

1 something because maybe people would send their dogs and
2 cats.

3 MR. MILLER: All persons or citizens or resi-
4 dents.

5 MRS. BOTHE: We like the word, children, be-
6 cause education is basically directed toward youth and
7 childhood, and the importance of this Section is that
8 they offer an opportunity for everyone to achieve an
9 education during his youth.

10 MR. MILLER: The thing that occurs to me is
11 that if a twenty-year old boy, had every reason he wanted
12 to go to the local high school for some reason or other,
13 might under this be told, You are not a child: You are
14 too old to be a child. That is the only concern I have
15 that it might be negating the right of an older person
16 to go to a free school.

17 THE CHAIRMAN: Mr. Mindel?

18 MR. MINDEL: Congressman, I think you are a
19 little confused. I think you have in mind, we have in
20 mind a compulsory school age, but there are many, many
21 students of twenty, twenty-one and twenty-two who are still