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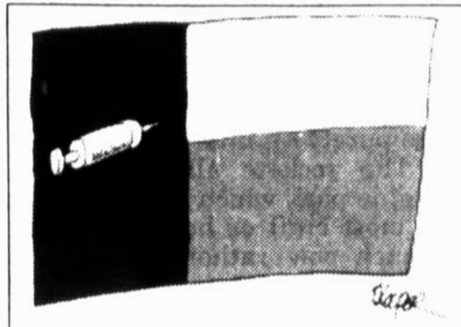
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UNENVIABLE TITLE: With the execution assembly line in full operation in Huntsville, Texas is bolstering its claim to the unenviable title of "Death Penalty Capital" of the United States. No other state administers the death penalty with greater frequency than Texas. — **Page A4**

SPORTS

ALLEY CATS



While kids their ages spend the evening shooting hoops, throwing around the pigskin or playing video games, the Berryman brothers make trips to the Hereford bowling alley for some serious pin action. — **Page A7**

Today's weather

OUTLOOK

Partly cloudy skies •

Tonight: Partly cloudy with lows in the lower 30s, southwest winds 10 to 15 mph.

Sunday: Partly sunny with highs around 60, southwest to west winds 10 to 20 mph.

Sunday night: Mostly cloudy, windy and colder, lows near 25.

Extended forecast •

Monday: Windy and much colder, mostly cloudy with a chance of light snow, temperatures remaining near 25.

Tuesday: Mostly cloudy with a chance of light snow, lows 10 to 15, highs around 25.

Wednesday: Mostly cloudy with a chance of light snow, lows near 15, highs in the upper 20s.

Thursday: Partly cloudy, lows near 12, highs near 30.

Friday: Partly cloudy, lows near 14, highs in the upper 30s.

Hereford weather •

Friday's high, 49; low, 31; no precipitation.

ROCKET MEN

Hobby requires science

By Dianna F. Dandridge
Hereford Brand Staff Writer

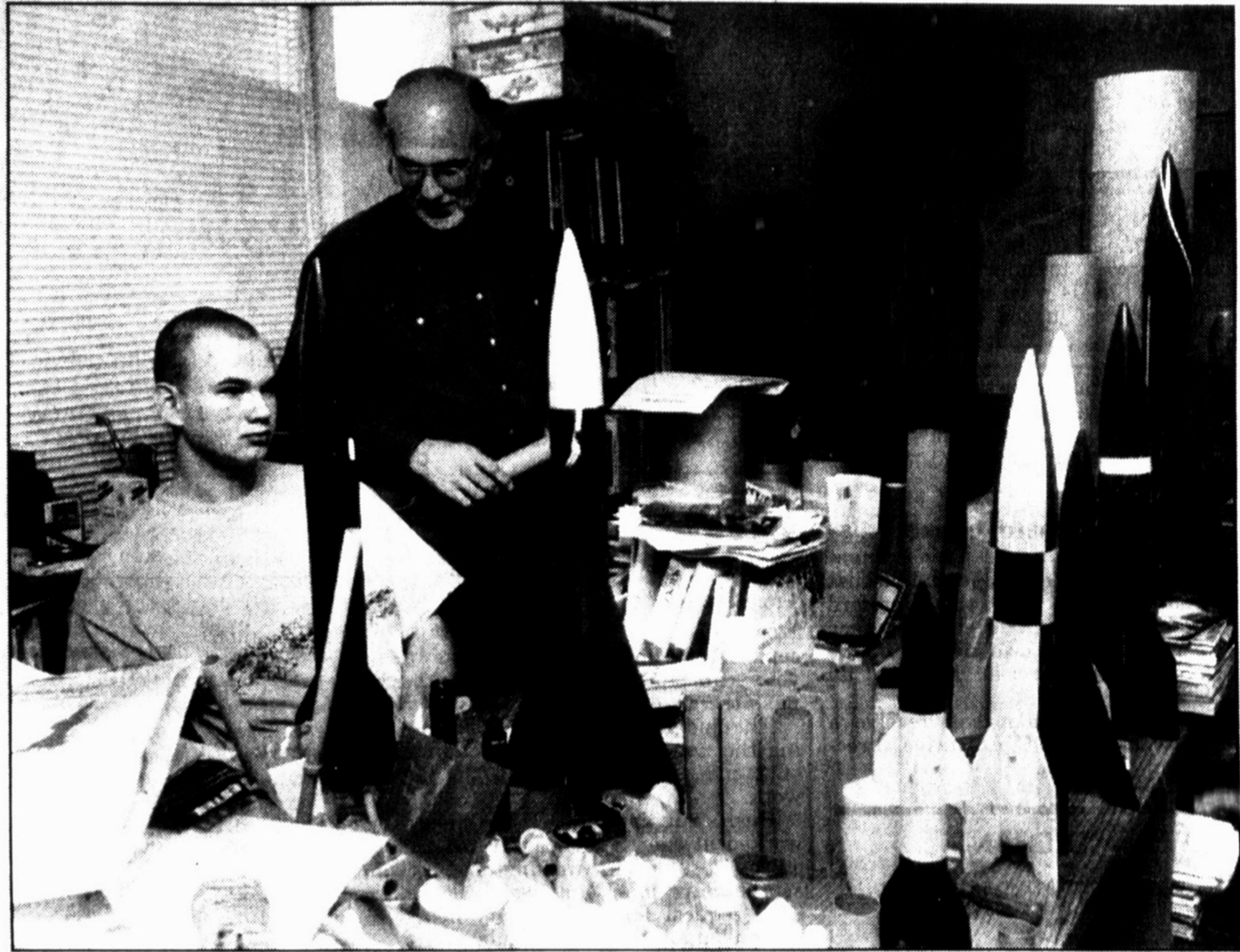
nose cones, tail fins, parachutes and detail paint all add up to one thing — model rocketing. A great hobby requiring time, patience, and lots of science according to local enthusiasts John Gilmore and his son, Paul.

By day, their friends can find them at Carl McCaslin Lumber Co. or in the hallways of Hereford High School. Their off-hours are frequently spent researching, designing, flying or marketing their craft.

The elder Gilmore said rocketing was just something he had always wanted to do, ever since he was a child and saw comedian Soupy Sales launch a rocket on his children's program. For about the last three years, he's spent considerable time advancing his hobby.

"There's not a lot of rocketeers out there. There's a lot of information about the real rockets and we spend a lot of time on research and scaling them down," J. Gilmore said.

His first rocket was a scaled-down version of the German World War II V2 guided missile. From there, Gilmore made some changes, some which worked,



John Gilmore (standing) and his son, Paul, need patience and a knowledge of science in their hobby of model rocketry.

some which didn't. He experimented with fin styles and sizes, Estes engine packs, balances and weights and even different materials.

"Building them becomes an art.

Scratch building them takes lots of time and patience," he said.

In the process, he's learned about such scientific things as aerodynamics, engine power, and

Newton-seconds (a unit of force) which have to do with the thrust power of the rocket.

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LANGEHENNIG: Hereford's city attorney likes variety and his job offers it

By Donald Cooper
Hereford Brand Managing Editor

Terry Langehennig likes variety in his job. And, that's what he gets in his position as Hereford's city attorney.

"What I like about (the job) is the variety. You get a variety of issues in representing the city that's always something different. It can be litigation," he said. "Most of our litigation ends up being handled through insurance attorneys, but I usually get to assist with that and help with discovery. So you get the litigation end, you get the administrative end, you get the personnel end — the variety of things that come up with city work."

"That's why I'm a general practitioner in a small town. If I wanted to get myself stuck in one area (of the law), I sure wouldn't be sitting here," he said.

Langehennig grew up in Fredericksburg, which is about 80 miles southwest of Austin. His father, now 87, still lives in Fredericksburg and his sister lives



Terry Langehennig came to Hereford fresh out of law school. After a stint as a city commissioner, he has been city attorney since 1991.

in nearby Kerrville.

"This makes me the black sheep of the family, out here in the Panhandle," he joked.

He earned his bachelor's degree at the University of Texas in Austin

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Al Gore George W. Bush

Florida begins new recount

The Associated Press

Facing a midday Sunday deadline, election officials across Florida opened up ballot boxes to look anew at so-called undervotes sought by Democrat Al Gore. Republican George W. Bush scrambled to the U.S. Supreme Court to block the counts.

"I guess it's time to do some counting," said Leon County's elections supervisor, Ion Sancho.

Undervotes are ballots on which no vote for president was registered by machines during the mechanical vote. Punchcard ballots, used in some

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Single mom needs clothes for kids

Getting by is often difficult for single-parent families, and a young Hereford woman, 28, with four children, ages 8, 5, 3 and 2 is no exception.

This woman works part-time and is also attending school to complete her GED. Once she receives it, she plans to work full-time.

She has requested help from Hereford's holiday charity, the Christmas Stocking Fund. Her children are in need of jeans, shoes and shirts to make their holiday brighter.

The anonymous committee of volunteers administering CSF give the needs of the young and the elderly a high priority in their decisions on assistance. With the caring and sharing help of the local community, CSF will address as many needs as possible during the

2000 campaign. CSF extends assistance in numerous forms including help with clothing, food, utilities, medical and pharmacy bills.

All assistance, with the exception of food, is via vouchers payable to the merchants, utilities, or medical facilities cooperating with CSF. Food assistance is in the form of staple goods that are boxed and delivered.

This year's primary assistance delivery date is Dec. 22.

You can help CSF to extend maximum help to as many of the less fortunate members of the community as possible this holiday through your generous gift.

Donations to CSF may be made in person at the Hereford Brand, 313 N.

Lee, or mailed to CSF in care of the Brand at P.O. Box 673, Hereford 79045. Those contributors who wish to remain anonymous should so designate their gifts.

The Brand, official collection point for CSF, periodically publishes a

listing of contributors and keeps a running tally of the sum collected by CSF.

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Anonymous	50.00
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Anonymous	200.00
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Ronnie & Rita Bell	25.00
Colleen S. Cook	200.00
TOTAL	5,010.00



DECEMBER 9, 2000

HEREFORD BRAND Local roundup

• Christmas concerts set •

The Hereford High School bands will perform their annual Christmas Concert at 7 p.m. Dec. 14 in the high school auditorium.

Students should be at the high school by 6:30 p.m., according to bands director Gary Owens.

The concert is free. The performance also will include a special reading of "Twas the Night Before Christmas" and the band will play many holiday classics.

Also, the 6th Grade and Hereford Junior High bands will present their annual Christmas Concert at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the high school auditorium. Students should be at the high school by 6:30 p.m.

This concert also is free.

• Commissioners to meet •

Deaf Smith County commissioners are expected to approve bonds for elected officials when they meet at 9 a.m. Monday in the commissioners courtroom at the courthouse, 235 E. 3rd.

The commissioners also are expected to advertise for bids on county insurance and public officials/law enforcement insurance, and approve reports.

• HEDC board to meet •

Hereford Economic Development Corp. directors will hear and discuss a presentation from the Hereford Regional Medical Center when they meet at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday in the commission chamber at Hereford City Hall, 224 N. Lee.

The directors also will receive a report from HEDC executive director Don Cumpton.

HEREFORD BRAND Emergency services

Activities reported by Hereford Police Department for Dec. 8, 2000, include the following:

Arrests

• Four juveniles were taken into custody in the 700 block of La Plata, in two separate incidents and were charged with deadly conduct and later released to their parents.

• A 19-year-old man was arrested in the 700 block of Grand and charged with outstanding municipal warrants.

Incidents

• An assault and criminal mischief were reported in the 900 block of 13th Street. A suspect has been named and charges are pending.

• A watch was reported taken from a residence in the 400 block of Avenue C.

• A criminal mischief to a vehicle was reported in the 400 block of Avenue I.

THE ASSOCIATED PRESS Texas lottery

Texas Million

The winning Texas Million numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

72-47-23-37

Cash Five

The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery:

5-21-24-28-34

Pick 3

The winning Pick 3 numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery, in order:

8-9-9

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Getting ready to hunt — Pheasant hunters from Midland unload their hunting dogs and their hunting gear Friday evening at a local motel. Hundreds of hunters have filled Hereford motels to capacity for the opening weekend of pheasant season which Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife officials are predicting will be a good one. The season, which started this morning, runs through Dec. 24.

Florida

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Florida counties, are particularly susceptible to undervoting because a voter can punch the card but fail to push the chad all the way out.

The judge charged with overseeing the new recounts set a deadline of 2 p.m. Sunday to wrap up the work.

Bush's running mate, Dick Cheney, worked at the Republican transition offices in suburban Washington, D.C., as the Supreme Court weighed the GOP request for a temporary delay in implementing the Florida court ruling. The appeal argued that the ruling was unconstitutional and said the electoral process could suffer "material harm" if the recounts go forward.

"This is what happens when, for the first time in modern history, a candidate resorts to lawsuits to try to overcome the outcome of an election for president," said former Secretary of State James A. Baker III, the head of Bush's legal team. "It is very sad. It is sad for Florida. It is sad for the nation. And it is sad for democracy."

The high court ruling trimmed Bush's certified 537-vote lead to less than 200 votes by ordering that the earlier tallies in Palm Beach and Miami-Dade be added to the totals of each candidate.

The opinion overturned a ruling Wednesday by Circuit Judge N. Sanders Sauls. Sauls immediately recused himself from the case without explanation and it was reassigned to Judge Terry Lewis. Lewis told lawyers for the two campaigns in Tallahassee that he had read the state court's ruling "and I intend to follow it."

Gore's lawyers called for the counting to begin immediately and asked the court to establish a procedure to count undervotes statewide, while Bush's lawyer suggested a slower approach. The judge declined to set a single standard for determine which votes count, leaving it to local officials.

"Hours make a difference here," said Gore lawyer David Boies, saying about 40,000 disputed ballots had to

POPULAR VOTE

The Associated Press

Here are the latest nationwide election returns in the race for president with 99 percent of the nation's precincts reporting.

GORE
50,158,094 (48%)

Has won 21 states, including the District of Columbia, with 267 electoral votes.

Leads in 0 state with 0 ev.

BUSH
49,820,518 (48%)

Has won 29 states with 246 electoral votes.

Leads in 1 state with 25 electoral votes.

Needed to win: 270 of the 538 electoral votes from the 50 states and the District of Columbia.

be counted. "Minutes may make a difference."

"It's going to be a big job," said Bush attorney Phil Beck, projecting that 64,000 ballots needed to be counted. "I think the Supreme Court has created an impossible situation here."

Gore's lawyers also planned to file a response to Bush's request to the U.S. Supreme Court. They said a delay "is the only means of protecting the integrity of the federal electoral process while ensuring proper and orderly access to the judicial system."

Justice Anthony Kennedy has jurisdiction over emergency requests from Florida, and will be the first to review the 41-page filing. Kennedy could act on it, or he could refer the request to the full court.

Bush lawyers also were filing an emergency petition with the 11th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals.

Attorney

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and went to law school at the University of Houston.

When he was growing up, Langehennig thought he wanted to be a dentist, but he took another direction and decided to go into the law.

He said he decided to go into law because he wanted "to stand up for people and at least be a representative for people — be able to elaborate their points and to represent them ..."

"Now, I can stand up for people; I can talk for people — I can be a defender. Of course, back then, I was a utopia-type person back in the early '70s where I was going to correct all the wrongs in the world, and I thought the best thing in the world of practicing law was to represent criminals.

"Well, after 20 years of practicing law I've learned that's not what I want to do."

When he started college and law school, Langehennig worked straight through and six years after graduating from Fredericksburg High School, he was an attorney and, he said, "By that time, I was ready to get a job. My dad and mother were tired of supporting me."

"I had moved from little town to bigger town to bigger town and I decided I didn't want to live in Houston, in the big city, so I moved to Hereford right out of law school," he said, joining the Cowsert firm.

"I came here with the old Cowsert firm, and I'm left," he said with a laugh.

"Mr. (Ray) Cowsert was a wise old man, like a daddy to me. He's the reason that I stayed here because he and I had a great relationship. He was like a father figure to me. He led me through the process, the learning process.

"I remember years ago he said to me one day, 'Terry, someday all of this is going to fall on your shoulders. I didn't believe him back then, but it happened that way.'"

Other former members of the firm include Rex Easterwood and R.C. Hoelscher, who left to start their own law firms.

"I was the youngster and I was the one who ended up here," he said.

Although Cowsert died in 1989, followed in 1997 by his partner Ed Line, Langehennig keeps their names in the firm's name: Cowsert, Line & Langehennig.

Langehennig took a round-about way to the city attorney's position.

"Wes Fisher was the mayor and Wes came over one day — there was a vacancy on the City Commission — and he asked me if I would fill that spot. So, I got on the City Commission, I think it was sometime in '89, as an appointed commissioner, not elected," Langehennig said. When the term expired, he ran for election and won.

In the summer of 1991, while Langehennig was serving on the commission, the city attorney resigned.

"Anyway Ernest Langley had been city attorney for a long, long time and was a good city attorney. But his firm, the Witherspoon firm, was folding up, and he submitted his resignation," Langehennig said. "When Ernest submitted his resignation ... I resigned and threw my hat in the ring to be city attorney, and the commission appointed me."

Langehennig hasn't regretted that decision, saying the city attorney's position has "been good to me."

"I enjoy doing this type of work. It may sound hokey, but it's my way of contributing to the good of community ... something that I can do to

hopefully help benefit this community and make it better.

"I enjoyed being a city commissioner, but city attorney was more down my line, down my professional path to assist the city with its legal issues," Langehennig said. "So I've enjoyed it and what it has done, in a small town, is open the doors to other areas of representation. I do the city work for Muleshoe, and I've done that for about a year and a half or so. They needed a city attorney and it opened up that door just by being city attorney (in Hereford)."

"In a small town, I think somebody coming in looks at you as perhaps you know what you're doing. If the city feels like you should be its attorney, you should be a capable attorney — or at least I hope that's what people think," he said with a laugh.

"But it's been good. I enjoy working with the commission. It's always an interesting matter to work for elected officials as opposed to private business," he said. "I feel like I have a good relationship with the commission and also with the city manager. You have to work as a team has always been my philosophy."

Langehennig said government bodies operate under a different set of rules than private entities.

"There's the Open Meetings, Open Records (laws) that you have to be careful with because you are answerable to the public. You're dealing with (the public's) tax dollars and you have to be very careful with what you do with that money, make sure that what you do is legal and permissible. It puts an extra challenge on you to know that you're answerable to all of your fellow citizens," he said. "It makes it harder, but that's all right. That's the way it should be."

Gilmores

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"This is not a one-time thing," Gilmore said. "There's a big thrill about testing it for the first time and seeing it work like it's supposed to, but usually you have to do it more than once."

Gilmore, who works out of the back room at his home, got his son involved in his hobby to the extent that Paul decided to design and build his own rocket, one he calls "The Zombie."

The Zombie is a bigger version of his father's first model, but not just a bigger copy. Paul made some modifications and changes just to see how it would affect the flight of the rocket.

"I really like doing it. It's something that not everyone can get into. It's more work and more science than what a lot of people are willing to do for a hobby," the younger Gilmore said.

Looking around the work room, visitors can't help but realize where the Gilmores' interests lie. A large telescope, a smaller scope, books and magazines regarding space and flight. At first thought, one would think the elder Gilmore must have served in the Air Force, but no "just the tank corps," he says. Rockets are purely an interest for him.

The rockets all use a one-use engine pack which can be purchased at most craft or hobby shops and a launch pole rather than a launchpad. They work much like missiles they replicate.

John said when fired at or near dark, the operator and bystanders can see a 6- to 8-inch flame from the tail piece. After the engine pack burns itself out, the parachute helps slow it down and bring it back to Earth with a softer landing.

If firing the rockets and watching them gives the Gilmores a charge, then retrieving the rocket bodies afterward can prove a major undertaking.

"Sometimes we have had to go a quarter-mile or more in search of the rocket. Hopefully, we're able to see where it lands, but it still means a lot of work to get it back," John said.

So, what does a rocket hobbyist do when he's designed, built and tested a historic replica of a famous guided missile? He puts it out on the market, of course for other enthusiasts to get started with.

That's exactly what the Gilmores have done. After designing and perfecting the V2 and the Zombie, Gilmore worked on a replica of the Wasserfall. He presented them to some friends who run the Amarillo Hobby Shop and now has two models being sold to the public — the Wasserfall and the Zombie. Soon they hope to have the replicas on the Internet.

"Making a profit is the ultimate payoff of a hobby like this one," John said.

He has already sold about 30 of his models, complete with instructions and precautions. He hopes to sell more as he puts them on the Internet.

HEREFORD BRAND Obituaries

MARIE "MONK" JENKINS Dec. 5, 2000

Services for Marie "Monk" Jenkins, 90, of Hereford will be 2 p.m. Monday at the Trinity Fellowship Church with Rev. William Johnson officiating.

Burial will be in West Park Cemetery, under the direction of Parkside Chapel Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jenkins died Tuesday at the Hereford Regional medical Center.

She was born Jan. 14, 1910, in Paris, Texas. She married James Jenkins and had lived in Hereford for more than 30 years.

Mrs. Jenkins worked for the Messer family for more than 20 years, had cooked at K-Bob's, the Cozy Inn, and Big Daddy's Truck Stop. She also loved to bake and quilt.

Survivors include three sons, Johnny Jenkins of Hereford, and Earl and T.J. Jenkins, both of California; five daughters, Alberta Moore of California, Katherine Samuels of Midland, and Opal Walker, Lee Fern Terry and Mary Ball all of Hereford; two brothers, Eugene and Clarence Jenkins, both of California; 64 grandchildren; several great-grandchildren and great-great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her husband and three sons.

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INSIDE

Judging team grabs honors

CANYON — West Texas A&M University's Courtney May was the top overall finisher in the individual competition as the WTAMU horse judging team earned reserve national champion recognition at the National Reining Horse Association Championship Dec. 1 in Oklahoma City.

Only Kansas State University outscored WTAMU in the team competition, 3,410-3,403. Texas A&M University finished in third place at the 19-team event, amassing 3,388 points.

May, a junior agribusiness major from Capitan, N.M., captured the individual crown by placing first in the Placings

category, second in Reasons and 12th in the Exam portion of the event.

"I was just lucky enough to get all my scores right, but I'm sure a lot of our success had to do with a lot of practice we put in," May said. "We practiced a whole lot before we went up there."

It was the best finish ever for May, who took fourth place at the All-American Quarter Horse Congress back in October.

"This was a great all-around team performance of which we can all be very proud, and you've certainly got to hand it to Courtney for placing

first individually," Dr. John Pipkin, professor of animal science and director of WTAMU's Equine Industry Program, said. "There were some very talented competitors and teams at this event. Our team dedicated itself to preparing for this competition, and it showed."

Also finishing in the top 10 among individual entrants for WTAMU was Erin Wahle, a junior equine industry/business major from Wright, Wyo., who was seventh overall. Her personal highlight was a fourth-place effort in Placings. Taking first overall in individual Reasons was WTAMU's Crys-

tal Fletcher, a junior agribusiness major from Granbury, who wound up 37th in the overall standings.

Also joining in on the scoring for WTAMU were Melanie Vieira, a junior equine industry/business major from Grover Beach, Calif., whose first-place effort in Exam propelled her to 27th place overall, and Erika Dinse, a junior equine industry/business major from Bandera. Dinse was solid in every category and finished 17th.

Other members of the team are Jessica Anderson, a junior nursing major from Zwingle, Iowa; Blaze May, a junior equine industry/business major from Vega; and Jessica Sterusky, a junior business major from Cave Creek, Ariz.



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Postal decorations — Amariah Rodriguez, a Hereford High School student, begins painting a Christmas decoration on a window inside the Hereford Post Office. Rodriguez' mother is postal clerk Floraestella Rodriguez.

Retrospective on display

Special to The Brand

CANYON — A retrospective of Southwestern artist H.D. Bugbee's work will be on display through Feb. 18, 2001, at the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum. The museum has brought together 100 of Bugbee's finest works in oil, watercolor, pen-and-ink, and sculpture.

Bugbee portrayed historic and then-contemporary Southern Plains life, including cowboys, American Indians, and flora and fauna of the region.

At the suggestion of his cousin, cattleman T.S. Bugbee, Harold Dow Bugbee came to the Texas Panhandle from Lexington, Mass.,

in 1914 with his parents. He studied at Texas A & M College in 1917 and the Cumming School of Art in Des Moines, Iowa, in 1920.

Advised by cattlemen Frank Collinson and Charles Goodnight, Bugbee rendered the landscape and wildlife of the Texas Panhandle, as well as nostalgic paintings of Indians and cowboys. Until the late 1930s, the artist traveled each fall to Taos to paint with his fellow artists Buck Dunton, Frank Hoffman, Leon Gaspard and Ralph Meyers.

By the mid-1920s, galleries in Denver, Chicago, Kansas City and New York handled Bugbee's work. With the Depression and

decreasing picture sales, Bugbee turned to magazine illustration, a practice he maintained for some 18 years. He did pen-and-ink illustrations for a variety of magazines, including "Ranch Romances," "Western Stories," "Country Gentleman," and "Field and Stream."

Additionally, Bugbee also illustrated a number of significant books on Western history including J. Evetts Haley's "Charles Goodnight: Cowman and Plainsman," Willie N. Lewis's "Between Sun and Sod," and S. Omar Barker's "Songs of the Saddleman." He also continued to make easel paintings.

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As the years turn

5 Years Ago - Dec. 12, 1995: Premium Standard Farms formally notified the Hereford Economic Development Corporation Monday that the company will not be proceeding with plans to build a pork processing facility in Hereford.

10 Years Ago - Dec. 12, 1990: State Sen. Teel Bivins (R-Amarillo) reviewed several of the key pieces of legislation that will face the 72nd Legislature in January, during a town hall meeting Tuesday at the Hereford Community Center.

25 Years Ago - Dec. 11, 1975: The first hat was tossed in the ring to start political activity in 1976 when Donald D. Henslee filed Wednesday morning as a candidate for Deaf Smith County Commissioner, Precinct 2.

50 Years Ago - Dec. 10, 1950: The record grain harvest now almost completed was the only really bright spot in the farm picture for the entire year of 1950, according to a general survey of opinions.

75 Years Ago - Dec. 10, 1925: The annual Hereford Poultry Show opened in the Sales Pavilion Thursday morning with approximately 300 birds entered.

Snipes makes a smashing entrance

NEW YORK (AP) — Wesley Snipes made a smashing entrance at the premiere of his movie, "Disappearing Acts."

The star's limo got into a fender-bender with a bus as it was pulling up to the pre-

miere. No one was hurt. Snipes stars with Sanaa Lathan in the adaptation of Terry McMillan's novel about a romance between a teacher and her less-educated boyfriend.

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First of WTAMU's ornaments on sale

CANYON — The first West Texas A&M Christmas ornament of the University's Centennial Countdown series is on sale now at the Bookstore on the WTAMU campus in Canyon.

This limited-edition collectible, the first of an 11-piece series, features Old Main, the oldest and grandest building on the WTAMU campus.

"This is a unique and beautiful ornament," Natrelle Long, ornament-series coordinator and wife of WTAMU President Russell C. Long, said. "But the true value is in its symbolism. I think this ornament will make a very special gift for anyone who has ties to the University."

The three-dimensional ornament, made of solid brass and finished in 24-carat gold, is packaged in a presentation box and is accompanied by an explanatory brochure.

Ornaments are available at the University Bookstore, located in the Jack B. Kelley Student Center, for \$12.95 plus tax. Collectors and WTAMU friends may also mail requests to Bookstore, WTAMU Box 60937, Canyon 79016-0001, call 651-2744, fax 806-651-2752 or go to the Online Store at www.wtamu.edu/bookstore. Handling and shipping is an additional \$3.95 per order and will require about two weeks for delivery.

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— PAUL GILMORE, discussing the hobby of building and launching model rockets

COMMENT

Environmental protection can be good for economy

Decades of evidence to the contrary, the argument persists that environmental protection is some kind of a job-killer, a business repellent, a bane to development and shortcut to the economic doldrums.

Early on, it was said that tough pollution rules would drive industries out of business. Then, when the cost of cutting emissions turned out to be a few percentage points of overall operating costs, it was said that companies might stay in business but would surely relocate to other cities or states that take a more relaxed approach to regulation.

It's an appealing simple argument, which overlooks two important complicating factors. First, environmental protection efforts create their own companies, products and jobs. Second, plenty of employers, customers and employees prefer to be in places where they can breathe the air, swim in the lakes and take a walk in a nearby woods. ...

■ STAR TRIBUNE, Minneapolis, Minn.

Uneasiness about the 'Net

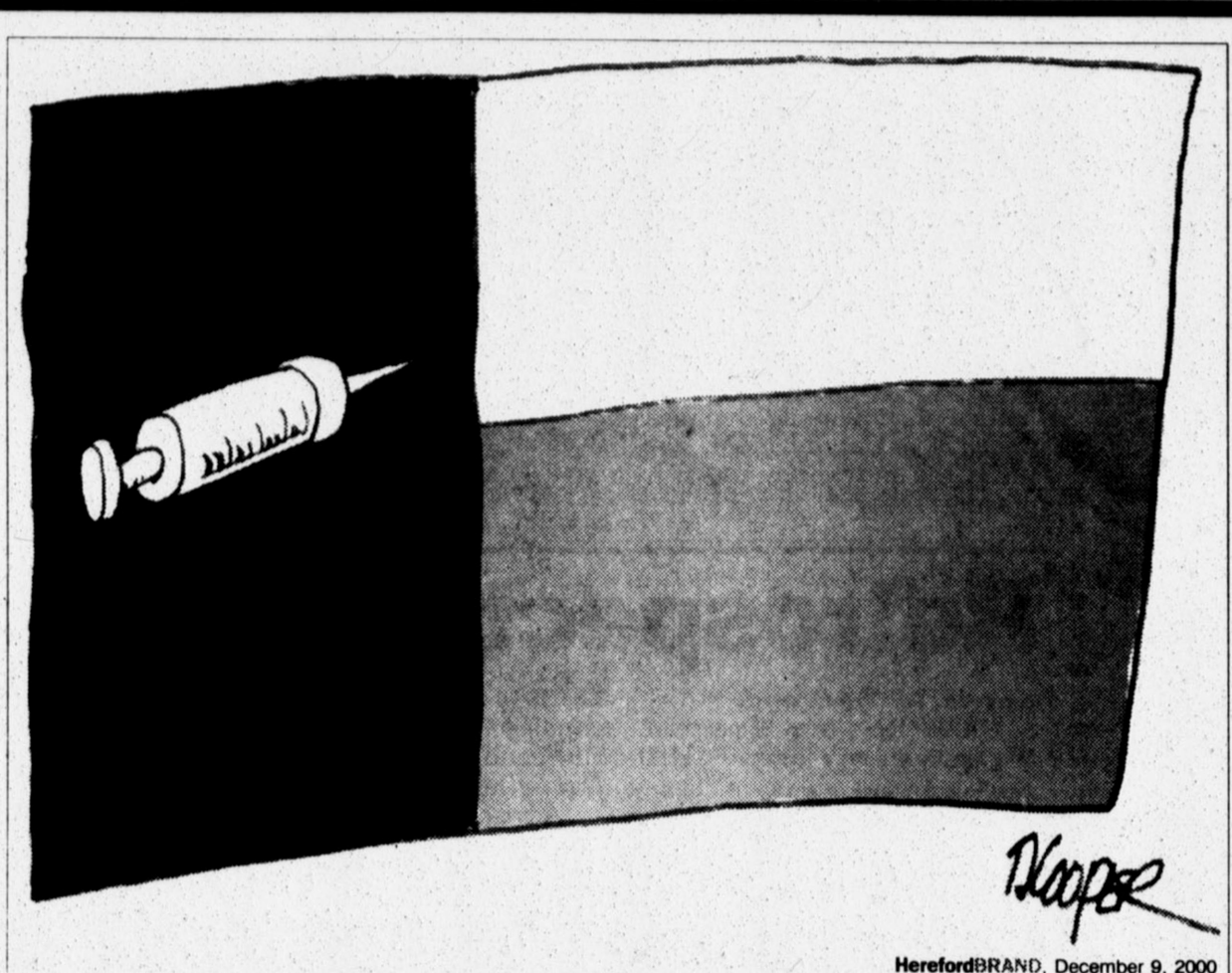
When, in the 1960s, the Chinese prime minister Chou En-lai was asked whether, on the whole, he thought the French Revolution was a success, he replied that it was still too early to say. We would be well advised to bear this famous piece of wisdom in mind as we try to assess the success of today's Internet revolution. ...

The hype that surrounded the launches of exotically named companies and the valuations given to them by a feverish stock market was often just that — hype. Similarly, we now find that the bankruptcy of such economic ephemera as boo.com and the collapse in many hi-tech share prices is taken to mean that the Internet may not, after all, have the impact we might once have thought. ... The doomsayers, we suspect, may be overstating their case as badly as the enthusiasts were a few months ago.

For one thing, it is only to be expected, after the initial excitement, during which phase the neophyte will spend hours discovering the best that the Web has to offer, that usage will gradually become much more focused. ... It is becoming clear that we prefer to buy our homes and to shop for, say, clothes, shoes and furniture in the traditional way; but we also increasingly like to purchase our books, shares, music and software online. And, most outstandingly, when it comes to information — potentially as valuable a commodity as any — the Internet has no peers.

If some Internet companies have recently gone bust, and some share prices have gone through the floor, then we should be undismayed. It is a natural phenomenon in such a dynamic industry in its infancy.

■ THE INDEPENDENT, London



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Texas claims unenviable record

With the execution assembly line in full operation in Huntsville, Texas is bolstering its claim to the unenviable title of "Death Penalty Capital" of the United States. No other state administers the death penalty with greater frequency than Texas.

Since the U.S. Supreme Court reinstated the death penalty in 1976, more than a third of all executions have occurred in Texas. So far in 2000, Texas has executed 40 condemned killers.

As routinely as Texas executes condemned criminals, legislators discuss expanding the list of crimes covered by the death penalty. Lawmakers also argue for lowering the age for capital punishment.

Many elected officials, both at the state and federal level, appear to be enthusiastic about capital punishment — so they can't be accused of being "soft" on crime.

Does the death penalty deter crime, as its proponents contend? I doubt it.

Even capital punishment's staunchest supporters cannot produce any conclusive evidence that the crime rate is any less in those states which have the death penalty.

Some surveys have found that as much as two-thirds of the nation's law enforcement officers do not think capital punishment reduces the homicide rate; and only 3 percent of the nation's police officers believe the death penalty is a useful tool in fighting crime.

The five countries with the highest homicide rates that do not impose the death penalty average about 22 murders per 100,000 inhabitants, while the five countries with the highest homicide rate that do impose the death penalty average about 42 murders per 100,000 inhabitants.

In the United States, the average murder rate per 100,000 inhabitants is about 8 percent in the states with the death penalty; in those states that do not impose capital punishment, it is 4.4 percent.

Another argument against the death penalty is its racial bias.

Nearly 90 percent of the persons executed were convicted of killing whites, although more than half of all homicide victims in the U.S. are non-white.

Studies have determined that killers

whose victims are white are four times more likely to receive the death penalty in Oklahoma and North Carolina than if their victims were non-white. In Mississippi, they are five times more likely; in Maryland, seven times more likely.

Sixty percent of the persons on death row in California and Texas are either black, Hispanic or Native American.

I have seen the families of victims go before the television cameras and say their loved one was murdered and "someone has to pay." The inference is "someone" can be "anyone."

This also would indicate that the death penalty is about revenge, not deterrence.

With the advances in forensic science, such as DNA testing, many residents of death rows around the U.S. have been found to be innocent of the crimes for which they were convicted.

So many condemned inmates were shown to be innocent in Illinois that the governor, a Republican and supporter of capital punishment, declared a moratorium on the death penalty.

However, in Texas, Gov. George W. Bush, the presumptive president-elect, still contends that every person executed on his watch was indeed guilty of the crime. I cannot be so confident.

While I acknowledge there are individuals who commit crimes so horrible that it would seem they must be executed, I believe their executions will not erase the crime or make society any more secure.

I believe capital punishment is an admission that we have failed to create a good society. Our prisons are overflowing, which demonstrates our failure to dedicate ourselves to solving the basic problems of poverty and social discord.

Capital punishment represents an attempt to treat the symptom, not the disease.

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Donald Cooper

A little humor can soften the electoral discontent

AUSTIN — Still not knowing a month after the elections whether Texas will get a new governor and lieutenant governor, not much is going on in the halls of state government other than the hiring of staff, monitoring prefilled bills and following the daily news from Florida. And relishing a little humor, even if some of the jokes are a bit worn.

With the opening gavel of the 77th Legislature barely a month away, here are four tried and true legislative jokes to help you through the winter of our electoral discontent:

- The Legislature meets every two years for 140 days. Some say it should be every 140 years for two days.
- Legislation is like a Russian novel: Long, tedious, and in the end, everyone dies.
- There are two things you never want to see being produced: Sausage and legislation.
- Finally, an editorial comment supposedly made by an Austin newspaper when the Legislature came to town during Reconstruction, in the early 1870s: "No man, woman, child or civil liberty is safe when the Legislature is in session."

Texas' Constitution has been around since

Feb. 15, 1876, and we're still adding amendments. At last count, the amendment tally is upwards of 370.

Among the scores of bills prefilled so far, one that should appeal to most Texans who like the great outdoors: Rep. Barry Telford's House Joint Resolution 14. The bill would allow Texans to vote on a constitutional amendment that would make hunting and fishing a guaranteed constitutional right.

Telford, a Democrat from DeKalb, said the proposed amendment is intended to

protect Texans who enjoy hunting and fishing from disapproving animal rights groups. Voters in North Dakota and Virginia have passed similar right-to-hunt amendments.

Nearly \$50 million in matching grants has been awarded by the Texas Historical Commission's Texas Historic Courthouse Preservation Program to dozens of Texas counties for restoration of their historic courthouses.

So far, 44 courthouse projects have been funded, with work under way or planned all



Mike Cox
Texas Press Association

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Teaching up until the very end



Mauri Montgomery

Hello, Hereford.

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God saw she was getting tired and a cure was not to be. So he put his arms around her and whispered, "Come with me."

With tear-filled eyes we watched her suffer and fade away. Although we loved her deeply, we could not make her stay.

A golden heart stopped beating, hard-working hands put to rest. God broke our hearts to prove to us he only takes the best.

Author Unknown

The last classroom Betty Newberry ever taught in was at her own funeral Thursday.

The classroom was full. It was full of adults and children. It was full of faculty and students. The few pews that were not taken were surely filled with a sweeping overflow of love that is so often gathered around good teachers.

Newberry, a 52-year-old West Central Intermediate school teacher, was stricken with a sudden illness which ran its course harshly and swiftly — ultimately leaving a sudden vacancy in the hearts of a loving family and friends, and a noticeable absence in the hallways of a school. Her school. Her universe.

She was once a teacher, always a teacher. Her lesson this day sought students of all ages, and from all walks. And for those who cared to hear it, she gave each an assignment to wisely consider their walk in this life — enjoy it, live it, share it and give back more than you take, but don't forget to study and prepare yourself for the much greater joy of an everlasting life.

With her lesson plan, she also included a map. The footprints she left in this life were open for others to step into and follow.

And just prior to that last lesson, in the waning hours of an ordinary Wednesday for most folks, Betty Newberry's husband Dean was coping not only with a mountain of grief, but also with the demands made of spouses who are left behind to smooth-out new wrinkles in a family's fabric. Covering the immediacy of all the small details needing attention before a funeral was his task.

Despite his heartache, he raised his chin and shouldered the pressing weight of his new tribulations.

One such particular was taking his son Justin to get a fresh haircut — a normally routine undertaking that on this solemn occasion gracefully polished a code of honor between a father and son before they, together, would say a final goodbye to a beloved mother and a wife.

Their sorrow was mirrored earlier in and out of West Central's hallways, where students and fellow faculty first-learned that one of their very brightest stars would glimmer no more.

Goodbye messages were scribbled between falling tears and on to banners that would later line both sides of the First Baptist Church sanctuary during Mrs. Newberry's last class.

We joined many others who paid their respects to Betty Newberry and her family that day, but we carried a lighter burden than some. Our great misfortune was that we had never had an opportunity to personally know her and love her the way others had.

But we also carried two young men in our tow that provided testament to Mrs. Newberry's charm and ability in winning hearts. These two, our son and a friend, felt they knew her well. Still, our son's request seemed unusual. She had never been his teacher, nor had he ever attended a funeral.

We later learned that beyond all his natural childhood fears surrounding death and the finality of its grip, he wanted to reach out to a soul that had touched his.

Within Newberry's universe, it seems there was always room for another student. Betty Newberry had won the heart of an 11-year-old she had never taught by demonstrating her love for her chosen vocation.

She was there to teach, to encourage, to spread her contagious enthusiasm. She knew my son's name and she used it every time he passed her classroom doorway. She patted him on the back and gave him a genuine smile that said, "I'm glad we're both here to share this universe."

Good teachers like Betty Newberry never stop teaching. They live on in the hearts and minds of their students, as well as others whose lives they invariably touch.

And in the end, their greatest compliment is in having a full classroom of students, young and old, from all walks of life, who not only want to hear and learn more, but who also want to say, "I, too, am glad we were both able to share this universe."

VIEWPOINTS

No more kitchen gadgets

The days are numbered. Shoppers are out in force and late buyers have begun to consider kitchen gadgetry of all sorts.

Holidays are a prime time for inventors, retailers, wholesalers and brokers to hawk their latest wares — most of which take up space under a cabinet for six months and then find their way to the shelves of area thrift stores.

I like gadgets, but as time passes, I've become more aware of the absolute uselessness of most of the gadgets, gizmos and thing-a-mabobs which have caught my eye.

A few years ago, the big gadget was the sandwich-toaster-griddle, guaranteed to make the perfect grilled cheese sandwich and easy enough for a 6-year-old to use.

I received one of the handy-dandy little dudes. Used it once and discovered it may be easy to use, but it was a royal pain to clean. It found its way under the cabinet, until one of my moves proved the perfect time to get rid of it.

Another biggie was the hand-held micro-mixer. Easy, quick, and handy — no need to get out the old Mixmaster. I also received one of these



Dianna F. Dandridge

little beauties.

It won't whip potatoes because they're too thick. It won't mix egg whites or whip cream, because the little motor can only run for about three minutes, which is not long enough to make the stiff peaks. It has found its way into the bottom drawer, along with all the lids which no longer have a container, only to be dragged out when I need to remove lumps from the gravy.

Breadmakers also hit a high popularity. Lots of people bought one for themselves or someone they love. Luckily, no one has ever thought of me and a bread machine in the same thought, or I'm sure I would be hunting a place to stick it, as well.

This year, the big eye-catcher has to be the open-air rotating pizza-pizzaz thing. Personally, if I want a pizza I think I'll just visit my favorite local pizza

parlor.

Just wait a few months and today's harried holiday shopper will be able to get nearly new ice cream makers, yogurt makers, food dehydrators, bagel slicers or muffin toasters at a greatly reduced rate and most will probably still be in their original package.

This of course does not mean I have sworn off all types of kitchen gadgets.

I still like crockpots or slow cookers. I just wish I could get one that would last more than 18 months. Then, that might be my fault because I use them for everything from roasts and stuffed peppers to a great apple and oatmeal dessert. I don't think they were meant to be used six days out of seven.

Glass canisters, with tight-fitting lids are always a good idea. I use them for everything from flour, corn meal and sugar to macaroni, spaghetti and dried beans.

A true favorite and an always needed item is the kitchen towel, pot holder and oven mitt set. I just wish

someone would develop one with a snapback cord that would hold it in a certain place until it's needed; let the user take it where they must and then let it snap back to where it belongs. If you haven't got the idea, I can never find a kitchen towel, a hot pad or an oven mitt when I need it. By the time I finish cooking and cleaning I'll have five or six scattered around.

I don't know about the rest of the gadget-loving world, but for me I think I'll pass on the latest round of kitchen gizmos. I'm tired of shuffling them from one cabinet to another. I don't want any more junk to take up space, the drawers and cabinets are full.

Thankfully, my kids have begun to take me at my word and are finding other items which they think were made just for me.

Now all I have to do is figure out how to get rid of a quart of smelly perfume and three dozen miniature salt and pepper shakers.

Please, Santa, just bring me some extra storage space.

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Highlights

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across Texas, from counties and courthouses as diverse as Jeff Davis and Williamson counties to Cameron and Denton counties. Project coordinator is Dan Utley with the THC's Architecture Division.

One county that will get help is Newton where its historic courthouse was gutted by fire in August.

But the THC said much more work remains to be done in other counties. Numerous other historic Texas courthouses are in desperate need of restoration, according to the agency. Because of that, THC will be seeking funding in the coming session for additional projects.

For more information on Texas' historic courthouses, check out the THC website, www.thc.state.tx.us.

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ELECTORAL COLLEGE: System needs mending; it shouldn't be dropped

The people of America sent a message Nov. 7, but it's taking a little time to figure out exactly what it is. As we learn about dangling chads, the drumbeat is also beginning about the reform of our election process.

Should we change election day from Tuesday to Saturday? Should we open and close the polls at a uniform time nationwide? More fundamentally, should we scrap the Electoral College?

This final idea would require amending the Constitution. As we consider that, we should begin by examining the intent of its Framers. Their clear vision during the Constitutional Convention of 1787 was that we remain a collection of states united in their common interests. The del-



Kay Bailey Hutchison

U.S. Senate

egates in Philadelphia never really considered any form of electing the President that did not involve a process by which the states themselves had the final say, with the particular concern of small states holding sway throughout. The Electoral College was established as the best means by which to ensure popular expression of will, weighted by the influence of individual states. Although many schemes were considered and rejected, Alexander Hamilton pronounced of the final ef-

and governor Bush were tied to the decisions of the people of smaller states such as West Virginia, New Mexico and Oregon. Each candidate spent considerable time in these states. The combined population of these three states is about 6.8 million. By comparison, the Los Angeles-Long Beach metropolitan area has 15.3 million inhabitants. Would another candidate for the highest office of the land ever step foot in tiny West Virginia were the fortunes of the election based solely on the popular

fort, "If the manner of it be not perfect, it is at least excellent."

He was right. Consider how closely the fortunes of both Vice President Gore

vote? Presidential races in the future would instead be the pursuit of the vote in major urban centers of the country, characterized by frequent run-off elections as proliferating smaller party candidates siphoned off sufficient votes to prevent an absolute majority.

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cess established in the Constitution failed to yield an electoral majority. That's not a bad record, considering the emergency of political parties, the establishment of universal suffrage and the rapid growth of our country. What has not changed is that we remain a confederation of states with common purpose and a system with enough checks and balances that those who lose do not feel threatened or disenfranchised. Scrapping the electoral system would gravely undermine that principle.

In fact, that's why attempts to change the process will fail. The approval of the legislatures of three-fourths of the states is needed to amend the Constitution. Just 14 states could sink the proposition. Twenty states have a population of fewer than three million and would see little interest in ratifying their loss of influence over the selection of the President.

This doesn't mean there is nothing we can do to improve the process. To reach a more expeditious conclusion in a close election, we might define a finite period for the casting of federal votes. Establishing a uniform voting period tied to a single time zone (9 a.m.-9 p.m. CST, for example) would ensure that all Americans are voting in the same real-time period. Setting the election on a Saturday instead of Tuesday should be considered. We might also require absentee ballots to be post-marked on a specified date prior to the election. These simple changes may produce more open access and uniformity while confounding the ability of news organizations to affect the vote in one part of the country based upon early and erroneous calls from another region—as well as have happened regarding Florida on November 7.

We might consider one other modification. In two states now (Maine and Nebraska), electors are chosen in a bifurcated way. Of each state's total, two are chosen by the winner of the popular vote statewide, with the rest allocated to the winner of each congressional district. If this procedure were in place in every state, candidates would not only focus on individual states to cobble together a victory, but be able to spend time in potential strongholds within a state he or she might otherwise lose.

The Constitution is infused with the Framers' understanding that popular passion must be modulated to ensure true consensus in what they knew would be a country of diverse tendencies. There are many examples of this, but none more fundamental to our federal identity than the creation of the Electoral College. They knew that it may sometimes be difficult to select a chief executive through the sheer popular will, and developed a systematic process to handle those cases. Indeed, it was only after considerable deliberation and explicit rejection of every imaginable alternative that the delegates to the Constitutional Convention settled on the system.

In the heat of a closely contested election and its aftermath, we're unlikely to improve upon their work. This matter should be debated, and we should seek improvements to assure fairness and stability. However, I believe the current process is not some 18th Century anachronism ill-suited to modern times, but rather the practical expression of our essence as a nation.

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Holidays can be very stressful

Big Spring State Hospital

Social obligations, activities and daily chores can sap the strength many people need to make the marathon stretch between Thanksgiving and Christmas.

The compulsion to fill those four-plus weeks with events that we believe will recreate a Christmas of our past creates unnecessary stress. Stress steals necessary resources we need to replenish our soul during this month-long journey and can trigger depression—a more serious illness.

But following a few guidelines, according to Gail Zilai, a licensed therapist and Big

Spring State Hospital Director of the Activities Therapy Department can alleviate the deafening emotions, which accompany the holidays.

• Busy schedules don't allow for adequate downtime. Remember to get the rest necessary to maintain the energy needed for shopping, cooking, traveling, decorating and entertaining in addition to your daily schedule.

• Don't sabotage your diet of healthy and nutritious foods. Rich, sugary foods add pounds and play havoc with your digestive system. In addition, the guilt of overeating fuels depression. If you plan on at-

tending a party, think ahead of time how you will handle the buffet line.

• Be aware that holidays trigger memories of enjoyable or traumatic times in your life. These memories may make you feel lonely. If you have no way of counteracting these memories; be aware that they are natural feelings, so if, and when, they occur you won't be caught off guard.

• Don't over extend finances to fulfill everyone's Christmas wish list. Set a budget, and stick to it. Involve your family in making homemade gifts and decorations this year.

• Avoid hosting a large get-

together. The party can be a heavy burden in addition to an already loaded schedule. If a celebration can't be avoided, enlist some help or plan a potluck supper. Don't be a martyr and carry the burden yourself.

• If you regularly exercise, don't postpone your workouts until after the holiday, said Renae Porch, Big Spring State Hospital Patient Educator.

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"Perspective: State Of The Arts," which airs live at 9 p.m., is the first of a number of shows by KACV-TV focusing on local artistic endeavors

and issues affecting the Arts in the Panhandle region. Arts funding will be the principal topic.

A panel of guest experts will join Lemmons in the KACV-TV studios to discuss various aspects and viewpoints surrounding Arts funding. Interested parties are encouraged to participate in a survey for the program at the station web site: kacvtv.org. Answers to survey questions will be shown during the program.

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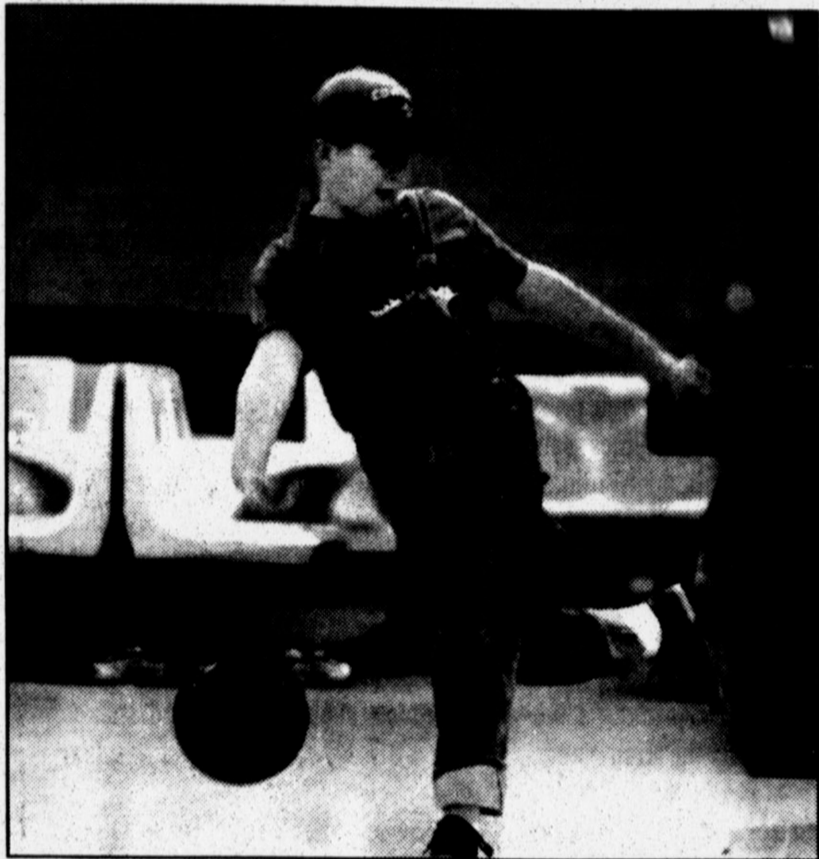
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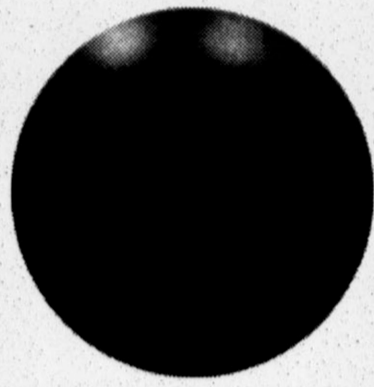
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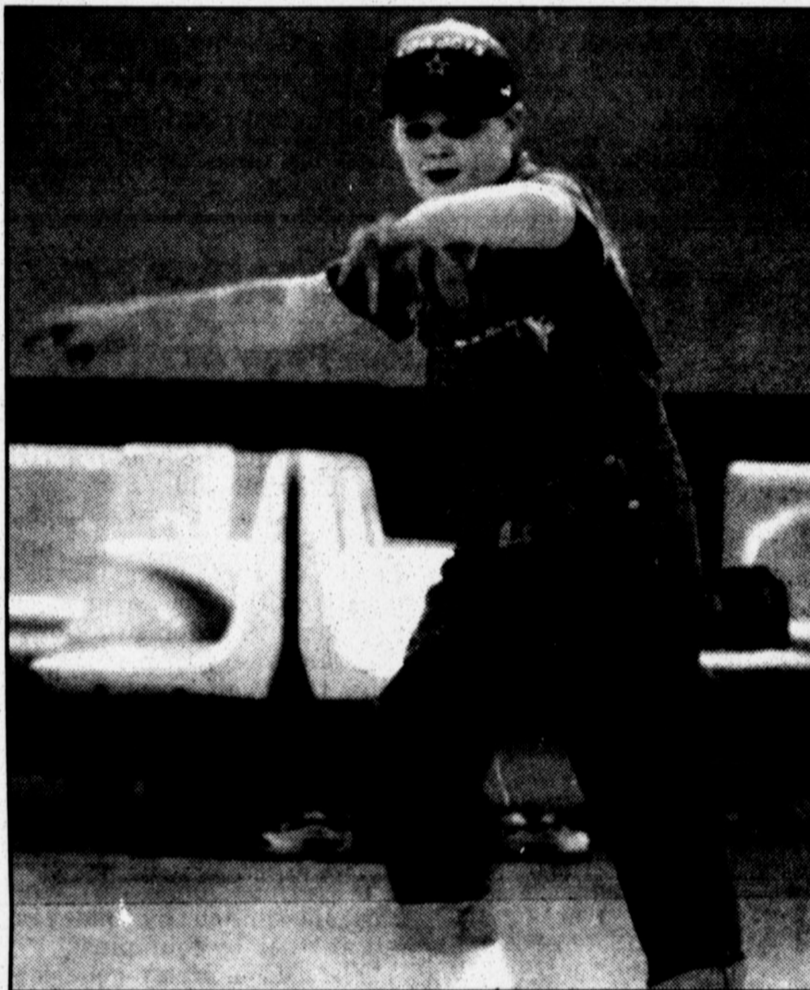


Ball motion—Charles Berryman (above, right) lets go of his bowling ball and tries to mentally give it a push while practicing Thursday night at the Hereford Bowling Center. Charles' brother Randall (far right) keeps his eyes focused on the bowling lane to pick up a spare on Thursday. The two right-handed brothers compete in bowling tournaments across the Panhandle while participating in a junior bowling league based in Hereford. Last weekend, Charles Berryman won the Sixth Annual Eastridge Scholarship Tournament held at the Eastridge Lanes in Amarillo. The fifth grade student beat out 52 other participants to get a \$500 college scholarship. (Photos by Jeff Blackmon)



Alley Cats

■ The Berryman brothers are making their mark on the competition



By Jeff Blackmon
Hereford Brand Sports Editor

While most kids their age spend the evening shooting hoops, throwing around the pigskin or playing video games, Charles and Randall Berryman take a trip to Hereford's local bowling alley, lace up their shoes and enjoy some serious pin action.

At just 10 years old (Charles) and 13 years old (Randall), the two are turning a few heads at bowling tournaments across the Panhandle with their love of the sport and competitiveness. Plus, they have only been at this for three years.

"It was pretty hard at first, but I got the hang of it," Charles said. "It is a lot of fun."

After only three years of bowling, Randall has accumulated an average of 121, while his brother has an average of 135. It also helps that their mother, Carol Berryman, works part-time at the Hereford Bowling Center, giving her kids a chance to bowl when they want. She also said when it comes to tournament play, she really just wants her boys to have a good time and do the best they can.

"It was just a hobby, but they have gotten into it pretty big the last couple of years," Carol said. "I just tell

them to go out and do their best and not get discouraged, because once you get mad at yourself you will keep guttering and making mistakes.

"As long as they are having fun that is OK, and I don't care if they win or lose," she said.

Even though they have fun bowling, the two pin kings have a goal they want to reach really bad. That goal is to break 200.

They have both come very close to that score with Randall reaching 198 and Charles getting one pin away with a 200.

"I just want to get better and improve," Randall said. "I'm just waiting for that 200 game."

At the Sixth Annual Eastridge Scholarship Tournament held Dec. 2-3 at Eastridge Lanes in Amarillo, Charles beat out the field of 53 junior bowlers to win a \$500 scholarship to the college of his choice. One of the most impressive things about the win is the Wolcott Elementary 5th grader beat out several 18-year-olds at the tournament. Charles said he was excited and nervous during the tournament but wants to help his mom with college finances any way he can.

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BOWLING STATS

■ Randall Berryman 13-years-old Average: 121 High Game: 198	■ Charles Berryman 10-years-old Average: 135 High Game: 199
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Fire fighters—The Hereford High boys and girls basketball teams are ready to quench their District 3-4A opponents' fire on the court. District season for the girls begins Tuesday in Borger while the boys wait until Dec. 22 to face Caprock at home.

Girls beat Randall

On Friday, the Hereford Lady Whitefaces defeated Canyon Randall 46-44 to advance to the winners round in the Cal Farley Tip-Off Classic.

The beat the Lady Raiders behind the strong guard play of sophomores Sarah Griffin (23 points) and Tiffany Mercer (7 points).

After defeating Randall, the girls lost to Joshua 58-44. Freshman Carlie Henson scored 8 points for the Lady Herd while Griffin tossed in 16.

The team played Caprock at 8 a.m. this morning in the consolation bracket.

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Texas water conservation loses a friend and champion

Water conservation in Texas lost a friend and champion this past week with the passing of A. Wayne Wyatt, long-time manager of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, and chairman of the Llano Estacado Regional Water Planning Group.

His shoes will be virtually impossible to fill.—You just don't go out and find someone as doggedly dedicated to the wise use of the Ogallala aquifer as this man was.

Wayne's leadership style was a bit brusque for the tastes of some folks, but he could keep a meeting on track, and cut to the chase when needed. He wasn't big on baffling anybody with a lot of flowery language. He called 'em as he saw 'em.

He argued the case for this region's water interests against the "big boys" from the state level clear up to Washington, D.C. on any number of occasions, and was never intimidated. I know that there were many times that farm folks thought to themselves that they were glad Wayne was on their side.

He did his best to steer the unwieldy mechanism of the Region O (Llano Estacado) Regional Water Planning Group that has been functioning over the past two years after it sprang from Senate Bill One.

Wayne could keep a whole conference table full of representatives from a broad spectrum of interests on track. He kept us pointed toward the goal of planning for the region's water future for the next half-century.

That work is only now passing the first mile marker of a long journey. Those serving on the regional planning group who thought the job was difficult up to this point all know it will be a great deal harder without Wayne.

The Sportsman's Den



By Jim Steiert



Wyatt helped to establish a track record for public education and on-farm water conservation demonstrations that was envied statewide. Most any water authority in the state allowed that the High Plains Water District, under Wayne's guidance, was among the foremost authorities on water conservation and the judicious use of the resource.

Necessarily, in this region of intensive irrigation, most of Wayne's work centered on efficient on-farm crop watering methods that used less of the precious groundwater resource to produce better yields.

His district became an early proponent of efficient surge and sprinkler irrigation techniques that stretched the Ogallala and maximized return per inch of water.

In recent years, Wayne also publicized the fact that water was important to wildlife interests, too. He even acknowledged that ducks and pheasants

could be considered a crop for recreational use. I had any number of discussions with him on that topic.

He championed playa lakes not only as the primary source of recharge to the Ogallala aquifer, but likely as a factor that prevented erosion from eating-into and draining the aquifer. He came to acknowledge playas as a wildlife habitat resource of foremost importance in the plains.

Wayne had a place down in Dickens County that he liked to tinker with on weekends. He went about the work of growing more grass and controlling some of the brush without hurting wildlife. There were a few quail, doves, and turkey on his place—enough to keep things exciting. Wayne was keenly interested in making the place productive through more efficient utilization of available moisture. He wasn't above taking up a shotgun now and again during the season and harvesting some birds, either.

There was certainly some pressure involved with getting a regional water plan turned-in by the deadlines set by Senate Bill One.

After early work on the initial effort was recently completed, I invited Wayne to come up and hunt pheasants with us one day this season. I believe that he was looking forward to sneaking off from the office and doing so. I'm saddened that he won't be in the field with us this season.

I'll think about my friend Wayne and his work to conserve and preserve our most precious resource as we hunt pheasants this weekend amongst circular fields and the sprinkler towers that he was such a mover and shaker in spreading over the High Plains.

Jim Steiert is a multiple-award-winning member of the Texas Outdoor Writers Association and recipient of TOWA's first "Outdoor Book of the Year" Award.

Big Cat a Ranger Bowlers

Hampton signs with Rockies to begin winter meetings

DALLAS (AP) — Mike Hampton opened the winter meetings with a brushback pitch to the game's financial structure, a \$121 million, eight-year deal with the Colorado Rockies that is the largest contract in baseball history.

The winter meetings, which once again appear to be a free-agent grab bag rather than a swap session, are dominated by talk of the futures of Alex Rodriguez and Manny Ramirez.

A-Rod's agent was in town Friday and Ramirez's representative was out in California talking with the Boston Red Sox, due to arrive in Dallas on Sunday.

While Hampton's signing was not formally announced — that's likely to happen Saturday, after the results of his physical are reviewed by the Rockies — several players finalized deals.

Texas, one of the teams chasing Rodriguez, agreed with first baseman Andres Galarraga on a \$6.25 million, one-year contract. Galarraga, who missed 1999 because of

cancer and then came back to hit .302 with 28 homers and 100 RBIs last season for Atlanta, could be the Rangers' designated hitter.

"We looked to add a bat with home-run potential, something we sorely missed last year," Rangers general manager Doug Melvin said.

Gordon's deal, like Hampton's, is subject to the pitcher passing a physical.

In addition, Toronto agreed to a \$2.4 million, one-year contract with left-hander Dan Plesac. Utilityman Shawn Dunston agreed to a one-year contract with the San Francisco Giants, his third stint with the team. People like things big in Texas and Hampton's deal is the tops in baseball, topping Ken Griffey Jr.'s \$116.5 million, nine-year contract with Cincinnati. It is the longest contract for a pitcher since Wayne Garland signed a 10-year deal with Cleveland in 1977.

After leading the New York Mets to the World Series, Hampton agreed to go to what thus far has proved to be a graveyard for pitchers: Coors Field, where 1,517 home runs have been hit in 477 games during six seasons, an average of 3.18. Darryl Kile, who signed with Colorado as a free agent af-

ter the 1997 season, left after two years with the Rockies, going 21-30 with a 5.84 ERA.

But the Rockies, fighting a downturn on the field and at the box office, are determined to compete in the NL West, where they finished fourth with an 82-80 record.

Earlier in the week, the Rockies signed Denny Neagle for \$51.5 million, over five years. Colorado now has three of the 19 highest contracts in baseball, including Larry Walker's \$75 million, six-year deal. Hampton's average annual salary of \$15,125,000 becomes the first- or second-highest among pitchers, depending on how Roger Clemens' contract \$30.9 million extension with the New York Yankees is evaluated.

Clemens considers it a two-year deal averaging \$15.45 million while the Yankees consider it a three-year contract averaging \$10.3 million.

Hampton has a lifetime 6.88 ERA at Coors Field, St. Louis had been the other finalist to sign Hampton, and Atlanta, Texas and the Chicago Cubs were interested.

Mets general manager Steve Phillips said all interested teams offered \$100 million or more.

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"The win made me feel real good, and I knew the money would help our mom out," Charles said.

Carol also said she hopes the experiences her boys are having at the junior tournaments will carry over and help them in other situations. She said the pressure situations that can occur at the bowling alleys helps them thrive in school or out because it gives them courage in front of people. In several occasions this past weekend, she said Charles dealt with some serious pressure winning one match by one pin and another by four pins.

"They do a pretty good job

under pressure," she said. "I think it will help them in other sports, classes or around other kids, because they are around other people and not necessarily people they know."

All in all, the two boys are

just having fun. Both of them realize they would be missing out on a fun sport if they had never tried the sport.

"We get a lot of fun out of it, and we like to bowl against people," Randall said.

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Grace signed

CHICAGO (AP) — After 13 years with the Chicago Cubs, Mark Grace is an Arizona Diamondback.

The first baseman agreed to a two-year, \$6 million deal with the Diamondbacks on Friday, less than 24 hours after the Cubs declined to offer him arbitration. The deal also includes a mutual \$3 million option for a third year.

Grace was to sign his new contract Friday and be introduced at a news conference in Phoenix.

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SPORTS

Heisman too close to call

Heupel, Weinke and Brees at top of award list

NEW YORK (AP) — Even though he's a long shot, Drew Brees is still pumped about his chances of winning the Heisman Trophy on Saturday night.

The record-setting Purdue quarterback was the surprise winner of the Maxwell Award, beating out Heisman favorites Chris Weinke of Florida State and Josh Heupel of Oklahoma for a prize that goes to the nation's best all-around player.

While this year's Heisman vote could turn into one of the closest in history between Weinke and Heupel, Brees now has a little history on his side: Eight of the last 10 Heisman winners also won the Maxwell Award.

"I think a lot of those same type voters vote for the Heisman," said Brees, who passed for 3,389 yards and 24 touchdowns in leading the Boilermakers (8-3) to their first Rose Bowl in 34 years. "I still think I'm a long shot,

to be honest. But you never know just because crazier things have happened."

There have been Heisman surprises, the most recent coming in 1997 when Michigan cornerback Charles Woodson won over Tennessee quarterback Peyton Manning by 272 points.

The tightest Heisman vote was in 1985 when Auburn's Bo Jackson edged Iowa's Chuck Long by 45 points; the second closest was in 1961 when Syracuse's Ernie Davis beat Ohio State's Bob Ferguson by 52 points.

"You don't know what's going to happen Saturday," said Weinke, who led the nation with 4,167 yards passing and threw 33 touchdowns with 11 interceptions. "To be a finalist for any of these awards is an honor."

While the 28-year-old Weinke put up incredible numbers, there is one number he can do nothing about — his age. Claiming he has an unfair advantage because of his age, some of the 922 Heisman voters said they might not even list Weinke on their ballot.

"It would be a travesty if

he doesn't win because age was a factor," said Florida State coach Bobby Bowden. "That shouldn't be a factor."

Heupel's numbers may not stack up with Weinke's, but the 22-year-old lefty is quarterbacking the nation's only major unbeaten team. Heupel threw for 3,392 yards with 20 touchdowns and 14 interceptions in leading No. 1 Oklahoma to the brink of its first national title since 1956.

"I never thought about the Heisman. Never dreamed about it," said Heupel, who came out of Snow Junior College in Utah to help coach Bob Stoops revive the Sooners. "Not even during the course of the season, I still hadn't thought about it. To me, what I was concerned with was winning a championship."

He'll get that chance when Oklahoma (12-0) plays Florida State (11-1) in the BCS' national title game — the Orange Bowl — on Jan. 3.

TCU running back LaDainian Tomlinson completes the Heisman's final four. The 5-foot-11, 217-pound senior was the nation's leading rusher with 2,158 yards —

the fourth-best single-season total in I-A history — and scored 22 TDs. He led the Horned Frogs to a 10-1 season and a berth in the Mobile Alabama Bowl against Southern Mississippi.

Brees, Heupel, Tomlinson and Weinke arrived in New York on Friday and took a bus tour of midtown Manhattan, including a visit to the Christmas tree at Rockefeller Center, before spending the night at their hotel.

"Just being part of it, it's a wonderful feeling," Tomlinson said. "I can't say I saw myself in New York."

The Heisman, college football's most prestigious individual award, is presented by the Downtown Athletic Club to the "Outstanding Football Player of the United States." Voters are asked to list their top three choices on the ballot, with 3 points for a first-place vote, 2 for a second and 1 for a third.

Brees, fourth in last year's Heisman voting, is just happy for another visit to New York.

"The Heisman, four people in the country get to go," he said. "This will be my second time. What more could you

ask for? Of course, being there, you want to win it. You want to take something home to your team, but not everybody can win. There's one winner, and the rest are kind of runners-up."

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WRESTLING REPORT

Four varsity boys in finals after Day one at Ulysses tournament

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- Javier Alonzo vs. Ryan Blasi (Pratt, Kan.)
- Paul Estrada vs. Bobby Gollihar (Walsh, Colo.)
- Roy Pena vs. Jacob Jones (River Road)

Day one standings

1. Dumas (105.5)
2. Boys Ranch (94)
3. Hereford (88)
4. Pratt, Kan.
5. Hugoton, Kan.
8. Borger
10. River Road

Mavs win, 105-86

Nelson passes Aurbach with 939th win

Nelson picked up his 939th coaching victory to move past mentor Red Auerbach into fourth place on the career list as Dallas beat Chicago 105-86.

Nelson revealed before the game that he would be away from the team for an undetermined period as he seeks treatment for prostate cancer. He will meet with doctors Sunday in Salt Lake City to get a second opinion on his condition, then decide his course of treatment.

Nelson had said he would be happy to remain tied with Auerbach, his coach when Nelson played for the Boston Celtics. But Nelson's players weren't about to let that happen, not with Nelson leaving the team and certainly not against the hapless Bulls.

"I tied Red, now I moved ahead of him, and I'm happy about that," Nelson said. "Now I'm going to take some time off and get a second opinion." "I told the team that I don't know exactly how long it's going to be. I could join them again, but eventually I'm going to have to get this taken care of. I need more information and I'll get that in Salt Lake City."

Top assistant Del Harris will fill in during Nelson's absence.

Steve Nash scored 22

points and Christian Laettner added a season-high 17 points, 15 in the third quarter. Michael Finley and Dirk Nowitzki had 14 points each for the Mavericks, who extended their winning streak against the Bulls to five games.

The Bulls were without top scorer and rebounder Elton Brand, who missed his third straight game due to a hyperextended left knee.

Khalid Ed-Amin had 18 points, and Ron Mercer and Corey Benjamin added 16 each for the Bulls, whose league-worst record fell to 2-17. Dallas closed the second quarter with a 16-4 run to build a 53-40 halftime lead.

Nash had 18 first-half points, hitting 9 of 11 field goal attempts, most on slashing drives.

"I just tried to be aggressive," said Nash. "We saw some opportunities to push the ball."

The Bulls had 13 first-half turnovers and got poor offensive looks. They seemed intimidated by 7-6 Dallas center Shawn Bradley, who had five first-half blocked shots.

"Offensively we didn't do anything from start to finish," said Bulls coach Tim Floyd, who was ejected in the third quarter. "Turnovers and our lack of ability to guard were the story. Our ballhandling and soft defense are things I don't want to tolerate."

Mercer said the Bulls don't

play with the same intensity on the road as they do at home.

"I have no idea why, but we have long stretches on the road when it isn't there," he said.

The Mavericks put the game away when they opened the third quarter with a 16-0 run. Chicago went scoreless over the first 5:19 of the third period to fall behind, 69-40, and the Bulls went on to lose their fourth in a row.

Dallas took an 84-58 lead into the final quarter after going 12-for-19 from the field in the third quarter.

"It was a wonderful game for us," Nelson said.

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Moratorium on death penalty urged

WASHINGTON (AP) — Civil rights leaders and lawyers' groups praised President Clinton on Friday for postponing the first federal execution in 37 years, but pressed for a moratorium on all federal death sentences.

"It's a good opening hymn, but it's not the sermon," said the Rev. Joseph Lowery, chairman of the Black Leadership Forum, a consortium of 26 civil rights organizations and leaders.

Thursday evening, Clinton postponed until June 2001 the execution of convicted murderer Juan Raul Garza to give the Justice Department more time to gather and analyze information about racial and geographic disparities in the federal death penalty system.

"If that data is needed to evaluate Garza's case, then it is needed for all death row defendants," Lowery said after he and other members of Cit-

izens for a Moratorium on Federal Executions met for an hour Friday with Attorney General Janet Reno and her deputy, Eric Holder.

Lowery and his colleagues, including Julian Bond of the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, Rep. John Conyers, D-Mich., and Elizabeth Semel, director of the American Bar Association's death penalty representation project, told Reno and Holder they "would like to see a presidential executive order putting a moratorium in place," Lowery said. "That would encourage the next president to pursue this study seriously."

Justice spokesman Myron Marlin said, "We listened to what they had to say" about a moratorium. "We welcomed their input on how to conduct further review of the federal death penalty system."

Both Vice President Al Gore

and Texas Gov. George Bush support the death penalty but neither has endorsed a moratorium. Whichever of them becomes president could face the issue before next June because another federal inmate, convicted murderer David Paul Hammer, faces execution Feb. 21 unless he files a planned appeal. And other defendants could have execution dates set before then.

Of the 19 men under death sentence at the U.S. Penitentiary in Terre Haute, Ind.,

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Keeping an Eye on Texas

Dreaming of a White Christmas?

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Texas cities' probabilities for a white Christmas this year:

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Austin	0%
Dallas	0%
El Paso	0%
Galveston	0%
Houston	0%
Lubbock	3%
Wichita Falls	3%

SOURCES: Carole Keeton Rylander, Texas Comptroller of Public Accounts (www.window.state.tx.us), and the National Climatic Data Center.

Observando a Texas

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Lubbock	3%
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(Editor's note: The following poems were submitted by third-grade students at Northwest Primary School.)

DOGS

(Patrick Risenhoover)

Domestic dogs are my favorite,
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Faith renewed in *God of miracles*

By **Becky Thorn**

Hereford Brand Lifestyles Editor

When the Rev. Dr. Lamuel Salik, rector of St. Thomas Episcopal Church, delivered pens, pencils and notebooks to students in the school in his home village, it was not just a short trip across town.

Dr. Salik is a native of Pakistan and the school he delivered the supplies to was the Mission Primary School in Chak No. 8/11L, District Sahival, Pakistan.

"My trip strengthened my faith that God is a *God of miracles*," Dr. Salik said. And this was based on an event that occurred before he left the United States.

It was snowing when he left Hereford on Nov. 7, Election Day, for the airport in Amarillo so the trip was slow and Dr. Salik missed his flight to Houston where he was to take a flight to JFK. He was able to get a flight from Amarillo to Dallas where he would still be able to make his flight at JFK.

"But I missed the flight at Dallas by mere seconds and they called the plane to taxi back and pick me up, which is surely a miracle since airlines don't call back the planes, even for VIPs,"



Dr. Lamuel Salik (front right) distributes pens, pencils and notebooks to students in the school in his home village of Chak No. 8/11L, District Sahival in Pakistan.

Dr. Salik said.

He tried to find out on the plane about the outcome of the presidential election, but was told repeatedly, "Not yet, not yet."

"And when I got back two weeks later we still did not have a winner of the election," he said. "There was stuff in the Pakistani papers every day against America, that they are the flag bearers of democracy but in their

own country they cannot elect a president. There was so much negativity about us in the papers that it was unbelievable."

During his stay in Pakistan, Dr. Salik went to Karachi to attend a seminar on how to improve Muslim-Christian relationships.

"Christians are still persecuted in Pakistan and there is much animosity because of religion," Dr. Salik said.

He had to be careful about the places he visited and could not always wear his collar because, even though he is a Christian, his life could be in danger.

His home village is a Christian village

(which is referred to by the Muslims as a mission village) and there is a Christian school in the village. The students in this school were the first recipients of the pens, pencils and notebooks which Dr. Salik distributed.

The pens and pencils had been collected in Hereford during a drive sponsored

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La Madre Mia Club has annual Christmas party

La Madre Mia Study Club held its Christmas party Monday in the home of Kay Hall. Hostesses were social committee members Nancy Paetzold, Linda Cumpton, Georgia Sparks and Hall.

A wide array of party foods was served followed by a gift exchange. For roll call each member told what she brought for the gift exchange.

During an abbreviated business session, the home tour committee reported that there was a great turn out for the Holiday Tour of Homes held Dec. 3.

Members present were Ruth Black, Cindy Cassels, Merle Clark, Lajeane Henry, Mary Herring, Susan Hicks, Glenda

Marcum, Gladys Merritt, Jan Metcalf, Bettye Owen, June Owens, Susan Robbins, Tricia Sims, Mysedia Smith, Tommie Stevens, Nicky Walser, Marline Watson, Mary Beth White, Judy Williams, Cumpton, Hall, Paetzold and Sparks.

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Ann Landers

Dear Ann Landers: I am the oldest of four children. Through the years, my parents have loaned all of us money to help when things were tight. My husband and I paid back the loan, with interest, and we assumed my siblings had done the same. We were wrong.

Several months ago, my father sent letters to each of us, detailing everyone's borrowing history. Two have repaid the loans, and two have not. Dad wanted the "good" children to remind the "bad" ones to pay up. I was shocked by this. The next day, one of my nonpaying sisters called and accused me of making my father send the letter, and said she never wanted to speak to me again. No amount of explaining could change her mind.

Months have passed, and our relationship is still bad. Meanwhile, my sister has worked out a payment plan with Dad, and everything between them is lovey-dovey. What's worse, my parents are angry with ME because I have not "apologized and made up" with my sister. It is so unfair I could scream.

I usually spend the holidays with my parents. My sister lives across the country. This

year, Mom told me she has invited my sister and her family and I should make other plans — unless I can make up with my sister before then. My other siblings have chosen to remain neutral, and I don't blame them.

I am so hurt and angry I'm considering telling my parents they can enjoy my sister's family and I will go elsewhere. Please help me understand. — Sad in Suburbia

Dear Suburbia: Your father owes it to you to let your sister know that you had nothing to do with the letter detailing who paid what. He had no business sending such a letter, and it is up to him to set the record straight. I hope he does so promptly.

Meanwhile, please go to your parents' for the holidays as you always have — no matter what. If you don't, you may live to regret it.

Dear Ann Landers: Over the years, The Compassionate Friends has been repeatedly blessed by the support you have provided in your column. You have consistently helped us make bereaved parents and families aware of our existence. I hope you will help us get this information out.

A recent survey said 36 percent of the adult population in the United States has experienced the loss of a child, a sibling or both. The holidays,

so joyous for most, are times of tremendous pain, sorrow and emptiness for those of us who have only memories of a child, brother or sister.

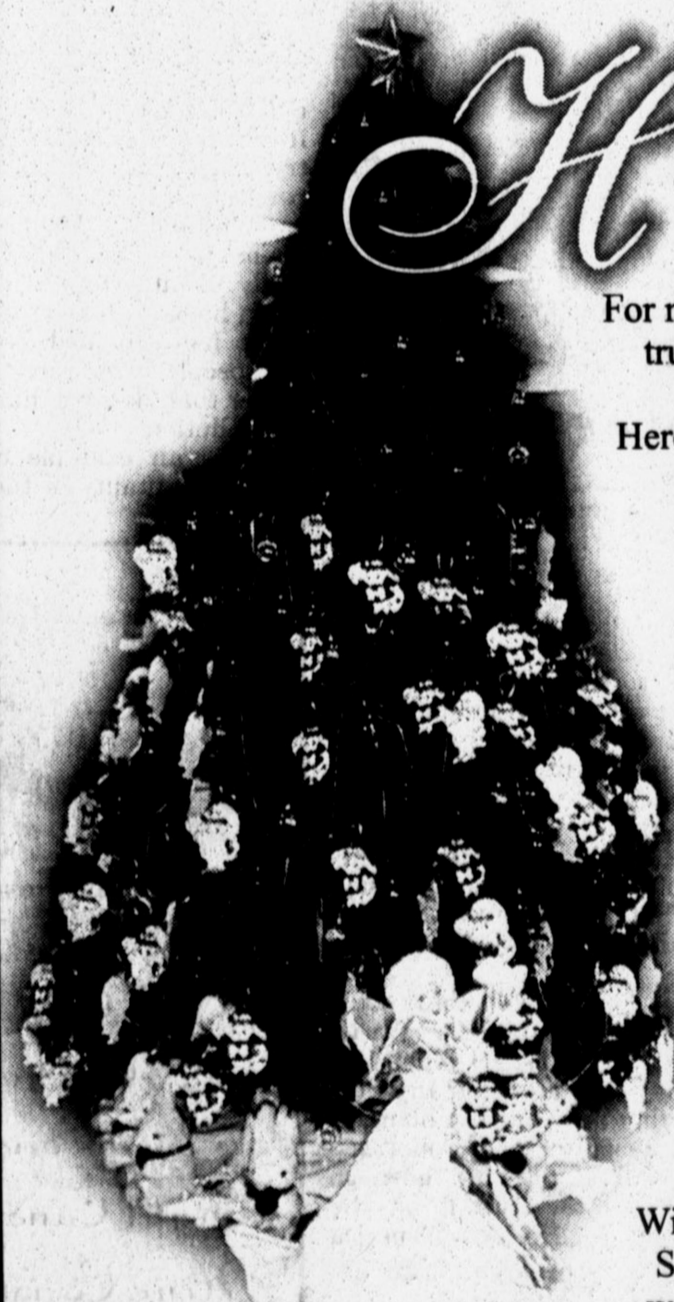
Our dedicated volunteers have worked to make the second Sunday in December a day of remembrance, hope and healing through its sponsorship of The Compassionate Friends Worldwide Candle Lighting. The second Sunday in December has also been proclaimed National Children's Memorial Day by the U.S. House and Senate.

At 7 p.m. local time around the world, we are asking bereaved family members and friends to light a candle for one hour, creating a virtual 24-hour wave of light around the globe. We hope thousands of people worldwide will join us in this act of remembrance.

Please, Ann, inform your readers of this heartwarming event, which is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 10. Your column will reach millions and let them know we are trying to bring light out of darkness. — Patricia Loder, Executive Director, The Compassionate Friends, Oak Brook, Ill. (www.compassionatefriends.org)

Dear Patricia Loder: I hope my readers will take a moment Sunday evening at 7 p.m. to light a candle and remember all the children who are no longer with us. Bless you for letting me know.

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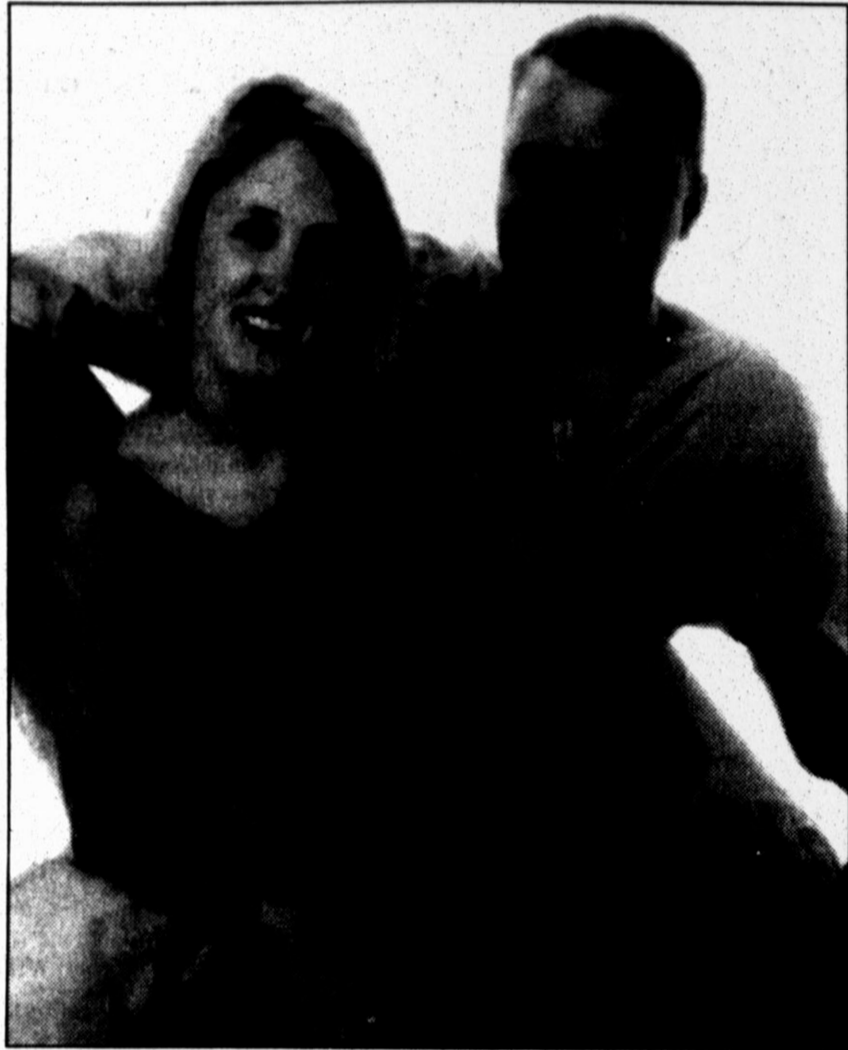
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Engagement Announcement



Melissa Cloud, Dan Rhoades

Jonny and Judy Cloud of Hereford announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melissa Ann Cloud of Lewisville, to Daniel Wayne Rhoades, also of Lewisville.

The prospective groom is the son of Mary Rhoades of Bowie and Eddie Rhoades of Bowie.

The couple will exchange marriage vows on March 10 in St. Anthony's Catholic Church in Hereford.

The bride-elect graduated from Hereford High School in

1992 and from Angelo State University in 1996 with a bachelor's degree in history. She is currently pursuing a master's degree in instructional technology. She is teaching eighth grade history in Flower Mound.

Rhoades graduated from Bowie High School in 1992. He graduated from Texas A&M University in 1998 with a bachelor's degree in finance. He is currently an industrial account manager at Cummins Southern Plains.

Deadline this weekend for ministry donations

Hereford resident Raymond Cantu is, for the fourth consecutive year, seeking assistance for "God's Prison and Jail Ministry," a special ministry directed toward children of inmates in prison in Juarez, Mexico.

According to Cantu, conditions are very different in the Mexican prison from those in the United States.

"If a father is put in jail and there is no one to care for the children, then they stay in with their father," Cantu said.

According to Cantu, this means that the children get only one meal a day, have to sleep on the floor, get a bath once a week and usually do not have shoes.

Cantu's prison ministry is in need of toys, Bibles or monetary contributions for these children.

He also needs a 16 foot trailer (any kind) that can be used to haul items to the prison.

"The deadline for collecting these things is Dec. 12 because we (a group of concerned Panhandle individuals) plan to be in Juarez on Dec. 16-17," Cantu said.

Cantu has already completed

paperwork to allow him to cross the border for the explicit purpose of visiting the prison.

Anyone who is interested in assisting with this ministry or who would like more information can contact Cantu by writing 306 Knight St., Hereford, or calling 364-2089 or 364-1497.

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Grandparents are Lisa Martin of Silver City and Kevin Fox of Mimbres, N.M.,

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Covenant Family Healthcare Center

Faith

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by the Hereford Rotary Club and the club furnished cash with which Dr. Salik purchased the notebooks in Pakistan.

"My purpose was to encourage them that education is important in all these difficulties where people are discriminated against," he said.

To further his purpose, he sent a message to the headmaster of a high school in the next village (which is a Muslim village) and said that he would like to address an assembly in that school.

"He let me because I attended that school. I did go and gave a pen and pencil to winners of first, second and third in all grades and to the staff members. I addressed the assembly and brought the message of how we can be together as Christians and Muslims despite our different views of religion," Dr. Salik said.

The headmaster responded that they would treat the children from the mission village "as equally as we treat other students." But Dr. Salik said he knew personally of instances where Christian students, even though they got the best grades, did not get the best positions.

"It was a good experience to address the school assembly in the neighboring village," he said. "My purpose was to make like a bridge since our two villages are so close to each other and should not have animosities because of religion. I said we all come from these poor villages and our students are the assets which tomorrow can become more useful people for our villages and nation."

When he described schools in America to the students in Pakistan, Dr. Salik said they couldn't believe that we didn't teach Christianity in schools because in Pakistan they teach Islam, even to Christian students.

"I didn't tell the school chil-



A Mission Primary School student on a crutch proudly carries his new notebook.

ing in this country do not have good feelings for America," Dr. Salik said. "They are just here for economic reasons."

He told about a native of Pakistan who has been in America for many years who sat next to him on the plane.

"This man stated that America does not want stability in Pakistan and that America does not want them to prosper," Dr. Salik said.

"I asked him why he thought that. And I told him that God has richly blessed America and it would not benefit this country to keep Pakistan from prospering," he said.

According to Dr. Salik, all major cities of Pakistan are badly polluted and he laughed when he said the police department has supplied masks to the people who direct traffic rather than do something about the pollution.

"It is an example of what type of mentality is there," he said.

dren there that in this country in California, Islam is included in the school curriculum under the subject of culture and Islam is taught in schools, but they don't teach Christianity," he said.

Dr. Salik discussed other areas of unrest in Pakistan, saying that Muslim Fundamentalists create anti-American feelings.

"All in Pakistan think that Americans all promote Christianity," he said. So much unrest is built into Pakistan structure that they have to blame it on somebody, usually America."

And, he said, they even go so far as to write it on the walls in slogans like, "America is Satan" and Death to America."

"Even some Pakistanis liv-

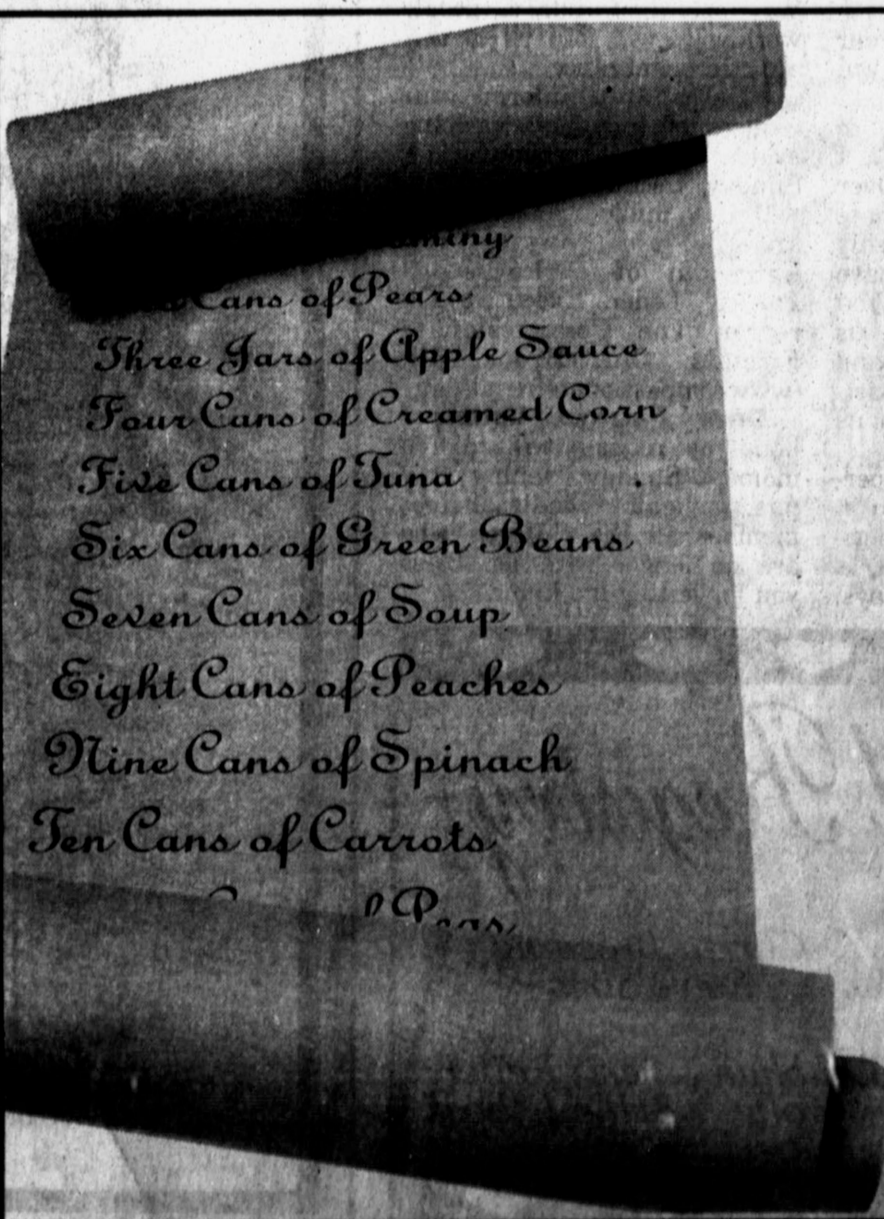
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LIFESTYLES

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The bride is the daughter of R.V. and Carolyn Tackitt of Hereford.

Parents of the bridegroom are Idie and Kenny Gearn Sr. of Hereford.

Royce Riggins of Hereford Community Church officiated at the ceremony.

Matron of honor was Jennifer Kay East, daughter of the bride. Best man was Tanner Gearn, son of the groom. They also served as candle lighters.

Guests were seated by Trey and Brandon Gearn, sons of the groom.

Flower girl was Tristen Nichole East, daughter of Jennifer and Bill East.

Ring bearers were Andrew and Shelby Gallagher, sons of Steve and Amanda Gallagher.

Special music by the bride to the groom was "You Light Up My Life."

The bride, given in marriage by her son, Stacy Lynn Lanier, wore a formal, halter-style satin gown with a flared skirt. The bodice front was adorned with pearl encrusted lace. Four satin streamers with rosettes descended down the open back. The semi-cathedral length train was attached at center back by a rosette bow with long stream-

ers. She wore a headpiece of white silk rosettes with pearls and lace.

The bridal bouquet was of roses and carnations in Victorian colors of green, burgundy, pale peach and ivory.

The matron of honor wore a Victorian sea foam green satin gown with a low back and a Georgette stole worn around her neck. She carried a bouquet of burgundy, ivory and pale peach carnations and roses trimmed with lace.

The couple was honored with a reception after the ceremony.

Assisting with the reception were Jennifer East, Amanda Gallagher, Pam Gutierrez, Reyla Cappock and Courtney Gearn.

The wedding cake was a three tiered white waterfall cake trimmed in Victorian colors of carnations, roses and ivy and accented with crystal candlesticks.

After a wedding trip to San Antonio and Cancun, Mexico, the couple will be at home in Canyon.

The bride is formerly from Hereford. She moved to Amarillo in 1984 and became a COA specializing in fitting contact lenses and assisting in refractive eye surgery. She transferred to Fort Worth where she specializes in contact lens fittings and visual therapy for doctors Spiney, Bartlett and Berry in the Fossil Creek Area.



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A special thank you to our friends for the food, phone calls and cards during her illness & passing.

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Thank You

We would like to thank our family & friends for their prayers, food, cards, & flowers at the time of loss of our loved one. A special thanks to the Crown of Texas Hospice, Home Health Care, American Home Patient, and the Elks Lodge.

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The Family of Ted Ryan

Calendar of Events

MONDAY

Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Monday-Saturday 10 a.m.-5 p.m. and Sunday by appointment only.

Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Rotary Club, Hereford Community Center, noon.

Planned Parenthood Clinic, 110 N. 25 Mile Ave., Suite G, Tuesday-Friday, 8 a.m.-5 p.m.

AA meetings, 411 W. First, Monday-Friday, noon and 8 p.m. Call 364-9620 for more information.

Spanish speaking AA meetings, 411 W. First, Monday, 8 p.m.

Masonic Lodge, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Hereford Study Club, 2:30 p.m.

Veleda Study Club, 7:30 p.m.

TUESDAY

Hereford Rebekah Lodge No 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m. in the winter and 8 p.m. in the summer.

Good Shepherd Clothes Closet.

625 E. Hwy. 60, Tuesday and Thursday, 9-11:30 a.m. and 1:30-3 p.m. To contribute items, call 364-2208.

Golden K Kiwanis Club, Hereford Senior Citizens Center, noon.

Hereford AMBUCS, Ranch House, noon.

Order of Eastern Star, Masonic Hall, 7:30 p.m.

Westway Extension Education Club, 7 p.m.

Pioneer Study Club 10 a.m. for business meeting and luncheon follows.

Hereford Pilot Club holiday party, 7 p.m.

Social Security representative at Courthouse, 9:15 a.m.-noon.

Deaf Smith Co. Crimestoppers, HPD Rec Room, 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Noon Lions Club, Hereford Community Center, noon.

Al-Anon, NitaLea Community

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College Report

PLAINVIEW — A Wayland Baptist University student from Hereford was recently honored by his peers during presentations of the People's Choice Awards. Students nominate and vote on award winners in a variety of categories and favorites from each class.

Jantzen Louder, son of Steve and Pam Louder of Hereford, was chosen as Junior Class Favorite. He also was voted Most Influential.

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The onion is a rich source of nutrients, including vitamins B and C, protein, starch and a series of essential elements. The chemicals contained in onions are effective agents against fungal and bacterial growth; protect against stomach, colon and skin cancers; have anti-inflammatory, antiallergic, antiasthmatic and antidiabetic actions; and treat causes of cardiovascular disorders.

The volatile oils that give onions their distinctive flavors and aroma also have a flip side. Peeling, cutting or crushing an onion's tissue releases a chemical that triggers tears. There are several ways to reduce or eliminate these tears. You can heat onions before chopping. Or you can limit contact with the vapors by chopping onions on a breezy porch or by a fan, under a steady stream of water or mechanically in a closed container. However, it may be well worth a few tears to enjoy the uniqueness of this special vegetable.

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How Much Risk Are You Willing To Take?

Progress always involves risks. You can't steal second base while keeping your foot on first. - Frederick Wilcox

One of the main inhibitors to success is the fear of risk. Webster defines risk as "the chance of injury, damage or loss." Many great business ideas were never acted upon because of the risk involved.

Those who go to work every day in jobs they dislike are practicing risk avoidance too. They go on because they are afraid to risk quitting without having another job. Now, I'm not advocating quitting

your job without having a better opportunity lined up. That's too risky. The truth is we all take risks. Sometimes we don't recognize the risk. Other times we may see risk where it doesn't exist. The following story of former newspaper columnist Arthur Brisbane illustrates this point.

Brisbane worked for William Randolph Hearst who owned 18 major newspapers at the time. Hearst hired bright, able talent and paid them well. He also had a habit of rewarding outstanding work.

Based on his excellent contributions to the papers, Hearst offered Brisbane an all-expense-paid, six-month sabbatical. Brisbane turned him down.

When Hearst asked why Brisbane refused the paid time off Brisbane replied, "First of all, I'm afraid that if I quit for six months, the circulation of your newspaper may go down. And, secondly, I'm afraid that it may not."

What stopped Brisbane from enjoying the reward was the potential for loss. And that fear can stop us as well. What is risk?

Here are some different views on risk. Let me challenge your

thinking.

• **Risk is having one boss.** In the corporate chain of command, you answer to a boss who has the power to promote, fire or demote you. Your fate rests on what that one person thinks of you.

An entrepreneur, on the other hand, has many bosses. We call them customers. While the objective of every great business is to satisfy all customers, none do. But when you have hundreds of customers, you can disappoint one occasionally and not lose your

business.

Now if your business only has one customer, you have the same risk as an employee with one boss. That one customer controls your future.

• **Risk is having one source of income.** As an employee, your employer is your source of income. As an entrepreneur, you have as many sources of income as you have products, services and customers.

Finding a new source of income in a slow economy is a problem for employees who find themselves out of a job. Entrepreneurs can add new products, lines or services and keep right on going.

• **Risk is not being in control of your own destiny.** Recently I received an email from a reader whose friend had been treated unfairly by a ruthless boss. The friend lost her job despite the fact that she had been an exemplary employee. When you work for someone else you give up some control of your destiny.

Entrepreneurs take control of theirs. They know they have to solve their own problems. They know their own efforts control their income, so they work hard and smart. They know they grow stronger when they face adversity, so they accept the risk and grow.

• **Risk is having to consult others before making a major business decision.** The key ingredient here is self-confidence. You either believe in your own decision-making abilities, or you don't.

I believe I can make good, balanced decisions and I usually do. I also know that I'll make some mistakes, so I don't lose my confidence when I do. Hence the old saying, "If at first you don't succeed, try again."

Don Taylor is the co-author of Up Against the Wal-Marts. You may write to him in care of Minding Your Own Business, PO Box 67, Amarillo, TX 79105

SOME BOOKS WORTH READING

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Martha Russell
Deaf Smith County Library

It happened again. Another patron came in the library to share his good news with us. We began to count the patrons who have gotten new jobs, new homes, new lives, and been thoughtful enough to share their happiness with us. Many of these are people we have helped to use the Internet in their job search. Some have used our study guides for tests important to their work or school.

While we have always valued our patrons, especially the "regulars," I think my awareness of our relationships with our patrons was significantly heightened by one of the Mormon missionaries. As part of their mission, the missionaries are required to perform a certain amount of community service hours. Many of them have chosen to volunteer at the library to fulfill this obligation. These guys get transferred often, so many times we just get to know these valuable volunteers, and then they are gone. A few months ago one young man came in to tell us he was being sent somewhere else and just wanted to say goodbye. He was the first to do so, and we were touched. We will always remember him.

Of course, we will always enjoy the memory of his partner who loved the gray tub. The gray tub is a big rubber bin on wheels which we use to haul trash to the Dumpster. It's a big heavy thing, especially when it's loaded with magazines we have weeded from the collection. Often times we have asked the missionaries to empty the tub for us. They are so young and strong and willing.

Well, on the day he was to leave, the young man came in with his camera, and asked us to pose behind the circulation desk, as he put the gray tub in front of it. He and his partner climbed in the tub and asked a by-standing patron to take our picture. I would love to be a fly on the wall when he finally goes home after his mission has ended and he explains to his Mom all about the wonderful gray tub. I hope his memories are as fond as ours.

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A nifty little book just crammed full of useful ideas for dad (and moms, too) is **101 Secrets A Good Dad Knows** by Walter Browder and Sue Ellin Browder. Did you ever want to know the secret of how to win at Monopoly? Do you think you need Park Place and Boardwalk to be the Donald Trump of board games? Actually, it's simple: the orange properties. Yes, the orange ones. According to someone who had nothing better to do than mathematically figure these things out, the orange properties (St. James Place, New York Avenue, and Tennessee Avenue) statistically are landed on more frequently than the others, as well as being the ones which give the best return for the investment. They say that the green ones and the utilities are the worst.

That's not all this little volume has to offer. With it you can teach your kids such neat "important" stuff as how to slide into second base, how to whistle with a blade of grass, how to skip a rock, and how to rescue a baby bird. Along with these handy-dandy instructions are suggestions for using the occasion to discuss life lessons with your child.

The disclaimer in the verso page (the page behind the title page) is quite revealing. "The material in this book is meant to be used under the supervision of a responsible adult. The authors and the publisher assume no responsibility for misuse of this information." In other words, the real value of this book lies in the interaction between you and your child.

Whether you have aspirations to be a chuck wagon

cook or not, **A Cowboy's Cookbook Rides Again** by T. L. Bush is as entertaining as it is informative. Along with Bush's lively anecdotes about range life, this book is illustrated with more than 30 photographs from the early 1900s from the collection of acclaimed photographer of cowboy life, Erwin E. Smith.

Find new recipes for all that stew meat you have left in the freezer by choosing Bandit Burgers, Good Gosh, or Today's Wreck for a main course. Rounding out the meal with Saddlebag Bread, you may want to serve such desserts as Cattle Kate's Cake, Better by the Pound, or Buffalo Chips. Never serve a boring meal again!

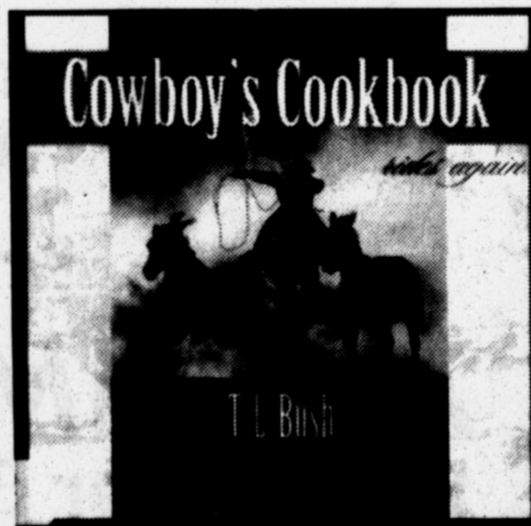
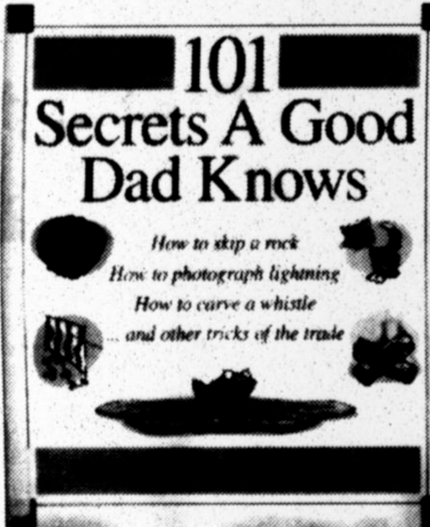
While Caleb Carr's newest, **Killing Time**, is not strictly science fiction, it is futuristic. The year is 2023. Much of the world enjoys the great wealth generated by the triumph of information technology, but horrifying poverty grips many countries, bitter wars rage over natural resources and the failure of international regulatory agencies has resulted in an expanding black market in all forms of weapons - including nuclear devices. The staphylococcus plague of 2006 wiped out forty million people, the crash of '07 ruined many national economies, and in America the assassination of President Emily Forrester in 2018 traumatized the nation. The Internet remains the main source of information, bombarding people everywhere with news, rumors, and allegations 24 hours a day - and creating enormous manipulation of mankind.

On one terrible night almost a year later, Amanda loses nearly everything that is dearest to her when her sister mysteriously disappears and is later found drowned beneath the ice that covers the lake. When Mathilda's husband comes home from the war, wounded and troubled himself, he finds that Amanda has taken charge of Ruth and the farm, assuming her responsibility with a frightening intensity.

Ruth, haunted by her own memory of that night, grows up under the watchful eye of her prickly and possessive aunt and gradually becomes aware of the odd events of her childhood. As she tells her own story with increasing clarity, she reveals the mounting toll that her aunt's secrets exact from her family, and everyone around her, until

the heartrending truth is uncovered.

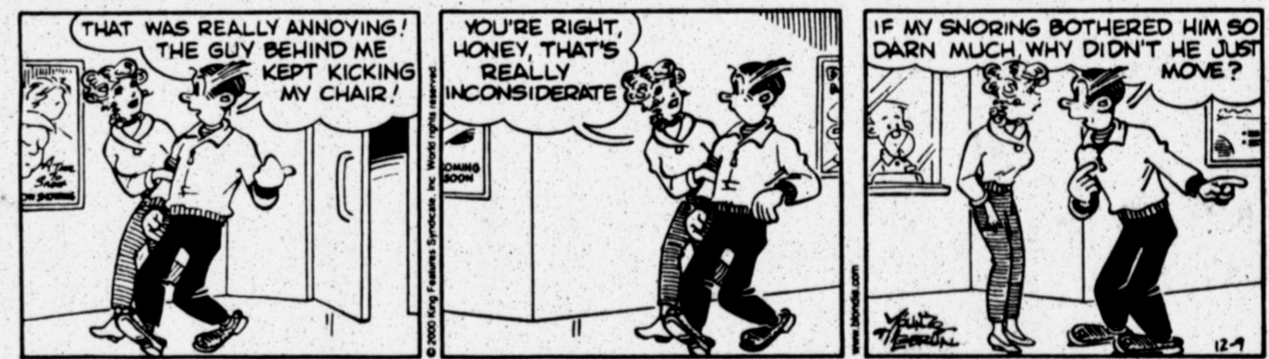
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PCG details crop disaster disbursement

The United States Department of Agriculture has finally released information regarding dispersal of the Crop Disaster Program funds.

Plains Cotton Growers Association has said the program will not offer any assistance or benefits under the "severe economic loss" section, but will allow wide margins for producers who suffered losses due to lower quality in 2000.

Local bankers haven't received any hard information from any authority on when or how much will be coming in so they are not willing to speculate on how loss payments will impact producers.

Cotton producers can look forward to calculating a quality loss factor which could increase the pounds eligible for disaster payment.

PGA information indicates that specific provisions include

a combined Quantity/Quality program and a separate Quality Loss program for producers unable to qualify for the quantity provision.

Quantity/Quality CDP provisions limit benefit to only one crop per acre unless the specified acreage has an established history of double cropping.

Also, producers will be allowed to select the higher of their Crop Insurance Actual Production History (APH) yield or the 5-year NASS County Average yield when determining CDP eligibility. In order to reconcile the producers' APH to the appropriate planting pattern the solid planted APH yields communicated to the Farm Service Agency will be

factored according to the rules established by the USDA Risk Management Agency.

Payments will be made at a rate equal to 65 percent of the established 2000 crop insurance settlement price for the selected crop. The applicant

settlement price for cotton is 59 cents per pound.

As in the past the payment limit of \$80,000 will be in effect as will the three percent rule.

Disaster benefits will be

reduced for producers who did not carry their crop to harvest. FSA state committees will have authority to set two levels of reduction for non-harvested acreage. It is expected these levels will indicate crops terminated early and those terminated later in the season.

Producers will be eligible to receive benefits under the quantity component if their actual 2000 crop yield per acre tallies less than 65 percent of the higher of their current crop APH yield or the county average yield as calculated using National Agricultural Statistics Service figures for the years 1993-1997 by production practice.

Applications will be accepted in mid-January on a unit by unit basis.

The CDP payment rate will be calculated as 65 percent of

crop insurance price of 59 cents per pound, which is 65 percent of the current crop insurance price of 59 cents per pound.

A two-tiered non-harvest factor will be developed by the state and applied to disaster payments on acreage not harvested.

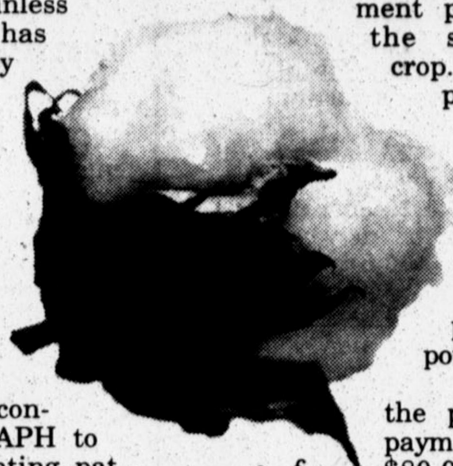
The first of the two options offered for quality loss provision will be offered as a component of yield and would supplement quantity disaster benefits.

Option two allows producers whose average quality on a farm is 20 percent below the assigned average quality for their county would be eligible

for a quality adjustment regardless of yield. A second sign-up period will be announced later to allow producers who did not qualify for Quantity-based assistance to get some quality-based relief.

If the 20 percent quality loss trigger is surpassed, the payment rate would be the difference between the actual quality and the county average quality multiplied by 65 percent. The amount would be paid on the affected production from the applicable unit structure.

Additional details will be made available on the PCG website, www.plainscotton.org as they become available.



Panel urges EPA to further study of altered crops

WASHINGTON (AP) — A variety of gene-altered corn shows a "medium likelihood" of causing allergic reactions, but so little is in the food supply that consumers are unlikely to have developed sensitivities to it, a panel of scientists recently told the government.

The panel that advises the Environmental Protection Agency said more research on the biotech corn is needed and urged the government to find out whether the corn was the cause of allergic reactions that have been reported to the Food and Drug Administration.

StarLink corn was withdrawn from the market after its discovery in the food supply in September spawned nationwide recalls of taco shells.

The EPA is deciding whether to grant temporary food-use approval for the corn to prevent further recalls and disruptions in food processing and grain handling. The panel's report virtually ensured that the decision won't come for at least several weeks.

The agency "will continue its evaluation of the scientific information, and develop the appropriate regulatory approach in response to the StarLink situation to ensure



Senator Chris Dodd, D-Conn., is a member of the Senate Biotech Caucus, which will be considering the future of genetically altered food crops.

CropScience, has asked the EPA to temporarily approve the corn for food use to avoid further recalls. Aventus, which says it doesn't believe the corn is an allergen, declined comment on the report.

ing the human diet. However, the pesticidal protein in the corn, Cry9C, has several characteristics of allergens, including its molecular weight and its relative resistance to heat and gastric juices.

Critics of the biotech industry have urged EPA to deny the food-use approval, saying it would unfairly relieve Aventus of financial and legal responsibility for the corn.

"It looks like science is going to win out over expediency," said Rebecca Goldberg, a scientist with Environmental Defense, an advocacy group.

The StarLink problem has become an embarrassment to the biotech industry and a headache for farmers, grain handlers and food processors.

A group of farmers filed suit against Aventus last week in Illinois federal court, claiming that the company failed to warn growers adequately of restrictions on use of the corn. Farmers were unaware that it could not be sold for food use.

"We've been getting reports from a number of farmers who are having extraordinary difficulty selling their corn crops," said attorney Elizabeth Cronise.

StarLink was grown on about 0.4 percent of the nation's corn acreage this year.

protection of public health and continued consumer confidence in the safety and integrity of the food supply," said Stephen Johnson, EPA's deputy assistant administrator.

EPA regulates use of the biotech corn because it was genetically modified to produce its own pesticide.

EPA had approved the corn only for animal feed and industrial uses because of unresolved questions about whether it can cause allergic reactions. The corn's developer, Aventis

Some 34 people have contacted the government this fall with health complaints that they thought might be caused by StarLink. Of those, 7 to 14 merit further study because they appear to involve allergic reactions of some kind and "represent a real opportunity" to determine whether StarLink is an allergen, the panel said.

The scientists said there is a "low probability" that people have developed allergies to the corn "because of the apparent low level" of the corn enter-

Apple producers encourage new varieties, better control to meet consumer demands

YAKIMA, Wash. (AP) — In the apple industry, growers are rewarded for producing the reddest, biggest and best-looking fruit.

That has to change if farmers want a profitable crop, contends horticulturist Bruce H. Barritt. Consumers want crisper, juicier, fresher and more flavorful apples.

"We produce too many apples of the kind consumers do not want," Barritt said.

Audrey and Jesse Watters, who manage 150 acres of apples in Quincy, Wash., agree. "We've been saying that for years," Audrey Watters said.

"We should forget about color and shape and go for what the consumer wants. If it don't taste good, they're not going to come back and get any more," Jesse Watters said.

The taste versus appearance dilemma has plagued the apple industry for years. Barritt, who works at the Washington State University Tree Fruit Research and Extension Center in Wenatchee, has a solution.

It's called variety management, and it has the potential to bring about dramatic changes in the way apples are grown, stored and marketed in this state.

He predicts the time will come when management companies will be established that own and manage particular varieties, with franchises or clubs that set rules for growers who want to produce those particular types of apples.

The arrangement would bring enforced discipline to the industry with limits on acreage, which would control production and boost prices.

Apple varieties would be grown only in the appropriate climates and location for quality control.

There would be complementary production in the Northern and Southern hemispheres to ensure freshness. And new requirements would be put in place.

The result would be the addition of a number of new varieties — from the current dozen to as many as 40 types — along with stronger marketing, production royalties for

research and development and better control of mutations, known as sports.

"There are, in fact, now efforts being made by people who have developed apples in New Zealand or in this country or elsewhere to try to find ways to market specific varieties in a more controlled way," said Chris Schlect, president of the Northwest Horticultural Council, which deals with federal and international policy issues for the tree-fruit industry in the northwest states.

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- Donna Long, Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, total maximum daily loading;
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Calendar

From Page B3 Building, 5 p.m. Nazarene Kid's Korner, Nazarene Church, 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Presbyterian Women's Association, lunch at the church. Bippus Extension Education Club, 2 p.m. THURSDAY San Jose prayer group, 7:35 Brevard, 8 p.m. Kiwanis Club, Hereford Community Center, noon. TOPS Club No. 941, Senior Citizens Center, 9:45 a.m. Hereford Toastmasters Club, Ranch House Restaurant, 6:30 a.m. A'-Anon, 411 W. First, 8 p.m. Immunizations against childhood diseases, Texas Department of Health, 300 Witherspoon, 8-11:45 a.m. and 1-4:45 p.m. Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Hereford Community Center, 7:30 p.m. Hereford Whiteface Sams Club, Hereford Community Center, 6 p.m. Hereford Day Care Center board of directors, Hereford Country Club, noon. Los Ciboleros Chapter DAR, Senior Citizens Center Blue Room, 2:30 p.m. Calliopian Study Club, 7 p.m. FRIDAY Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Hereford Community Center, 7:30 p.m. Nazarene Kids' Korner, Nazarene Church, 7:30 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Patriarchs Militant and Ladies Auxiliary, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m. SATURDAY AA, 411 W. First, 8 p.m. Saturday and 11 a.m. Sunday.



Contributions to Project Christmas Card can be made throughout town at displays like this one located at Inkahoots. The annual fund-raiser is sponsored by L'Allegra Study Club and will continue through Dec. 19. Individuals are invited to contribute the amount they would spend on Christmas cards and names of all contributors will be printed in a full page Christmas greeting to the entire community in the Dec. 23 edition of the Hereford Brand. Pictured above is Lydia Trevizo making her contribution.

Today in History

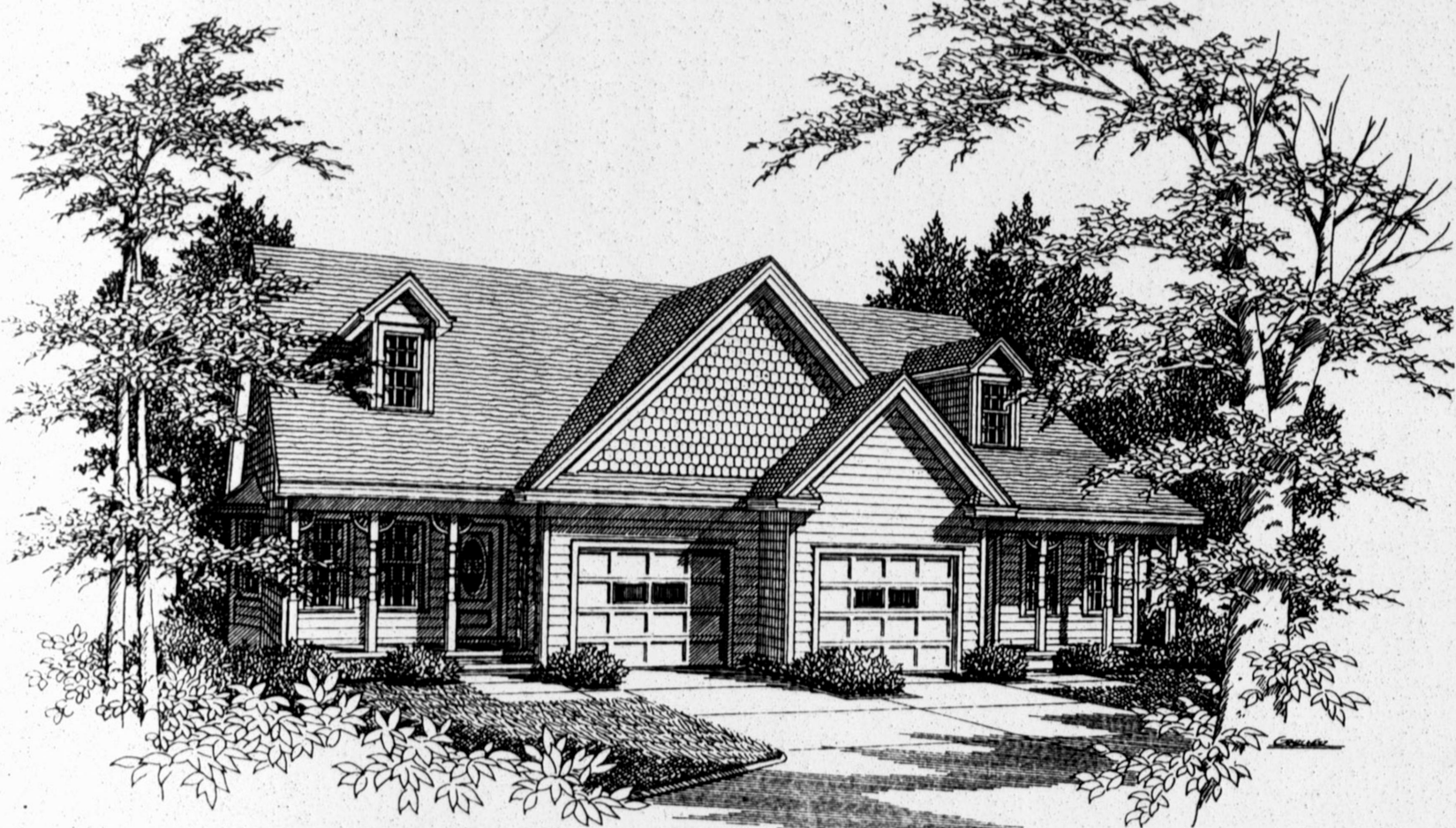
Today is Saturday, Dec. 9, the 344th day of 2000. There are 22 days left in the year. Today's Highlight in History: On Dec. 9, 1907, Christmas seals went on sale for the first time, at the Wilmington, Del., post office; proceeds went to fight tuberculosis. On this date: In 1608, English poet John Milton was born in London. In 1854, Alfred, Lord Tennyson's famous poem, "The Charge of the Light Brigade," was published in England. In 1940, British troops opened their first major offensive in North Africa during World War II. In 1941, China declared war on Japan, Germany and Italy. In 1942, the Aram Khachaturian ballet "Gayane," featuring the surging "Saber Dance," was first performed by the Kirov Ballet. In 1958, the anti-Communist John Birch Society was formed in Indianapolis. In 1965, Nikolai V. Podgorny replaced Anastas I. Mikoyan as president of the Presidium of the Supreme Soviet. In 1975, President Ford signed a \$2.3 billion seasonal loan au-

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The kitchen is U-shaped and organized for ease in meal preparation and easily serves the adjacent dining area, which is expanded by a bay window.

To the rear of this unit are two bedrooms and two full baths. Centrally located is a laundry closet large enough to hold a full size washer and dryer. The hall bath is convenient for guest use as well as one of the bedrooms. The master bedroom includes a walk-in closet and private bath with an oversized tub.

Unit B is perfect as an owner unit. Also entered from a covered porch, this unit is more luxurious. The great room is almost square in size, but adjoins the kitchen and dining areas without walls dividing the rooms, creating a striking first impression.

The dining area includes a picturesque bay window.

The expanded kitchen includes an angled snack bar counter for enhanced serving options. A discrete corner pantry and closet add to the storage space. The garage entry is nearby. A laundry closet is behind bi-fold doors in the kitchen.

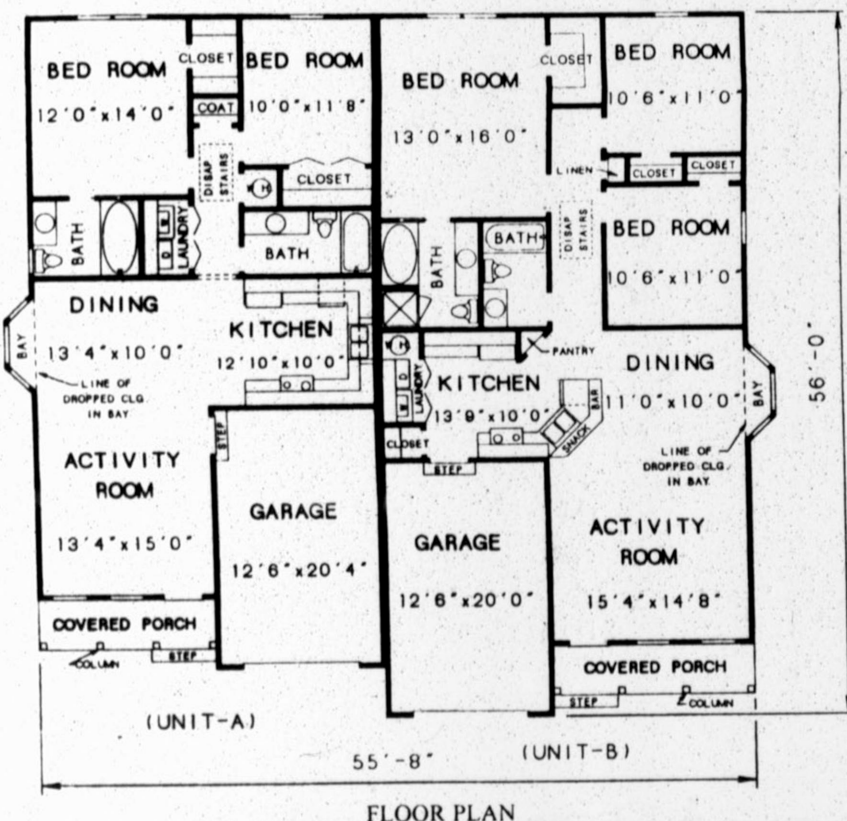
Three bedrooms are to the rear of the unit. A full hall bath services two bedrooms and guests. The master bedroom includes a walk-in closet and a private bath with both a shower stall and garden tub.

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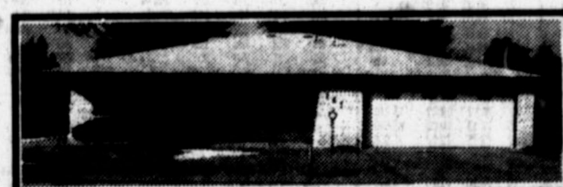
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Showtime's **Holiday Hearts**
is a story of love and family



Sunday, Ving Rhames (center, with unidentified extras) gets all doiled up to play a drag queen with a heart of gold in the Showtime original film *Holiday Hearts*. Rhames, whose character takes in a drug addict and her daughter after saving them from a dangerous encounter, "enjoyed playing a girl," says one of his co-stars.

By Jacqueline Cutler
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Ving Rhames, the strapping actor who played a drug dealer in *Pulp Fiction* and the boxing impresario in *Don King: Only in America*, makes one manly woman. But once you wrap your mind around Rhames in sequined gowns and fake eyelashes, you realize he's playing the sort of friend we all want.

Rhames plays *Holiday Heart*, a man who works in a church, tends to his rental property, performs as a drag queen in a nightclub and has a heart larger than his evening togs.

Holiday Heart, airing Sunday, Dec. 10, on Showtime, is a story about love and family, though it may not seem so at first. After all, it features a drag queen, a junkie and a drug dealer, which sound more like the usual suspects for a police lineup than the pillars of a loving family. "It's about a nontraditional family that comes together to raise this little kid," says director Robert Townsend (*The Five Heartbeats*).

The TV movie tells what happens when the paths of Wanda (Alfre Woodard), an aspiring writer with a serious drug problem, and her daughter, Nikki (Jesika Reynolds), collide with that of Holiday, who still pines for his partner, a Chicago police officer who died 15 years ago.

One Halloween, Holiday and a friend are out on the town when his car dies. As they're figuring out what to do, Nikki races out of a building, begging for help. Some creep is beating up her mother. For a man in satin and lace, Holiday knows his way around a switchblade and pulls a knife on the violent boyfriend. He then rescues Wanda and Nikki, giving them an apartment in his two-family house. And, the stage is set. Wanda tries to write, Nikki excels in school, and Holiday is happy to have the company.

One evening at the nightclub where

Holiday lip-syncs to the Supremes, a drug dealer named Silas (Mykelti Williamson) is working the crowd. He hits on Wanda, and they become an item. Silas is homophobic, violent and armed and initially has nothing but contempt for Holiday. He does, however, love Wanda and Nikki. But Wanda soon reverts to her old ways, as living with a drug dealer is pretty much the worst thing for a junkie trying to kick the habit. Soon her life falls into the tragic, predictable pattern, and she leaves Nikki and Holiday to scavenge for crack.

But while Wanda is AWOL, Holiday takes good care of Nikki. "Ving saw (the role) an opportunity to play a gay Christian, and a lot of people say there is no such thing," Williamson says, adding that he believes the two are not mutually exclusive.

Rhames, whose size alone makes it seem as if he could knock someone into tomorrow, was completely into the part, according to Woodard. "Ving was full of himself while we were doing this," she says. "He was constantly talking about how his nails were nicer than mine, how his skin was smoother and softer, and we fought about hairstyles. So Ving enjoyed being a girl, and he enjoyed holding it over me that he was prettier than I was."

Woodard is brave; not every actress would care to look as ugly as she did for Wanda. When sober, Wanda sports red hair, blue nails and nasty taste. But when she falls back into drugs, she looks as if she hasn't seen the inside of a shower stall in months.

One of the movie's messages, Williamson says, is to persevere. "Alfre's character was really close to having everything she wanted. And she gave in to a weakness."

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About Last Night... ★★★ (1986) Rob Lowe, Demi Moore. Two Chicago singles try to build a more meaningful relationship with each other following a one-night stand. 2:00. **December 10 2pm; 11 3am.**

Adventures of Don Juan ★★★ (1948) Errol Flynn, Viveca Lindfors. The legendary Spanish lothario mixes romance with dashing swordplay when a scheming duke threatens the monarchy. (CC) 2:00. **December 12 11pm.**

The Adventures of Robin Hood ★★★ (1938) Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland. Sherwood Forest's legendary swashbuckler leads his Merry Men in a battle to restore King Richard to the

English throne. (CC) (DVS) 2:00. **December 12 7pm.**

Amarilly of Clothesline Alley ★★★ (1918) Mary Pickford, William Scott. Silent. Culture clash is the result when a working girl from the tenements becomes involved with an upper-class artist. 1:30. **December 10 11pm.**

The American President ★★★ (1995) Michael Douglas, Annette Bening. America's commander in chief places his political future at risk when he starts dating a dynamic lobbyist. 2:30. **December 16 7pm.**

Angel of Pennsylvania Avenue (1996) Robert Ulrich, Diana Scarwid. Three children travel to the

nation's capital to get President Hoover's aid in freeing their innocent father from jail. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 14 7pm.**

Angello Mio (1998) Daniela Lujan, Lidya Lopez. Un ángel es enviado a la Tierra donde enfrenta un sinnúmero de desafíos con los humanos. 2:00. **December 10 8pm.**

Annie ★★★ (1999) Kathy Bates, Alan Cumming. Based on the smash Broadway musical about the adventures of a precocious orphan and the billionaire who adopts her. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 10 6pm.**

Babes in Toyland ★★ (1986) Drew Barrymore, Richard Mulligan. An 11-year-old girl is transported to Toyland, a magical kingdom threatened by the evil Mr. Bamaby. (In Stereo) 2:00. **December 10 1pm.**

The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer ★★★ (1947) Cary Grant, Myrna Loy. A judge learns that her younger sister has become infatuated with a high-school teacher. (CC) 2:00. **December 10 1pm.**

Best Friends ★★★ (1982) Burt Reynolds, Goldie Hawn. Two screenwriters who have a solid personal and professional relationship over-extend their friendship by getting married. 2:30. **December 12 2am.**

Beyond a Reasonable Doubt ★★ (1956) Dana Andrews, Joan Fontaine. A writer's undercover assignment backfires when he cannot produce the evidence needed to free himself from jail. (CC) 1:30. **December 10 9am.**

Beyond Obsession (1994) Victoria Principal, Emily Warfield. A teen-ager and her boyfriend are charged with the murder of her mother, an admired but domineering businesswoman. 2:00. **December 13 12pm.**

The Big House ★★★ (1930) Robert Montgomery, Wallace Beery. Filmmaker George Hill's expose of brutal prison conditions focuses on an attempted jailbreak by three hardened cons. (CC) 1:30. **December 11 8pm.**

Big Jake ★★★ (1971) John Wayne, Richard Boone. A rich landowner defies both the Army and the Texas Rangers in his efforts to locate his

kidnapped grandson. 2:00. **December 10 6pm, 10pm.**

The Big Lift ★★★ (1950) Montgomery Clift, Paul Douglas. Two American soldiers assigned to the Berlin airlift fall for a mysterious German woman. 2:00. **December 10 3am.**

The Bingo Long Traveling All-Stars and Motor Kings ★★★ (1976) Billy Dee Williams, James Earl Jones. A disgruntled pitcher breaks away from the Negro National League to form his own team of baseball superstars. 2:30. **December 14 12am.**

Black Sunday ★★★ (1977) Robert Shaw, Bruce Dem. A deranged Vietnam veteran joins an Arab terrorist in a plot to murder 80,000 unsuspecting Super Bowl fans. 3:00. **December 14 12:30am.**

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. (CC) 2:00. **December 11 12:30am.**

Bloodfest IV: Die Trying ★ (1992) Don "The Dragon" Wilson, Cal Sassoon. An auto repossessor's daughter becomes a pawn in a battle over stolen nuclear weapons triggers. (In Stereo) 2:00. **December 16 10:30pm.**

The Body Disappears ★★ (1941) Jeffrey Lynn, Jane Wyman. A professor causes a body he thought was a corpse to disappear when he injects it with a new serum. 1:30. **December 15 8:30am.**

The Bonfire of the Vanities ★★ (1990) Tom Hanks, Bruce Willis. A Wall Street tycoon's life becomes a shambles when an unscrupulous journalist implicates him in a hit-and-run accident. 2:30. **December 10 10pm.**

The Bribe ★★ (1949) Robert Taylor, Ava Gardner. While investigating the black market, a government agent winds up falling in love with one of the suspects. (CC) 2:00. **December 15 11am.**

SUNDAY DECEMBER 10

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
2	Sesame Street	Barney	Virtues	Dragon	Wishbone	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Algebra	Algebra	Taking Lead	
3	Monster	Monster	Flint	Flint	Digimon	Digimon	Zack Files	Big Wolf	Weird Sci.	Two-Kind	Scary
4	Ch of God	In Search	Family	Real Life	Meet the Press	Baptist Church	Paid Prog.	Old House	Paid Prog.		
5	Bear	Rolie Polie	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Totally	Jersey	Jersey	BoyWorld	Even	Movie:
6	Movie: Places in the Heart	Movie: Forever Young (1992) Mel Gibson. ★★★					Movie: The Dirty Dozen (1967) Lee Marvin, Ernest Borgnine. ★★★½				
7	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Animal	This Week	Paid Prog.	Reporter	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	
10	Kipper	Church	Church	First Baptist Church	Sunday Morning		NFL Today			Football	
11	Hour of Power	Fox News Sunday			Movie: Turner & Hooch (1989) Tom Hanks. ★★½		Fox NFL Sunday			Football	
12	50 Greatest	NFL	Sportsctr.	Lines	Reporters	Sportsctr.	NFL Countdown			Soccer	
13	Movie: Restless Spirits	(:15) Movie: High Spirits Peter O'Toole. ★★½ 'PG-13'			(:05) Movie: The Devil's Arithmetic Kirsten Dunst. ★★★		Movie:				
20	Royal	Movie: Stuart Little Geena Davis. 'PG'			Movie: In the Line of Duty: Kidnapped		(:45) Movie: The Karate Kid Ralph Macchio. ★★½ 'PG'				
21	(6:35) Movie: The Experts	(:10) Movie: Bad Company Ellen Barkin. ★½ 'R'			Movie: The Fury (1978) Kirk Douglas, John Cassavetes.		Movie:				
22	Movie: The Human Comedy (1943) Frank Morgan ★★★	Movie: Beyond a Reasonable Doubt ★★			Movie: Irma La Douce (1963) Shirley MacLaine. ★★★½						
23	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Inside NASCAR	WWF Superstars	Raceday		NASCAR	Trucks!		Car	
24	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Savage Sun	Mars	Cosmic	Rocketships	Blast Off!		Seized at Sea: Critical	Alcatraz	
25	Movie: A Walk in the Sun	Breakfast With the Arts					House Beautiful		Top 10	Unexplained	
27	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Designing	Designing	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Movie: When Andrew Came Home (2000)		
28	Sports	Sports	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	H.S. Extra	Cowboys	NFL This Morning		Sportsman	Hunters	Fishing
30	(6:00) Movie: Ebenezer	Movie: Support Your Local Sheriff! (1969) ★★			Movie: Overboard (1987) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell. ★★½						
31	Rocket	Rocket	Rugrats	Rugrats	Spongeb	Spongeb	Catdog	Catdog	Beavers	Beavers	Nicktoons
32	Saved-Bell	Movie: Sub Down (1997) Stephen Baldwin.			Movie: Contagious (1997) Lindsay Wagner. ★½					Movie: Dirty Little Secret	
33	Plaza Sesamo	Esta Chilind	Retos	Picardia Mexicana	Republica Deportiva					Futbol-Mex.	
37	Century: America's Time	Automobiles	Hardcover	History	Human Bondage				This Week in History	History	
43	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Battlestar Galactica	Star Trek	Dark Skies				Burning Zone	Dune	
50	Bozo Super Sunday	Full House	Clueless	Malibu, CA	Parent	Parent	Fresh Pr.		Beastmaster	Movie:	
	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
2	Taking Lead	Literary	Literary	Power-Place	Power-Place	Pepin	Season	Weir	Caprial	Nova	
3	Zack Files	Movie: Babes in Toyland (1986) Drew Barrymore. ★★			Movie: The Christmas List (1997) Mimi Rogers.					Movie: Christmas-Day	
4	Wild Am.	Figure Skating World Professional Championship			Golf Father/Son Challenge					Paid Prog.	NBC News
5	Movie: Ernest-Xmas	MusicVids	Totally	Emperors	Smart Guy	BoyWorld	Jersey	Even		Famous	BoyWorld
6	Movie:	(:15) Movie: The Presidio (1988) Sean Connery. ★★			(:15) Movie: McLintock! (1963) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara. ★★★						
7	Paid Prog.	PGA Golf: World Golf Championship/World Cup			Figure Skating ISU Grand Prix Series -- Cup of Russia				ABC News	News	
10	(12:00) NFL Football Pittsburgh Steelers at New York Giants						Skiing	Main St	CBS News	News	
13	(12:00) NFL Football Tampa Bay Buccaneers at Miami Dolphins						NFL Football Washington Redskins at Dallas Cowboys				
14	College Soccer: NCAA Div. I Champ.	Cheerlead	Cheerlead	Cheerlead	Dog Show	Rodeo PRCNA National Finals -- Championship Round					
15	Movie: The Last Debate	(:45) Movie: The Right Stuff (1983) Sam Shepard, Scott Glenn. ★★½ 'PG'			Movie: Amos & Andrew						
20	Movie:	Movie: The Brady Bunch Movie 'PG-13'			Movie: The Love Letter Kate Capshaw.		Movie: The King and I ★½ 'G'			Movie:	
21	(12:00) Movie: Jefferson in Paris Nick Nolte. 'PG-13'	(:20) Movie: Bye Bye, Love ★★★ 'PG-13'			(:05) Movie: Live Wire Pierce Brosnan. 'R'					Movie:	
23	Movie:	Movie: The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer (1947) ★★★			Movie: Woman of the Year (1942) ★★½					Movie: On the Town (1949)	
24	ClassicCar	Horsepower	Mechanic	Crank	Trucks!	Motor Madness	Magnificent Seven		Shooter	Buckmstr.	
25	Alcatraz	Shipwreck - Edmund	Indianapolis		On the Inside		Explosive Situations		Dangerous Jobs		
26	Unexplained	Justice	Justice	Movie: About Last Night... (1986) Rob Lowe. ★★★	Movie: Catherine the Great (1995), Paul McGann						
27	Movie:	Movie: Range of Motion (2000) Henry Czerny.			Movie: Small Sacrifices (1989) Farrah Fawcett, John Shea. ★★★						
28	On the Pole	Auto Racing	Women's Basketball: Tenn. at La. Tech		English Premier League Soccer: Teams TBA						
30	Movie: Trading Places (1983) Eddie Murphy, Dan Aykroyd. ★★★				Movie: Scrooged (1988) Bill Murray, Karen Allen. ★★★				Movie: Wedding Sing.		
31	Nicktoons	GAS			Amanda	Noah	Caitlin	All That	You Afraid?	Kenan & Kel	
32	Movie: Dirty Little Secret	Movie: Every Mother's Worst Fear (1998) ★★			Movie: Fighting for My Daughter (1995), Chad Lowe					Movie:	
33	(12:00) Futbol Liga Mexicana	Solo Boxeo			Al Fin de Semana				BalcnVero	Noticiero	
37	History IQ	Most	Wrath of God		Wrath of God				Wrath of God		
46	(12:00) Dune				Dune						
50	Movie: March of the Wooden Soldiers	Movie: Miracle on 34th Street (1947) ★★★			Soul Train Christmas Startest						
	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
2	Digital Duo	Computer	Man Who Came to Dinner						Mystery!		Mystery!
3	Movie: Christmas-Day	Movie: Special Delivery (2000) Andy Dick, David Lewis.			Movie: Christmas Comes to Willow Creek (1987) ★★				Church		
4	Most Amazing Videos	Dateline			Movie: Livin' for Love: The Natalie Cole Story (2000)			News	Entertainment Tonight		
5	Heartbeat	Even	Famous	Famous	Movie: Lassie (1994) Thomas Giner, Helen Slater. 'PG'			Learning	So Weird	Zorro	
6	Movie: Big Jake (1971) John Wayne. ★★½				Movie: High Noon (2000) Tom Skerritt. ★★½			Movie: Big Jake (1971) ★★½			
7	Movie: Annie (1999) Kathy Bates, Alan Cumming. ★★★				Be a Millionaire	Practice		News	Seinfeld	Paid Prog.	
10	60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel		Movie: The Runaway (2000) Dean Cain, Debbi Morgan.			News	(:35) Nash Bridges		
13	Football	King of Hill	Simpsons	Malcolm	X-Files			X-Files	Stargate SG-1	Andromeda	
14	Sportsctr.	NFL Primetime			NFL Football New York Jets at Oakland Raiders				Sportcenter		
15	Movie: Amos & Andrew	Movie: Holiday Heart Ving Rhames.			Queer as Folk			Soul Food	Movie:		
20	(5:30) Movie: Stuart Little	Sopranos			Curb	Robert Klein: Child in His		Movie: Drop Zone (1994)			
21	Movie: Striking Distance	(:15) Movie: Risky Business Tom Cruise. ★★★ 'R'			Movie: The Haunting Liam Neeson. ★½ 'PG-13'				Bedtime		
23	(5:00) Movie: On the Town	Movie: Northwest Mounted Police (1940) ★★★			(:15) Movie: Northern Pursuit (1943) Errol Flynn. ★★½				Movie:		
24	Outdoors	Outdoor	Remington	Hunting	Championship Bull Riding			Outdoors	NASCAR	Car	Auto Racing
25	Dangerous Sea	Three Minutes to Impact	Inside the Space Station		Mysteries of the Pyramids			FBI Files		Impact	
26	Law & Order	Biography			Biography					Biography	
27	Movie: Small Sacrifices	Strong Medicine	Any Day Now		Any Day Now				Movie: The Bonfire of the Vanities (1990)		
28	See This	SW Sports	NHL Hockey Dallas Stars at Mighty Ducks of Anaheim		Olbemann Evening News				Sports		
30	Movie: Wedding Sing.	Movie: David Copperfield (2000) Michael Richards.			Movie: David Copperfield (2000) Michael Richards.				Movie:		
31	Skeeter	Eddie	Caitlin	Make	Make	Make	Make	Make	Make	Jeffersons	
32	(5:30) Movie: ★★½ Tremors (1990)	Movie: Stargate (1994) Kurt Russell, James Spader. ★★½			Law & Order				Nikita		
33	Primer Impacto	Cero	Humor Es	Movie: Angello Mio (1998) Daniela Lujan, Lidya Lopez.	Sensacion	Noticiero	Antorcha En				
37	Secrets of World War II	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle History of the Navy	Battle	
45	Invisible Man	Invisible Man	Invisible Man	Invisible Man	Invisible Man			Crossing	Exposure		
50	Xena: Warrior Princess	Andromeda	Earth: Final Conflict		News	Replay		In the Heat of the Night	Matlock		

B

Babes in Toyland ★★ (1986) Drew Barrymore, Richard Mulligan. An 11-year-old girl is transported to Toyland, a magical kingdom threatened by the evil Mr. Bamaby. (In Stereo) 2:00. **December 10 1pm.**

The Bachelor and the Bobby-Soxer ★★★ (1947) Cary Grant, Myrna Loy. A judge learns that her younger sister has become infatuated with a high-school teacher. (CC) 2:00. **December 10 1pm.**

Best Friends ★★★ (1982) Burt Reynolds, Goldie Hawn. Two screenwriters who have a solid personal and professional relationship over-extend their friendship by getting married. 2:30. **December 12 2am.**

Beyond a Reasonable Doubt ★★ (1956) Dana Andrews, Joan Fontaine. A writer's undercover assignment backfires when he cannot produce the evidence needed to free himself from jail. (CC) 1:30. **December 10 9am.**

Beyond Obsession (1994) Victoria Principal, Emily Warfield. A teen-ager and her boyfriend are charged with the murder of her mother, an admired but domineering businesswoman. 2:00. **December 13 12pm.**

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SOAP TALK

New head writer at GH; AMC couple having baby

By Candace Havens
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The executive team behind *General Hospital* is making history. They recently appointed Michele Val Jean as one of the new co-headwriters of the daytime serial.

It is a history-making event because Val Jean is one of the first black women to be in a headwriter position for any soap opera. The other co-head writer is Elizabeth Korte, who has written for the show for more than seven years.

The writers will share the position that was left vacant by Bob Guza in August.

In other news: Big congratulations go to *All My Children* stars Kelly Ripa and Mark Consuelos (Haley and Mateo Santos). The happy couple have been trying to have another child and finally received the good news that Ripa is pregnant. The couple also has a son, toddler Michael.

Days of Our Lives fans who live in the Lake Charles, La., area are in for a treat. Kevin Spirtas (Dr. Craig Wesley) is putting on a special New Year's Eve show filled with his favorite Broadway tunes at the Central School Arts and Humanities Center in Lake Charles. He'll be doing songs from *A Chorus Line*, *Meet Me in St. Louis* and several other musicals.

"All of the songs I do have a special meaning in my life, and I think it will be a fun evening for everyone," Spirtas says. After the show, he will share a champagne toast and sign autographs for audience members.

For more information write to: Kevin Spirtas/New Years, 8033 Sunset Blvd, No. 637, Los Angeles, Calif., 90046.

Dear Candace: I would love to know some of Bradley Cole's (Prince Richard Winslow) background. What did he do before joining *Guiding Light*? Melanie J. via the Internet.

Dear Reader: Cole is a Southern California native and attended Pepperdine University. He had planned on being a baseball player, but was sidelined by an injury, then turned to acting.

After graduation, he traveled extensively and spent most of his adult life living in France and England. He has done several TV movies and worked in theater before joining *GL*.

Send questions of general interest to Candace Havens, Soap Talk, TVData Features Syndicate, 333 Glen St., Glens Falls, NY 12801, or e-mail to soaptalk@tvdata.com. Only questions selected for this column will be answered. Personal replies cannot be sent.

C

Cape Fear ★★★ (1991) Robert De Niro, Nick Nolte. A psychotic ex-con seeks to avenge himself against the defense attorney whose negligence cost him 14 years in prison. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:30. **December 16 1:30am.**

Car Wash ★★★ (1976) George Cline, Richard Pryor. The loony and chaotic routine of a deluxe Los Angeles car wash is interrupted by several unusual customers. 2:00. **December 14 10pm.**

Cass Timberlane ★★★ (1947) Spencer Tracy, Lana Turner. A distinguished judge bucks the system when he marries a younger woman from a lower social class. (CC) 2:00. **December 13 1pm.**

Catherine the Great (1995) Catherine Zeta-Jones, Paul McGann. Based on the life of the obscure German princess who became the scandalous and extravagant empress of Russia. 2:00. **December 10 4pm.**

Cause for Alarm ★★½ (1951) Loretta Young, Barry Sullivan. A woman becomes the innocent scapegoat for a murder planned by her demoted husband. (CC) 2:00. **December 15 1pm.**

The Cheap Detective ★★★ (1978) Peter Falk, Ann-Margret. A gumshoe contends with amorous ladies and a murder rap while sleuthing his partner's death. 2:00. **December 16 6am.**

China O'Brien ★★ (1988) Cynthia Rothrock, Richard Norton. A former cop uses her martial-arts expertise to clean up her Utah hometown after her father is brutally murdered. 2:00. **December 14 12am.**

China O'Brien 2 ★★½ (1991) Cynthia Rothrock, Richard Norton. A sheriff's martial arts skills are put to the test when she takes on an escaped drug lord. 1:50. **December 15 2am.**

Christine ★★ (1983) Keith Gordon, John Stockwell. Stephen King's tale of a teen-age misfit who restores a 1958 Plymouth, unaware that it is possessed by a jealous demon. 2:00. **December 16 12:30am, 3:05pm.**

A Christmas Carol ★★ (1984) George C. Scott, Edward Woodward. Miserly Ebenezer Scrooge learns a lesson in compassion when he's visited by a series of spirits on Christmas Eve. (In Stereo) 2:00. **December 12 7pm.**

A Christmas Carol ★★ (1999) Patrick Stewart, Richard E. Grant. Crotchety Ebenezer Scrooge experiences a holiday epiphany when he is visited by ghosts on Christmas Eve. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 16 11am.**

Christmas Comes to Willow Creek ★★ (1987) John Schneider, Tom Wopat. Feuding brothers join forces to transport Christmas gifts to a bedridden friend's Alaskan hometown. 2:00. **December 10 9pm.**

Christmas Every Day ★★ (1996) Robert Hays, Erik von Detten. 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 10 6pm; 16 3pm.**

The Christmas List (1997) Mimi Rogers, Bill Switzer. A store clerk learns a valuable lesson about the true meaning of Christmas when she gets everything on her wish list. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 10 3pm.**

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 11 9:55pm; 15 1pm.

Cimarron ** (1960) Glenn Ford, Maria Schell. An immigrant and a wanderer marry and make a determined effort to tame the American frontier. (CC) 2:00. December 11 2:30am.

City Slickers *** (1991) Billy Crystal, Daniel Stern. The arrival of his 39th birthday prompts an executive and his buddies to hit the trail for a two-week cattle drive. 2:40. December 16 9:55pm.

City Slickers II: The Legend of Curly's Gold *** (1994) Billy Crystal, Daniel Stern. The late Curly's twin brother joins Mitch and friends for a rough-and-tumble horseback search for hidden treasure. 2:30. December 10 1am.

Cobra Woman ** (1944) Maria Montez, Sabu. A villainess imprisons her kind sister and brings horror to the jungle. 1:30. December 11 2am.

Colorado Territory *** (1949) Joel McCrea, Virginia Mayo. An escaped outlaw and his dance-hall lover come to regret their decision to rob one more bank. 2:00. December 16 10am.

Contagious ** (1997) Lindsay Wagner, Tom Wopat. A cholera outbreak leads to a frantic search for airline passengers who may be infected with the deadly disease. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 9:30am.

The Court Jester *** (1956) Danny Kaye, Glynis Johns. A medieval jester gets mixed up with evil knights, good witches and a plot to overthrow a tyrannical king. 2:00. December 13 3am.

The Courtship of Eddie's Father *** (1963) Glenn Ford, Shirley Jones. A boy uses a peculiar and humorous standard to determine the "perfect" wife for his widowed father. (CC) 2:00. December 13 5pm.

Cowboy From Brooklyn ** (1938) Dick Powell, Pat O'Brien. A cowboy with an intense fear of horses must prove his skills as a bronco-buster in order to appease his public. 1:30. December 14 7am.

Criminal Justice *** (1990) Forest Whitaker, Jennifer Grey. An ex-con finds himself fighting for his life after a drug-addicted prostitute accuses him of assault and robbery. (CC) 2:00. December 15 12pm.

Cry Terror *** (1958) James Mason, Rod Steiger. A man and his family are taken hostage by a former friend who is using bombs to extort money from the airlines. (CC) 2:00. December 12 3am.

D

Dancing Co-ed ** (1939) Lana Turner, Richard Carlson. A dancer enrolls in college so she can compete in a dance contest. 1:30. December 14 12:30pm.

Dark Passage *** (1947) Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacall. An escaped convict whose features have been altered by plastic surgery tracks down the person who killed his wife. (CC) 2:00. December 13 7pm.

David Copperfield (2000) (Part 1 of 2) Michael Richards, Eileen Atkins. Premiere. Charles Dickens' classic tale of a boy's unhappy childhood and his trials as a young man in 19th-century London. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 7pm.

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Days of Thunder ** (1990) Tom Cruise, Robert Duvall. A hotshot rookie stock-car driver sets his sights on the professional NASCAR circuit and the prestigious Daytona 500. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 15 7pm.

Death Valley * (1982) Catherine Hicks, Stephen McHattie. While vacationing in Arizona with his mother, a New York youngster stumbles across a series of grisly murders. 2:00. December 14 10am.

Desperate Journey ** (1942) Erol Flynn, Ronald Reagan. Five Allied pilots struggle for survival after crashing behind enemy lines in Nazi-occupied Poland. 2:00. December 11 7am.

Devil's Food (1996) Suzanne Somers, William Katt. An overweight TV newswoman strikes a deal with the devil to slim down and jump-start her stalled career. (CC) 2:00. December 13 8pm.

Die Hard 2 *** (1990) Bruce Willis, Bonnie Bedelia. An L.A. cop embarks on a single-handed race against time after terrorists seize control of a Washington airport. 2:40. December 14 7:05pm.

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 11 2pm.

Dinner at Eight ** (1989) Lauren Bacall, Marsha Mason. Amid a flurry of complications, a dizzy socialite prepares a sumptuous dinner party for visiting dignitaries. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 15 12pm.

Dirty Dancing *** (1987) Jennifer Grey, Patrick Swayze. A mountain resort serves as the backdrop for this tale of romance between a teen and a street-wise dance instructor. 2:00. December 16 9:30pm.

The Dirty Dozen *** (1967) Lee Marvin, Ernest Borgnine. A U.S. Army major selects and trains 12 hard-core criminals for a daring raid on an impregnable Nazi chateau. 3:15. December 10 10am.

Dirty Little Secret (1998) Tracey Gold, Jack Wagner. A woman learns a disturbing truth about her husband after her adopted son is kidnapped by his birth mother. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 11:30am.

Duchess of Idaho ** (1950) Esther Williams, Van Johnson. A swimming star and her roommate take their matchmaking schemes to the slopes of Sun Valley, Idaho. 2:00. December 12 3pm.

E

Easy to Wed *** (1946) Van Johnson, Esther Williams. A newspaper editor rehires a scheming reporter to woo the socialite who is suing his paper for libel. 2:00. December 12 10:30am.

Ebbie ** (1995) Susan Lucci, Taran Noah Smith. A high-powered businesswoman must confront her past, present and future in this retelling of "A Christmas Carol." (CC) 2:00. December 13 2pm.

Ebenezer ** (1997) Jack Palance, Rick Schroder. A stingy saloonkeeper receives a ghostly visitation in this version of "A Christmas Carol" set in the Old West. 2:00. December 10 6am.

Echoes in the Darkness *** (1987) Peter Williams. A newspaper editor rehires a scheming reporter to woo the socialite who is suing his paper for libel. 2:00. December 12 10:30am.

The Enchanted Cottage **** (1945) Robert Young, Dorothy McGuire. A young married couple's insecurities are cast aside by the special magic of a secluded New England cottage. (CC) 2:00. December 13 9am.

The English Patient *** (1996) Ralph Fiennes, Juliette Binoche. Nine Oscars went to this multi-layered tale of a badly burned plane-crash survivor and a tragic love affair. 3:30. December 15 11pm.

Escape Me Never ** (1947) Erol Flynn, Ida Lupino. A struggling composer's infatuation with a wealthy woman threatens to break apart his family. 2:00. December 11 9am.

Every Mother's Worst Fear ** (1998) Cheryl Ladd, Jordan Ladd. A lonely teen looking for friendship on the Internet is lured to an apartment and imprisoned by her online suitor. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 1:30pm.

Fanny ** (1961) Maurice Chevalier, Leslie Caron. The call of the sea separates an adventure-seeking sailor from the French woman who is carrying his child. 2:15. December 16 2:45am.

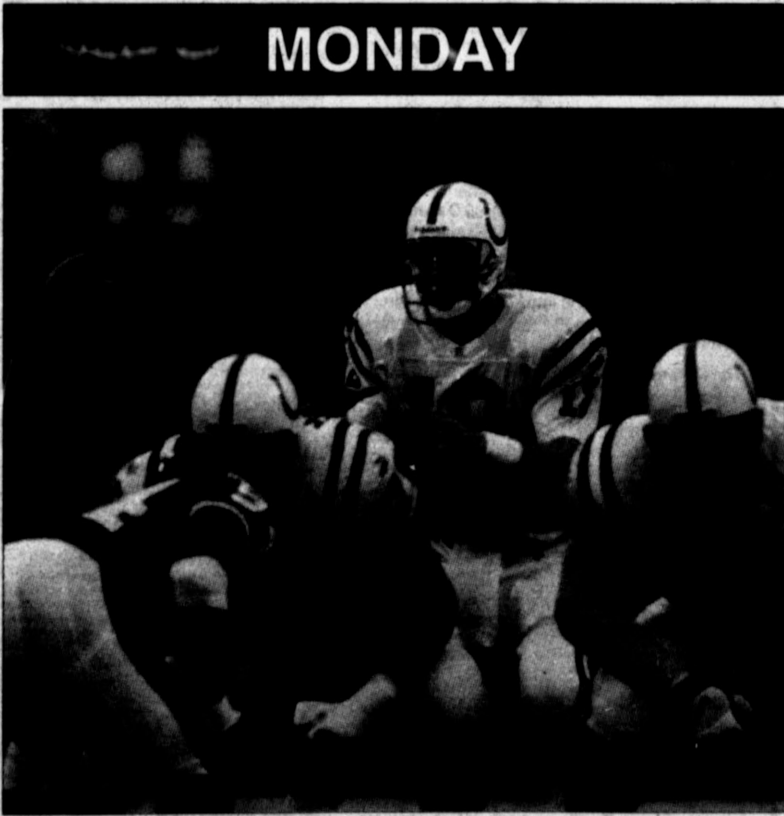
MONDAY

DECEMBER 11

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2	Sesame Street	Barney	Zoboo	Dragon	Arthur	Calliou	Clifford-Red	Mr Rogers	Teletubbies	Body Elec.	
3	Angela	Kids	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club	Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Rotten	Bobby	Bad Dog	
4	Today					Housecalls	Judge Lane	Tell Truth	Change	Days-Lives	
5	Bear	Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Bear	Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Madeline
6	DiffWorld	DiffWorld	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Mama	Cosby	Matlock			Hunter	
7	Good Morning America				Live With Regis			Rosie O'Donnell		News	
8	Early Show				Dr. Laura		Price Is Right		Young and the Restless	News	
9	Magic Bus	Martha Stewart Living	Real Life	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Benny Hinn	Life in Word	Kenneth C.	Life Today	Divorce	
10	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Sportscaster	Scholarastic
11	Movie: Wild in the Streets *** 'GP'				(:05) Movie: Malaika Karen Black 'NR'			(:45) Movie: The Fringe Dwellers Kristina Nehm 'PG'			
12	Tracey	Movie: Another Stakeout Richard Dreyfuss. 'PG-13'			Real Sports			Movie: Revolution (1985) Al Pacino, Nastassja Kinski.			
13	Movie: The Sand Pebbles	Movie: Icebreaker Sean Astin. 'PG-13'			(:35) Movie: It's Pat Julia Sweeney. *			Movie: Never Say Never Again *** 'PG'			
14	Movie: Desperate Journey (1942) Erol Flynn. **				Movie: Escape Me Never (1947) Erol Flynn. **			Movie: I'll Cry Tomorrow (1955) ***			
15	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Waltons	Waltons	Waltons	Waltons	Waltons	Starky and Hutch	Waltons		
16	Renker	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters	Design	Design	Design	Christopher Lowell	Home		
17	Northern Exposure	L.A. Law	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.	Night Court	Newsradio	Law & Order				
18	Designing	Designing	Murphy Brown	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries	Lifetime Live	Movie:			
19	Sports	Olberrmann Evening News	Sports	Geniuses	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	See This	
20	Lois & Clark-Superman	ER	ER	ER	ER	ER	ER	Movie: Heartburn (1986) Jack Nicholson. **		Movie: For	
21	Thornberrys	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Little Bill	Franklin	Dora	Maggie	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Kipper
22	Burnett	Burnett	Something	Hearts Afire	Jesse	Ned-Stackey	Wings	Wings	Veronicas	Working	Larouquette
23	(6:00) Despierta America				Cuento de Navidad	Pobre Diable					Siempre
24	Civil War Journal	Weapons at War	20th Century	True Action	Great Blind	FBI-Story	Crimes	This Week			
25	Sightings	Sentinel	DarkShad	Crossing	Six Million Dollar Man	Six Million Dollar Man	Six Million Dollar Man	Six Mill.			
26	Clueless	Charles	Parent	Wayans	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	MacGyver	Matlock			News

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2	Sewing	Painting	Fine Art.	Savage Planet	Wishbone	Reading	Clifford-Red	Dragon	Arthur	Lions	
3	Mega Bab.	Candy	Kids	Angela	Addams	Goosebump	Big Wolf	S Club 7	Two-Kind	Noel	Main St
4	Days-Lives	Passions	Montel Williams	Men Are From Mars	Oprah Winfrey	News	NBC News				
5	Rupert	GrowPains	GrowPains	Flash	Brotherly	GrowPains	BoyWorld	So Weird	Smart Guy	PB & J Otter	Rolie Polie
6	Hunter	Movie: Santa With Muscles (1996) Hulk Hogan. **			Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	
7	Jeopardy!	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Mauri	Brown	Judge Judy	News	ABC News			
8	Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Sally	Hollywood	Family Feud	News	CBS News			
9	Attorney	Roseanne	Mad	Grace Under Nanny	Magic Bus	Rangers	X-Men	Digimon	Simpsons	3rd Rock	
10	NFL's Greatest Game	NFL's Greatest Moments	NFL Films	Up Close	NFL Primetime	Sportscaster					
11	Movie: Hall Caesar Anthony Michael Hall.	(:15) Movie: Moonlighting Jeremy Irons. *** 'PG'			Movie: Another Country Rupert Everett.	Movie:					
12	(:45) Movie: Omen IV: The Awakening Faye Grant. **	Half Past Autumn: Life of Gordon Parks	Vertical	Movie: Another Stakeout *** 'PG-13'							
13	Movie: Wife	Movie: Norma Rae (1979) Sally Field, Beau Bridges. 'PG'	Movie: Affliction (1997) Nick Nolte, Sissy Spacek. 'R'	Movie:							
14	Movie: Ill	Movie: Flying Leathernecks (1951) John Wayne. **	Movie: A Patch of Blue (1965) Sidney Poitier. ***	Movie: Hot Millions (1968)							
15	Waltons	Bloopers-Jokes	McCoys	Alice	Dukes of Hazzard	Waltons	Starky and Hutch				
16	Home	Design	Christopher Lowell	Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Your New House	Wild Discovery				
17	Law & Order	Northern Exposure	L.A. Law	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.	Night Court	Newsradio				
18	(12:00) Movie: When the Yows Break	Movie: A Different Kind of Christmas (1996)	Murphy	Murphy	Golden Girls	Golden Girls					
19	Cowboys	English Premier League Soccer: Teams TBA	H.S. Extra	Gamezcape	Bluetorch TV	Geniuses	See This				
20	(12:00) Movie: ** 1/2 For Better or Worse	Due South	Psi Factor: Chronicles	Pensacola: Wings of Gold	ER						
21	Franklin	Doug	Doug	Rugrats	Rugrats	Rugrats	Thornberrys	Pinky	Thornberrys		
22	Doctor	Movie: Fighting for My Daughter (1995) Chad Lowe	Baywatch	Martin	Martin	Walker, Texas Ranger					
23	Siempre	La Casa en la Playa	El Gordo y la Flaca	Cristina	Primer Impacto	El Blablazo	Noticiero				
24	This Week	History	History IQ	20th Century	True Action	Great Blind	FBI-Story	Crimes	This Week in History		
25	Six Mill.	Six Million Dollar Man	Six Million Dollar Man	Quantum Leap	Xena: Warrior Princess	Sliders					
26	News	Caroline	Caroline	Change	Street	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	7th Heaven	Full House	Clueless	

	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
2	Newshour With Jim Lehrer	Antiques Roadshow	Great Performances	Charlie Rose	Newshour						
3	Santa Is Coming to Town	Life of Santa Claus	Providence	Early Edition	700 Club	Boss?					
4	News	Ent. Tonight	Titans	Dateline	Third Watch	News	(:35) Tonight Show				
5	Out of Bx	Bear in House	(:45) Mickey's Once Upon a Christmas	Movie: A Mom for Christmas **	MusicVids	Zorro					
6	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	(:05) Movie: The Prince of Tides (1991) Nick Nolte, Barbra Streisand. ***	(9:55) Movie: A Christmas Story (1983)							
7	News	Fortune	20/20 Downtown	NFL Football Buffalo Bills at Indianapolis Colts	News						
8	News	Home Imp.	Charlie B.	King	Raymond	Becker	Family Law	News	(:35) Late Show		
9	Spin City	Real TV	Boston Public	Ally McBeal	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Frasier	Cops	Voyager		
10	Drill	Monday Night Countdown	Figure Skating Trophies Lalique					Baseball	Sportsctr.		
11	Movie: Gregory's Girl 'PG'	Movie: The Princess and the Barrio Boy Ex. ras-What Resurrection Blvd.	Movie: Plunkett & Macleane ** 'R'								
12	Movie: Worst Witch	Real Sports	Movie: Introducing Dorothy Dandridge Halle Berry. 'R'	Blaze Battle	Movie:						
13	(5:30) Movie: ** 1/2 You've Got Mail 'PG'	Movie: The Breaks Mitch Mullany. 'R'	Movie: True Crime Clint Eastwood. *** 'R'	Movie: Illicit							
14	(5:00) Movie: Hot Millions	Without Lying Down	Movie: The Big House (1930) ***	Movie: The Women (1939) Norma Shearer. ***							
15	Martial Law	Martial Law	WWF Raw	WWF War Zone	(:07) Martial Law	DucksUnl					
16	Wild Discovery	On the Inside	Dangers of the Ice Age	Prosecutors-Justice	Justice Files	Inside					
17	Law & Order	Biography of the Year	Biography of the Year								
18	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: Soapdish (1991) Sally Field. **	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Murphy					
19	Football	Last Word	SW Sports	Poker Million	National Sports Report	Sports					
20	Pretender	Movie: David Copperfield (2000) Michael Richards.	Movie: David Copperfield (2000) Michael Richards.								
21	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Ginger	Hey Arnold!	Gilligan	Hillbillies	Facts of Life	Facts of Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family
22	JAG	Nash Bridges	Why Planes Go Down	Moment of Impact 2	Martin	Martin	Strip Poker				
23	Locura de Amor	Mujeres Enganadas	Laberintos de Pasion	Cristina: Edicion Especial	P. Impacto	Noticiero	Mananitas				
24	History	History IQ	Japan's Pyramids	Raise the Monitor!	This Week in History	Japan					
25	Babylon 5	Outer Limits	The Stand	Outer Limits	Crossing	Twilight Z.	Fri. the 13th				
26	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: Miracle on 34th Street (1947) ****	News	In the Heat of the Night	Darkside					



Peyton Manning and the Indianapolis Colts host the Buffalo Bills in a Monday Night Football contest on ABC.

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For Better or Worse (1996) Jason Alexander, Lolita Davidovich. A busy scam artist's lonely wife finds herself falling for her neurotic but charming brother-in-law. 2:00. December 11 12pm.

Forever Darling (1956) Lucille Ball, Desi Arnaz. The marriage of a scatterbrained wife and her long-suffering husband is saved by the arrival of a guardian angel. (CC) 2:00. December 13 3pm.

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Foul Play (1978) Chevy Chase, Goldie Hawn. A librarian enlists the aid of an inept police detective after learning of a bizarre plot to murder the visiting pope. 2:30. December 10 3:30am.

The Four Seasons (1981) Alan Alda, Carol Burnett. The close-knit friendship among three married couples undergoes profound change when one of the marriages disintegrates. 2:00. December 15 10am; 16 2:30am.

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The Jerk (1979) Steve Martin, Bernadette Peters. The incredibly stupid white stepson of black sharecroppers makes a fortune with a bizarre invention. 2:00. December 13 1pm; 14 1am.

Johnny Belinda (1982) Richard Thomas, Rosanna Arquette. A young man opens up a new world to a deaf girl, only to have their fragile relationship tragically threatened. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 16 5pm.

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Juarez (1939) Paul Muni, Bette Davis. Mexico's struggle for freedom and the conflict between the Mexican-Indian Juarez and the Hapsburg Prince Maximilian. (CC) 2:30. December 14 8:30am.

Key Largo (1948) Humphrey Bogart, Lauren Bacall. A disillusioned World War II veteran gets caught in the middle when mobsters take over a Florida resort. (CC) (DVS) 2:00. December 13 9pm.

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Lady Beware (1987) Diane Lane, Michael Woods. A window dresser's sexually suggestive displays draw the unwanted attention of a mentally disturbed X-ray technician. 2:00. December 13 10am.

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Laugh and Get Rich (1931) Hugh Herbert, Edna May Oliver. A boardinghouse owner's looney schemes are the bane of his wife's existence until one of his inventions pays off. 1:30. December 16 5am.

A League of Their Own (1992) Geena Davis, Tom Hanks. An account of the women who took to the diamond in 1943 to form the All American Girls Professional Baseball League. 3:10. December 15 9:20pm; 16 7:05pm.

Libeled Lady (1936) Myrna Loy, William Powell. An editor's fiancée and ex-employee figure prominently in a screwball plot to persuade an heiress to drop a libel suit. (CC) 2:00. December 16 8am.

Like Father, Like Santa (1998) Gary Coleman, Harry Hamlin. An unscrupulous businessman, who is actually Santa Claus' estranged son, must prevent Christmas from being ruined. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 15 3pm.

Livin' for Love: The Natalie Cole Story (2000) Natalie Cole, Diahann Carroll. Premiere. Based on the singer's autobiography detailing life with her famous father and the drug abuse that almost destroyed her. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 8pm.

The Long Voyage Home (1940) John Wayne, Ian Hunter. Based on the play by Eugene O'Neill. A crew of seamen shares adventure and excitement on their trip home. 2:00. December 16 9:30pm.

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Lost Angel (1944) Margaret O'Brien, James Craig. A reporter takes a young prodigy under his wing in hopes of giving her a normal childhood. (CC) 2:00. December 14 12am.

Love Affair (1994) Warren Beatty, Annette Bening. Fate intervenes in the lives of two airline passengers who are promised to others, but fall in love. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 13 7pm.

Madame Curie (1944) Greer Garson, Walter Pidgeon. A fact-based account of the personal and professional lives of the poor Polish student who discovered radium. 2:15. December 12 5am.

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The Man Upstairs ** (1992) Katharine Hepburn, Ryan O'Neal. A thief's flight from jail leads him to the home of an irascible senior citizen with an exceptional outlook on life. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 12 8pm.**

The Man Who Shot Liberty Valance **** (1962) James Stewart, John Wayne. Flashbacks tell the story of a tenderfoot who rose to glory by gunning down the outlaw terrorizing his small town. (CC) 2:30. **December 16 7pm.**

March of the Wooden Soldiers *** (1934) Stan Laurel, Oliver Hardy. A plot to overrun Toyland with frightening creatures is thwarted by two bumbling and an army of giant toy soldiers. 2:00. **December 10 12pm.**

The Mark of Zorro *** (1920) Douglas Fairbanks, Noah Beery. Silent. The son of a California aristocrat disguises himself as a daring swordsman to defend the honor of his people. 1:30. **December 13 1am.**

McBain ** 1/2 (1991) Christopher Walken, Maria Conchita Alonso. A Colombian revolutionary enlists the aid of a battle-hardened veteran who served with her late brother in Vietnam. (In Stereo) 2:00. **December 10 12:30am.**

McLintock! *** (1963) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara. A cattle baron tries to handle disgruntled American Indians and cope with his strong-willed estranged wife. 2:45. **December 10 3:15pm.**

Meet Me in St. Louis *** 1/2 (1944) Judy Garland, Mary Astor. A disappointed St. Louis family learns it must move to New York just before the 1904 World's Fair is to open. (CC) (DVS) 2:00. **December 16 12pm.**

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 10 2pm; 11 7pm.**

Mr. Baseball ** (1992) Tom Selleck, Ken Takakura. An aging American ballplayer faces the difficulties of fitting into Asian society when he is traded to a Japanese team. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 16 6pm.**

The Munsters' Scary Little Christmas (1996) Sam McMurray, Ann Magnuson. Herman, Lily and the other ghoulish residents of 1313 Mockingbird Lane add a touch of terror to the holiday season. (In Stereo) 2:00. **December 16 1pm.**

Murder in a Small Town (1999) Gene Wilder, Mike Starr. A former Broadway director retreats to a small town with his daughter after his wife is murdered. (CC) 2:00. **December 12 3am.**

N

Necessary Roughness *** 1/2 (1991) Scott Bakula, Hector Elizondo. A college football coach recruits a 34-year-old farmer in an unconventional plan to rebuild his downtrodden team. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 16 8pm.**

A Nightmare on Elm Street 3: Dream Warriors ** 1/2 (1987) Heather Langenkamp, Robert Englund. Institutionalized teen-agers who share similar nightmares join forces to rid themselves of a murderer's influence. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 10 2am.**

No Code of Conduct (1998) Charlie Sheen, Martin Sheen. Two undercover cops trying to crack a

Phoenix drug ring battle smugglers and crooked officials. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 13 1pm; 14 1:30am.**

No Greater Love (1996) Kelly Rutherford, Chris Sarandon. A Titanic survivor who lost her fiancé learns to love again with the devotion of a theatrical producer. (CC) 2:00. **December 12 8pm.**

No Laughing Matter ** (1998) Suzanne Somers, Chad Christ. A teen-ager begins to crack under the pressure of dealing with an alcoholic mother and a pregnant girlfriend. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 16 10am.**

No Leave, No Love ** (1946) Van Johnson, Keenan Wynn. After winning a radio quiz contest, a military hero's thoughts turn to romance and good times. 2:00. **December 12 8:30am.**

No Way to Treat a Lady *** (1968) Rod Steiger, George Segal. A woman-hating murderer and a Jewish detective are joined together in a dangerous battle of wits. 2:00. **December 12 1am.**

Northern Pursuit ** 1/2 (1943) Errol Flynn, Julie Bishop. A Canadian Mountie uses his German ancestry to gain the trust of a Nazi saboteur whose plane crashed in the wilderness. 1:45. **December 10 9:15pm.**

Northwest Mounted Police *** (1940) Gary Cooper, Madeleine Carroll. A Texas Ranger combating the Canadian wilds for a fugitive teams up with the Mounties to halt a revolt. 2:15. **December 10 7pm.**

Nowhere to Hide ** (1987) Amy Madigan, Daniel Hugh Kelly. The widow of a murdered Marine struggles to save herself and her son from high-level government conspirators. 2:00. **December 13 12pm.**

O

The Odd Couple II ** 1/2 (1998) Jack Lemmon, Walter Matthau. Oscar and Felix experience several misadventures when they reunite in Los Angeles for their children's wedding. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 13 8pm.**

Oliver! **** (1968) Ron Moody, Oliver Reed. Six Oscars went to this adaptation of Charles Dickens' novel about an orphan who falls in with a gang of pickpockets. 3:15. **December 11 1am.**

On the Second Day of Christmas ** (1997) Mary Stuart Masterson, Lauren Pratt. A woman and her niece are caught picking pockets in a department store on Christmas Eve. (CC) 2:00. **December 12 2pm.**

On the Town **** (1949) Gene Kelly, Frank Sinatra. Three sailors team up with a cab driver and an anthropologist to find "Miss Turnstiles," a subway poster girl. (CC) (DVS) 2:00. **December 10 5pm.**

Once You Meet a Stranger (1996) Jacqueline Bisset, Theresa Russell. A mentally unbalanced woman offers a deadly proposition to a celebrity during a fateful train ride. (CC) 2:00. **December 16 2pm.**

Our Mother's Murder ** 1/2 (1997) Roxanne Hart, Holly Marie Combs. The daughters of publishing heiress Anne Scripps Douglas try desperately to save their mother from her abusive husband. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. **December 16 12pm.**

Overboard ** 1/2 (1987) Goldie Hawn, Kurt Russell. An Oregon carpenter takes advantage of an amnesiac millionaire by convincing her that she is really his wife. 2:30. **December 10 10am.**

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A Patch of Blue *** 1/2 (1965) Sidney Poitier, Shelley Winters. A friendship with a sympathetic black man gives a browbeaten blind woman her first real sense of self-assurance. (CC) 2:00. **December 11 3pm.**

Pilot No. 5 ** (1943) Franchot Tone, Marsha Hunt. During World War II, friends recall the events that led one of their comrades on a suicide mission against the enemy. 1:15. **December 12 7:15am.**

A Place for Annie *** (1994) Sissy Spacek, Mary-Louise Parker. A pediatric nurse agrees to take care of an AIDS patient whose HIV-positive infant she attempted to adopt. 2:00.

December 16 12pm.

Places in the Heart *** 1/2 (1984) Sally Field, Danny Glover. A transient black field worker and a war veteran help a Texas widow save her Depression-era farm from foreclosure. 2:20. **December 10 6:40am; 11 2:45am.**

Police Academy ** (1984) Steve Guttenberg, Kim Cattral. Mistis realize their dreams of becoming cops when a mayoral decree forces the police academy to open its doors to all. 2:00. **December 12 1pm.**

Police Academy 3: Back in Training ** (1986) Steve Guttenberg, Bubba Smith. When budget cuts force the state to close one of two academies, both schools try to survive the ax.

2:00. **December 16 1:05pm.**

The Postman Always Rings Twice *** 1/2 (1946) Lana Turner, John Garfield. An affair between a seedy drifter and a cafe owner's seductive wife leads to murder. (CC) 2:00. **December 15 5pm.**

The Preacher's Wife *** (1996) Denzel Washington, Whitney Houston. Tension arises when an angel is drawn to the dulcet-toned wife of the minister he was sent to Earth to help. (In Stereo) (CC) 3:00. **December 16 7pm.**

The Presidio ** (1988) Sean Connery, Mark Harmon. A grizzled Army provost reluctantly joins forces with a San Francisco detective to solve

WEDNESDAY

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	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
22	Sesame Street	Barney	Zoboo	Dragon	Arthur	Caillou	Clifford-Red	Mr Rogers	Teletubbies	Body Elec.	
23	Angela	Kids	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club		Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Rotten	Bobby	Bad Dog
24	Today						Housecalls	Judge Lane	Tell Truth	Change	Days-Lives
25	Bear	Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Bear	Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Madeline
26	DiffWorld	DiffWorld	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Mama	Cosby			Matlock		Hunter
27	Good Morning America				Live With Regis		The View		Rosie O'Donnell		News
28	Early Show				Dr. Laura		Price Is Right		Young and the Restless		News
29	Magic Bus	Martha Stewart Living	Real Life	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Benny Hinn	Life in Word		Kenneth C.	Life Today	Divorce
30	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Sportscenter	Racehorse
31	Movie: The Kid From Brooklyn	Danny Kaye. ***	Movie: Splitville	David Barry. PG-13	Movie: Sinbad the Battle of the Dark	Movie: Man-					
32	Vertical	Movie: Beetlejuice	Michael Keaton. PG	Movie: The Tuskegee Airmen	Laurence Fishburne. ***	Movie: I Spy Returns	Bill Cosby. *** 1/2				
33	Movie: Who's Harry	Movie: In Dreams	Annette Bening. ** R	(:45) Movie: Active Stealth	Tim Abell. * R	Movie: The Lost World	R				
34	Movie: Too Hot to Handle	(1938) Clark Gable. ***	Movie: The Enchanted Cottage	(1945) ****	Movie: Without Reservations	(1946)					
35	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Dukes of Hazzard	Dukes of Hazzard	Dukes of Hazzard	Starky and Hutch	Waltons				
36	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters	Design	Christopher Lowell	Home				
37	Northern Exposure	L.A. Law	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.	Night Court	Newsradio	Law & Order				
38	Designing	Designing	Murphy	Murphy	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries	Lifetime Live			Movie:
39	Sports	National Sports Report	Sports	Geniuses	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Street Pace		Football
40	Lois & Clark-Superman	ER			Movie: Lady Beware	(1987) Diane Lane. **					Movie:
41	Thornberrys	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Little Bill	Franklin	Maggie	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Kipper	
42	Burnett	Burnett	Something	Hearts Affire	Jesse	Ned-Stacey	Wings	Wings	Veronicas	Working	Larriquette
43	(6:00) Despierta America				Cuento de Navidad	Pobre Diabla					Siempre
44	Civil War Journal	Weapons at War			20th Century	True Action	Great Blind	FBI-Story	Crimes	Black Sheep	
45	Sightings	Sentinel			DarkShad	Crossing	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	
46	Clueless	Charles	Parent	Wayans	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	MacGyver		Matlock		News
	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
47	Sewing	Painting	Fine Art	Savage Planet	Wishbone	Reading	Clifford-Red	Dragon	Arthur	Lions	
48	Mega Bab.	Candy	Kids	Angela	Addams	Goosebump	Big Wolf	S Club 7	Two-Kind	Rudolph's Shiny New Year	
49	Days-Lives	Passions		Montel Williams	Men Are From Mars	Oprah Winfrey				News	NBC News
50	Rupert	GrowPains	GrowPains	Flash	Brotherly	Learning	BoyWorld	So Weird	Smart Guy	Famous	BoyWorld
51	Hunter	Movie: The Jerk	(1979) Steve Martin. *** 1/2		Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne	
52	Jeopardy!	One Life to Live		General Hospital	Maury		Brown	Judge Judy	News	ABC News	
53	Bold & B.	As the World Turns		Guiding Light	Sally		Hollywood	Family Feud	News	CBS News	
54	Attorney	Roseanne	Mad	Grace Under Nanny	Digimon	Rangers	X-Men	Digimon	Simpsons	3rd Rock	
55	Amer. Horse	Firefighters' Challenge		ASA World Tour	Wrecked	Baseball	NHL-Shots	Up Close	Sportscenter		
56	Movie: Man Call. Sar.	Movie: Scandalous	Robert Hays. ** PG	(:05) Movie: The Godson	Rodney Dangerfield. * PG-13	Movie: Lambada	(1990)				
57	Real Sports	Movie: Lean on Me	Morgan Freeman. *** 1/2 PG-13	Movie: The Muse	Albert Brooks. PG-13	(:15) Movie: Beetlejuice					
58	Movie: Lost	(:05) Movie: Escape From Alcatraz	Clint Eastwood. PG	Movie: In the Line of Duty		Movie: Life With Miskey	Michael J. Fox.				
59	Movie:	Movie: Cass Timberlane	(1947) Spencer Tracy. ***	Movie: Forever Darling	(1956) Lucille Ball. **	Movie: Courtship-Edd.					
60	Waltons	Bloopers-Jokes	McCoys	Alice	Dukes of Hazzard	Waltons				Starky and Hutch	
61	Home	Design	Christopher Lowell	Great Chefs	Great Chefs	Your New House				Wild Discovery	
62	Law & Order	Northern Exposure	L.A. Law	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.	Night Court	Newsradio				
63	(12:00) Movie: Beyond Obsession	(1994) Movie: Ebbie	(1995) Susan Lucci, Taran Noah Smith. **	Murphy	Murphy	Golden Girls	Golden Girls				
64	Cowboys	Baylor	Longhorn	Red Raiders	Aggie	Nick Saban	Core Games	Bluetorch TV	Geniuses	Football	
65	(12:00) Movie: Nowhere to Hide	(1987) Due South		Pai Factor: Chronicles		Pensacola: Wings of Gold	ER				
66	Franklin	Doug	Doug	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	Thornberrys	U Pick	Pinky	Thornberrys
67	Doctor	Movie: No Code of Conduct	(1998) Charlie Sheen.	Baywatch		Martin	Martin	Walker, Texas Ranger			
68	Siempre	La Casa en la Playa	El Gordo y la Flaca	Cristina		Primer Impacto		El Blablazo	Noticiero		
69	Black Sheep	History	History IQ	20th Century	True Action	Great Blind	FBI-Story	Crimes	Black Sheep Squadron		
70	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Twilight Z.	Twilight Zone	Quantum Leap		Xena: Warrior Princess		Sliders		
71	News	Caroline	Caroline	Change	Street	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	7th Heaven	Full House	Clueless	
	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
72	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer		Live From Lincoln Center			Preservatn Hall		Charlie Rose		NewsHour	
73	Frosty's	Gold	Movie: Special Delivery	(2000) Andy Dick, David Lewis.	Early Edition		700 Club			Boss?	
74	News	Ent. Tonight	Ed	West Wing		Law & Order		News		(:35) Tonight Show	
75	Movie: Rent-a-Kid	Leslie Nielsen. 'G'	Movie: The Ultimate Christmas Present		(:15) Jersey	(:45) Jersey	(:15) Jersey	MusicVids	Zorro		
76	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	Ripley's Believe It or Not!	WCW Thunder				Ripley's Believe It or Not!	WCW		
77	News	Fortune	Be a Millionaire	Drew Carey	Spin City	Gideon's Crossing		News	Seinfeld	Nightline	
78	News	Home Imp.	Bette	Welcome	Movie: The Odd Couple II	(1998) Jack Lemmon. ** 1/2		News		(:35) Late Show	
79	Spin City	Real TV	'70s Show	Normal	Street	M'A'S'H	M'A'S'H	Frasier	Cops	Voyager	
80	Outside the Lines		NHL Hockey Philadelphia Flyers at Colorado Avalanche					Sportscenter		Hoops	
81	(5:00) Movie: * 1/2 Lambada	Movie: Holiday Heart	Ving Rhames.			Soul Food		Resurrect	Movie: Hell-Bloodline		
82	(5:15) Movie: Beetlejuice	Movie: MMM	(1999) Nicolas Cage, Joaquin Phoenix. 'R'			Oz		Vertical	Movie: Chill Factor	(1999)	
83	Movie: The Naked Gun	Leslie Nielsen.	Movie: Idle Hands	Devon Sawa. ** 1/2 'R'	Movie: The Haunting	Liam Neeson. ** 1/2 PG-13				Bedtime	
84	Movie: Courtship-Edd.	Movie: Dark Passage	(1947) Humphrey Bogart. ***	Movie: Key Largo	(1948) Humphrey Bogart. *** 1/2	Movie: Two					
85	Martial Law	Billy Gilman's Christmas	SheVery Merry Christmas	18 Wheels of Justice	Martial Law	Fishing					
86	Wild Discovery	On the Inside	Titanic: Anatomy of a Disaster	Justice Files		Inside					
87	Law & Order	Biography	Behind Closed Doors	Investigative Reports	Law & Order	Biography					
88	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: Devil's Food	(1996) Suzanne Somers.	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Murphy				
89	Football	Last Word	SW Sports	Goin' Deep	Figure Skating Grand Slam Super Teams	National Sports Report	Sports				
90	Pretender		NBA Basketball San Antonio Spurs at Phoenix Suns		NBA Basketball: Lakers at Trail Blazers						
91	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	Ginger	Catdog	Gilligan	Hillbillies	Facts of Life	Facts of Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family
92	JAG		Nash Bridges		Movie: Two Mothers for Zachary	(1996) **			Martin	Martin	Strip Poker
93	Locura de Amor		Mujeres Enganadas		Imagenes de Impacto				P. Impacto	Noticiero	Viviana-Med
94	History	History IQ	Hitler's Perfect Children	World War II in Color	Liberty Ships of WWII				Big House		Hitler's Prct
95	Babylon 5		Space: Above and Beyond	The Stand					Crossing	Twilight Z.	Fri. the 13th
96	Fresh Pr.	S									

the murder of a guard. 2:00. December 10 1:15pm.

The Prince and the Pauper *** (1937) Errol Flynn. Claude Rains. Based on Mark Twain's tale about a prince who temporarily trades identities with a poor look-alike. (CC) 2:00. December 12 9pm; 14 5am.

The Prince of Tides *** (1991) Nick Nolte, Barbra Streisand. Repressed passions draw a New York psychiatrist into an unethical affair with her patient's brother. 2:50. December 11 7:05pm.

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Range of Motion (2000) Henry Czerny, Rebecca De

Momay. A kind neighbor and a sympathetic new friend sustain the hope of a woman whose husband lies in a coma. (CC) 2:00. December 10 1pm; 14 8pm.

Richie Rich's Christmas Wish (1998) David Gallagher, Eugene Levy. At Christmastime, Richie is whisked away by a weird machine after he foolishly wishes he had never been born. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 15 7pm.

Rio Grande ***** (1950) John Wayne, Maureen O'Hara. A cavalry officer anxiously awaits permission to cross the Mexican-American border to attack marauding Apaches. (CC) 2:00. December 16 11:30pm.

The Runaway (2000) Dean Cain, Debbi Morgan. Premiere. Racial tensions flare in 1949 Georgia when an old murder case involving the deaths of three black men is reopened. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 8pm.

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Salute to the Marines *** (1943) William Lundigan, Wallace Beery. A rough-and-ready Marine is awarded a posthumous medal for courage. 2:00. December 14 2pm.

Sands of Iwo Jima *** (1949) John Wayne, John Agar. A World War II Marine sergeant trains green recruits for the invasion of the Japanese-occupied island. 2:00. December 16 4pm.

THURSDAY

DECEMBER 14

Grid of TV shows and movies from 7 AM to 12 PM. Includes Sesame Street, Barney, Zoboo, Dragon, Arthur, Caillou, Clifford-Red, Mr Rogers, Teletubbies, Body Elec, Angela, Kids, Itsy Bitsy, CBN Special, 700 Club, Itsy Bitsy, Itsy Bitsy, Rotten, Bobby, Bad Dog, Today, Housecalls, Judge Lane, Tell Truth, Change, Days-Lives, Bear, Pooh, PB & J Otter, Out of Bx, Rolie Polie, Bear, Pooh, PB & J Otter, Out of Bx, Rolie Polie, Madeline, DiffWorld, DiffWorld, Little House on the Prairie, Little House on the Prairie, Mama, Cosby, Matlock, Hunter, Good Morning America, Live With Regis, The View, Rosie O'Donnell, News, Early Show, Dr. Laura, Price Is Right, Young and the Restless, News, Magic Bus, Martha Stewart Living, Family, Paid Prog., Paid Prog., Benny Hinn, Life in Word, Kenneth C., Life Today, Divorce, Sportscenter, Sportscenter, Sportscenter, Sportscenter, Sportscenter, Sportscenter, Running, Movie: The Earthling William Holden 'PG', (45) Movie: Mr. Music Mick Fleetwood, (15) Movie: Bring Me the Head of Mavis Davis * 1/2 'NR', Movie: Last Movie: The Karate Kid Ralph Macchio. * 1/2 'PG', Proof of Life, Movie: Free Willy (1993) Jason James Richter, Lori Petty, Cast Away, Movie: A Soldier's Daughter Never Cries (45) Movie: Rain Man (1988) Dustin Hoffman, Tom Cruise. **** 'R', Movie: Big Trouble in Little China ** Movie: Cowboy From Brooklyn (1938), Movie: Juarez (1939) Paul Muni, Bette Davis. ***, Movie: Journey for Margaret (1942), Paid Prog., Paid Prog., McCoys, McCoys, McCoys, McCoys, McCoys, McCoys, McCoys, Starsky and Hutch, Waitons, Renker, Paid Prog., Assignment Discovery, Home Matters, Design, Christopher Lowell, Home, Northern Exposure, L.A. Law, Murder, She Wrote, Magnum, P.I., Night Court, Newsradio, Law & Order, Designing, Designing, Murphy, Murphy, Golden Girls, Golden Girls, Unsolved Mysteries, Lifetime Live, Movie: Loss, Sports, National Sports Report, Sports, Geniuses, Paid Prog., Paid Prog., Paid Prog., Paid Prog., Paid Prog., Boxing, Lois & Clark-Superman, ER, ER, Movie: Death Valley (1982) Catherine Hicks. *, Movie: Thornberrys, Rugrats, Little Bear, Blue's Clues, Little Bill, Franklin, Dora, Maisy, Little Bear, Blue's Clues, Kipper, Burnett, Burnett, Something, Hearts Afire, Jesse, Ned-Stagey, Wings, Wings, Veronicas, Working, Larroquette, (6:00) Despierta America, Cuento de Navidad, Pobre Diabla, Siempre, Civil War Journal, Weapons at War, 20th Century, True Action, Great Blind, FBI-Story, Crimes, Black Sheep, Sightings, Sentinel, DarkShad, Crossing, Sliders, Sliders, Sliders, Clueless, Charles, Parent, Wayans, Cosby Show, Cosby Show, MacGyver, Matlock, News

Grid of TV shows and movies from 12:30 to 5:30. Includes Sewing, Painting, Fine Art, Savage Planet, Washbone, Reading, Clifford-Red, Dragon, Arthur, Lions, Mega Bab, Candy, Kids, Angela, Addams, Goosebump, Big Wolf, S Club 7, Two-Kind, Pinocchio's Christmas, Days-Lives, Passions, Montel Williams, Men Are From Mars, Oprah Winfrey, News, NBC News, Rupert, Emperors, GrowPains, Flash, Brothery, GrowPains, BoyWorld, So Weird, Smart Guy, Famous, BoyWorld, Hunter, Movie: Scrooged (1988) Bill Murray, Karen Allen. ***, Cosby Show, Cosby Show, Full House, Full House, Roseanne, Roseanne, Jeopardy!, One Life to Live, General Hospital, Maury, Brown, Judge Judy, News, ABC News, Bold & B, As the World Turns, Guiding Light, Sally, Hollywood, Family Feud, News, CBS News, Attorney, Roseanne, Mad, Grace Under Nanny, Digimon, Rangers, X-Men, Digimon, Simpsons, 3rd Rock, NFL Great, NFL Great, NFL Great, Surfing, Winter X-Games Classix, NFL's Great, Up Close, Sportscenter, Movie: Last Great Ride, (45) Movie: My Life as a Dog Anton Glatzelius. 'NR', Movie: Another Country Rupert Everett, (05) Movie: Crusoe (1988), (12:00) Movie: A Perfect World Kevin Costner. 'PG-13', Royal, Movie: Ed and His Dead Mother 'PG-13', (45) Movie: The Karate Kid * 1/2 'PG', (40) Movie: Gloria Sharon Stone. * 1/2 'R', Movie: The Messenger: The Story of Joan of Arc Mila Jovovich. 'R', Movie: Wild Wild West * Movie: Dancing Co-ed (1939) **, Movie: Salute to the Marines (1943) ** 1/2, Movie: Hard, Fast and Beautiful (1951), Movie: Waltons, Bloopers-Jokes, McCoys, Alice, Dukes of Hazzard, Waltons, Starsky and Hutch, Home, Design, Christopher Lowell, Great Chefs, Great Chefs, Your New House, Wild Discovery, Law & Order, Northern Exposure, L.A. Law, Murder, She Wrote, Magnum, P.I., Night Court, Newsradio, (12:00) Movie: A Loss of Innocence, Movie: Unlikely Angel (1996) Dolly Parton. **, Murphy, Murphy, Golden Girls, Golden Girls, (12:00) Boxing Fight Time, Musclesport USA, Fame, Extreme, Bluetorch TV, Geniuses, Football, (12:00) Movie: *** Trapped (1989), Due South, Psi Factor: Chronicles, Pensacola: Wings of Gold, ER, Franklin, Doug, Doug, Hey Arnold!, Hey Arnold!, Hey Arnold!, Hey Arnold!, Hey Arnold!, U Pick, Pinky, Thornberrys, Doctor, Movie: The Magic Bubble (1993) Diane Salinger. ** 1/2, Baywatch, Martin, Martin, Walker, Texas Ranger, Siempre, La Casa en la Playa, El Gordo y la Flaca, Cristina, Primer Impacto, El Biablazo, Noticiero, Black Sheep, History, History IQ, 20th Century, True Action, Great Blind, FBI-Story, Crimes, Black Sheep Squadron, Sliders, Sliders, Sliders, Quantum Leap, Xena: Warrior Princess, Sliders, Sliders, News, Caroline, Caroline, Change, Street, Fam. Mat., Fam. Mat., 7th Heaven, Full House, Clueless

Grid of TV shows and movies from 6 PM to 11 PM. Includes Newshour With Jim Lehrer, Alexander the Great, Mysteries of Deep Space, Mystery!, Charlie Rose, Newshour, Jack Frost, Movie: Angel of Pennsylvania Avenue (1996), Early Edition, 700 Club, Boss?, News, Ent. Tonight, Friends, Cursed, Will & Grace, Just Shoot, ER, News, (35) Tonight Show, Movie: Phantom of the Megaplex, (40) Movie: Pee-wee's Big Adventure * 1/2 'PG', Emperors, (9:50) Holidays in Concert, Zorro, Fresh Pr., Fresh Pr., (05) Movie: Die Hard 2 (1990) Bruce Willis, Bonnie Bedelia. ***, (45) Movie: Total Recall (1990), Rachel Ticotin ***, News, Fortune, Whose?, Whose?, Be a Millionaire, Primetime Thursday, News, Seinfeld, Nightline, News, Home Imp., Snowden's, Garfield, City of Angels, Sportsman of the Year, News, (35) Late Show, Spin City, Real TV, Cinderelmo, Olive, the Other Reindeer, M'A'S'H, M'A'S'H, Frasier, Cops, Voyager, Drill, Drill, Pro Bowl Select, College Basketball Xavier at Cincinnati, Sportscenter, NBA 2Night, (5:05) Movie: *** Crusoe, Movie: Tombstone (1993) Kurt Russell, Val Kilmer. 'R', RudeAwak, (35) Movie: The Minus Man Owen Wilson. *** 'R', Movie: The Karate Kid 'PG', Inside the NFL, Movie: Guilty as Charged Rod Steiger. 'R', Proof of Life, Sex Bytes, Inside the NFL, Movie: Wild, (45) Movie: Message in a Bottle Kevin Costner. ** 'PG-13', Movie: Mercy Ellen Barkin. * 1/2 'R', (35) Movie: Private Lies, Movie: The Unknown Man, Movie: These Wilder Years (1956) James Cagney. ** 1/2, Movie: Slander (1957) Van Johnson. ** 1/2, Movie: Tenth Avenue, Martial Law, Holiday Celebration on Ice, To Be Announced, Martial Law, Shooter, Wild Discovery, On the Inside, Haunted Houses, Animal Telepathy, Justice Files, On Inside, Law & Order, Biography, Live by Request Starring k.d. lang, Law & Order, Biography, Intimate Portrait, Unsolved Mysteries, Movie: Range of Motion (2000) Henry Czerny, Golden Girls, Golden Girls, Murphy, Football, Last Word, SW Sports, Challenge, Magic vs. Bird, Thunderbox, National Sports Report, Sports, Pretender, NBA Basketball New York Knicks at Toronto Raptors, NBA, Movie: Car Wash (1976) ***, Hey Arnold!, Rugrats, Peiswick, Pinky, Gilligan, Hillbillies, Facts of Life, Facts of Life, 3's Co., 3's Co., All in Family, JAG, Nash Bridges, Movie: Firewalker (1986) Chuck Norris. **, Martin, Martin, Strip Poker, Locura de Amor, Mujeres Enganadas, El Gran Biablazo, P. Impacto, Noticiero, Viviana-Med, History, History IQ, Best Kept Secret: D-Day, World War II in Color, War Planes, Suicide Missions, D-Day, Babylon 5, Crypt Tales, Crypt Tales, The Stand, Crossing, Twilight Z, Fri. the 13th, Fresh Pr., Suddenly, Movie: Iron Will (1994) Mackenzie Astin. ***, News, In the Heat of the Night, Darkside

Santa With Muscles * 1/2 (1996) Hulk Hogan, Ed Begley Jr. A muscular hero sets out to straighten up his town after a knock on the head makes him believe he is Santa Claus. 2:00. December 11 1pm, 11:55pm.

The Scapegoat *** (1959) Alec Guinness, Nicole Maury. A French nobleman begins a murderous scheme after he meets an English schoolteacher who is his exact double. (CC) 2:00. December 15 3pm.

Scrooged *** (1988) Bill Murray, Karen Allen. Three ghosts give a greedy network executive a long-overdue attitude adjustment. Based on the Charles Dickens classic. 2:00. December 14 1pm. December 10 3pm.

Silent Running *** (1971) Bruce Dern, Cliff Potts. A botanist in charge of sustaining Earth's remaining plant life in space rebels when ordered to destroy the vegetation. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 16 12pm, 12am.

The Sin of Madelon Claudet ** (1931) Helen Hayes, Lewis Stone. A woman sacrifices everything for the well-being of her illegitimate child. 1:30. December 15 3:30am.

Ski Patrol * 1/2 (1990) Roger Rose, Corby Timbrook. The zany members of the Snowy Peaks Ski Patrol face a greedy developer with designs on their mountain. 2:00. December 10 2am.

Slander * 1/2 (1957) Van Johnson, Ann Blyth. A TV performer and his family are victimized by slanderous information in a scandal magazine. 1:30. December 14 9pm.

Slaughterhouse Five * 1/2 (1972) Michael Sacks, Ron Leibman. Based on Kurt Vonnegut's novel about a man, unthethered by time, who moves from World War II to a futuristic planet. 2:00. December 15 11pm; 16 4pm.

Small Sacrifices *** (1989) Farrah Fawcett, John Shea. A mother pleads innocent in the shooting of her three children in this adaptation of Ann Rule's fact-based best seller. 4:00. December 10 3pm.

Small Vices ** (1999) Joe Mantegna, Marcia Gay Harden. Spenser becomes the target of a hit man while working to clear an innocent man of murder. Based on Robert Parker's book. (CC) 2:00. December 16 3am.

Soapdish * 1/2 (1991) Sally Field, Robert Downey Jr. A soap opera queen's personal life falls apart while a devious rival tries to sabotage her career. (CC) 2:00. December 11 8pm.

Sometimes They Come Back * 1/2 (1991) Tim Matheson, Brooke Adams. A teacher is stalked by the ghosts of three students who killed his brother. Based on Stephen King's short story. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 16 10pm.

Special Delivery (2000) Andy Dick, David Lewis. Premiere. A courier for an adoption agency loses the baby he was supposed to deliver to its new parents for Christmas. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 7pm.

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Splash *** (1984) Tom Hanks, Daryl Hannah. A New York bachelor falls in love with a woman who just happens to be the mermaid who saved him as a child. 2:15. December 15 7:05pm; 16 5:05pm.

The Stalking of Laurie Show (2000) Jennifer Finnigan, Marnette Patterson. Premiere. Based on

the true story of teen-ager Laurie Show and her brutal slaying at the hands of her classmates. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 12 8pm.

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Stargate * 1/2 (1994) Kurt Russell, James Spader. An ancient artifact transports an Egyptologist and a military team to a distant planet populated by enslaved aliens. 2:30. December 10 7:30pm.

A Stranger in Town ** (1943) Frank Morgan, Richard Carlson. A Supreme Court justice on a duck-hunting foray becomes involved in serious trouble with the citizens in a small town. 1:30. December 15 2am.

A Stranger Waits ** (1987) Suzanne Pleshette, Tom Atkins. A chance encounter with a younger man ultimately turns a recently widowed San Francisco woman's life upside down. 2:00. December 12 10am.

A Streetcar Named Desire **** (1951) Vivien Leigh, Marlon Brando. A Southern belle attempts to preserve her faded gentility against the harassment of her brutish brother-in-law. 2:15. December 15 7pm.

Sub Down (1997) Stephen Baldwin, Gabrielle Anwar. Civilian scientists must find a way to rescue trapped crewmen aboard a crippled submarine beneath the polar icecap. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 7:30am.

Support Your Local Sheriff! *** (1969) James Garner, Joan Hackett. A stranger en route to Australia becomes a gold-rush town's new lawman in this spoof of Western movies. 2:00. December 10 8am.

Teahouse of the August Moon * 1/2 (1956) Marlon Brando, Glenn Ford. An Army captain's mission to bring American culture to Okinawa is complicated by the machinations of his interpreter. (CC) (DVS) 2:15. December 15 10:45pm.

Tenth Avenue Angel * 1/2 (1948) Margaret O'Brien, George Murphy. A street urchin keeps a young man from becoming a gangster and later saves her own mother's life. 1:30. December 14 10:30pm.

The Terminal Man * 1/2 (1974) George Segal, Joan Hackett. A man becomes a guinea pig involving electrode implanting when he suffers from blackouts which make him violent. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 16 2pm.

Thank Your Lucky Stars * 1/2 (1943) Eddie Cantor, Dinah Shore. A bus driver who looks like Eddie Cantor figures in some aspiring entertainers' plan to make their stage debut. (CC) 2:30. December 14 2:30am.

These Wilder Years * 1/2 (1956) James Cagney, Barbara Stanwyck. A wealthy businessman tries to find and reconcile with the son he abandoned 20 years before. 2:00. December 14 7pm.

The Thief of Bagdad * 1/2 (1924) Douglas Fairbanks Sr., Snitz Edwards. A lowly thief undertakes a series of tasks to win a princess in this silent version of the Arabian Nights classic. 2:30. December 13 2:30am.

The Thing *** (1982) Kurt Russell, A Wilford Brimley. An alien that can duplicate other life forms invades a polar research station in this remake of the 1951 classic. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 15 11:30pm.

Three Guys Named Mike * 1/2 (1951) Jane Wyman, Van Johnson. A pilot, a businessman and a scientist simultaneously compete for the affections of a stewardess. (CC) 2:00. December 12 5pm.

Till the Clouds Roll By *** (1946) Robert Walker, Judy Garland. Based upon the life of Jerome Kern, the composer who achieved fame and fortune as one of Broadway's greatest songwriters. (CC) 2:30. December 12 12:30pm.

Too Hot to Handle *** (1938) Clark Gable, Myrna Loy. Rival newsreel photographers head to the jungles of South America to locate an aviatrix's missing brother. 2:00. December 13 7am.

Total Recall *** (1990) Arnold Schwarzenegger, Rachel Ticotin. Recurring nightmares of the planet Mars lead a confused earthling into the center of an intergalactic conspiracy. 2:15. December 14 9:45pm.

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 10 12:30pm.

Trapped *** (1989) Kathleen Quinlan, Bruce Abbott. A businesswoman faces her worst nightmare when she is locked in a high-tech office building with a homicidal maniac. 2:00. December 14 12pm.

Tremors * 1/2 (1990) Kevin Bacon, Fred Ward. Two handymen and a seismology student battle giant carnivorous sandworms threatening small-town Nevada. (In Stereo) (CC) 2:00. December 10 5:30pm.

True Grit * 1/2 (1969) John Wayne, Glen Campbell. John Wayne won an Oscar as Rooster Cogburn, a lawman recruited by a teen seeking revenge on her father's murderer. 2:15. December 11 12:30am.

IN FOCUS



Hugh Dancy stars as the titular character in TNT's new adaptation of the Charles Dickens' classic David Copperfield, airing Sunday and Monday, Dec. 10 and 11. In 19th-century London, young David endures an unhappy childhood at the hands of a stern stepfather and an equally harsh aunt (Eileen Atkins). As David matures, he discovers a host of characters who act as his protectors, including Mr. Micawber and Mr. Wickfield (Michael Richards, Edward Hardwicke).

Turner & Hooch ★★½ (1989) Tom Hanks, Mare Winningham. A policeman's organized life is turned upside down after a slobbering dog becomes his only clue in a double murder. 2:00. December 10 9am.

Two Guys From Milwaukee ★★½ (1946) Dennis Morgan, Jack Carson. A missing prince turns up in Brooklyn and pals around with a cab driver from Milwaukee. 2:00. December 13 11pm.

Two Guys From Texas ★★½ (1948) Dennis Morgan, Jack Carson. Two vaudevillians stranded in Texas meet up with crooks and pretty girls. 1:30. December 14 1am.

Two Loves ★★½ (1961) Shirley MacLaine, Laurence Harvey. An American teacher's attempts to educate Maori children in New Zealand are complicated by a colleague's intentions. 2:00. December 10 2am.

Two Mothers for Zachary ★★ (1996) Valerie Bertinelli, Vanessa Redgrave. A woman faces the possibility of losing her son when her own mother claims she is an unfit parent and sues for custody. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 13 8pm; 16 2pm.

Two Weeks in Another Town ★★ (1962) Kirk Douglas, Edward G. Robinson. An actor on the skids almost turns up his nose at a new film offer when he learns it is an assistant producer job. (CC) 2:00. December 11 5am.

The Umbrellas of Cherbourg ★★ (1964) Catherine Deneuve, Nino Castelnuovo. A musical romance about a young shopgirl who becomes distraught when her lover departs for military service. 1:45. December 16 1am.

Undercurrent ★★½ (1946) Katharine Hepburn, Robert Taylor. A woman's dreams come true when she marries a wealthy man, but her happiness fades when she suspects him of insanity. 2:00. December 15 6:30am.

The Unknown Man ★★½ (1951) Walter Pidgeon, Ann Harding. A lawyer is upset to learn a man he defended, and who was acquitted, actually committed the crime he was tried for. 1:30. December 14 5:30pm.

Unlikely Angel ★★ (1996) Dolly Parton, Roddy McDowall. An angel is given the opportunity to earn her wings by bringing together a troubled family for the holidays. (CC) 2:00. December 14 2pm.

A Walk in the Sun ★★½ (1946) Dana Andrews, Richard Conte. American troops suffer heavy casualties as they try to take an Italian farmhouse from Axis forces. 2:00. December 10 6am.

Walking on Air ★★½ (1936) Gene Raymond, Ann Sothern. A young heiress concocts an elaborate scheme to change her father's opinion about the man she truly loves. 1:30. December 16 6:30am.

The Wedding Singer ★★ (1998) Adam Sandler, Drew Barrymore. A romantically unlucky wedding singer and a compassionate waitress search for true love during the 1980s. 2:00. December 10 5pm; 16 5pm.

When a Stranger Calls Back ★★½ (1993) Carol Kane, Charles Durning. A woman and the cop who saved her from a killer years ago join forces to help a student stalked by a phantom maniac. 2:00. December 12 12pm; 13 2am.

When Andrew Came Home (2000) Park Overall, Jason Beghe. A mother risks losing her new family when her son, who was kidnapped five years earlier, returns severely traumatized. (CC) 2:00. December 10 11am.

When the Vows Break ★★½ (1995) Patty Duke, Linda Danay. A housewife enters law school to handle her own appeal after a misogynist judge renders an unjust divorce settlement. (CC) 2:00. December 11 12pm.

Which Way is Up? ★★ (1977) Richard Pryor, Lonette McKee. Pryor plays three roles in this tale centered around a California fruit picker who

is transformed by greed. 2:00. December 15 2:30am.

The White Sister ★★½ (1933) Helen Hayes, Clark Gable. A grief-stricken noblewoman joins a convent after the man she loves is reported as a casualty of war. 2:00. December 10 5am.

Whose Daughter is She? (1995) Joanna Kerns, Stephanie Zimbalist. A woman stands to lose the two children she has raised when their natural mother returns after a 10-year absence. (CC) 2:00. December 12 12pm.

The Wild One ★★½ (1954) Marlon Brando, Mary Murphy. A small town is besieged by violence following the arrival of a rowdy gang of motor-

cyclists. 1:30. December 15 9:15pm.

Without Reservations ★★½ (1946) Claudette Colbert, John Wayne. Two footloose Marines share cross-country misadventures with a female novelist en route to Hollywood. 2:00. December 13 11am.

Woman of the Year ★★½ (1942) Spencer Tracy, Katharine Hepburn. The marriage between a political reporter and a sportswriter is strained by their devotion to their jobs. (CC) (DVS) 2:00. December 10 3pm.

The Women ★★½ (1939) Norma Shearer, Joan Crawford. Based on Clare Boothe Luce's play about the war of words waged among women, focusing on gossip, marriage and divorce.

Yes, Virginia, There is a Santa Claus (1991) Richard Thomas, Edward Asner. Inspired by the true story of journalist Frank P. Church's immortal response to an 8-year-old's Christmas inquiry. 2:00. December 16 10pm.

Young Guns II ★★½ (1990) Emilio Estevez, Kiefer Sutherland. Legendary outlaw Billy the Kid and his gang run for the Mexican border to escape Pat Garrett's posse. (In Stereo) 2:00. December 16 12pm.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 15

	7 AM	7:30	8 AM	8:30	9 AM	9:30	10 AM	10:30	11 AM	11:30	12 PM
22	Sesame Street		Barney	Zoboo	Dragon	Arthur	Calliou	Clifford-Red	Mr Rogers	Teletubbies	Body Elec.
23	Angela	Kids	Itsy Bitsy	CBN Special	700 Club		Itsy Bitsy	Itsy Bitsy	Rotten	Bobby	Donkey
24	Today						Housecalls	Judge Lane	Tell Truth	Change	Days-Lives
25	Bear	Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Bear	Pooh	PB & J Otter	Out of Bx	Rolie Polie	Madeline
26	DiffWorld	DiffWorld	Little House on the Prairie	Little House on the Prairie	Mama	Cosby	Matlock				Hunter
27	Good Morning America			Live With Regis	The View		Rosie O'Donnell				News
28	Early Show			Dr. Laura	Price is Right		Young and the Restless				News
29	Bus	Martha Stewart Living	Real Life	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Benny Hinn	Life in Word	Kenneth C.	Life Today	Divorce	
30	Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Sportscenter		Pro Bowl
31	Movie: The Whisperers	(:15) Movie: The Garden of Redemption ★½ 'PG-13'	(:15) Movie: Moonlighting Jeremy Irons. ★★½ 'PG'								Movie:
32	Movie: Ghostbusters Bill Murray. 'PG'	(:45) Movie: Collision Course Jay Leno. ★★ 'PG'	Movie: In the Line of Duty: Kidnapped								Movie:
33	Movie: Around-80 Day	Movie: One Good Cop Michael Keaton. (:45) Movie: Kimberly Gabrielle Anwar. 'R'									Breakdown
34	(6:30) Movie: ★★½ Undercurrent (1946)	Movie: The Body Disappears (1941) ★★	Movie: Main Street	Movie: The Bribe (1949). Ava Gardner ★★							
35	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Starky and Hutch	Starky and Hutch	Starky and Hutch	Starky and Hutch	Starky and Hutch	Starky and Hutch	Starky and Hutch	Waltons	
36	Paid Prog.	Renker	Assignment Discovery	Home Matters	Design		Christopher Lowell			Home	
37	Northern Exposure	L.A. Law		Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.		Night Court	Newsradio	Law & Order		
38	Designing	Designing	Murphy	Murphy	Golden Girls	Golden Girls	Unsolved Mysteries	Lifetime Live			Movie:
39	Sports	National Sports Report	Sports	Geniuses	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Paid Prog.	Nutt
40	Lois & Clark-Superman	ER		ER			Movie: The Four Seasons (1981) Alan Alda. ★★★				Movie:
41	Thornberrys	Rugrats	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Little Bill	Franklin	Dora	Maggie	Little Bear	Blue's Clues	Kipper
42	Burnett	Burnett	Something	Hearts Afire	Jesse	Ned-Stagey	Wings	Wings	Veronicas	Working	Larroquette
43	(6:00) Despierta America			Cuento de Navidad			Pobre Diable				Siempre
44	Civil War Journal	Weapons at War		20th Century			True Action	Great Blind	FBI-Story	Crimes	Black Sheep
45	Sightings	Sentinel		DarkShad	Crossing	Dark Skies			Dark Skies		Dark Skies
46	Clueless	Charles	Parent	Wayans	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	MacGyver		Matlock		News
	12:30	1 PM	1:30	2 PM	2:30	3 PM	3:30	4 PM	4:30	5 PM	5:30
47	Sewing	Painting	Fine Art	Nature		Wishbone	Reading	Clifford-Red	Dragon	Arthur	Lions
48	Mega Bab.	Candy	Kids	Jack Frost			Movie: Like Father, Like Santa (1998) Gary Coleman.			Night Before Christmas	
49	Days-Lives	Passions		Montel Williams		Men Are From Mars	Oprah Winfrey			News	NBC News
50	Rupert	GrowPains	GrowPains	Totally	Famous	Emperors	BoyWorld	Jersey	Even	Famous	BoyWorld
51	Hunter	Movie: A Christmas Story (1983) Peter Billingsley. ★★★	Cosby Show	Cosby Show	Full House	Full House	Roseanne	Roseanne			
52	Jeopardy!	One Life to Live	General Hospital	Maury		Brown	Judge Judy	News	ABC News		
53	Bold & B.	As the World Turns	Guiding Light	Sally		Hollywood	Family Feud	News	CBS News		
54	Attorney	Roseanne	Mad	Grace Under Nanny	Digimon	Rangers	X-Men	Digimon	Simpsons	3rd Rock	
55	Pro Bowl	Outside the Lines	Motorcycle Racing	Motorcycle Racing	NFL's Great.	Up Close	Sportscenter				
56	(12:00) Movie: Malaika	(:45) Movie: Double-O-Kid Corey Haim. ★★ 'PG-13'	Movie: Time Chasers Matthew Bruch. ★½	Movie: Amos & Andrew							
57	(12:00) Movie: Another Stakeout 'PG-13'	Movie: Practical Magic Sandra Bullock. ★★ 'PG-13'	Movie: Ghostbusters (1984) Bill Murray, Dan Aykroyd.								
58	(12:00) Movie: Starman Jeff Bridges. 'PG'	Movie: Searching for Bobby Fischer Joe Mantegna.	(3:50) Movie: Best Defense ★½ 'R'	Movie:							
59	Movie: Bribe	Movie: Cause for Alarm (1951) Loretta Young. ★★½	Movie: The Scapegoat (1959) Alec Guinness. ★★★	Movie: Postman Rings							
60	Waltons	Bloopers-Jokes	McCoys	Alice	Dukes of Hazzard	Waltons				Starky and Hutch	
61	Home	Design	Christopher Lowell	Epicurious	Epicurious	Your New House				Wild Discovery	
62	Law & Order	Northern Exposure	L.A. Law	Murder, She Wrote	Magnum, P.I.		Night Court	Newsradio			
63	(12:00) Movie: Criminal Justice (1990)	Movie: If You Believe (1999) Ally Walker. ★★½	Murphy	Murphy	Golden Girls	Golden Girls					
64	Nutt	Cowboys	Olda. St.	Ok. Sooners	Slant	Big 12 Show	World Sport	Bluetorch TV		Geniuses	NBA Action
65	(12:00) Movie: Dinner at Eight (1989)	Duke South		Pat Factor: Chronicles	Pensacola: Wings of Gold	ER					
66	Franklin	Doug	Doug	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	Catdog	U Pick	Pinky	Thornberrys
67	Doctor	Movie: Firewalker (1986) Chuck Norris. ★★		Baywatch		Martin	Martin	Walker, Texas Ranger			
68	Siempre	La Casa en la Playa	El Gordo y la Flaca	Cristina		Primer Impacto		El Biablazo	Noticiero		
69	Black Sheep	History	History IQ	20th Century		True Action	Great Blind	FBI-Story	Crimes	Black Sheep Squadron	
70	Dark Skies	Dark Skies	Dark Skies	Quantum Leap		Xena: Warrior Princess	Sliders				
71	News	Caroline	Caroline	Change	Street	Fam. Mat.	Fam. Mat.	7th Heaven		Full House	Clueless
	6 PM	6:30	7 PM	7:30	8 PM	8:30	9 PM	9:30	10 PM	10:30	11 PM
72	NewsHour With Jim Lehrer	Wash. Week	Wall St.	Served	Wait for God	Time Goes	Keeping Up	Charlie Rose		NewsHour	
73	Santa Is Coming to Town	Movie: Richie Rich's Christmas Wish (1998)		Early Edition				700 Club		Fearing	
74	News	Ent. Tonight	Providence	Dateline		Law & Order		News	(:35) Tonight Show		
75	Heartbeat	Movie: The Paper Brigade ★★½ 'PG'	Movie: Mom's Got a Date-Vampire	MusicVids				Heartbeat	So Weird	Zorro	
76	Fresh Pr.	Fresh Pr.	(:05) Movie: Splash (1984) Tom Hanks, Daryl Hannah. ★★★	(:20) Movie: A League of Their Own (1992) ★★							
77	News	Fortune	Two Guys	Dot Comedy	Norm	Madigan	20/20	News	Sinfeld	Nightline	
78	News	Home Imp.	Figure Skating	CSI: Crime Scn	Nash Bridges		News	(:35) Late Show			
79	Spin City	Real TV	First Family's Holiday Gift	Christmas Moments	M*A*S*H	M*A*S*H	Frazier	Cops	Voyager		
80	Best of Up Close	NHL Hockey Detroit Red Wings at Colorado Avalanche					Sportscenter				
81	Movie: Amos & Andrew	Movie: Double Jeopardy Tommy Lee Jones. ★★★ 'R'	Stargate	(:45) Outer Limits	Beggars and Choosers						
82	Inside the NFL	Movie: Kickboxer (1989), Denis Alexio 'R'	Movie: Universal Soldier: The Return 'R'	(:15) Real Sex 25	Movie:						
83	(5:30) Movie: Beautiful Joe	(:15) Movie: Laws of Deception C. Thomas Howell. 'NR'	Movie: Entrapment Sean Connery. ★★ 'PG-13'								
84	Movie: Postman Rings	Movie: A Streetcar Named Desire (1951) ★★	(:15) Movie: The Wild One (1954) ★★½	Movie: Teahouse-Aug.							
85	Martial Law	Championship Rodeo	RollerJam	Motor Madness	Martial Law	Rodeo					
86	Wild Discovery	On the Inside	News	Unknown	Hospital	Justice Files					
87	Law & Order	Biography	Competition	Poirot		Law & Order					
88	Intimate Portrait	Unsolved Mysteries	Figure Skating Cup of Russia			Once and Again					
89	Football	Last Word	SW Sports	Start	Football	Cowboys	Goin' Deep		National Sports Report	Sports	
90	Pretender	Movie: David Copperfield (2000) Michael Richards.	Movie: David Copperfield (2000) Michael Richards.								
91	Hey Arnold!	Rugrats	U Pick	U Pick Nicktoons	Facts of Life	Facts of Life	3's Co.	3's Co.	All in Family		
92	JAG	Nash Bridges		Movie: Kindergarten Cop (1990) Arnold Schwarzenegger. ★★					Farmclub.com		
93	Locura de Amor	Mujeres Enganadas		Estamos	Lente Loco	P. Impacto	Noticiero		QueNosPa		
94	History	History IQ	American History Quiz	This Week in History	Haunted History: Ghosts	Secrets-Dinosaur Hunters	History Quiz				
95	Babylon 5	Invisible Man	Movie: The Langoliers (1995) Patricia Wettig. ★★	Invisible Man							
96	Fresh Pr.	Suddenly	Movie: Days of Thunder (1990) Tom Cruise. ★★½	Hawaii Five-0					In the Heat of the Night	Darkside	

TV PIPELINE

Lamas' latest now airing in syndication

By Taylor Michaels
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Q: Whatever happened to the Lorenzo Lamas series *The Immortal* that was supposed to premiere this fall? And was *Amazon* canceled? -Mark Hullinger via e-mail.

A: *The Immortal* began airing in October, but it is entirely possible no channel in your market is carrying this syndicated series. Yes, *Amazon* was canceled because of low ratings.

Q: As a little girl, I remember hearing about a comedian named George Gobel. How old is he now? -Rhonda in Columbia, Ill.

A: Most baby boomers and their parents fondly remember the Emmy-winning comic, who died at age 71 following surgery in 1991. The former child star from Chicago developed a laid-back, slightly morose style that earned him the nickname Lonesome George. "Did you ever feel like the whole world is a black tuxedo and you're a pair of brown shoes?" he once commented on *The Tonight Show*. When surprised, he would react with a mild "Well, I'll be a dirty bird."

Although he made a number of guest appearances, he is best remembered today, perhaps, for his work as Mayor Otis Harper Jr. on TV's *Harper Valley P.T.A.* and his appearances on *Hollywood Squares*.

Q: I enjoyed your comments regarding *Ballykissangel*. During a visit to Ireland last summer, we toured the area where the show had been filmed. The tour guide said it was generally true to life in the villages. She also told us they had decided not to film new episodes since some people had left the cast. -Gayle Miller, Fairbanks, Alaska.

A: Thanks for the update, Gayle, although fans of the show will be sad to hear no new episodes are coming.

Q: Whatever happened to Mailla Nurmi, better known as Vampira?



Lorenzo Lamas

-James John O'Shea, Redwood City, Calif.

A: Nurmi, who turns 79 this month, was discovered by filmmaker Howard Hawks, who planned to groom her as another Lauren Bacall, whom she resembled. Instead, the wasp-waisted Finnish actress languished mainly in B films, including Ed Wood's notorious *Plan 9 From Outer Space*.

Nurmi - who once sued Cassandra Peterson, claiming Peterson's "Elvira, Mistress of the Dark" character was a Vampire rip-off - recently came out of retirement to appear in *I Woke Up Early the Day I Died*, a 1998 dialogue-free movie from a script by Wood, who tried without success to get the film made during his lifetime. Despite the presence of Billy Zane, Sandra Bernhard, Steven Weber, Christina Ricci, Ron Perlman and a host of other stars, director Aris Iliopoulos still hasn't found a distributor for the film.

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TRIVIA

On her final audition for Broadway's *Carousel*, Audra McDonald fainted during a song. She went on to earn the role and win a Tony Award.

TRIVIA

For Gregory Hines, showbiz was just part of the family business. His family had a tap dancing act called "Hines, Hines and Dad."

