone finally asks you out. Don't be afraid to say yes! He or she really likes you. You get an interesting piece of mail on Thursday.

SCORPIO - Oct 24/Nov 22
Hold your ego in check during a night out with friends during the middle of the week. You're not the only person who has important duties. A loved one needs your advice about a relationship. Be honest, even though the truth may hurt. Pisces plays an important role late in the week.

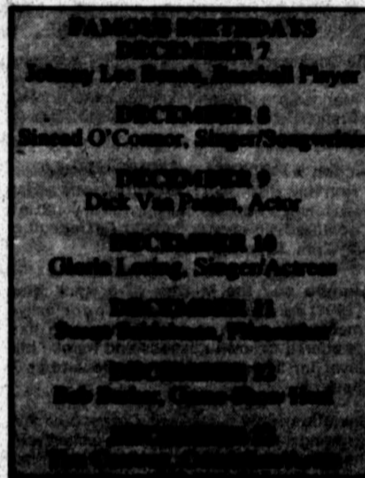
SAGITTARIUS - Nov 23/Dec 21
Take some time for yourself, Sagittarius, and find out where your loyalties lie. Everyone seems to want your help, but whom can you really trust? Don't alienate those who are close to you. A friend sets you up with his or her co-worker. Don't go into the date with a negative attitude.

CAPRICORN - Dec 22/Jan 20
Do whatever it takes to get a project done early in the week. Superiors have their eyes on you and want to see if you can handle responsibility. A family crisis takes up a lot of your time during the weekend. Don't worry. Things will work out fine. Taurus plays an important role.

AQUARIUS - Jan 21/Feb 18
Be realistic this week, Aquarius. There is only so much time in the day - you can't do everything. Prioritize all of your tasks first, then set out to complete them. It's the only way to make any headway. That attractive person you've had your eye on asks you out. You're in for an exciting time.

PISCES - Feb 19/March 20
A financial windfall this week has old "friends" knocking on your door.

Don't be too generous, because you're going to need that money soon when an interesting opportunity arises. A relative has a surprise in store for you. Don't get upset when you find out. He or she has your best interest at heart.



Jason Scott Lee stars as a young man raised in the wild by animals who returns to civilization and finds it's a different kind of jungle out there in Rudyard Kipling's *The Jungle Book*, airing Sunday on ABC.

SUNDAY

DECEMBER 7

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
●	Push	Marshall	Amazing	Amazing	Movie: Rudolph & Frosty's Christmas	Frosty's	Rudolph's Shiny New Year	Baby-Sitters			
●	Paid Prog.	Grace	Marriage	AMStar	Must the Press	Baptist Church	NFL on NBC	Football			
●	Seaside Street	Grounding	Kidsongs	Wishes	Wishbone	Arts	European	Gentle Dr.	K-9 Kapers	With Health	
●	Seebay Dee	Flintstones	Flintstones	Bugs Bunny	Quinch	(-35) Movie: A Christmas Story (1983) ***		Movie: Rerunning			
●	Animal	Paid Prog.	Home Again	Martha	Better	Images	Good Morning America	This Week			News
●	Bozo Super Sunday	Chenille	Superman	Marinick	Batman/Superman	PlayBrain	Animarise	Sylvester	Movie:		
●	Click	Church	Peer Pres.	First Baptist Church	Sunday Morning			United Methodist	News		
●	Religion		Fox News Sunday		Movie: Kenny Rogers as the Gambler, Part II			Fox NFL Sunday	Football		
●	ESPN News	ESPN News	NFL	Sportsworld	Reporters	Sportscr.	NFL Countdown				NASCAR
●	In Touch		Christopher	DeckHalls	Bear Stept	Red Boots	Bugs Bunny	Nester	Christmas in Toyland		Movie:
●	Busy World	Mrs. Piggle	News	My Life-Dog	Movie: This is Elvis (1981) David Scott, Johnny Hara.			Movie: Butch Cassidy-Sundance Kid			
●	Storyteller	Movie: Gallavants (1985), Fred Travalena	(-15) Movie: Fortis Buelter's Day Off Matthew Broderick.					Movie: One Fine Day 'PG'			
●	(8:30) Movie: ** Wind Matthew Modine.	(-65) Movie: Sabrina (1995) Harrison Ford, Julia Ormond. *** PG'						Movie: Houseboat Cary Grant. ***			
●	Movie: Arizona Whirlwind	Movie: Murder at the Gallot (1963)	Movie: The Alphabet Murders (1966)					Movie: Kismet (1944) ***			
●	(Off Air)	Mechanic	Mechanic	Inside NASCAR	NHRA	NASCAR	NASCAR	Invention	Ready-Road	Auto Racing	
●	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Zooventure	Boneheads	Jaws-Claus	A.J.R.K.	Movie Magic	PopSci	News	Invisible	
●	Movie: Hell in the Pacific	Breakfast With the Arts			Open Book	Biography International		Movie: The Last Days of Patton (1986)			
●	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Baby Knows	Kids These	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Movie: Convictions (1997) Blair Brown.		
●	FOX Sports News	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Americans	Fisher	Trails	Outdoors	N.S. Extra	Paid Prog.	Golf	
●	Flintstones	Scoby Dobby Dee	Smudge	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	In the Heat of the Night	Movie: The Last Days of Patton (1986)			
●	Muppets	Tiny Toon	Looney Tunes	Phurats	Beavers	Hey Arnold!	Monsters	Recher's Life	Kablam!	My Brother	
●	Wing Cmdr.	Dragon	ShortK	Fighter	Saved-Bell	USA High	WWF Superstars	Pacific Blue		Movie:	
●	Pizza Sesame	La Fiesta Loca	Tomaso-Da.	Onda Max		Central	Theresa D. Callente	DonDapor			
●	History Showcase	Gadg/Trip	Year-Kids	Tripa USA	Gadg/Trip	Trains Unlimited		FINes			
●	Country	Fisherman	Outdoors	Outdoors	Fishing	Paintball	Paintball	Soccer Brazil vs. Team to Be Announced			

IN FOCUS



Tony Award winner Nigel Hawthorne travels new ground in the role of a missionary and explorer in *Forbidden Territory: Stanley's Search for Livingstone*. Premiering Sunday, Dec. 7, on ABC, the film is a co-production of National Geographic Television and Hallmark Entertainment.

After witnessing a massacre in an African village, Dr. Livingstone (Hawthorne) disappears. Reporter Henry Morton Stanley (Aidan Quinn) is assigned to find the missing scientist and bring him back if he still is alive.



Danny Glover stars as Sgt. Washington Wyatt, the leader of a group of African-American troopers, in *Buffalo Soldiers*.

The film premieres Sunday, Dec. 7, on TNT.

Based on an almost-forgotten piece of post-Civil War history, *Buffalo Soldiers* tells the story of a U.S. cavalry corps that fought hostile American Indians on the Western frontier.

Mykelti Williamson, Glynn Turman, Carl Lumbly and Michael Warren also star.

SUNDAY

DECEMBER 7

	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
●	Flash	Almost	Inside Out	Kitans	(-20) Movie: In the Nick of Time	Dinosaur	Growing	Growing	Muppets		
●	(12:00) NFL Football Denver Broncos at Pittsburgh Steelers				Golf Father/Son Challenge			Sports	NBC News		
●	With Health	Perspective	Business	Great Performances		Andrea Bocelli: Romanza in Concert					
●	Movie: Rerunning	(-35) Flintstones Christmas Carol	Flintstones Christmas	(-65) Saved by the Bell	Videos	Videos					
●	College Basketball Franklin Bart Classic - Kansas vs. Maryland				PGA Golf JCPenney Classic - Final Round			ABC News	News		
●	(12:00) Movie: The Rocketeer (1991)	Movie: The Bear (1989) Jack Wallace. *** PG'			Movie: L.A. Story (1991) Steve Martin. ***						
●	Landin	Red Boots	Puzzle Club	Landin	Golden	Celebrity Sports	Mer.Media	Golden	CBS News	News	
●	(12:00) NFL Football New York Giants at Philadelphia Eagle				NFL Football Washington Redskins at Arizona Cardinals						
●	NASCAR	Road-Indy	Billiards		Strongman	Football	Bodybuilding		Beating Russia vs. U.S.		
●	(12:00) Movie: *** A Hobo's Christmas	Movie: To Grandmother's House We Go (1992) **	Movie: Christmas Every Day (1996) Robert Hays.								
●	Movie:	Movie: Runaway Tom Sallack. PG-13'	(-65) Movie: Gunfighter's Moon Lance Henriksen. *** PG'	Extras	(-05) Movie: Matilda (1996)						
●	Movie: One Fine Day 'PG'	Movie: Edie & Pam Stockard Channing.	(-15) Movie: R.S.V.P. Patrick Dempsey. *** PG'		Movie: Miss Evers' Boys						
●	Movie:	Movie: Memoirs of an Invisible Man **	Movie: Mr. Mom Michael Keaton. 'PG'	Movie: Carpool Tom Arnold. ** PG'	Movie:						
●	Movie:	Movie: A Stolen Life (1946) Bette Davis. *** PG'	Movie: The Big Heat (1953) **		Movie: Toothhouse of the August Moon						
●	Auto Racing	Championship Rodeo	Motor Trend	ClassicCar	Hot Rod TV	Mechanic	Outdoors	Bustamtr.	Fishing	Fisher	
●	Invisible	Invisible Places	Invisible Places	Sunk by the Remark	Shipwreck - The Lusitania	Mysterious	Unknown				
●	(11:00) Movie: The Last Days of Patton	Biography This Week	Sea Tales		New Explorers	Home Again	Home Again				
●	Movie:	Movie: Dances With (1982) Tom Sallack. *** PG'	Movie: Honor Thy Mother (1992) Sharon Glass.	Movie: Blind Faith (1990)							
●	Golf Million Dollar Classic - Final Round	Women's College Soccer: NCAA Div. I Championship			NHL Shots	NHL Hockey					
●	(12:00) Movie: Last Stand at Saber River	Movie: Trading Places (1983) Eddie Murphy, Dan Aykroyd. ***	Movie: Faded Beauty (1987) ** PG'								
●	SpaceCase	You Do	Crazy Kids	Gadg/Trip	Salute	Temple	Pets & Pets	Clarissa	Tiny Toon	Figure It Out	Recher's-Life
●	(12:00) Movie: ** E. Schae (1986) Bette Midler.	Movie: Parenthood (1989) Steve Martin, Mary Steenburgen. ***	Movie: Kindergarten Cop								
●	(12:00) Domingo Deportivo		Simples on Domingo						Lento Loco	Noticiero	
●	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	FINes	
●	Soccer	Yachting	Street Rod	Auto Racing	NASCAR Writer Meet				Rodeo PRCA National Finals - Second Round		

CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF THE NFL KIND



THE NFL ON
ESPN

Detroit Lions @ Miami Dolphins
7:00 pm on cable channel 14
HEREFORD CABLEVISION

California Heat (1995) Gretchen Stoddard, Ken Foring. Three tempting women complicate an amorous lifeguard's wager that he can remain faithful to one girlfriend for a month. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 12 10pm.

Captaine Courageous ★★½ (1996) Robert Ulrich, Ken Vadas. A spoiled rich boy is rescued from the sea by a fisherman who teaches him the value of hard work and friendship. (In Stereo) (CC) 1:30. December 12 2:30am.

Cheyenne Autumn ★★★ (1964) Richard Widmark, Carol Baker. Hundreds of Cheyenne risk their lives on a grueling exodus from an Oklahoma reservation to their homeland in Wyoming. 3:15. December 8 1am.

Child in the Night ★★ (1990) JoBeth Williams, Tom Stierit. A child psychologist tries to jar the memory of a boy who witnessed his father's murder but can't identify the killer. 2:00. December 13 9pm.

Children of a Lesser God ★★★½ (1986) William Hurt, Marlee Matlin. A new teacher at a school for the deaf falls in love with a spirited former student. Matlin won the best actress Oscar. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:30. December 8 2:30am.

Christmas Comes to Willow Creek ★★ (1987) John Schneider, Tom Hopt. Feuding brothers join forces to transport Christmas gifts to a bedridden friend's Alaskan hometown. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 13 12pm.

Christmas Every Day (1996) Robert Hays, Erik Van Dellen. A youngster learns the true meaning of Christmas when he is forced to relive the holiday over and over again. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 4pm.

The Christmas List (1997) Mini Rogers, Bill Suter. A store clerk learns a valuable lesson about the true meaning of Christmas when she gets everything on her wish list. 2:00. December 7 9pm; 13 7pm.

A Christmas Story ★★★ (1983) Peter Billingsley, Darren McGavin. Mid-1940s America is the setting for this holiday memoir about a boy who only wants a Red Ryder BB gun for Christmas. 2:00. December 7 9:35am. December 10 11pm.

The Cincinnati Kid ★★★ (1955) Steve McQueen, Ann-Margret. In New Orleans, a game of high-stakes poker arises between a young card shark and a near-legendary master of the game. 2:00. December 9 11am.

Cinderella Jones ★★ (1946) Joan Leslie, Robert Alda. The heiress to a \$10 million legacy learns that she must marry a genius or forfeit her fortune. 1:30. December 9 6:30am.

Class Action ★★★ (1991) Gene Hackman, Mary Elizabeth Mastrantonio. A defender of the underdog and his estranged lawyer-daughter find themselves on opposing sides of a court battle. 2:00. December 9 12:05pm.

The Cockleshell Heroes ★★ (1955) Jose Ferrer, Trevor Howard. During World War II, eight Royal Marines are chosen to paddle canoes into a French port and blow up Nazi boats. 2:00. December 13 9pm.

Cocoon ★★★ (1985) Don Ameche, Wilford Brimley. Ron Howard's Oscar-winning tale about Florida retirees who find the fountain of youth in a pool filled with alien pods. 2:30. December 11 7pm, 10pm; 13 10pm.

Columbo and the Murder of a Rock Star (1991) Peter Falk, Deborah Coleman. The detective revisits his match in an attorney who has murdered his own mistress and framed her lover for the crime. 2:00. December 7 9pm.

Convictions (1997) Blair Brown, Cameron Bancroft. A grieving mother decides to make a change in her life by campaigning for the parole of her son's killer. (CC) 2:00. December 7 11am.

BUFFALO SOLDIERS

WORLD PREMIERE SUNDAY, DECEMBER 7
7PM/8:00PM
Hereford Cablevision on cable channel 29
THE BEST MOVIE STUDIO ON TELEVISION

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The Courtneys of Curzon Street ★★★ (1947) Anna Neagle, Michael Wilding. The son of a prominent English family breaks with tradition when he falls in love with his mother's Irish maid. 2:00. December 11 3am.

Crash ★★ (1978) William Shatner, Adrienne Barbeau. A fact-based account of the struggle for survival waged by 73 survivors of a doomed jetliner in the Florida Everglades. 2:00. December 12 12:05pm.

Crisis ★★★ (1950) Cary Grant, Jose Ferrer. While vacationing in Latin America, an American brain surgeon is kidnapped and forced to operate on a dying dictator. 2:00. December 13 7pm.

The Deadly Tower ★★½ (1975) Kurt Russell, John Forsythe. A college student kills 13 people and wounds many others when he goes on a rampage at the University of Texas in 1966. 2:00. December 10 11am.

The Death of Ocean View Park ★★ (1979) Mike Connors, Diana Canova. A seaside amusement park is turned into a nightmare of disaster by an unusually powerful hurricane. 2:00. December 11 12:05pm.

A Different Kind of Christmas (1996) Shelley Long, Bruce Kirby. A city attorney finds her mayoral bid threatened by the revelation that her father believes himself to be Santa Claus. (CC) 2:00. December 9 9pm.

SUNDAY DECEMBER 7

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
1	Going Wild!	Omaha	Timon	Aladdin	Walt Disney Presents	Movie: Alice in Wonderland ★★½ 'G'	Donald	Zorro			
2	All-New-When Slopers	Dateline			Movie: Terminal Velocity (1994) Charlie Sheen. ★★½	News	(35) Team Knight Rider				
3	Nitty Gritty Christmas		I've Gotta Crow		Yanni: Concert From the Taj Mahal and Forbidden City	Scottish Fiddle Orchestra					
4	National Geographic Explorer				Movie: Twins (1988) Arnold Schwarzenegger. ★★★	(15) National Geographic Explorer					
5	Movie: Rudyard Kipling's The Jungle Book (1994)				Movie: Forbidden Territory: Stanley's Search	News	Sinfeld	Extra			
6	Nick Freno	PinkyBrain	Parent	Jamie Foxx	Unhappily	Alright	News	Replay	Cosch	Nightman	
7	60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel		Movie: 1,000 Man and a Baby (1997) Gerald McRaney.	News	Walker, Texas Ranger				
8	World's Funniest!	Simpsons	King-Hill	X-Files		X-Files	Mad-You	Star Trek: Deep Space 9			
9	NFL Primetime		NFL Football Detroit Lions at Miami Dolphins				NFL Sportscenter				
10	Movie: The Christmas List (1997) Mini Rogers.				Movie: Columbo and the Murder of a Rock Star (1991)		Hawaii Five-0	Ozburn			
11	(5:05) Movie: Matilda 'PG'		All Star Concert for Montserrat				U2 Live From Mexico City	Pettergeist			
12	Movie: Miss Evers' Boys		Movie: A Time to Kill (1996) Sandra Bullock, Samuel L. Jackson. 'R'				Movie: One Fine Day Michelle Pfeiffer. ★★½ 'PG'				
13	Movie: Down Periscope		Movie: Doc Hollywood Michael J. Fox. ★★★ 'PG-13'				Movie: Sometimes-Come Again	(45) Movie: North Star 'R'			
14	Movie: Teahouse-Ang.		Unknown Chaplin		Unknown Chaplin		Unknown Chaplin	Buster Keaton	Keaton		
15	AmLegends	Ducks	Shooter	Hunting	Championship Rodeo	Raceday	NHRA	NASCAR	Ready-Road	Auto Racing	
16	Fangal!		Wild Discovery		Fleet Command			Justice Files		Wild Disc.	
17	Ancient Mysteries		Story of Magic				American Justice			Magic	
18	(5:00) Movie: ★★½ Blind Faith (1990) Robert Ulrich, Joanna Kerns.						Intimate Portrait	Homicide: Life	Walkiri		
19	NHL Hockey Long Beach Ice Dogs at Houston Aeros		ABL Basketball Columbus Quest at Philadelphia Rage				FOX Sports News	Sports			
20	(4:30) Movie: Fatal Beauty		Movie: Buffalo Soldiers (1997) Danny Glover.				Movie: Buffalo Soldiers (1997) Danny Glover.	Movie:			
21	My Brother	All That	Shelby Woo	Nick News	Happy Days	Wonder Yrs.	Odd Couple	Van Dylis	Newhart	BobWhit	Ted
22	Movie: Kindergarten Cop		Pacific Blue		Silk Stalkings		La Femme Nikita	Big Easy		Stalkings	
23	Los Reyes Gruperos		Que Crees		Viguesimosexto Festival Internacional OTI de la Cancion			Noticiero	Titulares D.	Pelicula	
24	Fifties		Modern Marvels		Sacrifice at Pearl Harbor			Rain of Ruin		Marvels	
25	Fishing		RPM 2Night		Karate		Superbouts	Strongest Man		Rodeo	

MONDAY DECEMBER 8

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
1	Goof Troop	Mermaid	Pooh	Katie-Orbie	Bear	Wonderland	Chip 'n' Dale	Maddina	Mermaid	Pooh	Jungle Cubs
2	Today				Leeza		Geraldo Rivera	Sunset Beach	Days-Lives		
3	Barney	Arthur	Sesame Street		Puzzle Place	Reading	Storytime	Mr Rogers	Arthur	Barney	Care
4	Brady	Brady	Little House		Mama	Mama	Hillbillies	Hillbillies	(05) Matlock		Movie:
5	Good Morning America				Live - Regis & Kathie Lee		Martha	Gayle King	People's Court		News
6	Tiny Toon	Captain	BugsDaffy	Animaniacs	PinkyBrain	Batman	Griffith	Griffith	Geraldo Rivera		News
7	This Morning				Ricki Lake		Price is Right		Young and the Restless		News
8	Bobby	Casper	101Dalmits	X-Men	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Kenneth C.	Paid Prog.	Home Team
9	NFL Sportscenter		NFL Sportscenter		NFL Sportscenter		NFL Sportscenter		NFL Sportscenter		Soccer
10	Rescue 911		Walters		700 Club			FR TV	Diagnosis Murder		Home
11	(6:45) Movie: ★★½ Max is Missing 'PG'				Tina Turner: Wildest Dreams Concert		Movie: A Pure Formality Gerard Depardieu. 'PG-13'				Movie:
12	Movie: Black Sheep Chris Farley. 'PG-13'				Movie: Ordeal in the Arctic ★★½ 'PG'		Juror	Movie: Judgment Keith Carradine. 'PG-13'			Movie:
13	Movie: Unsinkable		Movie: Bopha! (1993) Danny Glover, Malcolm McDowell.				Movie: The Wolves Darren Dalton. ★★				Movie: House Arrest 'PG'
14	Movie: Across-Sing.		Movie: My Pal, Wolf (1944) ★★½				Movie: Other Men's Women (1931) ★★				Movie: King Solomon's Mines (1950)
15	(Off Air)		Club Dance		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Aleene's Crafts		Wildhorse
16	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		Housemart!		Interior Motives		Home
17	Columbo				Columbo		Quincy		Northern Exposure		Law & Order
18	Baby Knows	Kids These	Sisters		Designing	Almost	Our Home		Main Ingrid.	Handmade	Commish
19	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	H.S. Extra
20	Scooby Dooby Doo		Flintstones		Flintstones		Gilligan		Spenser: For Hire		Movie: Safari 2000 (1981) ★★
21	Looney	Rugrats	Little Bear		Blue's Clues		Busy World		Muppets		Dr. Seuss
22	Gargoyles	Sailor Moon	Webster		Facts of Life		Strangers		Gimme B.		Movie: Parenthood (1989) Steve Martin, Mary Steenburgen. ★★
23	(6:00) Despierta America				Maite				Volver a Empezar		Marimar
24	Classroom		History Showcase		Movie: Al Capone (1959) Rod Taylor, Fay Spain. ★★★						Real West
25	Flex Appeal	Bodyshape	Crunch		Training		Perfect		Bodyshape		Fitness
									Flex Appeal		NFL Great
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A Deadly Silence ★★ (1989) Charles Hall, Mike Farrell. A fact-based account of a Long Island teen-ager who hired a schoolmate to murder her sexually abusive father. 2:00. December 9 1pm.

Dirty Dingus Magee ★★½ (1970) Frank Sinatra, George Kennedy. In the 1800s, a slippery crook finds himself in possession of a strongbox that he's unable to open. 2:00. December 12 11am.

MONDAY



Comic-actor David Spade hits all the right notes as host of the 1997 **Billboard Music Awards**, honoring the year's top songs and musical performers. The ceremony airs Monday on Fox.

TV PIPELINE

By Taylor Michaels
OTVData Features Syndicate

Q: Is James MacArthur the son of Helen Hayes? I seem to remember reading something about that recently. -James I. Shadden, Pine Bluff, Ark.

A: Yes, James is the son of Hayes and playwright Charles MacArthur (The Front Page).

Q: On a recent episode of *Fired Up*, a character paraphrased a quote I remember from a children's show. It went something like this: "Drizzle, drizzle, drizzle, drome, time for this one to come home."

I am losing sleep trying to remember who originally said it and where it was first heard. -Sleepless in An Sable Forks, N.Y.

A: In the early 1960s, cartoon characters Tooter Turtle and Mr. Wizard, the Lizard of the Great Forest, were a regular feature of *King Leonardo and His Short Subjects*.

At Tooter's request, Mr. Wizard would send him to various places and times in history, where Tooter invariably got into trouble. At those times, he'd scream, "Help, Mr. Wizard!" and Mr. Wizard would use the incantation



Helen Hayes

you mentioned to bring Tooter home to safety.

Q: I love the music from *Ally McBeal*. Is a soundtrack in the works?

Does vocalist Vonda Shepard have any CDs of her own out? -Jessica Lindsey via e-mail.

A: There's no talk of releasing a soundtrack yet, but Shepard has three CDs on the Vesper Alley label.

Q: About two years ago I heard a rumor about an *X-Men* movie based on the comic-book characters. What

happened? Is the project still on? -Sleeper28 via e-mail.

A: Director Bryan Singer (*The Usual Suspects*) is scheduled to direct an unknown cast in *X-Men* for producers Richard Donner and Lauren Shuler-Donner in 1998.

Q: What was the name of the robot on *Lost in Space*? -D.D., Stretator, Ill.

A: A surprising number of people think it had a name - the most often mentioned being "Robby," which was another robot altogether - but original cast member Jonathan Harris (Dr. Zachary Smith) says the character simply was called The Robot, not that Dr. Smith didn't address it rather colorfully at times.

Q: Please provide the titles of two '80s sitcoms for me. The first starred Diana Canova and Jane Leeves at a record company; the second had Dee Wallace-Stone and Elliott Gould as adoptive parents of an ethnically mixed home. -Tania in Massachusetts.

A. Respectively, they were *Throb* (syndicated, 1986-88) and *Together We Stand* (ABC, 1986-87).

Divorce Wars ★★½ (1992) Tom Selleck, Jon Corley. A divorce lawyer finds it increasingly difficult to handle his clients' problems while his own marriage is crumbling. 2:00. December 7 1pm.

Double Dynamite ★★ (1991) Frost Stone, Jane Russell. A young bank teller is suspected of embezzling the money he received for saving a mobster's life. 1:30. December 12 9:30am.

Double Wedding ★★½ (1937) William Powell, Myrna Loy. An unwed dress designer pushes her younger sister into matrimony, only to find herself altar-bound as well. 1:45. December 7 12:45am.

Dulcy ★½ (1940) Ann Sothern, Ian Hunter. A dizzy young woman attempts to turn her inventor-boyfriend's vacation into a chance meeting with a potential investor. 1:30. December 12 5am.

Earthquake ★★ (1974) Charlton Heston, Ava Gardner. Oscar-winning special effects highlight this account of a cataclysmic California quake. 2:15. December 12 7pm.

Ebbie ★★½ (1995) Susan Lucci, Tamm Noah Smith. A high-powered businesswoman must confront her past, present and future in this retelling of "A Christmas Carol." (CC) 2:00. December 10 8pm.

El Paso ★★ (1949) John Payne, Gail Russell. An idealistic attorney is forced to strap on a six-shooter to fight corruption in post-Civil War Texas. 2:00. December 8 1pm.

Escape in Japan ★★½ (1957) Teresa Wright, Cameron Mitchell. A stranded American boy enlists the help of a Japanese youth in a cross-country search for his parents. 2:00. December 10 11am.

Escape From Atlantis (1997) Jeff Spelman, Ben Ross. A sailing trip turns into an unexpected adventure when a hurricane sweeps a family away to the lost world of Atlantis. 2:00. December 13 1:30am.

Escape From Sobibor ★★½ (1987) Alan Arkin, Roger Rees. Based on the 1943 escape of more than 300 Jewish prisoners from a Nazi concentration camp in Poland. 3:00. December 12 8pm, 12am.

Every Little Crook and His Nanny ★½ (1972) Lynn Redgrave, Victor Mature. A woman kidnaps a gang leader's son after syndicate goons convert her dancing school into a betting parlor. 2:00. December 11 1pm.

Fatal Beauty ★½ (1987) Whoopi Goldberg, Sam Elliott. A Los Angeles narcotics detective goes under cover to track down the source of a lethal form of cocaine. 2:30. December 7 4:30pm.

Father's Son ★★ (1941) John List, Billy Dawson. A boy takes his own kidnapping in an attempt to patch up his parents' broken marriage. 1:15. December 13 9am.

The Fear Inside ★★ (1992) Christine Lahti, Dylan McDermott. Strangers claiming to be brother and sister terrorize their unsuspecting and agoraphobic landlady. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 12 11am.

HIGHLIGHTS



Jonathan Banks, Richard Thomas and Gerald McRaney star in *1,000 Men and a Baby*, airing Sunday on CBS. The movie is based on the true story of a Navy crew that rescued a Korean War orphan.

1,000 Men and a Baby offers relief from holiday routine

By John Crook
OTVData Features Syndicate

Why do many TV producers get so confused this time of year? It's the holiday season, but they treat viewers like trick-or-treaters, handing out programs that are like heaping helpings of syrupy candy.

An exception to this tradition is *1,000 Men and a Baby*, premiering Sunday, Dec. 7, on CBS. This poignant TV movie starring Richard Thomas and Gerald McRaney tells the incredible true story of a Navy crew that "adopted" an abandoned Korean-American infant.

After an opening scene set in the present, the story shifts to 1953, when an American soldier finds a baby left at a military depot. An Irish nun, Sister Philomena (Doris Roberts), quickly determines the Korean assistants in her orphanage will not care for a baby who is part American.

She and the USS Point Cruz's chaplain, Father Edward O'Riley (Jonathan Banks), conspire to get "Danny," named after the GI who found him, on the ship. Capt. John Hayward (Mc-

Raney) approves the idea, correctly guessing that Danny's presence will improve his crew's morale.

But getting a child of mixed ethnic heritage to America is fraught with endless red tape.

Despite intervention by Vice President Richard Nixon, the efforts of Hayward, O'Riley and medical officer Hugh Keenan (Thomas) appear fruitless - and they know if Danny is left in Korea, he will die.

1,000 Men and a Baby has the courage to take time with its story. It allows viewers to share the frustration as one senseless complication after another arises.

The characters, sharply drawn individuals with high-stakes goals in mind, make for a refreshing holiday movie that takes on some weight. When the sentimental ending arrives, the tears it earns are honest ones.

With a letter-perfect cast - McRaney hasn't been this terrific in some time, Thomas is restrained, and Banks and Roberts are impishly delightful - viewers everywhere are sure to welcome this *Baby* aboard.

MONDAY

DECEMBER 8

	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
1	Tale Spin	Donald	Chip 'n' Dale	Tale Spin	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	Growing	Growing	Brotherly
2	Days-Lives	Another World		Jenny Jones		Meury		Oprah Winfrey		News	NBC News
3	Body Elec.	Painting	Know Fire	Talking Lead	Talking Lead	Earth	Earth	Sandiego	Science Guy	Wishbone	Bus
4	(12:05) Movie: Class Action (1991)			Flintstones	Flintstones	Looney	Dreams	Saved-Ball	Saved-Ball	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.
5	Jeopardy!	One Life to Live		General Hospital		Purt Charles	Pictionary	Roadie O'Donnell		News	ABC News
6	News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Wagway		Beverly Hills, 90210		Fam. Mat.	Dreams	Saved-Ball	Saved-Ball
7	Bold & B.	As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Sally		Am. Journal	Edison	News	CBS News
8	Home Team	Medicine Woman		Little House on the Prairie		Spider-Man	Metallix	Rangers	Earle Ind.	Day-World	Roseanne
9	(12:00) Dutch Soccer Rodeo JC at Ajax			Survival	Scholastica	Paintball	NFL Great	NFL Great	Inside Staff	Up Close	Sportactr.
10	(12:00) Home & Family			ShopDrop	Shopping	Tailor	Santa	Santa is Coming to Town		Christmas Elves	
11	Movie: Babes in Toyland		Movie: Robin of Locksley Devon Sawa.		(15) Movie: A Perfect Couple Mera Hedin. ★★ PG					Movie: Man in Missing PG	
12	Movie: Mystery Science		Movie: The Hunt for Red October (1990) Sean Connery, Alec Baldwin.		Family Video	Diaries				Movie: Black Sheep (1996)	
13	Movie: House Arrest PG		Movie: Kissing Miranda Larry Poindexter.		(15) Movie: It Takes Two (Gracie Alley. ★½ PG)					Movie: Used People (1992)	
14	Movie:	Movie: El Paso (1949) John Payne, Gail Russell. ★★		Movie: Monsoon (1953) George Nader. ★½						Movie: Sweet Kitty	
15	Witherby	America's Country Hits	Crook & Chase		Dallas			Club Dance		Dance of Hazzard	
16	Home	Housemart	Interior Motives		Great Chefs	Great Chefs		Travelers			
17	Law & Order	Columbo		Columbo				Quincy		Warhorn Exposure	
18	Comesh	Movie: When No One Would Listen (1992) ★★½		Night Court	Night Court	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Supernat	Dart		
19	Fishing	ABL Basketball Columbus Quest at Philadelphia Rage		NBA Action	Transworld Sport			Longhorn	Sports	Sports	
20	Movie:	Movie: Heaven With a Gun (1999) Glenn Ford. ★★½		Lonasome Dove: Outlaw		In the Heat of the Night		Rang Fu: Legend			
21	Ruppert	Muppets	Looney	Beetlejuice	Gadget	Tiny Toon	Garfield	Rocko's Life	RanDilly	Monsters	Doug
22	Movie: American Gigolo (1980) Richard Gere, Lauren Hutton. ★			Baywatch		Saved-Ball	USA High	Baywatch			
23	Warner	Amadeo Enemigo	Gente Bien		Crotina			Primer Impacto		Club	Noticiero
24	Trojan War	Century of Warfare		Movie: Al Capone (1959) Rod Taylor, Fay Spain. ★★				Real West		Trojan War	
25	NBA's Great	NFL Great	Rodeo PRCNA National Finals - Third Round					ESPNNews	ESPNNews	Outdoors	Snoocross

MONDAY

DECEMBER 8

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
1	Movie: Mary Poppins (1964) Julie Andrews, Dick Van Dyke. ★★½ G'		(20) Movie: Hocus Pocus Bette Midler.		Movie: Moomie-Little		Zorro				
2	News	Ent. Tonight	Suddenly	Mad-You	Caroline	Naked Truth	Dateline	News	(35) Tonight Show		
3	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Gael Force - An Irish Musical Event		Picardo Domingo - Covent Garden		Christmas Tradition		African			
4	Griffith	Griffith	(05) Movie: What About Bob? (1991) Bill Murray. ★★		(10) Movie: The Rescuers Down Under (1990) ★★		Movie:				
5	News	Fortune	Tales From the Tomb		NFL Football Carolina Panthers at Dallas Cowboys		News				
6	Fam. Mat.	Coach	7th Heaven		Buffy the Vampire Slayer		News	Beverly Hills, 90210		Heat	
7	News	Home Imp.	Cosby	Raymond	Cybill	George	Brooklyn South	News	(35) Late Show		
8	Grace Under	Mad-You	Billboard Music Awards		Baywatch			Frasier	Roseanne	Real TV	
9	Sportactr.	NFL Prime Monday		Figure Skating: World Championships		Cheerlead	Sportscenar				
10	Sandl Patty: O Holy Night!	Branson C'mas		Diagnosis Murder	Hawaii Five-0	700 Club		3 Stoggles			
11	Movie: Man in Missing PG	Stargate SG-1		Movie: The Birdcage Robin Williams. ★★ R'		Movie: Cover Me Rick Rossovich. ★★ R'					
12	Movie:	Storyteller	Movie: The Godfather, Part III (1990) Al Pacino, Diane Keaton. ★★ R'		Tanacious D	Mr. Show	Movie: Don King: Only				
13	(8:00) Movie: Used People	Movie: Space Jam (1996) Michael Jordan, Wayne Knight.		Movie: Back to Back Michael Rooker. R'		Movie: Serpent's Lair R'					
14	Movie:	Parade	Movie: Best Foot Forward (1943) Lucille Ball. ★★½		Movie: The Sailor Takes a Wife (1945) June Allyson ★★		Movie:				
15	Dukes of Hazzard	Today's Country		Prime Time Country	Peace in the Valley		Dallas				
16	Ghame Shelter	Wild Discovery		Carrier - Fortress at Sea		Justice Files		Wild Disc.			
17	Law & Order	Biography		Judy Collins Christmas at the Biltmore		Law & Order		Biography			
18	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: On the Second Day of Christmas (1997)		Homicide: Life		Mysteries			
19	FOX Sports	NHL Hockey Dallas Stars at Toronto Maple Leafs				Sports	FOX Sports News	Sports			
20	Lala & Cign-Superman	WCW Nitro				WCW Nitro		Movie:			
21	Beovers	Kablam!	Hey Arnold!	Happy Days	Wonder Yrs.	Wonder Yrs.	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Howhart	Van Dyke
22	Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger		(7:57) WWF Raw		WWF War Zone		Silk Stallings		Highlander	
23	El Querebe Isabel	El Alma No Tiene Color		Alguna Vez		Cristina: Edicion Especial		P. Impacto		Noticiero	Al Ritmo
24	Century of Warfare	In Search of History		Rocketal		Trains Unlimited		Vic. at Sea		In Search	
25	College Basketball Arizona at Baylor			Soccer		English League Soccer Barnsley at Sheffield Wednesday		Rodeo			

TUESDAY DECEMBER 9

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
2	Goof Troop	Mermald	Pooh	Katie-Orbie	Bear	Wonderland	Chip 'n' Dale	Madeline	Mermald	Pooh	Jungle Cubs
3	Today			Lesza			Geraldo Rivera	Sunset Beach			Days-Lives
4	Barney	Arthur	Sesame Street	Puzzle Place	Reading		Storytime	Mr Rogers	Arthur	Barney	Origins-Wol
5	Brady	Brady	Little House	Mama	Mama	Hillbillies	Hillbillies	(-05) Matlock			Movie:
6	Good Morning America			Live -- Regis & Kathie Lee	Martha	Gayle King	People's Court				News
7	Tiny Toon	Captain	BugsDaffy	Animaniacs	PinkyBrain	Batman	Griffith	Griffith	Geraldo Rivera		News
8	This Morning				Ricki Lake		Price is Right		Young and the Restless		News
9	Bobby	Casper	101Dalmits	X-Man	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Kenneth C.	Paid Prog.	Home Team
10	Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		NHRA
11	Rescue 911		Waltons		700 Club		FR TV		Diagnosis Murder		Home
12	(5:00) Movie: The Bible		Movie: Soul Survivors	Jan McShane. PG-13			Movie: Johnny & Clyde	John White.			Movie: Royal Flash (1975)
13	Movie: Tremors II: Aftermath	PG-13	(-45) Movie: Data With an Angel	Michael E. Knight. PG			Movie: Star Trek: First Contact	Patrick Stewart. PG-13			
14	Movie: I Ought to Be in Pictures	Walter Matthau. PG		Movie: Top Gun (1986)	Tom Cruise, Kelly McGillis. PG		Movie: One on One (1977)				
15	Movie: Cinderella Jones		Movie: Vivacious Lady (1938)	★★★½		Movie: Imitation General (1958)	★★½		Movie: The Cincinnati Kid (1955)	★★★	
16	(Off Air)		Club Dance		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Aleane's Crafts		Wildhorse
17	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		HouseSmart!		Interior Motives		None
18	McCloud				Banacek		Quincy		Northern Exposure		Law & Order
19	Baby Knows Kids These		Sisters		Designing	Almost	Our Home		Main Ingrad.	Handmade	Commish
20	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Cowboys
21	Scooby Doo	Flintstones	Flintstones	Gilligan	Gilligan	Spenser: For Hire			Movie: The Neptune Factor (1973)	★★	
22	Looney	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Busy World	Christmas Toy		Gullah	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Allerga
23	Gargoyles	Sailor Moon	Webster	Facts of Life	Strangers	Gimme B.	Wings	Wings	Movie: Skin Deep (1989)	John Ritter. ★★★	
24	(6:00) Despierta America				Malte		Volver a Empazar				Marimar
25	Classroom		History Showcase		Movie: The Buccaneer (1958)	Yul Brynner, Charlton Heston. ★★★			Real West		Trojan War
26	Flex Appeal	Bodyshape	Crunch	Training	Perfect	Bodyshape	Fitness	Flex Appeal	NFL Great	NFL Great	Inside Stuff

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	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
2	Tale Spin	Donald	Chip 'n' Dale	Tale Spin	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	Growing	Growing	Brotherly
3	Days-Lives	Another World		Jenny Jones		Mauri		Oprah Winfrey		News	NBC News
4	Body Etc.	Parenting	Texas Parks	Sociological	Sociological	Universe	Universe	Sandiego	Science Guy	Wildhorse	Bus
5	(12:05) Movie: Assassination (1987)		Flintstones	Flintstones	Looney	Dreams	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	
6	Jeopardy!	One Life to Live		General Hospital		Port Charles	Pictionary		Rosie O'Donnell		ABC News
7	News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Wheeguy		Beverly Hills, 90210		Fam. Mat.	Dreams	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell
8	Bold & B.	As the World Turns		Gulding Light		Sally		Am. Journal	Edison	News	CBS News
9	Home Team	Medicine Woman		Little House on the Prairie		Spider-Man	Metallix	Rangers	Goosebump	Boy-World	Roseanne
10	NHRA	NASCAR Truck Rear View		Bloopers	Muscle	Snowbrd.	NFL Great	NFL Great	NBA Today	Up Close	Sportsctr.
11	(12:00) Home & Family		ShoDrop	Shopping	Animals	Wind in the Willows			Drumstl	Tues Night	
12	(11:30) Movie: Royal Flash		Movie: The Invisible Kid	Jay Underwood.	(-15) Movie: Nosferatu the Vampire	Klaus Kinski. PG			Movie: Soul Survivors		
13	Making	Movie: Chain Reaction	Keanu Reeves. ★★	PG-13	Movie: Tremors II: Aftermath	PG-13	(-45) Movie: Fandango	Kevin Costner.			
14	Movie:	(-15) Movie: Quicksilver (1986)	Kevin Bacon, Jami Gertz.		Movie: For the Moment	Russell Crowe. ★★★	PG-13		Movie: Real Genius (1985)		
15	Movie:	Movie: A Southern Yankee (1948)	Red Skelton. ★★★½		Movie: Old Acquaintance (1943)	Bette Davis. ★★★			Movie: Saratoga (1937)		
16	Wildhorse	America's Country Hits		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Club Dance		Dukes of Hazzard.	
17	Home	HouseSmart!		Interior Motives		Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Travelers		Wings	
18	Law & Order	McCloud		Banacek				Quincy		Northern Exposure	
19	Commish	Movie: A Deadly Silence (1989)	Charles Hall. ★★		Night Court	Night Court	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Supermkt	Debt	
20	Yachting	Boxing Fight Night at the Great Western Forum			Nolan Ryan Outdoors		This is the PGA Tour		Football	Snowbrd.	
21	Movie:	Movie: Will Penny (1968)	Charlton Heston. ★★★½		Lonesome Dove: Outlaw		In the Heat of the Night		Kung Fu: Legend		
22	Rupert	Muppets	Looney	Beetlejuice	Gadget	Tiny Toon	Garfield	You Afnald?	Rocko's-Life	Figure It Out	Tiny Toon
23	Movie:	Movie: The Accused (1988)	Jodie Foster. ★★★		Baywatch			Saved-Bell	USA High	Baywatch	
24	Marimar	Amada Enemiga		Gente Bien		Cristina		Primer Impacto		Club	Noticiero
25	Trojan War	Vietnam		Movie: The Buccaneer (1958)	Yul Brynner, Charlton Heston. ★★★				Real West		Trojan War
26	NBA's Great	NFL Great		Rodeo PRCNA National Finals -- Fourth Round				ESPNNews	ESPNNews	Men's Jnl	Bobled

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	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
2	Movie: Nutcracker Pt.		Circus	(-45) Baby-Sitters Club	(-20) Movie: Adventures in Babysitting				Movie: Moochie-Little		Zorro
3	News	Ent. Tonight	Mad-You	Just Shoot	Fraser	Fraser	Dateline		News	(-35) Tonight Show	
4	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer		Elmo Saves Christmas		Saints With Sister Wendy		Perspective	Politics		Contest of Champions	
5	Griffith	Griffith	(-05) Movie: Octopussy (1983)	Roger Moore, Maud Adams. ★★★					Movie: Moonraker (1979)	★★★½	
6	News	Fortune	Grace Under	Soul Man	Home Imp.	NYPD Blue			News	Sandiego	Nightline
7	Fam. Mat.	Coach	Movie: Scenes From a Mall (1990)	Bette Midler. ★★★½		Honeymoon	News		Beverly Hills, 90210		Heat
8	News	Home Imp.	JAG	Michael Hayes		48 Hours			News	(-35) Late Show	
9	Grace Under	Mad-You	Movie: Son-in-Law (1993)	Pauly Shore. ★½		Xena: Warrior Princess			Fraser	Roseanne	Real TV
10	Sportsctr.	College Basketball Fresno State at Temple			College Basketball Arkansas at Louisville						Sportscenter
11	Waltons		Rescue 911		Diagnosis Murder		Hawaii Five-0		700 Club		3 Stooges
12	Movie: Soul Survivors		Movie: Changing Habits	Moira Kelly. ★★	(-35) Movie: The Mirror Has Two Faces	★★½	PG-13		Woman	(-15) Hunger	
13	Movie: Amistad		Movie: Star Trek: First Contact	Patrick Stewart. PG-13		Dragline		(-15) Movie: She's the One	★★★	R	
14	(5:00) Movie: Real Genius		Movie: That Thing You Do!	Tom Everett Scott. ★★★	PG	Movie: Relentless IV: Aashes to Aashes	FR		Inside Out		Movie:
15	(5:00) Movie: Saratoga		Movie: The Big Sky (1952)	Kirk Douglas, Dewey Martin. ★★★				Movie: To Have and Have Not (1944)	★★★½		
16	Dukes of Hazzard		Where Christmas Goes		Prims Time Country		Yesterday & Today		Dallas		Dukes
17	Game Shelter		Wild Discovery		New Detectives		Code Red-Sub.		Justice Files		Wild Disc.
18	Law & Order		Biography		Story of Magic				Law & Order		Biography
19	Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: A Different Kind of Christmas (1996)				Homicide: Life		Mysteries
20	NHL Shots	Sports	Hardcore Football		NCAA: Slant	NFL-Access	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		Sports
21	Lois & Clark-Superman		NBA Basketball New York Knicks at Chicago Bulls				Inside-NBA		Movie: Above the Rim (1994)	Leon ★★	
22	Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	Happy Days	Wonder Yrs.	Wonder Yrs.	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Newhart	Van Dyke
23	Highlander: The Series		Walker, Texas Ranger		Boxing Herol Graham vs. Vinny Pazienza				Silk Stallings		Highlander
24	Mi Querida Isabel		El Alma No Tiene Color		Alguna Vez		Primer Impacto Noc.		P. Impacto	Noticiero	Al Ritmo
25	Vietnam		In Search of History		Rockets!		Great Ships		Civil War Journal		In Search
26	X-Games	NHL Hockey Vancouver Canucks at Detroit Red Wings					NHL 2Night		X-Games		Rodeo

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119 E. 4th - 364-3912

7:05 PM
ON CABLE CHANNEL 6

Fire Trapped on the 37th Floor ★★★ (1991) Lee Majors, Lisa Harner. A 62-story skyscraper becomes a towering inferno for Los Angeles firefighters and several trapped occupants. 2:00. December 10 1pm.

Fletch Lives ★★★ (1989) Chevy Chase, Hal Holbrook. The Los Angeles reporter and master of disguises becomes embroiled in a murder mystery while vacationing in Louisiana. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 13 5pm.

Flying Down to Rio ★★★ (1933) Dolores Del Rio, Gene Raymond, Fred Astaire and Ginger Rogers debut as dancing partners in this tale of a Brazilian woman and her suitors. 2:00. December 13 10am.

The Girl in White ★★ (1952) June Allyson, Arthur Kennedy. Based on the true story of Dr. Emily Dunning's uphill battle to enter the medical profession in 1900s New York. 2:00. December 9 1am.

The Glory Guys ★★ (1965) Tom Tryon, Harve Presnell. A professional soldier is forced against his better judgment to lead untrained men into battle. 2:30. December 12 10pm.

Going Undercover ★ (1988) Chris Lemmon, Jean Simmons. Hired to keep tabs on a spoiled Beverly Hills brat, a PI lives out his gumshoe fantasies when she is kidnapped. 2:00. December 13 2am.

Flying Fortress ★★ (1942) Richard Greene, Donald Stewart. A Canadian pilot navigates a perilous bombing mission to Berlin. 1:30. December 12 6:30am.

For Your Eyes Only ★★★ (1981) Roger Moore, Genevieve Buck. Secret agent James Bond tracks a criminal who has pilfered a top-secret defense device from the waters off Greece. 2:45. December 11 7:05pm.

Forbidden Territory: Stanley's Search for Livingstone (1997) Aidan Quinn, Nigel Hawthorne. Premieres. Deadly peril and self-discovery await journalist Henry Stanley as he scours Africa for Dr. David Livingstone. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 8pm.

Gross Anatomy ★★★ (1989) Matthew Modine, Daphne Zuniga. A talented but undisciplined student learns about discipline and compassion during his first year at med school. (In Stereo) 2:30. December 10 12:30pm.

Gung Ho ★★★ (1943) Randolph Scott, Grace McDonald. A fictionalized account of the Marine unit that spearheaded the invasion of Japanese-held islands during World War II. 2:00. December 7 3am.

Gunga Din ★★★★★ (1939) Cary Grant, Victor McLaglen. Kipling's poem inspired this tale of a water boy's friendship with three British soldiers in colonial India. 2:00. December 12 1:30am.

Four for Texas ★★★ (1963) Frank Sinatra, Dean Jagger. Two rival con men battle for control of Galveston while a shady banker makes plans to eliminate them both. 2:00. December 12 1pm.

Friday the 13th -- The Final Chapter ★ (1984) Crispin Glover, Kimberly Beck. The demented Jason Voorhees once again stalks vacationing teen-agers at Camp Crystal Lake. 2:00. December 8 11pm.

From Russia With Love ★★★ (1963) Sean Connery, Lotte Lenya. Secret agent James Bond battles the deadly forces of SPECTRE as he searches for a Russian coding machine. 2:30. December 12 10:05pm.

Harper ★★★★★ (1966) Paul Newman, Lauren Bacall. A detective matches wits with thugs, alcoholics and drug addicts while following a missing husband's twisted trail. 2:00. December 7 1am.

Heart of Darkness ★★★ (1994) John Malkovich, Tim Roth. A young man searches for an insane ivory trader hidden in the jungles of Africa. Based on the novel by Joseph Conrad. 2:00. December 10 2am.

Heaven Can Wait ★★★ (1978) Warren Beatty, Julie Christie. A pro football player is given the body of a wealthy industrialist after an inept angel prematurely claims his life. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 11 1pm.

TUESDAY



Johnny Cunningham (left) provides Celtic music and Thomas Moore shares some holiday musings in *The Soul of Christmas: A Celtic Music Celebration With Thomas Moore* Tuesday on PBS (check local listings).

THURSDAY DECEMBER 11

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Goof Troop	Marmaduke	Pooh	Katie-Orbita	Beer	Wonderland	Chip 'n' Dale	Middleline	Marmaduke	Pooh	Jungle Cubs	
Today				Loonies		Gerardo Rivera	Sunset Beach			Days-Lives	
Barney	Arthur	Sesame Street		Puzzle Place	Reading	Storyline	Mr Rogers	Arthur	Barney	Your House	
Brady	Brady	Little House		Mama	Mama	Hillbilly	Hillbilly	(85) Maflock		Movie:	
Good Morning America				Live - Regis & Kathie Lee	Martha	Gayle King	People's Court			News	
Tiny Toon	Captain	BugsDaffy	Animaniacs	PinkyBrain	Batman	Griffith	Griffith	Gerardo Rivera		News	
This Morning				Ricki Lake		Price is Right	Young and the Restless			News	
Bobby	Casper	101Dalmts	X-Men	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Kenneth C.	Paid Prog.	Home Team	
Sportscenar				Sportscenar				Sportscenar		Sports	
Rescue 911		Waltons		700 Club			FR TV	Diagnosis Murder		Home	
(6:00) Movie: Wild River	Movie: Summer School Mark Harmon.			(45) Movie: The Lion in Winter Peter O'Toole. **** PG						Movie:	
Movie: Dear God (1996) Greg Kinnear, Laurie Metcalf.	Movie: Goin' South Jack Nicholson. ** PG			Movie: Country (1984) Jessica Lange, Sam Shepard.			Movie: Solo Mario Van Peebles. PG-13			Movie: Star Trek VI	
Movie: (6:15) Movie: The Stranger	Movie: The Band Plays On (1934) **			Movie: When in Rome (1952) **						Movie: The Story of Seabiscuit (1949)	
(ON Air)		Club Dance		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Aleena's Crafts		Wildhorse	
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		Housemart!		Interior Motives		Home	
Columbo				Cosby Mysteries		Quincy		Northern Exposure		Law & Order	
Baby Knows	Kids These	Sisters		Designing	Almost	Our Home		Main Ingrid.	Handmade	Commish	
FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News			Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Football	
Scooby Doo	Flintstones	Flintstones		Gilligan	Gilligan	Spenser: For Hire		Movie: North Shore (1987) Matt Adler. **			
Looney	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Class	Susy World	Muppets	Wubbulous	Gullah	Little Bear	Blue's Class	Allegro	
Gargoyles	Saltor Moon	Webster	Facts of Life	Strangers	Gimme B.	Wings	Wings	Movie: Wedlock (1991) **			
(6:00) Despierta America				Malte		Volter a Empazar				Marimar	
Classroom		History Showcase		Movie: John Paul Jones (1959) Robert Stack, Marisa Pavan. **				Real West		Trojan War	
Flex Appeal	Bodyshape	Crunch	Training	Perfect	Bodyshape	Fitness	Flex Appeal	NFL's Greatest Moments		NBA 2Night	

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	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Tale Spin	Donald	Chip 'n' Dale	Tale Spin	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	Growing	Growing	Brotherly	
Days-Lives	Another World		Jenny Jones		Mauri		Oprah Winfrey		News	NBC News	
Body Elec.	Painting	Keeping Up	Writers	Writers	Literary	Literary	San Diego	Science Guy	Wishbone	Bus	
Movie: The Death of Ocean View Park	Flintstones	Flintstones	Looney	Dreams	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	
Jeopardy!	One Life to Live		General Hospital		Port Charles	Pictionary	Rose O'Donnell		News	ABC News	
News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Wiseguy		Beverly Hills, 90210	Fam. Mat.	Dreams	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	Saved-Bell	
Bold & B.	As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Sally		Am. Journal	Edition	News	CBS News	
Home Team	Medicine Woman		Little House on the Prairie		Spider-Man	Metallix	Rangers	Goosebump	Boy-World	Roseanne	
Women	Games	PGA Golf	PGA Golf Diners Club Matches - First Day						Up Close	Sportscenar	
(12:00) Home & Family			Woman Wiled Miracle		Timmy	Timmy	Yes, Virginia	White Xmas		Pinocchio's Christmas	
Movie: Weekend-Bar. 2	Movie: Kingpin (1996) Woody Harrelson, Randy Quaid.			Movie: Zelly and Me Isabelle Rossellini.						Movie: Summer School	
Movie: Star Trek VI	Movie: Edie & Pen Stockard Channing.			(15) Movie: Playing Dangerous 2 Richard Gilliland. NR						Movie: Dear God (1996)	
Movie: Fast Forward PG	Movie: Iron Eagle IV Louis Gossett Jr.			(15) Movie: Doc Hollywood Michael J. Fox. PG-13						Movie: Three Wishes PG	
Movie:	Movie: Every Little Crook and Nanny (1972) **			Movie: My Love Came Back (1940) **				Parade		Movie: Last Time-Paris	
Wildhorse	America's Country Hits		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Club Dance		Dukes of Hazzard		
Home	Housemart!		Interior Motives		Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Travelers		Wings		
Law & Order	Columbo				Cosby Mysteries		Quincy		Northern Exposure		
Commish	Movie: Aftermath: A Test of Love (1991) **		Night Court	Night Court	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Supermt	Debt			
Football	Motorsports Hour		This is the PGA Tour		NCAA: Start	NHL Shots	NFL-Access	Big 12 Show	Hardcore Football		
Movie:	Movie: Arrowhead (1953) Charlton Heston. **		Lonesome Dove: Outlaw		In the Heat of the Night		Kung Fu: Legend				
Rupert	Muppets	Looney	Beetlejuice	Gadget	Tiny Toon	Garfield	You Afraid?	Rocky's-Life	Figure It Out	Tiny Toon	
Movie:	Movie: Heaven Can Wait (1978) Warren Beatty. ***		Baywatch				Saved-Bell	USA High	Baywatch		
Marimar	Anacle Enemies		Gente Bien		Cristina		Primer Impacto		Club	Noticiero	
Trojan War	Air Combat		Movie: John Paul Jones (1959) Robert Stack, Marisa Pavan. **				Real West		Trojan War		
NBA Finals	NFL Great	Rodeo PRCA National Finals - Sixth Round			ESPNNews	ESPNNews	Country		Fisherman		

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Movie: Honey, I Blew Up the Kid PG	Movie: Blank Check Brian Bonsal. PG			LeAnn Rimes in Concert			Walt Disney Presents			Zorro	
News	Ent. Tonight	Friends	Union	Seinfeld	Veronicas	ER		News	(35) Tonight Show		
Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Great Railway Journeys			Mystery!		Bonfiglio-Holidays		White Eagle	Three Sopranos		
Griffith	Griffith	(05) Movie: For Your Eyes Only (1981) Roger Moore, Carole Bouquet. ***						(9:50) Movie: Live and Let Die (1973)			
News	Fortune	Nothing Sacred		Cracker		20/20		News	Seinfeld	Nightline	
Fam. Mat.	Coach	Movie: Miracle on 34th Street (1947) ****				News		Beverly Hills, 90210	Heat		
News	Home Imp.	Promised Land		Diagnosis Murder		Dellaventura		News	(35) Late Show		
Grace Under	Mad-You	Single	Between	413 Hope St.		Soldier of Fortune, Inc.		Fraser	Roseanne	Real TV	
Sportscenar.	Pro Bowl Selection Show	College Football Awards						Sportscenar		Basketball	
Waltons	Rescue 911		Movie: Blazing Saddles (1974) Cleavon Little. ***		700 Club			700 Club		3 Stooges	
Movie: Summer School	Movie: High School High Jon Lovitz. **			Movie: Demolition High Corey Haim. R		Movie: Bastard out of Carolina *** R				Movie:	
(5:00) Movie: ** Dear God	Movie: Solo Mario Van Peebles. PG-13			Boxing		Movie: Inside the NFL				Movie:	
Movie: Three Wishes PG	Movie: Bob & Carol & Ted & Alice Natalie Wood. R				Movie: Cheech & Chong's Nice Dreams	Movie: Heat (1995) R					
Movie: Last Time-Paris	Movie: A Place in the Sun (1951) **				(10) Movie: I Remember Mama (1948) Irene Dunne. ****						
Dukes of Hazzard	Today's Country			Prime Time Country		To Be Announced	Dallas		Dukes		
Gimme Shelter	Wild Discovery			Slave Ship		Battleship	Justice Files		Wild Disc.		
Law & Order	Biography			Sea Tales		Unexplained		Law & Order		Biography	
Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries			Movie: It Be Home for Christmas (1986) **		Homicide: Life		Mysteries		Mysteries	
NBA Action	Sports	Motorsports Hour	Football	NBA Action	FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		Sports	
Lois & Clark-Superman	Movie: Cocoon (1985) Don Ameche, Willard Brimley. ***				Rough Cut	Movie: Cocoon (1985) Don Ameche. ***					
Doug	Rugrats	Alex Meck	Happy Days	Wonder Yrs. Wonder Yrs.	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Newhart	Van Dyke		
Highlander: The Series	Walker, Texas Ranger			Movie: The Babe (1992) John Goodman. **		Blivenido	P. Impacto	Noticiero	Mananitas		
El Alma No Tiene Color	Alguna Vez					Ships of Slaves	World at War		In Search		
Air Combat	In Search of History			Rockets!							
Motoworld	NHL Hockey New York Islanders at Philadelphia Flyers				NHL 2Night	Cycling	Rodeo				

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Kenny Rogers as the Gambler, Part II - The Adventure Continues ** (1983) (Part 1 of 2) Kenny Rogers, Linda Evans. Brady Hawkes teams up with a sharpshooting singer to save his son from the train robbers holding the boy hostage. 2:00. December 7 9am.

Kindergarten Cop ** (1986) Ansel Schwarzinger, Penelope Ann Miller. A tough cop faces an onslaught of children while posing as a teacher to locate a ruthless drug lord's estranged family. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 6pm.

King of Kings *** (1961) Jeffrey Hunter, Stephen McKenna. Filmmaker Nicholas Ray's account of the life of Jesus Christ and the birth of Christianity. 3:30. December 13 11:05am.

King Solomon's Mines *** (1950) Stewart Granger, Deborah Kerr. A hunter guides a party through darkest Africa in search of a woman's husband and a fabled diamond mine. 2:00. December 8 11am.

Kismet ** (1944) Ronald Colman, Marlene Dietrich. A quick-thinking beggar becomes involved in a power struggle while trying to marry his daughter into Baghdad royalty. 2:00. December 7 11am.

L.A. Story *** (1991) Steve Martin, Victoria Tennant. A bored TV weatherman finds a silver lining in his gloomy life when an enchanting English journalist breezes into town. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 7 4pm.

The Last Days of Patton ** (1986) George C. Scott, Eva Marie Saint. In the last days of his life, Gen. Patton's reluctance to face the realities of postwar politics arouses controversy. 3:00. December 7 11am.

The Last of His Tribe ** (1992) Graham Greene, Jon Voight. The story of Ishi, the last surviving Yahi Indian, and his friendship with the anthropologist who comes to study him. 2:00. December 13 7pm, 11pm.

Last Stand at Saber River ** (1997) Tom Selleck, Keith Carradine. Union sympathizers lay claim to a Confederate soldier's Arizona homestead. Based on a novel by Elmore Leonard. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 12pm; 13 1:30pm.

The Last Time I Saw Paris *** (1954) Elizabeth Taylor, Van Johnson. Based on F. Scott Fitzgerald's story about an American writer who revisits Paris, the scene of his disastrous marriage. 2:00. December 11 5pm.

Licence to Kill *** (1989) Timothy Dalton, Carey Lowell. James Bond quits Her Majesty's Secret Service to launch a one-man assault against the drug lord who maimed his friend. 3:00. December 12 7:05pm.

Life Stinks ** (1991) Mel Brooks, Lesley Ann Warren. A wealthy man is challenged by a rival tycoon to live for a month in an impoverished neighborhood he intends to buy. 2:00. December 7 1:30am.

Lion of the Desert ** (1981) Anthony Quinn, Oliver Reed. A hard-riding Bedouin leader resists Italy's attempts to occupy Libya between 1911 and 1931. 3:00. December 10 9am, 2pm.

Little Man Tate *** (1991) Jude Foster, Adam Han-Bred. A lonely young prodigy is caught between his working-class mother and the director of an institute for gifted children. 2:00. December 13 6pm.

Live and Let Die *** (1973) Roger Moore, Jane Fonda. Secret agent James Bond dodges sharks, crocodiles and voodoo spells while searching for a Caribbean drug operation. 2:30. December 10 12:45am; 11 9:50pm.

The Living Daylights *** (1987) Timothy Dalton, Maudie Edwards. James Bond becomes embroiled in a phony KGB defector's scheme to supply arms to Russian troops in Afghanistan. 2:45. December 13 9:50pm.

Lovers, Lovers ** (1994) Serge Rodnary, Jennifer Lien. Sexual sparks fly when a party guest wiggles her way into the apartment of a new acquaintance and his lover. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 13 2am.

Mademoiselle Fifi ** (1944) Simone Simon, John Emery. A young laundress defies her oppressors and inspires rebellion during the Franco-Prussian War. 1:30. December 10 9:30am.

Malaya *** (1950) Spencer Tracy, James Stewart. A former reporter and an ex-con embark on a mission to smuggle raw rubber out of Japanese-occupied Malaya. 1:45. December 12 11am.

Marriage is a Private Affair ** (1944) Lana Turner, James Craig. A young woman becomes restless when her husband is sent off to war. 2:00. December 10 3pm.

Mayerling ** (1968) Omar Sharif, Catherine Deneuve. Austria's Crown Prince Rudolph enters into a doomed love affair with a woman of common lineage. Based on a true story. 2:15. December 12 9:15pm.

Memphis Belle ** (1944) Footage of actual bombing missions highlight William Wyler's account of the U.S. Air Force's work during World War II. 1:00. December 12 1pm, 6pm.

Merrill's Marauders *** (1962) Jeff Chandler, Ty Hardin. Based on Brig. Gen. Frank Merrill's courageous effort to rout the Japanese from Burma during World War II. 2:00. December 7 1am, 5am.

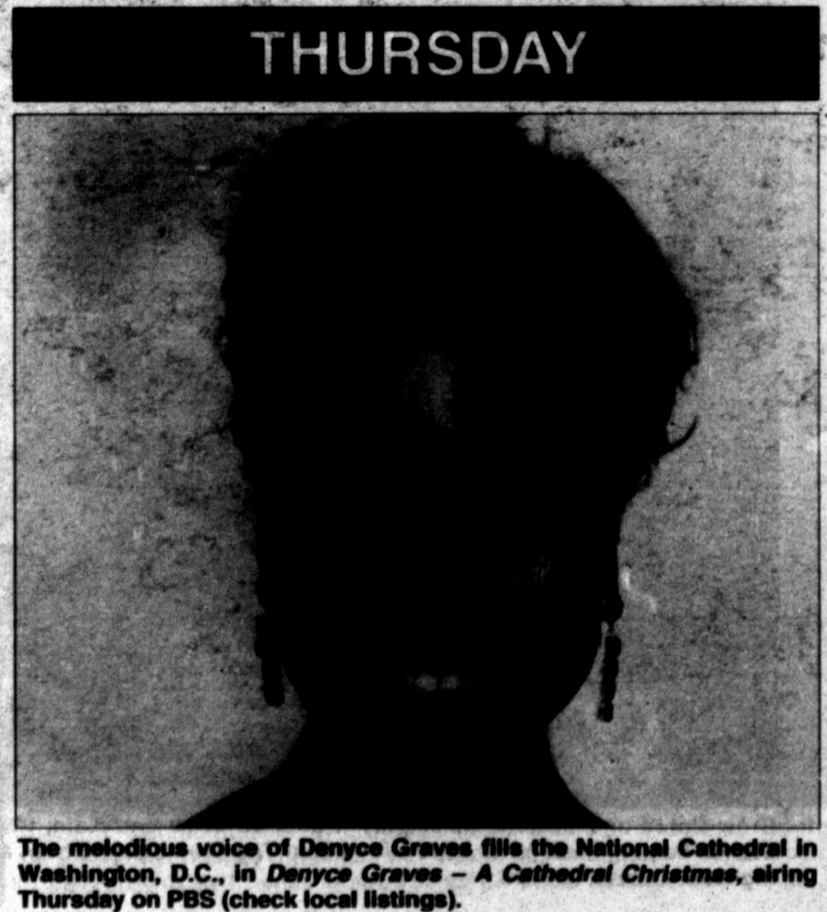
MGM's Big Parade of Comedy *** (1964) Clark Gable, Jean Harlow. Over 50 of Hollywood's greatest stars appear in this compilation of comedic moments culled from the MGM vaults. 2:00. December 13 4pm.

Midnight Court ** (1937) Ann Dvorak, John Liel. After losing his bid for district attorney, an aspiring young lawyer agrees to defend a ring of car thieves. 1:30. December 13 5am.

Midway ** (1976) Charlton Heston, Henry Fonda. Factual account of America's aerial and naval assault against the Japanese for control of the strategic Pacific island. 2:30. December 11 2:30am.

Miracle on 34th Street **** (1947) Maureen O'Hara, Edmund Gwenn. The Oscar-winning classic about a girl's belief that the new Macy's Santa is the real Kris Kringle. 2:00. December 11 7pm.

THURSDAY



The melodious voice of Danyce Graves fills the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C., in *Danyce Graves - A Cathedral Christmas*, airing Thursday on PBS (check local listings).

Mogambo ★★ (1953) Clark Gable, Ava Gardner. A showgirl and the wife of an anthropologist vie for the attentions of a big-game hunter during an African safari. 2:00. December 13 1:30am.

Monsoon ★★ (1953) George Nader, Diana Douglas. Ill-fated passion drives a wedge between a man and his fiancée when they go to India for a family visit. 2:00. December 8 3pm.

Moonraker ★★ (1979) Roger Moore, Lois Chiles. James Bond clashes with an industrialist planning to create his own dynasty in space. 2:45. December 9 10pm.

Ms. Scrooge (1997) Cathy Tyson, Katherine Helmond. This modern reworking of the Dickens classic involves a miserly woman confronting her past, present and future. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:01. December 10 7:50pm; 13 9pm.

Murder at the Gallop ★★ (1963) Margaret Rutherford, Robert Morley. Agatha Christie's Jane Marple suspects the death of an old recluse is not an accident. 1:30. December 7 8am.

The Music of Chance ★★ (1993) James Spader, Mandy Patinkin. Two gamblers are forced to build a stone wall by hand after losing a high-stakes card game to eccentric millionaires. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 9 3am.

My Love Came Back ★★ (1940) Olivia de Havilland, Jeffrey Lynn. An aspiring violinist's career is influenced by the attention of a millionaire. 1:30. December 11 3pm.

My Pal Wolf ★★ (1944) Shaggy Mathis, Al Emmond. A stray dog provides love and companionship to a lonely child in the care of a strict governess. 1:30. December 9 8am.

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The Naked Maja ★★ (1959) Ava Gardner, Anthony Franciosa. Artist Francisco Goya scandalizes 18th-century Spain after painting a nude portrait of his lover, a Spanish duchess. 2:00. December 12 11:30pm.

Nearly Eighteen ★★ (1943) Gale Storm, Rick Vallin. A teen-ager lies her way into a music academy and is soon pursued by her amorous instructor. 1:30. December 12 8am.

The Neptune Factor ★★ (1973) Ben Gazzara, Yvette Mimieux. Giant marine creatures menace a sunken sea lab and a helpless rescue vessel under the waters of the mid-Atlantic. 2:00. December 9 11am.

The Neverending Story ★★ (1984) Noah Hathaway, Barret Oliver. An imaginative boy is transported to a magical kingdom in danger of destruction. 2:30. December 7 11:35am; December 7 1:30am.

The New Maverick ★★ (1978) James Garner, Charles Frank. The legendary Maverick brothers join forces with their con-man cousin in this pilot for the "Young Maverick" series. 2:00. December 13 10am.

Night Eyes 3 ★★ (1993) Shannon Tweed, Andrew Stevens. The star of a TV police show falls in love with the live-in bodyguard who is protecting her from a relentless stalker. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 7 1am.

Nine 1/2 Weeks ★★ (1966) Kim Basinger, Mickey Rourke. A woman's obsessive affair with a compelling stranger trends the fine line between sexual fulfillment and humiliation. 2:20. December 9 1am.

The Nitwits ★★ (1935) Bert Wheeler, Robert Woolsey. Two cigar-shop owners turn amateur sleuths and unwittingly discover the identity of a murderous blackmailer. 1:30. December 12 3:30am.

North Shore ★★ (1967) Matt Adler, Na Paopao. A teen-age surfer from Arizona heads to Hawaii to challenge the perilous waters of Oahu's legendary coastline. 2:00. December 13 1am, 11am.

Nurse Edith Cavell ★★ (1939) Anna Neagle, George Sanders. The story of the heroic English nurse who was executed by a German firing squad for aiding refugees during World War I. 2:00. December 12 3am.

Octopussy ★★ (1983) Roger Moore, Maud Adams. A Russian general plans an attack against Western Europe, and it's up to British agent James Bond to stop him. 2:55. December 9 7:05pm.

Old Acquaintance ★★ (1943) Bette Davis, Miriam Hopkins. Based on John Van Druten's play about childhood girlfriends and the lingering jealousy haunting them through adulthood. 2:00. December 9 3pm.

On the Second Day of Christmas (1997) Mary Stuart Masterson, Lauren Pratt. A destitute woman and her niece are caught picking pockets in a department store on Christmas Eve (CC) 2:00. December 8 9pm.

One Christmas ★★ (1994) Katherine Hepburn, Henry Winkler. Based on Truman Capote's story of a boy who's packed off to New Orleans to spend the holidays with his estranged dad. 2:00. December 13 6pm.

1,000 Men and a Baby (1997) Gerald McRaney, Richard Thomas. Promoters. U.S. sailors save an Amerasian baby boy's life in Korea and hope to bring him back to the United States for adoption. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 8pm.

Other Men's Women ★★ (1931) James Cagney, Joan Blondell. A romantic triangle develops between a locomotive engineer, his wife and a railroad colleague. 1:30. December 8 6:30am.

Outcast Lady ★★ (1934) Constance Bennett, Herbert Marshall. A husband's suicide marks the beginning of a series of tragedies befalling a young woman. 1:30. December 9 5am.

Over the Wall ★★ (1938) Dick Fox, Jura Travis. A trucker encounters some tough obstacles and opposition when he attempts to break into professional boxing. 1:30. December 13 6:30am.

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The Paradise Connection ★★ (1979) Buddy Ebsen, Maj Dugg. An attorney abandons his flourishing law practice and sets out for Hawaii on a perilous search for his estranged son. 2:00. December 10 12:05pm.

Parenthood ★★ (1989) Steve Martin, May Stoen-burg. Ron Howard directed this look at the joys and headaches that come with the responsibility of raising children. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:30. December 7 2:30pm; 9 10am.

Paris Blues ★★ (1961) Paul Newman, Joanne Woodward. An outstanding jazz score highlights this tale of two American musicians in Paris whose lives are changed by tourists. 2:00. December 12 3pm.

FRIDAY

DECEMBER 12

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Gett Troop	Marmalade	Pooh	Kalle-Orble	Bear	Wonderland	Chip 'n' Dale	Madeline	Marmalade	Pooh	Jungle Cub	
Today					Lozza	Geraldo Rivers	Sunset Beach	Days-Lives			
Barney	Arthur	Sesame Street	Puzzle Place	Reading	Storytime	Mr Rogers	Arthur	Barney	Katzen		
Brady	Brady	Little House	Mama	Mama	Hillbillies	Hillbillies	(-05) Meltock	Movie:			
Good Morning America			Live - Regis & Kathie Lee	Martha	Gayle King	People's Court	News				
Tiny Toon	Captain	Ardenance	PinkyBrain	Batman	MeninBick	Griffith	Griffith	Geraldo Rivers	News		
This Morning				Rock Lake		Price Is Right		Young and the Restless	News		
C-Bear	Casper	101Dalmats	X-Men		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Keneth C.	Paid Prog.	Home Team	
Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Golf	
Rescue 911		Waltons		700 Club		FR TV		Diagnosis Murder		Home	
(8:30) Movie: This Is Elvis David Scott.				Movie: Gunfighter's Moon ★★½ PG-13		(-15) Movie: Salt Water Moose Timothy Dalton. ★★ G		Movie:			
Movie: One Fine Day Michelle Pfeiffer. ★★½ PG				Movie: A Family Divided Faye Dunaway.		Movie: Mystery Science		(-45) Movie: Bogus (1996)			
Movie: Who Stole Auntie Roo? ★★ GP				Movie: House Arrest Jamie Lee Curtis. ★½ PG		Movie: Simon Alan Arkin. ★★ PG		Movie:			
Movie: ★★ Flying Fortress				Movie: Nearly Eighteen (1943) ★½		Movie: Double Dynamite (1951) ★★		Movie: Malays (1950) ★★			
(OH Air)		Club Dance		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Aleena's Crafts		Wildhorse	
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery		Home Matters		Housemart		Interior Motives		Home	
McMillan and Wife				Equalizer		Quincy		Northern Exposure		Law & Order	
Baby Knows Kids These		Staters		Designing	Almost	Our Home		Main Ingrid.	Handmade	Commath	
FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News		Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Outdoors	Fishing	Dicks Live	
Scooby Doby Doe		Flintstones	Flintstones	Gilligan	Gilligan	Spenser: For Hire		Movie: Dirty Dingus Magee (1970) ★★½			
Looney	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Busy World	Muppets	Dr. Seuss	Guffah	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	C'mon Toy	
Gargoyles	Seller Moon	Webster	Facts of Life	Strangers	Glimme B.	Wings	Wings	Movie: The Fear Inside (1992) ★★			
(8:00) Desperate America				Multa		Volver a Enigmas				Marimar	
Classroom		History Showcase		Movie: Truman (1995) Gary Sinise, Diana Scarwid. ★★				Real West		Flames	
Fix Appeal	Bodyshape	Crunch	Training	Perfect	Bodyshape	Fitness	Flex Appeal	NFL's Greatest Moments		NBA 2Night	

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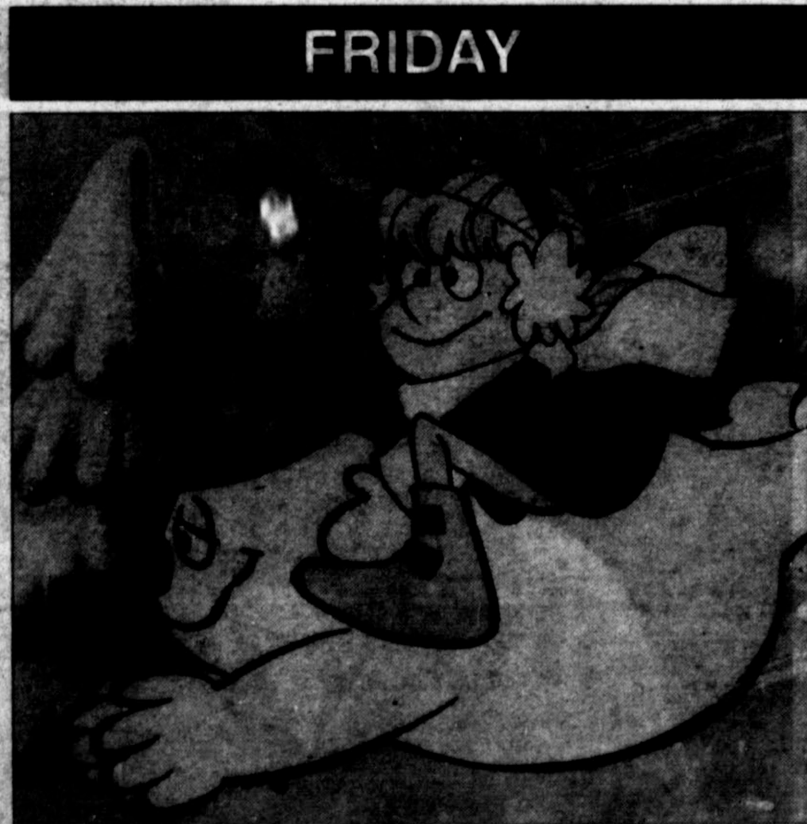
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	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
Tale Spin	Donald	Chip 'n' Dale	Tale Spin	Goof Troop	Timon	Aladdin	Dinosaurs	Growing	Growing	Brotherly	
Days-Lives	Another World		Jenny Jones		Mary		Oprah Winfrey		News	NBC News	
Body Etc.	Painting	Time Goes	Government	Government	Adventure	Adventure	Sandiego	Science Guy	Wahbone	Bus	
(12:00) Movie: ★★ Crash (1978)			Flintstones	Flintstones	Looney	Dreams	Saved-Ball	Saved-Ball	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	
Jopardy!	One Life to Live		General Hospital		Pert Charlas	Pictionary	Road O'Donnell		News	ABC News	
News	Empty Nest	Empty Nest	Wooguy		Beverly Hills, 90210		Fam. Mat.	Dreams	Saved-Ball	Saved-Ball	
Bold & B.	As the World Turns		Guiding Light		Sally		Am.Journal	Edison	News	CBS News	
Home Team	Medicine Woman		Little House on the Prairie	Spider-Man	Metallix		Rangers	Turtles	Boy-World	Recess	
Golf: World Championship			PGA Golf Diners Club Matches - Second Day						Up Close	Sportctr.	
(12:00) Home & Family			Toys	First Snow	Drummer	Santas	Red Boots	St. Nicholas		Night Before Christmas	
(12:00) Movie: Runaway	(-45) Movie: Once in a Blue Moon Cody Sepa. ★½ PG		Movie: This Is Elvis David/ Scott. ★★ PG		Movie: Gunfighter's Moon						
(11:45) Movie: Bogus PG	(-45) Movie: Gallevents Voices of Charlie Callas. G		Animated		Movie: One Fine Day Michelle Pfeiffer. ★★½ PG						
(12:15) Movie: ★★½ Sabrina Harrison Ford. PG			Movie: Gunfighter's Moon ★★½ PG-13		Movie: Pee-wee's Big Adventure PG		Movie:				
(-05) Movie: Rasputin and the Empress (1932) John Barrymore. ★★			Movie: Paris Blues (1961) Paul Newman. ★★½		Movie: The Rack (1956)						
Wildhorse	America's Country Hits		Crook & Chase		Dallas		Club Dance		Duces of Hazzard		
Home	Housemart		Interior Motives		Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Travelers		Wings		
Law & Order	McMillan and Wife		Equalizer		Quincy		Northern Exposure				
Commath	Movie: Without Warning: Terror in the Towers (1993)		Night Court	Night Court	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Supernat	Debt			
Carveys	Hardcore Football	NFL-Access	College Soccer NCAA Division I Semifinal - Teams to Be Announced		WAG	NCAA: Start					
Movie: Movie: Four for Texas (1963) Frank Sinatra. ★★½			Lesosome Dove: Outlaw	In the Heat of the Night	Kung Fu: Legend						
C'mon Toy	Muppets	Looney	Beetlejuice	Gadget	Tiny Toon	Garfield	You Afraid?	Rocko's-Life	Figure It Out	Tiny Toon	
Movie: Fear	Movie: The Babe (1992) John Goodman. ★★½		Baywatch		Saved-Ball	USA High	Baywatch				
Marimar	Amada Enemiga		Gente Bien		Cristina		Primer Impacto		Club	Noticiero	
Flames	Movie: Memphis Belle		Movie: Truman (1995) Gary Sinise, Diana Scarwid. ★★				Real West		Flames of War		
NBA Finals	NFL Pro Bowl Selection		Rodeo PRCA National Finals - Seventh Round		ESPNNews	ESPNNews	Sportsman	Bobed			

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	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
Movie: Oliver & Company	(-15) Movie: Toy Story (1995) Tim Allen	(-40) Movie: Alice in Wonderland G						Walt Disney Presents	Zorro		
News	Erl. Tonight	Playas		Deltine			Homicide: Life	News	(-35) Tonight Show		
NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Wash. Week	Wall St.	LincolnCtr	Christmas	Red Green	Keeping Up	Willie Nelson: Down Home	Austin City			
Griffith	Griffith	(-05) Movie: Licence to Kill (1989) Timothy Dalton, Carey Lowell. ★★		(-05) Movie: From Russia With Love			News	Sainfield	Nightline		
News	Fortune	Sabrina	BoyWorld	Sabrina	Teen Angel	20/20		Beverly Hills, 90210	Heat		
Fam. Mat.	Coach	Movie: The Bear (1989) Jack Wallace. ★★½				News			(-35) Late Show		
News	Home Imp.	Frosty	Frosty	Story of Santa Claus		Kathie Lee-Christmas		News			
Grace Under	Mad-You	Visitor		Millennium		Pensacola: Wings of Gold		Frasier	Roseanne	Real TV	
Sportctr.	Neisman	P. Manning		Boxing John Lowey vs. Erik Morales		Sportscenter		Rodeo			
Waltons		Holiday Greetings From the Ed Sullivan Show		Perry Como's Christmas		700 Club		3 Stooges			
Movie: Gunfighter's Moon		Movie: Swingers Jon Favreau. ★★ R		On the Set		Stargate SG-1		Hunger	Movie: Big Night (1996) R		
Inside the NFL		Movie: Passenger 57 Wesley Snipes. R		Movie: The Peacekeeper Dolph Lundgren.		Tenacious D	Chris Rock	Shock 5			
(5:30) Movie: Carpool PG		Movie: I'm Not Rappaport (1996) Walter Matthau, Ossie Davis. PG-13		Movie: The Ghost and the Darkness R		Movie:					
(5:00) Movie: The Rack		Movie: Earthquake (1974) Charlton Heston. ★★		(-15) Movie: Mayerling (1968) Omar Sharif, Catherine Deneuve. ★★½							
Duces of Hazzard		Ryman Gospel Reunion		Prime Time Country		Championship Rodeo		Dallas			
Gimme Shelter		Wild Discovery		News	Storm	Battleship		Justice Files		Wild Disc.	
Law & Order		Biography		Story of Magic				Law & Order		Biography	
Intimate Portrait		Unsolved Mysteries		Movie: A Home of Our Own (1993) Kathy Bates. ★★				Homicide: Life		Wire	
Football		Sports	NHL Hockey San Jose Sharks at Dallas Stars					Sports			
Lola & Clark-Superman		NBA Basketball Miami Heat at Indiana Pacers		Inade-NBA		Movie: The Glory Guys (1965) ★★					
Deag	Rugrats	Kablam!	Happy Days	Wonder Yrs.	Wonder Yrs.	I Love Lucy	M.T. Moore	Taxi	Newhart	Van Dyke	
Highlander: The Series		Walker, Texas Ranger		Figure Skating Skating Romance III				Movie: California Heat (1995)			
El Quirida Isabel		El Alma No Tiene Color		Alguna Yez		El Balcon de Veronica		P. Impacto	Noticiero	Al Ritmo	
Movie: Memphis Belle		In Search of History		Movie: Escape From Sobibor (1987) Alan Arkin, Rutger Hauer. ★★½						In Search	
Women's College Basketball: Florida vs. Purdue				ESPNNews	Women's College Basketball: Illinois at Tennessee			NHL 2Night		Basketball	



Frosty and his young friend head to the North Pole to prevent the magical snowman from melting in *Frosty the Snowman*, airing Friday on CBS.

SATURDAY DECEMBER 13

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
Chip 'n' Dale	Marmalade	Amazing	Amazing	Beast	Santa Claus			(20) Movie: Ernest Saves Christmas	Baby-Sitters		
Imagine	Sing a Story	Science Guy	Saved-Ball	City Guys	Saved-Ball	Hang Time	Hang Time	Inside Stuff	How Day	NFL Films	
Business	Business	Week. Week	Wall St.	Outfitting	Sewing	Quilt	Sewing	Baking	Garden	Pop'n	
Flintstones	Scoby Doo	WCW Wrestling		(30) National Geographic Explorer				(45) Movie: King of Kings (1961) ***			
191Dabata	New Doug	New Doug	Recess	Popper Ann	Bugs & T.	Bugs & T.	Jungle Cubs	Footb	Science	Parade	
Farm Report	Business	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Outdoor	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Soul Train		Movie:	
Seaman	Fudge	CBS News Saturday Morning						In Odyssey	Mr. Media	Shating	
Bobby	Life-Louie	Turtles	Goosebump	Goosebump	SpaceGoof	Life-Louie	X-Men	NFL	NFL Football		
WalkerCay	Sportsman	On the Pole	Photo Safari	Outdoors	Sportscenter Saturday			NFL	College Basketball: Ga. Tech at Kentucky		
Guns of Paradise	High Chaparral			Bonanza-Lost				Movie: The New Maverick (1978) James Garner. ***	Bonanza		
Movie:	(45) Movie: Fluke (1995) Matthew Modine, Nancy Travis.			Movie: Awakenings Robin Williams. ***	PG-13			Movie: Johnny & Clyde			
Storybook	Movie: Chain Reaction Keanu Reeves. **	PG-13		Titanic: 1st	Inside the NFL			Movie: Playing Dangerous 2 'NF'			
(15) Movie: Grumpier Old Men Jack Lemmon. 'PG-13'				Movie: I Wonder Who's Kissing Her Now				(45) Movie: Only the Strong Merit Dacascos. * PG-13'			
Movie: ** Over the Wall	Movie: Father's Son (1941)			(15) Festival of Shorts				Movie: Flying Down to Rio (1933) Dolores Del Rio. ***	Movie:		
(Off Air)	Go Fish!	TBA		Fishing	Ducks	Shooter	Flashin'	In-Fish	Outdoors	ClassicCar	
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Home Matters		HouseSmart!		Great Chats	Great Chats	Gimme Shelter		Bay. 2000	
Movie: Angel-Badman	Biography for Kids			Unexplained		America's Castles II: The Age of Invention		Castles			
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Night Court	Our Home		Next Door	
FOX Sports News	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	SEC TV Weekly			High School Extra		Cowboys	Football	HS Football	
Wild, Wild West	Lonesome Dove: Series		Adv. of Brisco County, Jr.			Adventures of Robin Hood		Movie: Sergeant Rutledge (1960) ***			
Doug	Muppets	Tiny Toon	Tiny Toon	Rugrats	Beavers	Hay Arnold!	Monsters	Rocks-a-Life	FunBimpy	Looney	
Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	World Wrestling Live Wire		Pacific Blue		Movie: Big Business (1988) ***			
Pizza Sesame	La Pinata Loca			GloryJournals		Complices	Cachucheta	Super Sabado Sensacional			
Traveler	GadgyTrip	Year-Kids	Trips USA	GadgyTrip	History Masters			Century of Warfare		Masters	
ESPNNews	ESPNNews	ESPNNews	NFL	Soccer	Snocross	X-Games	X-Games	Rev It Up	Driver	Football	

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Flash	Almost	Inside Out	(15) Movie: Adventures in Babysitting Elizabeth Shue.	Dinosaurs	Growing	Growing	Muppets				
Golf Skills Challenge			NFL on NBC	NFL Football Pittsburgh Steelers at New England Patriots							
Old House	Workshop	Hometime	MotorWeek	Red Green	Computer	Int'lCall	Survivors in the Sand	Tony Brown	Money		
(11:05) Movie: *** King of Kings (1961) Jeffrey Hunter.	(35) Movie: Tunes (1988) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Danny DeVito. ***	(35) WCW Saturday Night									
Parade	Hollywood Christmas			PGA Golf Diners Club Matches - Third Day				Paid Prog.	ABC News		
Movie: Christmas-Willow Creek	Kenz: Warrior Princess	Narcosis-Jrny.	Nightlander: The Series	Earth: Final Conflict							
Skating	College Basketball: Clemson at Ill. or Coppin St. at Ariz.	College Basketball Duke at Michigan	Mr. Media	CBS News							
NFL Football	Washington Redskins at New York Giants	NFL	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Wild Things	Honey, I Shrunk the Kids					
Basketball	College Football NCAA Division II Championship - Teams to Be Announced	Strongman	Strongman	Superbouts							
Bonanza	Big Valley	Rillman	Rillman	High Chaparral	Bonanza-Lost	'Twas Night	Drummer!				
Movie:	Movie: Matilda (1996) Mara Wilson, Danny DeVito. 'PG'	Movie: Some Kind of Wonderful 'PG-13'	(45) Movie: Fluke Matthew Modine. 'PG'								
(45) Movie: The Cable Guy Jim Carrey. ** PG-13'	Movie: Dear God (1986) Greg Kinnear, Laurie Metcalf.	Movie: Airplane II: The Sequel ** PG'									
Movie: That Thing You Do! Tom Everett Scott. *** PG'	Movie: Top Secret! Val Kilmer. *** PG'	Movie: Big Bully Rick Moranis. ** PG'	Movie:								
(12:00) Movie: Broadway Melody of 1940	Movie: Henry Goes Arizona (1939) Guy Kibbee. **	Movie: MGM's Big Parade of Comedy (1934) ***									
Hot Rod TV	Motor Trend	Truck Power	Auto Racing NASCAR Grand National - MBNA 200	Inside NASCAR		Week-Country					
Next Step	Movie Magic	Mysterious	Wings	Storm	News	Discover Magazine	Volcano: Ring of Fire				
Castles	20th Century	Investigative Reports	American Justice	Grand Year		Home Again	Home Again				
Handmade	Movie: Alex: The Life of a Child (1986) ***	Movie: Indictment: The McMartin Trial (1995) ***	Movie: Little Man Tate								
High School Football	Texas Bowl - Class 5A Division I Championship	High School Extra	High School Football: Texas Bowl Class 4A								
Movie: Sergeant Rutledge	Movie: Last Stand at Saber River (1997) ***	Rough Cut	Scoby Doo	Bugs Bunny	Flintstones	Bugs Bunny					
Looney	You Do	Crazy Kids	Gadgy	Hay Dude	Global Guts	Pete & Pete	Clarens	Tiny Toon	Figure It Out	Monsters	
Movie: Big	Figure Skating Scoring Romance II	Movie: When Danger Follows You Home (1987)	Movie: Fitch Lives (1989)								
SuperSub.	Onda Max	Callente	Control	Pellicula de Anunciadora	Major-Fuera	Noticiero					
Masters	Combat at Sea	Weapons at War	Sacrifice at Pearl Harbor	Rain of Ruin							
College Football: NCAA Division III Championship - Teams TBA	Auto Racing	Rodeo PRCA National Finals - 8th Round									

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Jonny Lang in Concert	Movie: The Preacher's Wife Denzel Washington. 'PG'	Jonny Lang in Concert	Walt Disney Presents	Zorro							
News	Criminals	Pretender	Pretender	Proffer	News	B. Switzer	Jerry Jones				
Religion	McLaughlin	Birdwatch	Collecting	Lawrence Walk Show	Austin City Limits						
WCW Saturday Night	(35) Movie: A View to a Kill (1985) Roger Moore, Christopher Walken. ***	(8:50) Movie: The Living Daylights (1987)									
News	Fortune	Online	Santa	Christmas Miracles	Practice	News	Cheers	Outer Limits			
Fam. Mat.	Riches	Bulls Eye	NBA Basketball Toronto Raptors at Chicago Bulls			News	Movie: Hero & Terror				
News	Edition	Medicine Woman	Natalie Cole	Walker, Texas Ranger		News	Walker, Texas Ranger				
X-Files	Cops	Cops	America's Most	NYPD Blue		Mad TV	Viper				
Sportectr.	Helman Trophy	College Basketball Princeton at North Carolina	Bloopers	Sportcenter							
Santa is Coming to Town	Movie: The Christmas List (1997) Mini Rogers.	Movie: One Christmas (1994) Katharine Hepburn. ***	Carol Bnt.								
Movie:	My Life-Dog	Movie: Jumanji Robin Williams. *** PG'	Extras	Movie: Cover Me Rick Rossovich. ** 'R'	Women	Love Street					
Movie: Chain Reaction Keanu Reeves. ** PG-13'	Movie: Breast Man David Schwimmer.	Besing Lany Donald vs. Tim Witherspoon									
(5:30) Movie: Hot Pursuit	Movie: Heavy (1995) Pruitt Taylor Vince, Liv Tyler. 'R'	Movie: Orion's Key Frank Zagarino. 'NF'	Movie: Prelude to Love &								
Buster Keaton	Movie: Criss (1950) Cary Grant, Jose Ferrer. ***		Movie: Take the High Ground (1953), Karl Malden ***								
See How	Opry	Grand Opry	Stellar Bros.	Opry Christmas Past	Opry	Grand Opry	Stellar Bros.				
Arctic Odyssey	Wild Discovery	Earth Lights	Justice Files	How Detectives	Wild Disc.						
Myrtles of the Bible	Biography This Week	Investigative Reports	Story of Magic								
Movie: Little Man Tate	Movie: Where Are My Children? (1994) **	Movie: Child in the Night (1980) JoBeth Williams. **	Women								
High School Football	Beating Fight Time		Sitting Magazine on TV	FOX Sports News	Sparks						
Lois & Clark-Superman	Grinch-C'mas	Movie: Buffalo Soldiers (1997) Danny Glover.	Movie: Cocoon (1985) Dan Aykroyd. ***								
Doug	Beavers	Rugrats	Stranga	Kanan & Kai	All That	Wonder Yrs.	Wonder Yrs.	Happy Days	Happy Days	Tad	
(5:00) Movie: Fitch Lives	Movie: Beethoven (1992) Charles Grodin. **	Movie: Mr. Scrooge (1997) Cicely Tyson.	Movie:								
Tuffi Fruit Gligato	Sabado Gigante Internacional		Noticiero	Besseo Estelar							
History's Myrtles	Movie: The Last of His Tribe (1992), Jon Voight ***	Movie: The Cockleshell Heroes (1955) Jose Ferrer. **	Movie:								
College Basketball	Nevada-Las Vegas at Rhode Island	Bloopers	Sky Surfing	NHL Hockey Colorado Avalanche at Vancouver Canucks							

A Place in the Sun *** 1/2 (1951) Montgomery Clift, Elizabeth Taylor. A social-climbing laborer carries on a passionate affair with an heiress despite his attachment to a drab co-worker. 2:10. December 11 7pm.

Prayer of the Rollerboys ** (1991) Corey Haim, Patricia Arquette. A teen-ager infiltrates a futuristic gang of drug dealers to stem his sibling's growing dependence on their product. 2:05. December 11 12:30am.

The Private Lives of Elizabeth and Essex *** (1939) Errol Flynn, Bette Davis. Shakespearean England is rocked by a power struggle between Queen Elizabeth and her lover, the Earl of Essex. 2:00. December 10 10:30pm.

Pulp Fiction *** 1/2 (1994) John Travolta, Samuel L. Jackson. A group of lawless characters violently collides in Quentin Tarantino's award-winning glimpse into the criminal milieu. (In Stereo) 3:00. December 9 2am.

The Rack *** (1956) Paul Newman, Wendell Corey. A Korean War veteran is court-martialed for treason following his release from an enemy prison camp. 2:00. December 12 5pm.

Respect and the Empress *** (1932) John Barrymore, Ethel Barrymore. The "mad monk" is involved in the dramatic fall of the Imperial Family of Russia. 2:15. December 12 12:45pm.

Red Hot Tires ** (1935) May Aron, Lyle Talbot. A race-car mechanic accused of killing his partner escapes to South America to start a new career. 1:15. December 11 5am.

Romeo Williams: The Adventure Begins *** (1985) Fred Ward, Joel Gray. A former N.Y. police detective joins a secret government organization to prevent the development of a deadly weapon. 2:30. December 8 11:10pm.

The Rescuers Down Under *** (1990) Voices of Bob Newhart, Eve Gabor. Animated. Two fearless mice embark for Australia, where a greedy animal collector has captured a rare golden eagle. 2:00. December 8 9:10pm.

Robin and the Seven Hoods *** (1954) Frank Sinatra, Dean Jagger. A Chicago gangster unwittingly becomes a local hero after a large sum of cash is donated to an orphanage in his name. 2:00. December 9 3am.

The Rocketeer *** (1991) Bill Campbell, Jennifer Connelly. In 1938, a dashing young pilot does battle with a Nazi-minded film star for possession of an experimental rocket pack. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 7 12pm.

Rudyard Kipling's The Jungle Book *** 1/2 (1964) Jason Scott Lee, Cary Elwes. A young man and the wild animals who raised him are endangered when modern civilization invades their jungle homeland. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 6pm.

Safari 2000 ** (1981) David Carradine, Stockard Channing. A Playboy magazine photographer and a race-car driver team up for the African International Rally. 2:00. December 8 11am.

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The Sailor Takes a Wife ** (1945) Robert Walker, Jane Alynne. A woman reluctantly adjusts to civilian life after her husband is discharged from the Navy. 2:00. December 8 8pm.

The Saint of Fort Washington *** 1/2 (1993) Danny Glover, Matt Dillon. A homeless man and his mentally-challenged complotriot struggle to survive on the mean streets of New York. 2:00. December 9 12am.

Santa and the Three Bears ** (1970) Voices of Hal Smith, Jean Vanderpyl. Animated. A mother bear is helped by a ranger when her cubs decide to postpone hibernation and await Santa Claus. 1:00. December 10 5pm.

Saratoga *** 1/2 (1937) Clark Gable, Jean Harlow. The sultry daughter of a wealthy horse breeder becomes romantically involved with a big-time bookie. 2:00. December 9 5pm.

Scenes From a Marriage *** 1/2 (1990) Bette Midler, Woody Allen. An affluent couple confess to infidelities while shopping for party supplies for their 10th anniversary. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 9 7pm.

The Sea of Grass *** 1/2 (1947) Spencer Tracy, Katharine Hepburn. A cattleman's grassland feud with homesteaders makes his wife seek greener pastures in the arms of an attorney. 2:30. December 7 2:30am.

The Search *** (1948) Montgomery Clift, Aline MacMahon. A 9-year-old, separated from his mother in the early days of World War II, is saved from death by an American soldier. 2:00. December 10 1pm.

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David Schwimmer stars as a plastic surgeon who makes medical history by inventing silicone breast implants in *Breast Men*. The HBO film premieres Saturday.

Sergeant Rutledge ★★★ (1980) Jeffrey Hunter, Constance Towner. John Ford's thought-provoking look at racism in which a black cavalryman is court-martialed for rape and murder. 2:30. December 13 12:30am, 11am.

Sergeant York ★★★★★ (1941) Gary Cooper, Walter Brennan. A Tennessean becomes one of World War I's most decorated heroes by single-handedly capturing a German position. 2:30. December 9 11:30am.

She ★★½ (1985) Uta Hagen, John Richardson. A mysterious woman convinces a man that he is the reincarnation of her former lover. Based on H. Rider Haggard's novel. 2:00. December 10 2am.

She Went to the Races ★ (1945) Ava Gardner, James Craig. A young scientist discovers a way to win at the track, but soon learns that she would rather have a man than money. 1:30. December 13 2:30am.

Shining Through ★★ (1992) Michael Douglas, Melina Golia. During World War II, a New York secretary convinces her lover to allow her to spy for the Allies behind enemy lines. 2:45. December 13 12:30am.

The Sin of Harold Diddlebock ★★½ (1947) Harold Lloyd, Frances Fernandes. A former bookkeeper becomes the owner of a flea-bitten and bankrupt circus. 1:30. December 8 3am.

Stim Deep ★★★ (1989) John Ritter, Vincent Gardenia. A Los Angeles novelist with a knack for womanizing and drinking finds his critically acclaimed life beginning to spiral. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 9 11am.

Son-in-Law ★½ (1993) Rudy Show, Cate Caples. A South Dakota farm family gets a taste of life in the surf lane when their daughter brings home a California friend. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 9 7pm.

A Southern Yankee ★★½ (1948) Bud Shakin, Slim Darling. A St. Louis ballplayer finds love and adventure below the Mason-Dixon line after he becomes a Union spy. 2:00. December 9 1pm.

Spartacus ★★★★★ (1960) Kirk Douglas, Laurence Olivier. Restored version. A gladiator-slave rallies his countrymen against the tyrannical rulers of 75 B.C. Rome. 3:30. December 10 7pm.

Split Second ★★½ (1953) Stephen McNelly, Jan Sterling. Escaped convicts take prisoners in a deserted Nevada town, unaware it is the target of a nuclear bomb test. 1:30. December 10 8am.

Springfield Rifle ★★½ (1952) Gary Cooper, Phyllis Thaxter. A court-martialed Army major goes under cover to unmask the head of an outlaw band stealing Army rifles. 2:00. December 10 1pm.

A Stolen Life ★★½ (1946) Bette Davis, Glenn Ford. A woman takes her drowned twin's place as the wife of the man they both fought over. 2:00. December 7 1pm.

The Store ★★ (1983) Frederick Wiseman turns his camera on Neilman Marcus to find out what goes on behind the scenes at the retail giant. (CC) 2:00. December 13 12am.

The Story of Seabiscuit ★★½ (1949) Shifty Temple, Bary Fitzgerald. A horse trainer and his niece raise a yearling that becomes a champion racehorse. 2:00. December 11 11am.

The Stranger ★★½ (1946) Orson Welles, Lorena Young. Orson Welles' account of the hunt for a Nazi war criminal who has assumed the identity of a professor. 1:45. December 11 6:15am.

Sweet Kitty Bellairs ★★ (1930) Claudia Dell, Ernest Torrence. An Englishwoman finds romance en route to a seaside resort when she crosses paths with a dashing highwayman. 1:30. December 8 6pm.

Take a Giant Step ★★ (1959) Ruby Dee, Johnny Nash. Based on Louis S. Peterson's play about a black teen-ager coping with life in a predominantly white society. 1:50. December 10 6:10am.

Take the High Ground ★★ (1953) Richard Widmark, Karl Malden. After years of molding young recruits into tough fighting men, a sergeant requests combat duty. 2:00. December 13 9pm.

Talent Scout ★★ (1937) Donald Woods, Jeanne Madden. A fired talent scout gets a second chance at success when he discovers a young woman with Hollywood potential. 1:10. December 10 5am.

Teahouse of the August Moon ★★½ (1956) Mable Band, Glenn Ford. An Army captain's mission to bring American culture to Okinawa is complicated by the machinations of his interpreter. 2:30. December 7 4:30pm.

Terminal Velocity ★★½ (1994) (PA) Chelsi Swan, Nestorin Kinski. A sky diver is pulled into a deadly game of espionage when he attempts to clear his name in the death of a student. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 7 6pm.

Terms of Endearment ★★★★★ (1983) Sherry MaClaine, Dabbs Greiner. An Oscar-winning chronicle of 30 years in the often turbulent relationship between a mother and daughter. 3:00. December 12 1am.

Test Tube Teens From the Year 2000 ★ (1993) Morgan Fairchild, Ian Abercrombie. Libidinous teens must travel back in time to fulfill their desires when sex is strictly prohibited in the future. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 12 12am.

That Forsyte Woman ★★ (1950) Noel Ryan, Genevieve, John Galloway's novel of a member of a Victorian family who becomes scandalously attracted to her niece's fiance. 2:00. December 10 6pm.

To Grandmother's House We Go ★★ (1992) May-Kate Olsen, Ashley Olsen. Bumbling thieves sidetrack precocious twins on a solo journey to their grandmother's house. 2:00. December 7 2pm.

To Have and Have Not ★★½ (1944) Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacal. Based on Hemingway's novel of a sea captain's involvement with the Resistance movement in 1940 Martinique. 2:00. December 9 9:30pm.

Torments of Spring ★★½ (1989) Timothy Hutton, Nestorin Kinski. Based on Ivan Turgenev's novel of seduction and intrigue between a Russian nobleman and two women. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 10 2am.

Trading Places ★★ (1983) Eddie Murphy, Dan Aykroyd. An executive and a con man figure in a plan by two tycoons to determine whether heredity or environment makes the man. 2:30. December 7 2pm.

Tribes ★★½ (1970) Dana McGavin, Jan-Michael Vincent. During the Vietnam era, an unconventional recruit's hippie lifestyle creates problems for his by-the-book drill sergeant. 1:55. December 9 1:40am.

Truman ★★ (1995) Gay Shin, Diane Schmidt. FDR's death puts Vice President Harry S. Truman in the Oval Office at a crucial time as World War II draws to a close. 2:30. December 12 9am, 2pm.

Twins ★★ (1988) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Danny DeVito. A genetically enhanced ideal man discovers he has a less-than-perfect specimen of a twin brother. 2:15. December 7 6pm; 13 2:30pm.

A View to a Kill ★★½ (1985) Roger Moore, Christopher Walken. James Bond goes up against a genetically superior industrialist with plans to become czar of the computer industry. 2:45. December 13 7:00pm.

Violent Quest ★★½ (1985) Mather Mathis, Linda Ronstadt. An outlaw's quest for training for a wrestling match is disrupted when he falls for an older female boarder at his house. 2:15. December 7 1:50am.

Vivacious Lady ★★½ (1938) Ginger Rogers, James Stewart. A college professor encounters sharp-edged hostility from his conservative parents when he marries a cabaret singer. 1:30. December 9 8am.

Wedlock ★★½ (1991) Roger Hauser, Mini Rogers. Two futuristic prison escapees try to find a diamond cache without triggering their electronic death collars. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 11 11am; 12 1am.

SOAP WORLD

Holbrook finds new world as part of AMC

By Candace Havens
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Talented actress Anna Holbrook (ex-Shariene, *Another World*) has found a new home on *All My Children*. She is playing a high-priced call girl who ends up in jail with Erica (Susan Lucci). The role is currently short-term, but she may be around longer if things work out.

Fans of Eva LaRue Callahan (ex-Maria) will be happy to know she has not ruled out coming back to AMC, but her husband, John Callahan (Edmund), says it won't happen any time soon.

"Eva is working on a feature film with Rob Lowe," Callahan says. "She's playing a female sidekick for the devil who is trying to take over a small town. It's all very comically written and it's a great role for her."

In other news: She may play wicked Sheila on *The Bold and the Beautiful*, but Kimberlin Brown is all smiles these days. She and husband Gary Pelzer are expecting their second child in February. Brown says her daughter, Alexes, is excited about having a new brother.

General Hospital stars Vanessa Marcil and Tyler Baker (Brenda, Nikolas) have postponed their wedding, which was set for December.

"We don't want to rush things," Marcil says. "I'm working on a film and doing *GH* and everything is a little crazy right now. We are both young, and we have plenty of time to do it when the timing is right for both of us and all of our friends and family can come."

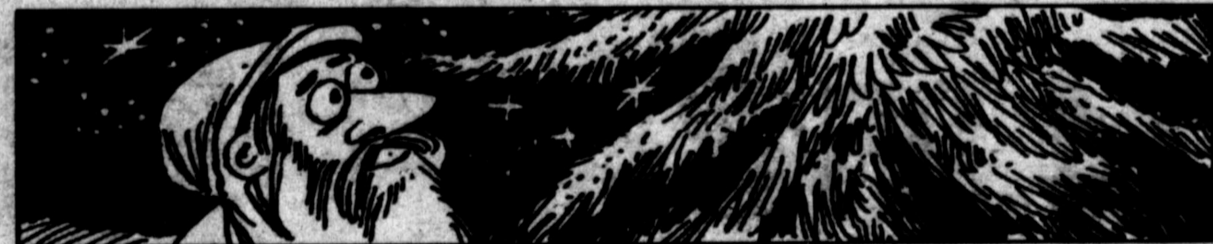
Dear Candace: I watch *The Young*

and the *Restless* all the time. It's my favorite soap. But I think it's time Phyllis (Sandra Nelson) was caught for her bad deeds.

Paul and Christine (Doug Davidson, Laurelee Bell) should discover Phyllis was the hit-and-run driver that ran them down. Phyllis would go to jail, and Danny (Michael Damian) would get custody of little Daniel. -K.B.R. in Kentucky.

Dear Reader: You will not be disappointed with the story lines planned for Phyllis.

Send questions of general interest to Candace Havens, Soap Talk, TVData Features Syndicate, Northway Plaza, Queensbury, N.Y. 12864, or e-mail to soaptalk@tvdata.com. Only questions selected for this column will be answered. Personal replies cannot be sent.



Legend has it the Christmas tree was first thought of by Martin Luther, inspired by the stars shining through an evergreen's branches one Christmas Eve.

TV CROSSWORD

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The identity of the featured celebrity is found within the answers in the puzzle. To take the TV Challenge, unscramble the letters noted with asterisks within the puzzle.

- ACROSS**
- Lead role in *Diagnosis Murder*
 - Co-star with Eddie Albert (1965-71)
 - Trick
 - Role in *Empty Nest* (1988-95)
 - Series about a divorced couple
 - One who played a tenant of Mertz
 - Craving
 - Jamie Buchman's hubby
 - Ending for cold or bold
 - One seen at night
 - Hard; 1988 Bruce Willis movie
 - Prairie Tales; '90 James Earl Jones film
 - T.J. Hooker and others: abbr.
 - California judge
 - Comic Mort
 - \$20 bill dispenser, for short
 - Lilith's portrayer
 - One who stars with her sister
 - Three Lives (1953-56)
 - The Artists; '77 Anthony Quinn movie
 - George Costanza's goofy mother
 - In one's birthday suit
 - Mr. Holbrook
 - King, for one

- School in Tempe, Ariz., familiarly
- Michael of *The Monkees* (1966-68)
- Suffix for depend or exist
- Dolly's initials
- Enough (1977-81)
- Word with hair or safety
- Long, narrow inlet
- Series for Peter Strauss
- The Cockroach That ... Cincinnati; '96 film
- School subj.
- Phyllis's co-star
- Building wing
- Mayberry resident
- Ames or Bradley
- Tim the Tool Man's pride and joy
- Bobby the Bruin
- Monogram for Lou Grant's portrayer
- Initials for a star of *The Golden Girls*

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Solution

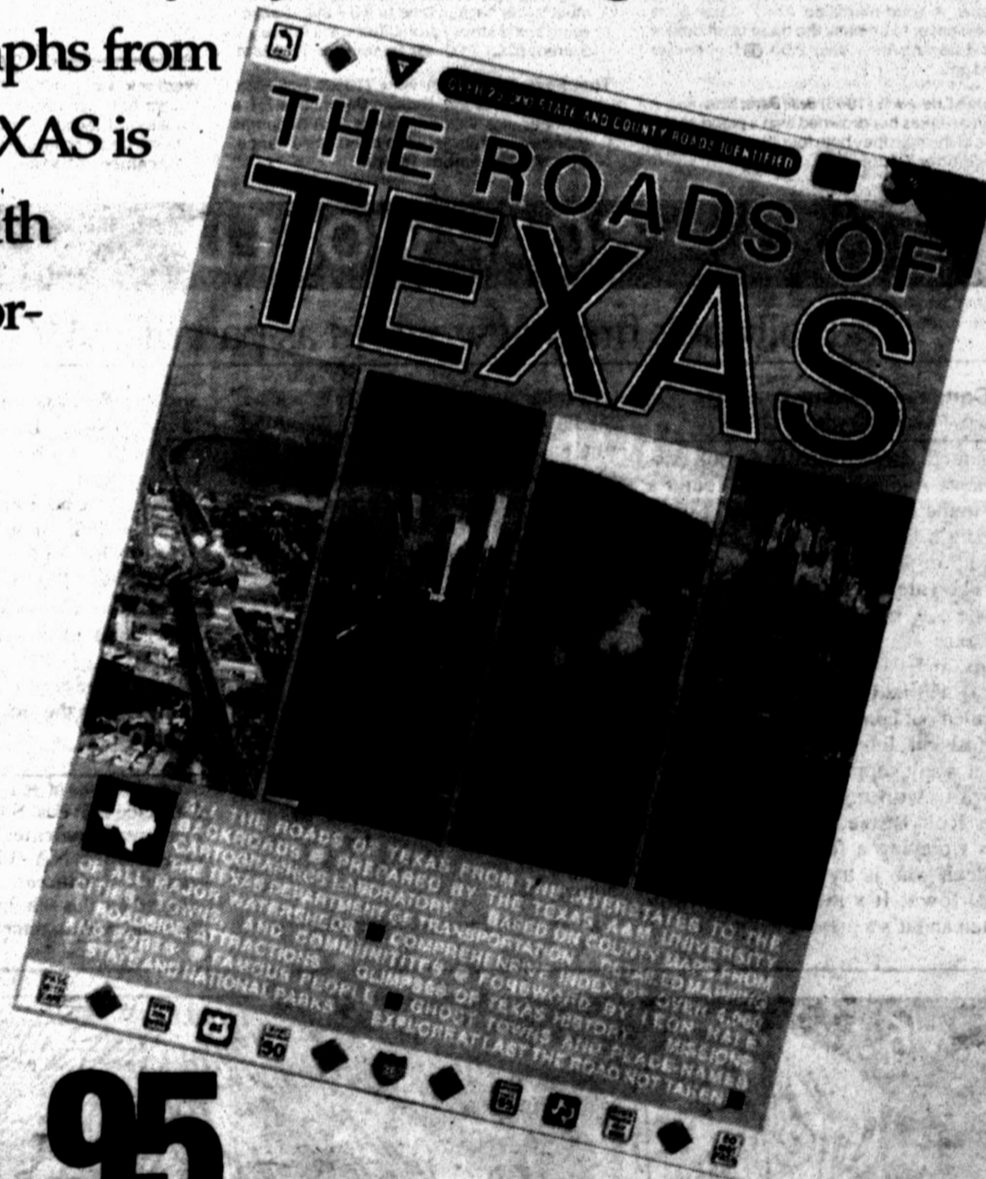
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