

Merry Christmas



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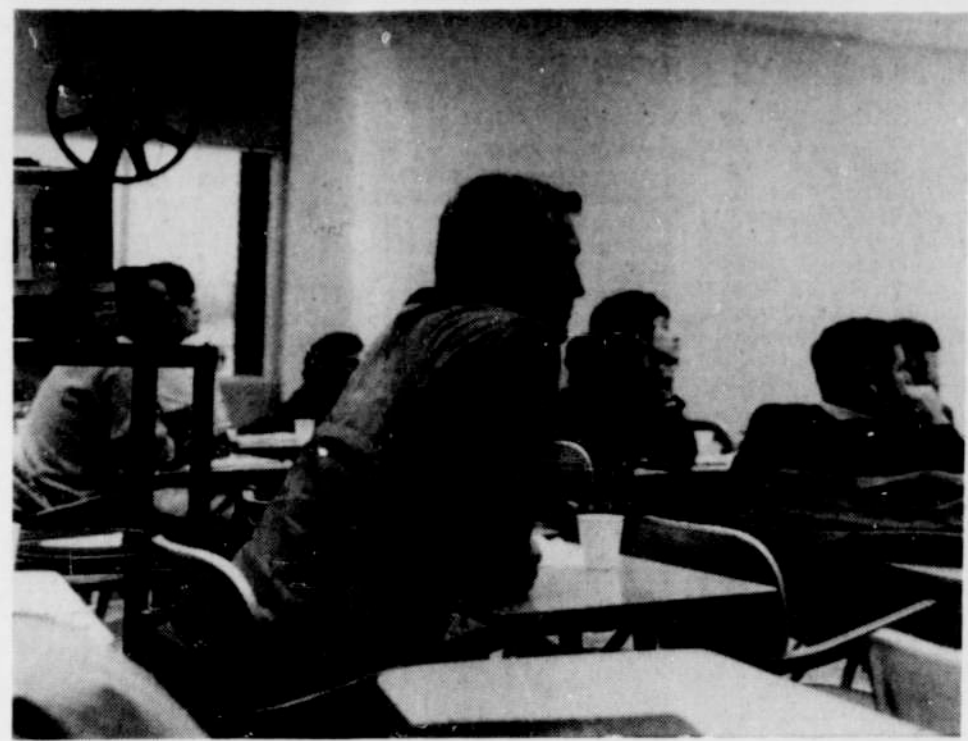
Ring out, ring out! The bells of cheer sound our happy wishes to you and yours for a joyous Christmas Season.

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Graphoanalysis

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Crisis Centers are places where people with drug problems can come for immediate assistance, professional help and guidance. Crisis Centers are logical extensions of storefronts, a place in the neighborhood where somebody in real and immediate trouble with drugs can go for competent help. It will also deal with related problems—potential suicides, family quarrels, chronic unemployment and lost dogs. The scope of a center's program is really only limited by the staff. The center will be the first-line defense against drug-related death or disorientation. It should be more elaborately equipped than a storefront. Beds, life-support apparatus, first aid material must be on hand. The center will need telephones, enough rooms for three or four activities to go on simultaneously, some space for administrative services, files, typewriters, etc.



Thirty-five Treasure Valley Community College instructors recently spent a day in in-service training for open entry-open exit programs. Specialists Dick Withcombe of Oregon State University, James Hargis of the Oregon Board of Education, and Tom Nokes of Moore's Audio Visual introduced the participants to the organization, methods, and hardware of individualized instruction. The program was the result of the efforts of college personnel, Jeff Ford, Earl McCollum, and Louis Gasca.

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Graphoanalysis - - - What Is It?

by Ellen Jones
Graphoanalysis can be defined in several different ways, just as can psychology or intelligence. Perhaps the most comprehensive definition is the one that defines it as the study of the individual strokes of handwriting to determine character and personality of the writer. Graphoanalysis is a tool that can be used successfully for assessment of personality traits. Psychologists use questionnaires, rating scales, and other methods of personality assessment, and an increasingly great number of them are learning the value of using Graphoanalysis as an additional tool. This value as a tool is not confined to psychologists and other counselors, however. Successful employment of and proper placement of personnel in business and industry depend in most instances on selection of individuals whose intelligence, temperament, and talent predispose them for a particular type of work. That is why many personnel directors and supervisors have found Graphoanalysis to be a valuable tool for personnel selection and placement. Credit managers find Graphoanalysis of worth for the same reasons; personality characteristics such as honesty or deceit, pride or sloth, will power or the lack of it, conservatism or wastefulness—all play a part in the determination of a good credit risk or a bad one. The fact that these traits can be determined from an inspection of the applicant's handwriting enables the credit supervisor to save both time and money. Graphoanalysis is a basic training for work in the field of questioned and forged documents. Just as every human being is a unique individual, so is every person's handwriting different from that of any other individual's. Formation of strokes, spacing of letters, slant and depth of the writing, reveal to the trained observer the spurious from the real. There is one thing that Graphoanalysis is not: it is not occult, nor is it related in any way to such pseudo-scientific approaches. It is a scientific method of personality assessment based on research that was conducted over a period of more than fifty years. This research was carried out by both empirical and clinical processes, and Graphoanalysis is currently being further validated by statistical studies, both within and without the framework of institutions of higher education. The words "Graphoanalysis" and "Graphoanalyst" are registered trademarks and service marks of IGAS, Inc. Graphoanalysts are certified by only the International Graphoanalysis Society, 325 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago.

It can be anywhere, but experience suggests that most crisis centers are established in urban centers, generally within a dense and highly volatile community or neighborhood. The room and equipment are important, but the staff is everything. A crisis center staffer must come as close as possible to the ideal of the Good Samaritan—with the insights and experience of a trained clinician. The staff man or woman will encounter the same variety of challenges that confronts the Hot Line operator, but there will be no protective distance between caller and called—there will, indeed be, the blunt, urgent, desperate face-to-face contact.



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