questions should be directed to Dr. Patrick Hazard, 201 S. 34th St., Phila-
adelphia 4, Pa.

- WVET Rochester, N.Y., has award-
ed its first annual WVET $1,000 schol-
arship for graduate study at the East-
man School of Music, Rochester. The
winner was Mrs. Patricia Selover Han-
sen, reporter for the station, who is "wife,
mother, artist and student."

- The Illinois Broadcasters Assn., meet-
ing in Peoria April 16-17, adopted a reso-
duction declaring its "unequivocal op-
position to government controls of
radio and television programming and
ternationalizing..." The association urged
NAB and other state broadcaster
associations "to join the fight for free-
dom for broadcasting with active and
vigorous support. ..."

- Capital Cities Television Corp., radio-
tv station ownership group has estab-
lished its national headquarters office
at 65 E. 55th St., New York. The com-
pany's officers are: Frank M. Smith,
chairman; Michael Joseph, president,
and Harmon L. Duncan, J. Floyd Fletcher, and Thomas S. Murphy, all vice presi-
dents. Stations owned and operated by Capital Cities are WTEN (TV) and radio companion
WROW, both Albany-Troy-Schenec-
dady, WTVD (TV) Raleigh-Durham
and WPRO-AM-TV Providence. All
are CBS affiliates.

- Joe Wolhandler Assoc., public rela-
tions firm, moves its New York office
to penthouse at 280 Madison Ave. New
phone: Oregon 9-8386.

- Columbia Broadcasting System
Foundation has contributed $100,000
to the Lincoln Center for the Per-
forming Arts, according to Clarence Francis,
chairman of the center's $75 million
fund-raising campaign. Construction of
the center will begin May 14. The
12-acre project in midtown New York
will include facilities for Philharmonic
Hall, a new Metropolitan Opera House,
a repertory theatre, a theatre for the
dance, a chamber music and recital hall.

- The John M. Brantham and the John
M. Petrie Memorial Scholarship Awards
will be offered again this year, Monroe
H. Long, board chairman of the Bran-
ham Co., announced last week. The
college scholarships were established
last year in commemoration of the com-
pany's 50th anniversary as na-
tional advertising representative and
named after the company's founders.
To be eligible for the two awards, ap-
plicants must be either employees or
direct descendants of employees of Bran-
ham represented newspapers, radio or
tv stations. Winners, chosen by a Co-
lumbia U. board, will be announced
next September.

- The Metropolitan Educational Tele-
vision Assn. of New York has reported
that the New York State Education
Dept. budget for educational tv
through March 1, 1959 has been cut to
$550,000. META said the department
asked for $850,000 but the state legis-
lature approved the lower figure, which
was said to be $50,000 lower than a
$600,000 budget for a six-month period
ending last March for programming in
New York City alone.

- N. E. Paton Jr. Assoc., Kansas City,
Mo., has added public relations con-
sulting for radio stations to its services.
The company has moved into larger
offices in the Wirthman Bldg. where it
has been since its founding three years ago.

- ABC Radio reports that its new af-
filates are WBBC Flint, Mich., effective
last Monday (April 20) and KBND
South Bend, Ind., effective yesterday
(April 26). WBBC is owned by Booth
Broadcasting Co., of which John L.
Booth is president and Joseph R. Fife
is general manager. KBND is owned by
Central Oregon Broadcasting Co.,
Frank H. Loggan president and gen-
eral manager.

- Three George Polk Memorial Awards
went to broadcast newsmen. They were
Chet Huntley, commentator, and Reu-
ven Frank, producer, NBC-TV, for the
tv documentary, American Crisis (for-
eign reporting category); Gabe Press-
man, WRCA-TV New York, for tv
reporting, and Jay McMullen, writer-pro-
ducer of CBS News for a show on
juvenile crime heard on CBS Radio
(reporting category). The awards,
made by the Long Island U. Dept.
of Journalism were established in mem-
ory of George Polk, a CBS correspon-
dent killed in Greece in 1948.

- Irving Gitlin, director of public af-
fairs department of CBS News, last
week was presented a Sidney Hillman
Foundation award for his supervision
of "Unit One," which produced docu-
Praised at the awards luncheon in New
York were the programs Who Killed
Michael Farner? and POW—A Study
in Survival. Mr. Gitlin's prize was a
citation and $500 from the Foundation
which was established in 1946 as a
memorial to the late president of Amal-
gamated Clothing Workers of America.

- Storer Broadcasting Co. has re-
ported net earnings for the
first quarter of 1959 were $1,024,183,
compared with $751,204 earned in the
corresponding period of 1958. Net earn-
ings per share amounted to 41.4 cents
in the 1959 period against 30.4 cents
in 1958, based on a total of 2,474,750
shares of common and Class B com-
mon stock outstanding in both years.
This year's earnings include the results
of operations of WITI-TV Milwaukee
which was acquired last December.
Other Storer stations are WGBS-AM-
FM-TV Miami; WJBK-AM-FM-TV
Detroit, WSPD-AM-FM-TV Toledo,
WAGA-TV Atlanta, WJRM-AM-TV
Cleveland, WVWA-AM-FM Wheeling,
W.Va., and WIBG-AM-FM Philadel-
phia. The Storer purchase of KPOP Los
Angeles and sale of WAGA-AM-FM
Atlanta are yet to be submitted for
FCC approval.

- KNXT (TV) Los Angeles has pub-
lished rate card No. 15 raising the base
evening hour one-time rate from $3.75
to $4.25. New rates were effective
April 1.

- When WGN-AM-TV Chicago moves
to new quarters in the spring of 1960,
the Chicago American will take over
its space in the WGN Building and be pub-
lished by the parent Chicago Tribune
Co. WGN Inc. plans to move its radio-
tv properties to a location on the city's
northwest side within perhaps a year,
with ground expected to be broken in
the next few weeks. The present WGN
facilities will be expanded from four to
eight floors to accommodate all depart-
ments of the Chicago American. Daily
and Sunday editions will be printed on
Tribune presses. The American's head-
quarters presently are located in the
Hearst Building.

- Keystone Broadcasting System has ex-
tended its service to Alaska, completing
affiliation agreements with four stations
in the 49th state, it was announced last
week. The stations are KLAM Cordova,
KINY Juneau, KIBH Seward and
KIFW Sitka, according to Blanche
Stein, station relations director.

- WPOM Pompano Beach, Fla., com-
enced operation April 4. William A.
Knight is general manager. Other staff-
ners: Mike Thomas, program director;
C.G. Huey, chief engineer; Hal Heller
and Bob Utey, disc jockeys. WPOM's
coverage extends from Fort Pierce to
North Miami. The new daytimer is on
1470 kc with 5 kw.

- Rep appointment

- WHAT Philadelphia names Bob Dore
Assoc., New York.