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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K E C K (Eff:3-1-68)

X K L O L (Ltr.2-10-64)

Date first licensed 2-10-66

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Call letters X K N B E

x JAMES B. GOETZ, DOROTHY L. MEYTHALER, EXECUTRIX OF THE ESTATE OF
MERLIN J. MEYTHALER, AND MERTON J. GONSTEAD dba GEM RADIO Station location Lincoln, Nebraska
STATIONS, LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 8-24-67 EFF: 9-11-67)

x JAMES B. GOETZ, MERLIN J. MEYTHALER and MERTON J. GONSTEAD dba GEM RADIO STATIONS,
LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY (BAP-10-13-65: EFF: 10-18-65)

x MERLIN J. MEYTHALER, MERTON J. GONSTEAD, REX N. EYLER AND JAMES B. GOETZ

Name of licensee d/b as LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

6.6 mi. SE of Lincoln Business District, Grant Precinct, ^(BMP 1-16-64) Neb.
_(BP 5-1-63)

Transmitter location X 8 miles SE of Lincoln Business District, Grant Precinct, Nebraska

56th St. & Yankee Hill Rd., Lincoln, Nebr. (ltr. 2-3-77)

x Same as transmitter

Main studio location X To be determined, Lincoln, Nebraska (BP 5-1-63)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-15083	5-1-63	1530kc	5kw-DA-	Day	7-1 1-1-64
CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1.					
BP-15083 (1)	7-11-63	Mod. of	CP(BP-15083)	to assign Call Letters.	
BMP-11102 BMP-11137	1-16-64	1530kc	5kw-DA-D	Day	7-1 7-1-64
Mod. of CP(BP-15,083) to change antenna- trans. loc. and specify studio location same as trans. make changes in antenna system (decrease height) make changes in ground system, change type trans. to COLLINS 21E, and make changes in DA system. Extension of completion date to 7-1-64.					
BMP-11,286 (1)	8-13-64	Mod. of	CP(BP-15,083 as mod.)	for ext. of completion date to 1-1-65.	
BMP-11,413 (2)	1-15-65	Mod. of	CP(BP-15,083, as modified)	for extension of completion date to 6-1-65	
BMP-11,524 (3)	6-16-65	Mod. of	CP (BP-15,083)	for extension of completion date to 11-1-65.	
BAP-708 Effective	10-13-65 10-18-65	VOLUNTARY assignment of CP(15083) which auth. a new Standard B/C Station) to James B. Goetz, Merlin J. Meythaler and Merton J. Gonstead dba Gem Radio Station Lancaster County Broadcasting Company			
BMP-11,632 (4)	11-10-65	Mod. of	CP (BP-15,083, as mod.)	for ext. of completion date to 2-1-66.	
BL-11,187	2-10-66	1530kc	5kw-DA-D	Day	2-10 6-1-68
Lic to cover CP(BP-15,083 as mod) which auth a new AM b/c station Cond'3					
BAL-6130 EFF:	8-24-67 9-11-67	Involuntary assignment of license.			
TELEGRAM	10-10-77	PSA	175w	(WCKY Protected station)	
BAL-6164 EFF	1-31-68 3-1-68	Voluntary assignment of license.			
BR-4515(L)	5-28-68	Renewal of License			6-1-71
BR-4515(S) BBSA	5-27-71 6-12-72	RENEWAL			6-1-74
ltr.	2-3-77	Chg. of to 56th St. & Yankee Hill Rd. Lincoln, Nebn.			

Form BC 126

June 1954 #2

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

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Station location

Name of licensee J-P ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED (Al, 1-31-68; Eff. 3-1-68)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BR-4515(L)	6-13-74	Renewal of license			6-1-77
BR-4515(L)	6-18-75	Mod. of license to change engineering spec.			6-1-77
BR-4515(S)	5-10-77		RENEWAL		6-1-80
itr.	2-3-77	Chg. SL			
BS-4515 (1)	6-7-78	BS issued in SL chg.			
BR 800124	UB 5-22-80	(L)	RENEWAL		6-1-83

Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters new K N B E

Name MERLIN J. MEYTHALER, MERTON J. GONSTEAD, REX N. EYLER
AND JAMES B. GOETZ d/b as LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA (P.O. 116 E. Broadway, Winona, Minnesota)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-15,083	8-30-61	CP for a new standard broadcast station	GRANTED	5-1-63
Rec'd	9-1-61	to be operated on:	Cond'l re: Phase Mon.	
Filed	9-1-61	Frequency - 1530kc	Field meas. equip., DA &	
		Power - 5kw DA-D	complete non-DA proof.	
		Hours of operation - Daytime	Pre-sunrise Operation.	
		Type Transmitter - Gates BC-5P-2	After Hearing	
		Studio location - To be determined Same as trans.	Docket No. 14683	
		Lincoln, Nebraska (1-9-63)	Order Issued.	
		Transmitter location - 8 miles SE of Lincoln		
		Business district, Grant Precinct, Neb.		
		Atty. Samuel Miller		
		Eng.- Charles E. Brennan, Milwaukee		

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters K L O L
X N B E

Name Merlin J. Meythaler, Merton J. Gonstead, Rex N. Eyster and James B. Goetz d/b as Lancaster County Broadcasting Company
Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-11,102 R. & F.	10-30-63 11-1-63	Mod. of CP (BP-15,003, which auth. a new standard broadcast station) to change ant-trans. location from 8 mi. SE of Lincoln Business District, Grant Precinct, Nebraska, to 6.6 mi. SE of Lincoln Business District, Grant Precinct, Nebraska, and specify studio location as same as transmitter, make changes in antenna system (decrease height), make changes in ground system, change type trans. to Collins 21E, and make changes in DA system. Atty: Samuel Miller Engr: Charles S. Brennan, Milwaukee, Wis.	GRANTED Cond'l re: Phase Mon., Field meas. equip., DA & complete non-DA proof. Pre-sunrise operation. (Issued with BMP-11137)	1-16-64
BMP-11,137 R & F	12-14-63 12-17-63	Mod. of CP (bP-15,083 which auth a new AM B/C station) for ext. of completion date from 1-1-64 to _____.	GRANTED to	1-16-64 7-1-64 (Issued with BMP-11102)

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Name Merlin J. Meythaler, Merton J. Gonstead, Rex W. Eyer And James B. Goetz
d/b as Lancaster County Broadcasting Company
Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BMP-11,286 R&F	6-20-64 6-23-64	Mod of CP (BP-15,083 as mod which auth a new AM B/C station) for ext of comple date from 7-1-64 to 1-1-65.	Granted To	8-13-64 1-1-65
BMP-11,413 R. & F.	12-14-64 12-16-64	Modification of Construction Permit (BP-15,083, as mod., which auth. a new AM B/C station) for extension of completion date from 1-1-65 to 6-1-65.	GRANTED to	1-15-65 6-1-65
BAP-708 R & F (Form 316)	5-17-65 5-19-65	Voluntary assignment of construction permit to James B. Goetz, Merlin J. Meythaler and Merton J. Gonstead dba GEM RADIO STATIONS, LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty. - Samuel Miller	GRANTED Effective	10-13-65 10-18-65

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Call
 Letters K L O L

Name (Merlin J. Meythaler, Merton J. Gonstead, Rex N. Eyler and James B. Goetz, d/b as
Lancaster County Broadcasting Company Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-11,524 R&F	5-24-65 5-26-65	Mod. of C.P. (BP-15,083, as mod., which auth. a new AM B/C station) for extension of completion date from 6-1-65 to 11-1-65.	GRANTED to	6-16-65 11-1-65
BMP-11,632 Rec'd. Filed	10-11-65 10-13-65 10-13-65	Mod. of C.P. (BP-15,083, as mod. which auth. a new AM B/C station) for extension of completion date from 11-1-65 to 2-1-66.	GRANTED	11-10-65
BL-11,187 R & F PTA: 12-20-65	12/7/65 12/8/65	Lic. to cover CP (BP-15083 as mod.) which auth. a new AM b/c station. Atty: Samuel Miller	GRANTED	2-10-66 cond'l re: pre-sunrise
BAL-6130 R & F (Form 316) AUG 4 1967	7-21-67 7-24-67	Involuntary assignment of license to James B. Goetz, Dorothy L. Maythaler, Executrix of the Estate of Merlin J. Maythaler, and Merton J. Gonstead, dba GEM RADIO STATIONS, LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty - Samuel Miller	GRANTED EFF:	8-24-67 9-11-67

FORM BC-121 #5

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

(1530kc)

Aug. 1955 J-P ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED

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Letters X K L O L

X James B. Goetz, Dorothy L. Meythaler, Executrix of the
Estate of Merlin J. Meythaler, and Merton J. Constead, dba
Name GEM RADIO STATIONS, LANCASTER COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY
Lincoln, Nebraska

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-6164 R & F SEP 14 1967	9-5-67	Voluntary assignment of license to	GRANTED	1-31-68
	9-8-67	J-P ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED	Eff	3-1-68
		REQUEST WAIVER SECTION 1.597 of RULES		
		Atty for assignor - Samuel Miller for assignee - Miller & Schroeder		
BR-4515 R.&F. #409955 \$75 MAR 26 1968	3-1-68	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-28-68
	3-4-68 3-4-68	Attys: Miller and Schroeder (John B. Kenkel)		
BR-3530 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 19 1971	2-17-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-27-71
	3-3-71	John B. Kenkel, Atty.		
	3-10-71	AMENDED 4-8-71 re: engineering data		

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1530khz.

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Name **J-P ENTERPRISES, INCORPORATED**
LINCOLN, NEBRASKA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4515 R & F PRESS	2-28-74 3-4-74 13 MAR 1974	Renewal of License Atty: Miller and Schroeder(John B. Kenkel) AMENDED 5-22-74 re: ascertain of comm. needs; proposed programming	GRANTED	6-13-74
BR-4515 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-17-77 1-24-77 " MAR 10 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John B. Kenkel, Atty.	GRANTED	5-10-77
BR 800124IB PRESS	MAR 25 1980	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	5-22-80

About the History Cards ...

History Cards were first used by the Department of Commerce to keep track of applications filed by, and changes to, the earliest AM broadcast stations in the early 1920s. The records were subsequently transferred to the Federal Radio Commission in 1927, and after that to the Federal Communications Commission when that agency was created in 1934. These cards gradually grew into a large card file. History Cards remained in use until the creation of the first computerized database in 1980 to track broadcast applications, the Broadcast Application Processing System (BAPS). However, the Commission did not transfer the data from the History Cards to the new system. Instead, it retained the History Cards in their original form – 3" by 5" filing cards – for reference.

In 1999, the Commission moved to a new location (445 12th Street SW), and also at that time created the successor database to BAPS, the Consolidated DataBase System (CDBS). The History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only one set is known to exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above. Generally, they have been left as negatives as those are often easier to read.

History Cards contain very brief entries and notes about station facilities, applications, and ownership. They are not, and never were intended to be, a comprehensive record of a station's operations. Nevertheless, they can be useful to help determine, for example, when a station first went on the air and its call letters at that time. History Card comments were generally typed onto the cards, and thus some records will show more faintly or with more smudging than others, depending on the quality of typewriter and ribbon then used. Occasional handwritten comments, corrections, and strikeouts may also be found. Cards may be incomplete, missing, or occasionally out of sequence.

The History Cards are presented here as they were copied to microfiche, to preserve this record for public use, and with the hope that they will be of value to future researchers of radio station history.

