





# An Upgraded Emergency Medical Service Boosted

In recent years, dramatic advances in life-support equipment and in the medical treatment of victims of accidents and sudden illness have resulted in a revolution in emergency medical care. According to John Murphy, Assistant Director of the Emergency Medical Services Division, Texas Department of Health Resources, Texas is one of the states leading the revolution.

Murphy explains that emergency medical services can be divided into three categories: "One is just a transport system, to transfer the patient from the scene to the hospital," he says. That kind of service is still being provided by many private ambulance companies, primarily in rural areas of the state. "Then we have the basic life-support systems with well-trained attendants on a properly-equipped ambulance," Murphy says. Such services are generally provided either by private companies or by city- or county-owned ambulance services. Finally, Murphy says, "The advanced life-support system has even more sophisticated equip-

ment and a much higher level of training of the attendants -- the paramedics."

Paramedics, after several hundred hours of classroom and practical instruction, can do almost anything on the scene of an accident that a doctor would be able to do there. Murphy says, "With direct ambulance-to-hospital communication, via radio or telephone telemetry, the paramedic at the order of the physician in the emergency room, can defibrillate (electrically shock the heart to restore proper rhythm), can start I.V.'s (intravenous injection of drugs), can administer anti-arrhythmic cardiac drugs, taking the 'emergency room on wheels' to the patient." Many paramedics think of themselves as "the doctor's 'hands' on the scene."

As might be expected, starting and operating a full-fledged emergency medical service is no easy task. Murphy says that there are seven or eight such systems in Texas now: in Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, and Odessa among the major cities, as well as a city-county system in Victoria. The smallest community supporting a full-fledged

EMS is Luling, with approximately 2,900 people. City-operated ambulance services in Abilene, Lubbock, and Austin, among others, are moving rapidly toward the paramedic concept.

Where populations are so sparse that a full-fledged EMS operation is impractical, much interest has developed in the concept of "stabilization centers," Murphy explains. "A stabilization center can be a

store-front or a small hospital clinic where the patient can be taken for stabilization before transport to a large medical center for more definitive care." At a stabilization center, he says, "the first emergency treatment is given. Bleeding is stopped, hemorrhaging is controlled, I.V.'s can be started, thus giving the patient a much longer time for safe transport to a definitive medical center."

Any community that wishes to upgrade its emergency medical services, either in the form of a stabilization center or an improved ambulance system, will find ready partners at both the state and federal levels. However, Murphy emphasizes, the help available is limited.

"We will help them organize and plan," Murphy explains, but, "unfortunately, there are no state or federal funds available for continued support. Once a program is established in the

community, it becomes their responsibility to carry on."

The cost, he says, is not immoderate. "It takes two injections of money. The start-up costs, and then the carrying-on costs: approximately two dollars per capita (annually) for the on-going work," Murphy says. "We have found that communities as small as 30,000 can adequately support the advanced life-support system and the stabilization center concept."

The primary benefit of an upgraded emergency medical

service is, of course, the saving of lives. Well-trained attendants responding quickly with sophisticated equipment have not only saved thousands of lives, but have prevented serious illnesses or injuries from becoming life-long disabilities.

In addition, Murphy says, another benefit is coming to be recognized. He explains, "we look forward to a time down the road when perhaps this might have some bearing on insurance rates." He says that state authorities would like to see insurance companies develop

"key rates" for life-and-or health insurance, just as they do for fire insurance and other kinds of insurance, but with the rates based on the availability of the different levels of emergency medical care.

Whether or not Texans ultimately receive reduced insurance rates, there's no doubt that they are already receiving the benefit of vastly improved medical care when an emergency strikes, thanks in part to the Emergency Medical Services Division of the Texas Department of Health Resources.

## Farm-facts

A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

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John C. White, Commissioner

The Worst Is Yet To Be... Down Again... Crying Time Again... Don't Forget.

Screwworm infestations are expected to be increasing throughout the state from now through summer. Recent rains, lack of a cold winter, and warmer weather are all reasons for the expected onslaught of screwworm problems this season.

Fly officials at the fly laboratory in Mission continue to urge livestock producers to:

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THE MAY 1 CATTLE ON FEED report shows that the number of cattle in feedlots in the state is down four per cent from a month ago, even though it is 51 per cent above a year ago.

In the seven major feeding states, cattle feedlot numbers were up 35 per cent from last year's record low number.

The number of cattle on feed in Texas as of May 1 was 1,603,000.

TEXAS' SPRING ONION CROP prospects are up again. Based on May 1 prospects, the forecast is 45 percent above a year ago and three per cent more than the April 1 projection.

The state's summer onion crop is estimated to be 6,600 acres for harvest; this is 27 per cent above the 5,200 acres harvested last season.

The 6,600 acres for harvest include both crops in the Trans-Pecos and on the High Plains but excludes late onion varieties that will be harvested after July 1 in South Texas.

CITRUS PRODUCTION for the state based on May 1 projections is 47 per cent above the small crop of 11,800,000 boxes produced last season, the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service notes.

Grapefruit production is expected to total 11,000,000 boxes, or 51 per cent more than last season. Early and mid-season oranges are estimated to be 30 per cent above last year, while Valencia oranges are forecast to be 61 per cent higher than last year.

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# Miss Schuster, Hunt United In Marriage



Mrs. David Hunt

United in marriage were Miss Katherine Kay Schuster and David Warren Hunt, on May 29, at 7:30 p.m., in the First Baptist Church, of Muleshoe. Performing the double-ring ceremony was Assistant Pastor, N. Lee Hunt.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Schuster of Muleshoe. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. N. Lee Hunt of Hurst.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal length gown of ivory organza, fashioned with a high Victorian neckline of scalloped Valence lace sleeves were long slender lace with a ruffle at the wrist. The deep oval lace yoke was edged with a ruffle of lace, accenting the princess line silhouette which extended into a full chapel length train. The hemline was formed with a deep ruffle of the skirt of train. Valpoint lace held her mantilla. Atop her prayer book, she carried the bride's bouquet "Peach Blush" of sonja roses, stephanotis, Enchantment lilies, Woben Abby and Valeria roses, Gypsophilia and spring-eria.

The couple pledged vows among Cathedral and tree candleabrum with arrangements of Sonya and tropicanna roses, Gerber daisies and Enchantment lilies at the altar. Banks of greenery and flowers bordered. Aisle markers accented with the brides chosen colors were used in the aisles of the main sanctuary.

Serving the bride as Maid of Honor was Betsy Lavender of Azle. Bridesmaids were Debbie Brook of Amarillo Mrs. Alec Schuster, of Muleshoe; Miss Carolyn Hunt, of Hurst and Miss Barbara Hawthorne of Andrews.

The bride's attendants wore formal length gowns of apricot floral print organza, fashioned with a deep "V" neckline with butterfly sleeves, forming a cape effect; with a softly gathered a-line skirt. The head pieces were ripple brimmed picture hats with Londonderry trim of roses, daisies and Gypsophilia. They carried fingertip garden

bouquets. (Caprice) of Valeria and Sonya roses with Gypsophilia and apricot to flame accents.

Filling the duties as best man was Hugo Macino of Buenos Aires, Argentina. Groomsmen were Cecil Johnson of Corpus Christi; Paul Newberry, of Plainview; Alec Schuster of Muleshoe; and Berry Feriend of Olton. Ushers were Randy Walker, of Brownwood; George Atkinson, of Dallas; Arvin Gowens, of Lubbock; and Jim Bishop, of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Music selections were Proverbs 31, "What Love Is" and "Our Prayer". The soloists were Katha Doole, Jan and Larry Newberry, Paul Newberry and Berry Feriend, accompanied by Judy Howell, on the organ.

The reception following the wedding was held at the Fellowship Hall of the First Baptist Church. The bride's table was covered with silk organza over Poie de soie with handmade iredicent bello sequins and bows of peach poie de doie held the traditional bride's cake. Brass appointments with twin arrangements of elegance carnations, sonja, flame, Woben Abby, roses, Gerber Daisies, Killion Daisies and Gypsophilia. Members of the house party were Letty Bishop, Jane Green registered the guests, Diane Morelock, Debbie Ellis, Debbie Welch, Enid Slaughter, and Derind Rains.

The groom's table was brown with apricot overlay, accented with brown braid. Brass appointments with Tropicanna Roses and Peach to Valeria carnations. The double ring chocolate cake nestled in an arrangement of greenery.

The couple went to New Mexico on their wedding trip. They will reside at Hamilton after June 3.

The bride's traveling outfit was a three piece tailored suit of yellow gaberdine with top stitching, with a long sleeved white blouse. He going away corsage was tri-shade roses from her bride's bouquet.

The bride is a 1976 graduate of Howard Payne University, Mu Sigma Theta, Student Foundation, Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, Howard Payne University Band, Drum Majorette and Flag Captain and 1975 Band Sweetheart. The groom is a senior at Howard Payne University, Phi Mu Alpha, Music and Youth Director at First Baptist Church, at Hamilton and HPU Heritage Singers.

Rehearsal Party was a mexican dinner at El Huasteco Cafe in Muleshoe. The main table was decorated up with Mule pinatas in and among a floral arrangement of vivid Mexican colors. The couple's gifts were hung from the ceiling and floral arrangements surrounded them.

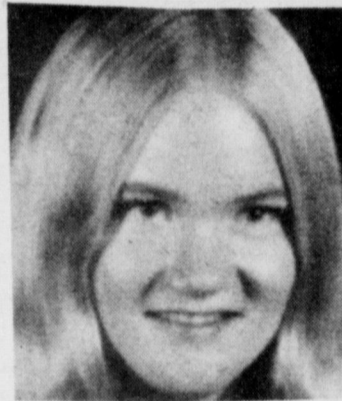


Billie Jo Calaway

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Calaway of Friona are the proud parents of a new baby girl born May 27, 1976, at 2:51 p.m., in the West Plains Medical Center of Muleshoe. She weighed six pounds and was named Billie Jo. She is the couple's first child.

### Kandal Kenae Derrick

Mr. and Mrs. Edward L. Derrick, of Dimmitt, are the proud parents of a new baby girl born May 27, 1976, at 5:29 p.m., in the West Plains Medical Center of Muleshoe. The baby weighed six pounds, eight ounces and was named Kandal Kenae. She is the couple's second child.



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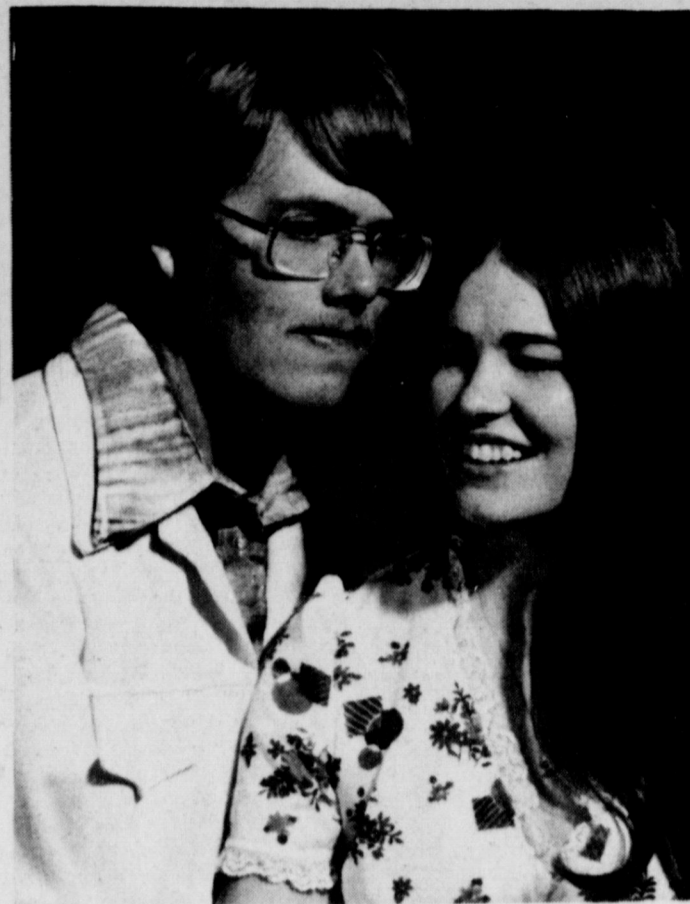
### Graduates In Kansas

Shawnda Lynn Phipps was graduated from Stanton County High School at Johnson, Kansas during Bicentennial exercises held in the High School Gymnasium on May 17. Baccalaureate services were held at the High School Auditorium Sunday evening May 16.

She attended the Muleshoe Schools for ten years, and Stanton County High one year, moving to Johnson year year ago from Muleshoe. She is married to Monty Phipps formerly of Muleshoe, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turner of Muleshoe.

Attending from the Muleshoe area were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Turner, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh A. Gore of Circle Back.

The first sign of intelligence is to appreciate those who don't agree with you.



**JULY WEDDING SET . . .** Mr. and Mrs. Don Waters of Hereford announce the engagement of their daughter, Teresa Joan, to Michael Roberts Grimsley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Grimsley, of Hereford, and formerly of Muleshoe. Wedding date has been set for July 31, at Temple Baptist Church in Hereford. Miss Waters is a 1974 graduate of Hereford High School and is a Medical Technology major at WTSU. Grimsley is a 1973 graduate of Muleshoe High School and a 1975 graduate of South Plains College and is employed with Jake Diehl Dirt and Paving in Hereford. Grimsley is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Grimsley of Muleshoe.



**COUPLE PLANS AUGUST WEDDING . . .** Mr. and Mrs. Willis James of Lariat announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shelby, to David Bray, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Bray of Abernathy. Miss James is a 1973 graduate of Abernathy High School. She has attended Texas Tech and plans to begin nursing school in the fall. Bray is a 1971 graduate of Abernathy. He attended Lubbock Christian College and South Plains College. He is presently employed by the FMC Corporation-Peerless Pump Division in Muleshoe. The couple plan to marry on Saturday, August 7, at 7:00 p.m. in the First Methodist Church at Abernathy. Following the wedding trip, they plan to reside in Muleshoe.

## Bible School Starts, May 30

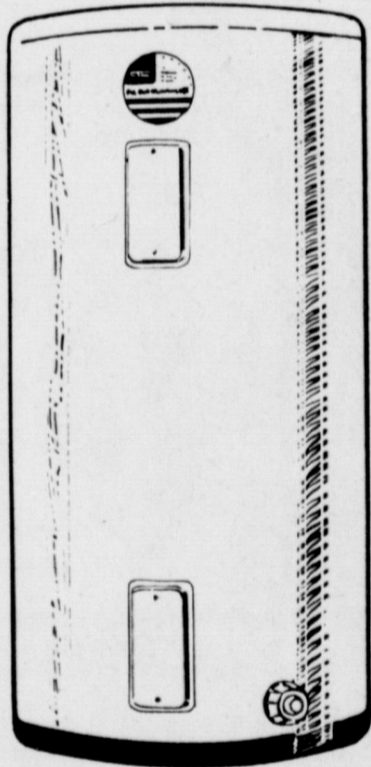
The date for the Vacation Bible School of the Muleshoe Church of Christ has arrived. The teen classes begin Sunday night, May 30, at 7:30 and will end Thursday. The remaining classes meet Monday morning from 9:30 - 11:30, through Friday, June 4.

Ladies will be with Georgia Lowe in the morning. Classes are based on grades for 1976-77 school year. During three morning assemblies the puppeteers will present skits illustrating the lessons of the day.

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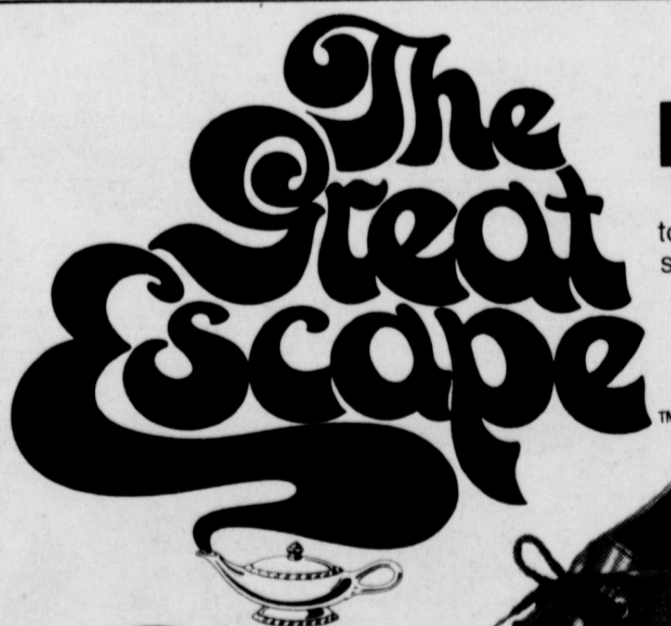
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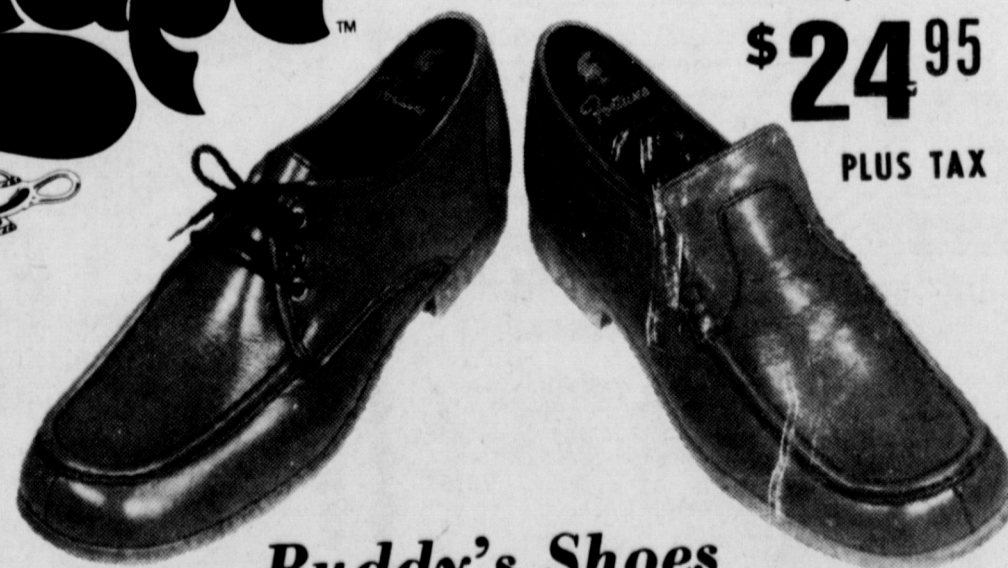
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# Miss Ray, Newcomer Repeat Vows



Mrs. Ray Newcomer

Miss Georgia Ray exchanged double-ring wedding vows with Eddie Newcomer May 23, 1976 in the home of the bride's parents. Performing the ceremony, was the bridegroom's brother, Larry Newcomer, of Houston.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray of Sudan and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newcomer of Ackerly.

The couple was married before an archway entwined with greenery and daisies. Judy Lynch played love songs at the piano while the guests were arriving, and the traditional processional. Art Lynch and Vickie Short, sister of the bride, sang "Twelfth of Never" and following the vows, they sang "We've Only Just Begun".

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white tissue-weight organza gown, flocked with petite forget-me-nots and styled with a deep "U" neckline and mirrored blouson sleeves. The bodice was accented with a feminine sash, bowed at the back waist. A double ruffle flounce bordered the hemline. She also wore a veiled bridal hat covered in nylon illusion trailing to the waist. The bride carried a bridal bouquet of daisies, centered with a white orchid atop a white Bible. Something old and blue was the garter her mother had worn at her wedding; something new, her wedding dress; and something borrowed, car rings from her sister. She also wore pennies minted in the years of

The bride is a 1972 graduate of Sudan High School and a 1976 graduate of Texas Tech University. The groom graduated from Sands High School, Texas Tech University, and is employed with an accounting firm in Odessa where the couple will live.

Leaving for their honeymoon to Honolulu, Hawaii, the bride wore a white pant suit, trimmed in green, accented with green accessories.

Out-of-town guests attending were Walter Damron and Ruby Garner of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newcomer and Kay of

Ackerly; Mr. and Mrs. Euel Blocker, Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Newcomer, Houston; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nichols, Stevenville; Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Hambrick, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Claud Damron, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Williams, Hereford; Alexis Anderson, Shallowater; Connie Miller, Brownfield; Mr.

Blocker, Miss Kay Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Newcomer, Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Hambrick, Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Newcomer, and Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Nichols.



Miss Jamie Washington

## Miss Washington Feted At Shower

Miss Jamie Washington of Friona, bride-elect of C.L. Myers, was feted with a Gift Tea, Sunday, May 23, in the home of Mrs. Dean Spraberry. Receiving guests through the afternoon were Miss Washington, her mother, Mrs. Faye Washington from Lubbock and Mrs. Clayton Myers, mother of the prospective groom. Mrs. Davis Luna, sister of the prospective groom also attended as a special guest.

Presiding at the guest registry was Miss Cretia Kelley, cousin of the bride.

Carrying out the bride's chosen colors of blue and white, the serving table was covered with a white overlay of chiffon, and featured a four-point candle-arrangement, centered with an arrangement of blue silk flowers.

Miss Beth Tuttle and Miss Darla Hunter served banana punch and assorted cookies, from crystal and silver appointments.

Hostess gift was an Oster Kitchen Center. Those assisting as hostesses for the occasion included: Miss Beth Tuttle, Mrs. H.D. Hunter, Mrs. T.R. White, Mrs. W.T. Watson, Mrs. Ray Lynk, Mrs. Delbert Watson, Mrs. Wayland Ethridge, Mrs. George Wheeler, Mrs. Robert Hooten, Mrs. Alvis Burge, Mrs. Rowena Watson, Mrs. Beck Allen, Mrs. Olan Burrows, Mrs. Jimmie Pitcock, Mrs. Boyd Magby, Mrs. J.H. Evins, and Mrs. Dean Spraberry.

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## Enochs H.D. Club Makes Plans For State Meeting

Mrs. Zelma Fred's home was the scene of the Enochs Home Demonstration club meeting at 2:00 p.m. on May 25. Mrs. Robin Taylor, Bailey County Extension Agent, showed a film "Label Logic"; a guide to get more for their food dollar.

Some discussion was made of the annual state THDA meeting which is to be September 21, 22 and 23, at College Station. Those attending were Alma Altman, Winnie Byars, Wilma Petree, Robin Taylor, and a guest, Flo Nichols and the hostess.

The next meeting is to be held June 8, with Wilma Petree. The program will be on "Updating Furniture." A former member, Mrs. E.F. Campbell, is in Medical Arts Hospital at Littlefield. Her husband is in the hospital, also.



Miss Jan Jinks  
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Receives Degree

Miss Jan Jinks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Jinks of Muleshoe, graduated from West Texas State University on Saturday, May 15. She was among 865 graduates receiving their Bachelor Degrees this spring. Miss Jinks received the Bachelor of Science Degree, with a certification in Elementary Education, and also in Language and Learning Disabilities for teaching exceptional children. Miss Jinks is a member of the Upsilon Zeta Chapter of Chi Omega National Sorority.

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### Sudan News

By Mrs. Wayne Doty

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Dykes were in Amarillo Tuesday to attend funeral services for Howard Horn, who was the father-in-law of their son, Don.

Mr. and Mrs. John Milam met their daughter, Evelyn, of Nevada, Mo., in Lubbock Wednesday at the airport. Then they went on to Tulsa to attend the high school graduation of their granddaughter and niece, Marsha Milam.

Luncheon guests, Sunday, May 23, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reed were Jerry Ray, Tanya and Phyllis; Mr. and Mrs. Mark Short of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Connie Hill and Sandra; Mrs. Lorine Gilreath

and Ricky; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Williams and Jimmy; Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and David Lee of Spur; Mr. and Mrs. James Carol Williams of Hereford; Mrs. Mabel Thompson of Mulberry, Ark.; Mr. and Mrs. Art Lynch; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Newcome, Eddie and Kay of Ackerly; Mr. and Mrs. Euel Blocker of Stanton; Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Newcomer of Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. Larry Newcomer of Houston; and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Nichols of Stephenville.

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wells went to Amarillo Saturday to visit their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Wells. Enroute home, Sunday, they spent the night in Abernathy, with a daughter and her family, the Wayne Willifords.

Truman Lee Willingham has returned home after a visit in Brownfield, with a sister.

Jinks Dent returned home

Saturday from the South Plains Hospital in Amherst, where he had been a patient several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Wilson and children of Childress were Sudan visitors this week. They are former Sudan residents.

Mr. and Mrs. James Synatschk of Lubbock were visitors here during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick West.

Mrs. Jim Bob Hargrove and children were in Plainview and Kress one day this week on business. They visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Amos Sedgwick of Kress.

Attending the commencement sermon Sunday afternoon in Lubbock, was Mrs. Wayne Doty. Among 1800 graduates was her niece, Lori Patton from Coronado High School. Following the sermon, she visited in the Claud Patton home as did her sister, Mrs. Mary Williford and

girls who also attended the sermon.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kropp left Tuesday for Hereford to spend a few days there visiting friends and relatives. He was to have a medical checkup too.

Mrs. G.C. Richie went to Lubbock Tuesday to be with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Phillips, when their infant daughter, Lori Christine, was born at St. Mary's Hospital. Also there were Phillip's mother and sister, Mrs. Morris Phillips of Muleshoe and Mrs. Jerry Cox of Bula.

Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Churchman and Scott were in Memphis over the weekend to visit Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Penney and family. They attended graduation exercises for her niece, Pam Penny, Congressman Hightower brought the address. Enroute home they stopped in Dimmitt to visit their daughter, Mr. and

Mrs. Jerry Etheridge and Kay Lynn. Late that Sunday afternoon, the Churchman's other daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Schewpe of Carlisle visited them here at their home.

Mrs. Richard Thompson of Mulberry, Ark. arrived here Friday for a visit with her daughter and family, the Jerry Rays, and to attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Georgia Ray. She also attended the graduation of another granddaughter Tanya Ray, from Sudan Junior High. She plans to return home the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. D.W. Williamson returned home Sunday from visiting in Brownwood with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Minyard and girls. Their son and family, the Harry Williamsons of Houston met them there.

No one agrees when you tell him (or her) that he has a soft job, with good pay.

### The Sandhills Philosopher

Editor's note: The Sandhills Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm comes to the defense of Washington this week, more or less.

Dear editor: The way the television analysts have it, the harder a candidate runs against Washington these days the more popular he is with the voters, but we don't want to over-do it and I hope Washington understands this is mostly just campaign talk.

For example, I doubt if there's a mayor or a county judge in the country who gets made when Washington sends down another revenue-sharing check, unless it's smaller than the last one. Or show me a person over 65 who gets made when Medicare pays his hospital bill.

Where's the state highway department that gets mad because Washington is financing a large part of its roads? Where's the aircraft or railroad company mad because Washington is bailing it out? One way to make New York mad is to fail to renew its two billion dollar loan. And if Washington really wants to invoke the voters' rage, just stop Social Security.

Don't misunderstand me, I'm with the rest of the voters, I get mad at Washington myself, especially when I figure the other fellow is getting more from there than I am.

Outside of all the above and a few others I've failed to mention, I join the rest of the voters in saying Washington has got to buckle down, throw out the red tape, and cut out all this wild spending. Why have 2,000 different bureaus all spending the tax payer's money when 100 could spend just as much?

Changing the subject, as I understand it, the government has charged that some big meat

packers have been selling the army a cheap tough grade of beef, calling it a high grade with a high price, and cleaning up.

This sure relieves my mind. For a while there, I thought maybe the army had got hold of one of my Jersey steers. Yours faithfully, J.A.

### CHEESE ONION BAKE

2 lbs. small white Texas onions  
1 (10-1/2 oz.) can cream of mushroom soup  
1 cup shredded Cheddar cheese  
1 cup cheese-flavored cracker crumbs, finely crushed  
1/2 tsp. paprika

Peel onions and cook in boiling water until tender. Combine soup, 1/2 cup cheese, 1/2 cup cracker crumbs and pepper. Drain onions and place in a 1-1/2 quart casserole dish. Pour mushroom sauce over onions. Sprinkle top with remaining 1/2 cup cheese and 1/2 cup cracker crumbs. Sprinkle with paprika. Bake at 350 degrees 25 to 30 minutes. Yield: 8-10 servings.



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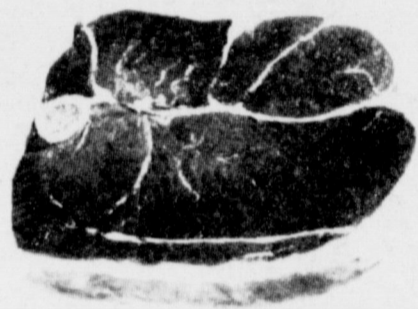
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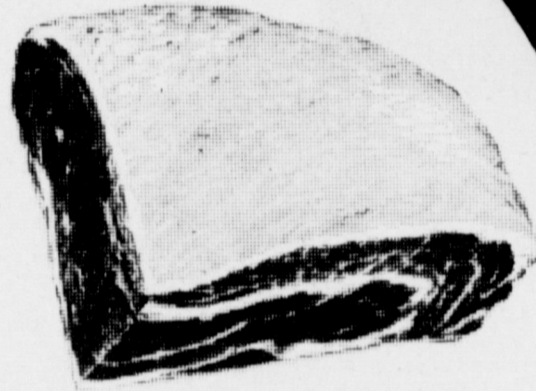
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**YOUNG HOMEMAKERS ASSIST** . . . These young women helped all year around at the library every third Wednesday of the month. They helped with the Story Hour held for the children during the school year. Mrs. Anne Camp, librarian, recognized them for their assistance. Those Muleshoe Young Homemakers are left to right, Mrs. Sandy Noble, Mrs. Terry Kemp, Mrs. Gary Elliott, Mrs. Randy Bush, Mrs. Lionel Lane, Mrs. Brian Noble, Mrs. Raymond Davenport, Mrs. Dennis Bush and Mrs. Larry Kemp.

There's a time to play, as well as a time to pray, but some people never try either.

Faith and patience are great assets and wonderful aids if you have them when you need them.

Promises are easier to make than to fulfill but people continue to make them carelessly.

### Area Graduates Attend Banquet

The Assembly of God Church honored their graduating seniors with a banquet, Thursday, May 13.

The diningroom was decorated in red, white and blue, with drums and flags used as part of the decorations. Rev. H.D. Hunter presented each senior with a Bible. The names of each senior was engraved on their Bibles.

The Crusaders presented the entertainment. Those in the group are Wayland Ethridge, Jack Young, Marvin Lewis, and David Murphy.

Those seniors that were recognized were Susan Farley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farley; Darla and Debbie Hunter, daughters of Rev. and Mrs. H.D. Hunter; Robbie Sneed, son of Mrs. Rosie Sneed; and Orvis Burris, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Burris, all of Muleshoe.

Misery seeks not man, but misery.

—Frances Burney.

Those seniors of Lazbuddie graduating were Greg Crim, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Crim and Billy Will, son of Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Bacher. Forty-seven people attended the banquet.

### Club Reports On Boys Ranch Trip

The Progressive Homes Club met in the home of Mrs. C.R. Black, May 26, with six members attending and one visitor. Roll call was answered with helpful hints and readings.

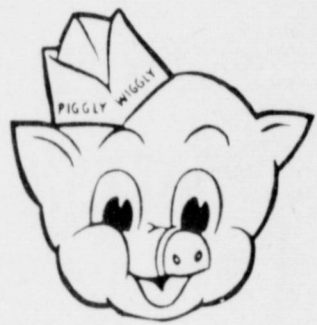
A report was given on the trip to boys ranch taking bedspreads. It is very heartening, seeing the improvements at the ranch from time to time, reported one spokesman for the group.

The hostess gift was drawn by Mrs. S.D. Blackwell. The meeting adjourned to meet with Mrs. Blackwell on June 23.



**ASSEMBLY GRADUATES** . . . The Assembly of God Church honored their graduating seniors with a banquet, Thursday, May 13. Each graduate was presented a Bible with his or her name engraved on it. Those graduates receiving Bibles were front row, left to right are Darla Hunter, Debbie Hunter and Susan Farley; back row, are Orvis Burris, Robbie Sneed, Greg Crim and Billy Hill.

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### The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill  
Attorney General

AUSTIN—If your yard is the only one on the block that doesn't look like a well-tended park, there may be a variety of reasons. You may be too busy to spend time on lawn and garden care, you may be physically incapable of such strenuous work, you may not have the proper tools and equipment, or you may just not have the inclination.

For whatever reason, many consumers who want the pleasure of having a well-cared-for yard for spring and summer outdoor living turn to professional

yard care services. Established reputable professional yard care services can be a boon to the homeowner, our Consumer Protection Division attorneys have learned. In many cases, they do a better job than the novice who lacks specialized equipment and who may not know how to select and apply fertilizers and pesticides properly.

Consumers who are considering such services can choose those which specialize in jobs such as lawn maintenance, tree trimming, lawn and tree spraying, and landscaping,

among others. There are total-care services and those which offer either year-round maintenance or service only during warm weather months, too.

However, our Consumer Protection attorneys caution homeowners considering such services to investigate carefully before committing themselves to a contract for work, or for advance payment for a job.

As with all such contract work, it's important to decide what you want done, then get at least three estimates from different firms or individuals. You should get recommendations from friends or relatives who have used such services, or check with the Better Business Bureau to determine the reputation of a firm you don't know.

If you're entering into a contract for a continuing service, be sure it spells out precisely what work is to be performed for what length of time and at what total cost

per month or year. If you are contracting for a one-time-only major job, be sure that the dates work is to be started and completed are included.

Our attorneys urge consumers to exercise care when dealing with itinerant yard care specialists who solicit business door-to-door. Often this may only be a student who wants to earn some spending money for the summer by mowing lawns.

But if the solicitor is seeking large yard care jobs that involve considerable sums of money, be cautious. You are protected by the Texas Home Solicitation Act, which allows you to cancel any contract for \$25 or more by midnight of the third business day. If you're dealing with an unscrupulous itinerant, though, your check may be cashed and spent the same day of the transaction, and the yard care "specialist" may be in the next town by the time you

decide you didn't get your money's worth.

If you do deal with an itinerant, never pay for a job in advance, and always inspect the completed work carefully before paying for it.

For assistance with a consumer complaint, get in touch with the Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division or your county or district attorney.

## Social Barriers Are Coming Down

By: Bill Kiser

Architectural barriers to physically handicapped people have been in the news lately. Stories have appeared about how 22-inch doorways, 8-inch curbs, and buildings with ramps imprison us. Along with transportation barriers, they negate physical and vocational progress we handicapped people have made.

Distressing as the physical barriers may be, social and attitudinal barriers are even harder to cope with, because they are unseen. What others think of us may not determine who we are, but can affect our self images and our individual development.

Cerebral palsied from birth, I believe my life has been affected more than most by attitudes of other people. As a child, I was affected when parents, who may have referred to me as a biological mishap without intelligence or feelings, kept their children from playing with me. Neighbors who saw me as a human being gave meaning to my childhood.

Growing up, I found I didn't "fit in" with many of the usual social customs. It was harder for

a teenager who did not walk or talk but drooled and moved uncontrollably, to fit into normal adolescent pastimes.

As a young adult, I found even more attitudinal barriers lying between me and development as a productive individual. Few employers could see how someone such as I could be worth hiring. So for a severely handicapped person, unwilling to settle for less than a full life, social attitudes rather than environmental barriers were bigger obstacles to achievement.

There have been times when people have questioned my desire for a fuller and richer life. I have raised more than one eyebrow by going to concerts, plays and other activities alone at night. People have told me frankly that I was foolish to participate in church groups and other gatherings for "normal" people. One time I shocked family and friends by joining a group of friends for a 200-mile trip in the season's worst snowstorm. Critics informed that my adventure did not fit their ideas of how a severely handicapped person conducts his life.

Many memories linger about

times in public places when I overheard people say, "Who let him out alone?" It was fortunate for them that my speech did not permit me to answer.

Handicapped all my life, I probably can appreciate, more than a recently disabled person, the progress we have made in changing attitudes. No longer is a wheelchair considered a device from outer space. Even those of use with multiple handicaps are finding acceptance as human beings.

Backed by Federal and State laws, equal employment requirements for disabled people promise to open vocational opportunities for us all. In the face of cold hard statistics, employers are changing their attitudes about employing handicapped people. Our work records prove that when we get proper training and intelligent placement, we can compete with able-bodied workers.

Employment, and the economic power that goes with it, can help break down many social barriers which have set us apart from society. Twenty-five to 50 years ago few people thought it possible for a physically handicapped person to marry and have a home and family. Even professional people who dedicated their lives to helping us overcome our physical disabilities did not accept the important emotional and sexual aspects of our personalities. The fact that more and more of us lead satisfying family lives is evidence that another social barrier is coming down.

Doors can be widened, steps can be ramped with comparatively little effort, but it is more difficult to cope with narrow minds, or to ramp a chasm of misunderstanding. Human barriers are lowered with effort, and we who are handicapped have the responsibility to express ourselves as the total human beings we are.

We get impatient at the rate of social change. We want all barriers removed overnight. But each of us will play a part in creating the barrier free society of the future. It will not happen all at once, but working together, we will make our ideal into reality.

### BIBLE VERSE

"I am he that liveth, and was dead; behold I am Alive for evermore . . . and have the keys of hell and death."

1. Who made the above statement?
2. To whom was he speaking?
3. Where was the author at the time?
4. Where may this statement be found?

### Answers To Bible Verse

1. Jesus Christ.
2. To John the Apostle in a vision.
3. John was a prisoner on the Isle of Patmos.
4. Revelation 1:18.

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Estate tax reform has become a prime issue on Capitol Hill, and a bill before Congress would raise the personal exemption to levels more realistic for today's farm valuations.

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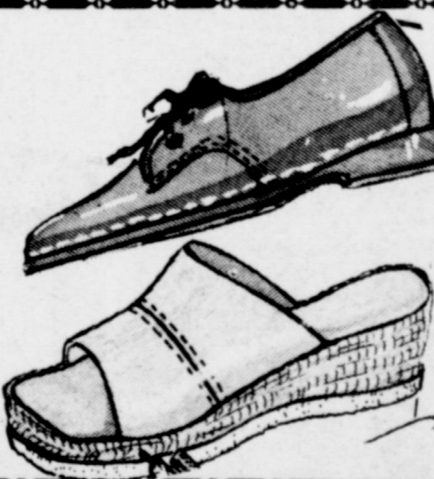
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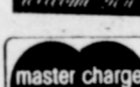
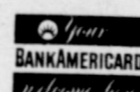
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