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Date First Licensed..... 3-21-22

Call Letters ..... KOW

Portland, Oregon

KING BROADCASTING COMPANY (AL 12-10-57) EFF: 1-1-58

- x PIONEER BROADCASTING COMPANY (ML- 3-27-56)
- x NORTH PACIFIC TELEVISION, INC. (AL 1-5-56 EFF: 1-17-56)
- x PIONEER BROADCASTERS, INC. (AL 12-5-50 Eff: 12-6-50)
- x Oregonian Publishing Company

Name of Licensee:

- Denver Avenue near Swift Blvd., North Portland, Oregon (Redescribed 5-31-66)
- x Denver Avenue near Swift Road, North Portland, Oregon (Lic. 4-23-35)
- ex North Portland Road, Near Denver Avenue, Faloma, Oregon (R-12-19-34)

Denver Ave., near Swift Road, Faloma, Oregon. (Ren. 12-22-33 no chg.)  
Faloma, Oregon (C-P-2-13-31) (Lic. 9-4-31)

Transmitter Location:

135 6th, Portland, Oregon (6th and Alder Sts.,)

- 1501 S.W. Jefferson Street, Portland, Oregon (BRC 5-31-66)
- x Denver Avenue near Swift Road, North Portland, Oregon (Ltr. 11-12-54)

x 1320 S.W. Broadway, Portland, Oregon Ltr. 7-23-48

x 1017 S.W. Sixth Avenue, Portland, Oregon (Affidavit 5-19-44)

615 S.W. (Sts. renumbered Ren. 12-22-33)  
-325- Alder Street (Letter 1-23-35)

Main Studio Location:

x 7th Floor, Oregonian Bldg. / Portland, Oregon. (1-1-29)

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# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
5-S-B-90	T.P. 4-21-27	610	1000	-	not stated	
"	6-1-27	610	1000	-	6-1	7-31-27
	Effective date of previous license deferred					
				by G.O. 13 to	8-15	8-15-27
5-R-B-90	8-8-27	letter of extension			8-15	10-15-27
	extended by G.O. 18				10-15	11-1-27
5-R-B-90	10-24-27	letter of extension			1-1	1-1-28
	extended by G.O. 21				1-1	2-1-28
"	" " 22				2-1	3-1-28
"	" " 23				3-1	4-1-28
"	" " 25				4-1	5-1-28
"	" " 27				5-1	6-1-28
"	" " 33				6-1	8-1-28
"	" " 35				8-1	9-1-28
"	" " 38				9-1	10-1-28
"	" " 44				10-1	11-11-28
5-R-B-90	location 11-11-28	620	1 KW	-		
5-R-B-90	11-2-28	620	1 KW	-	11-11	1-31-29
5-R-B-90	1-16-29	620	1 KW	-	1-31	4-30-29
5-R-B-90	4-8-29	620	1 KW	-	4-30	7-31-29
5-R-B-90	License extended by G.O. 69				7-31	10-31-29
5-R-B-90	10-12-29	620	1 KW	---	10-31	1-31-30
5-R-B-90	1-9-30	620	1 KW	-	1-31	4-30-30
5-R-B-90	4-24-30	620	1 KW	- -	4-30	7-31-30
5-R-B-90	7-7-30	620	1 KW	-	7-31	10-31-30
5-R-B-90	10/13/30	620	1 KW	Unltd.	10/31	1/31/31
5-R-B-90	Licenses extended by G.O. 103-				1-31	4-30-31
5-P-B-1873	2-13-31	To move trans.			3-16	4-30-31
G.O. 103	1-20-31	Extension of License			1-31	4-30-31
5-R-B-90	4-22-31	620	1KW	Unltd	4-30	9-1-31
5-MP-B-216	6-26-31	Extension of CP		dates	3-16	9-16-31
5-R-B-90	8-4-31	620	1KW	Unltd.	9-1	3-1-32
5-L-B-676	9-4-31	620	1KW	Unltd.	9-4	3-1-32
5-Z-B-46	1-22-32	620	1 KW	Unltd.	1-22	3-1-32
5-R-B-90	2-12-32	620	1 KW	Unltd.	3-1	9-1-32
5-F-B-166	3-18-32	Automatic frequency control				
5-R-B-90	8-12-32	620	1 KW	Unltd.	9-1	3-1-33
5-R-B-90	2-10-33	620	1KW	U.	3-1	9-1-33
5-R-B-90	8-4-33	620	1kw	U	9-1	3-1-34
5-R-B-90	2-6-34	620	1KW	U	3-1	9-1-34

Date First

Licensed.....\*

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Letters K G W

Name of

Licensee: Oregonian Publishing Company

Transmitter

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

Main Studio

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

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## BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Card No. 3

Date first licensed .....

Call letters KGWName of licensee Oregonian Publishing Company

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	DATE ISSUED	FREQ.	POWER	TIME Div.	PERIOD	
					From	To
B5-R-90	8-16-38	620	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	3-1-39
B5-R-90	2-6-39	620	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	3-1	9-1-39
B5-TC-176	5-8-39	Vol. Transfer of Control of Station				
B5-S-90	8-3-39	TC Broadcast on 8-6-39 from Tillamock Rock Light Oregon received at Tonguepoint involving use of U.S. Lighthouse Service Radio Link				
B5-R-90	8-8-39	620	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	9-1	4-1-40
B5-R-90	3-22-40	620	1kw, 5kw-LS	U	4-1	8-1-40
B5-S-90	4-13-40	620	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-2954	1-21-41	620	5kw*	U	3-21	9-21-41
	C.P. incr. night power and install *DA for day and night use.					
NAHBA REALLOCATION						
B5-R-90	3-24-41	620	1kw-5kw-LS	U	3-29	4-1-42
B5-MP-1392	9-18-41	Mod. C.P. 2954 for extension of completion date			3-21	11-21-41
B5-MP-1435	11-6-41	Mod. CP 2954 as mod., for extension of completion date			3-21	12-21-41
B5-L-1591	2-5-42	620	5kw*	U	2-5	4-1-42
B5-2-1328						
	Lic. cover CP 2954 as mod., for incr. in power and install DA; also direct measurement					
B5-S-90	3-17-42	Extension of license			4-1	5-1-42
B5-R-90	4-7-42	620	5kw*	U	4-7	6-1-44
	*DA					
B5-S-90	11-6-42	620	5kw*	U	12-1	6-1-44
	*DA					
	Mod. license in accordance with Order #107					
B5-S-90	9-30-44	Extension of license			6-1	9-1-44
B5-S-90	8-29-44	Extension of license			9-1	11-1-44

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ..... K O W

Name of licensee ..... OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....



# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
B5-S-90	10-30-44	Extension of license			11-1 1-1-45
B5-S-90	12-19-45	Extension of license			1-1 3-1-45
B5-R-90	2-8-45	620	5kw*	U *DA	2-8 5-1-46
B5-S-90	7-10-45	620	5kw* *DA-D&N	U	10-1 5-1-46
Mod. Lic. Order 107-A					
B5-S-90	4-26-46	Extension of license			5-1 7-1-46
B5-S-90	6-20-46	Extension of license			7-1 9-1-46
B5-R-90	6-6-46	620	5kw*	U *DA-Day and night	6-6 5-1-49
BP-6887	8-24-48	620	5kw-DA	U	10-24 4-24-49
CP to install a new type of T.					
BR-90	4-20-49	620	5kw DA	U	5-1 5-1-52
BL-3625	4-22-49	620	5kw-DA	U	4-22 5-1-49
Lic. to cover CP (6887) to install a new transmitter.					
BL-3067	7-27-49	620	5kw-DA	U	7-27 5-1-52
Determine opr. power by direct method.					
BP-7371	11-16-49	620	1kw	Aux.	1-16 7-16-50
CP to install a General Electric transmitter at 4545 SW Council Chest Drive, Portland Oregon for aux. purposes only.					
BL-3903	12-28-49	620	1kw-	Aux.	12-28 5-1-52
Lic. to cover CP (7371) to install a G.E. transmitter at 4545 S.W. Council Chest Drive, Portland Ore.					
BS-90	4-25-50	620	5kw-DA	U	4-25 5-1-52
Mod. of lic. changing phase monitor reading on east tower.					
BZ-3169	6-20-50	620	1kw	Aux.	6-20 5-1-52
Auth. to determine power by direct meas. (Aux. T) (CONCL. CLAUSE)					
BAL-1114	12-5-50	Voluntary assignment of license to			
Eff: 12-6-50		PIONEER BROADCASTERS, INC.			

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters ..... K G W .....

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-
BTC-1059 Eff: 3-15-51	2-21-51	Voluntary transfer of control of licensed corp. from The Scott Company, Mrs. F. W. Leadbetter, E. B. MacNaughton, Trustee, Georgiana G. Aston, Rhoda J. Adams, R. P. Cantenbein, Portland Trust & Savings Bk, Trustee & Michael J. Frey to Mitzi E. Newhouse, Samuel I. Newhouse, Jr. & Donald Newhouse			
BR-90 Aux.	4-17-52	620	5kw-DA-1 1kw	U Aux.	5-1 2-1-54
BTC-1319 EFF	6-25-52 6-26-52	Vol. Acquisition of control by Samuel I. Newhouse, Jr. thru sale of stock from Donald E. Newhouse			
BTC-1588 EFF:	10-21-53 11-18-53	Vol. transfer of control from SAMUEL I. NEWHOUSE, JR., MITZIE E. NEWHOUSE, H. QUINTON COX, DONALD NEWHOUSE AND CHARLES GOLDMAN to KING BROADCASTING COMPANY, HENRY A. KUCKENBERG, PAUL F. MURPHY, GORDON D. ORPUT, W. CALDER McCALL AND PRESCOTT W. COOKINGHAM.			
BR-90	1-6-54	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Main and Aux.			2-1 2-1-57
BS-90 (1)	3-10-54	Mod. lic. chg. ant. base and phase monitor current ratios per Memo of Aural Fac. Div.			
BAL-2194 EFF:	1-5-56 1-17-56	Voluntary assignment of license to North Pacific Television, Inc.			
BML-1661	3-27-56	620kc	5kw-DA-1	U	3-27-56 2-1-57
		Mod. of license to change name of licensee to Pioneer Broadcasting Company.			
BMI-1661	3-27-56	620kc	1kw	AUX.	3-27-56 2-1-57
		Mod. of license to change name of licensee to Pioneer Broadcasting Company.			
BP-10545 •	5-18-56	620kc	1kw	AUX.	7-18-56 1-18-57
		CP to add Domestic Public Land Mobile antenna on top of Aux. tower (COND.)			
BR-90	1-17-57	Renewal of license Main and Aux.			2-1 2-1-60
BAL-2873 Eff:	12-10-57 1-1-58	Voluntary assignment of license to King Broadcasting Company			
	1-27-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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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-90	3-30-60	620	5kw DA-1 1 kw	U AUX	3-30	2-1-63	
Letter	11-8-60	Cancellation of license for auxiliary transmitter, BR-90 dated 3-30-60.					
BS-90	9-17-62	620kc	5kw-DA-1	U	9-17	2-1-63	
		Mod. of license to change operating specifications and redescribe monitoring points.					
BR-90	1-29-63	Renewal of license			2-1	2-1-66	
BTC-4931	11-16-65	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic. corp. by Dorothy S. Bullitt thru transfer of stock to Stimson Bullitt, et al					
	Eff: 11-22-65						
BR-90	1-14-66	Renewal of license			2-1	2-1-69	
BRC-2889	5-31-66	620kc	5kw-DA-1	U	5-31	2-1-69	
		Mod. of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 299 N.W. Skyline Drive, Portland, Oregon (TV transmitter site).					
BP-17368	10-3-66	620kc	1kw-DA-1	Aux.	12-3	6-3-67	
		CP to install new auxiliary transmitter (General Electric XT-1A) at present site of main trans., to be operated on 620kc, 1kw, DA-1, for auxiliary purposes only, with RC from 299 NW Skyline Drive, Portland, Oreg. (TV trans. site).					
BL-11,626	4-27-67	620kc	1kw-DA-1	Aux.	4-27	2-1-69	
		Lic to cover CP (BP-17,368) which auth install new aux. trans at present trans loc. with RC for aux. purposes only.					
BR-90 (S)	1-31-69	Renewal of License & NDEA (Main & Aux.)			2-1	2-1-72	
BR-90 (S)	2-8-72	RENEWAL MAIN & AUX. NDEA			2-1	2-1-75	
KBSA	5-25-72						
BP-19,263	8-7-72	620kc	5kw DA-N	U	8-7	8-7-73	
		CP to change to DA-N. (Main & Aux.)					

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# BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Station location Portland, Oregon

Name of licensee .....

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

# CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From - To
BP-19,263(1)	9-12-72	Mod. of	(BP-19,263)		to chg. theoretical spec.
BP-19,263(2)	10-18-72	Mod. of	BP-19,263		to operate trans. by RC from 299 N.W. Skyline Dr. Portland, Oregon (TV transmitter site.
BP-19,515	11-27-73	CP install	Alt. trans. 620khz 5kw DA-N RC U		11-27-74
BL-13,315(L)	4-15-74	Lic. BP-19263			as mod for changes (Main & Auxiliary) 2-1-75
BL-13,708(L)	6-14-74	Lic to cover	BP-19515		for new alternate transmitter 2-1-75
BS-90(L)	6-24-74	changes of 63 <sup>rd</sup> MP			2-1-75
		Alts. & Aux 620khz 5kw DA-N U Alts. 1kw DA-N Aux.			
Comlet	8-12-74	Art Monitor:	Potomac Inst.		AM-19 (204)
BR-90(S)	2-13-75	Renewal of License			(Main & Alt. Main-Auxiliary) 2-1-78
BS-90(1)	3-15-76	Trans. oper. by RC			from main studio location
BR-90(L)	1-19-78	Renewal of License			(Main & Alt.-Aux. 2-1-81
C-1171	9-24-79	sample system			comptio s

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Company ..... CALL LETTERS: KGW.....

ADDRESS: 135 6th, Portland, Oregon ..... FILE NO: 5-2-29 DATED: 4-2-27.....

Present

Assignment: 610 kc. 1000 w. .... ACTION: T.P. 4-21-27; 610 kc. 1000 w. ....

Requested: same ..... lic. 6-1-27; 610 kc. 1000 w. unlim. ....

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Company ..... CALL LETTERS: KGW.....

ADDRESS: 135 6th, Portland, Ore. .... FILE NO: 5-2-29 DATED: 8-4-27.....

Present

Assignment: 610 kc. 1000 w. unlim. .... ACTION: 6-8-27 letter of ext. ....

Requested: same ..... 8-15 to 10-15-27.....

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Company ..... CALL LETTERS: KGW.....

ADDRESS: 135 6th, Portland, Oregon ..... FILE NO: 5-2-29 DATED: 10-4-27.....

Present

Assignment: 610 kc. 1000 w. unli. .... ACTION: 10-24-27 letter of ext. ....

Requested: same ..... 11-1 to 1-1-28.....



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STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Company ..... CALL LETTERS: KGW  
 ADDRESS: 135 6th St., Portland, Oregon ..... FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED 1-11-28  
 Present  
 Assignment: 610 kc. 1000 w. unlim. .... ACTION Lic. 11-2-28; 620 kc. 1 KW  
 Requested: renewal ..... unlim. 11-11 1-31-29

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Company ..... CALL LETTERS: KGW  
 ADDRESS: 135 6th, Portland, Oregon ..... FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED: 12-15-28  
 Present  
 Assignment: 620 kc. 1 KW unlim. .... ACTION: Lic. 1-16-29; 620 kc.  
 Requested: same ..... 1 KW unlim. 1-31 4-30-29

APPLICANT: OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY ..... CALL LETTERS: KGW  
 ADDRESS: 325 Alder St., Portland, Oregon ..... FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED 3/26/29  
 Present  
 Assignment: 620 kc. 1 KW Unlimited ..... ACTION Lic. 4/8/29 620 kc. 1 KW  
 Requested: Renewal. ..... Unlimited. Period 4/30 to 7/31/29.

No. 3

## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Co. CALL LETTERS: KGW

ADDRESS: 325 Alder St., Portland, Oregon. FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED: 6/7/29

Present Assignment: 620 kc. 1 kw. Unlimited ACTION: G.O. 69 7/31 to 10/31

Requested: ~~Request~~ Renewal

APPLICANT: OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: KGW

ADDRESS: Sixth & Alder Sts., Oregonian Bldg.,  
Portland, Oregon. FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED: 9/28/29Present Assignment: 620 kc. 1 KW. Unlimited ACTION: Lic. 10-12-29  
620 kc. 1 KW. Unlimited  
Per. 10-31-29 to 1-31-30

Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY CALL LETTERS: KGW

ADDRESS: Sixth & Alder Sts., Oregonian Bldg., Portland,  
Oregon. FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED: 12-19-29  
Renewal License

Present Assignment: 620 kc. 1 KW. Unlimited ACTION: Per: 1-31 4-30-30

Requested: Renewal

## STATION APPLICATION RECORD

APPLICANT: Oregonian Publishing Co. CALL LETTERS: KCW  
 ADDRESS: 6th & Alder Sts., Oregonian Bldg. FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED: 3-26-30  
 Present Renewal Lic. 4-24-30  
 Assignment: 620 Kc. 1 KW Unlimited ACTION: Per: 4-30 to 7-31-30  
 Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: Same CALL LETTERS: KCW  
 ADDRESS: 6th & Alder Sts., Oregonian Bldg. FILE NO: 5-R-B-90 DATED: 6-16-30  
 Present Renewal License 7-7-30  
 Assignment: 620 Kc. 1 KW Unlimited ACTION: Per: 7-31 to 10-31-30  
 Requested: Renewal

APPLICANT: \_\_\_\_\_ CALL LETTERS: \_\_\_\_\_  
 ADDRESS: \_\_\_\_\_ FILE NO: \_\_\_\_\_ DATED: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Present \_\_\_\_\_  
 Assignment: \_\_\_\_\_ ACTION: \_\_\_\_\_  
 Requested: \_\_\_\_\_

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters KGWName Oregonian Publishing Company

File No.	Dated <del>Received</del>	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
5-R-B-90	9-20-30	Renewal of lic.	Granted	10/21/30
5-R-B-90	12/8/30	Renewal of license.	G.O.103	1-20-31
5-P-B-1873	12/16/30	Move transmitter from <sup>6th and</sup> <del>345</del> Alder St., Portland, to Paloma, Oregon.	Granted	2-13-31
	1/29/31	Amendment filed giving geographical location.		
5-P-B-2116	3-23-31	Install new W.E. Type 5-C transmitter and incr. power from 1 KW to 5 KW on 620 Mc.	Denied	2-26-32
5-MP-B-216	6-1-31	Extend completion date on 5-P-B-1873 from 6-16-31 to 9-16-31.	Granted	6-26-31
5-R-B-90	5-26-31	Renewal of license	Granted	8-4-31

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Letters KGWName OREGONIAN PUBLISHING COMPANY

File No.	Date Received	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
5-L-B-676	7-28-31	License to cover 3-P-B-2116 & 5-TP-B-216 (out-of-order - returned to supervisor - 8-6-31 through radio div.)	Granted	9-4-31
	resubmitted 8-12-31			
5-R-B-90	12-29-31	Renewal of license	Returned	1-29-32
	Resubmitted 1-29-32		Granted	2-12-32
5-T-B-46	12-31-31	Direct measurement of antenna input	Granted	1-22-32
5-F-B-166	2-5-32	Install automatic frequency control (new)	Granted	3-18-32
5-R-B-90	6-15-32	Renewal of license	Granted	8-12-32
5-R-B-90	12-20-32	Renewal of license	Granted	2-10-33
5-R-B-90	6-19-33	Renewal of license	Granted	8-4-33
5-R-B-90	12-22-33	Renewal of license	Granted	2-6-34

Call

Letters KGWName Oregonian Publishing Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
5-P-B-3106 Amended Resubmitted	2-1-34 2-14-34 received- 3-12-34	Construction Permit to change maximum rated carrier power from 1 kw to 5 kw and increase power from 1 kw, to 1 kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw, LS. and make changes in equipment. Amend. re. geog. location.	<del>Ret. 2-7-34 (Rule 6)</del> Granted after hearing Min. 6-15-34, ORDER, Statement of Facts effec 3 p.m., EST. 6-15-34	
5-ML-B-1287	2-1-34	Mod. of Lic. to cover C.P. (above)	Ret. 2-7-34 (Improper application)	
		<i>If appl. to amend KGW to MEX is used, no further action</i>		
5-R-B-90	6-19-34	Renewal of License	Granted	8-7-34

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters

K O W

Name Oregonian Publishing Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-MP-35	8-23-34	<u>FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION - RECORD</u> Modification of C.P. (5-P-B-3106) to make changes in authorized equipment, to extend commencement date to within 90 days after grant and completion date to within 180 days thereafter	Granted	10-2-34
B5-MP-66	10-27-34	Modification of Construction permit (5-P-B-3106) as modified to increase power from 1kw, 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ kw-LS to 1kw, 5kw-LS, and extend commencement date to 60 days after grant.	Granted	1-8-35
B5-R-90	12-19-34	Renewal of license	Granted	2-12-35
B5-L-129	3-8-35	License to cover (5-P-B-3106) as modified to increase day power, extend completion date.	Granted	4-23-35

## APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call  
Letters KCWName Oregonian Publishing Company

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-P-463	3-12-35	Construction permit to increase power from 1kw, 5kw-LS to 5kw	Returned Request	8-1-35 of attorney
B5-R-90 <i>amended</i>	6-18-35 8-20-35	Renewal of license	Granted	8-27-35
B5-R-90	12-19-35	Renewal of License	Granted	2-11-36
B5-ML-302	4-28-36	Mod. of license to change power from 1kw-5kw-LS to 5kw day and night.	<del>Returned</del> Request of attorney. Retired to closed files.	8-15-40



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FILE No.	DATED	APPLICATION FOR—	ACTION	
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B5-P-1136	5-4-36	Construction permit to make changes in equipment.	Granted	5-28-36
B5-R-90	6-27-36	Renewal of license	Granted	C.A. 8-15-36
B5-L-370	8-4-36	License to cover construction permit (B5-P-1136) for changes in equipment.	Granted	CA 8-29-36
B5-Z-65	8-4-36	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna.	Granted	CA 8-29-36
B5-R-90	12-19-36	Renewal of license	Granted	2-9-37

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B5-R-90	6-25-37	Renewal of license	Granted	8-18-37
B5-Z-117	7-31-37	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna.	Granted Rat.Min.	C.A. 8-10-37 8-18-37
B5-R-90	12-16-37	Renewal of license	Granted	2-26-38
B5-SA-281	1-21-38	Special experimental authorization to operate a facsimile station from midnight to 6:00 a.m. PST, on 620 kc, using 1kw power.	Granted	3-2-38
B5-R-90	6-8-38	Renewal of license	Granted	8-16-38
B5-R-90	12-27-38	Renewal of license	Granted	2-6-39

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-7C-176		Authority to transfer control of corporation from O.L. Price, <del>Trustee To Beneficiaries of Pittock Will Trust</del> , 470 shares common stock. RE: give beneficiaries, Kate P. Hebard, Susan P. Emery, Caroline P. Leebetter, Louise P. Gentenbein, & E.B. MacNaughton, (trustee for: Virginia P. Thorsen, Marjorie P. McDougall, Barbara F. Pittock, Roberta P. MacNaughton, Frederika F. Pittock, & Henry Pittock).	<del>Returned - 12-2-38</del> <del>incomplete.</del> <del>Returned - 1-19-39</del> <del>filed on 1-14-39.</del>	
Resubmitted and Amended	1-5-39		Granted	5-8-39
Resubmitted	1-21-39			
B5-R-90	6-15-39	Renewal of license	Granted	8-8-39
B5-R-90	1-26-40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-22-40
B5-R-90	5/23/40	Renewal of license	Granted	3-24-41
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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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B5-P-2954 Rec'd	7-23-40 8-5-40	C.P. to install directional antenna for day and night use, and increase power from 1kw; 5kw-LS to 5kw day and night.	Granted	1-21-41
B5-MP-1392 Received	8-19-41 8-22-41	Mod of C.P. (B5-P-2954) for extension of completion date from 9-21-41 to 11-21-41. Form 335 filed 8-29-41	Granted	9-18-41
B5-MP-1435 Received	10-16-41 10-20-41	Mod of C.P. (B5-P-2954) as modified, to extend completion date from 11-21-41 to 12-21-41. Form 335 filed.	Granted	11-6-41
B5-L-1591 & B5-Z-1328 received	12-19-41  12-22-41	Lic. to cover op (B5-P-2954, as modif.) which auth. installation of D.A. for day & night use and incr. in power, and Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement. Forms 335 filed.	Granted	2-5-42

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
B5-P-3450 received filed	12-23-41 1-19-42 1-30-42	C.P. to install new transmitter and increase power from 5kw to 5kw; 10kw-LS. (Using present antenna system -DA night)	Dismissed without prejudice Memo opinion	accordance Min. 6-23-42
B5-R-30	1-29-42	Renewal of license 335's filed atty. Wayland	Granted	4-7-42
B5-R-30 Rec'd	2-16-44 3-10-44	Renewal of license Filed by Wayland atty.	Granted	2-8-45
B5-R-90 Rec'd	2-26-46 2-28-46	Renewal of license - Filed by Charles V. Wayland atty. Amend. filed 3-20-46 Amend. filed 4-12-46	Granted	5-6-46

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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EP-6887 Rec'd Filed	8-2-48 8-5-48 8-5-48	Construction Permit to install a new type of transmitter (Raytheon RA-5). Charles F. Duvall, Atty.	GRANTED	8-24-48
BR-90 Rec'd	2-26-49 2-28-49	Renewal of License Charles V. Wayland, Attorney	GRANTED	4-20-49
BL-3625 Rec'd Filed	3-22-49 3-25-49 3-25-49	License to cover C. P. (EP-6887) which authorized installation of a new transmitter. (Charles V. Wayland, Atty.)	GRANTED	4-22-49

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BZ-3067 Rec'd Filed	6-13-49 6-15-49 7-11-49	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power.  Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	7-27-49
BP-7371 Rec'd Filed	9-21-49 9-27-49 9-27-49	Construction permit to install a General Electric transmitter XT-1A at 4545 S.W. Council Chest Drive, Portland, Oregon to be operated on 620kc, 1kw power for auxiliary purposes only.  Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	11-16-49

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BL-3903 Rec'd Filed	11-30-49 12-6-49 12-6-49	License to cover C.P. (BP-7371) which authorized to install a G.E. transmitter XT-1A at 4545 S.W. Council Chest Drive, Portland, Oregon to be operated on 620kc, 1kw power for auxiliary purposes only.  (Charles V. Wayland, Atty.)	GRANTED	12-28-49
BZ-3169 Rec'd Filed	5-31-50 6-13-50 6-13-50	Authority to determine operating power by direct measurement of antenna power. (Auxiliary transmitter)  Charles V. Wayland, Atty. Harold G. Singleton, Engr. Portland, Oregon	GRANTED	6-20-50 re Comm. reserves right of terminating lic. or making changes necessary to comply with decisions of the Comm.



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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-1114 Rec'd Filed	12-1-50 12-4-50 12-4-50	Voluntary assignment of license from Oregonian Publishing Company to Pioneer Broadcasters, Inc.  Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED Eff:	12-5-50 12-6-50
BTC-1059 Rec'd Filed	12-31-50 1-8-51 1-8-51	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from The Scott Company, Mrs. F. W. Leadbetter, E. B. MacNaughton, Trustee, Georgiana G. Aston, <sup>Rhoda J. Adams</sup> R. P. Gantenbein, Portland Trust and Savings Bank, Trustee and Michael J. Frey to Mitzi E. Newhouse, Samuel I. Newhouse, Jr. and Donald Newhouse. (700 shares of common stock - 100%).  Thomas W. Wilson, Atty.	GRANTED Eff:	2-21-51 3-15-51

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-90 Rec'd BR-90 Rec'd	1-28-52 1-30-52 1-30-52 2-1-52	Renewal of license (Main) File by Charles V. Wayland, Atty. Renewal of license (Aux.) Filed by Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	4-17-52
BTC-1319 Rec'd Filed	6-5-52 6-6-52 6-6-52	Voluntary acquisition of control of licensee corporation by Samuel I. Newhouse, Jr. thru purchase of 233 1/3 shares of common stock from Donald E. Newhouse.  Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED EFF	6-25-52 6-26-52
BTC-1588 Rec'd Filed	9-15-53 9-18-53 9-18-53	Voluntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Samuel I. Newhouse, Jr., Mitzie E. Newhouse, H. Quentin Cox, Donald Newhouse & Charles Goldman to King Broadcasting Company, Henry A. Kuckenberg, Paul F. Murphy, Gordon D. Orput, W. Calder McCall & Prescott W. Cookingham.  Ben C. Fisher, Atty. for Transferors Andrew G. Haley, Atty. for Transferees	GRANTED EFF	10-31-53 11-18-53

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BR-90 Rec'd Filed	10-22-53 10-30-53 10-30-53	Renewal of License, Main and Auxiliary Filed by Charles V. Wayland, Atty.	GRANTED	1-6-54
BAL-2194 Rec'd Filed	12-8-55 12-12-55 12-12-55	Voluntary assignment of license to North Pacific Television, Inc.  Andrew Haley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	1-5-56 1-17-56
BML-1661 Rec'd Filed	3-20-56 3-23-56 3-23-56	Modification of License to change name of licensee to Pioneer Broadcasting Company.  Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	3-27-56

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BP-10,545 Rec'd Filed	4-23-56	Construction permit to add Domestic Public Land Mobile antenna on top of the Auxiliary AM tower. (increase height).  Andrew G. Haley, Atty. Harold C. Singleton, Engr.	GRANTED	5-18-56
	5-1-56			re req. auth. to determine power by indirect method on commencement & upon completion of construc- tion File 302's for determining operating power by direct method.
	5-1-56			
BR-90 Rec'd Filed	10-19-56 11-6-56 11-6-56	Renewal of license Main and Aux. Andrew G. Haley, Atty	GRANTED	1-17-57

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BAL-2873 Rec'd Filed	11-11-57 11-25-57 11-25-57	Voluntary assignment of license to King Broadcasting Company.  Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED EFF:	12-10-57 1-1-58
BR-90 Rec'd Filed	10-27-59 11-3-59 11-3-59	Renewal of License. (MAIN & AUXILIARY)  Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED Aux. cancelled	3-30-60 11-8-60
BR-90 R & F	10-26-62 11-5-62	Renewal of License  Andrew G. Haley, Atty.	GRANTED	1-29-63
BTC-4931 R & F (Form 316)	10-16-65 10-21-65	Voluntary relinquishment of positive control of lic. corp. by Dorothy S. Bullitt thru transfer of stock to Stimson Bullitt et al  Atty. - Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED Eff:	11-16-65 11-22-65

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BR-90 R & F T	10-23-65 11-1-65	Renewal of license  Atty- Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED	1-14-66
BRC-2889 R & F	4-30-66 5-10-66	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from 299 N.W. Skyline Drive, Portland, Oregon (TV transmitter site). DA-1  Atty.: Andrew G. Haley	GRANTED	5-31-66
BP-17,368 R. & F.	7-15-66 7-20-66	CP to install new auxiliary transmitter (General Electric XT-1-A) at present site of main trans., to be operated on 620kc, 1kw, DA-1 for auxiliary purposes only, with RC from 299 NW Skyline Drive, Portland, Oreg. (TV trans site) Atty: Haley, Bader & Potts	GRANTED	10-3-66
BL-11,626 R & F	2/15/67 3/6/67  1-0-60	Lic. to cover CP (BP-17,368) which auth. install new Aux. trans. at present trans. loc. with remote control, for aux. purposes only.  Atty: M. H. Bader, P.C.C., WASHINGTON, D. C. Now represented by J. Rog. Woltenberg (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	4-27-67

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BR-90 R & F #469605 \$105. PRESS DEC 2 1968	10-29-68 11-1-68 11-1-68 2 1968	Renewal of license---(Main & Auxiliary) AMENDED 1-15-69 re: Business interests and statement re programming Atty. Joel Rosenbloom	GRANTED 31	1-31-69
Commission by Letter adopted 9-23-70 notified KGW of Apparent liability for forfeiture of \$500 for failing to observe Section 73.119 of the Rules.				
BR-90 R & F PN PRESS	10-29-71 11-3-71 11-3-71 NOV 24 1971	Renewal of License(Main & Auxiliary) Atty-David R. Anderson AMENDED 2-3-72 re: equal employment program	GRANTED	2-8-72
BP-19,263 Rec'd Filed \$50-060358 AC-060 PRESS: Amended	3-31-72 <del>4-4-72</del> <del>4-4-72</del> JUL 3 1 1972 6-29-72	Construction permit to change from DA-1 to DA-N.  Atty. Joel Rosenbloom	GRANTED	8-7-72

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
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BL-13,315 Rec'd & F W 111623-\$50 W 111624-\$50 PTA Amended PRESS	9-21-72 9-22-72 9-22-72-AC-067 9-22-72-AC-067-Refunded 10-4-72 10-12-72 NOV 14 1972	Lic.(BP-19,263, as mod.) for changes - Main & Auxiliary transmitters. Atty: Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering(D. R. Anderson) Proof of perf.	GRANTED	4-15-74
BP-19,515 R & F \$50-235494 AC-056 PRESS: OCT 9 1973	9-13-73 9-25-73 9-25-73	Construction permit to install new Alternate Main transmitter RCA, 10F with 5kw, DA-N Unlimited and to be operated by remote control from the TV studio location. Atty. David R. Anderson (Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering)	GRANTED	11-27-73
BL-13,708 R & F \$50#301313 PTA 29 MAY 1974 PRESS	3-28-74 4-5-74 4-11-74 2-74	Lic. to cover BP-19515 for New Alternate Trans RCA, 10F	GRANTED	6-14-74



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BR-90 R & F P.N. PRESS	9-28-74 10-1-74 10-1-74 <b>NOV 5 1974</b>	Renewal of License (Main & Alt. Main-Auxiliary) Atty.: David R. Anderson AMENDED 11-26-74 re: programming AMENDED 12-24-74 re: network affiliation	GRANTED	2-13-75
Ltr. 10-31-75 KGW station	Robert L. Heald	(Fletcher, Heald, Rowell, Kenehan and Hildreth now represents		

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IR-90 K & F F.N. PRESS	9-23-77 9-30-77 9-30-77 <b>NOV 11 1977</b>	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (MAIN, ALT. & AUXILIARY) Atty. Robert L. Heald (Fletcher, Heald, Kenehan etc.)	GRANTED etc.)	1-19-78
IR 800930UT PRESS	<b>OCT 31 1980</b>	Renewal of License Atty.: Edward W. Hummers, Jr.	<i>gr</i>	1-24-81

## 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 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.

