

"I commonly wonder what hidden reason another person may have for doing something nice to me." "Sometimes at elections I vote for men about whom I know very little about." "I very much like hunting." "Most people worry too much about sex." "Most of the time I feel happy." "When a man is with a woman, he is usually thinking about things related to her sex." "A large number of people are guilty of bad sexual conduct." "I have never done anything dangerous for the thrill of it." "As a youngster, I was suspended from school one or more times for cutting up." "I have never done any heavy drinking."

"I have been in trouble one or more times because of my sex behavior." "My home as a child was less peaceful and quiet than that of most other people." "My parents never really understood me." Et cetera, et cetera, et cetera.

From this test, as I said, some 2,000 were selected from the 21,000 who applied, the other 19,000 being left out in the cold. None of these young people were interviewed in the traditional and classic way. None of them ever saw a governmental or civil service worker asking them any questions.

While they all gave references of their minister, their past employer, their friends, their teachers, none of these references were checked prior to selection. I am told that this test of 158 questions is an adaptation of the so-called Minnesota multiphasic test which was developed 30 or more years ago, basically, from asking questions to 800 mental patients in mental institutions in Minnesota, and then comparing these with some groups outside the institutions.

Are you familiar with this?

Mr. MACY. No. And this does not come under the jurisdiction of this policy at all. These are not Federal employees.

Mr. REUSS. But I submit, Mr. Chairman, that the brochure says "Join your Career Youth Opportunity Centers, U.S. Department of Labor, W. Willard Wirtz, Secretary," and it says, about who your employer would be:

The U.S. Employment Services, affiliated State employment agencies, are the employers under the Federal-State partnership. Each State sets a salary schedule for such jobs within the States.

And then this outrageous test which was given to these people is entitled "Youth Opportunity Programs, Training Test, U.S. Department of Labor, Manpower Administration, Bureau of Employment Security." And they were in fact paid out of Federal funds. And for all practical purposes, it was the Federal Government who selected them.

I think we have here a loophole through which you could drive a team of horses.

Mr. MACY. There are many jobs in the grant-in-aid program where the Federal Government provides the money and the actual selection is performed or made by the State or the municipality.

Mr. REUSS. That wasn't true here. Here the Federal Government, right here in Washington, hired the 2,000.

Mr. MACY. They put this out, the U.S. Labor Department put this out, but these were not civil service, nor Federal employees, as such.

Mr. REUSS. But they were human beings who were hired for an essentially Federal program.