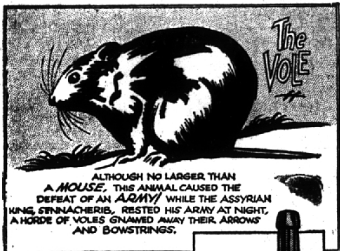


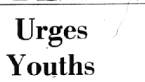
### THIS CURIOUS WORLD



ALTHOUGH NO LARGER THAN A MOUSE, THE ANIMAL CAUSED THE DEFEAT OF AN ARMY WHILE THE ASSYRIAN KING CYNABACHERS, TRISTED HIS ARMY AT NIGHT, A HORDE OF VOLES GNAWED AWAY THEIR ARROWS AND BOWSTRINGS.



THE NEW TEETH OF AN ELEPHANT FORM AT THE BACK OF THE JAW AND GRADUALLY MOVE FORWARD, SHOWING THE OLD TEETH OUT AT THE FRONT.



WINE MUST COME FROM A LIMITED AREA OF FRANCE TO BE LEGALLY CALLED CHAMPAGNE.

### Labor Secretary Urges Aid for Jobless Youths

Secretary of Labor W. Willard Wirtz has called for "stern emergency measures" to eliminate youth unemployment, which he said would require strengthening of the whole economy, performing surgery on the educational system and breaking the poverty cycle.

"There won't be full employment of youth," the Secretary said, "until the educational system, like the economy, is operating at full capacity."

"In the meantime there is the hard fact to be faced that there are today several million young Americans who have left the schools, not to return, and that they are not equipped to make a living which will satisfy them or keep them and their families independent."

**SOME OF Wirtz's comments:**

"The dropout" isn't the trouble, he is a symptom. So is the juvenile delinquent—at an advanced stage.

"If we mean business about reducing — yes, eliminating — youth unemployment, we had better be clear about what is involved. It isn't a job for summer patriots. It means strengthening the whole economy.

"It means performing surgery on the educational system.

"It means breaking the cycle of hereditary poverty, and of second and third generation unemployment and ignorance.

"It means taking stern emergency measures right now to avoid wholesale disaster while these other more basic answers can be worked out.

"It means a national commitment to American youth—a commitment to prepare every young American for a job and to develop jobs for every American.

**Name MSU Halls For Benefactors**

Two residence halls under construction at Michigan State University will bear the names of a former trustee and MSU benefactor and his wife, and an Adrian businessman and his sister, also friends of the university.

The new structures will be named Foree H. and Alice Akers Halls, and Harry A. and Jessie T. Fee Halls.

Mr. Akers, now of Detroit, is a former vice-president of the Chrysler Corporation and sales manager of its Dodge Division. He served as a member of MSU's governing board from 1940 to 1958. Mrs. Akers is not living.

HARRY FEE and his wife, Harriet Kimball Fee, established in 1926 the famous Hidden Lake Gardens in the Irish Hills near Tipton, Mich. They transferred the Gardens to MSU's care in 1945. Jessie T. Fee, now of Battle Creek, has contributed to the development of the Gardens.

**COMMENTING ON legislation**

"THE SCHOOLS must learn what the job market requires of education and what the lives of these young people will require. They must apply this knowledge with a new depth of understanding of their students' problems and in new techniques of teaching. And the employment services must learn what new organizational devices and counseling techniques will be required of them to speed their conversion from a capable placement agency serving skilled workers to a service with a major emphasis on putting unskilled youth on the road to productive employment."

### Shopping Around By Rolfe



"I don't know—we have lots of relatives! Don't you have one with slightly smaller letters?"

### Solutions Don't Solve Problems Says Psychologist

Don't jump to solutions. If you have a problem and wish to solve it, you must learn to suppress your interest in solutions and spend more time exploring the problem at the outset, said University of Michigan psychologist Norman R. F. Maier.

Successful problem-solving depends, in part, upon the location of the specific problem that is selected from the general problem area," he pointed out.

"This sounds obvious, but even seemingly clear-cut problems may contain a surprising variety of specific problem locations—a point not always appreciated by conference leaders and individual problem solvers."

- Looking for obstacles that can be "overcome" is a key process in successful problem solving.
- A problem may be located in the situation, in individuals, or in the group. These three locations suggest different approaches.
- ONCE THE GENERAL locations (in the situation, individuals or in the group) are found, the specific nature of the problem needs to be clarified.
- Avoid confusion between problems, solutions and choices.
- Get assistance from the group in locating and clarifying the problem.
- Problems for group decision should be located in the leader's area of freedom. "Problem solving is successful only when the solution reached is one which can be put into practice."
- Maier examines various principles that may serve to improve the quality of group decisions in his latest book, "Problem-Solving Discussions and Conferences" (McGraw-Hill), based on many years of research on methods and skills of conference leadership.

### Thornwood Group Elects Officers

George T. Gaston, of Upton Road, has been elected president of the Thornwood Citizens Association, a Birmingham-area neighborhood-betterment group of home owners in the northeast quadrant of the Big Beaver and Adams roads intersection.

Other newly-elected officers are Vice President, Howard P. Spokes of Weathervane Lane; Secretary, Rowland E. Starr of Oakhill Drive; and Treasurer, Edward P. Boltz of Weathervane Lane.

Retiring officers are President, Leonard H. McLaren of Oakhill Drive; Vice President, Vincent J. McCabe of Henhawk Road; and Treasurer, Peter W. Kostia of Oakhill Drive.

New officers are all members of the seven-man board. Other active directors are Kostia, William S. Lampe, and Joseph L. Montgomery Jr., all of Weathervane Lane.

Association members are all residents on Beaver, Adams, Stoneridge, Upton and Henhawk roads, Weathervane Lane and Oakhill Drive.

### Retirement Dinner to Honor C. F. Steffey

A testimonial retirement dinner will be held for Clifford B. Steffey, chief accountant of the Oakland County Road Commission, on Tuesday, Dec. 17, at the Elk's Temple.

Steffey, a life-long resident of Michigan, has been with the Road Commission for 26 years and previously worked at the Oakland County Board of Auditors for 11 years. He has been in the accounting field most of his life and at one time was with the Auditor General's office of the State of Michigan.



"WHEN YOU SNORE YOU GO 'TWEET, TWEET!'"

### MSU Announces Music Grants

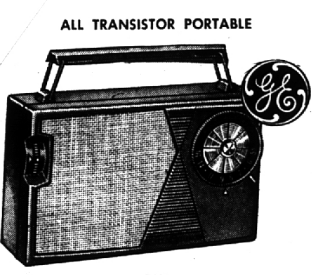
Competition for music composition study scholarships at Michigan State University is open to aspiring composers in Michigan high schools.

High school seniors who are residents of Michigan may compete for the scholarships, according to Dr. Paul Harder, associate professor of music at MSU. The University's music department is sponsoring the competition.

Applications for the grants must be accompanied by recommendations from the students' teachers' sponsors, Dr. Harder said. Deadline for application is Dec. 15.

Further information on the scholarships is available from the Department of Music office at Michigan State University, East Lansing.

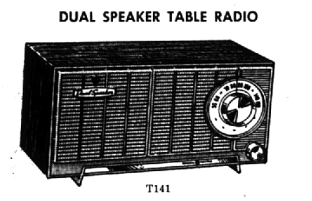
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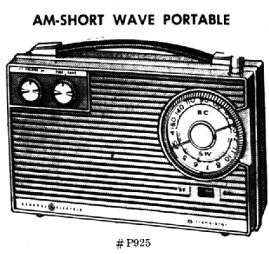
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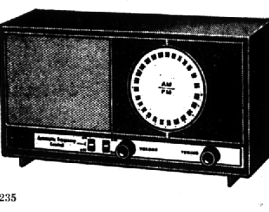
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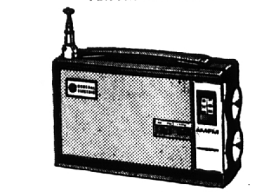
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