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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

K P C A (12-10-58)

Date first licensed 9-6-56 SEE GARD #2 Call letters K T H LStation Location: Trumann, ArkansasMarked Tree,x ARCHIE H. BRAY AND JOHN A. BRUNNER, JR., EXECUTORS
OF THE ESTATE OF KOHN BRAY, DECEASED, J. E. SINGLETON AND L. V.

RITTER, JR., d/b as POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY (BAL 11-26-62 EFF:

x J.E.SINGLETON, KOHN BRAY AND L.V.RITTER, JR., d/b as POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING

Name of licensee x FARL W. DALY, tr/as POINSETT COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 1-30-57)
EFF: 2-13-57

(Lic. 9-6-56)

325' SW of US Hwy. 63, 300' SE of Marked Tree, Arkansas (MP 4-25-56)

x between City Limits and Frisco RR, Approx. 2/10 mile

E. of Trumann, Arkansas (MP 12-22-55)

Transmitter location x On US Hwy. 63, approx. 4/10 mi. NW of Trumann, Arkansas (CP 11-23-55)

(Lic. 9-6-56)

325' SW of US Hwy. 63, 300' SE of Marked Tree, Arkansas (MP 4-25-56)

Main studio location x To be determined, Trumann, Arkansas (CP 11-23-55)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-10069 CP	11-23-55	1580	250w	Day	2-23 7-23-56
for a new Standard Broadcast Station					
BMP-7051 (1)	12-22-55	Mod. of	CP 10069	to chg.	ant.-T loc.
BMP-7136	4-25-56	1580	250w	Day	6-25 12-25-56
Mod. of CP (P-10069) as mod., to chg. Station Loc.; ant.-T loc.; specify Studio loc. and ext. C&C dates					
BL-6238	9-6-56	1580kc	250w	Day	9-6 6-1-58
Lic. to cover CP(BP-10,069, as mod.) for a new standard broadcast station and specify type of trans- mitter as RCA 250-K.					
BAL-2550 EFF: 2-13-57	1-30-57	Voluntary assignment of license to: J.E.Singleton, Kohn Bray, and L.V. Ritter, Jr., d/b as Poinsett County Radio Broadcasting Company.			
BR-3299	5-14-58	1580	250w	Day	6-1 6-1-61
	6-1-61	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-3299	3-14-62	1580kc	250w	Day	3-14 6-1-64
BAL-4658 EFF: 9-13-62	11-26-62	Involuntary assignment of license to Archie H. Bray and John A. Brunner, Jr., Executors of the Estate of Kohn Bray, Deceased, J. E. Singleton and L. V. Ritter, Jr., d/b as Poinsett County Broadcasting Company.			
BR-3299	5-28-64	1580kc	250w	Day	6-1 6-1-67
BAL-5889	1-19-67	Voluntary assignment of license to Archie H. Bray, J. E. Singleton and Mrs. Ethel S. Chester, dba Poinsett County Radio Broadcasting Company.			
BR-3299	6-16-67	1580kc	250w	Day	6-16 6-1-70
BR-3299(S)	5-27-70	Renewal 6-1-73			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-3299(S)	5-31-73	RENEWAL 6-1-76			

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Date first licensed

Call letters ...K.P.G.A.....

Stanley B. Porter, Jr. and Forrest E. Wilkerson III dba Marked Tree Broadcasting Company

x J.E. SINGLETON AND ARCHIE H. BRAY dba (AL gr 7-24-78 EFF: 9-22-78)

x POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL gr 1/24/77 EFF: 5-2-77)

xx J.E. SINGLETON, ARCHIE H. BRAY and DEWITT WAITES dba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING

xxxx COMPANY (BAL gr 6/25/75 EFF: 7/17/75)

x ARCHIE H. BRAY, J. E. SINGLETON and MRS. ETHEL S. CHESTER, dba POINSETT

Name of licensee COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 1-19-67; EFF: 1-24-67)

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From.. To.
BAL-8368	6/25/75	Vol AL	EFF: 7/17/75		
BR-3299(L)	7-9-76		RENEWAL		6-1-79
BAL-8891	1/24/77	Vol AL	EFF: 5-2-77		
BAL-9308	7-24-78	VOL. AL	EFF: 9-22-78		
BR790131VEL	5-31-79	Renewal			6-1-82

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Call
Letters New-K.T.M.L.Name EARL W. DALY d/b a, POINSETT COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY...
P.O. 1547 Maplewood, Memphis 8, Tenn.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-10,069 Rec'd Filed	8-29-55 9-1-55 9-1-55	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1580kc Power: 250w Hours of Operation: Daytime. Trans. Location: Approx. 4/10 mi. NW of city limits on US Hwy. 63, Truman, Arkansas Studio Location: To be determined Truman, Arkansas	GRANTED	11-23-55

FORM BC-121

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FORMERLY FORM A-170

Call
LettersK T M L
~~Unassigned~~Name EARL W. DALY d/b as POINSETT COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-7051 Rec'd Filed	12-6-55 12-7-55 12-7-55	Modification of construction permit (BP-10,069 which auth. a new standard broadcast station) to change antenna-transmitter location from Approx. 4/10 mi. NE of city limits on US Hwy 63, Trumann, Arkansas <u>to</u> Approx. two tenths mi. E. of city limits, between city limits and Frisco RR., Trumann, Arkansas.	GRANTED	12-22-55
BMP-7136 Rec'd Filed	3-2-56 3-5-56 3-5-56	Modification of Construction Permit (BP-10,069 as modified) which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to change antenna-transmitter location from Approx. 2/10 mi. E of city limits between city limits and Frisco R.R., Trumann, Ark, <u>to</u> 300 ft. SE City Limits & 325 Ft. SW US Hwy. 63, Marked Tree, Ark. and specify studio location to be same as transmitter; change station location from Trumann, Ark. <u>to</u> Marked Tree, Ark.	GRANTED	4-25-56

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POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

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K P C A (12-10-58)

J. E. SINGLETON, KOHN BRAY AND L. V. RITTER, JR., d/b as

Letters

X K T M L

Name X EARL W. DALY d/b as POINSETT COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-6238 Rec'd Filed	7-7-56 7-9-56 7-9-56	License to cover construction Permit BP-10,069 as mod., which authorized a new standard broadcast station and specify type of transmitter as RCA 250K	GRANTED	9-6-56
BAL-2550 Rec'd Filed	12-31-56 1-2-57 1-2-57	Voluntary assignment of license to J. E. Singleton, Kohn Bray and L. V. Ritter, Jr., d/b as Poinsett County Radio Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED EFF:	1-30-57 2-13-57
BR-3299 Rec'd Resubmitted Rec'd Resubmitted Filed	2-25-58 3-3-58 2-28-58 3-31-58 4-7-58 4-10-58	Renewal of License	Returned 3-13-58 dated wrong Returned 4-3-58 improperly verified GRANTED	3-13-58 5-14-58
BR-3299 Rec'd & Filed	2-27-61 3-2-61	Renewal of license	GRANTED	3-14-62

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Name ^X J. E. SINGLETON, KOHN BRAY AND L. V. RITTER, JR., d/b as POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

MARKED TREE, ARKANSAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-4658 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	9-18-62 9-20-62 11-7-62 11-13-62 11-13-62	Involuntary assignment of license to Archie H. Bray and John A. Brunner, Jr., Executors of the Estate of Kohn Bray, Deceased, J. E. Singleton and L. V. Ritter, Jr., d/b as Poinsett County Radio Broadcasting Company.	RETURNED Incomplete GRANTED EFF:	10-23-62 11-26-62 9-13-62
BH-3299 R & F	2-28-64 3-2-64	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	5-28-64
BAL-5889 R & F (Form 316)	9-26-66 10-3-66	Voluntary assignment of license to Archie H. Bray, J.E. Singleton and Mrs. Ethel S. Chester, dba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY	GRANTED EFF:	1-19-67 1-24-67
BR-3299 R. & F.	2-28-67 3-2-67	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	6-16-67

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Call K P C A
Letters

Name Archie H. Bray, J. E. Singleton and Mrs. Ethel S. Chester dba Poinsett
County Radio Broadcasting Company
Marked Tree, Arkansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-3299 Rec'd Filed #586877 \$75 PN PRESS MAR 27 1970	2-22-70 2-26-70 3-23-70 3-23-70 2-26-70	Renewal of license	GRANTED	5-27-70
BR-3299 R & F P.N. PRESS APR 11 1973	2-28-73 3-2-73 3-2-73	Renewal of License	GRANTED	5-31-73
BAL Rec'd FEE PD: \$50 #309388 CODE 047 (Form 316)	5-20-74 5-28-74	Voluntary assignment of license to Archie H. Bray, J.E. Singleton and Dewitt Waites, dba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY	RETURNED 6-5-74 Form 314 necessary SEE CARD #6)	

J.E. SINGLETON and ARCHIE H. BRAY dba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY 1580kHz
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xxJ.E. SINGLETON, ARCHIE H. BRAY and DEWITT WAITES

xdba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY

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Letters K P C A

xArchie H. Bray, J.E. Singleton and Mrs. Ethel S. Chester
dba Poinsett County Radio Broadcasting Company

Name
Marked Tree, Arkansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-8368 R & F FEE PD: \$150 # 401209 (SEE CARD #5 for add'l fee) CODE 047 APR 1 1975 Pub. notice filed 4-4-75	2-17-75 3-14-75	Voluntary assignment of license to J.E. Singleton, Archie H. Bray and Dewitt Waites dba Poinsett County Radio Broadcasting Company Atty - E.T. Smith AMENDED 6-13-75 re prog (comm survey)	GRANTED EFF: 7/17/75 Grant fee req: Gr fee pd 8/4/75 W 455633	6/25/75
BR-3299 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-29-76 2-3-76 APR 5 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-9-76
BAL-8891 R & F Fee pd \$200 W 652993 (FORM 316) Code 047 - Fee refunded 1/13/77 JAN 1 1977	10/1/76 1/3/77 1/4/77	Voluntary assignment of license to J.E. SINGLETON and ARCHIE H. BRAY dba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY	GRANTED EFF:	1/24/77 5-2-77

September 1969

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STANLEY B. PORTER, JR. and FORREST WILKERSON III

Call

Letters K P C A

dba MARKED TREE BROADCASTING COMPANY

xJ.E. Singleton and Archie H. Bray

Name xdba POINSETT COUNTY RADIO BROADCASTING COMPANY
Marked Tree, Arkansas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-9308 R & F FORM 314 MA PN FILED	2-28-78 3-9-78 MAY 2 1978 4-10-78	Voluntary assignment of license to STANLEY B. PORTER, JR. AND FORREST E. WILKERSON III, dba MARKED TREE BROADCASTING COMPANY (over) Atty - McKenna, Wilkinson & Kittner (J. Cooke)	GRANTED EFF:	8-24-78 9-22-78
BR790131VE PRESS MAR	19 1979	Renewal of License	GRANTED	5-31-79

RE: BAL-9308 - No waiver Sec. 1.597 req (BAL-8368 pr 6-25-75)
AMENDED 6-9-78 re: Amend Asset purchase agree
Amended 6-22-78 re: Atty's ltr. stating Marked Tree is
PARTNERSHIP (not Joint Venture); financing & re spot announ
Amended 6-22-78 re: Affirmative (re Section 1.597) factor showing - no
trafficking in lease licenses

RECORD OF APPLICATIONS REQUESTING FACILITIES OF BROADCASTING STATION ~~KWWG~~ K P A C

PORT ARTHUR COLLEGE
 x FRANK P. JACKSON (6-28-32)

Licensee x The Brownsville Herald Publishing Co.

File No.	Date	Call Letters	Name and Location of Applicant	Remarks	Disposition
3-ML-B-1214	7-17-33	KRGV	KRGV, Inc. Harlingen, Tex.	Change hours from sharing equally with KWWG to Unlimited	Denied 9-29-33 Restored to Hearing 10-13-33 Granted 6-1-34
3-P-B-3017	9-30-33		Port Arthur College Port Arthur, Tex.	1200 kc 500 w to share equally with KRGV	Granted 6-1-34

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.

