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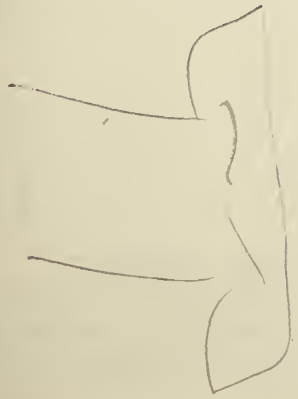


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No. 435



GENERAL ORDER NO. 114

On May 15, 1931, the Federal Radio Commission ordered the adoption of the following General Order:

Section 1. Unless otherwise directed by the Commission, all applications for renewal of license shall be filed so as to be received at the office of the Supervisor of Radio in charge of the district in which the station is located at least sixty (60) days prior to the expiration date of the license sought to be renewed. Where an applicant for renewal of license fails to meet these requirements and as a result thereof the Commission fails to take action upon any such application before the expiration date of the license sought to be renewed, the licensee shall cease operating in accordance with the terms of said license and no temporary extension thereof will be granted pending decision of the Commission on said delinquent application.

Section 2. In all cases where an application for renewal of license is regarded as essential to the proper conduct of a hearing or investigation by the Commission and the Commission as a result thereof specifically directs that the same be filed on or before a date certain, such application shall be filed so as to be received at the office of the Supervisor of Radio in charge of the district in which the station is located within the time specified by the Commission. Upon the failure of any licensee to file an application within such time as the Commission shall prescribe by specific direction or such extension thereof as the Commission may grant upon proper showing, the Commission shall proceed with the hearing upon the premise and assumption that said delinquent licensee does not desire or intend to make application for renewal of its existing license; said delinquent licensee shall be defaulted in the matter of said hearing and no renewal of license will be granted or issued to it.

Section 3. That General Order No. 89 be and the same is hereby repealed.

This Order shall be effective on the day first above written.

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ARGUMENTS HEARD IN KTNT CASE

Norman Baker, owner of Station KTNT, of Muscatine, Iowa, defended his practices over the air before the whole Federal Radio Commission at a hearing last week on appeal from the recommendation of Chief Examiner Ellis A. Yost that the station's license not be renewed.

Declaring that he had leased his cancer hospital to Dr. W. W. Potter, Mr. Baker denied that he had ever stated that all cancer

is curable. He explained that he had told President Hoover that 60 per cent of the incipient, and 5 or 6 per cent of the internal, cases that had come to his hospital had been cured.

Elisha Hanson, counsel for the Illinois and Iowa medical societies, and the Commissioners of Public Health of these States and Nebraska, argued to uphold the Chief Examiner's report on the ground that KTNT "subordinated the interests of the listening public to the interests of the licensee."

The Commission took the case under advisement. The original hearing was held by the Chief Examiner last Fall.

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RADIO EXPORTS INCREASE THIS YEAR

Exports of radio receiving sets from the United States during the first quarter of the current year registered an increase over the corresponding period of 1930, according to the Department of Commerce, Electrical Equipment Division.

During the first three months of 1931, the value of radio receiving sets exported was \$2,927,113, as compared with \$1,936,846 in the like period of last year.

Canada was the leading market during the current year's quarter, accounting for a total of \$601,314, as compared with \$521,314 in 1930.

Argentina was the second best market, taking the place occupied by Italy in last year's period. The total shipped to Argentina was valued at \$333,580, as compared with \$209,138, in the first three months of 1930.

Mexico was third with \$332,286, against \$206,157 and Italy fourth with \$282,411 as compared with \$276,186.

Sales to Spain registered an increase from \$62,218 in the 1930 quarter to \$152,261 in the current year.

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STATION PROPERTY RIGHT STILL UNDECIDED

The Legal Division of the Federal Radio Commission is awaiting with eagerness the final outcome of the WMBB case, now pending before the Circuit Court of Appeals of the Seventh Circuit after being remanded by the United States Supreme Court. The decision, it is hoped, will settle the moot question of station property rights in its ether assignment.

While much fundamental radio law has been written by Federal courts since the advent of broadcasting, this question of property rights, embodying millions of dollars in investments and the constitutionality of the Radio Act of 1927 itself, has never been settled, Ben S. Fisher, Acting General Counsel of the Commission, declared this week.

The ultimate ruling rests with the Supreme Court, but so far the clear-cut issue has not been presented properly to the highest tribunal. Twice in the last two years the Court has been asked to review cases involving the issue, but each time the requests were refused on the ground that the appeals were not properly presented.

The contention of the broadcasting industry has been that the licensing authority cannot deprive a station owner of his investment and good will without just compensation and due process of law, as guaranteed by the Fifth Amendment of the Constitution. On the other hand, the Radio Act of 1927, specifically empowers the Commission, as the licensing authority, to make such charges, deletions and shifts in the broadcast structure as best will serve the public interest.

The Commission's Legal Division, on the basis of opinions of the lower courts in cases in which this point has been raised, believes that there is no property right in the ether, because radio is interstate commerce, and the power of Congress to regulate interstate commerce is superior to the claim of a property owner. The provisions of this, the Radio Act of 1927, which prohibit interstate broadcasting without a license from the Federal authority, is construed to be "a legitimate exercise of the regulatory power of Congress over interstate commerce."

The WMBB case was instituted by the Federal attorney at Chicago, George E. Q. Johnson, to enjoin the American Bond and Mortgage Company from operating WMBB without a license from the Commission. Six questions were certified to the Supreme Court, involving not only the WMBB case but the WCRW case as well. The latter station was operated by Clinton R. White, also of Chicago.

The case, as a result of the Supreme Court's mandate, is again before the Circuit Court of Appeals, but it is likely to be appealed, after a decision is given, either by the Government or the radio station, thus the property rights issue may be decided.

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CROSLY ANNOUNCES NEW MODELS

The Crosley Radio Corporation announced a new line of radio receivers this month at the Ninth Annual Distributors' Convention in Cincinnati. The models will be displayed at the Chicago Trade Show.

The line incorporates five chassis and eleven cabinets in the alternating current series. Three of the chassis are entirely new. A five-tube T.R.F. chassis is available in three cabinet models, ranging in price from \$49.50 to \$99.50.

A seven-tube super-heterodyne pentode chassis is also available in three cabinet models, from \$65 up. Two consoles, one a combination radio-phonograph, are available, with a ten-tube superheterodyne chassis, at \$129.50 and \$199.50.

The Wiggit and Johnny Smoker and the Super Administrator are retained in the Crosley line.

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STATION KNX DEFAULTS ON 50,000 WATTS

While more than a score of broadcasters are fighting over places on the 50,000 watt cleared channels, Station KNX, of Los Angeles, has forfeited its right to construct a transmitter capable of using the maximum power, thus making one more vacancy for the other applicants.

The Federal Radio Commission announced Saturday that the KNX permit had been cancelled because of the failure of the station to take advantage of it. The Los Angeles station has held the permit to raise its power from 5,000 to 50,000 watts for two years and has obtained frequency extensions of three-month periods.

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RADIO CENSUS IN WYOMING

Wyoming is still a fertile field for radio manufacturers, according to the Census Bureau tabulations just released. Only 34 per cent of the State's families, numbering 57,218 on April 1, 1930, reported radio receivers.

The average number of persons in a household was 3.9, while the number possessing sets was 19,482.

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Resolutions urging a Federal law prohibiting radio lotteries and calling upon newspapers to discontinue furnishing news bulletins to radio stations, were adopted recently by the Iowa Press Association in convention at Des Moines.

H. M. Pauley has been made General Service Manager of the Grigsby-Grunow Company and has supervision of all the service activities of the company, including radio, tube, and refrigeration departments.

Lieut. Commdr. Joseph D. R. Freed, radio pioneer, has been named President of the Perryman Electric Company, according to announcement by Benjamin Ktaz, Chairman of the Board of Directors. Mr. Freed for the past year has been associated with Warner Brothers Pictures, Inc.

There is only one radio broadcasting station in Porto Rico, and that is at San Juan, Station WKAQ, with a 500 watt transmitter, which is not of sufficient power to cover the island, according to the Department of Commerce.

Applications for two construction permits were recommended for denial Saturday in reports to the Federal Radio Commission by Examiners Ralph L. Walker and R. H. Hyde.

They are, respectively, those of J. Milton Guyton, of Uniontown, Pa., and R. S. McEwan, of Clovis, New Mexico.

The Freed Radio Corporation has been expanded to include television, Arthur Freed announced Saturday. Equipment for use of amateurs in the visual broadcasting field will be one of the specialty outputs.

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APPLICATIONS RECEIVED BY FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION

May 14 - WMBQ, Paul J. Collhofer, Brooklyn, N. Y., modification of C. P. to install new transmitter and extend commencement date to 5/20/31, C. P. granted 4/21/31; KDKA, Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., modification of license to use auxiliary transmitter located at Barclay Ave., East Pittsburgh, Pa.; WFDV, Dolies Goings, Rome, Ga., license to cover C. P. to change equipment, C. P. granted 4/24/31; WREC-WOAN, WREC, Inc., Memphis, Tenn., direct measurement of antenna input; KCRC, Enid Publishing Co., Enid, Okla., C. P. to move transmitter and studio locally and install new equipment; WIAS, Iowa Broadcasting Co., Ottumwa, Iowa, C. P. amended to request authority to install new transmitter, move studio locally, change frequency from 1420 kc., to 880 kc., power from 100 watts to 500 watts, hours of operation from unlimited to 4/7 time; WKBI, WKBI, Inc., Chicago, Ill., modification of license to permit use of transmitter of Station WHFC at Cicero, Ill., and to move studio to Cicero, Ill.; KFWI, Radio Entertainments, Inc., Ltd., San Francisco, Calif., C. P. amended to omit request to increase power from 500 watts to 500 watts night, 1 KW day.

May 15 - WBEN, Edward H. Butler, Trustee for Ada Butler Mitchell and Edward H. Butler, Tr. as Buffalo Evening News, Buffalo, N. Y., license to cover modification of C. P. for auxiliary transmitter, modification of C. P. granted 3/3/31; WCAO, Monumental Radio, Inc., Baltimore, Md., modification of license to change name to The Monumental Radio Company; WKBW, WKBW, Inc., Buffalo, N. Y., voluntary assignment of license to Buffalo Broadcasting Corporation; WRNY, Aviation Radio Station, Inc., New York, N. Y., license to cover C. P. for changes in equipment, C. P. granted 1/9/31; The Sun-Gazette Co., Williamsport, Pa., C. P. to erect a new station to use 1420 kc., 100 watts and unlimited time; KLRA, Arkansas Broadcasting Co., Little Rock, Ark., modification of license to unlimited time instead of sharing with Station KUOA; Louis F. Kuester, West Bend, Wis., C. P. to erect new station resubmitted, to use 1310 kc., 50 watts and unlimited time; George J. Ikelman, Jr., Lake Holbrook, Colo., C. P. to erect new station to use 1420 kc., 100 watts and to share time with Station KGIW.

Applications Other Than Broadcasting

May 14 - Phoenix Junior College, Phoenix, Ariz., C. P. for new special experimental service, near 6000 kc., 75 watts; The Cycloplane Co., Ltd., Los Angeles, Calif., new C. P. 278 kc., 15 watts, aeronautical service; Aeronautical Radio, Inc., at Cincinnati, Ohio, Louisville, Ky, and Chicago, Ill., new C. P.s for 3452, 3460, 3468, 3484, 5630, 2344, 4140 kc., 400 watts, aero. and point-to-point aeronautical service; Airplane & Marine Direction Finder Corp., on vessel "Navigator", license for frequency to be designated by Commission, 1 to 2 watts, special service; Pan-American Airways, Inc., licenses on airplanes on 1604 kc., 12 watts, special experimental service.

May 15 - KLP, Radiomarine Corporation of America, Uganik, Alaska, renewal of license for 500, 425, 460 kc., 200 watts coastal, also, renewal of license for 217, 219, 227, 252, 268 kc., 200 watts, point-to-point; KON, Nakat Packing Corporation, Union Bay, Alaska, renewal of license for *2320 kc., 250 watts, coastal and point to point (* 274, 252, 500, 460 kc.); R. R. Farish, KUU, Steamboat Bay, Alaska, renewal of license for 500, 2320, 425, 256, 268, 274, 3160 kc., coastal and point-to-point; Alaska Pacific Salmon Corp.: KLW, Port Althorp, Alaska, renewal of license for 500, 460, 245, 2320, 3166 kc., 100 watts, coastal and point-to-point; KJC, Rose Inlet, Alaska, and KGP, Kake, Alaska, renewal of licenses for 500, 460, 262, 274, 2320, 3166 kc., 100 watts, coastal and point-to-point.

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DECISIONS OF THE FEDERAL RADIO COMMISSION

The Commission on May 15th granted the following applications:

West Virginia Broadcasting Corp., portable in West Virginia, C. P. 1160 kc., 500, to test for new location for WWVA; Alamo Broadcasting Co., Inc., portable in Bexar Co., Texas, C. P. 1420 kc., 100 w., 1 A.M. to 6 A.M. to test for new location for KTAP; Perry Building Co., portable in Utah, C. P. 1400 kc., 100 w., 12 midnight to 6 A.M. and any other hours now used by KLO, to test for new location for KLO; WAIU, American Insurance Union, Columbus, Ohio, C. P. to make changes in equipment to conform to requirements of G.O.s 91 and 97, decreasing maximum rated power of equipment from 1 KW to 500 w., this does not decrease licensed power; KQV, Doubleday-Hill Electric Co., and/or KQV Broadcasting Co., Pittsburgh, Pa., C. P. to install new equipment to conform to G. O. 91 and 97, increasing maximum rated power of equipment from 500 w. to 1 KW, this does not increase licensed power; WPAW, Shartenberg & Robinson Co., Pawtucket, R. I., C. P. to install new equipment to conform to G.O. 91 and 97, and install automatic frequency control.

Also, WFDW, Raymond C. Hammett, Talladega, Ala., C. P. to move transmitter and Studio to Anniston, Ala., install new equipment and use portable to test for location; WWNC, Citizens Broadcasting Co., Inc., Asheville, N. C., C. P. to move transmitter and studio locally in Asheville, and install new equipment; WHAZ, Renssalaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, N. Y., C. P. to install new equipment to conform with G.O. 91 and 97, increasing maximum rated power of equipment to 1 KW, this does not increase licensed power; KLX, The Tribune Publishing Co., Oakland, Cal., C. P. to make changes in equipment to conform to G.O. 91 and 97; KGMB, The Honolulu Broadcasting Co., Ltd., Honolulu, T. H., C. P. to make changes in equipment to conform to G. O. 91 and 97, decreasing maximum rated power of equipment from 500 to 250 w., and decrease licensed power to 250 watts; WHK, Radio Air Service Corp., Cleveland, Ohio, C. P. to move auxiliary transmitter from Cleveland to Pleasant Valley Road, Seven Hills Village, Ohio; WSPA, Virgil V. Evans, d/b as The Voice of S. C., Spartanburg, S. C., C. P. to make changes in equipment to conform to G.O. 91 and 97.

Also, KQW, Pacific Agricultural Foundation, Ltd., San Jose, Cal., C. P. to install new equipment to conform to G.O. 91 and 97, and move transmitter and studio locally in San Jose; WBIG, North Carolina Broadcasting Co., Inc., Greensboro, N. C., modification of C. P. to extend completion date to July 1, 1931, make changes in equipment increasing maximum rated power of equipment to 1 KW, but does not increase licensed power; WBZA, Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Co., Boston, Mass., modification of C.P. extending completion date to August 5, 1931; WAAT, Bremer Broadcasting Corp., Jersey City, N. J., authority to install automatic frequency control; WOBU, WOBU, Inc., Charleston, W. Va., authority for direct measurement of antenna input; WBBR, Peoples Pulpit Association, authority for direct measurement of antenna input; WHAD, Marquette University, Milwaukee, Wis., license covering changes in equipment, 1120 kc., 250 w., share with WISN; KFEL, Eugene P. O'Fallon, Inc., Denver, Colo., license covering changes in equipment, 920 kc., 500 w., day and 500 w. night, experimental, divides with KFXF.

Also, WLBC, Donald A. Burton, Muncie, Ind., license covering relocation of transmitter and installation of new equipment 1310 kc., 50 w., shares with WJAK; KWJJ, KWJJ Broadcast Co., Inc., Portland, Ore., license covering changes in equipment 1060 kc., 500 w., limited time; KRLD, KRLD Radio Corp., Dallas, Texas, license covering changes in equipment 1040 kc., 10 KW, shares with KTHS; KFLV, Rockford Broadcasters, Inc., Rockford, Ill., license covering installation of new equipment 1410 kc., 500 w., shares with WHBL; KGCA, Charles Walter Greenley, Decorah, Iowa., license covering installation of new equipment 1270 kc., 50 w., daytime, shares with KWLC; WHBC, F. P. Moler, Mt. Orab, Ohio, license covering new equipment 1370 kc., 100 w., unlimited; WAAB, Bay State Broadcasting Corp., Boston, Mass., license covering removal of transmitter and studio 1410 kc., 500 w., shares with WSSH; KGKB, E.M., C.T., and E. E. Wilson, d/b as Eagle Publishing Co., Tyler, Texas, license covering new equipment and removal of transmitter and studio, 1500 kc., 100 w., unlimited; KELC, Luther College, Decorah, Iowa, license covering new equipment 1270 kc., 100 w., shares with KGCA; WODX, Mobile Broadcasting Corp., Mobile, Ala., modification of license to change time from dividing with WSFA to simultaneous operation with WSFA until LS, divide with WSFA at night.

Also, WSFA, Montgomery Broadcasting Co., Inc., Montgomery, Ala., modification of license to change time from sharing with WODX to full day operation, share at night with WODX; WAAB, Bay State Broadcasting Corp., Boston, Mass., modification of license to change time from sharing with WSSH to unlimited (WSSH discontinuing); WICC, Bridgeport Broadcasting Station, Inc., Bridgeport, Conn., modification of license to increase power to 250 w. night, 500 w. LS.; WBBM-WJBT, Atlas Co., Inc., Chicago, Ill., modification of license to change name to WBBM Broadcasting Corp.; WMMN, Holt Rowe Broadcasting Co., Fairmont, W. Va., renewal of license 890 kc., 500 w. day, 250 w. night, unlimited; WTAR, WTAR Radio Corp., Norfolk, Va., authority to reduce power to 100 w., for 30 days and extend program test for 10 days additional, from May 11th; WDBJ, Richardson-Wayland Electric Corp., Roanoke, Va., consent to voluntary assignment of license to Times-World, Corp.; KUP, Examiner Printing Co., San Francisco, Calif., C. P.s for two new transmitters 5585, 6330, 8230,

11170, 16460 kc., 2 KW for press message service of mobile stations and all scientific expeditions away from the U. S., also granted modification of license to designate a technical modification of the transmitter; Finger Lakes Transmitting Society, Skaneateles, N.Y. C. P. to E. C. Roberts, President, of Society 2368 kc., 10 w., for period June 19 and 20th only.

Also, Electrical Research Products, Inc., Portable, C. P. 1552, 1554, 1556 kc., 50 w.; Polin, Inc., Portable, C. P. for general experimental station; The Wilson Transit Co., on steamer "Wm. C. Atwater", license for experimental purposes, 484 kc., 2 w.; Standard Shipping Co., on ship "Standard", license as above, 516 kc., 2 w.; Boeing Airplane Co., NC-10339, granted license; Transcontinental & Western Air, Inc., licenses for 5 planes; W3XAA, Universal Broadcasting Co., portable in Penna., license 1170 kc., 50 w., 2 A.M. to 6 A.M.; American Airways, Inc., NC-408-H, granted license; W10XAC, Atlantic Broadcasting Co., portable, New York, renewal of license; KPD, Hawk Inlet, Alaska, and KJL, Unimak Island, False Pass, Alaska, P. E. Harris & Co., renewal of licenses to October 15, 1931; W3XAD, RCA Victor Co., Inc., Camden, N. J., C. P. for temporary license to July 15th for existing service, for additional transmitter.

Also, Aeronautical Radio Inc.: WSDE, Tuscaloosa, Ala., C. P. to move to Birmingham, Ala., New, at Robertson, Mo., C. P. aeronautical service; KMP, Omaha, Neb., modification of C. P. to extend completion date 90 days from May 19th; KOE, Cheyenne, Wyo., modification of C. P. to extend completion date 90 days from May 11th; KGUS, Blythe, Cal., granted license; KTU, Redding, Cal., modification of license to permit deletion of 350 w. transmitter.

Also, Radiomarine Corp. of America: WGO, Chicago, Ill., C. P. temporarily to July 15th for auxiliary transmitter; WCC, Marion, Mass., and WSC, Tuckerton, N. J., license to July 15th; KPH, temporary license to July 15th for existing service; WRL, Duluth, Minn., WGO, Chicago, Ill., WAA, Detour, Mich., WCY, Dover, Ohio., WBL, Buffalo, N. Y., KSE, Torrance, Cal., modification of licenses to July 15th for additional frequencies; KYV, Pillar Bay, Alaska, the former licensee of this station authorized to operate station pending action on application for C. P. by RCA; RCA Communications, Inc.: WJT, WEN, WIK, Rocky Point, N. Y., and WEG, New Brunswick, N. J., temporary license to July 15th for existing service; WJN, Rocky Point, N. Y., modification of license to change normal transmitter number 47 to 48, to July 15th; WGT, San Juan, P. R., and KEB, Bolinas, Cal., modification of license to change frequency, temporary grant to July 15th, existing service; KKW, Bolinas, Cal., modification of license to change frequency and normal transmitter number, to July 15th; KKQ, Bolinas, Cal., modification of license for inclusion of only 1 transmitter No. 71 - to July 15th.

Set For Hearing

D. R. Wallace, location near Tulsa, Okla., requests C. P. for new station 1210 kc., 100 w., time not used by KGMP; Harry C. Whitehill, Waterbury, Vt., requests C. P. 1420 kc., 50 w., daytime hours; Tom A. Terry, St. Louis, Mo., requests C. P. 1420 kc., 100 w. unlimited time; Hattie Mizelle, Dothan, Ala., requests C. P. 1370 kc. 100 w., unlimited time; WNBX, First Congregational Church Corp.,

Springfield, Vt., requests C. P. to install new equipment and increase power to 100 watts; KFJX, KFJI Broadcasters, Inc.; Astoria, Oregon, requests C. P. to move transmitter and studio from Astoria to Klamath Falls, Ore.; WLBG, Robert Allen Gamble, Petersburg, Va., requests consent to voluntary assignment of license to WLBG, Inc.; WTAQ, Gillette Rubber Co., Eau Claire, Wis., requests modification of license to change time from sharing with KSCJ to unlimited; WGBF, Evansville on the Air, Inc., Evansville, Ind., requests modification of license to change time from sharing with WOS and KFRU to simultaneous daytime operation with WOS and KFRU, sharing with WOS & KFRU night.

Also, KFPY, Symons Broadcasting Co., Spokane, Wash., requests modification of license to change frequency from 1340 kc., to 1220 kc.; KLRA, Arkansas Broadcasting Co., Little Rock, Ark., requests modification of license to change frequency from 1390 to 1430 kc., increase power from 1 KW to 1 KW day and 500 w. night; increase hours of operation from sharing with KUOA to unlimited (synchronize with WHEC WOKO, WHP and WCAH); Monumental Radio, Inc., Baltimore, Md., requests C. P. frequencies 2000-2100, 2100-2200, 2750-2850, 2850-2950, 500 watts; W9XAA, Chicago Federation of Labor, Chicago, Ill., requests C. P., experimental service; The Kunsky-Trendle Broadcasting Corp., Detroit, Mich., requests C. P. for visual broadcasting service; Greater St. Louis Broadcasting Corp., Kirkwood, Mo., requests C. P. for picture transmission service; W8BXW, Chas. W. Cable, Bridgewater, Pa., requests renewal of amateur license.

Applications Dismissed

The following applications are dismissed at request of applicants:

New England Broadcasting Station, New Haven, Conn., C. P. 1270 kc., 250 w., 500 w., LS; KFJB, Marshall Electric Co., Inc., Marshalltown, Ia., C. P. 880 kc., 500 w.;

Applications Denied

The following applications, heretofore set for hearing, are denied because of applicants' failure to enter appearance within time allowed:

KNX, Western Broadcasting Co., Hollywood, Cal., modification of C. P. 1050 kc., 50 KW, L.P.; WGBS, General Broadcasting System, Inc., New York City, modification of license 930 kc., 250 w.; KGEW, City of Fort Morgan, Fort Morgan, Colo., C. P. 680 kc., 500 w., 1 KW LS.; Jack E. Stranger, Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, C. P. 1070 kc., 100 w.

ACTION ON EXAMINERS' REPORTS

Granted

WHA-WLBL, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wis., granted oral argument on June 3rd, on Ex. Report No. 139; WGST, Georgia School of Technology, Atlanta, Ga., C. P. for increase in hours of operation to full time; denied as to increase in power (Examiner Yost); W. T., M. M., W. C., V. F. Hutchens, d/b as The Hutchens Co. Hutsville, Ala., C. P. for operation on 1200 kc., 50 watts, under time sharing basis with WFBC with 6/7th time, sustaining Examiner Pratt; WMAZ, Macon Jr. Chamber of Commerce, Macon, Ga., modification of license for operation on 1180 kc., 500 watts, sustaining Examiner Yost; WNJ, Radio Investment Co., Inc., Newark, N. J., renewal of license, denied, modification of license and C. P. to change hours of operation to unlimited and increase power to 500 w., sustaining Examiner Yost; Marius Johnson, Ironwood, Mich., C. P. for new station 1420 kc., 100 watts, daytime only, sustaining Examiner Yost.

Dismissed

KTAR, KTAR Broadcasting Co., Phoenix, Ariz., application for modification of license to increase power, sustaining Examiner Hyde; WTFI, Toccoa Falls Institute, Toccoa, Ga., application for C. P. to increase power, sustaining Examiner Yost.

Denied

KLPM, John B. Cooley, Minot, North Dakota, C. P. for change in frequency to 1240 kc., increase in power to 500 watts, sustaining Examiner Yost; Pioneer Broadcasting Co., Adamsburg, Pa., C. P. for new station on 620 kc., 100 watts, daytime, sustaining Examiner Yost; WJBY, Gadsden Broadcasting Co., Inc., Gadsden, Ala., C. P. to change frequency to 950 kc., granted, increase in power to 100 watts; Examiner Yost sustained; KROW, Educational Broadcasting Corp., Oakland, Cal., C. P. and modification of license to change frequency from 930 to 740 kc., and power from 1 KW day, 500 w. night to 2 KW day, 1 KW night, sustaining Examiner Yost; John R. Anderson, Cardwell, Mo., C. P. for new station 1420 kc., 25 w. daytime operation, sustaining Examiner Yost; KFKZ, Northwest Mo. State Teachers College, Kirksville, Mo., C. P. 1200 kc., 100 w., unlimited hours, sustaining Examiner Yost; Earl J. Smith, Watertown, N. Y., Denied C. P. for new station, 1240 kc., 50 watts, daytime hours, sustaining Examiner Pratt; J. E. Richards, Greenville, S. C., W. T. Hamilton, Greenville, S. C., and Greenville News-Piedmont Co., C. P. for Richards, 1200 kc. 100 watts, unlimited hours; also C. P. for Hamilton, 1240 kc., 500 w., unlimited hours; also C. P. 1180 kc., 1 KW, limited time for Greenville News-Piedmont Co., Examiner Yost sustained in first two cases reversed in latter case.

Also, WIOD-WMBF, Isle of Dreams Broadcasting Co., Miami Beach, Fla., modification of license to change frequency to 940 kc., power to 1 KW, sustaining Examiner Pratt; WQBC, Delta Broadcasting Co., Inc., Vicksburg, Miss., C. P. and modification of license for increase in power and change in hours of operation, sustaining Examiner Pratt; WCOD, Norman R. Hoffman, Harrisburg, Pa., C. P. for increase in power, sustaining Examiner Yost; WHB, WHB Broadcasting Co., Kansas City, Mo., modification of license to increase power to 1 KW on 860 kc., daytime hours, sustaining Examiner Pratt.

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