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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed October 2, 1941

Call letters XKRJF LOCATION: MILES CITY, MONTANA

Name of licensee

STAR PRINTING COMPANY

U.S. Highway No. -212, South near intersection of road to Miles City Country Club, Miles City, Mont. (C.P.2-13-41) Lic. 10-2-41

Transmitter location To be determined, Wiles City, Montana

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Country Club, Miles City, Mont. (CP 2-13-41) Lic. 10-2-41

Main studio location To be determined, Miles City, Montana

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

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Form BC 126 #3 June 1954

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Transmitter location SEE CARD # 1

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APPLICATION RECORD—BROADCASTING

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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR-		FGTION
			Mont. Nature	DATE
B5-P-2533	9-15-39	C.P. for a new station to be operated on: Frequency - 1310 kc Power - 250w Time - unlimited S & T - to be determined, Miles City, Mont.	Subj. tr enterns Letter m	8-14-40 Doo. 5794 itten th MP-1127
B5-MP-1127 Rec'd. Rec'd. Rec'd.	12-1-40	Modification of construction permit (B5-P-2533) for approval of studio and transmitter sites at U.S. Hiway No. 212, South near intersection of road to Miles City Country Club, Miles City, Montana, approval of antenna and change type of requested transmitting equipment.	Reburned- Ambenna-as Granted	13-13-40- d-not-eigned 2-13-41

Mr.Sykes attorney RCA 250-G,DCC MAX 250w, RCA 66-A,1552 - G.R. 681-A,145 2

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File No.	Dated	Application for		Action
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B5-TC-262 Recd. Filed	2-19-41 2-27-41 2-27-41	Transfer of control of corporation from Sarah M. Scanlan, executrix of the estate of Joseph D. Scanlan, deceased, TO Sarah M. Scanlan. (403 shares)	Granted Effective	4-29-41 5-15-41
B5-L-1506 received	8-29-41 9-2-41	License to cover C.P. (B5-P-2533) as modified, for a new station. Form 335 filed. Mr.Fletcher filed application.	Grantou	10-2-41
B5-Z-1231 Received	8-29-41 9-2-41	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement. 335 files.	Granted	10-2-41
B5-R-1143	7-22-42	Renewal of license and Forms 335 Filed by E. O. Sykes atty.	Granted	9-22-42
B5-R-1143	3-15-43	Renewal of license	Granted	5-18-43

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
B5-R-1143 Rec*d	4-25-45 4-30-45	Renewal of license Filed by John C. Spearman atty. Attywill-file-amendPar5(g)-&-11b Amend. filed 5-9-45	Granted	6-5-45
B5-R-1143 Rec'd	11-27-46 12-2-46	Renewal of license Filed by John Spearman atty.	GRANTED	1-30-47
BR-1143 Rec'd	11-21-49 11-25-49	Renewal of License Frank Roberson, Atty.	GRANTED	1-25-50
BR-1143 Rec'd Filed	10-24-52 10-31-52 10-31-52	Renewal of license	GRANTED	1_7_53

FORM A-170 #4 FORMERLY FCC FORM 94

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion Date
R-1143 Rec'd Filed	3-2-53 3-13-53 3-13-53	Renewal of License (Informal request)	GRANTED	3-25-53
BR-1143 Rec'd Filed	12-19-55 12-27-55 12-27-55	Renewal of License	GRANTED	3-7-56
RP-11,270 Rec'd Filed	4-23-57 4-29-57 4-29-57	Construction permit to install a new transmitter (RCA BTA-250L) as an alternate Main transmitter at present location of Main transmitter to be operated on 1340kc, with power of 250w Um.	GRANTED	5-8-57
BL-6961 Rec'd Filed	12-12-57 12-16-57 12-16-57	License to cover construction permit BP-11,270 which authorized installation of a new transmitter (RCA BTA-250L) as an alternate Main transmitter at present location of main transmitter and to be operated on 1340kc, 250w un.	GRANTED	2-5-58
	以为 50%	F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

FORM BC-121 #5 Aug. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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STAR PRINTING COMPANY Name

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date Date	
BR-1143 Rec'd Filed	12-4-58 12-8-58 12-8-58	Renewal of License (Main & Alt. Main)	GRANTES	3-4-59	
BP-12,755 Rec'd Filed	1-2-59 1-8-59 1-8-59	Construction permit to increase daytime power from 250w to 1kw and install new transmitter (Collins 20V) Atty Koteen & Burt Engr Carl E. Smith Consulting Engrs Brecksville, Ohio	GRANTED	4-8-60	
BL-8064 Rec'd Filed	3-1-60 8-3-60 8-3-60	License to cover C.P. (BP-12,755) which authorized increase in daytime power and installation of new transmitter (specified as Collins 20V-2). Atty Koteen & Burt	GRANTED	10-28-60	
NR-1143 Rec'd Filed	12-22-61 12-26-61	Renewal of License (Main)	GRANTED 3	23-62	

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Aug. 1955

File No.	Dated	Application for	Act Nature	lon Date
BTC-3952 Rec'd Filed	1-11-62 1-15-62 1-15-62	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Sarah M. Scanlan to Robert J. Scanlan, Executor of the Estate of Sarah M. Scanlan, Deceased.	GRANTED EFF:	2-1-62
Rec'd	12-22-61 12-26-61	Renewal of License (Ulternate Main)	TO LE FIL	FEB 1 9 1902 ED 302 FOR AL AUX. DAY
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		F.C.C WASHINSTON, D. G.		

FORM BC-121 #7

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	tion Date
BTC-h132 Rec'd Filed	9-27-62 10-2-62 10-2-62	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Robert J. Scanlan, Executor of the Estate of Sarah M. Scanlan, Deceased to Robert J. Scanlan.	Granted Eff:	AND RESIDENCE OF THE PARTY OF T
BR-1143 Rec'd Filed	12-16-64 12-21-64 12-21-64	Renewal of license (Main and Aux./Alternate Main	GRANTED	#XXXXXX###2 3-12-65
BTC-4984 R & F	11-12-65 12-8-65	Voluntary transfer of control of lic. corp. from Robert J. Scanlan and Marjorie A.McAule to Eastern Montana Publishing Co.	GRANTED EFF:	4-20-66
		Atty - Samuel Miller		
BR-1143 R & F FEB 9 198	1-2-68	Renewal of license (Main & Aux.Alt.Main)	GRANTED	3-29-68
		P. G. G WASHINSTON, D. G.		TO THE REAL PROPERTY.

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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BTC -6294 R & F FEE PD: \$30 - Gurm 31676	6-6-70 6-24-70 #610970	Voluntary acquisition of positive control of Eastern Montana Publishing Commany (92% stock holder of lic. corp) by William H. and Helen D. Hornby thru purchase of stock from Robert and Nancy R. Chandler Atty - Cohn & Marks	EFF:	8-14-70 8-21-70
BR-1143 R & F P.N. PRESS JAN 2 0 1971	12-30-70 1-7-71 1-7-71	Renewal of License (Main & AuxAlt. Main) AMENDED 2-26-71 re: programming; commerical ne	GRANTED	3-25-71
BTC-6797 R & F FEE FD: \$25 (Form 316)	2-9-72 2-16-72 #012161 FEB 25	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of Eastern Montana Publishing Company (majority stockholder of lic corp) by William H. and Helen D. Hornby thru transfer of stock to John C. Sullivan (12%) Atty - Cohn & Marks F.C.C. WASHINGTON. D. C.	EFF: 5-4	

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MILES CITY, MONTANA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
R-1143 R&F PN PRESS	1-2-74 1-7-74 1-7-74 25 JAN 1974	Renewal of License(Main & Aux-Alt. Main) AMENDED 3-11-74 re: engineering data; translogs	GRANTED	3-28-74
BR-1143 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	11-30-76 12-2-76 " DEC 17 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN & ALTER.& AUX.TRANS.	Granted	3-22-77
R791204VD RESS	3 1980	Renewal of License	GRANTED	6-19-80
		F.C.C WASHINGTON, D. C.		

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 h andwritten 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.

