

Changing Hands

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KATC(TV) Lafayette, La. □ Sold by Abellor Corp. to TV Station Partners for approximately \$28 million. **Seller** is owned by Loyola University, New Orleans. It also owns WWL-AM-TV and WJAY-FM New Orleans. **Buyer** is New York-based group of four TV's principally owned by Martin Pompadur and Ralph E. Becker. KATC is ABC affiliate on channel 3 with 100 kw visual, 20 kw aural and antenna 1,740 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Sandler Capital Management.**

WTRY(AM) Troy and WPYX-FM Albany, N.Y. □ Sold by Scott Communications Ltd. to CapCom for \$15 million. **Seller** is Pottstown, Pa.-based group of seven AM's and five FM's owned by Faye Scott, widow of late founder, Herb Scott. **Buyer** is subsidiary of Griffin Co., principally owned by entertainer, Merv Griffin. It also owns WPOP(AM)-WIOF(FM) Hartford, Conn. WTRY is on 980 khz full time with 5 kw. WPYX-FM is on 106.5 mhz with 11 kw and antenna 902 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Blackburn & Co.**

KSNF(TV) Joplin, Mo. □ Sold by Kansas State Network Inc. to Price Communications for \$11.8 million. **Seller** is Salt Lake City-based group of five AM's, five FM's and seven TV's owned by George Hatch and his wife, Wilda. **Buyer** is publicly owned, New York-based group of nine AM's, nine FM's and three TV's, principally owned by Robert Price, president. KSNF is NBC affiliate on channel 16 with 2,600 kw visual, 260 kw aural and antenna 1,028 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Sandler Capital Management.**

KFH(AM)-KLZS(FM) Wichita, Kan. □ Sold by Radio Station KFH Co. to Group 3 Broadcasting for \$5 million. **Seller** is principally owned by J. Phillip Kassebaum, former husband of Senator Nancy Kassebaum (R-Kan.). It has no other broadcast interests. **Buyer** is owned by Gordon Smith, who recently sold WWKX(FM) Gallatin, Tenn., for \$6.6 million ("Changing Hands," July 28). KFH is on 1330 khz full time with 5 kw. KLZS is on 97.9 mhz with 85 kw and antenna 370 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Jack Maloney.**

KJNE-FM Hillsboro, Tex. □ Sold by KJNE Inc. to KWON Broadcasting for \$3.2 million. **Seller** is owned by Earle Fletcher and his son, John. It also owns KOPY(AM)-KDSI(FM) Alice, Tex. **Buyer** is Wichita Falls, Tex.-based group of three AM's and two FM's owned by R.J. Moran. KJNE-FM is on 102.5 mhz with 100 kw and antenna 450 feet above average terrain.

WDVA(AM) Danville and WJLC-FM South Boston, both Virginia □ Sold by Faver Broadcasting Income Fund Ltd. to Power Broadcasting Inc. for \$2.3 million. **Seller** is subsidiary of Faver Broadcasting, Atlanta-based group of four AM's and five FM's owned by William O. Woodall, Stanley Sackin and Mark Dunaway. **Buyer** is owned by A. Thomas Joyner. It also owns WLRL-FM Champaign, and WLDS(AM)-WYMG(FM) Jacksonville, all Illinois. It recently purchased

KGTN-AM-FM Georgetown, Tex. ("Changing Hands," June 16). WDVA is on 1250 khz full time with 5 kw. WJLC-FM is on 97.5 mhz with 27 kw and antenna 300 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Chapman Associates.**

KUHL(AM)-KXFM(FM) Santa Maria, Calif. □ Sold by KUHL Inc. and KXFM Inc. for \$2.25 million. **Seller** is owned by Jim Ranger and his wife, Betty. It has no other broadcast interests. **Buyer** is owned by Andrew Whatley and Michael Reichert, former owners and now general manager and sales manager, respectively, of KTXF(FM) Brownsville, Tex. KUHL is on 1440 khz with 5 kw day and 1 kw night. KXFM is on 99.1 mhz with 50 kw and antenna 1,900 feet above average terrain. **Broker: William A. Exline Inc.**

KWOW(AM) Pomona, Calif. □ Sold by Wickstrom Inc. to Money Radio for \$1,750,000. **Seller** is owned by Dean H. Wickstrom and family. It has no other broadcast interests. **Buyer** is principally owned by Buzz Schwartz, host of *Investors Club of the Air*, on KIEV(AM) Glendale, Calif. KWOW is on 1600 khz with 5 kw day and 500 w night.

WTAW(AM)-KTAW(FM) College Station (Bryan), Tex. □ Sold by Radio Brazos Inc. to Hicks Broadcasting Corp. for \$1.5 million. **Seller** is principally owned by Rodger B. Watkins, who also owns KLNK(AM) Lufkin, Tex. **Buyer** is owned by William R. Hicks,

and his brother, R. Steven. It also owns KNOW(AM) Austin, KEYI(FM) San Marcos, KLVJ(AM) Beaumont, and KYKR(FM) Port Arthur, all Texas; KAYI(FM) Muskogee, Okla., and WYNK-AM-FM Baton Rouge. WTAW is on 1150 khz with 1 kw day and 500 w night. KTAW is on 92.1 mhz with 3 kw and antenna 275 feet above average terrain.

WFNY(FM) Racine, Wis. □ Sold by Lakeshore Broadcasting Corp. to S.E. Wisconsin Radio Inc. for \$940,000, including \$240,000 non-compete agreement. **Seller** is owned by Jerome P. Feeney and his wife, Mary Kaye. It has no other broadcast interests. **Buyer** is owned by Dex Card, who recently purchased WRJN(AM) Racine, Wis. WFNY is on 92.1 mhz with 3 kw and antenna 275 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Blackburn & Co.**

KVML(AM)-KZSQ(FM) Sonora, Calif. □ Sold by Crown Sierra Broadcasting Co. to H Group Inc. for \$900,000. **Seller** is owned by Melvin Winters. It has no other broadcast interests. **Buyer** is owned by H. Randolph Holder, and his son, Randolph. It also owns WGAU(AM)-WNGC(FM) Athens, Ga. KVML is on 1450 khz full time with 1 kw. KZSQ is on 92.7 mhz with 3 kw and antenna 650 feet above average terrain. **Broker: Chapman Associates.**

WREB(AM) Holyoke, Mass. □ Sold by Algonquin Broadcasting Corp. to DuMont Holding Co. for \$640,000. **Seller** is owned by Joseph T. Alfano, who has no other broadcast interests. **Buyer** is principally owned by Allen B. DuMont, president of DuMont

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