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"It is no secret among TV broadcasters that a great need exists for experimental programming...for new scheduling approaches...for new audience segmentation techniques. In short, broadcasters need a low-cost laboratory for new ideas. That laboratory can be the vast network of CATV operations throughout the nation.

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Allen Gilliland, President
Standard Radio and Television Company
San Jose, California

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THE MISSOURI ASSOCIATION FOR MENTAL HEALTH PRESENTS TO
KTVI TV CHANNEL 2 IN ST. LOUIS
ITS 1967 TELEVISION AWARD FOR THEIR DISTINGUISHED SERVICE AND CONTRIBUTIONS TO MENTAL HEALTH

ST. LOUIS, October 6, 1967. The Missouri Mental Health Association presents its 1967 Television Award to KTVI. General Manager Ralph M. Hansen accepts the award from Missouri Mental Health Commissioner Jack Stapleton, Jr.

We're proud of this state-wide recognition of our successful community service to Greater St. Louis.
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To sell food items, health and beauty aids, hosiery, or any of the multitude of products purchased principally by the housewife, select the station that delivers more. In the nation’s 12th ranked television market, KRLD-TV reaches 19.6% more housewives per average quarter-hour than the 2nd station; 57.1% more than the 3rd station; and 130.0% more than the 4th station*.

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*February/March, 1967, ARB Market Report
Television audience estimates
Sunday thru Saturday
9:00 A.M. to Midnight

KRLD-TV
The Dallas Times Herald Station
represented nationally by HR

CLYDE W. REMBERT, President
One no, one maybe

CBS-TV network officials, who've been wrestling for nearly two years with idea of going into late-night programming, have decided not to do it, and were expected to advise affiliates over weekend or early this week. Main reason was said to be inability to come up with program idea that seemed strong enough to put CBS out front in late-night audiences. Another reason: likelihood of inadequate clearances. High percentage of affiliates reportedly said they were interested in CBS late-night, but after discounting those who said they'd clear for only this or that type of program, or would carry only on delayed basis, percentage was said to have dropped well below 85% level CBS had deemed necessary.

Although they've written off late-night, at least until more promising program format can be found, CBS officials are still thinking of extending half-hour Crikite evening news to full hour. CBS News would obviously like extra half-hour; question is whether CBS-TV network will make extra half-hour available and, if so, what station clearances might be. Subject is due for discussion at affiliates board meeting with CBS-TV network officials Nov. 14-16 at North Key Largo, Fla.

Union pressure

Sponsor boycotts induced by striking National Association of Broadcast Employees and Technicians are said by union to be spreading. NABET claims that 37 sponsors have responded to its pleas and have ended or will end campaigns on ABC owned stations. (No network sponsorships are affected to date.) Among advertisers advising NABET of intention to cooperate, union said, are Thom McAn shoes, McDonald hamburgers, J. C. Penney, Stella D'Oro Coffee, Ballantine beer, Lion van and storage, Gill-Hille and White Front stores.

NABET is continuing its "leaflet informational distribution" effort at premises of companies still advertising on ABC, including Sears, Roebuck, Chevrolet division of General Motors and Pan-American World Airways. ABC said to its knowledge only five sponsors have said they would stop advertising until strike is concluded (see page 63).

Word from the top

In its quest for guidance on how to cope with "communications explosion," President's Task Force on Telecommunications picked brain of one of world's foremost authorities last Friday at off-record luncheon. Brigadier General David Sarnoff, chairman of board of RCA and for 60 years in forefront of communications, answered questions put to him by panel of task-force members. He was accompanied by H. R. Hawkins, president of RCA Communications Inc., and Charles M. Oderizzi, RCA group executive vice president. Task-force has been meeting periodically with outstanding authorities, but it hasn't yet named its executive director. Commissioned by President Johnson last Aug. 14, group of 16 was ordered to report within year.

Fewer originals

Economy, more than ever, has become name of TV production game in Hollywood. There's widespread indication that networks are cutting back number of first-run episodes they will turn out for some series this season, particularly hour and 90-minute ones. Feeling is that this will be way of compensating for finished episodes that have exceeded budgets. Also with influx of hour and longer specials pre-empting regular shows across board, belief is that some series can afford maybe two fewer first-run episodes than previously planned.

Another indication of retrenchment is increased reliance on feature-film-for-TV projects serving as pilots for long length projected series. It's coming to time when hour pilots no longer will be produced, because if unsold there's little chance of recouping investment. With TV movies, even if series concept is rejected, product is salable on own.

Buyers' market

Predictions for improved 1968 first quarter may materialize, but current network reports indicate orders aren't coming through at pace expected. Last week network executive offices were still awaiting signs of dramatic upturn from dismal last half, with all three networks singing blues.

Until networks are able to sell their leftover minutes at regular, rather than discounted, rates, spot business likewise will probably lag, based on recent experience. One top agency executive said last week that weekend bargains on networks are still available and "$50,000 minutes can be bought as low as $10,000 if you wait until Friday afternoon to buy."

Up at sunrise

Daytimers are riding off in separate directions in aftermath of FCC action adopting new presunrise rule. Group of undisclosed but apparently growing size will resist effort of Association on Broadcasting Standards, which represents some 75 fulltimers worried about possible disruptive early-morning interference, to block implementation of new rule permitting 6 a.m. standard-time sign-on. Washington counsel has been hired to oppose ABS's request for court stay of commission order hearing scheduled for Nov. 13 in Second Circuit Court of Appeals, in New York.

Meanwhile, Daytime Broadcasters Association, as formal voice of daytimers, is considering going to Congress for whole loaf of presunrise operation. Some DBA members are seeking over rule which prevents them from broadcasting as early as 4 a.m., as many had for years. And they feel they would do better in Congress, especially House where they have already seen evidence of support, than in court.

Clearance problem

Those "anticommercials" criticizing TV ads that Public Broadcast Laboratory was to carry in inaugural program last night (Nov. 5) may not have been seen on all ETV network stations. Word late last week was that some ETV's, at suggestion of local trustees, who in many cases include businessmen, intended to cut to own promos or to other material when PBL anticommercials came on. As planned, PBL show was to include attacks on credibility of aspirin commercials and health hazards implicit in exploitation of 100mm cigarettes (see page 32).

Urban bind

One of two remaining city-owned broadcast operations — WJAX-AM-FM Jacksonville, Fla.—may go on block. Under consideration is proposal by special committee that city retain ownership but move to new location or, as alternative, that stations be sold to private enterprise for not less than $1.3 million. WJAX-AM, which has been on air since 1925, is assigned to 930 kc with 5 kw and is represented nationally by H-R Reps. WJAX-FM was authorized in 1949 on 95.1 mc with 7.7 kw. (Other city-owned facility, but noncommercial, is WNYC-AM-FM-TV New York.)
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"Much of the success of Avery-Knodel stems from the many well-managed stations we have been privileged to represent since their formative days—working in a coordinated effort of programming, research, market development and sales to create better marketing opportunities for advertisers.

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FRONT-LINE REPORT

A news story is where you look for it. WLBW-TV News Director Ken Taylor found stories galore in Viet Nam and interviewed 85 Florida service-men. Unusual assignments are the order of the day at Colorvision Ten News. That’s why more and more South Floridians are getting their news fast — and first, on WLBW-TV.
KING bows, agrees to meet with candidate

Confronted with adverse court decision and wire from FCC, King Broadcasting Co., Seattle, said Friday (Nov. 3) it will talk further with city council candidate who claims King stations have not abided by fairness doctrine in dealing with him.

Commission of other candidates and which William Potts with order. Vote action, date George order requiring

BROADCASTING, "Hud" on ABC; NBC; "The King on 29. 30-CBS, NBC -TV lead

earlier in day lost bid in U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Washington for stay of commission order requiring negotiations with candidate George E. Cooley (see page 36).

Several hours later, commission wired stations that, in view of court action, it expected prompt compliance with order. Vote to send wire was 5-to-1, with Commissioner Lee Loewinger dissenting.

Commission sent telegram after King spokesman had indicated broadcaster would ignore commission order despite setback in court.

Appeal is based on stations' argument that commission is seeking illegally to substitute its judgment for King's in determining what constitutes "reasonable" offer of reply to editorial campaign King is waging in behalf of five city council candidates.

Court verdict on stay request was unsigned and came after 10-minute argument between Washington attorney William Potts Jr. for stations, and John Conlin for FCC. Participating were Circuit Judges Warren E. Burger, Edward Allen Tamm and Harold Leventhal.

Earlier in day, FCC denied petition by Mr. Cooley for cease and desist order that would have required King to stop broadcasting editorials in behalf of other candidates and which he said were doing irreparable harm to his election chances. Commission said fairness doctrine looks to opportunity to respond to editorials and is not intended to prevent stations from broadcasting such material.

CBS, NBC half point apart

NBC-TV narrowed CBS-TV lead in 30-market Nielsen Report out Friday (Nov. 3) covering week ended Oct. 29. Averages, 7:30-11 p.m., were CBS 18.6, NBC 18.1 and ABC 17.2.

Top 10 programs: Dean Martin on NBC; "The King and I" Wed. movie on ABC; "Lucy and Griffith on CBS: "Hud" Sun. movie on ABC; "Charlie Brown" special on CBS: "The Chalk Garden" Sat. movie on NBC; Jackie Gleason on CBS; Carol Burnett on CBS: "Don Knotts—Comedy" special on CBS.

KAUZ-TV sold; WLEE, WXEX-TV sale okayed

Sale of KAUZ-TV Wichita Falls, Tex., by Paul Harron to Bass Broadcasting Co. for $3.1 million reported Friday (Nov. 3), subject to FCC approval.

On same day, FCC approved ownership transfer of WLEE Richmond and WXEX-TV Richmond-Petersburg, both Virginia, to group broadcaster Nationwide Communications Inc. for $7,150,000. In Wichita Falls sale, buying group owns KFDA-TV Amarillo, Tex.; KFDW-TV Clovis, N. M.; KFDO-TV Sayre, Okla., and 25% of KAAR-TV San Diego.

Mr. Harron, who continues to own WTV(TV) Utica-Rome, N. Y., has bought WMTW-TV Poland Spring, Maine, from entertainer Jack Paar for aggregate $5 million; application is still pending FCC approval. Mr. Harron bought Wichita Falls channel 6, CBS outlet in 1963 from Sydney A. Grayson and group for $2,360,000.

Richmond-Petersburg transfer is by Thomas G. Tinsley and Irvin G. Abellof, both broadcast pioneers. Mr. Tinsley owns 100% of WLEE, and Mr. Abellof owns channel 8, ABC affiliate in dual Virginia cities. Five years ago, Mr. Tinsley sold his WTH-AM-FM Baltimore to Reeves Broadcasting Co. for $642,700. WLEE is fulltime on 1480 ke with 5 kw, MBS affiliated.

Nationwide is former Peoples Broadcasting Co., and is wholly-owned subsidiary of Nationwide Insurance Co., Columbus, Ohio. Nationwide owns VHF in Knoxville and holds UHF construction permit for Columbus. It also owns radio in those cities. plus Cleveland.

ABC using new Ampex hand-held color cameras

ABC-TV was scheduled to make use of what's claimed to be "first truly hand-held color camera on air" in regional telecast of Army-Air Force football game on Saturday (Nov. 4).

Developed specifically for ABC by Ampex Corp., new camera weighs total of 35 pounds operated over miniature cable of total of 50 pounds operated as battery-powered unit via built-in micro-wave. It's designed for one-man coverage of news and sports events. ABC has rights to first couple of units, with general distribution to others expected by spring of next year. No price has been established as yet for unit.

Last month, Philips announced development of lightweight color TV cameras (Broadcasting, Oct. 23).

Media concentration in Fort Smith is FM issue

FCC has designated for hearing application of Donald W. Reynolds, owner of broadcast properties and newspapers in Southwest, for FM channel in Fort Smith, Ark. Issue—unusual one for commission to invoke in such cases—is local concentration of control of mass media.

Mr. Reynolds, sole stockholder of applicant, owns only television station in Fort Smith (KFSA-TV), its only daily and Sunday newspaper, and one of its four AM stations (KFS). He is seeking what would be city's third FM outlet.

Mr. Reynolds' newspaper and broadcast properties are under name of Donrey Media Group. Commission vote was 5-to-1, with Commissioner James J. Wadsworth dissenting.

FCC, ETV stations weigh PBL anti ads

Public Broadcast Laboratory's plans to present anticommercials in its maiden program attacking believability of advertising for various products Sunday (Nov. 5) provides no basis for FCC action.

Commission sent that message Friday (Nov. 3) to Norman E. Cash, TVB president. He had asked that licensees carrying initial program be informed that fairness doctrine requires rebuffs to be carried within or contiguous to that program (see page 32).

Commission message was disclosed as indications were received that displeasure over PBL's planned "noncommercials" was shared by some ETV stations as well as advertisers and their agencies.

Commission said its role is determining whether licensee has acted responsibly and in good faith. "In any event, even if it is determined that 'fictionalized commercials' express a viewpoint on a controversial issue of public im-

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WEEK'S HEADLINERS

Robert W. Sarnoff, RCA president, named RCA's chief executive officer, effective Jan. 1, succeeding Dr. Elmer W. Engstrom, who will continue as chairman of the executive committee (see page 64). Brigadier General David Sarnoff continues as RCA board chairman.

Richard W. Jencks, CBS's deputy general counsel for past two years, elected VP and general counsel of CBS Inc. He succeeds Leon Brooks, who died Oct. 28 (see page 77). Mr. Jencks, who had been assistant to general counsel of National Association of Broadcasters, joined CBS West Coast law department as attorney in 1950; became resident attorney there in 1953 and in 1959 resigned to become president of Alliance of Television Film Producers Inc., and upon its merger with Association of Motion Picture Producers in 1964, became VP and TV administrator of merged organization.

Company lodged protest with New York ETV outlet WNET (TV), but Wellcome spokesmen reported it said it could do nothing about content of PBL programing.

‘Thief’ series to ABC

Universal Television revealed Friday (Nov. 3) that it sold It Takes a Thief, new hour series starring Robert Wagner, to ABC-TV as midseason replacement. Series is spinoff of two-hour feature, originally called “The Magnificent Thief.” It's scheduled to premiere on ABC-TV on Jan. 9 in two-hour version. This is second Universal midseason sale off two-hour TV feature. Other is The Outsider, scheduled to play NBC-TV first as "World Premiere" selection, and then as weekly hour series, probably also beginning in January.

Award to Sarnoff

Brigadier General David Sarnoff, RCA board chairman, is to receive 1967 "sword of Loyola" in Chicago Nov. 21, Loyola University there announced Friday (Nov. 3). College president, Very Reverend James F. Maguire, S. J., said tribute is to entire field of communications as well as to General Sarnoff. Sword is replica of original 16th century sword of Ignatius of Loyola, soldier saint who founded Society of Jesus.

Viewing is unplanned now in TV, IRTS told

Viewer selectivity is most distinguishable characteristic of this television season, participants in International Radio and Television Society "newsmaker" luncheon in New York were told Friday (Nov. 3).

Michael Dann, senior vice president, programs, CBS-TV, told guests that "for the first time in broadcast history, the viewer has become selective" in his choice of programs. No longer does the "viewer make up his mind in the fall. He decides what he will watch next when the program he's watching now ends," Mr. Dann said.

Also participating were Mort Werner, vice president, programs, NBC-TV, and Leonard Goldberg, vice president, programming, ABC-TV. Discussion was moderated by Richard A. R. Pinkham, IRTS governor and senior vice president, Ted Bates & Co.

Mr. Werner said trend toward "long form" programming and movies was distinguishing characteristic of new season. He foresees trend continuing.

All three program heads indicated that while dwindling supply of feature films presents problems, there would probably be seventh "movie night." Feature films are now presented by three networks on six evenings of week. Mr. Werner said NBC's "World Premiere" policy was helping to alleviate shortage of feature films. Mr. Goldberg said present film supply would last for another three years, and then would be filled by increasing amount of films now in production.

Mr. Goldberg and Mr. Dann said their respective networks hoped to increase amount of original drama, but that one obstacle to more of this material was lack of suitable scripts.

Mr. Dann said original TV drama was necessary if only to "lure back" to television "light viewer" and people who criticize medium for poor programs. He said both network management and sponsors want more quality drama.

All three programers agreed that it was television's responsibility to "lead" public taste and not follow it.

‘Maya’ bowling out

NBC said Friday (Nov. 3) it’s cancelling MGM-produced Maya (Sat. 7:30-8:30 p.m. EST) in February. This will be second show cancellation by NBC this season—other to be axed is Accidental Family. Maya is adventure series centered on two boys and elephant, and filmed in India. NBC said it hasn't decided on replacement.

For other personnel changes of the week see FATES & FORTUNES

importance," fairness doctrine does not require that conflicting views be presented on same program or contiguous to it, commission said.

At least two ETV stations—KUON-TV Lincoln, Nebr., and KLRN (TV) San Antonio, Tex.—said they would not carry noncommercials attacking credibility of aspirin and 100mm cigarette ads. Random survey Friday (Nov. 3) of ETV station managers throughout nation revealed that many were having doubts about airing PBL material in toto; several indicated decision to excuse noncommercials would probably be made before program aired.

Two ETV stations—WGBH-TV Boston and WVIW-TV Cleveland—were also debating whether to carry PBL programing in its entirety. Portion of PBL broadcast examines majority elections in those two cities. WGBH spokesmen told Broadcasting that program may raise question of providing equal time to candidates in controversial Boston election.

PBL also came under attack from Burroughs-Wellcome & Co., pharmaceutical manufacturers, for including in PBL noncommercial reference to Wellcome's "Empirin" brand of pain killer. Spokesmen said company was never censored by Federal Trade Commission as noncommercial reportedly implies, and moreover, "Empirin" had never been advertised on television, and in fact is not now advertised in consumer magazines.
Why Texans fought to give away their Treasure Island.

Padre Island is still giving up buried treasure from Spanish Galleons. But its real treasure is its worth as a natural recreation area, to draw visitors and vacationers from all over the country. Texans were always pretty well agreed on that. What they disagreed on was how to go about it. The Great State chose up two sides.

One side wanted free enterprise with no fences. They promised that the island, all 117 miles of it, would be developed in a sort of commercial way, and wind up like some of the large resort cities. The opposing side said no, that idea would only build an overgrown seaside amusement park.

This group believed that part of the island, at least, should remain natural and undeveloped; that its big stretches of white sand, its exotic vegetation and its flourishing marine life should be preserved in its natural state for everybody, including future generations. The only way to carry out this plan was to have Padre Island made a National Seashore.

Both sides went along fairly nip and tuck until Texas' Senator Yarborough succeeded in getting Washington to agree to its part in the National Seashore. This put more fight into the opponents back in Texas, who proposed that Padre should become a State, not a National Park, leaving about half of the Island out of the plan.

But Governor Connally had promised Texas a National Seashore, and he stuck by his guns. Support rallied. A newspaper, the Corpus Christi Caller-Times, carried the cause right into South Texas, the hotbed of opposition. Largely through the work of newspaperman Ed Harte, and a committee of private citizens in Corpus Christi, the tide finally turned. Now America has a beautiful new National Seashore. The biggest yet!

Texans are proud to have you come and enjoy the near-tropic sun, the swimming, the surf-casting for man-size lunkers. You're even welcome to poke around for bits of Spanish treasure. (The fun is yours, but any treasure goes to the government!)

What's true in Texas is true all over. Officials want and need the help of private citizens like Ed Harte and his neighbors. This is why Sinclair, which has long been dedicated to conserving natural resources, encourages people to take an active part in preserving our natural heritage. For additional information on Sinclair's conservation program and on the oil industry's conservation efforts write Sinclair, Public Relations Department, 600 Fifth Avenue, New York, N.Y. 10020.

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The equipment is compact in size, occupying only 24 x 33 inches of floor space. It's a total-capability recording and playback machine, with finest professional monitoring (pulse cross picture monitor). Features include precision-aligned tape deck (built to SMPTE standards), and expanded waveform monitoring. Also air-bearing headwheel and air-lubricated tape guide.

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Our company uses the unique skills of the social scientist to examine our programs and personality by-personality, the strengths and weaknesses of your station and the others in your market.

Our clients know where they stand and, more importantly, the reasons why their ratings tabulate the way they do. They also know just as much about their competitors.

One of the principal reasons for our contract renewals year after year is that we do more than just supervise a research project. We stay with you for a whole year to make sure you understand it and that it works for you.

Our contribution and the aggressive management effort of some of our clients have helped them to move from third place to first place in some of the country’s most competitive markets.

If you would like to talk to us about it, we will be pleased to come and visit you with no obligation on your part. Just drop us a note, or better still, give us a call.

A calendar of important meetings and events in the field of communications.

**NOVEMBER**

Nov. 5-8—44th annual convention of the National Association of Educational Broadcasters. Speaker: Assistant Secretary of Defense Robert S. McNamara. Leonard H. Marks, director of the U.S. Information Agency, FCC Chairman Rosal Hyde; Frederick W. Ford, president of National Cable Television Association; H. Buckmister Fuller, author and designer; Thomas Hoving, chairman, National Citizens’ Committee on Nuclear Power, and Gritter Toob, chairman of the board, National Association of Broadcasters. Denver Hilton hotel, Denver.

Nov. 5-8—Meeting of the North Carolina Association of Broadcasters. Speakers include Shari Taylor, vice president for affiliate relations, CBS Radio. Kings Inn, Freeport, Grand Bahama, Bahamas Islands.

Nov. 6—Special stockholders meeting, Twentieth Century-Fox Corp. to vote on two-for-one split of common stock, increasing authorized stock from 5 million shares to 15 million shares, on creating new class of 2 million shares (no par value) of preferred stock and on eliminating preemptive rights of holders of common stock. Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York.

Nov. 6—Luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club of Toronto. Featured speaker will be Lawrence H. Rosenberg, president of Taft Broadcasting Co. Toronto.

Nov. 6-8—Arm Forces Technical Conference. Speakers include Thomas D. Morris, assistant secretary of defense for manpower; Lowry Air Force Base, Denver. For further details write: Plans/Operations Directorate, Lowry Technical Training Center, Lowry AFB, Colo. 80240.

Nov. 8—Annual stockholders meeting, Four Star Television, to elect directors, vote on increasing authorized common shares to 3 million and creating class of 1 million shares of preferred stock. 400 Radford Ave., North Hollywood, Calif.

Nov. 9—Fourth annual FM Day of Georgia Association of Broadcasters. Speakers include William Greene, director of CBS/FM, New York.

Nov. 9—Annual Achievement Day Dinner of William Jewell College, Liberty, Mo. Principal speaker will be Julian Goodman, president of NBC. Hotel Muehlebach, Kansas City, Mo.

Nov. 9-10—Annual fall meeting of Oregon Association of Broadcasters. Speakers include Representative John Delaben (R-ORE); John J. O’Mara, vice president and director, western division, Television Bureau of Advertising; and James A. Murphy, president of Washington State Association of Broadcasters. Sheraton motor hotel, Portland.

Nov. 9-10—Western conference on broadcasting sponsored by the group on broadcasting, Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers. Papers on interference-producing ground coupling, lasers, satellite broadcasting, antenna design, color TV and CATV. Ambassador Hotel, Los Angeles.

Nov. 9-10—Board of directors meeting of the Association of Machine Service Telecasters. Arizona Biltmore hotel, Phoenix.


Nov. 10—Sixth district, American Advertising Federation, annual all-day conference. Sherman House, Chicago.


Nov. 17—Pacific Pioneer luncheon, special Ken Murray showing of home movies of old radio days. Sportman’s Lodge, North Hollywood, Calif.

Nov. 20—Deadline for comments on FCC’s proposed rulemaking concerning the public value of preemption operation by class II stations via-a-via co-channel U.S.-A night-time services “which they would inevitably limit to some degree” and circumstances “under which such usages should be allowed and the degree of interference protection to be afforded U.S.-A stations, which at present derive their basic protection from the exclusivity of the U.S.-A nighttime priority within the North American Region.”

Nov. 20—Twentieth annual dinner of the Motion Picture Pioneers. Leonard H. Goldenson, president of ABC, New York, will accept the society’s “Pioneer of the Year” award in recognition of his years of service to the entertainment industry. Americas house, New York.

Nov. 22—Special stockholders meeting, CEIR Inc., which owns American Research Bureau, for the purpose of electing a member of CEIR into Control Data Corp. (BROADCASTING, Sept. 25). Key Bridge Marriott motor hotel, Arlington, Va.

Nov. 24—Deadline for reply comments
He is learning to read from a computer. Someday a single computer will give individual instruction to scores of students—in a dozen subjects at the same time.

The computer will very probably revolutionize teaching—and learning—within a decade. It is already happening in its early stages.

Computerized instruction can practically (and pleasurably) allow each student to learn more, faster, but always at his own pace. Individualized instruction, the ultimate dream of effective education, is well within the range of possibility. And, by spurring students to think experimentally, computers may eventually spark imaginative, independent thinking.

Computerized education will require huge tonnages of steel. In addition to computers themselves, this method of education will necessitate construction of new buildings, special communication systems, new steel furniture, movable interior steel walls and partitions. Required will be improved sheet and bar steels, and untold miles of highly dependable steel pipe and tubing.

Republic Steel has anticipated the steel needs of the future. New mills, new processes, and intensified research and development will assure that the new, weight-saving, more durable steels will be ready when needed.

At this moment, the long reach of steel from Republic is probing into every area where man’s imagination needs it—from schoolroom to satellite, from the heartbeat of man to the drumbeat of defense. Republic Steel Corporation, Cleveland, Ohio 44101.

You Can Take the Pulse of Progress at

REPUBLIC STEEL
CLEVELAND, OHIO 44101

BROADCASTING, November 6, 1967
The way we see it,
Joyce is as big as Marvin.

At John Blair & Company, we offer the same top quality services to every time buyer in the business.

Marvin Antonowsky is Vice President and Director of Media Research at J. Walter Thompson. Each year, Marvin is responsible for placing 67 million dollars worth of spot television. Joyce LaTerre buys spot television at J. Walter Thompson, too. About 4 million dollars worth.

When Marvin calls Blair Television, it may involve long-range planning. When Joyce calls, she may want hot I.D.'s in three cities. At Blair, it's a big deal when Marvin calls. And it's a big deal when Joyce calls.

Big-budget time buyers and small-budget time buyers get the same service, the same careful attention at John Blair & Company. So will you.

BLAIR TELEVISION
We get channels you can’t get anywhere else.


**OPEN MIKE**

Objectivity in coverage

EDITOR: Broadcasting’s reporting on the society’s activities has impressed us here in public information as being of a very high caliber...a most objective job during a period when strong undercurrents are at work regarding broadcasting and cigarettes...—Theodore Adams, director, editorial services, American Cancer Society, New York.

Why the 30’s are better

EDITOR: In [Broadcasting, Oct. 23] Daniel Yankelovich Inc. concludes that 30-second TV commercials are just about as good as 60-second commercials. Most [of the 30’s] are probably better because they usually force the copy people to work harder, omitting what the client thinks is necessary and also what usually doesn’t appeal to the viewer.

If the price of 30’s goes up and minutes come down, would you believe that the followers will buy the 30’s and the smart money will buy the minutes, when appropriate, and write good copy.

—Harold M. Wheelahan, vice president and general manager, WDTS-AM-FM New Orleans.

Yankelovich study rebutted

EDITOR: In your Oct. 23 article, headlined “30-second spots good as minutes,” deck says: “Statistical evidence shows shorter TV commercials not only sell as well singly, but placed back-to-back still prove to be consistently effective.”

Reading on...we note the researchers talk about “learned about products,” “brand you would consider buying,” “brand we consider recommending,” and “recall,” etc. When are we going to learn that there is a world of dif-

**NCTA Regional Meetings**

Nov. 9-10—Marriott motor hotel, Dallas.

Nov. 13-14—Vacation Village, San Diego.

Nov. 16-17—Portland Hilton hotel, Portland, Ore.

**DECEMBER**

Dec. 1-2—AP Wisconsin meeting (newspaper and radio-television members), Pfister hotel, Milwaukee.

Dec. 4-9—Third annual engineering/management seminar of the National Association of Broadcasters, Purdue University, Lafayette, Ind.

Dec. 8—Winter meeting of Arizona Association of Broadcasters. Speakers include Charles Stone, NAB vice president for station services; Thom Winkler, NAB radio code manager. Camelback Inn, Phoenix.


Dec. 8-9—National conference of radio and TV weathercasting sponsored by the American Meteorological Society. Causeway Inn, Tampa, Fla. For further information contact program chairman Ray Leep, WTVT (TV) Weather Service, Box 1188, Tampa 33601.

Dec. 12-13—Meeting of National Association of Broadcasters television code board. Las Vegas hotel, Miami.

Dec. 14—Deadline for filing comments on FCC's proposed rulemaking to specify, as a standard method for calculating radiated for use in evaluating interference, coverage and overlap of mutually prohibited contours in the standard broadcast service.


**JANUARY 1968**

Jan. 4—Newsmaker luncheon sponsored by the International Radio and Television Society. Speakers include newsmen Walter Cronkite, CBS; Chet Huntley, NBC; and Peter Jennings, ABC. Waldorf-Astoria hotel, New York.

Jan. 12-13—Annual meeting Rocky Mountain Cable Television Association, Holiday Inn, Albuquerque, N. M.


Jan. 15—Deadline for receipt of entries in Fifth Annual Television Newsfilm Competitions sponsored by National Press Photographers Association and school of Journalism, University of Oklahoma. Competition open in six categories plus Newsfilm Station of the Year and Cameraman of the Year named during final judging March 1-3. Entries to be mailed to Bob Chaddick, coordinator of competition, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla. 73060.

*indicates first or revised listing.
To reach more young women at lowest program cost...

(See our doctor)

Boston, for instance, Dr. Kildare delivers more young women per program dollar invested than its Merv Griffin competition.

Why? Because Dr. Kildare concentrates on the 18-34 women while the Griffin show draws its strength from the older group of daytime viewers. This older audience bias appears common to both Griffin and Douglas daytime strips, just as Dr. Kildare consistently attracts more young women viewers.

Compare the cost. Compare the audience. Dr. Kildare can be your station's most effective daytime program buy.

Ask the man from MGM-TV for the facts.
ferences between secondary measures of attitude, awareness, intention to purchase, etc., and the real meat of the problem, sales.

In other words, the researchers do not really know whether the 30-second commercial will sell better than the 60. They are, in effect, guessing.

In fact, the article addresses itself to this question very specifically as follows: "The Yankelovich report on the study expressed confidence that, although it was conducted in a laboratory environment using techniques not designed to duplicate a real-life situation, "the results do, in our judgment, reflect the truth." (Emphasis mine.)

Testing methodology, to be meaningful, must be conducted in an in Vivo [life] situation, not in Vitro [laboratory] one.

... Having conducted in Vivo experiments, I would be the last person in the world to make the kind of generalizations that other researchers do not hesitate to do. It is sheer nonsense to say that a 30-second spot is as good as a 60-second spot. The evidence is quite conclusive that each product area and each brand, within each product area, must be judged separately. ...

The use of broad generalizations does not enhance the researcher's experience. It is, in fact, wishful thinking.


Kind words from BPA

Editor: I want to extend, on behalf of the board and members of Broadcasters Promotion Association, our thanks and appreciation for the news coverage you gave in your Oct. 23 issue to our Toronto seminar.

I am glad we made some news that you considered important to your readers in the industry.—George T. Rodman, director, advertising, promotion and press information, WBBM-TV Chicago.

MOR report in demand

Editor: Your special report on middle-of-the-road radio [Broadcasting, Oct. 23] was excellent. As you conclude, there is no set format that would describe [this programing]. The application applies to the individual market and the competition.

Would you please send us 20 copies of the report and bill us.—Robert Earle, president and general manager, WBBR Baton Rouge.

(Reprints of the middle-of-the-road report are available at 30 cents each in quantities of 100 to 500, and 25 cents each in quantities over 500. Write Circulation Department, 1735 DeSales Street, Washington, D.C. 20036.)
Peach of a reach? Prove it!

Join the 300 plus stations who have already subscribed to CP'67, first radio circulation study in seven years.

For the past seven years reach has been claimable, but not necessarily provable. Now Pulse is conducting a 50-state circulation study which will determine all listening to all stations in all counties, and report it for persons, by sex, as well as households. The field work has been going on since January 2, 1967, and was completed in most markets by September, 1967. Where necessary, interviewing has been extended until the end of the year—thus covering just about all of a typical year's ups and downs. CP'67 will be released February-March, 1968, at which time subscribers will know whether that peach of a reach is really a peach... or a persimmon. For full information, write, wire or phone in New York: 730 Fifth Avenue, 212-JUdson 6-3316; in Chicago: 435 N. Michigan Avenue, 312-644-7141; in Los Angeles, 6404 Wilshire Boulevard, 213-653-7733.

The Pulse, Inc.
Research can conquer the fear of radio's unknowns

Fear of the unknown may well be the strongest fear there is. People like and need touchstones of stability, routine and set relationships. And they fear anything that threatens their known operations.

This fear of the unknown may be the biggest problem radio faces, because our radio-audience data is not as solid as it might be. When I talk with radio salesmen they barrage me with figures. And when I start to talk about traveling radio sets and lack of parental knowledge of the listening habits of children, they fall back on the fact that their audience figures are conservative. But the data isn't conservative. They simply do not take into account certain possibilities. That's not conservatism. It's inaccuracy. It's lack of knowledge.

The fear of the unknown in radio, however, transcends lack of audience data. It is even more important, I think, in the area of evaluating commercial effectiveness.

This is the day of accountability. Every agency wants its performance measured. At least, Erwin Wasey does. We know we are good and we want proof of our performance on an accepted basis. And our clients are equally ardent in wanting measurements of the effectiveness of their efforts.

Solid Figures • Few people in this business are satisfied with the measurements available for evaluating print ads or TV commercials. But there are measurements. Millions of dollars have been spent on getting them. They have contributed importantly to decisions in their field. They sometimes, at least, shed light on that great unknown, "commercial effectiveness." But we do not have any such measurement readily available for radio.

We know some radio commercials have been effective. I am told a huge business has been built for Compoz—almost entirely on the basis of slice-of-life type radio commercials. And "Wow! It sure doesn't taste like tomato juice" has made radio-advertising history. Just as Stan Freberg did with "eight green tomatoes." And as Augie Becker and his gang did with "you'll wonder where the yellow went." The competitive radio war between soft-drink advertisers these days is certainly of heroic proportions—these people certainly do work at measuring their results.

Exacting • But these are basically isolated cases and they permit no real generalization except what we know: Radio can be highly effective when it is used right. But who needs to make the all-out effort it takes to use it right? Sure, the soft-drink people can get high frequency against their heavy users only through radio must make the effort. But despite the success of Compoz, why should competitors with similar products make an attack via radio when they have been quite successful in TV? And in TV, there are measures of performance available. Fast.

So radio probably isn't living up to its potential as a carrier of advertising. Only the unsophisticated advertisers who make decisions by intuition or the very sophisticated who insist on evaluation based on data are likely to use radio heavily.

To put it bluntly, who needs radio when we find it so difficult to find out how well we do in the medium? The bulk of the advertisers and agencies that insist on tidy rows of numbers that provide direct media comparisons is not going to gowe radio consideration commensurate with what it deserves because the radio data is not tidy. Radio data too frequently falls into the realm of the unknown. And the fear of the unknown will continue to plague the radio business under these circumstances.

If my observations are accurate, is there a reasonable course of action to solve the problems indicated? I think so—but, first, may I say that the sophisticated approach would demand that you get the data to either confirm or deny the hypotheses set forth here. Find out whether your lack of data and the fear of the unknown this causes create a marketing hurdle.

And if it does, set a course of action to solve the problem if the economics of the solution are feasible. Certainly, the course of action would include:

- Getting adequate audience data. This certainly can be done. All it takes is money. And certainly the money would be well spent in providing you with a sound selling tool. Get a leader to prepare a program. Pay him enough to make it worth his while to secure the participation. (Easy to say, very hard to do.)

- Underwriting commercial-effectiveness research. There are a lot of researchers who could design this work and carry it through, and thereby establish a basis for the accountability of agencies for their radio efforts that would have at least some acceptance.

- Possibly underwriting experimental efforts in radio-commercial writing. It's tough to admit, but in the face of the work in which we must be skilled when doing TV and print, most agencies today do not retain top skills in radio writing.

Leading the Way • So once you have your commercial-effectiveness research measurements, we may need your help in showing us how to get "effective" scores. It's not your job. But if you do it, it just might help get you more business. In short, your program should eliminate the fear of the unknown problem you now face by getting us data to make us knowledgeable, or potentially so.

And then, you should solve the next problem that this will create. Show us how to conquer our "fear of death" by helping us learn to write effective commercials—ones that are demonstrably so according to sound objective data.

Obviously, there's nothing to it.

Fred M. Mitchell is chairman of the board of Erwin Wasey Inc., Los Angeles. Before joining EW in 1965, Mr. Mitchell was senior vice president and management supervisor for Norman, Craig & Kummel for four years. From August 1960 to May 1961, Mr. Mitchell was senior vice president and management supervisor in charge of the Lever Bros. account with Kenyon & Eckhardt. Previous to that he was account supervisor and vice president for Dancer-Fitzgerald-Sample.
How much is YOUR time worth?

As a good businessman your time is worth PLENTY, and WE can buy you more time.

Nationwide backs their man with a GUARANTEE

Nationwide will provide the "right man" for your opening! In order to assure complete satisfaction we will back each placement with a full one year unconditional guarantee.

DIAL 312 337-5318 FOR FAST, CONFIDENTIAL SERVICE
Ever seen what a tornado can do to a town? We did. On April 21st, the worst twister in Illinois history ripped through several communities outside Chicago. And we reported it. With movie cameras in color. With helicopters. With reporters wired for sound.

Now, they say our coverage was the best spot television news reporting of the year. Who are they? The Radio Television News Directors Association.

Sure, we're glad to have our work commended by our fellow professionals. But we can't forget the tragedy we witnessed. And we wish none of it had ever happened.

But if you report news, like WGN Television does, you're there when it happens and you tell it like it is. Even if it hurts.
Does television lack courage?

ANA president charges medium is overly sensitive to government pressure; calls TV code arbitrary and suggests it restricts use by advertisers

Leaders of the nation’s top advertisers made it clear last week that they felt television is too quick to yield to pressures and carries its self-regulation too far.

Speaking at the 58th annual meeting of the Association of National Advertisers, they also renewed their opposition to FCC’s extension of its fairness doctrine to cigarette commercials.

The annual meeting, held Sunday through Wednesday (Oct. 29-Nov. 1) at The Homestead in Hot Springs, Va., with some 600 ANA members and guests in hand, dealt primarily with advertising’s government and public relations problems and with improving advertising department organization and advertiser-agency relationships in order to achieve more efficient advertising.

Although television and radio did not receive the detailed attention given them in many earlier ANA meetings, TV in particular figured prominently as a symbol of major concern—the TV advertising code as a symbol of “arbitrary” media action and the FCC’s cigarette decision as a symbol of regulatory agencies’ attempts to extend their powers without legislative sanction.

Urges a Second Look Peter W. Allport, ANA president, said the least television should do is take a new look at its position on self-regulation.

In an apparent allusion to ANA’s prior contentions that the National Association of Broadcasters’ television commercial code is unduly restrictive, Mr. Allport suggested that it may impede advertisers’ access to the medium.

“Television is a visible target and perhaps because it is licensed it seems particularly vulnerable to regulation by suggestion or pressure in contrast to law and due process,” he asserted.

While this is understandable, the advertiser too often is the man at the end of the line.

“As a very minimum, it seems to me, the medium should reappraise its position and make sure that under the guise of self-regulation it is not compounding and carrying forward the fault of regulation without due process.”

The ANA president explained later that he was referring to television’s attitude toward product claims. It continues to pass on them without having the expertise needed to judge whether they are right or wrong and also without giving so-called scientific experts a chance to challenge its decisions or cross-examine concerning them.

“Even the FTC can’t do that,” he added.

Mr. Allport’s reference to TV self-regulation came in a discussion of three “broad issues” confronting advertisers in their relationship with government: issues involving advertising’s impact on society generally, its economic role and the extent and nature of consumer protection that is needed.

As opposed to the “broad issues” of concern to advertisers, Mr. Allport cited the FCC’s cigarette fairness-doctrine ruling as an example of a “hot war” issue requiring immediate ANA action, in this case the issue of government agencies attempting to extend their powers beyond the limits set by Congress.

ANA Position Clear “ANA appropriately raised its voice in objection to this move without—not unexpectedly—changing FCC’s mind,” he said. “The issue is now being taken on to the courts by the NAB and the stations directly involved.”

In another panel session, Gilbert H. Weil, ANA general counsel, also cited the cigarette decision as an unauthorized extension of regulatory-agency authority.

He noted that a number of bills have been introduced in the House to exempt product advertising from the workings of the fairness doctrine. But he also pointed out that there is always a logjam of legislation facing Congress and that when special bills of this sort fail to receive action the regulatory agencies involved often claim the inaction re-

Getlin steps up to chairman of ANA

Joseph V. Getlin, marketing vice president of the Grocery Products Division of Ralston Purina Co., was elected chairman of the Association of National Advertisers last Monday (Oct. 30) at ANA’s annual meeting at The Homestead, Hot Springs, Va. (also see above). He succeeds Samuel Thurm of Lever Brothers.

Henry W. Lowe, advertising vice president of Warner-Lambert Pharmaceutical Co., was elected vice chairman.

Peter W. Allport was reelected president.

Seven new board members were elected: H. Walton Cloke, American Can Co.; William H. Ewen, Borden Co.; John P. Kelley, Goodyear Tire & Rubber; Howard M. List, Kellogg; Eugene B. Mapel, Chase Manhattan Bank, New York; Roland G. Saysette, Del Monte Corp., and George W. Sisler, Ashland Oil & Refining.
DOES TELEVISION LACK COURAGE? continued

ffects congressional endorsement of the policies the bills were directed against.

Joseph V. Getlin of Ralston Purina, newly elected ANA chairman, meanwhile put the NAB code's advertising standards at the top of a list of challenges for advertisers, agencies and media.

"Advertisers," he said, "often feel these [standards] are arbitrary."

Other issues listed by Mr. Getlin as challenges "to which we are currently addressing ourselves" related to "derogatory and misleading competitive media claims," local-versus-national rate differentials and "adequate product protection."

On the last, he said: "Reasonable separation from competitive product messages is an increasing concern of advertisers because of the steady growth of advertising messages being beamed at the consumer."

Mr. Getlin expressed confidence, however, that on all these challenges "progress can be made in the future, just as we have [made progress] on equally complex problems in the past."

The new chairman also reported that among major ANA sessions currently being planned is the second television management seminar, to be held next April 28-May 2 at Westchester Country Club, Rye, N. Y.

Case Histories Urged * Dr. Jules Backman of New York University, whose study of "Advertising and Competition" was underwritten by ANA and is widely regarded as the most complete answer thus far to charges that advertising is anticompetitive, urged advertisers to follow up his study by making public case histories of their own.

He also called for studies of the effects of various proposals to limit or tax advertising expenditures and control advertising content.

"It is vital," he said, "to evaluate the economic effects of each of these proposals on our economy as well as upon the several advertising media and the industries affected. These studies must be made promptly because one never knows when some unforeseen event may trigger hasty and unwise legislative action.

"Included should be a study of the effect of a reduced volume of advertising on the prices of newspapers, magazines, radio and television and upon their ability to perform their present services and an examination of the actions that advertisers should be prepared to take to correct any abuses in advertising."

The American Association of Advertising Agencies, it was disclosed by Mr. Allport, is making a film based on Dr. Backman's book, for use on educational television and in schools.

Friendly Foe * Television and radio meanwhile received kind words from a competitor. Charles T. Lipscomb Jr., chairman of the executive committee of the Bureau of Advertising, American Newspaper Publishers Association, said in a report on media relationships that TV, radio, newspapers and magazines are "selling the same product more than we are selling competitive products," and that when one medium improves, all media gain.

"The tremendous success of television has helped all media and has made all of us bigger and better," he asserted.

He said that all four major measured media "today reach the American pub-

lic more thoroughly and more efficiently than ever before," and that all are "enjoying their greatest periods of growth and prosperity."

Outlining creative selling efforts undertaken by newspapers, Mr. Lipscomb said that "one of the first bureaus to do this kind of selling was the Radio Advertising Bureau," and added that "television people are constantly making suggestions in the creative area, as are magazines."

But media's first responsibility is to the public, not to the advertisers, he said.

"When the 3M Co. sponsored ABC-TV's Africa documentary on Sept. 10, four hours of serious programing," he continued, "the company did so with the understanding that communication can't be measured by rating points—or by circulation."

"This was brilliant advertising because it was sound corporate citizenship. Media can make the tastes and

opinions of tomorrow; too often they merely reflect those of today. Advertisers should encourage media to experiment, to be venturesome, because the marketing messages of the future can be only as exciting as the media through which they take wing."

Economic Growth * The advertisers were assured by Lawrence C. McQuade, assistant secretary of commerce for domestic and international business, that "the prospects are good for continued economic growth in the remaining months of this year and on into 1968."

They also were told that the best way to avoid legislation affecting marketing and advertising is "good performance, visibly seen and understood by the public," and that "a second course is to get a more livable bill by presenting an effective, intelligent case for it."

The fact is, Mr. McQuade said, that "business by and large does not do well enough at making itself understood," even though its performance record has been "remarkably good."

He suggested that business set up a National Marketing Information Center in Washington as "a meeting place where businessmen, educators and government officials could participate in a continuing dialogue of mutual interests."

Whether this is done or not, Mr. McQuade continued, business and government "should talk and work with each other to a greater degree."

This cooperative approach was also emphasized by Michael Perschuck, general counsel to the Senate Commerce Committee, in a subsequent panel that dealt extensively with consumer-protection legislation.

Betty Furness, President Johnson's special assistant for consumer affairs, urged advertisers to take the lead in setting up a program of consumer education, perhaps starting with an ANA committee to "survey the possibilities for action" and building into a "major program area for your association."

"You have made Mr. and Mrs. America the king and queen of the marketplace," she said, and "no one has more to gain than you" from consumer education because it will make today's consumers "better customers in the future."

The advertisers were also given a preview of a campaign being developed through the Advertising Council to attract college students, a notoriously antibusiness group, into business.

The campaign, still in preparation, will appeal to students' increasing orientation toward social-action projects by stressing that "the fastest way to change the world is to work in a business that does."

It will feature work being done by specific companies and
specific businessmen in such fields as urban renewal, rehabilitation and education.

BBDO Campaign 
Plans for the campaign were presented by Thomas C. Dillon, president of BBDO, volunteer agency for the campaign, and Henry M. Schachte, executive vice president of J. Walter Thompson Co. and vice chairman of the council. 

In a session featuring a preliminary report on an ANA study of the organization of advertising, marketing and public-relations functions within its member companies, Robert M. Prentice of Lever Brothers told of "provocative" findings in a pilot study on a narrower subject: Client approval of advertising plans. 

He said the pilot study found, among other things, that "a disturbing proportion" of client people involved in copy approval do not have "creative" backgrounds, and yet one-third of all agency copy that is submitted for approval is rejected or suffers "major revision." About half of these changes reflect client disagreement with the way the proposed advertising is done, he said, adding:

"When we couple the reported general lack of client creative training and experience with this high rate of revision or rejection of advertising due to client dissatisfaction with creative execution, I think we begin to see the dimensions of a very important problem."

The broader ANA study of advertising and marketing organization within member companies will be followed by one showing the organization structures within specific categories of business, from industrial goods to packaged goods.

Agency-advertiser attitudes and relationships that can improve the creative climate and lead to more effective advertising were examined by David B. McCall, president of LaRoche, McCaffrey & McCall, New York; H. Copland Robinson Jr., director of brand management for Liggett & Myers Tobacco, and Lawrence D'Aloise, senior vice president and director of creative review boards at J. Walter Thompson Co., New York.

M. Lowell McElroy, retiring in December as ANA senior vice president after 18 years with the association, was presented ANA's annual Gold Medal Award for Leadership (Broadcasting, Oct. 30).

Business briefly . . .

Peterson Manufacturing Co., DeWitt, Neb., has made its first NBC Radio buy in Monitor. The order, through The Biddle Co., Bloomington, Ill., is for Vise-Grip tools.

General Telephone & Electronics, Broadcasting, November 6, 1967

Commercial preview: cutting wasted motion

Almost like Marcel Duchamp's famous action painting of a "Nude Descending a Staircase," the multi-image effects achieved in a new TV commercial by AT&T show how a woman without a home extension phone has to "doubleback" each time it rings. As she moves, her image through a special optical technique spreads out in accordian fashion only to stop when she does. AT&T's new "Stamp Out the Doubleback" promotion campaign, prepared by N. W. Ayer & Son Inc., Philadelphia, begins this month in network TV and consumer magazines. The agency claims it is the Bell System's heaviest push for building through Doyle Dane Bernbach, both New York, will sponsor the second CBS Playhouse special of the season Wednesday, Dec. 6 (9-11 p.m. EST) on CBS-TV. The original drama, Reginald Rose's "Dear Friends," will star Patricia Barry, James Daly, Rosemary Harris, Anne Jackson, Hope Lange, Pernell Roberts, Eli Wallach and David Wayne. Herbert Brodkin is the producer.


Lewis Food Co., Long Beach, Calif., through Rullman and Munger Advertising, Los Angeles, has added a seven-station, six-market buy to its basic radio schedule. The additional buy includes KING Seattle, KREM Spokane, KLAS Las Vegas, KOW and KOJO, both Portland, Ore. Lewis Food, on behalf of Dr. Ross Dog Food and Dr. Ross Cat Food, is now running a total of 6,498 radio spots each 13-week cycle. Television, however, remains the primary medium for the Dr. Ross brands.

Keel Aid Division, General Foods Corp., White Plains, N. Y., is using spot radio commercials to introduce two new flavors of Great Shakes Shake Mix, milk chocolate and cherry-vanilla. The Great Shakes brand is also supported by a continuing schedule of network and spot television commercials. Ogilvy & Mather Inc., New York, is the agency.

Interstate Bakeries Corp., Kansas City, Mo., through Dance-Fitzgerald-Sample Inc., New York, will sponsor an original musical adaptation of Aladdin, on CBS-TV Wednesday, Dec. 6 (7:30-8:30 p.m. EST). The Prince Street Players,
New York City repertory company, will make their fourth appearance on CBS-TV with this special. Jim Eliot, director of the company, wrote the adaptation, with Ethel Burns as producer and Nick Havinga as director.

The Jell-O Division of General Foods Corp., White Plains, N. Y., has introduced a low-calorie syrup, “Log Cabin Light-Cal,” with advertising that includes spot and network TV. Young & Rubicam, New York, is the agency.

J. P. Stevens & Co., through McCann-Erickson Inc., both New York, will sponsor a half-hour TV special on the world premiere of the motion picture “Camelot,” produced by Warner Bros.-Seven Arts. The program, featuring opening night festivities (Oct. 25), will be programmed in prime time at different dates on WPIX-TV New York, KJL-TV Los Angeles, WHDH-TV Boston, WTTG-TV Washington, WAGA-TV Atlanta, WBBM-TV Chicago, WCAU-TV Philadelphia, WENS-TV Cleveland, WRAP-TV Ft. Worth-Dallas, WFAA-TV Pittsburgh, KTVU-TV Oakland-San Francisco and KMOX-TV St. Louis.

**Rep appointments...**
* WTDQ Newport News-Norfolk, Va.; WWOK Charlotte, N. C.; KHKX Tucson, Ariz.; KJXE Shreveport, La.; KKNY Spokane, Wash.; WHYO Columbus, Ga., and dates this month on WIPX-TV New York, KTVU(TV) San Francisco and KMOX-TV St. Louis.

**Profit motive isn’t enough**

That’s the message educators give to AAAA at Pebble Beach convention

Two of the nation’s top educators tore into the advertising community last month for allegedly failing to understand that it’s not only soap they’re selling on television and in other media but standards for living. The criticism was delivered at the fourth day (Oct. 22-25) 30th annual convention of the Western Region of the American Association of Advertising Agencies in Pebble Beach, Calif.

Making the keynote address, Jacqueline Grennan, president of Webster College, St. Louis, and the only woman member of the President’s advisory panel on research and development in education, offered the advertising executives little to cheer about. “If the only thing you care about is what you sell and the profit motive, then I don’t see how you can like yourself very much,” she emphasized.

But apparently there is a path of redemption for the “communicators and the enablers of the great business capitalist world.” For Miss Grennan urged that the admen have the security “to be insecure in all things.”

**Berwick Takes Baton** Keith Berwick, a professor of history at UCLA, was even more sharp in his attack. He told his audience that “it’s a moral responsibility to care about something more than just the profit motive.” Zerowing in, he added: “The advertising industry actually established the standards we live by and die by in this country and yet there is not one adman in 100 who knows he’s doing anything more than selling catsup or soap.” He pleaded for “something as awareness among advertising people of the importance of the part they play in shaping the American way of life.” Then he charged: “You, who are so effective and skillful in the art of communications, are so inept in communicating any sense of values.”

Other speakers at the convention included Frederick M. Mitchell Jr., chairman of the board, Erwin Wasey Inc., Los Angeles, who also took the advertising community to task for not believing in the importance of what it’s doing. Sam Riddle, disk jockey for KJL Los Angeles, asked that advertising treat teenagers as adults. “Kids don’t have to be told they have pimples,” he said. “They know. Other kids tell them.”

**Production Critique** A panel on TV commercial production decided that a production company should be an extension of the agency and voted for an art director or copywriter instead of a producer as the key man in the production of commercials, while voting down the use of story-boards as too confining. Sitting on this panel were John Orluff, Wakeford-Orloff Inc., Los

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**BAR network-TV billing report for week ended Oct. 29**

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Atlanta Believes in Metropolitan Opera.
And WSB-TV.

Opera is very much part of life in Atlanta. Opera Week has been a tradition in the city since 1910. One of the many which go to make Atlanta the cosmopolitan community that it is. In Atlanta WSB-TV is also a tradition. The station is always involved in the community, and the community believes in the station. Like the Metropolitan Opera, WSB-TV wins bravos in Atlanta. Want to hit a high note in this market?

WSB-TV/ Ch. 2 / Atlanta / N.B.C. / Petry
Smoke signals from the Hill

Tobacco-industry leaders meet with Senator Kennedy on cigarette advertising

The chief executive officers of nine cigarette companies, the head of the Cigarette Advertising Code and the director of the Tobacco Institute held a top-level conference with cigarette-advertising foe Senator Robert F. Kennedy (D-N.Y.) last week, and advance speculation was that the meeting could mark the beginning of the end for cigarette advertising on television.

But all that emerged after the meeting was an off-the-record assertion that the cigarette industry was "willing to discuss" a possible lowering of the percentage cutoff—now at 45%—for the youth component of a television show's audience above which a program is deemed not suitable for cigarette commercials.

And it seemed quite clear, from private reports by participants of the meeting from both camps, that even on an off-the-record basis no "deal" to trade off TV commercials for support for full marketing freedom in other areas was discussed.

It was speculated that tobacco-industry leaders, viewing situations in some European countries where cigarette sales have continued at a high level in spite of curbs on broadcast and other advertising, might solicit Senator Kennedy's support for an intra-industry agreement to reduce television advertising. Such support might prove useful in avoiding Justice Department complications, it was reasoned.

Key Role • Senator Kennedy became a focus for cigarette-industry concern when he submitted three bills that would require a stronger health warning on packs and in ads; give the FCC control of the type of programs that could carry cigarette commercials; the times of day that exposures would be permitted and the over-all expenditure that could be made for cigarette broadcast advertising, and enact a sliding scale of excise taxes (up to 63 cents a pack) keyed to tar and nicotine levels (BROADCASTING, Sept. 18).

At the time he said he would prefer a cooperative solution by the industry that would eliminate the necessity for legislative action, a position he reaffirmed after the meeting Tuesday (Oct. 31). The senator's main concern, he has reiterated, is that cigarette appeals reach youth, encouraging young persons to begin smoking. He expressed doubt that using a lower youth-in-audience percentage figure would be a meaningful improvement, especially on high-rated programs where even a small percentage can mean large absolute numbers.

Robert Meyner, the former New Jersey governor who now heads the Cigarette Advertising Code Inc., said tobacco advertising served interbrand competition and was not aimed at persuading youngsters to smoke.

Former Kentucky Governor and U.S. Senator Earle Clements, president and executive director of the Tobacco Institute Inc., said that it had long been the industry's view that the decision to begin smoking "was an adult decision," and that advertising was so oriented.

Top Tobacco Men • In addition to Senator Kennedy, Governor Meyner and Senator Clements, the meeting was attended by Michael Pertschuk, Senate Commerce Committee aide; David Hardy, Kansas City, Mo., attorney and consultant to the Tobacco Institute and to the tobacco companies; Edwin P. Finch, president, Brown & Williamson Tobacco Corp.; Milton E. Harrington, president of Liggett & Myers Tobacco Co.; Joseph F. Cullman III, chairman, Philip Morris Inc.; Alexander H. Galloway, president, R. J. Reynolds Co.; W. B. George, chief executive officer, Lorus & Brother Co.; Louis A. Bantle, president, U. S. Tobacco Co.; Manuel Yellen, chairman, P. Lorillard Co.; Robert B. Walker, chairman, American Tobacco Co., and Constantine Stephano, president, Stefano Bros.

Also attending were Dr. Daniel Horn of the National Clearinghouse for Smoking and Health of the U. S. Public Health Service and Dr. Kenneth Endicott, director of the National Cancer Institute of the National Institutes of Health.

Surgeon general sets up antismoking group

TV, radio, newspapers and magazines are going to be on the receiving end of a new campaign against cigarette smoking.

This is one of the four objectives of a new, 11-member federally sponsored task force on smoking announced last week by Surgeon General William H. Stewart.

The group was scheduled to hold its organizational meeting last Friday (Nov. 3) in Washington.

Dr. Daniel Horn, director of the U.S. Public Health Service's National Clearing House for Smoking and Health, is chairman. Among its other 10 members is Emerson Foote, former advertising executive, long known for his anti-smoking views.

Other aims of the group: encourage young people not to start smoking, reduce the harmful effects of smoking
To the Boy Scouts at Camp Lewis
Humble is Operation Water Mountain.

Their water system damaged by a summer storm, the Scouts at Camp Lewis, New Jersey, were stuck without fresh water — to drink or use for cooking. And no showers! A group of fellows from Humble's Bayonne, N.J., Refinery moved quickly to remedy the problem. On a Saturday, some 50 Humble men met at the camp to begin Operation Water Mountain. They buried a 10,000-gallon tank in a mountaintop overlooking the camp. Then they painstakingly laid 1200 feet of pipeline and completed connections to the camp's well below. It was no picnic. But sometimes it feels good to have sore muscles. Today, a gravity-feed system supplies the Scout campsite with plenty of clean, fresh water. To these young boys Humble probably isn't America's Leading Energy Company. To them Humble is Operation Water Mountain. This is not the first — or the last — community service to be rendered by our men at Bayonne. Their spirit reflects a genuine attitude at Humble: that we must constantly respond to the needs of America's most important resource — its people.

HUMBLE
Oil & Refining Company
and the people who make it America's Leading Energy Company
among those who already smoke, and "develop a climate of opinion" favorable to the introduction of a less hazardous cigarette.

Dr. Stewart pointed out that 42% of the adult population of the U.S. continues to smoke, and that 1 million young people begin each year.

TVB flays PBL's anticommercials

The Public Broadcast Laboratory was to present anticommercials attacking the credibility of aspirin advertising and commercials for 100mm cigarettes during its maiden program Sunday (Nov. 5).

The decision to go ahead with the presentation of anticommercials was made despite unease among advertisers—some of whom have supported noncommercial programming in the past—and advertising agencies over the PBL decision and despite a strong message to FCC Chairman Rosel Hyde from the Television Bureau of Advertising.

The announcement of PBL's plan to present anticommercials came Oct. 27 and immediately sparked what were described as "negative" reactions among advertisers, agencies, and some broadcasters (BROADCASTING, Oct. 30). While advertisers withheld comment on the proposed PBL programming last week, TVB President Norman E. Cash reacted to the PBL announcement with a telegram to Chairman Hyde which said in part that "we believe [the PBL] program will be flagrant violation of fairness doctrine. . . . Though fictionalized, commercials are said to refer to Federal Trade Commission statements, but we are unaware of any provision within program [for] rebuttal by advertisers and/or their agencies involved to opinions expressed by [PBL] . . .

"We feel every effort should be made to make ETV licensees planning to carry the program aware of potential fairness doctrine violations unless provisions are made by them to permit on-air rebuttals within or contiguous to the planned experimental program," the telegram concluded.

Poor Communications • Mr. Cash's wire was sent on the evening of Oct. 27, but spokesmen for Chairman Hyde's office said Thursday morning (Nov. 2) they had not yet received the message. TVB later that day re-sent Mr. Cash's message to the commission chairman.

PBL spokesmen late last week said that while there had been no time allotted for rebuttals on Sunday's program, the anticommercials would be followed by an announcement which reads:

"PBL believes public television should permit expression of divergent points of view, and stands ready to provide opportunity for responsible comment on the preceding message."

Copies of the statement were sent to the 119 noncommercial stations carrying the PBL program, officials said.

PBL officials denied earlier reports that the Ford Foundation-supported PBL would not attack the credibility of automobile commercials. "We will definitely comment on car commercials as well as package goods," said a PBL source. Auto manufacturers, according to their spokesmen in New York, like other advertisers who have or may be criticized by PBL anticommercials, were reserving comment until the program is aired.

Agency appointments . . .

• Holzer Watch Co., New York, distributor of Universal Geneve watches, has appointed Kane, Light, Gladney Inc., that city, as its agency.


• Roos/Atkins Inc., San Francisco, has appointed the local office of Lennen & Newell Inc. to handle its advertising account, estimated to reach $500,000 a year. The new agency will be responsible for all broadcast advertising, among other media planning, for the outfitter of men's, women's and children's wear.

Walton new Midwest rep

Walton Broadcasting Sales Corp., a new regional station representative for both radio and television, has been formed in Chicago by Robert J. Walton, formerly a broadcast farm director in the Midwest for John Britt & Co. Walton will specialize in farm accounts as well as general consumer accounts within an eight-state area: Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, Missouri, Nebraska and Colorado. Address: 20 North Wacker, Chicago 60606; phone (code 312) 236-8888.

Commercial in production . . .

Listings include new commercials being made for national or large regional radio and television campaigns. Appearing in sequence are names of advertisers, product, number, length and type of commercials, production manager, agency with its account executive and producer.

Delta Films International Inc., 357 Ponce de Leon Avenue, San Juan, P. R. 00901.


Lever Brothers, New York (Silver Dust); one 30 for TV, on film, color. Agency: Sullivan, Stauffer, Colwell & Byles, New York.


Logus Ltd., 3620 South 27th Street, Arlington, Va. 22206.


Pepper Sound Studios, 2078 Union Avenue, Memphis 38104.


Mr. T. Tape Centers, Cleveland (audio tape); one 60 for radio, jingle. Bud Smalley, production manager. Agency: Saul Ister Advertising, Cleveland. Saul Ister, account executive.


Chevrolet, Detroit ( cars); one 120 for TV, live on film, color. Richard E. Evans, production manager. Agency: Campbell-Ewald, Detroit. Art Mele, agency producer.

Southwestern Bell Telephone, St. Louis (Yellow Pages); two 60's of three 90's, one 10 for TV, live on film, color. Richard E. Evans, production manager. Agency: Gardner Advertising, St. Louis. Gene Duncan, agency producer.

WXI-TV Commercial Videotape Division, 2077 West 10 Mile Road, Southfield, Mich.


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Here's Another Reason Why WHO RADIO Should Be On Your Top 20 Market List:

**DRUG SALES!**

WHO RADIO DELIVERS THE 16TH MARKET!

Rank our Iowa WHO PRIME MARKET AREA drug sales right between Houston and Newark*. We're not just Metro Des Moines. Let's compare facts:

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This brings you complete information on the best video tape you can put on your recorder.

Yes, I'd like to know about the 79 Series video tape you designed especially for my recorder.

My recorder is manufactured by ________________________________
Model number ________________________________
Name ________________________________
Title ________________________________
School or Company ________________________________
Address ________________________________
City ________________________________
State ____________________________ Zip ________________________________

No matter which recorder you use, we have a 79 Series video tape that can bring out the best picture and sound your machine is capable of providing. That's because each tape in our 79 Series has been specifically designed for a different type of helical scan recorder. Each has its own formulation, its own configuration.

Memorex precision video tape will perform on your recorder with fewer dropouts than any other video tape. It remains picture-perfect long after other tapes have failed. It offers an unusually long still-frame life. What's more, its special formulation guarantees it won't stick and get out of sync. And its special binder eliminates the problem of flake-off and head-clogging, while keeping head-wear low.

If this sounds like the tape you've been looking for, send us this coupon. Or contact the Memorex distributor nearest you. He can tell you all about our 79 Series video tape, the best tape you can put on your recorder. And he can fill your orders from his local stock now.
Bozell & Jacobs sold to its executives

Bozell & Jacobs Inc., Omaha, advertising and public relations agency, has announced its first change in ownership and corporate management in 46 years. Morris E. Jacobs, chairman, announced the agency has been sold to a group of B&J executives headed by Charles D. Peebler Jr. and Alan J. Jacobs.

Mr. Peebler will continue as president and chief executive officer of the agency. In addition to his position as executive vice president, Alan Jacobs will also be chairman of the executive committee. Morris Jacobs will become founding chairman of the agency, serve as a consultant and continue as one of its directors.

B&J, which bills $28 million annually, has also recently undergone several major changes. The agency has acquired Emerson Foote Inc. offices in New York and Atlanta, while the agency's Minneapolis office has been sold to Sam H. Kaufman and Myles Spicer, the Kaufman Company. B&J currently has offices in 13 cities in the U.S. and Canada. The agency's accounts include Mutual of Omaha Insurance Co., Weyerhaeuser Co. and Jones & Laughlin Steel Corp.

Romney drops his CBS-TV time

Michigan Governor George Romney has cancelled the half-hour paid telecast he was to have made on CBS-TV on Nov. 15. Ostensibly the program was to be used to announce his candidacy for the Republican presidential nomination in 1968.

However, CBS-TV's announced po-

icy is not to sell time for political pur-
poses unless the individual is a can-
didate and the governor apparently was not about to divulge to one network, two weeks early, what he wanted to tell the whole nation at one time.

Although it had never been openly stated that Mr. Romney wanted the telecast to announce his candidacy, CBS-TV President Thomas H. Dawson said Thursday (Nov. 2) that the gov-
ernor's representatives had said "he desired network television time in or-

der to announce his candidacy. We would not otherwise have entertained his request for broadcast time."

Another sore spot in the Romney camp appeared to be the time slot CBS offered—10-11:30 p.m. Wednesday. "Dundie and the Culhane" has been in the 10-11 slot, has produced poor ratings, and is being taken off.

According to Travis Cross, the gover-
nor's personal assistant, that Wednesday period was "dog time" for what he called "Romney's report to the people."

Also in advertising...

Country combination = Two countr-

y.

western radio stations in the Los An-

geles market area have joined forces and are being sold to regional and na-

tional buyers as a combination. KBQO Burbank and KFOX Long Beach are being offered as the Los Angeles Metropolitan Country Combination. Adam Young Inc., New York, is acting as national representative for the alli-

ance.

MCA expands into commercials = MCA Inc., New York, the one-time talent agency that has since spread into extensive feature film and television production, now is in the commercial production field. Universal Commercial and Industrial Films has been formed as a division of MCA. It will produce both television commercials and indus-
trial films and will operate out of MCA's Universal City Studios in North Hollywood. Lou Lichtenfield, veteran producer of television commercials, has been appointed vice president in charge of the new company.

Putter foot = Game manufacturer Leister Game Co., Toledo, Ohio is now making "one-foot" golf putters in quantity, on an idea taken from a TV commercial approach used on the John-

ny Carson Tonight Show on NBC-7 TV.

The putter actually works though it has a small replica of a human foot instead of a club head. It duplicates the club Johnny Carson has "used" on the show to introduce commercials developed by Benton & Bowles for Norwich Pharmacal Co. (NP-27 athlete's foot remedy).
Another fairness case taken to court

King stations in Seattle protest FCC ruling on editorials that endorsed political candidates

Another front was opened last week in broadcasters' spreading courtroom war against the FCC's fairness doctrine. The cause of the new fight: a commission ruling that King Broadcasting Co. stations in Seattle had not fully complied with the doctrine in the opportunity for rebuttal to which they had offered a local political candidate.

The issue, as KING-AM-FM-TV see it, is whether the commission may substitute its judgment for that of licensees in determining what constitutes a "reasonable" offer in such cases.

The commission wired its ruling to the stations on Wednesday (Nov. 1) concerning a complaint by George E. Cooley, a candidate for the Seattle city council in an election to be held tomorrow (Nov. 7). He said that the stations' offer of six 20-second spots to respond to a 20-second editorial broadcast 24 times to endorse five candidates, including his opponent, was unfair. And the commission's wire, in effect, directed the stations to engage in "good faith negotiations" with him on the matter.

Instead the stations' counsel on Friday filed an appeal from the ruling with the U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in Washington. They also asked the court to stay the commission's order. The stations told the commission earlier that further negotiations with Mr. Cooley would constitute abandonment of a policy they consider fair and reasonable.

Stations' Position = In seeking to require them to abandon their concept of fairness, the stations told the court, the commission has placed an interpretation of "reasonableness" on the fairness-doctrine rule relating to political editorializing that amounts to censorship and a violation of their constitutional rights of freedom of speech.

They also said the commission ruling constitutes an abandonment of a policy of accepting reasonable good-faith judgments of licensees in program matters. The commission, they added, has injected itself into the center of the program-decision-making process—an area from which they say it is barred by Section 326 of the Communications Act—the so-called no-censorship provision of the statute.

The commission, in its ruling, did not specify any number of spots the stations should grant Mr. Cooley for rebuttal. But it did state that the number that the stations offer is of as much importance in meeting their fairness-doctrine requirements as the total amount of time they make available. And the stations, the commission added, gave no reason for not dividing the time offered into a greater number of spots.

The commission vote was 4 to 0, with Commissioners Robert E. Lee, Kenneth A. Cox, James J. Wadsworth and Nicholas Johnson participating. Chairman Rosel H. Hyde and Commissioners Lee Loevinger and Robert T. Bartley were absent.

Background = Apparently contributing to the King stations' decision to challenge the commission in court was the fact that their concept of fairness evolved out of their experience in the primary campaign in September. Then, the stations had backed five of a slate of 28 candidates with a campaign that included 30 exposures of a 20-second editorial. Nonendorsed candidates were offered two one-minute spots each—and one of the nonendorsed candidates complained to the commission.

The result was a commission directive to the station to negotiate with the candidate. This in turn led to an agreement under which the stations afforded the complainant six 20-second spots that were aired mornings and afternoons on the Saturday and Sunday preceding the primary, on Sept. 19 (BROADCASTING, Sept. 25).

In the general election the 20-second editorial was broadcast over each of the stations between Oct. 22 and Nov. 6 eight times during the early daytime, eight times during daytime and eight during prime time. Each of the eight nonendorsed candidates in the contest was supplied with a copy of the editorial and invited to have an authorized spokesman record a 20-second spot which would be broadcast on separate days twice during early daytime, daytime and prime time, for a total of six times on each of the stations.

Thus, each of the nonendorsed candidates was offered a total of 120 seconds as against the total of 480 seconds the stations intended to devote to its editorial campaign in behalf of all five candidates whom it endorsed.

Candidate Upheld = However, the commission staff, which issued the initial ruling on Mr. Cooley's complaint, agreed with the candidate that the offer of six exposures to respond to 24 editorials did not constitute compliance with the fairness doctrine. The staff, in a wire to the stations on Oct. 27, noted that the stations apparently believe that broadcast time can most effectively be used by frequent repetition of a brief statement rather than by a lesser number of longer announcements, and said the "complainant seeks to avail himself of a comparable opportunity."

The staff requested the stations to "inform the commission immediately of the manner in which you intend to comply with [the fairness doctrine] and of such action as you may take." The stations were also told that the issue was "a matter for the immediate good-faith negotiation" between the stations and Mr. Cooley.

The stations, however, asked the commission to review the staff's order. They contended that it "represents a significant variance from basic commission policy, and a repudiation of the essential role assigned to broadcast licensees by the Congress. . . ." They also said the commission's directive in the primary campaign only because they felt "the public would suffer from a continued challenge to the order"—not because they believed that the commission was within its statutory or constitutional authority in issuing it.

In denying the petition for review, the commission said that licensees "may make a good-faith judgment as to what constitutes a reasonable opportunity to respond" in the particular circumstances of each case." And Mr. Cooley, it said, is concerned about "a disparity of four to one" in the number of King-stations endorsements as against the number of spots offered to him.

Why Not More Spots? = The commission added that "while Mr. Cooley has requested opportunity to make additional responses, you have denied this request without advancing any basis upon which the commission can make a judgment that this restriction is reasonable." It said that reason is given, for example, why a "10-second announcement, resulting in 12 opportuni-
Lookit the EXTRYS you get with this extry TOWER!

LISTEN, you wheels who have been buying WDAY-TV for all these years — just listen to the extrys you now get because we now got a “twin” up there between Devils Lake and Grand Forks!

EXTRY! — you now get North Dakota’s second market as well as the first — 35,370 new, unduplicated TV homes.

EXTRY! — you now get the Grand Forks U.S. Air Base, with 17,000 sojers and their families.

EXTRY! — you now get the two major colleges in our state — U. of North Dakota in Grand Forks, N.D. State College in Fargo, with their 12,000 students, teachers, etc.

EXTRY! — you now get the entire Red River Valley, including all Northeastern North Dakota, Northwestern Minnesota, plus a hunk of Southern Manitoba. This now gives you total coverage of 149,460 Grade B TV homes.

So now you get 31% more than you’ve ever gotten before from WDAY-TV. Which, all by itself, gives you actually the biggest, best, etc., etc. market between Minneapolis and Spokane, Washington!

Don’t jist SET there. Ask PGW!
ties" to reach audiences in different parts of the day "is not feasible. . . ."

The King stations' suit, in which the National Association of Broadcasters is expected to become involved, adds to an already impressive list of challenges to various aspects of the fairness doctrine now pending in various courts. These include wcaq-tv Red Lion, Pa.'s suit to have the Supreme Court review a lower court ruling upholding the constitutionality of the doctrine; the separate appeals of the Radio Television News Directors Association, CBS and NBC of the commission order adopting the political editorializing and personal attack aspects of the doctrine as commission rules; and the efforts of the NAB (backed by two stations filing their own suits and by a dozen intervenors including the three networks) to overturn the commission ruling applying the doctrine to cigarette advertising.

That last-cited commission action is being appealed also by John Banzhof III, the New York attorney whose complaint against wcbs-tv New York led to the ruling—but on the ground it doesn't impose a sufficient obligation on stations to present the antigateatre messages.

Another suit that doesn't fit the mold has been filed by atheist Madeline Murray O'Haire. She has asked the U.S. District Court in Washington to enjoin the commission from enforcing the doctrine in a manner that, she says, permits licensees "under color of authority of the commission" to deny her and her co-believers use of the airwaves.

Free-time requests blasted by Campbell

One of the many broadcasters that were circularized by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare with a request for free commercial time in behalf of air-pollution abatement responded with a letter saying exactly what effect HEW's request had on him.

Eldon Campbell, vice president and general manager, wpbrm-am-fm-tv Indianapolis, noting that his stations had devoted "a great deal of time on news, local and national, editorials and special reporting activity" in the anti-pollution cause, told HEW that he could only assume a similar letter was mailed to newspapers and magazines, requesting free advertising space. ("I do not mean editorial content," he emphasized.)

He told the assistant surgeon general—to whom his letter was addressed, with copies to the surgeon general of the U. S. and the entire congressional delegation from Indiana—that the government was working at cross-purposes regarding cigarette advertising, with HEW and the FCC pushing for anti-smoking spots while another branch of the government supports tobacco growing and marketing. He said there was a "growing concern that the government, which we support . . . is constantly finding a way to undermine our effectiveness."

"And if our effectiveness is undermined," he said, "it won't be long until you will not have to send your form letters seeking free time from us as we will be out of business."

By late Thursday (Nov 2), Mr. Campbell's office noted, he had received no reply.

More feature films, TV series from ITC

Independent Television Corp. outlined last week broad expansion plans in the production of television series and feature films especially for TV. ITC's expanded role was announced last week by Lew Grade, president of Associated Television (ATV) of London, parent company of ITC, upon his return to Britain following a business trip to New York where he conferred with top executives of the three networks, and with ITC President Abe Mandell.

In the TV-series area, ATV concluded a new long-term agreement with NBC-TV for production by ITC of new segments of the hour series, The Saint, with a limited number of episodes to be produced each year, presumably for use as a summer replacement. Mr. Grade also disclosed that ITC will begin production in March on two new series, Department S and Acres High.

ITC's feature-film activities will include the production of two "The Saint" motion pictures, starring Roger Moore, to be made especially for TV. Mr. Grade revealed that out of The Prisoner TV series, starring Patrick McGoohan, has come an agreement with CBS for three motion pictures. The films will be produced for ITC-ATV by Mr. McGoohan's independent production company and will include two primarily for television and a major feature, starring Mr. McGoohan, that will be released to theaters initially.

Mr. Grade noted that CBS-TV has bought The Prisoner but the network has not as yet scheduled it. In addition, he said, the series has been sold in Canada, all of Latin America, Germany and Australia and last week an agreement was signed for sale in Japan.

FCC rejects ACLU fairness complaint

The FCC has denied a request to order New York radio and television stations to provide free time for arguments by opponents to the proposed new state constitution. The constitution is up for voter consideration this Tuesday (Nov. 7).

The request was made by the New York Civil Liberties Union, which asked the commission to issue an immediate "broad ruling" under the fairness doctrine regarding programs broadcast by the New York stations about the pending election. The union stated that previous informal requests for time made to various stations "have been refused."

In a telegram sent to the union last Tuesday (Oct. 31), the commission termed the request inappropriate because the group had failed to submit any specific complaint, describing the complete factual situation with respect to any licensee. The commission said that although the fairness doctrine would apply to the controversial issue, the critical consideration of any ruling is whether a particular licensee has afforded reasonable opportunity for discussion of the issue, and "that, in turn, depends on the facts of each case, and could vary from licensee to licensee."

Procedures: The commission said that since equal time is not required under fairness rules, a station which has devoted large amounts of time to the issue "might well be able to sell" several additional spot messages "without creating an imbalance in its coverage of the issue." In any event the commission noted that since the ACLU failed to state the facts upon which a ruling could be made, "we do not reach other possible issues" unless the complaint procedure in the FCC's fairness primer has been "appropriately" followed.

However, the commission said that because of the imminence of the election, the service of any complaint on the stations involved will assist it in expediting the processing of such a complaint and in issuing a prompt ruling.

Stanley Newborn, ACLU attorney, said last Thursday (Nov 2) he had prepared a reconstructed schedule of broadcasts and ads on wnbC-tv New York since Sept. 24, which demonstrates an "imbalance in advertising regarding the church-state issue of the proposed constitution." This schedule, he said, would be sent to the FCC.

However the attorney remarked that "frankly, I'm not too optimistic that we will be able to accomplish anything this way."
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Movies hold lead as viewers’ favorites

TVQ SCORES SHOW NO MAJOR CHANGES IN RESPONSE TO NEW SEASON

The average viewer likes this season’s parcel of new evening network television programing about as much as he liked last fall’s entries, but teen-agers particularly are not "moved" by the new fare of shows.

The number of evening network programs continues to decline, with the major casualty in this trend being the situation comedy, which is at its lowest point in five years.

These highlights emerge from a special study, one in an annual series conducted by BROADCASTING by the TVQ service of the Home Testing Institute, marketing research firm, of Manhasset, N. Y. The TVQ score is based on nationwide surveying and represents the proportion of respondents who, having said they are familiar with a program, also call it "one of my favorites."

Down a Point * TVQ reported that interviewing during a 10-day period beginning on Oct. 7 resulted in an average score of 28 for all nighttime network programing—down one point from last year but equal to or exceeding the levels attained in three previous years, dating back to 1963 (see table below).

Network movies registered a TVQ score of 36, the highest for all program types, but declined from the 38 achieved in 1966. Last year movies ousted westerns as the leading program type (38 to 35) and this fall features widened the lead (36 to 30).

Categories that recorded gains in the October 1967 TVQ averages over 1966 were musical shows (up from 27 to 28); quiz and panel (from 22 to 28), and variety (from 23 to 24).

Three categories turned in TVQ averages topping the all-program average of 28: movies, with 36; news and documentary, with 30, and westerns, also with 30.

Among groupings that dropped in averages this fall as compared with last year were adventure (down to 24 from 28); drama (from 26 to 25); network movies (from 38 to 36); news and documentary (from 32 to 30); suspense and mystery (from 31 to 27), and westerns (from 35 to 30).

Fewer New Shows * The number of new programs on the networks this fall dropped drastically to 25 from 35 in 1966, reflecting, TVQ said, "the trend is to movies and more hour-and-a-half shows." The major casualty, it said, is the situation comedy group, which is now at its lowest number in five years (total of 20, as compared with 28 last year and 38 in the fall of 1964).

The average TVQ score for all new programs this fall was 27, the same as last year. Except for suspense-mystery, all categories in the new program study exceeded the 27 average. New comedy series recorded an average 28, up from 25 last year, and this category was the only one to show an increase over scores gained by new series in 1966.

TVQ noted that in new evening programs there was a considerable shift in audience appeal, with the most dramatic change represented by the loss of teen-age appeal. It stated that the TVQ score of the average new show is at its lowest since the 1950’s among this

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* Excludes ‘Good Company’ on ABC, whose familiarity level is below minimum acceptable standards.

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*Top Five New Shows from Oct. 1967 TVQ

Rank | Program | TVQ |
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1. Flying Nun (ABC) | 38 |
2. Guns of Will Sonnett (ABC) | 36 |
3. 20 100 Years (ABC) | 35 |
4. Off to See the Wizard (ABC) | 32 |
5. Gentle Ben (CBS) | 31 |
6. High Chaparral (NBC) | 31 |
7. Hongo (CBS) | 31 |
8. Maya (NBC) | 31 |

Bottom Five New Shows from Oct. 1967 TVQ

Rank | Program | TVQ |
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1. Dundee and The Culhane (CBS) | 15 |
2. He & She (CBS) | 16 |
3. Danny Thomas Hour (NBC) | 18 |
4. Kraft Music Hall (NBC) | 20 |
5. N.Y.P.D. (ABC) | 20 |

*Good Company’ (ABC) also received a score of 18 but was not considered in the analyses because its familiarity level was too low.

BROADCASTING, November 6, 1967
“The average new show’s appeal is also down, but slightly, among 18-34 year olds,” TVQ observed, “while it is at its lowest since the 1950’s for the 35-49 year age group. The only age group that likes the new shows better this year than last is the 50-and-over age group.”

Three network movie programs made the list of TVQ’s “top-10” evening shows, in which 12 programs are represented because of ties. This compares with four network movie presentations that made a similar listing last year.

Network axes sharpened

NBC and CBS plan only one killing apiece; ABC schedules demise of three

Though this is a season noted for new-show failures in the ratings, the television networks were depicted last week as gingerly approaching decisions that could drastically change their nighttime schedules and drive up their financial risk in program production.

Spokesmen for CBS-TV, which continues to lead in the Nielsens, attested to but one change; officials at ABC-TV acknowledged several moves and the cancellation of three series, two new, one a carryover; while at NBC-TV, where only one program cancellation has been made public, there was a reluctance to speak of additional shuffles.

NBC’s desire for a status quo in the schedule, despite persistent reports of several changes underway including a possible direct switch of the Monday and Tuesday 9-11 p.m. schedules (Broadcasting, Oct. 30), was noted at advertising agency offices. Agency executives said reports from NBC indicated a hold-the-line attitude “if at all possible.”

CBS-TV, a consistent winner in the ratings, was on top again in the fast weekly report out last Wednesday (Nov. 1). For the week ended Oct. 22, 7:30-11 p.m., CBS had 19.9, NBC 18.0 and ABC 16.5, figures that reflect the over-all relative performance in the Nielsens by the networks this season.

Movies Drop * In the new report, the movies didn’t score as high as they had in most of the past reports, and the new shows continued the weak performance that’s been evident all season. The top ranking went to old favorites.

While ABC-TV plans to cancel three shows, it will replace them with but one new series, while inserting a former “second season” veteran series (The Avengers) and returning an additional half-hour to the stations.

The new series is To Catch a Thief, produced by Universal. Chief goes in on Tuesday, 8:30-9:30, replacing the Invaders, which moves to Tuesday, 10-11. The Hollywood Palace, now occupying 10-11 on Tuesday, goes back to its familiar Saturday period (9:30-10:30), bumping Iron Horse. Also being dropped are two shows that were new starters this season, Custer (replaced by the British-produced Avengers on Wednesday, 7:30-8:30) and Good Company (Thursday, 10-10:30), a period that will be returned to the stations, giving them a full hour, through 11 p.m., for local programming).

Back To The Stadions * ABC affiliates, as a result of the changes, will have a total of 90 minutes weekly in night hours turned back to them by the network. ABC at present does not program Thursday, 10:30-11, and Saturday period, 10:30-11, is currently open to stations to opt for the feed of ABC Scope or to program locally. ABC’s changes will go into effect starting Jan. 9.

CBS and NBC last week said they have given cancellation notice to one program series each, CBS to Dun-
Antiprotest record by ex-radio men catches on

Two former radio station executives have collaborated to produce one of the year's most instant hit records. It's called "Open Letter to My Teen-Age Son," a patriotic declaration spoken in emotional style over the music-chorus background of "The Battle Hymn of the Republic." The record was composed by Victore E. Lundberg (who says he's a conservative Republican) and Robert R. Thompson, partners in ADMAN Inc., a Grand Rapids, Mich., advertising agency. Earlier, Mr. Lundberg was general manager of WMAX Grand Rapids, with Mr. Thompson serving as his program director.

Inauspicious Start * The words to the record were written by Messrs. Lundberg and Thompson, both of whom have teen-age sons, last May. It was meant as a way to "give the American youth food for thought." The master record, with Mr. Lundberg performing (through his agency he performs in commercials, mostly for furniture store clients), was first played on several stations in Grand Rapids. Based on success achieved there, the record was picked up for national distribution by Liberty Records. It was released about a month ago without creating much of a stir. Then WGN Chicago began playing it regularly about two weeks ago, generating the first sales impact. But Liberty still was having difficulty getting its non-music record sampled by radio stations.

Late last month the record was sent to Jack Thayer, vice president and general manager of KLAC Los Angeles, a nonmusic, all-talk station. The record was introduced on the Joe Pyne Show Oct. 25. Soon it was being played on KLAC and such other Los Angeles stations as KMPC, KFI, KHJ and KNX at least once and sometimes as many as four times an hour. Between Oct. 25 and Oct. 27, the record sold 250,000 copies. As of late last week it had sold 500,000 copies.

The record addresses itself to the most controversial issues of the teen-age rebellion. It states the Lundberg-Thompson reaction to long hair or beards on young people (if it's done for a principle it's OK), to judging young people merely as teen-agers ("if you will judge every human being on his own individual potential, I will do the same"), and to the question of whether God is dead ("remember that God is a guide and not a storm trooper").

The shocker is left for last. Discussing draft-card burners, Mr. Lundberg says: "And if you decide to burn your draft card, then burn your birth certificate at the same time. From that moment on—I have no son."

Already rebuttals to these opinions are being prepared. Reportedly at least one record company other than Liberty is preparing to release such an answer record. The Messrs. Lundberg and Thompson, meanwhile, are planning to record an album of philosophical statements that will involve opinions about such current, troubling and controversial subjects as sex and psychedelic drugs.

dee and the Culhane on Wednesday, 10-11 p.m., to be replaced by a new variety program starring Jonathan Winters, NBC to Accidental Family, Friday, 9:30-10 p.m. Dundee and Accidental Family were new this fall. Replacement for Accidental Family has not been set.

Old favorites—Lucy on CBS, Bonanza on the BBC, Gomer Pyle and Andy Griffith on CBS, Bewitched on ABC, Jackie Gleason and Gunsmoke on CBS and Dean Martin on NBC—led the weekly Nielsen through the eighth ranking, followed by NBC's Saturday movie ("Mr. Moses") and NBC's Tuesday movie ("That Funny Feeling"). The Saturday and Tuesday movies were tied at ninth position with NBC's Virginian.

ABC's "Johnny Belinda" (taped show placed in the Sunday movie period) tied for 25th position with a 19.9 rating (other show was Carol Burnett's vehicle on CBS). CBS Playhouse, a dramatic special, "Do Not Go Gentle into that Good Night," received a 17.3 rating.

TV series sales . . .

Comedy Capers (Sandy Frank Program Sales): WBJA-TV Binghamton, N. Y., and WSBK-TV Boston.

High and Wild (Sandy Frank Program Sales): Wgal-TV Lancaster, Pa.

ABC-TV revamps its daytime schedule

ABC-TV last week announced a new daytime program schedule effective Jan. 1, including the daytime premiere of Bewitched (noon-12:30 p.m. EST) and a new audience participation show, The Baby Game, (2:30-2:55 p.m.).

Two other new shows, whose premiers have been delayed from Oct. 2 by the NABET strike against the network, Temptation and How's Your Mother-In-Law, will be seen at 11-11:25 a.m. and 11:30-noon, respectively, starting Monday, Dec. 4.

Temptation, the fifth new program in the daytime lineup, will have its premiere Monday, Dec. 18 (12:30-1 p.m.), in the period currently held by The Donna Reed Show, which will move to 10:30-11 a.m.

Five programs remain unchanged in the reshuffling: The Fugitive, The Newlywed Game, General Hospital, Dark Shadows and The Dating Game.

ABC-TV said its daytime schedule as of Jan. 1 (with interim changes indicated) will be as follows:

10:30-11 a.m. The Donna Reed Show effective Dec. 18; (Dateline: Hollywood, last telecast Dec. 1; The Family Game, telecast Dec. 4-15); 11-11:25 a.m. Temptation, effective Dec. 4 (Honeymoon Race, last telecast Dec. 1); 11:25-11:30 a.m. The Children's Doctor (moves from 10:55 a.m. on Dec. 4); 11:30-noon How's Your Mother-in-Law? effective Dec. 4 (Family Game moves to 10:30 a.m. Dec. 4-15).

Noon-12:30 p.m. Bewitched, effective Jan. 1 (Everybody's Talking, last telecast Dec. 29); 12:30-1 p.m. Treasure Isle, effective Dec. 18 (Donna Reed Show moves to 10:30 a.m.); 1-2 p.m. The Fugitive (unchanged); 2-2:30 p.m. The Newlywed Game (unchanged); 2:30-2:55 p.m. The Baby Game, effective Jan. 1 (Dream Girl, last telecast Dec. 29); 2:55-3 p.m. News with Marlene Sanders (unchanged); 3-3:30 p.m. General Hospital (unchanged); 3:30-4 p.m. Dark Shadows (unchanged); 4-4:30 p.m. The Dating Game (unchanged).

Radio series sales . . .

All Time Heavyweight Championship Tournament (Woroner Productions Inc.): WPJO Ishpeming, WCSR Hillsdale and WGN Munning, all Michigan; KXAR Hope, KTLO Mountain Home and KMAG-FM Ft. Smith, all Arkansas; CFCO Chatham and CBOY Ottawa, both Ontario; WSL Logansport, Ind.; KONC Amarillo, Tex.; KGOF Coffeyville and
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A statement by Bailey K. Howard
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We have all the financial resources of Field Enterprises behind WFLD.

We recently appointed a new General Manager for Station WFLD-TV. E. H. (Ernie) Shomo, after 31 years with CBS, brings a world of know-how to us.

If this statement makes you and your media people take another look at Station WFLD-TV, we both will have gained. Chicago is a great market. It deserves our great new station. Take a good look at Station WFLD-TV, Chicago.

STATION WFLD-TV
CHICAGO
WXUR official tells of boycott

The top official of WXUR-AM-FM Media, Pa., told last week how an economic boycott of the station’s advertisers has slashed WXUR’s monthly commercial income from $7,000 to $500.

“This boycott thing has really demolished us,” John H. Norris, president of Brandywine-Mainline Radio Inc. and general manager of WXUR, testified during the fourth week of an FCC hearing on WXUR’s license renewal.

Brandywine Mainline, which operates the station, is owned by Faith Theological Seminary of Elkins Park, Pa. Dr. Carl McIntire heads the seminary.

Nearly 20 religious and civic organizations have asked the commission to deny renewal of the WXUR license for alleged fairness doctrine violations.

Mr. Norris spoke of the boycott while undergoing questioning about the station’s effort to service its listening public.

He said the boycott began shortly after Faith Theological Seminary purchased the station in April 1965, and is still continuing.

Mr. Norris said he believes the boycott is the work of people who feel they can change WXUR’s programming, criticized by many as being slanted to the extreme right wing, by forcing advertisers to stop sponsoring WXUR programs. He charged that the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People and B’nai B’rith were among the groups pressuring the boycott.

Mr. Norris testified that the station’s advertisers were “harassed” by telephone calls and pressured into cancelling advertising through additional means. He testified that the station had increased its religious programming, for which it had ready sponsors, to help make up for lost revenue.

Philadelphia Voice — One of the reasons the seminary wanted to buy the radio station, he testified, was so Dr. McIntire’s 20th Century Reformation Hour would have an outlet in the Philadelphia area.

Mr. Norris said the program was one of several described by a magazine writer in 1964 as the “nine hate clubs of the air.”

The reference was to an article in The Nation by writer Fred J. Cook. It dealt with radio programs the author believed were right wing and peddled hate.

“The other eight were Christian Crusade, Life Line, Marian Forum, Church League of America, Dan Smoot Report, America’s Future, Christian Economics.
and Independent American.

Mr. Norris said all nine of the programs have appeared at one time or another over wxur. He said he disagreed with the "hate club" label, however. All parties in the hearing then took to referring to the programs as "love clubs."

Mr. Norris underwent extensive questioning by Washington attorney Thomas Schattenfeld, who represents the Greater Philadelphia Council of Churches, one of 19 groups opposing WXURY's license renewal.

Through it all, Mr. Norris contended that WXRY "is freer in putting on various points of view on controversial issues than any other radio station in the Philadelphia area." He testified the station doesn't "discriminate" against any type of program and opens its airwaves to all points of view. "The only restriction is subservive organizations," Mr. Norris, who spent nearly all week on the stand, said. "The air is open to everyone except those advocating the overthrow of the government by violence."

WXRY's licenses have been up for renewal since Aug. 1, 1966, but FCC action has been withheld pending results of the hearing.

Three stations grab for commutation

Three Puerto Rican radio stations, which twice had received death sentences in initial decisions of an FCC hearing examiner, have offered to take without further argument the reduced sanction of a $10,000 fine the examiner has proposed in a third initial decision in the case.

The stations are WYXN and WFRM (FM), both San Juan, and WORA-PM Mayaguez, all under the common ownership of Radio Americas Corp. The principal charge against them was that they had violated commission rules by rebroadcasting Armed Forces Radio Service news programs in 1962 without permission.

Examiner Forest McClenning has held that the president and principal stockholder of Radio Americas, Alfred R. de Arelano Jr., was personally innocent of wrong doing. The licensee corporations, the examiner said, however, must shoulder ultimate responsibility for the material the stations broadcast (BROADCASTING, Oct. 2).

The two licensees involved—Quality Broadcasting Corp. (WYXN and WFRM) and Radio Americas—notified the commission last week that they were prepared to waive their right to file exceptions to the examiner's cumulative initial decision issued last month, provided only that the commission make the decision final with respect to them. They enclosed a check for $10,000 to cover the forfeiture.

Commission acceptance of the decision would not end the case. Still to be determined would be the existence or extent of responsibility of George Mayoral for the violations the examiner said were committed. The examiner in all three of his initial decisions pinned principal responsibility on Mr. Mayoral, a former official of and stockholder in WXRY.

McClellan to probe media's role in riots

The Senate opened its full-scale study of riots and civil disorders last week with an affirmation by Investigations Subcommittee Chairman John L. McClellan (D-Ark.) that charges of radio's and television's possible "inflammatory impact" would be among those causes and contributing factors to urban unrest that his panel would investigate.

But the first witness, from a city that has so far escaped community-wide disorders—Houston—praised his community's commercial radio stations for cooperation in quickly disseminating the facts when exaggerated rumors of incidents threatened the spread of violence.

Houston's mayor, Louis Welch, said that his city's experience in avoiding widespread disturbances led to two general guides: keeping lines of communication open with all segments of the population and dispelling all rumors, using local radio or even "door-to-door fact sheets" if necessary. (Houston's disturbance last May, he noted, was campus oriented and did not involve other major segments of the community.)

Senator McClellan, in his introductory statement, said that the panel would focus on a group of cities that would "give a fair cross-section of riot activity." Future witnesses were not announced but Houston was picked as the first city to be scrutinized. Indications were that the hearing would be lengthy and exhaustive.

Complaints: Senator McClellan said his committee has "received complaints that television camera crews . . . frequently gave intensive coverage to incidents of violence and scenes of arson and shooting . . . ." Thus it is argued, he noted, that as a result of the excitement engendered, "other riots were sparked and ignited in cities within tele-
vision range of the large city where the pictures originated.

"This was certainly a phenomenon observed in connection with the riot in Detroit, which was quickly followed by riots in Flint, Pontiac, Saginaw, Grand Rapids, and other cities in Michigan and Ohio," he added. He also cited the spread on rioting in Newark, N. J., to nearby cities.

Senator McClellan noted other complaints that television cameras "seldom film and the stations rarely show attacks upon policemen, firemen and other officials on the scene, but that the cameras become more active when the police move to subdue their attackers...."

Departing from his prepared text, however, the senator said that it was "not the purpose or intent of the committee to seek to curb the right of free speech or dissemination of the news" by investigating the role of the news media in civil disturbances. Rather, he said, the committee would seek all pertinent facts to ascertain the causes that might spark another riot in a city in proximity to a disturbance.

Other committees in Congress have been investigating aspects of urban rioting that are german to specific bills under consideration by the McClellan subcommittee, which has been charged by the Senate with conducting an overall probe of domestic disorders. None of the other hearings have touched directly on the part played by radio and television, although criticism in Congress was widespread during the height of the disturbances that took place last summer.

**Cox wants restraint on sensationalism**

**IBA ALSO HEARS REPORT ON ABC RADIO SERVICES**

Public complaints about open-mike talk programs on radio are rising at the FCC and there should be some measures taken to curb excessive sensationalism, Commissioner Kenneth A. Cox told the fall convention of the Illinois Broadcasters Association last week in Chicago.

The IBA also heard a progress report on plans for the four new ABC Radio Network program services, a major agency executive's warning that some TV stations are too careless in scheduling commercials and a report on the FM medium's growing acceptance on Madison Avenue.

Commissioner Cox restated his concern that some open-mike shows tend to be programed for their shock value rather than their information value to the audience, a view he expressed earlier this year before other broadcaster groups (Broadcasting, May 1).

He also urged stricter management control over talk programs and more careful selection of talk show hosts. He admitted "my ideas will make such programming more costly and less sensational" but felt that without such controls the consequences could be serious.

Talk programs have great potential for the discussion and airing of all points of view on controversial issues, he said, but this comes about only when the station really tries to inform the audience and "not shock or titillate it or inflame the prejudices."

No ID Needed • Those attacked on the air during a talk program should be given opportunity to reply under the commission's fairness doctrine, he indicated. Telephone callers need not be identified on the air, he thought, but the station should require identification and should keep the names on file to supply later if asked for them. Talk shows should employ tape delay, he said, and they also should be tared for the record.

Ralph W. Beaudin, group vice president for radio of ABC Inc., reported favorable agency reaction to the company's plan for inauguration of four network program services on Jan. 1. But he admitted that the strike by the National Association of Broadcast Employees and Technicians had slowed the executive echelon down a little in affiliate negotiations this fall. The four new network services, however, will kick off on schedule, he said.

The four services are: American Information Network, American Entertainment Network, American Contemporary Network and American FM Network (Broadcasting, Aug. 28, et seq.).

"To date we have made 18 major agency presentations, many of them at the request of the agencies themselves," Mr. Beaudin said, "and some of which are essentially television-buying shops. When we get to the agency we find in many cases that the president of the agency himself is at the head of the table. When was the last time we had a crack at him?"

Mr. Beaudin said that for a long time "we in radio have been approaching the national multibrand advertiser from the wrong angle. They don't think local, they think national first and local second, if they think of stations at all."

The ABC official said that when the four new program services begin the national multibrand advertiser "for the first time will be able to buy a national medium to a target audience. In other words we are in the marketing business today instead of the rating business."

ABC is not after spot radio advertising dollars, Mr. Beaudin said, "because there just are not enough of them. But our new concept of a target audience has to bring new dollars into radio."

He said 30 people are being added to radio news so that each of the four networks will have its own distinct news organization, each competitive with the other. Another innovation, he said, will be an $80 gadget to attach to the local station's tape system so that ABC headquarters in New York can trigger the station machine and enable it to function unattended during the night hours for recording of program material.

A new station compensation policy is to be initiated for the ABC Entertainment Network, Mr. Beaudin explained.

In the five-minute network segments, he said, the network will pay the stations for these periods regardless of

FCC Commissioner Kenneth A. Cox (second from I) is welcomed to the Illinois Broadcasters Association meeting by (l to r): Guy F. Main, IBA president from WCIA-TV Champaign, Ill.; Ed Stern, media director, Foote, Cone & Belding, and James G. Hanlon, manager of public relations and advertising for WGN Continental Broadcasting.
whether the network is able to sell them or not.

Loose TV Scheduling * Edward M. Stern, vice president and director of media, Foote, Cone & Belding, Chicago, warned that too many television stations today are indulging "extremely loose scheduling practices" for spot commercials.

Mr. Stern cited one major station on which commercials were supposed to be rotated during the two-hour Today program were all run in a single early time thereby losing considerable total circulation. He said another big station ran late movie spots at 2:30 a.m. in an undisclosed second feature instead of the first.

Lynn Christian, president of the newly formed Dawson Communications Inc. (see below) reported to IBA on the sales success of FM today in many parts of the country and especially its acceptance by top New York agencies. He cited the July report of the Marschalk Co. division of Interpublic, which concluded that FM ultimately will supplant AM and found that even today FM has developed sufficiently "so that there is no longer any need to distinguish between AM and FM stations in terms of either media planning or buying."

Mr. Christian also noted the April study of FM by Ogilvy & Mather, which found that "for media selection purposes, FM has reached that point where no distinction should be made between it and AM radio."

Ed Wallis, Wind Chicago, was elected IBA president succeeding Guy F. Main, WCIA-TV Champaign, Ill. Mike Douglas, Westinghouse Broadcasting Co. TV program personality, was honored as the IBA man of the year.

CBS/FM gets Midwest rep

CBS/FM and a newly formed company, Dawson Communications Inc., Dallas, have effected an agreement in which Dawson will represent CBS/FM program service in the syndication of its "The Young Sound" music in the Southwest. The new company will own KIXS-FM Oklahoma City, and has entered into a conditional contract for purchase of KOcw(FM) Tulsa, Okla., and is negotiating for an FM station in the Dallas-Fort Worth area.

At a news conference held Thursday (Nov. 2) at CBS in New York, plans for the new broadcast company were announced by L. Raymond Dawson, president of KIXS-FM. Mr. Dawson is chairman of Dawson Communications, and Lynn Christian, who has resigned as general manager of WPix-FM New York, is president and chief executive officer. William D. Greene, CBS/FM director, noted that the music concept developed by the CBS operation is now broadcast by 21 stations, including the seven CBS-owned FM outlets.

"Bigger Association * Mr. Dawson said it was his station's "successful operation" with the CBS FM service that encouraged him to look further into the possibility of expanding the association. After some study, he said, it was decided "first, to acquire additional broadcast properties of our own with the intention of programming and selling them with 'The Young Sound' on a regional and national basis, and second, to undertake to become the exclusive representative of 'The Young Sound' in the Southwest."

"In the long term," he said, "I can see us having a loose amalgam of stations in the area, all carrying 'The Young Sound' and represented for advertiser sales by a single sales organization. That organization will be formed by Dawson Communications."

According to Mr. Christian, Dawson Communications, in addition to its plan to purchase KOCW, will apply to transfer the license for KXLS-FM to the new corporation and is in final negotiation for an FM serving the Dallas-Fort Worth area. He said the company, which Mr. Dawson said had financial backing of some $1 million, would some day have a group of seven FM's.

In representing CBS/FM in "The Young Sound", Dawson Communications will confine its selling to markets where FM is being developed and would not take over major FM markets where "The Young Sound" is already in operation. Mr. Christian said Dawson has an agreement with WWMT(FM) New Orleans to begin broadcasting the CBS FM service on Dec. 1. Stralem & Co., a Wall Street company, managed the financial aspect of the company's formation.

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**Pigskin draws at night**

CBS-TV managed to garner a formidable share during its presentation of a National Football League game between the Chicago Cardinals and the Green Bay Packers during a weekday evening (Monday, Oct. 30). According to the national Arbitrons, the telecast of the game garnered a 44 share, higher than regularly scheduled shows, which have been averaging a 39 in dominating the 9:30-11 p.m. period.
Copyright extension moves fast in Congress

A routine bill that at one point might have figured importantly in the CATV copyright dispute appeared headed for swift passage by Congress last week—but without the CATV complication. The bill extends copyrights on works that would normally enter the public domain but that would remain under protection under the longer terms envisioned in major copyright legislation pending before the Senate Judiciary Committee.

The extension bill was seen as a vehicle by CATV forces for an amendment that would have frozen any CATV copyright lawsuits until a compromise on cable liability can be worked out in the major revision. Unofficial agreements were reached, however, between copyright proprieters and cable interests that new suits would be held in abeyance until court appeals on a test case were exhausted.

The extension bill, therefore, was submitted in the same form as previous bills, promptly passed the Senate, and last week gained House Judiciary Committee approval.

Ex-mayor to serve on public-service series

Robert F. Wagner, former New York City mayor, has turned radio broadcaster, serving as host to a weekly series of half-hour Family Living '67 public-affairs programs. The series is being put into syndication this month as a public service to over 35 U. S. radio stations by the Home Life Insurance Company of N. Y. Family Life Institute, a non-profit foundation.

Mr. Wagner began the series with a panel discussion of the disappearing middle class, featuring New York State Senator Seymour Thayer, Roger Starr, chairman, Citizens Housing and Planning Council, and Edwin Lee, executive director of Family Life. Mr. Wagner plans to appear on 24 shows, and relinquish his host duties to comedian Alan King, who is scheduled for the remaining 27 programs in the year-long series. Home Life, of which Mr. Wagner is a board member, is producing the programs in conjunction with Fordham University in New York. Tape distribution is being handled by J & E Productions, New York.

The residual checks are bigger than ever

With two months still to go in the year, Hollywood writers already have collected some $510,000 more in residuals than they did during all of 1964, their best previous year. As of Oct. 27 of this year, a grand total of $3,852,478.29 had been received by members of Writers Guild of America West for domestic residuals, foreign residuals, royalty percentage compensation and films-to-TV residuals. In all of calendar 1964, the grand total came to $3,342,696.94.

The breakdown on the residual figures so far this year shows $3,371,279.29 for TV writers from foreign and domestic residuals and royalty percentage compensation. Another $481,199 was paid to screen writers whose feature films are now playing on television.

WGAW estimates that residual income this year averages out to $90,455.74 per week. The guild projects additional residuals of some $1.1 million for the year. It believes that final figures may show a grand total of almost $5 million in residuals for the year.

Trans-Lux plans

TV acceleration

A substantial expansion in the TV program and CATV activities of the Trans-Lux Corp. was announced at a news conference last week by Eugene Picker, president of Trans-Lux's entertainment division.

In the TV area, according to Mr. Picker, Trans-Lux Television Corp. soon will begin distribution of Wide, Wide World, 39 color half hours on various places throughout the globe; Break Out, a series of 26 half-hours keyed to the top-50 rock-pop tunes, which is being produced color tape by Pathé Pictures Inc., and "A Stranger

You don't have to feel the Negro pulse in New Orleans...

WBOK will show it to you!

Pulse Proves It... all day in every time period from 6 A.M. until 5 P.M. WBOK IS THE LEADER... more Negro men more Negro women... WBOK than any other station in the Metro New Orleans Negro market. Over 37% of the New Orleans city area is Negro. 295,000 Negro population — the second largest city in the State... Purchasing power $450 Million.

WBOK is the Leader

Pulse Special Negro Audience

*Pulse Mon-Fri.

Jan-June, 67

WBOK Station A

6 A.M. to 12M 44 31

12 to 6 P.M. 39 35

6 P.M. to 12 Mid. 29 34

*Data quoted or derived from audience surveys are estimates subject to sampling and other errors.
46 out of 82

Most original music created for television is licensed through BMI.

Over half of the 82 prime-time network TV programs of the current season include themes or original music written by BMI affiliated composers. Some of them have both. Further proof of the importance of the BMI repertoire is its increasing use on the 17 additional prime-time variety and feature film programs. The art of matching music to a storyline takes highly creative and original talent. BMI is proud that the composers affiliated with it create music that reaches millions of television viewers daily.

All the worlds of music for all of today’s audience.
The 'now generation's' favorites

What television and movie personalities does the so-called "now generation" dig the most? What is its favorite television show? Which segment of this audience remembers TV commercials best?

The clues to the thinking and action patterns of 12-25-year-olds throughout the country are to be found in an in-depth study of this market prepared for ABC by Media Research Associates, Los Angeles.

The study, released last week, is concerned with areas closely related to marketing—radio; television; newspapers and magazines; brand identification and preferences; use of time and activities; income and outgo; motion picture and star preferences; records; travel; automotive, and outside influences that directly affect action. National sample return for the study was 1,248. Methodology used was oral interview-discussion groups, written questionnaires and personal interviews.

Among the findings of the study:
- David Jansen, David McCallum, Bill Cosby, Marlo Thomas, Don Adams, the Smothers Brothers and The Monkees were among the most favored television personalities.
- Most of the "preferred movies to see" had received heavy TV promotion, and favorite male stars, such as John Wayne and Robert Mitchum, had a strong "cool" image. Theater attendance was highest among 19-25-year-old males.
- Females 12 to 15 and 16 to 18 lead in their ability to remember TV commercials, 84% and 82%, respectively. Benson & Hedges stood out in all age breakouts as having the most appealing commercial.
- The Monkees is the favorite TV show of both males and females, 12-15; The Smothers Brothers the favorite for both males and females, 16-18; I Spy the favorite for males, 19-25; Dean Martin Show the favorite for females, 19-25.

Media Research Associates pretests records for contemporary music stations around the country. It also pretests motion pictures, TV pilots, scripts and story concepts. The company is headed by Rex Sparger, one-time investigator for a House Commerce Committee subcommittee.

Knocks, a controversial feature film. In addition, Trans-Lux is in the final stages of negotiations for the TV syndication rights to the American Hockey League games, which will be aired either late this year or in 1968.

In CATV, Trans-Lux has established a film-buying service to serve more than 1,806 systems now operating in the U.S. Trans-Lux will act as a "one-stop" source of feature-film and syndicated programing material to CATV operators, according to Mr. Picker. One of the areas of concentration will be in children's programing with Trans-Lux providing CATV systems with 16 half hours or more of programs for use during the daytime schedule.

National TV poll catching on fast

That national instant TV poll in October (Broadcasting, Oct. 16) has generated interest among other stations coast-to-coast that would like to participate in the next test of public opinion. Scheduled for Nov. 8, the instant poll will ask viewers to register a "yes" or "no" opinion on the question: "Do you think that federal, state or local government agencies should distribute birth-control information and materials?"

WHTL-TV Philadelphia, which had created the nightly TV poll and coordinated the first national effort, expects the November project to involve 20 more stations than the original 13 outlets. Nov. 8, following an election day, was selected as an "ideal" night because people "will be keyed up to the whole notion of voting."

Program notes...

No dueller: Golf immortal Bobby Jones will be the subject of a one-hour color TV special to be produced by Walter Schwimmer Inc., Chicago. Special entitled Golf's Emperor Jones is scheduled for release in 1968 and will feature Bing Crosby as host-narrator. Charles Price, author of several golf books, will write the script.

Big Top: KTSN-TV El Paso, Tex., recently played host to the Shrine Cir...
In Jacksonville’s

In Jacksonville’s station market, WJXT held a

54\%

metro share of viewing homes, 9 a.m. to midnight, Monday thru Friday.

IT ALL ADDS UP to more people watch

WJXT

Jacksonville, Florida

Represented by TVAR CBS-TV 4
A POST-NEWSWEEK STATION

Source: ARB, Feb.-March 1967. Data derived from audience surveys are estimates subject to sampling and other errors. Refer to complete survey reports for details.

The tax bite

Viewers of Taft Broadcasting Co.’s new series Cross Section are finding out that they’re being pretty good to both Uncle Sam and to the state and local tax collectors.

One of the shows, “Your Taxes and How They Stack Up” analyzes the assessments on the average taxpayer in the Taft station markets and comes up with these state-city tax bills: Buffalo, N. Y. — $825; Scranton, Pa. — $799; Cincinnati — $600; Birmingham, Ala. — $598; Kansas City, Mo. — $593; Columbus, Ohio — $531.

The survey also showed that the average taxpayer in these cities pays $600 annually in federal income taxes.

The Cincinnati-based group’s stations are: WKRC-AM-FM-TV Cincinnati; WTVN-AM-FM-TV Columbus, Ohio; WBRC-AM-FM-TV Birmingham, Ala.; WGR-AM-FM-TV Buffalo, N. Y.; WDAF-AM-FM-TV Kansas City, Mo., and WNEP-TV Scranton, Pa.
Contract amortization argued

Tax court hears Corinthian and IRS testimony on legality of depreciating network affiliation contracts

A second round in Corinthian Broadcasting Corp.'s battle to convince the Internal Revenue Service that it's legitimate to amortize network affiliation contracts took place last week when the group broadcaster challenged IRS in a three-day hearing in the U. S. Tax Court in Washington.

This time Corinthian is seeking to overturn an IRS ruling that disallowed amortization for the CBS affiliation contract when Corinthian bought KHOU-TV Houston in 1956 from Paul Taft and associates for $4.8 million. Corinthian allocated $2.7 million of the purchase price to the CBS affiliation, and has been amortizing this sum over a 14-year period. IRS challenged this deduction from income for the three years, 1957-59. The disputed sum amounts to almost $250,000 for the three years.

Corinthian's first case involved the amortization of network affiliation contracts when it bought WISH-AM-TV Indianapolis and WANE-TV Fort Wayne, Ind., in 1956 from C. Bruce McConnell and associates for $11 million. It placed a $4,625,000 valuation on the CBS affiliation contract with both station properties, and began amortizing them. IRS denied this claim. Corinthian won a favorable ruling from U. S. Tax Court Judge Howard A. Dawson Jr., who specified that the contracts could be amortized on a straightline basis over a 20-year period. A U. S. Court of Appeals reversed this ruling, and early in 1966 the U. S. Supreme Court denied Corinthian's petition to review (BROADCASTING, Feb. 7, 1966).

Group's View: Corinthian claimed that a 14-year amortization period is logical, because industry history shows that it's "reasonably certain" that a network affiliation will run for the initial period of two years plus six renewals. FCC regulations forbid a station from signing an affiliation contract for more than two years at a time.

IRS contended that affiliation contracts have no useful, determinable life, and amortization should not be permitted.

Testifying in behalf of the Corinthian viewpoint were C. Wrede Petersen, president, and Charles H. Tower, executive vice president of Corinthian; Thomas S. Murphy, chairman and president of Capital Cities Broadcasting Corp.; Lawrence H. Rogers II, president of Taft Broadcasting Co., and Howard Stark, New York station broker.

Testifying for IRS were Dr. H. H. Goldin, Boston University, former chief economist of the FCC's Broadcast Bureau, and Robert J. Rawson, chief of the FCC's renewal and transfer division, Broadcast Bureau.

The hearing last week was before U. S. Tax Court Judge John W. Kern. The parties have 90 days from Nov. 1 to file briefs.

Actually, this is the third network-affiliation amortization tax case to be heard by the federal tax court. In 1962 Westinghouse lost a decision on the same issue and the U. S. Supreme Court declined to review. There are understood to be at least half a dozen similar cases involving broadcasters at issue with IRS on the affiliation question. Among them: Time-Life Broadcasting Inc., King Broadcasting Co., Hubbard Broadcasting Co., Capital Cities and Taft Broadcasting.

ABC Inc. earnings drop 60% in quarter

ABC Inc.'s net earnings from operations during the third quarter were down more than 60% from the same period of 1966, from $3.88 million or 83 cents a share to $1.51 million or 32 cents a share for third-quarter 1967.

For the first nine months of the year, net earnings from operations were 20% lower, $9,515,000 or $2.03 a share in comparison to $12,391,000 or $2.65 a share in 1966.

Leonard Goldenson, ABC president, in a report last week said he anticipates fourth-quarter earnings to rise from their third-quarter level, although not to equal those of the fourth-quarter 1966.

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(*) includes $225,000 or 5 cents a share net capital and nonrecurring loss; ** includes $460,000 or 8 cents a share net capital and nonrecurring gain.

Compensation can make a big difference

A little bit of history on network affiliation compensation came to light last week. Lawrence H. Rogers II, president of Taft Broadcasting Co., testifying in the Corinthian tax case (see above), was asked to describe the reasons why the Taft-owned WBRC-TV Birmingham, Ala., changed its affiliation from CBS to ABC in 1961.

Mr. Rogers explained that CBS was paying the station 37.5% on its rate card, but declined to renew the affiliation contract at that figure. ABC submitted a proposal offering to pay a 50% rate, and Taft grabbed it, he said.

ABC officials, asked about the Rogers testimony, said it would have "no comment at this time."

The change from CBS to ABC affiliation at the time involved not only Taft's Birmingham station, but also WKRC-TV Cincinnati and its then owned WTVN-TV Lexington, Ky. Taft's WTVN-TV Columbus, Ohio, has been affiliated with ABC from its inception. At the time, Hulbert Taft Jr., then president of the Cincinnati-based group, credited ABC's "meteoric rise" in programing for the moves (BROADCASTING, Feb. 27, 1961).

Jupiter files at SEC as prelude to merger

A stock registration has been filed with the Securities and Exchange Commission by Jupiter Broadcasting of Georgia Inc., Stamford, Conn., as part of a merger agreement between Communications Honolulu Ltd. and investment bankers Fox, Wells and Rogers.

The registration is to offer 350,000 shares of common stock to the public, at $15 maximum. Also included in the statement are warrants that would permit purchase of an additional 104,000 shares, issuable upon exercise of purchasers of $4 million of subordinated notes of the company.

Simultaneously with the stock sale,
**Attention TV Stations:**

**We've got news for you!**

**FILMLINE'S professional color film processors now available for TV NEWS**

The FILMLINE Models FE-30 and FE-50 are exciting new color film processors designed specifically for use in television station news departments. The design is backed by Filmline's reputation as the world's leading manufacturer of professional film processors for the commercial motion picture laboratory industry.

Now for the first time the television industry can enjoy the benefits of professional caliber equipment incorporating exclusive FILMLINE features that have paced the state-of-the-art in commercial laboratories, at a cost lower than processors offering less.

After you check these exclusive Filmline features you'll want to install a Filmline processor in your news department NOW!

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**Additional Features** included in price of machine (Not as extras).

- Magazine load, daylight operation
- Feed-in time delay elevator (completely accessible)
- Take-up time delay elevator (completely accessible)
- Red brass bleach tank, shafts, etc.
- Prehardener solution filler
- Precision Filmline Venturi air squeegee prior to drybox entry
- Air vent on prehardener
- Solid state variable speed D.C. drive main motor
- Bottom drain and valves on all tanks
- Extended development time up to two additional hours
- All solutions temperature controlled, no chilled water required
- Built-in air compressor
- Captive bottom assemblies assure you constant footage in each solution
- Change over from standard developing to extended developing can be accomplished in a matter of seconds
- Impingement dryer allows shorter put through time.

Partial listing of Filmline Color Installations: — NBC- New York, NBC- Washington, NBC- Cleveland, NBC- Chicago, CBS & ABC Networks, Eastman Kodak, Rochester, Laboratories: De Luxe Labs, General Film Labs (Hollywood), Pathe Labs, Precision Labs, Mecca Labs, Color Service Co., Capital Film Labs, Byron Film Labs, MGN, Movie Lab, Lab-TV, Technical Film Labs, Telescop Film Labs, Goffanti Film Labs, A-One Labs, All Service Labs, NASA Cape Kennedy, Ford Motion Picture Labs.

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the company will change its name to Pacific and Southern Broadcasting Inc. It will acquire through a 100% owned subsidiary the licenses of WAIH-TV Atlanta; KHON-TV Honolulu; KAAI-TV Waikiki and KHAW-TV Hilo, and translator K78AR Lahue, Kauai, all Hawaii and all owned by Communications Honolulu Ltd.; WQXI and WXII-FM Atlanta, owned by Jupiter Broadcasting of Georgia Inc., and WSAI and WJIB-FM Cincinnati, owned by Jupiter Broadcasting Inc. (Broadcasting, Sept. 4).

Net proceeds of its stock sale, together with anticipated bank borrowings of $10 million will serve to pay $7,912,- 49 to that portion of the purchase price of WAIH-TV Atlanta which is payable in cash; $1,916,000 to the payment of the purchase price of 49.6% of the outstanding stock of WSAI and WJIB-FM Cincinnati, and $4 million to the payment of bank loans and miscellaneous obligations.

Wave of color-TV sales rides Zenith to records

Color television set sales continue to be the most important single factor in sustained record sales at Zenith Radio Corp., Chicago, President Joseph S. Wright reported last week in announc-
ing record sales and profits for the third quarter.
Sales for the quarter topped $167 million, up 9.2% from the same period last year, while profits were nearly $8.2 million (after federal taxes of $7.9 million), an increase of 9.6%. Sales volume in September was the highest for a single month in Zenith’s history, Mr. Wright said.

Raytheon to acquire a new subsidiary

The directors of Raytheon Co., Lexington, and The Badger Co., Cambridge, both Massachusetts, have approved a merger.

Under the plan, subject to approval by Badger stockholders, Raytheon will issue five shares of its common stock for each six shares of Badger stock, or, a total of 668,746 shares of Raytheon common for 802,495 shares of Badger stock outstanding.

Raytheon is a diversified electronics company active in government markets, and in major appliances, communications, electronic components and educational and natural-resources exploration. The company’s sales for 1967 were estimated at $920 million.

Badger Co. is active in natural-re-

soures processing, specializing in the design and construction of processing plants for petroleum, petrochemicals and chemicals. The company’s gross revenue for 1967 was estimated at $170 million. Combined sales of the two companies will provide Raytheon with annual sales exceeding $1 billion.

The Badger Co. will be operated under its present management (Adrian J. Brogini, president) as a wholly owned subsidiary of Raytheon, of which Thomas L. Phillips is president.

It is expected that the merger will be consummated by the end of the year.

Nielsen’s financial rating climbs in ’67

A. C. Nielsen Co., Chicago, last week reported consolidated sales of over $74.7 million for the fiscal year ending Aug. 31, an increase of 13% over the year before. Net profit in the same period increased nearly 8.5%.

For the parent company and its subsidiaries:

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<td>Total shares outstanding on Aug. 31:</td>
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Storer’s income drops for 9-month period

Earnings for Storer Broadcasting Co., Miami Beach, were lower for the nine-month period ended Sept. 30 than for the same period in 1966.
Storer reported that losses were attributable to the company’s 85.7% owned subsidiary, Northeast Airlines Inc., and by its wholly owned Storer Leasing Corp., which leases jet aircraft to Northeast.

In the third quarter ended Sept. 30, the company’s profits from its radio and television stations were also below those reported in 1966. A company spokesman said that this drop was because of “generally uncertain business conditions throughout the country which adversely affected station revenues...during the summer months, and continuation of previously anticipated operating losses in development of its relatively new UHF in Boston.”

Net income for the third quarter of 1967 was $1,268,699, or 30 cents a share, compared with $3,206,735, or 77 cents a share in the same period of 1966. Gross revenues from broadcast operations were up 1.9% in the third quarter, and up 8.4% in the nine-month period.
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Chicago’s sound of quality from Zenith
Earnings up 30% for
Chris-Craft’s 9 months

Consolidated net earnings for the first nine months of 1967 climbed 30% over last year’s figures in the same period for Chris-Craft Industries Inc., Oakland, Calif. An 8% increase in consolidated sales was also reported.

Chris-Craft, which manufactures boats and has an automotive-parts division, owns WTCN-TV Minneapolis-St. Paul, KCOP-TV Los Angeles and KPTV-TV Portland, Ore.

Third-quarter consolidated net earnings were $467,110 or 27 cents a share on the 1,686,097 shares outstanding Sept. 30. This compares with $544,450 or 33 cents a share on the 1,661,639 shares outstanding at the end of the third quarter of 1966. Consolidated sales for that period in 1967 were $15,405,815 compared with $16,896,442 in 1966.

John G. Bannister, president, reported that the nine months figures “reflect improvement in the boat business over strike-affected 1966 and an increase in the sales and earnings of our three television stations.”

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<td>$1.30</td>
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<td>Income before taxes</td>
<td>11,169,522</td>
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<td>Profit (loss) of:</td>
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<td>Northwest Airlines</td>
<td>2,589,616</td>
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<td>1,277,256</td>
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<td>7,356,860</td>
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<td>1,208,100</td>
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<td>5,408,760</td>
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LTV earnings in ’67 more than double ‘66

Ling-Temco-Vought Inc., diversified electronics company based in Dallas, has reported record results for the third quarter and first nine months of 1967.

Net income for the quarter was $778,000 compared with $3,348,000 last year, and earnings rose from 92 cents a share last year to $1.72 in 1967.

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<td>Earnings per share</td>
<td>$1.34</td>
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<td>Consolidated sales</td>
<td>57,840,799</td>
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<td>Consolidated net earnings</td>
<td>2,280,794</td>
<td>1,741,311</td>
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<td>Shares outstanding</td>
<td>1,068,947</td>
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*Includes the Wilson Companies, Allied Radio, Memcor and Jefferson Wire and Cable acquired during 1967 on a pooling of interests basis.

Harris-Intertype sets records in 1st quarter

Harris-Intertype Corp., Cleveland, reported record sales and earnings for the first quarter of its new fiscal year ended Sept. 30.

The company, which manufactures equipment for print media, owns Gates Radio Inc., Quincy, Ill., manufacturer of broadcast equipment.

Chairman George S. Dively and Richard B. Tullis, president, said in the...
Visual has approximately 61% of radio York, a manufacturer manufacturing another Visual's name, have Bryn Mawr, of intent at Corinthis units have been marketed in the U.S. under Visual's name, and internationally under other company brands.

The new acquisition will be added to three others purchased by Visual within the last two years: Lake Systems Corp., Newton, Mass. (closed-circuit TV and audio systems), KRS division of Data Pulse Inc., Pasadena, Calif. (audio and instrumentation units), and Allen Electronic, Palo Alto, Calif. (video recording units).

Visual last month inaugurated trading of its common stock and 5 1/4% convertible subordinated debentures, due Sept. 1, 1968, on the American Stock Exchange (Broadcasting, Oct. 16).

For the six months ended Sept. 30:

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<td>10,973,000</td>
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<td>Net income</td>
<td>558,000</td>
<td>430,000</td>
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<td>Shares outstanding</td>
<td>1,073,000</td>
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Sales, income rise for Cohu's 9 months

Cohu Electronics Inc., San Diego, manufacturer of broadcast and closed-circuit TV systems, reported a gain in net sales and net income for the nine months ended Sept. 30.

Third-quarter results showed that Cohu's sales rose from $1,816,651 in 1966 to $2,255,521 in 1967; net income was up from $68,944 to $120,568 and earnings per share jumped to 9 cents from 6 cents.

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<td>Net sales</td>
<td>6,097,569</td>
<td>5,008,655</td>
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<td>Provision for taxes</td>
<td>1,021,194</td>
<td>306,313</td>
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<td>Net income</td>
<td>263,194</td>
<td>176,313</td>
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Financial notes...

- Packard-Bell Electronics Corp., Los Angeles, last week reported that in the fiscal year ended Sept. 30 net income from operations was $1.3 million or $1.27 a share, against $796,000 or 83 cents a share the previous year. The company said that net income for 1966 did not reflect a nonrecurring gain of $248,500 or 26 cents a share from sale of a computer division and property. There were no nonrecurring items this year.

- Memorex Corp., Santa Clara (Calif.), based producer of magnetic tape, had net sales of $23.3 million for the nine months ended Sept. 30, 1967. It represented a 37% gain over sales of almost $17 million during the comparable period last year. Net income was $2.3 million, 20% above the $1.9 million in the first nine months of 1966. Earnings per share were $2.24 this year, compared with $1.92 last year.
NBC Radio rolls merrily along

AFFILIATES TOLD BUSINESS BRIGHT, NO BIG PROGRAM CHANGES PLANNED

The temperature was in the 80's and that was as hot as anything got at last week's convention (Oct. 29-31) of NBC Radio affiliates in San Juan, P. R.

The best indication of the mood of the 154 delegates was a resolution coming out of a brief affiliates' meeting that said the affiliates were perfectly happy with the way the network was being run and they voiced support for one network for all affiliates.

Stephen Labunski, NBC Radio president, set the tone of the day in one broad stroke that evoked praise for NBC's operation while taking two unnamed, but not unknown, networks over the coals for having to resort to "revolutionary change" because "their problems have accumulated over such a long time."

Unlike other networks, Mr. Labunski said, "no radical or extremist innovations will be announced at this convention. No scrubbing of favorite personalities. No sacrifice in network services. No quadruple networks, no triple plays with loyal affiliates out, no double talk."

There wasn't one affiliate in the room that wasn't aware that the objects of Mr. Labunski's attack were CBS and ABC.

One network, he said, has announced, "after much analysis and soul searching, that its future still lies in advertiser-supported programing, and yet it will embark on a new course of program experimentation."

The other network, he continued, "has split asunder into four separate programing services, and the principle of network exclusivity—one network affiliate per market—has been labeled an anachronistic, out-of-date concept."

"We embrace change," he maintained, "but we recognize that change for its own sake is little more than an emotional response to a problem."

Complacency is not NBC's forte, he went on, citing the network's initiative in being the creator, innovator and spark plug behind RADAR, the four-network-sponsored research study, and in noting that NBC Radio sold duPont the "first blockbuster network radio special—the sponsorship of all of Monitor, 16 hours, on a single weekend last June."

Nothing Radical • NBC, he said, is not being forced into the radical changes being proposed by the other networks. "The route of revolutionary change, it seems to us, is trod only by those who have allowed so many serious problems to accumulate so long that only extreme actions offer some hope of a solution."

In a speech, which he himself categorized as a "talk" and not an "address"—the difference being 45 minutes—Julian Goodman, NBC president, told the affiliates NBC Radio's "highly favorable position" is a result of "our experience, leadership and ability." NBC created the radio network system and others followed, he said, adding that network radio has changed over the years and "NBC Radio has grown with these changes."

Mr. Goodman said the network's philosophy had two points: to "keep sharpening, perfecting and modernizing what we regard as a good and well-rounded service," and "to make the network programing as compatible as possible with your station's program structures."

NBC Radio, he pointedly noted, is not "scrambling as some of our competitors are to make a network operate smoothly and profitably. We don't have to undertake costly experiments in modern networking."

Rosy Finances • The affiliates got a bright financial picture from Marion Stephenson, vice president for administration. Overall, she said, 1967 should be one of the network's "better years, despite a major cutback in tobacco revenues and the Ford strike." Although it's too early to see definitive patterns in 1968, she continued, "we are planning on at least the same high level of sales we are experiencing this year."

Affiliate compensation payments, she said, would be the "same or slightly higher than in 1966" and they may be "pleasantly higher" in the last half of this year. She cited Radio Advertising Bureau figures that show a sales gain for NBC Radio in the first seven months compared with 1966.

Discussing program moves made in the past year, Robert Wogan, vice president, programs, pointed to the news content in Monitor and specifically to the recently begun final half hour of the Sunday night Monitor segment, which features NBC News correspondents with in-depth analysis of world events.

He also noted that the Monitor jingles, which began this year, have added "brightness, stronger program identi-
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NBC newsmen brief affiliates on journalism

It was as if an "introduction to journalism" class had been moved en masse from a statewide classroom to the Americana hotel in San Juan, P. R. Behind the microphones were the experts: five newsmen, properly attired in long pants, neckties and jackets.

In the audience were more than 250 NBC Radio affiliates—dressed in shorts, slacks, sport shirts. The affiliates wanted to know the inner workings of the news they were getting. Unlike past years, they didn't show great concern over who was handling a news broadcast or how long it was or when it was being fed.

They asked the panel if the network-owned stations should editorialize? The answer from David Brinkley and Bill Ryan, NBC news correspondents, was a terse: "no." From William B. Monroe Jr., director of NBC News, Washington, the answer was "yes." The network, Mr. Monroe said, should not editorialize, "but I would like to see the owned stations work it out."

The question was raised in response to the comments of another panel member, Gene Slaymaker, news director of WFRN Indianapolis. He had urged the network to start developing more imaginative documentaries on current issues and felt that "it's time serious thought be given to the opinion-shaping role of a network, not just the views of its personalities."

Network Limited - Stephen Labunksi, NBC Radio president and moderator of the panel, did not touch on the subject of editorializing by the owned stations, but did say the network itself cannot editorialize since it is not a licensee and because it cannot speak with one voice for its 211 affiliates.

In a related area, a question directed primarily at Mr. Brinkley asked if a newsmen's comments are often editorial. Mr. Brinkley replied that he's often been accused of bias, but not that to imply that if he'd said the opposite thing, the accusers would be in agreement with his thoughts. "A biased opinion," he said, "is simply one you don't agree with."

Noting that objectivity is a gallant goal but one that is influenced by a person's frame of reference, he said "I make no pretense at being objective. But fairness is a goal that is reasonable to be striven for and most of the time we achieve it."

The affiliates also wondered if stories on the network about black-power advocates such as H. Rap Brown and Stokely Carmichael are being blown out of proportion. Mr. Ryan felt that "all media at one time or another have been guilty" of such action. However, he added, newsmen are increasingly searching for the strength of the statement from persons like Messrs. Brown and Carmichael. Newsmen are looking, he said, at just how many people these men speak for.

Controls - Concern over alleged government censorship of news from Vietnam was hit by Howard Tuckner, NBC News correspondent, who recently returned from 18 months there. He strongly denied that there is any military censorship or that the newsmen on the scene are merely spokesmen for the Pentagon's line.

"There are stories the military doesn't want you to have," he said, "but once you get the story no one in Vietnam or Washington stops you from using it. And they don't see it or hear it until it's on your radio or TV station. In no war has the U.S. newsmen been given as much freedom or cooperation as this one."

Mr. Monroe offered two predictions to the affiliates: there will be no great debates in 1968 because the White House doesn't want them; and racial tension and disorders will increase and so will charges that broadcasting, especially television, stirs up trouble by its news coverage.

"To which my five-word reply is: we cannot suppress the news."

Radio transfers TV's imagery

NBC study shows that 72% carry over image of ad on hearing sound track

Imagery transfer does work in radio for television advertisers, but only those advertisers "who have created commercials with strong, memorable themes and planning, and was presented to the NBC Radio affiliates convention in San Juan, P. R., last week.

In the first public report on an imagery-transfer study made in six markets last spring, Mr. Eichmann noted that on the average of 12 commercials tested, 72% of the respondents got imagery transfer.

That same session of the convention heard Miles Davis, president of the Radio Advertising Bureau, point out
Peaks and valleys in the terrain usually indicate a need for a CATV system. In the uniformity of a CATV cable, they indicate the need for better cable. Times Alumifoam® (the trade name for our seamless aluminum tube sheathed coaxial cable) flattens out the topography in your return-loss sweep generator with a calm uniformity that's making believers out of everyone in the CATV business. We can guarantee a 30 db worst point for this cable and back it to the hilt. That means first-quality cable every time, and smooth functioning transmission right from the start.

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Get in touch with Times. Times Wire and Cable/a division of The International Silver Company/Wallingford/Conn.
that "against more than minimal odds," radio has grown, served the public better and "defined a wholly new role for ourselves."

The NBC study, which was conducted in New York, Washington, Pittsburgh, Cleveland and San Francisco markets where NBC owns stations, was conducted to determine the levels of imagery transfer an advertiser could expect and how these levels varied according to brand usage, radio-TV exposure and audience demographics.

Technique • Audio tracks of 12 different TV commercials were played over the phone to samples of about 200 respondents per commercial. After hearing the sound tracks the respondent was asked to describe what was happening on the TV screen. The scores ranged from a high of 91% for a food-product commercial to a low of 41% for a beverage commercial. Of the 12 commercials, nine ranged 72% or better.

There was virtually no transfer differences by sex with 71% of men and 72% of women getting imagery transfer. By age, however, there were noticeable differences: young people under 35 had imagery transfer score of 81%, 35-49 age group had a score of 73%, and those over 50 had a score of 60%.

Broken down by education, respondents with grade-school education had a transfer score of 56%; with high-school education, 73% and college education, 72%.

Users of the various product categories tested had an imagery transfer score of 76% while nonusers of the product categories had a 68% score. Those who said particular brands tested were the ones they used most often scored 80%.

In a separate study, brand names were deleted from the commercial and replaced by "blips." Four commercials were tested among 77 respondents in New York, Chicago and San Francisco at the time of the main study. The "blip" study showed 50% could identify the brands being advertised and 53% did get imagery transfer.

Thus, Mr. Eichmann concluded, the imagery transfer works, "even when subject to the stringent test of deleting the brand name from the commercial." But a necessity, he said, is a strong theme and substantial TV investment.

Results of the study, he felt, show that there are advantages in preparing the radio and TV spots simultaneously; that discontinued TV campaigns can be adapted to and rerun on radio while a new campaign breaks on TV; that radio campaigns could be used between flights on TV, and radio campaigns can fill in seasonal gaps in TV advertising.

What's Coming • Mr. David predicted seven radio developments:

• More major package good companies, following the lead of Colgate-Palmolive, General Foods and Bristol-Myers, will make radio a basic medium for consideration by all brands and use by many.
• Soaps will be back as a result of Fab's "historic" decision to use only radio this summer.
• Progress will be made in automotive field as documentation is added. Auto dollars are becoming more locally oriented and rapport with dealers can be crucial.
• "There is short-term opportunity for rebuilding of some of our tobacco billings...there will be a gradual return at least in part of some of the lost tobacco business."
• Cosmetics are a new frontier now that radio has proof that various female groups are "remarkably well reached" by the medium.
• Drug companies are learning about radio with Anacin and Excedrin leading the way.
• Retail horizons are limitless. Sears, Morgan Beatty (right) retired from doing NBC Radio's "News of the World" two months ago. But his retirement wasn't official until he had received two standing ovations from delegates to the NBC Radio affiliates convention in San Juan, P. R. last week. In addition he was presented with a typewriter by Julian Goodman, NBC president.

Nobody brought gifts

There were five violinists strolling in cutaways; a five-course dinner with wine and topped by cigars; a 10-piece orchestra; Ed McMahon, flown in from New York to be master of ceremonies; the Vive la France review; the Maria Rosa flamenco dance troupe, flown in from Caracas, Venezuela, just for the night.

It was quite an evening and the more than 300 delegates and wives to the NBC Radio affiliates meeting in San Juan, P. R., thought it was just for them.

Then Donald J. Mercer, NBC vice president for station relations, proved that network executives do have a sense of humor. He welcomed everyone to "Steve and Jeralyn Labunski's wedding reception." Mr. Labunski, NBC Radio president, had been married eight weeks earlier.

'Monitor' lingers on

Any executives or affiliates of ABC Radio, CBS Radio or Mutual who go to the Americana hotel in San Juan, P. R., had better be prepared to be brainwashed with NBC Radio's "Monitor" music. During last week's NBC Radio affiliates convention there, a two-hour tape of "Monitor" music interspersed with the "Monitor" jingle and news beeper was played on the hotel's taped-music system— in the rooms, elevators and public rooms.

The tape sounded so good to officials they asked Robert Wogan, vice president, programs, for NBC Radio, if they could keep the tape and use it on the system. Mr. Wogan graciously gave them the original tape as well as a duplicate just in case the first one breaks.
NABET preme court. the union of and Radio Artists action, by any presented the greatest gains period. from company in than their counterparts would deadlock" its nison Clothiers, also labor mgning (Nov. 45th mication and Counciliation sessions ment might be pinpointed, controllable, more reach and more able schedules. It delivers them with dark ly repitition than any other medium for combination of more reach and more repitition able schedules. It delivers them with union representative last week In .. Earlier union represented in ... with members
Bob Sarnoff takes over at RCA

He’s named chief executive officer as Engstrom steps aside; General Sarnoff stays as chairman

The succession of Robert Sarnoff to the command for which he had been destined was formally approved last week by the RCA board. The younger Sarnoff was elected chief executive officer of the corporation, a post held by his father, Brigadier General David Sarnoff, during most of the company’s existence.

The elder Sarnoff, president of RCA from 1930 to 1947 and chairman since 1947, relinquished the post of chief executive officer on Jan 1, 1966, when his son was elevated to the top echelon of RCA from the chairmanship of its subsidiary, NBC. At that time Robert Sarnoff was named president and chief administrative officer of RCA, and Dr. Elmer W. Engstrom, formerly president, was named chairman of the executive committee and chief executive officer.

The responsibilities of chief executive officer will pass from Dr. Engstrom to Mr. Sarnoff on Jan. 1, 1968. Dr. Engstrom will remain chairman of the executive committee. General Sarnoff, now 76, will continue as chairman of the RCA board.

The RCA announcement said that Dr. Engstrom, 66, will work closely with the younger Sarnoff, especially in technical areas and in the search for ideas for corporate growth.

In addition to assuming the duties of chief executive officer, the younger Sarnoff will retain his office as president and chief administrative officer.

Robert Sarnoff, now 49, joined NBC as a salesman in 1948. Later he was named executive producer of the Victory at Sea series of documentaries on World War II. He became an NBC vice president three years after joining the organization, president in 1955 and chairman of the board and chief executive officer three years later. He has been a director of the parent, RCA, since 1957.

As president and chief administrative officer of RCA, Mr. Sarnoff’s remuneration in 1966 was reported as $225,000 in salary and $200,000 in paid and deferred incentive compensation. As chairman of the board, General Sarnoff was paid $295,000 in salary in 1966, but declined incentive compensation. Dr. Engstrom in 1966 was paid $250,000 in salary and $225,000 incentive compensation.

Another of General Sarnoff’s sons, Thomas, is staff executive vice president of NBC in charge of West Coast operations.

According to the official announcement last week, Robert Sarnoff’s appointment as chief executive officer was recommended by Dr. Engstrom.

LBJ plans reactivation of administrative group

The U. S. Administrative Conference, which has slumbered on a stand-by basis for the last five years, is due to become active once again under the leadership of a 51-year-old University of Texas law school professor. Jerre S. Williams, a constitutional and labor law expert, was nominated by President Johnson to be chairman of the conference. He was confirmed by the Senate on Oct. 19, and will assume his $28,500 a year post after Jan. 1. The permanent conference with a paid chairman was voted by Congress in 1964.

Its function is to recommend changes in procedures and practices by regulatory agencies in the interest of cutting red tape. President Johnson, however, during the succeeding years failed to nominate a chairman, until last month.

The administrative conference was established by President Kennedy in 1961, with then U. S. Circuit Judge E. Barrett Prettyman as chairman. It issued its first report in 1962, recommending revisions of procedures on, among other items, hearings, delegation of duty, hearing examiners, discovery techniques, ex parte rules and right to counsel. The FCC adopted some of these suggestions, including the establishment of a review board, of criteria to be used in comparative hearing cases for radio and TV stations, ex parte rules, and the right of witnesses to counsel. It still has a proceeding underway involving the practice to be followed in eliciting information in hearings.

The conference received a $250,000 appropriation from Congress in 1965, but has received no funds since then. Congress will be asked to appropriate $147,000 for the remainder of this fiscal year in the forthcoming supplemental appropriation bill.

Reeves set to buy two Huntsville CATV’s

Reeves Broadcasting Corp., New York, has signed an agreement to acquire two more CATV systems in Huntsville, Ala. Plans now are to link them to Reeves’ existing CATV operation there, to create “the third largest CATV system in the country.”

Reeves, a group broadcaster and CATV owner, bought TV Distribution Inc., Huntsville, in September, paying $3 million in cash and long-term notes for the cable system serving about 8,500 customers (Broadcasting, Oct. 2). Last week’s acquisitions were of Video Cable Systems Inc., serving about 4,000 subscribers, and T&G Cable Co., serving less than 500.

J. Drayton Hastie, president, said that by combining the three systems Reeves’ total investment in Huntsville will exceed $4 million. They currently serve over 13,000 subscribers with a potential of over 35,000 homes. Once the Huntsville acquisitions are complete, Reeves estimates its entire CATV division will be serving over 30,000 customers with a potential of over 75,000 homes. The company operates nine CATV systems in 13 cities located in seven states (Alabama, Kentucky, Maine, Ohio, Oklahoma, South Carolina and Virginia). It also owns two TV stations (with 50% ownership in a newly planned TV outlet in Lexington, Ky.), four radio stations, Reeves Sound Studios, and other interests.

Rogers sees need for freedom from protection

An urgent need for a “Fifth Freedom” to add to the Four Freedoms of the Atlantic Charter is called for by Lawrence Rogers II, president of the Taft Broadcasting Co., in an address scheduled today (Nov. 6) before the Canadian Club and the Canadian Broadcast Executive Society in Toronto.

That Fifth Freedom, he explains, could be called “freedom from protection”—freedom from the “zealousness and dedication of the planners, the social engineers and the dreamers, to protect us from ourselves.” It might also be termed “freedom to make a mistake,” he adds.

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Earl of Avon on WBC agenda

Sir Anthony Eden, the earl of Avon (c.), and former British prime minister, was a key speaker at the Westinghouse Broadcasting Co. world affairs conference held in London from Oct. 27 through Nov. 1. The conference, whose theme was "Forecast: 1968/World in Perspective," was attended by approximately 100 marketing-advertising executives from the U.S. at WBC’s invitation.

Sir Anthony, who spoke at the conference on "The Dangers of Disarray," is flanked by Larry H. Israel, president of the Westinghouse Broadcasting station group (1) and Donald H. McGannon, chairman of the board and president of WBC.

The conference was the setting for an unexpected incident that received worldwide news coverage. On Tuesday (Oct. 31) British Foreign Secretary George Brown delivered some impromptu remarks, in which he denounced Lord Thomson of Fleet, a prominent newspaper publisher, who was host for the dinner that evening. Secretary Brown’s tirade was the 100th anniversary of Los Angeles signals use of Los Angeles signals.

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In a concurring statement Commissioner Cox supported the action, saying that a broadcaster’s adverse economic-impact claims (as opposed to CATV impact on the market as a whole) would necessitate the disclosure of station records. He further said that use of such data should be restricted to the hearing issues and that the commission’s ruling does not in any way reduce the CATV’s burden of proof on the issues.

Circuit Judge Wilbur K. Miller dissented, holding that the FCC should be reversed. The other judges were J. Skelly Wright and Carl McGowan.

CATV’s right to view financial reports upheld

Despite broadcaster pleas for reconsideration, the FCC has affirmed its July decision to accord a CATV operator a rare privilege: to examine the confidential financial reports over a four-year span of two television stations opposing it in a CATV hearing (BROADCASTING, July 3).

By a 5-1 vote (Commissioner James J. Wadsworth dissented), the commission upheld its prior ruling, with slight modification of the order for one of the stations. And the commission action prompted Commissioner Kenneth A. Cox to spell out the conditions under which the ruling may apply.

The disclosure request came from Multivision Northwest Inc., Dalton, Ga., currently involved in a proceeding with Chattanooga stations WRCB-TV and WTVC(TV).Multivision, which is seeking authority to import distant signals and to be relieved of its nonduplication protection obligations, requested the station records in an effort to make an economic-impact showing in the hearing.

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Station-ID rule draws crossfire of comments  
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The FCC's new station-identification rule has been criticized by one commissioner who voted against it as "another rule adopted for the sake of regulation rather than because of any real need or purpose." And a commissioner who voted for it expressed disappointment that the commission did not concern itself with the larger question of whether to abandon its policy of licensing stations to individual communities.

The statements of, respectively, Commissioners Lee Loewinger and Nicholas Johnson were released last week. Commission announcement of its action, taken on a 4-to-2 vote, had been made on Oct. 26 (Broadcasting, Oct. 30).

The rule prohibits stations from making identification or promotional announcements or from carrying material that would "either lead or attempt to mislead" listeners to believe the station has been assigned to a city other than that specified in its license.

KABL Decision - The rule grows out of the commission decision in a case involving KABL Oakland, Calif., which had been accused of failing to abide by the commission's station identification announcement rules. The commission ultimately ruled that the station had received its policy letter of the rule but had violated its spirit with announcements tending to link the station with San Francisco (Broadcasting, Dec. 19, 1966).

But Commissioner Loewinger, in a statement in which Chairman Rosel H. Hyde joined, said that although there have been some cases over the years in which the commission has criticized stations for their identification announcements, "there is no showing whatever either that there is any widespread practice which is objectionable or that anyone has been misled or injured in any way even by the few instances that the commission found objectionable."

Commissioner Johnson said the principal question the commission should resolve is what it means by local service, since the commission is concerned with stations providing that kind of service. "Especially if in large metropolitan areas can local service perhaps best be thought of in the context of the entire area, and programing decisions best be made in the context of the total service available to the entire area," he said.

The commission should recognize, he said, that different allocation, licensing and renewal policies and procedures may be appropriate for metropolitan and rural areas. Commissioner Johnson suggested it might be better to drop the "charade that a station is somehow assigned to one of the bedroom communities and 'primarily' serves that community when in fact it is aiming its programing to a specific segment of the population in a large metropolitan area."

Commissioner Loewinger said such considerations argue against adoption of the rule at the present time, adding, "The very formulation of the single-city identification is questionable in this day of metropolitan-area growth and suburban living and commuting."

In a development related to the adoption of the rule, the commission delegated to the chief of its Broadcast Bureau authority to grant requests by AM and FM stations for permission to identify with one or more communities other than the community to which they are assigned. (The new city with which identification is sought must receive minimum principal city signal intensity.) The bureau chief already has such delegated authority in the case of TV stations.

The commission said the station's primary obligation to the community of license will not be affected by grant of the requests for multiple-city identifications. But the authority granted the bureau chief will provide a relaxation of existing requirements and will improve efficiency by achieving greater consistency in the administration of the aural and TV services, the commission said.

Three UHF CP's sold to Evans

The acquisition of three UHF construction permits in top TV markets by Thomas M. Evans, New York financier and industrialist, and his associates was announced last week, with emphasis placed on the group's plans for expansion in the broadcasting field.

The three CP's are for WUHF-TV (ch. 61) Hartford, Conn.; WBAU-TV (ch. 49) Buffalo, N. Y., and WNTU-TV (ch. 33) Norfolk, Va. The ownership changes will be subject to FCC approval.

The buying group is Evans Broadcasting Corp., which initially consists of Mr. Evans and principals of the Mercury Station Group, present holders of the three CP's. Mercury is headed by Albert G. Hartigan and includes 14 other stockholders, the largest block being held by Mr. Hartigan and Sundstain Inc., Florida investment firm (James B. Dineen, president). Mr. Hartigan will become executive vice president of Evans Broadcasting. The Mercury group retains ownership of the permit for WORU-TV (ch. 35) Orlando, Fla.

Mr. Evans will pay $150,000 for half ownership of Evans Broadcasting. He has an option for an additional 30% at a cost of $360,000, not to be exercised until three-and-a-half years after the first station starts program tests. He will finance equipment purchases of up to $900,000 for the Buffalo station and up to $800,000 each for the Hartford and Norfolk stations, and he has agreed to underwrite initial losses up to a maximum of $600,000 for each city.

Mr. Evans is president of Evans and Co., New York brokerage and investment house. He is chairman and 67% owner of H. K. Porter Co., Pittsburgh electrical-equipment manufacturer, and chairman and 16% owner of Crane Co., New York manufacturer of bathroom fixtures and electric controls.

Negotiations for the acquisition were conducted by Thomas E. Carroll, Washington, who is broadcast and fi-
Opposition remains to Philadelphia test

Suburban Cable TV Co.'s scaled-down version of its proposed CATV experiment in the Philadelphia market is finding few friends among local broadcasters, some of whom helped defeat the original Suburban proposal. In October, Suburban, a wholly owned subsidiary of Triangle Publications, Philadelphia, group station and CATV owner, asked the FCC to reconsider its September rejection of the proposed experiment (Broadcasting, Oct. 9).

Suburban's opposition to the plan came last week from Westinghouse Broadcasting Co. (KYW-TV Philadelphia) WIBF-TV, same city, and the copyright owners, a group of film producers and distributors. Multiple-CATV-owner National Trans-Video Inc. supported the proposal.

Prime commission objections to the original plan were the length of the experiment, five years (Suburban now has offered to conduct the experiment for a period of six months), and the imminence of copyright legislation that would affect future CATV operations (Broadcasting, Sept. 18).

That such legislation is in the works, Westinghouse said, is one of the major difficulties with the Suburban plan since it will be concerned with a CATV operation that "realistically, will never come into existence." Further, the broadcaster noted the plan fails to take into account other developments that might affect the proposal: the ad hoc Hatch-Stern committee (Broadcasting, Oct. 30) and the FCC's evidentiary hearing process in top-100 distant signal importation cases. Suburban's claim that the commission's hearing process is useless, Westinghouse said, is "premature." With only one such trial to date (the San Diego CATV case, Broadcasting, July 25, 1966 et seq.), the broadcaster suggested the method has not yet been given a chance to either prove or disprove itself.

Goshen, Ind.? Westinghouse said it is not enough to "simply find a market" where such a plan might prove valuable, but that there is a need to find a CATV operation "consistent with what will in fact come to pass." Perhaps, the broadcaster suggested, the CATV experiment proposed for Goshen, Ind. (Broadcasting, Oct. 16) would pose fewer problems.

(At the Oct. 18 meeting of the Hatch-
Cable Television and the Competitive Status of CATV Franchises

A Capital City Telecable spokesman has said that since the council closed its doors to all other applicants, his firm and International Telemeter were to be judged solely on their ability to meet the terms of the city ordinance. "Instead," the spokesman said, "they [International Telemeter] made their $25,000 offer behind closed doors. The only fair thing to do would be to judge our applications according to terms of the city ordinance, or reopen the bidding to all interested firms."

Both firms are prepared to invest up to $800,000 in a 12-channel system. Installation would be free, monthly service would return $4.50 and the city would receive 5% of annual gross revenues or $10,000 yearly, whichever is greater.

NAEB Set for Convention

NET's White Starts Sessions with Word on 'Go for Broke' Projects

Within the context of 1967 as "a year of decision for public television," John F. White, president of National Educational Television was to report to NET affiliates in Denver Sunday (Nov. 5), the day before the opening of the National Association of Educational Broadcasters convention.

In prepared remarks, Mr. White was to describe a number of what he called "go-for-broke" demonstration projects, such as the Public Broadcasting Laboratory's two-hour news and cultural affairs show that was to start yesterday (Nov. 5), the joint NET-Eastern Educational Network interconnection project, NET's national interconnection for special events such as the President's State of the Union message and Paul Niven's interview of Svetlana Alliluyeva. But he gave heaviest emphasis to educational-television efforts.

Mr. White praised the active lobbying of the Educational Television Stations (ETS) Division of the NAEB, and added that "contacts with your congressman may have tipped the balance" for passage of the public broadcasting act of 1967, establishing the Corp. for Public Broadcasting. He warned, however, that they faced a "second test" of "finding some basis of coordination [of demands on the CPB] that might permit it to concentrate on the longer range effort and not spend its precious time refereeing a 'free for all.'"

He also discussed what he called "a semantic smoke screen [that] has obscured the whole subject of interconnection," and said "the best way to eliminate confusion is to demonstrate how interconnection works—including regular network service."

The NET "affiliates committee has created the network allocations council as a subcommittee" to "explore the potential and problems of scheduling a national noncommercial television network," he said.

That council was to receive a report Saturday (Nov. 4) from Donald Quayle, executive director of the Eastern Educational Network, on the joint NET-EN pilot project in regional networking, and the NET affiliates were to be updated on its progress by Gerald Appy, NET vice president for network operations.

NAEB put the final touches on its convention agenda with the announcement that Ben Holman, assistant director for media relations, Community Relations Service, Department of Justice, will address the Monday evening general session on the crisis in the cities.

The convention agenda:

Convention Activities: Monday, Nov. 6
9 a.m.—Official exhibit opening.
10:30 a.m.—Program screenings begin, to be run continuously except during general sessions. Professional interest section meetings: utilization, engineers, graphic artists, producers/researchers and television teachers. Meeting of State Educational Television Authorities: Dr. Lawrence T. Frymire, executive director, Illinois Telecommunications Commission, chairman.
Noon—Special session. Details of the Public Broadcasting Act: Jack Burke, NER chairman, chairman; Dean W. Coston, deputy under secretary, Department of Health, Education and Welfare, speaker.
12:30 p.m.—Luncheons: ETS copyright committee; ETS labor committee; ETS/PS board subcommittee; Western Educational Network; Editorial board, Educational Broadcasting Review; Eastern Educational Radio Network.
1 p.m.—Armed Forces Program.
2:30 p.m.—Second general session. Robert F. Schenckman, vice chairman, NAEB board of directors, presiding. Address: Rosel Hyde, FGC chairman.
3:30 p.m.—Concurrent special interests sessions. Educational broadcasting and the copyright law: Rhea Sikes, WOIX-TV/WOIXTV (F) Pittsburgh, chairman. Career development—domestic and international— in educational broadcasting: Carol Whitcomb, personnel services, NAEB, coordinator. The efficient use of educational broad-
A new role in the urban crisis

Nick Johnson proposes new FCC office to study cities’ communications

The nation’s cities—their streets choked with traffic, their white and Negro populations increasingly distrustful of and hostile to each other and their other characteristics which frequently make them ungovernable—obviously need all the help they can get. So why not bring the marvels of the communications revolution to bear on their problems?

This was the burden of the speech that FCC Commissioner Nicholas Johnson delivered in Boston last week, at a regional fall meeting of the National Association of Broadcasters (see page 70C). His leading recommendation was for the creation within the commission of an Office of Urban Communications, whose principal function would be the study of communications regulations in terms of cities.

But the obligation he feels broadcasters have for involvement in community affairs, as indicated in the speech, appears to go beyond anything other commissioners have expressed. He would, for instance, have broadcasters grant access to their facilities to “everyone” in the community; “spokesmen” would not be sufficient.

The commissioner, who talked of the need for communicators and “urbanolists” to reshape their approach to urban problems along lines that would merge, saw the proposed Office of Urban Communications as a key element in the new approach the commission might take. The office would comprise “a very small number of professional employees” who, besides thinking of communications regulations in terms of cities, would facilitate the exchange of information.

Duties • They would, among other things, study the research and development being done in communications to gauge the extent to which they are addressed to improving contacts between cities, as opposed to within cities, and to examine measures broadcasters in different areas are taking to meet their respective needs, and to determine which seem to be useful.

He also said the commission should step up its “presently less-than-energetic efforts to give life to the policies” behind the U. S. Court of Appeals decision in the WLBT-TV Jackson, Miss.,
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ANNOUNCED = The following station sales were reported last week subject to FCC approval. (For FCC activities see FOR THE RECORD, page 77).

* WUHF-TV Hartford, Conn.; WBAU-TV
Buffalo, N. Y., and WNTU-TV Norfolk, Va.: Construction permits sold by Albert G. Hartigan and associates to Evans Broadcasting Corp., in which Mr. Hartigan and group will hold 50% interest initially, for $150,000 for 50% ownership by Thomas M. Evans plus option to acquire 30% more for $360,000 (see page 68).


- WOIA(FM) Saline, Mich.: Sold by Herbert W. Lester to Ronald E. Pelty. Thomas J. Boodell Jr., James A. Peterson, I. Henry Curtiss and Theodore C. Anderson for $180,000. Mr. Pelty is minister and is president of WART Bardstown, Ky. Mr. Curtiss is president, and Mr. Anderson vice president of insurance brokerage firm. Mr. Boodell is attorney. Mr. Peterson is national representative of insurance company. WOIA operates on 1290 kc with 500 w. WOIA(FM) on 102.9 mc with 10 kw.

- KKJO St. Joseph, Mo.: Sold by Joseph W. Marti and the estate of John Marti to Thomas R. Elkins and others for $150,000. Mr. Elkins is president of Marti Broadcasting Corp., licensee of KKJO. KKJO operates fulltime on 1550 kc with 5 kw.


NAB flies red flag on subscription TV

The National Association of Broadcasters is sounding the alert that pay TV is just around the corner and that Congress cannot be depended upon to head it off unless a prompt campaign to influence lawmakers can be mounted.

In Boston last Tuesday (Oct. 30), Paul B. Comstock, NAB vice president for government affairs, warned broad-

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Macdonald ready to tackle all of communications?

Indications are that Representative Torbert Macdonald (D-Mass.,) chairman of the House Commerce Committee's Communications Subcommittee only since early this year, is rapidly warming to his new congressional specialty. Pleased by his subcommittee's progress on communications matters so far this year—and gaining confidence in his ability to meet and master many of the intricacies of what he terms America's fastest growing industry—the 50-year-old congressman from suburban Boston has already started making additional waves on the communications industry's none-too-peaceful waters.

And larger perturbations seem to be on the horizon. Last month, signs in the wind became abundant:

* The first on-the-record congressional objection to pay TV since the days of former Commerce Committee Chairman Oren Harris—an arch foe of subscription television—found a subcommittee chairman in charge whose mind was not made up in advance (or at least not firmly pre-committed). Mr. Macdonald's first hearing on a broadcasting matter since he exercised his seniority and took over the reins of the communications panel from its previous chairman, Walter Rogers (D-Tex.,) also revealed him as a chairman with no particular ideological commitment to commercial broadcasting as it is now constituted (Broadcasting, Oct. 16, 23).

* Two weeks ago, he reaffirmed before an Electronic Industries Association audience in Los Angeles a stand he had taken earlier at a cable-television gathering—that the nation's basic communications law was in serious need of revision (Broadcasting, Oct. 30, July 3).

* And at the Los Angeles meeting he went a step further with a concrete suggestion that a new cabinet-level department based on the White House's Office of Telecommunications Management be assigned the chore of allocating frequencies. (An EIA news release subsequently said Mr. Macdonald had "proposed" such an agency or department. "Not so," says the congressman. "I said it may be the solution to the coordination of government and public allocations."

lottery and violated sponsorship-identification rules. The commission also directed that should the examiner find the hearing record does not warrant denial of license renewal, he should recommend what fine should be imposed (Broadcasting, July 18, 1966).

According to Examiner Cooper's findings, Mr. Bingham did not relinquish control of the station. However, the examiner said the record supported the other charges.

What really piqued Examiner Cooper was Mr. Bingham's alleged practice, for about six months, of doctoring the KCTV logs to indicate that a first class engineer had been on duty at the station at all times. The facts showed, said the examiner, that "either he or one of his engineers had been too lazy to get out of bed" to put the station on the air.

Although the FCC's broadcast bureau had urged denial of the license renewal on this charge alone, the examiner found that such denial "which would be tantamount to a fine or penalty in excess of $100,000 is rather severe for acts which while stupid were not motivated by either avarice or malice." Instead, the examiner concluded, the rule violations were more "occasioned by either ignorance or lack of understanding of the reasons for the necessity" of complying with the commission's rules.

NAB radio code gains 15 stations

The National Association of Broadcasters radio code showed a net gain of 15 stations (eight of them noncommercial), as 30 stations were added and 15 stations were withdrawn between July 15 and Aug. 15.

In the same period, the TV code picked up one station, KTVR(TV) La Grande, Ore.

Radio additions: KTBN, Truman, Ark.; KOMY Watsonville and KOMS Redding, both California; WPQM(FM) noncommercial, Tampa, and WSAF Sarasota, both Florida; WDGJ Douglasville and WWHC Cleveland, both Georgia; KYME Boise, Idaho; WBEZ(FM) noncommercial, Chicago; KSSA-AM-FM noncommercial, Manhattan, Kan.; WCKY Richmond and WMTA Central City, both Kentucky; KDWA Hastings, Minn.; KBLI Liberty, Mo.; KFMQ(FM) and KLMS, both Lincoln, Neb.; Scottsbluff, and KUVR Holdrege, all Nebraska; KUVR(FM) noncommercial, Reno; WRUR-FM noncommercial, Rochester, N. Y.; KSDU(FM) noncommercial, Fargo, N. D.; WSLN (FM) noncommercial, Delaware, Ohio; KELI Tulsa, KVIN Vinita and KWLG Wagoner, all Oklahoma; KXZ Amarillo and KTNW Wichita Falls, both Texas; WNTF Richmond, Va., and KWYJ Everett, Wash.

Radio withdrawals: KPCA Marked Tree, Ark.; KABR Redding, KXNO Alturas and KXGW Stockton, all California; WBRY Waterbury, Conn.; WRRN Renesselaer, Ind.; WGLI Babylon and WOTT Watertown, both New York; WMGS Bowling Green, Ohio; KVYL Holdenville, Okla.; KMCM McMinnville and KXRN Roseburg, both Oregon; WORG Orangeburg, S. C.; WJIC Salt Lake City, and KEDO Longview, Wash.

Levittown to break another barrier

People who live in Levittown, Pa., about 10 miles north of Philadelphia, are accustomed to being stared at—after all Levittown was one of the first new, low-cost towns built in the U. S. Pretty soon Levittowners are going to be the object of the broadcasting industry's interest; it soon will have the nation's first 24-channel cable television system.

The start of construction of the $1-million system was announced last week by Lower Bucks Cablevision Inc. Jerrold Electronics Inc., Philadelphia, is the turnkey contractor for the 250-mile
dates it, he added. And although it is too late in this session to begin the monumental task that communications-law revision portends, Congresswoman Macdonald said that hearings on the possibility would very likely begin next year.

His growing sense of urgency in the matter, he notes, comes from three considerations:

- The FCC, as it is presently organized and funded, is overburdened.
- The Communications Act itself is clearly outdated because of many unforeseen developments since it was adopted in 1934.
- Because technology is on the march, "I can foresee fantastic advances in the next decade," he said, "and frankly we don't have the personnel and machinery to keep up with it, let alone exploit it for the public interest. It [the Communications Law] needs revamping."

And as an indication of the importance with which he now views the subject, he adds: "If politics can ever catch up with the technology—if legislators would really become aware of what's possible in this field—communications would become the number-one subject for Congress."

system that will reach some 28,000 homes in Levittown and adjacent areas, The first 50 miles are expected to be completed by January; the entire system later next year.

Initially the system will carry 18 channels of TV programs and other services, including eight Philadelphia TV stations and four New York inde-

pendents. The other six channels will include four devoted to local programming and public service, a time-weather channel and a special news channel.

Because the Philadelphia TV signals come in strong in Levittown, resulting in interference to the stations carried "on-channel" on the cable, the 24-channel system was chosen to permit those stations, as well as the New York stations which put a grade B signal into the community, to be converted to other channels on the cable. New York stations put a grade B signal into Levittown, thus taking it out of the top 100 market rule which would have required a waiver from the FCC.

The 24-channel system will result from dual cable construction, actually two coaxial cables. Each customer's TV set will be equipped with a switch, permitting him to choose between the two 12-channel systems at the flick of a finger.

Lower Bucks Cabledision Inc. is principally owned by multiple cable owner Philadelphia Community Antenna Television Co., a subsidiary of the Philadelphia Bulletin. John Zettick is president and Pat Deon, vice president of the system. PCATV operates CATV systems in Santa Barbara, Calif., where the Bulletin owns the Santa Barbara News-Press (KTMJ-AM-FM) and in Sarasota and Venice, Florida. PCATV also holds franchises for CATV in more than 30 communities in the Philadelphia area, as well as one for the eastern portion of northeast Philadelphia proper.

Nebraska completes network

The seventh and last of the Nebraska Educational Television Network went on the air last Wednesday (Nov. 1) when ch. 19 KXNE-TV Norfolk started broadcasting. Engineering Director William Ramsey said the station has the existing 16mm film on CATV produced about five years ago.

The choice of the Gitlin firm to produce the film was made by NCTA's public relations committee, which is headed by Irving B. Kahn, Telespom-ter Corp. H. Taylor Vaden, Triangle Stations, will represent NCTA in the production of the film.

Drumbeats...

Off the press 5th edition of the National Association of Broadcasters' booklet of awards and scholarships in radio-TV lists a total of 293 now available. The figure is nearly double those contained in the fourth edition of "Awards, Citations and Scholarships in Radio and Television." Booklet shows availability of 194 scholarships, 92 awards to networks, stations, ad agencies and individuals, and 22 engineering awards.

TV games at home * Bree see, Smith & Associates, Hollywood, television merchandiser, has been appointed as the exclusive merchandising representative for ABC-TV's upcoming How's Your Mother-In-Law? series. Bree see and Smith also represent The Dating Game, The Newlywed Game, The Family Game and Dream Girl of '67, Parlor game versions of The Dating Game and The Newlywed Game already are on the market, with an estimated 1 million games to be sold this Christmas. The play-at-home version of The Family Game is also expected to be marketed soon across the country. All shows in-

NCTA plans new film for its national week

To celebrate National Cable TV Week, Feb. 4-10, 1968, the cable-TV industry is going to rely heavily on a color documentary film. The National Cable Television Association announced last week that it has commissioned Irving Gitlin Productions Inc., New York, to produce a 16mm color documentary film on the CATV industry. Cost is estimated at $180,000 to $250,000 range. Prints will be sold by NCTA for a nominal fee to members, who will be urged to use them for showings to local civic groups, as well as to buy time to run them on local TV stations.

The new documentary will supersede
PGW's Colonel is life of the birthday party

Peters, Griffin, Woodward at a special meeting of employees in its New York office last week distributed English Toby mugs whose quality of workmanship has made the small jugs collectors' items the world over. The event was held to mark PGW's 35th year in the business of station representation and to point up the vigor of the company as depicted by its Colonel trademark, one of the oldest in the broadcast industry.

The Tobys, in the image of the jovial Colonel, bright-eyed, white-haired, hatted in a pearl-gray Homburg and wearing a white carnation in his lapel, were mailed and delivered to PGW clients and friends. Though the ceremony and the distribution of the jugs made for a simple procedure, the preparations were complex and took about one year from idea to execution, including PGW's commissioning Beswick, of Stoke-on-Trent, the English pottery firm that made and flew to New York several casts of the Colonel before producing the jugs.

At the ceremony Nov. 1, in New York, presided over by H. Preston Peters, chairman, and Lloyd Griffin, president, Mr. Peters presented an historical explanation of the Colonel identification. He noted the company (Free & Peters, founded by James L. Free in Chicago in 1932 with Mr. Peters opening the New York office a year and a half later) in attempting to increase business and add to the station list "often encountered resistance from prospective station managers [who felt] that we were too young to sell and handle their important stations.

"Our advertising agency at the time created the Colonel [in 1934] to symbolize maturity, perhaps even experience and wisdom . . . " and Mr. Peters said that when small clay statuettes of the Colonel were issued in 1942 as a 10th anniversary event, President Roosevelt, who enjoyed knickknacks and the like on his desk, was included in the mailing. "The Colonel is now in President Roosevelt's museum in Hyde Park," Mr. Peters said.

Productions and are shown on ABC-TV.

Retail-print promo • A newly syndicated monthly newsletter for radio stations to mail to local retail merchants is being used by WCR Lima, Ohio. The four-page two-color format is geared to the retailer with a brief news concept of what's happening in the national retail trade. The Retail Marketing Newsletter, covering most major categories in retailing, was sent to more than 250 merchants and regional advertisers in November with over 40% return of favorable comment. More than 25 stations have signed up for the service.

Golden Mike to Freeman • Doris Freeman, account executive and broadcaster at WXXI Jackson, Tenn., has been presented American Women in Radio and Television's southern area Golden Mike award for her contributions of community service in broadcasting and as an individual. Mrs. Freeman in 1947 and 1955 created the character "Cousin Tuny" for WXXI and WDXI-TV, respectively, and has been highly active in many charity organizations.

Talent search • Remember those old-time movie talent searches—the kind that discovered Lana Turner eating a chocolate frappe in Schwab's? NBC-TV and Universal City Studios are resurrecting them as a promotion for their joint World Premiere two-hour feature films for television. The search will be conducted at the local station level by NBC-TV affiliates. Winners are promised a key role in one of Universal's future motion pictures to be produced for broadcast on NBC-TV. Applicants are required to submit a photograph and resume of their acting background to the participating NBC-TV affiliate in each local area.

SAI awards CBS • An award for "the finest television series in the serious-music field" has been presented to CBS by Sigma Alpha Iota, women's national music honorary. The award is for the New York Philharmonic Young People's Concerts and marks the fourth consecutive year that CBS has received the award.

Sarnoff gets Freedom Award

Brigadier General David Sarnoff, board chairman of RCA, was presented last week with the annual Freedom Award of the International Rescue Committee for "distinguished service in the cause of freedom." In accepting the award, General Sarnoff told a gathering at the Waldorf-Astoria hotel in New York that a new type of lifetime profession must be created to cope with the impact of technology on the human and natural environment. He warned that the danger of technology slipping away from human control "compels us to look to new approaches to keep this earth both tranquil and habitable."
News costs perplex Europeans

International TV news directors meeting hears that U.S. techniques result in more news at lower budgets

What was conceived as a "get-acquainted" meeting of European and North American news executives may result in substantive changes in European broadcast news operations.

U.S. participants recently returned from a two-day meeting of the International Television News Directors Association in Paris report that European news executives displayed keen interest in American techniques of news gathering and presentation.

The participants said European interest was piqued by staffing and funding comparisons made during the conference, which was attended by more than 70 news directors from 17 nations throughout the North Atlantic Community and the U.S.S.R. (Broadcasting, Oct. 30).

Presentations made during the meeting showed that the television system of one European country—the Netherlands—spends the equivalent of about $700,000 annually to produce 24 minutes of news (not including commercial time) daily. The staff needed to produce this daily quota of news consists of close to 360 people, including stringers. In addition, the Dutch News Service subscribes to the Associated Press, United Press International, Reuters, and the Netherlands National News Agency.

In comparison, Robert Gamble, news director of WFMAM-FM-TV Indianapolis, revealed that his staff of 22 turns out 12 hours 30 minutes per week of locally produced television news on an annual budget of about $510,000.

Efficiency: American participants reported that European newscasters "seemed very anxious to find out how we do it. Our presentations apparently left some of the Europeans with the feeling that they were terribly overstaffed, or inefficient," one participant said.

U.S. news executives, however, were impressed by one aspect of the European news operations. "Their equipment is fantastically good," said one participant, "especially the French color system. It's the most life-like I've ever seen."

American television news did come in for some criticism from Sir Geoffrey Cox, editor-in-chief of Great Britain's commercial Independent Television News, who said he found the number of commercials in American newscasts a "bad thing." Sir Geoffrey had made a study of American newscasts before making a decision to insert a commercial in the BBC's nightly 30-minute newscast. The decision was a wise one apparently: "In fact the one two-minute commercial that we carry...brings us in three times the total cost of making the news program," Sir Geoffrey said.

U.S. representatives to the meeting described the conference as very successful. "I think all of us were impressed by what the other fellow is doing," said one participant. "We set out to have a face-to-face exchange of ideas, and that we did."

Rediffusion, ABC form production firm

London's ABC Television and Rediffusion Television have agreed on the formation of a joint company to provide weekday programs in the London area beginning July 30, 1968. The new company, Thames TV, will have a capital of about $16.8 million, equally divided between the partners, but with the majority of the voting control in ABC's hands. This arrangement is in accordance with the ITA directive that ordered a merger of the two companies last June, when program contracts came up for renewal.

One problem still to be settled is the future of Rediffusion's Wembley studios, now on a three-year lease to London Weekend TV. The studios could either revert to Rediffusion or become the property of Thames TV.

BBC requests rise in radio/TV license fee

The BBC, needing another $42 million annually for its development program, has asked the government to increase the radio/TV license fee from $14 to $16.75. Although the BBC converted last year's deficit of $5.6 million into a surplus of over $9 million this financial year, these funds will be quickly absorbed by color TV facilities, the new pop-music service and local broadcasting stations.

The BBC also disclosed that the radio pirates gave a more extensive pop-music service than it has been able to provide so far. "The demand for continuous popular music," it says, "can to some extent be met within the law, but up to a dozen seaborne transmitters operated in anarchy could not help but meet it more profusely."

FATES & FORTUNES

Broadcast Advertising

Patrick E. O'Rourke, formerly executive VP and advertising director of Family Weekly, Chicago, joins Knox Reeves Advertising, Minneapolis, as VP and marketing director, responsible for coordinating media, research and marketing departments. Arthur Cady, formerly with Norman, Craig & Kumel and Young & Rubicam, both New York, joins Knox Reeves, Minneapolis, as art director-producer. Stan M. Goldstein, copy supervisor with Foote, Cone & Belding, New York, joins Knox Reeves, Minneapolis, as copy supervisor.

Harold J. Hogan, with Campbell-Ewald Co., Detroit, named VP.

Joh: B. Andersen, with Eastern Airlines, New York, named division VP advertising and merchandising of newly named and enlarged advertising and merchandising unit of Eastern.

Dona Davies, production manager on Mattel account for Carson/Roberts/Inc., Los Angeles, named administrative head of broadcast production de-
department. Lois Crain, assistant production manager of department, becomes production manager. Renee Gruman, on traffic desk, named assistant production manager.

Carol Gilbert, director of research-sales development, for Robert E. Eastman & Co., New York, elected VP.

Hugh H. Graham, senior VP of Chirurg & Cairns, Hartford, Conn., given additional duties in area of industrial and corporate communications. Charles H. Gardner, senior VP of Chirurg & Cairns, Hartford, named general manager in charge of Hartford operations.


Frank A. Woffson, research analyst at Ted Bates & Co., New York, joins LaRoche, McCaffrey and McCall there as research project director.

J. William Axtell, director of advertising and promotion at wxyz Detroit, named advertising and sales promotion manager of wbbm Chicago, succeeding Arthur H. Barnes, who joins WFLD(TV) Chicago as director of advertising and sales promotion. Charles Mann, with PR staff of General Motors Corp., Detroit, appointed director of advertising and promotion for wxyz.

Malcolm D. MacDougall, VP and creative director for BBDO, Boston, named associate creative director at BBDO, New York. Robert F. Schmalenberger, VP and head art director at BBDO, succeeds Mr. MacDougall as creative director in Boston.


Jean F. Anderson named associate research director of Clinton E. Frank Inc., Chicago, and Jack L. Jasper named VP of subsidiary Market Measurements Inc.

Donald Stewart, senior VP, creative director for Fletcher Richards Co., New York, joins Filmex Inc., that city, as director of TV commercials and feature films.

William T. Latham, national sales manager of WFTV(TV) Orlando, Fla., also appointed general sales manager.

Byron Bellville, with KMOX St. Louis, appointed general sales manager.

James L. Shannon, account executive, WJAS Pittsburgh, appointed sales manager.

Kenneth Bryan, with wgo Atlanta, named sales manager.

John Trojahn, with KDOT Scottsdale, Ariz., named sales manager.

Richard Novik, sales manager, WLIB-FM New York, adds WLIB to his sales manager responsibilities. Larry Kingen resigns as WLIB sales manager to form advertising agency (BROADCASTING, Oct. 16).


Leo P. Murray joins Bauer-Tripp Hening & Pressler, New York, as account executive.

Richard P. Ruggles II, with Doyle Dane Bernbach. New York, joins de Garmo, McCaffery Inc., that city, as all media buyer.

J. Robert Holland, news director of WCAC-TV Philadelphia, joins PR department of Lewis & Gilman, that city.

MEDIA

William J. Wheatley, formerly operations manager and head of program department of KFWB Los Angeles, named general manager of WIBC Indianapolis.

Ken Stephens, with KTOP Topeka, Kan., named manager of WTRK Ashland, Ky., replacing Seeb Tweel.

Walter L. Jones, sales manager of WAMO-AM-FM Pittsburgh, appointed general manager.

Dan Colingdale, manager of WQDY Calais, Me., named general manager of WQDY, WHOU Houlton and WMKR Millinocket, all Maine.

Jeffrey Sprung, program director for WVOS New Rochelle, N.Y., appointed station manager for WVOS-AM-FM.

Ed Wallis, WIND Chicago, elected president of Illinois Broadcasters Association, succeeding Guy F. Main, WCIA-TV Champaign. Other new IBA officers: VP-TV, Milton D. Friedland, WICS(TV) Springfield; VP-radio, Roger Coleman, WGTW Galena, and secretary-treasurer, M. H. Stuckwish, WTAM Taylorville.

Allan Land, wviz Zanesville, Ohio, elected president of Ohio Association
of Broadcasters, succeeding Collis Young, wcool. Columbus, O. T. (Sandy) Dressbach, wppb Middletown, elected first VP of OAB; Paul Gilmore, wbc Canton, elected second VP.

Ben Falber Jr. WTHI Terre Haute, elected president of Indiana Broadcasters Association. Other officers named: Paul L. King, wawk Kendallville, VP-AM; Hilliard Gates, wkg Fort Wayne, VP-TV; Frank Haas, wmr Marion, VP-FM; Robert B. McConnell, wsfv Indianapolis, secretary-treasurer; Jack T. Brandt, witz Jasper, assistant secretary; William Quigg, waw Bed ford, assistant treasurer, and Eugene Strack, wxlw Indianapolis, coordinating director.


Jerome W. Morris, formerly with ABC, wjdd and wmaq-am-fm-tv, all Chicago, appointed business manager and chief accountant of ktar-am-fm-tv Phoenix.

Adolfo F. Luca, with NBC legal department, New York, since March 1966, appointed senior attorney.

John Lawrence Mansfield, labor relations technician for Armour Agricultural Chemical Co., Atlanta, joins wsb-am-fm-tv there as personnel director.

Colonel Harry Tabor, U.S. Army, joins Office of Telecommunications Management, Washington, as special assistant to Cole Armstrong, deputy director of OTM. Colonel Tabor moves to OTM from year's assignment as director of Beirut, Lebanon, research and development field office, Department of Defense.

**PROGRAMING**

Eugene H. King, formerly with Voice of America, work and wCBS, both New York, named VP and executive director of Broadcasting Foundation of America, that city.

Abraham Schneider elected to newly created post of board chairman of Columbia Pictures Corp., New York. Leo Jaffe, executive VP, succeeds Mr. Schneider as president. Mr. Schneider continues as executive officer of Columbia Pictures, whose television subsidiary is Screen Gems Inc. Serge Semenenko, vice chairman of First National Bank of Boston, becomes vice chairman of board of Columbia Pictures. Mr. Semenenko played key role earlier this year by warding off efforts by dissident stockholders to take control of company (Broadcasting, Aug. 7).

Donald J. Sheaff, assistant plant manager of TV division laboratory for Technicolor Inc., Hollywood, named VP and general manager of division.


Cecil Brown, veteran newscaster now at noncommercial KCET-tv Los Angeles, named TV consultant at Encyclopaedia Britannica Educational Corp., Chicago.

Julian Bercovici, executive with Filmways Inc., New York, resigns to enter independent production.

Allan Hotlen, formerly assistant program director and music director of wip Philadelphia, appointed program director.

John H. Rook, operations director at kov Pittsburgh, joins wls Chicago as director of operations in charge of programing.

Andy Moore, with kdot Scottsdale, Ariz., named program director. Gene Sturla becomes music director of kdot.

Steve Vallensky, executive producer of The Barry Farber Show, also named general manager of Syndicated Features Inc., New York.

Howard Linkoff, producer and sales representative for EUE/Screen Gems, New York, appointed sales manager of
News

Bruce Lang, director of sales liaison and administration, CBS News, New York, named manager of program administration.

Carlos Schiebeek, with UPI newspicture staff, named Los Angeles news-photo bureau manager. He succeeds Gary Haynes, named UPI central division newspictures manager, Chicago.


Sam A. Donaldson, reporter and producer at WTOP-AM-TV Washington, joins ABC News there as staff correspondent.

Wanda Ramey, with KDIX-TV San Francisco, joins noncommercial KQED (TV) there as West Coast correspondent for Public Broadcast Laboratory of National Educational Television.

Alan Walden, assistant news director, WNEW New York, named news director, replacing Jack Plunzle, who will soon announce his plans.

Edward Mullen, with WTAK Garden City, Mich., appointed news director of WTAE-AM-FM Pittsburgh.

George Luis Navarro, with WKQX San Juan, P.R., appointed news director of WADD New York.

M. Larry Litwin, with news staff of WJZ Mount Holly, N. J., appointed news director.

Bud Kelley, with KDOT Scottsdale, Ariz., named news director.

Logan Stewart, previously with KVOE New Orleans, XTRA Tijuana, Mexico, and CHML Hamilton, Ont., named associate news director of KXIF-AM-FM Seattle.

Jim West, newsmen with WNNN Chicago, named assistant news director of KBTR Denver.

Duane Brady, program director for Kool Phoenix, joins KTRK-AM-FM-TV there as news coordination director.

Stan Carmack, news director of WKY-TV Lexington, Ky., joins WCKY Cincinnati as morning news editor.

Robert R. Irvine, assistant news director for KNX Los Angeles, named to newly created post of executive news producer.

Ed Hardy, WABC New York, elected president of New York State AP Broadcasters Association.

James Brady, KFPI-AM-TV Idaho Falls, Idaho; Thad Sandstrom, WBWW-TV Topeka, Kan., and John Day, WABF Boston, named to awards committee of AP Radio and Television Association for 1967-68. Named to nominating committee for 1967-68, with one representative from each of four geographical divisions of country: East—Tom Eaton, WIRIC Hartford, Conn.; Central—Dick Cheverton, Wood Grand Rapids, Mich.; West—Richard Lewis, KTAR Phoenix; South—James Byron WBAP Fort Worth, Tex.

FANFARE


Richard Ballinger, sales promotion manager of WNEW-AM-FM New York, named to newly created post of assistant director of information services. Howard Jaffe, advertising and promotion writer/producer at WNEW-TV, becomes sales promotion manager. Howard Burkart, advertising and promotion writer/producer at WNBC-AM-FM New York, succeeds Mr. Jaffe.

John J. (Chick) Kelly, VP for advertising and promotion for Storer Broadcasting Co., Miami, resigns to become partner in Research Engineering Corp., Miami-based sales and promotion firm.

EQUIPMENT & ENGINEERING

John P. Buchan and Arthur H. Hausman, group VPs of Ampex Corp., Redwood City, Calif., named executive VPs.

Bernard Lazarus, VP and controller of Bogen Communications division of Lear Siegler Inc., Paramus, N.J., named executive VP.


Milton R. Holdaday, with WACA Camden, S. C., joins WWIN Georgetown, S. C., as chief engineer.

Dr. S. W. Herwald, VP, electronic components and specialty products group, Westinghouse Electric Corp., Pittsburgh, elected president of Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers.

He succeeds Walter K. MacAdam of American Telephone & Telegraph Co. Lynn C. Holmes, with General Dynamics Corp., electronics division, Rochester, N. Y., elected VP of IEEE.


Simon I. Degulis appointed Southern California branch manager.

Chris Rager, assistant chief engineer of noncommercial WMHT (TV) Schenectady, N. Y., named chief engineer for all-media department of instructional services, University of West Florida, Pensacola.

James W. Barnes, manager of instrumentation and switching systems for Cohu Electronics Inc., San Diego, named assistant chief engineer of San Diego division.

Homer C. Kornman, chief engineer of WSLS-AM-AM-AM Roanoke, Va., appointed technical operations manager of Maryland Educational Cultural Broadcasting Commission, Baltimore.

Raymond A. Swanison, with Gates Radio Co., Quincy, Ill., appointed manager-mechanical engineering.

Ray Stolzman, with Bruno-New York, appointed director of marketing for Fidelipac division of TelePro Industries Inc., Cherry Hill, N. J.

Donald Humphreys joins Michigan Magnetics, Vermillion, Mich., as manager of marketing.

Edward W. Butler, Speer Carbon Co., St. Mary's, Pa., selected to receive annual Medal of Honor of Electronic Industries Association at organization's spring conference in Washington in March. Mr. Butler, present chairman of EIA's parts division, is VP, planning and electronics for the Speer company.

INTERNATIONAL

Roly Koster, program manager of CHFT Toronto, appointed station manager of CHAM Hamilton, Ont. Norm Marshall, sports coordinator for CHCH Hamilton, Ont., named operations manager and sports director of CHAM, that city. Earle Bradford, assistant news director of CHFT Toronto, named news director of CHAM.

Russ Ramsay, CRTC Saul Ste. Marie, Ont., elected president of Central Canadian Broadcasters Association. Other officers elected: John Radford, CFIR Brockville, Ont., VP and convention chairman; A. A. Bruner, CHCH-TV.
Allied Fields


Frank N. Merklein, production manager, foreign operations for Time-Life Broadcasting International, joins RTV International Inc., New York, radio and television consultants, as director, development services.

Rex Schnupp, chief of television branch, film-ETV division, U.S. Army Aviation School, Ft. Rucker, Ala., joins University of West Florida, Pensacola, as director of all-media department of instructional services. Leslie Smith, instructor and producer/director, department of radio and television, St. Petersburg (Fla.) Junior College, joins University of West Florida, Pensacola, as head of broadcast division, department of instructional services, and assistant professor of speech and drama.

Deaths

Leon R. Brooks, 55, VP and general counsel of CBS Inc., died of heart attack in Harvard Stadium in Cambridge, Mass., on Oct. 28 while attending Harvard-Dartmouth football game. Mr. Brooks joined CBS in 1950 as its Washington attorney and was appointed VP and general counsel of CBS in June 1964. He was graduated in 1933 from Harvard College, where he was elected to Phi Beta Kappa, and from Harvard Law School in 1936. He practiced law in Boston from 1937-39 and served various federal agencies from 1940 to 1950. He is survived by his wife, Stacy, and three children.

Hugh R. Murchison, 71, founder and until recently major stockholder of KFOL Los Angeles, died Oct. 24 in his home in Los Angeles. Mr. Murchison was stock broker and investment banker with Walston & Co. for many years but was best known for his work with nation's largest skidrow rehabilitation center, Union Rescue Mission of Los Angeles. He is survived by his wife, Pauline, and three children.

Charles S. Sakoski Sr., chief engineer of WBRE-AM-FM-TV Wilkes-Barre, Pa., since all three stations went on air, died Oct. 18 in Wilkes-Barre's General hospital. Mr. Sakoski joined WBRE organization in 1923.

Ronald A. Molina, 35, assistant chief engineer at noncommercial WTTW TV Chicago, died Oct. 24 of heart attack. He had joined ETV station in 1956.

FOR THE RECORD

Station Authorizations, Applications

As compiled by Broadcasting, Oct. 26 through Nov. 1, and based on filings, authorizations and other actions of the FCC.


New TV Stations

Applications

Anaheim, Calif.—Orange County Television, seeks USIF ch. 56 (722-728 mc); ERP 127 kw vis., 26.63 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 1,051.18 ft.; ant. height above ground 140.65 ft.; P. O. address: 2001 South Haster, Suite SD, Anaheim 92802. Estimated construction cost $568,100; first-year operating cost $797,600; revenue $565,000. Geographic coordinates 33° 36‘ 20.2“ north lat.; 117° 49‘ 30.6“ west long. Type trans. GE TTT6A. Type ant. GE TTV-22. Legal counsel Julian P. Fretet, Washington: consultant, engineering George B. Fleener, official, James H. Hite, president; consultant; consulting engineer Lloyd Hall, Crestline, Calif. Principals: David Mathews, president, Harrison W. Herstberg, vice president; and Kirk Munroe, secretary-treasurer; Arthur Ord, director, Arnold Laven and Judes Levy (each 12.5%); Harry Zevin (5%); and Harry Goldston (4%). Mr. Munroe is vice president and branch manager of Henry Christal Co., New York station representatives, and is applicant for new FM in San Clemente, Calif. Mr. Mathews is free-lance writer-producer for radio and television in Los Angeles; applicant for new FM in San Clemente; film-scop; Hunt market, and is vice president and director of broadcast activities (1959-1967; less than 1% interest; sold January 1967) in Fuller & Smith & Ross, New York advertising agency. Mr. Zevin is general manager of Melodram Theatre in Anaheim, Circle Star Theatre in San Mateo, and is general manager and vice president with 5% interest in Carousel Theatre in Los Angeles. Mr. Herstberg is attorney; is vice president with 5% interest in Melodram Theatre; vice president of Circle Star Theatre, and is president with 25% interest in Castille Theatre in Los Angeles. Mr. Gardner is president, and with 50% stockholder in Margate Pictures Inc., Los Angeles film producers of Big Valley for ABC-TV; Bristol Pictures, Los Angeles, producers of feature film Sophisticated Lady (1964); Sussex Pictures Inc., Los Angeles producers of The Rifleman for ABC-TV; and Rhodes Picture Inc., producers of feature film Climatic Mr. Levy is president, producer and 53.5% stockholder of same as Mr. Gardner. Mr. Laven is treasurer, producer and 33.15% stockholder of same. Mr. Goldberger is president with 66.5% interest in Carino Inc., hotel; secretary-treasurer and 50% stockholder in MIP Corp, operators of Mission Inn; secretary-treasurer and sole owner of real estate brokerage; vice president and 50% owner of real estate development, and financial consultant, Ann. Nov. 1. Anaheim, Calif.—Voice of the Orange Empire Inc., seeks UHF ch. 56 (728-729 mc); ERP 628 kw vis., 125 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 3,126 ft.; ant. height above ground 1,193 ft.; P. O. address: 3101 15th Street, Santa Ana, Calif. 92701. Estimated construction cost $901,690.60; first year operating cost $907,128; revenue $721,128. Geographic coordinates 33° 51‘ 0.15“ north lat; 117° 30‘ 115“ west long. Type trans. GE TTT6A. Type ant. GE TV53C. Legal counsel Peter Bader, Washington: consultant, engineering A. E. Towne, San Carlos, Calif. Principals: William Genossed, former director of broadcast and sales of Radio and TV stations; CATV Appraisers; Financial Advisors; New York—60 East 42nd St., New York 17, N.Y. • MU 7-4242 West Coast—1357 Jewell Ave., Pacific Grove, Calif. • FR 5-1364 Washington—711 14th St., N.W., Washington, D.C. • DI 7-5351

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**FINDINGS**

**WETA-TV Washington—Broadcast Bureau granted license covering existing noncommercial educational television station; retrans. desc. license, 3222 River Rd., NW, Washington, D.C. (FOR THE RECORD)

**ACTIONS ON MOTIONS**


**NEW AM STATIONS**

- Applications
  - Middlesboro, Ky.—Walter Powell Jr. tri/a Tri-State Broadcasters, Seeks 1560 kc, 1 kw-D, P. O. address: 202 Peoples building, Cumberland Avenue, Middlesboro, Ky. Estimated construction cost $19,098.74; first-year operating cost $28,240; revenue $42,500. Principal: Mr. Powell is in real estate and is 32.

**FINAL ACTIONS**

- Wickenburg, Ariz.—Wickenburg Radio Co. Broadcast Bureau granted 1530 kc, 50 kw-D, P. O. address: Box 1288, Wickenburg, Ariz. Estimated construction cost $3,000; first-year operating cost $18,000; revenue $22,000. Principals: W. W. Shepperd (51%), W. L. Shepperd (49%). Mr. Shepperd is owner of Thumers' Western Wear. Mrs. Stirling is housewife. Action Oct. 27.

**FINANCIALS**

- Broadcasting, 1735 DeSales St., N.W., Washington, D. C. 20036.
SUMMARY OF BROADCASTING
Compiled by BROADCASTING, Nov. 2

ON AIR NOT ON AIR
Lic. CP's Lic. CP's
Commercial AM 4,130 18 105
Commercial, FM 1,550 72 261
Comercial TV-VHF 4,069
Commercial TV-UHF 112 26 146
Educational TV 311 8 29
Educational TV-VHF 50 9 52
Educational TV-UHF 49 12 48

AUTHORIZED TELEVISION STATIONS
Compiled by BROADCASTING, Nov. 2

VHF UHF Total
Commercial 519 278 797
Noncommercial 76 109 185

STATION BOXSCORE
Compiled by FFC, Aug. 31, 1967

COM'L AM COM'L FM COM'L TV EDUC FM EDUC TV
Licensed (all on air) 4,124 1,683 601 311 111
CP's on air (new stations) 16 42 27 8 22
CP's not on air (new stations) 99 235 174 27 52
Total authorized stations 4,241 1,978 807 346 185
Licenses deleted 3 0 0 0 0
CP's deleted 0 0 0 0 0

In addition, two AM's operate with Special Temporary Authorization.
In addition, one licensed VHF is not on the air, two VHF's operate with STA's, and three licensed UHF's are not on the air.

Oct. 25.
Mountain City, Tenn.—Johnson County Broadcasting Inc., Broadcast Bureau granted 1350 kc, 500 w-D, P. O. address: Mountain City. Estimated construction cost $11,525; first-year operating cost $15,925; revenue $33,450. Principals: Thomas Atkinson, president and treasurer (54%); Stuart Clifton Droke Jr., vice president (42%) and Frances Anne Atkinson, secretary (4%). Mr. Atkinson is manager of WKSY Bluefield, W. Va. Mr. Droke is self-employed in equipment and supply. Mrs. Atkinson is housewife. Action Oct. 30.

INITIAL DECISIONS

- Grant of application of Edward A. Roman of trade as Mt. Carmel Broadcasting Co. to operate daytime AM on 1500 kc, 50 kw-t, in Mt. Carmel, Ky. application has been proposed in an initial decision issued by Examiner H. Gifford Irion (Doc. 17412; BP-1758). Proposed application of Robert Kerris and Edward Neff of trade as K K K Radio Co. for same facilities to operate in Mt. Carmel was denied (Doc. 17412; BP-1758). Applications were designated for hearing on May 11. One hearing session was held Aug. 1, and record was closed on that date. Proposed findings and conclusions were submitted and reply were filed Oct. 6. Examiner Irion based his determination of grant to Mt. Carmel on extensive experience Mr. Roman has had in broadcasting and his proposed “full-time” participation in management of station. Action Oct. 25.

- Grant of application of Tennessee Valley Broadcasting Co., to operate new daytime AM on 1510 kc, 10 kw, with directional antenna, has been proposed in an initial decision issued by Examiner Millard F. French (Doc. 17069; BP-16909), subject to condition. Tennessee Valley Broadcasting Co. application is designated for hearing in consolidated proceeding with applications of Rocket City Broadcast- ing Co., for same facilities in Huntsville and of Fine Music Inc. (WFMJ), Montgomery, Ala., for frequency change and power increase. Review board on Aug. 30, approved settlement agreement between Tennessee Valley and Rocket City and Rocket City application was dismissed (Doc. 17069). Mutual exclusivity between Tennessee Valley proposal and of Fine Music was eliminated by engineering memorandum of Tennessee Valley's application and application of Fine Music was severed from proceeding (Doc. 17069). Examiner found that Tennessee Valley has proven availability and suitability of its proposed antenna and transmission site, and was otherwise qualified to construct and operate proposed station. Action Nov. 7.

OTHER ACTION


ACTIONS ON MENTIONS


- Hearing Examiner Charles J. Frederick on Oct. 31 in Bridgeport, N. C. (V.W.B. Inc.) AM proceeding, granted, motion by Michael S. Rice and continued hearing from Oct. 31 to Nov. 14 to file Initial proposed findings (Doc. 1796). The final hearing was continued until Dec. 31, 1967.

- Hearing Examiner H. Gifford Irion on Oct. 27 in Tucumcari, N. M. (Norman W. Hennig). AM proceeding, granted, request for general continuance of procedural dates until commission rules on petition to set aside under 13,689 filed by What the Bible Says Inc. (Docs. 17975-3).

- Hearing Examiner Iadore A. Rong on Oct. 31 in Lima, Henretta, Geneseo and Warsaw, all New York (Eim Bible Institute Inc., What the Bible Says Inc., Oxbow Broadcasting Corp. and John B. Weeks), AM proceeding, granted request for general continuance of procedural dates until commission rules on petition to set aside under 13,689 filed by What the Bible Says Inc. (Docs. 17975-3).

- Hearing Examiner Jay A. Kyle on Oct. 27 in Bellaire, Tex. (T. J. Shriner), AM proceeding, continued without date hearing scheduled for Nov. 8 (Doc. 17635). On Oct. 28 in Statesboro, Ga. (Farnell O'Quinn), AM proceeding, scheduled certain procedural dates; and continued hearing from Dec. 5 to Dec. 18 (Doc. 17722).

- Hearing Examiner Earl L. McClennen on Oct. 27 in Sioux Falls, S. D. (Sioux Empire Broadcasting Co. and John L. Breece) AM proceeding, admitted into evidence. John L. Breece exhibits numbers 1, 2, and 3 and closed record (Docs. 1776).
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Fairfield, Ohio, 500, WQXR; WBOI Bolivar, Tenn., 250, WQXR; WWMG Nashville, Tenn., 800, WRNY, WLNB Clovis, N. M., 20, WQXR; KGHO Holguin, Wash., 500, KFMC; WJRJ Fort Worth, Tex., 250, WQXR; WGBB Fort Washington, Wisc., 250, WQXR.

New FM stations

APPLICATION

Berkemeyer Broadcasting Corp., Inc.—A propositional application by Berkemeyer Broadcasting Corp., Inc., to operate station WRWZ, Rossford, Ohio, was refiled with the Bureau, Oct. 19. (Application Oct. 5, 1966, for station WCBK, Martinsville, was declared inactive, Oct. 27.)

FURTHER ACTIONS

Clayton, Mo.—Broadcast Bureau granted proposed application for new class B FM station, KCBM, Clayton, on Oct. 27. License to operate on ch. 201 (91.1 mc). Action Oct. 27.


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Jordan Valley, Ore. Boise Valley Broadcast- ers Inc.—Broadcast Bureau granted license covering existing UHF TV translator.

Systems Inc.) CATV proceeding designated Examiner John R. Chapman to serve as presiding officer; scheduled prehearing conference for Dec. 8 (Doc. 17300-8).


House Examiner Herbert Sharman on Oct. 30 in WSBT-TV, South Bend, Ind.—Broadcast Bureau granted a UHF TV translator to WHBT, Inc. (World Broadcasting Co.) in South Bend, Ind. The license covers time from Nov. 27 to Jan. 15, 1968 (Doc. 17344-4).}

Ownership changes

APPLICATIONS

WALB-TV Albany, Ga., and WHJG-TV Panama City, Fla.—Seeks transfer of control to American Broadcasting Companies Inc. to reduce its stock holdings from 6.1% (by virtue of control) to 1.3% (in accordance with a petition for reconsideration of and clarification of a license issued on May 5, 1967 (Doc. 17344-4).

WRB North Atlanta, Ga.—Seeks assignment of license from Charles and Louise B. Clodfelter (now deceased) to North Atlanta Broadcasting Co. to Ring Radio Inc. (DOc. 17344-4).

WBKK-WM in New Haven, Conn.—Conn. TV, Inc. (now deceased) to New Haven, Conn.—Seeks transfer of control to the estate of Mrs. Dorothy Hoke, executors of the will of Dorothy Hoke, in accordance with a petition for reconsideration of and clarification of a license issued on May 5, 1967 (Doc. 17344-4).

WMCL-Meadowsboro, Ill.—Seeks transfer of control to the estate of Mrs. Dorothy Hoke, executors of the will of Dorothy Hoke, in accordance with a petition for reconsideration of and clarification of a license issued on May 5, 1967 (Doc. 17344-4).

KJJO-St. Joseph, Mo.—Seeks transfer of control to John D. Dunn, Inc., in accordance with a petition for reconsideration of and clarification of a license issued on May 5, 1967 (Doc. 17344-4).

KICD-Ft. Madison, Iowa.—Seeks transfer of control to John D. Dunn, Inc., in accordance with a petition for reconsideration of and clarification of a license issued on May 5, 1967 (Doc. 17344-4).

KDKO-Kokomo, Ind.—Seeks transfer of control to John D. Dunn, Inc., in accordance with a petition for reconsideration of and clarification of a license issued on May 5, 1967 (Doc. 17344-4).
Help Wanted Management
Manager or sales manager, experienced, de-
taining to locate in S. W. desert community of
Arizona. Must have sales experience. Salary to
be negotiated, possibility of stock ownership.
Excellent fringe benefits. Send resume, includ-
ing list of references, to Box K-252, BROAD-
CASTING.
Manager—Sales ability, small radio market.
New York State. Good salary. Box K-280, BROAD-
CASTING.
Arizona station needs sales manager with
plenty of drive. If you can sell, name your own
salary! Dale Bennett, KPIN, Casa
Grande, Arizona.
Sales
Immediate opening for salesman—announcer for
small market. Box K-278, BROADCASTING.
Salesmen—sell new accounts, service con-
tact accounts, incentive opportunity salar-
y. One-station Kansas market. Box L-45, BROAD-
CASTING.
Small and medium market sales managers
an outstanding senior salesman. Possibly
this is your chance to become a part of the
professional sales team at a major mar-
et group station. Tell us! Box L-77, BROAD-
CASTING.
We need top drawer salesman. We can offer
top list in our tightly formatted middle-of-
road AM-FM properties. Prefer market
25-35 years, with at least two years experience.
Contact Ed Utner or Ernie Winn, KEIN
Radio, P. O. Box 2709, Bakersfield, Cal-
ifornia. Phone area 805-632-1410.
Last two men who accepted this position are
now upper management. Both leave sunny
California. We offer Tijuana"... work like Trojans... take care of those
tons of accounts... if you qualify... you'll make
money in Texas and Mexico send full particulars
and position available January 1. KVOZ, Laredo.
Young, aggressive salesman, good opportu-
nity San Francisco area. Send resume, photo
and all requirements to Earl Goldman,
KWUN Radio, Concord, California 94522.
Countrypalmer member of midwest group
has accounts waiting for aggressive appli-
cant. Good vacancy in Lawrence. Excellent
opportunities. Send resume to Manager,
WTTI, Lansing, Michigan.
Southwestern Louisiana's number one sta-
tion needs a salesman. Good account list
and a car for the right man. Contact us if you
offer a good record. Phone Bill Edgar 318-636-7727.
Announcers
Help Wanted—good singing announcer
wants for N. C. station. Also chance to sell.
resume, picture and tape to Box K-255, BROAD-
CASTING.
5 kw-network AM/FM affiliate outside na-
tion's capital needs 1st ticket announcers.
No maintenance responsibility, no salary
benefits. Box K-296, BROADCASTING.
Western Pennsylvania station has immediate
opening for announcer with experience for
night, MOR format. Salary and benefits, no
maintenance or selling. Box K-501, BROAD-
CASTING.
Announcers—(Cont'd)
Exceptional opportunity for experienced
sportscaster. Must have 5 years experience,
know production for 24 hour operation. Good
starting salary, regular increases, paid
holidays, vacations, security. Afternoon and
weekend shifts. Box L-1, BROADCASTING.
Announcer for good small market Penn-
sylvania station. Happy, but no screamers.
Third phone necessary. Tape and resume to
Box L-18, BROADCASTING.
Pennsylvania small market radio station
looking for experienced announcer. Good
salary, benefits. Send tape, resume and
ticket to Box L-38, BROADCASTING.
Major market Ohio independent wants to
be creative personality for drivetime shift.
MOR format. Salary, benefits. Starting posi-
tion. Send resume and tape to Box L-29,
BROADCASTING.
Major midwest group making more pur-
cussions. This is your chance to sell first phones
and two newsmen has arrived. Group offers
great security, good salary, excellent condi-
tions. Send your resume. Box L-70,
BROADCASTING.
Two experienced announcers. Straight board
Specialty. Be the man! Wheeling station
northern Ohio area. Send resume and
tape to Box L-15, BROADCASTING.
Classical music announcer/programmer,
KLJF, Lamar Tower, Houston Texas 77006.
KLJK radio in Jefferson City, Missouri is
looking for an experienced announcer.
Expect benefits, fringe and working condi-
tions equal to one class. Send resume,
tape and references to Box L-31, BB-
CASTING.
Wanted: one radio announcer with third
phone and one engineer—announcer with
first phone. Radio KVOU, Uvalde, Texas.
Join upbeat happy station in sunny south
Texas next door to Mexico. Must be strong
on the air. Position opens January 15. Send
deals to KVOZ, Laredo.
Voice and maintenance man adult pop and
talk San Francisco area. Send photo, tape,
and resume to Vitaves, KWUN Radio,
Concord, California 94522.
Immediate opening for experienced mature
professional announcer—MOR. First ticket
deferred call WABJ, Adrian, Michigan
313-265-3723.
First ticket DJ—WBRY, Waterbury,
Connecticut—203-753-1125.
Morning man with sales experience. Im-
mediate opening $6,000.00 plus 15% com-
mission with full established account list to
qualified man. Manager WCBY Radio,
Cheyenne, Wyoming.
Announcers—(Cont'd)
Morning personality wanted for station in
growing city of 37,000. Contemporary format,
no hard rock. Excellent pay, working condi-
tions, and benefits. Right man will become
a keysten of a professional air staff. Personal
 interview necessary after we hear your tape.
Mail resume to WFIN, Findlay, Ohio 45840.
After many years we are losing our morning
personality to another industry. We are
looking for an experienced man to fill this
opening. He must have good references and
ability to handle an adult format. In ex-
change, he will earn an excellent salary,
commissions if interested in selling, moving
expenses, many company benefits and
will join a stable growing group. Personal
interview will be arranged at our expense.
Send resume and tape to Great Lakes
Pool. Manager, WFLS Radio, 816 Amelia St.,
Virginia Beach, Virginia 23451.
Experienced combo heavy news/sports
MOR. Salary $1500, first phone. WBMW,
Gaithersburg, Maryland.
Step up to 5000 watt contemporary music
opportunity near Myrtle Beach, South Caro-
olina. Want morning man with personality
and strength in production. No screamers.
Third ticket. Salary open. Send tape, re-
sume, photo (if available) and references.
Box 3052, Hemingway, South Carolina.
Immediate opening straight staff board man.
Daytime shift. Some experience preferred.
No rockers or screamers possible. Class
degree required. WLDB, NBC, Atlantic
City, N. J.
Experienced announcer/salesman for small
market. Thirty hours weekly airtime plus
sales, salary, car allowance, and commissi-
ion. Available November 26th. Graham L. Jones,
WODI, Brookneal, Virginia.
First phone announcer for MOR network
station. Send resume and tape to Earl Goldman,
Salary and benefits. Box 3052, Hemingway, South
Carolina.
Here's your chance—Announcer with first
ticket to work on a major New York top-
40 network. Big 5,000 watter, serving all of southern New
York, Connecticut and New Jersey. Send
resume to Earl Goldman, WBBR, New
York City. Contact Joe Anthony, P. D.,
WBBR. Katonah, Connecticut. Stations, P. O. Box
627, Fall River, Massachusetts.
Midwestern regional, AM-FM fulltimer
needs two good men with experience. One
newman, one announcer for Top 40 night
show, 3rd endowed necessary. Excellent
working conditions, benefits. Send tape,
complete resume, first reply. Call Program
Director, WSTR, Sturgis, Michigan.
WWQW needs 2 top 40 jocks. Rush resume,
photographs, to WCWH, Worthington, Ohio.
Program Analysis, Inc.—Expert critique of
your tapes by professionals at major market
stations. First tape $50, Second tape an-
nual fee. Box 3003, Los Angeles, California.
First phone—announcer needed immediately
—Good pay—fringe benefits.—Contact Bob
Immediate opening for top-notch Top 40
announcer, engineer and production man
with multiple ownership organization. Ex-
cellent opportunity for advancement. Will
meet any salary requested providing you
meet qualifications and ability we require.
Send resumé, photographs, tape to P. O. Box
7372-A Mt. Brook Station, Birmingham,
Alabama, or phone TR 1-0803, Birmingham, Ala.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

DEADLINE: Monday Preceding Publication Date

- SITUATIONS WANTED 25c per word—$2.00 minimum, payable
  in advance. Checks and money orders only. Applicants: If tapes
  or films are submitted please send $1.00 for each package to
  cover handling charge. Forward remittances separately. All
  announcements, letters, etc., addressed to box numbers are sent
  at owner's risk. BROADCASTING expressly repudiates any liability
  or responsibility for their custody or return.
- KELP WANTED 30c per word—$2.00 minimum.
Technical

Chief engineer—$300 weekly to start with raise to $350 in 6 months. East coast, major market with 5 area stations. Must have 4-year experience. Immediate opening. Send resume to Box K-124, BROADCASTING.

Four broadcast technicians needed, strong on all phases of work, 4 years experience in mid-west top 20 markets, union shop, equal opportunity employer. Box K-121, BROADCASTING.

Chief engineer for major eastern market 50,000 watt AM with FM facility. Must be experienced, knowledgeable and responsible. Send resume, references and recent picture to Box K-287, BROADCASTING.

Engineer-announcer (1st class license). Good exclusive station, small city, Kansas. Box L-49, BROADCASTING.

Engineer for full time AM with automated FM. Short board shift. Excellent equipment. Michigan, preferably Ann Arbor. Box L-76, BROADCASTING.

Chief and recording engineer in Sunny south Texas. Turn over full technical responsibilities. PC, KVOZ Laredo, Texas. First phone man for transmitter. Will train beginner. WAMD, Aberdeen, Maryland.

Experienced chief engineer for 10,000 watt directional. Capable of top maintenance job. Connecticut, preferably New Haven area. Send resume and references to: Floyd Keesee, WMBO, Aberdeen, Maryland.

If you're presently qualified as chief engineer in smaller market and want unusual opportunity, you should contact our growing diversifying company. You can join us in key engineering position under direction of department head. Box L-150, BROADCASTING.

Chief engineer, excellent opportunity for another. Chief Engineer for the Goldman Group, Excellent working conditions. Send resume and pertinent information to: Si Goldman, Goldman Group, P. O. Box 1139, Jamestown, New York 14703.

Immediate opening for a Radio Studio Engineer. Applicants should be experienced in maintenance of studio equipment and operation of studio equipment. FCC license required. Opportunity to join growing concern, salary dependent on education and experience. Send resume and personnel office, The University of Michigan, 1210 Administration Building, Ann Arbor, Michigan. An Equal Opportunity Employer.

NEWS

Top-rated, professional, midwest medium market contemporaneous news program seeking aggressive newswoman who feels ready for his first stab at news directorship. Here's your chance to become a key man in a growing organization. Send tape and resume to Box K-122, BROADCASTING.

We are looking for two exceptional radio newsgirls. These two men would have to do everything well. Very well. Each would have to have at least six years of good newscast experience. They must consider the recorder indispensable. They must know how to use tape effectively. We want men and women who have all kinds of news, not just stories, responsibly. We want men who can go to the scene, tell the story and take their listeners with them. We want men and women who can put their own honest stamp on every piece of news they deliver. They must be paid very well. Send background and audition tape if possible. If you want to work for a large radio news organization. They must have some experience with camera. Beautiful medium sized community in excellent recreational area. Good starting salary. Employee benefits,rs. Send resume to Box K-282, BROADCASTING.

Needed immediately news director for AM-FM-TV in upper midwest. Must have some experience with camera. Beautiful medium sized community in excellent recreational area. Good starting salary. Employee benefits. Send resume to Box K-282, BROADCASTING.

News photographer-reporter. Medium market midwest VHF. Send resume and salary requirements to Box L-96, BROADCASTING.


Michigan regional looking for good newswoman ready to leave small to medium market. WPAG, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Radio-TV newsmen, Gather, write and air local news for midwest market. Send tape, resume and photo to Ed Root, WTRC, Elkhart, Indiana.

Production—Programming, Others

Program director for outstanding Top 40 operation in the south. Top market. He must be an idea man, convey enthusiasm, make the newscast, and bring in sales. Be aggressive and promotion-minded and contest-oriented. He must work well with people. Small daily air shift. Salary open. Radio, write and resume with photo to: Box K-230, BROADCASTING.

PD/OP/DN, needed by fast-paced Texas Top-10. Only experienced weighings who can be clever and creative and bring in sales. Send resume and photo to Box L-28, BROADCASTING.

Program Director for west coast 50 kw quality station. Growing operation and staff expansion offer an unusual opportunity for a man with fresh ideas plus good on-air and administrative skills. Excellent working conditions and advancement potential with established West Coast operation. Send resume and photo to Box L-41, BROADCASTING.

Program director—must be creative, imaginative and idea laden. MOR located in highly competitive 7 station market in heart of Florida. Salary open. Send resume and photo to Box L-74, BROADCASTING.

Exceptional, creative home for experienced copywriter, who thrives on challenge. Achievement, recognition, promotion desirable but not necessary. Full details to Burt Levine, WROV, Roanoke, Va.

RADIO

Situations Wanted Management

17-year professional offers old-fashioned hard work, loyalty, dependability, Box K-287, BROADCASTING.

Manager: Family, veteran, 32 yrs. old, good record. Good references. $35,000 to $50,000 market. In Tennessee, Arkansas, Missouri, South Kentucky, or Oklahoma. Box L-9, BROADCASTING.

Manager. Heavy sales and promotion over 15 years all phases management in suburban markets. Proven ability, college degree. 43, family. Box L-9, BROADCASTING.

Successful general manager with outstanding record seeks improvement. Box L-13, BROADCASTING.

Station ailing, or station doing well but can do better? Or do you simply need a good manager? Professionalism, personality, judgment and humanity are the keys. This 36-year-old manager with varied experience, ability, control, and solidity to do the job, right, and do it well. Don't expect fancy presentation or useless correspondence. Call Box L-31, BROADCASTING, then expect my call and personal visit, expenses shared.

To owner in south or southeast, expecting complete sales attention who will increase revenue by personal sales, books, and promotions. Career station acceptance with solid 20 years experience in New York. Owner wishes to sell properties to present general manager, currently selling for major market station. Box L-61, BROADCASTING.

Sales

38-year-old experienced college graduate, local corporation trained, sober, family man seeks challenge with permanent future and whom to be experienced salesman, mixer, businessman. Best reference weight age. Five figures. Box L-38, BROADCASTING.

Small midwestern MOR AM. Experienced, college, family man will handle your sales. Promotion and programming directorship. Will stay with and go to station with interest. Intense interest in radio. All details to Box L-40, BROADCASTING.

Announcers

I know how to make'em smile in the morning. I'd like to do it for your company. Five yrs experience, college, 3rd, married. Box L-17, BROADCASTING.

After midnight a no-man's land? I'd like to fill it with character and gimmick. Top-40, 4 yrs. exp., married, college. Call Ed Huot, WPAG, Box L-36, BROADCASTING.

Soul stations, break the dull repetition of all soul brothers. Do something different (throw in some soul) and give your em- ered soul sister play your soul music. Excellent news and comedy. Good sales and production. Third class endorsement and a soul expert. Box L-19, BROADCASTING.

Strictly Top 40, less than one year experience. want to learn"Good" production, 3rd, married, broadcast school grad. Box L-21, BROADCASTING.

Nationally known Top 40 personality at no. 1. Should be personality with family stability. Proven record. Box L-22, BROADCASTING.

Hot 100 format personality ready for larger market. Production and promotion minded. Box L-25, BROADCASTING.

Top rated top 20 major market contemporary personality, with past pd experience seeks program director or operations man- ager position in large market. Ideas innova- tor, college first phone, family. Box L-28, BROADCASTING.

Negro D.J., announce, recent graduate, 3rd, married, Mixes my straight set with first phone. Box L-26, BROADCASTING.

Experienced newsmen Jack currently in large market raises midwest. Box L-27, BROADCASTING.

D.J. announcer, Broadcast school graduate. 3rd, married. Heavy voice, Married, Child- parent. Box L-52, BROADCASTING.

MOR Broadcaster. Experienced in radio and television. Married, stable, strong on promotion, Mature, voice Glad to relocate. Want to settle. Box L-33, BROADCASTING.

You are . . . a friendly MOR in a west or southwest medium market of at least 100-000. I am . . . . a bright, conscientious 26- year old personality with a family, 3 yrs experience and third. Let's talk about the future. Box L-48, BROADCASTING.

Responsible D.J., news, third endorsed, tight budget. Will relocate, reliable, dependable. Box L-51, BROADCASTING.

Sportscaster, 5 years experience. Some TV, College graduate. First phone. Box L-55, BROADCASTING.

Mature, personable and single. Prefer MOR or CKW format, 2 yrs. experience. Past ex- perience is required. Prefer person with community and stability. Box L-53, BROADCASTING.

D.J with 12 years experience first phone—looking for pd position to station mid-west market. Top 40 format. Presently em- ployed. Tape available. Box L-57, BROADCASTING.
Announcers—(Cont'd)

Fast paced major market jock seeks relocation—First phone: 1st class resume with | answer now|! Box L-58, BROADCASTING.

Young, eager broadcast school grad with 3rd endowed desires experience in midwest. Prefer Top 40. Box L-60, BROADCASTING.

First phone, experienced, presently working in 100,000 market. Prefer Top 40. Will confer by letter format. Box L-61, BROADCASTING.

Funny two-man DJ team available for Top 40 Radio. Live, dynamic, experienced. Contract. For tape, resume and photo, Box L-63, BROADCASTING.

Mature man, graduate broadcasting institute, 2 years college. Small writing experience. 20 years sales and management experience. Articulate, personable. Box L-71, BROADCASTING.

Nero DJ, good voice, needs break, broadcast graduate, 3rd endorsed. Box L-72, BROADCASTING.

(Soul man) eight yrs. exp. 1st phone, production news, etc. R&B specialist. Top 40. Your man. Box L-73, BROADCASTING.

Nero, 3rd phone, R&B, DJ. Broadcast school & experience (pract. example, good delivery but no experience). Will travel any place for job. R. Johnson, 5014 Milligan Dr., San Jose, California. Box L-81, BROADCASTING.

Nero DJ/announcer. Tight board, Middle of road or fast format. 3rd phone. William Mefrae, 522 W. 138th St., N.Y.C.

1st phone-Disc Jockey, 6 year pro combo, Bright, tight board, $6, will consider sales. Call Lynn Gibson, 741-9107 before 5 P.M. or write Box B123, N. Muskegon, Mich.

Two major market experienced MOR announcers seeking station wishing to improve sound and profit. Extremely strong on news and sports and sales and management experience. Currently employed. Phone 303-884-1171 or 214-829-7485. Willing to travel.

Technical

Twenty five years operation, construction, maintenance, AM and FM, direction, fifteen years chief, Capable announcer. Responsibility cheerfully accepted for adequate salary. No snow, no snoozers. Box L-44, BROADCASTING.


NEWS

Experienced radio newman. Know best coverage for daily and Sunday. Box X-276, BROADCASTING.

Major market newsmen seeks news or News Director position with growing news department. Top 40 or MOR. Would be an asset to your station. Excellent references. Available immediately. Box L-5, BROADCASTING.

News Director, top station major market southeast. Experienced pro. Seeking opportunity to grow. Box L-15, BROADCASTING.

Production—Programing, Others

Sports Director, 17 years experience. Not greater, so try harder. Box K-286, BROADCASTING.

Copywriter with platform now working for station that can't shell out. You get more for your money. Well paid, but the station is Brand X. Box L-14, BROADCASTING.

Production—Programing, Others

Continued

Program Director, Announcer, DJ. Sales: Must be creative. Teeny 111-7217. To re-locate. Seven years of commercial radio experience. Prefer all-country station with opportunity to move up. Voice, steady, reliable, good knowledge how with live shows, remote, interviews. Excellent references. Box L-59, BROADCASTING.

Morning man... program director. Family, veteran, social services experience available now. Box L-70, BROADCASTING.

TELEVISION—Help Wanted

Sales

Great opportunity for "Hungry" and professional broadcast salesman to make money, must have good contacts in western Pa., N.E. Ohio, northern W. Va., area. Good base and incentive. Write Box L-64, BROAD- CASTING. Include all information and references.

Northeast TV station has two openings—Sales representative and sales research and presentation man. Complete employee benefits. Send salary requirements and resume to Box L-65, BROADCASTING.

LOOKING FOR AN ENGINEER /ANNOUNCER?

BROADCASTING.

No snow, no snow,

Two 1st job openings for 1st year and Negro DJ for San Negro, 3rd opening. Job is a 5th Engineer /Announcer BROAD-CASTING. No snow, no snow,

Funny in west.

Box L-70, BROADCASTING.

Top Negro DJ

(Soul Production—writing experience. Send weekly or daily rates. Box L-59, BROADCASTING.

Immediate opening for experienced televi-

sion engineer in midwest major market, will handle all "on-air" assignments, including hosting a movie. Good job with the station. Salary open. Send resume and audition photo for tape, Box K-696, BROAD-

CASTING.

Immediate opening for experienced, versatile production manager. Major market mid-Atlantic area. VHFF network affiliate. Send complete resume with a brief film or VTR at once to Box L-69, BROADCASTING—

Palm Beach Florida, full color NBC affiliate needs announcer for weather show, booth work and commercials. Send complete resume and video tape of weather show and commercial copy to: WPAT, 5 Coconut Row, Palm Beach, Florida.

Technical

Multi station owner on California coast has opening for TV Engineer with first class li-

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The following are activities in community antenna television reported to Broadcasting, through Nov. 1. Reports include applications for permission to install and operate CATV's, grants of CATV franchises and sales of existing installations.

Indicates franchise has been granted.

- Tuckerman, Ark. — Davco Electronics Corp. (multiple CATV owner) has been granted a franchise, installation and monthly service charge to be $6.35, respectively.
- Ampaire, Calif. — Pothill TV Cable Co. of Sierra Madre, subsidiary of H & B Communications (multiple CATV owner); National Television of Los Angeles, Inc. (multiple CATV owner); International TV Inc of Glendora (multiple CATV owner); Trans Systems Cable Corp. of Glendora (multiple CATV owner) have each applied for a franchise.
- San Francisco, Calif. — Peninsula TV Cable Corp. of Belmont (multiple CATV owner); San Carlos TV Cable Co.. Inc. (multiple CATV owner); San Francisco Community Television Inc. of Denver (multiple CATV owner); and California Cable Communications Corp. of San Francisco have each applied for a franchise.
- Canon City and Pueblo, Colo. — Pike's Peak Broadcasting Co., licensee of KRDO-TV-Pueblo-Colorado Springs, has applied for a franchise.
- Denver—Western Telecard Corp. of Pueblo, Colo. has applied for a franchise.
- Duval county, Fla. — Empire Cablevision Inc. of Jacksonville (multiple CATV owner) has applied for a franchise.
- Yakima, Wash. — Community Cablevision Inc. has begun service. Initial monthly service charge will be $6.35, with a 12-month automatic renewal clause.
- Okalossa Island, Fla. — TV Cable Co. has been granted a franchise that calls for service to begin within one year.

Install and operate franchises, full channel TV service, and 12-channel system. Terms of other firms' applications were not available.

- Winchester, Mass. — Cablevision Corp. of America (multiple CATV owner) has applied for a franchise.
- Oxford, Miss. — Multi-Cable of Oxford has applied for a franchise.
- Plainview, N. Y. — Marcon Electronics Corp. of Kearny has applied for a franchise.
- North Londontown township, Pa. — Lower Bucks Cablevision Inc. of Levittown, has applied for a franchise.
- Charleston, W. Va. — Charleston Cablevision Inc. of Martinsville has applied for a franchise.
- Seattle, Wash. — Catalyst Cablevision Inc. of Seattle has applied for a franchise.

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COMMUNITY ANTENNA ACTIVITIES

OUTLET CO. has applied for a franchise.

WLLP-TV Springfield and WRLP-TV Milford, both Marconi, have applied for a franchise.

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WJAM-CWJAMA cable television in McKeesport, Pa. has been granted a franchise.

WRLP-AM and WRLP-FM in Tidewater, Va. have applied for a franchise.

WOXY (WBindley and Independent of Yakima, Wash.) has applied for a franchise.

WJUN-TV Johnson County, Ind. has applied for a franchise.

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EDITORIALS

How not to win friends

According to advance plans, the Public Broadcasting Laboratory, which was to air its first program last night (Nov. 3), is thinking of itself not only as noncommercial but also as anticommercial. As reported in Broadcasting Oct. 30, PBL intends to attack the credibility of some kinds of advertising.

Indeed in its own audience-promotion advertising (which we must accept as absolutely reliable, of course) PBL specified, among the features it intends to include in its Sunday-night programs, "The anticommercials. Exclusive reports on misleading commercials, fake advertising claims and phony testimonials." PBL spent some $225,000, mostly in newspaper and magazine space, to advertise its opening show, so presumably some advertising will escape its censure.

This publication would be the last to suggest that commercial broadcasting and its advertisers are immune to reasonable criticism. But the emphasis placed on "the anticommercials" in the PBL ads raises questions about the judgment of PBL's editors. We doubt that PBL will succeed in disparaging the commercial system. It's got to offer something more than that to its audience.

Gag rule

By an action of last week the FCC served notice that as long as its fairness doctrine is on the books, editorializing by radio and television will be effectively stifled.

The details are recited elsewhere in this issue, but they boil down to this: KING-AM-AM-TV Seattle prepared a single editorial, 20 seconds long, endorsing five candidates for election to the city council. The editorial was planned for broadcast 24 times on each of the stations. In advance, the stations notified each opposing candidate that he would be given six broadcasts of 20 seconds each on each station in comparable time periods. This meant that each candidate was offered more time for response than the stations were devoting to personal mention of his opponent in their editorials.

One candidate complained to the FCC that he wanted more than six exposures. The commission staff advised the stations that it agreed that six exposures on each station did not constitute "reasonable opportunity" for response to 24 editorials and therefore was in violation of the fairness doctrine. The stations petitioned the FCC for review of the staff's order and were turned down.

In rejecting the petition for review, the FCC not only upheld its staff but established the principle that frequency as well as length of broadcast opportunities will from now on be invoked as a criterion in fairness-doctrine cases. The commission hinted that the total time of 120 seconds granted to each unendorsed candidate would be acceptable, but it as much as said that the candidate—not the station—had the right to say how the time could be used and in what segments.

"Although you have decided to broadcast an editorial campaign in which you reach the audience 24 times with your editorial endorsement of selected candidates," said the FCC, "you have offered Mr. Cooley [the complaining candidate] an opportunity to reach that audience on only six occasions—a disparity of four to one." With that the FCC was saying that one-to-one in total time, or indeed one-to-more-than-one, is not good enough to overcome a four-to-one ratio of frequency. If this is not a case of the FCC's substituting its judgment for that of the licensee, there will never be one.

At the time this editorial was written the KING stations were considering an appeal, which in our view would have to rebuff the commission. There are all kinds of unconstitutional infirmities in the FCC's reasoning, not the least of them being the inhibiting effect this sort of ruling must inevitably have on the whole practice of broadcast editorializing.

As a practical matter it is becoming impossible for any station, however reasonable it tries to be, to undertake effective editorializing on persons or issues about which there may be some disagreement. Any station that attempts, as did KING, to take a position on an election campaign must assume the probability that it will be engaged in expensive exchanges between its lawyers and the FCC and conceivably in even more expensive litigation. This condition can only suppress free discussion—which is what the First Amendment was adopted to encourage.

Next time an FCC member makes a speech exhorting broadcasters to make waves in their communities, he ought not to be surprised if he is booed off the rostrum.

Home to roost

Six months ago the Admiral Corp. announced it wouldn't use television this "season" because of disenchantment with programing. It got lots of play in the printed-page press.

Last week Admiral advised its stockholders it had suffered a net loss of $1,221 million in the third quarter, compared with a net profit of $2.25 million in the corresponding 1966 period (when it used both network and spot schedules). For the nine months of 1967 its net loss was $4,-392,000, compared with a profit of nearly $9 million for the same months in 1966.

While business hasn't been too hot-sy-totsy all over, we do note that such companies as RCA and Zenith, which also manufacture TV sets, report record highs. But then they used network and spot all season long. They still do.

On this page last June 19 we commented that Admiral's 1967-68 campaign probably will be remembered in marketing history as "Ross D. Siragusa's folly." That observation stands.

"Think we're in trouble? He's opposite the Friday night movie."