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6:00	News	News	News	News	Bonaventure Travel	CBS News	News	MacNeil Lehrer News	News	News	Wonder Woman	Heroes: Patton
6:15	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Football Inside
6:30	Hollywood Squares	Family Feud	Tic Tac Dough	P.M. Magazine	MacNeil Lehrer	PM Magazine	Family Feud	"	Happy Days Again	Tic Tac Dough	"	"
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7:00	Games People Play	ABC Movie: "The Bad News Bears Go"	Games People Play	The Magic Of David Copperfield	Every Four Years	The Magic Of David Copperfield	ABC Movie: "The Bad News Bears Go"	Governor's Report	ABC Movie: "The Bad News Bears Go"	Games People Play	Rockford Files	The NFL
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8:00	NBC Movie: "Rage"	To Japan	NBC Movie: "Rage"	CBS Movie: "A Rumor Of War" Part 2	Governor's Report	CBS Movie: "A Rumor Of War" Part 2	To Japan	Righteous Apples Camera Three	To Japan	NBC Movie: "Rage"	Movie: "Washington Behind"	Concord: Airport '79"
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Thursday Specials

AFTERNOON

12:00 **15** TO SAY I AM A focus on the latest technology allowing children and adults who are speechless due to severe physical handicaps to communicate and receive a quality education is presented.

EVENING

6:00 **HBO** HEROES: PATTON -- THE MAN BEHIND THE MYTH The personal letters and diaries of the revered and feared World War II general George Patton present the legendary military figure in a new light.

7:00 **7 11** THE MAGIC OF DAVID COPPERFIELD Master magician David Copperfield performs feats of illusion. Guests include Jack Klugman, Debby Boone, Mary Crosby, Louis Nye, Shimada and Cindy Williams.

15 GOVERNOR'S REPORT
8:00 **8** GOVERNOR'S REPORT Governor Bill Clements reports to the people of Texas on recent events and issues confronting the state government.

39 WASHINGTON BEHIND CLOSED DOORS An explosive expose of political intrigue, espionage, conspiracy and corruption is based on former Nixon White House aide John Ehrlichman's bestseller "The Company." (Part 1 of 6)

11:30 **8** WOOD IS TOO GOOD TO BURN An examination of the new uses being made of one of our nation's renewable resources is presented.

Thursday Sports

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Thursday Movies

AFTERNOON

3:00 **13** ★★½ "Jigsaw" (1968) Harry Guardino, Hope Lange. Based on a novel by Howard Fast. A scientist drugged by a jealous co-worker "sees" the corpse of a dead girl which later vanishes.

4:30 **HBO** "Hot Stuff" (1979) Dom DeLuise, Suzanne Pleshette, Jerry Reed. Three undercover police officers open their own "fencing" operation to get the goods on petty thieves who are cashing in on stolen items. (PG-1 hr., 27 min.)

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7:00 **3 13 24** ★★ "The Bad News Bears Go To Japan" (1978) Tony Curtis, Chris Barnes. A greedy agent decides to grab all of the profits he can from a little league baseball team's trip to a tournament in the Far East.

7:30 **HBO** "The Concorde: Airport '79" (1979) Alain Delon, Susan Blakely, George Kennedy. To stop his illegal side activities from being exposed by a reporter, an industrialist masterminds several attacks on the Concorde jet she is traveling aboard. (PG-1 hr., 54 min.)

8:00 **2 6 86** "Rage" (Premiere) David Soul, James Whitmore. A convicted rapist is assigned to a program designed to reform offenders by teaching them to vent their anger in a socially acceptable manner.

7 11 "A Rumor Of War" (Premiere) Brad Davis, Keith Carradine. Battle-hardened and embittered Caputo takes part in a seemingly futile operation and winds up being charged with the murders of two Vietnamese civilians. (Part 2)

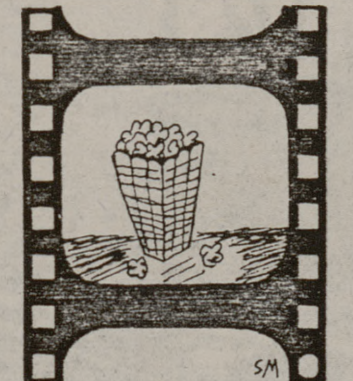
10:30 **HBO** "Thunderball" (1965) Sean Connery, Adolfo Celi. Secret agent James Bond tries to stop a master criminal's plan

Bandit II not arty but will make money

Since "Smokey and the Bandit II," a pure entertainment film, won't win any awards, I propose the Academy of Motion Pictures create a new category for its next Oscar ceremony — best "non-artistic" film of the year.

Some of the best films every year go unrecognized because their producers don't stress film as literary visual art, but as a vehicle for entertainment, sort of the comic books of movies.

"Smokey II" fits in this category, and just like "Animal House" and "Caddyshack," it will be ignored because the subject isn't concerned



with life's great conflicts: child custody, unionization of industries, et al.

Instead "Smokey II" is a lesson in how to ship an elephant from Florida to Texas, without getting arrested in the process. Real heavy material.

From the absolute start of the movie (don't be late for this one) to the last credit roll (and definitely don't leave early), "Smokey and the Bandit II" creates fun-loving moods and high speed motion.

Burt Reynolds once again stars to collect a huge ransom by threatening Miami with destruction by two hijacked nuclear bombs. (PG-2 hrs., 10 min.)

11:00 **7** ★★½ "Of Human Hearts" (1938) Walter Huston, James Stewart. During the Civil War, Abe Lincoln recites a lesson in morality to a young doctor who forgets his roots and neglects his mother.

as the Bandit, a free-wheeling showman and owner of the real beauty of the movie — a 1980 turbo Trans Am, painted the legendary black and gold.

And the Smokey is a lawman out

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to get the Bandit, who's thwarted him before — at least in the first movie. Jackie Gleason plays the sun-glassed, pot-bellied Texas sheriff with Southern-fried perfection.

The rest of Bandit's group include Sally Fields as his sensible girlfriend, but somehow she comes across as a self-righteous ninny. Rounding out the originals is Jerry Reed, who once-again plays a good-hearted, humorous trucker better than anyone else can.

They hit the Southern roads to ship the elephant, named Charlotte and the subject of the Statler Brother's hit song "Charlotte's Web," to Dallas in time for the Republican Convention. And of course the Smokey, with his idiot son-deputy, are in Florida (don't ask why) to stop them.

The heroes even add another passenger for the trip — an Italian doctor, well-played by Dom DeLuise, to help care for Charlotte, who seems to be having some medical problems.

The rather wordy soundtrack never stops, but it's not really a hindrance. The music, which flows with the action, is led by Reed, who is still a refreshing country singer.

But this movie, which has some good acting, great chase action and an off-beat finale, won't win anything, while the technically brilliant "The Shining" and the realistic portrayals of "Urban Cowboy" probably will receive artistic recognition.

Not that Reynolds is really bothered by all of it. He, like other actors and producers of "low art" films, can cry all the way to bank, if not the winner's circle.

— KATHLEEN McELROY

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Calvin
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Sunday Specials

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