

Broadcasting Wants Funds **Work To Begin On Radio Studio**

The Greece Central FM Radio station will operate on a "pay-as-we-go" basis. Hunter Low, chairman of the FM advisory council, told the Board of Education last week.

A sum of \$3,385 has been accumulated, he said, but added that this includes a grant of \$1,900 in federal funds.

Within a few weeks the construction of the basic broadcasting studio will be started, Low said, and then **the next step will be to buy the equipment necessary to go on the air.** The cost of this equipment is about \$4,400.

"We will go on the air when enough money is available and when the program has been professionally prepared," Low said. "The programming will be on a professional level and will be geared to the public it will serve. There will be news and sports as well as music and personal interviews."

He said contacts will be made with the principals at each school to aid in plan-

ning programs. Spot interviews will feature students and faculty members from various schools, so that all may have a part in the programming.

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Station WGRC will broadcast five days a week from 10 a.m. to 8 p.m. More than 300 students representing the four high schools in the district have signed to work at the station in the Fall. Already 127 students have worked toward the station, and 37 adults, including some engineers, have pledged their assistance.

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Superintendent David B. Robinson was asked by board members what educational opportunities were being offered in connection with the radio station. He said that under the selective-elective program some courses will be offered on radio programming and related topics. Some will be mini-courses and others semester length.

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