WIVQ

REMOVABLE LABEL

GUIDES AND FOLDERS

MADE IN U. S. A.

CATALOG NO. 4550L 1/5

Form BC 126
June 1954 #2577

FREQUEMCY MODULATION

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed 12-1-70

Call letters W I V Q(EFF-7-4-77) X W G S Y

Station location Peru, Illinois

Name of licensee RADIO ILLINOIS, LTD. (ALH gr 5/9/77 EFF: 6-1-77) consummted 5-31-77) x George W. Yazell

Transmitter location 2 mi. S. of Peru, E. of County Rd. 16, near Peru, Illinois (PH 5-6-81) X1727½ Fourth Street, Peru, Ill. (SH 2-21-75) x 1725½ Fourth Street, Peru, Illinois(PH-10-15-69)

61354

Main studio location 1727½ 4th Street, Peru, Illinois X Same as Trans.

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From To
BPH-6576	10-15-69	100.9mc.	ERP: 3kws(h&v)	U	6-15-70
HAAT:145'(h&v)		ch#265	TPO: 2.40kws.		
Cond'l		CP for New Station			
BPH-6576(1)	1-7-70	Call letters Assigned.			
BMPH-10,957 (2)	2-19-70	MP(BPH-6576 as mod) make chg. in trans, & ant			
COMTEL	3-5-70	Interim auth. operate program test on 100.1mc pending compliance ORDER chg. NSLC-FM frequency.			
COMTEL	8-31-70	Interim auth. operate program test on 100.9mc(cond't. within 30 days after op commences, necessary to file 302's as Amend. to pend. license.)			
BLH-4729(L)	12-1-70	Lic.(BPH-6576,as mod) for new FM B/C station			12-1-73
EBSA	5-22-72				
BRH-2577(S)	11-28-73	Renewal of License			12-1-76
BSH-2577(1)	2-21-75	ML to change SL and TL			
BRH-2577(L)	1-19-77	Renewal of license consummated 5-31-77			12-1-79
BALH-2459	5/9/77	Vol ALH EFF:6-1-77			
BRH-790801XH(S)	11-30-79	RENEWAL			12-1-79
COMTEL	3-7-80	AUTH. AND TERMS EXTNDED THRU 6-1-80			
BPH791123AF HAAT: 464' (L)	5-6-81 (H&V)	100.9mhz ERP: .998kW (H&V) 5-6-82 CP to mke chgs. in ant. sys., TL, type trans., type ant, ERP & in HAAT			

FORM BC-121
AUG. 1955

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

Call Letters WGSY NEW FM

Name GEORGE W. YAZELL
PERU, ILLINOIS (PO 55A Lincoln Hill, Quincy, Ill. 62301)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
RPH-6576 R & F #482714 $75 PRESS: JAN 17 1969 PN REC'D:	1-6-69 1-9-69 1-9-69 1-27-69	CP for new FM on: 100.1mc-#261-ERP:3kw(H&V) HAAT:145' TPO:2.42kw- Trans.:Gates BF-3E; Ant.:Gates FMC-3A, 3 secs. T-SL: On-US-Hwy.-#51, just N. of Shooting Park Rd., Peru, Ill. Atty.: None; Engr.: Applicant	GRANTED Cond'L	10-15-69 station shall not commence prior to 12-1-70, or such earlier date as Station WGLC-FM, MEndota, Ill.
AMENDMENT Rec'd Filed PRESS:	7-15-69 7-16-69 7-16-69	Amended to change frequency to 100.9mc, Channel 265, chg. TPO to 2.41kw, Change trans. & studio loc. to ~~1818-4th-St., Peru, Ill.~~ show coordinates as (41°19'36"--89°07'46"). IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECOND REPORT AND ORDER IN DOCKET #18051.		
AMENDMENT R&F PRESS: AUG 8 1969	7-30-69 8-1-69	Amended to change trans.- studio location to 1725½ 4th Street, Peru, Ill. Specify coordinates as (41°19'38" --89°07'42").		

(See Over)

NOTICE OF PUBLICATION MAILED 1-15-69.

Ltr. filed 1-17-69 to correct Sect. I & Engineering.

CONTACT: George W. Yazell; PHONE: Code 217, 222-2264
ADDRESS: 55A Lincoln Hill, Quincy, Ill. 62301

AMENDED 5-14-69 additional financial information submitted and community needs.
AMENDED 8-19-69 updating balance sheet.
Amended 10-10-69. Additional Community Needs data.

Form BC-121
September 1969

#2

APPLICATION RECORD · BROADCASTING

Call Letters W G S Y

Name GEORGE W. YAZELL
PERU, ILLINOIS 61354

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BMPH-10,957 R & F #574680$30. PRESS: FEB 17 1970	1-29-70 2-2-70 2-2-70	MP(BPH-6576 as mod) to make changes in transmitting equipment.	GRANTED	2-19-70
BLH-4729 R & F #580703 $75. $45. Refunded	2-24-70 2-26-70 2-26-70	Lic.(BPH-6576, as mod.) for new FM B/c Sta.	GRANTED	12-1-70
PTA	3-5-70			
Amended	3-8-70	Sect. II-B resub. w/sig. & date		
PRESS	JUN 16 1970			
AMENDED #634233 $30. AC-068	10-1-70 10-1-70	re: Op. frequency 100.9mcs Refunded 10-8-70		

Form BC-121
September 1969

#3

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

100.9 mhz.

Call Letters WIVQ XWGSY

RADIO ILLINOIS, LTD.

Name x GEORGE W. YAZELL
Peru, Illinois

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action Nature	Action Date
BRH-2577 R & F P.N. PRESS	9-29-73 9-4-73 9-4-73 17 SEP 1973	Renewal of License	GRANTED	11-28-73
BRH-2577 R & F PN Recd. PRESS	7-23-76 8-2-76 " AUG 19 1976	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 12-13-76 re: commercial matter	GRANTED	1-19-77
BALH-2459 R & F (FORM 314) PN filed	3-3-77 3-4-77 MAR 31 1977 3/24/77	Voluntary assignment of license to RADIO ILLINOIS, LTD. Atty for assignee - Jason L. Shrinsky Over	GRANTED EFF: 6-1-77 (consummated 5-31-77)	5/9/77

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

NOTED: Mich. corp - Cert of auth for Ill nec.
BALH-2479 - AMENDED 3/7/77 Bank ltr(assignee)
AMENDED 5-5-77 - Cert of auth for Ill; financial data

#4

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING
100.9MHz.

Call Letters: W I V Q

Name: RADIO ILLINOIS, LTD.

Station Location: PERU, ILLINOIS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BRH790801XH PRESS OCT 3 1979		RENEWAL OF LICENSE Atty. James M. Weitzman (Shrinsky & Eisen)	GRANTED 11-30-79
BPH-791123AF (C) ACCEPTED PN RECD. JUL 21 80	CUT OFF 3-24-81 AUG 29 80	CP to make chgs. in Ant. Sys.; chg. TL to: 2 mi. S. of Peru, E. of County Rd., 16, Near Peru, Illinois; chg. type Trans.; chg. type Ant. (COLLINS G5CPM-2E, 2 sects. Circular Polarized); chg. ERP: 0.998kw (H&V); incre. HAAT: 464' (H&V) 41° 17' 32" 89° 07' 58" Atty. James M. Weitzman (Shrinsky & Eisen)	GRANTED 5-6-81

Form BC-121
March 1979

#5

APPLICATION RECORD-BROADCASTING

Call Letters: WIVQ

Name: RADIO ILLINOIS, LTD.

Station Location: PERU, ILLINOIS

File No.	Date	Description	Action and Date
BLH-810514AE PTA PRESS	JUN 3 1981	License to cover (BPH-791123AF) for changes. Atty: James M. Weitzman	GRANTED 9-21-81

Form BC-121
March 1979

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.