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New FM Proposal To FCC

FCC Faces Problem Of Many Applicants

placed with a serious cut in its operating budget, with Congress in a peacetime economy spirit, the FCC is entering upon the period of greatest peacetime activity in its history. In addition to the 514 FM applications, 269 AM and 133 tele applications pending, are another 163 FM applications and 155 AM applications which came in just prior to the October 8 deadline and have not been filed.

This raises the overall total to 1,036 FM applications, 424 AM and 133

twelve new FM and five AM applications were announced Friday by the FCC. The FM applications in-

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Federal Court Upholds WPEN Programming Rules

Philadelphia—The right of the Wilkes-Barre Penn Broadcasting Co. to refuse to sell time on WPEN to eight religious groups was upheld last Friday in a nine-page opinion handed down by the Federal Circuit Court of Appeals. The radio station, the decision said, might either sell time or give it to religious groups, but no Federal law

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Plaque Goes To KNX For Best Anniversary Show

Los Angeles—Presentation of a specially designed plaque as a token of station KNX's victory in the Edward-Bell contest to determine the best station-written and produced program saluting the 25th anniversary

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Tokyo Talent

Danny Kaye accompanied by Leo Durocher won the honor of being the first American entertainers to perform for U. S. forces occupying the Tokyo area it was revealed Sunday. The official Army Hour on NBC, in tribute to show business, picked up Kaye for interview while he was entertaining 20,000 troops now used to implement America's occupation of Japan.

Okinawa Citation

Helen Rodabaugh, formerly associated with NBC as a secretary in the network's Engineering Department and now a Red Cross nurse on Okinawa, was cited in recent newspaper dispatches for her work in ministering aid to the victims of the typhoon which swept over Okinawa last week. Miss Rodabaugh joined NBC on Feb. 1, 1941. On Jan. 20, 1945 she resigned to join the Red Cross.

See Monochrome Tele Endangered By Color

Washington Bureau, RADIO DAILY

Washington—Fear that low-frequency, monochrome tele will be snuffed out before it ever flowers stalked the witnesses who testified Friday at the closing session of the FCC hearings on tele rules and channel allocations. Following the announcement Thursday by CBS Vice-President Paul W. Kesten that wide-band, full color tele is ready to de-

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Four AM Outlets Okayed; Also Three Power Boosts

Washington Bureau, RADIO DAILY

Washington—Four new AM stations were authorized by the FCC yesterday, as well as substantial boosts in power to three licenses now on the

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Web Video Vital, Says Fly As Tele Institute Convenes

A high quality of network television is necessary before the public will accept the art as it has accepted radio and motion pictures, James L. Fly, ex-chairman of the FCC, told 300 members and guests at the opening luncheon yesterday of a two-day session of the Television Institute at the Hotel Commodore.

"Television is a big business and you cannot make it a little business," Fly declared, urging a general acceptance among industry executives that they make provision for "origi-

CBS Executive Asks Coverage Uniformity Among Stations In Area Covering Northeastern States

Washington Bureau, RADIO DAILY

Washington—Advocating equality in physical facilities among stations in each market insofar as possible, Joseph H. Ream, vice-president of CBS, offered a proposal covering northeastern states at an FM hearing conducted yesterday by the FCC.

The proposal, aimed at fixing regulations for New York City primarily, would provide that 10 of the 20 stations will be practically identical in terms of coverage and the variation of coverage between the extremes

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Miller Assures Support Of Radio For Bonds

Washington Bureau, RADIO DAILY

Washington—Justin Miller, president of NAB, yesterday announced full backing of the radio industry in the coming Victory Loan drive, which begins October 29, was promised Treasury officials, meeting with Treasury representatives. Broadcasters from the 17 districts and NAB

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Associated Web Signs Adam Hats For Boxing

A 52-week contract for major boxing bouts to be aired over the full web of Associated Broadcasting Corp. has been signed by Adam Hats through Buchanan & Co., New York.

The first broadcast will originate

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General Mills Buys Time On Mississippi Valley Web

Chicago—General Mills of Minneapolis have bought a participating commercial sponsorship on the Mississippi Farm Hour scheduled to start

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Reporters In Japan Limited By Networks

The four major U. S. webs will be allowed two correspondents each in Japan and one each in the Philippines effective Oct. 27, according to a directive issued by Gen. Douglas MacArthur which puts a ceiling on the number of newsmen of all media who will be permitted to remain in areas under his command. The direc-

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Rene Morin Reappointed To CBC Post In Canada

Montreal—Rene Morin of Montreal has been reappointed for a further three-year term as governor and vice-charman of the CBC it was announced in the Canada Gazette. The

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Business Amity

Anglo-American economic relationships will be discussed on BBC's "Freedom Forum" Sunday, with Rt. Hon. L. S. Amery, Secretary of State for India; Sir Henry Bunbury, distinguished civil servant, and Dr. Vera Micheles Dean, research director of the American Foreign Policy Assn. Mary Adams, BBC producer, will be the chairman.

nal, high-quality educational and entertainment programs. No other field has the broad and deep impression on the public that radio has, and television will have," he said, expressing the belief that "for quite some time" there will be a heavy reliance on motion pictures in television, and that in some instances there will be a closer relationship to pictures than to radio.

"In democratic competition in television," Fly continued, "the American

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