

Media, Pa.; scheduled prehearing conference for Feb. 20, in Washington and hearing for March 21 in Media, Pa. (Doc. 17141). On Jan. 27 in proceeding on application for license renewal of KHAI by Royal Broadcasting Inc., and CP application of Radio KHAI Inc. for new AM facilities, both Honolulu, corrected transcript (Docs. 16676-7).

■ Hearing Examiner Isadore A. Honig on Jan. 31 in proceeding on AM application of Arthur A. Cirilli, trustee in bankruptcy (WIGL) for renewal of license of WIGL and Quality Radio Inc. (WAKX), both Superior, Wis. and Arthur A. Cirilli, trustee in bankruptcy (assignor) and D.L.K. Broadcasting Inc. (assignee) for assignment of license of WIGL, scheduled further prehearing conference for Feb. 17 (Docs. 16476-8).

■ Hearing Examiner H. Gifford Irion on Jan. 30 in proceeding on AM application of Madison County Broadcasting Inc. (WRTH) Wood River, Ill., granted applicant's petition and continued prehearing conference from Jan. 30 to March 16 (Doc. 16980).

■ Hearing Examiner David I. Kraushaar on Jan. 27 in proceeding on AM applications of Atlantic Broadcasting Company (WUST), Bethesda, Md., et al., denied WUST's petition to accept amendment and continued hearing pending further order (Docs. 16706-8).

■ Hearing Examiner Elizabeth C. Smith on Jan. 30 in revocation proceeding involving WSRA Milton, Fla., granted Broadcast Bureau's petition and continued prehearing conference from Feb. 3 to Feb. 7 (Doc. 16674).

FINES

■ Broadcast Bureau by letter of Jan. 27, notified Avoyelles Broadcasting Co. (KAPB) Marksville, La., that they have incurred apparent forfeiture liability of \$200 for violations of rules, including failure to provide data concerning equipment performance measurements. Licensee has 30 days to pay or to contest forfeiture. Action Jan. 27.

■ Because of unauthorized presurise operation and failure to install tower lighting equipment, Wagoner Radio Co., licensee of KWLG Wagoner, Okla., was notified by FCC of apparent liability in amount of \$5,000. Action Jan. 25.

■ Commission adopted memorandum opinion and order directing Mayaguez Radio Corp., licensee of WTLI Mayaguez, P. R. to pay forfeiture of \$250. Notice of apparent liability in this amount was sent to licensee on Nov. 3, 1966, for violation of Sec. 73.67(a)(4) of rules—"failure to provide a means for increasing or decreasing station power from the remote control point . . ." In its order, commission stated that licensee's response did not justify reducing or rescinding the forfeiture. Action Jan. 25.

RULEMAKING ACTIONS

■ Commission adopted notice of proposed rulemaking looking toward adoption of additional subsection to rules regarding station identification which would prohibit broadcast of "station identification announcements, promotional announcements or any other broadcast matter" which either leads or attempts to lead listeners to believe that station has been assigned to city other than that specified in its license. Change in rules would apply to AM, FM and TV licensees and was contemplated by commission's recent decision regarding KABL Oakland, Calif. (5 F.C.C. 2d 855). Commissioner Loevinger dissenting; Commissioner Johnson concurred with statement. Action Jan. 25.

CALL LETTER APPLICATIONS

■ WNSM, Embury Broadcasting Co., Valparaiso-Niceville, Fla. Requests WFSH.

■ WAPC, Adams-Getschall Broadcasting Inc. Requests WHRF.

DESIGNATED FOR HEARING

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission designated for hearing application of Stokes County Broadcasting Co. to install directional antenna system and increase daytime power of WKTE King, N. C. from 500 w to 5 kw-DA, continued operation on 1090 kc. Action Jan. 25.

■ Commission designated for further hearing in Docs. 16609, 16610, mutually exclusive applications of Northwest Broadcasters Inc. (KBVU) Bellevue, Wash., for renewal of license and Bellevue Broadcasters Inc. (KFKF) for CP. Application for transfer of control of Northwest Broad-

casters Inc. was returned and petition to amend the KBVU renewal application was denied. Commissioner Cox dissented; Commissioner Johnson not participating. Action Feb. 1.

New FM stations

APPLICATIONS

Columbus, Ga.—WOKS Broadcasting Co. Seeks 104.9 mc, ch. 285, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 53 ft. P.O. address: Box 1998. Columbus 31902. Estimated construction cost \$19,055; first-year operating cost \$15,000 over present AM; revenue \$20,000 over. Principals: Joseph S. Ray, president (50%) and Milton Hirsch, vice president, secretary and treasurer (50%). Messrs. Ray and Hirsch are stockholders in WWGM Nashville and WOKS Columbus. Ann. Jan. 26.

Warner Robins, Ga.—WRBN Inc. Seeks 101.7 mc, ch. 269, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 207 ft. P.O. address: 1532 Watson Boulevard, Warner Robins 31093. Estimated construction cost \$17,880; first-year operating cost \$12,000; revenue \$30,000. Principals: Mary M. Jarrard (55%) and B. F. J. Timm (45%). Mary Jarrard is director, vice president, general manager and owner of WDMG Inc., Douglas Georgia Radio Broadcasting Farm, licensee of WDMG Douglas, Ga.; 55% owner of WRBN Inc., licensee of WRBN Warner Robins, and director and vice president of WMEN Inc., licensee of WMEN Tallahassee, Fla. B. F. J. Timm is 100% owner of WDMG, WMEN and WBOM Jacksonville, Fla. (CP), 49% owner of WTIF Tifton, Ga. and 45% owner of WRBN, Ann. Jan. 30.

Ames, Iowa.—KASI Iowa Inc. Seeks 107.1 mc, ch. 296, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 287 ft. P.O. address: 415½ Main Street, Ames 50010. Estimated construction cost \$20,655; first-year operating cost \$12,000 above AM; revenue \$12,000 above AM. Principals: Dale and Marion Cowle, president and treasurer, vice president and secretary, respectively, Greg Rouleau, vice president and George W. Crampton, assistant secretary. Applicant is licensee of KASI Ames. Parent corporation is Ames Broadcasting Co., licensee of WQUA Moline, Ill. and KDAL-AM-TV Duluth, Minn. Ann. Jan. 31.

Mt. Sterling, Ky.—Mt. Sterling Broadcasting Inc. Seeks 103.9 mc, ch. 280, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 300 ft. P.O. address: 34 Broadway, Mt. Sterling 40353. Estimated construction cost \$12,040; first-year operating cost \$12,000 in addition to AM; revenue \$12,000 in addition. Principals: William C. Clay Jr.: 41% owner, director and president of Capital Broadcasting Corp., licensee of WFKY, and CP for WFKY-FM Frankfort, Ky.; 7% owner, vice president and director of Mt. Sterling Broadcasting Inc., licensee of WMST Mt. Sterling; 41% owner, director and president of Delaware-Marysville Broadcasting Services Inc., licensee of WDLR Delaware, Ohio; 8% owner and vice president of Mount Sterling Antennavision Inc. plus other business interests. R. J. Reynolds: 41% owner, vice president and director of Capital Broadcasting Corp.; 41% owner, president and director of Mt. Sterling Broadcasting Co.; 41% owner, treasurer and director of Delaware-Marysville Broadcasting Service Inc., plus other business interests. W. R. Reynolds has 10% of same interests and is officer in same. Robert V. Doll has 8% of same interests and is executive vice president of each and has 2% interest, is secretary and director of Mount Sterling Antennavision Co. Ann. Feb. 1.

Grand Haven, Mich.—West-Side Broadcasting Co. Seeks 92.1 mc, ch. 221, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 60 ft. P.O. address: 212½ Washington Street, Grand Haven 49417. Estimated construction cost \$12,085; first-year operating cost \$25,000; revenue \$35,000. Principals: Charles E. Rich (51%), John R. Parker (22%), Diane E. La Boueff (22%), and Jack L. Maciejewski (0.5%). Mr. Rich is owner of Holland Radio & Appliance Co., appliance-automotive painting concern. Mr. Parker is research chemist. Diane La Boueff is senior library clerk at Michigan State University and a master's candidate. Mr. Maciejewski is chief engineer of Regional Broadcasters of Michigan Inc., licensee of WTRU Muskegon and WGRD Grand Rapids, both Michigan. Ann. Jan. 31.

Lapeer, Mich.—Lapeer Broadcasting Co. Seeks 103.1 mc, ch. 276, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 300 ft. P.O. address: 1150 Morris Road, Lapeer 48446. Estimated construction cost \$22,315; first-year operating cost \$10,000; revenue \$14,000. Principals: Lapeer Broadcasting Co. owns WTHM

Lapeer. Robert A. Tripp, president and James Harris, first vice president (each 33.2%), Edward P. Oyster, vice president and general manager and Robert R. Taylor, secretary-treasurer (each 16.6%). Ann. Jan. 31.

Litchfield, Minn.—Litchfield Broadcasting Corp. Seeks 95.3 mc, ch. 237, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 105 ft. P.O. address: 222 North Sibley Avenue, Litchfield 55355. Estimated construction cost \$2,100 above KLFD; first-year operating cost \$9,000 above; revenue \$12,000 above. Principals: Herbert Gross and Alver Leighton (each 50%). Messrs. Gross and Leighton are officers, directors and stockholders in KLFD Litchfield and KDLM Detroit Lakes, Minn. Mr. Leighton is also officer, director and stockholder in KLGR Redwood Falls, Minn. Ann. Jan. 31.

Portland, Ore.—Cascade Broadcasting Corp. Seeks 92.3 mc, ch. 222, 59.2 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 934 ft. P.O. address: Standard Plaza, Portland 97202. Estimated construction cost \$35,500; first-year operating cost \$35,200; revenue \$30,600. Principals: See application for FCC consent to assignment of license of KLIQ Portland under Ownership Changes, Applications. Ann. Feb. 1.

Kingsport, Tenn.—Palmer Dykes Broadcasting Co. Seeks 104.9 mc, ch. 285, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 298 ft. P. O. address: 1767 Fort Henry Drive, Kingsport. Estimated construction cost \$30,453; first-year operating cost \$30,000; revenue \$36,000. Principals: Basil J. Palmer and Paul Dykes (each 50%). Mr. Palmer buys and sells equipment and real estate. Mr. Dykes owns wholesale furniture store and used cars. Ann. Jan. 31.

Sweetwater, Tenn.—Sweetwater Radio Inc. Seeks 95.3 mc, ch. 237, 2.571 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 152 ft. P.O. address: Box 330, Sweetwater 37874. Estimated construction cost \$21,590.90; first-year operating cost \$8,000; revenue \$10,000. Principals: Robert Lynn Sherlin, president. Sweetwater Radio Inc. owns WDEH Sweetwater. Ann. Feb. 1.

Longview, Wash.—Garner Investors Inc. Seeks 105.5 mc, ch. 288, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 71.5 ft. P.O. address: 709 Boylston East (#301), Seattle, Wash. 98102. Estimated construction cost \$18,823; first-year operating cost \$15,347.28; revenue \$12,000. Principals: James E. Hammer (50.2%), Neil R. Burmester (23.2%), et al. Mr. Hammer is in real estate. Mr. Burmester is methods analyst for Boeing Aircraft. Ann. Jan. 27.

FINAL ACTIONS

Paris, Ky.—Paris-Bourbon County Broadcasting Inc. FCC granted 96.7 mc, ch. 224, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 105 ft. P.O. address: c/o Jesse M. Alverson Jr., 19 East 4th St., Parris 40361. Estimated construction cost \$24,156; first-year operating cost \$5,900; revenue \$6,000. Principals: James E. Withrow, J. M. Alverson and Sanford A. Alverson (each 33⅓%). Paris-Bourbon County Broadcasting is licensee of WPDE Paris. Messrs. Alverson are also owners of Paris (Ky.) Enterprise. Action Jan. 25.

Monroe, Mich.—Monroe Broadcasting Co.—FCC granted CP for a new class A FM to operate on ch. 252 (98.3 mc), ERP 3 kw, ant. height 300 ft. Commissioner Bartley dissented and stated: "I dissent to the grant because the showing does not persuade me that the expected annual revenue of \$23,000 will sustain a continued operation of service in the public interest." Action Jan. 25.

Sinton, Tex.—Broadcasting Corp. of Southwest—Broadcast Bureau granted CP for new class C FM to operate on ch. 277, 103.3 mc., 100 kw, ant. height 330 ft.: condition. Action Jan. 27.

INITIAL DECISIONS

■ Hearing Examiner Millard F. French issued initial decision looking toward granting application for MC-Queen and Co. Inc. for CP for new class A FM in Dyersburg, Tenn. to operate on ch. 261 with ERP of 3 kw, and denying application of State Gazette Broadcasting Co. for same facilities (Docs. 16531-2). Action Jan. 31.

■ Hearing Examiner Jay A. Kyle issued initial decision looking toward granting application of David Joseph Kittel for CP for new FM to operate on ch. 272 (102.3 mc); 3 kw(H) and 3 kw(V), 300 feet, at Wilmington, Ohio (Doc. 16693).

OTHER ACTIONS

Review board in Wilmington, Ohio, FM broadcast proceeding, Docs. 16892-3, denied