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■ **KIOE(AM) Honolulu:** Sold by Da Kine Hawaii Radio Corp. to Jennings, McGlathlin & Co. for \$650,000. Seller is owned by Everett James and his wife, Hilary; Ronald Macko and his wife, Mary, and Preston James, Everett's father. Buyer, principally owned by Jason Jennings, is Los Angeles broadcast management and marketing consultancy. Though it has no other broadcast interests, spokesman said firm has set up separate division for acquisition of additional broadcast properties. KIOE is on 1080 khz with 5 kw full time.

■ **WYER-AM-FM Mount Carmel, Ill.:** Sold by John F. Hurlbut and his wife, Emmy, to their son, David Hurlbut (73%) and Gregory W. Goodson (27%) for \$640,000. Sellers have no other broadcast interests. David Hurlbut is general manager and Goodson is salesman at stations. WYER is 500 w daytimer on 1360 khz. WYER-FM is on 94.9 mhz with 37 kw and antenna 410 feet above average terrain.

■ **WOWD(FM) Tallahassee, Fla.:** Sold by Amrad Corp. to Maurice Negrin and George Jacobsen (50% each) for \$500,000. Seller is principally owned by Claud Anderson and his wife, Joann (52%). He also owns half interest in WNPS(AM) New Orleans. Negrin is account executive at WAOK(AM) Atlanta. Jacobsen is 72% owner of Portland, Ore., industrial tool manufacturer. WOWD is on 103.1 mhz with 3 kw and antenna 300 feet above average terrain.

■ **WDOL(AM) Athens, Ga.:** Sold by WDOL Broadcasting Inc. to B&W of Georgia Broadcasting Co. for \$265,500. Seller is owned by Tolliver R. Rivers, who also owns 62% of WTJH(AM) East Point and minority interest in WJIZ(AM) Albany, both Georgia. Buyer is owned by William O. Woodall and Frank Bird Jr. (50% each). Woodall owns 100% of WGAF(AM) Valdosta and 25% of WGRA(AM) Cairo, both Georgia, and one-third of WPTM(FM) Roanoke Rapids, N.C. Bird is Valdosta insurance agent. WDOL is on 1 kw daytimer on 1470 khz.

■ Other proposed station sales include: WMPP(AM) Chicago Heights, Ill., and WSVL-FM Shelbyville, Ind. (see "For the Record," page 73).

## Changing Hands

PROPOSED

■ **KLVI(AM) Beaumont, Tex.:** Sold by Radio Beaumont to KLVI Radio Inc. for \$2 million. Seller is principally owned by John H. Hicks and his wife, Madelyn, who also own WTAW-AM-FM College Station, and 12.77% each of KLAR(AM) Laredo, both Texas. Buyer is owned by Hicks' sons, Steven (60%) and Thomas (40%), who already own small interests in KLVI and WTAW-AM-FM and have purchased KYKR-FM Port Arthur, Tex., subject to FCC approval (BROADCASTING, July 23). KLVI is on 560 khz with 5 kw full time.

■ **KSLY(AM)-KUNA(FM) San Luis Obispo, Calif.:** Sold by KSLY Inc. to San Luis Obispo Broadcasting Inc. for \$1,575,000. Seller is subsidiary of Sunbelt Communications Ltd., owned by C.T. Robinson, William C. Moyes, Michael Hesser and Robert Magruder. Sunbelt also owns KQEO(AM)-KZZX(FM) Albuquerque, N.M.; KVOR(AM)-KSPZ(FM) Colorado Springs, and The Research Group, San Luis

Obispo market research firm, and has purchased, subject to FCC approval, KFYE(FM) Fresno, Calif. (BROADCASTING, March 12). Buyer is owned by Dudley A. White and family, who own newspapers in Ohio, Tennessee and Michigan. They have purchased four other stations since May 1978: KBPI(FM) Denver; KDKB-AM-FM Mesa-Phoenix, Ariz., and KZAM(AM) Bellevue, Wash. KSLY is on 1400 khz with 1 kw day and 250 w night. KUNA is on 96.1 mhz with 5.6 kw and antenna 1,410 feet above average terrain. Broker: Chapman Associates.

■ **WGNN-TV Winston-Salem, N.C.:** Sold by Good News TV Network Inc. to Good News TV Inc. for \$698,000. Seller is non-profit religious organization with no other broadcast interests; Wesley Bailey is chairman. Buyer is wholly owned by Piece Goods Shop Inc., Winston-Salem fabric retail chain, owned by John L. Simms and family. It has no other broadcast interests. WGNN-TV is CP (not on air) for ch. 45 with 55 kw visual, 11 kw aural and antenna 520



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■ **KTNQ(AM) Los Angeles:** Sold by Storer Broadcasting Co. to K-Love Broadcasting Inc. for \$8 million. Seller is selling off all its radio properties to finance expansion of its cable division. It has also sold KHTE(FM) Los Angeles (see below) and, subject to FCC approval, WSPD(AM) Toledo, Ohio, WHN(AM) New York and WGBS(AM)-WLYF(FM) Miami. It retains WLAK(FM) Chicago until three-year ownership requirement is fulfilled (BROADCASTING, March 5). Publicly traded Storer also owns seven TV's and cable systems throughout country. Bill Michaels is chairman; Peter Storer is president. Buyer is owned by Jose Liberman and family, owners of KLVE(AM)