

Concerning This Issue . . .

In December 1964, *Educational Perspectives* took a look at the relatively new (for Hawaii) concept of educational television. The entire issue was devoted to the presentation of an unusually complete picture of ETV — nationally, regionally and locally.

In the field of electronic media, new technology and technics are often developed faster than man's ability to cope with them, and in the last four years important developments have occurred in educational television. This issue of *Educational Perspectives* re-examines the many facets of ETV today — throughout the world — and in Hawaii.

From the philosophical standpoint, Donald N. Wood, Director of ETV at the Hawaii State Department of Education, examines "The Three Faces of Television" and Lewis Rhodes, former Director of the National Project for the Improvement of Televised Instruction of the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, describes "A Trip to the Possible." Nationally, National Education Television's President, John F. White, discusses the continuing importance and relevance of "Public" Television. Internationally, Ronald Anderson, Professor of Education and Director of the Teacher Interchange Program at the University, describes "Educational Broadcasting in Japan." Locally, Geoffrey Kucera, Assistant Professor of Education at the University, describes ITV in the College of Education. Finally, Robert M. Reed, Director of the Hawaii ETV Network, offers "A Status Report" describing the Hawaii ETV Network.

It is hoped that the readers of *Educational Perspectives* will gain an understanding of the multi-faceted field of "ETV" through the articles presented in this issue.

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