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WASHINGTON RADIO HIGHLIGHTS

An investigating committee of its own members has been appointed by the FCC to look into alleged irregularities in practice before the Commission * * * * Senator Pittman introduced a resolution in the Upper House of Congress calling for an investigation into the practicability of broadcasting Congressional debates and other proceedings at the Capitol * * * * Connery talks before radio experts at meeting and forecasts passage of his resolution calling for a general investigation of radio and broadcasting * * * * Senator White of Maine asked complete radio investigation in speech on the floor of the Senate.

SENATOR WHITE ASKS RADIO INVESTIGATION

Senator Wallace H. White, Jr., of Maine, long time friend of the broadcasting industry, in a speech on the floor of the Senate on Wednesday asked for a complete investigation of the broadcasting and radio industry. He charged that inordinate amounts of money are being made by broadcasters. Senator White also took up the question of newspapers owning broadcasting stations and asked that this be included in any investigation that might be held. These ideas are in line with those of Senator Wheeler, of Montana, chairman of the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce of which Senator White is a member.

FCC APPOINTS INVESTIGATING COMMITTEE

At a meeting of the full membership of the Federal Communications Commission, a special investigating committee members of the Commission was appointed to investigate alleged irregularities of practices at the Commission.

Commissioner Payne was made chairman of the committee and the other members include Commissioners Stewart and Brown. No official announcement has been made by the Commission either as to the scope or purpose of the investigation.

RADIO INVESTIGATION HEARING

Representative Connery of Massachusetts appeared a few days ago before the Rules Committee of the House,

having before it the Connery resolution calling for an investigation of radio and broadcasting. Mr. Connery made a good many charges before the committee, including the fact that broadcasting stations are controlled by the so-called public utility trusts. The Rules Committee has taken no action yet on the resolution, pending further hearings, the dates of which have not yet been set.

CONGRESSIONAL BROADCAST RESOLUTION

Senator Pittman of Nevada has introduced a resolution in the Senate (S. Res. 93) providing for investigating the advisability of broadcasting the proceedings of Congress. The resolution, which has been referred to the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, is as follows:

"Resolved, That the Committee on Interstate Commerce, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized and directed to make a full and complete investigation of the advisability of broadcasting by radio the proceedings of the Congress upon matters of public importance and of having assigned to the various classes of radio stations for that purpose bands of frequencies of wave lengths. The committee shall report to the Senate as soon as practicable the results of its investigation, together with its recommendations.

"For the purposes of this resolution the committee, or any duly authorized subcommittee thereof, is authorized to hold such hearings, to sit and act at such times and places during the sessions and recesses of the Senate in the Seventy-fifth Congress, to employ such clerical and

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other assistants, to require by subpoena or otherwise the attendance of such witnesses and the production of such books, papers, and documents, to administer such oaths, to take such testimony, and to make such expenditures as it deems advisable. The cost of stenographic services to report such hearings shall not be in excess of 25 cents per hundred words. The expenses of the committee, which shall not exceed \$——, shall be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman."

CONNERY ON RADIO INVESTIGATION

Contending that radio is a natural resource, Representative Connery of Massachusetts, addressing a meeting of the American Section of the International Committee on Radio at the Cosmos Club, this city, argued that it would be good for the broadcasting industry if Congress does have a radio investigation. Connery has a resolution pending in the House calling for such an investigation.

He said that there is a radio monopoly and he stated that in his opinion this vast power of reaching the people of the country should not be lodged in the hands of a few.

Mr. Connery contended that he is not an enemy of either radio or the broadcasters and he insisted that he has no axe to grind. A monopoly in radio, he said, is dangerous to American liberty. He stated that he had hundreds of communications from all over the country protesting against the radio monopoly. It is vital to the American people, he said, to have the investigation he proposes in his resolution. If radio is honest, he said, the industry will have nothing to fear from such a committee as he proposes to carry on a radio investigation.

Senator Wallace H. White, Jr., of Maine, retiring president of the American Section, stated that because of the temper of members of Congress, he believed that if the House did not make a radio investigation that one would be made by the Senate.

Senator Duffy of Wisconsin addressed the meeting on the subject of his copyright bill and he spoke at some length on the ASCAP situation, reading a number of letters from constituents in his state to show what the society has done in some instances. He predicted that the Senate Patents Committee would hold hearings on the copyright bill during this session.

Commander T. A. M. Craven, chief engineer of the FCC, was elected president of the American Section at the meeting. Other officers elected for the coming year include; Louis G. Caldwell, vice president; Howard S. LeRoy, treasurer; and F. P. Guthrie, secretary. Executive counsel includes: John W. Guider, chairman; A. L. Ashby, Thad H. Brown, William R. Vallance, J. H. Dellinger, and Francis C. DeWolf.

APPOINTMENT ANNOUNCED

Secretary of the Interior Harold L. Ickes has announced the appointment of Shannon Allen as assistant director of the W. P. A. Educational Radio Project in the Office of Education, U. S. Department of the Interior.

Mr. Allen, who was given a leave of absence as night manager of the National Broadcasting Company's Washington division, will assume his new duties as editor of the Educational Radio Project's script and editorial divisions immediately, succeeding Leo S. Rosencrans, who resigned to take a position with Wilding Motion Pictures, Inc. Mr. Allen brings with him more than 10 years of radio work training and some 15 years' experience as a newspaperman.

SECURITIES ACT REGISTRATION

The following companies have filed registration statements with the Securities & Exchange Commission under the Securities Act:

Rodama Gold Mines, Ltd., Vancouver, B. C., Canada. (2-2877, Form A-1)
 The American Brake Shoe and Foundry Company, New York City. (2-2878, Form A-2)
 Treasure State Oil Producing Co., Great Falls, Mont. (2-2879, Form A-1)
 Cashay Corporation, New York City (2-2880, Form A-1)
 The Kansas Pipe Line & Gas Company, Phillipsburg, Kansas. (2-2882, Form A-1).
 Investors Fund C, Inc., Jersey City, N. J. (2-2883, Form A-2)
 Schutter Candy Company, Chicago, Ill. (2-2884, Form A-2)
 The Tappan Stove Company, Mansfield, Ohio (2-2885, Form A-2)
 Hewitt Rubber Corporation, Buffalo, N. Y. (2-2886, Form A-2)
 Memphis Commercial Appeal Company, Memphis, Tenn. (2-2887, Form A-2)
 The Finance Company of America at Baltimore, Baltimore, Md. (2-2888, Form A-2)
 Air Devices Corporation, Chicago, Ill. (2-2889, Form A-1)
 Bireley's, Inc., Los Angeles, Cal. (2-2891, Form A-1)
 Palmer-Bee Company, Hamtramck, Mich. (2-2892, Form A-2)
 Sun Glow Industries, Inc., Mansfield, Ohio. (2-2893, Form A-2)
 Securities Acceptance Corporation, Omaha, Neb. (2-2894, Form A-2)
 Pittsburgh Metallurgical Company, Incorporated, Niagara Falls, N. Y. (2-2895, Form A-2)
 The National Guarantee and Finance Company, Columbus, Ohio. (2-2896, Form A-2)
 Railway Equipment & Realty Company, Ltd., Oakland, Cal. (2-2897, Form A-2)
 Income Estates of America, Inc., Philadelphia, Penn. (2-2898, Form C-1)
 The Bender Body Company, Cleveland, Ohio. (2-2899, Form A-2)
 Ferro Enamel Corporation, Cleveland, Ohio. (2-2901, Form A-2)
 The Mineral Point Mining Company, Denver, Col. (2-2902, Form A-1)
 Motors Securities Company, Inc., Shreveport, La. (2-2903, Form A-1)
 Merchants Distilling Corporation, Terre Haute, Ind. (2-2904, Form A-1)
 The Granby Consolidated Mining, Smelting and Power Co., Ltd., Vancouver, B. C. (2-2906, Form A-2)
 Key Company, East St. Louis, Ill. (2-2907, Form A-2)
 Lion Oil Refining Company, El Dorado, Ark. (2-2908, Form A-2)
 The Angostura-Wuppermann Corporation, Norwalk, Conn. (2-2909, Form A-2)
 Toklan Royalty Corporation, Tulsa, Okla. (2-2910, Form E-1)
 California Concentrators, Ltd., New Orleans, La. (2-2911, Form A-1)

IOWA STATION RECOMMENDED

The Sioux City Broadcasting Company applied to the Federal Communications Commission for a construction permit for the erection of a new station at Sioux City, Iowa, to use 1420 kilocycles, 100 watts and 250 watts LS, with unlimited time. C. W. Corkhill also applied to the Commission for a construction permit for the erection of a station at the same place to use the same frequency and unlimited time, with 100 watts power.

Examiner George H. Hill, in Report No. I-362, recommended that the application of the Sioux City Company be granted but that of Mr. Corkhill be denied. The Examiner found that no interference would be caused by the erection of the proposed station, and that sufficient talent is available. However, he states that Mr. Corkhill's "showing with respect to bank credit, which would be extended him to the amount of \$6,500 or more, is not corroborated by any witness."

RECOMMENDS NEW SATELLITE STATION

The Merrimac Broadcasting Company, Inc., licensee of WLLH, Lowell, Mass., applied to the Federal Communications Commission for special experimental authority to construct a satellite station at Lawrence, Mass., to be operated synchronously with WLLH on 1370 kilocycles with variable power from 10 to 100 watts. On March 25, 1936, Hildreth & Rogers Company filed with the Commission a motion to designate for hearing the application, which motion was duly acknowledged by the Commission. On April 24, 1936, the Commission announced that the Broadcast Division had granted the application of the Merrimac Company.

Examiner George H. Hill, in Report No. I-361, recommended "that if the application of Hildreth & Rogers Company be denied, that the Commission affirm its grant of the application of Merrimac Broadcasting Company, Inc. (WLLH), for special experimental authority to construct and operate a satellite station to be located at Lawrence, Mass., and to operate synchronously with Station WLLH, at Lowell, Mass., on 1370 kilocycles, with variable power of from 10 to 100 watts, contingent upon the selection of an approved transmitter site." The Examiner states further that "the program of research and experimentation proposed by the applicant indicate reasonable promise of substantial contribution to the advancement of the radio art."

SUGGESTS ALABAMA STATION

Isadore Goldwasser applied to the Federal Communications Commission for a construction permit for the erection of a new broadcasting station at Anniston, Ala., to use 1420 kilocycles, 100 watts, and daytime operation.

Examiner Ralph L. Walker, in Report No. I-364, rec-

ommended that the application be granted. He found that "the proposed station would provide a signal of sufficient strength to give satisfactory service in a city which does not now receive such service during the day from existing stations." He states also that "the use of the assignment requested will not result in objectionable interference to any existing station."

DENIAL OF FLORIDA STATION RECOMMENDED

Bay County Publishers, Inc. applied to the Federal Communications Commission for a construction permit for the erection of a new broadcasting station at Panama City, Florida, to use 1420 kilocycles, 100 watts, and unlimited time on the air.

Examiner P. W. Seward, in Report No. I-366, recommended that the application be denied. He found that the "applicant does not seem to be financially qualified to construct and operate the proposed station." The Examiner said further that "the granting of this application would not serve public interest, convenience and necessity. If the application be granted it would afford this applicant a monopoly upon all means of advertising in the area proposed to be served, which is not considered to be in the public interest."

RECOMMENDS DENYING TEXAS STATION

The State Capitol Broadcasting Association filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission asking for a construction permit for the erection of a new station at Austin, Texas, to use 1120 kilocycles, 100 watts power, and specified hours of operation.

Examiner Ralph L. Walker, in Report No. I-363, recommended that the application be denied. The Examiner states in part that the testimony showed that "there is no suggestion of a need for an additional station except for the purpose of covering an area larger than that served by the existing station." He states further that "not only would the service area of the proposed station be limited to a lesser radius than that normally expected of a regional station, but such operation would result in serious and objectionable interference unreasonably curtailing the satisfactory service area of another station heretofore authorized."

NEW OREGON STATION RECOMMENDED

Harold M. Finlay and Eloise Finlay filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission asking for a construction permit for the erection of a new station at La Grande, Ore., to use 1420 kilocycles, 100 watts and 250 watts LS, and unlimited time on the air.

Examiner P. W. Seward, in Report No. I-367, recommended that the application be granted "provided a trans-

mitter site is selected which meets the requirements of the Commission and that the antenna be constructed to comply with Commission Rule 131."

The Examiner states that "the evidence adduced indicates that a need does exist for a radio broadcast station in the area proposed to be served." He found that the proposed station would be in the public interest.

KENTUCKY STATION RECOMMENDED

The Lincoln Memorial University filed an application with the Federal Communications Commission asking for a construction permit for the erection of a new station at Middleboro, Ky., to use 1210 kilocycles, 100 watts night and 250 watts LS, and unlimited time.

Examiner P. W. Seward, in Report No. I-365, recommended that the application be granted. He found that "the evidence adduced at the hearing shows that a need exists for additional radio service in the area proposed to be served by the applicant." The Examiner found that no interference would be expected to result from the granting of the application and its construction would be in the public interest.

FEDERAL TRADE COMMISSION ACTION

Complaints

The Federal Trade Commission has alleged unfair competition in complaints against the following firms. The respondents will be given an opportunity to show cause why cease and desist orders should not be issued against them.

No. 3070. Alleging unfair competition in the sale of perfumes and toilet article to retailers and peddlers a complaint has been issued against **Mills Sales Company of New York, Inc.**, 901 Broadway, New York City, and **David, Evelyn, Walter and Joseph Jacoby and Estelle J. Kruger**, individually and as officers of the company.

False and misleading advertising in catalogues, price lists and other printed matter is alleged to have had the effect of misleading consumers into mistakenly believing that certain merchandise sold by the respondents is of a superior quality because of the high retail prices marked thereon; that the respondents manufacture the products advertised, are large scale operators and have been in business for many years; that they are importers of perfumes, notions and other toiletries, and that certain perfumes sold by them are made in and imported from France, or other foreign countries.

The complaint points out the well known custom of manufacturers of marking on articles or the containers thereof the suggested retail prices for use of the retailers. It is alleged that the respondents marked prices in this manner far in excess of the ordinary retail price of the articles, thus giving the impression that the products so marked were of a superior quality.

No. 3071. A complaint has been issued charging **William H. Pearce & Co.**, 52 South Second St., Philadelphia, with unfair trade practices in connection with the sale of an appliance for use on open top gas stoves or ranges. **William H. Pearce and Philip S. Shassian**, partners in the firm, and **E. E. Brazelton**, 200 South Kennelworth Ave., Elmhurst, Ill., in charge of field agents for the company, also are named respondents.

In circulars and pamphlets, the respondents allegedly advertise that their appliance, known as the "Pearce Stove Top," will reduce gas bills, increase the cooking capacity of the stove or range, prevent the burners from clogging, and add to the sanitary condition of the stove. They also represent, it is charged, that every

appliance is properly ventilated to insure proper combustion, and that their company is the oldest and largest of its kind in the world.

No. 3072. Five respondents engaged in the sale of electro-magnetic appliances known as "Harmony Belts," designed for self-therapeutic treatment of various diseases and ailments, have been served with a complaint charging use of unfair methods of competition in violation of Section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act. The belt is described as being so constructed that when it is connected to electric current a magnetic field is created within its circumference.

The respondents are **Joseph C. Bradley**, 4 St. Clair St., West, Toronto, Canada; **John M. Schulz**, 425 West Ferry St., Buffalo; **William M. Ireland**, 1423 South Boston St., Tulsa, Okla.; **Frieda E. Breslin**, 37 South Washington St., Wilkes-Barre, Pa., and **A. R. Erbe**, 509 Luzerne Ave., West Pittston, Pa.

The complaint points out that the iron in the human system is non-magnetic and that electro-magnetism has no effect upon bacteria, which are the cause of many ailments and diseases, or upon their growth, reproduction or virulence. Use of the belt, the complaint charges, has not produced and cannot produce any demonstrable physical or physiological change or effect in the body in the prevention, cure or relief of any ailment, disease or pathological condition.

No. 3073. A complaint has been issued charging **Emile Carpentier**, trading as **Dr. Emile Carpentier**, 68 Chestnut St., Hillsdale, N. J., with unfair competition in the interstate sale of a medicinal compound.

Assertions made by Carpentier in printed matter circulated among prospective customers, are alleged to have served, directly or through implication, as representations with respect to the efficacy and therapeutic value of the compound sold, to the effect that it would cure tuberculosis of the lungs, larynx, bones, intestines and the brain, also chronic bronchitis, chronic gastritis, and ulcerated duodenum, stomach and intestines.

No. 3074. **Kolynos Co.**, New Haven, Conn., has been served with a complaint charging unfair competition in the sale of Kolynos tooth paste.

In the respondent company's advertising matter are alleged to have appeared representations to the effect that its tooth paste erases or removes stain and tartar; that it will whiten teeth several shades in a few days; and that it cleans teeth down to the white enamel without injury.

Other representations are alleged to have been made to the effect that Kolynos almost instantly kills millions of germs which cause most ailments of teeth and gums; that it keeps the teeth and mouth thoroughly clean and healthy on account of its germicidal and antiseptic properties, and that it will remove or conquer bacterial mouth.

No. 3075. Misleading representations in the sale of medicinal products are alleged in a complaint issued against nine individuals, trading as **Herbal Medicine Company** and **Natex Company**, 219 West Saratoga St., Baltimore.

The respondents named in the complaint are **George Earl McKewen**, **George McKewen**, **Mrs. George McKewen**, **Samuel Oler**, **Mrs. Samuel Oler**, **Albert W. Oler**, **Leroy Burdette**, **Mrs. Leroy Burdette**, **James Howard, Jr.**, and **Publicity Engravers**. These respondents are copartners trading under the two company names in the sale of "Herb Doctor Compound" and "Natex."

These preparations are alleged to have been advertised, either directly or through implication, in a manner representing that they form competent and effective cures, remedies or treatments for stomach troubles, rheumatism, neuritis, liver troubles, and other ailments, when, according to the complaint, these assertions were misleading and untrue.

No. 3076. Violation of the brokerage section of the Robinson-Patman Anti-Price Discrimination Act is alleged in a complaint issued against 11 chains of retail stores, dealing principally in food products, and their purchasing organization, **Procon Grocery Service Co., Inc.**, 205 East 42nd St., New York City.

The chain groups named as respondents, with their principal places of business, are as follows:

Kroger Grocery and Baking Co., 35 East 7th St., Cincinnati; **American Stores Co.**, 424 North 19th St., Philadelphia; **First National Stores, Inc.**, 5 Middlesex Ave., Somerville, Mass.; **National Tea Co.**, 1000 Crosby St., Chicago; **Safeway Stores, Inc.**, 5th and Jackson Sts., Oakland, Calif.; **David Pender Grocery Co.**, Norfolk, Va.; **Southern Grocery Stores, Inc.**, Atlanta, Ga.; **Eisner Grocery Co.**, 202 South Market St., Champaign, Ill.; **Steiden Stores, Inc.**, 414 Baxter Ave., Louisville, Ky.; **Danahy-Faxton Stores, Inc.**, Bailor Ave. and Clinton St., Buffalo, and **Fisher Grocery Co.**, 229

East Adams St., Springfield, Ill., in which Leon Fisher and Albert Eisner are partners.

The Commission's complaint was brought under that section of the Robinson-Patman Act which makes it unlawful

"for any person engaged in commerce, in the course of such commerce, to pay or grant, or to receive or accept, anything of value as a commission, brokerage, or other compensation, or any allowance or discount in lieu thereof, except for services rendered in connection with the sale or purchase of goods, wares, or merchandise, either to the other party to such transaction or to an agent, representative, or other intermediary therein where such intermediary is acting in fact for or in behalf, or is subject to the direct or indirect control, of any party to such transaction other than the person by whom such compensation is so granted or paid."

No. 3077. The Texas Company, 135 East 42nd St., New York, distributor of petroleum products and automobile parts and accessories through more than 40,000 service stations, is charged, in a complaint with promoting a so-called exclusive dealing policy in the sale of accessories. The complaint alleges violation both of Section 3 of the Clayton Act and Section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act.

Violation of the exclusive dealing section of the Clayton Act is alleged through leasing and renewing leases of service stations at which Texas Company products are sold, and through making sales to and contracts with lessees, licensees and contracting dealers for sale of its merchandise, all on the condition and with the understanding that they shall not use or deal in the parts and accessories sold by certain of the respondent's competitors.

The respondent company is alleged to have entered into contracts with B. F. Goodrich Co., Firestone Tire & Rubber Co., Champion Spark Plug Co., Westinghouse Lamp Co., Handy Governor Corporation, of Detroit, and Anderson Company, of Gary, Ind., to purchase various accessories to be distributed for the most part through its lessees and contracting dealers, the respondent company receiving a commission on sales. Accessories made by such companies are alleged to have been furnished to and forced upon its dealers by The Texas Company on the condition and with the understanding that they should not deal in products competing with these manufacturers' makes of accessories for which The Texas Company had contracted. In certain instances the respondent company allegedly threatened cancellation of service station contracts to compel operators to deal exclusively in products of the manufacturers named.

Stipulations and Orders

The Commission has issued the following cease and desist orders and stipulations:

No. 01533. B & P Company, Cleveland, selling "B & P Wrinkle Eradicators and Frowners," stipulates that it will stop representing that persons using these products may become free of wrinkles, and that these preparations will remove ridges, furrows and crow's feet from the face, enable one to attain charm and youthful appearance, and other similar representations. In its stipulation, the respondent company admits that although its products may tend to retard the formation of wrinkles and frowns, they will not remove either wrinkles or frowns after they are formed.

No. 01534. F. Ad. Richter & Co., Inc., Berry and South 5th Sts., Brooklyn, in the sale of Anchor Pain Expeller, agrees to discontinue advertising that the product is a competent remedy in treating rheumatism, neuritis or sciatica; that it drives out pain or agony and is the prescription of a famous doctor.

The respondent company admits that, according to reliable medical authority, its preparation is not competent in treating the pathological conditions advertised, and its therapeutic value is limited to palliative relief of minor pains. The respondent company also admits that there is no evidence that its preparation is the prescription of a famous doctor.

No. 01535. Samuel Bernstein Hair Company, 59 Temple Place, Boston, in the sale of "Avol Beauty Preparations," agrees to desist from the representation that its preparation "Kwiksett," will nourish the scalp; that "Fome" will recondition the hair and impart a luster or sheen to the hair, and that the use of "Fome" before waving, dyeing or bleaching the hair will assure the best results. The respondent company also stipulates that it will cease designating any of its products as "Cuticle Oil," "Cuticle Remover," "Muscle Oil," "Tissue Cream" or "Hair Conditioner."

No. 01536. Dr. Pierre Chemical Co., Chicago, in its stipulation, agrees to stop representing that Boro-Phenoform, a suppository, provides the safest and surest method of feminine hygiene yet discovered and that it is amazingly powerful.

No. 01537. Humphrey's Homeopathic Co., LaFayette and Prince Sts., New York, distributor of Humphrey's 77, agrees to stop representing that that product will cure a cold or will get rid of a cold the minute one feels it coming on. The respondent company will also cease asserting that its preparation is a scientific remedy or that Humphrey's remedies, backed by a reputation for dependability of almost 100 years, are based on modern scientific formulas. In its stipulation the respondent admitted that, according to the weight of scientific authority, any benefits derived from taking Humphrey's 77 for colds would be only palliative.

No. 01538. Kinox Co., Inc. Rutland, Vt., selling Callous-Ease for treating corns, callous spots and bunions, stipulates that it will discontinue asserting that its product absorbs corns, callouses, tender spots, or hard growths, and that it is a competent treatment for foot troubles, unless the representations are confined to relief of conditions of the foot for which the preparation may be efficacious.

No. 01539. Gramercy Chemical Co., Inc., 201 East 16th St., New York City, trading as Tarson Chemical Co., agreed to cease representing that its product designated "Tarson" is absolutely harmless to the hands and finest fabrics and may be used in washing woollens or silks; that it has no equal for removing odors and stains from clothing or for washing dishes, and that it is the greatest water softener and ten times quicker than soap. The company admitted the cleaning powder may be used safely in washing or cleaning washable fabrics, but cannot be recommended for all fabrics, especially silks and woollens.

No. 01540. D. Friedman, M. D., 6425 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood, Calif., stipulates that he will stop representing a treatment for asthma, sinus, and hay fever, as giving complete relief just from a trial thereof, and that the formulas sold by him are scientific home treatments which will get at the root of the trouble and prevent a return of the symptoms, and other similar representations. The respondent admits that while the prescriptions submitted may temporarily relieve some acute symptoms of hay fever, asthma, and other forms of bronchitis, and may aid in connection with other treatments of sinus, they cannot be considered a complete treatment for the conditions mentioned. The respondent also agrees to stop representing that he is able to diagnose or to judge what treatments a patient may require from reading a symptom chart filled out by the patient.

No. 01541. Nu-Dell Manufacturing Company, 501 West Huron St., Chicago, distributor of "Nu-Life Nail Conditioner," agrees to stop representing directly or otherwise that its preparation will lubricate and nourish the nails, or will keep them strong, healthy, smooth and pliable, or that it constitutes a competent treatment for chipping, breaking and peeling of nails. The stipulation also prohibits the representation that this product replaces or replenishes the natural oils of the nail or corrects hangnails.

No. 01542. William Omness, trading as Western Michigan Chemical Co., 1383 Lakeshore Drive, Muskegon, Mich., stipulated that he will discontinue advertising that his chemical solution called "Chlorite" is antiseptic, and will cease representing that it is a deodorant and kills bacteria, unless these claims are qualified by assertions that the product will not destroy all odors and will not kill all bacteria, including their spores. Omness also agreed to stop representing that Chlorite will disinfect bread boxes, drain pipes, garbage cans, sick room equipment, and other articles, unless directions are given for first thoroughly cleansing the surface to be disinfected and then stirring or rubbing the solution over the entire surface.

No. 01543. McKesson & Robbins, Inc., of Bridgeport, Conn., operating under the trade name of Spurlock-Neal Co., Nashville, Tenn., agrees, in its sale of the product Carboil, that it will cease representing the preparation as a competent treatment for cuts, festers, burns, bites and risings, unless the assertions are limited to certain minor and temporary conditions. Also, Carboil is not to be advertised as being more than a mild antiseptic, counter-irritant and analgesic that tends to reduce inflammation and pain and hasten the maturity and suppuration of boils.

No. 01544. D. J. Hinman, 121 West 42nd St., New York, trading as Hinman Publishing Co., has entered into a stipulation to discontinue unfair representations in advertising and selling a pamphlet entitled "The Secret of M. S. R." or the "Realization Secret."

In his stipulation, the respondent agrees to cease advertising that the pamphlet contains any "secret" or other information not

generally available to students of various schools of mental science, or that it contains the ultimate secret of every religion, or of every system of metaphysics, or is the key that opens the way to either health or wealth.

No. 01545. R. M. Kallejian, trading as Prapion Laboratories, Los Angeles, in the sale of Prapion Remedy, agrees to stop advertising it as a competent treatment or effective remedy for all stomach disorders, or for nervous indigestion, hyperacidity, biliousness, dizziness and a dozen other ailments. In his stipulation, the respondent admits that although his preparation may be of value as a sedative, astringent, and laxative, it is not regarded by current medical opinion as a competent treatment or as an effective remedy in the various pathological conditions of the stomach.

No. 2745. An order to cease and desist has been issued against **Kalo Inoculant Co., 1007 Main St., Quincy, Ill.,** prohibiting unfair competition in the sale of legume seed inoculants called "Humogerm," consisting of nitrogen-fixing bacteria in a humus base. Through wholesalers, retailers and jobbers of seed these inoculants are sold to growers of leguminous crops, who mix them with legume seed to promote the growth of crops and enrich the soil.

Among specific representations barred, under the order, is the assertion that the containers in which the respondent company's products are sold are packed with 15,000,000,000 legume germs, or any other definitely specified quantity or number and type of such germs, unless and until such data have been scientifically ascertained by a controlled bacteriological count made by a competent bacteriologist using scientifically approved methods.

The order bans representation that a definitely specified number and type of nitrogen-fixing bacteria are in the containers at any time other than the time of packing, by use of language indicating that the container is "guaranteed packed with" such definite number and type of bacteria.

No. 2938. Pike-Hansen, Inc., 113 North Franklin St., Chicago, has been ordered to cease and desist from unfair methods of competition in the sale of men's clothing.

According to the findings, salesmen travel throughout the country and solicit orders for clothing to be made at the respondent corporation's place of business. Findings are that because of lack of skill and experience on the part of the salesmen in taking measurements, or because of lack of skill on the part of the workmen in making the clothing, the garments delivered to purchasers do not fit in the same manner as tailor-made garments.

FTC CLOSES CASE

No. 2435. An order closing its case against **Distillers Co., Ltd., Edgar Road, Linden, N. J.,** has been entered by the Federal Trade Commission. The Commission's complaint had charged the company with violation of Section 5 of the Federal Trade Commission Act through misuse of the word "Distillers" in its trade name and in advertising matter.

The case was closed when, upon consideration by the Commission of the complaint, together with the respondent company's motion and affidavit, it appeared that the company has engaged and is now engaged solely in the manufacture and sale of gins which it produces by a process of rectification whereby tax-paid purchased alcohol is redistilled over juniper berries and other aromatics.

Under existing laws and regulations, the respondent company is permitted to label gin so produced as distilled gin and required to state on labels who distilled it.

In closing the case, the Commission reserved the right to reopen it should future facts and circumstances warrant.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION ACTION

Hearing Calendar

The following broadcast hearings are scheduled at the Commission for the week beginning Monday, March 22:

Monday, March 22

HEARING BEFORE AN EXAMINER (Special Broadcast)

WAPO—W. A. Patterson, Chattanooga, Tenn.—C. P., 1420 kc., 100 watts, 250 watts LS, unlimited. Present assignment: 1420 kc., 100 watts, daytime.

Tuesday, March 23

HEARING BEFORE AN EXAMINER (Broadcast)

KDON—Monterey Peninsula Broadcasting Co., Del Monte, Calif.—C. P., 1400 kc., 250 watts, 1 KW LS, unlimited. Present assignment: 1210 kc., 100 watts, unlimited time.
NEW—Salinas Newspapers, Inc., Salinas, Calif.—C. P., 1390 kc., 250 watts, daytime.
NEW—The Bend Bulletin, Bend, Ore.—C. P., 1310 kc., 100 watts, 250 watts LS, unlimited.

Wednesday, March 24

HEARING BEFORE AN EXAMINER (Broadcast)

NEW—Juan Piza, San Juan, Puerto Rico.—C. P., 1500 kc., 100 watts, 250 watts LS, unlimited time.
WSPA—Virgil V. Evans, d/b as The Voice of South Carolina, Spartanburg, S. C.—C. P., 880 kc., 5 KW, daytime. Present assignment: 920 kc., 1 KW, daytime.

Friday, March 26

HEARING BEFORE AN EXAMINER (Broadcast)

NEW—Geraldine Alberghane, Pawtucket, R. I.—C. P., 720 kc., 1 KW, daytime.
NEW—Bay State Broadcasting Corp., Providence, R. I.—C. P., 720 kc., 1 KW LS, limited time.
WHBB—W. J. Reynolds, Jr., J. C. Hughes, and J. S. Allen, d/b as Selma Broadcasting Company, Selma, Ala.—Modification of license, 1500 kc., 100 watts, unlimited time. Present assignment: 1500 kc., 100 watts, daytime.
WHBB—W. J. Reynolds, Jr., J. C. Hughes, and J. S. Allen, d/b as Selma Broadcasting Company, Selma, Ala.—Voluntary assignment of license, 1500 kc., 100 watts, daytime.

APPLICATIONS GRANTED

KPQ—Wescoast Broadcasting Co., Wenatchee, Wash.—Granted C. P. approving transmitter site at E. End Miller St., and installation of vertical radiator.
KPLT—North Texas Broadcasting Co., Paris, Tex.—Granted C. P. to make changes in equipment and increase day power from 100 to 250 watts.
KOY—Salt River Valley Broadcasting Co., Phoenix, Ariz.—Granted license to cover C. P. as modified, frequency 1390 kc., 500 watts night, 1 KW day, unlimited.
KTSM—Tri-State Broadcasting Co., Inc., El Paso, Tex.—Granted license to cover C. P., 1310 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts day, S-WDAH, and authority to carry WDAH schedule.
WGAL—WGAL, Inc., Lancaster, Pa.—Granted license to cover C. P., 1500 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts day, unlimited.
KUSD—University of South Dakota, Vermillion, S. Dak.—Granted license to cover C. P., 890 kc., 500 watts, S-KFNF and WILL.
WEEI—Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc., Boston, Mass.—Granted license to cover C. P., 590 kc., 1 KW night, 5 KW day, unlimited, using directional antenna system for day and night-time operation.
WISN—Hearst Radio, Inc., Milwaukee, Wis.—Granted modification of C. P. to install new equipment.
KTKC—Tulare-Kings Counties Associates, Chas. A. Whitmore, Pres., Visalia, Calif.—Granted modification of C. P. approving transmitter site and changes in equipment.
KOIL—Central States Broadcasting Co., Omaha, Nebr.—Granted modification of C. P. for changes in authorized equipment.
KGLO—Mason City Globe Gazette Co., Mason City, Iowa.—Granted authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna.
WTEL—Foulkrod Radio Engr. Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Granted authority to install automatic frequency control apparatus.
NEW—University of Alaska, College, Alaska.—Granted C. P. and license for special experimental station for the purpose of making ionosphere measurements in the polar regions; frequencies each even 100 kilocycles from 1500 to 16000 kc.,

provided licensee shall listen on each frequency to determine whether or not the transmission will cause interference to any service operating on that frequency or on an adjacent channel; 200 watts peak, .5 watt average; unlimited time.

KTFI—Radio Broadcasting Corp., Twin Falls, Idaho.—Granted conditionally extension of special experimental authorization to operate 1 KW night for the period 4-1-37 to 10-1-37.

KRRR—Southern Oregon Publishing Co., Roseburg, Ore.—Granted voluntary assignment of license to News-Review Co., 1500 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts day, unlimited.

WNBR—Memphis Broadcasting Co., Memphis, Tenn.—Granted authority to transfer control of corporation from Memphis Commercial Appeal, Inc., to Memphis Commercial Appeal Co., 200 shares of common stock.

WMC—Memphis Commercial Appeal, Inc., Memphis, Tenn.—Granted voluntary assignment of licenses of WMC, W4XCA, W4XBS and WABG from Memphis Commercial Appeal, Inc., licensee, to Memphis Commercial Appeal Co., newly organized corporation.

W9XAZ—The Journal Co. (The Milwaukee Journal), Milwaukee, Wis.—Granted renewal of license of high frequency experimental broadcast station for the period 4-1-37 to 4-1-38; frequency 26400 kc., 500 watts.

W6XKG—Ben S. McGlashan, Los Angeles, Calif.—Granted renewal of high frequency experimental broadcast station license for the period 4-1-37 to 4-1-38; frequency 25950 kc., 1 KW.

W8XWJ—The Evening News Association, Detroit, Mich.—Granted 90-day extension of present high frequency broadcast station license; frequencies 31600, 35600, 38600 and 41000 kc., 100 watts.

SET FOR HEARING

NEW—Press-Union Publishing Co., Atlantic City, N. J.—C. P. amended to request 1200 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts day, unlimited, exact transmitter site and type of antenna to be determined with Commission's approval.

NEW—George W. Taylor Co., Inc., Williamson, W. Va.—C. P. amended to request 1370 kc., 100 watts, daytime only.

NEW—R. W. Page Corporation, Phenix City, Ala.—C. P. for new station amended to request 1240 kc., 250 watts, unlimited, exact transmitter site and type of antenna to be determined with Commission's approval.

NEW—Watertown Broadcasting Corp., Watertown, N. Y.—Amended C. P. requesting new station at Watertown, N. Y., to operate on 1420 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts day, unlimited time, site and antenna to be approved. (To be heard with related applications.)

W3XAU—WCAU Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Application for modification of license to add frequency 1529 kc. to present assignment 9590 kc., 6060 kc., 10 KW, unlimited.

WRAX—WRAX Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Application for modification of license to increase power to 1 KW employing directional antenna day and night.

WPEN—Wm. Penn Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Application for modification of license to increase power to 1 KW employing directional antenna system day and night.

NEW—WRBC, Inc., Cleveland, Ohio.—Application for C. P. for new station amended to request 880 kc., 1 KW unlimited using directional antenna for nighttime operation.

WTBO—Associated Broadcasting Corp., Cumberland, Md.—Authority to transfer control of corporation from Roger W. Clipp and Frank V. Becker, to Delaware Channel Corp.—250 shares common stock. (Station operates on 800 kc., 250 watts day, unlimited SS at Dallas, Texas.)

SPECIAL AUTHORIZATIONS

KNX—Columbia Broadcasting System, Inc., Los Angeles, Calif.—Granted special temporary authority to rebroadcast the Easter Sunday services from the USS Pennsylvania over radio station KNX on 48500 kc. on March 27 and 28, 1937.

W1XG—General Television Corp., Boston, Mass.—Granted special temporary authority to operate a portable test transmitter on present licensed frequencies of Station W1XG for a period not to exceed 10 days between the hours of 1 and 6 a. m., in order to make field intensity survey tests.

KWLC—Luther College, Decorah, Iowa.—Granted special temporary authority to remain silent March 25, 27, 28 and 29, 1937, and to operate a minimum of 1 hour on Friday, March

26, 1937, in order to observe the Easter holidays at Luther College.

KVI—Puget Sound Broadcasting Co., Inc., Tacoma, Wash.—Granted special temporary authority to operate formerly licensed transmitter at near Des Moines, Wash., as described in license dated 8/15/36, as an auxiliary for period not to exceed 30 days pending application for C. P., without approved modulation monitor.

WRVA—Larus & Bro. Company, Inc., Richmond, Va.—Granted extension of special temporary authority to operate a 50 watt portable transmitter on 1140 kc., in the area approximately 16 miles southeast of Richmond, Va., along and near the James River, from 7 a. m. to 1 hour before local sunset March sunset, 6:15 p. m., April sunset, 6:45 p. m.), for the period March 18 to April 2, 1937, in order to make site surveys.

WFIL—WFIL Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Granted extension of special temporary authority to operate on 560 kc., with power of 1 KW at night, during month of April, 1937, pending filing of and action on license application to cover C. P. for this authority. Also granted special temporary authority to operate a 50 watt test transmitter on 560 kc., between the hours of 1 and 6 a. m., EST, for a period not to exceed 30 days, in order to make a site survey in Philadelphia and surrounding territory. However, such tests not permitted during monitoring schedule.

WNAD—University of Oklahoma, Norman, Okla.—Granted special temporary authority to operate from 2 to 5 p. m., CST, April 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22, 26, 27; also 2 to 4 p. m., and 7:45 to 10:30 p. m., CST, April 28; 2 to 4 p. m. and 9:15 to 10:30 p. m., CST, April 29; and 2 to 5 p. m., CST, April 30, 1937 (provided KGFF remains silent), in order to broadcast special educational programs.

APPLICATIONS RETIRED TO CLOSED FILES

KEX—Oregonian Publishing Co., Portland, Ore.—Application for special temporary authority to operate simultaneously with KOB from 6:15 to 7 p. m., PST, March 12, 1937.

WGCM—WGCM, Inc., Mississippi City, Miss.—C. P. granted to change frequency power and hours of operation, was retired to the closed files, because the Commission on January 5, effective January 26, 1937, granted station WJBO at Baton Rouge, La., the facilities of WGCM's C. P.

Inasmuch as no application for further extension of time, or for a license has been filed, the following C. P.'s were retired to the closed files:

KFPI—Symons Broadcasting Co., Spokane, Wash.—Granted 5/1/36; date of expiration 1/1/37.

KREC—Radio Sales Corp., Seattle, Wash.—Granted 6/12/36; date of expiration 2/12/37.

KSLM—Oregon Radio, Inc., Salem, Ore.—Granted 11/10/36; date of expiration 3/2/37.

APPLICATIONS DISMISSED

The following applications, heretofore set for hearing, were dismissed at request of applicants:

NEW—Loyal K. King, d/b as Radio & Television Research Co., Los Angeles, Calif.—C. P. 1570 kc., 1 KW, unlimited.

KYOS—Merced Star Publishing Co., Inc., Merced, Calif.—Modification of license 1260 kc., 250 watts unlimited.

KDB—Santa Barbara Broadcasters, Ltd., Santa Barbara, Calif.—C. P. 1220 kc., 500 watts unlimited.

NEW—James R. Doss, Jr., Mobile, Ala.—C. P. 1500 kc., 100 watts; daytime

KGNF—Great Plains Broadcasting Co., North Platte, Neb.—Modification of license, 1430 kc., 1 KW, S. H.

NEW—Springfield Newspapers, Inc., Springfield, Ohio.—C. P. 1120 kc., 250 watts; daytime.

EXAMINERS' REPORTS SUBMITTED FOR THE PERIOD MARCH 6 TO 15, 1937

NEW—Ex. Rep. 1-360: Central States Broadcasting Co., Council Bluffs, Iowa.—Application for C. P. for new station; 1500 kc., 100 watts, unlimited time. Examiner Dalberg recommended grant of application.

WLLH—Ex. Rep. 1-361: Merrimac Broadcasting Co., Inc., Lawrence, Mass.—Applied for special experimental authority to construct a satellite station at Lawrence, Mass., to be operated synchronously with WLLH on 1370 kc., with variable power from 10 to 100 watts. Examiner Hill recommended a grant conditionally.

NEW—Ex. Rep. 1-362: Sioux City Broadcasting Co., Sioux City, Iowa.—Application for C. P. for new station to operate on 1420 kc., 100 watts, 250 watts LS, unlimited time. Examiner Hill recommended a grant. And C. W. Corkhill, Sioux City, Iowa.—Application for C. P. for new station to operate on 1420 kc., 100 watts, unlimited. Examiner Hill recommended denial.

NEW—Ex. Rep. 1-363: State Capitol Broadcasting Assn. (R. B. Anderson, Pres.), Austin, Texas.—Application for C. P. for new station; 1120 kc., 100 watts, specified hours. Examiner Walker recommended denial.

NEW—Ex. Rep. 1-364: Isadore Goldwasser, Anniston, Ala.—Application for C. P. for new station 1420 kc., 100 watts, daytime. Examiner Walker recommended grant.

WLMU—Ex. Rep. 1-365: Lincoln Memorial University, Middlesboro, Ky.—Application for C. P. to establish a new station to operate on 1210 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts LS, unlimited time. Examiner Seward recommended grant.

NEW—Ex. Rep. 1-366: Bay County Publishers, Inc., Panama City, Fla.—Application for C. P. for new station to operate on 1420 kc., 100 watts unlimited. Examiner Seward recommended denial.

NEW—Exp. Rep. 1-367: Harold M. Finlay & Eloise Finlay, La Grande, Ore.—Application for C. P. for new station to operate on 1420 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts LS, unlimited. Examiner Seward recommended grant.

ORAL ARGUMENT GRANTED

KWBG—Ex. Rep. 1-357: The Nation's Center Broadcasting Co., Inc., Hutchinson, Kans.—Oral argument to be held April 29, 1937.

ACTION ON EXAMINER'S REPORT

NEW—Ex. Rep. 1-307: North Jersey Broadcasting Co., Inc., Paterson, N. J.—Denied C. P. for new broadcast station to operate on 620 kc., 250 watts, daytime. Examiner John H. Bramhall sustained. Order effective May 18, 1937.

MISCELLANEOUS

WLB—University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.; WTCN—Minnesota Broadcasting Corp., Minneapolis, Minn.; WCAI—St. Olaf College, Northfield, Minn.—Denied joint petition asking hearing before Broadcast Division en banc of application of WTCN for modification of license so as to operate full time on 1250 kc. and the applications of WCAI and WLB to share time on 760 kc., 5 KW daytime. These applications are scheduled for hearing before an examiner but no date has been fixed.

Power City Broadcasting Corp., Niagara Falls, N. Y.—Denied petition asking Commission to reconsider its action in denying application for C. P. to erect new broadcast station at Niagara Falls, N. Y., to operate on 630 kc., 250 watts, daytime, and to grant the same.

WBBZ—Adelaide Lillian Carrell, Ponca City, Okla.—Granted extension for 30 days of Rule 132, pending action on application to install new equipment and vertical radiator, also to increase day power to 250 watts.

WHBB—Selma Broadcasting Co., Selma, Ala.—Denied petition asking order to take depositions in re application for modification of license to increase hours of operation from daytime to unlimited.

WJAR—The Outlet Co., Providence, R. I.—Granted petition to intervene at hearing of application of Geraldine Alberghane for C. P. for new station at Pawtucket, R. I., to operate on the frequency 720 kc., with 1 KW daytime. Her application has been set for hearing on March 26, 1937.

Washtenaw Broadcasters, Inc., Ann Arbor, Mich.—Granted petition to intervene at hearing of application of Ann Arbor Broadcasting Co., Inc., for C. P. to erect new broadcast station at Ann Arbor, Mich., to operate on frequency of 1550 kc., 1 KW, unlimited time.

WFIL—WFIL Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Granted petition to intervene in proceedings relative to application of the Philadelphia Radio Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa., for a C. P. to erect a new special broadcast station at Philadelphia to be operated on frequency of 1570 kc., 1 KW, unlimited time.

S. O. Ward and P. C. Ward, d/b as Louisville Broadcasting Co., Louisville, Ky.—Hearing scheduled for May 14, 1937, on application for C. P. to erect and operate new broadcast station at Louisville, Ky., on 1210 kc., 100 watts, unlimited

time, to be consolidated with hearing of application of Louisville Times Company for same facilities. Hearing on Louisville Times' application, set for hearing April 5, 1937, continued to May 14, 1937.

KLX—Tribune Building Co., Oakland, Calif.—Denied motion asking Commission to dismiss application of Chauncey W. Hammond for C. P. to establish a new broadcast station at Oakland Calif., to operate on 1280 kc., 1 KW, unlimited time.

EFFECTIVE DATE EXTENDED

In Report No. 126, dated March 9, 1937, the item appearing under this heading should have read:

KTFI—Ex. Rep. 1-249: Radio Broadcast Corp., Twin Falls, Idaho.—Effective date of order extended to March 23, 1937.

RATIFICATIONS

The Commission ratified the following acts authorized on the dates shown:

W8XFO—Crosley Radio Corp., Cincinnati, Ohio.—Granted authority to operate as licensed on March 17, for relaybroadcast professional tennis matches.

WIEF—Miami Broadcasting Co., Inc., Miami, Fla.—Granted authority to operate as licensed for the period 3-18 to 3-21, inclusive, rebroadcast 24th Annual Biscayne Bay Regatta in Miami.

WBAM-WBAN—Bamberger Broadcasting Service, Inc., Newark, N. J.—Granted authority to operate as licensed 3-15 and 3-16 in New York City for relaybroadcast program "It's Midnight in Manhattan."

KTSM—Tri-State Broadcasting Co., Inc., El Paso, Tex.—Granted extension program test period 30 days from March 10, 1937.

WJEP—Stromberg-Carlson Tel. Mfg. Co., Rochester, N. Y.—Granted authority to operate as licensed period March 15 to 24 for relaybroadcast Safety Campaign in Rochester.

W8XIR-WAAW—WGAR Broadcasting Co., Cleveland, Ohio.—Granted extension of authority 30 days to operate as licensed March 18 to April 16, inclusive, for relaybroadcast interviews with school children.

NEW—James D. Scannell, Lewiston, Me.—Application for C. P., 1420 kc., 100 watts, unlimited time, was dismissed at request of applicant and order forwarded to all interested parties.

WQDM—Regon & Bostwick, St. Albans, Vt.—Denied request to operate on 1370 kc., 100 watts, at location authorized by C. P.

The Broadcast Division granted motion of Charles C. Carlson (WJBW), New Orleans, La., for an order to take depositions in support of his application for renewal of license, Docket No. 4330.

The Broadcast Division granted the petition by Cornell University (WESG), Elmira, N. Y., to intervene in the proceedings upon the application of Elmira Star-Gazette, Inc., for C. P. for new station, Docket 4307.

The Broadcast Division granted the petition by WDOO Broadcasting Co. (WDOO), Chattanooga, Tenn., to intervene in the proceedings upon the application of F. W. Gleason, d/b as North Georgia Broadcasting Co., Rossville, Ga., for C. P. for new station, Docket No. 3979.

The Broadcast Division granted the petitions of Minneapolis Broadcasting Corp. (WTCN), Dr. Geo. W. Young (WDGY), and Edward Hoffman (WMIN) to intervene in the proceedings upon the application of Arthur H. Groghan for C. P. for new station at Minneapolis, Docket 4172.

The Broadcast Division granted the petition of the Waterloo Times-Tribune Publishing Co. to receive and consider the depositions taken in Docket 3884.

The Broadcast Division granted the petition of the West Texas Broadcasting Co., Wichita Falls, Tex., for leave to amend its application of C. P. for new station in Wichita Falls, Docket 4218, with regard to the site selected, and directed that the amendment to this application with regard to the site be accepted without interrupting the progress of the hearing now scheduled for March 29, 1937. The Broadcast Division also directed that all parties be notified immediately.

The Broadcast Division granted the petition of Hearst Radio, Inc., to intervene in the proceedings upon the application of the Adirondack Broadcasting Co., Inc. (WABY), Albany, N. W., for modification of C. P., Docket 4368.

The Broadcast Division granted the petition of the City of Dallas (WRR), Dallas, Tex., Intervenor, for postponement of oral

argument on the exceptions to Ex. Rept. No. 1-341 on the application of the Dallas Broadcasting Co. for C. P. for new station at Dallas, Tex., Docket 3920, and directed that the date for said oral argument be continued to May 13, 1937.

The Broadcast Division waived Rule 104.6 (b), on its own motion, and accepted the answer filed on behalf of Interstate Broadcasting Co., Inc., to the appearance of Ann Arbor Broadcasting Co., Inc., applicant for new station at Ann Arbor, Mich., Docket No. 4178, and directed that said answer be made a part of the record.

APPLICATIONS RECEIVED

First Zone

NEW—Fall River Herald News Publishing Co., Fall River, Mass.—
1210 Construction permit for a new station to be operated on 1240 kc., 1 KW, unlimited time. To use directional antenna. Amended to make changes in equipment, change requested frequency from 1240 kc. to 1210 kc., power from 1 KW to 100 watts night, 250 watts daytime, and install vertical antenna instead of directional antenna.

WMFL—National Broadcasting Co., Inc., Bound Brook, N. J.—
Modification of license to replace RCA Composite Type Exp. VT transmitter of 10 KW with Westinghouse Composite Type VT 700 watts and add A1 and A2 to emission.

Second Zone

WCAU—WCAU Broadcasting Co., Philadelphia, Pa.—Authority
1170 to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna.

NEW—The Ohio Broadcasting Co., East Liverpool, Ohio.—Con-
1270 struction permit for a new station to be operated on 1350 kc., 250 watts, daytime. Amended to change requested frequency from 1350 kc. to 1270 kc., and make changes in proposed antenna system.

WCMJ—Ashland Broadcasting Co., Inc., Ashland, Ky.—Construc-
1310 tion permit to install a new transmitter; make changes in antenna; change frequency from 1310 kc. to 1120 kc., power from 100 watts night, 250 watts daytime, to 250 watts night, 1 KW day; move transmitter from 20th and Greenup Streets, Ashland, Ky., to site to be determined, Ashland, Ky.

W8XKD—The Toledo Broadcasting Co., Mobile.—Voluntary assign-
ment of construction permit from the Toledo Broad-
casting Co. to The Fort Industry Co.

WAAJ—The Toledo Broadcasting Co., Mobile.—Voluntary assign-
ment of construction permit from The Toledo Broad-
casting Co. to The Fort Industry Co.

NEW—Allen T. Simmons, Tallmadge, Ohio.—Construction permit
for a new high frequency broadcast station to be operated
on 31600, 35600, 38500, 41000 kc., 100 watts.

NEW—The Crosley Radio Corp., Cincinnati, Ohio.—Construction
permit for a new high frequency broadcast station to be
operated on 31600, 35600, 38500, 41000 kc., 200 watts.
Amended to delete frequencies 31600, 35600, 38600, 41000
kc. and add frequency 26550 kc.

NEW—The Crosley Radio Corp., Cincinnati, Ohio.—Construction
permit for a new high frequency broadcast station to be
operated on 31600, 35600, 38500, 41000 kc., 200 watts.
Amended to delete frequencies 31600, 35600, 38600, 41000
kc. and add the frequency 26550 kc.

Third Zone

KTSA—KTSA Broadcasting Co., San Antonio, Tex.—Voluntary
550 assignment of license from KTSA Broadcasting Co. to Hearst
Radio, Inc.

WKY—WKY Radiophone Co., Oklahoma City, Okla.—License to
900 use RCA 1001-A, 1 KW transmitter as an auxiliary for
emergency purposes only.

NEW—Southern Broadcasting Corp., New Orleans, La.—Construc-
1200 tion permit for a new station to be operated on 1200 kc.,
100 watts, share WJBW, requests facilities of WBNO.
Amended to make changes in requested equipment, change
hours of operation from share WJBW to unlimited, power

from 100 watts to 100 watts night, 250 watts daytime and
studio site from 226 Carondelet Street to 527 Canal Street,
New Orleans, La. Requests facilities of WJBW.

WRBL—WRBL Radio Station, Inc., Columbus, Ga.—Modification
1200 of construction permit (B3-P-1396) for new transmitter and
antenna, increase in power and move of transmitter and
studio, requesting approval of transmitter site at Talbotton
Road, Columbus, Ga., and studio at 12th & Broadway,
Columbus, Ga., and approval of vertical antenna. Amended
to change requested transmitter site from Talhotton Road
to 15th Avenue and 30th Street, Columbus, Ga.

WRBL—WRBL Radio Station, Inc., Columbus, Ga.—Modification
1200 of construction permit (B3-P-1396) for a new transmitter
and antenna, increase power and move studio and trans-
mitter locally, further requesting changes in transmitting
equipment; change frequency from 1200 kc. to 950 kc.,
power from 100 watts night, 250 watts day, to 250 watts
night, 500 watts day, and make changes in antenna. Amended
to change requested frequency from 950 kc. to 1330 kc.

KTAT—Tarrant Broadcasting Co., Fort Worth, Tex.—Modification
1240 of construction permit (B3-P-1472) for new transmitter and
vertical antenna, further requesting authority to make
changes in equipment and extend commencement and com-
pletion dates.

KAND—Navarro Broadcasting Assn., J. C. West, President, Corsi-
1310 cana, Texas.—Modification of construction permit (B3-P-
703) for a new station, requesting changes in authorized
equipment, change authorized transmitter site from Corner
Main & Fifth Avenue to ½ mile north of city on Highway
75, Corsicana, Texas, and studio from Corner Main & Fifth
Avenue to Corner Beaton & Collin Streets, Corsicana, and
extend commencement and completion dates.

KFXR—Exchange Avenue Baptist Church of Oklahoma City,
1310 Oklahoma City, Okla.—License to cover construction permit
(B3-P-1141) as modified for new equipment.

KFRO—Voice of Longview, Longview, Tex.—License to cover
1370 construction permit (B3-P-1308) as modified for new equip-
ment and increase in power.

NEW—Standard Life Insurance Co. of the South, Jackson, Miss.—
1420 Construction permit for a new station to be operated on
1420 kc., 100 watts night, 250 watts daytime, unlimited
time.

WACO—KTSA Broadcasting Co., Waco, Tex.—Voluntary assign-
1420 ment of license from KTSA Broadcasting Co. to Hearst
Radio, Inc.

NEW—Spartanburg Junior Chamber of Commerce, Dr. D. Lesesne
1420 Smith, Pres., Spartanburg, S. C.—Construction permit for a
new station to be operated on 1420 kc., 100 watts night,
250 watts daytime, unlimited time.

KNOW—KUT Broadcasting Co., Austin, Tex.—Voluntary assign-
1500 ment of license from KUT Broadcasting Co. to Hearst Radio,
Inc.

KROD—Dorrance D. Roderick, El Paso, Tex.—Modification of
1500 construction permit (B3-P-947) for a new station, requesting
authority to change authorized transmitter site from 900
Hammett Blvd. to 2,250' south of Spruce Street on line of
Boone Street extended southward, El Paso, Texas.

WDNC—Durham Radio Corporation, Durham, N. C.—Construc-
1500 tion permit to install a new transmitter and directional
antenna for night use; change frequency from 1500 kc. to
600 kc., power from 100 watts to 1 KW; move transmitter
5 miles from the Washington-Duke Hotel, Main Street,
Durham, N. C., to Durham, N. C. Amended to give
transmitter site as near Durham, N. C.

Fourth Zone

WJJD—WJJD, Inc., Chicago, Ill.—Modification of license to
1130 change time from 6 a. m., CST, until LS at Salt Lake City,
Utah, to 6 a. m. Eastern Standard Time (Chicago, daylight
saving) until local sunset at Salt Lake City, Utah.

KWTN—Greater Kameska Radio Corp., Watertown, S. Dak.—
1210 Authority to install automatic frequency control.

KVGB—Ernest Edward Ruehlen, Great Bend, Kans.—License to
1370 cover construction permit (B4-P-1211) as modified for a
new station.

WGL—Westinghouse Radio Stations, Inc., Fort Wayne, Ind.—
1370 Construction permit to make changes in transmitting equipment and increase power from 100 watts to 100 watts, 250 watts daytime.

NEW—Minnesota Broadcasting Corp., Minneapolis, Minn.—Construction permit for a new high frequency broadcast station to be operated on 26100 kc., 150 watts, unlimited time.

W9XAI—The Journal Company, Milwaukee, Wis.—Construction permit for replacement of transmitter and increase in power from 7.5 watts to 50 watts.

NEW—Indianapolis Broadcasting, Inc., Indianapolis, Ind.—Construction permit for a new relay broadcast station to be operated on 1622, 2058, 2150, 2790 kc., 40 watts.

NEW—The Journal Company (The Milwaukee Journal), Milwaukee, Wis.—Construction permit for a new relay broadcast station to be operated on 1646, 2090, 2190, 2830 kc., 50 watts.

Fifth Zone

KVI—Puget Sound Broadcasting Co., Tacoma, Wash.—Construction permit to use old W.E. 106-B transmitter as an auxiliary

and move transmitter from near Des Moines, Wash., to 950 Pacific Avenue, Tacoma, Wash.

KEHE—Evening Herald Publishing Co., Los Angeles, Calif.—
780 Voluntary assignment of license from Evening Herald Publishing Co. to Hearst Radio, Inc.

NEW—Robert E. Clements, Huntington Park, Calif.—Construction permit for a new station to be operated on 1160 kc., 250 watts, daytime.

KRLC—H. E. Studebaker, Lewiston, Idaho.—Modification of construction permit (B5-P-733) for new equipment, increase in power, change of frequency and move of transmitter, requesting new equipment, vertical antenna and approval of transmitter site at Midway between Preston & Warner and 9th & 10th Streets, Lewiston, Idaho.

Hawaiian Zone

NEW—Honolulu Broadcasting Co., Ltd., Honolulu, Hawaii.—
1010 Construction permit for a new station to be operated on 1010 kc., 250 watts, unlimited time.