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BROADCASTING STAT ON LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 6-25-47

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Location: Corbin, Kentucky

MARY HEATH ROBINSON et al tr/as CRAWFORD ENTERPRISES (AL 12-8-80, EFF: 12-9-80)
xTRI-COUNTY BROADCASTING, INC. (AL 10-24-80 EFF: 12-9-80)

Name of licensee x THE CORBIN TIMES-TRIBUNE

Old Wilton Road,
0.5 mile east of Woodbine, Kentucky (MP 1-9-51) Lic. 9-12-51

X On county rd. off Rt. 25, 1/2 mi. S.E. of Woodbine, Ky. (OP 9-17-50)

Transmitter location On U.S. Highway #25-W, 7 mi. S.E. of Corbin City Limits, Ky. (MP 9-5-46)
(Lic. 6-25-47)

105 North Kentucky Avenue, Corbin, Kentucky (LETTER - 9-21-81)

X Corner Kentucky Ave., & Monroe St., Corbin, Ky. (BRC-648)

xCumberland Falls Road, Corbin, Kentucky (Lic. 9-12-51)

X To be determined, Corbin, Kentucky (OP 9-17-50)

Main studio location On U.S. Highway #25-W, 7 mi. S.E. of Corbin City Limits, KY. (MP 9-6-46)
(Lic. 6-25-47)

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
B2-P-4656	6-18-46	1400	250w	U	
	Letter 6-18-46 C.P. granted for new station subject to filing MP for approval of T site and antenna (Conditional Clause)				
B2-P-4656	9-5-46	1400	250w	U	11-5 5-5-47
B2-MP-1974	Mod.C.P.(4656) for change in type T, approval of antenna & T & S sites (Conditional Clause)				
B2-MP-2150	10-7-46	Mod.CP(4656 as mod.) for changes in antenna and change type of T			11-5 5-5-47 (Conditional Clause)
BL-2430	6-25-47	1400	250w	U	6-25 8-1-47
BZ-2244	Lic. to cover CP (4656 as mod.) for a new station and determine operating power by direct measurement (CONDITIONAL CLAUSE)				
BS-1665	7-31-47	Extension of license			8-1 10-1-47
BS-1665	9-25-47	Extension of license			10-1 12-1-47
BR-1665	11-13-47	1400	250w	U	11-13 8-1-50
BZ-3009	3-4-49	1400	250w	U	3-4 8-1-50
	Determine opr. power by direct method.				
BR-1665	7-21-50	1400	250w	U	8-1 8-1-53
MP-5393	1-17-51	680	1kw-DA-N	U	10-17 10-17-51
	CP to change freq., power, install DA-N and new T & S locations. (COND. CLAUSE)				
MP-5393	1-9-51	680	1kw-DA-N	U	10-15 4-17-51
	Mod.C.P.(7037) to chg. T site & chg. type T (Cond)				
MP-5537	4-20-51	Mod. of CP(7037 as mod) for ext. of completion date. (COND. CLAUSE)			10-15 8-17-51
BL-4485	9-12-51	680	1kw*	U	9-12 8-1-52
	*DA-N (COND'L CLAUSE)				
	Lic. cover CP 7037 as mod. for chg. in freq., incr. power, install new T and DA for night and chg. T&S locations				
BR-1665	7-17-52	680kc	1 kw	U	8-1-52 8-1-55
	DA-N (Cond'l Clse)				
BRC-648 (1)	2-4-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Corner of Kentucky Avenue and Monroe St., Corbin, Kentucky while using non-directional antenna			
BR-1665	7-27-55	680kc	1kw, DA-N	U	8-1 8-1-58

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Location: Corbin, Kentucky

Station location _____

Name of licensee _____

Transmitter location _____

Main studio location _____

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div	Period From To
BR-1665	7-2-58	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1 8-1-61
	7-26-61	Comm. deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BR-1665	10-11-62	680kc	1kw	DA-N, Un	10-11 8-1-64
BR-1665	7-10-64	680kc.	1kw	U	8-1 8-1-67
BS-1665 (1)	8-17-65	Mod. of lic to change geographic coordinates. (Memo)			
BZ-6358	4-25-67	680kc	1kw	DA-N U	4-25 8-1-67
BR-1665	7-18-67	Renewal of License Renewal of NDEA			8-1 8-1-70
BRC-3177 (1)	1-29-68	Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Kentucky at Monroe St., Corbin, Kentucky.			
COMPL	6-30-70	Phase Monitor: News-Clarke 112			
BR-1665(L)	7-30-70	RENEWAL & NDEA			8-1-73
BTC-6393	10-29-70	INVOL. TC EFF: 11-30-70			
EBSA	5-25-72				
BR-1665(L)	7-31-73	RENEWAL			8-1-76
BS-1665(L)	1-6-74	ML chg. to CST			
BTC-7609	1-13-75	Vol. TC. EFF:			
COMLET	11-27-74	chg back to EST.			
BR-1665(L)	1-19-77	Renewal of License			8-1-79
BR790402UN (S)	7-18-79	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			8-1-82
BAL801006CM	10-24-80	VOL AL			EFF:
BTC801006GO	10-24-80	Vol TC EFF:			
BAL801117ED	12-8-80	VOL AL,			EFF: 12-9-80
LETTER	9-21-81	SL & RC now loc. at: 105 North Kentucky Avenue, Corbin, Kentucky			

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name THE CORBIN TIMES-TRIBUNE,
(P.O. 308 South Main Street, Corbin, Kentucky)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-P-4656	2-16-46	Construction Permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency - 1400 kc Power - 250w Hours of operation - Unlimited time Trans. Location - To be determined, Corbin, Ky. Studio Location - 308 S. Main Street Corbin, Kentucky. (Filed by John C. Spearman, atty.)	GRANTED subject to filing MP for approval of T site and antenna and Conditional re waiver 3.55(b) and 3.60 Letter Issued with MP-1974	5-10-46
Rec'd	3-11-46			
Filed	3-27-46			

Gates Radio Co. 250-A

Fred C. Grimwood, Quincy, Ill., Engr.

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Letters W C T TName THE CORBIN TIMES-TRIBUNE

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BT-MP-1974 Rec'd Filed	7-5-46 7-8-46 7-8-46	Mod. of C.P. (E2-F-4656, which authorized a new standard broadcast station) change type of transmitter to (GATES 250-0-1) for approval of antenna change and for approval of transmitter location on U. S. Highway #25-W, .7 mi. S.E. of Corbin city limits, Corbin, Kentucky and change studio location from: 308 Main Street, Corbin, Kentucky to: On U. S. Highway #25-W, .7 mi. S. E. of Corbin City limits, Corbin, Kentucky. (Filed by John C. Spearman, Atty.)	GRANTED (Conditional re waiver Section 3.55(b))	9-5-46

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B2-MP-2150 Rec'd Filed	9-12-46 9-17-46 9-17-46	Modification of construction permit (B2-P-4656, which authorized a new standard broadcast station, as mod.,) to make changes in antenna and to change type of transmitter (Raytheon RA-250).	GRANTED Conditional re waiver 3.55(b)	10-7-46
BL-2430 Rec'd Filed	4-30-47 5-2-47 5-2-47	License to cover C.P. (B2-P-4656, as mod.,) which authorized a new standard broadcast station. XXXXXXXX and Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.	GRANTED conditional re waiver 3.55(b)	6-25-47
BZ-2244 Rec'd Filed	4-30-47 5-2-47 5-2-47	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.		
BR-1665 Rec'd	9-15-47 9-17-47	Renewal of license Oper. logs filed 9-25-47 Amend. filed 11-12-47	Granted	11-13-47

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BP-7037 Recd. Filed	12-9-48 12-13-48 12-13-48	Construction permit to change frequency from 1400kc to 680kc; increase power from 250w to 1kw; install DA for night use; and install new transmitter (Raytheon RA-1000) John C. Spearman, Atty.	Docket #318 33A-TTB 12-17-48 after hearing. C.F. and Order Issued. re planning clause; re instruments shall be installed in transmitter room; re field zone. equip; re that a DA-non- DA survey be made and accepted by the Comm. prior to issuance of lic.	
AMENDED Recd. Filed	4-4-49 4-6-49 4-6-49	AMENDED re changes in DA-N pattern A. D. Ring, Engr.		
AMENDED Recd. Filed	8-24-49 8-29-49 9-9-49	AMENDED to change transmitter location from On U.S. Highway 25-W, 0.7 mile S.E. of city limits of Corbin, Kentucky, <u>to</u> On County Road off Route 26, $\frac{1}{2}$ mile Southwest of Woodbine, near Woodbine, Kentucky, and change studio location from On U.S. Highway 25-W, 0.7 mile S.E. of city limits of Corbin, Kentucky, <u>to</u> "to be determined", Corbin, Kentucky.		
AMENDED Recd. Filed	12-28-49 12-29-49 1-4-50	AMENDED to change tolerance values of DA-N pattern		

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-3009 Rec'd. Filed	1-26-49 2-2-49 2-2-49	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (A. D. Ring, Engr.)	GRANTED	3-4-49
BR-1665 Rec'd	5-15-50 5-17-50	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-21-50
BZ-5093 Rec'd Filed	11-3-50 11-3-50 11-7-50	Modification of construction permit BR-7637, which authorized change frequency, increase power, installation of a new transmitter and DA-5 and change transmitter and studio locations) to change transmitter location from Co county road off Route 26, 1/2 mile southwest of Woodbine, Kentucky to 0.5 mile east of Woodbine, Kentucky and change type of transmitter (Gates BC-1E). John C. Spearman, Atty. A. D. Ring, Engr.	GRANTED	1-9-51 re blanketing; re instruments installed in T room indicating relative amplitude & phase of currents; field meas. equip. available & record kept; non-DA proof in addition to DA proof.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BMP-5537	4-7-51	Modification of construction permit (BP-7037, as modified, which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of a new transmitter and directional antenna for night use and change transmitter and studio locations) for extension of completion date from 4-17-51 to 8-17-51. Russell Rowell, Atty.	GRAANTED	4-20-51
Rec'd.	4-11-51			
Filed	4-11-51			

re blanketing clause; re instruments shall be installed in transmitter room; re field meas. equipment; re that a DA-non-DA field intensity survey be made & accepted by Com prior to issuance of lic.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-4485 Rec'd. Filed	6-28-51 7-3-51 7-3-51	License to cover construction permit (BP-7037, as modified), which authorized change in frequency, increase in power, installation of a new transmitter and directional antenna for night use and change transmitter and studio locations. Russell Rowell, Atty. Raymond P. Aylor, Engr.	GRANTED Cond'l re	9-12-51 blanketing
BR-1665 Rec'd Filed	4-29-52 5-1-52 5-1-52	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-17-52
BRC-648 Rec'd Filed	1-27-55 1-31-55 1-31-55	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Corner Kentucky Avenue and Monroe Street, Corbin, Kentucky, while using non-directional antenna Russell Rowell, Atty.	GRANTED	2-4-55

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Corbin, Kentucky 40701

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-1665 Rec'd Filed	4-18-55 4-21-55 4-21-55	Renewal of license	GRANTED	7-27-55
BR-1665 Rec'd Filed	5-3-58 5-5-58 5-5-58	Renewal of License	GRANTED	7-2-58
BR-1665 Rec'd Filed	4-17-61 5-10-61 5-10-61	Renewal of License. Henry R. Goldstein, Atty.	GRANTED	10-11-62
BR-1665 R & F	4-30-64 5-6-64	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	7-10-64
BZ-6358 R & F	1/30/67 2/1/67	Auth. to determine operating power by direct meas. of antenna power. Atty: R. Rowell Engr: W. L. Braun, Washington, D. C.	GRANTED	4-25-67

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CORBIN, KENTUCKY

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BH-1665 R & F	4-2-67 5-2-67	Renewal of license. Atty: Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenchen & Hildreth	GRANTED	7-18-67
BRC-3177 Rec'd Resub. R & F OCT 3 1967	7-13-67 8-1-67 9-25-67 9-27-67	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Kentucky at Monroe Street, Corbin, Kentucky (DA-N). Atty.: Russell Rowell	Returned Engineering data has been dated after Sect. 1. GRANTED	9-20-67 1-29-68 1-29-68
BR-1665 R & F #598126 \$75 PRESS: JUN 8 1970	4-25-70 5-4-70 5-4-70	Renewal of License Atty - Russell Rowell (Fletcher, Heald etc.) AMENDED 6-26-70 re: engineering (skel. proof)	GRANTED	7-30-70
BTC-6393 R&F \$250 #636596 (316) 053 OCT 28 1970	10-9-70 10-14-70 10-14-70	Invol. Transfer of control of lic. corp. from J. Springer Robinson to R. Springer Hoskins, Executor, under the Will, of the Estate of J. Springer Robinson, Deceased. Atty: Russell Rowell	GRANTED EFF:	10-29-70 11-30-70

Form BC-121
September 1969

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Corbin, Kentucky

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-1665 R & F P.N. PRESS JUN 4 1974	4-27-73 5-3-73 5-3-73	Renewal of License Atty.: Russell Rowell AMENDED 5-4-73 re: engineering	GRANTED	7-31-73
BTC-7609 R & F FEE PD: \$1000 #365882 (CODE 047 ALSO SEE FM DEC 11 1974	11-6-74 11-19-74	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from R. Springer Hoskins, Executor, under the Will, of the Estate of J. Springer Robinson, Deceased, to R. Springer Hoskins, Mary Heath Robinson John L. Crawford, James L. Crawford and James O. Crawford Atty - Fletcher, Heald etc (R. Rowell)	GRANTED EFF:	1-13-75
BR-1665 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	3-24-76 4-1-76 MAY 7 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Marvin Rosenberg, Atty.	Granted	1-19-77

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TRI-COUNTY BROADCASTING, INC.

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Corbin, Kentucky

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR790402UN PRESS APR 24 1979		Renewal of License Atty. David N. Sternlicht	GRANTED	7-18-79
BAL801006GM Form 316 PRESS OCT 17 1980 Also see WCTT-FM		Voluntary assignment of license to Tri-County Broadcasting, Inc. Atty-Marvin Rosenberg	GRANTED EFF:	10-24-80
BTC801006GO Form 316 PRESS OCT 17 1980 Also see WCTT-FM		Voluntary transfer of control lic corp from The Corbin Times-Tribune (Parent Corp of Licensee) to Mary Heath Robinson, R. Springer Hoskins, John L. Crawford et al Atty-Marvin Rosenberg MUTUALLY CONTINGENT ON GR OF BAL801006GM	GRANTED EFF:	10-24-80

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MARY HEATH ROBINSON et al tr/as CRAWFORD ENTERPRISES

Name: XTRI-COUNTY BROADCASTING, INC.

Station Location: Corbin, Kentucky

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BAL801117ED Form 316 PRESS DEC 8 1980 Also see WCTT-FM PN FILED 4-9-81		Vol AL to Mary Heath Robinson, et al tr/as Crawford Enterprises Atty-Marvin Rosenberg	GRANTED 12-8-80 EFF: 12-9-80
BAL810327FC Form 316 PRESS APR 30 1981 Also see WCTT-FM		Vol AL to Mary Heath Robinson, R. Springer Hoskins, Katherine Crawford, John L. Crawford tr/as Crawford Enterprises	
BAL810319HG Form 314 PRESS APR 30 1981 Also see WCTT-FM		Vol AL to Crawford Broadcasting, Inc. Atty David N. Sternlicht	EFF: 6-9-81

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.

