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BR ADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W H H O-FM(Eff:10-7-68)

Date first licensed 10-20-47

Call letters ~~WHHO - FM~~

LOCATION: HORNELL, NEW YORK

STEUBEN BROADCASTERS,INC. (BAL-6397 9-25-68 EFF: 10-4-68)
XRA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC. GR: 8-29-56 EFF: 9-11-56

Name of licensee XTHE W. H. GREENHOW CO.

6060 Gypsy Hill Road, Hornell, New York (Lt.11-13-78)
XMeeks Hill Rd., 1/4 mi. NE of intersection of Whittington Rd.
x 4 miles S. W. of Hornell, New York Near Hornell, NY

Transmitter location

1484 Beech Street,Hornellsville, New York (Lt.11-13-78)
x Beech St., R.D. #1, Hornell, N.Y. (ML 9-15-71)
x 85 Canisteo Street
14843
Hornell, New York

Main studio location

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	E.R.P. Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
B1-PH-391	9-17-46	99.9 No. 260	10.0kw	U	By 11-17-46 To 5-17-47
C.P. for new FM broadcast station					
Letter	12-6-46	STA to operate on Channel 260, 99.9 mcs. using a GE BT-1-A trans. with max. power output of 250 w and a 2-bay circular ant 122 ft above ground at a site 4 miles SW of Hornell, NY for period 12-6-46 to 3-5-47 for FM program.			
Telegram	1-31-47	MOD of STA to operate on 99.9 mcs. using GE BT-3A trans. with max. power 3 kw. & 2-bay circular ant. 122 ft. above ground at site 4 miles S.W. of Hornell, N.Y. period 2-1-47 to 3-5-47 purpose FM program			
Telegram	3-26-47	Retel. Authority granted use temporary dipole antenna 20' above ground at site 4 mi. SW Hornell period of 30 days.			
Telegram	3-4-47	MOD to operate on 99.9 mcs using GE BT-3A trans. max. power output 3 kw. and 2-bay circular ant. 122 ft. above ground at site 4 miles S.W. of Hornell purpose FM program period 3-6-47 to 5-4-47			
Telegram	5-2-47	Relet 25. Authority extended period ending 7-3-47 (Same as above).			
Telegram	5-27-47	Relet April 25. Present authorizetion dated 5-2-47 modified to specify channel 287, 105.3 mcs. in lieu of Channel 260, 99.9 mcs. pending final action in Docket 6768. Advise Comm. date operation commences on new frequency.			
BMPH-364	5-9-47	99.9 No. 260	10.0 kw Terr. 580'	U	By 11-17-46 To 7-17-47
Modified CP to change date of completion of construction. GRANTED 5-9-47.					
Telegram	7-7-47	Relet. Ath. ext. ending 7-17-47 operate 99.9 mcs. using GE BT-3A trans. & 2-sect. circular ant. 122' above gr. 4 mi. SW. of Hornell, NY for FM program service. Frequency subj. change Docket 6768 per Comm. ltr 6-26-47. CP expires 7-17-47.			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 10-20-47 Call letters X W W H G - F1

X RA TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.

Name of licensee X THE W. H. GREEN HOW CO.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Mcs. Freq.	E.R.P. Power	Time Div.	Period From- To-
Telegram	7-9-47	Retel 4 & 8. Auth. mod. operate 105.3 mcs. using site specified in CPBMPH-364 for FM program service.			ending 7-17-47 equip. power &
Telegram	7-16-47	Relet 10. Auth. operate 105.3 mcs. using equipment power & site specified in CP BPH-364 for FM program service.			ext. ending 8-17-47 op- program service.
	8-28-47	105.3 (No. 287) Freq. assignment record. Dp 676			
BMPH-542 Mod. for	7-18-47 ext. of	105.3 completion date.	10.0 kw	U	By 11-17-46 To 10-17-47
Daylet	8-15-47	Retel 12. Auth ext 10-17-47, 105.3, using equip. & power & location specified in CP BMPH-542, pending service			
Telegram	10-9-47	Relet Butman 6. service changed accordance with extended for period ending Dec. 9, 1947.		STA to furnish program to program test auth. in section 3.217 rules and	
BLH-90	10-20-47	105.3 Ch.#287 Lic. to cover CP	3 kw Terr: 580' (BPH-391 as modified)	U	exp 10-20-48
	9-1-48	Gr. 6 months STA on 104.9 (285) Hornell.		to op. 10-wsatellite sta tp improve reception in	
Telegram	9-3-48	Auth. st. WWHG op. on 104.9 mc Satelite FM Br sta. composite Trans. 10 w. max. output w/GE single bay circular ant. 60 ft above ground at WWHG studio location, Canisteo & Cass Sts., Hornell., provided tech. details of equip. & op. in accordance w/the COMM rules re educa FM w/trans output of 10 w or less & all prog. mater. transmitted by the Satellite sta be simultaneously transmitted f/the WWHG main Trans. This auth expires 3-2-49.			
BMH-70 Telegram	10-15-48 12-14-48	Renewal of license Relet engineer 9. COMM telegram 9-3-48 for Satellite WWHG Mod. to specify Freq. 92.1 mcs for period ending 3-2-49.			To 12-1-49

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed .....

Call letters X W W H G- FM

Name of licensee X RA TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.
X THE W. H. GREENHOW CO.

Transmitter location .....

Main studio location .....

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CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
Telegram	3-2-49	EXT. OF STA gr. period ending 9-2-49 (Satellite station).			
Letter	6-7-49	STA to remove trans. fac. of Hornell to Meeks Hill Rd. 4 mi. NW of intersec. with Whittington Rd. using 168' steel tower (GE 4-bay FM ant.). Auth. to remain silent pend. install. at new site.			from 4 mi. S.W.
Tel.	6-15-49	STA to utilize low FM Satellite tr. in Hornell, NY to transmit prog.material to be rebr. by AM and FM stns in same city.-to 8-31-49,-etc.			
Letter	8-31-49	Ext STA to utilize low FM Satellite tr.in Hornell,NY to transmit prog. material to be rebr. by AM and FM stns. to 10-1-49.			
BPH-1574 C.P.	9-15-49 issued	105.3	8.3 kw	560 ft.	by 11-15-49 to 5-15-50
BRH-70	11-30-49	Renewal of license			12-1-49 to 12-1-52
BLH-629	5-31-50	License to Cover C.P. BPH-1574			to 12-1-52 L
BRH-70	11-13-52	Renewal of license to			6-1-54 S
BRH-70	5-19-54	RENEWAL OF LICENSE TO			6-1-57 S
BALH-243 EFF:	8-29-56	Voluntary assignment of license to RA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.			
BRCH-172	10-9-56	Operate Transmitter by Remote Control from 85 CanisteoST.			6/1/57
BTC-2445	3-18-57	Vol. acq. of negative control of licensee corp. by each of Alfred Dresner & Saul Dresner thru the purchase of stock from Frederic D. Schottland & Alma E. Schottland.			
TELEGRAM	5-31-57	Action on renewal deferred 5-29-57 and continued operation authorized pending final action on renewal application.			
BRH-70	6-13-57	105.3 mgs.	8.3 kw.	U	6-1-60
		RENEWAL OF LICENSE (L)			

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BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

W H H O-FM
X WWHG-FM

Date first licensed

Call letters

Station location

Name of licensee X RA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.

Transmitter location

Main studio location

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq	Power	Time Div	Period From To
BTC-2555 EFF: 10-1-57	9-5-57	Voluntary acquisition of negative contro of licensee corp. by Samuel Dresner & Rose Dresner thru the purchase of stock from Saul Dresner & Alfred Dresner			
	5-25-60	Commission deferred action on renewal pending further consideration.			
BRH-70	7-20-60	RENEWAL OF LICENSE		7-20	6-1-63
Wire	2-28-62	Auth. remain silent thru		3-10-62	
Wire	3-12-62	Ext. auth. remain silent		thru	3-22-62
Wire	3-21-62	Ext. auth. remain silent		thru	4-19-62
Wire	4-19-62	Ext. auth. remain silent		thru	5-19-62
BRH-70	5-31-63	Renewal of license		6-1	6-1-66
BRH-70	5-27-66	Renewal of License		6-1	6-1-69
BPH-1118 EFF:	9-25-68 10-4-68	Vol. AH			
BPH-6579 HAAT: 560' Cond'l	1-24-69	105.3mc. ERP: 8.3kw ch#287 TPO8 2.60kw CP install new ant(Jampro-JA-4B, 4secs); and chg. TPO;		Unl.	9-24-69
WIRE	2-25-69	remain silent extended thru 5-25-69.			
Wire	5-28-69/	Remain silent ext.		thru	7-26-69
Wire	7-29-69.	Remain silent ext.		thru	9-29-69.
BPH-10,79 (1)	810-20-69	MP(BPH-6579) ext. time to 11-15-69			
Telegram	10-16-69	Auth. remain silent ext.		thru	11-15-69
BRH-70 (L)	12-11-69	Renewal & NDSA		6-1-72	
BPH-6584 (1)	6-3-70	Lic. (BPH-6579, as mod) changes			
BTC-6316	12-21-70	VOL. TC			
BPH-7593(L) HAAT: 560'	9-15-71	105.3 MODIFICATION OF LICENSE to chg. SL and RC loc.	ERP: 8.3kw TPO: 2.7kw		6-1-72
EBSA	5-25-72				

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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
BRH-70 (S)	5-31-72	Renewal	of License	& NDEA	6-1-75
BTC-7661	3-24-75	Vol. TC.	EFF:		
BRH-70(S)	5-28-75		RENEWAL		6-1-78
CONTEL	1-3-78	TRANS: CCA FM 3000D mod. 310Z-1B exciter now installed			w/ COLLINS
BRH-70(L)	8-4-78	Renewal	of License		6-1-81

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Form 94

HIGH FREQUENCY (FM)

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WWHG-FM

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RA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC. GR: 8-29-56 EFF:

Name X THE W. H. GREENHOW CO.

(P.O. 85 Canisteo St., Hornell, N. Y.)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
B1-PH-391 Recd. Filed	10-31-44 12-8-44 12-12-44	Construction permit for new high frequency FM broadcast station Frequency: 49,300 Kcs., Coverage: 5,062 Sq.Mi. Population: 237,353 Studio: 85 Canisteo St., Hornell N. Y. Transmitter: 4 mi. Southwest of Hornell, N. Y (G.E. GF 1-B Max. 250watts) Filed by Frank Stollenwerck , Att'y. Amendment re Comm.letter of 9-7-45 recd. 9-29-45. Current balance sheet submitted. (Metropolitan) Program analysis rec'd. 4-4-46 - 6-27-46 Engr. information rec'd 8-14-46 changing frequency, coverage, population, type of transmitter and making changes in antenna system.	Granted for Met. FM station Conditionally - type 1 letter mailed 12-20-45 Program plans approved 9-12-46. Basic Engr. approved 9-12-46. C. P. issued 9-17-46	12-19-45

Form 94 #2 APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING FM (CLASS B)

Call Letters W W H G- FM

RA TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.

X

Name THE W. H. GREENHOW CO.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-364 Rec'd Filed	4-30-47 5-2-47 5-5-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-391 which authorized a new FM broadcast station) for extension of completion date from 5-17-47 to 7-17-47.	GRANTED	5-9-47
BMPH-542 Rec'd Filed	7-10-47 7-11-47 7-11-47	Mod. of C. P. (B1-PH-391 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station for extension of completion date from 7-17-47 to 10-17-47.	GRANTED	7-18-47
BLH-90 Rec'd Filed	8-12-47 8-15-47 8-15-47	License to cover C. P. (B1-PH-391 as modified) which authorized a new FM broadcast station. Filed by Carl H. Butman, Attorney	GRANTED	10-20-47
BRH-70 Recd Filed	8-10-48 8-11-48 8-11-48	Renewal of license.	GRANTED	10-15-48

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Name R a Tel Broadcasters, inc. x THE W. H. GREENHOW COMPANY

Call Letters W W H G - FM

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-1574 Rec'd. Filed	7-22-49 7-27-49 7-27-49	Construction permit to make changes in existing FM broadcast station to change ERP from 10 kw. to 8.42 kw., antenna height above average terrain from 580 ft. to 558 ft., transmitter location from 4 miles SW of Hornell, N. Y. to Meeks Hill Rd. ¼ mile NE of intersection of Whittington Rd. & Meeks Hill Rd., on south side of road, near Hornell, New York and make changes in antenna system. Filed by Scott G. Rigby, Atty.	GRANTED Expires mailed 9-22-49	9-15-49 5-15-50
BRH-70 Recd Filed	10-22-49 11-10-49 11-10-49	Renewal of license (BLH-90). Filed by Scott Rigby, Atty	GRANTED	11-30-49
BLH-629 Rec'd. Filed	5-10-50 5-15-50 5-15-50	License to cover C. P. (BPH-1574) which authorized changes in existing FM broadcast station. Filed by Robert L. Irwin, Atty.	GRANTED	5-31-50

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Name RA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.
X THE W. H. GREENHOW CO.

Call Letters WWHG-FM

85 Canisteo Street, Hornell, New York.

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-70 Recd. & Filed	8-25-52 9- 2-52	Renewal of license. Filed by John P. Carr, att'y	GRANTED	11-13-52
BRH-70 Recd. & Filed	2-22-54 2-25-54	Renewal of license Alfred Gordon, atty	323 on file GRANTED	5-19-54
BALH-243 Recd & Filed	6-19-56 6-25-56	Vol. assignment of license to RA-TEL Broadcasters, Inc.	GRANTED EFF:	8-29-56 9-11-56
BRCH-172 Recd.&Filed	10-5-56 10-8-56	Transmitter may be operated by Remote Control from 85 Canisteo St. Hornell, New York.	GRANTED	10-9-56
BTC-2445 Recd & filed	3-4-57 3-7-57	Voluntary acquisition of negative control of licensee corporation by each of Alfred Dresner & Saul Dresner, thru the purchase of Stock from Frederic D. Schottland & Alma E. Schottland (50%).	GRANTED EFF:	3-18-57 3-20-57

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Name RA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.
HORNELL, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-70 Recd & filed	2-27-57 3-1-57	Renewal of license Additional info. recd. 4-12-57 (balance sheet, type of transmitter specified) Add. info. recd. 5-23-57 re Section II, Part 2	GRANTED	6-13-57
BTC-2555 Rec'd Filed	7-18-57 7-23-57 7-23-57	Voluntary acquisitions of negative control of licensee corporation by Samuel Dresner and Rose Dresner, through the purchase of stock from Saul Dresner and Alfred Dresner	GRANTED EFF	9-5-57 10-1-57
BRH-70 Rec'd & Filed	3-2-60 3-8-60	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	7-20-60
BRH-70 R & F	3-13-63 3-19-63	Renewal of License.	GRANTED	5-31-63

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Name STEUBEN BROADCASTERS, INC. (9-25-68)
X RA-TEL BROADCASTERS, INC.
Hornell, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-70 R & F	2-23-66 3-3-66	Renewal of license Atty- Dow, Lohnes & Albertson (John Jacob)	GRANTED	5-27-66
BASH-1118 R & F #434980 $75 JUL 3 1968	5-31-68 6-11-68 6-11-68	Vol. AL to ~~Steuben County Broadcasters, Inc.~~ Dow, Lohnes & Albertson, Attys. AMENDED 8-29-68 to chg. corp.name of assignee to STEUBEN BROADCASTERS, INC.	GRANTED EFF:	9-25-68 10-4-68
BPH-6579 R & F #482292 $30 JAN 23 1969	12-30-68 1-7-69 1-7-69	CP to install new ant (Jampro-JA-4B, 4 sects); and chg. TPO 2.595kw/ Atty - John A. Jacob(Dow,Lohnes & Albertson) Engr: Richard W. Burden	GRANTED Cond'l for WHHO(AM)	1-24-69 submit 302's to determine operating power by direct method.
BRH-70 R & F #495288 $75 APR 2 1969	2/19/69 3/3/69 3/3/69	RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty: John B. JACOB	GRANTED	12-11-69

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Name STEINER BROADCASTERS, INC
ROSWELL, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-10,798 R & F #543580 $30	9-18-69 9-22-69 9-22-69 OCT 1 6 1969	MP(BPH-6579) ext. time to 10-24-69.(For Chng.) Atty: John B. Jacob(Gordon and Jacob)	GRANTED to	10-20-69 11-15-69
BLH-4634 Rec. & F #557089 $30. PTA ltd Amended PTA extended PRESS	11-13-69 11-17-69 11-17-69 11-26-69 12-4-69 12-4-69 JUN 1 1970	Lic.(BPH-6579, as mod.) for changes. Type Transmitter: CCA, FM-3000-D. Atty: Jacob and Gordon re antenna	GRANTED	6-3-70
BTC-6316 R & F SEE AM WHHO FOR FEE PD: ETC	7-2-70 7-2-70 AUG 6 - 1970	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Colin M. Campbell, Arthur C. Meushaw, Edgar L. Nevins, et al(all stockholders) to Southeastern Publications, Inc. REQ. WAIVER SEC. 1.597 Atty - Cordon & Jacob (SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS)	GRANTED See AM for Fee paid date,	12-21-70

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Name Steuben Broadcasters, Inc.
Hornell, New York

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BPH-7593 R & F #025596 $50 Code: 061 PRESS: 7 SEP 1971 AMENDED:	8-18-71 8-19-71 8-19-71 9-3-71	Construction Permit to change studio & remote control location to: Beech St. R.D. #1, Hornell, New York. Atty - John B. Jacob Financing.	GRANTED Issued as Mod. Lic.	9-15-71
BRH-70 R & F PRESS MAR 9 1972	2-24-72 3-1-72	Renewal of License Atty-John B. Jacob AMENDED 4-7-72 re: employment policy; programming AMENDED 5-12-72 re: notice of charge of emp. discrimination	GRANTED	5-31-72
BTC-7661 R & F FEE PD: $1000 #377557 CODE 049(ALSO SEE AM) PE FILED: 3-14-75 JAN 23 1975	12-18-74 12-27-74	Voluntary transfer of control of lic corp from Southeastern Publications, Inc. to Jonas Termin and Donald C. Hartman Atty - Cordon & Jacob (SEE AM FOR AMENDMENTS ETC)	GRANTED EFF: GR. FEE REQ. pd 063 4-15-75 413174	3-24-75

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APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WHHQ-FM

Name STEUBEN BROADCASTERS, INC.
HORNELL, NEW YORK

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-70 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	1-24-75 1-31-75 " 11 FEB 1975	RENEWAL OF LICENSE John B. Jacob, Atty.	GRANTED	5-28-75
BRH-70 R & F PRESS	1-26-78 2-1-78 MAR 13 1978	Renewal of License John B. Jacob, Atty.	GRANTED	8-4-78
BRH810202VZ PRESS MAR 18 1981		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. John B. Jacob (Cordon & Jacob)	ISSUED	5-29-81

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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.

FM History Cards were initiated in the early 1940s, with the authorization of the earliest FM stations in the FM band, then at 42 to 50 MHz. (The band was shifted to its present location, 88 to 108 MHz, in 1946.) 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 radio station history.