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Prog. Test Auth. 12-1-67

Silent 3-2-77
Resumed 9-5-77

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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Date first licensed 1-8-69 (OFF. NO. 650)

Call letters KPAZ-TV

Station location PHOENIX, ARIZONA

Name of licensee TRINITY BROADCASTING OF ARIZONA, INC. (AL 7-21-77; Eff: 9-4-77
X GLAD TIDINGS CHURCH OF AMERICA, INC. (BALCT-430 6-24--71 EFF: 9-8-71)
X SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.

Transmitter location SOUTH MOUNTAIN PARK, PHOENIX, ARIZONA.

3551 E. McDowell Rd., Phoenix, Ariz. (BRC 7-16-75)
X3847 EAST THOMAS ROAD, PHOENIX, ARIZONA (BLCT-1713 1-8-69)

Main studio location X TOWER PLAZA 3725 EAST THOMAS ROAD, PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85018 (Letter from Seymour M.Chase,Atty) /6-5-67)
X 1610 EAST BUCKEYE ROAD, PHOENIX, ARIZONA

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From-- To-
BPCT-3515	7-29-65	CH. #21	V-91.2 kw	U	8-7-66
ENGR.DATA	6-7-66	512-518	A-19.2 kw		2-7-67
CP for a New Comm. TV B/C Station. (not issued)					
ENGR. DATA to specify Frequency, Chg. ERP,SL,type of transmitters, increase AH.					
BMPCT-6488	5-23-67	same	same	same	8-7-66
Mod. of CP (BPCT-3515) to ext. compl. date					11-23-67
BMPCT-6536	7-18-67	CH.21	V 251 kw	U	8-7-66
AH: 1550ft MSL: 2741'			A 50 kw		11-23-67
Mod. of CP (BPCT-3515,as mod) to make chg. in ERP					
BMPCT-6602	8-24-67	CH.21	V-251 kw	U	8-7-66
AH: 1600' MSL:2799'		512-518 mcs.	A-50 kw		11-23-67
Mod. of CP (BPCT-3515,as mod)to chg. ERP,TL,increase AH					
WIRE	9-13-67	RE TENDERED LICENSE APPL. PEND. FILING AURAL PROOF-OF PERFORMANCE AUTH. GR. OPER. KPAZ-TV TEMP. PERIOD END. 10-13-67 ACCORD. BMPCT-6602, EXCEPT WITH MAIN STUDIO AT 3847 EAST THOMAS ROAD, PHOENIX, ARIZONA. OPERATION BY REMOTE CONTROL SUBJECT FURTHER SHOWING ESTABLISH COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 73.676 RULES. ADVISE WHEN OPERATION COMMENCES UNDER THIS AUTHORITY. 9-16-67				
WIRE	10-13-67	SAME AS ABOVE WIRE period ending 11-13-67.			
WIRE	11-13-67	SAME AS ABOVE WIRE period ending 12-13-67.			
WIRE	12-1-67	Re Amendment to LIC. APPLI. BLCT-1713 AUTH. GR. OPER. KPAZ-TV PROG. TEST ACCORD. SEC. 73.629 RULES AND CP BMPCT-6602 EXCEPT WITH MAIN STUDIO AT 3847 EAST THOMAS ROAD, PHOENIX, ARIZONA.			
WIRE	12-12-67	REMOTE CONTROL AUTHORIZED FOR KPAZ-TV ACCORD PLAN DESCRIBED IN BLCT-1713 AND RULE 73.676 AND SPECIFICLY SUBJECT TO COMPLIANCE WITH SECTION 73.676(A) (4) RULES.			
LETTER BY COMMISSION 6-5-68 GRANTED WAIVER OF SEC. 73.651 (c) FOR PERIOD ENDING ONE YEAR FROM THE DATE OF THIS LTR. RE IN SCHOOL PROGRAMMING.					
BLCT-1713	1-8-69	LICENSE (BPCT-3515,as mod)			10-1-71
BTC-6027	10-9-69	INVOL. T/C			
BTC-6080	INVOL. T/C				

CARD NO. 3

BROADCASTING STATION HISTORY RECORD

First licensed .....

Call Letters ..... KPAZ-TV

Station Location .....

Name SEE CARD NO. 1 .....

Transmitter Location SEE CARD NO. 1 .....

Main studio location SEE CARD NO. 1 .....

Form BC-126
December 1978

Authorization Record

File No.	Granted	Facilities	Expires
BRCT-650	7-7-78	RENEWAL OF LICENSE {S}	10-1-81

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December 1978

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June 1954

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COMM. TV

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters KPAZ-TV

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-
WIRE	6-11-70	PENDING	FILTERPLEXER REPAIRS, AUTH.		
GR. OPER. AT REDUCED POWER TEMP. PER. END. 6-30-70					
ACCORD. REQUEST. ADVISE WHEN NORMAL OPERATION RESUMED.					
BALCT-430	6-24-71	Vol. A/L (Eff: 9-8-71)			
BRCT-650	12-15-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			10-1-74
EBSA	5-15-72				
Wire	10-5-72	Pending filing 301-A & Comm. consideration of appl., auth. gtd. oper. temp. per. end. 1-2-73 with formerly licensed RC equip.			
Wire	12-27-72	re. pend. comm. consider of RC applic. ext. auth. gtd oper. stat. temp. per. ending 3-31-73 with formerly lic. RC faci.			
BRCTV-120 (1)	2-27-73	Remote control authority			
Wire	6-5-75	Pending Comm. act. on appl. to chg. RC pt. BRCTV-261, auth. grtd. oper. temp. per. end. 8-4-75 by RC from 3551 E. McDowell Rd., Phoenix, Ariz.			
BRCTV-261	7-16-75	Remote control authority.			
Wire sent; not issued; to be issued with Renewal.					
WIRE	3-2-77	Auth. grted temp discontinuation of op oper. pend. resolution of financial problems. This Auth. expires 4-19-77.			
WIRE	4-22-76	Pending resolution of financial matters extension auth. grtd. discontinuation of oper. temp. per. end. 7-19-77.			
WIRE	8-2-77	Above extended to 10-17-77.			
BRCT-650	7-21-77	Ch-21	V-251kW	Unl.	7-21-77
AH:1600' MSL:2799'		512-518	A-50kW	RC	10-1-77
Renewal of License (including BRCTV-261)					
BALCT-638	7-21-77	Voluntary assignment of license			
WIRE	8-2-77	Pend. Commission action on assignment ext. auth. grtd. discontinuation of oper. temp. per. end. 10-17-77.			

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters NEW

Name SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.
PO c/o Donald B. Thomson, President; 2873 Sky Harbor Blvd., Suite 10, Phoenix, Arizona, 85034

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPCT- 3515 Rec. & Filed	2-6-65 2-10-65	Construction permit for a new Commercial Television broadcast station: Channel 14, 470-476 mcs. ERP: Vis. 8.3 kw (Horiz), Aur. 1.66 kw(Horiz); Unlimited hours Transmitter location: South Mountain Park, Phoenix, Arizona Studio location: To be determined, Phoenix, Arizona STATION LOCATION: PHOENIX, ARIZONA (RCA TTU-1B) A H: 1540 feet (REQUEST FOR WAIVER OF SECTION 73.685 OF COMM'S RULES) Atty: Seymour Chase (Philipson, Lyon & Chase Engr: Jansky & Bailey)	GRANTED (Comm.) CONDITIONAL: Permittee shall file Engr. Data for insturment of auth TO construct the station on CH#21; NOT commence construction till Auth. is issued; AND must advise Comm by 8-9-65 of acceptance. COMM. WIRE sent 8-2-65 re conditions	7-28-65
AMENDED Rec. & filed	2-24-65 3-1-65	Amended to change number of stockholders		

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FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV

Call Letters KRAZ-TV

Name SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.
Ch. 14, Phoenix, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action: Nature	Action: Date
BMPCT-6257 Rec. & filed	3-18-66 3-22-66	Mod. of CP (BPCT-3515, which authorized a new COMM TV B/C station) to extend completion date from 3-28-66 to 10-1-66. Philipson, Lyon & Chase, Atty.	GRANTED Not issued. See ENGR. DATA below	3-31-66
Engr. data Rec.& filed	5-9-66 5-12-66	ENGR. DATA submitted pursuant to Commission's telegram dated 8-2-65 to specify Ch. 21, 512-518 Mcs in lieu of Ch. 14, 471-472 Mcs; ERP as Vis. 82.7 kw (Horz), Aur. 16.5 kw (Horz); studio location as 1610 East Buckeye Road, Phoenix, Arizona; type of transmitter changed to RCA TTU-10A; and increase antenna height above average terrain to 1546 ft. Philipson, Lyon & Chase, Atty.	GRANTED	6-7-66
BMPCT- Recd.	9-23-66 9-26-66	Mod. of CP (BPCT-3515, as mod.), which authorized a new station) to extend completion date.	RETURNED AS UNNECESSARY	11-3-66

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AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV.

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

Name SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.

CH-21 Phoenix, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-6488 R & F	2-6-67 2-7-67	Modification of CP(BPCT-3515, as mod., which authorized a new station) to extend completion date from 2-7-67 to 6-30-67. Philipson, Lyon & Chase, Atty.(Seymour M.Chase)	GRANTED	5-23-67
BMPCT-6536 R & F	4-17-67 4-21-67	Mod. of CP (BPCT-3515,as mod.,which auth. a new station) to make the following changes: ERP to Vis. 254 kw (HORZ); Aur. 50.6 kw (HORZ); type of transmitter to RCA TTU-30A. Seymour M. Chase,Atty.(Philipson,Lyon,Chase)	GRANTED	7-18-67

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMM. TV.

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

Name SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.

CH-21 Phoenix, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPCT-6602 Rec'd Filed AUG 23 1967	8-9-67 8-15-67 8-17-67	Modification of CP(BPCT-3515, as mod., which auth. a new station) to make the following changes: ERP to Vis. 254 kw (Horz), Aur. 50.6 kw (Horz); transmitter location to 50 feet East and 50 feet South of site previously authorized and increase antenna height above average terrain to 1600 feet. McKenna and Wilkinson, Atty. Jules Cohn, Engr.	GRANTED	8-24-67
BLCT-1713 R & F SEP 1[illegible] 1967	9-9-67 9-11-67	License to cover CP(BPCT-3515, as mod.) which authorized a new station. McKenna & Wilkinson, Atty. (John L. Tierney)	GRANTED	1-8-69

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

Name SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.
CH-21 PHOENIX, ARIZONA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-6027 R & F #540166 $30 PRESS: PN REC'D:	9-2-69 9-5-69 9-5-69 SEP 11 1969	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from all stockholders to Louis Silverstein, Trustee. Atty.: Stanley B. Cohen (Cohn and Marks)	GRANTED EFF:	10-9-69
BTC-6080 R & F #550980 $30 PRESS: PN REC'D:	10-21-69 10-24-69 10-24-69 OCT 31 1969	Involuntary transfer of control of licensee corporation from Louis Silverstein, Trustee to Julius Altschul, Trustee. Atty.:Stanley B. Cohen (Cohn and Marks)	GRANTED EFF:	11-17-69

Engr.data filed 6-30-70

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COMM. TV

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September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

Name SPANISH LANGUAGE TELEVISION OF ARIZONA, INC.
Ch. 21 Phoenix, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
~~BTC 6363~~ R & F #620125 $150 PRESS: PN REC'D: B	7-28-70 7-31-70 7-31-70 AUG 31 1970	Voluntary ~~transfer of control of licensee corporation from Julius Aitschuh, Trustee~~ to Glad Tidings Church of America, Inc. Corrected Sect. I page 5 & Sect. IV-B page 6 filed 8-27-70 Amended 11-24-70 re programming. Amended 1-19-71 re amended by-laws & financial data. Amended 2-18-71 re financial.	GRANTED EFF: COMMISSION	6-24-71 9-8-71 ACTION
BALCT-430 R & F PRESS: PN REC'D: GRANT FEE DUE $8,000 GRANT FEE PAID	2-19-71 2-22-71 FEB 25 1971	AMENDED to chg. from a transfer of control of to an assignment of license to Glad Tidings Church of America, Inc. Atty.: Booth & Freret Ltr.from atty.2-22-71 re legal matter. Amended 4-2-71 re trustees of Assignee Amended 4-13-71 re financial data.		

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Amended - 4-26-71 re financial data.

Amended 5-10-71 re financial dada.

Amended 5-10-71 to submit ltr. from Julius Altschul in reply to Comm'sltr. 5-3-71 & affidavit from Gene Spry.

Amended 5-13-71 re financial data.

Amended 6-8-71 re financial data.

Amended 6-14-71 re financial data.

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COMM. TV

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

Name TRINITY BROADCASTING OF ARIZONA, INC.
XGLAD TIDINGS CHURCH OF AMERICA, INC.

Ch. 21 Phoenix, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCT-650 Rec: Filed PN REC PRESS	6-29-71 7-6-71 11-1-71 8-31-71 NOV 5 1971	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Robert M. Booth, Jr.(Booth & Freret) Amended 12-9-71 re Sec. VI.	GRANTED	12-15-71
BRCTV-120 R & F NO FEE PAID	10-6-72 10-17-72 NOV 2 1972	Request authority to operate trans. by remote control from 3847 East Thomas Road, Phoenix, Arizona. Atty.: Booth & Freret Amended 12-29-72 re change equipment	GRANTED	2-27-73
BRCT-650 R & F PN Rec'd: PRESS:	6-24-74 7-1-74 JUL 1 8 1974	RENEWAL OF LICENSE No Annual Report Filed Amended 9-12-74 re problems & Needs. Amended 2-6-75 re engineering Amended 5-26-77 re updating information	GRANTED COMMISSION ACTION See other side.	7-21-77

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

BRCT-650 & BALCT-638:
BY DIRECTION OF THE COMMISSION ltr. 7-21-77 FCC 77-520 70773: The Commission has determined that Trinity Broadcasting of Arizona, Inc., is legally and financially qualified to become the licensee of Television Station KPAZ. Accordingly, the license renewal of KPAZ-TV and the voluntary assignment of the license to Trinity ARE GRANTED subject to the following conditions: (1) That the assignment of license covered by BALCT-638 be consummated within sixty (60) days of the date of the grant, that the Commission be notified of such consummation within one day thereafter, and that the station resume broadcasting within sixty (60) days after consummation of the grant of this application; and (2) That the assignee shall submit to the Commission within ninety (90) days of resumption of operation a full proof of performance containing the date requested by Section II-C of FCC Form 302; and (3) That Trinity file and continue to file with its Annual Financial Report (FCC Form 324) a detailed summary statement regarding the payment of the Glad Tidings debts and obligations assumed and/or the substitution securities offered by Trinity until these debts and obligations are satisfied in full. Regarding condition (3) above, the Commission wishes to emphasize that it considered the representations made by Trinity concerning the assumption and payment of the debts and liabilities of Glad Tidings to be material and that we expect Trinity to carry out these representations in good faith. This condition will provide the Commission with an opportunity to periodically monitor Trinity's progress in this matter and provide some further protection for the security holders of the Glad Tidings obligations. Failure to meet conditions (1) and (2) will render the grant null and void and will cause the renewal application to revert to pending status.
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Data filed in accordance with condition #2 above 11-30-77 & 12-13-77 - to Jim Powers.

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September 1969

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

COMMERCIAL TELEVISION

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

Name TRINITY BROADCASTING OF ARIZONA, INC.
XGLAD TIDINGS CHURCH OF AMERICA, INC.

CH-21 Phoenix, Arizona

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRCTV-261 R & F no fee required PRESS:	4-28-75 5-2-75 17 JUN 1975	Request authority to change studio location to 3551 E. McDowell Road, Phoenix, Arizona, and operate transmitter by remote control from studio location.	GRANTED Wire sent; not issued; to be issued with Renewal.	7-16-75
BALCT-583 R & F PN RECD Form 314 #515778 $200. AC 047 1-6-76 PRESS:	12-24-75 1-6-76 2-3-76 27 FEB 1976	Voluntary assignment of license to Trinity Broadcasting of Arizona, Inc. Atty.: Gammon & Tierney Amended 4-7-76 re financial. Amended 4-8-76 re equal employment. Amended 4-15-76 re financial. Amended 6-9-76 re financial.	DISMISSED REQUEST OF ASSIGNOR	10-28-76

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

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COMMERCIAL TV

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters KPAZ-TV

TRINITY BROADCASTING OF ARIZONA, INC.
Name XGLAD TIDINGS CHURCH OF AMERICA, INC.
CH-21 PHOENIX, ARIZONA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BALCT-638 R&F PN RECD PRESS (FORM 314)	4-18-77 4-26-77 6-2-77 MAY 2 1977	Voluntary assignment of license to Trinity Broadcasting of Arizona, Inc. Atty.: James A. Gammon Amendment 5-26-77 re legal Amended 6-6-77 re legal & financial Amended 6-14-77 re affidavit of Lindell Edmonds. Amended 6-16-77 re petition by citizens to expidite assignment. Amended 6-30-77 re financial Amended 7-6-77 re TBA's Brief in support Amended 7-20-77 re broadcast interests Amended 7-18-77 re additional information	GRANTED COMMISSION ACTION See back of Card #7 Eff:	7-21-77 9-4-77
BRCT-650 R & F PRESS: PN REC'D:	5-10-77 5-26-77 SEP 6 1977	Renewal of License Amended 9-23-77 re chg. of name (BALCT-638) Amended 10-3-77 re balance sheet Ltr. 1-11-78 re conposit week dates-to lic. file.	GRANTED	7-7-78

F.C.C. - WASHINGTON, D. C.

RENEWAL GRANTED 7-7-78 - condition:
The authority granted herein is subject to the condition that the licensee file and continue to file with its Annual Financial Report (FCC Form 324) a detailed summary statement regarding the payment of the Glad Tidings debts and obligations assumed and/or the substitution securities offered by Trinity until these debts and obligations are satisfied in full.

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APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: KPAZ-TV

Name: TRINITY BROADCASTING OF ARIZONA, INC.

CH-21

Station Location: PHOENIX, ARIZONA

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRCT-8006D2KF R & F PN REC'D	5-25-80 6-2-80 5-2-80	RENEWAL OF LICENSE ATTY: JAMES A. GAMMON {GAMMON AND GRANGE}	GRANTED 3-13-81 CONDITIONAL SEE OTHER SIDE
		NOTE: RE. LAURA JOHNSON ON 3/26/81, CONDITION WILL APPLY ON ALL FUTURE GRANTS OF THE RENEWAL FOR SEVERAL YEARS. PUT CONDITION ON ALL FUTURE RENEWALS.	

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March 1979

THAT TRINITY FILE AND CONTINUE TO FILE WITH ITS ANNUAL FINANCIAL REPORT {FCC FORM 324} A DETAILED SUMMARY STATEMENT REGARDING THE PAYMENT OF THE GLAD TIDINGS DEBTS AND OBLIGATIONS ASSUMED AND/OR THE SUBSTITUTION SECURITIES OFFERED BY TRINITY UNTIL THESE DEBTS AND OBLIGATIONS ARE SATISFIED IN FULL.

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 radio 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.

TV History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest TV stations. 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 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). Prior to that move, the History Cards were transferred to microfiche by a contractor (only a few sets of microfiche exist), and the original paper cards were destroyed. The History Cards were stored on the microfiche as negative images, like those you see above.

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 television station history.