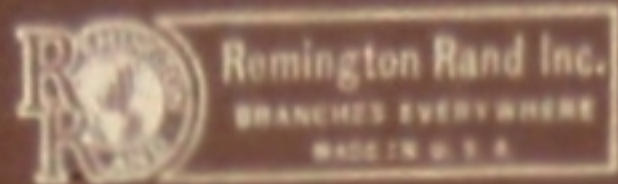


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REMOVABLE LABEL GUIDE

Cat. No. 4550L

Patent No. 1,796,112

STATION LICENSE RECORD

# 1

Date First

Licensed.....6-22-28.....

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\* COMMUNICATIONS INVESTMENT CORPORATION (AL 10-27-72 EFF: 12-31-72) LOCATION: BILLINGS, MONTANA

\* COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 12-17-62 EFF:

\* GRAIN-SNYDER TELEVISION, INC. (BAL 12-17-62 EFF:

\* MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 7-7-54, EFF. 8-26-54)

\* NORTHWESTERN INDUSTRIES, INC. (ML 6-15-53)

Name of

Licensee:

\* Northwestern Auto Supply Company, Inc.

Transmitter <sup>Hwy. 10</sup> / 6 miles west by S.W. of Billings, Mont. (Lic. 10-3-30)

Location: \* 5th & No. Broadway, Billings, Mont.

Same as transmitter (BS 3-6-63)

\* 214 North 30th Street, Billings, Montana (Lic. 6-13-56)  
 \* 5th Ave. & North Broadway, Billings, Montana (C.P. 4-29-32)

Main Studio

Location:

\* 6 miles west by S.W. of Billings, Mont. (10-3-30)  
 \* 5th and No. Broadway, Billings, Mont. (1-31-29)

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**CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD**

| Appl. No.                    | Date Issued | Freq.                                                    | Power            | Time Div.    | PERIOD |              |   |
|------------------------------|-------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------|--------------|--------|--------------|---|
|                              |             |                                                          |                  |              | From   | To           |   |
| 5-P-B-                       | 4-1-28      | 1350                                                     | 250              | spec. hrs.   | 4-1    | 5-15-28      |   |
| Extension by letter of c.p.  |             |                                                          |                  |              | 5-15   | 6-1-28       |   |
| 5-L-B-                       | 6-2-28      | 1350                                                     | 250 n.<br>500 d. | -            | 6-2    | 8-1-28       |   |
| Extended by G.O. 35          |             |                                                          |                  |              | 8-1    | 9-1-28       |   |
| " " " 39                     |             |                                                          |                  |              | 9-1    | 10-1-28      |   |
| 5-P-B-306                    | 9-12-28     | 950                                                      | 500              | -            | 9-12   | 10-31-28     |   |
| Extension of lic. by G.O. 44 |             |                                                          |                  |              | 10-1   | 11-11-28     |   |
| 5-L-B-                       | 11-2-28     | 950                                                      | 500              | (Spec. hrs.) | 11-11  | 1-31-29      |   |
| Allocation 11-11-28          |             |                                                          |                  |              | -      | -            |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 1-8-29      | 950                                                      | 500              | -            | 1-31   | 4-30-29      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 4-15-29     | 950                                                      | 500              | -            | 4-30   | 7-31-29      |   |
| license extended by G.O. 69  |             |                                                          |                  |              | 7-31   | 10-31-29     |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 10-12-29    | 950                                                      | 500              | 9--          | 10-31  | 1-31-30      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 1-25-30     | "                                                        | "                | -            | 1-31   | 3-2-30       |   |
| "                            | 2-11-30     | "                                                        | "                | 2            | 3-2    | 4-30-30      |   |
| 5-R-B-357                    | 4-24-30     | 950                                                      | 500              | - -          | 4-30   | 7-31-30      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 5-16-30     | C.F. for transmitter move                                |                  | -            | 7-1    | 10-1-30      |   |
| 5-P-B-1189                   | 6-9-30      | 950                                                      | 1 KW             | --(Mod.C.P.) | 7-1    | 10-1-30      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 7-7-30      | 950                                                      | 500              | -            | 7-31   | 10-31-30     |   |
| 5-L-B-399                    | 10-3-30     | 950                                                      | 1 KW             | Unltd.       | 10-3   | 10-31-30     |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 10-16-30    | 950                                                      | 1 KW             | Unltd.       | 10-31  | 1-31-31      |   |
| G.O. 103                     | 1-20-31     | Extension of License                                     |                  |              | 1-31   | 4-30-31      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 4-23-31     | 950                                                      | 1 KW             | Unltd        | 4-30   | 10-1-31      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 9-11-31     | 950                                                      | 1 KW             | Unltd        | 10-1   | 4-1-32       |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 3-2-32      | 950                                                      | 1KW              | Unltd.       | 4-1    | 10-1-32      |   |
| 5-P-B-170                    | 3-25-32     | Install automatic frequency control                      |                  |              |        | -            | - |
| 5-P-B-2023                   | 4-29-32     | Chg. equip. Incr. pr. 1kW 2 1/2 KW                       |                  |              | 5-28   | 8-29-32      |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 9-23-32     | 950                                                      | 1 KW 2 1/2 KW    | -LS          | Unltd  | 10-1 4-1-33  |   |
| 5-L-B-871                    | 9-23-32     | 950                                                      | 1KW 2 1/2 KW     | -LS          | Unltd. | 9-23 10-1-32 |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 3-10-33     | 950                                                      | 1kw, 2 1/2 kw    | -LS          | U      | 4-1 10-1-33  |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 9-12-33     | 950                                                      | 1kw, 2 1/2 kw    | -LS          | U      | 10-1 4-1-34  |   |
| 5-R-B-737                    | 3-23-34     | 950                                                      | 1kw, 2 1/2 kw    | -LS          | U      | 4-1 10-1-34  |   |
| SA-B-126                     | 5-11-34     | S.A. KXP operate on 780 kc and make changes in equipment |                  |              | 5-11   | 10-1-34      |   |
| B5-SA-21                     | 9-25-34     | Exten. of SA-B-126                                       |                  |              | 10-1   | 1-1-35.      |   |
| B5-R-737                     | 9-11-34     | 950                                                      | 1kw, 2 1/2 kw    | -LS          | U      | 10-1 4-1-35  |   |
| B5-SA-59                     | 1-8-35      | Exten. of SA-B-126                                       |                  |              | 1-1    | 2-1-35       |   |
| C.A.                         | 1-3-35      |                                                          |                  |              |        | -            | - |

5-S-B-737

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date First  
Licensed..... 6-22-28

Call  
Letters..... KOHL

Card No. 2.

Name of  
Licensee: COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (AL 12-19-78 EFF: 1-2-79)  
Northwestern Auto Supply Company, Inc.

Transmitter  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_

Main Studio  
Location: \_\_\_\_\_  
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## Zone 5

## CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No. | Date Issued                                                                            | Freq.                                                                                      | Power                          | Time Div. | PERIOD                           |            |
|-----------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------|----------------------------------|------------|
|           |                                                                                        |                                                                                            |                                |           | From                             | To         |
| 3A-91     | 2-1-35                                                                                 | Oper. on 780 kc                                                                            | & equipment changes            |           | 2-2                              | 4-1-35     |
| B5-S-737  | 2-14-35                                                                                | Oper. w.o. an s/f/m Ac. from                                                               |                                |           | 2-14                             | 3-6.       |
| B5-R-737  | 3-26-35                                                                                | 950                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U (H)     | 4-1                              | 10-1-35    |
| B5-SA-110 | 4-6-35                                                                                 | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 4-1                              | 6-30-35    |
|           | Min. 4-16-35                                                                           | Ext. Spec. Exp. Auth.                                                                      |                                |           |                                  |            |
| B5-SA-130 | 6-18-35                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 7-1                              | 9-28-35    |
|           |                                                                                        | Ext. Spec. Exp. Auth.                                                                      |                                |           |                                  |            |
| B5-R-737  | 7-30-35                                                                                | 950                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 7-30                             | 10-1-35    |
| B5-SA-160 | 9-17-35                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 9-29                             | 10-1-35    |
| B5-R-737  | 9-24-35                                                                                | 950                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 10-1                             | 4-1-36     |
| B5-SA-160 | 9-17-35                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 10-1                             | 12-27-35   |
| B5-SA-175 | 12-31-35                                                                               | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 12-28                            | 4-1-36     |
| B5-R-737  | 3-10-36                                                                                | 950                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 4-1                              | 10-1-36    |
| B5-SA-194 | 3-27-36                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 4-1                              | 7-1-36     |
| B5-P-984  | 5-1-36                                                                                 | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | Install new equip. & move trans. | 7-1 1-1-37 |
| B5-S-737  | 6-20-36                                                                                | Oper. on 780 kc,                                                                           | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS, U. |           | 7-1                              | 7-28-36    |
| B5-ML-23  | 4-7-36                                                                                 | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 7-2                              | 9-1-36     |
|           | Eff. 7-2-36.                                                                           |                                                                                            |                                |           |                                  |            |
|           | Mod. License to change frequency.                                                      |                                                                                            |                                |           |                                  |            |
| B5-R-737  | C.A. 8-15-36                                                                           | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS     | U         | 9-1                              | 3-1-37     |
| B5-L-418  | 11-10-36                                                                               | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 11-10                            | 3-1-37     |
| B5-Z-76   | Lic. to cover C.P. to incr. day power; move trans.; new equip. for Direct measurement. |                                                                                            |                                |           |                                  |            |
| B5-R-737  | 2-9-37                                                                                 | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 3-1                              | 9-1-37     |
| B5-R-737  | 6-18-37                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 9-1                              | 3-1-38     |
| B5-S-737  | 2-26-38                                                                                | Extension of license                                                                       |                                |           | 3-1                              | 5-1-38     |
| B5-TC-144 | 5-4-38                                                                                 | Voluntary transfer of control from Northwestern Auto Supply Co., Inc. to CHAS. O. CAMPBELL |                                |           |                                  |            |
| B5-S-737  | 4-20-38                                                                                | Extension of license                                                                       |                                |           | 5-1                              | 7-1-38     |
| B5-R-737  | 5-4-38                                                                                 | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 5-4-                             | 9-1-38     |
| B5-R-737  | 8-16-38                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 9-1                              | 3-1-39     |
| B5-R-737  | 2-20-39                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 3-1                              | 9-1-39     |
| B5-R-737  | 8-23-39                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 9-1                              | 4-1-40     |
| B5-R-737  | 3-12-40                                                                                | 780                                                                                        | 1kw, 5kw-LS                    | U         | 4-1                              | 8-1-40     |

## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed \_\_\_\_\_

Call letters KGHLName of licensee NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.

Transmitter location \_\_\_\_\_

Main studio location \_\_\_\_\_

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| APPL. No.                                                                                | DATE ISSUED                                                                                                                         | FREQ.                                    | POWER      | TIME Div. | PERIOD                       |         |
|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|------------|-----------|------------------------------|---------|
|                                                                                          |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           | From—                        | To—     |
| B5-S-737                                                                                 | 4-13-40                                                                                                                             | 780                                      | 1kw 5kw-LS | U         | 4-13                         | 8-1-40  |
| Mod. Lic. to add SR                                                                      |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| Order                                                                                    | 6/12/40                                                                                                                             | Extension of License                     |            |           | 8/1                          | 10/1/40 |
| Order                                                                                    | 9/10/40                                                                                                                             | Extension of license                     |            |           | 10/1                         | 3/29/41 |
| B5-P-2701                                                                                | 10-8-40                                                                                                                             | 780                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 12-8                         | 6-8-41  |
| *Directional antenna night<br>CP to increase night power and install D.A. for night use. |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| NARBA REALLOCATION                                                                       |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| B5-R-737                                                                                 | 3-24-41                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 1kw-5kw-LS | U         | 3-29                         | 4-1-42  |
| B5-MP-1194                                                                               | 4-17-41                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 12-8                         | 7-16-41 |
| Mod.C.P.2701 for NARBA frequency and extension of completion date. *DA night             |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| B5-MP-1339                                                                               | 7-3-41                                                                                                                              | Mod.C.P.2701 as mod. for completion date |            |           | extension of<br>12-8 9-16-41 |         |
| B5-L-1510)                                                                               | 10-2-41                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 10-2                         | 4-1-42  |
| B5-Z-1235)                                                                               | Lic. to cover CP 2701 as mod., for increase in power, and install DA for night use; also determine operating power by direct method |                                          |            | *DA-N     |                              |         |
| B5-S-737                                                                                 | 3-31-42                                                                                                                             | Extension of license                     |            |           | 4-1                          | 5-1-42  |
| B5-S-737                                                                                 | 4-21-42                                                                                                                             | Extension of license                     |            |           | 5-1                          | 6-1-42  |
| B5-R-737                                                                                 | 5-5-42                                                                                                                              | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 5-5                          | 6-1-44  |
| B5-S-737                                                                                 | 11-6-42                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 12-1                         | 6-1-44  |
| Mod. license in accordance with Order #107                                               |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| B5-R-737                                                                                 | 5-23-44                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 6-1                          | 5-1-46  |
| *DA-N                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| B5-S-737                                                                                 | 9-25-45                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 10-1                         | 5-1-46  |
| Mod.Lic.Order 107-A                                                                      |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| B5-S-737                                                                                 | 4-26-46                                                                                                                             | Extension of license                     |            |           | 5-1                          | 7-1-46  |
| B5-R-737                                                                                 | 6-13-46                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 6-13                         | 5-1-49  |
| *DA-N                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| B5-R-737                                                                                 | 4-20-49                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 5-1                          | 5-1-52  |
| *DA-N                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |
| BR-737                                                                                   | 4-17-52                                                                                                                             | 790                                      | 5kw*5kw-LS | U         | 5-1                          | 4-1-53  |
| *DA-N                                                                                    |                                                                                                                                     |                                          |            |           |                              |         |

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Name of licensee NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC. .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl. No.        | Date Issued          | Freq.                                                                                                                                                                                       | Power    | Time Div. | Period From- To- |
|------------------|----------------------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------|-----------|------------------|
| BTC-1394<br>EFF: | 11-12-52<br>12-23-52 | Vol. Trans. of control of licensee corp. from Charles O. Campbell to The Walter E. Schott Company (1626 1/3 shares common stock, 91%)                                                       |          |           |                  |
| BR-737           | 3-4-53               | 790                                                                                                                                                                                         | 5kw-DA-N | U         | 4-1 4-1-56       |
| BML-1543         | 6-15-53              | Mod. of license to change name to NORTHWESTERN INDUSTRIES, INC.                                                                                                                             |          |           |                  |
| BAL-1807<br>EFF. | 7-7-54<br>8-26-54    | Vol. assignment of license to MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY                                                                                                                           |          |           |                  |
| BR-737           | 3-7-56               | 790kc                                                                                                                                                                                       | 5kw-DA-N | U         | 4-1 4-1-59       |
| BRC-1227<br>(1)  | 12-23-57             | Mod. of lic. to op. trans. by Remote Control from 5th Avenue and North Broadway, Billings, Montana, while using non-directional antenna                                                     |          |           |                  |
| BRC-1310<br>(2)  | 7-3-58               | Modification of license to change Remote Control Point from Fifth Ave., & North Broadway Billings, Montana TO 214 North 30th Street, Billings, Montana, while using non-directional antenna |          |           |                  |
| BR-737           | 4-22-59              | 790                                                                                                                                                                                         | 5kw DA-N | U         | 4-22 4-1-62      |
|                  | 3-25-59              | Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.                                                                                                                        |          |           |                  |
| BP-13554         | 10-30-59             | 790kc                                                                                                                                                                                       | 5kw DA-N | U         | 12-30 6-30-60    |
|                  |                      | CP to install new transmitter (RCA BTA-5H).                                                                                                                                                 |          |           |                  |
| BL-7956          | 1-23-61              | 790kc                                                                                                                                                                                       | 5kw-DA-N | U         | 1-23 4-1-62      |
|                  |                      | Lic. to cover cp (BP-13,554) which auth. instl. of a new trans. (RCA-BTA-5H).                                                                                                               |          |           |                  |
|                  | 3-28-62              | Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.                                                                                                                        |          |           |                  |
| BR-737           | 4-30-62              | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                                                          |          |           | 4-30 4-1-65      |
| BRC-1983<br>(1)  | 8-14-62              | Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 214 North 30th St., Billings, Montana.                                                                                        |          |           |                  |
| BAL-4637<br>EFF: | 12-17-62<br>1-1-63   | Voluntary assignment of license to Crain-Snyder Television, Inc.                                                                                                                            |          |           |                  |
| BAL-4641<br>EFF: | 12-17-62<br>1-1-63   | Voluntary assignment of license to Copper Broadcasting Company.                                                                                                                             |          |           |                  |

Form BC 126

June 1954

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters KGHL

Station location .....

Name of licensee COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

| Appl.<br>No.  | Date<br>Issued                       | Freq.            | Power                        | Time<br>Div. | Period<br>From- To      |
|---------------|--------------------------------------|------------------|------------------------------|--------------|-------------------------|
| BS-737        | 3-6-63<br>Mod. of<br>(to transmitter | 790kc<br>license | 5kw-DA-N<br>to change studio | U<br>site)   | 3-6 4-1-65<br>location. |
| BR-737        | 3-4-65                               | RENEWAL          | OF LICENSE                   |              | 4-1 4-1-68              |
| TELEGRAM      | 1-3-68                               | PSA              | 5000w                        |              |                         |
| BR-737<br>(S) | 3-29-68                              | RENEWAL          | OF LICENSE                   |              | 4-1-71                  |
| BTC-6242      | 5-11-70                              | VOL. TC          | EFF: 5-31-70                 |              |                         |
| BR-737(S)     | 3-25-71                              | Renewal          | and NDEA                     |              | 4-1-74                  |
| EBSA          | 5-25-72                              |                  |                              |              |                         |
| BAL-7717      | 10-27-72                             | Vol. AL          |                              |              |                         |
| BR-737(L)     | 4-24-74                              | RENEWAL          |                              |              | 4-1-77                  |
| BR-737(L)     | 3-15-77                              |                  | RENEWAL                      |              | 4-1-80                  |
| BAL781128EE   | 12-19-78                             | VOL. AL          |                              | EFF: 1-2-79  |                         |
| COMTEL        | 8-25-80                              | REQUESTED AUTH.  | PURSUANT 73.157 RULES        |              |                         |
|               |                                      | (FORMERLY 1.544) | ALREADY GR. COMTEL           |              |                         |
|               |                                      | 12-28-76 & STILL | VALID.                       |              |                         |

## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

# 1

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO. SUPPLY COMPANY

CALL LETTERS: KGHL

ADDRESS: 5th Ave. &amp; N. Broadway, Billings, Montana

FILE NO: 5-P-B DATED: 12/20/29

Present  
Assignment: ---

ACTION: C. P. issued 4/1/28 1350 Kc

Requested: 1350 Kc. 250 W. to 500 W.

~~250 W. 5 hrs daily, 2hrs nite per  
week. compl. 5/15/28 ext. 6/1/28~~

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY INC.

CALL LETTERS: KGHL

ADDRESS: 5th Ave., North Broadway, Billings, Mont.

FILE NO: 5-L-B- DATED: 5/31/29

Present  
Assignment: --- C. P. issuedACTION: Lic. 6/22/28; 1350 Kc.  
250 W. nite 500 W. day Unlimited  
to 8/1/28 also Lic. 11/2/28 950  
Kc. 500 W. Unlim. covers 5-P-B-306

Requested: 1350 Kc. Unlim 250 W. nite 500 W. day

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.

CALL LETTERS: KGHL

ADDRESS: 5th Ave. &amp; Broadway, Billings, Mont.

FILE NO: 5-P-B-306 DATED: 8/18/29

Present  
Assignment: 1350 Kc. 250 W. nite 500 W day, Unlim.ACTION: C. P. issued 9/12/28 950  
Kc. 500 W. Unlim. (10/31/28) comp  
/date<sup>mp</sup>

Requested: 890 Kc. 1KW Unlimited

## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY..... CALL LETTERS: KGHL.....  
 ADDRESS: 5th & North Broadway, Billings, Montana..... FILE NO: 5-W-B-737 DATED: 12/10/28  
 Present Assignment: 950 Kc. 500 W. Unlimited..... ACTION: Lic. 1-8-29; 950 Kc. 500 W.  
 Requested: Same..... Unlimited to 4/30/29

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY..... CALL LETTERS: KGHL.....  
 ADDRESS: 5th Ave. North Broadway, Billings, Montana..... FILE NO: 5-R-B-737 DATED: 3/31/29  
 Present Assignment: 950 Kc. 500 W. Unlimited..... ACTION: Lic. 4/15/29 950 Kc. 500  
 Requested: RENEWAL..... W. Unlimited 4/30 to 7/31/29

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY..... CALL LETTERS: KGHL.....  
 ADDRESS: 5th Ave. North Broadway, Billings, Mont...... FILE NO: 5-M-B-328 DATED: 5/14/29  
 Present Assignment: 950 Kc. 500 W. Unlimited..... ACTION: Denied Min. 9/30/29  
 Requested: Same Kc. 1 KW. Unlimited

STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY ..... CALL LETTERS: KGHL  
 ADDRESS: 5th Ave. & North Broadway, Billings, Mont. .... FILE NO: 5-R-B-737 DATED: 6/29/29  
 Present Assignment: 950 Kc. 500 W. Unlimited ..... ACTION: G. O. 69 7/31/to 10/31/29  
 Requested: RENEWAL

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC. .... CALL LETTERS: KGHL  
 ADDRESS: Fifth Ave. & North Broadway, Billings, Mont. .... FILE NO: 5-R-B-737 DATED: 9/25/29  
 Present Assignment: 950 kc. 500 w. Unlimited ..... ACTION: Lic. 10-12-29  
 Requested: Renewal ..... 950 kc. 500 w. Unlimited  
 Per. 10-31-29 to 1-31-30

APPLICANT: NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC. .... CALL LETTERS: KGHL  
 ADDRESS: 5th Ave. and North Broadway, Billings, Montana .... FILE NO: 5-P-B-1090 DATED: 12/28/29  
 Present Assignment: 950 kc. 500 W. Unlimited ..... ACTION: Retired to files.  
 Requested: Change equipment and 500 W. nite & 2 1/2 KW. 1S. .... ACTION: Superseded by 5-P-B-1189

## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Northwestern Auto Supply Co., Inc. CALL LETTERS: KGHL  
 ADDRESS: 5th Ave., A. N. Broadway, Billings, Montana FILE NO: 5-R-B-737 DATED: 12-14-29  
 Present Renewal License 1-25-30  
 Assignment: 950 Kc., 500 W. Unlimited Renewal Per: 1-31 to 3-2-30  
 Requested: Renewal ACTION: (2) Renewal Lic. iss.  
 2-11-30 Min. 2-7-30  
 Per: 3-2 to 4-30-30.

APPLICANT: Northwestern Auto Supply Co., CALL LETTERS: KGHL  
 ADDRESS: Six miles out of city limits, Billings, Mont. FILE NO: 5-P-B-1189 DATED: 2-22-30  
 Present (2) Mod. C.P. granted Min. 6-9-30, issued  
 Assignment: 950 kc. 500 w., unlimited. 6-9-30 for change of equipment and  
 Requested: auth. to move studio & transmitter, to install increase power to 1 KW Day and Nite  
 new 2 1/2 KW. transmitter & requests increased power. ACTION: Completion date 10-1-30.  
 (See Supervisor's note) 2 1/2 KW. day and 1 KW. nite of transmitter. (1) C.P. granted 5-16-30, issued  
 5-16-30 on 5-B-737 for move

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: KGHL  
 ADDRESS: Same FILE NO: 5-R-B-737 DATED: 4-15-30  
 Present Renewal Lic. 4-21-30  
 Assignment: 950 Kc. 500 W Unlimited ACTION: Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30  
 Requested: Renewal

## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

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APPLICANT: ..... Northwestern Auto Supply Co. .... CALL LETTERS: ..... KOHL .....

ADDRESS: ..... 5th Ave., &amp; N. Broadway, Billings, Mont. .... FILE NO: 5-R-B-737 DATED: 5-24-30

Present  
Assignment: ..... 950 Kc. 500 W Unlimited ..... ACTION: Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30

Requested: ..... Renewal .....

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

Present  
Assignment: ..... ACTION: .....

Requested: .....

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

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Assignment: ..... ACTION: .....

Requested: .....



## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

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Assignment: .....

ACTION: .....

Requested: .....

APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

ADDRESS: ..... FILE NO: ..... DATED: .....

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Assignment: .....

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APPLICANT: ..... CALL LETTERS: .....

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Assignment: .....

ACTION: .....

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Letters KIHLName NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY

| File No.   | Date of<br><del>REVISION</del> | Application for                                                                                                                                                                | Action                 |                    |
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|            |                                |                                                                                                                                                                                | Nature                 | Date               |
| 5-L-B-399  | 9/5/30                         | License to cover 5/P-B-1189 issued 5/16/30, to move transmitter and studio to 6 miles from Billings, install new equipment, and increase power from 500 W. to 1 KW., Unlimited | Granted                | 10-3-30            |
| 5-R-B-738  | 9-26-30                        | Renewal of lic.                                                                                                                                                                | Granted                | 10-21-30           |
| 5-R-B-737  | 12-26-30                       | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                                             | G.O. 103<br>Granted    | 1-20-31<br>4-24-31 |
| 5-P-B-2023 | 2/11/31                        | Move studio back to former location, 5th Avenue and Broadway, Billings, change equipment, and increase power from 1 KW. to 2 KW. day and 1 KW. night on 950 kc.                | Granted<br>ALW 2½KW LS | 4-29-32            |
| 5-R-B-737  | 7-20-31                        | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                                             | Granted                | 9-11-31            |

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call

Letters EGHLName Northwestern Auto Supply Company, Inc.

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| 5-R-B-737             | 1-28-32                      | Renewal of license                                                                     | Granted | 3-7-32  |
| 5-F-B-170             | 2-13-32                      | install automatic frequency control.                                                   | Granted | 3-25-32 |
| 5-R-B-737             | 7-20-32                      | Renewal of license                                                                     | Granted | 9-23-32 |
| 5-L-B-871             | 8-17-32                      | covers C.P. 5-P-B-2023.                                                                | Granted | 9-23-32 |
| 5-R-B-737             | 1-25-33                      | Renewal of license                                                                     | Granted | 3-10-33 |
| 5-R-B-737             | 7-25-33                      | Renewal of License                                                                     | Granted | 9-12-33 |
| 5-R-B-737             | 1-24-34                      | Renewal of license                                                                     | Granted | 3-23-34 |
| <del>5-R-B-3193</del> | <del>4-16-34</del>           | <del>Construction permit to change equipment.<br/>COMBINED with 5-SA-B-126 BELOW</del> |         |         |
| 5-SA-B-126            | 4-16-34                      | Special experimental authoriztion to operate on 780 kc and make equipment changes      | Granted | 5-11-34 |

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| File No.                  | Dated    | Application for                                                                                   | Action                         |                                    |
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| B5-R-737<br>Resubmitted " | 7-25-34  | FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS RECORDS:<br>Renewal of license                                             | <del>Returned</del><br>Granted | <del>-- 8-8-34 --</del><br>9-11-34 |
| B5-SA-21                  | 7-25-34  | Extension of Special Experimental Authorization<br>to operate on 780 kc., from 10-1-34 to 1-1-35. | Granted                        | 9-25-34                            |
| B5-IL-23                  | 7-25-34  | Modification of license to change frequency<br>from 950 kc. to 780 kc.                            | Ex. Rept. 1-139<br>Min. 4-7-36 | GRANTED<br>Eff. 7-28-36            |
| B5-SA-59                  | 12-24-34 | Extension of Special Experimental Authorization<br>to operate on 780 kc., from 1-1-35 to 2-1-35   | Granted                        | C.A. 1-3-35<br>Min. 1-8-35         |

Min. 7-2-36  
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advanced to 7-2-36.

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| B5-SA-91  | 1-26-35 | Extension of Special Experimental Authorization to operate on 780 kc. from 2-1-35 to 5-1-35. | Granted<br>for period | C.A. 2-1-35<br>Min. 2-5-35<br>ending 4-1-35 |
| B5-R-737  | 1-29-35 | Renewal of license (H)                                                                       | Granted<br>ORDER of   | 3-26-35<br>Grant 7-30-35                    |
| B5-SA-110 | 3-18-35 | Extension of Spec. Exp. Auth. to operate on 780 kc. from 4-1-35 to 6-30-35 (90 days)         | Granted<br>Rat. Min.  | C.A. 4-6-35<br>4-15-35                      |
| B5-SA-130 | 5-13-35 | Extension of Spec. Exp. Auth. to operate on 780kc from 5-1-35 to 9-30-35 (90) days           | Granted               | 6-18-35                                     |
| B5-R-737  | 7-29-35 | Renewal of license                                                                           | Granted               | 9-24-35                                     |

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| B5-SA-160 | 8-15-35 | Extension of special experimental authorization to operate on 780 kc for a period of 90 days from 9-28-35. | Granted             | 9-17-35             |
| B5-SA-175 | 12-4-35 | Extension of special experimental authorization to operate on 780 kc for a period from 12-27-35 to 4-1-36. | Granted<br>Rat.Min. | 12-31-35<br>1-10-36 |
| B5-R-737  | 1-18-36 | Renewal of License                                                                                         | Granted             | 3-10-36             |

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| B5-P-984  | 2-1-36. | C.P. to install new equip. change frequency from 950 to 780 kc, power from 1kw-2½kw-LS to 1 kw-5kw-LS. Move trans. 70 ' (Same address). | Granted<br>(780 kc. not effective until 7- | 5-1-36<br>28-36) |
| B5-SA-194 | 3-12-36 | Extension of special experimental authorization to operate on 780 kc for a period from 4-1-36 to 7-1-36                                 | Granted                                    | 3-27-36          |
| B5-R-737  | 7-17-36 | Renewal of license                                                                                                                      | Granted                                    | C.A. 8-15-36     |

## APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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|           |          |                                                                                                                                 | NATURE                                                    | DATE     |
| B5-L-418  | 10-18-36 | License to cover construction permit (B5-P-984) for <del>change in frequency</del> , increase in power and move of transmitter. | Granted                                                   | 11-10-36 |
| B5-Z-76   | 10-16-36 | Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna                                                         | Granted                                                   | 11-10-36 |
| B5-ML-396 | 12-5-36  | Mod. of license to increase power from 1kw; 5kw-LS to 5 kw day and night.                                                       | Retired to closed files 1-17-40, cp filed, see B5-P-2701. |          |
| B5-R-737  | 12-21-36 | Renewal of license                                                                                                              | Granted                                                   | 2-9-37   |



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| B5-R-737                | 6-29-37       | Renewal of license                                                                                                                   | Granted  | 8-18-37 |
| B5-R-737<br>Resubmitted | 12-22-37<br>" | Renewal of license <del>(8a, 8b &amp; 7d)</del>                                                                                      | Returned | 1-6-38  |
|                         |               |                                                                                                                                      | Granted  | 5-4-38  |
| B5-TC-144               | 2-16-38       | Authority to transfer control of corporation from Northwestern Auto Supply Co., Inc. to Charles O. Campbell, 75 shares common stock. | Granted  | 5-4-38  |
| B5- <del>7</del> -737   | 6-13-38       | Renewal of license                                                                                                                   | Granted  | 8-16-38 |

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Letters K C H LName NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY CO., INC.

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| B5-R-737             | 12-24-33           | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                     | Granted                        | 2-20-39                         |
| B5-R-737             | 6-24-39            | Renewal of license (Sec. 3b, 20f)                                                                                                                      | <del>Returned</del><br>Granted | <del>7-12-39</del><br>8-23-39   |
| B5-P-2701            | 1-10-40            | C.P. to install D.A* for night use, and increase power from 1kw; 5kw-LS to 5kw day & night.                                                            | Granted                        | 10-8-40                         |
| B5-R-737             | 1-23-40            | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                     | Granted                        | 3-12-40                         |
| B5-R-737             | 5-22-40            | Renewal of license                                                                                                                                     | Granted                        | 3-24-41<br>790 kc, 1kw-5kw-LS U |
| B5-R-737             | 7-24-40            | Renewal of license (Unnecessary)                                                                                                                       | Returned                       | 8-5-40                          |
| B5-MP-1194<br>Rec'd. | 2-19-41<br>2-24-41 | Modification of construction permit (B5-P-2701) to request frequency 790 kc under MARBA and extend completion date from 6-8-41 to 90 days after grant. | Granted                        | 4-17-41                         |

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Letters K O H LName NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.

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| B5-MP-1339<br>Rec'd | 6-12-41<br>6-16-41 | Mod. of C.P. (B5-P-2701) as modified, for extension of completion date from 7-16-41 to 9-16-41<br>(Filed by Karl Smith)<br>Form 335 filed 7-3-41. | Granted | 7-3-41  |
| B4-L-1510<br>Rec'd  | 8-25-41<br>9-4-41  | License to cover c.p. (B5-P-2701 as modified) for incr. in power & install D.A. for night use. Form 335 filed                                     | Granted | 10-2-41 |
| B4-Z-1235<br>rec'd  | 8-25-41<br>9-4-41  | Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement. Form 335 filed                                                                      | Granted | 10-2-41 |
| B5-R-737            | 1-26-42            | Renewal of license<br>Atty. Karl Smith, 335's filed<br>Amend. rec'd 3-30-42 /2-12-42                                                              | Granted | 5-5-42  |

## APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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| B5-R-737<br>Rec'd        | 3-27-44<br>3-29-44            | Renewal of license                                                        | Granted | 5-23-44 |
| B5-R-737<br>Rec'd        | 2-25-46<br>2-28-46            | Renewal of license<br>Filed by Lester Cohen atty.<br>Amend. filed 3-22-46 | Granted | 6-13-46 |
| BR-737<br>Rec'd          | 3-22-49<br>3-28-49            | Renewal of license.<br>(Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.)                        | Granted | 4-20-49 |
| BR-737<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 1-25-52<br>1-29-52<br>1-29-52 | Renewal of license<br><br>Corwin R. Lockwood, atty.                       | GRANTED | 4-17-52 |

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FORM A-170

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 7-7-54, Eff.)  
Name NORTHWESTERN AUTO SUPPLY COMPANY, INC.Call  
Letters K G H L

| File No.                   | Dated                            | Application for                                                                                                                                      | Action          |                      |
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| BTC-1394<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 10-14-52<br>10-15-52<br>10-15-52 | Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Charles O. Campbell to The Walter E. Schott Company (1626-1/3 shares common stock, 91%).  | GRANTED<br>EFF: | 11-12-52<br>12-23-52 |
| BR-737<br>Rec'd<br>Filed   | 12-23-52<br>12-29-52<br>12-29-52 | Renewal of License<br>Filed by Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.                                                                                             | GRANTED         | 3-4-53               |
| BNL-1543<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 5-20-53<br>5-25-53<br>5-25-53    | Modification of license to change name from Northwestern Auto Supply Company, Inc. to Northwestern Industries, Inc.<br><br>Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty. | GRANTED         | 6-15-53              |
| BAL-1807<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 5-27-54<br>6-4-54<br>6-4-54      | Voluntary assignment of license to Midland Empire Broadcasting Company.<br><br>Parker D. Handock, Atty.                                              | GRANTED<br>EFF. | 7-7-54<br>8-26-54    |

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FORM A-170

Call  
Letters K G H LName MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY

| File No.                   | Dated                            | Application for                                                                                                                                                                                                                                | Action  |          |
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| BR-737<br>Rec'd<br>Filed   | 12-27-55<br>12-29-55<br>12-29-55 | Renewal of License<br><br>HOGAN & HARTSON, ATTY'S.                                                                                                                                                                                             | GRANTED | 3-7-56   |
| BRC-1227<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 12-14-57<br>12-17-57<br>12-17-57 | Modification of license to operate transmitter<br>by remote control from 5th Avenue and North<br>Broadway, Billings, Montana, while using<br>non-directional antenna<br><br>Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.                                          | GRANTED | 12-23-57 |
| BRC-1310<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 6-26-58<br>6-27-58<br>6-27-58    | Modification of license to change Remote<br>Control Point from Fifth Avenue and North<br>Broadway, Billings, Montana, to 214 North<br>30th Street, Billings, Montana, while using<br>non-directional antenna.<br><br>Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty. | GRANTED | 7-3-58   |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
 Letters K.G.H.L.....

Name MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY.....

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| BR-737<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 12-30-58<br>1-9-59<br>1-9-59 | Renewal of License<br><br>Hogan & Hartson, Atty. (Corwin Lockwood).                                                                 | GRANTED | 4-22-59  |
| BP-13554<br>R & F        | 10-9-59<br>10-12-59          | Construction Permit to install new transmitter<br>(RCA-BTA-5H)<br><br>Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty.                                     | GRANTED | 10-30-59 |
| BL-7956<br>R & F         | 5-16-60<br>5-24-60           | License to cover C.P. (BP 13,554) which<br>authorized installation of a new<br>transmitter (RCA-BTA-5R).<br>Atty's: Hogan & Hartson | GRANTED | 1-23-61  |

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters .....K.G.H.L.....Name MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY

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| BRC-1983<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 1-16-62<br>1-18-62<br>1-18-62 | Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 214 North 30th Street, Billings, Montana, while using directional antenna, (DA-N)<br>Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty. | GRANTED         | 8-14-62            |
| BR-737<br>Rec'd/Filed      | 12-30-61<br>1-2-62            | Renewal of License<br>Hogan & Hartson, atty.                                                                                                                                         | GRANTED         | 4-30-62            |
| BAL-4637<br>Rec'd<br>Filed | 9-10-62<br>10-5-62<br>10-5-62 | Voluntary assignment of license to Crain-Snyder Television, Inc.<br><br>Corwin R. Lockwood, Atty. for Assignor<br>Andrew G. Haley, Atty. for Assignee                                | GRANTED<br>EFF: | 12-17-62<br>1-1-63 |



Aug. 1955

Call  
Letters K G H L

COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY

Name  MIDLAND EMPIRE BROADCASTING COMPANY  
Billings, Montana

| File No.                                                                                          | Dated                                                  | Application for                                                                                                                                                             | Action                                                                                                                                    |                                                       |
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| BAL-4641<br>Rec'd<br>Resub.<br>Rec'd<br>Filed                                                     | 10-3-62<br>10-5-62<br>10-12-62<br>10-15-62<br>10-15-62 | Voluntary assignment of license to Copper Broadcasting Company.<br>(CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BAL-4637)<br><br>Andrew G. Haley, Atty.                                          | <del>RETURNED</del><br><del>Assigned section not</del><br><del>executed in accord.</del><br><del>with 1933 Rules</del><br>GRANTED<br>EFF: | <del>10-11-62</del><br><br><br><br>12-17-62<br>1-1-63 |
| BR-737<br>R & F                                                                                   | 12/21/64<br>1/4/65                                     | Renewal of license<br>Atty. Andrew G. Haley                                                                                                                                 | GRANTED                                                                                                                                   | 3-4-65                                                |
| BR-737<br>R&F<br>JAN 19 1968                                                                      | 12-8-67<br>12-19-67                                    | Renewal of License<br><br>Attys - Haley, Bader & Potts (Henry A. Solomon)                                                                                                   | GRANTED                                                                                                                                   | 3-29-68                                               |
| BTC-5242<br>Rec'd & filed<br>(Form 316) SEE: KALL for<br>fee pd; also see: FM KQMJ<br>APR 27 1970 | 4-9-70<br>4-10-70                                      | Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from<br>Salt Lake City Broadcasting Company, Inc., to<br>Communications Investment Corporation<br><br>Atty - Haley, Bader & Potts | GRANTED<br>EFF:                                                                                                                           | 5-11-70<br>5-31-70                                    |

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call Letters KOHL

COMMUNICATIONS INVESTMENT CORPORATION

Name X COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY  
BILLINGS, MONTANA

| File No.                                                                         | Dated                               | Application for                                                                                                              | Action  |                               |
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| BR-737<br>R & F<br>PN<br>Press<br>JAN 18 1971                                    | 12-28-70<br>1-4-71                  | RENEWAL OF LICENSE<br>ATTY- HALEY, BADER & POTTS<br>AMENDED 1-19-71 re: change in stock ownership                            | GRANTED | 3-25-71                       |
| BAL-7717<br>R & F<br>FEE PD: \$250 #114039<br>CODE 053 (Form 316)<br>OCT 20 1972 | 9-26-72<br>9-29-72                  | Voluntary assignment of license to<br>COMMUNICATIONS INVESTMENT CORPORATION<br><br>Atty - Haley, Bader & Potts<br>(SEE OVER) | GRANTED | 10-27-72<br><br>EFF: 12-31-72 |
| BR-737<br>R & F<br>PN Recd.<br>PRESS                                             | 12-28-73<br>1-2-74<br>" 28 JAN 1974 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE<br>AMENDED 4-2-74 re: programming: EEO                                                                    | GRANTED | 4-24-74                       |

Re; BAL-7717 - Art. & By-laws on file with KALL(BAL-6896)

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters K G H L

COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.  
 NAME COMMUNICATIONS INVESTMENT CORPORATION  
BILLINGS, MONTANA

| File No.                                                                | Dated                                   | Application for                                                                                                                                       | Action          |                    |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------|
|                                                                         |                                         |                                                                                                                                                       | Nature          | Date               |
| BR-737<br>R & F<br>PN Recd.<br>PRESS                                    | 11-22-76<br>12-1-76<br>"<br>JAN 27 1977 | RENEWAL OF LICENSE<br><br>Wm. J. Potts, Jr., Atty.<br>AMENDED 2-8-77 re: engineering                                                                  | GRANTED         | 3-15-77            |
| BAL781128EE<br>Form 316 (Also see KALL,<br>KALL-FM & KBMS (fm)<br>PRESS | 11-22-78<br><br>DEC 15 1978             | Vol. AL to COPPER BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.<br><br>MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GRANT OF BAL781128EC,<br>ED & EF<br><br>Atty - Haley, Bader & <u>Potts</u> | GRANTED<br>EFF: | 12-19-78<br>1-2-79 |

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## APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: K G H L

Name: Copper Broadcasting Company, Inc.

Station Location: Billings, Montana

| File No.                       | Date | Description                                                   | Action and Date |
|--------------------------------|------|---------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| BR791130UQ<br>PRESS JAN 9 1980 |      | Renewal of License<br><br>Atty.: <u>William J. Potts, Jr.</u> | GRANTED 3-25-80 |
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## RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION

Licensee  Northwestern Auto Supply Company, Inc.

| File No.  | Date    | Call Letters | Name and Location of Applicant                                                    | Remarks                                                                                                                                                        | Disposition     |
|-----------|---------|--------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------|
| B5-P-320  | 1-17-35 | NEW          | Wyoming Radio Education-<br>al Assn. (Lester G. Baker<br>Pres.) Cheyenne, Wyoming | C.P. for new station<br>on 780 kc, 500w, low-<br>LS. Trans. & studio<br>To be determined,<br>Cheyenne, Wyo. Fac. of<br>KGHL. (Consideration<br>under Rule 6-b) | Den.<br>5-21-35 |
| B5-ML-190 | 4-17-35 | KDFN         | Donald Lewis Hathaway<br>Casper, Wyoming.                                         | M.L. to change freq.<br>from 1440kc to 780kc<br>Req. facilities of KGHL.<br><br><i>Donald Hathaway<br/>Thru Manton<br/>applicants<br/>requested</i>            | DENIED          |

| Renewal<br>Requested | Date<br>Received | Designated<br>for Hearing | Reason | Remarks |
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## 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 12<sup>th</sup> 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.

