

SUMMARY OF COMMERCIAL BROADCASTING

Compiled by BROADCASTING, Sept. 1

| | Lic. | ON AIR CP's | NOT ON AIR CP's | TOTAL APPLICATIONS for new stations |
|----|------------------|----------------|--------------------|--|
| AM | 4,041 | 44 | 66 | 484 |
| FM | 1,345 | 19 | 243 | 322 |
| TV | 552 ¹ | 47 | 114 | 217 |

AUTHORIZED TELEVISION STATIONS

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| | VHF | UHF | TV |
|---------------|------------------|-----|-----|
| Commercial | 510 ² | 167 | 677 |
| Noncommercial | 59 | 56 | 115 |

COMMERCIAL STATION BOXSCORE

Compiled by FCC, June 30, 1965

| | AM | FM | TV |
|---|-------|-------|-----|
| Licensed (all on air) | 3,999 | 1,317 | 559 |
| CP's on air (new stations) | 26 | 26 | 30 |
| CP's not on air (new stations) | 72 | 222 | 95 |
| Total authorized stations | 4,097 | 1,565 | 684 |
| Applications for new stations (not in hearing) | 242 | 174 | 70 |
| Applications for new stations (in hearing) | 78 | 58 | 52 |
| Total applications for new stations | 320 | 232 | 122 |
| Applications for major changes (not in hearing) | 204 | 47 | 23 |
| Applications for major changes (in hearing) | 39 | 3 | 10 |
| Total applications for major changes | 243 | 50 | 33 |
| Licenses deleted | 1 | 1 | 6 |
| CP's deleted | 0 | 1 | 0 |

¹ Does not include seven licensed stations off air.

² Includes three noncommercial stations operating on commercial channels.

McCarthy has no other business interests. Northern Capital Land Investment has real estate and patent interests. Ann. Aug. 26.

WBVI-TV Panama City, Fla.—Seeks transfer of control of licensee corporation, Bay Video Inc., from E. L. Dukate (10.43% before, 17.70% after), Margaret Tillman (8.33% before, 4.17% after), T. B. Thomley (39.59% before, 18.97% after), John O. Fore, John Thompson, William F. Joseph and James V. McNamara (all 8.33% before, none after), through sale and issuance of stock, to Martha Thomley (4.08% after), Rufus A. Davis Jr. (4.08% after), Thomas C. Wilkinson (1% after) and Small Business Assistance Corp. (Panama City, 50% after). Consideration \$13,220. Small Business Assistance Corp. is locally controlled holding firm. Ann. Aug. 24.

Warner Robins, Ga.—Seeks assignment of CP from Mary M. Jarrard to WRBN Inc., owned by Mary M. Jarrard (100%). No financial consideration. Ann. Aug. 24.

WEFA Waukegan, Ill. WEFA Inc.—Seeks transfer of control of licensee corporation, WEFA Inc., from Goldie B. Luftig (50% before and after) and Suzanne P. Victor (50% before and after) to Goldie B. Luftig, individually and as voting trustee for Suzanne P. Victor. Ann. Sept. 1.

KDLS Perry, Iowa—Seeks transfer of control of licensee corporation, Perry Broadcasting Co., from G. E. Whitehead (100%) to Shirley A. Whitehead, executrix of the estate of G. E. Whitehead. No financial consideration. Ann. Aug. 25.

KVTV(TV) Sioux City, Iowa—Seeks assignment of CP and license from Peoples Broadcasting Corp., owned by Nationwide Mutual Insurance Co. (100%), to Forward of Iowa Inc., owned by Wisconsin Valley Television Corp. (100%). Consideration \$3.-500,000. Wisconsin Valley is owned by O. Charles Lemke (27.17%), Record-Herald Co. (25.87%), News Publishing Co. (12.94%), Rhineland Publishing Co. (8.6%), Merrill Publishing Co. (8.6%), William Huffman Radio Inc. (6.47%) and Wisconsin Rapids Tribune (6.47%). Wisconsin Valley is licensee of WSAU-AM-FM-TV Wausau, Wis.: 33.33% owner of WKAU Kaukauna, Wis. and 100% owner of WMTV(TV) Madison, Wis. Ann. Aug. 23.

KTEO San Angelo, Tex.—Seeks acquisition of negative control of licensee corporation, Western Radio Corp., from Scott Stiles (10% before, none after) to Texas Capital Corp. (50% before and after) and Jack R. Crosby (40% before, 50% after).

Ann. Aug. 24.

WLLI Brookneal, Va.—Seeks assignment of CP from Lester L. Williams to WODI Inc., owned by Lester L. Williams (100%). Consideration: transfer of 10,000 shares of stock. Ann. Aug. 25.

Hearing cases

INITIAL DECISIONS

■ Hearing Examiner David I. Kraushaar issued initial decision which cancelled Sept. 20 hearing date, closed record, and looked toward granting application of Apollo Radio Corp. for new FM to operate on channel 299 ERP 81.6 kw, ant. ht. 386 ft., in St. Louis, Mo. Action Aug. 31.

■ Hearing Examiner Walther E. Guenther issued initial decision looking toward granting application of The Upper Michigan Broadcasting Co. for license to operate WHDF Houghton, Mich., on 1400 kc, 250 w. U. Action Aug. 27.

■ Hearing Examiner Chester F. Naumowicz Jr. issued initial decision looking toward granting application of William A. and George K. Chapman, d/b as Chapman Radio and Television Co., for new TV to operate on channel 21 in Homewood, Ala. Action Aug. 27.

OTHER ACTIONS

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission (1) dismissed for failure to prosecute application of Elmwood Park Broadcasting Corp. for new FM in Elmwood Park, Ill.; (2) granted joint request for approval of agreement, as supplemented, by Blue Island Community Broadcasting Inc., and Evelyn R. Chauvin Schoonfield and dismissed Blue Island's application for new FM in Blue Island, Ill., granted Schoonfield's application for renewal of license for her FM WXFm Elmwood Park, also granted application for assignment of license of WXFm from Schoonfield to WXFm Inc., new corporation owned 85% by Robert C. Victor and 15% by John Thompson, sole stockholder of Blue Island. Grants for renewal of license and assignment, dismissal of Blue Island application, and termination of proceeding are conditioned upon effectuation of proposed agreements, including assignment of license within 25 days. Consideration for assignment of license involves payment to Schoonfield by Victor of \$18,500, cancellation of various debts owed to him by Schoonfield and payment of \$5,000 by Victor to Thompson in addition to his 15% interest

in new corporation. Action Aug. 31.

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission (1) granted petition by Pacific FM Inc., licensee of KPEN (FM) on channel 267, San Francisco, to extent of setting aside Apr. 30 action which granted application of Marin Broadcasting Inc., to increase ERP of KTIM-FM San Rafael, on channel 265 from 870 w to 3 kw and install new trans., but (2) re-granted KTIM-FM's application, effective Dec. 2, subject to same terms and conditions except to specify Feb. 2 and Aug. 2, 1966, as new dates to commence and complete construction, respectively. Commissioner Hyde concurred insofar as setting aside Apr. 30 grant. Action Aug. 31.

Routine roundup

ACTIONS BY REVIEW BOARD

■ By memorandum opinion and order in proceeding on AM applications of Charlottesville Broadcasting Corp. (WVNA), Charlottesville, and WBXM Broadcasting Inc., Springfield, Va., in Doc. 15861-2, (1) granted joint appeal by O. K. Broadcasting Corp. and WGAY Inc., from examiner's July 9 adverse ruling which accepted engineering amendments to applications; (2) vacated ruling; and (3) remanded matter to examiner for further consideration of applicants' joint petition for leave to amend, in light of such responsive pleadings as may be filed within four days or such other time as examiner may allow. Member Nelson not participating. Action Aug. 31.

■ By memorandum opinion and order in proceeding on AM applications of Emerald Broadcasting Corp. (KPIR), Eugene, Pendleton Broadcasting Co. (KUMA), Pendleton, both Ore., and Hi-Desert Broadcasting Corp. (KDHI), Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif., in Doc. 15998 et al., (1) denied petition by respondent Columbia Broadcasting System Inc. to enlarge issues as to application of KUMA, and (2) accepted comments by Broadcast Bureau to KUMA's "statement in response to petition of Columbia Broadcasting System Inc., to enlarge issues." Member Nelson not participating. Action Aug. 31.

■ Members Berkemeyer, Nelson and Slone on August 30, adopted decision granting application of Arizona Micro-Wave System Co. for renewal of license of domestic public point-to-point microwave KOU84, Mule Mountain, Ariz.; conditioned that on or before Sept. 20, Arizona makes full and complete showing that joint employee relationship between it and the purchasers of its community antenna television system. Whitey's TV Cable Co., Douglas, Ariz., has been terminated and that carrier now provides its own exclusive maintenance personnel. Oct. 22, 1962, initial decision and Sept. 13, 1963, supplemental initial decision looked toward denial. Action Aug. 30.

■ Granted petition by West Central Ohio Broadcasters, Inc., to extend time to Sept. 7 to file responsive pleadings to Greene Information Center Inc., petition to enlarge issues in proceeding on West Central's application for a new AM in Xenia, Ohio. Action Aug. 31.

■ By memorandum opinion and order in proceeding on applications of Jacksonville Broadcasting Inc. and Victor Management Inc. for new FM's to operate on channel 239 at Jacksonville and Little Rock, Ark., respectively, denied applicants' joint petition for approval of agreement whereby latter would reimburse Jacksonville for expenses incurred in preparation and prosecution of application for channel 239 in return for amendment of Jacksonville's application to specify channel 236. Member Nelson not participating. Action Aug. 30.

■ By separate memorandum opinion and order in above proceeding, denied motion by Emerald Broadcasting Corp. to enlarge issues as to applications of Pendleton Broadcasting Co. and Hi-Desert Broadcasting Corp. Member Berkemeyer dissented. Action Aug. 30.

■ By memorandum opinion and order denied motion by Voice of Dixie, Inc. (WVOK), Birmingham, Ala., to enlarge issues as to AM application of Storz Broadcasting Co. (WTIX), New Orleans, La. Action Aug. 30.

■ Dismissed motion by Campbell and Sheffall to enlarge issues as to Fort Campbell Broadcasting Co. in proceeding on their applications for new FM's in Clarksville, Tenn., and Fort Campbell, Ky., respectively. Action Aug. 26.

■ Granted petition by Thirteen-Eighty Radio Corp. to extend time to August 30 to file oppositions to petitions by Washington Home and Farm Radio Inc., to deny and to intervene, and petition by WKJG Inc., to deny, also its erratum, in proceeding on applications for interim authority to operate facilities of KWK St. Louis, Mo. Action Aug. 26.

■ By memorandum opinion and order in proceeding applications of Northland Television Corp., Central Minnesota Television