

WAIT(AM)-WLOO(FM) Chicago, joins WXRT(FM) there in same capacity.

**Peter Allen**, general manager, WGRY(AM) Grayling, Mich., and consultant to co-owned WQON(FM) there, joins WXYZ(AM) Detroit as account executive.

**Carol Ann Gardner**, from KARM(AM)-KFIG(FM) Fresno, Calif., joins Fresno Cable TV there as account executive.

## Programing

**C. Jeffrey Calman**, director, sales development and cable network sales, Warner Brothers Television, East Coast, New York, named VP, sales planning. **James (Ted) Shadoan**, manager, budgets and financial analysis, Columbia Pictures, New York, joins WB-TV there as director, financial affairs.

**Jerry Ludwig**, executive producer, *Crossfire*, 20th Century-Fox, Los Angeles, has signed exclusive two-year contract with MGM/UA Television there for production of series, mini-series and movies of week.

**Thomas Oberlin**, general sales manager, ON-TV, Cincinnati, joins Satellite Television Corp., Washington, as senior marketing adviser.

**Mark W.T. Hinz**, account executive, KDKO(AM) Littleton, Colo., joins Smeloff Productions, Denver, as sales director.

**Jackie Gross**, producer-engineer, RKO Radio Network, New York, joins Starfleet Blair there as series development director.

**Rebecca Dragliff**, manager, planning, RCA/Columbia Pictures Home Video, Los Angeles, named director, planning.

**Dierdre Paulino**, manager, administration and assistant to president, ABC Motion Pictures Inc., Los Angeles, named director, administration, and assistant to president.

**Susan Bologna**, regional manager, HBO, Chicago, named regional manager, Los Angeles.

**Peter Affe**, VP, Eastern sales director, Warner Brothers Television Distribution, New York, joins New England Sports Network, Boston-based cable sports network, as VP and general manager.

**Angela Schapiro**, senior VP, now-defunct Entertainment Channel, New York, joins Disney Channel, Burbank, Calif., as VP, sales and affiliate relations.

**Robin Montgomery**, director of marketing, RCA/Columbia Pictures Home Video, Los Angeles, joins Embassy Home Entertainment there as director, marketing.

**Jim Pewter**, syndicated radio producer-host, Armed Forces Radio and Television Service, joins KRLA(AM) Pasadena, Calif., as program director.

**Linda Ashby**, programing assistant, KDFW-TV Dallas, joins WHTM-TV Harrisburg, Pa., as program director.

**Dick Grant**, program director, WPVA(AM) Petersburg, Va., joins WRNL(AM) Richmond, Va., in same capacity.

**Keith Harris**, program director, KRKE(AM) Albuquerque, N.M., joins WASK(AM) Lafayette,

Ind., in same capacity. **Bob Wagner**, production director, WXUS(FM) Lafayette, joins WASK-AM-FM in same capacity.

**Thomas Daldin**, assistant promotion director, WRIF(FM) Detroit, named assistant program director.

**Todd Blide**, air personality, WYLF(FM) South Bristol, N.Y., named program director. **Lawrence Graves**, air personality, WYLF, named production director.

**Bill Merriam**, production-operations manager, WTBS(TV) Atlanta, named production manager. **Sandra Wilson**, production coordinator, WTBS, named studio operations supervisor.

**Richard Delaney**, producer-director, noncommercial WEDU(TV) Tampa-St. Petersburg, Fla., named production coordinator.

**Paul Baker**, from WHTM-FM-TV Harrisburg, Pa., joins WITN-TV Washington, N.C., as sports director.

**Steve Doocy**, from KAKE-TV Wichita, Kan., joins KMBC-TV Kansas City, Mo., as host, *PM Magazine*.

**Susan Boiler**, from KSDK(TV) St. Louis, and **David Saint**, from WTOG(TV) Tampa-St. Petersburg, Fla., join WFLD-TV Chicago as co-hosts, *PM Magazine*.

**Madeleine Kelly**, from WLTA(FM) Atlanta, joins WLVV(FM) Statesville, N.C., as air personality.

## News and Public Affairs



Novitz

**Charles Novitz**, producer, NBC News, New York, named night news executive, responsible for one-minute prime time news inserts, affiliate feeds, and overview of worldwide coverage, with responsibility for bulletins and break-ins. Novitz is immediate past president of

The Society of Professional Journalists, Sigma Delta Chi. He worked for NBC in 1959-60 as writer-producer, then moved to ABC, leaving in 1979 as manager, news syndication, to join defunct Independent Television News Directors Association as managing director. He rejoined NBC, New York, in 1982.

**Andrew Fisher**, news director, WAGA-TV Atlanta, joins KNXT(TV) Los Angeles in same capacity. He succeeds Steve Cohen, who joined WCAU-TV Philadelphia as VP and general manager ("Fates & Fortune," Aug. 29.)

**Morris James**, news director, KTTS-AM-FM Springfield, Mo., joins KRBQ-AM-FM Denver in same capacity.

**John Ogle**, anchor, WINS(AM) New York, joins WMZQ(FM) Washington as news director.

**Tony Villasana**, executive news producer, KAUZ-TV Wichita Falls, Tex., joins WMAZ-TV Macon, Ga., as news director.

**Forest Lewis**, member of news staff, WYLF(FM) South Bristol, N.Y., named news director.

**Bill Tell Zortman**, news director, KVIA-TV El

Paso, joins KCAU-TV Sioux City, Iowa, in same capacity.

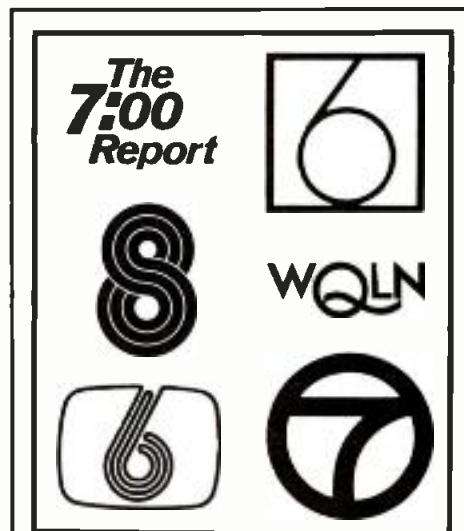
**Hal Spencer**, correspondent, Associated Press, Juneau, Alaska, named chief of bureau. **Dan Day**, broadcast editor, AP, Milwaukee, named news editor, Omaha bureau.

**Al Nash**, chief producer, Satellite News Channel regional bureau, KSNW(TV) Wichita, Kan., joins WTVI(TV) Sioux City, Iowa, as assistant news director.

**Gary Luczak**, executive news producer, WPVI-TV Philadelphia, joins WVUE(TV) New Orleans as assistant news director.

Appointments, KPNX-TV Phoenix: **Jim Willi**, news director, WGR-TV Buffalo, N.Y., to managing editor; **Bill Gray**, assistant news director, to special projects manager; **Karl Kindberg**, sports announcer, KHYT(AM) Tucson, Ariz., to producer-assignment editor; **Gloria McDonough**, assignment editor and producer, WPTA(TV) Fort Wayne, Ind., to producer; **Alan Rappoport**, from KTVK(TV) Phoenix, to investigative reporter; **Rada Krivosic**, from KTVK, to troubleshooter producer, and **Kathleen Noma Carlson**, from KSTP-TV Minneapolis-St. Paul, and **Margaret Beardsley**, from Corporation for a Cleaner Commonwealth, Boston, to associate producers. **Bert Sass**, anchor-reporter, KGUN-TV Tucson, Ariz., to news documentary and series producer.

Appointments, KIRO-TV Seattle: **Mark Gardner**, executive producer, to managing editor; **Gail Neubert**, producer, succeeds Gardner; **Candace Kovner**, producer, Corinthian



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