

Ronald J. Coleman, Dr. Richard K. Danis, John C. Butler, Mrs. John C. Butler, John W. Dean III, Mrs. John W. Dean III and Mrs. Thomas C. Hennings Jr. (all 10%). Mr. Fellows has various broadcast interests including assistant to president of Continental Television Enterprises Inc. Mr. Davis is doctor of dental surgery. Mr. Butler is leather broker. Mr. Coleman has advertising agency. Mr. Davis is medical doctor; Mr. Butler is licensee of KIXI, Dallas. Mrs. John C. Butler is housewife. Mrs. Dean is lawyer. Mrs. John W. Dean is housewife. Mr. Thomas has farming interests. Action June 6.

Omaha—Ak-Sar-Ben Broadcasting Inc. Granted CP for new UHF on channel 42 (538-644 mc); ERP 692 kw vis., 69.2 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 454 ft., above ground 557 ft. P. O. address: c/o John Hanley, 1004 City National Bank Bldg., Omaha. Estimated construction cost \$550,027; first-year operating cost \$300,000, revenue \$350,000. Studio and trans. both to be located in Omaha. Geographic coordinates 41° 15' 46" north lat., 96° 02' 12" west long. Type ant. RCA TFU-30J; type trans. RCA TTU-30A(LA). Legal counsel Phillip M. Baker; consulting engineer Willis C. Beecher, both Washington. Principals: John J. Hanley and Frank E. Blazek (each 50%). Mr. Hanley is lawyer and stockholder in bank. Mr. Blazek is 90% owner of Blazek Investment Co., and is also in motel and restaurant, amusement park and banking businesses. Principals have no broadcast interests. Action June 3.

Buffalo, N. Y.—Beta Television Corp. Granted CP for new UHF on channel 49 (842-848 mc), ERP 219 kw vis., 33.1 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 336 ft., above ground 360 ft. P. O. address: c/o Albert G. Hartigan, Barnfield Road, Rowayton, Conn. Estimated construction \$340,800; first-year operating cost \$250,000; revenue \$330,000. Geographic coordinates 42° 53' 05" north lat., 78° 53' 22" west long. Studio and trans. location both Buffalo. Type trans. RCA TTU-10A, type ant. RCA TFU-27DJ. Legal counsel Welsh & Morgan, consulting engineers A. D. Ring & Associates, both Washington. Principals: Sunstand Inc. (20-68%), Albert G. Hartigan, Frank N. Merklein, Elise E. Allen (each 10.34%), Warren E. Eaton, H. William Smith Jr., Thomas M. Flanagan, James S. Troy, I. Richard Mitchell, Robert L. O'Neill-Butler and Anthony Wiedman (each 6.9%). All have equal number of shares in Kappa TV Corp. licensee of channel 61 Hartford, Conn.; Delta TV Corp., licensee of ch. 33 Norfolk, Va.; Omicron TV Corp., applicant for channel 35 Orlando, Fla.; Gamma TV Corp., applicant for channel 24 Memphis, and Alpha TV Corp., applicant for channel 66 Atlanta. Action June 2.

Dallas—Trigg-Vaughn Stations Inc. Granted CP for new UHF on channel 39 (620-626 mc); ERP 251 kw vis., 50 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 1,681 ft., above ground 1,535 ft. P. O. address: c/o John Vacca, 220 Vaughn Bldg., Dallas 75201. Estimated construction cost \$953,000; first-year operating cost \$577,795; revenue \$311,252. Studio and trans. both located in Dallas. Geographic coordinates 32° 35' 07" north lat., 96° 58' 06" west long. Type trans. GE TT-57A; type ant. GE TT-97A. Legal counsel Haley, Bader & Potts, Washington; consulting engineer William R. Schock, Odessa, Tex. Principals: Jack C. Vaughn (30.62%), Grady H. Vaughn Jr. (30.61%), Cecil L. Trigg (20.27%), and others. Messrs Vaughn each own 47.88% KDEF-AM-FM Albuquerque, N. M. Cecil L. Trigg owns 80% of KOSA Odessa, Tex., and 4.25% of KDEF-AM-FM. Trigg-Vaughn owns KOSA-TV Odessa, KROD-AM-TV El Paso, KITE Terrell Hills, all Texas; KRNO San Bernardino, Calif., and KHOW Denver. Action June 2.

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Palm Springs, Calif.—Pacific Media Corp. UHF channel 27 (548-554 mc); ERP 94.6 kw vis., 14.2 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 856 ft., above ground 98 ft. P.O. address: c/o Robert E. Leonard, 2352 Calle Palo Fierro, Palm Springs 92262. Estimated construction cost \$415,600; first-year operating cost \$160,300; revenue \$275,000. Studio to be located in Palm Springs; trans. to be located 18 miles east of Palm Springs. Geographic coordinates 33° 48' 06" north lat., 116° 13' 27" west long. Type ant. RCA TFU-30J-DA; type trans. RCA TTU-2A. Consulting engineer E. E. Benham & Associates, Palm Springs. Principals: Robert E. Leonard (40%), Paul E. Morgan, Edgar L. McCoubrey (each 25%), Norman H. Bolstad and Patrick

B. Raymond (each 5%). Mr. Leonard is president and 32% stockholder of Southern California Outdoor Advertising Inc. Mr. Raymond was until May 1, general manager of KCMJ Palm Springs. Mr. Morgan is less than 25% stockholder in Southern California Outdoor Advertising, 44% owner of Bailey Productions Co., syndicated radio-TV programming, and is also in real estate development. Mr. Morgan owns 10 1/2% of KBLU-TV Yuma, Ariz. Mr. McCoubrey is 50% owner of automobile dealership. Mr. Bolstad is in retail grocery business. Ann. June 7.

Des Moines, Iowa—Stoner Television Co. UHF channel 17 (488-494 mc); ERP 500 kw vis., 100 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 523 ft., above ground 487 ft. P. O. address: c/o Thomas H. Stoner, 1900 Delaware Ave., Des Moines 50317. Estimated construction cost \$521,500; first-year operating cost \$232,625; revenue \$171,912. Studio and trans. both to be located in Des Moines. Geographic coordinates 41° 39' 12" north lat., 93° 34' 47" west long. Type ant. General Electric TY-25-B; type trans. General Electric TT-57-A. Legal counsel Eugene F. Mullen Jr., consulting engineer Commercial Radio Equipment Co., both Washington. Stoner Television is 100% owned by Stoner System Inc., outdoor advertising which in turn is owned by The Stoner-McCray System. Stoner Television has no broadcast interests. Ann. June 8.

Ashland, Ky.—Kentucky State Board of Education UHF channel 25 (538-542); ERP 9.6 kw vis., 1.92 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 505 ft., above ground 400 ft. P. O. address: c/o O. Leonard Press, Kentucky Authority for ETV, 1220 South Broadway, Lexington, Ky. 40405. Estimated construction cost \$274,450; first-year operating cost \$1,610,642. Funds to be supplied by state. Studio to be located in Lexington; trans. to be located in Ashland. Geographic coordinates 38° 27' 45" north lat., 82° 37' 13" west long. Type ant. RCA TFU-6C; type trans. RCA TTU-2A. Legal counsel Miller & Schroeder, Washington, consulting engineer Ronald Stewart, Lexington, Ky. To be administered by state board of education. Ann. June 3.

Paducah, Ky.—E. Weakes McKinney-Smith and George T. Bailey db/as Channel 29 UHF channel 29 (560-566 mc); ERP 223 kw vis., 32.4 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 614 ft., above ground 650 ft. P. O. address: c/o E. Weakes McKinney-Smith, Hotel Irvin Cobb, Paducah 42001. Estimated construction cost \$275,940; first-year operating cost \$109,200; revenue \$146,000. Studio and trans. both to be located in Paducah. Geographic coordinates 37° 05' 04" north lat., 88° 40' 42" west long. Type trans. RCA TTU-12A; type ant. RCA TFU-24DL. Legal counsel Miller & Schroeder, Washington, consulting engineer Ralph J. Bitzer, St. Louis. Messrs. McKinney-Smith and Bailey are both 50% owners. Mr. McKinney-Smith is 100% owner of WDXR Paducah, and 12 1/2% owner of WDYX Buford, Ga. Mr. Bailey is in real estate and 12 1/2% owner of WDYX Buford, Ga. Ann. June 3.

Pikesville, Ky.—Kentucky State Board of Education UHF channel 22 (518-524 mc); ERP 267 kw vis., 53 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 1,415 ft., above ground 153 ft. P. O. address: c/o O. Leonard Press, Kentucky Authority for ETV, 1220 South Broadway, Lexington, Ky. 40405. Estimated construction cost \$299,618.95. Funds to be supplied by state. Studio to be located in Lexington, trans. to be located in Pikesville. Geographic coordinates 37° 17' 06" north lat., 82° 31' 29" west long. Type ant. RCA Pylon TFU-30JDA; type trans. RCA TTU-10A. Legal counsel Miller & Schroeder, Washington, consulting engineer Ronald Stewart, Lexington, Ky. To be administered by state board of education. Ann. June 3.

Tulsa, Okla.—Beacon Television Corp. UHF channel 41 (632-638 mc); ERP 42.6 kw vis., 4.3 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 451 ft., above ground 440 ft. P. O. address: c/o Robert M. Robbins, 100 Bayshore Dr., Room 1111, Miami 33132. Estimated construction cost \$225,450; first-year operating cost \$300,000; revenue \$300,000. Studio location to be determined; trans. to be located in Tulsa. Geographic coordinates 36° 09' 11" north lat., 95° 59' 23" west long. Type ant. RCA TFU-24DM; type trans. RCA TTU-2A. Legal counsel Welch & Morgan, Washington; consulting engineer Serge Bergen, Fairfax, Va. Principals: Robert M. Robbins, Harold Thurman and David Landau (each 33 1/3%). Messrs. Robbins, Thurman and

Landau are each 33 1/3% stockholders in Acorn Television Corp., applicant for assignment of license of WHJR-TV Clearwater, Fla. Mr. Robbins is in acreage investment in Florida. Mr. Thurman is financial consultant. Mr. Landau is 100% stockholder in psychiatric treatment center. Ann. June 8.

Memphis—Victor Muscat, Cliff B. Ford and Edward W. Cook db/as Memphis Broadcasting Associates UHF channel 24 (530-536 mc); ERP 639.7 kw vis., 127.9 kw aur. Ant. height above average terrain 980 ft., above ground 1,005 ft. P. O. address: c/o Cliff B. Ford, 4015 W. Capitol, Little Rock, Ark. Estimated construction cost \$846,760; first-year operating cost \$400,000; revenue \$300,000. Studio and trans. both to be located in Memphis. Geographic coordinates 35° 12' 31" north lat., 89° 49' 31" west long. Type trans. RCA TTU-50B; type ant. RCA TFU-30J. Legal counsel Fly, Shuebruk, Blume and Gaguine, consulting engineer Sillman, Moffet and Kowalski, both Washington. Principals: Victor Muscat (50%), Cliff B. Ford (10%) and Edward W. Cook (40%). Mr. Cook is in cotton, grain and insurance business. Mr. Muscat is beneficial owner of KMYO-AM-FM Little Rock, Ark., KIKS-AM-FM Sulphur, La., and of construction permits in Little Rock and Lake Charles, La. Mr. Ford is affiliated with KMYO-AM-FM Little Rock. Ann. June 3.

Existing TV stations

NEW CALL LETTERS ASSIGNED

Florence, Ala.—Alabama Educational TV Commission. Assigned WF1Q(TV). WTVE(TV) Paterson, N. J.—Trans-Tel Corp. Assigned WXTV(TV).

New AM stations

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Alexander City, Ala.—Martin Lake Broadcasting Co. 1590 kc, 1 kw D. P. O. address: c/o Bell & Lang, 223 N. Norton Ave., Sylacauga, Ala. 35150. Estimated construction cost \$13,545; first-year operating cost \$24,720; revenue \$48,000. Principals: Harold G. Hodnett, James B. Pitts Jr. (each 37.5%) and James C. Vice (25%). Mr. Hodnett is in boat sales. Mr. Pitts is in construction business. Mr. Vice is sales manager of WAVU-AM-FM Albertville, Ala. Principals have no broadcast interests. Ann. June 7.

Wabash, Ind.—Leonard J. Ellis and Bernice A. Ellis db/as Wabash Radio Co. 1140 kc, 250 w, DA-D D. P. O. address: c/o Radio Station WYK, P. O. Box 149, Valparaiso, Ind. 46383. Estimated construction cost \$57,398; first-year operating cost \$65,000; revenue \$85,000. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis are 50% stockholders each. Both are each 50% owners of WYK Valparaiso, Ind., and are also applicants for new FM in Valparaiso. Ann. June 3.

Asheboro, N. C.—J. M. Farlow and Dean F. Bell db/as Randolph County Radio 710 kc, 1 kw, DA-D D. P. O. address: c/o J. M. Farlow, Route 2, Asheboro 27203. Estimated construction cost \$30,000; first-year operating cost \$48,000; revenue \$55,000. Mr. Farlow owns 90% and Mr. Bell 10%. Mr. Farlow is in bakery business and Mr. Bell is lawyer. They have no broadcast interests. Ann. June 3.

Chapel Hill, N. C.—Michael Turner and Howard A. Weiss db/as 1530 Radio 1530 kc, 5 kw, DA-D D. P. O. address: c/o Emery Denny Jr., Esq., 103 E. Frankling St., Chapel Hill 27514. Estimated construction cost \$85,574; first-year operating cost \$60,000; revenue \$70,000. Messrs. Turner and Weiss are each 50% owners. Mr. Turner is employe of WNUS Chicago. Mr. Weiss is lawyer and 16 1/3% owner of WAIT Chicago and stockholder in AM applicant in Orlando, Fla. Ann. June 3.

Maysville, N. C.—Hendon M. Harris 1530 kc, 500 w D. P. O. address: P. O. Box 266, Trenton, N. C. 28585. Estimated construction cost \$14,850; first-year operating cost \$27,500; revenue \$41,000. Mr. Harris is founder and director of Hundred Nation Crusade, Hong Kong, missionary organization. Ann. June 3.

Mebane, N. C.—Mebane-Hillsboro Broadcasting Co. 1530 kc, 1 kw D. P. O. address: I-85 at Mebane Oaks Road, Mebane 27302. Estimated construction cost \$22,088; first-year operating cost \$40,000; revenue \$42,000. Principals: Burke County Broadcasting Co. (80%) and others none over 2.5%. Burke