Paul Erdos and his Problems

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Introductory Remarks by M. Jack Ohanian
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Abstract:
Paul Erdos was the most prolific mathematical problem poser in history. He had the uncanny instinct for identifying problems which were both attackable and "enabling", that is, whose solution would lead to a significant advance. In this talk, Dr. Graham will describe some of Paul Erdos' favorite problems.