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etteville be assigned UHF channel. Received Feb. 24.

Birmingham, Ala.—Symphony Network Association. Requests allocation of UHF channel 52 to Birmingham. Received Feb. 25.

Orlando, Fla.—Gordon Sherman. Requests addition of commercial assignment on channel 48 or such other channel as commission may deem appropriate to Orlando. Received Feb. 28.

Tulsa, Okla.—Kenneth A. Green. Requests amendment of rules to delete channel 253 from Tulsa and assign it to Bristow. Received March 3.

KWHG-FM Lincoln, Neb.—Capitol Broadcasting Inc. Requests amendment of rules (1) to allow Capitol Broadcasting Inc. to build and operate FM radio station in Aurora, Neb.; (2) transfer Lincoln channel 292A (106.3 mc) to Aurora; (3) waiver of FCC rule 73.219, to allow duplicate studio in Lincoln, in conjunction with KWHG-FM studios, for proposed Aurora station; (4) waiver of FCC rule 73.210 on programs, to allow music and/or commercials to be transmitted from KWHG-FM Lincoln for

proposed Aurora station; (5) approval of FCC form 318 to allow subcarrier installation for use of transmission of sound to proposed Aurora facility; and (6) use of call letters KROA-FM to be used in conjunction with Aurora facility. Received Feb. 23.

WCRM Clare, Mich.—Requests amendment of rules to assign channel 237A (95.3 mc) to Clare. Received March 3.

KIFI-TV Idaho Falls, Idaho—Requests substitution of channel 256 for 223 in Idaho Falls. Received Feb. 25.

Washington—Lauren A. Colby. Requests amendment of rules to make it plain that broadcast station's local reference file can always be maintained at station's main studio, whether or not studio is actually situated in place which station is actually licensed to serve; such clarification can be easily accomplished, merely by deleting word "other" from rule. Received March 9.

Tioga, N. D.—Tioga Broadcasting Corp. Seeks assignment of channel 280A to Tioga. Received March 3.

WFGQ Boone, Iowa—Requests amendment of FM table of assignments to delete channels 252A and 257A from Boone and

add channels 255 and 296A. Received March 4.

Sledge, Miss.—Carter C. Parnell Jr. Requests amendment of channel assignments to change 237A from Clarksdale, Miss., to Oxford, Miss., and assign 267A to Clarksdale. Received March 7.

WKPO Prentiss, Miss.—Seeks assignment of channel 252A to Prentiss. Received March 7.

## New call letters requested

KXGO Fargo, N.D.—KXGO Broadcasting Co. Requests KFGO.

Chickasha, Okla.—Grady Radio Inc. Requests KNDR (FM).

Scottsboro, Ala.—Ralph M. Sheppard. Requests WPJC-FM.

Idaho Falls, Idaho—Golden Valley FM Inc. Requests KGVM-FM.

Sante Fe, N.M.—Guy Christian. Requests KAFE.

WLBK-FM Carrollton, Ga.—Faulker Radio Inc. Requests WBTR-FM.

Houston—United Artists Broadcasting Inc. Requests KUAB (TV).

\*Oshkosh, Wis.—Wisconsin State University. Requests WRST (FM).

## COMMUNITY ANTENNA ACTIVITIES

The following are activities in community antenna television reported to BROADCASTING through March 16. Reports include applications for permission to install and operate CATV's and for expansion of existing CATV's into new areas as well as grants of CATV franchises and sales of existing installations.

■ Indicates a franchise has been granted.

Tucson, Ariz.—Pima Cable TV (owned by KGUN-TV, that city) has applied for a franchise. If approved the company will offer four local stations, and four independent channels from Los Angeles, a time-weather service, a public service channel, and FM radio. Southern Arizona TV Stations Inc. (Paul Plunkett, president) and Tucson Drive-In Theaters Inc. are previous franchise applicants.

Jacksonville, Fla.—Complete Channel TV Inc. (John Paul Howard) has applied for an exclusive franchise. Organizations previously applying are Community Television Inc., Florida Publishing Co., General Cablevision Inc., and Sam Newey and Associates Inc.

Oakland Park, Fla.—C. Shelby Dale has applied for a franchise.

Cobb, Ga.—Electrovision Inc., a subsidiary of Engineering Associates Inc., Atlanta, has applied for a nonexclusive franchise. The company would provide all Atlanta channels, the educational TV channel in Athens, Ga., and a time-weather service. The service charge will be approximately \$5 per month.

Smyrna, Ga.—Cox Cablevision Corp. (Cox Broadcasting Corp.) has applied for a franchise. The company's proposal offers nine channels to subscribers, including the three Atlanta stations. The monthly charge would be approximately \$5 with an installation fee of \$15.

Centerville, Iowa—Iowa TV Cable Service Inc. (Jim O'Leary and Richard H. Wright, company representatives) has applied for a franchise. The company's service charge will not exceed \$5.25 per month and the installation fee will not be in excess of \$10.50. The firm holds a franchise for Bloomfield, Iowa.

Sioux City, Iowa—Sioux City Cablevision Inc., that city (Dietrick Dirks, president) and John C. and Eugene F. Lennon, and Dr. A. H. and Fred T. Kelly (owners of KTRI Radio, that city) have applied for a franchise.

Russell, Kans.—In separate actions the Russell city council awarded franchises to the Telesis Corp. (Mel and Tom Gleason and Fred Thompson, company representatives) and also to KAYS Inc. (KAYS-AM-TV Hays, that state). United Transmission Inc. has already received a franchise.

Leominster, Mass.—Worcester County Cablevision Inc. and New England Video Co., subsidiary of American Cablevision Co., have applied for franchises. Herbert S. Hoffman, representing New England Video, disclosed that his firm will offer the city 5% of its gross earnings. If approved NEV will also construct a microwave relay system which would provide three independent New York TV stations to subscribers. Previous applicants are Montachusett Cablevision Corp., Fitchburg Norton Industries Inc., and Montachusett Cable Television Inc., all Massachusetts.

Birmingham, Mich.—CATV of Birmingham, (H. M. Watts, representative) has applied for a franchise.

Nebraska city, Neb.—Nebraska City Cable TV Inc., a subsidiary of Telesis Corp., Chicago, has applied for a franchise. T-V Transmission Inc., subsidiary of Lincoln Telephone and Telegraph Co., has also requested a franchise.

Camden, N. J.—Jerrold Electronics, (subsidiary of Jerrold Corp. Philadelphia, group CATV owner) has been awarded a franchise. The 12-channel system will offer reception from one Wilmington channel, New York and Philadelphia. Subscribers will pay a maximum \$10 installation fee and \$5 monthly charge. Tele-System Inc. had also applied for the franchise.

Hamburg, N. J.—Garden State CATV Corp. has applied for a franchise. The company plans seven TV and six FM radio channels. The proposed fees are \$3.50 per month plus an initial installation cost of \$35. Garden State CATV presently has franchises in Sparta township, Ogdensburg borough, Bryam township and Franklin borough, all New Jersey.

Phillipsburg, N. J.—Warren Cable TV Inc. (Lou Reda, William Stone, Frank R. Valentine and James Byrnes) has applied for a franchise. The company expects to remit approximately 2% of its gross profits to the town. National Trans-Video Inc. group CATV owner presently has a system in Phillipsburg.

Sussex, N. J.—The Farmers Union Telephone Co., that city (R. D. Avers, president) has applied for a franchise. Garden State Community Antenna TV Corp. is a previous applicant.

Wayne, N. J.—Ron Hickman (general manager, WKER Radio Inc., Pompton Lakes) has applied for a franchise. Tele-Mark Communications, Newark, has already applied.

Buffalo, N. Y.—James K. Donahue, Boston, has applied for a franchise.

Haverstraw, N. Y.—Hi-Tor Cable Vision Inc. and Rockland Cable Vision Co. have applied for a nonexclusive and exclusive franchise respectively.

Perrysburg, Ohio—Woodruff Inc., Toledo, has been granted a franchise.

Woodsfield, Ohio—David Rubel, Woodsfield, has been granted a franchise.

Franklin borough, Pa.—Johnstown Cable TV Inc. (Walter Kinash, manager) has been awarded a franchise. Johnstown Cable TV Inc. is a subsidiary of Teleprompter and recently was awarded a

franchise in Johnstown, Pa.

Harrison, Pa.—Westmoreland Cable Co., New Kensington, Pa., has been awarded a 15-year franchise. The franchise requires facilities for at least 12 TV channels and six FM channels. Installation fee will be \$10 with a \$4.95 monthly rental fee. The township will receive 3% of subscription receipts or \$2,000, whichever is greater. The company already holds a franchise in East Deer, Pa.

East Providence, R. I.—Rhode Island's second CATV franchise has been granted to Full Channel TV Inc. (Henry Hart, John Donofrio and David Lovell). A superior court judge has issued a preliminary restraining order which will prevent the execution of the franchise. The other Rhode Island franchise presently in operation (Westerly) is also involved in a court action to determine if it comes under jurisdiction of the Public Utilities Administration.

Cheraw, S. C.—Cheraw Cablevision Inc. (Burness Bourne, president, and Charles M. Ingram, vice president) has been granted a franchise. The monthly service charge will be \$5.95. The system will receive signals from Charleston, Columbia and Florence, all South Carolina; Charlotte, Raleigh-Durham, Wilmington, Greensboro, all North Carolina.

Tullahoma, Tenn.—WSM Inc., Nashville (WSM-AM-FM-TV) has been granted a 25-year nonexclusive franchise. WSM will pay from 2% to 6% of gross revenues based on the ratio of actual to potential customers. The system will offer reception which includes four Nashville stations, three Chattanooga stations, two Huntsville (Ala.) stations, and one or more channels for public service. Applications were also submitted by General Electric Cablevision Corp., Jordan Broadcasting Co. and Tullahoma TV Cable Co.

Midland, Tex.—The city council is considering five applications. The applicants are: Midessa Television Inc.; Younger, Dawson & Associates; Trigg-Vaughn Stations Inc.; Joe Chastain, and John B. Walton Jr.

Slaton, Tex.—Slaton Cable TV Company that city (Jim Hughes, Clark Self Jr., and Kermit Ashby) has been awarded a franchise. The system will offer from six to eight channels including a weather channel, an educational channel, and civil defense connections. The company will charge an installation fee of \$15 and a monthly assessment of \$6. Brownfield TV Cable Co. (L. O. Lemon, representative) was also an applicant.

Falls Church, Va.—Arthur Keller and Lamar A. Newcomb (owner of WFAX, that city), have applied for a franchise.

Charles Town and Ransom, W. Va.—Jefferson County Community Antenna Co. has been granted a franchise in each community. Company, owned by John Hanley, radio-TV station broker, plans 12-channel system, with 25 to 30 miles of cable to feed potential 3,500 homes. Charges will be \$10 installation, \$4.95 per month. Plans to bring customers TV signals from Washington, Baltimore, Harrisonburg (Va.), York, Lancaster, Harrisburg (Pa.).