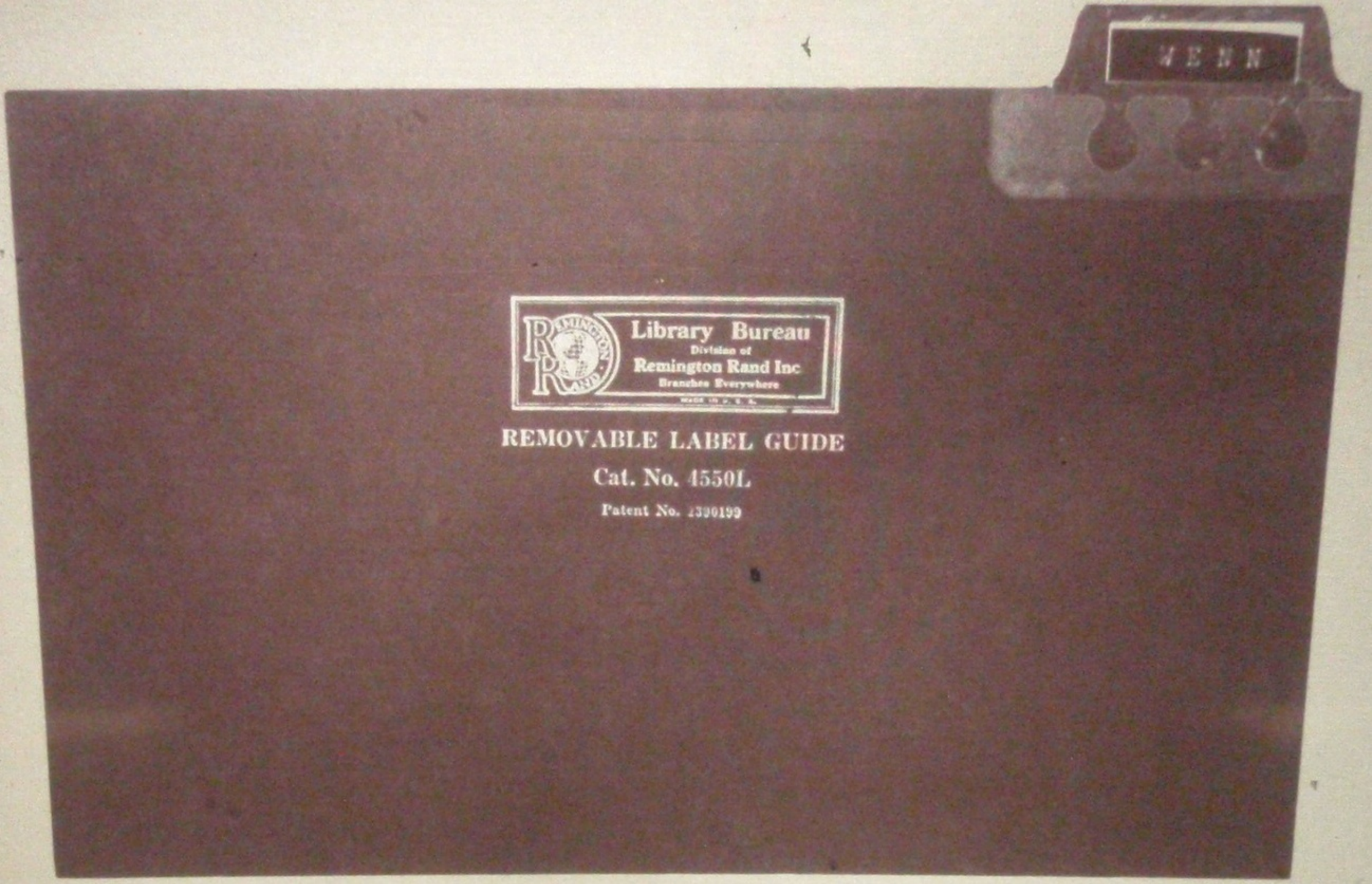

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

(SEE CARD#2 FOR NAME)

WENN (8-6-59)
WEZB (1-26-53)

Date first licensed 11-5-53 Call letters WBHM

X HERTZ BROADCASTING OF BIRMINGHAM, INC.(AL 4-30-71 EFF: 6-2-71) Station location: ~~Homewood, Alabama~~
X JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION(ML 4-12-67) ---> Birmingham, Alabama
X McLENDON BIRMINGHAM BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC. (BML 7-31-61)
X JOHN M. McLENDON & ASSOCIATES, INC.(APL 7-29-59 Eff: 8-6-59)
X GENE NEWMAN RADIO, INC. (AL 5-29-56, EFF: 6-8-56)

Name of licensee X EMORY M. McELROY AND DORSEY E. NEWMAN, d/b as VOICE OF HOMEWOOD

(BP 12-10-68)
Pratt City-Sayreton Rd., 1 mi. from Republic Rd. Intersec, Birmingham, Ala.
X 231 - 21st Avenue, West, Birmingham, Alabama (BP 8-9-68) CANCELLED 1'r.10-23-65
X Adjoining Birmingham Southern College (CP 5-17-57)(L 11-5-57)
x 528' east of Montgomery Hwy 31, on bank of Shades Creek,

Transmister location ~~Homewood, Alabama (CP- 10-23-52) (BL 11-5-53)~~

1523 5th Avenue, North, Birmingham, Alabama (BS 12-7-76)
x 1428 Fifth Avenue, North , Birmingham, Alabama(BS- 1-30-61)
x 517 N. 18th St., Birmingham, Alabama (BL-7748 5-3-50)
x Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham, Alabama (CP 9-3-58)

~~R.B.~~ (Aux. studios) X Adjoining Birmingham Southern College
X Hollywood Country Club, Homewood, Alabama (CP 10-23-52) (BL 11-5-53)

Main studio location

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From	To
BP-7985	10-23-52	1320	1kw	Day	12-23-52	to 6-23-53
	CP for new station					
BMP-6234 (1)	6-24-53	MP (BP-7985) extension of completion date.			12-23-52	9-1-53
BMP-6295 (2)	8-27-53	MP (BP-7985, as mod.) to change type trans.			12-23	9-1-53
BMP-6297 (3)	8-31-53	MP (BP-7985, as mod.) for extension of completion date.			12-23	10-1-53
BL-5133	11-5-53	1320kc	1kw	Day	11-5-53	4-1-55
Lic. cover CP(7985, as mod.) for new station						
BR-2875	3-9-55	RENEWAL OF LICENSE			4-1	4-1-58
BRC-899 (1)	2-8-56	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham, Alabama (Auxiliary Studios).				
BAL-2317 EFF:	5-29-56 6-2-56	Vol. assignment of license from Emory M. McElroy and Dorsey E. Newman, d/b as Voice of Homewood <u>to</u> GENE NEWMAN RADIO, INC.				
BP-11234	5-17-57	1320kc	1kw	Day	7-17-57	1-17-58
CP to change antenna-transmitter location & make changes in antenna and ground systems						
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
TELEGRAM	3-28-58	No action taken, continued operation authorized until final determination on application for renewal of license.				
BR-2875	5-7-58	Renewal of license			5-7	4-1-61
BMP-7862	9-1-58	[illegible] DA- [illegible]			[illegible]	[illegible]
& directional antenna.						

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 11-5-53

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Station location

Name of licensee BOOKER T. WASHINGTON BROADCASTING SERVICE, INC. (AL gr 12/10/75 EFF: 2/5/76
XFRANK S. BLACKFORD, RECEIVER (AL 4-30-74 EFF:

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
BMP-8410 (1)	2-17-59	Mod. of CP(BMP-7762) for extension of completion date to July 15, 1959.			
BMP-8608 (2)	7-21-59	Mod. of CP(BMP-7762 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 10-15-59			
BAPL-186 Eff:	7-29-59 8-6-59	Voluntary assignment of license and construction permit to JOHN M. McLENDON & ASSOCIATES, INC.			
BMP-8725 (3)	9-28-59	Mod. of CP(BMP-7762 as mod.)for extension of completion date to 12-15-59			
BL-7748	5-3-60	1320kc	5 kw-DA-	Day	5-3 4-1-61
	Lic. to cover CP (BMP-7762 as mod) which auth. incr. power; install new trans. & DA; chg. station & studio loc.; & delete RC oper. of trans.				
BS-2375 (1)	1-30-61	Modification of license to change location of main studio.			
BMP-8725	4-1-61	1320kc	5kw -DA	Day	4-20 4-1-64
BML-1954 (1)	7-31-61	Mod. of license to change name to McLENDON BIRMINGHAM BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.			
BP-14778	7-19-62	1320kc	5kw	Day	9-19- 3-19-63
		CP to change from DA-D to non-directional operation (C ND'L)			
BMP-10,787 (1)	3-6-63	Mod. of CP (BP-14,778) for ext. of completion date to			9-19-63
BMP-10996 (2)	9-27-63	Mod. of CP(BP-14,778, as mod.) for extension of completion date to 3-19-64.			
BMP-11,323 (3)	4-1-64	Mod. of CP(BP-14,778 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 9-19-64			
	3-25-64	COMMISSION DEFERRED ACTION ON RENEWAL PENDING FURTHER CONSIDERATION.			
BR-7675	9-1-64	1320kc	5kw	Day DA-D	9-1 4-1-67
BMP-11,323 (4)	3-19-64	Mod. of CP(BP-14,778 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 3-19-65.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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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
BMP-11464 (5)	3-31-65	Mod. of CP(BP-14,778 as mod.) for extension of completion date to 9-19-65.			
BMP-11607 (6)	10-20-65	Mod. of CP (BP-14,778, as mod.) for ext. of completion date to 3-19-66.			
BMP-11,710 (7)	3-15-66	Mod. of CP(BP-14778, as mod.) for extension of completion date to 9-19-66			
BS-2875 (1)	5-9-66	Mod. of lic to chg operating specifications (Memo)			
BP-17417 Cond'l,	10-14-66	1320kc	5kw	Day	12-14 6-14-67
		CP to replace expired CP. (CP 14,778 reinst)			
BR-2875 (and memo	3-29-67 2-23-67	1320kc to correct coordinates)	5kw	Day (DA)	4-1- 4-1-70
BML-2207 (1)	4-12-67	Mod. of lic. to chg. name to JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION.			
BMP-12,027 (1)	4-12-67	Mod. of (CP (BP-17,417 as reinstated) to chg. name to JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION.			
BMP-12,064 (2)	6-7-67	Mod. of CP(BP-17,417 as mod) for ext. of completion date to			12-14-67
BRC-3172	9-20-67	1320kc	5kw	Day	12-14 12-14-67
		Mod. of CP(BP-17,417) to operate transmitter by remote control from 1428 Fifth Ave., North, Birmingham, Alabama. (Cond'l)			
TELEGRAM	10-17-67	PSA	500w		
BMP-12246(1)	3-28-68	MP(BP-17417) chg. ant. system.			
BL-11,994	6-24-68	1320kc,	5kw	Day(RC)	4-1-70
		Lic. to cover (BP-17,417 as reinstated &Mod.)			
BP-18254 CANCELLED 11-13-68	8-9-68	1320kc	5kw	Day	4-9-69
		CP to change transmitter loc. (Cond'l).			
BP-18390	12-10-68	1320kc	5kw	Day	8-10-69
		CP to chg. ant-trans. loc.			
BP-18390	12-10-68	Superseding auth. to include condition			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

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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
BL-12219(L)	5-20-69	Lic. (BP-18,390) chng. ant-trans. loc.			4-1-70
BTC-6150	2-9-70	InVol. TC EFF: 3-2-70			
BR-2875(S)	4-1-70	RENEWAL			4-1-73
BAL-7245	4-30-71	VOL. AL EFF: 6-2-71			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BAL 8123	4-30-74	INVOL. AL EFF: 3-27-74			
BAL-8439	12/10/75	Vol AL EFF: 2/5/76			
BR-2875(L)	12-10-75	Renewal of License			4-1-76
BR-2875(L)	6-17-76	Renewal of License			4-1-79
BS-2875(1)	12-7-76	ML to change SL and RC			
BTC-8296	4/7/77	Vol TC EFF: 4-28-77			
BR781201VY(L)	4-11-79	Renewal of License			4-1-82

FORM A-170
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters ~~WBHM~~ WENN x New

Name Emory M. McElroy and Dorsey E. Newman d/b as "VOICE OF ~~BIRMINGHAM~~" HOMEWOOD
(P.O. c/o Dorsey E. Newman, 3022 Prince St., Birmingham, Alabama)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-7985 Rec'd Resub. Rec'd Filed	1-3-51 1-12-51 1-27-51 1-30-51 1-30-51	Construction permit for a new standard broadcast station to be operated on: Frequency: ~~1220kc~~ 1330 kc Power: 1kw Hours of Operation: Daytime Trans. Location: ~~To be determined Birmingham, Alabama~~ Studio Location: ~~To be determined Birmingham, Alabama~~ ~~Contingent upon WEDR relinquishing 1220kc.~~ Wm. E. Benns, Jr., Engr.	~~RETURNED 1-22-51 Exhibits dated after Sect. I.~~ GRANTED	10-23-52
AMENDED Rec'd Filed	5-1-52 5-2-52 5-2-52	Amended to change frequency from 1220 kc to 1330 kc, and delete contingency upon WEDR relinquishing 1220 kc.		

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FORM A-170
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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name EMORY M. McELROY and DORSEY E. NEWMAN, d/b as "VOICE OF ~~BIRMINGHAM~~ HOMEWOOD

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-7985 Cont'd.				
AMENDED	7-23-52	AMENDED to change frequency from 1330kc to 1320kc; change transmitter location from "to be determined", Birmingham, Alabama, to 528' East of Montgomery Highway #31 on Bank of Shades Creek, Homewood, Alabama; change studio location from "to be determined", Birmingham, Alabama, to Hollywood Country Club, Homewood, Alabama; and change name of applicant to Emory M. McElroy and Dorsey E. Newman, d/b as "Voice of Homewood".	See card	#1 for action.
Rec'd	7-25-52			
Filed	7-25-52			
		William E. Benns, Jr., Engr.		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name EMORY M. McELROY AND DORSEY E. NEWMAN d/b as VOICE OF HOMEWOOD

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-6234 Rec'd Filed	4-30-53 6-10-53 6-10-53	Modification of construction permit (BP-7985 which auth. a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 6-23-53 to 9-1-53.	GRANTED	6-24-53
BMP-6295 Rec'd Filed	8-17-53 8-18-53 8-18-53	Modification of construction permit (BP-7985 as mod., which auth. a new standard broadcast station) to change type transmitter (Raytheon RA-1000).	GRANTED	8-27-53
BMP-6297 Rec'd Filed	8-21-53 8-25-53 8-25-53	Modification of construction permit (BP-7985 as mod., which auth. a new standard broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 9-1-53 to 10-1-53.	GRANTED	8-31-53
BL- 5133 Rec'd Filed	9-7-53 9-9-53 9-9-53	License to cover construction permit (BP-7985, as mod.,) which auth. a new standard broadcast station.	GRANTED	11-5-53

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GENE NEWMAN RADIO, INC. (AL 5-29-56, EFF: 6-2-56) Call Letters WEZH

Name xEMORY M. McELROY AND DORSEY E. NEWMAN, d/b as VOICE OF HOMEWOOD

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2875 Rec'd Filed	12-31-54 1-5-55 1-5-55	Renewal of License Filed by A. L. Stein, Atty.	GRANTED	3-9-55
BRC-899 Rec'd Filed	2-3-56 2-6-56 2-6-56	Modification of license to operate transmitter by remote control from Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham, Alabama (Auxiliary Studios)	GRANTED	2-8-56
BAL_2317 Rec'd Filed	3-14-56 5-7-56 5-7-56	Voluntary assignment of license from Emory M. McElroy and Dorsey E. Newman, d/b as Voice of Homewood to Gene Newman Radio, Inc.	GRANTED EFF:	5-29-56 6-2-56
BP-11,234 Rec'd Filed AMENDMENT - SEE CARD #5	4-10-57 4-11-57 4-11-57	Construction permit to change antenna-trans. location from 528' east of Montgomery Hwy 31, on bank of Shades Creek, Homewood, Ala., to Adjoining Birmingham Southern College, Birmingham, Ala. ~~change studio loc. from Hollywood Country Club, Homewood, Ala to Tutwiler Hotel, Birmingham, Ala.~~ make changes in antenna(incr.hght) & ground systems; ~~delete remote control point & change station location to BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.~~ Atty. - A.L. Stein Engr. - William E. Benns, Jr.	GRANTED	5-17-57

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Name GENE NEWMAN RADIO, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-11,234 AMENDMENT Rec'd Filed	 5-7-57 5-9-57 5-9-57	Amended to delete request to change station and studio location and make changes in antenna system (increase height) and delete request to delete remote control operation.	(see card #4 for action)	
BMP-7762 Rec'd Filed	6-28-57 7-2-57 7-2-57	~~Modification of~~ construction permit (~~BP-11,234 which entails a change in antenna transm. location, and make changes in antenna & ground system)~~ to increase power from 1kw to 5kw and install new transmitter (Gates BC 5P). Atty. - A.L. Stein Engr. - Wm. E. Benns, Jr.	GRANTED Issued as CP	9-3-57
AMENDMENT R & F	7-21-58 7-22-58	AMENDED 7-22-58 to install directional antenna (DA-D); change main studio loc. from Hollywood Country Club, Homewood, Ala. to Tutwiler Hotel, Birminghan, Alabama; delete remote control oper. of trans. change station location from Homewood, Alabama to BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA.		

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name GENE NEWMAN RADIO, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BL-6787 Rec'd Filed	8-20-57 8-22-57 8-22-57	License to cover Construction permit BP-11,234 which authorized a change in antenna-transmitter location and make changes in antenna & ground system.	GRANTED	11-8-57
BR-2875 Rec'd. Filed	3-6-58 3-10-58 3-10-58	Renewal of license. A.L. Stein, Atty.	GRANTED	5-7-58
BMP-8410 Rec'd Filed	2-9-59 2-11-59 2-11-59	Modification of c.p. (BMP-7762 which authorized increase power; install a new transmitter & directional antenna; change studio location; delete remote control operation and change station loc.) for extension of completion date from 5-3-59 to 9-15-59.	GRANTED	2-17-59 to 7-15-59

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name GENE NEWMAN RADIO, INC.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAPL-186 Rec'd. Filed	5-7-59 5-14-59 5-14-59	Voluntary assignment of license and construction permit to John M.McLendon & Associates, Inc. A.L.Stein, Atty. for Assignor D.F.Prince, Atty. for Assignee	GRANTED EFF:	7-29-59 8-6-59
BMP-8608 R & F	6-25-59 6-30-59	Modification of c.p.(BMP-7762 as modified which authorized increase power; install new transmitter and directional antenna; change studio location; delete remote control operation and change station location) for extension of completion date from 7-15-59 to ------. A.L.Stein, Atty.	GRANTED to	7-21-59 10-15-59

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name JOHN M. McLENDON & ASSOCIATES, INC.

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File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-8725 R & F	9-15-59 9-17-59	Modification of C. P. (BMP-7762 as modified which authorized increase of power, instl. new transmitter & DA, chg. in studio loc. & deletion of remote cont. oper. of trans, chg. in station location) for extension of completion date from 10-15-59 to 12-15-59. Atty's: Prince, Taylor & Crampton	GRANTED to	9-28-59 12-15-59
BP-13556 R & F	10-5-59 10-12-59	Construction Permit to install new transmitter (Gates BC-5P-2) Atty's: Prince, Taylor & Crampton	Dismissed Request of Applicant	12-1-59
BL-7748 R&F	11-18-59 11-25-59	Lic. to cover cp(BMP-7762 as mod.) which auth. incr. power; install new transmitter & DA; chg. studio & station loc.; & delete RC operation of transmitter. D.F. Prince, atty	GRANTED	5-3-60
LR-2875 Rec'd&filed	1-7-61 1-12-61	Renewal of license D. F. Prince, atty.	GRANTED	4-26-61

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name JOHN M. McLENDON & ASSOCIATES, INC.
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-14,778 Rec'd Filed	4-5-61 4-7-61 4-7-61	Construction Permit to change from DA-D to non-directional operation Atty. D. F. Prince Eng.- Charles E. Strain, Atlanta, Ga.	GRANTED COND'L re 3.87 of Rules not extended pending a decision in Docket No. 14419; applicant not begin program tests until WCPC has begun on 940kc & lic. will not be issued until WCPC has been lic. on 940kc.	7-19-62
SEE BELOW FOR AMENDMENT				
			GRANTED	7-31-61
BP-14,778 AMENDMENT R & F	(cont'd) 8-5-61 8-8-61	AMENDED to change applicant name to "McLendon Birmingham Broadcasting Company, Inc." as auth. by BML-1954 gr 7-31-61	See action above	
BMP-10,787 R. & F.	2-1-63 2-5-63	Mod. of CP (BP-14,778 which auth. change from DA-D to non-directional operation) for ext. of Completion date from 3-19-63 to 9-19-63. Atty: Ray R. Paul	GRANTED	3-6-63

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name MCLENDON BIRMINGHAM BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
Birmingham, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-10,996 R. & F.	8-15-63 8-16-63	Mod. of CP (BP-14,778, as mod., which auth. change from DA-D to non-directional operation) for extension of completion date from 9-19-63 to 3-19-64. Atty: Prince & Paul	GRANTED to	9-27-63 3-19-64
BR-2875 Rec'd Filed	12-11-63 12-16-63 12-16-63	Renewal of License Ray R. Paul, Atty.	GRANTED	9-1-64
BMP-11,206 R & F	2-19-64 3-16-64	Mod. of CP (BP-14,778 as mod which auth chg from DA-D to non-directional operation) for ext. of completion date from 3-19-64 to 9-19-64. Atty: Prince & Paul	GRANTED	4-1-64

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Name McLENDON BIRMINGHAM BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-11,323 R&F	8-19-64 8-20-64	Mod of CP (BP-14,778 as mod which auth chgs from DA-D to non-directional operation) for ext comple date from 9-19-64 to 3-19-65. Atty: Prince & Paul	GRANTED to	9-24-64 3-19-65
BMP-11,464 R&F	2-18-65 2-19-65	Mod. of C.P. (BP-14,778,as mod.,which auth. chng. from DA-D to non-directional opr.) for extension of completion date from 3-19-65 to 9-19-65 AttyP Prince and Paul.	GRANTED to	3-31-65 9-19-65
BMP-11,607 R&F	8-29-65 9-1-65	Mod. of C.P.(BP-14,778,as mod.which auth chng. from DA-D to Non-directional opr.) for extension of completion date from 9-19-65 to 3-19-66. Atty: Prince and Paul	GRANTED	10-20-65

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Name x McLENDON BIRMINGHAM BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-11,710 R & F	2-15-66 2-23-66	Modification of CP(BP-14,778 as modified which authorized change from DA-D to non-directional opeation) for extension of completion date from 3-19-66 to 9-19-66	GRANTED to	3-15-66 9-19-66
6		Attys: Prince & Paul		
BP-17,417 R & F	9-29-66 10-5-66	Construction Permit to replace expired CP (BP-14,778 as mod., which authorized change from DA-D to non-DA. Attys Prince & Paul	GRANTED (Cond'l re pre-sunrise D-14419)	10-14-66
BR-2875 R & F	12-21-66 12-30-66	Renewal of license Atty- Prince & Paul	GRANTED (& memo 2-23-67 re coord)	3-29-67
BML-2207 R & F	3-25-67 3-27-67	Mod. of lic to change licensee name to JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION Atty. Prince & Paul	GRANTED	4-12-67

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION (ML 4-12-67)
Name McLENDON BIRMINGAHAM BROADCASTING COMPANY, INC.
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-12,027 R & F	3-25-67 3-27-67	Mod. of CP(BP-17,417 as mod & reinstated) to which auth change from DA-D to Non-DA) to change name to JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION Atty. Prince & Paul	GRANTED	4-12-67
BMP-12,064 R& F	5-11-67 5-15-67	Mod. of CP(BP-17,417 as mod & reinstated which auth chg. from DA-D to Non-DA) for extension of completion date from 6-14-67 to 12-14-67 Atty. Prince & Paul	GRANTED to	6-7-67 12-14-67
BRC-3172 R & F SEP 20 1967	9-1-67 9-14-67	Modification of CP(BP-17,417) to operate transmitter by remote control from 1428 Fifth Ave., North, Birmingham, Alabama. Atty.: Ray R. Paul	GRANTED Cond'l re: Any pre-sunrise oper. must conform with Sect. 73.87 & 73.99 of the Rules, as amended June 28, 1967.	9-20-67

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APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

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Name JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMP-12,246 R. & F. MAR 20 1968	12-26-67 12-29-67	Mod. of CP(BP-17,417 as reinstated & mod., which auth. chg. from DA-D to nonDA) to make changes in antenna system(top-load) Attys-Prince & Paul Engr-Willis C.Beecher	GRANTED	3-28-68
BL-11,994 Rec'd Filed Amended #394372 $30 PT JUN 14 1968	12/11/67 12/13/67 4/23/68 4/23/68 12/13/67 4/26/68	License (BP-17,417 as reinstated & mod.) for changes. re engr. data. Atty: Ray R. Paul Engr: Claude M. Gray, Birmingham, Ala.	GRANTED Condl r	6-24-68 pre-sunrise

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Name Jomac Birmingham Corporation
Birmingham, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BP-18,254 R. & F. #441197 $30 7-3-68 AUG 6 1968	7-1-68 7-3-68	CP to change TL to 231 21st Ave., West, Birmingham, Alabama. atty-Prince & Paul	GRANTED Cond'l re: Before prog. test oper. may be auth., Station WATV shall submit Forms 302 requesting direct measurement of power. CANCELLED at request of Applicant	8-9-68 10-23-68
BP-18,390 R. & F. #467001 $30 DEC 2 1968	10-17-68 10-21-68 10-21-68	CP to change ant-trans loc to Pratt City-Cayreton Road, 1 mi. from Republic Road intersec., Birmingham, Alabama. atty-Prince & Paul engr-Willis C. Teecher (over)	GRANTED	12-10-68
BL-12,319 R & F #493736 $30 FT	3/13/69 3/13/69 3/13/69 3/21/69	Lic. (BP-18,390) chng. ant-trans. loc. Atty: Ray P. Paul AMENDED: R & F 5/14/69 dismantling towers	GRANTED	5-20-69

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PETITION FOR PARTIAL RECONSIDERATION AND IMPOSITION OF CONDITION [redacted]
filed 12-30-68 by Alan Y. Naftalin on behalf of TAFT Broadcasting Company.

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Name JONAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION
Birmingham, Ala.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BTC-6150 R & F FEE PD: $30 -#564490 (Form 316 -also see FM JAN 22 1970	12-2-69 12-22-69	Involuntary transfer of control of lic corp from John M. McLendon to Anne P. McLendon and First National Bank of Jackson, Co-Executors of the Estate of John M. McLendon (deceased) Atty - Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED EFF:	2-9-70 3-2-70
BR-2875 R & F #565720 $75 PN REC'd: PRESS:	12-20-69 12-30-69 12-30-69 12-23-69	Renewal of License Atty - Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED	4-1-70
BAL-7245 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #668086 CODE 047 Pub.notice filed 3-29-71	2-22-71 3-4-71	Voluntary assignment of license to HERTZ BROADCASTING OF BIRMINGHAM, INC. Atty for assignor - Mallyck & Bernton for assignee - Dow, Lohnes & Albertson	GRANTED Req. grant fee $16,083.90 grant fee includes FM station also. EFF: 6-2-71 Grant fee $16,083.90 paid 6-9-71 also includes FM station.	4-30-71

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FRANK S. BLACKFORD, RECEIVER
X HERTZ BROADCASTING OF BIRMINGHAM, INC.

Call Letters W E N N

Name X JOMAC BIRMINGHAM CORPORATION
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BR-2875 R & F PN Recd. PRESS JAN 12 1973	12-18-72 1-2-73 "	RENEWAL OF LICENSE James D. Monahan, Atty. AMENDED 2-2-73 re: ascert. of community needs commercial policy AMENDED 5-2-73 re: programming; comm. policy	Designated for Hearing NOV 14 1973 14874 Min.: GRANTED	12-10-75

The Commission on 11-14-73 notified station of apparent liability for $10,000 forfeiture.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-8123 R & F FEE PD: $250 #299218 (FORM 316) ALSO SEE FM APR 22 1974	3-29-74 4-3-74	Involuntary assignment of license to FRANK S. BLACKFORD, RECEIVER Atty - Mallyck & Bernton	GRANTED EFF:	4-30-74 3-27-74

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Name BOOKER T. WASHINGTON BROADCASTING SERVICE, INC.
XFrank S. Blackford, Receiver
Birmingham, Alabama

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BAL-8439 R & F FEE PD $200 #443940 CODE 047(ALSO SEE FM) 22 JUL 1975 PN filed	6-26-75 6-27-75 8/19/75	Voluntary assignment of license to BOOKER T. WASHINGTON BROADCASTING SERVICE, INC. Atty for assignor - Mallyck & Bernton for assignee - Cohn & Marks Court Order authorizing sale - Filed 7-7-75	GRANTED EFF: FEE REQ	12/10/75 2-5--76 Fee Pd 2/13/76 W 529491
BR-2875 Recd. PN Recd. AMENDED FILED PRESS	1-19-76 1-30-76 " 2-6-76 2-9-76 2/20/76	RENEWAL OF LICENSE To AMEND TO NWW NAME Ronald A. Siegel,Atty.	GRANTED	6-17-76
BTC-8296 R & F Also see WENN-FM FORM 316	3/23/77 3/29/77 APR 4	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Dr. A.G. Gaston, Sr. to Booker T. Washington Insurance Company, Inc. Atty - Cohn & Marks(Ronald Siegel)	GRANTED EFF:	4/7/77 4-28-77

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AMENDED 9/3/75 - re: programming

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Name BOOKER T. W SHINGTON BROADCASTING SERVICE, INC.
BIRMINGHAM, ALABAMA

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR 781201VY PRESS	JAN 2 6 1979	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	4-11-79

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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.