



## NIGHT OWL LISTINGS

FROM 2:30 a.m. to 6:00 a.m.

- Senior PGA Golf Las Vegas Classic. First round from Las Vegas (R).
- 3:35 **MOVIE:** The Rookie (Action, ESP, 1990) A rookie cop and his tough partner battle an auto-theft ring. *Charlie Sheen, Don E. Williams.*
- 4:00 **SS:** Hava K2: a rival of Mount Everest for the tallest mountain in the world.
- MOVIE:** Meet Danny Wilson (Drama, 1952) A singer tries to make it stand in the way of his success. *Frank Sinatra, Shirley Ross.*
- WCW Main Event**

- MOVIE:** The Last Picture Show (Drama, 1971) A man comes of age in a small Texas town in the 1950s. *Timothy Bottoms, Jeff Bridges.*
- SPORTS:** Life With Jim Huber
- MOVIE:** Moby (Comedy, 1950) A family living in the Bronx copes with the problems of everyday life. *Gertrude Berg, Philip Love.*
- 4:30 **MOVIE:** The Jungle Book Adventure (1967) A child wanders from home and is raised by jungle animals. (Animated) *G.*
- 4:40 **MOVIE:** Savage Beach (Action,

- 1990) Killers and phony naval intelligence officers battle for hidden gold. *Dina Spini, Hove Marie Carston.*
- 5:00 **MOVIE:** Carnival of Souls (Mystery, 1962) A woman is stalked by two mysterious phantoms. *Candace Hillgoss, Sidney Berger.*
- SPORTS:** Sports Lightsight
- INDY 500:** A Race for Heroes
- 5:30 **Special Edition:** We Are the World: The Impact of Stereotyping and Prejudice are Examined
- 5:40 **Mr. Bean:** Mr. Bean gets involved in humorous adventures.



His L.A. law days firmly behind him, Harry Hamlin plays an anguished Utah gunman in *Deliver Them From Evil: The Taking of Alta View*, a suspenseful drama airing Tuesday on CBS. Teri Garr also stars.

### 'Alta View' role appeals to Hamlin

Actor pursues diversity of roles and interests

By Steven Alan McGraw

Susan Dey announced her retirement from NBC's *L.A. Law*, then changed her mind in a matter of weeks. Jimmy Smits left the show, but now makes periodic returns. Viewers should not, however, expect the same from Harry Hamlin, known for five years as attorney Michael Kozak in the series.

Hamlin wants to be challenged in his acting, saying he turned down "a plethora of offers" to play the same type of character in other vehicles.

"I left *L.A. Law*," the actor says emphatically, "so I wouldn't have to play him anymore."

The role Hamlin did accept was that

of Richard Worthington in *Deliver Them From Evil: The Taking of Alta View*, airing Tuesday, April 28, on CBS. Worthington was the anguished gunman who entered a Salt Lake City hospital vowing to slay the doctor who performed his wife's tubal ligation. He ultimately held the entire maternity ward hostage for 18 hours. The film also stars Teri Garr as levelheaded nurse Susan Woolley and Terry O'Quinn as negotiator Sgt. Don Bell.

In preparing to portray Worthington, Hamlin says he watched hours of TV coverage of the case, and then he hit the road, taking with him "about 25 pounds of transcripts" from police reports, depositions, etc. "I drove from L.A. to Salt Lake City," Hamlin recalls. "Along the way, I'd stop in little towns,

take a sleazy motel room and just sit and read through the transcripts. By the time I got there, I was Richard Worthington."

Besides looking for intriguing film and TV work, Hamlin keeps busy in a variety of ways. He recently participated in a staged reading of Henrik Ibsen's *Ghosts* and devotes much his time to promoting aneutronic fusion, which Hamlin describes as a "completely clean, environmentally safe form of energy production." The actor is a lifelong science buff, the son of a rocket scientist who worked with Werner von Braun, and speaks with authority on fusion. He adds, "We're trying to raise a few hundred million dollars, so if you have some extra cash ..."

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