

Calif., as VP and general manager.

Michael Vermillion, manager of GTE, Infomart, Dallas, joins Teleconnect Long Distance Services and Systems, Cedar Rapids, Iowa, as senior VP of field sales.

Dixie Lee Anderson, VP of marketing, DUBS Inc., Los Angeles-based video duplication service, named senior VP.

Appointments at Sony Communications, New York: **Patrick Murray**, director of sales, Consumer Tape and Floppy Disk Division, Sony Magnetic Products Co., named VP of sales, Consumer Tape and Floppy Disk Division; **Lucian Rawls III**, Southeastern district manager, named marketing manager display products; **David Urry**, sales engineer, in Southwest region for broadcast division, named marketing manager, Betacam products; **Gregg Bond**, sales engineer, named marketing manager, production systems; **Jerome Cohen**, product manager for cameras, named marketing manager for broadcast cameras and monitors.



Keenze

Thomas Keenze, consultant, Wegener Communications, Norcross, Ga., joins Ikegami Electronics (U.S.A.), Maywood, N.J., as sales manager, RF Equipment and Special Products Division.

George Armes, marketing manager, in-

strumentation tape products, Ampex Corp., Redwood City, Calif., named general manager, instrumentation and data tape.

Steve Flanagan, VP of engineering, Post-Newsweek Stations, Washington-based group owner of four television stations, joins Post-Newsweek's WFSB(TV) Hartford, Conn., in same capacity.

Promotion and PR

Edward Belkin, news director and executive editor, KYW(AM) Philadelphia, joins Shimer vonCantz, Philadelphia, as VP, public relations.

Glen Fortinberry, chairman and CEO, Ross Roy Group, Detroit-based advertising agency, elected to board of directors, Anthony M. Franco Inc., Detroit-based public relations firm. Ross Roy holds minority interest in Anthony Franco.



Fortinberry



Kulik

Pam Kulik, community affairs director, KCCI-TV Des Moines, Iowa, named director of promotion, community affairs.

Allied Fields

Michael Packer, general manager, KTRH(AM) Houston and president of Packer Communications, Kingwood, Tex.-based broadcast management consultancy, adds duties as consultant to WRC(AM) Washington.

Joseph Simonetti, mental-health director, Montefiore Hospital, New York, joins NBC Inc.'s, Employee Assistance program (EAP), New York, as employé assistance specialist.

Karen Weimer, accounting manager, Rasmussen Communications Management, Champaign, Ill.-based sports promotion firm, named business manager

Susan Hill, director of library and information center, National Association of Broadcasters (NAB), Washington, named VP, library and information center.

Deaths



Rubin in 1970

Aaron Rubin, 72, former NBC executive VP, died Dec. 23 at his home in Lake Worth, Fla., of massive heart attack. Ruben joined NBC accounting department in 1937 moving to Blue Network, which later became American Broadcasting Co., in 1942 as assistant controller. He became chief accountant of NBC in 1954 and VP and treasurer in 1960. In 1961 Rubin became financial executive VP and in 1970 he was elected to board of directors. Rubin retired from NBC in 1977. He is survived by his wife, Mary, one son and one daughter.

Herbert Dolgoff, 62, owner-operator of Florida radio stations, died Dec. 19 at Boca Raton, Fla., hospital of apparent heart attack. Dolgoff began his broadcasting career with Storz Broadcasting where he eventually became VP-general counsel. In 1966 he became manager of Storz's WQAM(AM) Miami. In 1969 he moved to country formatted WWOK(AM), which is now Spanish-language WSUA(AM), as general manager. Three years later Dolgoff bought WCMQ(AM) Miami and instituted Latin music format. In 1985 he bought WTHZ(FM) Tallahassee, Fla., which he operated until his death. WCMQ(AM) was sold to Spanish Broadcasting System in 1986. He is survived by wife, Lois, one son and one daughter.

Marty Mills, 54, television research executive, died Dec. 6 of leukemia in his home in Stamford, Conn. Mills had been president of Marty Mills Associates, research communications firm. His previous positions included senior VP, director of marketing, LBS Communications; VP of marketing, Lorimar Television; director of programming, RKO Videogroup; and research director, Metro Media Television Sales, TeleRep and Metro TV Sales. He is survived by his wife, Toby, and one son.

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