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Llyod Millegan, general manager of the State Publishing Company, said yesterday that he discharged the managing editor of The Hackettstown, N. J., Star-Gazette on Friday, one day after he learned that the editor had also been on the payroll of Representative Joseph Maraziti, a Republican.

"Sound, ethical codes in journalism governing members of news and editorial operations," Mr. Millegan said, "forbid participation in any form of organized political activity." The managing editor, Donald C. Thatcher, disclosed to Mr. Millegan on Thursday that he had received \$2,486 from Jan. 3 to June 30, 1973, for writing news releases on the Congressman's appearances in Warren County.

Mr. Thatcher characterized his own actions as "foolish and stupid." According to a story in The Star-Gazette, the part owner and general manager of Warren County's two radio stations, Nicholas DeRienzo, was also on Representative Maraziti's Congressional staff. House of Representative payroll records showed that Mr. DeRienzo, of WCRV and WFMV-FM, received \$201 in 1973 as a radio-television consultant.

A spokesman for the stations said last night that Mr. DeRienzo was not available for comment.