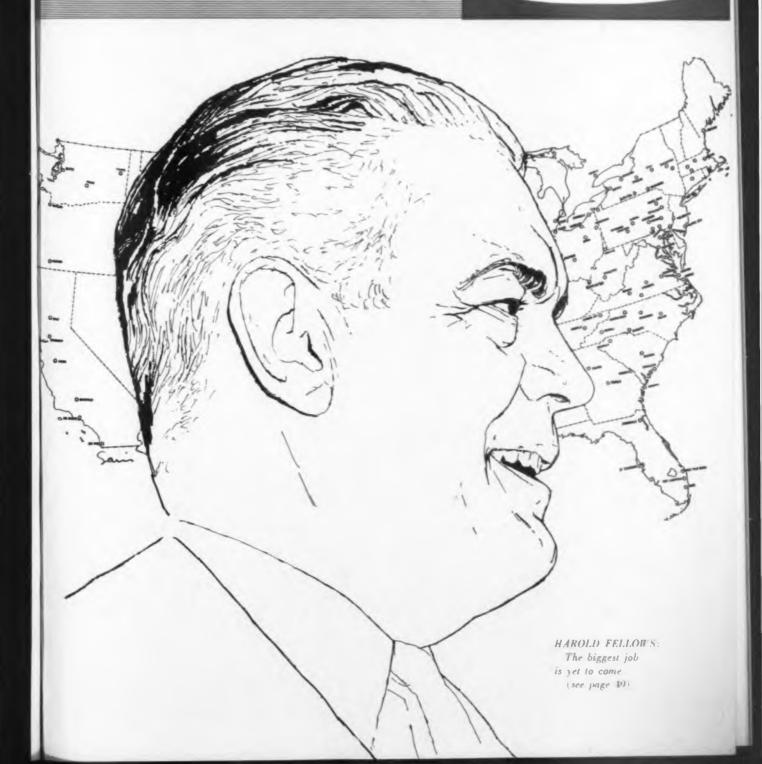
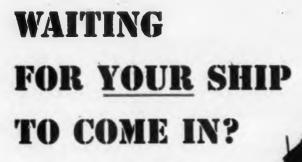
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You won't have to wait very long in Cleveland — for this inland port (along with all its other bustling activity) set a new all-time record for itself last year in volume of dry, bulk freight moved. During 1953, the Great Lakes fleet carried almost 200 million net tons — and over 80% of its 286 vessels call Cleveland home.

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WXEL

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# Comparison Chart of VHF High Power Transmitters

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# FIRST WITH 50 KW Transmitter deliveries



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# has these exclusive features

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# Letters to the Editor

144 Madison Avenue, New York 22

EDITOR:

Thank you very much for the April copy of TELEVISION AGE with the editorial on Rosel Hyde. We appreciate your making this available to us and I can assure you that your views in the matter are valued.

CHARLES F. WILLIS, JR.

The White House
Washington, D. C.

EDITOR:

Your kind comments in the editorial which appeared in the April issue of TELEVISION AGE are indeed appreciated.

ROSEL HYDE

Chairman

Washington, D. C.

EDITOR:

I received a letter today from our client, Pontiac Motor Division, and in it they noted that TELEVISION AGE in the April edition listed the Dave Garroway Show in the Network Program Chart as a film show. As you know, the Dave Garroway Show is a live show originating in New York on Friday night at 8 p.m. EDT.

I am sure this is a typographical error, but I would like to call this matter to your attention so that the necessary corrections can be made.

CHAS. N. CAMPBELL MacManus, John & Adams, Inc. Bloomfield Hills, Mich.

EDITOR:

We are subscribers to your wonderful magazine and trust you will be able to assist us in obtaining extra copies of your April, 1954 issue.

The article in this issue entitled "You can be sure . . ." would be of interest to our account, Westinghouse.

S. W. CALDWELL, LTD.

Radio and Television Advertising
Toronto, Canada

EDITOR:

We noticed with interest the item you had in Tele-trends in the March issue of TELEVISION AGE, which stated "... Tracy-Locke, now garnering a business of more than \$2 million in the southwest area. The same agency handles Borden's in Texas."

We would like to correct an error in

First of all, Tracy-Locke bills considerably more than \$2 million in the southwest area in radio and tv alone, with total billing several times this figure. Secondly, Tracy-Locke handles the Fluid Milk and Ice Cream Divisions of the Borden Company in a six-state area including Texas, Louisiana, Arizona, Oklahoma, Arkansas and Mississippi.

I believe you will find that the "regional approach" has been even more successful than you indicated.

PHILIP L. McHugh Tracy-Locke Company, Inc. Dallas

Editor's Note: TELEVISION AGE should have made it clear that the \$2 million figure applied only to radio-tv. The article, "Ridin' the tv range," in the April issue correctly reported Tracy-Locke's billings.

EDITOR:

We appreciate the very fine article you folks did on our film department.

The high readership of TELEVISION AGE has been demonstrated quite clearly to us by many comments we have had from our advertising friends in regard to this particular article.

Lowe Runkle Lowe Runkle Company Okluhoma City

EDITOR:

Your February issue could not have had a more receptive audience than our agency as we do buy tv time and make film and slide commercials.

The map on page 34-35 in your February issue showing the network routes and the Set Count were especially useful in planning our schedules.

DAVID L. GOLDSBERRY
D. L. Goldsberry & Co. Adv.
Kansas City

EDITOR:

We have read with a great deal of interest the article "Pounding Presses" which appeared in your March, 1954 issue.

We would like to obtain permission to reprint either all or part of this article

ALAN HALPERN
Editorial Director
Greater Philadelphia Magazine
Philadelphia
(Continued on page 30)

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POPULATION
Served
1,055,700
FAMILIES Served

327,600

TOTAL
Retail Sales
\$1,356,382,000

telecasting a 100.000 watt sign from its new 1.000 f lower.

> Get the complete story from your Free and Peters colonel - or write to Mitchell Wolfson, Pres. WTVJ, Miami.

TOTAL NET EFFECTIVE BUYING INCOME \$1,749,287,000

FT. MEYERS

Retail Sales
by Class of Outlet
FOOD \$284,464,000.
GEN. MERCH. \$105,796,000.
FURN. RADIO \$86,282,000.
AUTOMOTIVE \$248,935,000.
DRUGS \$57,871,000.
OTHERS \$573,034,000.

Channel 4

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# and you sell a market!

Did you realize that late evening movies on TV are viewed regularly in as many as 67% of all TV homes in a market? That in the daytime, feature film will capture and entertain as high as 52%?

In any one of these rich markets, that's a lot of people—and a lot of buying power.

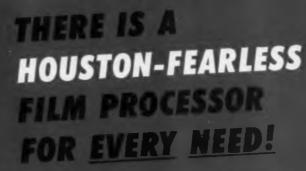
You can buy participations, one minute, 15 minutes or more in these programs at low cost. Through them, your message gets maximum market penetration and commercial value.

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WBAL-TV Baltimore
WFAA-TV Dallas
KOA-TV Denver
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KPRC-TV Houston
KARK-TV Little Rock
KABC-TV Los Angeles
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# Letter from the Publisher

Up to now tv has not had a unified promotional voice to speak out in its behalf. Every other major medium has a powerful and aggressive organization to do a selling job on local and national levels.

And in the vacuum created by tv silence the competing media have moved in and engaged in the pastime of "beating television over the head."

The newly organized Television Advertising Bureau can step into this gap and take its rightful place among the other media groups which include the Broadcast Advertising Bureau, the Bureau of Advertising of the ANPA and the Magazine Advertising Bureau.

What exactly can the new TAB do?

It can make pitches for important new business to groups of advertisers.

It can answer the competitive challenge of the other media.

It can provide advertisers with much-needed information on tv.

It can be a clearing house for stations, feeding them sales ideas and sales know-how.

It can stimulate more co-op money in the direction of tv.

It can do all these things and many more—revenue producing activities—if it has the unified support of the entire tv industry.

That unity and that support are indispensable.

They are indispensable because the industry has to face up to the economic facts of life.

Sure, television has a great potential. Certainly, many stations are doing very well. But the majority of the 377 stations on the air are in the red. The months ahead will be their fight for survival. A slight increase in revenue means the difference between profit and loss for many stations.

Take, for example, just one revenue-producing area—co-op advertising. Television hasn't started to tap the tremendous potential here.

Several large manufacturers have expressed surprise that tv has not pitched on a nationwide basis to dealers who have co-op mony to spend.

Television today is only getting 9 per cent of the total advertising dollar. This situation is further intensified by the fact that every sales presentation as made by competing media winds up as an anti-ty tirade.

The TAB is a call to arms.

Cordially,

S.g. Paul



Pledged to the welfare of the many communities it serves, with a continuing series of programs and projects designed to enlighten, strengthen and support the best interests of the public.

Represented by

# MEEKER TV, Inc.

New York Chicago Los Angeles Sen Francisco



# Supersalesman

It's no little trick to make a tentful of people laugh. But it's something else again to get a nation-wide audience laughing—at the same instant.

And laughter, as every salesman knows, is most effective sales tool. And so are all the other moods an entertainer can evoke. For they help you shift your prospect's interest—willingly—from whatever's on his mind to the product on yours.

This, perhaps, is television's greatest value to an advertiser. It creates a receptive mood in 30 million homes for more than five hours a day. It is always part-entertainer, part-salesman.

This, certainly, is why CBS Television has always made creative programming its most important activity. And why, in the major markets where the networks compete — and popularity can best be compared — CBS Television consistently wins the largest average audience: 11 per cent larger at night, and 27 per cent larger in the daytime.\*

Advertisers have found that placing their programs on the most popular network gives them a headstart in ratings\*\*—and a headstart in sales.

That's why their investment on CBS Television for the first quarter was over 45 per cent greater than a year ago. (And in 1953 it was the greatest in broadcasting history!) That's why it's still growing.

CBS Television can bring you the most receptive audiences in all America, because it has most of the programs most of your customers want.

CBS TELEVISION

\*Trendex, Oct. '53-Mar, '54,

••On the two most recent occasions when sponsored programs were broadcast at the same time over the leading networks, they won a 29%—and a 96%—higher rating on CBS Television.

From the files of Scotland Yard come the astounding stories of the man hailed by:

# TIME MAGAZINE

"...'THE GREATEST DETECTIVE IN THE WORLD'...he flashes enough intuitive genius to hold his own with the best of the fictional homicide squad—HOLMES, MAIGRET, PHILO VANCE and NERO WOLFE".

# **OMNIBOOK**

"... he is one of the MOST FAMOUS DETECTIVES OF OUR TIME".

# **PAGEANT**

"...a real life SHERLOCK HOLMES".

Sarah Churchill in "4 A.M. PHONE CALL"

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(portrayed by Bruce Seton)

RADIO DAILY-TELEVISION DAILY says: "It is fast paced, well documented . . . FAR SUPERIOR to the majority of "whodunits" at present cluttering up our screens".

Filmed on location and paced for American television audiences, this series is designed for:

- 1. Sponsors who are weary of the stereotyped "Private Eye".
- 2. Sponsors who demand strong product identification.

  At last here's a show whose unique format provides a POWERFUL MERCHANDISING FORCE to help video-wise advertisers sell goods!



"THE SAMBA CASE"



Bruce Seton in "THE GOLDEN PEACOCK"



"ROBBERY IN THE MUSEUM"



"BOMBS IN PICCADILLY

# A BEST SELLING BOOK!



Now being syndicated in leading newspapers throughout the United States with a combined readership of over 25,000,000 people!

THE NEW YORK TIMES says: "There is human warmth in it and no hysteria, no bitterness, no sensationalism. It has

humor too - judicious portions, not laid on with a heavy trowel".



Here's something really brand new and exciting in television fare fascinating documented CASE HISTORIES from the files of FORMER SUPERINTENDENT OF SCOTLAND YARD, ROBERT FABIAN, Britain's counterpart of America's J. Edgar Hoover!

FABIAN OF SCOTLAND YARD is available to National, Regional and Local advertisers who want a FIRST RUN TV PROGRAM with all the prestige and promotional values reserved for premiere presentations—at a price that will please the most budget conscious sponsors!

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WRITE, WIRE OR CALL TODAY FOR FULL DETAILS!



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# NOW on the Al





# ANOTHER "FIRST" FOR WKY-TV!

Local "live" color was first introduced to Oklahoma TV viewers in a five-minute telecast at 6 p.m. on April 8 by E. K. Gaylord, president of the Oklahoma Publishing Company and

Now, with two complete camera chains in operation, WKY-TV is nation's first independent station to have a regular schedule of local "live" color programs. Far-sighted planning made it possible for WKY-TV to receive the first color cameras delivered to any independent station in America! This same foresight has been characteristic of every phase of WKY-TV's operation. That's why WKY-TV is FIRST in black and white television - as well as COLOR!

> \*Pulse 29-County Audience Survey, Hooper Oklahama City Audience Survey of January, 1954, and ARB, March, 1954. See your Katz man.

WKY . . . FIRST Radio Station in Oklahoma

WKY-TV FIRST Television Station in Oklahoma

WKY-TV FIRST Station with Color IV in Oklahoma

WKY-TV FIRST in Popularity in Oklahoma

OKLAHOMA CITY

Owned and Operated by The Oklahama Publishing Co. The Daily Oklahaman-Oklahama C The Farmer-Stackman — WKY Re-Represented by The Ketz Agency,

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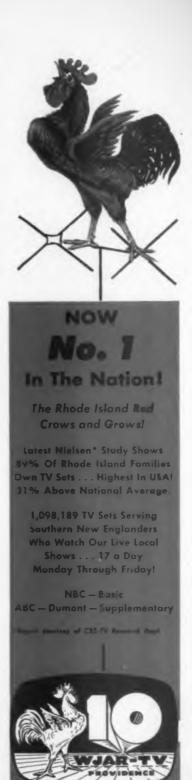
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...and it's a profitable song for sales-minded
businessmen. Millions of extra listeners mean
millions of extra sales. Storer Stations
have been voted "most listened to" by the
ever-increasing out-of-home audience.

# FORER BROADCASTING COMPANY

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# WSPD's "Billion Dollar Market"



The area covered by WSPD (Radio and/or Television) encompasses 18 counties; 3 in Michigan and 15 in Northwestern Chio.

Population 1,181,800
Families 359,150
Radio Homes 355,050
Percent tuned to WSPD-AM
Daylime 56.8%
Nighttime 48.6%
\*Television Homes 279,029
Percent tuned to WSPD-TV
Daytime 78%
Nighttime 91.5%

EFFECTIVE BUYING POWER
Total—\$1,917,277,000
Per Capita \$1,622
Per Family \$5,338

RETAIL SALES
Total \$1,409,122,532
Per Family \$3,923
Spent For:
Food \$332,271,000
Gen. Mdse. \$137,070,000
Furniture & Household—\$72,696,000
Automotive \$311,027,000

Drug \$36,600,000

Toledo's Metropolitan Area ranks high in the nation's 200 leading areas—

Toledo ranks 41st in total retail sales
Toledo ranks 39th in food store sales
Toledo ranks 42nd in gen. mdse. store sales
Toledo ranks 49th in apparel store sales

Toledo ranks 44th in home furnishing sales Toledo ranks 34th in automotive store sales

Toledo ranks 38th in filling station sales
Toledo ranks 57th in building material and hardware
store sales.

Toledo ranks 44th in drug store sales

SPeeDy daily entertains the people whose buying habits account for Toledo's high rating.

\*January 1, 1954

Authority for above listening and market information:

Standard Rate & Data Consumer Markets Neilsen Coverage Service Television Magazine



Storer Broadcasting Company
10M MARKER, NAT. SALES DIR., 118 E. S715 STREET, NEW YOR

Represented Nationally by KATZ

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# BUSINESS BAROMETER:

- The normal seasonal dip in station revenues is over. The anticipated upswing is on. That is disclosed by TELEVISION AGE's exclusive monthly survey. The latest report is for February compared with January (there is always a time-lag while dollar figures are compiled by operators). The results confirm the prediction made in this space last month that renewed gains were to be expected.
- Here is the actual percentage picture as reported by stations with total annual revenues of over \$100 million. Local business: up 1.6 per cent; national spot, a gain of 4.8; network, a rise of 3.0 per cent. This is the first time in three months that all categories have shown an improvement over the preceding month.
- The smallest stations continue to record the largest gains percentage-wise. In the \$175,000-\$375,000 range, local take is up as much as 17 per cent; national, by 19 per cent. That is understandable. The larger, well-established outlets have now settled down to a fairly stable business pattern. Barring the inroads of new competition, they cannot expect sharp changes in gross income or earnings.
- Meanwhile, the networks are setting a phenomenal pace. In the first quarter of this year: CBS Television led the parade, with billings of \$32.1 million, for a jump of 49.5 per cent over the like period of last year; NBC-TV recorded \$30.6 million, up 36.5 per cent; ABC-TV, \$7.9 million, a rise of 65.5 per cent; Du Mont, \$3.7 million, an increase of 30 per cent.
- All of this adds up. Advertising expenditures this year are now expected to top the 1953 record of \$7.8 billion. Television will account, by far, for the greatest part of that increase. At the same time tv will substantially boost its portion of the overall media take. Most likely to lose ground: consumer magazines and network radio.
- The strength of the television boom is carrying over into set sales. These set a record during the winter, for the entire year now promise to equal or even better 1953's total of 6.4 million receivers sold. This has occurred despite a general slump in appliance sales that still persists.
- The first public introduction of color has had absolutely no deterrent effect on black-and-white sales. In fact, the consensus is that it has spurred them. High costs of the sets, lack of color programming have been the chief factors here.

The real test of public reaction to color won't come before late Fall. Then both RCA and Du Mont will be the market with 19-inch multichrome sets. Other manufacturers will quickly follow suit. But prices will still be very high—about \$1,000. Few observers think there will be any substantial sales at that level. Chances are black-and-white will have the market completely to itself for a year or more to come—if not longer.

# STILL CLIMBING:

- The long rise in rates is apparently not yet over—at least in big-city, prime markets.

  A definite leveling-off, however, has been noted among the small and medium-sized stations ("Rates: End of the Spiral?" TELEVISION AGE,

  March, 1954).
- The tip-off is the action of WCBS-TV, New York flagship of CBS Television, boosting its basic Class A hourly charge (7-11 p.m., Monday through Saturday, and 6-11 p.m. on Sunday) from \$4,800 to \$6,000. Effective May 15, a 20-second station break goes up from \$1,075 to \$1,500, and 10-second spots are hiked from \$550 to \$750. These are, at present, the highest rates in the country.
- Actually, for the past several years the rates of WCBS-TV and WNBT, the chief competition, have been "playing leap frog." When one has increased rates, the other has promptly followed. This has happened, on the average, four times a year.
- Eut this rise apparently is different. WCBS-TV spokesmen point out that their secondary coverage is greater than ever, that sets-in-use have increased substantially and that the cost-per-thousand—even at the new rates—is lower than three years ago. They claim that the latest boost was inevitable. WNET is expected to keep pace.
- So far—and large operators around the country will be watching this closely—there has been no sign of advertiser resistance. The sponsors on the WBCS-TV roster have indicated that they will go along when contract renewal time rolls around.

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# HIGHEST RATINGS! **GREATEST SALES!**

Of Any Show Produced For Local Sponsorship!

MR. DISTRICT ATTORNEY

# **PREMIERED** APRIL 1, ON 94 STATIONS!

A New Record in the Field!

"FAVORITE STORY"

# 97.6% RENEWALS FOR SECOND YEAR!

Greatest renewal record in syndication history!

"CISCO KID" PRODUCED **CONTINUOUSLY FOR 5 GREAT YEARS!** 

Unparalleled performance in ratings, renewals and results "BOSTON BLACKIE"

# **SELLING SENSATION** FOR 150 SPONSORS!

TV's unmatched Mystery-Adventure

(Chrowledged)

# SUPERCHARGED ... WITH

Champion of the people, defender of truth, guardian of our fundamental rights to life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness.

# THE INSPIRED NEW SERIES THAT OUTSHINES THEM ALL FOR DRAMA, ACTION, REALISM!

Every action scene is authentic, staged in real honest to-goodness locations...inside a real crime laboratory, a real detective bureau, a real communications center, a real interrogation room, a real court room, even real fire ruins when the script demands.

With Mr. D. A. you get superior entertainment ... superior selling power. Every attention arresting half-hour holds five golden opportunities for sponsor salesmanship. Already winning sales for advertisers in over 50 markets, Mr. D. A. is truly a dramatic selling force!

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BRILLIANT, COMPATIBLE!

# V SELLING POWER!

ZIV'S Behind-The-Scenes Drama of Our Law Enforcers in Action

# Mr.DISTRICT ATTORNEY"

SRRING HOLLYWOOD'S DAVID BRIAN HE LOOKS, HE ACTS, HE IS MR. D. A.

Each Half-Hour a Complete Story ....
TECHNICAL SUPERVISION THROUGH THE COOPERATION OF THE LOS ANGELES LAW ENFORCEMENT AGENCIES



ZIV TELEVISION PROGRAMS, INC.
1529 MADISON ROAD, CINCINNATI, ONIO
NEW YORK.



# TOP RATINGS IN MARKET AFTER MARKET!

- SEATTLE 1st Place! Sat. evo. - rates 53.3 - Telepulse, June 1953 Best: Rabert Montgamery, Mr. & Mrs. North, Eddie Canter, Ford Theotre, Playhouse of Stars.
- KANSAS CITY 1st Place!
   Fil. eve. rates 32.3 Telepulse, Aug. 1953
   Beats Philice Goodyser TV Playhouse, Ford Theatre,
   Kraft TV Theatre, This I Your Life, G E Theatre,
   What's My Line, Gedfrey's Talent Scouts.
- PITTSBURGH 1st Place! Thur. evo. - rates 41.5 - Talepulse, Aug. 1953 Beat: This is Your Life. Deen You Go. Ford Theotre. Playhouse of Stars, Robert Mantgambry

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- WASHINGTON, D. C. 2nd Place!
  Tues, ave. rates 21.4 Telepulse, Aug. 1953
  Beats Danger, Suspense, Kraff TV Theatre,
  Dauglas, Ferbants, Lux Video Theatre

  Ouglas, Video Theatre

  Output

  Outp
- SAN ANTONIO 2nd Place!
  Tues, eve. rates 26.3 Telepulse, Aug. 1953
  Bacis Suscense, Blind Date, Burns & Allen, Kraft
  TV Theotre, Taust of the Town, Beulah, G. Thoolire, Robert Mantgamery, Lux Video Theotre.
- PORTLAND 2nd Place!
   Tues, eve rates 58.5 Telepuise, Sept. 1953
   Bears Break The Bank, Chance of a Lifetime, Playhouse of Stars, The Goldbergs, Big Stary.
- These leaders have RENEWED FOR 2ND YEAR!
- BLATZ Beer in 3 markets!
- DREWRYS Beer in 9 markets!
- OLYMPIA Beer in 6 markets!
- GENESEE Beer in 5 morkets!
- SCHAEFER Beer in New York City!

No. 1 FILM SERIES NATIONALLY!—Telepulse, August, 1953

NOT ANYWHERE BY ANYONE, HAS TELEVISION BEEN SO HANDSOMELY AND LAVISHLY STARRED

ZIV TELEVISION PROGRAMS INC.

Proudly Presents

# AIDOILPIE

YOUR STAR AND HE

Phose ced with a master's flair

A VIVID AND REWARDING EXPERIENCE

IN TELEVISIÓN DRAMA

The first name in outstand my television production

19400!

**LOOK TO ZIV-TV FOR** 

# LEADERSHIP IN COLOR, TOO!

FAVORITE STORY"



"MR. DISTRICT







"BOSTON BLACKIE"

**READY NOW IN** 

ZI - COLOR

 ZIV has been producing in color since TV's infancy... already has a color backlog of 5 YEARS OF TOP-RATED CISCO KID... in addition to current production of BOSTON BLACKIE, FAVORITE STORY and MR. DISTRICT ATTORNEY.



# T. V. story board

A column sponsored by one of the leading film producers in television

### SARRA

NEW YORK: 200 EAST 56TH STREET CHICAGO: 16 EAST ONTARIO STREET



The highly competitive subject of Personal Loan Service is given refreshing treatment in sparkling 20-second spots for Chase National Bank. The entertainment value of animated cartoons keeps the eye amused while a pleasant, persuasive "audio" background tells the complete story of Chase service in a down-to-earth conversational style. Mr. Average Wage Earner and his wife have their readily recognized problems . . . and the solution Chase offers is strongly identified at the finish. One of a series by SARRA produced for Chase National Bank through Kenyon & Eckhardt, Inc.

SARRA, Inc.

New York: 200 East 56th Street Chicago: 16 East Ontario Street



Introducing a new food product calls for quick package identification and strong "in use" demonstration. More than an "entering wedge" for brand new, wedge-shaped Cracker Barrel Cheese by Kraft is presented in each 20 seconds of sell in this series of TV spots by SARRA. Appetite-appealing shots of the new product. associated with familiar favorites like apple pie and crackers-and-cheese, add visual appeal to the voice-over assurance that Kraft's Cracker Barrel Cheese is more than worthy of a trial. Stop motion close-ups practically put the package in the viewer's hands, to clinch sales in this series of 20-second TV spots produced by SARRA for Kraft Foods Co., through J. Walter Thompson Company.

SARRA, Inc.

New York: 200 East 56th Street Chicago: 16 East Ontario Street



This series of 1-minute and 20-second TV spots for D-X gasoline, reaches its selling climax like a high-powered car. There's quick pick-up, steady power, and no "pulling off the road" because the story of extra mileage, extra anti-knock, and extra power is stripped to its bare essentials. A catchy jingle sign-off at the end of the spot is synchronized with "blinker" emphasis on the exclusive new "UCL-PLUS" feature of the product. No waste motion in proving that there are "hundreds of gasolines but only one D-X." Created and produced by SARRA for Mid-Continent Petroleum Corp., through R. J. Potts-Calkins & Holden.

SARRA, Inc.

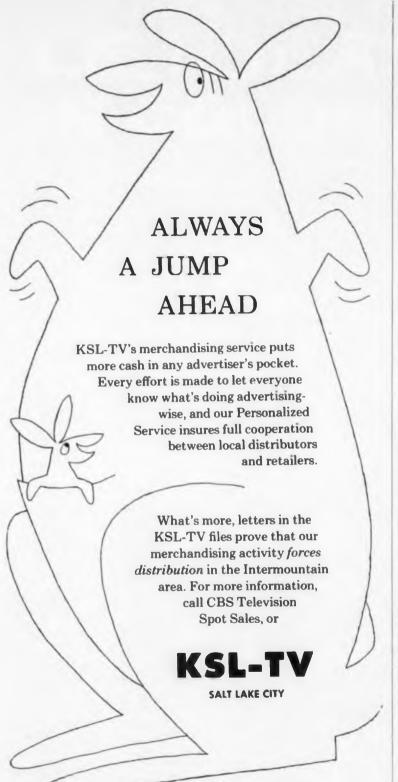
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The proof of a TV commercial is not how the master print looks in the projection room, but how it gets across on home screens. To make sure of brilliant home reception from every print made of its TV productions. Sarra has its own especially equipped and staffed laboratory for processing TV film. Here Sarra's VIDE-O-RIGINAL prints are custom-made. These duplicates faithfully reproduce the sparkle and clarity which twenty years of experience in advertising production put into the original film. Thus the advertiser is assured that on every screen, his commercial will give a fine performance.

SARRA, Inc.

New York: 200 East 56th Street Chicago: 16 East Ontario Street



Serving 39 Counties in Four Western States

# Letters (Continued from page 6)

**EDITOR** 

. . . . I am attracted strongly by your publication. I think it is smart and beautifully done. It operates on a level that should appeal to all those in the industry who think . . . .

JOHN GUFFEY
Womack, Craig & Webster Adv.
Odessa, Tex.

EDITOR

In your excellent article which appeared in the April issue, "A \$200,000 Home," you stated that many of the manufacturers and craftsmen involved in the construction of the studio had never done work for television before.

We would like to have, if possible, a list of those companies so that we can contact them for information concerning materials that were used for the *Home* studio.

We are always interested in "new" conceptions and uses of building materials and equipment.

J. Evans Dwight & Co. Architectural Engineers Chicago

EDITOR:

The story on "Studio One" in the April issue of TELEVISION AGE was excellent, and you are to be congratulated for such a fine job.

ROGER H. BOLIN

General Advertising Manager

Wes:inghouse Electric Corporation

Pittsburgh

EDITOR

As a charter subscriber of your magazine, I'd like to file a compliment. I find that by reading TELEVISION AGE each month I'm able to keep up with what's what in color. Your April story, "Color Scheme," was especially informative because it covered the very practical problem of how to put the individual hues to their most effective use.

There is, of course, much experimenting and learning yet to be done in the handling of color, and I for one am counting on your publication to keep me up-dated colorwise.

L. R. SACHER Lee Studios Los Angeles

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# nothing Works Like Wantmanship

Putting the yearn on everyone to want something more, new or better. That's Wantmanship, the Crosley Group's dynamic new dimension in selling. Typical of the Group, WLW-T, Cincinnati, uses top talent—professional want-makers, to make wants real and urgent. Wantmanship explains why the Crosley Group makes more sales faster, at less cost, than any other medium or combination.

# the CROSLEY GROUP

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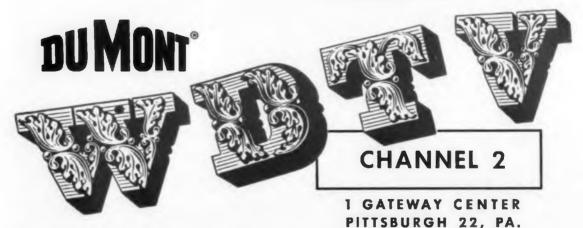
# A BONUS FOR EVERYONE ON CHANNEL PITTSBURGH

Since WDTV increased its power to 100,000 watts it now serves nearly ONE MILLION receivers, all of which get a fine signal on Channel 2.

This plus coverage makes it possible to surpass even the outstanding results advertisers previously have achieved on WDTV.

# THERE IS A BONUS FOR VIEWERS TOO!

We will continue to present the BEST of the programs from all networks with the finest signal in the area.



Always First with the Finest in Television

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# Remember?

... this scene from the first television drama ever produced, "The Queen's Messenger", in 1928 by the General Electric Company's experimental television station? WRGB's smooth and efficient programming today is a result of this first experiment and 26 years of television experience. With this background, WRGB brings the finest service to advertisers and audience through 361,000 sets in WRGB's 14,000 square mile area.

A GENERAL ELECTRIC STATION, SCHENECTADY, NEW YORK

WRGB

Represented Nationally by NBC Spot Sales

New York • Cleveland • Chicago • Detroit

Hollywood • San Francisco

THE CAPITAL DISTRICT'S ONLY FULL-TIME TELEVISION STATION

# THREE MIGHTY M's...

that add up to one of the most outstanding advertising opportunities in America!

# THE MARKET...

an industrial dynamo of 116 counties, five states wide and a-hum with the manufacturing tempo of plants and mills, mines, factories, transportation webs, and wide-awake communities where many of the nation's most successful businesses have chosen to locate their multi-billion industrial investments!

# THE MONEY...

which flows soundly via pay envelopes into the comfortable homes of skilled workers throughout this Ohio Valley region ... money that stems from the prosperity and progress they have helped build for this bustling market where incomes are higher, sales are brisker, and buying power has the potent wallop of four billion dollars a year!

# THE MEDIUM...

is the one remaining element needed to complete a perfect climate for exceptional sales. That, too, is here. It's WSAZ-TV, the *one* television station that commands this entire market . . . and exerts a welcome influence upon the ways so many of its prosperous families spend their money. Nothing sells so marvelously here as WSAZ-TV! Ask America's top advertisers. The giant opportunity they've found is mighty enough for more to share.



Huntington-Charleston, West Virginia
Channel 3-100,000 watts ERP-NBC-CBS-Du Mont-ABC
Affiliated with Radio Station WSAZ.
Lauvence H. Rogers, Vice President & General Manager, WSAZ, Inc.
Represented nationally by The Kats Agency



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# WHAT'S AHEAD BEHIND THE SCENES TELE-SCOPE

## Smoke Signals

The big swing to filtered cigarettes continues. American Tobacco has one in the works, not due, however, for several months. R. J. Reynolds soon will step up promotion—including heavy tv spots -on Winston, its new filter-tip. Meanwhile, cigarette firms' profits-despite all the hubbub over last year's dip in sales—are running as much as 30 per cent ahead of the 1953 pace. Expiration of the excess profits tax is a major factor.

# High Gear

Look for auto companies to step up their tv outlays as competition grows ever hotter. Chrysler, in particular, which has lost one-third of its former market to General Motors and Ford, will launch a major advertising drive in all media.

Rheingold Beer, fifth ranking in sales, plans to go nationwide. It has plants and distribution on the east and west coasts, is reportedly dickering for a large midwest brewery in order to become a national brand. Foote, Cone and Belding handles the account.

## Papers Off

The next Audit Bureau of Circulation reports will show surprising losses in circulation for New York City Metropolitan dailies. The evening papers in particular attribute circulation decline to television.

# Westinghouse to JWT?

Although J. Walter Thompson won't confirm or deny, the report persists that the Appliance Division of Westinghouse (\$11 million billing) has shifted from Fuller, Smith and Ross, where the account has been for eighteen years, to JWT.

### Of Time and ASCAP

You can look for some legal fireworks with respect to the method of computation of ASCAP revenue on individual tv stations. Several stations. which bill on a blanket basis, contend that 60 per cent of their rate represents time costs, while 40 per cent represents facilities. These stations are asking ASCAP to compute the percentage solely on the basis of the 60 per cent. ASCAP hasn't indicated whether it will do this. In the case of one midwestern station about \$100,000 is involved.

### Feature Run

Stations throughout the country will watch very carefully the WOR-TV new nighttime programming policy. Starting in the fall they will telecast the General Teleradio feature films recently acquired from the Bank of America. The plan is to run on a motion picture basis, i.e., the same film twice a night for seven nights.

# New Look

You can look for a reappraisal of the International Latex advertising philosophy since its sale to Stanley-Warner Corp. The budget of \$3 million a year was under the personal direction of the corporation's board chairman, A. N. Spanel. The company has been considering re-entry into tv for quite some time. Foote, Cone and Belding is the agency.

# New Faces

The entry into tv by advertisers new to the medium continues apace. Latest are H. J. Heinz Company which purchased 78 participations on NBC's Home and Noxema Chemical which purchased the Ed Murrow Person-to-Person program on the midwestern leg of CBS Television.

### Here and There

Shell Oil, through J. Walter Thompson, has plans for placing nighttime half-hour programs on a regional basis. Johnson's Wax, through Needham, Louis and Brorby, will come back next fall with a nighttime program replacing Life With Father on CBS. Dow Chemical via McManus, John & Adams is looking for a nighttime show for Saran-Wrap.

# WGR-TV channel 2 Buffalo, New York basic NBC-TV affiliate

announces the appointment of

# **HEADLEY-REED-TV**

as Exclusive National Sales Representatives

Effective Immediately



HEADLEY-REED is happy to announce the addition of WGR-TV to its list of distinguished stations.

WGR-TV will service Buffalo—14th market in the United States with a vhf set circulation of 394,533.\*

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\*Source: Niagara Mohawk Power Corporation

### **EAST**

WSYR-TV Syracuse NBC

WTRI Schenectady, Albany, Troy CBS

WGLV Easton ABC, DuMont

WTPA Harrisburg NBC
WEEU-TV Reading NBC

WBRE-TV Wilkes-Barre NBC, ABC

## **MIDWEST**

WEEK-TV Peoria NBC

KWWL-TVWaterlooNBC, CBSWNEM-TVBay CityNBC, DuMontKFEQ-TVSt. JosephCBS, Du Mont

WFMJ-TV Youngstown NBC WKOW-TV Madison CBS

## SOUTH

WALA-TV Mobile CBS, NBC, ABC

WSFA-TV Montgomery On the air Fall, 1954

WRDW-TV Augusta CBS

WDAK-TV Columbus NBC, ABC

WTOK-TV Meridian ABC, CBS, Du Mont, NBC
WTVD Durham NBC—On the air Fall, 1954

WSJS-TV Winston-Salem NBC
WAIM-TV Anderson CBS
WCOS-TV Columbia ABC

#### WEST

KOOK-TV Billings CBS, DuMont, ABC, NBC KFBB-TV Great Falls CBS, NBC, ABC, DuMont

#### HAWAII

KULA-TV Honolulu ABC, DuMont

# **HEADLEY-REED TV**

New York Chicago Philadelphia San Francisco Los Angeles Detroit New Orleans Atlanta

# RAMAR of the jungle



starring Jon Hall

It's the only show of its kind in all television! No chance of sponsor mis-identification with RAMAR, because there's no other show like it on the TV screens.

It's a show for children – with a host of adult fans. The jungle locale provides an exciting background for stirring episodes which appeal to the young and old of both sexes.

Sold in more than 85 markets. Act now for franchises on an individual market basis.

All of these TPA features are offered as complete selling packages, with effective, integrated merchandising and promotion plans to lift sponsors' sales.



for station operators ...

# THE EDWARD SMALL FEATURES

28 full-length feature films people like to watch...stations like to run...advertisers like to sponsor.

They're all produced by Edward Small, that outstanding Hollywood impressario whose sensitivity to public likes have given his productions a gross of more than \$100,000,000.

Features top name stars in every picture.

Now profitably shown by more than 100 station operators. If you're not one of them, you ought to be!

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## YOUR' STAR SHOWCASE



with your host, Mr. Edward Arnold

Here's a successful, tested program - that's first-run in over 150 markets!

It's a series of 52 star-studded network calibre half-hours which, as The General Electric Theatre, won ratings of 22.9 in Cleveland . . . 30.5 in San Antonio . . . 20.3 in Chicago . . . 32.6 in Kalamazoo, etc. (ARB, Feb., 1953).

YOUR° STAR SHOWCASE is a weekly parade of marquee names, sparkling scripts, tight direction and lavish production. It can be the showcase for your product.

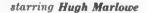
\*Advertiser or brand name

# elevision rograms of merica, inc.

729 SEVENTH AVENUE, NEW YORK 19, N. Y. . 1041 N. FORMOSA AVENUE, HOLLYWOOD 46, CALIF.

coming soon.

# THE ADVENTURES OF ELLERY QUEEN





A brand new half-hour series with a tradition of outstanding success in every medium.

The Ellery Queen books have sold over 50 million copies. The radio series was a leading hit for years. Now, with Hugh Marlowe in the title role, an exciting telecast series of new adventures are being filmed in Hollywood for May release.

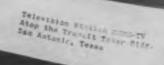
Reserve your markets now. It's like putting money in the bank.

check . . . . and double check



1/62.4% of all time rated San Antonio's KGBS-TV had more viewers than the second station.

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NATIONAL REPRESENTATIVES . . . . . . . . . KATZ AGENCY

# THE WAY IT HAPPENED Newsfront

THE NEWSPAPERS ... It was spring again and this one bid fair to be more color-full than usual. Convention time had rolled 'round and three groups—of prime importance to the television industry—were holding annual conclaves, discussing the topics that would guide tv planning, shape tv decisions and presage tv developments throughout the coming year. On



GEORGE C. BIGGERS
Color: A Threat

each agenda color tv ranked high.

In New York, under balmy skies, the American Newspaper Publishers Association, gathered in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, frankly admitted that television was already an advertising threat and color telecasts would be a greater one.

The thread of caution wove through all the speeches, from the keynote address by Richard W. Slocum, vice president of the *Philadelphia Bulletin* (WCAU-TV), to a final report by the ANPA's Bureau of Advertising.

Slocum warned: "With the advent and increased popularity of television, newspapers... must offer a product to the public that has maximum attractiveness... as well as being interesting and informative. Color... may be part of the answer."

George C. Biggers, president of the ANPA and head of the Atlanta Journal and Constitution (WSB-TV), pointed

out that in five years to had grown 596 per cent in number of set owners, 907 per cent in advertising revenue and 251 per cent in number of stations; it was the first visual medium to go directly into the home and compete with the press. "Don't treat it lightly," he warned. "Television is... fighting for the advertiser's dollar and for the reader's time." Despite the fact that 1953 was newspapers' biggest year—circulation, 54.4 million for 1,785 papers; advertising revenue, \$2.6 billion, both records—so far this year advertising take was down.

THE ADVERTISERS... The theme of the 36th annual 4A's meeting was teamwork. Highlight of the convention at White Sulphur Springs was a color symposium with McCann-Erickson's Marion Harper, Jr. pre-



JOSEPH B. ELLIOTT
Color: A Responsibility

siding. NBC president Sylvester Weaver, CBS president Dr. Frank Stanton, CBS Television president J. L. Van Volkenburg and RCA executive vice president Joseph B. Elliott all stressed the point: Color sets without programs were useless, no matter how low the price, and vice versa. It was up to manufacturers, broadcasters and advertisers to work together, at equal speeds, if color tv were to reach full maturity.

"Color television is in a locked-in

situation," said Dr. Stanton. "In my judgment, the key to the lock is the color tube... Production schedules... have had to be revised downward pending the development of larger tubes." However, with quantity production by the second half of the year, he said, set production could really get underway. Then the team must start working: Manufacturers must get together to sell color tv to the public; this involved showing it to them through programs; the advertiser must help by "getting his programs into color wherever and whenever possible."

Mr. Elliott gave the manufacturers' view. If color was to grow as fast as monochrome, they "will have considerable responsibility in giving their support to color programming." RCA, he reported, expected demand for color sets in 1954 and 1955 to exceed supply; already its initial run of multichrome sets was oversold. The company would be producing its new 19inch tube by fall and planned to demonstrate a 21-incher in 1955. However, he added, even if the price were as low as \$1.98, the sets would be useless without acceptable color programs. "It is a team-play proposition."

THE TELECASTERS . . . The NARTB, meanwhile, was preparing to give the bandwagon a push. It was devoting a



JAMES D. RUSSELL
Color: A Symposium

major portion of its 32nd annual convention proceedings in Chicago, May 23-27, to color. While the delegates would be debating such topics as how. when and where to buy tv films, labor developments and freedom of information, the eighth annual Broadcasting Engineering Convention - an NARTB adjunct—had listed 13 speakers on color out of a total of 25. There would be talks on program production, test equipment, film reproduction and operation techniques.

A joint management-engineering session, to be presided over by James D. Russell, president of KKTV Colorado Springs, would hear Robert E. Shelby, director of color tv systems development at NBC, report on the results of the network's multichrome experience to date

And color equipment would be prominent among the Exhibition Hall displays. General Electric announced it would show for the first time its "building blocks" for gradually converting monochrome facilities through network colorcasts. color slide and color film originations to live talent. It would also demonstrate its continuous motion scanner system (developed in part by Eastman Kodak) to solve color programs of registration, shading and splicing.

RCA, too. was planning to show a complete color tv operation-studio and equipment, slide scanner, complete control console, viewing room and station equipment for receiving network color.

Philco had arranged to show off its new CineScanner which enables broadcasters to originate slides and film in both monochrome and color.

Among the Du Mont Laboratories displays would be another first-its new color multi-scanner. Federal Telecommunications Labs was exhibiting color generating equipment, and AT&T Long Lines Department was demonstrating visually the Bell System's role in converting channels to color, including the equipment to be installed in the station itself.

GOING AND COMING. The television industry seemed to feel it was time for a change. From coast to cosst, stations were changing hands; new f-ces were entering the tv picture, older ones were retiring. And at record sums.



ARTHUR CHURCH A Pioneer Retired

In the shuffle, one of broadcasting's pioneers quietly retired from the field.

Arthur Church, long-time president and founder (1921) of Midland Broadcasting Co. (KMBC-TV, KMBC and KFRM Kansas City), arranged to sell all Midland's common stock to WHB Broadcasting Co., wholly-owned subsidiary of Cook Paint & Varnish Co. WHB-TV, which had been sharing time with KMBC-TV, would go off the air. leaving channel 9 to the latter. At the same time. WHB would be transferred to Mid-Continent Broadcasting Co., Omaha, operators of am stations in Omaha and New Orleans.

Said Arthur Church: "Mrs. Church and I decided to sell for reasons of health. We are glad that . . . the great broadcasting property we have built in Kansas City during the past 33 years, will continue as a Kansas City institution."

Among the other prominent trans-

• Storer Broadcasting sold KGBS-TV and AM San Antonio to the Express Publishing Co., publishers of the San Antonio Express and Evening News, for \$3.5 million. This would help clear the way for FCC approval of Storer's \$8.5 million purchase last January of the Empire Coil Co. and its two tv stations, WXEL-TV Cleveland (vhf) and KPTV Portland, Ore. (uhl).

. J. H. Whitney Co., New York venture capital investment house, paid \$4 million for KOTV Tulsa. (See In the Picture). Former owners Helen Alvarez and Jack D. Wrather Jr. also own KFMB-TV San Diego.

•Time, Inc., bought KLZ-TV, AM and FM Denver from 40-odd stockholders. The price: \$3.5 million.

COUNTERATTACK. In the face of a concerted effort by all media to counteract the inroads of television, the tv industry was finally fighting back. Thirty-eight stations initiated preliminary steps to set up a television advertising bureau to promote tv advertising, especially national and local spot.

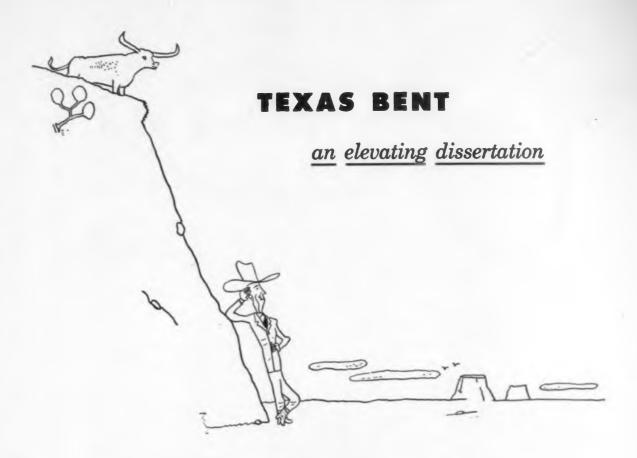
Headed by Richard A. Moore, vice president and general manager of KTTV Los Angeles, the group was operating from the Station Representatives Association on a temporary budget of \$5,000 donated by the SRA. Its first objective: a meeting of all tv station operators in Chicago during the NARTB convention at which a full complement of officers would be elected, dues-probably a percentage of each station's time charges—and budget would be established. (The founders were shooting for at least the \$700,-000-a-year budget of their model, the Broadcast Advertising Bureau.)

The plan of operation included a speaker's bureau, a market research department and subcommittees to 1) keep agencies up to date on size of audience, 2) launch an aggressive promotion to sell tv at all levels, 3) serve as liaison with the NARTB so there would be no overlapping activities.

Meantime, the organizing committee picked itself a consultant, Richard P. Doherty, former NARTB vice president and now head of his own consulting organization, Television Radio Management Corp.



RICHARD A. MOORE A Call for Action



Plying across the unfenced sky, or looking from the windows of transcontinental trains, you miss the up-and-downness of the Texas Panhandle's picturesque barrancas. Back in the days when a mile still had meaning, land-hungry settlers bought countless acres cheap—and unseen. One such stopped in the Land Office, so a story goes, to get directions to his newly acquired property. He got back a month later, was recognized by the clerk who asked if he had located his land without too much trouble.

"Yes," the settler said, "I found it, but I couldn't get over it. All I could do was lean up against it."

KGNC-TV's 100,000 watts of power climb over, under, around and through the tamed territory of 30 Texas and New Mexico counties—an area rich in oil, gas,

cotton, wheat and cattle. Amarillo is the wholesale and retail trading center for the Panhandle, plus parts of New Mexico, Kansas, Oklahoma, and Colorado. To "lean up against" the folks who make Amarillo first in the nation in per family retail sales, use KGNC-TV.

For additional information, please see our national reps, the Katz Agency.



NBC and DuMONT AFFILIATE

TV: Channel 4. AM: 10,000 watts, 710 kc. Represented nationally by the Katz Agency





Excellent color fidelity. Special Masking Amplifier plus overall quality of system results in superlative reproduction.



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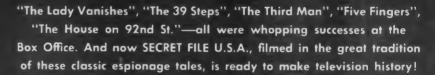
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# ... on to Chicago

As it holds its 32nd convention,
the NARTB plays a key role
in industry affairs

All roads will lead to Chicago this month. At the Palmer House, May 23-27, more than 2.000 telecasters and broadcasters will meet at the 32nd annual convention of the NAKTB. It will not only be the largest gathering of the association, but it also promises to be the most interesting and important.

The delegates will undoubtedly find time for some "extra-curricular activity"—a visit to the Pump Room, the Pit, Ivanhoe or even the 606 Club, some shopping at Marshall Field's or a stroll along Michigan Boulevard. But, it is safe to say, the bulk of their time will be devoted strictly to business. They will take in more than 80 equipment and film exhibits (with the emphasis on the latest color tv developments), hear talks and panel discussions on a score or more of industry problems ranging from sports coverage and broadcasting standards to government

and labor relations. The usual banquet and election of officers will top off the five-day program.

There will also be time for reminiscences of past conventions and a long, gratifying look backward at the organization's accomplishments and gains during the past three eventful decades. Industry pioneers (see "Then and Now," page 52) will recall that it was also in Chicago that the National Association of Broadcasters got its start more than a generation ago.

It was back in 1922. The infant, struggling radio industry came up against ASCAP for the first time (it was to be far from the last time) and the demands of that composer's group. The society insisted that stations take out licenses to broadcast its songs and agree to a schedule of performance fees or face copyright infringement suits. The pioneer radio men, beset with a myriad of other problems, decided it would be

prudent to join forces and seek common solutions. A series of organizational meetings were held at the Drake hotel in Chicago, and the NAB was established with E. F. McDonald, Jr. of the Zenith Radio Corp. named as president. First convention of the new association was held in the Fall of 1923 in New York.

In those early years the chief preoccupation of the broadcasters was to bring order out of chaos-to get frequencies assigned, rules and regulations written into legislation. Financial, programming and copyright problems also appeared regularly on the annual convention agenda. Working closely with Congressional committees. both the young NAB and individual operators played a major part in drafting the basic Federal Radio Law of 1927; revised in 1934, it is the present Communications Act under which all communications in this country are regulated.

#### Rough Going

Like many another trade group, the NAB had its full share of setbacks and difficulties—internal disputes, lack of members' support, behind-the-scenes "politicking." The first important turning point came in the early 1930's. At that time the association was at a low ebb, with only about 80 active members. The need for tighter organization and better direction was urgent. Accordingly, Philip G. Loucks, now an Washington attorney, was hired as full-time Managing Director, and the headquarters were moved from New York to Washington.

By 1938 another "crisis" was at hand. The occasion was a dispute again, not the last such one, by any



Harold Fellows

means—with James C. Petrillo, aggressive head of the American Federation of Musicians. The AFL union wanted broadcasters to employ a minimum number of "live" musicians regardless of the actual need. The NAB directors, with a bitter fight on their hands, decided to appoint a paid president who could devote his full energies to this and other pressing problems. Mark Ethridge, publisher of the Louisville Courier-Journal, agreed to serve as interim president for a few months while the right man could be found.

He turned out to be Neville Miller, mayor of Louisville, who had distinguished himself in directing relief operations during the famous flood of '38. Neville Miller served as president for more than five years until a factional fight broke out within the NAB during the latter part of 1943 and Miller resigned in March, 1944. He was succeeded as president by J. Harold Ryan, treasurer of the Fort Industry Co. and managing director of wspp Toledo. Mr. Ryan filled an in-

terim term of some 17 months and was followed in the presidency by Justin Miller, associate judge on the U. S. Court of Appeals in Washington. Mr. Miller (no relation to Neville) became chairman of the NARTB board in 1951, a position from which he retired just last month. Harold Fellows, who was elected president in June, 1951, then assumed the chairman's title also.

During this period, as noted, the association's course was often stormy. Groups with competing interests complained that other members had been favored by such-and-such a policy. Some of the larger stations, for instance, balked at paying a bigger share of the operating costs while, they said, most of the NAB's time and efforts had been devoted to the problems of the smaller operators. The "little fellows," on the other hand, claimed that the larger operators wielded too much influence within the organization. And every now and then the independent stations protested that policies were designed chiefly to benefit network affiliates.

#### A Split?

In the early 1940's an open breach loomed. A group of regional station operators headed by Eugene Pulliam (WIRE Indianapolis) and Ed Craney (KXLF Butte) threatened to form a new association because of their opposition to the "clear channel" group within the NAB. From time to time, both during and between conventions criticism of policies was bluntly outspoken.

But the noteworthy feature of the NAB-NARTB history is that it has not split apart or been weakened by the conflicting pressures. Quite the oppo-

# The NARTB staff: They supply members with engineering and legal information,



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site. Over the years a working fusion has been achieved among all the diverse interests - radio, television, small stations, large stations, networks -within the association. The recent meetings and conventions have been more orderly and cut-and-dried. This reflects, of course, the fact that the tvradio business has become less of a personal business, more of a tightly organized industry. It is possible to wax nostalgic over the activities of past conventions. The pioneers may yearn for "the good old days" but they are gone beyond recall. The NARTB's "new look" is here to stay.

#### Milestones

Meanwhile, hardly a year has passed in which the association has not made broadcasting and, incidentally, national news. In 1928 television was on the agenda for the first time. In 1939, members adopted a radio code of practices (revised in 1948), the first formal attempt at self-regulation to be made by any medium. In 1940, the NAB joined in setting up Broadcast Music, Inc. (BMI), new song writers' society which successfully combatted the "tuneout" of all ASCAP melodies. In 1941, at the annual convention Mark Ethridge made a memorable speech scoring FCC attempts to "regulate the industry to death." (James Fly, FCC chairman, promptly likened the NAB to "a dead mackerel stinking in the moonlight.") In 1946, the association took the field once again to ward off the long reach of bureaucracy; this time the target was the FCC's "Blue Book" proposing stringent advertising curbs. In 1951, the NAB became the NARTB in recognition of the emerging importance of the new medium. In

1952, the tv code was adopted.

Throughout these decades of growth and progress, the structure of the NARTB itself was constantly modified to meet new conditions. When the first full-time president was chosen in 1938, for instance, seventeen geographical districts were set up throughout the country, with a director to be elected by the members within each district. In addition, provision was made for six directors-at-large, two each from small, medium and large stations. These 23, with the president as chairman, constituted the Board of Directors. The 1938 reorganization plan also called for creation of administrative departments at the Washington headquarters: Public Relations and Education; Labor Relations; Engineering: Research; and Law. Each department was headed by a staff director appointed by the president.

In 1942, the networks were admitted to the association, with each entitled to a seat on the Board of Directors. In 1947, the bylaws were amended to allow for election of a Secretary-Treasurer by the Board and for the position of Executive Vice President appointed by the president. In 1949 came still another revamping: the executive vice president was eliminated, functions of the Program Department were transferred to newly-created Audio and Video Divisions.

#### Latest Overhaul

The most recent reorganization occured in 1951 when the NARTB designation officially replaced the NAB. The Broadcast Advertising Bureau became an autonomous outfit, moving to New York with its own staff and budget. A Television Board of Directors was

created, and it, together with the Radio Board, formed the overall NARTH Board of Directors.

Today, the NARTB bears little resemblance to the small, informal group of the '20s that blazed the trail for industry cooperation and recognition. There are, by latest count, 1827 members (a membership drive is currently underway) -1130 am stations, 329 fm. 250 television, two radio networks, four tv networks and 111 associates. (Associate members are defined as "any individual, partnership, firm or corporation engaged in a business . . . or profession connected with radio or television broadcasting . . ." Equipment firms, research outfits and news services are among the associates.) The sctive members pay these dues: tv stations, each month an amount equal to the highest five-minute rate or one-half the highest quarter-hour rate, whichever is the lower; radio stations, a sliding scale from \$10.50 to \$420 a month based on yearly revenue ranging from \$25,000 to over \$3 million. At the NARTB headquarters in Washington a permanant staff of 60 administers en annual budget of more than \$700,-000. This is the present organizational setup of the NARTB:

Board of Directors. This is the actual governing body of the association, setting policy in conjunction with the president and chairman. The number of directors is held to a maximum of 49, with 30 radio representatives and 18 television (at present there are 41 directors). They meet three times a year.

President and chairman of the board. Harold Fellows, 16th president of the NARTB, is generally recognized (Continued on page 88)

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William S. Hedges, NBC vice president in charge of integrated services, has had long and distinguished career in radio and television. Back in 1922 he helped establish WMAQ, radio station of the Chicago Daily He served as president of the National Association of Broadcasters in 1928-29, as chairman of the organization's Executive Committee from 1930 until 1933. The latter year Mr. Hedges was made manager of NBC's owned-and-operated stations. In 1936 he left the network to become manager of what and want and vice president of the Crosley Radio Corp. He returned to NBC as vice president in charge of Station Relations and Traffic, later headed the Planning and Development Department. An industry leader for more than a generation, Mr. Hedges presents a first-hand history of the NAB and NARTB conventions through the years.

#### BY WILLIAM S. HEDGES

the 31 years since the formation of the National Association of Radon and Television Broadcasters, the eventions of the Association have that up a mirror to the industry reflection to hopes, its aspirations and its problem.

When the organization was first formed, these of us who had entered broadcastill saw in it an opportunity for a publisservice. I doubt, however, if anyone us realized the tremendous potentials of radio and television. We were Bught together by the demands of the American Society of Composers Artists and Publishers that take out licenses to "pubeach of licly perform for profit the comprising selection in the catalogue of ASCAP member." It seemed to us the height y that we should be accused of making a profit from broadcasting, beby 1923 broadcasting had aldy become a burdensome expense o its owners.

Among our other problems were the inadequacy of the laws pertaining to radio which up to that time had been merely regulations for ship-to-shore communication and related problems of life at sea. We felt the need of regulatory authority to administer assignment of power, frequencies, and time on the air. It was likewise obvious to these early pioneers that a nation-wide system could not be built up with only two channels-360 and 400 meters. However, by the time of our first convention, held in the Fall of 1923 in New York City, the 10kc separation plan and assignment of 550 to 1500kc to broadcasting had been made, going into effect on May 15, 1923.

Beginning with the first convention and up to the 1926 convention, the chief concern of the broadcasters was securing legislation which would give stability to the broadcasting industry; the perennial question of the equities involved in existing copyright law; programming; and an occasional note of pessimism about the financial outlook.

By 1926, commercialism had gotten under way. It was in the Fall of 1926 that the National Broadcasting Company was established, taking over the embryo network first started by the Bell System and launching plans for expansion of that network. The year 1926 will long be remembered also for a period of chaos following the complete break-down of governmental authority in July when the Attorney General advised Secretary of Commerce Herbert Hoover that he had no jurisdiction over the assignment of frequencies and power to broadcasting stations. Between that time and February, 1927, the broadcasters labored long and hard with committees of the House and Senate in an effort to secure legislation which would reestablish the Government as the arbiter of radio. This was a matter of concern in both the 1926 and 1927 conventions—one in anticipation and the other in retrospect so far as the Federal Radio Law of 1927 was concerned. Technical problems were uppermost in everyone's mind at the 1927 Convention. We heard Dr. Alfred N. Goldsmith calmly predict that "by 1930 the 500 to 1,000 kilowatt station will be regarded as normal"—a prediction fulfilled in 1934 by WLW but prevented from complete fulfillment by Senator B. K. Wheeler's Senate Resolution limiting clear channel stations to

#### Growing Up

Meanwhile, the Association had been enjoying a gradual growth undertaking more and more of the responsibilities of a trade organization. By the time the 1928 convention was held in Washington, D. C., in October of that year, the Association was ready to come to grips with the responsibilities and obligations of being an advertising medium. Up to that time there had been no effective liaison between advertising

agencies and broadcasters. In fact agencies were viewed with a degree of skepticism as being suspicious of and unfriendly to the new advertising medium-radio broadcasting. Many broadcasters in those days took the view that agencies were wedded to the older media and were uninterested in learning about the new art of broadcasting. However, the network salesmen, then out pounding the pavements for NBC's two networks and for the Columbia Broadcasting System Network, which was established in the Fall of 1927, were excellent emissaries for all types of radio sales and did much to stimulate the interest of the principal agencies in radio spot as well as national advertising.

The 1928 convention is one which I remember best because in the absence of the president, Earle C. Anthony, who found it impossible to get away from Los Angeles due to the pressure of business, I was chosen the acting chairman and found myself President of the Association at the conclusion of the meeting. Having spent most of my business life in the newspaper field, it seemed natural that the ways and means which had proved successful in selling newspaper lineage could be employed in selling radio time. First of all we needed a firmer understanding between the agencies and the broadcasters. Together with John Benson, who was then President of the American Association of Advertising Agencies, I appointed the first joint committee of broadcasters and agency men to work out a plan of closer cooperation. This led to the standardization of contracts and rate cards and the establishment of business practices which were more in conformity with the business practices of older media than our heterogeneous methods had been before.

The results of this first year of intensification on the commercial front were reported on at the 1929 convention in West Baden, Indiana. It was there that the first steps were taken toward the establishment of a Code of Ethics and Standards of Practice. Much work was done on the Code during the following year.

When the 1930 convention was held in Cleveland, the program starred two headliners, John Benson, President of the 4A's and E. Claude Mills who in 1930 was serving as President of Radio Music Company, a subsidiary of the National Broadcasting Company.

#### Biggest Attendance

Notable as these talks were, there were several other significant aspects of the convention. It was by all means the largest gathering of broadcasters which had even been held. This was brought about because it was the desire of the Board of Directors that the convention should be open to all broadcasters regardless of their membership in the Association, and for the first time a registration fee was charged. This was done to enable the non-members to share in the costs of setting up and running the convention. It was a wise move because it marked a sharp upturn in the membership of the Association and a broader understanding of its objectives.

The 1930 convention was the first to be carried on under the direction of Phil Loucks, who continued as managing director of the Association for six years.

In 1931, the convention held in Detroit really hit the big-time. President Hoover addressed the Convention by remote control, but there were plenty of dignitaries present including General Charles McK. Saltzman, Chairman of the Federal Radio Commission; Senator Wallace A. White, the father of radio legislation; and John Benson, President of the 4A's who spoke on "A Year of Progress."

The educators had begun to supply broadcasters with plenty of irritants, consequently education on the air became a very important subject on the program of the Detroit convention. Further evidence of the broadcasters

(Continued on page 94)

# The fifteen past presidents of the NAB-NARTB



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## Ethridge Attacks FCC on Monopoly Issue; Fly Walks Out of St. Louis Session in Rage

By JACK GOULD

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After ten minutes he returned and
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made on Mr. Ethiridge's speech.

Newspaper reporture asked if he intended to make a reply.

"Leave me along, leave me alone." he said.

Nevitte Miller, N. A. B. president, who presided this morning, at-tempted to explain in Mr. Fly that it was merely an oversight that he had not received an opportunity to answer and that he might speak at

he felt Mr. Millier had deliberately forestalled any reply and recalled that the N. A. B. head had publicly

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# **EXCLUSIVE:**

# Rosel Hyde speaks out...



ROSEL H. HYDE was born in Downey, Idaho, in 1900. After attending local schools, he entered the Utah Agricultural College. In 1925, he enrolled in the law school of George Washington University, was admitted to the District of Columbia bar in 1929. Then began a long career of steady rise in government service. Mr. Hyde started as a clerk in the Civil Service Commission, served as an accountant in the Office of Public Buildings and Parks, joined the old Federal Radio Commission as docket clerk. He became successively a hearing examiner. assistant general counsel and general counsel. In 1945 President Truman named Mr. Hyde an FCC commissioner, reappointed him in 1952 to a regular seven-year term. Last year President Eisenhower appointed him chairman of the Commission. He is the first Republican to head the agency since its creation in 1934 and the first career man to move up to the top spot.

In the following interview the highly-regarded chairman of the FCC gives TELEVISION AGE his views on key industry problems. The timetable for color, subscription and theatre tv, multiple ownership, license fees, the uhf outlook, the handling of controversial subjects: Mr. Hyde states his position on these and other important matters. The interview begins:

# Chairman Hyde, how many television stations do you think will be on the air by the end of 1954 and by the end of 1955?

I think anyone who undertakes to state what will happen in the future is taking a great risk. And anyone considering my answers should take into consideration the difficulty of a man answering the question.

There are now 368 stations on the air.

The number in grants now outstanding is 575.

I would expect that by the end of 1954 there would be at least 450 in operation.

You have asked me how many stations would be in operation at the end of the year 1955.

This takes us farther into the future and makes the question more difficult.

My estimate would be 600 in round figures.

## Does the fact that several stations have surrendered their construction permits in recent months, or have decided to go off the air, indicate in your opinion that some television markets are becoming saturated?

No, I do not think the cessation of operation in certain instances could be regarded as an indication that the markets were saturated.

I think an investigation would show conditions local to the situation as controlling.

I note that there have been no stations to cease operation in the markets where we have the largest number of stations. No stations have discontinued operation in the markets where we have seven stations.

What is your personal opinion as to when color to will come of age; in other words, how long do you think it will be before a broadcaster will have to transmit a substantial portion of his program in color in order to hold his audience and to compete satisfactorily?

For a considerable period of time the Federal Communications Commission was being asked when will we have color, as if the Federal Communications

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Commission could determine that matter.

The Commission rendered its decision—its most recent one—approving standard signal specifications for broadcasting of color on December 17, 1953.

At that time it was explained by the Commission that this action simply established the standards which would permit the manufacturers to make the equipment, including the sets, and to distribute them.

It was necessary to have standards before color broadcasting could be established as a service; but rule-making establishing those standards, certainly, could not provide the service.

There have been very successful demonstrations of apparatus, but the volume distribution of sets which will give color reception in our homes is still an objective to be reached by the manufacturers and distributors.

The broadcaster will be obliged to supply programs to satisfy set owners. Consumers will want to purchase sets as programs become available to them. Obviously, this points up the necessity of bringing set production and program production along as nearly parallel as possible.

I expect this process will be rather slow at first and that as the distribution of sets increases and the production of programs increases, the movement into color will accelerate.

The consensus of opinion appears to be that there will not be too much expansion of color this year, but in the next two or three years it seems to me there could be a very rapid expansion.

# Is the tv station owner justified in going ahead with his plans for broadcasting color under the assumption that the Federal rules of the game, so to speak, are now established for a good long time in the future?

I am satisfied, in the light of the attention color standards have had, the thoroughness of the examination and re-examination, and the general acceptance of the Commission's decision of last December, that the color standards now established in the rules of the Commission are stable and that a broadcaster may expect them to stand indefinitely.

## Will color, in your opinion, be a help to uhf stations, or will it be merely another problem that may retard their development?

I doubt if the advent of color will have much bearing on ultra-high operation.

The ultra-high problem is an immediate one, because this is the transition period during which ultra-high

stations must obtain circulation in terms of conversions and new sets.

I do not believe that the manufacture of color sets is going to have much bearing on this.

Some folks have thought that the purchasers or the consumers would purchase new sets in order to obtain color, and since they are getting new sets they may as well obtain reception on ultra-high channels. There may be some help in that. I think it is not too significant.

# One concrete proposal to aid uhf stations is changing the multiple-ownership rule.

### Is there anything else that the Federal Communications Commission can do to make life easier for uhf owners?

The Commission is continuing to examine every suggestion and idea that has come to its attention as to matters which the Federal Communications Commission might do to facilitate the development of television on ultra-high channels. We certainly have not limited our interest in this subject to this one effort. However, I am not in a position at the moment to give you anything more specific.

# Does subscription to look like a possible answer to uhf problems?

I do not think that subscription tv can be regarded as an answer to ultra-high problems.

There are a number of policy determinations which will have to be made before subscription to could be authorized. Some of the problems you will find upon examination are quite complex.

The ultra-high problem is an immediate one. I do not believe that there is any possibility that subscription tv offers an immediate solution.

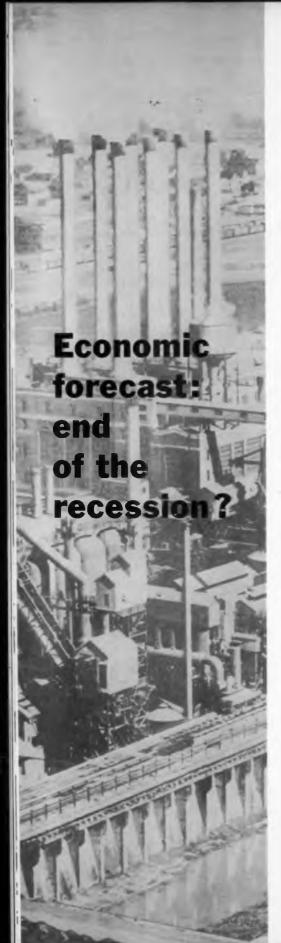
I think there is another question as to its usefulness as a solution to ultra-high. If subscription tv would be helpful to ultra-high, would it not also be attractive to vhf, and would we not have the same problem of competition in the new area if subscription tv were authorized?

# Apparently one thing that the uhf people are thinking of is asking for a moratorium on uhf construction permit grants.

# Do you think there is any chance that such a thing might happen?

The hearing which you refer to is to be held before the Subcommittee on Communications. It may be relevant to mention now that it has been Congressional

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# Here's the latest outlook for the television industry and business in general

"The recession is over!" That is the flat statement of a leading American economist—a statement that is being echoed these bright Spring days by many other expert observers. What's more, business barometers tend to confirm their optimism.

The picture, to be sure, is not unclouded. There are "minus" as well as "plus" signs. Industrial production, steel and auto output, retail sales: All continue to lag behind last year's fast pace. But there are strong indications that a levelling-off has either been reached or is in early sight. An improvement in some lines is definitely underway. Even more significant: Important economic factors (if past experience is any criterion) make an early upturn virtually inevitable.

The television industry, of course, as an integral part of the U. S. economy cannot help being affected by general business conditions. But the rapid growth of the young giant has so far been surprisingly little affected. Right through the 1953-54 decline the tv boom has rolled on. There was the usual seasonal dip in stations' local and spot revenues but the anticipated recovery is now showing up (see chart). With gross billings this year expected to soar above \$530 million, telecasters might well ask: "What recession?"

TELEVISION AGE'S own Business Barometer, the first authoritative index for the industry comparable to those long existing in other fields, tells the story. Last November stations' local billings were up 3.3 per cent; they fell 0.7 and 10.1 per cent respectively in December and January. Spot increased 4.4 per cent in November, then declined 4.4 and 7.4 per cent in the next two months. Network take, in contrast, showed a steady month-bymonth increase: 6.6 per cent in November, 4.6 in December and 1.9 in January. By February, the season dip

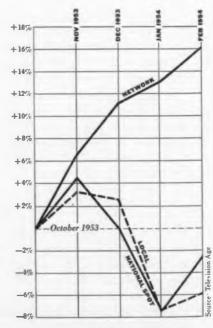
was over: Local business rose 1.6 per cent; spot, 4.8; and network by 3 per cent.

Meanwhile, a few remarkable statistics tell the story of tv's meteoric transformation into Big Business. In 1953, advertisers spent \$688 million for television time and talent or 8.8 per cent of the nation's total ad budget. The industry sold 6.4 million sets worth \$1.2 billion, gave employment to one million Americans. Figuring the average capital investment per station as \$500,000, right now television can be called a \$5 billion industry.

But this very size itself gives tv a vital stake in the general economic health. If the much-advertised and debated recession should continue indefinitely or worsen, not even the healthiest industry could escape the impact. That's why telecasters, no less than other businessmen, are closely watching business trends and currents.

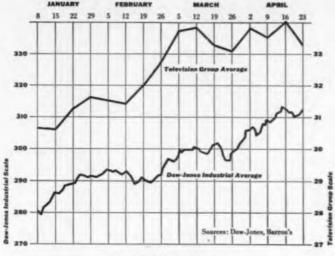
#### Swollen Supplies

What they have been seeing the past few months, in the opinion of most economists, is an "inventory recession" or "adjustment." In 1953, the great postwar boom reached its height—far outstripping the proverably lush 1920's—with production and spending at an all-time high. But in late Fall consumer demand finally began to taper off in



**Television Station Revenues** 





The Wall Street Story

such important lines as cars and appliances: at the same time, following the Korean armistice, defense spending began to level off. The result was swollen pipelines, overstocked inventories at both the manufacturing and retail level.

Since then inventory cutting has been prevalent. During the first quarter of this year, businesses have been unloading stocks at the rate of \$375 million a month; last year, they were adding to supplies at the rate of \$525 million monthly. In the past six months total inventories have been reduced by \$2 billion. It has been estimated that still another \$4 billion worth will be liquidated by the end of 1954.

#### **Bad News**

This adjustment, then, lies behind much of the Winter-Spring business decline. It has shown up in lower production, lower employment, lower sales. This was the minus side of the business scene as this issue of TELE-VISION AGE went to press:

Industrial production. The Federal Reserve Board's index (the official measurement) stood at 123, down from last year's 135. The total volume of goods produced and services rendered-the Gross National Producthad declined to an annual rate of \$359 billion compared with a 1953 high of \$371.4 billion. The rate of decline. however, had eased off.

Unemployment. It hovered around 3.7 million against 1.6 at the like time a year ago. Factory employment accounted for the biggest drop, off 1.2

Inventories. These were still \$1.5 billion above the 1953 level, Obviously, a considerable bulge remained to be absorbed.

Retail sales. These had been below expectations until Easter business provided a noticeable shot in the arm. They were running 3 to 5 per cent behind the 1953 rate.

Carloadings. A key business barometer, they were averaging 612,000 a week compared with 751,000 a year

Steel. Output in this bellwether industry had fallen sharply, from 99.5 per cent of capacity to 68.5 per cent, or a drop from 10.1 million to 7.2 million tons a week. However, beginning in late April a modest pickup in steel buying was noted, and some industry men predicted a gradual climb back up to as much as 80 per cent of capacity before the end of the year.

Auton. Production was behind

1953-1.7 million units against 1.8 million over the corresponding period of 1953—but the lag was less than had been expected. Even so, dealers' stocks were at the highest level in 14 years, with more than 600,000 new cars on hand. Sales were definitely sluggish.

Defense output. This had declined at an annual rate of \$2 billion during the first quarter, was expected to drop some \$6 billion in 1954.

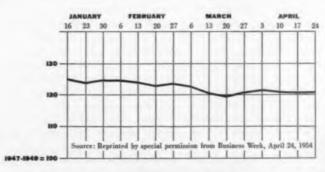
These were the depressent elements in the economy. On the other hand, there were equally potent factors at work on the plus side; they had asserted themselves strongly enough in recent weeks to bring about a definite levelling-off of the general business decline. Among them:

Consumer spending. It was running at the rate of \$230 billion a year. only \$1 billion off from last year's peak. The noteworthy feature here, however, was a marked shift in the type of spending. Buying of "hard goods"-autos, appliances and other durable products—was down \$2.5 billion under the 1953 rate. Spending for "soft goods"-apparel, house furnishings and the like-was off by \$1.7 billions. But people were shelling out more than ever for "services." These included such items as rent, electricity, medical bills, travel, education, laundry and so on.

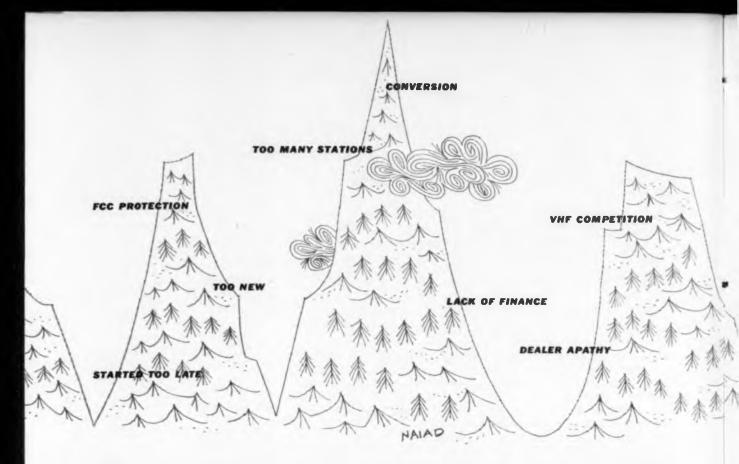
Personal income. This was actually running ahead of 1953, at an annual rate of \$249.1 billion after taxes compared with \$245.4 last year.

Savings. These were also up, amounting to 7.7 per cent of disposable income in the first quarter of 1954 against 7.2 per cent in 1953. At the same time. Americans were reducing their debts, repaying at the annual

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The American Economy



Ultra high frequency, which started with a mountain of problems, still has peaks to climb. But they are different obstacles now, indicating that uhf has graduated from its early phase, is no longer a greenhorn in scaling the Matterhorn of success. And although it is difficult to make generalizations about uhf (because stations differ by management and by market), at least one point emerges: The uhfers are beginning to stake out a strong competitive claim.

That is the consensus of timebuyers, network officials and station-owners, polled in a special TELEVISION AGE survey of current uhf progress.

An earlier study by this magazine ("Uhf—The big push," October, 1953) indicated that conversion was then the primary uhf worry. Since then, uhf has come a long way. Now, some 131 uhfers are on the air, representing an estimated \$65-million investment. The first obstacles of getting grants, ordering and installing equipment, inaugurating and training staffs, organizing and producing programs and signing initial advertisers have been passed. Current replies from uhf stations indicate that conversion is "no

problem," now averages 66 per cent, while many outlets report it in excess of 90 per cent.

Instead, "getting network programming or the cooperation needed to build audiences" has become the No. 1 concern. Many stations feel they don't get an even break from national agencies and their timebuyers.

#### Lesser Worries

The second greatest uhf problem, according to the survey, is that "competing stations are mostly vhf"; in other words, the uhfer feels he is "fighting it out alone." Of considerably less concern are these problems, listed in order: insufficient FCC protection of fledgling stations; lack of interest among advertisers and other local businessmen; too many television stations in the same area.

Of still less importance: lack of finance, considering the problems to be met; lack of uhf enthusiasm among tv dealers. (Many stations explain, however, they could not have made the grade without the fine dealer support they did receive.)

The slightest worries of uhf managers are conversion; the fact that

their stations are too new; the problems of getting a late start in the face of other local competition.

But getting network programs has started an argument so loud that it can be heard—with emphasis—throughout the industry. Uhf managers cry that their operations have been proved to everyone except many New York time-buyers. Some timebuyers, in turn, say that networks should sell uhf more aggressively. The networks explain that they can only sign affiliates and that, after "must buy" stations, advertisers pick their own lists. The violence of the dispute seems to prove that uhfers are correct in one claim: Feople tune to programs, not frequencies.

But to examine the station complaints: Summing up the feeling that uhf has been pre-judged, one manager says, "We're okay. All we need is the approval of Madison Avenue." Another says "bad and undesirable publicity nationally for the entire uhf picture." A third manager explains, "The only problem we have is with some agency timebuyers who feel uhf is no good and refuse to consider each market on its own merits,"

As a result, uhf stations, themselves,

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# **UHF:** a progress report



Many obstacles
still loom.
but the newcomers
are on their
way up the
competitive mountain

are divided into two groups—those who want to band together for a common defense and those who, feeling their individual records speak for themselves, prefer to go it alone. (At least two organizations have been founded to represent stations collectively, the Uhf Industry Coordinating Committee which includes a basic membership of 25 outlets and expects many more, and the Uhf Television Association, headquartered in Washington and headed by Lou Poller of WCAN-TV Milwaukee.)

#### FCC Fault?

Many industry observers feel that the FCC "fouled up" its original grants, that uhfers are now paying for the error. Opinion-at-large among advertisers, agencies, networks and station representatives is that the Commission should have limited each market to either vhf or uhf only (although that would have cut into the number of potential stations drastically). It is further felt the FCC should have held back on additional vhf grants, once it had given the go-signal to uhf. Finally, a large part of the business—now as always—feels the Commission should

offer a solution. (Federal action, if any, may result from the Senate hearings which begin this month.)

But the industry frankly states there is no longer any reason to take a stand simply on uhf versus vhf. (Even those who are prejudiced do not dare admit it.) If obvious, at least it is agreed to consider each television station in relation to its own market. The reason, of course, is that many uhfers have already proved themselves.

• WKBN-TV Youngstown is doing "very well." A CBS Television affiliate, it has 45 hours of network programming weekly. Indication of its future: the station is housed in a recently expanded \$2-million plant which houses its radio as well as tv property.

• WFMJ-TV Youngstown, an NBC affiliate, also has a strong list of network shows which are reflected in its climbing financial record.

• KFSA-TV Ft. Smith, Ark., (a single-station market), reports 96 per cent conversion, has been in the black since its first 60 days and finds its net increasing. Reporting progress "normal for market size," manager H. W. Stamps says, "All we need to progress faster and farther is to be in the top

100 markets instead of the 212th."

• WCAN-TV Milwaukee is in the black, making an increased net, listing a 70 per cent conversion. This station not only made its own way against established vhí competition, but cleared the path for another uhíer.

• WAFB-TV Baton Rouge says it was in the black within 30 days, used radio spots, dealer material and programming to build to its reported 100 per cent conversion. Biggest problem now is clearing time for new business: It has 74 program sponsors, 101 spot advertisers.

• WBRE-TV Wilkes-Barre attributes "tremendous programming strength" to its NBC affiliation and has been in the black since January, 1953. Reported conversion: 90-100 per cent.

• WFIE Evansville, Ind., has been making a profit since its second month, considers conversion 100 per cent.

• wcos-Tv Columbia, S. C., says its operation has been in the black, before depreciation, since its first month.

 WICS Springfield, Ill., first station on the air there, has 96 per cent conversion, is in the black and has "not

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# Television in Los Angeles gets more different every day--and the difference is KTTV

Until you read this you won't believe what an independent television station can do in a 7-station market.

1. KTTV not only leads in quarter-hour firsts—but has more than the next two stations combined! 2. Of all programs seen in Los Angeles Sheriff John . . . . 13.5

five times a week-network or local, live or film -all of the top five are on KTTV.

> 3. KTTV leads all Los Angeles stations in national spot accounts.

						146
A						68
B						57
C						35
D						20
E						16
F						4
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News-George Putnam 11.7 Ramar of the Jungle . 11.2 Thunderboll . Station A Station B. Station E 310

KTTV gets ratings like these:

	ARB	HOOPER
BADGE 714	35.1	28
LIFE OF RILEY	25.6	22
WATERFRONT	24.3	19
ANNIE OAKLEY	21.6	18

Add to audience facts such as these, the

merchandising and promotion leadership you'd expect from the Los Angeles Times station, and you get a partial picture of KTTV's amazing position. Knowing the whole story is worth your while-and Blair-TV, like anyone with real news to tell, is bursting with information. Make a date now with the Blair-TV man.

Channel Eleven Los Angeles Times Television 5746 Sunset Blvd., Hollywood 28, Calif.

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# Slot machine tv

A station manager

takes a look at subscription "schemes"

and sounds a warning

BY HENRY W. SLAVICK

Henry Starick has been in tv and radio for 33 years. He is now general manager of wmct, wmc and wmc-pm, stations owned by the Memphis Publishing Co. He has served on committees of the NARTB and its forerunner for two decades. Recently, he completed a tour of duty on the NARTB's subscription tv committee, now dissolved. It is out of this experience that he writes about a development which he believes threatens the very existence of the television industry as it is now constituted.

The American public is in danger of being flimflammed by a raid on its pocketbook which will make the federal deficit seem like penny ante.

The slot machine operators who want to push through what is sometimes known as "subscription tv" are working and scheming.

A better name than "subscription tv" is PAYS—for "Pay As You See." And

if these schemers have their way, it will be the public who PAYS and PAYS and PAYS on an unbelievable scale. If they succeed, the loot will run into hundreds of mil-

lions and eventually billions of dollars.

I have no desire to set myself up as a Paul Revere shouting "To Arms." but so far nobody in the telecasting industry has taken a firm stand toward PAYS. It's time someone did.

#### A Trust

The channels belong to the people. They are a natural resource of incalculable value. We, as holders of licenses to operate on these channels, are in a sense trustees for the people.

I speak out of personal conviction. I am not a spokesman for the industry. But I have spoken to these slot machine operators, and I know what they have in mind. Unless the industry wakens to this threat and through its association—and independently—informs the public properly, we may wake up one of these days to find our industry seriously jeopardized, with a PAYS system approved by the FCC by default.

These slot machine operators will come in the back door, without any appreciable investment, without having taken the risks which those who have pioneered the tv industry have taken, and have us and the public at their mercy.

They will take away the audiences which we have built through imagination and foresight and risk and hard work, and will make those audiences pay for much of the same entertainto develop their business for personal profit and without regard to the public interest, let them do it on their own private communications system.

Let them do it on their own private system by connecting their subscribers by coaxial cable to each individual unit—not by blacking out one of the channels which, according to our whole basic concept of broadcasting in this country and according to law, belongs to all the citizens.

#### The Issue

John Q. Public is about to be taken to the cleaners. He is about to be deprived of his right, his freedom of choice, to select from any one of all the channels which belong to him and which are operated for him free, as a public service.

Millions of dollars are being spent today for costly hearings by applicants throughout the country seeking these precious channels. The prime consideration in grant-

ing of these channels is the public interest, to give the public a freedom of choice on the limited number of channels available. The tv broadcaster likewise has the responsibility of providing his viewers with a well-balanced schedule, not a blackout or scrambled picture through which he can squeeze an exorbitant fee from them.

The uhf channels not now being sought will some day be needed to supplement the small vhf group.

No one, I'm sure, has any quarrel with any enterprising business man who wants to feed movies or a spectacular event to the home cod, but

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ment which we have developed and made possible for viewers to enjoy free.

Let it be understood:

- 1. I stand for free enterprise.
- I know that PAYS is mechanically a simple problem.
- 3. While I do not speak for the industry as a whole, it is my personal belief that the interests behind PAYS have every right to establish a business such as they propose, with coin machines or other gimmicks.

But not at the expense of the public! Not over the limited number of channels which belong to the public.

If the slot machine operators want

In the March issue TELEVISION ACE published the first of a two-part series on the rate picture. The article, based on a nation-wide survey, showed that the upward rate spiral was beginning to taper off, that increases this year would be fewer and more maderate. The following feature analyzes the much-criticized rate card itself, the complaints most frequently made and the many suggestions for its improvement.

f uniformity can be developed to the point where everybody knows where to look for a particular piece of rate information, without searching, telephoning, writing letters, or wasting time in other unprofitable ways, we will have taken a long step forward."

Those words—many a timebuyer calls them "famous last words"—were written four years ago by a subcommittee of the Broadcast Advertising

Bureau, then a division of the NAB, as a preface to the BAB's recommendations for standardized television rate cards. A small group of station, network, representative and agency men worked long and hard on the report: it was submitted to sellers and buyers of tv time across the country; comments were favorable—and the only persons today who even remember the group's existence, let alone its recommendations, are those of its members who are still dealing in air time.

For the fact is that rate cards are as heterogeneous and unstandardized as ever. "If only," say buyers in something close to despair, "stations would present their rate information with some consistency, uniformity and completeness." A typical comment by the media head of a major agency: "I've been talking to station men about this

problem until I'm blue in the face, but it's no use—they do what they please anyway." And another: "I've been plugging standardization ever since the early radio days—to say nothing of the tv period—and absolutely nothing's happened."

A recent TELEVISION AGE check of stations' rate cards confirms this lack of both consistency and full informa-

Of 365 stations then on the air, for instance, only seven listed separate film and live rates with a breakdown of each. Twenty-four gave the same rates for filmed and live programs; 23 had the same rates with rehearsal charges for live shows listed separately; 84 had different rates, with a partial breakdown of studio and rehearsal charges given separately; 26 did not even tell whether the rates quoted were for live or film. The largest group (201) said they would provide live rates "on request." The placement of this type of information also varied: On some cards it was printed at the beginning; on others, it was buried in a long paragraph, midway or toward the end

The inconsistencies are almost endless. Only 75 stations, for instance, showed film handling charges, though some referred to shipping costs which might or might not mean the same thing. A scattering told whether they had ASCAP, BMI or SESAC licenses; still others — in the minority — stated whether they would accept local cut-in announcements and what the rates would be. A number of stations showed ID specifications, but most did not.

And this is exactly the type of information that timebuyers insist they must have. Reports one: "Finally, in desperation, I end up by picking up the phone and calling each station long-distance. Co-workers say my phone bill will be bigger than the cost of the campaign—but it's no joke."

Again and again, many in the industry point out that a rate card is in effect, a station's calling card. It should, accordingly, present the station's best face to the buying public. It should be 1) correct (they're not always), 2) complete and 3) easy to read (they're practically never). The information presented should be logically placed in relation to other data.

The ghostly voice of the BAB group



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emphasizes this last point. "Twenty points of general information have been provided for in these recommendations... Whether or not to make use of all... is a decision which each station should make... What is important, however, is that the order of the items be maintained." Discounts, for instance, should be the last item immediately preceding the rate tables. Another recommendation: "Net costs (after subtracting all applicable discounts) should be shown wherever possible."

Discounts, in particular, are a sore point with buyers. A prominent one declares: "The stations should show the final figure instead of just noting the percentage. Let them do the arithmetic. They only have to do it once." Chimes in a fellow toiler: "What is the 52-time rate, for instance? The station should tell us instead of making us work it out." The reverse of this is also urged. A major station rep, for instance, recommends adding the rates together. Rather than list \$50 for time and \$8 for talent, he suggests simply printing \$58 for the package.

#### **Keeping Posted**

The constant changes in rates are another source of irritation. Buyers often have trouble keeping up with them. Some cards announce a rate protection period but fail to say when it starts. Comment: "It's like a railroad timetable and should be constantly updated as such. Once the rate has changed, the old card is worthless."

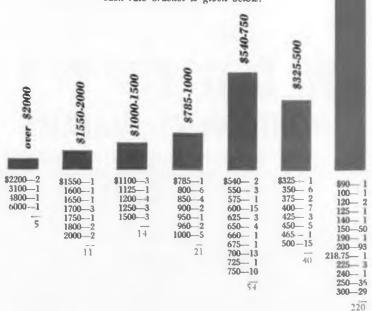
Other buyer recommendations: include coverage maps; enclose a mimeographed sheet listing such pertinent information as the number of tv homes in the market, the sales in product classifications and so on.

But take the other side of the fence. Among stations and their representatives there is sharp disagreement on the real purpose of rate cards. Some believe that a good one should anticipate every question an advertiser might have on commercial policies, contract requirements, facilities and the like. Others say just as positively that a card is not a contract; if a station follows the NARTB code and the 4A contract, there is no need to duplicate that information in a rate schedule. A variation on that viewpoint:

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## THE RATE PICTURE

Class A charges range from \$90 to \$6000. Most of the stations, however, going on the air in 1953 had rates between \$90 and \$300. A breakdown of the number of stations in each rate bracket is given below.



# Spot hourly rates vs. network hourly rates

Stations showing same rate for network and spot		131
Stations with higher network rates		110
Stations with lower network rates		59
New stations with network affiliation but not yet		
listed on network rate card also independents		65
	Total	365

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With All Four Networks Plus Top Local and Film Shows Our Availabilities Are "Tops"

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## Rates (Continued)

publish the simplest possible tables and let salesmen answer questions as they arise.

The BAB model actually anticipated all of these points. It was evident then—and now—that stations whose business was mainly local preferred the short, simplified form. On the other hand, national advertisers and their agencies were perfectly willing to cope with the intricacies of a detailed card. Accordingly, the committee suggested two cards—a comprehensive one for out-of-town buyers, a simple reproduction of rate charges for local use.

#### Big Range

There has also been some agitation in favor of standardizing rates themselves. Certainly, there is wide variation from station to station (see charts on page 67).

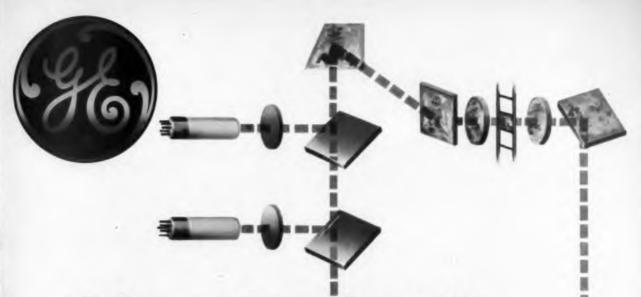
Class A hourly charges, for instance, range all the way from \$90 to \$6,000 (though the largest number of stations fall in the lowest or \$90-\$300 bracket). Spot rates, based on a percentage of the hourly fees, are equally varied, just as there are often differences between national spot and network charges. The basis for setting rates—despite some cynical claims that it is a "mystery" — is multifold: the competitive situation, set coverage, power, what the local traffic will bear. Obviously, the setup differs from market to market.

Buyers say they can appreciate that. But they do not see the need for the discrepancies in the form and content of the cards. "Please," sighs one, "tell the stations to give us a break. Incidentally, by introducing some kind of standardization, they'll be giving themselves a break, too. Many an operator has lost business because he did not spell out clearly his operating specifications."

Anyone listening?



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G.E.'s role in this development is exemplified by Dr. W. R. G. Baker, General Electric Vice President and General Manager of the Electronics Division. Dr.

Baker was chairman of the National Television System Committee which formulated the system as it was finally approved.

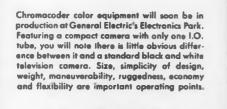
Nearly four years ago, Dr. Baker and his staff of color engineers (above) established a network of color signals at Electronics Park for research and equipment development. Their main consideration throughout these years has been your future in color TV.

# NOW'S THE TIME!

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# Plan your color TV future with





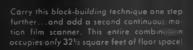
The unique designed in flexibility of General Electric's projection toom equipment for color slides and film allows you a choice of the equipment you want...when you want it!

> 2" x 2" color slide scanner with color scanner pickup—the basic equipment you'll want first for color commercials...

> > Just odd the high quality continuous motion film scanner to the slide scanner to provide color film programs ...

# GENERAL

Using the Chromacoder Camera Channel, a single picture signal (containing all color intelligence in sequence) is selected for transmission. This signal is then fed into the Chromacoder and translated to simultaneous red, green and blue images. Subsequently, a Multiplexer forms a color signal for transmission under the compatible standards approved by the FCC. Only one Chromacoder is needed at each station to translate the signals of all its cameras.



# General Electric COLOR for your station!

Modify Existing G-E Equipment To Broadcast
Network Color Programs For Black and White and
Color Reception! General Electric is providing its
present customers, on a no-charge basis, all necessary internal transmitter parts, thus permitting stations with G-E transmitters to broadcast color.
Engineering supervision for the installation of this
equipment is on this same no-charge basis if it is
done at the same time external color equipment is

installed. External parts (Gamma Amplifier, Stabilizing Amplifier, Color Monitor, and other miscellaneous items) required for performance within FCC color specifications are being supplied at a moderate cost of approximately \$7300 to \$8800 (VHF-UHF). Optional test equipment is available as required. It is important to note that any of the above changes can be accomplished without loss of air time.

Locally Originate Color Slides and Film With G-E
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Network Program Chart

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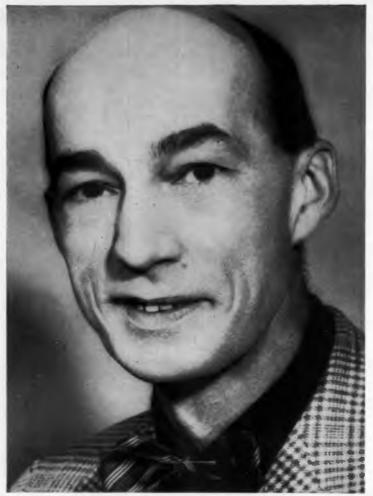
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■ Individual as a gold inlay, E. Gilbert Forbes is news editor of WFBM and the number one newscaster in Indiana. He spends 80% of his time preparing broadcasts and telecasts, 5% of his time on radio (20 quarter-hours a week), 3% of his time on tv (16 fifteen-minute or ten-minute newscasts), 25% of his time in outside activities, and 30% with home and family. If the total is 143%, it's about right. This is a busy fellow.

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"Linkletter's House Party" (2:30-3
p.m.): 2:30-45-M., W. & F., Lever Bros.;
Tu. & Th., Kellogg. 2:45-3-M.-Th., Pilisbury; Fri., Bauer & Black.

"Bob Crosby Show" (M.-F., 3:30-4 p.m.):3:30-45—Tu., Calgon; Th., TBA; Fri., Englander. 3:45-4—Tu. & Th., Am. Dairy; W. & F., Gen, Mills.

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NBC.—"Kate Smith Hour" (Mon.-Fri.,
3-4 p.m.): Alternate Mondays, 3:46-6—
Corn Products Refining; Tu., 3:46-6—Down
Chemical; Wed., 7½ min. bet. 3:15-3:30
—American Hair & Feit Co.; Wed., 7½
min. bet. 3:13-3:30—Parker Bros.; Wed.,
3:30-48—Borden Co.; Wed., 3:46-6—Gerber
Products; Thu., 7½ min. bet. 3:16-30—
Ludens, Inc.; Thu., 3:30-48—Doeskin
Products; Thu, 3:46-6—Simonis Co.; Alt.
Fri., 7½ min. bet. 3:16-30—8.O.S. Co.

"Hawkins Falls" (M.-F., 12:15-20 p.m.): Alt. Mon., S.O.S. Co.; W. & F., Wessen

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"Howdy Doody" (Moo.-Fri., 5:80-6
p.m.): Mon., 5:30-6—Standard Brands;
Tu., 5:30-45—Kellogg: Tu., 5:45-6—Colgate-Palmolive; Wed., 5:30-6—Colutinental Baking: Thu., 5:30-45—Kellogg: Thu., 5:45-6-Endadra Brands: Fri., 8:30-45—Ludens; Alt., Fri., 5:45-6—International Bhoe Co. & Welch Orape Juice Co.

"Your Bhow of Shows" and "Martha Rays Show" (Sat., 9-10:30 p.m.): AR. Sat., 9-9:30-Armour & Co. & RCA; 10 min. part. between 9:30-16—Adolph's Lid., 8.O.S., Bearus Watch Co., Griffin Mfg.; Alt. Sat., 10 min. part. between 10-10:30—Cat's Paw Rubber, International Silver, Lewis-Howe, Whitehall Pharmacal: Var. Sat., 10 min. part. between 10-10:30—Johnson & Johnson.



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PROGRAMS OF OTHER NETWORKS ACCEPTED ON THE BASIS OF AVAILABILITY

March-April UHF-VHF Penetration Report states that Tulsa is the first dual market in any ARB study to have a conversion as high as 17.7% before going on the air. Also the first market to have a conversion as high as 25% after less than one month's operation.



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policy to provide for early action on applications. The Commission's efforts during the past year have simply been to respond to the mandate of Congress to provide for the expansion of the television service to a public which has demanded this service.

The Commission has felt that it was its duty to act upon all applications as expeditiously as due consideration of them would permit.

# As a matter of philosophy, do you think the Government should be more active in promoting uhf than it has been, or should it tend to keep its hands off?

I think it is not our business to promote any particular service. It is our business to facilitate the expansion of a service by private industry, and I think it is appropriate for us to consider all of the possibilities of making expansion of television in ultra-high feasible, but the business judgments and the risks will have to be handled by the operators.

#### Generally speaking, Mr. Chairman, are you optimistic or pessimistic about the future of ultrahigh frequency tv?

I am optimistic about the future of ultra-high, although, of course, concerned about its immediate problems under conditions which now exist.

I think the number of television stations which could be accommodated on the 12 vhf channels is simply not enough for the needs of our large and resource-ful country. We will need substantially more than 500 television stations. And I am confident that we will find a means for providing the larger service needed for our country.

#### What is the chance that the Federal Communications Commission will look into the whole subject of subscription to this year? Is rulemaking on this subject in sight?

There are a number of petitions before the Commission relating to subscription tv. Petitioners in some instances have made changes in their approaches.

There is still, according to information that comes to my attention, a lot of investigating being done by proponents of subscription tv.

The Commission has thought that its first duty was to lift the television freeze in terms of acting upon applications which had accumulated in the Commission. This program is well advanced. In fact, a statistical examination will show that it is 80 per cent accomplished, but there is still a substantial work load of hearing cases involving applications from some of our most important markets to be determined by the Commission.

We will, of course, give appropriate attention to the various petitions before the Commission as soon as we can, consistent with our other duties.

#### What is the future of closed circuit or theatro tv? Do you anticipate the setting aside of certain channels for such telecasts?

There was, as you know, a petition asking for the dedication of particular channels for distribution of closed circuit or theatre television, but this proceeding has been concluded. The Commission's decision was not to allocate particular channels but to point out that transmission service for distribution of picture material could be obtained through common carrier facilities.

As you know, there are occasions when picture material is distributed to theatres through the transmission facilities of the intercity carriers.

#### Can the industry now forget about license fees for a while—is it likely, in your opinion, that the subject will be revived?

I cannot answer that question.

The Commission has a directive from the Bureau of the Budget, which is a part of the Executive Office of the President, directing us to inaugurate rule-making to implement the authority granted by Congress incident to the Appropriations Act of 1952. Since this announcement of our rule-making proceeding, the Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce has undertaken an examination of this subject and has certain legislation under consideration. The Committee has asked us to suspend action on our rule-making proceeding until 1955.

We have not had any further advice on the matter from the Bureau of the Budget, but obviously there will have to be some coordination of interests.

# In view of recurrent complaints that tv advertising is over-commercialized, is the Federal Communications Commission planning to put out anything comparable to the so-called Radio Blue Book of several years back?

The Commission does not have a project such as the report you mentioned under consideration.

One of the very important reasons for opening up

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additional channels for television was to provide for a competitive service on a nation-wide basis.

The multiple-ownership rule is another expression of the Commission's policy to maintain a diversified and competitive system. We hope by such means to provide an opportunity of choice for the public that will stimulate and encourage . . .

In controversial matters what role should tv play? In other words, are individual commentators justified in taking editorial stands and interpreting the news as they see fit?

I think the answer to that question must be found in the Commission's opinion on editorialization by broadcast licensees. I would not want to distinguish a commentator from his employer, the licensee.

I believe that it is proper for a broadcaster like anyone else to have a viewpoint and to have the same opportunity to express views on matters of public concern to the same extent that anyone else has.

The Commission's opinion on this subject has indicated that broadcasters who exercise their opportunity to editorialize should indicate when they are editorializing and that fair opportunity should be given for the presentation of contrary viewpoints.

It has been about two years now since educational channels were set aside.

I think at one time you said that there might be occasions for the Commission to review the situation after a period of time had gone by. What now is the future of educational tv?

As I stated to the National Association of Educational Broadcasters, I believe that they have made very significant accomplishments since the lifting of the television freeze.

I am told that there were six non-commercial, educational television stations on the air by the end of April, and that there will be at least double this number by the end of the year.

These stations could reach more than 20 million people. It seems to me these are very significant figures.

I believe that the only review that the Commission contemplated was the continuing review, which is the Commission's duty to make, of all rules and regulations. They are all subject to change in the light of needs and interests of the public at any given time.

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#### UHF (Continued from page 63)

experienced serious difficulty." To get a "firmer hold on national business," its management "wishes" it had been on air six months earlier, however.

- WDAK-TV Columbus, Ga., operating only since October, has achieved an 87.6 per cent conversion (American Research Bureau) by offering NBC, ABC and Du Mont programs. Good movie features also helped this outlet go into the black, increase its net.
  - wcov-tv Montgomery, Ala., has

also been in the black since its first 60 days and now boasts 98 per cent conversion. Vhf competition, expected this fall, will face a conversion problem since two-thirds of Montgomery homes have bow tie antennae.

- WHYN-TV Holyoke, Mass., has 70 per cent conversion and stressed local programming to climb from red ink into the profit margin.
- KCEB Tulsa, a newcomer, achieved a 17.7 per cent conversion by its first day and upped that to 25.4 per cent two and a half weeks later, both new

records for a dual market, according to the ARB study. KCEB's two-edged explanation: an intensive educational campaign backed with top network and local programming.

- WFTV Duluth, Minn., first in its area, has outdistanced two vhf competitors and been in the black since its third month. But the station now urges that "legislation should be passed whereby network consideration of uhf be based on factual data rather than distinguishing between uhf and vhf."
- WWLP Springfield, Mass., faced tough problems at its start. Its coverage area was half saturated with vhf sets tuned to a distant station. On top of that, the early WWLP signal was weak. "Many of the people who spent the money to convert became 'knockers' instead of 'boosters'." vice president Alan Tindal reports. "Our networks—NBC and ABC—were very helpful in giving us top-notch programs, but I feel it was our local emphasis which really turned the tide."
- WKNB-TV New Britain, Conn., with 48.6 saturation, expects a "tremendous" increase in service when it goes from 20,000 to 200,000 watts in July. With over 50 network and national spot segments weekly and 65 national and regional spot accounts, it "usually" has no availabilities between 6-11 p.m. The station has been "in the black" since October.
- WSBT-TV South Bend has also found television requires a new plant, estimated to cost about \$1.5 million before it will be ready for occupancy next year. On the air since December, 1952. WSBT-TV's market, terrain and promotion have made it a uhf leader.
- WKOW-TV Madison, Wis., has "no conversion problem" with the nearest whf competition some 75 miles away. A CBS Television affiliate, its greatest concern is "the very normal one of competition with the other local station." General manager Michael Henry considers the FCC's biggest mistake was "to put television into two categories—uhf and whf. It is all television, and we are very happy with our signal, freedom from interference and range of viewing." Station is making an increased profit.
- WLBC-TV Muncie (only a few television miles from Indianapolis) is firmly established and reports continued

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# **Washington Memo**

BOWING OUT. In a reflective mood the other day, Senator Ed Johnson (D. Colo.) leaned back in his chair, took a long look at television and pronounced it good.

Big Ed is going to retire at the end of this session after 18 years as a Senator. With his departure, the tv industry will lose a stout friend in Congress as well as a sturdy critic. TELEVISION AGE went to his office not long ago and asked him for some "words of wisdom" about tv.

Well, he wasn't so sure about the wisdom, he said, but he didn't mind giving his honest opinions.

We began by asking about tv commercials and the complaints that seem to be on the industry's mind. "I don't think I'd worry too much about it," he said in his slow way. Maybe there are too many commercials sometimes, especially on the morning shows, he added. "Some people say they're getting pretty bad. But I suppose you have to have it in order to carry the programs."

Night-time tv pleases him more because there don't seem to be so many commercials then. But he does wish that commercials could be made "more attractive." There's still too much in tv advertising that's cheap and tasteless, he believes.

#### Preferred: American Style

"But I wouldn't trade our kind of tv for what Britain has," he said firmly. "I'll take advertising any time" over the ad-less subsidized fare the BBC has produced for so many years, he

Then the Senator would say he wasn't perturbed about the way television is progressing? On the contrary. the industry is doing a "terrific job," he decided. What's more, "I think it can and will improve as it goes along."

He turned to the impact of tv in matters political and controversial. "Terrific," he murmured again, "The most unbelievable show I've ever seen in politics," he said, was the famous "Checkers" speech by Candidate Richard Nixon in the 1952 presidential campaign. "That turned a real liability into a tremendous asset." he declared. "Without television I think Eisenhower would have had to make him get off the ticket."

So he doesn't think tv ought to stay out of controversial subjects? "No reason for it that I can see," he answered. But he warned that he'll be "forever against" extending coverage so far as to take in courtroom trials. His view is that no matter how diligently telecasters try to present both sides of a trial, they can't compel the public to watch the whole case. Distortion in the public mind is almost inevitable, he believes.

#### Open Sessions?

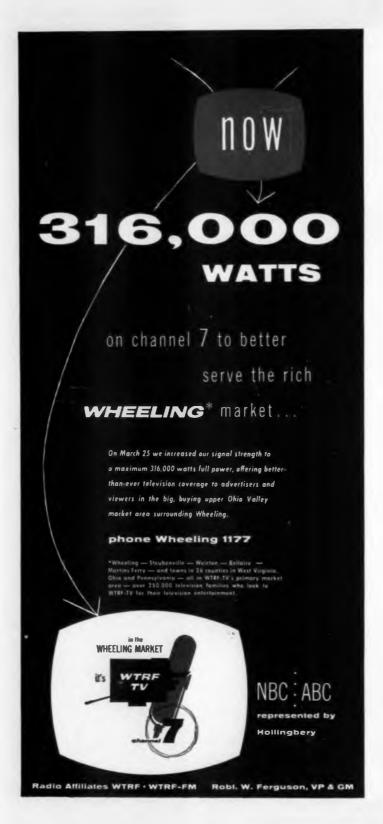
How about Congressional hearings? The Senator thinks it depends on the subject. If the topic is a legislative argument over taxes, or foreign policy. or health insurance, then tv can be a big help in spurring public understanding, he thinks. But if a hearing involves charges against people-such as the housing scandals or the matter of McCarthy-Cohn-Schine and the Army, then cameras shouldn't be present, the senator thinks. unless each witness involved and particularly the person publicly charged specifically agrees to appear on the air.

As we thanked the Senator, we remarked that the Senate and the tv industry, too, was going to miss him after all these years. He turned back to the piles of papers on his desk. "Nobody regrets my leaving as much as I do." he said.

ENCORE. A couple of days after the above interview, Sen. Johnson made one of his typical assaults on an important phase of the industry - the ownership of tv stations by newspapers.

Big Ed casually tossed into the Senate hopper a bill that would force newspapers to give up almost all the interests they now have in tv outlets. The bill is a simple affair. It states that no license shall be granted to any person who publishes a newspaper in any city of over 100,000 population or who "has a substantial interest in or





#### Washington (Continued)

exercises control over" such a paper. For the purposes of the bill, anyone who owns a 10 per cent or greater interest in a paper, or who controls 10 per cent of the voting stock, is one of those forbidden to receive a license.

All new station applications would be affected by the Johnson bill and all present stations would be hit as soon as they had to come back to FCC for license renewals. This is now set at every three years.

The Senator says that the fact that many tv stations are partially or completely owned by papers "just makes the problem all the more aggravated." More and more newspapers are getting into fewer and fewer hands, he declares, "and that is not a good thing." (Best recent example of this trend was the purchase by the Washington Post of the Times-Herald. The Post owns 55 per cent of wtop-tv, while the other major paper, the Star, owns all of WMAL-TV.)

#### Anything Can Happen

Mr. Johnson wouldn't comment on what he thought the chances were for action on his bill at this session. It's safe to say, however, that nothing will come of it this year.

We asked the Senator whether he had any more shockers like this up his sleeve. "I may," he said, "I won't rule out anything."

Meanwhile, another newspaper-tv situation, the one in Clarksburg. W. Va., hasn't stirred up much excitement in Congress. This is the case in which the FCC has postponed the grant of a CP to the Ohio Valley Broadcasting Co., so that the Clarksburg Publishing Co., which puts out the town's only two papers, can intervene.

The publisher, Cecil B. Highland, Sr., claims he would be injured by operation of the proposed station. A majority of the Commission, over sharp dissent by three members, agreed to hear his case.

The dissenters claim the majority is stretching the law too far, because Mr. Highland isn't in the tv business and apparently doesn't intend to get into it. His only argument is that the proposed station, WBLK-TV, will cut into his circulation and his advertising revenue.

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#### Economy (Continued from page 61)

rate of \$27.7 billion or \$1.5 billion higher than a year ago. New borrowing, meanwhile, was off sharply, by \$5 billion a year.

The stock market. For what it was worth-and here, as usual, was one field where no one was sure he had the answer-quotations had hit or were hovering at a 24-year high. The bull market, including television issues, had persisted right through the entire period of business decline. The only rational explanation ("Since when does Wall Street make sense?" asked some cynical observers) was that investors, both big and small, had "written off" the recession, were confident the U.S. economy would remain strong and ebullient.

Construction. This was one other barometer that failed to reflect recession weather. Home-building was actually running well ahead of last year. with some 1.2 million new dwellings likely to be started in 1954 compared with 1.1 million in 1953. Non-residential construction was 21 per cent above the year-ago level.

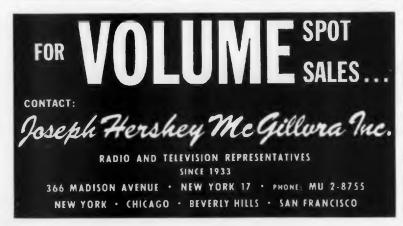
Business expansion. Indications were that the outlay this year for new plant and equipment would total a very impressive \$27.2 billion for a decline of only four per cent below the record \$28.3 billion of 1953. Led by General Motors' dramatic announcement that it planned to spend \$1 billion in expansion ("General Motors Opens the Throttle," TELEVISION AGE, February, 1954), other companies revealed confident plans. General Electric, for instance, said it would spend \$160 million in 1954; Standard Oil of California, \$275 million; the Bell System, \$1.4 billion; and electric utilities, \$3 billion.

New orders. In April, reported the National Association of Purchasing Agents, more companies recorded gains in bookings-for everything from cameras to tires to furnacesthan did those noting declines. Some 43 per cent of the firms surveyed had an increase in new business while only 17 per cent said orders were still falling. It was noteworthy that television sets were leading the upturn in appliances. After a slow start, sales had jumped sharply and promised to equal the 6.4 million registered last year; meanwhile, manufacturers' and dealers' inventories had shrunk by 800,000 receivers or more.

In the month of May these factors will almost certainly continue to prevail. And that is why the nation's economists, with few exceptions, are now willing to go out on a pretty strong limb: The downtrend in the economy is about over, the upturn is at hand. They do not see how the potent combination of record income, record savings and near-record business expansion can miss fire.

But a challenge remains. The public has more money to spend than everbut how to unloosen the purse strings for goods and products? The answer: Business has a selling job, a "hard selling" job. And that is where television is certain to play a key role. Clearly, advertisers will turn in the months ahead to the most potent of all sales media. Television will reap the harvest and, at the same time, help mightily to spur a gradual economic recovery.





#### At the Convention

The following companies will be represented, in most cases with special exhibits, at the NARTB's 32d annual convention meeting in the Palmer House, Chicago, May 23-27:

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Columbia Broadcasting System
Du Mont Television Network
National Broadcasting Co.

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# TELEPHONE & TELEGRAPH COMPANIES

American Telephone & Telegraph Co.
Long Lines Department

#### SERVICE ORGANIZATIONS

Keystone Broadcasting System. Inc.

#### NARTB (Continued from page 51)

as the hardest working—and certainly "travelingest" — of all association heads. He attends all the 17 annual regional meetings and many state gatherings, makes 100 or more speeches a year. And, drawing from his youthful experience as a song-and-dance man in vaudeville, Mr. Fellows occasionally offers a bit of off-beat entertainment to boot.

Before assuming the presidency of the NARTB, Hal Fellows was manager of New England operations for CBS and, concurrently, general manager of radio station WEEI Boston. Prior to that, he was the first radio director of an advertising agency in Boston and, later, operated his own agency in partnership.

#### A Definition

Often called in the industry a "broadcaster's broadcaster," Mr. Fellows disagrees. "Mr. Broadcaster," he says, is actually a composite of the men who pay his salary—some big and some small, some network and some unaffiliated, some in tv and some in radio.

Administrative vice president.
Robert K. Richards, who holds this important post, has a thorough background in broadcasting, publishing and advertising. Back in the '30s he was a director for WAIU (now WHKC) Cincinnati. For three years he was on the editorial staff of the Cincinnati Post, put in another three-year span as production director of wspd Toledo. Mr. Richards' advertising experience was gained in the Detroit office of Campbell-Ewald. He left Broadcasting Magazine in 1946, where he was editorial director, to join the NARTB.

Vice President. Ralph W. Hardy joined the association in 1949 as director of the Radio Division, was later named director of Government Relations. A Bishop and missionary in the Mormon Church, Mr. Hardy was general manager of KSL Salt Lake City. As former chairman of the NARTB's Educational Standards Committee, he has inspected broadcast training facilities at colleges and universities all over the country.

Secretary-Treasurer. C. E. ("Bee")
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Columbus

WHIO-TV
CHANNEL 7
Dayton

WKRC-TV
CHANNEL 12
Cincinnati

# **TELEVISION AGE**

May, 1954 Set Count:

(The figures listed below are secured from the stations and their national representatives. They are presented as a service by TELEVISION ACE. For further information regarding the figures and their sources contact the stations or their representatives. Where one figure is given for a multiple-station market, it represents all in that market. Italics indicate stations not yet on air, channel numbers and target dates.)

City	Station	whf whf
ABILENE, TEX.	KRBC-TV	30,316
ADA, OKLA.	KTEN	
ADAMS, MASS.	WMGT	134,110
AKRON	WAKR-TV	102,000
ALBANY, GA.	WALE-TV	
ALBANY- SCHENECTADY- TROY	WROW-TV WTRI	77,482 71,188
ALBUQUERQUE	KGGM-TV KOAT-TV KOB-TV	31,800 39,830
ALEXANDRIA, LA		S Sept. '54
ALLENTOWN, PA.	WFMZ-TV-	-67 Summer '54
ALTOONA, PA.	WFBG-TV	418,798
AMARILLO	KEDA-TY	
	KGNC-TV	47,781
AMES, IA.	WOI-TV	240,000
ANDERSON, S. C.	WAIM-TV	46,500
ANN ARBOR	WPAG-TV	18,900
ASBURY PARK, N. J.	WRTV	6,200
ASHEVILLE	WISE-TV-	19,400
ASHTABULA, O.	WICA-TV	13 Aug. '54 18,000
ATLANTA		18,000
ATERITA	WAGA-TV WLW-A WSB-TV WOXI-TV—	336,663 36 Summer '54
ATLANTIC CITY	WFPG-TV	
AUGUSTA, GA.	WJBF-TV WRDW-TV	76,400 65,000
AUSTIN, MINN.	KMMT	70.925
AUSTIN, TEX.	KTBC-TV	68,945
BAKERSFIELD	KBAK-TV KERO-TV	109,492 45,000
BALTIMORE	WAAM WBAL-TV WMAR-TV W7LF-18	543,927
BANGOR		Summer '54
BATON ROUGE	WABI-TV	54,625
BAION ROUGE	WAFB-TV WBRZ-2	48,000 Sept. '54
BATTLE CREEK	WBKZ-TV	55,938 -58 Summer '54
BAY CITY, MICH.	WNEM-TY	205,160
BEAUMONT, TEX.	KBMT	
BELLEVILLE, ILL. (see St. Louis)	WTVI	
BELLINGHAM, WASH.	KVOS-TV	60,806
BETHLEHEM	WLEV-TV	67,516
BILLINGS, MONT.	KOOK-TY	9,000
BINGHAMTON	WHBF-TV	267,880
BIRMINGHAM	WABT	
	WBRC-TV	225,000
BISMARCK, N. D.	KFYR-TY	6,795
BLOOMINGDALE,	WBLDS	Summer 'S4
BLOOMINGTON.	WBLN-TV	113,242
BLOOMINGTON.	WITV	524,001
BOISE	KBOI-TV	
	KTVI-9	31,340 Oct. '\$4

City	Station	vhf	whf
BOSTON	WBI-TV WHAC-TV WTAO-TV	1,171,111	
BRIDGERGG			118,800
BRIDGEPORT	WICC-TV	49	59,127
BROCKTON, MASS. BUFFALO		394,533	Fall 'S4
	WBEN-TV WBUF-TV	,533	128,000
BUTTE	KOPR-TY	4,500	
CADILLAC, MICH.	WWTV	42,772	
CAPE GIRARDEAU,		-12	May '54
CEDAR RAPIDS	KCRI-TV	116,444	
CHAMBERSBURG,	WCHA-TV	,	15,500
HAMPAIGN, ILL.	WCIA	250,000	
CHARLESTON, S. C.		71,428	
CHARLESTON,	WENA-TY WCHS-TV-		36,100
CHARLOTTE	WAYS-TV	-	July '54 39,952
	WBTV	384,432	37,732
CHATTANOOGA	WDEF-TV	70,000	
CHEYENNE, WYO.	KFBC-TV		
CHICAGO	WBEM-TV		
	WBKB WGN-TV		
CHICO CAL	MHEG	1,981,000	
CHICO, CAL. CINCINNATI	KHSL-TV WCPO-TV	34,275	
	WKRC-TV WLW-T		
	WLW-T WQXN-TV-	450,000 —\$4	Oct. '54
CLARKSBURG, W. VA.	WBLK-TV-		Sept. '54
		-	
CLEVELAND	WEWS		
	MXEL	1,022,140	
COLORADO	WERE-TV-	-65	Sept. '54
COLORADO SPRINGS	KKTV KRDO-TV	42,175 35,600	
	KOMU-TY	43,559	
COLUMBIA, S. C.	WCOS-TV	,	41,982
	WHOK-TV	94,056	46,000
COLUMBUS, GA.	WDAK-TV		51,684
COLUMBUS, O	WRBL-TV WBHS-TV	61,471	
	WLW-C	334,737 307,000 339,450	
		339,450	
CORPUS CHRISTI CUMBERLAND, MD.	KVDO—22 WTBO-TV-	-17 Sus	June 15 nmer '54
DALLAS-FORT	KRLD-TV	368,500	
WORTH	WBAP-TV	372,500	
	WFAA-TV KLIF-TV	336,500	Aug. '54
DANVILLE, ILL.	WDAN-TV		30,000
DANVILLE, VA.	WBTM-TV		18,114
DAVENPORT	WOC-TV	264,811	
DAYTON	WHIO-TV	437,330 300,000	
DECATUR, ALA.	WMSL-TV-	-23	May '54
DECATUR, ILL.	WTVP	-23	129,500
	KBTY		127,300
	KFEL-TV KLZ-TV		
	KOA-TV	209,306	
DES MOINES	KGTV WHO-TV		66,000
DETROIT	WJEK-TV	1,420,500	
	WWJ-TV WXYZ-TV	1,420,500 1,277,991 1,140,000	
DULUTH-		45,000	
SUPERIOR	KDAL-TV WDSM-TV WFTV	43,000	40 500
EASTON	WGLV		40,500
EAU CLAIRE, WIS.		56,271	46,000
ELKHART, IND.	WSJV	30,271	118,000
	WECT-TV		28,462
ELMIRA, N. Y.			

	City	Station	vhf	uh
	EL PASO	KROD-TV KTSM-TV KELP-TV-	30,171 38,976	Sept. 'S
	ELYRIA. O.	WEOL-TV-		Fall 'S
	ERIE	WICU	208,500	
	EUGENE, ORE.	KVAL-TV	10,000	
	EUREKA, CAL.	KIEM-TV	7,800	
	EVANSVILLE	WFIE-TV		40,00
	FAIRMONT, W. VA	WDAY-TV	42,260	33,10
	FLORENCE, S. C.	WPDV-I	40,000	Sopt. 'S
	FT. DODGE, IA.	KQTV		42,10
	FT. LAUDERDALE	WFTL-TV		108,000
	FT. MYERS, FLA.	WINK	_	
shf	FT. SMITH, ARK.	KFSA-TV		21,000
	FT. WAYNE, IND.	WKJG-TV		78,937
00	PRESHO	KJEO-TV		92,05
27	GALVESTON	KMJ-TV		85,841
-	(see Houston)			
00	GRAND JUNCTION	KFXJ-TV—	5	May '54
		WOOD-TV	416,580	
	GRAND RAPIDS GREAT FALLS,	KFBB-TV	3,500	
54	MONT.	WBAY-TV	191,253	
	GREENSBORO	WFMY-TV	220,000	
	GREENVILLE, N. C		45,000	
10	GREENVILLE, S. C	WFBC-TV WGVL-TV	287,266	50,300
	HAMPTON, VA.	WVEC-TV		- 5,5-5
00	(see Norfolk) HANNIBAL, MO.	KHQA-TV		
4	(see Quincy)			
2	HARLINGEN, TEX	KGBT-TV	31,800	
-	HARRISBURG, ILL HARRISBURG, PA.	WSIL-TV WHP-TV		30,000
	MARRISOURG, FA.	WTPA		118,150
	HARRISONBURG,	WCMB-TV-	-27 80,182	May '54
	VA.	W3VA-11	00,102	
-	HENDERSON- EVANSVILLE	WEHT		36,500
	HOLYOXE, MASS. (see Springfield)	WHYN-TV		
		M. C. 11.		
J	HOUSTON	KGUL-TV KPRC-TV	276,000 303,500	
J		KNUZ-TV KXYZ-TV	-20	68,144 Early '54
	HUNTINGTON	WSAZ-TV	382,352	
	HUTCHINSON (see Wichite)	KTVH-TV		
4	IDAHO FALLS	KID-TV	20,000	
	-	KIFT-8	E	urly 1955
	INDIANAPOLIS	WFBM-TV WISH-TV	470,000	July '54
2	ITHACA, N. Y.	WHCU-TV-	_20	Nov. '54
,	JACKSON, MISS.	WLBT	05 407	50,224
4		WSLI-TV	85,407 85,000	
-	JACKSON, TENN.	WDXI-TV-	-9 Su	nmer '54
	JACKSONVILLE	WJHP-TV WMBR-TV	233,647	37,414
8	144466	WOBS-TV-	-30	May '54
4	JAMESTOWN, N. Y	.WJTH-TV-	-58 54,078	Sept. '54
-	TENN.		-4,078	
	JOHNSTOWN, PA.	WARD-TV WJAC-TV	757 100	20,000
4	IOPLIN, MO.	KSWM-TV-	757,183 -12	Fall '54
)	KALAMAZOO	WKZO-TV	380,670	run 34
1	KANSAS CITY		300,070	
		KCMO-TV KMBC-TV WDAF-TV		
		WHB-TV	389,182	
1	KEARNEY, NEB.	KHOL-TV	23,000	
)	KINGSTON, N. Y.	WKNY-TV-	-66	May '54
۱	KIRKSVILLE, MO.	KTVO—3		June '54
	KNOXAILLE	WATE-TV WTSK-TV	63,620	60,500
0	LA CROSSE, WIS.	WKST-8		July '54
	LAFAYETTE, IND.	WFAM-TV		46,700
	LAFAYETTE, LA.	KLFY-TV-	10	July '54 July '54
			-10	
- 1	LAKE CHARLES,	KTAG-TV	-7	15,000 Sept. '54
	LANCASTER, PA.	WGAL-TV	293,097	
0		WWLA-2	1	Foll '54
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0	LANSING	WILS-TV	254 700	42,000
00			254,700 13,401	

City	Station	whf mh!
LEBANON, PA.	WLBR-TV	146,573
LEWISTON, ME.	WLAM-TV	18,554
LIMA, O.	WLOK-TY	54,069
		-35 Spring '54
LINCOLN	KOLN-TV	89,122
LITTLE ROCK	KARK-TV	
LONGVIEW, TEX.	KTVE-TV	19,306
LOS ANGELES	KABC-TY	
	KCOP KHJ-TV KHBH KHXT KTLA	1 417 177
LOUISVILLE		1,817,177 22 Spring '54 369,634
LUBBOCK	WAVE-TV WHAS-TV WQXL-TV-	-41 Summer '54
LUBBOCK	KCBD-TV KDUB-TV	53,804
LUFKIN, TEX.	KTRE-TV-	9 Fall '54
LYNCHBURG	WLVA-TV	102,281
MACON	WMAZ-TV	75,593
MADISON	WHEX-TV	34,662
MANCHESTER, N. H.	WMUR-TV	150,000
MARINETTE, WIS.	WMEV-TV-	—11 Aug. '54
MASON CITY, IA.	KGLO-TV-	
MASSILLON, O.	WMAC-TV-	and the same of th
MEDFORD, ORE.	KBES-TV	Za apring 34
MEMPHIS	WHEQ-TV	247 241
MERIDIAN, MISS.	WCOC-TV WTOK-TV	267,341
MESA, ARIZ. (see Phoenix)	KTYL-TV	44,300
(see Phoenix)	WTVJ	241 700
	WMIE-TV-	241,500 -27 Sept. '54
MIDLAND, TEX.	KMID-TV	31,500
MILWAUKEE	WCAN-TV WOKY-TV WTMJ-TV	295,000 295,000 654,973
MINNEAPOLIS- ST. PAUL	KSTP-TV WCCO-TV WMIN-TV WTCN-TV	
MINOT, N. D.		447,200
MISSOULA, MONT		17,500 -13 July '54
MOBILE	WALA-TV	52,500
MONROE, LA.	KFAZ-TV KNOE-TV	109,870 23,500
MONTEREY	KMBY-TV	55,000
MONTGOMERY	WCOV-TV	26,200 12 Oct. '54
MUNCIE, IND.	WSFA-TV-	
NASHVILLE	WLBC-TV WSIX-TV WSM-TV	67,300
NEENAH, WIS.	WLAC-TV-	
NEWARK (see New York)	WATY	19,080
HEW BEDFORD, MASS.	WTEV-TV-	—28 Summer '54
NEW BRITAIN	WKNB-TV	167,922
NEW CASTLE, PA.		139,578
	WHHC-TV	
NEW ORLEANS	WDSU-TV WJMR-TV WCKG—20 WCNO-TV	244,792 65,691 Late '54
NEW YORK	WABC-TV	—32 Summer '54
	WABD WCBS-TV WNBT WOR-TV	
	WATY	4,186,397
NORFOLK	WTAR-TV WTOV-TV WYEC-TV	213,889
		94,300
OKLAHOMA CITY	KMPT KTVQ KWTV	101,000 106,344
OMAHA	WKY-TY	260,279
	KMTV WOW-TV	241,052
ORLANDO, FLA.	WDBO-TV	
PANAMA CITY,	MJDM	86,100
PARKERSBURG, W. VA.	WTAP	24,850
PENSACOLA	WEAR-TV	52,500

City	Station WEEK-TV	-hf	142,997
	WTVH-TV		124,000
PHILADELPHIA	WCAU-TV WFIL-TV	1,609,667 1,793,362 1,767,042	
	WPTZ WTVQ-67	1,767,042	Early '54
PHOENIX	KODL-TV		seriy 34
	KOY-TV KPHO-TV		
	KTYL-TV	92,000	
PINE BLUFF, ARK		64,231	
PITTSBURG, KAN. PITTSBURGH, PA.	WDTV	50,000 943,388	_
TITTORUM, TA.	WENS	142,300	236,452 210,300
PITTSFIELD.	WRIF-TV	-64	May '54
MASS.			
POCATELLO, IDA.	KISJ-6 KWIK-TV-	-10	Nov. '54 Nov. '54
POLAND, ME.	WMTW-8		July '54
PORTLAND, ME.	WCSH-TV WPMT-TV	89,875	40,300
	WEAN-TV-		May 16
PORTLAND, ORE.	KOIN-TY KPTY	147,183	167,172
PRINCETON, IND.			40,350
PROVIDENCE	WJAR-TV WHET	1,098,189	
PUEBLO, COLO.	KCSJ-TV		
	KDZA-TV	40,500	
QUINCY, ILL.	KHQA-TV WGEM-TV	107,110	
RALEIGH	WHAO-TV	,	52,190
READING	WEEU-TV		55,000 107,350
RENO	KZTV	13,623	10/,330
RICHMOND	WTVR	441,079	
ROANOKE	WSLS-TV	241,158	
ROCHESTER, MINE		60,000	
ROCHESTER, N. Y	WHAM-TV WHEC-TV WYET-TV		
	WVET-TV WCBF-15	210,000	Fell 'S4
ROCKFORD, ILL.	WREX-TV	183,002	
	WTVO		82,000
	L.WHBF-TV	264,811	
ROME, GA. ROSWELL, H. M.	WROM-TV KSWS-TV	94,380	
ROSWELL, H. M. SACRAMENTO	KCCC-TV	20,437	68,265
	KBIE-TV-	-46 5	pring '54
SAGINAW	WKNX-TV- WSBM-TV-	_\$1 Se	85,000 mmer '54
ST. JOSEPH			
TT. PWOLTH	KFEQ-TV	96,706	
	KSD-TV	96,706 621,426	
			215,000
ST. LOUIS	KSD-TV KSTM-TV		215,000 210,000
ST. PAUL	KSD-TV KSTM-TV WTVI		210,000
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL (see Minneapolis)  ST. PETERSBURG	KSD-TV KSTM-TV WTVI	621,424	210,000
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL (see Minneapolis)  ST. PETERSBURG SALINAS, CAL.	KSD-TV KSTM-TV WTVI WSUN-TV KSBW-TV	621,424 55,000	71,200
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL (see Minneapolis)  ST. PETERSBURG	WSUN-TV KSEW-TV WBOC-TV-	621,424 55,000	71,200
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL [see Minneapolis)  ST. PETERSBURG  SALINAS, CAL.  SALISBURY, MD.	WSUN-TV WSBW-TV WBOC-TV- KDYL-TV	621,424 55,000	71,200 May '54
ST. PAUL [ree Minneapolis] ST. PETERSBURG SALIMAS, CAL. SALISBURY, MD. SALT LAKE CITY	WSUN-TV KSBW-TV WBOC-TV- KDYL-TV KUTV-2	55,000 —16	71,200 May '54
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL [see Minneapolis)  ST. PETERSBURG SALINAS, CAL. SALISBURY, MD.	WSUN-TV WSUN-TV WSUN-TV KSBW-TV WBOC-TV- KDYL-TV VSL-TV KUTV2 KTXL-TV KGBS-TV	55,000 —16 157,000 28,035	71,200 May '54
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL (nee Minneapolis)  ST. PETERSBURG  SALIMAS, CAL.  SALISBURY, MD.  SALT LAKE CITY  SAN ANGELO  SAN ANTONIO	WSUN-TV WSUN-TV WSUN-TV KSBW-TV WBOC-TV- KDYL-TV KUTV—2 KTXL-TV KGBS-TV WOAI-TV	55,000 —16	71,200 May '54
ST. LOUIS  ST. PAUL (see Minneapolis) ST. PETERSBURG SALIMAS, CAL. SALISBURY, MD. SALT LAKE CITY SAN ANGELO	WSUN-TV WSUN-TV WSUN-TV KSBW-TV WBOC-TV- KDYL-TV VSL-TV KUTV2 KTXL-TV KGBS-TV	55,000 —16 157,000 28,035	71,200 May '54
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SPRINGFIELD,	Station TV	vhf whf
MASS.	WHYN-TV WWLP	132,000
PRINGFIELD, MO.	KTTS-TV KYTV	39,896
TEUBENVILLE, O.	WSTV-TV	850,000
STOCKTON, CAL.	KTVU KNOF—13	55,000 June 1
SWEETWATER, TEX.	KPAR-TV-	
SYRACUSE	WHEN WSYR-TV	340,000 339,055
TACOMA	KMO-TY KTHT-TY	345,300
TAMPA, FLA	WFLA-TV-	
TEMPLE, TEX. TERRE HAUTE.	KCEN-TV	71,813 70 July '54
IND. TEXARKANA,	KCMC-TV	46,223
TEXARK.	WSPD-TV	
TOPEKA	WIBW-TV	279,029 49,808
TROY (see Albany-	wibw-iv	47,000
Schenectedy)		
TUCSON	KOPO-TV KVOA-TV	23,000
TULARE, CAL.	KVVG-TV	123,000
TULSA	KCEB	220,000
TWIN FALLS, IDA.		
UTICA, N. Y.	WKTV	139,000
VALDOSTA, GA.	WGOV-TV-	
WALLEY CITY,	KXJB-TV-	July '54
VANCOUVER	KYAN-TV-	
WACO	KANG-TV	32,160
HOIDHING	WMAL-TV WNBW WTOP-TV WTTG	595,400
WATERBURY, CONN.	WATR-TV	110,600
WATERLOO, IA.	KWWL-TV	101,448
WATERLOO, IND.	WINT-15	June '54
WAUSAU, WIS.	WOSA-TV-	-16 July '54
WESLACO, TEX.	KRGV	-
WEST PALM BEACH	WIRK-TV WJNO-TV	-S Aug. '84
WHEELING, W. VA.	WTRF-TV	267,701
WICHITA	KEDD KTVH-TV KAKE-TV—	71,437 99,043 70 July '\$4
WICHITA FALLS, TEX.	KFDX-TV KWFT-TV	59,800 85,300
WILKES-BARRE	WBRE-TV WILK-TV	140,000
WILLIAMSPORT,		-36 Spring '84
WILMINGTON, DEL.	WDEL-TV	189,762
WILMINGTON, N. C.	WMFD-TV WTHT_3	May 18
WINSTON-SALEM	WSJS-TV WTOB-TV	187,007
WORCESTER, MASS.	WWOR-TV	45,000 -20 Aug. '54
YAKIMA, WASH.	KIMA-TY	20,276
YORK, PA.	WHOW-TV	72,006
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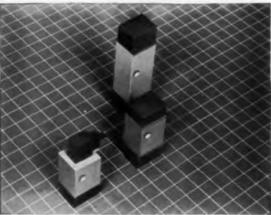
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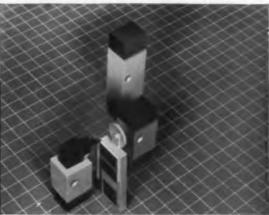
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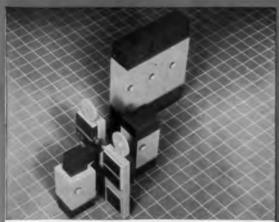
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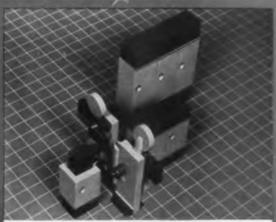
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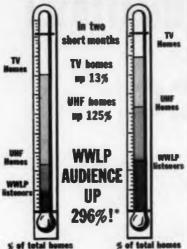


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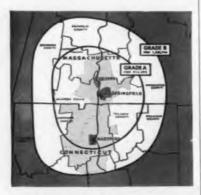
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emerging from their swaddling clothes came in the 1933 convention at White Sulphur Springs when a revised constitution was adopted by the NAB.

The following year at Cincinnati, the broadcasters were given an illuminating address entitled "Coordinating American Amusement Industries" by Sol A. Rosenblatt, Division Administrator of the NRA. The very thought of it sends chills down one's spine. It was better to dwell upon "Radio and Human Liberties" by William Hard, the noted American author, correspondent and traveler, who was a featured speaker at the same convention.

#### Enter Television

For the first time in the history of the Association, television appeared on a convention agenda for the 13th Annual session at Colorado Springs in July, 1935. Andrew W. Cruse, Chief of the Electronics Division of the United States Department of Commerce, gave a speech on television in America and Europe in which he quoted French scientists as doubting the practicability of television because it would take as much electricity to run a television receiver as is required to operate the electric chair at Sing Sing. Since sets would therefore be for mass audiences. they believed a moving belt would be necessary to keep the audience from stagnating in front of the tv receiver.

Although the word "survey" had come up in the 1930 convention in Cleveland, the first real down-to-earth discussion of research as it applied to radio was presented at the 14th Annual convention in Chicago in 1936. Arthur B. Church of Kansas City outlined plans for a "Cooperative Bureau of Radio Research," and C. H. Sandage, Chief of the Division of Communications of the Bureau of the Census, discussed, "What the Radio Business Census Means to the Broadcasting Industry."

The 15th convention held in Chicago in 1937 virtually brought to an end a most pleasant convention past-time called "politicking." It was really fun getting up slates of chosen candidates and campaigning for their election. At the 1937 convention, John Elmer of Baltimore was the Nominating Committee's choice for President.

Elmer won by a margin of four to one.

In March of 1938 at the convention held in Washington, the Association decided that because of the increasing burdens of administering the affairs of the organization that it should have a paid President. Mark Ethridge, the noted Louisville publisher, was selected to serve for the interim until a permanent salaried President could be found. In June of 1938, Neville Miller, former Mayor of Louisville, was selected for what proved to be a six-year term.

The 1939 convention in Atlantic City produced the usual type of program with the Chairman of the Federal Communications Commission speaking; a discourse on advertising; a careful analysis of education and public responsibilities, and similar subjects.

The thing I remember most about the 1940 convention was that it was held in San Francisco.

In 1941 at St. Louis, a famous quotation about the mackerel "shining and stinking in the moonlight" remains the most vivid impression. John Randolph, of Virginia, little realized that his remarks in Congress in 1806 would be applied by a Chairman of the FCC to the networks of America.

#### Measuring Rod

The conventions since that date are of such recent memory that there is little need to give a historical account—besides my space is running out.

In retrospect, the conventions have provided an index of the industry's growth and prosperity. Beginning with a handful of men who met in the Federal Building in Chicago in the Winter of 1922, when the NAB was first founded, until the present time when the conventions have grown to such huge proportions that housing becomes a major problem, one can trace the evolution and development of broadcasting. We were quite proud in 1927 that there were 6.5 million radio sets in America servicing better than one-quarter of the homes, but we can be even prouder today of the 117 million radio sets and the 29.1 million television receivers in American homes. The very existence of so many sets is ample evidence of the good job done by the broadcasters throughout the years.

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## On the Agenda

- May 10-12: Advertising Trade
  Inst., first sales aid
  show, Biltmore Hotel,
  New York
- May 13: Radio and Television
  Executives Society of
  New York, annual
  meeting, Hotel Roosevelt, New York
- May 14: International Advertising Assn. (formerly Export Advertising Assn.), annual convention, Hotel Plazs, New York
- May 18-21: Annual National Tv News Seminar, Orrington Hotel, Evanston, Ill.
- May 23-27: NARTE Convention, Palmer House, Chicago
- June 1: National Assn. of Tv & Radio Farm Directors, national sales clinic, Sheraton Hotel, Chicago
- June 2-4: National Sales Executives Assn., convention and sales equipment fair, Conrad Hilton Hotel, Chicago
- June 2-6: Associated Business
  Publications, 29th annual spring conference,
  The Homestead, Hot
  Springs, Va.
- June 6-11: National Assn. of Electrical Distributors, 46th annual convention, Atlantic City
- June 13-16: American Marketing
  Assn., annual conference, Ambassador Hotel, Atlantic City
- June 14-16: National Community
  Television Assn., Hotel
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WMGT (74)	Adams, Mass.	NONCEST (A)	4 ***	Rep.:	Petry
Gen. Mgr.	John T. Parsons William Geary	KGNC-TV (4)		WFPG-TV (46)	Atlantic City
Prom. Mgr. Prog. Dir. Ch. Engr.	John Joyce Larry Vaber Ed Pearson Leonard Lavendol Walker	Gen. Mgr. Sta. Mgr. Asst. & Comi. Mgr. Prom. Mgr. Prod. Dir. Ch. Engr.	Bud Thompson Aubrey Jackson Marrianne Johnson Bob Vaughn William H. Torrey	Sis. Mgr. Prom. Mar. Prog. Dir.	Fred Weber E. Truex J. Morris Ed Davis Blair Thron
		Rep.:	Katz	Rep.:	Pearson
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		Rep.:	Burn-Smith		
WROW-TV (41)	* -	WPAG-TV (20)	Ann Ashan	KMMT (6)	Austin, Minn.
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_	Bolling	-	Donald N. Bowdish Everett-McKinney	KTBC-TV (7) Gen. Mgr.	
WINDL (AT)	400	WIDTH (FO)	Ashana Dank N L	Sla. Mgr. Coml. Mgr.	J. C. Kellam
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Sls. Mgr. Prom. Mgr.	Raymond Brown, Jr. Steve Davis		none	KBAK-TV (29)	
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Rep.: Weed Rep.: Free & Peters

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#### WNAC-TV (7) Boston

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Sls. & Coml. Mgr. John Conner
Prog. Dir. Ed Pelss
Ch. Engr. Grant French
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V.P.. Tv Sales Mgr. George Steffy
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Prom. Mgr. Tom Bateson
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Rep.: Everett-McKinney

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Prom. Mgr.
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Ch. Engr. Alvin Andrus Rep.: Adam Young

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	Prod. Dir.	Jim Cook Lewis Hartwig	Prog. Mgr.	Harry B. Shaw Johnny Comas Phil Hedrick
	Rep.:	Raymer		Headley-Reed
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		West Palm Beach Joseph S. Field, Jr.	WTOB-TV (26)	
	Pres. & Gen. Mgr. Sta. & Sls. Mgr. Prom. Mgr.	Arthur L. Gray Bill Stokes	Gen. Mgr.	James W. Coan John G. Johnson
	Prog. Dir. Ch. Engr.	Shirlee Barrish William Heitzman	Prom. Dir.	Mrs. Avery Van
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	Exec. V. Pres.	Thomas M. Bloch		
	& Gen. Mgr.	Robert W. Ferguson H. Needham Smith	Sia. & Coml. Mgr. Prom. Mgr.	Ansel E. Gridley Leonard V. Corwin Rupert Neily Thomas C. Sawyer Donald P. Wise
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	KEDD (16)		Sis. & Coml. Mgr. Prom. Mgr.	Thomas C. Bostic Herchel Cary Joseph Ryan
	Sls. Mgr. Prom. Mgr.	Stanley H. Durwood John E. North Ben K. West Robert C. Currie, Jr. George Smith	Prog. Dir. Ch. Engr.	Joseph Ryan James W. Nolan, Jr. J. Barry Watkinson
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	KTVH-TV (12)	Wichita- Hutchinson	Sls. & Coml. Mgr. Sls. Prom. Mgr.	Lowell W. Williams John O. Border Edwin L. Jay
	Gen. & Sls. Mgr.	Howard O Peterson	Prog. Dir. Ch. Engr.	Edwin L. Jay Richard E. Burg Glenn Winter
	Reg. Sls. Mgr. Local Sls. Mgr. Prom. Mgr.	Howard O. Peterson Douglas Hough Ernie Dallier		Hollingbery
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	atop.		Gen. Mgr. Sls. Mgr.	Louis J. Appell, Jr. C. L. Doty Philip K. Eberly
	KFDX-TV (3)		Prog. Dir. Ch. Engr.	James Curtis Lew Jones
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h	Kep.:	Raymer		William F. Maag, Jr. Mitchell F. Stanley Len Nasman
	KWFT-TV (6)	Wichita Falls	Prog. Dir.	Ronald Richards Frank Dieringer
	Pres. & Gen. Mgr.	Kenyon Brown		Headley-Reed
	Prog. Dir.	A. L. Pierce Blaine Cornwell Herbert T. Wiley		
ford		Blair		Youngstown, O.
Julia			Pres. & Gen. Mgr. Sta. & Coml. Dir.	W. P. Williamson, Jr. J. L. Bowden
	WBRE-TV (28)		Publ. Rel. Dir.	Jim Smith Donald S. Brice B. T. Wilkins
	Sta. & Sis. Mgr.	Louis G. Baltimore David M. Baltimore Ernest Lewis		
	Coml. Mgr.	Ernest Lewis	Rep.:	Raymer

Oper. Mgr. Franklin D. Coslett Ch. Engr. Charles Sakoski

WILK-TV (34) Wilkes-Barre

Rép.: Headley-Reed

WMAL-TV (7) Washington

Rep.: Katz

WNBW (4) Washington

WTOP-TV (9) Washington

Pres. & Gen. Mgr. John S. Hayes
V.P. chg. Sls. George F. Hartford
Sls. Mgr. Robert Bordley
Dir. Sis. Prom.
V.P. chg. Prog. Lloyd Dennis
Dir. Audnc. Prom.
V.P. chg. Engrg. Clyde M. Hunt

Gen. Mgr. Carleton D. Smith Sis. Dir. Joseph Goodfellow Sis. Mgr. Charles DeLozier Prom. Mgr. Robert M. Adams Publ. Dir. Jay Royen Prog. Dir. James E. Kovach Prog. Mgr. George Dorsey Ch. Engr. John Rogers

Rep.: NBC Spot Sales

Rep.: CBS Spot Sales

V.P. & Gen. Mgr. K. H. Berkeley
Asst. Gen. Mgr. Charles L. Kelly
Sls. Mgr. Neal Edwards
Sls. Prom. Mgr. E. Haywood Meeks
Prog. Dir. Charles D. Biahop
Ch. Engr. Frank Harvey

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#### KIVA-TV (11) Yuma, Aris.

Pres. Donald Ellsworth
Gen. & Coml. Mgr. Jerry Burns
Prom. Mgr. Wick Evans
Prog. Dir. Robin Adair
Ch. Engr. Robert Schofield Donald Ellsworth

Rep.: Forjoe

#### WHIZ-TV (50) Zanesville, O.

Gen. Mgr. Vernon A. Nolte
Natl. Sls. Mgr. Nate Milder
Local Sls. Mgr. Robert Hodous
Prom. Mgr. Robert Cromwell
Prog. Dir. Robert D. Maley
Ch. Engr. William A. Hunt, Sr. Rep.: Pearson

#### Territories & Possessions

#### KFIA (2) Anchorage

Gen. Mgr. &
Ch. Engr. James G. Duncan
Oper. Supver. Wilbur Williams
Sts. Mgr. Phil Howarth
Prog. Dir. Glenn Hunt
Prod. Mgr. Bard Melton Rep.: Weed

#### KTVA (11) Anchorage

Pres. & Gen. Mgr. A. G. Hiebert V.P. & Tech. Dir. Jack M. Walden Coml. Mgr. C. M. Conner Prod. Dir. Janet Conner Rep.: Hugh M. Feitis

#### KGMB-TV (9) Honolulu

V.P. & Gen. Mgr. C. Richard Evans S'a. Mgr. Wayne Kearl Sis. Mgr. Ralph H. Davison, Jr.

Prom. Mgr. Faye Johnson Prog. Dir. Robert Costa Ch. Engr. Dan Hunter

Rep.: Free & Peters

#### KONA (11) Honolulu

V.P. & Gen. Mgr. John D. Keating
Sta. Mgr.
Prog. Mgr.
Prod. Mgr.
Pron. Mgr. Jack Irvine
Pron. Mgr. Jack Walklin
Ch. Engr. Larry Trombly Rep. NBC Spot Sales

#### KULA (4) Honolulu

Pres. William B. Dolph
Gen. Mgr. Art Sprinkle
Coord. of Tv Ted R. Scott
Sis. Mgr. Hugh Ben LaRue
Ch. Engr. Ronnie Miyhira Rep.: Headley-Reed

#### WAPA-TV (4) San Juan

Gen. Mgr. Charles E. Bell
Sls. 4 Prom. Mgr. Cal de Mier
Prog. Dir. Juse E. Franco
Prod. Dir. Pepe Gonzalez
Ch. Engr. Jose Arzuaga

#### WKAQ-TV (2) San Juan

Pres. Angel Ramos
Gen. Mgr. R. Delgado Marquez
Coml. Mgr. David H. Polinger
Prog. Mgr. Fernando Cortes, Jr.
Ch. Engr. Angel Del Valle Rep.: Inter-American Publications

Rep.: Caribbean Networks

Application pending for transfer of Member-TV to Cook Paint & Varnish Oo, owner of share time WHB-TV. Under terms of transfer, WHB-TV will be merged and the cell letters KMBC-TV used for the full-

•• Pending FCC approval, KOY Bestg. Co., licensee of KOY-TV, has sold its in-trest to Maricopa Bestrs. Inc., licensee of share-time KOOL-TV.

#### Correction

In the roster of television stations owned wholly or in part by newspaper in erests (TELEVISION AGE, April, 1954), KFSD-TV San Diego was erroneously listed as owned by Elliott L. Cushman, publisher of the San Diego Shopping News. The chief owner of KFSD-TV is Thomas E. Sharp, president, who holds 66.3 per cent of the stock. Mr. Cushman holds a CP for KUSH San Diego, a uhf station.

In the same listing, owner-hip of wews Cleveland and wcpo-tv Cincinnati was attributed to the Cleveland Press and Cincinnati Post respectively. Actually, both stations are licensed to Scrippsfloward Radio, Inc. The applicant for Channel 2 in Spokane in Television Spokane, Inc. (KNEW) 10 of which is owned by The Scripps League, a Pacific Northwest newspaper chain which has no connection with Scripps-Howard.

# Who's selling what to whom? We're selling SALES!!

We've got rich markets . . . responsive audiences and the kind of promotion that brings results! . . .

We're POWERFUL-Now 316,000 watts, we're one of the most powerful stations in the country. You should see our mail pull!

We're PRODUCING sales happy clients with ratings that have reached an all time high, and unmatched audience loyalty . . .

We're PROMOTING like show people ought to. This is an exciting business . . . but it's never been more exciting than at KELO.

We're POTENT with actual case histories that give us credit for 60% ... 83% ... even one 110% boost in sales. We really merchandise!



Minneapolis-St. Paul, Minn. represented by BLAIR TV

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Sioux Falls. South Dakota by PAUL RAYMER CO.





# YOU MIGHT RUN 100 YARDS IN 9.3 SECONDS \*-

BUT .

YOU NEED WKZO-TV TO SPEED UP SALES IN WESTERN MICHIGAN!

WKZO—TV AREA PULSE
(27 COUNTIES)
SHARE OF AUDIENCE—MON.-FRI.—APRIL, 1953

	8 c.m 12 noon	12 noon- 6 p.m.	6 p.m 12 midnight		
WKZO-TV 62% (a)		52%	52% (a)		
STATION "B"	26%	25%	25% (a)		
OTHERS	12%	23 %	23 %		

(a) Does not telecast for complete period and the share of audience is unadjusted for this situation.

WKZO-TV, Channel 3, serves more than 315,000 TV homes in 27 Western Michigan and Northern Indiana counties (see Pulse figures at left).

October 1953 Hooperatings for the 4-county area around Kalamazoo-Grand Rapids credit WKZO-TV with 55.6% more evening viewers, 100% more morning viewers and 400% more afternoon viewers, than the next Western Michigan television station! Enough said?

80,000 WATTS, CHANNEL 3



WKZO-TY

OFFICIAL BASIC CBS FOR WESTERN MICHIGAN

Avery-Knodel, Inc., Exclusive National Representatives

\* This world's record was set by Melvin Patton on May 15, 1948, in Fresno, California.

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# **Wall Street Report**



This is annual meeting and annual report time when the managements of American industry report to their stockholders and the stockholders talk back. Television managements, like all the rest, in the past six weeks gave an account of their stewardship.

Admiral, Columbia Broadcasting. Sylvania Electric, General Electric and Westinghouse Electric were among those companies who held annual stockholders' pilgrimages. GE investors came away with the best promise for the future — the prospect of more dividends.

Ralph Cordiner. president, told 3,000 shareowners their company's first quarter earnings were the largest in its history despite an 8 per cent decline in sales volume. Net profits topped \$47 million, equal to \$1.67 per share, a 42 per cent jump from the \$1.17 per share reported in the first three months of 1953. The jump reflected the end of the excess profits tax, and there was no reason on the horizon at the moment to indicate that the rate of increase could not be maintained. Prospects were that GE's 1954 earnings would push close to \$7 a share and the present \$4 annual-dividend rate be fattened up with an

Westinghouse stockholders also received cheering news. The company held its annual meeting in California for the benefit of its western owners. Gwilym Price, president, announced that sales for the first three months of the year were up 6.4 per cent and carnings were equal to \$1.61 a common share. In the first quarter of 1953 Westinghouse earned \$1.04 per share.

Although Wall Street traders were uncertain as to whether Westinghouse would benefit by the EPT demise to the same extent as GE this year. they were even more confident that the chances of a fatter annual dividend were good. Stockholders asked why, in view of last year's good earnings of \$4.53, the dividend rate had not been increased from the \$2 per-share annual rate. Sound policy, they were told, dictated that money be poured back into expansion during 1953 but the prospects were that in 1954 an extra dividend would be paid out. If early predictions of a net profit equalling about \$5 per share were borne out this year, that "extra" could range anywhere from 50 cents to \$1 per share.

#### Source of Income

In the course of his discussion with stockholders, Mr. Price noted that Westinghouse now has a bigger share of the tv set market than in 1952 or early 1953. But he gave no indication of the size of that gain.

In the listing of 200,000 additional

shares of its common stock in connection with the Employe Stock Plan, Westinghouse gave the following breakdown of its consolidated sales: apparatus—including motors, turbines and transformers—up from \$775.3 million in 1944 to \$1.2 billion in 1954; consumer lines, from \$88.7 million to \$407 million.

Thus the company's consumer lines—of which television is a growing factor, according to Mr. Price—quadrupled while the industrial items were not quite doubling. If the company's defense orders, accounting for about 24 per cent of total billings, were discounted, the fact emerges very strikingly that these "consumer items" have been the principal factor in Westinghouse's growth during the past ten years.

Don Mitchell, president of Sylvania, kept his statements to stockholders in the same optimistic groove as his bigger competitors had. He predicted that 1954 sales and earnings would be higher than the 1953 figures of \$293 million in sales and \$3.10 per-share earnings. However, the new year got off to a poor start: First quarter earnings declined to 67 cents per share from \$1.01 a year ago. But one factor to be considered was a jump of 252,-288 in the number of outstanding shares this year compared to last. Sales volume for Sylvania in the first quarter was off 16 per cent but still ran 20 per cent above the volume of the first three months of 1952.

#### Going Up

William Paley, board chairman of CBS, also greeted the assembled investors with glad tidings. The company's first quarter earnings were up above the \$1.03 per share reported in the comparable 1953 period. Stockholders at the meeting voted approval of a proposal to permit directors to declare stock dividends in both "A" and "B" classes of common. There was no indication that the declaration of a stock dividend was pending; in view of the expansion program ahead, conservation of cash was paramount in the minds of management.

Ross D. Siragusa, president of Admiral, was one of the few big tv executives to tell stockholders that sales and

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#### Wall Street (Continued)

earnings at the outset of 1954 had tumbled "substantially" from the 1953 level. In the first quarter last year Admiral earned \$1.56 per share. But although he did not attempt to paint a rosy picture for the remainder of the year, Mr. Siragusa managed to end the meeting on a note of confidence. While admitting that set sales had dropped sharply, he outlined the largest expansion program in the company's history. The program envisioned greater facilities for the output of ty receivers and other appliances including refrigerators.

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While these reports were being issued and the meetings held, it was interesting to note that the investing public was showing increased confidence in the future of the television industry. In mid-April Barron's index of the average price of television stocks reached a high of \$34.07 per share compared with the \$30.66 per-share price recorded on January 14 during the darkest period of warnings

about what color would do to the industry.

In attempting to assess the significance Wall Street was attaching to tv stocks, some clues were provided by the Stanford Research Institute report made for Hoffman Radio. Hoffman was seeking to determine the best field for expansion in the years ahead. The Institute estimated that at present the electronics field generally accounted for \$5.5 billion in factory sales annually. Of that total, household itemsty sets included-accounted for \$1.6 billion. But by 1960, sales in the same category should hit \$3.7 billion. The industry's overall volume by 1960 is expected to be \$10 billion, slightly less than double the present level.

#### Success Story

From the standpoint of the average small investor, one of the most conclusive examples of the success of the tv industry—and its allied segments—has been the growth of Television-Electronics Fund, Inc. This investment company was started in 1948. As re-

cently as 1950, its total assets were \$5.7 million and its shares held by 7,000 investors. As of January 30, 1954, its assets totaled \$31.5 million and its shareholders topped 17,000.

As an open-end investment company the fund is based on the belief that the field of tv, electronics and radio will be of increasing importance. Under ordinary circumstances the company puts all its investing funds in stocks of companies in those fields. However, it sometimes invests in other industries or Government securities.

The Fund's portfolio on January 30, 1954 contained stocks of 84 companies, of which 20 were principally identified with tv set making or transmission, Radio Corp. of America, with 50,600 shares, received top rating since that represented an investment of \$1.34 million at that time. Sylvania, represented with 35,000 shares valued at \$1.2 million, held the number two spot, with Westinghouse (20,000 shares worth \$1 million), Zenith Radio Corp. (14,000 shares worth \$931,000) and GE (10,000 shares worth \$930,000) rounding out the top five in size of investment.

The Fund has paid 21 consecutive dividends. Its latest, on February 26, 1954, was 7 cents per share, an increase of 2 cents per share on the stock outstanding a year ago. Actually the Fund had a 100 per cent stock dividend in the interim. The net asset value at the end of the first quarter, on January 31, was \$7.19 per share.

#### 1954 Last Stock High-Low Quote<sup>4</sup> ABC-UPT 1714-141/2 16% ADMIRAL 21%-184 181/9 AVCO 51/2- 4% 41/6 CBS 54%-11% 531/9 DU MONT 11% - 9% 101/4 EMERSON 11%- 9% 10 1241/4-87 1191/4 (E 18%-16% MACNAVOY 17 37%-30% MOTOROLA 3314 PHILCO 341/2-28 33% RCA 28%-221/2 281/4 RAYTHEON 101/2- 81/2 91/4 SYLVANIA 36%-31% 351/6 73%-50% 701/2 WESTINGHOUSE 73 % -63 % ZENITH 66

"As of May 5, 1954

# ON THE AIR YOU can BUY CHATTANOOGA

# 79th Market in the Nation

Population 807,200
Heusehelds 216,500
Income \$837,833,000
Ret Sales \$573,994,000
(SRDS Consumer Markets

A & B contour area)

80,000 Sets\*

 Based on A. C. Nielsen Survey plus sales to May 1, 1954

Interconnected ... NBC · CBS · ABC · DuM.

105,200 Watts VHF



Contact THE BRANHAM COMPANY

#### NARTB (Continued from page 88)

background. In 1932 he was a news commentator on KOL, Seattle, later public relations chief for KOMO-KJR. As executive secretary of the Washington State Taxpayers Association for nine years, Mr. Arney had a hand in initiating many local budget and tax reforms. He joined the NARTB in 1940 as assistant to the president.

Vice president, charge of tv affairs. Thad H. Brown, Jr., who fills this spot, has been successively counsel to the Television Board of Directors and Director of Television. A Princeton man, and Harvard, he has had extensive legal experience in the media field. For five years before joining the NARTB he was associated with the Washington law firm of Roberts & McInnis, which represented the now-dissolved Television Broadcasters Association and the Du Mont network. His father, the late Thad Brown, served as a commissioner on both the old Federal Radio Commission and the FCC from 1929 to 1940.

Director, Television Code affairs. Edward H. Bronson began a radio career with WCOL Columbus, O., after tha war joined WJEF Grand Rapids as station manager. Immediately before becoming Director of Television Code Affairs, he was station director of WBNS-TV Columbus.

Chief Attorney. Vincent T. Wasilewski joined the legal staff of the NARTB in 1949, became Chief Attorney last year. He is a member of the Illinois

Manager of Engineering. A one-time professor of physics and mathematics, A. Prose Walker was General Radio Engineer with the Broadcast Bureau of the FCC. During the 1946-47 hearings on color tv, Mr. Walker handled the engineering details for the Commission, briefing the members on basic color theory. He has held his present position with the NARTB since last July.

Manager, Employee-Employer Relations Department. Charles H. Tower served as a field examiner for the NLRB, working out of the Pittslurgh office. He taught labor relations at Boston University, joined the NARTS in 1949, is now acting manager of this department.

Manager, Research Department. Richard M. Allerton begin as a Wall Street bond salesman, later became a management and marketing consultant for various industries and companies. He directed radio research for Croeley, Inc., held the position of Director of Market and Radio Research for Free & Peters in New York.

Manager, Station Relations Department. William K. Treynor has been in broadcasting since 1939. He was assistant sales manager for WOL Washington, account executive for WOIC (now WTOP-TV) until 1950 when he moved over to the NARTB.

Manager of Public Affairs. Newly-appointed is John H. Smith, Jr., who supervised the NARTB's 1952 "Register and Vote" campaign which won an American Heritage Foundation award. He has been on the staffs of metropolitan newspapers and feature syndicates, for nine years was advertising manager of the Bureau of National Affairs.

Manager of Information. Fran Riley, a SPAR in the last war, was an account executive in several New York public relations firms. She later had her own program over WBIW Bedford. Ind., then handled promotion for a Chicago packager of tv-radio shows.

#### Many Activities

The day-by-day work of the NARTB proceeds on two levels—in the field, so to speak, and in Washington where the staff work is carried on. In addition to the regional meetings and director meetings—where, of course, industry problems are discussed and policy hammered out—some 18 NARTB committees are in operation at a time. These study such important subjects as subscription tv (complete; no report issued as yet), television circulation (just underway) and the tv code (revisions recommended last March)

From Washington comes a steady stream of information: latest engineering developments, marketing studies, wage-hour rulings, legal advice—all valuable aids to the members. A weekly newsletter reports on the status of all legislation affecting the industry, summarizes FCC rulings, regulations and hearings. While the NARTB itself does not take a position in regard to individual station cases, it does not hesitate to oppose measures the directors consider inimical to tv-radio in-

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#### Customers go on the storepath

when Sioux City Sue beckons. She specializes in uprisings. After a commercial is chanted from the KVTV wigwam, customers rise and storm trading posts in 31 Iowa, Nebraska and South Dakota counties, where



annual retail sales climb to \$653 million. We have a covered wagon full of case histories of KVTV effectiveness; examples on request. Or pow-wow with The Katz Agency, our national reps.

KVTV Channel 9
Sioux City
CBS, NBC, ABC & Dumont

#### NARTB (Continued from page 113)

terests. Few weeks go by during which staff officials do not appear before Congressional committees or the FCC.

Over the past couple of years, for instance. the NARTE has:

Opposed the Gathings Resolution which asked for an investigation of the tv-radio industry to discover "malpractices," Result: The House committee recommended against government censorship of any kind and voiced confidence in the industry's self-regulation. •Opposed the Benton bill which would have created a Federal board to recommend "censorship" measures. Result: The measure was never reported out of committee.

•Opposed assignment of frequencies for theatre tv which would have "infringed" on those used by tv and radio stations. Result: The FCC ruled that theatre tv should be a common carrier

•Opposed Sen. Ed. Johnson's baseball bill which would have allowed ball clubs to limit tv-radio coverage. Result: The bill did not reach the floor of the Senate,

Opposed the Bryson Bill which would ban transmission of all alcoholic beverage advertising moving across state lines. Result: Still in committee, the measure is given little chance of being reported out.

•Opposed the FCC's schedule of station license fees. Result: The Senate committee recommended no action for 18 months until full study could be made: the FCC complied.

These are just a few examples of NARTB activity. But they are indicative of the powerful role the association can and does play. They also testify that the NARTB has been able to weather the opposition within and without, prosper and develop while coordinating and serving the diverse interests within the industry.

With television on the threshold of its greatest period of growth, the NARTB will have its work cut out. A tremendous job lies ahead but the 2000 delegates in Chicago are convinced that the job will be done.

#### They're The Tops

This month TELEVISION AGE introduces a new service feature, a listing of the top 15 "penetration" markets compiled by The Pulse, Inc. The base is the number of radioowning homes in the metropolitan areas of each city.

Baltimore						93.9
Milwaukee						93.0
Cleveland						91.9
Philadelphia						90.3
Buffalo						90.0
Boston						88.8
Providence		,	*			88.6
Washington						88.3
Cincinnati						88.1
Los Angeles	6					88.0
Detroit						87.9
St. Louis .						
Chicago						87.7
Dayton					*	87.7
New York .						



★ THE JOE PALOOKA STORY ★ LIFE WITH ELIZABETH, starring Betty White

**420 MADISON AVENUE** NEW YORK 17, N. Y.

SWEET MUSIC for sponsors . . . from the producers of The LIBERACE Show . . .

30 Minutes of Musical Enchantment!

**FRANKIE** LAINE Show

with CONNIE HAINES

30 Minutes of Musical Merriment!

And don't overlook these current GUILD hits:

★ THE LIBERACE SHOW (Radio version also available)

CONVENTION

#### Slavick (Continued from page 65)

when a firm or a small group of firms attempts to monopolize and black out a channel which belongs to the public as a whole, the effect is to convert broadcasting to a common carrier system.

Of course, we can picture some dissatisfaction among the customers who patronize this slot machine operation and instead of a jackpot catch a row of lemons.

Imagine an average family being soaked 90 cents to see a feature, when half way through the phone rings, or visitors call and interrupt, or the feature turns out to be something like Joe Walcott's last championship endeavor.

But if they want to take the chance, that is the right of any individual.

However, a rather frightening thought arises. Those who believe that they will get better entertainment by paying more for it than the trifling amount now allocated to advertising, which is a fractional percent of the price of articles made cheaper because of that advertising, may find that they are actually merely paying through the nose for much which they already get for nothing.

#### A Killing?

Let us assume that two top college football teams are scheduled at a charge of \$1. Think of the millions that might conceivably bring in to the slot machine boys. With money from a few of these hold-ups, they would be in a position to outbid our broadcasting industry.

What can there be in the way of a sporting event more spectacular than a World Series, a Kentucky Derby, a Rose Bowl game, a heavyweight championship prize fight? All these now come to the viewers free, and under a system of competitive bidding which rewards the participants more richly than ever before.

Again the propagandists for PAYS have found it effective to shed crocodile tears. They attempt to show that the present form of tv cannot be supported by the advertising dollar. This is an old song that was sung back in the early days of radio, in the latter '20s, when advertisers, broad-

casters and the public wondered who was going to pay. We know what happened then.

Among the proponents of PAYS are a big movie production firm, a tv manufacturer and others who want to go into business without building or owning one station or network and with no responsibility to the public.

The public interest is of no concern to these people,

I have asked them, "What about public service? Who is going to take care of the development of the less pretentious programs which must be offered as a service along with the big shows?" They shrug. They don't care. They say, "If the subscribers want educational programs badly enough, we'll sell them,"

They want to take all the cream, without any obligation to the public as set up by the FCC under the standards set forth by the communications set.

They would leave us what they

didn't want—and the responsibilities to the public which they will not assume.

Unfortunately, a few telecasters have been sold this idea of PAYS. In many cases these are men who have no earthly right to hold a license, because in accepting this idea they are admitting that they are unable to sustain a pro-

gram service one of the major considerations in the granting of that license by the FCC.

We in the industry have a responsibility to the public to make known this



Henry W. Slavick

threat to something which has become so important in American home life.

In the June issue of TELEVISION AGE a proponent of subscription television will offer a rebuttal to Mr. Slavick's article.

# SOON—MAXIMUM POWER LOOK

# SELLING CIRCLE

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INTER CONNECTED

Cover the SELLING CIRCLE

POPULATION -382,000

RETAIL SALES - \$364,000,000

KCMC-TV

Represented by Venard Rintoul & McConnell, Inc.
Southwest only—Clyde Melville Co.

Unduplicated Television Coverage In the Booming Southwest Sets in Use: 66.223 The ONE and ONLY television station in the nation's 9th largest market which operates with the MAXIMUM POWER authorized by the Federal Communications Commission..

# KSD-TV

The St. Lauis Post-Dispatch Television Station

...100,000 WATTS

on easy-to-tune

Very High Frequency Channel 5

KSD-TV is America's FIRST completely postwar equipped television station . . . established on February 8, 1947 . . . and the FIRST CHOICE of advertisers who have products and services to sell to the St. Louis Market.

NBC TELEVISION NETWORK

National Advertising Representative: NBC SPOT SALES

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# TELEVISION AGE List of Agency Timebuyers

(The following roster covers the leading New York and Chicago agencies and their timebuying personnel.)

#### NEW YORK

#### Anderson & Cairns, Inc.

488 Madison Avenue MUrray Hill 8-5800

Stewart Brown Victor Seydel Jean Simpson

#### Atherton & Currier, Inc.

420 Lexington Avenue LExington 2-8795

William Tieman

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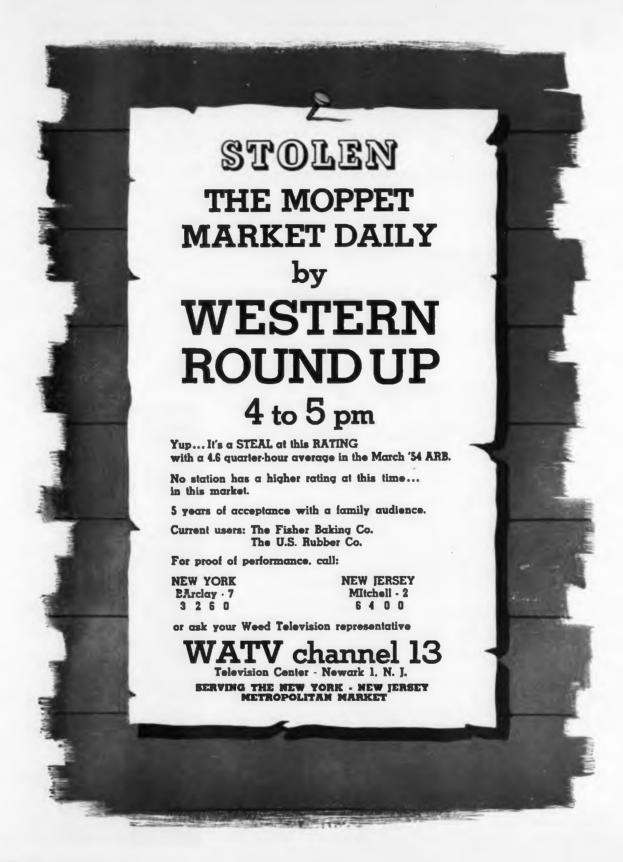
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For General Foods Corp., 1954 is not only its silver anniversary year but also its year of the Big Show, the four-network, hour-and-a-half, \$750,000 Rodgers & Hammerstein Cavalcade; the Big Move, from New York to suburban White Plains; and the Big Shift: board chairman Clarence Francis to retirement, president Austin S. Igleheart to chairman and Brooklyn-born, 54-year old executive v. p., Charles G. Mortimer, to president, Mr. Mortimer joined the Postum Co. in 1928 (the next year it became General Foods). Successively, he has directed the corporation's advertising, merchandising and operations departments.



The 25th chairman of the board of the American Association of Advertising Agencies, William R. Baker, Jr., 56, might have been a grocer. He learned the business from his grandfather, founder of one of New Jersey's largest chains. However, after graduating from Princeton in 1919, Mr. Baker went to work for Bruce Barton and Roy Durstine as an office boy. By 1925 he was an account executive. In 1933 Mr. Baker moved over to Benton & Bowles as assistant to the then president, Atherton W. Hobler. In 43 he was named executive vice president, in 1950, president and, in 1952, Bab board chairman.



"Man on the move" is an apt description for George B. Storer, Jr., whose new post as v. p. of Storer Broadcasting Co. in charge of planning and finance, shifts him to the company's headquarters in Miami, Fla. The eldest of four sons, George was born in Toledo, went to high school in Colorado Springs, Colo. In 1946, after three traveling years in the Navy, he went to Birmingham, Ala., with the Storer tv engineering department. Then in 1948 he transferred to Atlanta where he supervised construction and became manager of WAGA-TV. In 1951, George Storer, Jr., moved over ot KEYL (now KGBS) San Antonio as managing director.



When General Teleradio, Inc. bought up \$1.5 million worth of feature films from The Bank of America, it staked out a major claim in the unsettled movies-for-television field. Tapped to clinch its lead position (as new sales manager of General Teleradio's Film Division) was Peter M. Robeck. A native of Marinette, Wis., Mr. Robeck cut his radio teeth as a local CBs station guide during his student days at UCLA. After graduation, he stayed with the network for eight more years, winding up as promotion manager of KNX and the Columbia Pacific Network. His last move: to Consolidated Television Sales Corp. as general sales manager.



Functioning behind the \$4-million KOTV Tulsa sale, as he has in many multi-million dollar station transactions, was tv and radio station broker, Howard E. Stark. Earlier this year, he took part in the \$8.5 million transfer of the Empire Coil Co. stations, WXEL Cleveland and KPTV Portland, Ore., to the Storer Broadcasting Co. His initial deal, involving one of the first changes in television station ownership, came in 1951 when the Bitner interests bought wood-TV Grand Rapids for \$1.3 million. Stark came to New York from Cleveland in 1943 to join the Wall Street firm of Lehman Brothers. Five years ago he started his present business.

# In the picture

















The purchasing company in the KOTV sale (pending FCC approval) is the Osage Broadcasting Corp., wholly-owned and controlled by J. H. Whitney & Co., a \$10 million venture capital concern. Founder and senior partner of the eight-year-old private investment firm, with interests in some 40 companies, is John Hay Whitney. He was born in 1904, son of the late Payne Whitney, who died in 1927, leaving him a good portion of a \$100 million-plus estate. During the 1930's, Mr. Whitney (Yale '26) founded Pioneer Pictures which produced the first Technicolor threereeler. He was later board chairman of Selznick International Pictures during its golden Gone With the Wind days. "Jock" Whitney is also a philanthropist (John Hay Whitney Foundation), government official (Department of State) and sportsman (horse racing, polo) . . . Since the Whitney firm not only invests capital but also participates in management, C. Wrede Petersmeyer, one of the 11 partners, whose responsibilities include the tv field, was elected president of Osage Broadcasting. He also heads the six community antenna ty companies developed since 1951 by the Whitney group. Mr. Petersmeyer, born in Los Angeles in 1919, came to Whitney from McKinsey & Co., management consultants. and became a partner in 1951.

From East to West, station managerships as well as ownerships were changing. In Binghamton, George R. Dunham, formerly sales manager of WCBS-TV New York, took over as general manager of WNBF. Boston-born and Harvard-educated, his first radio job in 1937 was sales promotion manager under Harold Fellows, then general manager, at WEEI Boston. At CBS for 16 years, Mr. Dunham has been sales supervisor for o-and-o stations, radio sales account executive and most recently, spot tv sales manager . . . In Chicago, assistant general manager of WNBQ-WMAQ Chicago. Jules Herbuveaux, moved up to general manager. Mr. Herbuveaux started his broadcasting career as a music director. In 1927 he arranged and conducted the first music program for NBC in Chicago and in 1931 joined the network as its music director. Eight years later he became program manager of WMAQ, a job which lasted ten years. Then he was named tv manager for NBC's Central Division; in early 1953 he went back to WMAQ and WNBQ as assistant manager . . . Farther west, at WTVI Belleville (Ill.)-St. Louis, John D. Scheuer, Jr. took over as general manager. Mr. Scheuer had been executive assistant to WFIL-TV Philadelphia's general manager, a post he reached after 12 years at the station, first as night manager and subsequently in every phase of operation and management . . . In Wichita. the general sales manager of KEDD. John E. North. stepped up to take over the vice presidency and general managership. Before joining KEDD. he had been Chicago representative for wor-TV New York . . . In Texarkana, KCMC-TV's new manager, Walter M. Windsor is an ex-singer. writer, sportscaster, composer and program manager. During the second World War, Mr. Windsor was with the Armed Forces Radio in Hollywood and Iran. On the executive side, Mr. Windsor managed WKNB New Britain, WDVA Danville. Va., and WGBA Columbus, Ga. . . . In the far west, Austin E. Joscelyn, former director of CBS's Hollywood operation, was busily engaged in getting KHOF Stockton, Calif., on the air by August. A 20-year man in the business, Joscelyn started on the sales staff of Free & Sleininger (now Free & Peters) in 1934. After three years he went to CBS as a member of the radio sales staff in Chicago, subsequently became eastern manager of radio sales in New York, manager of WBT Charlotte. WCCO Minneapolis and KNX Hollywood.

growth. This station put itself into the black fast through the use of "good filmed programs."

Acknowledging that uhf has proved itself in many places, the timebuyer for a major agency observes. "You can't just say 'uhf.' It depends on 'uhf -where'." Timebuyers do have some logical complaints about uhf, however:

One complaint refers to uhf management. Some stations, it is charged. have had "too great an optimism" before going on the air, have failed to live up to announced intentions or have tried to prove accomplishment with "questionable research." Others have failed to note their stations are "under a blanket of outside vhf." Still others, in a "rush to get on the air," failed to achieve proper tower and power installations. "Where they have had to prove their claims in a vhf market, they haven't done a very good job," says one agency man.

#### The Power Picture

Several timebuyers have also said that stronger transmitters will help uhf compete with vhf - especially when competition is among maximum power stations. Several companies (Du Mont, General Electric, RCA) reportedly have new uhf transmitter designs on the drawing board. And through WJTV Jackson, Miss., RCA is field-testing a low-powered, auxiliary "booster," intended to extend uhf signals to "shadowed" areas.

Some managers have recognized the same problem. Says F. G. Raese of WKJF-TV Pittsburgh, "We have been hurt because high-power uhf broadcast equipment is still not available. We need more power." He adds that it is "very important" that receiver manufacturers also put out all-channel sets only. The latter point is echoed by another manager who explains one big concern is the "poor design of television receivers for uhf." And manufacturers' price wars have, in at least one market, seriously threatened conversion by widening a gap that already exists in that city between vhf and allchannel receiving equipment.

In that manner, the "hue and cry" of uhf reverberates throughout the industry. And the networks, too, have been drawn in. Answers the official of one. "One sixth of our affiliates are uhf. and we have some sort of buying arrangement with almost as many more." (A check indicates that Du Mont has 77 uhf affiliates; ABC-TV, 69: CBS Television, 59: NBC-TV, 43.)

#### Unscheduled Train?

The networks further feel they are in the business only of supplying advertisers with a medium for reaching the public. That means reaching the greatest number of people at the least cost-per-thousand, in the most effective manner. One official even goes so for as to say that the cause of many whf complaints is really the "fast buck hoys" who gave little consideration to the markets they bought into. They hunted the million-dollar "gravy train" without building a track for it to come

But the critical question lies much deeper. Unwillingly the newest stations on the sir, the uhfers have brought with them a poser, the answer to which is vital to the entire industry: How many local stations can national advertisers support?

It is evident from the partial list of successful stations given above that the uhf outlets in single-station markets are doing very well. And those in multistation, uhf markets are also prospering. Further, those in a dual market which is remote from outside vhf influence have also proved their worth.

The toughest uhf problems exist in major-market, high-penetration vhf areas. Significantly, some of the twelve uhfers which have gone off the air were located in major vhf areas. Kansas City, St. Louis, Louisville and Buffalo. (Uhfers who regret that one station's failure is held against all point out that two vhfers have also ceased operation recently.) The fact remains that few stations, considering the 377 on the air, have closed.

To summarize, uhf today counts programming as its greatest worry. Those who can't get to the lodestone of network shows have found that a home-made program can also magnet audiences, ultimately attract some national accounts. The question, it can be seen, is economic. But the very fact that uhf has penetrated so closely to the core of the competitive mountain is an indication of the new stations' growing strength and vigor.

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Long on ability and experience, short on politics and fast deals, seeks position with A-1 agency. Background includes 12 years in advertising, last five with same agency. Married, three children, age 36.

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Box 319, Television Age

#### SALESMAN -

Young, college graduate with two years experience space selling desires transfer to television field. Prefers non-technical sales, would like time-selling job with station or network. Single, veteran, now in midwest but willing to relocate and learn from ground up.

Box 320. Television Age

The other day we talked, but really mostly listened to Donald Bain, a tv and radio impersonator of birds, barnyard animals, pets, wild beasts, snakes and insects. Mr. Bain, who looks like a jolly but hairless owl, demonstrated, instantly and enthusiastically, that his repertoire includes everything from a worried mosquito to a mourning camel. He admitted, however, that when it comes to a talking-man part, where he's seen as well as heard, he's not happy, "Can't remember lines," he explains.

Mr. Bain has been sounding off for the animal kingdom since the first World War. Back home in his native Tennessee—a farm outside of Knoxville—he points out, "Nearly everybody could imitate a chicken or a dog some." Nothing was made of his native prowess until he joined the Army and ran into those city Yankees. He recalls, "They thought I was real exceptional."

And today Mr. Bain has an exceptional list of tv credits. He regularly does the one word "Kools" vocalization for the Willie the Penguin series. "They just like the quality of my 'koooonols,' I guess." He also does the barks for all the dogs on the Gaines Dog Food commercials. Among other free-lance assignments, he's been on the Herb Shriner Show (canary), Mr. Peepers (cow), Three Steps to Heaven (parrot) and on the Armstrong Circle Theatre he played, on-mike off-camera. the star role in the drama, Tam O'Shanter, that of a hen who finally laid four eggs.

Some opinions by Mr. Bain: Among dogs, Afghans have the most vicious barks; most friendly are wire haired terriers, if properly brought up. Cats are the sexiest animals. Chickadees answer calls in a few seconds, the thrush and red-eyed vireo take the longest to respond. He feels most at home with out-in-the-barnyard sounds, especially chickens (cuddling up, eating, singing, bug-warning) and roosters (cackling, hawk-warning, "just entering society").

Mr. Bain's piece de resistance in a bull elephant in pursuit of his lady love. He doesn't expect, however, to be called to do this on tv.

Incendiary intelligence: Tv viewers who watch on-the-spot scenes of fires, ruled ludge lames R. Kirkland of Washington, D. C., are considered eyewitnesses and therefore ineligible to serve on juries in cases involving the fire.



If Howard Hughes wants to release the RKO backlog of films to tv, he can do it with a clear conscience, thanks in part to a Las Vegas District Judge named Frank McNamee. A short time before Mr. Hughes bought up all of the movie company's stock, His Honor dismissed a minority stockholder's suit against the RKO boss which argued that he had wasted \$100,000 of the company's assets in re-signing Jane Russell in 1948. Judge McNamee, proving that justice is not blind, ruled: "Jane Russell is not a waste of corporate assets."

Another blow for justice was struck in a recent Los Angeles divorce suit. The wife testifying against the husband charged: He would come home, sit down and look at tv. He would eat dinner looking at tv. Then he would look at tv until he went to sleep. If guests came over he would still look at tv. If anyone objected, he turned the set up louder.

The wife was awarded the divorce and the husband custody of the tv set.

According to his press agent. Joe Kirkwood, star of *The Joe Palooka Story*, turned thumbs down on the idea of having a double for the filming of his boxing scenes. "The fights never look real with a double," Joe informed his producers. And added a sequitur worthy of Joe Socrates: "Besides, even if I should get knocked out, a pay check will revive me."

Our nomination for the consolation prize of the year goes to the station rep who confided after drinks at the Biltmore men's bar, "My problem is my wife understands me."

Tv in our everyday life: In St. Paul a man and wife were robbed in their home as they were watching their favorite tv program, *Dragnet*.

Dan D. Halpin, general sales manager of Du Mont's tv receiver division, is of the opinion that by 1960 most homes will contain three or four to sets. One for Mr. and Mrs. Homeowner, one for the kids, one for the in-laws in residence—to avoid situations where tastes confict-and in homes where there are such, one for the servants. This multiple-set eventuality, Mr. Halpin assures, won't be as financially impossible as it might appear. "When provided with a tv receiver," he says, "in-laws, domestic help and, if luck is with you. the children will settle for a 17-inch receiver or open-face console models, whether new or your own used model." Whew! For a while there some of us homeowners thought we weren't going to be able to swing it!



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