

from voting. Action Aug. 24.

KICU-TV Visalia, Calif.—Waived secs. 73.614(a) and (b) (4) and 73.685(e) of rules and granted mod. of CP to increase vis. ERP to 155 kw and ant. height to 850 ft., and make equipment changes; conditions. Action Aug. 18.

■ By letter, commission waived sec. 73.682 of its rules to permit Bay Area Educational Television Association to transmit scrambled programs of medical nature over its non-commercial educational TV *KQED(TV) San Francisco, on experimental basis from Sept. 30, 1966 to June 30, 1967. Conditions include limiting scrambled operation to not more than one hour each week and for use specifically to medical educational programs. Action Aug. 17.

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission (1) waived footnote 1 to sec. 73.614(b) of rules and granted application of South Bend Tribune to increase vis. ERP of WSBT-TV South Bend, Ind., to 2,175 kw and install new trans., subject to engineering condition and that authority to operate with vis. ERP in excess of 1,000 kw may be terminated by commission after April 30, 1967, in event Canada does not consent to further extension, and (2) denied opposing petition by Indiana Broadcasting Corp., Fort Wayne. Action Aug. 17.

NEW CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

*KSHD(TV) Spokane, Wash.—Spokane School District No. 81. Assigned KSPS-TV.

Owensboro, Ky.—Owensboro On The Air Inc. Assigned WVJS-TV.

Cheyenne, Wyo.—CCC Inc. Assigned KDWN-TV.

New AM stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

Martinsville, Ind.—Keister and Keister. Granted CP for new AM on 1540 kc, 250 w, D. P.O. address: 448 West Hallett, Hillsdale, Mich. Estimated construction cost \$20,352; first-year operating cost \$33,000; revenue \$40,000. Principals: David C. and Ruth A. Keister (each 50%). Mrs. Keister is freelance writer for *Ionia County News*, Ionia, Mich. Action Aug. 18.

Petoskey, Mich.—Harrington Broadcasting Co. Granted CP for new AM on 1110 kc, 10 kw DA-D, D. P.O. address: 303 Howard St., Petoskey. Estimated construction cost \$62,856; first-year operating cost \$48,000; revenue \$76,000. Principals: John Harrington (70%), William H. Maus, Allan McCune, Martin B. Breighner, Benjamin B. Blum, L. W. Fochtman and James F. Behan (each 5%). Mr. Harrington is licensee of WJML-FM Petoskey. Action Aug. 17.

Sandusky, Mich.—Sanilac Broadcasting Co. Granted CP for new AM on 1560 kc, 1 kw, DA-D. P.O. address: 89 North Howard Ave., Crosswell, Mich. Estimated construction cost \$37,200; first-year operating cost \$36,000; revenue \$45,000. Principals: George E. Benko, Robert P. Benko and Robert Cudney (each 33%). George Benko is attorney. Robert Benko is urban renewal director for Port Huron, Mich. Mr. Cudney is teacher and news director of WTHM Ladeer, Mich. Action Aug. 19.

Lochart, Tex.—Heath-Reasoner Broadcasters. Granted CP for new AM on 1080 kc, 250 w, D. P.O. address: 124 Hankins Drive, Azle, Tex. Estimated construction cost \$22,604; first-year operating cost \$21,600; revenue \$27,600. Principals: Marion Reasoner and Dan Heath (each 50%). Mr. Reasoner owns electronic service firm in Azle. Mr. Heath was engineer for KVLB Cleveland, Tex. Action Aug. 24.

APPLICATIONS

Blue Ridge, Ga.—Robert E. Thomas and Ferris A. Maloof db/as Click Broadcasting Co. 1500 kc, 500 w, D. P.O. address: Box 624, Blue Ridge 30513. Estimated construction cost \$16,113; first-year operating cost \$33,600; revenue \$37,800. Messrs. Thomas and Maloof are each 50% owners. Mr. Thomas is owner of daily newspaper. Mr. Maloof is 50% owner of department store. Neither has any present broadcast interests. Ann. Aug. 23.

Springfield, Mo.—Stereo Broadcasting Inc. 1060 kc, 500 w, D. P.O. address: c/o E. K. Meyer, 907 Empire Bldg., Springfield 65896. Estimated construction cost \$18,175; first-year operating cost \$38,500; revenue \$70,000. Principals: Kenneth E. Meyers, Thomas A. Barneby (each 31.1%), Urso W. George (21.7%) and others. Stereo Broadcasting is licensee of KTXR-FM. Ann. Aug. 22.

Freehold, N. J.—Molly Pitcher Broadcasting Co. 1070 kc, 1 kw, DA-D, D. P.O. address:

c/o Norman Brenner, 93 Deerfield Lane, Matawan, N. J. 07747. Estimated construction cost \$78,970; first-year operating cost \$40,000; revenue \$40,000. Principals: Norman K. Brenner, Harold M. Michaels, Milton S. Greenwald, Joseph Morris and Charles Pasternack (each 20%). Messrs. Brenner, Michaels, Greenwald and Pasternack are all employed with WCBS-TV New York. Ann. Aug. 22.

Wachung, N. J.—John L. Kelly Sr. and John L. Kelly Jr. db/as Kel Broadcasting Co. 1070 kc, 500 w, DA-D, D. P.O. address: c/o John L. Kelley, M.D., 313 Hathaway Lane, Wynnewood, Pa. 19096. Estimated construction cost \$37,635; first-year operating cost \$35,000; revenue \$42,000. Mr. Kelly Sr. is psychiatrist. Mr. Kelly Jr. is in army. Ann. Aug. 22.

Geneseo, N. Y.—Oxbow Broadcasting Corp. 1140 kc, 500 w, D. P.O. address: c/o Wm. J. Bruckel, 3 Genesee St., Avon, N. Y. 14414. Estimated construction cost \$26,000; first-year operating cost \$56,000; revenue \$60,000. Principals: Lee J. Grills (42½%), William J. Bruckel, Mary B. Cole (each 21¼%) and James H. Green (15%). Mr. Grills is sales manager of electrical equipment company. Mr. Bruckel is lawyer. Mary Cole is 50% owner of farm and 100% owner of milk hauling service. Mr. Green is communications engineer. Ann. Aug. 19.

Warsaw, N. Y.—John B. Weeks. 1140 kc, 1 kw, DA-D, D. P.O. address: 47 North Main St., Warsaw 14569. Estimated construction cost \$37,332; first-year operating cost \$42,000; revenue \$60,000. Mr. Weeks is owner of general office and stationery supplies company. He has no other broadcast interests. Ann. Aug. 19.

Monroe, N. C.—Monroe Broadcasting Co. 1190 kc, 500 w, D. P.O. address: 109 South Main St., Monroe 28110. Estimated construction cost \$30,075; first-year operating cost \$38,000; revenue \$42,000. Principals: Joe N. Ross, Paul J. Helms (each 40%) and H. David Hedrick (20%). Mr. Ross is owner of furniture stores. Mr. Helms is owner of ladies clothing shop. Mr. Hedrick is station manager of WDOG Allendale, S. C. Ann. Aug. 22.

Rose Hill, N. C.—J. M. Farlow and William Mills db/as Duplin County Broadcasters. 710 kc, 250 w, DA-D, D. P.O. address: c/o J. M. Farlow, Route 2, Asheboro, N. C. 27203. Estimated construction cost \$35,000; first-year operating cost \$80,000; revenue \$65,000. Principals: J. M. Farlow (90%) and William D. Mills (10%). Mr. Mills is attorney. Mr. Farlow is owner of bakeries and has interests in two supermarkets. Messrs. Mills and Farlow are applicants for new AM in Midway Park, N. C. Mr. Farlow is applicant for new AM in Asheboro, N. C. Ann. Aug. 22.

Existing AM stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

■ By memorandum opinion and order, commission (1) approved agreement whereby Heath-Reasoner Broadcasters will pay Medina Broadcasting Co. \$500 as part of latter's expenses in seeking new AM to operate on 1080 kc at Hondo, Tex., and Medina amending to specify 1460 kc, and, in consequence, (2) granted Heath's application for new AM on 1080 kc, with 250 w, DA, at Lockhart, Tex., and placed in processing line Medina's amended application which will be assigned new file number. Action Aug. 24.

■ By letter, commission granted request of Charles Smithgall, controlling partner in North Atlanta Broadcasting Co., North Atlanta, Ga., for waiver of duopoly rule in sec. 73.35 to permit him to serve on board of regents, University System of Georgia, which governs Georgia Institute of Technology and controls WGST Atlanta. Smithgall will abstain from participation in any decision made by board which might affect operation of WGST. Commissioner Bartley dissented. Action Aug. 24.

■ By letter, commission denied request by Childress Broadcasting Corp., West Jefferson, N. C., for acceptance for filing its retendered application to change facilities of WKSK West Jefferson, from 1600 kc, 1 kw, D, to 580 kc, 500 w, D, and returned same. Action Aug. 24.

■ By letter, commission denied request by Tri County Broadcasting Co. for expedited consideration of its application for new AM to operate on 1380 kc, 500 w-N, 5 kw-L-S, DA-N, in Safford, Ariz. Commissioner Johnson abstained from voting.

Action Aug. 24.

■ By letter, commission granted request by Sundial Broadcasting Co. for waiver of sec. 73.37 of overlap rules and accepted for filing its application for new AM to operate on 1000 kc, 500 w, DA, in Parma, Ohio. Action Aug. 17.

■ Commission waived sec. 73.37 of overlap rules and accepted for filing following applications: Eastern Carolina Broadcasters Inc. for new AM to operate on 1490 kc, 250 w-N, 1 kw-L-S, in Florence, S. C., and William D. Stone to change facilities of WRDS South Charleston, W. Va., from 1410 kc, 1 kw, D, to 1450 kc, 250 w-N, 1 kw-L-S. Commissioner Cox abstained from voting. Action Aug. 17.

■ By letter, commission granted request by Golden Triangle Broadcasting Inc. for waiver of sec. 73.37 of overlap rules and accepted amendment to its application to change facilities of WEEP Pittsburgh, on 1080 kc, D, from 1 kw to 50 kw, 25 kw-CH, DA-2. Action Aug. 17.

NEW CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

KFDA Amarillo, Tex.—Lone Star Broadcasting Co. Assigned KPUR.

KHEB Heber Springs, Ark.—Newport Broadcasting Co. Assigned KAWW.

WORLD Boston—Pilgrim Broadcasting Co. Assigned WRYT.

Wellington, Kan.—Sumner Broadcasting Co. Assigned KLEY.

Hot Springs, Ark.—Christian Broadcasting Co. Assigned KXOW.

*Window Rock, Ariz.—Navajo Bible School & Mission. Assigned KHAC.

APPLICATIONS

KXLW Clayton, Mo.—CP to increase power from 1 kw to 5 kw; install DA-D; install new trans. Ann. Aug. 22.

WGOK Mobile, Ala.—CP to change frequency from 900 kc to 960 kc. Ann. Aug. 18.

New FM stations

ACTIONS BY FCC

*Conway, Ark.—Arkansas State Teachers College. Granted CP for new FM on 91.5 mc, channel 218, 10 w. Ant. height above average terrain 411 ft. P.O. address: c/o Don Garnett, ASTC Speech Dept., Conway 72032. Estimated construction cost \$3,423; first-year operating cost \$3,000; supported by funds supplied by college. Administered by board of trustees. Action Aug. 19.

Swainsboro, Ga.—Radio Station WJAT Inc. Granted CP for new FM on 98.3 mc, channel 252, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 283 ft. P.O. address: c/o John J. Bailes, P.O. Box 371, Swainsboro 30401. Estimated construction cost \$17,250; first-year operating cost \$24,000; revenue \$26,000. Principals: Webb N. Pierce and estate of James Denny, Dollie D. Denny, John Denny, J. William Denny, Thomas Evans and Mary Rhodes, executors, (each 50%). Radio Station WJAT Inc., licensee of WJAT Swainsboro, is 100% owner of WSNW Sandersville, and 99.8% owner of WBRO Waynesboro, both Georgia. Mr. Pierce and estate of Mr. Denny are both 1% owners of WBRO Waynesboro. Action Aug. 18.

Danville, Ill.—Northwestern Publishing Co. Granted CP for new FM on 102.1 mc, channel 271, 11 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 377 ft. P.O. address: 17 W. North St., Danville 61833. Estimated construction cost \$43,490; first-year operating cost \$20,600; revenue \$27,400. Northwestern Publishing is wholly owned by Gannett Co. Gannett Co. also owns the following companies that have broadcast interests: Binghamton Press Inc., licensee of WINR-AM-TV Binghamton, N. Y.; WHEC Inc., Rochester, N. Y., licensee of WHEC-AM-FM Rochester, N. Y., and WREX-TV Inc., Rockford, Ill., licensee of WREX-TV Rockford, Ill. Northwestern Publishing Co. is licensee of WDAN Danville, Ill. Gannett Co. also has interests in several CATV systems, and owns newspapers in New York, New Jersey, Connecticut and Florida. Action Aug. 17.

Maquoketa, Iowa—Dennis W. Voy tr/as Maquoketa Broadcasting Co. Granted CP for new FM on 95.3 mc, channel 237, 3 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 110 ft. P.O. address: 136½ S. Main St., Maquoketa 52060. Estimated construction cost \$12,674; first-year operating cost \$2,600; revenue \$5,200. Maquoketa Broadcasting is licensee of KMAQ Maquoketa. Action Aug. 18.

*Collegeville, Minn.—Order of St. Benedict Inc. Granted CP for new FM on 80.1 mc, channel 211, 37.2 kw. Ant. height above average terrain 480 ft. P.O. address: c/o William H. Kling, St. John's University, Collegeville 56321. Estimated construction