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Patent No. 1,290,779

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 8-6-48 K C N Y (Ltr. 7-2-48)
 Call letters X K P S L
 LOCATION: SAN MARCOS, TEXAS

CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 6-16-49; EFF: 7-19-49)

Name of licensee CHARLES L. CAIN AND MERL SAXON, A PARTNERSHIP d/b as HAYS COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location 505 Uhland Road, San Marcos, Texas (BP 11-3-61)
X 1103 McKie Street, San Marcos, Texas (CP & MP 5-27-48) (Lic. 8-6-48)

Main studio location Same as transmitter
X 1103 McKie Street, San Marcos, Texas (CP & MP 5-27-48) (Lic. 8-6-48)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BP-6307	2-27-48	1470	250w	daytime	
	Ltr. 3-18-48. CP for new station subj. to filing MP for approval of site and antenna.				
BP-6307 BMP-3766	5-27-48	1470	250w	Daytime	7-27 1-27-48
	Mod. CP (6307) to make changes in T equipment, and for approval of antenna, T and studio sites.				
BL-3221	8-6-48	1470	250w	daytime	8-6 11-1-50
	Lic. to cover CP (6307 as mod) for a new station.				
BAL-882	6-16-49	Vol. assignment of license from Charles L. Cain and Merl Saxon, A Partnership d/b as Hays County B/Cing Co to			Central B/Cing Co.
EFF:	7-27-49				
BTC-846	2-8-50	Vol. relinquishment of control of licensee corp. thru sale of voting stock from Charles L. Cain to Edward C. James			
EFF:	2-15-50				
	8-11-50	1470	250w	Day	8-11 11-1-50
	Authority determined operating power by direct method.				
BR-2052	10-23-50	1470	250kw	Daytime	11-1 11-1-53
	12-22-50	1470	250w	Daytime	12-22 11-1-53
	Authority determined operating power by direct method.				
	Telegram 10-29-53 Action on renewal deferred 10-28-53 and continued operation auth. until final determination on renewal.				
BR-2052	12-2-53	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			11-1-53 8-1-56
BTC-2068	10-19-55	Vol. transfer of control of licensee corp. from Edward C. James to Frank Wilson, Jr., & Lawrence M. Walshak, d/b as Gonzales Broadcasting Company.			
EFF:					
BR-2052	7-18-56	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1 8-1-59
BTC-2068	7-18-57	Vol. transfer of control of licensee corp. from Frank Wilson, Jr. and Lawrence M. Walshak, d/b as Gonzales Broadcasting Company to FOREST L. WHAN, GERALDEANE J. WHAN, DON F. WHAN and JERRY OUTLER WEIDT (joined in by her husband, Wm. C. Weidt)			
EFF:	7-29-57				
	Gonzales Broadcasting Company 7-29-59				
BR-2052	9-2-59	Renewal of license			8-1 8-1-52

Form BC 126

June 1954

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed

Call letters K C N Y

Station location

Name of licensee See Card #1

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BP-14939	11-3-61	1470kc	250w	Day	1-3 7-3-62
	CP to change antenna-trans. and studio loc.				
	7-25-62	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BL-9209	6-15-62	1470kc	250w	Day	6-15 8-1-62
	Lic. to cover CP (BP-14,939) which auth. chg. ant.-trans and studio site to 505 Ohland Rd., San Marcos, Texas.				
BR-2052	12-26-62	Renewal of license			12-26 8-1-65
BR-2052	7-16-65	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1 8-1-68
BR-2052(S)	11-7-68	Renewal of license			11-7 8-1-71
Comtel	9-17-70	PSA	250w		
BR-2052(L)	7-29-71	RENEWAL			8-1-74
EBSA	6-12-72				
BR-2052(S)	7-31-74	RENEWAL			8-1-77
BTC-8094	9/7/76	InVol TC	EFF: 10/1/76		
BTC-8102	10/14/76	Vol TO	EFF: 11/24/76		
BR-2052(L)	7-29-77	RENEWAL			8-1-80
BR 800318	UF 7-18-80	(S)	RENEWAL		8-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call K P S L
 Letters NEW

Name CHARLES L. CAIN and MERL SAXON,
A Partnership d/b as HAYS COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY
(PO c/o Charles L. Cain, Honey Grove, Texas)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-6307	8-25-47	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: 1470kc Power: 250w Hours of operation: Daytime only Trans. location: To be determined- San Marcos, Texas Studio location: To be determined- San Marcos, Texas	GRANTED	2-27-48
Rec'd	8-28-47		subj. to	filing MP for
Filed	8-28-47		approval	T site and antenna.
			Ltr. 3-18-48	
			Issued with MP 3766	

Transmitter-Collins 300-G

Merl Saxon, Engr.
3524 S. Henderson
Ft. Worth, Texas

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

 #2
 Central Broadcasting Company.

 Call K C N Y (LTR. 7-2)
 Letters ...x... K P S L (48)

 Name ~~CHARLES L. GAIN AND MERL SAXON, a partnership, d/b/a. HAYS COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY~~

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-3766 Rec'd Filed	3-25-48 3-29-48 3-29-48	Mod. of C.P. (BP-6307, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) to make changes in transmitting equipment, and for approval of antenna, transmitter and studio locations at 1103 McKie Street, San Marcos, Texas.	GRANTED	5-27-48
BL-3281 Rec'd Filed	7-19-48 7-21-48 7-21-48	License to cover C.P. (BP-6307, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	8-6-48
BML-1356 Rec'd Filed AMENDED Rec'd. Filed	5-20-49 5-23-49 5-23-49 7-6-49 7-11-49 7-11-49	Mod. of License to change power from 250w daytime to 100w, 250w-LS and change hours of operation from daytime to unlimited. AMENDED to change name of applicant to: Central Broadcasting Company	Docket 9555 Dismissed without prejudice 3-31-50 ORDER ISSUED	

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 6-16-49)

Call

Letters K C N Y

Name * CHARLES L. GAIN and MERL SAXON, a partnership d/b as HAYS COUNTY BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-882 Rec'd Filed	5-17-49 5-31-49 5-31-49	Voluntary Assignment of License from Charles L. Cain and Merl Saxon, A Partnership d/b as Hays County Broadcasting Company <u>to</u> Central Broadcasting Company.	GRANTED EFF:	6-16-49 7-19-49
BTC-846 Rec'd Resubmitted and amended Rec'd Filed	8-25-49 9-12-49 10-17-49 10-31-49 10-31-49	Voluntary relinquishment of control of licensee corporation thru sale of 30% of voting stock from Charles L. Cain to Edward C. James. AMENDED to show sale of 67.25% of voting stock. Krieger & Jorgensen, Attys. per ltr. 3-16-50	Returned Filed on 316 whereas 815 are required. GRANTED EFF:	9-19-49 2-8-50 2-15-50

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters K C N YName CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-3156 Rec'd Filed	4-25-50 5-8-50 5-8-50	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Norman E. Jorgensen, Atty.)	GRANTED	5-19-50
BR-2052 Rec'd	8-23-50 8-25-50	Renewal of license Filed by Norman E. Jorgensen atty.	GRANTED	10-23-50
BZ-3243 Rec'd Filed	11-28-50 12-6-50 12-8-50	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. Norman E. Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED	12-22-50
BR-2052 Rec'd Filed	7-23-53 7-29-53 7-29-53	Renewal of License Filed by Norman E. Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED	12-2-53
BTC-2068 Rec'd Filed	9-19-55 9-21-55 9-21-55	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Edward C. James to Frank Wilson, Jr., and Lawrence M. Walshak, d/b as Gonzales Broadcasting Company (87.53%). Norman Jorgensen, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	10-19-55

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FORM BC-121

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

FORMERLY FORM A-170

Call
Letters ICNYName CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2052 Rec'd Filed	5-3-56 5-7-56 5-7-56	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-18-56
BTC-2526 Rec'd Filed	6-19-57 6-21-57 6-21-57	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Frank Wilson, Jr., and Lawrence M. Malghak to Forest L. Whan, Geraldene J. Whan, Don F. Whan and Jerry Cutler Veidt (joined in by her husband, Wm. O. Veidt) Krieger & Jorgensen, Attys.	GRANTED EFF.	7-18-57 7-29-57
BR-2052 Rec'd Filed	5-2-59 5-27-59	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	9-2-59

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Call
Letters K C N YName Central Broadcasting Company
San Marcos, Texas

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-14939 R&F	7-6-61 7-10-61	C.P. to chg antenna-trans. and studio site from 1103 McKie Street, San Marcos, Texas to 505 Uhland Rd., San Marcos, Texas.	GRANTED	11-3-61
DL-9209 R. & F.	2-21-62 3-5-62	Lie to cover CP(BP-14,939) which auth. chg antenna trans. and studio site to 505 Uhland Rd., San Marcos, Texas.	GRANTED	6-15-62
BR-2052 Rec'd Filed	4-28-62 5-2-62 5-2-62	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	12-20-62
BR-2052 Rec'd Filed	4-26-65 4-30-65 4-30-65	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-16-65
BR-2052 R & F	4-24-68 4-25-68	Renewal of license AMENDED 6-17-68 re: Programming	GRANTED	11-7-68
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Form BC-121
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call
Letters K C N Y

Name CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY
SAN MARCOS, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-2052 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JUN 25 1971	4-20-71 4-23-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 7-12-71 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	7-29-71
BR-2052 R & F PN PRESS MAY 1 1974	4-22-74 4-25-74 4-25-74	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-31-74
BTC-8102 Reb'B FEE PD: \$200 #509162 CODE 047 FIID	7-1-76 7-6-76 7-22-76	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Forest L. Whan, Individually and as Executor of the Estate of Geraldene J. Whan (deceased) to William C. Veidt (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ:pd	10/14/76 11/24/76 12/17/76 W 648104

RE: BTC Forest L. Mhan (transferor) was called 7-22-76
rec. to file 316 (invol) *filed 7-22-76*

Form 315 accepted for filing 7-22-76 (BTC-8102)

NOTED: Table II - occ. not shown Veidt (has been mgr of
KCHY for 19 yrs); Par. 19, Sec. II incorrect (shows transferor
int - not transferee), also par. 20. Past Prog. & proposed
not filed; financing??

AMENDED 9-29-76 - (reply to ltr 9-14-76) Tables I & II
(stockholders, occ etc); financial data; Sec. IV-A (past &
prop. prog); statement re EECOP (less than 5 employees)

K C W Y RECORD OF DENIALS OF INFORMAL APPLICATIONS

WIRE 3-12-59 Com. rules prohibit operation beyond hrs.
Sp-c. in station license. (Sec. 1.331 Rules)

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Call
Letters KCHY

Name CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY
SAN MARCOS, TEXAS

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BTC-8094 R & F Fee pd \$100 Code 047(FORM 316) (Also see TC-8093 - KWPT) AUG 6 1976	7/13/76 7/22/76 W 596147	Involuntary transfer of control of lic corp from Geraldene J. When and Forest Livings When, to Forest Livings When, Individually and as Independent Executor of the Estate of Geraldene J. When, Deceased	GRANTED EFF: NO FFE:	9/7/76 10/6/76
BR-2052 R & F PN Recd. PRESS MAR 28 1977	3-16-77 3-18-77 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	7-29-77
BR800318UF PRESS MAY 07 1980		Renewal of License AMENDED 6-18-80 re: Community Leader Checklist	GRANTED	7-18-80

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KCMY

Name: CENTRAL BROADCASTING COMPANY

Station Location: San Marcos, Texas

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BTC810625FX Form 315 PRESS JUN 1981 PN filed 7-15-81		Vol TC from William C. Veidt to SMR Corporation Atty for transferee Susan A. Marshall	

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.

