

To the Editor

Good Words

Sir:

Congratulations on the new format. Coverage, too, seems better and broader.

I was especially interested in cover story of your June 17 issue—the story on Lithium vs. Manic-depression.

Keep up the good work.

William Folger,
Buffalo, N.Y.

Second Thoughts

Sir:

In recent comments to you about the new SCIENCE NEWS I forgot to mention the increased clarity of the writing—a great boon to this reader, because his knowledge of science is deficient in 1967. I need to be reminded of or have explained to me many of the terms and concepts of modern science. I can skim your excellent publication in very limited reading time.

William Folger,
Buffalo, N.Y.

Films of The Week

Listing for readers' information of new 16mm and 8mm films on science, engineering, medicine and agriculture for professional, student and general audiences. For further information on purchase, rental or free loan, write to distributor.

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