

mc); ERP 10.2 kw vis., 5.1 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 337 feet, above ground 330.7 feet. P.O. address c/o Louis Iaconetti, Joliet Street, Dyer, Ind. Estimated construction cost \$213,585; first year operating cost \$44,260. Studio and trans. locations both St. John. Geographic coordinates 41° 28' 01" north latitude, 87° 28' 25" west longitude. Type trans. GE-TT-20A, type ant. COEL Co 22sw. Legal counsel William H. James, Dyer; consulting engineer Duane M. Weise, Chicago Heights, Ill. Principal: advisory board, Louis Iaconetti, director of television. Ann. April 28.

Youngstown, Ohio—Dynamic Broadcasting Inc. UHF channel 45 (656-662 mc); ERP 91 kw vis., 25.8 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 178 feet, above ground 360 feet. P.O. address Radio Station WAMO, 1811 Boulevard of Allies, Pittsburgh. Estimated construction cost \$20,000 (leasing); first year operating cost \$225,000; revenue \$225,000. Geographic coordinates 41° 08' 01" north latitude, 80° 39' 19" west longitude. Studio and trans. locations both Youngstown. Type trans. DuMont 1500; type ant. Gates WA-25-45. Legal counsel, Samuel Miller, Washington; consulting engineer Morton Morrison, Patchogue, N. Y. Principals: Leonard Walk (50%), Bernard Friedman and James Rich (each 25%). Mr. Friedman owns advertising agency in Pittsburgh. Dynamic Broadcasting owns WAMO-AM-FM Pittsburgh, and WUFO Amherst, N. Y., with less than 1% interest in Rollins Inc. stations. Music Air is subsidiary of Dynamic Broadcasting which furnishes background music in Pittsburgh area. Ann. April 19.

Existing TV stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission granted petitions by KSLA-TV Inc. (KSLA-TV), Shreveport, La., and Texas Goldcoast Television Inc. (KPAC-TV), Port Arthur, Tex., to extent of setting aside Jan. 8 action which waived Sec. 73.610 of mileage separation rules and granted application of Television Broadcasters Inc. to move trans. of KBMT(TV) (ch. 12) Beaumont, Tex., to 2 miles west of Mauriceville, increase ant. height to 1,000 feet, decrease vis. power to 219 kw, and make other changes. and designated application and applications for renewal of licenses of KBMT and KPAC-TV for consolidated hearing. Issues include determination of (1) facts and circumstances surrounding program survey made by Television Broadcasters and "check survey" made by Texas Goldcoast, and preparation and submission of results thereof to commission; (2) whether principals, agents, employees or representatives of Television Broadcasters or Texas Goldcoast have made misrepresentations to commission or have, in any manner, attempted to deceive or mislead commission; and (3) whether applicants have requisite qualifications to be broadcast licensees. In event of renewal grant and reinstatement of Jan. 8 grant to KBMT as result of hearing, latter will be made subject to new conditions in lieu of those originally imposed to provide "equivalent protection" to KSLA-TV. Commissioners Lee and Cox concurred and former issued statement. Action May 5.

■ Commission gives notice that March 11 initial decision which looked toward granting application of Midwest Television Inc. to change operation of WMBD-FM Peoria, Ill., from channel 223 (92.5 mc) to channel 227 (93.3 mc), became effective pursuant to Sec. 1.276 of rules. Action April 30.

WBKB(TV) Chicago—Granted renewal of license. Commissioner Cox dissented. Action April 28.

■ By order, commission granted request by American Broadcasting-Paramount Theaters Inc. for extension of time to June 11 to submit terms and conditions under which proposed ant. structure will be made available to potential users as required by commission's Feb. 11 memorandum opinion and order which granted application to increase ant. height of KGO-TV San Francisco, conditioned that ant. structure be made available for use, on fair and equitable basis, to present and future broadcast facilities in San Francisco area on request, and which afforded KGO-TV 60 days to file required information. Action April 28.

CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

■ WNYE-TV New York—Board of Education City of New York. Changed from WREG(TV).

■ WDHO-TV Toledo, Ohio—D. H. Overmyer.

■ KVUE(TV) Salem, Ore.—Salem Television Co.

New AM stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

St. Ignace, Mich.—Mighty-Mac Broadcasting Co. Granted CP for new AM on 940 kc, 5 kw, D. P.O. address 259 West Grand River Avenue, East Lansing, Mich. Estimated construction cost \$36,243; first year operating cost \$22,000; revenue \$28,450. Principals: Donald E. Benson (73%), Charles D. Benson (18%), Norris E. Grover (9%), and others. Mr. Grover is retired chief engineer of WKAR East Lansing, which is licensed to Michigan State University. D. E. Benson is veterinarian. Action April 29.

ETV fund grants

Following grants for matching funds last week were announced by Department of Health, Education and Welfare:

- Topeka, Kan.—Washburn University; \$229,449 to activate channel 11 in Topeka; total project cost \$458,897.
- Lincoln, Neb.—Nebraska Educational Television Commission; \$182,747 to activate channel 3 in Lexington, Neb.; total project cost \$365,494.
- Nashville—Tennessee State Board of Education; \$512,296 to activate channel 2 in Sneedville, Tenn.; total project cost \$874,954.

East Prairie, Mo.—Raymond Lewis. Granted CP for new AM on 1080 kc, 250 w, D. P.O. address Box 123, East Prairie. Estimated construction cost \$14,208; first year operating cost \$24,000; revenue \$32,000. Mr. Lewis is owner of oil distributing firm. Action April 28.

Existing AM stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission denied petition by Radio St. Clair for waiver of AM broadcast rules and dismissed re-tendered application of Dec. 15, 1964 to increase power of WDOG Marine City, Mich., on 1590 kc, DA, D, from 1 kw to 5 kw and change trans. site and station location to Warren. Action May 5.

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission granted application of KOOS Inc. to increase daytime power of KOOS Coos Bay, Ore., on 1230 kc from 250 w to 1 kw, continued nighttime operation with 250 w; conditions; and denied opposing petition by KYNG Coos Bay. Action May 5.

■ By order, commission granted application of KDES Inc. for change of operation of KDES Palm Springs, Calif., on 920 kc from 1 kw, D, to 500 w-N, 5 kw-LS, DA-2; conditions include no pre-sunrise operation with daytime facilities pending decision in Doc. 14419; denied opposition by KRAM Las Vegas. Commissioner Cox dissented. Action May 5.

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission denied petition by Pendleton Broadcasting Co. (KUMA), Pendleton, Ore., for reconsideration of Dec. 21, 1964 action which accepted amended application of Hi-Desert Broadcasting Corp. to change operation of KDHI Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif., from 1250 kc, 1 kw, D, to 1120 kc (in lieu of 1110 kc originally requested). 10 kw, DA-N, unli.; dismissed as moot motion by Hi-Desert to strike Pendleton's petition. Action May 5.

■ Commission granted applications of Crowell-Collier Broadcasting Corp. for renewal of licenses of KFWE Los Angeles, and KEWB Oakland, Calif., for remainder of regular term ending Dec. 1, 1965, without prejudice to whatever action, if any, may be taken with respect to facts which may be developed concerning payola practices alleged in case of Albert Huskey vs. Crowell-Collier Broadcasting Corp. et al. Action May 5.

■ By memorandum opinion and order in proceeding on applications of Nebraska Rural Radio Association to change facilities of KRVN Lexington, Neb., from 1010 kc, 25 kw, DA, D, to 880 kc, 50 kw, DA-2, unli., and Town & Farm Inc. to change facilities of KMMJ Grand Island, from 750 kc, 10 kw, L-WSB, DA-1, to 880 kc, 50 kw, DA-2, unli., commission denied petition by KRVN for reconsideration and dismissal of KMMJ's application as defective in light of proposed overlap of 1 mv/m contour with that of KXXX Colby, Kan., also owned by KMMJ.

KMMJ seeks to improve broadcast facilities and proposes to provide first reception service for substantial area. Factors assure commission that it would be in public interest to permit it to prosecute application, subject to condition that, prior to commencement of operation as proposed, KMMJ will dispose of interest in KXXX as asserted in amendment to application. Action May 5.

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission granted petition by Effingham Broadcasting Co. to extent of (1) staying Feb. 8 requirement to reduce operating power of WCRA Effingham, Ill., to 250 w and (2) authorizing WCRA to continue 1 kw operation until conclusion of hearing proceeding. It denied petition by Effingham Broadcasting for reconsideration of hearing order, also denied petition by KAAV Inc. (KAAV), Little Rock, Ark., to dissolve stay. It further ordered examiner and all parties to proceed to conclusion of proceeding with all possible expedition. Action April 28.

WPFE Eastman, Ga.—Granted change of facilities from 1580 kc, 500 w, D, to 710 kc, 1 kw, D; remote control permitted; conditions include no pre-sunrise operation with daytime facilities pending decision in Doc. 14419. Action April 28.

WHSL Wilmington, N. C.—Waived Sec. 1.534(b) of rules and accepted and granted application to increase daytime power from 250 w to 1 kw, continued operation on 1490 kc with 250 w-N; condition. Replaces expired permit. Action April 28.

CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

■ WATY North Atlanta, Ga.—North Atlanta Broadcasting Co.

■ WJBG Pontiac, Ill.—Livingston County Broadcasting Co.

■ KMPL Sikeston, Mo.—Semo Broadcasting Corp.

New FM stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

Durham, N. C.—Carolina Radio of Durham Inc. Granted CP for new FM on 107.1 mc, channel 296, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 113.5 feet. P.O. address Box 28, Durham. Estimated construction cost \$13,985; first year operating cost \$7,200; revenue \$6,000. Principals: George F. Kirkland Jr. (33 1/3%), James H. Mayes Jr., Morris L. Cherry, Howard X. Bowling and Guy R. Willis (each 16 2/3%). Carolina Radio is licensee of WSRG Durham. Action May 3.

Franklin, N. C.—Radio Station WFSC Inc. Granted CP for new FM on 96.7 mc, channel 244A, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain minus 327 feet. P.O. address Box 470, Franklin. Estimated construction cost \$18,080; first year operating cost \$7,500; revenue \$6,000. Principals: Henry G. Bartol Jr. and Gertrude S. Taylor (each 50%). H. G. Bartol and G. S. Taylor each have 50% interest in WYTN Tryon, and WFSC Franklin, both North Carolina. Action April 29.

*Corvallis, Ore.—Oregon State Board of Higher Education. Granted CP for new FM on 90 mc, channel 211, 10 w, P.O. address Box 5175, Eugene, Ore. Estimated construction cost \$2,106; first year operating cost \$500. Principal: board of higher education. State of Oregon, through board of higher education owns KOAC-AM-TV Corvallis; KOAP-AM-TV Portland; KWAX-FM Eugene, and KTEC Oretch, all Oregon. Action April 28.

Brownwood, Tex.—KEAN Radio Corp. Granted CP for new FM on 99.3 mc, channel 257A, 720 w. Ant. height above average terrain 114 feet. P.O. address Box 511, Brownwood. Estimated construction cost \$10,428; first year operating cost \$12,000; revenue \$12,000. Principals: Pat Farren Davidson and Eddy Farren (each 50%), Kean Radio is licensee of KEAN Brownwood. Action April 29.

APPLICATIONS

Hyannis, Mass.—Charter Broadcasting Corp. of Massachusetts. 106.1 mc, channel 291, 21.8 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 423 feet. P.O. address 42 Longmeadow Road, Belmont, Mass. Estimated construction cost \$43,000; first year operating cost \$23,500; revenue \$25,000. Principals: Edward T. Sullivan, Frederick M. Cusick, Freda M. Sullivan and Barbara Cusick (each 25%). Mr. Cusick is radio and TV director of Boston Gardens, Boston. Ann. April 28.

Hancock, Mich.—Copper County Broadcasting Co. 93.5 mc, channel 228, 3 kw, Ant. height above average terrain 250 feet. P.O. address Hotel Scott, Hancock. Estimated construction cost \$14,195; first year operating cost \$1,000; revenue \$1,000. Principals: Francis S. Locatelli (68.7%), Sam Locatelli