PART OF THE CKCO-TV CREW is seen at work on an adjoining roof-top during the devastating fire in Kitchener last month. The city's two radio stations — CKCR and CKKW — were also on hand to provide listeners and viewers with an on-the-spot report of developments. Photo is by Roy Purkis. See story on page 4.

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New Brunswick Broadcasting Company Limited is applying for a licence to establish a new television station at Campbellton, N.B. on Channel 12 with a power of 205.7 kw video and 102.8 kw audio and a directional antenna EHAAT 799 feet.

La Television de la Baie des Chaleurs Inc. is seeking a license to establish a new television station at Carleton, P.Q., on Channel 12 with a power of 23.5 kw video and 11.8 kw audio and a directional antenna EHAAT 1673 feet.

The company now operates a bilingual station, CHAU-TV, in New Carlisle, with its transmitter site at Carleton. It applied unsuccessfully last year for a second licence to operate solely in English and use the present facilities for all French programming. The renewed bid is for a similar arrangement.

In addition CKCW-TV, Moncton, is applying for a licence to operate a satellite station at Upsalquitch Lake, N.B., on Channel 12 with a power of 141 kw video and 77 kw audio and a directional antenna EHAAT 1331 feet.

The five radio station applicants are:

A. W. MacDonald for an AM station in Calgary with a power of 10,000 watts at 1550 kcs.

Melfort Broadcasting Co. Ltd., for an AM station in Melfort, Sask., with a power of 250 kw watts at 1549 kcs.

Jack Shapiro for an AM station in Winnipeg with a power of 5,000 watts at 1470 kcs.

A. W. Neas for an FM station in Toronto with a power of 3,520 watts at 104.5 mcs.

James Alan Stewart for an AM station in Ottawa with a power of 10,000 watts at 1250 kcs.

The Board will also hear applications for power increases from the following stations:

CFBR, Hay River, N.W.T., owned and operated by the CBC, for a power increase from 25 to 40 watts.

CHCL, Cold Lake, Alberta, owned by the Defence Department, for a power increase from 10 to 50 watts.

CKX, Brandon, Man., for a power increase from 5,000 to 10,000 watts.

CHOW, Welland, Ont., for a power increase from 500 to 1000 watts and permission to operate day and night.

Radio Station CJGX, Yorkton, Sask., is asking for authority to establish a station at Melville, Sask., to be operated part-time in conjunction with the main studio at Yorkton.

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Cover Story

STATIONS TEAM UP TO REPORT FIRE

LAST MONTH all three Kitchener, Ontario, broadcasting stations, CKKW, CKCR and CKCO-TV, had an opportunity to show their listeners and viewers just what they could do when a local disaster struck.

In this case the disaster was a one- and a half million dollar fire in downtown Kitchener. The fire started in the basement of a Loblaw supermarket on the main street and spread to neighboring office buildings making it necessary to bring in help from nearby towns. These were Waterloo, Elmira, St. Jacobs, Baden, Preston and Waterloo Township. Other fire departments that offered help included Hamilton, Strathall and Guelph.

About twenty technicians and announcers, working at the scene of the fire and in the studio, brought CKCO-TV viewers first hand live coverage of the fire.

Their standby microwave, brought from the transmitter at Baden, about six miles from Kitchener, plus camera from their studio were located on the roof of a four story building across from the fire.

All told, CKCO-TV did four reports. At 9:40 p.m. they interrupted the Perry Como Show and did a quick report. At 10:00 p.m. they presented a 15 minute report and at 10:30 the fire was televised for 30 minutes. The station's regular 11:15 newcast was devoted entirely to coverage of the event.

CKCO-TV used a helicopter to take aerial shots of the fire which were used on the 10:30 fire report and the 11:15 newcast.

The two radio stations worked equally as hard.

ON THE SPOT REPORTS

CKKW's manager, Alan Hodge, went on the air at 7:55 p.m. with a live report from the street in front of the burning buildings. He stood in the midst of fire and spray for three hours as firefighters fought to bring the blaze under control.

He conducted 62 interviews, including 14 with Fire Chief, Ken Putnam as he directed operations. He also talked to police, the Mayor, city engineers, the fire department padre, salvation army helpers and tenants of the wrecked buildings. In the meantime the CKKW newsroom, three blocks away, was kept busy sending out a total of 22 telephone tapes to other radio stations. The most distant station calling for a tape was CKRM, Regina.

REPORTS ARE RELAYED

CKCR's newswoman Frank Smith got his first news report away shortly before 5:00 p.m. He was joined shortly afterwards by CKCR staffers Don Derry, Scott Cameron, Gord Shaw and Bill Moody. Paul Free

man, another station newswoman filed the fire story with Broadcast News in Toronto, which went out over the wire at 6:00 bringing calls from stations as far away as Edmonton in the West and Montreal in the East.

They managed to get a direct line to the station from a law office across the street but were forced to leave when fire threatened the building. They relocated themselves in a top floor hotel room, a half block away and continued their coverage until after midnight. The station sent telephone reports to CKBY, CJBC and CFRB, Toronto; CFPL, London; CFRA, Ottawa; CFCEF and CJAD, Montreal and CHED, Edmonton.

Fortunately there were no casual-
ties except the fire chief, Ken Put-

nam, who was hospitalized due to

exhaustion. And, although they were not hospitalized, a few radio and television announcers and technicians had no trouble getting to sleep that night.

Will Represent Canada

THREE CBC officers will represent Canada at the Commonwealth Broadcasting Conference in New Delhi, India, January 22 - February 1.

They are Charles Jennings of Ottawa, general manager of regional broadcasting; R. G. Knowles of Toronto, national supervisor of farm and fisheries broadcasts; and Roy D. Coshon of Winnipeg, regional engineer for the Prairies.

Jennings, who will head the Canadian delegation, attended similar Commonwealth conferences in London in 1952 and in Sydney, Australia, in 1956.

The conference, with All-India Radio as host, will discuss mutual broadcasting problems, exchange information and formulate joint projects.
Progress In The Fifties... More Ahead

Last week saw the end of a decade which was the most eventful in the history of the broadcasting industry, a decade which could be described with only one word—progress.

Most dramatic among these “events” was the coming to Canada of the miracle medium of television. To millions of “ordinary” people it has opened new doors into the world of entertainment and information. Certainly it has made mistakes. Undoubtedly some of its programs well merit such epithets as inconsequential and banal. But such programs are necessary, with their wide popular appeal, to build up audience for the more worthwhile offerings which are already appearing more frequently in the program logs.

The second “event” of the fifties, was the refurbishing of our broadcasting system on the administrative or regulatory level. The recognition of the privately-owned stations as a “part of the national broadcasting system” by the Fowler Commission in 1957 was the first step towards the industry’s release from the control of its competitor, the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation. The amendment of the Broadcasting Act in 1958, and the creating of the Board of Broadcast Governors to regulate both the CBC and the private stations impartially and objectively, has placed the private broadcasters in a position where their progress and success are in their own hands more than they have ever been before in the industry’s history.

The past decade, and more especially the past year, has seen another “event” which might be described as the passing, some into retirement and some into eternal rest, of almost a generation of men who were responsible for the founding of the broadcasting business in Canada, and its growth over the past thirty years.

This is one way of expressing it. Another, more positive way, would be to say that the past decade has seen the emerging of broadcasting’s second generation, well equipped by its fathers and elders to pick up the torch where they laid it down.

There are other problems and challenges which this new generation is being called upon to face are as great and as complex as those which were faced and beaten by their fathers, except for one thing. They, the sons, are entering into an established, tried and proven business. They are taking up their various posts in the broadcasting business as successors. And this is very different from the assignment their fathers chose, because they came into the business while it was still being invented.

There is a great temptation to dwell nostalgically upon those who have gone. Yet it would be wrong to pass lightly over their dedication which made our industry possible to begin with; or to by-pass those of the pioneers who are still with us, to supply the active leadership, born of the vast experience which only their years can give.

This viewpoint is easy for those of us who are ourselves getting up in years. It is also worthy of the consideration of the eager second generation, which can, if it only will, benefit tremendously from the counsel of those who remain, as they don their shining armor and ride forth onto the next plateau, where success beyond their wildest dreams awaits those of them who have the determination and the vision to earn it.

Third Column

GRAND SLAM!

LAST MONTH, one of Saint John, NB’s largest furniture and appliance stores held a contest in which $1,000 was awarded to the winner. Promoted by CFBC-Radio, contest rules were simple, requiring entrants to write their name and addresses on the back of a sales slip from the store and place them in a large drum located in the store lobby.

The contest officially closed the day before Christmas. After a thorough mixing, the slips were dumped in a cardboard carton and taken down to the CFBC studios, where the name of the winner would be announced over the air on Christmas Eve.

Bob Bowman, manager of CFBC, was asked to select the winning slip. All the sales receipts were placed in a large drum, which was rotated several times. Bowman then dipped deeply into the drum, while Russell Wheaton, general manager of the store, looked on. Extracting one slip from the drum, Bowman handed it to the store manager.

Wheaton walked over to the microphone, opened the folded receipt and read the winner’s name—Mrs. Francis Godin of Saint John. Her occupation: librarian at CFBC’s rival station CHSJ.

Bowman grinned weakly and mumbled: “That’s what happens to me at bridge too.”

(NOTE: “The Third Column” will be devoted to reports of unusual happenings in the fields of radio or television or allied activities. Contributions will be welcome, especially from stations and advertising agencies. They should be addressed to the editor, and need not be designated for use in this space, as we may find them more suitable for some other department.)
Nielsen lowers rates to attract needed subscribers

A. C. Nielsen, chairman of the parent A. C. Nielsen Company, Chicago, told a group of advertisers and agency men in Toronto last month that the Canadian company "will proceed, with maximum speed, to produce NBI service for the fifteen areas which they had found, through their test run in the Toronto area, were required by most advertisers.

Nielsen people, who came to Toronto to address a private meeting of advertisers and agencies spoke of the advantages of the "mechanized" systems of research which his organization had been developing over the past twenty years over the "non-mechanized" techniques. He listed three fields in which he felt the non-mechanized techniques generally fail.

(A) Difficulty in acquiring samples that are representative of all homes — difficulty in persuading a high percentage of the selected homes to co-operate — impracticality of covering more than the central city or the metropolitan area.

(B) Use of a "shifting" sample (sample is changed every week, day or even more often) (1) decreases accuracy of trends — in comparison with the trend accuracy obtainable from a "fixed" sample of equal size; (2) makes it impractical to select samples in a manner as accurate as would be desirable, because the frequency with which new samples must be selected usually limits the amount which is practicable to spend for sampling; (3) renders impracticable the production of "cumulative audience" (market coverage) or places serious limitations on this important type of information — may limit such data to a single week.

(C) Difficulty in obtaining accurate basic data (on listening and viewing) from each sample home, from such factors as (1) difficulty or impracticability of contacting every member of the family; (2) errors and omissions in the basic data arising from such sources as limitations of human memory, (3) inspection of basic data — to determine its accuracy and acceptability — is impossible or impractical.

Nielsen then described some of the "mechanized" techniques which have been developed by his company. (The balance of this article is quoted from his speech.)

MECHANIZED TECHNIQUES

First is the "Mailable Audimeter". These patented meters, costing about $400 each, are installed in sample homes and connected with every radio and TV receiver. They make a continuous record -- in code, on 16 millimeter film -- showing, for every individual minute of the day and night, whether each set was "on" or "off" -- and if "on", the station or channel to which it was tuned.

All film records received from the sample homes pass through the Nielsen Automatic Inspection Computer. This machine rejects any films which fail to meet rigid standards of accuracy.

The accepted films are then decoded and converted to IBM cards by a battery of Nielsen Automatic Decoding machines.

The rest of the process is carried out by a large battery of IBM machines, which perform 252 separate operations, winding up with whom automatic printing of the final reports.

Our second mechanized technique (the "Instantaneous Audimeter") produces results identical with those obtained from the "Mailable Audimeter", but with the advantage of faster report delivery; in fact, the local ratings are produced instantaneously.

As might be expected, this system has, to date, proved more costly than the "Mailable Audimeter". Whether our clients will deem the extra cost justified remains to be seen. They are now trying it out in the New York area, and we are developing a somewhat similar system for national network research.

The third Nielsen system is the one we have proposed for the principal areas of Canada. It employs, as its basic record, a special diary (which we call an "Audilog") in which the members of each sample family record, every quarter-hour, the station or channel to which they listen. Obviously, then, this system reports on a quarter-hour basis rather than a minute-by-minute basis.

AUDIENCE REMINDER

Mechanization is achieved by the use of an ingenious patented device known as the "Recordimeter". This instrument, placed on or near each radio or TV receiver in each sample home, performs two very important functions:

(1) It flashes a gentle, illuminated reminder signal (supplemented by a buzzer in the case of radio) every 30 minutes of set use -- to remind the family members of their agreement to make accurate recordings in the "Audilog".

This simple technique has proved very effective in solving one of the most serious problems in diary research, viz., the natural human tendency to postpone recordings, in the diary, until the end of the day -- or even the end of the week. It is not difficult to appreciate the serious nature of the errors and omissions which are inevitable when diary recording is delayed and done, later, on a "memory" basis. Over 20,000 "Recordimeters" have been in successful use, in the United States, for several years.

(2) In addition to making a very effective attack on the problem of delayed recording, the "Recordimeter" performs a second important function. It keeps an accurate count of the number of hours and tenths of an hour, of set use. Therefore, when each diary arrives at our office, it contains not only the quarter-hour recordings made in the diary by the family but also the metered figures showing how
PROGRESSIVE IMPROVEMENT

Now, if you will recall my comments about the characteristics of the non-mechanized research techniques, and keep in mind the three basic Nielsen techniques just described, you will realize that the principal audience research techniques can be arranged in sequence according to their comparative levels of accuracy. Starting with the type of non-mechanized service which seems to be most widely used in Canada, the list is as follows:

I. Diaries, without mechanical controls and without adjustments.

II. Diaries, without mechanical controls but with adjustments.

III. Diaries, controlled by Recordimeters.

IV. Combination technique: some of the sample homes having Recordimeter-controlled diaries while others are equipped with Mailable Audimeters.

V. Mailable Audimeters.

VI. Instantaneous Audimeters.

In general, the elements which determine accuracy (viz., sample quality, accuracy of the basic data, inspection and data processing) show progressive improvement as we move from technique I to technique VI.

The same is true of the factors which determine the scope (and hence the usefulness) of the services. With respect to cost, it is obvious that technique I involves the lowest cost and that there is an additional and substantial increase as we move toward technique VI.

The "Nielsen Broadcast Index" ("NBI") Service proposed for Canada consists of a combination of techniques II and III, number III being used in the four major areas, while the remaining areas employ technique II. In the latter areas the accuracy will exceed that of technique I through the use of an adjustment based, for each area, on Recordimeter-controlled data from the same and/or similar areas.

Those who have made a detailed study of the various techniques have recognized clearly that:

(a) The NBI Service (techniques II and III) represents a substantial improvement over the ordinary unadjusted, uncontrolled diary system (technique I).

(b) The NBI technique represents a realistic approach -- geared to economic conditions in Canada, and based on long practical experience in the United States, where it has proved eminently satisfactory.

For the benefit of those who prefer a service offering even greater accuracy and scope, let me point out that the technique now proposed is entirely compatible with every one of the other Nielsen techniques. This means that if you should decide, at any future date, that you would like an increase in accuracy and scope, we could move promptly in that direction to whatever extent may then be agreed upon -- and do it without scrapping any of the investments which have been made up to that time.

Based on experience in other countries, I am inclined to predict that something of this sort will happen, because as you acquire more and more experience in the use of good audience research, and find out what it can accomplish, you are likely to conclude that it is not tremendously important whether you pay, for example, 0.2 of one per cent or 0.3 of one per cent of your radio and TV billings. In either case the research cost is negligible in comparison with the importance of ensuring maximum results from expenditures for broadcast advertising.
A CODE OF ETHICS for the broadcasting industry, together with provision for a code committee of five members, has been completed and distribution is being made by the Canadian Association of Broadcasters.

It's a major document that puts program responsibility on management of each station; that recognizes the need of programs on information, education and entertainment, and clearly sets forth that revenue from advertising makes non-government broadcasting possible.

While the new code embraces both radio and television, a statement of operating principles for the television industry is being distributed at the same time.

The all-industry code has a preamble and 11 sections, and it includes teeth for enforcement, including withdrawal of recognition after decision by the Board of Directors.

Opening lines of the preamble are:

"The purpose of this Code of Ethics is to document the realization by proprietors and managers of broadcasting stations that, as publishers and an integral part of the press of Canada, their first responsibility is to the radio listeners and television viewers of Canada for the dissemination of information and news, the supply of entertainment varied to meet the various tastes of listeners, and the necessity for ethical business standards in dealing with advertisers and their agencies."

The preamble also recognizes one other fact: "The electronic form of publication, known as private commercial broadcasting, is a highly competitive business devoted to provision of service to the public in all its branches - business, political, recreational, informational cultural and educational - for profit."

CONSIDERS THE AUDIENCE

In detail, the Code requires the broadcasting industry "to do program its various stations that as far as possible all groups of listeners and viewers shall have from these some part of the programing devoted to their special likes and desires."

It recognizes the responsibility of close control and supervision of programing for children without destroying their vigor and vitality and love of adventure. Programs, it says, should reflect respect for parents, adult authority, law and order and honorable behavior.

The Code recognizes participation in community activities, in the field of education, it proposed stations "do all their power to make specific educational efforts as useful and entertaining as possible." The stations should cooperate with educational groups in an attempt to augment the educational and cultural influences of schools, institutions of higher learning, the home and other institutions devoted to education and culture.

On the question of news, the Code emphasizes news should be presented accurately and without bias and that each station "shall satisfy itself that the arrangements made for obtaining news ensures this result." The section emphasizes news should not be selected to aid or hinder "on either side of any controversial public issue, nor colored by the beliefs or opinions of management, the editors or others."

It also recognizes the right to analyze or comment on the news provided the analysis or comment was clearly separated from the straight news report. The section then added: "Member stations will, insofar as practical, endeavor to provide editorial opinion which shall be clearly labelled as such and kept entirely distinct from regular broadcasts of news or analysis and opinion.

"It is recognized that the full, fair and proper presentation of news, opinion, comment and editorial is the prime and fundamental responsibility of the broadcast publishers."

The need to present all sides of any public issue is recognized in another section. It declares: "Time shall be allotted with due regard to all the other elements of balanced program schedules, and to the degree of public interest in the questions presented." It was also recognized that healthy controversy is essential to the maintenance of democratic institutions.

ADVERTISING AS A SERVICE

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And Our Own—Building
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MAY PRE-LABEL CRIME SHOWS AS ADULT ENTERTAINMENT

The possibility of an advance "Adult Entertainment" billing for television programs featuring crime, sex or violence is being bandied about in Canadian broadcasting circles.

Nothing may come of it right away, if ever. It is strictly a suggestion that has never been seriously considered by the Board of Broadcast Governors.

The general idea is that such an advertising procedure could be used when promoting TV programs that might be considered unsuitable for young viewers or offensive to some tastes.

Presumably some of the TV westerns and private eye shows would fall into this specified "Adult Entertainment" class. The same billing apparently could be applied to some dramatic productions, including those adapted for television from stage classics which spare little realism in language and behavior.

Some members of the BBG feel that this method of classifying program content would at least give families an advance warning, in stead of having them sit half-way through a program before deciding that it is objectionable for their children or themselves.

The Board now receives a steady flow of five or six letters a day from the listening and viewing public. A partial answer to some of those letters -- from people who consider certain programs or program series offensive -- could be an "Adult Entertainment" classification.

Dr. Andrew Stewart, BBG chairman, said in a recent address to an Ottawa women's club that the BBG has replied to some of these letters by saying that while it might object to certain programs, these programs do not contravene the broadcasting regulations.

VARIED AND COMPREHENSIVE

In one of the Board's replies, he said, this question was posed: "Would there be merit in the proposal that programs that might be unsuitable for all members of the family would be announced in advance as 'Adult Entertainment'?

Dr. Stewart noted in the same speech that while the Board is required to maintain a high standard of broadcasting, it also is obliged by the 1958 Broadcasting Act to ensure a radio and television service that is "varied and comprehensive."

He added: "Although it is one of the features of TV that it is a medium of family information and entertainment, it would, I think, offend the second principle if all programs had to be judged on the basis of their suitability for children or their acceptability to any particular group of viewers. The medium must offer variety, and for this reason it will remain a subject of controversy."

The "Adult Entertainment" idea is not completely new to television. The same sort of billing has been used occasionally in the United Kingdom, as well as on the CBC's French-language network.

Canadian broadcasters may not be keen on adopting such procedure as a regular thing. One of them said in an interview that broadcasters already have a responsibility in this regard by scheduling these programs for times when children are not normally around to view them.

In addition, there is a financial factor. How many advertisers would be happy when the programs they sponsor are billed in advance as suitable only for restricted viewing?

There is also the argument that this sort of billing by motion picture theatres has on some occasions -- though perhaps not by design -- served only as an added inducement for children to seek admission.

However, the BBG is understood to feel that regardless of this contention -- which the governors recognize as perhaps a good one -- there still may be merit in the proposal.

The Board's thinking -- although it is not giving any official weight to this -- appears to be that at least the parents should be warned that such a program is going to be carried. What the parents should do about this is their business.

CODE OF ETHICS

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ber stations," says the section, "to work with advertisers and agencies in the promotion of the technical effects of the advertising process so that these shall be in good taste, shall be simple to their audiences, and shall not offend what is generally accepted as the prevailing standard of good taste."

The section on religious programs says the broadcaster should endeavor to make available an opportunity for religious messages, and should assist in religious activities.

The concluding section on enforcement provides for a committee of three whose voice will be appointed by the board of directors and two elected by the annual meeting of the CAB for a period not exceeding five years. Any vacancy may be filled by the directors for the unexpired part of the term and shall be a question of the Code of Ethics Committee may institute its own inquiries or act on the request of others. In either event, it is required to report to the station concerned and then, if the station wishes, it can file a statement in reply.

If any breach is found, then the committee is empowered to revoke use of the Code symbol by the station. No public announcement is

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Transvideo Meets BBG

GUY HERBERT, vice-president and managing director of Transvideo Productions Ltd. of Toronto, and Robert Maxwell, executive vice-president of the company, went to Ottawa last month to see Dr. Andrew Stewart, chairman of the Board of Broadcast Governors, and Carlyle Allison, permanent member of the BBG, to discuss regulations governing Canadian content of television films.

Maxwell said the meeting was an exploratory discussion and that no definite commitments were made.

Dr. Stewart said after the meeting that the film makers discussed problems of production in Canada, especially in connection with National Velvet, a planned series based on a story about a young girl and her horse.

The BBG chairman said he assumed that Transvideo would qualify as a Canadian company under Board regulations, but that this was not considered in detail during the discussion.

The two Transvideo officials were seeking clarification from the Board on what constitutes Canadian content classification. No firm commitments were received, Maxwell said.

AMPLC Meets Feb. 4-5

The Tenth annual meeting of the Association of Motion Picture Producers and Laboratories of Canada will be held in the Westbury Hotel in Toronto February 4 and 5.

Dr. Andrew Stewart, chairman of the Board of Broadcast Governors, will be the special guest speaker at the annual dinner on Thursday, February 4.

Highlights of the meeting will include a panel discussion featuring Graeme Fraser, Crawley Films Ltd., on "Selling Sponsored Films"; Spence Caldwell, S. W. Caldwell Ltd., on "Financing the Teleseries"; and Ralph Foster, Meridian Films Ltd., on "Videotape". A round-table discussion will be held following this, with Art Chetwynd, Chetwynd Films Ltd., as chairman.

Along with the election and inauguration of a new slate of officers and the appointment of new committees for 1960, there will be a vote taken on the new name proposed for the association: "Canadian Association of Motion Picture Producers" (CAMPP).

Jarvis Joins Crawley's

A LAN JARVIS, for the last five years director of the National Gallery in Ottawa and at present editor of Canadian Art, is now writing scripts and developing programs for Crawley Films.

Educated at New York University and at Oxford, where he was a Rhodes scholar, Jarvis has been executive director of Pilgrim Films of London. He is founder of the Mermaid Theatre and was vice-president to Sir Stafford Cripps and active with the Industrial Design Council.

Jarvis will be available for a limited number of sponsored motion pictures and television projects. His first major assignment with Crawley's is a film for Union Carbide.

Kostiner's Check-List

EDWARD KOSTINER, president of Edward Productions Ltd., delivered a lecture recently to the men and women taking the advertising course held by the Ad & Sales Club of Montreal, in conjunction with the University of Montreal.

To emphasize the theme of his lecture -- methods of producing a filmed television commercial and choosing the right type of spot -- Kostiner gave his listeners a twelve-point check-list of things to avoid when making a commercial:

1. Don't use totally irrelevant gimmick openings.
2. Don't overuse optical tricks. The moment you begin to impress the viewer with your optical cleverness, you start to lose sales message effectiveness.
3. Don't use a jingle pointlessly. Use a jingle to emphasize product features or to establish a name.
4. Don't make extravagant claims that cannot be substantiated.
5. Don't go for too perfect results in demonstrations, such as the cake that is unbelievably high.

6. Don't assume that your customer knows all about your product just because you do.
7. Don't use cartoons to simulate live-action spots. The appeal of cartoons is in the element of fantasy.
8. Don't start a production unless you are completely prepared. This means means approvals from everybody including government departments where necessary.
9. Don't jump right into a sales pitch. Allow time for the viewer to orient himself to your commercial.
10. Don't cram your commercial with sales points. The appeal of cartoons is in the element of fantasy.
11. Don't start a production unless you are completely prepared. This means means approvals from everybody including government departments where necessary.
12. Don't write too many scenes and don't make them too short. Stick to a minimum of 3 seconds per scene.

Telexf Has "Multi-Clips"

TELEXFILM Productions is now offering a film-clip package called "Multi-Clips," in which program promotion spots can be spelled out by splicing desired sections together.

The library, sold on an outright basis, consists of 28 different titles such as "Special Feature," "Adventure," "Coming," and days of the week. Clips are one to ten seconds each in length.

Listing letters zooms and other special effects against a background of fireworks, and a sound-track consisting of a continuous roll of snare drums. An additional sound-track leader and fireworks leader are supplied for running and starting.

The nature of both sound track and pictorial background is such that unless your viewer jumps in picture or sound, according to Telelex.

A free sample clip from the "Multi-Clips" library may be obtained by writing to Telexfilm Film Productions, 966 East 57th Avenue, Vancouver 15, B.C.

Eve Upward

THE MOTION Picture Association of America estimates that the budgets for advertising and promoting the host of theatrical features scheduled for release during 1960 will exceed $70,000,000. Approximate cost of the 270 films to be released, according to MPA, will hit $409,000,000.

Owen Murphy Productions of New York has calculated that American business will use 9,151,700 feet of 16 mm film during 1960. The company further estimates that usage of business films by television will expand the number of people seeing these films to more than 1,100,000,000.

COMMUNICATIONS PROBLEMS?

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British Columbians are radio listeners...with money to spend! Small wonder more national advertisers are using more B.C. radio than ever.

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January 7th, 1960
was on top of the heap in those days, but seems to have left broadcasting now.

Bill Deegan reported that he had given his wife a new furnace for Christmas. He admitted it might lack in romance but after all it was a practical gift. Bill went on to say that he pinch-hits on the early morning show when Wally Crouter is "IN Masse or on the golf course". He drags himself into the studio at 5:30 a.m., and as soon as he has delivered his first joke, the phone rings and someone says: "Where's Wally?" Bill doesn't like this. He said they need not phone at all, if they do, couldn't they say: "Hello! Where's Wally?"

Keith Rich's father is a doctor, and he told how his Dad used to "dissect the turkey at Christmas dinner each year. He would explain each muscle one by one," Keith said, "and then he would give us the medical long Latin term for each one. But I didn't learn a thing from him. I still massacre the turkey at my own dinner table."

Alan Small, CFRB's all night man, gets some very interesting phone calls. "No details," he said, "but thank you very much."

Art Collins used to collect records. Now he performs his hobby as CFRB librarian.

Eddie Luther planned spending a quiet Christmas at home, with his family.

Keen and efficient, but petite and oh so fetching, Betty Kennedy was "simply amazed" at how many people battled the weather to sing carols and meet the gang. She hopes for a repeat performance, with more room for more people.

Bill Baker said there had been some thought about using a theatre next year, but feels the studio is better and more informal. Everyone agreed that above all else, it has to be spontaneous.

Outside audience reaction — there were 79 phone calls during the show; more later; and the mail is still coming in.

My own muthball comment: people have a lot to say about images these days, and this was a double take. About 150 ardent fans got themselves literally an image of the CFRB personalities. CFRB, from the studio audience reaction and the phone calls and mail from outside, got a pretty good image of the audience.

PUBLIC LIKES TV

FLMO ROPER, whose business is polling public opinion, said in Washington recently that a survey conducted during the first part of December shows the American public maintains a high degree of confidence in television despite exposure of rigging of some quiz shows.

In a report of his findings to the Federal Communications Commission, Roper said: "The public is properly critical of abuses but has not lost confidence in the medium as a whole. Moreover, the people put differing degrees of disapproval on various practices which have been publicized. If public opinion in this instance runs true to form, I have no doubt that, barring other disclosures of other kinds of misconduct, the number of people critical of television will be reduced six months or a year from now."

Roper said that in the survey, 73 per cent of the public felt that advance rehearsals of quiz shows were "somewhat questionable" or "very bad" while only 25 per cent described "free plugs" in these terms. Payola was considered a bad or questionable practice by 45 per cent.

SIMULCAST NETS $1,850

TO HELP RAISE $1,500 for the Moose Jaw Rotary Club's "Old Age Pensioners' Christmas Fund", CHAB-Radio and Television aired a two-hour simulcast on December 6. A battery of eight telephones was set up and manned by Rotary Club members. During the simulcast, which began at 2 p.m., listeners phoned the studios to pledge a total of $1,525 for the Christmas Fund.

When the final donations were tabulated the next day, $1,850 had been raised.

PROGRESSIVE ENTERTAINMENT

FOR FIVE nights a week, for six weeks prior to its opening on December 7, CKGM, Montreal entertained national advertisers in its studios.

In order to give the station's staff a better chance to meet the agency executives personally and show them the station, it was decided to entertain one agency each evening.

This cycle of receptions started early in November, and around thirty social evenings were held.

And speaking of social evenings (to say nothing of mornings and afternoons), now that the holiday festivities are over for another year, please note that I have come down to earth from Cloud 9, and am once again accessible by telephone. So buzz me if you hear anything, won't you?
CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE

CAB AND BBG MEET ON ETHICS CODE

T the CONSULTATIVE committee on private broadcasting, one of a number of committees which have been set up by the Board of Broadcast Governors, held its initial meeting early this month in Ottawa, to discuss the new TV regulations and the "Code of Ethics" and "Statement of Operating Principles (Television)" recently approved by the Canadian Association of Broadcasters.

The committee, consisting of representatives of the Board of Broadcast Governors and of the Canadian Association of Broadcasters, will meet three or four times a year and may meet at other times if it is found desirable.

The purpose of the committee is to provide a means of communication between the Board and the private broadcasters. It has no power to make decisions on behalf of the Board of Broadcast Governors or the Canadian Association of Broadcasters. According to a BBG press statement, "the experience of the first meeting proves that the committee will be helpful in the exchange of information and views."

During the meeting, some time was devoted to the question of "payola." The BBG members reported that there had been no complaints to the Board of any suspicion of this form of record company pay-off to disc jockeys, which appeared to be prevalent in the States. Members of the CAB also had no knowledge of the operation of "payola" in this country.

It was agreed that the practice was less likely in Canada than in the United States because "smaller stations serving smaller audiences than in the big American cities offered smaller gains from the distribution of records; fewer companies are distributing records in Canada, five or six in place of 600; there is more direct program control by management in Canadian stations, and, perhaps most important of all, the hit parade selections in Canada are largely determined by USA popularity which predominates Canadian lists of the 'top forty' or 'top-ten'. In other words, the circumstances which seem to have induced the practice of 'payola' elsewhere, do not seem to be present in Canada."

CAB officials reported that they had kept an alert eye open for abuses in this country, but had not turned any in this respect. But it was made clear that the CAB and the BBG would invite any documented information if persons had knowledge even of isolated cases of "payola" in Canada. Meanwhile, the committee felt there was no need to investigate further at this time.

Attending this first meeting were Dr. Andrew Stewart, BBG chairman; Roger Duffamet, BBG vice-chairman; Carlyle Allison, full-member of the BBG; Dr. Eugene Forsey, member of the executive committee of the BBG; CAB President Malcolm Neill, CFNB, Fredericton; T. J. Allard, executive vice-president of the CAB; Bill flour, CFPL, London, member of the executive committee of the CAB; Don Jameson, Station CJON, St. John's, Newfoundland.

Corrections

THE MEDIA personnel of Foster Advertising Ltd., Toronto, were listed incorrectly in our December 10 issue. Foster broadcasting officers are: Radio-TV Director — S. Alex MacKay; Radio-TV Dept. Supervisor — Mary Newton; Media Director — Ralph Draper; Time Buyers — Gwen Rudolph and Sheila Wright. The Toronto office of Paul-Phelan Advertising Ltd. was listed in our December 10 issue as being located at 6 Crescentwood Drive. The correct address is 6 Crescent Road.

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AUDREY STUFF
Then there's the gal who was so dumb she thought octopi had something to do with a pie which had been cut into eight pieces.

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PERSONALLY SPEAKING
Isn't it better to be a has-been than a never-went?

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POINT OF PERSPECTIVE
You can really feel sorry for the publicity photographer who could never get a shot at the better side of the famous-star, because she was always sitting on it.

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DEPT. OF ANALOGIES
The man who claims that advertising never brought him any business needs reminding that sunshine doesn't put the hay in the barn either.

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BACK SEAT INTERFERENCE
"Turn off the radio, Daddy. I can't hear the motor".

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QUOTATIONS OF THE YEAR
"Give a woman an inch and she'll park a car in it."
—British Chief Constable J. S. Gaskaine (Quoted by UPI)

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The Bureau of Broadcast Measurement has announced the dates for the 1960 Spring Survey. They are March 14 to 20 inclusive.

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This year the Canadian Association of Broadcasters is meeting for its annual convention at the Château Frontenac, Québec City, on Monday, Wednesday, and Thursday. All day Monday and Tuesday and Wednesday morning will be devoted to business meetings open to members only.

Wednesday, at 4 p.m., the Bureau of Broadcast Measurement is holding its annual meeting, which advertises and advertising agencies, as well as member stations will be free to attend. The same evening, the CAB is holding its annual reception and dinner, to which friends of the industry will be more than welcome.

Monday night has been set aside for a special dinner for past and present directors and officers of the CAB and BMI Canada Ltd. The dinner is being arranged by BMI Canada Ltd.

The B.C. provincial branch meeting will be held in the afternoon.

Thursday and Friday, the agenda includes sessions of the board of directors and the annual meeting of the members. The agenda for the convention includes a number of sessions and events. On Monday, all day, and Tuesday, the agenda is devoted to advertisers' traffic, production managers, traffic, and advertisers. The same evening, the agenda is devoted to sales promotion for salesmen and advertising managers.

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He was formerly program director for CFCEM-TV only.

The Western Television Sales Managers will hold their annual meeting in the Caravan Hotel in Calgary Thursday and Friday, January 28 and 29.

The agenda is as follows:

THURSDAY

9:30 a.m.-Address of welcome.

9:45 a.m.-Outline of the agenda by Lloyd Crittenden, CJLH-TV, Lethbridge.

10:15 a.m.-"What Your Sponsor Thinks" panel discussion moderated by Bob Watton, sales manager, CHCT-TV, Calgary.

Panel members include: Peter Harrison, advertising manager, Jenkins Groceteria; Bob Drinnan, advertising manager, Hudson's Bay Co.; Orville Burke, Orville Burke Lumber; A. M. Shoults, manager, James Lovick and Bert Jacques, A. E. Jacques Co.

12:00 noon-Lunch. Hosts are CHAT-TV, Medicine Hat and CJLH-TV, Lethbridge.

2:00 p.m.-"Local Sales Seminar" and "National Sales Seminars." The afternoon sessions will run concurrently.

6:30 p.m.-Cocktails and dinner. CHCT-TV, Calgary, is the host.

FRIDAY

9:30 a.m.-To be announced.

10:15 a.m.-"Our Canadian Future in Television" by Herb Stent.

10:45 a.m.-General meeting—Local and national sales discussion of joint problems and presents raised at the Thursday seminars.

12:00 noon-Lunch. Hosts are Medicine Hat and Lethbridge television.

2:00 p.m.-BAB-TV Presentation of Karl Steeves will be giving his summit television presentation entitled "Two Weeks in Lethbridge." Spring Survey.

3:00 p.m.-General meeting.

4:30 p.m.-Votes of thanks.

6:00 p.m.-Cocktails and dinner. Host is All-Canada Radio and Television Ltd.
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A Happy New Year to All
**BUSHNELL OPENS OTTAWA OFFICE**

*Bushnell Broadcasting Associates Ltd., headed by Ernest L. Bushnell, who left his post as CBC vice-president December 31, opened offices in Ottawa this month at 130 Slater Street. The new company will provide consulting services for the radio and television industries. The range of planned services to be offered by BBA covers the requirements of established stations and station management, license applicants, sponsors, advertising agencies and producers.*

Mr. Bushnell said that his organization was not entering areas in which Canadian radio and television is already well served. BBA will not be concerned with contracts for air time, which are handled by station representatives nor with program selling.

*Associated with Mr. Bushnell in the new venture is a team of Canadians, senior executives and partners in the N. A. Taylor group of companies. Vice-president of BBA is David Grisdorf, former general manager of Odeon Theatres, who now heads the group's distribution and production of films for television. N. A. Taylor and H. S. Mandell are directors with the latter serving as secretary-treasurer. G. E. Beaumont, QC, of Ottawa, is the fifth director.*

The Taylor group of companies operating in the entertainment field includes the 25th Century Theatres; Toronto International Film Studios; NTA Telefilm (Canada) Ltd.; Beaver Film Productions; International Film Distributors and Allied Artists Pictures.

N. A. Taylor Associates is said to be the only Canadian organization active in all three branches of films -- production, distribution and exhibition. The theatre circuit is this country's third largest. The theatrical distribution agency handles films of British, US, French, Italian and Canadian producers. Now active in feature production, the group is currently discussing co-production deals with producers outside Canada, placing the emphasis in each case on shooting pictures here, using the Toronto studios.

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**CHINOOK COMMUNICATIONS LTD.**

**APPOINTMENT**

**HERBERT S. STEWART**

The appointment of Herbert S. Stewart to the position of Executive Vice-President of Chinook Communications Ltd., was announced today by A. G. Bailey, President.

Stewart has been manager of CHCT-TV, Calgary, since 1954. He has been active in the television broadcasting industry for the past 11 years as consultant in station licence applications, television station management, and highly respected member of the television industry in Canada.

A graduate of Ohio State University and a charter member of the 'TV Pioneers Association,' Stewart was Chairman of the CAB TV Code of Ethics Committee, which researched and wrote a standard of operating principles and procedures for Canadian TV stations under an industry code, which will come into effect very soon.

Chinook Communications Ltd. will make an application for the second television licence in Calgary, Alberta.*

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**THEY TAKE A TRIP...**

*Photo by Graphic Industries Ltd.*

**CKWX-RADIO, VANCOUVER,** and the local IGA Stores sent these forty boys, along with two YMCA supervisors, to Disneyland for a week's holiday last month. The lads were the winners in a contest which called for youngsters in the Vancouver area to collect IGA house brand labels during November, and deposit them at IGA stores throughout the city. Almost 30,000 labels were turned in, with the forty who turned in the greatest number being given the trip to Disneyland.

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**. . . . THEY SIT AND SIP**

*Photo by A.B.C. Studios Inc.*

AMONG THOSE AT THE CHRISTMAS PARTY held in Montreal's Mount Royal Hotel by Interprovincial Broadcast Sales were (left to right): Paul-Emile Corbeil, Television-Radio Productions Inc.; Gaby Lalonde, Young & Rubicam; Mrs. Maurice Dansereau, CHLN-Radio, Trois Rivieres; and Jean Filliatreau, Laurent Jodoin, Mrs. Jeannine Guerin and Marcel Provost, all with the Montreal office of Vickers and Benson.

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**CBC COMBINES INDUSTRIAL AND TALENT RELATIONS UNDER MCKEE**

*The Industrial and talent relations of the CBC have been consolidated into one department under Clive B. McKee, formerly manager of industrial relations, who has been appointed director of industrial and talent relations.*

McKee joined the engineering department of the CBC in December, 1947. He was transferred to the industrial relations group in 1953. Before joining the CBC, he had been with the BBC for six years in the engineering and public relations fields.
A film studio without film?
"Tape may soon supercede it!"

The quotes are not ours, but belong to Julian Roffman, a partner of Meridian Films Limited, Toronto.

The spectacled Mr. Roffman is shown here with Bob Hinze, his chief recording engineer, studying the main reason for his prediction — a VIDEOTAPE® television recorder which has already opened new vistas for Meridian. For example:

"A producer is no longer shackled by the chains of time. You can see your image come to life seconds later — make constructive changes during the white heat of creative thinking. You can spot immediately if you're headed in the right or wrong direction, reducing time and money waste to a minimum while improving quality."

Another joy for Mr. Roffman is new freedom in creation of special effects. "We can now try and assess immediately new effects which normally would take weeks or a month of tremulous waiting on film," he says.

Ralph Foster, the partner who concerns himself with client service, puts it this way:

"Now we can make 'instant commercials,' and show results to the client in five minutes instead of six weeks. If an agency came to us one morning for a commercial, we could have the finished job out on the west coast inside of 24 hours."

Any way you put it, there's an impressive list of money-saving, money-making reasons why you should look into the new Ampex VR-1000B Videotape Television Recorder. Write, wire or phone today for an Ampex representative, or ask for our fully illustrated brochure.
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