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 Oakland's <sup>18</sup>JAN <sup>1967</sup>  
 Radio KNEW  
 Sabotaged

KNEW, which describes itself as Radio Free Oakland, found itself the victim yesterday of a hammer-wielding attacker who literally knocked its commercials and announcers off the air.

Some one, it was learned, climbed the station's tower at Point Isabel, Richmond, during the night and beat an insulator cable connection to pieces.

At 9:15 p.m. a talk show was suddenly replaced by uninterrupted music. But the broken insulator was not discovered until 9:30 a.m. yesterday, and it was 10:05 a.m. before regular programming was resumed.

"We've lost tens of thousands dollars of commercial time," said a spokesman for the station, which charges up to \$60 for a one-minute spot announcement.

"We're deeply concerned. We're filing a report with the police, and we're offering a \$1000 reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the perpetrator of this Federal crime."

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**REWARD**  
**\$2,000**

for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person/persons who destroyed this station's studio/transmitter cable during the Joe Dolan program, disrupting normal broadcasts for eleven hours.

Call: 836-0910

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Joe Dolan announced Jan. 20 that program to be moved to 6 to 10 a.m. spot, beginning Jan. 30, 1967.