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COPYRIGHT

The copyright situation has been complicated during the past week by the disclosure of the terms of the agreement which E. C. Mills, general manager of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers has offered to the newspaper-owned stations.

The final agreement with the newspaper stations changed the basis on which the royalty percentage was to be levied. Instead of paying on their receipts from the sale of all of their time, as in the case of the other stations, Mr. Mills agreed to permit the newspapers to pay a royalty only on the time actually using the Society's music.

As a result, there has been an increased reluctance on the part of the non-newspaper stations to send in their contracts. There has also been considerable difficulty over the interpretation of other paragraphs in the contract -- particularly that which seems to prohibit the payment of more than 15% commission. Most of the stations are insisting that the percentage should be levied on their actual receipts and that the payment of extra commissions should be deducted before this percentage is computed.

As a result of the difficulties which have been raised by the newspaper contract, Mr. Mills and Oswald F. Schuette, in charge of the copyright activities of the National Association of Broadcasters, are to have another conference next week. From the beginning of the negotiations, it has been apparent that the chief difficulty with the contract offered by ASCAP lies in the fact that a levy of royalty on time in which no ASCAP music is used -- or in which no music at all is used -- is fundamentally wrong. The broadcasters have not objected to paying for the use of ASCAP music, but they feel that they should not pay ASCAP for the use of music belonging to other copyright owners or in the public domain, or on programs that use no music at all.

This difficulty has been particularly emphasized during the present campaign because so much of the time on every station is being devoted to political addresses. Attempts to persuade political candidates to pay a three per cent copyright fee on their time has been met with the complaint: "Do these people in New York think they have a copyright on my speech."

If as a result of the negotiations in New York, a new contract is to be offered to the industry in which the royalties would be based purely on ASCAP music time, Mr. Mills has assured Mr. Schuette that the benefit of this contract would be extended to all stations whether they have signed the present contract or not.

The copyright situation has now become the most important question immediately before the broadcasters and, therefore, will doubtless prove the most important subject at the St. Louis Convention. It is because of this fact largely that the National Association of Broadcasters is determined to make the St. Louis Convention a convention of the industry rather than of the members of the NAB alone. The discussions of the copyright

problem will take place at an open session to which all broadcasters will be invited. The executive sessions of the NAB of course will be limited to members and some confidential phases of the copyright problem relative particularly to station operation will have to be discussed in these meetings.

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WOULD FORM MUSIC COMPANY

Evan Georgeoff of a music publishing company bearing his name located in Cleveland, Ohio, has written to all members of the NAB soliciting their aid in forming a music corporation. Mr. Georgeoff has been in communication with NAB headquarters and has been promised, as others similarly situated have been promised, a fair and impartial hearing of his proposal. No such proposal has been submitted as yet.

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JUSTICE ON TRADE ASSOCIATIONS

In a brief filed by the Department of Justice in the recently decided anti-monopoly case against the Appalachian Coals Inc. the position of the Government respecting trade associations is summed up in the following language:

"The ordinary activities of trade associations, such as the exchange of statistics, cash prices, costs, credit information, etc. and the promotion of advertising and research, do not conflict with the free operation of economic laws but rather make their operation more effective."

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DELAY ACTION LONGER LICENSES

The Federal Radio Commission this week postponed action on the proposal of Commissioner Lafount to grant broadcasting stations licenses for one year terms. The proposal was offered last week with the understanding that it would come up for consideration this week. The matter was referred to the legal division for an opinion but definite action was postponed until a later date.

The present act permits licenses for three year periods and the NAB has consistently advocated longer license terms as a necessary pre-requisite to greater stability in the industry. It is hoped that the Lafount motion will not remain long in the pigeon hole.

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NAB PROTESTS MEXICAN INTERFERENCE

The following letter was addressed to the Department of State on Friday protesting against the continued construction of high power stations across the Mexican border:

"The attention of the National Association of Broadcasters has been directed to the recent action of the Mexican Government authorizing the construction of a broadcasting station at Villa Acuna, Mexico, to operate with power of 500,000 watts on a frequency of either 655 kc or 735 kc.

"The construction and operation of this station with such superpower will destroy the effective service to the public now being rendered by many stations of all classifications licensed by the United States Government. There is no necessity to discuss in any detail here the engineering questions involved. It is undisputed that the use of superpower in Mexico on the precise frequencies or adjoining frequencies assigned to stations in the United States will cause such ruinous interference as to make reception conditions intolerable.

"More than a year ago a committee of this Association called formally upon the Department of State and advised it of the contemplated construction and operation of high powered stations in Mexico. Since that time the construction of one station of 75,000 watts and another of 150,000 watts have been authorized and one of them is already in operation.

"The present broadcasting structure of the United States has been developed over a period of years at great expense to our broadcasting companies and individual citizens. While the Federal Radio Commission has done all that it can to stabilize broadcasting, it is unable to exercise its powers beyond the territorial limits of the United States. Its constructive efforts at regulation are now being undermined by interference conditions beyond its control.

"Due to the fact that there does not now exist an understanding between our Government and the Mexican Government with respect to the allocation and use of broadcasting frequencies, stations licensed by the Commission have been helpless in the rapid encroachment upon licensed rights resulting from the construction of new stations and the continued increases in power of existing stations in Mexico.

"The Association feels that the continuance of this situation is not only ill-advised from the standpoint of international good-will but tends to aggravate actual differences existing between these two nations. Indeed, if it is continued there will result a condition which will make a constructive solution of the problem extremely difficult if not entirely impossible.

"In view of the foregoing, we respectfully call upon the Department of State to take whatever steps are necessary to maintain the status quo with respect to the assignment of frequencies, increases in power, and new construction of stations in Mexico so as not to prejudice a future solution of the problem, since the matters under consideration at the International Radiotelegraph Conference now in progress at Madrid should furnish the basis for such solution."

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COURT HEARD WNJ ARGUMENT

The Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia heard the argument this week in the appeal of Station WNJ, Newark, N. J. (No. 5546) from a decision of the Radio Commission denying the station's renewal license. Station WNJ was ordered to cease operating and its facilities were awarded to Station WHOM, Jersey City. The station has been operating under a stay order. The court received briefs of the argument in the case of L J. Beebe (No. 5555) who appealed from a decision of the Commission removing Station WMBA, Newport, R. I. from the air.

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RCA CASE POSTPONED

The Department of Justice this week made the following statement relative to the postponement of the RCA case in the Delaware courts:

"In regard to the case of United States v. Radio Corporation of America, et al, set for trial beginning October 10th, in the United States District Court for Delaware, the Department is in receipt of a telegram from the Clerk of the Court as follows:

'Judge Nields indisposed. Trial of United States against Radio Corporation postponed. New date will be fixed at earliest opportunity.'

The Department has no further information on the subject but its representatives will attend court on Monday and then ascertain what disposition of the case the Court intends to make."

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COURT REFUSES TO VACATE ORDER

The Court of Appeals of the District of Columbia has refused to vacate a stay order which it issued several weeks ago in the case of KICK, Red Oak, Iowa.

The Radio Commission granted KICK permission to move from Red Oak to Carter Lake, Iowa. Stations WAAW and WOW, Omaha, Neb. and KOIL, Council Bluffs, Iowa, objected to the move and obtained a stay order from the Court. KICK filed a motion asking the Court to vacate this order which it has now refused to do. In the meantime the Commission has granted the station (which has already been moved) permission to remain silent until "such time as the Court of Appeals vacates its stay order or further disposition is made of the issues involved."

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LOCAL CONVENTION COMMITTEE MEETS

Ed Spence, Chairman of the General Convention Committee, and the Managing Director, will meet with chairmen of local committees in St. Louis over the week-end to complete plans for the Tenth Annual Convention of the NAB to be held at the Hotel Chase, November 13, 14, 15 and 16. The local committee chairmen are: Thomas Patrick Convey, KWK; William H. West, KMOX; L. A. Benson, WIL; and Wm F. Ludgate, KSD.

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COST OF ADVERTISING STUDY

Following a series of conversations between advertisers, publishers and advertising agencies concerning their joint interest in all factors relating to the cost of advertising, a program of investigation of certain of these factors has been formulated. A joint committee to direct this investigation has been formed, consisting of R. R. Deupree, President, The Proctor & Gamble Company, representing advertisers, Lee W. Maxwell, President, The Crowell Publishing Company, representing publishers, and A. W. Erickson, Chairman of the Board, McCann-Erickson, Inc. representing advertising agencies.

This committee has appointed James W. Young, Professor of Business History in the School of Business, University of Chicago to make an independent, impartial investigation and report on the subjects under consideration. Mr. Young's first study will be of advertising agency compensation.

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VOTE TO PASS ON TAX

Broadcasting stations of northern California held a meeting on September 19 at which it was unanimously agreed that the three per cent music license tax should be added to all advertising contracts and clearly shown as same.

The meeting voted to indicate this sentiment to the National Association of Broadcasters in the hope that a uniform practice might be worked out.

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BAR GROUP TO DISCUSS RADIO

As announced last week, the Communications Committee of the American Bar Association will hold an Open Meeting at the Mayflower Hotel, Washington, D. C. at 10 A.M. Monday, October 10th. An invitation to be present has been extended to all members of the NAB. Several prominent speakers will address the meeting on subjects of current interest in the field of radio law. There will also be a discussion of the report which will be presented by the committee to the American Bar Association at its annual meeting later in the week.

Judge Ira E. Robinson, formerly chairman of the Federal Radio Commission, will discuss "The Public Utility Aspects of Radio." A discussion will also be held of the recent decision of the Supreme Court of Nebraska holding broadcasters liable for defamation spoken from a radio station in the course of a political broadcast.

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CHIEF TEWANNA

The NAB office has information about a "Chief Tewanna" who is seeking employment among broadcasting stations as a producer of children's programs.

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RADIO ADVERTISING IMPROVES

"Radio advertising schedules show some signs of improvement after a comparatively poor summer," it is reported in the "Survey of Current Business" published this week by the U. S. Department of Commerce. "Excepting the two latest months, however, radio expenditures were considerably in excess of a year ago."

"Magazine advertising lineage for the month of August fell below July and reached the lowest point of the present decline," says the publication. "Preliminary reports from agencies anticipate some betterment in fall expenditures. Newspaper lineage was well maintained in August and moved upward during the early weeks of September."

The Department reports cost of broadcasting facilities for August of this year as \$2,279,000 as compared with \$2,527,000 the same month a year ago. Comparative figures for May, June and July of this year were \$3,632,000, \$2,996,000 and \$2,414,000, respectively. Automotive, drugs, foods and petroleum products classifications were responsible for the increases during last August. All other classifications showed decreases in expenditures.

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JOINT NAB AND AAAA MEETING

A joint meeting of the Radio Committee of the American Association of Advertising Agencies and the chairmen of the Commercial Section of the National Association of Broadcasters will be held in the library of the AAAA headquarters in New York, at 10:30 a.m. Monday, October 17. Among the topics for discussion will be the standard order blank and standard rate cards.

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NO DECISION ON POWER TAX

The Bureau of Internal Revenue has not yet reached a conclusion with respect to the electrical energy tax question. The Bureau several weeks ago promulgated a ruling holding that broadcasting companies were commercial users of electrical energy and therefore subject to the three per cent tax provided in the 1932 revenue act. The NAB opposed the tax on the ground that the ruling was contrary to the intent of the law. A brief has been filed and the points raised argued before the Bureau. Following the conference of two weeks ago the Bureau agreed to reconsider its ruling.

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NO ACTION ON COMMISSIONERSHIP

There have been no new developments of any importance in connection with the appointment of a member of the Federal Radio Commission to fill the Fourth Zone vacancy caused by the resignation of Major General Charles McK. Saltzman. In the meantime Commissioners Lafount, Starbuck and Brown are handling all business of the Commission, Commissioner Sykes being abroad as head of the American Delegation to the Madrid Conference.

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NO PUERTO RICO STATION

Roberto Mendez was denied his application for the erection of a new broadcasting station at San Juan, Puerto Rico by the Commission this week in reversing the report (No. 416) of Chief Examiner Ellis A. Yost.

The Commission states that good broadcast service is now received in San Juan and vicinity from a station "located therein and it is not shown that there is any real need in that area for the additional service proposed to be rendered by the applicant".

It is further stated by the Commission that the applicant did not make a satisfactory showing and he is not "either financially or technically qualified to engage in the construction and operation of the proposed station." In its statement of facts the Commission says also that "there are but a very small number of radio receiving sets within the entire San Juan area, and it is extremely doubtful that sufficient financial support could be obtained to insure either the proper maintenance and operation of the proposed station or the presentation of interesting programs."

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MANUFACTURES CENSUS OF RADIO FOR 1931

The value of radio apparatus and phonographs made in the United States last year amounted to \$194,313,602 (at f. o. b. factory prices) a decrease of 59.8 per cent compared with \$476,041,054 reported for 1929 according to a preliminary tabulation of data collected in the Census of Manufactures as made public this week by the Bureau of the Census.

The more important items which contributed to the total for 1931 are as follows: Radio receiving sets for the home (excluding batteries), except combination radio and phonograph units, 3,647,499 valued at \$113,214,421; all other receiving sets (including automobile and aircraft sets) valued at \$4,347,637; combination radio and phonograph units, 73,603, valued at \$6,310,442; receiving tubes for initial equipment, 24,944,796 valued at \$13,263,520; receiving tubes for replacement, 24,317,552, valued at \$13,712,552; phonographs, not including dictating machines, 48,276, valued at \$1,674,010; records and blanks, valued at \$7,946,355.

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RADIO EMPLOYMENT INCREASE

Reports received by the Bureau of Labor Statistics, Department of Labor from 40 radio manufacturers gave their August employment at 15,705, an increase of .9 per cent over July but a decrease of 36.4 per cent from August of last year.

The average weekly payrolls for August in these plants was \$274,075 a decrease of 6.1 per cent from July and of 51.6 per cent from August of last year.

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RECOMMENDS 580 KC FOR WDBO

Chief Examiner, Ellis A. Yost, in a report (No.417) rendered this week recommends that Station WDBO, Orlando, Florida be allowed to change its frequency from 1120 to 580 kilocycles. The station has been operating with 250 watts power unlimited time and asked for the same power on the new channel.

Pending the outcome of this hearing, by temporary authority, the station has been operating on 580 kilocycles.

The Chief Examiner states that the regional channel of 580 kilocycles is not available for assignment to any State in the Third Zone for unlimited time operation except to the State of Florida. He also calls attention to the fact that there are no applications pending for the Third Zone for this frequency.

Mr. Yost further finds that "the unlimited time operation of Station WDBO at Orlando, Florida, on the 580 kilocycle frequency with power of 250 watts would result in less interference than the operation of this station with the same power on the 1120 kilocycle frequency at Orlando. The granting of this application would not affect the quota of the state. He recommends that it be granted.

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RECOMMENDS CUT IN TIME

In report No. 418 this week Chief Examiner Ellis A. Yost recommended that Station WHDF, Calumet, Michigan, be allowed to operate on 1370 kc limited instead of unlimited time.

The station came before the Commission for license renewal on the ground that it violated Rule 151 of the Commission by not operating two-thirds of the daily hours of operation authorized.

Examiner Yost found that the station has been violating the rule in that it has operated but 7 hours daily, whereas it is authorized to operate unlimited time. Otherwise, the Examiner found that the "applicant is financially, technically, legally and otherwise qualified to operate Station WHDF". The present quota charge of the station is .3 of a unit. The operating hours recommended by the Examiner would reduce this quota charge to .11 of a unit, or a reduction of .19 of a unit.

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NO HEARINGS NEXT WEEK

With the exception of a few weeks during the past Summer, the Radio Commission has had hearings on its calendar ever since the present system has been in force. Next week no hearings are to be held. Two were scheduled but they have been continued to a later date.

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MISCELLANEOUS COMMISSION ACTION

During the current week the Commission took the following action of a miscellaneous nature:

KLX	Tribune Publishing Co. Oakland, California	Granted authority to take depositions in re hearing scheduled for October 18.
NEW	Allen Wright Marshall Sr. & Allen Wright Marshall Jr. LaGrange, Georgia	Granted authority to take depositions in re hearing scheduled for October 25.
WSUI	State University of Iowa Iowa City, Iowa	Granted special authority to operate from 10 p.m. to 12 midnight, CST, October 21 and 22.
KNOW	KUT Broadcasting Co. Austin, Texas	Granted application for renewal of license to operate on 1500 kc, 100 watts, unlimited time. Commission reconsidered its recent action remanding case to docket, and also reconsidered its action in designating for hearing application to install new equipment and granted it.
<p>(Q.C. Taylor of Austin, Texas, recently withdrew his application for a new station asking for the facilities of Station KNOW. Examiner's Report No. 384 was retired to the files.)</p>		
KFPY	Symons Broadcasting Co. Spokane, Washington	Cancelled C. P. granted September 22, 1931, to move transmitter from Symons Building to one mile North of Spokane, since 30 days has elapsed since expiration of last extension of completion date - April 15, 1932. Also dismissed from the hearing docket application for Mod. of Lic. to change frequency from 1340 to 1260 kc.
KGFX	Dana McNeil Pierre, South Dakota	Denied authority to operate until 6:30 p.m. CST, during months of October, November, December and January. (Station is operating during daytime only on 630 kc, 200 watts).
KGW	Oregonian Publishing Co. Portland, Oregon	Granted permission to take depositions in re application for Mod. of Lic. Station KTAR, Phoenix, Arizona, scheduled for hearing October 31, 1932.
WSBT	South Bend Tribune South Bend, Indiana	Granted order to take depositions in re application for Mod. of Lic., Station WSBT and Mod. of Lic. application station WFBM, scheduled for hearing.

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MISCELLANEOUS COMMISSION ACTION (continued)

WSM	National Life & Accident Ins. Co. Nashville, Tennessee	Authorized to use transmitter formerly licensed as main transmitter for auxiliary purposes 650 kc, 5 KW.
WIEK WIEL	Atlantic Broadcasting Corp. New York, N. Y.	Authorized to use Stations WIEK and WIEL, 1542 and 2478 kc, 50 watts, October 3 to 15 inclusive, to broadcast races at Jamaica.
WJW	Mansfield Broadcasting Assn. Mansfield, Ohio	Authorized to discontinue operation October 6, while station is being moved to Akron, and modifying antenna system.
KUJ	KUJ, Inc. Walla Walla, Washington	Granted special authority to operate unlimited time on October 6, 12, 13, 20, 27 and November 3.
WLBW	Broadcasters of Pa., Inc. Erie, Pennsylvania	Granted Mod. of C. P. to change location of transmitter and studio locally to Hershey & Robertson Roads, Erie, and Reed Hotel, Erie, respectively; extend completion date of C. P. to 16 days after this date, and cease operation at Oil City immediately.

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LICENSE APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

During the current week the Commission received applications for licenses covering previously authorized permits from the following stations: WCGU, Brooklyn, N. Y.; WHAS, Louisville, Kentucky; WWL, New Orleans, Louisiana; WKBZ, Ludington, Michigan; WSVS, Buffalo, New York.

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CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

During the current week the Commission has announced the assignment of the following call letters for broadcasting:

NAME OF STATION	CALL SIGNAL	LICENSEE AND/OR OWNER	RADIO DISTRICT
Glendale, California	K I E V	Cannon System, Ltd.	6
Ithaca, New York	W E S G (changed from WEAI)	Cornell University	8
Glens Falls, New York	W G L C (changed from WESG)	W. Neal Parker & Herbert H. Metcalfe	8

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LICENSE RENEWAL APPLICATIONS

During the current week the Commission has received the following renewal applications:

WCKY	L. B. Wilson, Inc. Covington, Kentucky	1490 kc, 5 KW, Unlimited hours,
KGNO	The Dodge City Brdcstg. Co. Inc. Dodge City, Kansas	1210 kc, 100 watts, unlimited hours.
WTJS	The Sun Publishing Co. Inc. Jackson, Tennessee	1310 kc, 100 watts night, 250 watts day, unlimited time.
WGCM	Great Southern Land Company Mississippi City, Mississippi	1210 kc, 100 watts, unlimited time.
KGB	Don Lee Broadcasting System San Diego, California	1330 kc, 1 KW, unlimited hours.
KGCX	First State Bank of Vida Wold Point, Montana	1310 kc, 100 watts, 250 watts LS, specified hours.
KOCW	Oklahoma College for Women Chickasha, Oklahoma	1400 kc, 250 watts, 500 watts LS, unlimited hours.
WJBI	Monmouth Broadcasting Co. Red Bank, New Jersey	1210 kc, 100 watts, shares with WGBB, WFAS and WMRJ.
WMBO	WMBO, Inc. Auburn, New York	1310 kc, 100 watts, unlimited hours.
WQDX	Stevens Luke Thomasville, Georgia	1210 kc, 100 watts, unlimited time.

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ORAL ARGUMENTS GRANTED

During the current week the Commission granted the following oral arguments:

Ex. Rep. No. 410 WERE	Erie Dispatch-Herald Brdcstg. Corp. Erie, Pennsylvania	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.
Ex. Rep. No. 404 WHP	WHP, Inc. Harrisburgh, Pennsylvania -and-	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.
WBAK	Commonwealth of Pennsylvania Harrisburgh, Pennsylvania	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.

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ORAL ARGUMENTS GRANTED (continued)

Ex. Rep.
No. 407

WORC-WEPS	Alfred F. Kleindienst Worcester, Massachusetts	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.
WCDA	Louis Reis Italian Educational Brdcstg. Co. New York, N. Y.	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.
WNBX	Standard Cahill Company New York, N. Y.	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.
WAWZ	Pillar of Fire Zarephath, New Jersey	Granted oral argument to be held October 19, 10 a.m.

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HEARINGS SET

The Commission, during the current week, set the following cases for hearing:

WGST	Georgia School of Tech. Atlanta, Georgia	Requests C. P. to increase power from 250 W. night, 500 W. LS, to 500 W. night and 1 KW LS, (Facilities of WTFI)
WTFI	Liberty Broadcasting Co. Athens, Georgia	Renewal of license, 1450 kc, 500 watts, unlimited time.
WJBY	Gadsden Broadcasting Co. Inc. Gadsden, Alabama	Requests consent to vol. assign. of lic. to Ingram Broadcasting Co. (W. M. Ingram, sole owner).

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APPLICATIONS DISMISSED

During the current week the Commission dismissed the following applications, without prejudice, at the request of the applicants:

WMMN	Holt-Rowe Broadcasting Co. Fairmont, West Virginia	Mod. Lic. to increase night power to 500 watts on exp. basis.
NEW	Roanoke Broadcasting Company Roanoke, Virginia	C. P. 1410 kc, 250 watts, share with WHIS (facilities of WREX).

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APPLICATIONS GRANTED

During the current week the Commission granted the following applications subject to the provisions of Rules 44 & 45 providing proper protests may be filed within twenty days from the date of the action.

<u>CALL</u>	<u>NAME OF APPLICANT</u>	<u>NATURE OF APPLICATION</u>
<u>FIRST ZONE</u>		
WMAS	Albert S. Moffat Watertown, Massachusetts	Program test period extended 30 days.
WMAS	Albert S. Moffat Springfield, Massachusetts	Granted license covering erection of new station to operate on 1420 kc, 100 watts unlimited time.
WABI	First Universalist Society of Bangor, Maine	Granted Mod. of Lic. to change specified hours of operation to as follows: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m., 6 to 10 p.m., EST; station operates on 1200 kc, 100 watts.
WFOX	Paramount Broadcasting Corp. Brooklyn, N. Y.	Granted authority to install automatic frequency control.
<u>SECOND ZONE</u>		
WNBW	Schiessler & Stephens, d/b as Home Cut Glass & China Co. Carbondale, Pennsylvania	Granted consent to Vol. assign. of C. P. and Lic. to WNBW, Inc.
WJMS	Johnson Music Store Ironwood, Michigan	Granted consent to Vol. assign. of Lic. to WJMS, Inc.
WNBW	Schiessler & Stephens, d/b as Home Cut Glass & China Co. Carbondale, Pennsylvania	Granted extension of authority to suspend operation from October 1, to December 18, 1932.
WSAJ	Grove City College Grove City, Pennsylvania	Granted special authorization to operate from 2 to 4:30 p.m., EST, October 8, 15, 29, and November 5 and 19, 1932.
<u>THIRD ZONE</u>		
KRMD	Radio Station KRMD, Inc. Shreveport, Louisiana	Granted license covering local move of station, installation of new equipment and increasing power; 1310 kc, 100 watts, specified hours.
KWEA	Hello World Brdcstg. Corp. Shreveport, Louisiana	Granted extension of special authority to remain silent pending action on applications for C. P.'s pending before Commission.

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APPLICATIONS GRANTED (continued)

THIRD ZONE (continued)

WCOA	Pensacola Broadcasting Co. Pensacola, Florida	Granted license covering installation of new equipment and move of station locally; 1340 kc, 500 watts, unlimited time.
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FOURTH ZONE

KFNF	Henry Field Co. Shenandoah, Iowa	Granted authority to operate additional period ending October 31, using time assigned but not used by Stations WILL and KUSD.
WREN	Jenny Wren Company Lawrence, Kansas	Granted authority to intervene, together with Station WIBW, in the hearing of KMBC requesting authority to move station from Independence, Missouri, to Kansas City, Kansas, which authority was heretofore granted by the Commission but suspended and case set for hearing because of protests from above stations.
KICK	Red Oak Radio Corp. Red Oak, Iowa	Granted authority to remain silent to 1/1/33 until such time as the Court of Appeals vacates Stay Orders, or further disposition is made of the issues involved.
W9XAL	First National Television Corp. Kansas City, Missouri	Granted Exp. Visual broadcasting license, 2200-2300 kc, 500 watts.

FIFTH ZONE

KOL	Seattle Broadcasting Co. Seattle, Washington	Granted extension to November 6, of special authority to make field measurements to locate a transmitter site.
KFBB	Buttery Broadcast Inc. Great Falls, Montana	Granted license covering changes in equipment 1280 kc, 1 KW night, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ KW day, unlimited time.
KALE	M. E. Brown Portland, Oregon	Granted consent of Vol. assign. of lic. to KALE, Inc. Also granted renewal of license, 1300 kc, 500 watts, specified hours.

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APPLICATIONS RETURNED

During the current week the Commission has returned the following application to applicant:

2-MLB-1023	WEAO	Ohio State University Columbus, Ohio	Authority to use former main transmitter as auxiliary. (request of applicant).
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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

During the current week the Commission received the following applications:

<u>FRC FILE</u>	<u>CALL</u>	<u>NAME OF APPLICANT</u>	<u>NATURE OF APPLICATION</u>
<u>FIRST ZONE</u>			
1-MLB-1058	WESG	Cornell University Ithaca, New York	Mod. of Lic. to change location of Main Studio to Elmira, N. Y.
WESG, Ithaca, N. Y., operates on a frequency of 1370 kilocycles. The nearest station to Elmira, N. Y., on the same frequency is WQDM, St. Albans, Vermont, using 100 watts power. The actual mileage between the proposed site and St. Albans is 140 miles. The engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 80 miles. The granting of the application would not change the State or Zone quota.			
1-PB-2669	NEW	Edwin Drillings Middle Village, New York	C. P. for new station to use 1500 kc, 100 watts, share with WWRL, WMIL and WMBQ, resubmitted changing street address of trans- mitter location and to request facilities formerly used by WLBX, Long Island City, N. Y.
The nearest station on the proposed channel is WNEF, Binghamton, N. Y., using 100 watts power and operating unlimited time. The actual distance is 100 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 80 miles. The First Zone is under quota but New York State is over quota.			
1-PB-2541	WPRO- WPAW	Cherry & Webb Brdcstg. Co. Providence, Rhode Island	C. P. to move transmitter to near Graystone, R. I., change frequency and power from 1210 kc, 100 watts to 630 kc, 250 watts--amended to request 1260 kc instead of 630 kc and change in antenna system.
The nearest station on 1260 kc is WNBX, Springfield, Vermont, which has a construction permit to go on that frequency. It will use 250 watts power. The actual mileage is 110 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 230 miles. Both the First Zone and the State of Rhode Island are under quota.			
<u>SECOND ZONE</u>			
2-ALB-464	WFBG	The William F. Gable Co. Altoona, Pennsylvania	Vol. assign. of lic. to The Gable Broadcasting Company.
2-PB-2701	NEW	A. D. Shiffer & A. H. Bennett d/b as Lansing Brdcstg. Co. Lansing, Michigan	C. P. for new station to use 1210 kc. 100 watts, unlimited hours.

The nearest stations on 1210 kilocycles are WSBC, WEDC, and WCRW, all located at Chicago and all using 100 watts power. The actual mileage between Lansing and Chicago is 170 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 185 miles. The Second Zone is under quota and so is the State of Michigan. Granting of the application would increase both quotas.

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SECOND ZONE (continued)

2-ZB-63	WHAS	The Courier-Journal Co. & The Louisville Times Co. Louisville, Kentucky	Determine power by direct antenna measurement.
2-MLB-1059	WJAY	Cleveland Radio Broadcasting Corp. Cleveland, Ohio	Mod. of lic. to change frequency, power and hours from 610 kc, 500 watts, daytime to 590 kc, 250 watts night, 500 watts day, unlimited time.

The nearest station on 590 kilocycles, the proposed new frequency, is WKZO, Kalamazoo, Michigan, using 1000 watts power. The actual mileage is 210 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 300 miles. Both Zone 2 and the State of Ohio are under quota. Granting of the application would increase the quota.

2-PB-2688	WEHC	Emory & Henry College Emory, Virginia	C. P. to move transmitter and studio to Charlottesville, Va.--amended to give exact location of transmitter as two miles from business center of Charlottesville, Virginia.
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The nearest station on the same frequency, 1350 kc, is WAWZ, Zarephath, N. J., using 250 watts. The actual mileage is 280 miles while the Commission's engineers recommend a separation of 260 miles.

2-PB-2704	NEW	Lancaster Brdcstg. Service Inc. Lancaster, Pennsylvania	C. P. for new station to use 1230 kc, 500 watts, daytime.
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The nearest station on the proposed channel of 1230 kc is WPSC, State College, Pennsylvania, using 500 watts. The actual mileage between Lancaster and State College is 90 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 260 miles. Both the Second Zone and the State of Pennsylvania are under quota.

2-PB-2705	NEW	The WNPB Company New Philadelphia, Ohio	C. P. for new station to use 850 kc, 50 watts, daytime. (9s.m. to local sunset).
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The Commission does not put 50 watt stations on clear channels.

2-MPB-380	WLBW	Broadcasters of Pa., Inc. Erie, Pennsylvania	Mod. of C. P. issued 8-23-32 to move station to Erie, Pa., gives exact transmitter location, change location of Main Studio and extend date of completion.
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THIRD ZONE

3-SAB-23	KRLD	KRLD Radio Corporation Dallas, Texas	Special authorization to use unlimited day hours experimentally, share night hours with KTHS amended to request six hours daytime; share night with KTHS.
3-LB-895	WHET	Joe K. Jernigan, Cyril W. Reddoch, Julian C. Smith & John T. Hubbard, d/b as Troy Brdcstg. Co., Troy, Alabama	License to cover C. P. issued 5-24-32 for new station on 1210 kc, 100 watts, daytime.
3-ALB-465	KOCW	Oklahoma College for Women Chickasha, Oklahoma	Vol. assign. of lic. to J. T. Griffin.
3-LB-898	WSM	National Life & Accident Insurance Co., Nashville, Tenn.	License to cover old WE transmitter as auxiliary at former location.
3-MPB-377	WROL	Stuart Broadcasting Corp. Knoxville, Tennessee	Mod. of C. P. to request changes in equipment and extension of completion and commencement dates.

FOURTH ZONE

4-MLB-1055	KMBC	Midland Broadcasting Co. Kansas City, Missouri	Mod. of lic. to use old transmitter as auxiliary transmitter.
4-MPB-376	WHA	University of Wisconsin Madison, Wisconsin	Mod. of C. P. issued 5-13-32 to extend date of completion to 11-13-32.
4-ALB-466	WHBY	St. Norbert College Green Bay, Wisconsin	Vol. assign. of lic. to WHBY, Incorporated.
4-MPB-378	KSO	Iowa Broadcasting Co. Des Moines, Iowa	Mod. of C. P. issued 9-30-32 to give exact location of transmitter and studio as 715 Locust Street, Des Moines, Iowa, changes in equipment.
4-SAB-26	WILL	University of Illinois Urbana, Illinois	Special authorization to increase operating power from 250 watts night, 500 watts day to 500 watts night experimentally and 1 KW day. Requests facilities of WKBS, Galesburg, Illinois, terms of 0.2 quota units.

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FOURTH ZONE (continued)

WKBS, Joliet, Illinois, whose frequency WILL asks for uses 100 watts power and operates on a frequency of 1310 kc. That is a local channel and in accordance with the Commission's rules WILL would not be allowed to use either 500 or 1000 watts on this frequency.

FIFTH ZONE

5-PB-2700	KRKD	Dalton's Incorporated Los Angeles, California	C. P. to move transmitter locally to Radio Station KFSG's transmitter location.
5-PB-2653	NEW	P.H. Pigg & S. A. Harvey d/b as Juneau Broadcasting Co., Juneau, Alaska	C. P. for new station resubmitted to request 1310 kc, 100 watts, unlimited hours.

The nearest station on the proposed frequency of 1310 kc is KXRO, Aberdeen, Washington, using 100 watts power and operating unlimited time. The mileage between KXRO, and the proposed new station is 900 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 185 miles. The Fifth Zone is over quota and so is Alaska. Granting of this application would increase both quotas.

5-ALB-467	KREG	J. S. Edwards Santa Ana, California	Vol. assign. of lic. to The Voice of the Orange Empire, Inc. Ltd.
5-MLB-1060	KUMA	Albert H. Schermann Yuma, Arizona	Mod. of lic. for change in specified hours of operation.
5-MPB-379	KGFL	KGFL, Inc. Santa Fe, New Mexico	Mod. of C. P. issued 5-17-32 to extend date of completion to 11-17-32.
5-ALB-468	KIDW	The Southwest Brdcstg. Co. Lamar, Colorado	Vol. assign. of lic. to The Lamar Broadcasting Company.
5-MLB-1061	KDYL	Intermountain Brdcstg. Corp. Salt Lake City, Utah	Mod. of lic. to change frequency from 1290 kc to 780 kc; requests facilities of KELW, Burbank, California and KTM, Los Angeles, California.

The nearest station on the proposed frequency of 780 kilocycles is KELW, Burbank, California, using 500 watts power. The distance is 570 miles while the engineers of the Commission recommend a separation of 1000 miles. The Fifth Zone is over quota and so is the State of Utah.

5-MLB-1062	KGCX	First State Bank of Vica Wolf Point, Montana	Mod. of lic. for change in specified hours of operation.
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