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June 1954

BROADCASTING STATION LICENSE RECORD

Date first licensed March 3, 1965

Call letters K.B.X.M.

HAZEL V. MILLER AND LARRY DON MILLER d/b as BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY

(AL 4-30-73 EFF: 5-14-73)

x COMPANY

Station location Kennett, Missouri

xHAZEL V. MILLER and HAZEL V. MILLER, GUARDIAN FOR LARRY DON MILLER, ~~xxxx~~ d/b as
BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING CO. (AL-11-24-65; EFF: 12-30-65)

xHAZEL V. MILLER, ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM L. MILLER, DECEASED,

tr/as BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY (BAP-10-6-64 EFF:

Name of licensee WILLIAM L. MILLER tr/as BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY

Transmitter location Just North of Kennett, Missouri (BP 7-31-63)

63857

Main studio location Same as transmitter

CONSTRUCTION PERMIT AND LICENSE RECORD

Appl. No.	Date Issued	Freq.	Power	Time Div.	Period From- To
BP-14158	2-12-64	1540kc	1kw/250w	Day	4-12 10-12-64
CH					
CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1)					
BP-14,158	2-12-64	1540kc	1kw/250w	Day	4-12 10-12-64
			CH		
		CP for a new standard broadcast station (Cond'1)			
BP-14,158	4-16-64	Mod. of	CP(BP-14,158)	to	assign Call
(1)		Ltrs.			
BAP-690	10-6-64	Involuntary assignment of CP to Hazel V. Miller, Administratrix of the Estate of William L. Miller, Deceased, tr/as Bootheel Broadcasting Company			
BL-10623	3-3-65	1540kc	1kw/250w(CH) D	3-3	2-1-68
		Lic to cover CP (BP-14,158) which auth a new Standard Broadcast Station; Specify type trans as Gates BC-1G.			
BAL-5592	11-24-65	Voluntary assignment of lic. to Hazel V. Miller and Hazel V. Miller, Guardian for Harry Don Miller. tr/as BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY			
EFF:12-30-65					
BR-4443	1-30-68	1540kc	1kw,250w(CH) D	2-1	2-1-71
BP-18,637	12-11-70	1540kc	1kw 500w (CH) D		12-11-71
		CP to increase power to 500 during critical Hours			
BR-4443	2-25-71	RENEWAL OF LICENSE (S)			2-1-74
BP-18,637	12-11-70	Superseding authorization to correct condition.			
BL-13,063	11-17-71	1540kc	1kw,500w(CH) Day		2-1-74
		Lic.(BP-18,637) for changes.			
EBSA	6-12-72				
BAL-7584	4-30-73	Vol. AL.	EFF: 5-14-73		
BR-4443(L)	2-15-74	RENEWAL			2-1-77
BR-4443(S)	1-13-77		RENEWAL		2-1-80
BR 790920	UE 1-24-80	(S)	RENEWAL		2-1-83

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

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Letters ~~new~~ K.B.X.M.

Name WILLIAM L. MILLER tr/as BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY
KENNETT, MISSOURI (P.O. ~~off H. Thompson~~, Hemet, California)

P. O. Box 1196, Hemet, California (Let 9-13-61)

File No.	Dated	Application for	Nature	Date
BP-14,158	5-20-60	Construction Permit for a new standard	GRANTED	7-31-63
Rec'd	5-23-60	broadcast station to be operated on:	GRANTED	2-12-64
Filed	5-23-60	Frequency - 1540kc	After Hearing	
		Power - 1kw/250CH	Docket No. 14595	
		Hours of operation - Daytime	Order Issued.	
		Trans location - Just North of		
		Kennett, Missouri	Cond'l re: Pre-sunrise	
		Studio location - Same as transmitter	operation.	
		Eng. - Ralph J. Bitzer, St. Louis, Mo.		
		Atty: Harry J. Daly, (Letter 9-13-61).		
BL-10,623	5-11-64	Lic to cover CP(BP-14,158) which auth a new	GRANTED	3-3-65
R. & F.	5-12-64	Standard broadcast station; specify type	Cond'l re: Pre-sunrise	
PROG. TEST		trans as Gates BC-1G.	operation	
5-21-64	(AMEND R&F 2-19-65)	Amended to change name re BAP-690 gr. 10-6-65		
BAP-690	9-19-64	Involuntary assignment of construction permit	GRANTED	10-6-64
R & F	9-22-64	to Hazel V. Miller, Administratrix of the		
		Estate of William L. Miller, Deceased, tr/as		
		Bootheel Broadcasting Company		
		Atty. - Daly & Joyce		

Gates BC-1T

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HAZEL V. MILLER and HAZEL V. MILLER, GUARDIAN FOR LARRY DON MILLER, tr/as BOOTHELL BROADCASTING COMPANY

Letters

Name

HAZEL V. MILLER, ADMINISTRATRIX OF THE ESTATE OF WILLIAM L. MILLER, DECEASED,
tr/as BOOTHELL BROADCASTING COMPANY
KENNETT, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BAL-5592 R & F	10-7-65 10-11-65	Voluntary assignment of license to HAZEL V. MILLER and HAZEL V. MILLER, Guardian for Larry Don Miller, tr/as BOOTHELL BROADCASTING COMPANY Atty. Daly & Joyce	GRANTED EFF	11-24-65 12-30-65
BR-4443 R & F NOV 2 1967	10-12-67 10-24-67	Renewal of license Atty- George R. Borsari, Jr.	GRANTED 1-30	1-30-68
BP-18,637 Rec'd Filed \$75-557082 PN filed	9-9-69 9-12-69 11-14-69 11-14-69 11-24-69	Construction permit to increase power from 250w to 500w during critical hours. REQUEST WAIVER OF SECTION 1.571 of RULES	Accept. for filing by Comm. action GRANTED	8-5-70. 12-11-70

Form BC-121
September 1969

APPLICATION RECORD - BROADCASTING

HAZEL V. MILLER AND LARRY DON MILLER D/B AS
BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANYCall
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HAZEL V. MILLER and HAZEL V. MILLER, GUARDIAN FOR

Name LARRY DON MILLER ~~As~~ as BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY
KENNETT, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
BR-4443 R & F PN Recd. PRESS OCT 29 1970	10-12-70 10-24-70	RENEWAL OF LICENSE AMENDED 12-8-70 re: programming	GRANTED	2-25-71
HL-13,063 Rec'd #W 029498\$50. AC-067 Resubmitted & Filed PTA PRESS NOV 11 1971	9-2-71 9-7-71 9-7-71 9-15-71 9-10-71 NOV 11 1971	Lic.(BP-18,637) for changes.	GRANTED	Orig. Returned 9-9-71 Sect. I Not Dated 11-17-71
BAL -7584 Rec'd FEE PD: \$250 FILED Add'l \$750 pd PRESS: Report 9322	4-10-72 4-13-72 #063338 5-22-72 #075215 9322 (5-26-72)	Voluntary assignment of license to HAZEL V. MILLER and LARRY DON MILLER dba BOOTHEEL BROADCASTING COMPANY (SEE OVER)	GRANTED EFF:	4-30-73 5-14-73

DRAFT 5-24-72 - Table I - home addresses not shown;
Par. 29, Sec.II fails to show relationship; Sec.VI nec.

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Name HAZEL V. MILLER AND LARRY ELM MILLER D/B AS BOUTWELL BROADCASTING COMPANY
KENNETT, MISSOURI

File No.	Dated	Application for	Action	
			Nature	Date
IR-4443 R & F PH PRESS	11-1-73 11-5-73 11-5-73 NOV 23 1973	Renewal of License AMENDED 12-26-73 re: community survey	GRANTED	2-15-74
BR-4443 R & F PH Recd. PRESS	9-23-76 9-27-76 " NOV 23 1977	RENEWAL OF LICENSE	GRANTED	1-13-77
BR790920UE PRESS	NOV 8 1979	Renewal of License	GRANTED	1-24-80

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.

