

RADIO STATION **KCBO**

Adv. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_

Written by \_\_\_\_\_

KCBD-TV signed on in  
May of 1953; 2<sup>nd</sup> station  
in their town. Both  
started w/ temp facilities.  
ch 13 KDU8-TV put equipment  
on roof of downtown bank.  
Low power/low height/small  
town.

KCBD built their tall  
tower [same as today] but  
started w/ a Rented  
2Kw Xmtr. Once their  
10kw rig arrived, the  
2Kw went to Shreveport to  
start KSLA-TV.

Folger Contains Notes  
of a local C.E.  
getting a new station  
running. A few real  
hard problems, lots of  
the mundane.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 7 Dec 1953, CST \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duczak →  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY PCA  
CHARGE AM TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 4-1416 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

check on sideband filter  
week of 21st -

check on mike boom  
shipped this week -

service company troubles either Bob Connors  
R.W.

Henry will check on antenna completion -

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 28 Oct 1953, CST 1000 TO Morris Barton  
 FROM Frank Lee COMPANY Interim TV Inc  
 CHARGE AM TV PLACE Shreveport, La.  
 PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO 54711

advised him 2 kw was ready to go  
 he said he would be up in about 10 days —



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 21 OCT 1953, CST 1430 TO Bill Strubel  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE Alt TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Advised wrong wire sent

Actual wire slightly less than  $\frac{1}{8}$ " or tethon  $\frac{3}{32}$

wire sent overall 9/32

7 conductors

#24

.024  
.024  
.057  
.708

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 21 OCT 1953, CST 1310 TO Bill Strubel  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE Alt TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO Called PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_

apologize about Teflon wire

Bill Strubel — PC 3077

advised to call him if I ever got into any  
more trouble

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PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 20 OCT 1953, CST 1000 TO Henry Duczak  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE ATT TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 2-6381 PHONE NO Woodtown 3-8000

Notified of order for:

10 ft Teflon insulated wire  
26/.010 Ag plated copper wire  
.024 Teflon

Emergency service order on 11 Oct.

13 Oct wire to Bill Hanson  
14 Oct phone to Bill Hanson  
17 Oct wire to Bill Hanson  
19 Oct phone to Bill Hanson

gave to Cannon's group was to report.

Henry advised he would call me back



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 16 OCT 1953 CST 950a TO Emergency Service  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE TV PLACE Philly  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

order →

1 4TB Rectifier filament transformer  
Drawing # 949325-1 Stock # 93810

by air express

from Bowden on duty

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 14 OCT 1953, CST 1040 a TO Henry Doczak  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE Att TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Ordered 2000ft 60 cond. quantity 6

Sideband - later part of November  
Dummy load - no - early part of next year  
Zercher (antenna man) -

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 14 OCT 1953, CST 1600 TO Ab Super  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6348 PHONE NO Woodlawn

Strubel -

will find out about service company engineer  
and

PC 3346  
Mr Polk



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 11 Oct 1953, CST 1230 p TO Emergency Service  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AI TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

order emergency service Kirby Fowler  
Collingsworth 53691-M

10 ft Teflon insulated wire  
26/.010 Ag plated Cu wire  
.024 thick Teflon

6C118 Capacitor .1uf 600v Stock No 95622  
1R31 Resistors Stock No. 97750  
1R30 Resistors Stock No 97750

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 3 OCT 1953, CST 1015 am TO Tom Griffen  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AT TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodtown 3-8000

requested information on how to get an  
engineer.  
told him of my previous requests  
he requested Telegram verification  
sent 1130 am 30CT53

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 3 OCT 1953, CST 1020am TO John Palmquist  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AM TV PLACE Dallas  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Riverside 1371  
Emerson 3289

placed order for Century boom stand

and requested information on how to get an  
engineer -

Shreveport, La. Morris Barton  
Interim TV, Inc.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 21 Sep 1953, CST 940 a TO Henry Duczak, Bill Hanson  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AH-TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Request service company man for Monday 28 Sep 53  
with dummy load and sideband analyzer  
Transfer to Bill Hanson ext PG 478  
or Tom Gritten PG 301  
Bill Hanson will let me know —

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 17 Sept 1953, CST \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duzdat  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY PCA  
CHARGE AH-TV PLACE Camden N.J.  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Check on:

4 x 500 A

Grating Generator

Special inner conductor

Crystals

Variac

Order of Sept 12

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 17 Sept 1953, CST 1215p TO R.E. Johnson  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE Att TV PLACE Harrison, N.J.  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Humbow 5-3900

Dallas 201 + 121 , TC Newark

checked R.E. Johnson on

1850-A serial U-1011 21 hours, severe strutting

1850-A serial U-1142 1500 hours, intermittent  
flicker

he will issue return authorization on both of  
above tubes



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 10 Sept 1953, CST 4:15 pm FROM Wally Baker  
FROM Frank Lee TO Wally Baker  
CHARGE AM - TV COMPANY RCA  
PHONE NO 5-6348 PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

installation material left on 8th.

1099 lbs 5 wood crates

Acme man. T9574 car DL9W 49221

Carded to St Louis

6166 via air Lancaster today

5762 shipped Tuesday via air 8 Sep

4x500A California tomorrow via air

673 9 Sep rr express

Grating generator 11 Sept.

3 elbows 4 couplings air today

this mornings order tomorrow via air

Dummy loads built by Byrd Electronics delivery?

Sideband filter another 5-7 weeks

Crystals Monday or Tuesday



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 10 Sep 1953, CST 920 am TO Wally Baker  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AM TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Placed a firm order for:

2 elbows 90° 3 1/8" nt  
8 couplings 3 1/8" nt  
4 bullets 3 1/8" steatite  
18 clamps 3 1/8"  
12' special inner conductor

Asked Wally to check on all shortage of:

# 13  
# 16  
# 17  
# 18, 19 tubes

Grating generator

Asked advice and was told to contact Harold Vance on ike replacement

CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable symbol above or preceding the address.

# WESTERN UNION

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SYMBOLS

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DA338 PA499

1957 SEP 8 PM 4 35

P. CNA545 PD=CAMDEN NJER 8 504PME=

FRANK LEE CHIEF ENGINEER KCBD=

BRYANT RADIO AND TV INC=PO BOX 1507 LUBBOCK TEXAS=

FLORENCE STOVE ADVISES FRANK HARMON WELDING AND TANK BILL BEING PAID TODAY=

G V MOHN RCA=

PHONE 56348  
Schell  
KIP  
Drew

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 4 Sept 1953, CST 9:15 am TO Glenn Adams  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

#13	ES 19232	1	Installation material	MI-19347
#16		2	Crystal, aural	MI-19450-A
#17		2	Crystal, visual	MI-19400-A
#18, 19		4	6166 tubes	
		4	4x500.A tubes	
		12	673 tubes	
		4	5762 tubes	
#27		1	Nameplate	MI-28180-1

Glenn Adams advised that on above shortages

#13 will be shipped 4 Sep

#16, #17 9 sept

6166, 4x500.A, 5762 via air from Lancaster  
on 5 Sep

673 rr express on 4 Sept.

Placed firm order for

3 elbows nt 3 1/8"

4 couplings nt 3 1/8"

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 3 Sep 1953, CST 1030am TO Henry Duczok  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AM TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Advised Henry on shortage list for 10 kw  
transmitter

#13

#16

#17

#18 } 4, 6166; 4, 4x500A; 12, 673; 4, 5762

#19

#27

he will check and call me back today.



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FULL RATE TELEGRAM	\$
DAY LETTER	S
NIGHT LETTER	E

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INTERNATIONAL SERVICE	
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FULL RATE	
LETTER TELEGRAM	
SHIP RADIOGRAM	

NO. WDS.-CL. OF SVC.	PD. OR COLL.	CASH NO.	CHARGE TO THE ACCOUNT OF	TIME FILED

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Sept 2, 1953

(called in <sup>2:45</sup>~~2:45~~ PM- mh)

E. C. Tracy  
 Building 15-6  
 Radio Corporation of America  
 RCA Victor Division  
 Camden 2, New Jersey

Billing to Florence Stove Company from Jack Harmon Welding and Tank Company, Lubbock, in the amount of \$597.50 submitted to Henry Duszak June 8 has not been paid. Please advise us your action to secure payment of this over-due billing.

Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
 KCB D

ltr copy to Palmquist

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## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 1 July 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AM IV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 56381 PHONE N° Woodlawn 3-8000

ask to check on 95083 micalex slug and vacuum capacitors.

Henry will send return Authorization on 94843 transformer and air express charges

send him a list of tubes to be replaced

write letters to Duszak on all troubles

best information on delivery of 10 kw transmitter is August

KTBC, Austin trouble summary

went on the air 2 Jun

1 installation man and later 1 trans design put in 2 V joints to clear up mechanical alignment problem and replaced

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 26 June 1953, est 2115 TO Emergency Service  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE  TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE WOODLAWN 3-8000

Placed an order for the following items:

Quantity 2 Condensers C-160 Part # 95083



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 8 June 1953, est TO Ed Tracy  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
NUMBER X IV PLACE Camden  
PHONE 5-6381 PHONE NO. Woodlawn 3-8000

Give Tracy information on Pruden of IDECO's arrangement  
for the completion of our tower work.

WANT A BOY?

Call

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PROMPT, DEPENDABLE

ERRAND SERVICE



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1953 AUG 28 PM 3 47

P.CNB203 DL PD=CAMDEN NJER 28 331PME=

BRYANT RADIO AND TELEVISION INC STATION KCBD=

ATTN FRANK LEE C E 1802 BRAODWAY LUBBOCK TEX=

YOUR TT-10AH TRANSMITTER SHIPPED OUT OF PHILADELPHIA 8-26-53

VIA ACME FAST FREIGHT IN 22 WOOD 1 CRTN WEIGHTING 10,635

LBS ON PRO 67463 MANIFEST P-3279 IN CAR SOUTHERN PACIFIC

84669 CARDED TO ST LOUIS FOR TRANSFER TO LUBBACK=

JOHN GAGLIARDI RCA CAMDEN COMMERCIAL SERVICE 15-6=

56348  
Stall 335P  
fld

TT-10AH 8-26-53 22 1 CRTN 10,635 67463 P-3279 84669=

DOMESTIC SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise this message will be sent as a full rate telegram	
FULL RATE TELEGRAM	\$
DAY LETTER	S
NIGHT LETTER	E

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Aug 21, 1953 (called in about 5:35- PM) mh

Henry Duszak  
 Broadcasting Merchandising  
 Radio Corporation of America  
 RCA Victor Division  
 Camden 2, N.Y.

Regarding blowers 10 Kw transmitter our elevation 3200 feet.

FRANK LEE  
 KCBD-TV  
 Lubbock, Texas

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DATE 19 Aug 1953, est TO Henry Duczak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE — PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 5-6381 EXTENSION Woodlawn 3-8000

10 kw not this week —

will ship on 28th

factory hold up on some items

Acme 6 days 374.00 + tax

Gray Van 5 days 649.00

1783 miles —

tied up on final amplifiers 2-4 cabinets

ship via Acme tomorrow

blowers

transformers

refletometers

wiring material

2 racks and cabinets

bases

can I count on friday completion — yes —

crystals week of 7 Sept

FCC — tubes — ok

Antenna situation — suspect — elbows —

they are getting new ones

FCC on sideband Duczak advises

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 14 Aug 1953, CST \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duczak and A.B. Super  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE Att TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Henry advised me that the study of what to do next on antenna and transmission lines had been turned over to George Mohn who would be back Monday and George would decide what was to be done next.

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DA 032 CTB030

CT. CZA 173 PD=WUX COLUMBUS OHIO 12 908AME=

1953 AUG 12 AM 8 31

J H BRYANT=

STATION KCB~~D~~ TV LUBBOCK TEX=

MR PRUDEN WILL BE IN LUBBOCK THRU AUGUST 14 TO SEE THAT TARVER ELECTRIC COMPANY ACCOUNT IS SETTLED=

DRESSER STACEY CO IDECO DIV R A VAUGHAN=

*56348  
Lynn  
4302  
[Signature]*

## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 10 Aug 1953 est 1320 TO Henry Duzak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE — PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 5-6301 PHONE IN Woodtown 3-8000

suggested ship transmitter without crating and by  
 moving van to save time

requested Henry check on.

Mareks bill from Tarver

Florence stove Co bill

request on letter on tubes

letter on spare parts

asked what next on transmission line and antenna

George Mohn said he would start a conference  
 on exactly the next move on getting a  
 Service Co man down.



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 4 Aug 1953 EXT          TO Henry Duczak  
 FROM FRANK COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE          PLACE Camden  
 EXTENSION NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodtown 3-8000

Reported to Henry story of Marek's last work on transmission lines

Discussed Marek's bill from Tarver re: real Tarver's letter of 3 Aug 53. Henry will check thru Ideco

10 kw transmitter scheduled for shipment week of 24th on either Mon. or Tues. Henry will check to try to determine how much this can be improved

I told him this schedule would not allow us to meet our deadline of September 1 told him of our commercial commitments beginning 1 Sept.

Grating generator scheduled this month

Dummy load } scheduled for latter part of  
 Sideband Filter } September

Call Henry on Moving Van -

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 19 May 1953, est TO Emergency Service  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE IN Woodlawn 3-8000

Placed an order for the following: (to be shipped by  
 air parcel post.)

Quant.	2	.47 at 400 volts	condenser # 59512
"	3	.05 at 1600 volts	" #53637
"	2	Bracket	Stock # 465135-502
"	1	Bracket	" # 465135-501

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May 11, 1953 (called in 1:15 PM - mh)

Mr. Booker Pruden, Erection Manager  
 Ideco Division  
 Dresser-Stacey Company  
 875 Michigan Avenue  
 Columbus, Ohio

Our attorney advises us that Tarver Electrical Company will file mechanic's lien against our tower if payment to them for 1700.84 dollars is not made. Please advise us of your position in this matter immediately. A claim of this nature most injurious to us in our trade area, so we insist this matter be handled immediately. Tarver Electrical Company was employed by Allied Construction Company for work on tower. The four month statute of limitations expires August 14 so immediate action must be taken.

Joe H. Bryant  
 President, KCBD-TV

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DOMESTIC SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise this message will be sent as a full rate telegram	
FULL RATE TELEGRAM	\$
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W. P. MARSHALL, PRESIDENT

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise the message will be sent at the full rate	
FULL RATE	
LETTER TELEGRAM	
SHIP RADIOGRAM	

NO. WDS.-CL. OF SVC.	PD. OR COLL.	CASH NO.	CHARGE TO THE ACCOUNT OF	TIME FILED

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

May 11, 1953 (called in 1:15 PM)- mh

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Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

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PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 7 May 1953, est TO Howard Powell  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XXX NO CHARGE PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Mr. Powell at RCA originated this call. Information as follows:

- Pulse Distribution box - next week
- Circuit breakers - next week
- Spare Fairchild cartridges - no record - will check
- Audio terminal block - one week
- Distribution amplifiers - June
- Monitron --June
- Grating generator - June
- Sweep generator - June
- Back doors - Being shipped
- Test meter 21200-C - July delivery

## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 6 May 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Check on the following items:

- Pulse distribution box
- 2 Distribution amplifiers
- Spare fairchild cartridges
- Grating generator
- Sweep generator
- Non-ventilated doors
- Audio Terminal blocks
- Circuit breakers
- Monitran
- Mirror on order from Gray

Placed an order for following item:

- 1 MI-21200-CI Test meter.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 21 April 1953, cst TO Henry Duszak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX TY PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Request Assembly print on combining network and MI list on the same.

Request new studio camera control MI-26056A and new instruction books on camera.

Requested one new Flyback<sup>Transformer</sup> for TM-2B monitor and one new TM-2B monitor as a replacement item.

Requested 3 schematic diagrams on trans. Regulator.

Requested to be put on mailing list for all field change notices.

Advised pulse distributor<sup>100v</sup> box not yet received.

Ordered one MI-426750-2 Sprague 9.0<sup>micro-</sup>faired 600 volt DC condenser for projectors.

Requested current Regulators Instruction book with change notices.

Checked on delivery of distribution amplifiers.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 16 April 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX TV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000 Ext 3040

Placed an order with Henry Duszak for the following:

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Number</u>
6	Double Jack mats	33-A
6	2 foot patch cords	MI-4652-2B
3	Terminal blocks	MI-4570
6	Audio Terminal blocks	MI-4569
2,000'	Microphone cable	MI-63A
4	Power terminal blocks	MI-4568
1	Variac rim light (new type)	
1	Sm. Variac for slide projector dimmer	

Checked with Henry on the shipment on the following items:

Crystals for transmitter, pulse distribution  
 box, and additional <sup>A.M.</sup> equipment on order.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE	<u>11 April</u>	<u>1953</u>	est	<u>11:15</u>	TO	<u>Henry Duszak</u>
FROM	<u>FRANK LEE</u>				COMPANY	<u>RCA</u>
CHARGE	<u>XX IV</u>				PLACE	<u>Camden</u>
PHONE NO	<u>3-4148</u>				PHONE N	<u>Woodlawn 3-8000</u>

Requested Henry to check on connecting network and its prints. Check on MI list for combining network. Check on prints for TF12AH antenna included MI list.

Henry advised combining network shipped by Dielectric Products, Jersey City, March 31st via National Carloading.

Requested check on hardware for antenna feed line clamps, bolts, etc.

Henry advised Junction box assembly being shipped March 6th by Com Products via fast freight.

Requested check on quantity 4 Item HI3 MI-19089-5 Adapter plane to flange.

Placed order for 4 adapter to flange for regular ~~wire~~ line.

Checked on Item H-21 quantity 4 19113-B3 45<sup>0</sup> 3 1/8" long L'S

Checked on audio for AM installation.

Requested for TC4A Switcher 24 contact female connecter part # 95803.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 8 April 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE N Woodlawn 3-8000

Placed order for following items:

2	Double jack panel	33-A
1	Jack mat	MI-11503
6	connector plugs for plug in amplifiers--	
6	Mike receptacles	MI-4624A
2	Cabinets	LC5A
1	Vu meter panel	BI-5A
1	Meter panel	BI-2A
2	Audio terminal blocks	MI-4569
2	Power blocks	MI-4568

Requested Henry to check on the following:

The Iconscope chain camera cradle, and console housing; antenna blocks, styroflex line.

Henry advised the RCA installation man, John Thayer, is now in Wichita Falls.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 2 April 1953, est TO Emergency Service  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE XXX PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE WOODLAWN 3-8000

Talked to Kirby. Placed an emergency order for  
transformer for 2 KW Transmitter, stock # 94843  
Kirby advised will ship by air express today.

## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 26 March 1953, cst TO Super  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Super advises that Pruden told him Marek of Allied

Construction would arrive Monday morning.

Transformers 19-089-9 are 24  $\frac{1}{2}$ " long.

Pat Martin advised Film Camera shipped yesterday.

Duszak advised distributor<sup>ion</sup> amplifiers would not be  
available till June.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 30 February 1953, est 9:10 A TO ROGER HAYDEN  
 FROM XXXXXXXX ED TRACY COMPANY IDECO  
 CHARGE AT IV NO CHARGE PLACE Columbus, Ohio \*  
 PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO: \_\_\_\_\_

\* Phone conversation between Tracy, Miller, Palmquist, Bryant and Lee - to Mr. Roger Hayden of IDECO.

Earliest possible shipment end of March on Tower.  
 Checked and found no saving on time by the elimination of galvanizing.

At 4:55 p.m. back to Roger Hayden at Columbus -  
 He states will start shipment March 16 -  
 ship through 23, all from Columbus.

Start erection immediately upon arrival in Lubbock.  
 He will ship the bottom sections of the tower first.

He states he will use Tiner's erection crew. Erection in 3 weeks possible - 5 weeks at worst.

Hayden suggested RCA call Ponkey in one week.

INTERNAL CORRESPONDENCE



**To** B. J. Raiczyk

**Location** Camden

**Dept., Div. or Sect.** 15-6

**From (Location)** Dallas

**Date** Feb. 27, 1953

**Subject** KCED, Lubbock

Please note enclosed letter of Frank Lee, KCED, Lubbock, and let me have your reply as soon as possible. Please return this letter with your comments.

*J. F. Palmquist*  
J. F. PALMQUIST

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JFP:b  
MAR 5 1953

DALLAS OFFICE

TO →

RECEIVED

MAR 2 1953

R. J. RAICZYK

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*John:*  
All information pertaining to delivery and shipments of items included in attached letter has been inserted in right hand margin. Where it is at all possible to improve on delivery quoted, we will surely do so.  
R. J. Raiczyk



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BRYANT RADIO & TV INC RADIO STATION KCBD=

1803 BROADWAY ATTN FRANK LEE= LUBBOCK TEXAS=

YOUR TT-2AH TRANSMITTER SHIPPED OUT OF PHILADELPHIA 2-20-53  
 VIA ACME FAST FREIGHT IN 15 BOXES, 2 CARTONS, WEIGHT 6,038  
 POUNDS ON BILL OF LADING 13857, MANIFEST #P6155, SHIPPING  
 #41069, CAR WABASH #48406 CARDED FOR ST LOUIS FOR TRANSFER  
 TO LUBBOCK=

J GAGLIARDI COMMERCIAL SERVICE 15-6 RCA CAMDEN=

# KCBB-TV

CHANNEL 11 NBC ABC

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

RECEIVED

February 20, 1953

FEB 25 1953

DALLAS OFFICE

Mr. John Palmquist  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear John:

I have Mr. Raiczuk's letter of February 13, concerning the delivery of the remaining items under our contract, BCD-22427-C. Mr. Raiczuk's letter, showing estimated deliveries, omitted many items in the proposal that we have not received nor have received any information as to their scheduled delivery. The following is a list of items we have not yet received on this date:

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
A6	1	199199	RG Load and Wattmeter, 6 KW for TT-10AH	May
A7	1	ES-19216-A	WM-20B Visual Demodulator	Early April
H1	2	19089-2	90° metre elbows	} <i>mar.</i>
<del>H2</del>	<del>20</del>	<del>19089-1</del>	<del>3-1/8" Teflon-Line</del>	
H4	30	19313-14	3-1/8" Spring Hangers	
H6a	4	19089-5	Adapter, plain to flange	
H13	4	19113-18NF	90° elbows, less flanges	
J1	1	"CB"	IDECO guyed tower (J1, J2, J3, J4 & J5) Also, listed accessories	March 16

KCBB

AFFILIATED WITH  
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FRANK LEE, RADIO STATION KCBD=

1803 BROADWAY LUBBOCK TEX=

RE BCD-22427-C ALL KLEIGLE LIGHTING GEAR ENROUTE, GRAY SCHEDULE SHPG PEDESTAL 2-23, 2 PROJ 2-16 MULTIPLEXER 2-13, NEWMADE SHPD PARTIAL 2-3 AND 2-5. BALANCE LATE THIS MONTH. LETTER FOLLOWING ON LATEST DELIVERY ON OVERALL CONTRACT:

=W W BAKER RCA VICTOR DVN CAMDEN=

56348  
still  
12050  
RK  
add

BCD-22427-C 2-23 2 2-16 2-13 2-3 2-5=



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 10 February 1953, cst 2:40 P TO ED TRACY  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden, New Jersey\*  
 PHONE NO 5-6348 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

\* Phone call also connected 3 way to Ponkey and Mr.  
 Hayden of IDECO, Columbus, Ohio.

Two Kilowatt Transmitter will be shipped in early March.

It will be necessary to secure FCC approval on  
 omission of Sideband Filter.

Sync Generator scheduled for delivery March 1.

Film Camera scheduled for delivery late February.

Ponkey and Hayden with IDECO state shipment will begin  
 on 16th of March and will be completed by 23rd of  
 March. Scheduled erection will begin on 23rd of  
 March. Mr. Hayden states there is a possibility  
 of one week improvement in shipment. He will  
 call us on the 19th and give us a definite date.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 3 February 1953, est TO TRACY & PALMQUIST  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE xxx IV PLACE Camden & Dallas  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE N Woodlawn 3-8000 & Riverside 1371

Two kilowatt transmitter will be shipped in February within 3 weeks.

Antenna shipment February 28.

Pole and Batwings soon.

Should be able to meet March 15th on the air time.

Everything will be delivered for on the air operation by March 5th.

Reservations made for our trip to Camden at the Ben

Franklin Hotel. Mr. Tracy's home phone and address -

647 Pomona Haddenfield, New Jersey - Phone Haddenfield, 9-8085

Charges for 2 KW Transmitter approxamately \$49,200. 00

For transmitter. \$2,500 for tubes, transportation and installation equipment.

## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE <sup>Nov?</sup> 3 February 1953, est TO Lewis  
 FROM FRANK LEE & Joe Bryant COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX TV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Checking on interim operation equipment.

Two Kilowatt transmitter, 160 foot tower, 6 bay antenna  
 and 1 7/8" transmission line interim planning.

Lewis advised they believed they could locate 6 bay  
 antenna at Bing - Hampton WNBH - price \$8,000.

No film Cameras are in stock or available.

Projectors and one live camera immediately available.

Two kilowatt Transmitter rental \$985 per month, pulse tubes  
 crystals and wiring harness, \$2,587.92.

Two kilowatt Transmitter will not be available until  
 after December 1st. Cost approximately \$2,200 to  
 move antenna from Binghamton to Lubbock.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE	27 January	1953, est	TO	TED SMITH Asst. Gen Mgr.
FROM	FRANK LEE & JOHN PALMQUIST		COMPANY	RCA Victor Div.
CHARGE	XX IV		PLACE	Camden, New Jersey
PHONE NO	3-4148		PHONE NO	Woodlawn 3-8000

Previewed completely with Ted Smith the delay by IDECO  
in the fabrication of our Tower.

Advised him that the February 15th date is completely  
out and IDECO is talking about as early in March  
as possible delivery.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 20 Jan 1953, CST \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duccak  
 FROM Frank Lee COMPANY PCA  
 CHARGE AM TV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

	check on racks -		
✓	1	MI-4597-A Blank Panel 14"	8.50
✓	1	MI-26253, Blank Panel 11x2 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " Remote Control	3.75
✓	1	MI-26525-2 Blank Recessed Chassis 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub> "	9.65
✓	1	MI-26525-3 Blank Recessed Chassis 5 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>32</sub> "	10.10
✓	1	MI-21457-B Chassis Trim Cover. @ 7.25	7.25
✓	1	MI-4593-A Blank Panel 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	6.25
✓	1	MI 26525-4 Blank Chassis 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	10.65
✓	2	MI 26764-3 Circuit Breaker 40 A @ 14.00	28.00
✓	2	MI 4568 Power Blocks @ 5.25	10.50
X	2	MI-26759-23 Cable Connector @ 13.20	26.40
X	2	MI-26759-24 Cable Connector @ 18.00	36.00
✓	130'	MI-94D Camera Cable @ 1.90	247.00
✓	60'	MI-82 Cable 1 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>4</sub> -7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> Film Camera Control @ .52	31.20
	2	Jones 6 prong top hole female, cable apr	4.00
	2	<del>Jones 6 prong side hole male, cable apr</del>	<del>4.00</del>
	2	Jones 8 prong side hole female cable apr	4.00
	350'	MI-43B @ .19	57.00
	1	Attenuator Master Pot # 94137	
✓	5	MI-1911B Coax Bridging Plug @ 5.50	27.50

15.84  
16.90

504.25



Special fittings

2 - adaptors  $3\frac{1}{8}$ " to  $1\frac{5}{8}$ " non flanged

4 - end plates  $3\frac{1}{8}$ " flanged

4 - Spring hangers (See clamps)

1 - Swivel " " "

6 - wires cable -

$1\frac{5}{8}$ " - 51.5  $\Omega$  non flanged

4 - long elbows

9 - couplings

4 - bullets

3 - clamps

8'6" inner cond.

line -

- 1 - 7'
- 2 - 5" sic
- 1 - 11 $\frac{1}{2}$ " sic
- 1 - 12" sic
- 1 - 10' complete
- 1 - 20' "
- 1 - 8'6" Spec inner cond.

$2\frac{1}{8}$ " - 51.5  $\Omega$  non flanged

2 - long elbows

4 - couplings

2 - mitre elbows No 19113-18mf

8 - clamps

line

- 1 - 13" sic
- 2 - 20' complete
- 1 - 14' outer only
- 1 - 12' complete
- 1 - 20' inner only
- 1 - 8' Spec. inner cond.
- 1 - 3' inner only

1 - 50"  
 1 - 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ "  
 1 - 11 $\frac{1}{4}$ "  
 1 - 14"  
 } outer only



September 2, 1953

Air Mail

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising, 15-6  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Duszak:

Your letter of August 10 advised that the WA-3A grating generator was being shipped that week.

We have not yet received the grating generator nor any invoice on its shipment.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

FL/mh

cc- Mr. John Palmquist  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas, 1, Texas





September 2, 1953

Air Mail

Mr. John Palmquist  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear John:

Please accept my order for the following items:

1,000 feet	MI-35	#18 Stranded Shielded Pair
5	MI-11719-A	Lacing Cable
5	MI-11719-B	Lacing Cable
80 feet	MI-80	12 Conductor Cable.

My 10-kilowatt transmitter has arrived in town, and is being unloaded by the freight company at the present time.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

FL/mh



DOMESTIC SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise this message will be sent as a full rate telegram	
FULL RATE TELEGRAM	\$
DAY LETTER	S
NIGHT LETTER	E

# WESTERN UNION

1206 10-51

W. P. MARSHALL, PRESIDENT

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise the message will be sent at the full rate	
FULL RATE	
LETTER TELEGRAM	
SHIP RADIOGRAM	

NO. WDS.-CL. OF SVC.	PD. OR COLL.	CASH NO.	CHARGE TO THE ACCOUNT OF	TIME FILED

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Sept 2, 1953

(called in <sup>2:45</sup>~~2:45~~ PM- mh)

E. C. Tracy  
 Building 15-6  
 Radio Corporation of America  
 RCA Victor Division  
 Camden 2, New Jersey

Billing to Florence Stove Company from Jack Harmon Welding and Tank Company, Lubbock, in the amount of \$597.50 submitted to Henry Duszak June 8 has not been paid. Please advise us your action to secure payment of this over-due billing.

Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
 KCB D

ltr copy to Palmquist

## ALL MESSAGES TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

To guard against mistakes or delays, the sender of a message should order it repeated, that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. For this, one-half the un-repeated message rate is charged in addition. Unless otherwise indicated on its face, this is an un-repeated message and paid for as such, in consideration whereof it is agreed between the sender of the message and the Telegraph Company as follows:

1. The Telegraph Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the un-repeated-message rate beyond the sum of five hundred dollars; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the repeated-message rate beyond the sum of five thousand dollars, unless specially valued; nor in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruption in the working of its lines.
2. In any event the Telegraph Company shall not be liable for damages for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for the non-delivery, of any message, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the actual loss, not exceeding in any event the sum of five thousand dollars, at which amount the sender of each message represents that the message is valued, unless a greater value is stated in writing by the sender thereof at the time the message is tendered for transmission, and unless the repeated-message rate is paid or agreed to be paid and an additional charge equal to one-tenth of one per cent of the amount by which such valuation shall exceed five thousand dollars.
3. The Telegraph Company is hereby made the agent of the sender, without liability, to forward this message over the lines of any other company when necessary to reach its destination.
4. Except as otherwise indicated in connection with the listing of individual places in the filed tariffs of the Telegraph Company, the amount paid for the transmission of a domestic telegram or an incoming cable or radio message covers its delivery within the following limits: In cities or towns of 5,000 or more inhabitants where the Telegraph Company has an office which, as shown by the filed tariffs of the Telegraph Company, is not operated through the agency of a railroad company, within two miles of any open main or branch office of the Telegraph Company; in cities or towns of 5,000 or more inhabitants where, as shown by the filed tariffs of the Telegraph Company, the telegraph service is performed through the agency of a railroad company, within one mile of the telegraph office; in cities or towns of less than 5,000 inhabitants in which an office of the Telegraph Company is located, within one-half mile of the telegraph office. Beyond the limits above specified the Telegraph Company does not undertake to make delivery but will endeavor to arrange for delivery as the agent of the sender, with the understanding that the sender authorizes the collection of any additional charge from the addressee and agrees to pay such additional charge if it is not collected from the addressee. There will be no additional charge for deliveries made by telephone within the corporate limits of any city or town in which an office of the Telegraph Company is located.
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8. Special terms governing the transmission of messages according to their classes, as enumerated below, shall apply to messages in each of such respective classes in addition to all the foregoing terms.
9. No employee of the Telegraph Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

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## CLASSES OF SERVICE

### DOMESTIC SERVICES

#### FULL RATE TELEGRAM

A full rate expedited service.

#### DAY LETTER (DL)

A deferred service at lower than the full rate

#### NIGHT LETTER (NL)

Accepted up to 2 A. M. for delivery not earlier than the following morning at rates substantially lower than the full rate telegram or day letter rates.

### INTERNATIONAL SERVICES

#### FULL RATE (FR)

The standard fast service at full rates. May be written in any language that can be expressed in Roman letters, or in secret language. A minimum charge for 5 words applies.

#### LETTER TELEGRAM (LT)

Overnight plain language messages. Minimum charge for 22 words applies

#### SHIP RADIOGRAM

A service to and from ships at sea. Plain or secret language may be used. Minimum charge for 5 words applies.

PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 30 Jul 1953, est 155 p TO A.B. Super  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE IN Woodlawn 3-8000

Reviewed with Ab all trouble on antenna

Told him that Benny Marek had inspected all transmission line joints and had found only one split bullet 60' from top South line and one mal formed bullet 80' from top same line





July 13, 1953

Lubbock Engineering Company  
1638 Main Street  
Lubbock, Texas

Gentlemen:

We have a letter from Mr. Frank Lee of Radio Station KCBD advising that you have invoiced him for the services of an instrument man and a transit on two afternoons during the week of June 15.

If this is the case please cancel your invoice to KCBD and send the invoice to us. I asked your man to send the invoice to me to start with but he must have forgotten to tell you.

We certainly appreciated your services and will forward payment for same upon receipt of your invoice. Please direct the invoice to my attention.

Yours truly,

B.V. Pruden  
Erection Manager

BVP:sm

CC: Mr. Frank Lee  
Station KCBD  
Lubbock, Texas

CC: Mr. John Palquist  
RCA Victor Division  
Dallas, Texas



July 10, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

During the time John Thayer, RCA Service Company representative, was here, the following items were ordered by him through the Service Company, as replacement items for faulty components of our equipment. The items listed below have not been received. I believe most of these items were ordered by him by telephone direct to RCA Service Company.

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO.
1	Transformer - Replacement for 580D	54289
1	Reflectometer Drive Cable Assembly for Aural Amplifier Replacement	
1	Condenser, screen by pass for Aural Amp TT2AH, C319 Replacement	57246
1	Switch S5 on TM6A Replacement	93544
1	Condenser C2 on TM6A Replacement	96185
1	Transformer, T3 on TS10A Replacement	53134
1	Door Handle for TT2AH Cubicle #3 from left to right replacement	None
2	Choke, v.f. - for TT2AH Replacement	16612
1	Rheostat, filament for TT2AH Replacement	94841
1	Meter M307 for TT2AH Replacement	57012
4	Potentiometers 20 ohm - for TK11A Replacement	54416
1	Attenuator for BC2B Replacement	94137
1	Condenser C11 for Replacement	59512
1	Condenser .05 @ 1600 v. Replacement	53637
1	Termination P2 for TM6A Replacement	54256
1	Rectifier CR2 for TK11A Replacement	95461





Mr. Henry Duszak

July 10, 1953

QUANTITY	DESCRIPTION	STOCK NO.
1	Condenser C24 on TK11A 125 @ 350 v. Replacement	95914
1	Condenser C1 for MI 26314 9 @ 600 v. Replacement	51593
1	Condenser C2 on TK11A 80-10 @ 400v.	59758

All of the above operational components have been replaced by parts, either purchased locally or from our stock. However, many of the products that were available locally do not physically match the desired replacement components. All of the above damaged components are available for return to you upon your authorization.

I would appreciate your checking to secure these replacements for me as soon as possible.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

cc: Mr. John Palmquist



July 10, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

During the assembling and erection of our antenna and tower by Allied Construction Company, contracted through IDECO and you, a great amount of damage to transmission lines and associated equipment occurred. I believe this damage was far in excess of that to be normally expected by erector. The damage to these items is verified in the report submitted by the RCA Service Company representative who was here at the time -- Mr John Thayer. I would appreciate the issuance of credit invoices to cover the following items:

QUANTITY	MI NO.	DESCRIPTION	TOTAL COST
3	19009-1	3 1/8" Teflon Line, Item H2 on Contract BCD-22427-C @ \$146.00 Invoice No. 516/03994	\$438.00
2	98156	Styreflex Line, Emergency Order Invoice No. 305-612457 @ \$72.00	144.00
1	97890	Hanger Assembly, Emergency Order Invoice No. 305-616627	12.35
2	97891	Hanger Assembly, Emergency Order Invoice No. 305-616627 @ \$12.85	25.70

These items are in addition to any items ordered direct by John Thayer through the Service Company, for which, I understand, we will not be billed. Should billing occur on these other items, ordered direct by John Thayer, I will submit to you a request for credit on those for which I receive any charges at the time.



Mr. Henry Duszak

July 10, 1953

I believe it is reasonable, also, to expect credit on some of the transportation charges for the above items. Those charges are as follows:

Item 1 above - a proportional charge of 3/80ths of a total charge of \$300.64, as shown on National Car Loading Company invoices, SNO 11548 and SNO 11567.

\$11.25

Item 2 above - charges in the amount of \$16.84, as shown by Slick Airways air bill 342-PNE 427831 and Merchants Fast Motor Lines Invoice No. F637472.

\$16.84

Items 3 and 4 above - Shipping charges are not available and credit will not be requested. The items, ordered by John Thayer through the Service Company, charges as shown on Slick Airways air bill EWR 418912 and Merchants Fast Motor Lines Invoice F 674022.

\$32.50

I believe that the above includes the major items of damage and expense paid by us for damage caused by Allied Construction Company and the erection contractor for IDECO.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

CC: Mr. John Palmquist  
Mr. Robert L. Snyder





July 10, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

As I discussed with you by telephone on the first of July, I have a considerable number of tubes, originally shipped with our equipment orders, that did not operate correctly. The following is a list of such tubes:

QUANTITY	TYPE NO.	QUANTITY	TYPE NO.
2	OB2	1	6SH7
1	OC3	2	6SK7
1	OD3	6	6SL7
4	5R4	5	6SN7
1	5UP1	5	6V6
3	5U4	2	676
12	6AC7	2	12A77
5	6AG7	1	12AY7
9	6AH6	4	12SJ7
1	6AL5	1	1614
4	6AS7G	1	1620
3	6BQ6	1	5964
2	6BQ7	2	807
1	6C5	1	4x150A
1	6CL6	1	Exciter Lamp MI 26125-C
2	6H6		
2	6J5	1	6L6
2	6J6	2	6S4
1	6J7		

The above list of tubes are available for return to you upon receipt of your authorization. I would appreciate direct replacement of the above



Mr. Henry Duszak

July 10, 1953

tubes rather than credit to our account.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCBQ-TV

fl:vv





July 10, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

I am attaching two invoices from Tidmore Construction Company of Lubbock for:

Two antenna assembly horses, constructed as directed by John Thayer, RCA Service Company representative, for the assembly of the 12 bay antenna.

The temporary antenna lighting wire used during the erection of the tower to supply power to the construction lights. This wire was ordered by Benny Marak and was installed by the electricians hired by him. However, the bill for the wire was sent to our electrical contractor.

Please issue credit invoices to the appropriate account for these two statements.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv



July 10, 1953

Mr. R. J. Abernethy  
Credit and Collection  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Re: Contract BCD-22427-C

Dear Mr. Abernethy:

Mr. Snyder has referred your letter of July 1 to me for reply. The Utility Monitor, covered by an invoice of April 23, No. 522/07981 for \$393.00 has been returned under Return Authorization Tag No. 52731 on July 8.

The delay in returning this monitor was caused by the nonavailability of the correct packing for the picture tube which must be shipped separately. That has been obtained and the monitor has been shipped, as directed.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



July 10, 1953

Mr. Joe H. Bryant  
President and General Manager  
Television Station KCBD  
P. O. Box 1507  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Joe:

It has come to my attention that there was quite an amount of difficulty encountered in the antenna erection work that was performed under your RCA contract through the International Derrick and Equipment Company and the erector they selected, namely, a Mr. Benny Marek.

It has been our intention to carry our full responsibility in this matter and it is with considerable regret that we recognize the inconvenience caused you through the initial unsatisfactory performance of the work.

I have checked our Commercial people in this matter and understand that we have assumed financial responsibility for the correction of the original faults.

Please let me know if you feel that we have completed our obligation in this respect.

Very best regards.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "E. C. Tracy".

E. C. Tracy  
Manager, Sales Section  
Broadcast Marketing Division

ECT:g

cc: J.F.Palmquist  
RCA Dallas





July 9, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

On March 4, I sent a letter to Mr. Jonkers, a copy of which is attached, concerning unauthorized air shipments to us early in our constructional period.

During this early portion of our constructional period, air shipments were definitely not authorized and, I believe, the attached copy will show that a sufficient attempt was made by us to assure that no shipments would be made by air during this early period.

I would appreciate your checking this matter for us.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

cc: Mr. John Palmquist



July 9, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

I have your letter of July 1 regarding return of our TM-2B Utility Monitors.

These monitors are all packed and ready to return with the exception of the picture tubes that are required to be packed separately. I am having some difficulty in locating tube cartons for the return of these tubes. As soon as they become available, I will send all monitors and tubes to you in one shipment.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

cc: Mr. John Palmquist



July 4, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

I have received from John Palmquist your latest shortage list on undelivered items to us, under our Contract BCD-22427-C. As it does not check exactly with the shortage list maintained by us, I would appreciate your checking on the apparent discrepancies. Our shortage list shows the following items due:

ITEM	QUANTITY	MI NUMBER	DESCRIPTION
A6	1	19199	RF Load and Watt Meter
F2	2	26155	Distribution Amplifiers
K2	1	30003	WA-3A Grating Generator
K3	1	30021-B	WA-21B Video Sweep Generator
N6	1000'	MI 75	RG-59U Cable
T1	1	26533A	Speaker Accessories Kit

Item No. N6, the RG-59U Cable, was originally ordered in the amount of 1000 feet and the order was reduced to 200 feet by your Customer's Acknowledgement, Copy Transcript No. 735-2-460 (5). This item has not yet been received by us, and if it has not been shipped, then I would appreciate your canceling our order for the remaining amount of Item N6.

Item T1, a Speaker Accessories Kit, as nearly as I can check, has not been received by us nor has been invoiced by you. If your records show this to be correct and if it has not yet been shipped, I would also appreciate your canceling our order for Item T1.

The estimated delivery dates on the other four items that are short, I believe, will not seriously affect us, with the exception of Item A6, RF Load and Watt Meter, scheduled for estimated delivery in October. If it is at all possible to ship this item at the same time that our 10 kilowatt transmitter is shipped, it would certainly aid, to a great extent, in the setting up, tuning and testing of the 10 kilowatt transmitter prior to placing it into actual service. I would appreciate





Mr. Henry Duszak

July 4, 1953

your checking to see if delivery on this RF Load and Watt Meter could be speeded up to coincide with the transmitter delivery.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCBD-TV

fl:vv



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 1 July 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE AM TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 56381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

ask to check on 95083 micalex slug and vacuum capacitors.

Henry will send return Authorization on 94843 transformer and air express charges

send him a list of tubes to be replaced

write letters to Duszak on all troubles

best information on delivery of 10 kw transmitter is August

KTBC, Austin trouble summary

went on the air 2 Jun

1 installation man and later 1 trans design put in 2 V joints to clear up mechanical alignment problem and replaced



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



July 1, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Station KCBD  
Bryant Radio & TV, Inc.  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Frank:

Sometime ago in one of our telephone conversations, you indicated a certain degree of dissatisfaction with our TM-2B Utility Monitors.

Following that an arrangement was made to issue Return Authorization No. 53754 for the purpose of getting this equipment back and analyzing the difficulties.

So far we have not received these monitors, and I am wondering if it is still your intention to return them to us.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Henry Duszak".

Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising

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RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY



July 1, 1953

Bryant Radio & Television, Inc.  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Attn: Mr. Robert L. Snyder  
Assistant Manager

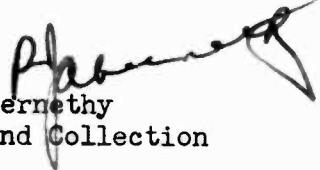
Gentlemen:

Re: Contract BCD-22427-C

Your attention is directed to an invoice of April 23, #522/07981 for \$393 covering one MI-26298-A Utility Monitor. We understand from our Commercial Department that a return authorization tag #52731 was sent to you several months ago to permit the return of the defective Utility Monitor. However, our Service Department has no record of receiving the equipment and the April invoice is still open on our books.

Will you please review this situation and let us know what disposition was made of the defective monitor.

Very truly yours,

  
R. J. Abernethy  
Credit and Collection

mdk



**TIDMORE CONSTRUCTION CO.**

21 PARK PLACE

PHONE 3-3456

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

JULY 1, 1953

K C B D - T V  
LUBBOCK, TEXAS

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BUILD TWO ANTENNA ASSEMBLY HORSES AS DIRECTED  
BY JOHN THAYER - R.C.A. SERVICE COMPANY REPRESENTATIVE

\$ 79.31

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MEMORANDUM

TO :

DATE:

1. The following information was obtained from the report of the [illegible] dated [illegible] at [illegible].

2. [illegible]

RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



June 29, 1953

Station KCBD TV  
P. O. Box 1507  
Lubbock, Texas

Attn: Mr. Frank Lee, C. E.

Dear Mr. Lee:

This will have reference to the several telephone requests over the week end to our Replacement Parts people for emergency shipment of the stock #95083 (Drawing 8896964-3) Micalex Slug for your TT2AH Transmitter.

During your conversation on Saturday morning, June 27th, you mentioned that our Service Company Engineer had mentioned a contemplated change in the output circuit that would provide for replacement of the present components with an arrangement that includes a vacuum type condenser.

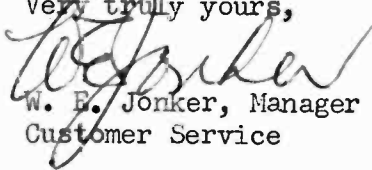
We wish to point out that considerable work has been undertaken to clear up the problem of failure in the mycalex tuning slugs. Our Engineering Department has completed their work in this connection.

A modification kit is currently being worked up which will provide for the use of a vacuum capacitor. An order has been placed for these units and we are arranging for the fabrication in our model shops of the brackets necessary to accommodate the vacuum condenser and any other circuit components that are required.

It is believed that the condensers and associated items will arrive in Camden and be available for distribution about July 13. We fully realize the importance of having this modification kit rushed in every possible manner, so that failures will be eliminated in this portion of the circuit.

In the meantime, we are arranging to have some additional tuning slugs made available so that they can be shipped on emergencies pending the availability of the kit.

Very truly yours,

  
W. E. Jonker, Manager  
Customer Service

WEJ/f



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 26 June 1953, est 2115 TO Emergency Service  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE X TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE N Woodlawn 3-8000

Placed an order for the following items:

Quantity 2 Condensers C-160 Part # 95083





RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

HARRISON, NEW JERSEY



TUBE DEPARTMENT

June 25, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Television Station KCBD-TV  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

This will acknowledge your June 8 request to return two camera tubes, one type 1850A iconoscope and one type 5820 image orthicon. The return authorization should reach you shortly, telling you where to send the tubes for adjustment action.

If I can be of any further service to you in matters pertaining to RCA tubes I shall be happy to oblige. However, RCA Tube Department products are generally available through local distributors serving all parts of the United States, and part of their service is concerned with the handling of return authorizations such as this one. Perhaps because of the distances involved you could realize much faster service through these channels than I might be able to supply. In particular, I would like to apologize for the delay in sending this RA because your letter was received while I was out of the office on a field trip and have just this day returned. However, this should not always be the case and I hope to be able to send a prompt reply to any inquiry you may have in the future.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. E. Johnson".

R. E. Johnson  
Industrial Tube Sales

ho



COPY

June 18, 1953

Mr. W. MacKay  
Florence Stove Company  
2207 W. Station Street  
Kankakee, Illinois

Dear Mr. MacKay:

I am enclosing three copies of the invoice from the Jack Harmon Welding & Tank Company billed to Florence Stove Company as directed by Mr. Walbeck of your organization when Mr. Walbeck was in Lubbock. This invoice is for the work necessary in preheating, grinding out the old weld, annealing, and rewelding the faulty weld on the KCBD antenna pole.

This invoice does not include the normal welding on the other sections of the antenna.

Your attention to the clearing of this invoice will be appreciated.

Sincerely,

GVM:lm  
Enc.

G. V. Mohn  
Broadcast Antenna Equipment

cc Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer, KCBD ✓

COPY

June 18, 1953

Mr. W. Mackay  
Florence Stove Company  
2207 W. Station Street  
Kankakee, Illinois

Dear Mr. Mackay:

I am enclosing three copies of the invoice from the Jack Harmon  
Welding & Tank Company billed to Florence Stove Company as di-  
rected by Mr. Walbeck of your organization when Mr. Walbeck was  
in Lubbock. This invoice is for the work necessary in preheat-  
ing, grinding out the old weld, annealing, and rewelding the  
faulty weld on the KCBDAntenna pole.

This invoice does not include the normal welding on the other  
sections of the antenna.

Your attention to the clearing of this invoice will be appreci-  
ated.

Sincerely,

G. V. Mohr  
Broadcast Antenna Equipment

GVM:lm  
Enc.

cc Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer, KCBDA

June 8, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

Your letter of May 27 indicated that Tektronix would have a service man call on me soon to repair our oscilloscope. They contacted me direct from Portland, stating that a service man in this area was not available. However, they were having their area distributor ship me an oscilloscope for use while mine was being repaired by the Portland office. This unit, although promised last week, has not yet arrived. I have not yet contacted Tektronix to determine the reason why the delay.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv





June 8, 1953

Mr. Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Dear Henry:

I am enclosing three copies of the invoice from the local welding company, Jack Harmon Welding & Tank Company, billed to Florence Stove Company, as directed by Mr. Walbeck of the Florence Company when he was here in Lubbock. This invoice is for the work necessary in preheating, grinding out the old weld, annealing and rewelding the faulty weld on our antenna pole. This invoice does not include the normal welding on the other sections of the antenna.

Mr. Walbeck, at the time he was here, requested that the bill be sent to Florence Stove Company to his attention.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:ff



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 8 June 1963, est TO Ed Tracy  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
PLANT X IV PLACE Camden  
TRK. 5-6381 WOODLAWN 3-8000

Give Tracy information on Pruden of IDECO's arrangement  
for the completion of our tower work.



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



August 31, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Radio Station KCBD  
P.O. Box 1507  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Frank:

Just a note to keep you posted on a number of things you asked about. The replacement on the small tubes were shipped to you on August 26 by Rail Express, W/B #56-74-27. The replacement parts that failed in the initial installation were also shipped on August 26, W/B #93-82-92. I hope that you will find everything to your satisfaction.

HD/jfg

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry Duszak".

Henry Duszak  
Broadcast Merchandise  
Division



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T=Int'l Letter Telegram

VLT=Int'l Victory Ltr.

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BRYANT RADIO AND TELEVISION INC STATION KCBF=

ATTN FRANK LEE C E 1802 BROADWAY LUBBOCK TEX=

YOUR TT-10AH TRANSMITTER SHIPPED OUT OF PHILADELPHIA 8-26-53

VIA ACME FAST FREIGHT IN 22 WOOD 1 CRTN WEIGHTING 10,635

LBS ON PRO 67463 MANIFEST P-3279 IN CAR SOUTHERN PACIFIC

84669 CARDED TO ST LOUIS FOR TRANSFER TO LUBBOCK=

JOHN GAGLIARDI RCA CAMDEN COMMERCIAL SERVICE 15-6=

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TT-10AH 8-26-53 22 1 CRTN 10,635 67463 P-3279 84669=

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RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



August 26, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Station K S B D  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Frank,

While this letter may be only of academic interest to you at this point, I want to let you know that we have given serious consideration to your comments on the TM-2B Utility Monitors. You will recall that we accepted the return of this equipment because you have not been able to keep them operating without constant component failures.

Upon receipt here four units were in good operating order. One of them was inoperative because C-4 capacitor was removed and R-68 resistor had been disconnected on one side. The deflection yoke had evidence of damage during kinescope installation. This unit operated satisfactorily after the resistor and capacitor were replaced. The remaining unit was defective due to two poor tubes: the 6SN7 horizontal oscillator and 6BG6 horizontal output. The replacement of these two tubes corrected all difficulties.

To assure ourselves of what may happen when the equipment is being operated over a long period of time, two units were picked at random for life tests. These tests have been in progress for about two weeks. Upon completion of the tests I will give you the results of our findings.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry Duszak".

Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising Division

/mrf



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



August 21, 1953

Station KCBD TV  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Attn: Mr. Frank Lee, C. E.

Dear Frank:

We learned only two or three days ago that you had directed a letter to Camden requesting shipment under warranty of the components that failed in your equipment during test and putting the station on the air. In checking with John Thayer we learned that the temporary replacements were secured from your stock.

Usually a copy of each installation report is directed to this organization for checking and shipment of replacements under warranty. Occasionally, however, the report will go astray without immediate action being taken.

Your recent letter concerning the above was located in Replacement Parts. All of the items, with the exception of the drive cable assembly for the reflectometer in the aural transmitter and the door handle for the 3rd cabinet of the TT2AH transmitter, are being shipped to you today.

Now that we have complete information on the two remaining items, we will arrange as early as possible to secure them from manufacturing and ship them along to you. We will contact you when they go forward.

We sincerely regret that this matter was not attended to at an earlier date. We trust that you have not been inconvenienced due to the failure of these components to reach you at an earlier date.

At your convenience and providing they are available, it would be appreciated if you will arrange to have the defective components returned to the writer in Building 15-6 for examination and analysis by our Engineering Department.

If we can be of further service to you, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Very truly yours,

  
W. H. Jonker, Manager  
Customer Service

WEJ/f



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VECTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



August 21, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
Station K C B D  
P. O. Box 1507  
Lubbock, Texas

Re: BC-22427-B

Dear Frank,

On July 10 you wrote to Henry Duszak enclosing bills from Tidmore Construction Company for temporary wiring and assembly of horses for the RCA antenna. We have forwarded the bill for the temporary wiring to Ideco with the request that they take care of it. It has been customary for the station to provide the horses for assembly and test of the antenna. In view of this, I am returning the invoice of Tidmore Construction Company in the amount of \$79.31 and trust you will not mind having your station assume this charge.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. H. Super".

A. H. Super  
Broadcast Transmitter Equip.

emc.  
Enclosure: Invoice  
cc: H. Duszak  
J. Palmquist



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Check the class of service desired; otherwise this message will be sent as a full rate telegram	
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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

Aug 21, 1953 (called in about 5:35- PM) mh

Henry Duszak  
 Broadcasting Merchandising  
 Radio Corporation of America  
 RCA Victor Division  
 Camden 2, N.Y.

Regarding blowers 10 Kw transmitter our elevation 3200 feet.

FRANK LEE  
 KCBD-TV  
 Lubbock, Texas

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RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



August 19, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
Station K C B D  
P. O. Box 1507  
Lubbock, Texas

Re: BC-22427

Dear Frank,

We have received from Communication Products Company an invoice covering six shoulder screws, six hex nuts, four feedlines, and six hanger assemblies shipped emergency by air freight on June 10 to your station.

On July 10 you wrote to Henry Duszak listing various items for which you asked to be reimbursed because these were replacements for material damaged by the erector.

We would like to know if these items are duplicated or if the bill we have received from our vendor is for items furnished in addition to those mentioned in your letter.

I would greatly appreciate it if you could help me determine this.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "A. H. Super".

A. H. Super  
Broadcast Transmitter Equipment

enc.

~~Enclosures: Invoices~~

cc: H. Munro  
B. Pruden - Ideco



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 19 Aug 1953, est \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duczak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE --- PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 5-6381 EXTENSION Woodlawn 3-8000

10 kw not this week -

will ship on 28th

factory hold up on some items

Acme 6 days 374.00 + tax

Gray Van 5 days 649.00

1783 miles -

tied up on final amplifiers 2-4 cabinets

ship via Acme tomorrow

blowers

transformers

refletometers

wiring material

2 racks and cabinets

bases

can I count on friday completion - yes -

crystals week of 7 Sept

FCC - tubes - ok

Antenna situation - suspect - elbows -

they are getting new ones

FCC on sideband Duczak advises



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 14 Aug 1953, CST \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duczak and A.B. Super  
FROM Frank Lee COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE Att TV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Henry advised me that the study of what to do next on antenna and transmission lines had been turned over to George Mohn who would be back Monday and George would decide what was to be done next.



CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable symbol above or preceding the address.

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J H BRYANT=

STATION KCB D-TV LUBBOCK TEX=

MR PRUDEN WILL BE IN LUBBOCK THRU AUGUST 14 TO SEE THAT  
TARVER ELECTRIC COMPANY ACCOUNT IS SETTLED=

DRESSER STACEY CO IDECO DIV R A VAUGHAN=

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Lynn  
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## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 10 Aug 1953, est 1320 TO Henry Duzak  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE STAY PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6301 PHONE IN Woodtown 3-8000

suggested ship transmitter without crating and by  
moving van to save time

requested Henry check on.

Mareks bill from Tarver

Florence stove Co bill

request on letter on tubes

letter on spare parts

asked what next on transmission line and antenna

George Mohn said he would start a conference  
on exactly the next move on getting a  
Service Co man down.



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



August 10, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
Station KCBD-TV  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Frank:

In your letter dated July 4, you advised of several items which were still undelivered on your contract. On some of those we have already taken action. For example, the two MI-26155 Distribution Amplifiers were shipped in early July, and you undoubtedly have them at this time. The WA-21B Video Sweep Generator was shipped late in June, and I hope that you have also received this item. During the same month, we shipped the 200' of MI-75 Cable, and presumably, you have received this also.

Another item that we show completed was one MI-26533-A Speaker Accessory Kit. This item is indicated as being shipped on December 29, 1952. Perhaps with a further review, you can locate it. The WA-3A Grating Generator is being shipped this week.

Our most troublesome item is the MI-19199 RF Load and Wattmeter. In our subsequent telephone conversation, I mentioned to you that our current outlook was that we would not be in a position to ship this item before October. In this instance, we will not be able to supply this item when the transmitter is delivered. However, I am sure that our Service Company will be of assistance during the transmitter tune-up.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Henry".

Henry Duszak, Manager  
Broadcast Merchandising

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DATE 4 Aug 1953 EST TO Henry Duczak  
 FROM FRANK COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE — PLACE Camden  
 EXTENSION NO 5-6381 PHONE # Woodtown 3-8000

Reported to Henry story of Marek's last work on transmission lines

Discussed Marek's bill from Tarver re: Tarver's letter of 3 Aug 53. Henry will check thru Ideco

10 kw transmitter scheduled for shipment week of 24th on either Mon. or Tues. Henry will check to try to determine how much this can be improved

I told him this schedule would not allow us to meet our deadline of September 1. I told him of our commercial commitments beginning 1 Sept.

Grating generator scheduled this month

Dummy load } scheduled for latter part of  
 Sideband Filter } September

Call Henry on Moving Van -



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CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

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DEPARTMENT



May 29, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
Radio Station KCBD  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

Your inquiry concerning your General Radio Monitor equipment for channel 11 has been referred to the writer for reply.

I have just finished talking with Messrs. Smith and Dawes of General Radio and have advised them of your difficulties. Mr. Smith is air mailing to you a complete set of instructions for your Monitor to replace the set which they air mailed on 5-13-53. The latter book must have been lost in the mail. Kindly advise us if you do not receive this book within the next few days.

Mr. Dawes, their Service Engineer, will call you so that he may give you first-hand assistance in clearing up your problems. He believes he can readily clear up the inaccuracy in the modulation, and also put your set in good working condition. If you will supply Mr. Dawes with all the particulars, I know he will come up with a most satisfactory solution.

If we can be of any further assistance, please give us a call.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "G. C. McCole".

G. C. McCole  
Commercial Service

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RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA  
RCA VICTOR DIVISION  
HARRISON, NEW JERSEY



TUBE DEPARTMENT

May 26, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Television Station KCBD-TV  
Lubbock, Texas

Re: Your Letter/Order  
Dated March 24, 1953

Dear Mr. Lee:

We have received your approved proof copies of the target pattern to be incorporated in RCA-1699 monoscopes covered by the subject order.

This completes the information we require to proceed with your order, which is being forwarded to our warehouse, 34 Exchange Place, Jersey City, New Jersey. The warehouse will inform you of the estimated delivery schedule.

We thank you for this business and trust that these tubes, when received, will meet your requirements. Should there be any further question regarding this particular order, please contact the undersigned.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "W. B. Quider".

W. B. Quider  
Industrial Tube Sales

ho



May 23, 1953

Mr. W. B. Quider  
Industrial Tube Sales  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Harrison, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Quider:

I am returning three approved, without change, copies of the target pattern to be incorporated in the RCA-1699 monoscopes covered by my letter order, dated March 24.

These target patterns are satisfactory in every respect, and I have indicated such approval by signing and dating, in the space provided, three copies of the proofs submitted.

Very truly yours,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv  
Enclosures



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

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May 21, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCBD-TV  
Cabrock Broadcasting Co.  
Lubbock, Texas

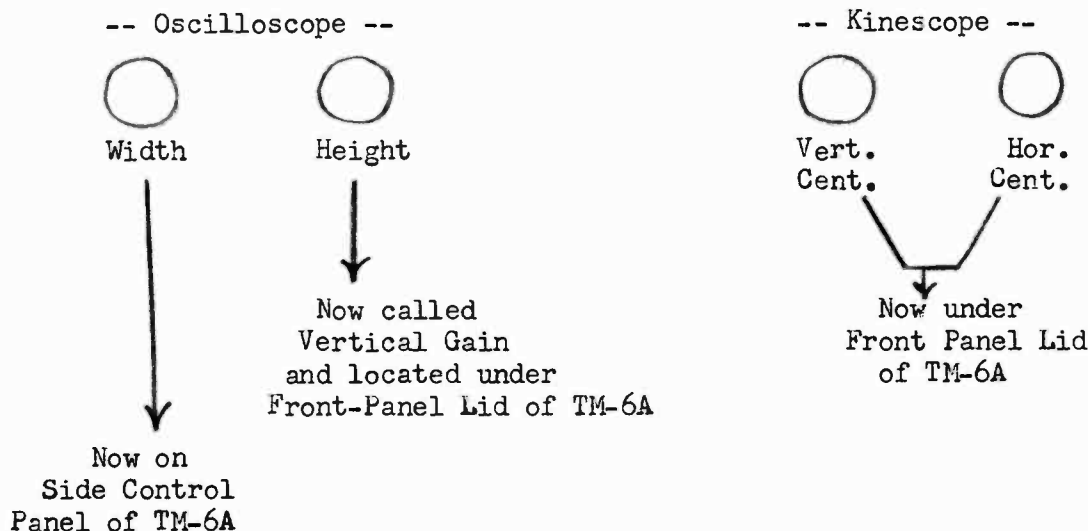
Dear Frank:

By this time, I guess KCBD is "on-air" and doing a fine job of programming. At least, I hope this is the case.

I'm looking forward to hearing from you soon -- in the meantime, I thought you would like to have the answer to the question you asked about the four round holes among the vent louvres in the top rear of the console housings.

The four holes in each housing were placed there to adjust controls on previous master monitors which had controls located such that the holes in the console housings were necessary in order to make adjustments. The new TM-6A Monitors now have these controls brought out to the front of the monitor panel under the "lift" cover above the Kinescope. Therefore, the holes serve no useful purpose anymore except to help ventilate the housing. However, if anyone should acquire an old master monitor and try to use it, the holes would certainly be necessary. The holes served to facilitate adjustment of the controls on the TM-5A and earlier models that I have shown below:

Facing the Back of the Console Housings  
Left to Right



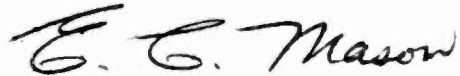


Letter to Mr. Frank Lee  
Page Two  
May 21, 1953

I'm ready to assemble your story as quickly as I receive material from you.

Good Luck! -- and drop in to say hello to us if you're ever in Camden.

Cordially,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "E. C. Mason". The letters are fluid and connected, with a prominent loop at the end of the word "Mason".

E. C. Mason  
EPD Broadcast Advertising and Sales Promotion

ECM:ebk





PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 19 May 1953, est TO Emergency Service  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE TX Woodlawn 3-8000

Placed an order for the following: (to be shipped by  
 air parcel post.)

Quant.	2	.47 at 400 volts	condenser # 59512
"	3	.05 at 1600 volts	" #53637
"	2	Bracket	Stock # 465135-502
""	1	Bracket	" # 465135-501



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

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ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
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May 14, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Radio Station KCED  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

We were advised on May 14 by our Replacement Parts Department of your need of a micalex plunger stock #95083 which is part of G-610 in your TT-24H transmitter.

As we were momentarily out of stock of this component we have arranged to ship you via air express a plunger from one of our laboratory test units rather than cause you an inconvenient delay. The plunger has been tested under much more severe conditions than are encountered in normal operations and should function perfectly in your transmitter. It is being sent to you on a no/charge basis.

If we can be of further service to you please advise us.

Very truly yours,

*W. E. Junker*  
W. E. Junker, Manager  
Customer Service

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Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

May 11, 1953 (called in 1:15 PM - mh)

Mr. Booker Pruden, Erection Manager  
 Ideco Division  
 Dresser-Stacey Company  
 875 Michigan Avenue  
 Columbus, Ohio

Our attorney advises us that Tarver Electrical Company will file mechanic's lien against our tower if payment to them for 1700.84 dollars is not made. Please advise us of your position in this matter immediately. A claim of this nature most injurious to us in our trade area, so we insist this matter be handled immediately. Tarver Electrical Company was employed by Allied Construction Company for work on tower. The four month statute of limitations expires August 14 so immediate action must be taken.

Joe H. Bryant  
 President, KCBD-TV

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5. No responsibility attaches to the Telegraph Company concerning messages until the same are accepted at one of its transmitting offices; and if a message is sent to such office by one of the Telegraph Company's messengers, he acts for that purpose as the agent of the sender.

6. The Telegraph Company will not be liable for damages or statutory penalties when the claim is not presented in writing to the Telegraph Company, (a) within ninety days after the message is filed with the Telegraph Company for transmission in the case of a message between points within the United States (except in the case of an intrastate message in Texas) or between a point in the United States on the one hand and a point in Alaska, Canada, Mexico, or St. Pierre-Miquelon Islands on the other hand, or between a point in the United States and a ship at sea or in the air, (b) within 95 days after the cause of action, if any, shall have accrued in the case of an intrastate message in Texas, and (c) within 180 days after the message is filed with the Telegraph Company for transmission in the case of a message between a point in the United States and a foreign or overseas point other than the points specified above in this paragraph; provided, however, that this condition shall not apply to claims for damages or overcharges within the purview of Section 415 of the Communications Act of 1934, as amended.

7. It is agreed that in any action by the Telegraph Company to recover the tolls for any message or messages the prompt and correct transmission and delivery thereof shall be presumed, subject to rebuttal by competent evidence.

8. Special terms governing the transmission of messages according to their classes, as enumerated below, shall apply to messages in each of such respective classes in addition to all the foregoing terms.

9. No employee of the Telegraph Company is authorized to vary the foregoing.

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## CLASSES OF SERVICE

### DOMESTIC SERVICES

#### FULL RATE TELEGRAM

A full rate expedited service.

#### DAY LETTER (DL)

A deferred service at lower than the full rate

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Accepted up to 2 A. M. for delivery not earlier than the following morning at rates substantially lower than the full rate telegram or day letter rates.

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Overnight plain language messages. Minimum charge for 22 words applies

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A service to and from ships at sea. Plain or secret language may be used. Minimum charge for 5 words applies.

DOMESTIC SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise this message will be sent as a full rate telegram	\$
FULL RATE TELEGRAM	S
DAY LETTER	E
NIGHT LETTER	

# WESTERN UNION

1206 10-51

W. P. MARSHALL, PRESIDENT

INTERNATIONAL SERVICE	
Check the class of service desired; otherwise the message will be sent at the full rate	
FULL RATE	
LETTER TELEGRAM	
SHIP RADIOGRAM	

NO. WDS.-CL. OF SVC.	PD. OR COLL.	CASH NO.	CHARGE TO THE ACCOUNT OF	TIME FILED

Send the following message, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

May 11, 1953 (called in 1:15 PM)- mh

Mr. Ed Tracy, Sales Manager  
 Radio Corporation of America  
 RCA Victor Division  
 Camden 2, New Jersey

Our attorney advises us that Tarver Electrical Company will file mechanic's lien against our tower if payment to them for 1700.84 dollars is not made. Please advise us of your position in this matter immediately. A claim of this nature most injurious to us in our trade area, so we insist this matter be handled immediately. Tarver Electrical Company was employed by Allied Construction Company for work on tower. The four month statute of limitations expires August 14 so immediate action must be taken.

Joe H. Bryant  
 President, KCBD-TV

## ALL MESSAGES TAKEN BY THIS COMPANY ARE SUBJECT TO THE FOLLOWING TERMS:

To guard against mistakes or delays, the sender of a message should order it repeated, that is, telegraphed back to the originating office for comparison. For this, one-half the unreported message rate is charged in addition. Unless otherwise indicated on its face, this is an unreported message and paid for as such, in consideration whereof it is agreed between the sender of the message and the Telegraph Company as follows:

1. The Telegraph Company shall not be liable for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the unreported message rate beyond the sum of five hundred dollars; nor for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for non-delivery, of any message received for transmission at the reported message rate beyond the sum of five thousand dollars, unless specially valued; nor in any case for delays arising from unavoidable interruption in the working of its lines.

2. In any event the Telegraph Company shall not be liable for damages for mistakes or delays in the transmission or delivery, or for the non-delivery, of any message, whether caused by the negligence of its servants or otherwise, beyond the actual loss, not exceeding in any event the sum of five thousand dollars, at which amount the sender of each message represents that the message is valued, unless a greater value is stated in writing by the sender thereof at the time the message is tendered for transmission, and unless the reported message rate is paid or agreed to be paid and an additional charge equal to one-tenth of one per cent of the amount by which such valuation shall exceed five thousand dollars.

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PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 7 May 1953, est TO Howard Powell  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE A XXX NO CHARGE PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Mr. Powell at RCA originated this call. Information as follows:

- Pulse Distribution box - next week
- Circuit breakers - next week
- Spare Fairchild cartridges - no record - will check
- Audio terminal block - one week
- Distribution amplifiers - June
- Monitron --June
- Grating generator - June
- Sweep generator - June
- Back doors - Being shipped
- Test meter 21200-C - July delivery



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 6 May 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Check on the following items:

- Pulse distribution box
- 2 Distribution amplifiers
- Spare fairchild cartridges
- Grating generator
- Sweep generator
- Non-ventilated doors
- Audio Terminal blocks
- Circuit breakers
- Monitran
- Mirror on order from Gray

Placed an order for following item:

- 1 MI-21200-CI Test meter.



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



May, 4, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, C. E.  
Radio Station K C B D  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

Please refer to your phone conversation with our Mr. Henry Duszak on April 22.

You advised that you received a five inch lens instead of a seven inch lens with your automatic slide projector. We arranged for Mr. Spindler of Spindler & Sauppe to air express a seven inch lens that day and he desires you to return the five inch lens directly to:

Spindler and Sauppe  
2201 Beverly Boulevard  
Los Angeles 4, California

We also arranged for shipment at that time, one drawing number 426750-2 projector power supply stock number 51593.

A replacement TM-2B Utility Monitor was shipped and return authorization for the defective unit has been issued.

You requested price of the Gray type 600 Multiplexer mirror and mounting frame. The price for this item is \$54.00 and we would be pleased to receive your order.

We are in trouble on the Pulse Distribution Box, MI-26757-A. The factory is overcoming some production difficulties and this item should be available in a week or two. We regret this delay and will do everything possible to expedite this shipment.

It was a pleasure to again be of service to you and if we can assist you further in any way, please do not hesitate to let us know.

Yours truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Robert E. Howell".

Robert E. Howell  
Commercial Service



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



April 30, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Radio Station KCBQ - TV  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

We have arranged for an air shipment to you of a .0068 mfd,  
3000 v condenser to replace the defective component in your  
MI-26500 oscilloscope.

This will be shipped to you direct from our supplier's plant  
in Portland, Oregon.

If we can be of further service to you, please advise us.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "W. E. Jonker".

W. E. Jonker, Manager  
Customer Service

ACC/f





RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



April 28, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, C. E.  
Station KCBD TV  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

This supplements my telegram of April 27 and has reference to the Service Company representative's report covering the installation of the TP-16-D Projectors on your premises.

Our representative, Mr. C. S. Moore, reported that a stock #56506 take-up chain was missing from one of the TP-16-D Projectors. This should have accompanied the assembly sent along to you.

We have ordered a replacement take-up chain to go forward by air under warranty. It should reach you within the next day or two. We regret that this omission was found in our shipment to you and sincerely hope it has not caused you any inconvenience.

We also received word that a stock #95062 Plate overload breaker failed in your transmitter. An air shipment of a replacement unit is going forward by air today. Please return the defective unit to me for inspection and analysis.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. E. Jonker".

W. E. Jonker, Manager  
Customer Service

WEJ/f



**RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA**

**RCA VICTOR DIVISION**

**HARRISON, NEW JERSEY**



TUBE DEPARTMENT

April 21, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Television Station KCBD-TV  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

We enclose four proof copies of target pattern to be incorporated in RCA-1699 monoscopes covered by your letter/order dated March 24.

The charge for this standard art work and target preparation was quoted in our letter of February 26, 1953.

Please indicate your approval of these proofs by signing and dating in the space provided and return three copies to the undersigned promptly so that we may proceed with your order.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. B. Quider".

W. B. Quider  
Industrial Tube Sales

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## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE	21 April	1953, est	TO	Henry Duszak
FROM	FRANK LEE		COMPANY	RCA
CHARGE	XX IV		PLACE	Camden
PHONE NO	3-4148		PHONE NO	Woodlawn 3-8000

Request Assembly print on combining network and MI list on the same.

Request new studio camera control MI-26056A and new instruction books on camera.

Requested one new Flyback<sup>Transformer</sup> for TM-2B monitor and one new TM-2B monitor as a replacement item.

Requested 3 schematic diagrams on trans. Regulator.

Requested to be put on mailing list for all field change notices.

Advised pulse distributor<sup>ion</sup> box not yet received.

Ordered one MI-426750-2 Sprague 9.0<sup>micro-</sup>aired 600 volt DC condenser for projectors.

Requested current Regulators Instruction book with change notices.

Checked on delivery of distribution amplifiers.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 16 April 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 5-6381 PHONE N Woodlawn 3-8000 Ext 3040

Placed an order with Henry Duszak for the following:

<u>Quantity</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Number</u>
6	Double Jack mats	33-A
6	2 foot patch cords	MI-4652-2B
3	Terminal blocks	MI-4570
6	Audio Terminal blocks	MI-4569
2,000'	Microphone cable	MI-63A
4	Power terminal blocks	MI-4568
1	Variac rim light (new type)	
1	Sm. Variac for slide projector dimmer	

Checked with Henry on the shipment on the following items:

Crystals for transmitter, pulse distribution  
 box, and additional <sup>A.M.</sup> equipment on order.





April 15, 1953

Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Attention: Mr. John F. Palmquist, RCA Representative

Dear Mr. Palmquist:

Please cancel immediately the following:

T16-L Neulite Table

This table was canceled in a telephone conversation to Mr. L. E. Jones, Sales Manager of Neumade Products Corporation; and, at this time, I ordered the following items:

- 1 - R - 3 splicer, 1/10"
- 2 - lengths of Rk - 16 Rack to fit RH-200  
(each approximately 4' long)
- 1 - PD - 1 Rewind (without base)
- 200 - 100' -- 16mm plastic reels
- 200 - 100' -- 16mm cans

Also, I am now placing an order for the racks to hold 100' 16 mm reels and cans, referred to as Plan A in Mr. Jones' letter:

Plan A - "2 separator racks similar in overall design to the RK-200 but for 100' - 16 mm reels and cans, each complete unit to be approximately 6' high, 4' wide and 16 " deep, fitted with 12 lengths of film separator rack for 100' reels and cans. Total capacity of the 2 racks 1,150 - 100' -- 16mm reels and cans. Total price for the 2 units \$419.00"

Sincerely yours,

Hulen J. Penney  
Film Director

hjp:vv

April 15, 1953

Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-II McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Attention: Mr. John F. Palmdust, RCA Representative

Dear Mr. Palmdust:

Please cancel immediately the following:

Title-Neutral Table

This table was canceled in a telephone conversation to  
Mr. L. E. Jones, Sales Manager of Neumade Products  
Corporation; and, at this time, I ordered the following  
items:

- 200 - 100' -- 10mm plastic reels
- 200 - 100' -- 10mm cans
- 1 - PD - 1 Rewind (without base)
- 2 - lengths of RK - 10' each to fit RK-200  
(each approximately 4' long)
- 1 - R - 3 splicer, 1/10"

Also, I am now placing an order for the reels to hold 100'  
10 mm reels and cans, referred to as Plan A in Mr. Jones'  
letter:

Plan A - "S separator racks similar to overall design to the  
RK-200 but for 100' - 10 mm reels and cans, each  
complete unit to be approximately 6' high, 4' wide  
and 10" deep, fitted with 12 lengths of film  
separator rack for 100' reels and cans. Total  
capacity of the 2 racks 1,120' -- 10mm reels  
and cans. Total price for the 2 units \$419.00"

Sincerely yours,

Lulen J. Fenney  
Film Director

ljf:vv

INTERNAL CORRESPONDENCE



*Frank Lee*

To J. F. Palmquist

Location Dallas

Dept., Div.  
or Sect.

From (Location) Camden 15-6

Date April 11, 1953

Subject KCBD-22427-C

RECEIVED

MAY 14 1953

DALLAS OFFICE

In reply to your recent request to Mr. Dana Pratt, regarding delivery of test equipment for the above contract. The estimated delivery dates are as follows:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Qty.</u>	<u>MI-</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Est. Del'y.</u>
A6	1	19199	RF Load and Wattmeter	Oct.
N6	200'	75	RG-59U Cable	May
D22	1		Slide File Cabinet	May
F26	1	26499	TM-30A Monitran	Aug.
K2	1	30003-A	Grating Generator	July
K3	1	30021-B	Sweep Generator	July
L5	1	26550-4	8 1/2" Lens	May
T2	1	26960-A	TK-1B Monoscope	May
F2	2	26155	Dists. Amplifiers	June

If we are able to improve on any of the delivery dates, we will gladly do so.

*R. J. Raiczuk*  
R. J. Raiczuk

jf  
cc: KCBD-BCD-22427-C



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 11 April 1953, est 11:15 TO Henry Duszak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE N Woodlawn 3-8000

Requested Henry to check on connecting network and its prints. Check on MI list for combining network. Check on prints for TF124H antenna included MI list. Henry advised combining network shipped by Dielectric Products, Jersey City, March 31st via National Carloading.

Requested check on hardware for antenna feed line clamps, bolts, etc.

Henry advised Junction box assembly being shipped March 6th by Com Products via fast freight.

Requested check on quantity 4 Item HI3 MI-19089-5 Adapter plane to flange.

Placed order for 4 adapter to flange for regular ~~wire~~ line.

Checked on Item H-21 quantity 4 19113-B3 45<sup>0</sup> 3 1/8" long L'S

Checked on audio for AM installation.

Requested for TC4A Switcher 24 contact female connector part # 95803.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 8 April 1953, est TO Henry Duszak  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE N Woodlawn 3-8000

Placed order for following items:

2	Double jack panel	33-A
1	Jack mat	MI-11503
6	connector plugs for plug in amplifiers--	
6	Mike receptacles	MI-4624A
2	Cabinets	LC5A
1	Vu meter panel	BI-5A
1	Meter panel	BI-2A
2	Audio terminal blocks	MI-4569
2	Power blocks	MI-4568

Requested Henry to check on the following:

The Iconscope chain camera cradle, and console housing; antenna blocks, styroflex line.

Henry advised the RCA installation man, John Thayer, is now in Wichita Falls.





RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA  
RCA VICTOR DIVISION  
HARRISON, NEW JERSEY



TUBE DEPARTMENT

April 6, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Television Station KCBD-TV  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

Thank you for your letter/order dated March 24, covering RCA-1699 monoscopes in line with our quotation of February 26, 1953.

We also acknowledge receipt of your letters dated March 6 and March 24, giving complete specifications covering the target pattern that you wish us to incorporate in these monoscopes. Also, copy of the target pattern you desire and one copy of "Release from Copyright Liability" executed by an officer of your company.

Your specifications and target pattern will be studied by our factory and if acceptable for successful reproduction we will ask our printer to submit proofs which we will send to you for approval.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. B. Quider".

W. B. Quider  
Industrial Tube Sales

ho



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE	2 April	1953, est	TO	Emergency Service
FROM	FRANK LEE		COMPANY	RCA
CHARGE	XXX		PLACE	Camden
PHONE NO	5-6381		PHONE N	Woodlawn 3-8000

Talked to Kirby. Placed an emergency order for transformer for 2 KW Transmitter, stock # 94843  
 Kirby advised will ship by air express today.



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

GARDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



March 27, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
Station KCBD  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Frank:

Herewith is a marked-up print, deleting two Distribution Amplifiers from drawings

E-315119 Video Functional Diagram  
EE-315154 Power Connection Diagram  
EE-315152 Video Connection Diagram

previously submitted for your TV operation. The revisions indicated in red are temporary connections which will allow complete operation with certain unauthorized practices. For maximum flexibility and conformance with good practice, it is advisable to use the original connections as soon as the distribution equipment becomes available.

In order to use the interim equipment connections, a sync interlock relay, MI-26544, for the TM-6A Master Monitor should be obtained and separate synchronizing signals supplied as shown.

Please advise us of any additional information required for this interim operation.

Sincerely yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "I. E. Goldstein".

I. E. Goldstein  
TV Systems Eng.  
E.D., E.P.D.  
Building 10-3

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Enc. (3)



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 26 March 1953, est TO Super  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE N: Woodlawn 3-8000

Super advises that Pruden told him Marek of Allied  
Construction would arrive Monday morning.

Transformers 19-089-9 are 24  $\frac{1}{2}$ " long.

Pat Martin advised Film Camera shipped yesterday.

Duszak advised distributor<sup>ion</sup> amplifiers would not be  
available till June.





NEUMADE PRODUCTS CORP.

330 WEST 42ND STREET

NEW YORK 36, N. Y.



March 25, 1953

KCBD  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas


Gentlemen:

This letter is your authorization to return one SF-34-S Cabinet used for the storage of  $3\frac{1}{4}$  x 4 slides to Neumade Products Corp., 654 Michigan Avenue, Buffalo, New York, Attention: Mr. C. Thrall. Please ship cheapest way to avoid excessive return charges.

This cabinet was ordered by R. C. A. on purchase order No. 541366-39A.

Very truly yours,

NEUMADE PRODUCTS CORP.

  
Robert E. Hempel  
Sales Department

REH/acw

Air Mail

cc: Mr. V. A. Tortu  
Purchasing Division  
Engineering Products Department  
RCA Victor Division  
Radio Corporation of America  
Camden 2, New Jersey



C O P Y

March 24, 1953

Mr. H. C. Vance, Manager  
Industrial Tube Sales  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Harrison, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Vance:

I have today received a letter from Mr. W. B. Quider, stating type 1699 custom-built monoscopes cannot be included in our deferred payment contract, RCA Order No. BCD-22427, placed with your Engineering Production Department.

Please accept our firm order for:

One to three RCA-1699, KCBD-TV, Monoscopes @ \$130.00 ea.

Art Work and Target Preparation, \$140.00

The above custom-built monoscope tubes are to be made in accordance with my letter of instructions to you on March 6, 1953.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCBF-TV

fl:vv

Copies: Mr. John Palmquist  
Mr. Eddie Miller

C O P Y

March 24, 1953

Mr. H. C. Vance, Manager  
Industrial Type Sales  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Harrison, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Vance:

I have today received a letter from Mr. W. B. Quiber, stating  
type 1699 custom-built monoscopes cannot be included in our  
deferred payment contract, RCA Order No. BCL-22427, placed  
with your Engineering Production Department.

Please accept our firm order for:

One to three RCA-1699, KCB-D-TV, Monoscopes @ \$130.00 ea.

Art Work and Target Preparation, \$140.00

The above custom-built monoscope tubes are to be made in  
accordance with my letter of instructions to you on March 6,  
1953.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCB-D-TV

fr:vv  
Copies: Mr. John Falmquist  
Mr. Eddie Miller

March 20, 1953

Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Attention: Mr. John F. Palmquist, RCA Representative

Dear John:

Please cancel our firm order for the following items of Neumade equipment for our firm projection and editing rooms. These items were to have been purchased direct from you and they were to have been included under our deferred payment contract, BCD 22427-C. You will recall, furthermore, that they were scheduled for delivery in April, so there should be no difficulty in making cancellation on these articles.

QUANTITY	ITEM	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
1	CL-16 Neuvator		\$375.00
1	CL-16 Neuvator Stand		37.50
1	Renovene, 5 gallons		40.00
1 doz.	Squeegees		1.65
1 doz.	Polishing Rolls		4.50

We shall appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCBD-TV

March 20, 1955

Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1507-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Attention: Mr. E. W. Whitaker, RCA Representative

Dear John:

Please cancel our firm order for the following items of Newark  
equipment for our film projection and editing rooms. These  
items were to have been purchased direct from you and they were  
to have been included under our deferred payment contract, RCD  
22827-C. You will recall, furthermore, that they were scheduled  
for delivery in April, so there should be no difficulty in making  
amendment to these articles.

QUANTITY	ITEM	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
1	12-16 Revolver		\$375.00
1	12-16 Revolver Stand		27.50
1	Revolver, 5 Gall. ea.		40.00
1	Revolvers		1.87
1	Revolving R. 12		4.50

We shall appreciate your attention to this matter.

Sincerely yours,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
RCA-V

RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



March 19, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee, Chief Engineer  
Radio Station K C B D  
P.O. Box 1507  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

At the request of Mr. Palmquist, we are enclosing information for the conversion of a BC-2B Consolette to two-channel operation. This information includes revisions to the block diagram, schematic diagram, and connection diagram. In addition, there is a parts list and complete installation information.

If we can be of additional help in this matter, please let us know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "M. E. Gunn".

M. E. Gunn  
Broadcast Audio Equipment

/mrf  
enc.

cc: Mr. J. F. Palmquist  
RCA, Dallas





RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

HARRISON, NEW JERSEY



March 19, 1953

TUBE DEPARTMENT

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Station KCBD-TV  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

With reference to your letter of March 6 to our Mr. H. C. Vance, we regret to advise that we cannot accept your order for type 1699 Custom-built Monoscopes on the terms of sale you request.

We operate as the Tube Department within the RCA Victor Division of the Radio Corporation of America and cannot modify your contract with the Engineering Products Department to include the purchase of these tubes on the deferred payment contract, your RCA order BCD-22427. Therefore, your order, if it is to stand firm with us, will have to be modified to conform to the terms and conditions of sale as stated in Mr. H. C. Vance's letter to you of February 26.

Your selection of one No. 2 pattern and the changes suggested in your drawing are acceptable for reproduction. Your executed release from copyright liability is also in order. We are, therefore, ready to proceed with production of printing proofs but will not until such time as we receive the modification to terms of sales as outlined above.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "W. B. Quider".

W. B. Quider  
Industrial Tube Sales

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March 6, 1953

Mr. H. C. Vance, Manager  
Industrial Tube Sales  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Harrison, New Jersey

Dear Mr. Vance:

Please accept this as our firm order for RCA-1699 Custom-Built Monoscopes. This is to be made a part of our RCA order, BCD-22427 and is to be included on its deferred payment contract. Ship and bill the following to: Bryant Radio and Television, Inc., KCBD-TV, 1803 Broadway, Lubbock, Texas.

One to three RCA-1699, KCBD-TV, Monoscopes @ \$130.00 ea.  
Art Work and Target Preparation, \$140.00

Test Pattern No. 2 from your folder on Custom-Built Monoscopes has been selected. Our call letters, the name of Lubbock and the channel numbers are to be made in the same size and type of letters as shown on your sample. The call letters are to be listed KCBD-TV. The town is Lubbock. The word channel is again to be of the same type and size of letter, except that it is to be placed in a straight line instead of being curved, as shown on your sample. Our channel number is eleven. Attached is a copy of your Pattern No. 2 with the above changes and information shown on the pattern in red.

I will greatly appreciate whatever you may be able to do in order to speed the approval, art work, target preparation and shipment of these custom-built monoscopes.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv  
CC: Mr. John Palmquist  
Mr. Eddie Miller 18-6



March 4, 1953

Mr. Jonkers, 15-6  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
Camden 2, New Jersey

Subject: Contract BCD-22427-C, D and E.

Dear Mr. Jonkers:

On October 16, when we placed our firm order with RCA for our television equipment, we notified Mr. Palmquist that no shipments were to be made by air unless specifically authorized by us. On the third of February, 1953, in a conference in Mr. Tracy's office in Camden, I again told Ed Tracy, Eddie Miller and John Palmquist that no shipments were to be made by air unless specifically authorized by us. In a phone call to John Palmquist in Dallas on the sixteenth of February, I again made the same statement. I talked to John Palmquist again this morning in Dallas and he advised that I immediately send to you detailed information as to the shipments we have received at the present time by air.

Shipment from RCA, Invoice No. 322/06311  
Item F26, Quantity 1, MI-26499, Monitrans  
Shipped via Slick Airways, Receipt No. 342-EWR-319877, Flight Manifest  
9935

Charges, \$22.45

Shipment from Gray, Invoice No. 9256  
Item P6, Quantity 1, MI-26330, Multiplexer, Model 600  
Shipment by Railway Express Agency, Air, Receipt No. 735-236, Dated 12 Feb., 1953  
Charges, \$118.97

Shipment from Communication Products, Order No. 20897  
Items H16, H17, H18, H19, H22, H23 and H24  
Shipped via Railway Express Agency, Air, Receipt No. 823-456, Dated 18 Feb., 1953  
Charges, \$98.27

Shipment from Gray Research  
Item P4, Quantity 1, MI-26052, Gray Rotary Pedestal  
Shipment by Railway Express Agency, Air, Receipt No. 730-160, Dated 2 Mar., 1953  
Charges, \$136.73

Shipment from Gray Research  
Item P7, Quantity 1, MI-26133, Gray Telop II



Mr. Jonkers

March 4, 1953

Shipment by Railway Express Agency, Air, Receipt No. 73-01-61, Dated  
2 Mar., 1953.

Charges, \$538.77

As none of the shipments we have received by air have been authorized and since every means at our disposal has been tried to assure that no future shipments would come by air, we are expecting an adjustment from you in the amount of the difference between the air charges and charges by normal overland transportation.

We have not authorized any air shipments, as we are not capable of going on the air until our tower and antenna is erected. We are anticipating the beginning of the arrival of the tower the third week in March. We have accepted the five above air shipments upon arrival here from the transportation company and have paid all of the above charges.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

cc: Mr. John Palmquist





## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 30 February 1953 est 9:10 A TO ROGER HAYDEN  
 FROM XXXXXXXX ED TRACY COMPANY IDECO  
 CHARGE AM IV NO CHARGE PLACE Columbus, Ohio \*  
 PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_

\* Phone conversation between Tracy, Miller, Palmquist, Bryant and Lee - to Mr. Roger Hayden of IDECO.

Earliest possible shipment end of March on Tower.  
 Checked and found no saving on time by the elimination of galvanizing.

At 4:55 p.m. back to Roger Hayden at Columbus -  
 He states will start shipment March 16 -  
 ship through 23, all from Columbus.

Start erection immediately upon arrival in Lubbock.  
 He will ship the bottom sections of the tower first.

He states he will use Tiner's erection crew. Erection in 3 weeks possible - 5 weeks at worst.

Hayden suggested RCA call Ponkey in one week.



February 27, 1953

Mr. John F. Palmquist  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear John:

As I discussed with you when you were out this week, I will send you a letter each week, listing the items we are short on our equipment contract. The following is a list of items we have not yet received on this date:

CONTRACT NUMBER BCD-22427-C

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MT. NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
A6	1	199199	RG Load & Wattmeter, 6KW for TT-10AH	May
A7	1	ES-19216-A	WM-20B Visual Demodulator,	Early April
H1	2	190089-2	90° metre elbows	
H6a	4	190089-5	Adapter, plain to flange	
H13	4	19113-18NF	90° elbows, less flanges	
J1-5	1	"CB"	IDECC guyed tower (J1, J2, J3, J4 & J5) Also, listed accessories	March 16
C2	1	26567	Chopper Relay	February
C10	1	26915	TG-1A Studio Synchronizing Generator with tubes	Early March
C15	2	26298	TM-28 Utility Monitor with One Set Tubes	February



Mr. John Palmquist

February 27, 1953

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
D1	1	26910-B	Type TK-20C Film Camera Equipment	February
D3	1	26313	Sound Equalizers	April
D22	1		SF-5 2" x 2" Slide File Cabinet	
D23	1		RK-200 Film Filing Cabinet	
D29	1		DAF-26 14" Flange	
D32	1		Daylight 37" x 50" Screen- Hilo Model	February
E4	2	26525-2	Blank Panel, 3-1/2"	February
E5	2	26525-4	Blank Panel, 7"	February
E6	2	26525-6	Blank Panel, 10-1/2"	February
F2	4	26155	Distribution Amplifiers	February
F18	2	26298	TM-2B Utility Monitors	February
F26	1	26499	Type TM-30A	
G7	1		Type 215-A, 1.0 mil head, lateral	
G8	1		Type 215-B, 2.5 mil head, lateral	
G9	1		Type 216-A, 2.0 mil head, vertical	
K2	1	30003	WA-3A Grating Generator	April
K3	1	30021-B	WA-21B Video Sweep Generator	March
K4	1	26500	TO-524--D Tektronix Oscilloscope	March
L4	2	26042	Tripod Dollies, TD-15A	February
L5	1	26550-4	8-1/2" Telephoto lens	February
N2	2000'	34	Cable #22 Stranded Shielded, pair	
N6	1000'	75	RG-59U Cable	April
P1	1	26915	Spare Sync. Generator	Late April



Mr. John Palmquist

February 27, 1953

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI. NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
P3	1	26910	Spare Film Camera less Pedestal-March	
P4	1	26052	Gray Rotary Pedestal	February 23
P5	1	26051	Camera Cradel	February
P7	1	26133	Gray Telop II	February 16
T1	1	26533A	Speaker Accessories Kit	
T2	1	26906-A	Type Tk-1E Monoscope	April
CONTRACT RCA NUMBER BCD 224227-E				
A-3	1	ES-19296	TF-12AH 12 Section Superturnstile Antenna	9 March
H-7	4	19089--9	Transformer 50/51.5 ohms	
H-21	4	19113-B3	45° Elbows, flanged, 3-1/8"	
H-25	1	30951-D84	Type BR-84D Cabinet Rack	
H-26	2	30530--G84	Doors, non-ventilated	
T-4	1		Type TC-500 Cart for Tektronix Scope	
RCA NUMBER BCD-22427-IX				
1	1	ES-19222	TT-2AH 2 KW Transmitter	
2	1	ES-19228	Set FCC Spare Tubes	
RCA NUMBER BCD-(UNKNOWN) (Letter order to Palmquist 10 Jan. '53)				
	1	BK-200	Rack	
	1		BK-16, Length 3'	
	1		SF-5 Cabinet	
	1	CL-16	Neuvator	
	1		CL-16 Neuvator Stand	
	1		Renovene, 5 gal.	
	1 doz.		Squeegees	





Mr. John Palmquist

February 27, 1953

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI. NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
	1 doz.		Polishing Rolls	
	2		RT-3 Roller Truck	
	1		T16-L Neulite Table	
	2		CB-2 Barrel	
	1		HM-3 Flange, Square Shaft	
	1		BAF-26 Flange, Square Shaft	
	2		FH-16 Horse	
	1		5-3 Griswald Splicer	
	2		V-2 Notcher	
	2		AS-16 Applicator Sets	
	2		Cement Bottles	
	1 doz.		Cement Brushes	
	1		Film Cement, quart	
	1		Neuscale	
	1		PD-1 Motor Rewind Assembly	
	1		RW-1-MF Rewind, 2 geared ends, Hair	
	12		Reels, Plastic, 400'	
	12		Reels, Flat Steel, 1200'	
	12		Reels, Flat Steel, 1600'	
	12		Reels, Flat Steel, 2,000'	
	100		Paper Bands, 100'	
	100		Paper Bands, 1600'	
	1		Label Pasge, 1 gal.	



Mr. John Palmquist

February 27, 1953

The only item, I believe, where there is an disagreement between your invoices and my receipt records is item T-1; quantity, 1; M. I. No. 26533A; description, speaker accessories kit. This item is shown on your invoice No. 522/05799 and is, also, checked on the package slip that accompanied this shipment. This shipment was received 10 January, 1953. It is possible, but unlikely, that it was included in this shipment, and has been over-looked in our unpacking and checking.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:ff

cc: Mr. R. J. Naiczky



INTERNAL CORRESPONDENCE



**To** B. J. Raiczyk

**Location** Camden

**Dept., Div. or Sect.** 15-6

**From (Location)** Dallas

**Date** Feb. 27, 1953

**Subject** KCBD, Lubbock

Please note enclosed letter of Frank Lee, KCBD, Lubbock, and let me have your reply as soon as possible. Please return this letter with your comments.

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JFP:b  
MAR 5 1953

DALLAS OFFICE

TO →

*J. F. Palmquist*  
J. F. PALMQUIST

RECEIVED

MAR 2 1953

R. J. RAICZYK

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*John:*  
All information pertaining to delivery and shipments of items included in attached letter has been inserted in right hand margin. Where it is at all possible to improve on delivery quoted, we will surely do so.  
R. J. Raiczyk

INTERNATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE

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Dept., Div.  
or Sect.

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Date

From (Location)

Subject

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DALLAS OFFICE

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R. J. RAICZYK

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RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

HARRISON, NEW JERSEY



TUBE DEPARTMENT

February 26, 1953

Mr. Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
Television Station KCBO-TV  
Lubbock, Texas

Dear Mr. Lee:

Thank you for your inquiry regarding RCA-1699 custom-built monoscopes. We are pleased to enclose our bulletin describing these tubes. Special target patterns can be reproduced if they meet requirements outlined in this bulletin, but the "standard" patterns illustrated can be manufactured much faster.

Because of the "custom-built" nature of the tube and its individuality features, production of RCA-1699 monoscopes is started in fixed quantities. Since the yield of good tubes will vary, we are not in a position to accept orders for specific quantities. Therefore, all orders must be worded exactly as follows:

"One to three RCA-1699 (insert station call letters or company name) monoscopes at - \$130.00 each."

"Art work and target preparation - \$140.00." (See Note)

NOTE: Amount shown assumes one of our standard patterns will be selected. If a special target pattern is desired, we shall quote applicable charge at time we forward proofs for customer's approval. No additional charge for art work and target preparation will be made on up to four re-orders of identical pattern placed within two years.

The order must be accompanied by one copy of attached "Release from Copyright Liability" executed by an officer of the company for whom the tube is being made up and by whom it will ultimately be used. This is necessary since RCA cannot assume copyright responsibility for any pattern designs or portions thereof which are furnished for incorporation in the tube.

Production on the order will not start until, through an exchange of correspondence and printer's proofs, agreement has been reached on the desired target pattern. If such agreement is not reached, obligation will be limited to 50% of our quotation for art work and target preparation.






February 26, 1953  
Sheet 2

Mr. Frank Lee  
Television Station KCBO-TV

The order will be subject to "Terms and Conditions of Sale" set forth in our booklet No. I-2, dated December 1, 1947, except that claims will be adjusted by issuance of credit based on monoscope price, excluding art work.

Delivery can normally be made within six to eight weeks after agreement on target pattern, depending upon conditions surrounding reproduction, availability of materials, and factory load.

Very truly yours,

  
H. C. Vance, Manager  
Industrial Tube Sales

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CLASS OF SERVICE

This is a full-rate Telegram or Cablegram unless its deferred character is indicated by a suitable symbol above or preceding the address.

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SYMBOLS

DL=Day Letter

NL=Night Letter

LT=Int'l Letter Telegram

VLT=Int'l Victory Ltr.

W. P. MARSHALL, PRESIDENT

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BRYANT RADIO & TV INC RADIO STATION KCBD=

1803 BROADWAY ATTN FRANK LEE= LUBBOCK TEXAS=

YOUR TT-2AH TRANSMITTER SHIPPED OUT OF PHILADELPHIA 2-20-53  
 VIA ACME FAST FREIGHT IN 15 BOXES, 2 CARTONS, WEIGHT 6,038  
 POUNDS ON BILL OF LADING 13857, MANIFEST #P6155, SHIPPING  
 #41069, CAR WABASH #48406 CARDED FOR ST LOUIS FOR TRANSFER  
 TO LUBBOCK=

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# KCBO-TV

CHANNEL 11 NBC ABC

LUBBOCK, TEXAS

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February 20, 1953

FEB 25 1953

DALLAS OFFICE

Mr. John Palmquist  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear John:

I have Mr. Raiczuk's letter of February 13, concerning the delivery of the remaining items under our contract, BCD-22427-C. Mr. Raiczuk's letter, showing estimated deliveries, omitted many items in the proposal that we have not received nor have received any information as to their scheduled delivery. The following is a list of items we have not yet received on this date:

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
A6	1	199199	RG Load and Wattmeter, 6 KW for TT-10AH	May
A7	1	ES-19216-A	WM-20B Visual Demodulator	Early April
H1	2	19089-2	90° metre elbows	} <i>mar.</i>
H2	20	19089-1	3-1/8" Teflon Line FEB 20 '53 RCVD.	
H4	30	19313-14	3-1/8" Spring Hangers	
H6a	4	19089-5	Adapter, plain to flange	
H13	4	19113-18NF	90° elbows, less flanges	
J1	1	"CB"	IDECO guyed tower (J1, J2, J3, J4 & J5) Also, listed accessories	March 16

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AFFILIATED WITH  
KCBO — NBC — LUBBOCK, TEXAS



Mr. John Palmquist

February 20, 1953

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
C1	1	26970	Type TC-4A Audio-Video Switching Console, to include:	
C1e	1	26256	Projector Control Panel	<i>shpd. 2/16 via Rail X</i>
C2	1	26567	Chopper Relay	<del>February</del> <i>March - per W. Tunnell</i>
C10	1	26915	TG-1A Studio Synchronizing Generator with tubes	Early March <i>shpd. 2/17 inv. 522/06692</i>
C15	2	26298	TM-2B Utility Monitor With One Set Tubes	<del>February</del> <i>March - per W. Tunnell</i>
D1	1	26910-B	Type TK-20C Film Camera Equipment	February <i>shpd. - 2/27</i>
D3	1	26313	Sound Equalizers	April
D10	1		Turntable (Fairchild) Complete as listed	February <i>shpd. 2/18 inv. 515/08783</i>
D22	1		SF-5 2" x 2" Slide File Cabinet	} <i>2 weeks</i>
D23	1		RK-200 Film Filing Cabinet	
D24	1		MM-119 Film Storage Cabinet	
D29	1		DAF-26 14" Flange	
D32	1		Daylight 37" x 50" Screen-Hilo Model	February <i>- should be in customer's hands.</i>
E4	2	26525-2	Blank Panel, 3-1/2"	February
E5	2	26525-4	Blank Panel, 7"	February
E6	2	26525-6	Blank Panel, 10-1/2"	February
F2	4	26155	Distribution Amplifiers	2 February-2 <i>shpd. 3/3</i> 2 June
F18	2	26298	TM-2B Utility Monitors	<del>February</del> <i>March - per W. Tunnell</i>





Mr. John Palmquist

February 20, 1953

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
F26	2	26499	Type TM-30A Monitran -1	<i>shpd. 1/23 inv. 522/06311 via Slick Airways</i>
G6			Fairchild Turntables, Complete	
G7	1		Type 215-A, 1.0 mil head, lateral	<i>shpd. direct from vendor 2/18 inv. 515/08783</i>
G8	1		Type 215.-B, 2.5 mil head, lateral	
G9	1		Type 216-A, 2.0 mil head, vertical	
K2	1	30003	WA-3A Grating Generator	April
K3	1	30021-B	WA-21B Video Sweep Generator	March
K4	1	26500	TO-524-D Tektronix Oscilloscope	March
L2	2	26046-A	Tripods	January- <i>shpd. direct from vendor</i>
L4	2	26042	Tripod Dollies, TD-15A	February
L5	1	26550-4	8-1/2" Telephoto lens	February } <i>March</i>
L7	1		TL-915 foot candle meter	February
N2	2000'	34	Cable #22 Stranded Shielded, pair	<i>shpd. 2/24 Inv. 515/08724</i>
N6	1000'	75	RG-59U Cable	April
P1	1	26915	Spare Sync. Generator)	Late April
P3	1	26910	Spare Film Camera less Pedestal	March
P4	1	26052	Gray Rotary Pedestal	February 23
P5	1	26051	Camera Cradel	February } <i>should be in customer's hands</i>
P7	1	26133	Gray Telop II	February 16
			Studio Lighting Equipment	
R1			Fixtures (Group A), to include:	<i>shpd. from vendor</i>
			A1, A2, A3, A4, A5, A6	
R2			Accessories (Group B), Including:	<i>on 2/10</i>
			B1, B2, B3, B4, B5, B6 and B7 Also B8, B9 and B11	



Mr. John Palmquist

February 20, 1953

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
T1	1	26533A	Speaker Accessories Kit - <i>shpd 12/29 inv. 522/05799 via Acme</i>	
T2	1	26906-A	Type TK-1B Monoscope	April
CONTRACT RCA NUMBER BCD 224227-E				
A-3	1	ES-19296	TF-12AH 12 Section Superturnstile Antenna	9 March
H-7	4	19089-9	Transformer 50/51.5 ohms	} <i>Mar.</i>
H-16	4	19112-2NF	Elbows, 1-1/8", non-flanged	
H-17	2	19113-7	Reducers, 3-1/8", 1-5/8" ungassed	
H-18	2	19112-INF	1-5/8" Transmission Line, no flange	
H-19	1	19112-9	Special inner conductor for 1-5/8"	
H-20	10	19112-8	Straight Couplings 1-5/8"	
H-21	4	19113-B3	45° Elbows, flanged, 3-1/8 "	
H-22	2	19113-B2NF	Elbows, 3-1/8", no flange	
H-23	4	19313-38	Swivel Hanger	
H-24	2	19313-36	Lateral Braces	
H-25	1	30951-D84	Type BR-84D Cabinet Rack	- <i>shipping this week</i>
H-26	2	30530-G84	Doors, non-ventilated	- " " "
T-4	1		Type TC-500 Cart for Tektronix Scope - <i>March</i>	
RCA NUMBER BCD-22427-IX				
1	1	ES-19222	TT-2AH 2 KW Transmitter - <i>shpd. 2/20</i>	
2	1	ES-19228	Set FCC Spare Tubes - " "	



Mr. John Palmquist

February 20, 1953

*Open order*  
RCA NUMBER BCD=(UNKNOWN)  
(Letter order to Palmquist 10 Jan. '53)

<u>ITEM</u>	<u>QUANTITY</u>	<u>MI NO.</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>ES. DEL. DATE</u>
	1		RK-200 Rack	
	1		RK-16, Length 3'	
	1		SF-5 Cabinet	
	1		CL-16 Neuvator	
	1		CL-16 Neuvator Stand	
	1		Renovene, 5 gal.	
	1 doz.		Squeegees	
	1 doz.		Polishing Rolls	
	2		RT-3 Roller Truck	
	1		T16-L Neulite Table	
	2		CB-2 Barrel	
	1		HM-3 Flange, Square Shaft	
	1		BAF-26 Flange, Square Shaft	
	2		FH-16 Horse	
	1		R-3 Griswald Splicer	
	2		V-2 Notcher	
	2		AS-16 Applicator Sets	
	2		Cement Bottles	
	1 doz.		Cement Brushes	
	1		Film Cement, quart	
	1		Neuscale	
	1		PD-1 Motor Rewind Assembly	
	1		RW-1-MF Rewind, 2 geared ends, Hair	

*1st week  
of April*



Mr. John Palmquist

February 20, 1953

ITEM	QUANTITY	MI NO.	DESCRIPTION	ES. DEL. DATE
	12		Reels, Plastic, 400'	<i>1st wk. of April</i>
	12		Reels, Flat Steel, 1200'	
	12		Reels, Flat Steel, 1600'	
	12		Reels, Flat Steel, 2,000'	
	100		Paper Bands, 100'	
	100		Paper Bands, 1600'	
	1		Label Paste, 1 gal.	

All above items are covered under our deferred payment contract, No. BCD-22427.

As I have called to your attention both in Camden and on the telephone since that time, some of the items scheduled for shipment will not fit into our plans because some of the shipment dates fall too late to meet our needs. They are:

N2	2000'	34	Cable	<i>April - shipped</i>
N6	1000'	75	RG-59U Cable	<i>April</i>

This cable will definitely be needed, not in April as scheduled, but *no change* not later than the second week in March.

Item D3--estimated delivery, April--I would appreciate whatever may be done to insure the delivery of this sound equalizer during the *no change* first week of April.

Item F2---estimated delivery, June--the two Distribution Amplifiers, covered under this delivery schedule, will definitely be needed not *shipped two* later than the first week in April.

Item T27--estimated delivery, April--my primary need for the Monoscope is during spring adjustment and the first few days on the air with test *no change* pattern prior to the time our programing starts. We would appreciate delivery not later than the first week in April.





Mr. John Palmquist

February 20, 1953

As far as I can see now, the above noted items are the only ones that will seriously affect our scheduling. I would certainly appreciate whatever you may be able to do to advance their shipment to the dates indicated. As you are well familiar with our proposed schedule, I would appreciate your checking over the equipment above to determine if any additional items might cause us a delay.

Very truly yours,



Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

cc: Mr. R. J. Raiczky



February 19, 1953

Mr. John Palmquist  
Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear John:

I have received from Neumade Products one SF-34-S 3-1/4" x 4" slide cabinet. I had requested to you that this item be canceled, and had repeated my request to Eddie Miller while we were in Camden. This 3 1/4" x 4" slide file cabinet is of a size that is not needed in any way to handle storage of slides at our station.

I would appreciate instructions as to where this item should be returned for credit to our account.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv



February 19, 1953

Mr. Walter Gilreath  
District Manager  
RCA Service Company, Inc.  
1907-11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Dear Mr. Gilreath:

Thank you for your letter concerning RCA TP-16D Film Projectors. I have been notified by RCA that shipment of my first film camera will be made in the last part of February. The second shipment will be early in March. The Gray Rotary Pedestal Camera Craddles and Multiplexer should be shipped within the next week.

As soon as these items arrive, we will be able to install our film equipment. Our building will be sufficiently progressed by that time to make the installation of this equipment. I will notify you as soon as possible as to the exact dates anticipated.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

February 19, 1963

Mr. J. H. ...  
...  
...  
Dallas, Texas

Dear Mr. ...

I am writing you for better consideration. ...  
I have been notified by RO. ...  
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and ... should be shippe within the next week

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Yours very truly,

Frank ...  
Chief Engineer

4:30

RCA SERVICE COMPANY, INC.

A RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA SUBSIDIARY  
1907-11 MCKINNEY AVENUE  
DALLAS 1, TEXAS



February 11, 1953

Station KCBD  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Gentlemen:

We have been advised that your RCA TP-16D Television Film Projectors, included in your purchase of other Television equipment, have been shipped.

We will assign an engineer out of Dallas Office, RCA Service Company, Inc. to supervise the installation of these projectors whenever you are ready for him. However, we will appreciate as much advance notice as circumstances permit you to give us.

Very truly yours,

RCA SERVICE COMPANY, INC.

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Walter Gilreath".

Walter Gilreath  
District Manager

WG/cp  
cc-K.P. Haywood  
J.L. Seay





February 19, 1953

Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
415 South Fifth Street  
Harrison, New Jersey

Attention: Mr. Harold Vance

Dear Mr. Vance:

We have purchased for use in our new television station a monoscope camera, type TK-1B. Your Camden office informs us that the earliest possible shipping date on this camera is early April. I have advised your Camden office to hold shipment of the standard monoscope tube, normally furnished with the camera, and to substitute for it one of the special monoscope tubes available from you with our call letter identification.

I would appreciate your sending me whatever information I may need in order to select the pattern and the type of identification that we will desire on our monoscope tubes to be built by you.

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

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RC Victor Division  
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Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer

fl:vv

RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



February 17, 1953

Radio Station KCBD  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas  
Attn: Mr. Frank Lee

Dear Sir:

This is in reply to your telephone call regarding shortages in shipment of various items.

We have checked with our shipping department and were told that on 12/29/52 our invoice 522/05799, via Acme Fast Freight, waybill #16169 a total of eleven 580-D Power Supplies were shipped. The serial numbers on the Power Supplies are 6756, 6737, 7714, 7073, 6746, 6731, 6754, 6745, 6729, 6727, 7078. This complete shipment consisted of 90 cartons, 2 wooden boxes, 2 reels, making a total of 94 pieces.

The MI-13253 Wall Baffles for item G-13B and G-33B were shipped on 12/20/52, invoice 515/08067, via Acme Fast Freight, waybill #16169. This shipment was 1 carton and weighed eighteen pounds.

The 3-MI-11007 Microphones, item G12 were shipped on 12/20/52 invoice 515/08056 via Acme Fast Freight, waybill #27046. The Mikes were in a bulk carton weighing eighty-four pounds and their serial numbers were 1986, 2455, 2441. In the same bulk carton were two other microphones bearing serial numbers 2439 and 2484. The items G-13A and G-33A, MI-12418 Speakers were shipped on the same invoice and waybill number. This was a bulk carton weighing 28 pounds. The over-all shipment consisted of 84 cartons, 6 wood cases, and 1 reel totaling 91 pieces.

We suggest you check your bills of lading to see if you received all the pieces on each shipment. It may be that some of your equipment may have been sidetracked enroute.

Please open and check all your packages for correct quantity and if you are still unable to locate the missing items, although we see no reason why you shouldn't have them, let us know and we shall contact Acme.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "R. J. Raiczuk".

R. J. Raiczuk  
Commercial Service



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 16 February 1953, cs 9:30 A TO Mr. John Palmquist  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Dallas  
 PHONE NO 5-6348 PHONE NO Riverside 1371

RCA will refund on all unnecessary air shipments.  
 John will check on items F2, N2 and N4 as well as  
 tower base tolerances allowable by IDECO.



RADIO CORPORATION OF AMERICA

RCA VICTOR DIVISION

CAMDEN 2, NEW JERSEY

ENGINEERING PRODUCTS  
DEPARTMENT



February 13, 1953

Radio Station KCBD  
1803 Broadway  
Lubbock, Texas

Attn: Mr. Frank Lee

Dear Sir:

In response to your phone call and in addition to W. W. Baker's wire attached are estimated deliveries of all items on contract BCD-22427-C.

The antenna has been scheduled for delivery during the second week in March. We have been advised the pole will probably be ready by February 28, but the feed line fabrication and spacer plate fabrication will prevent delivery of the completed antenna until March.

A more complete summary of the film accessory shipments from Neumade Products on 2/3 and 2/5 are as follows:

Shipped on 2/3

16MM Splicer  
Baia Viewer  
Flat Rolls 400', 100'  
1000' White Leader

Shipped on 2/5

T-20 Table  
AS-16 Cement Application Set  
SF-34S Filing Cabinet  
2000' Reels  
1600' Reels

The balance of the items will be shipped within the next two weeks.

The Sideband Filter has been delayed in production for approximately 90 days. We suggest that you approach the FCC for

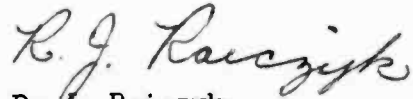




authority to operate your equipment less the Sideband Filter.  
This permission has been granted to others and is not difficult  
to obtain.

If we can be of any further assistance, please feel free to  
write.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "R. J. Raiczyk".

R. J. Raiczyk  
Commercial Service

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Enc.

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Signature

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Station KCBD - BCD-22427-C

<u>Item</u>	<u>Qty</u>	<u>MI</u>	<u>DESCRIPTION</u>	<u>Est. Dely.</u>
A7	1	ES-19216-A	Signal Demodulator	Early Apr.
<u>A4</u>	1	19391-11	25KW Bridge Diplexer	Feb.
A6	1	19199	R.F. Load & Wattmeter	May
C2	1	26567	Chopper Relay	Feb.
C10	1	26915	TG-1A Studio Sync. Generator	Early Mar.
C13	1		Video Dividing Network	(Discontinued)
C15	2	26298	TM-2B Utility Monitors	Feb.
D1	1	26910-B	TK-20C Film Camera	Feb.
D3	1	26313	Sound Equalizers	Apr.
D32	1		Daylight 37" x 50" Screen	Feb.
E4	2	26525-2	Panel	Feb.
E5	2	26525-4	Panel	Feb.
E6	2	26525-6	Panel	Feb.
F2	2	26155	Dist. Amp.	Feb.
F2	2	26155	Dist. Amp.	June
F18	2	26298	TM-2B Utility Monitors	Feb.
<u>F26</u> <i>only</i>	1	26499	TM-30A Monitrans	Feb.
K2	1	30003-A	Grating Generator	Apr.
K3	1	30021-B	Sweep Generator	Mar.
K4	1	26500	524-D Tek's Scope	Mar.
L1Z	2	26546	Call letter panel	Feb.
L2	2	26046-A	Tripods	Jan.
L4	2	26042	Tripod Dollies	Feb.
L5	1	26500-4	8-1/2" Lens	Feb.
L7	1	26610	TL-915 foot candle meter	Feb.
M1i	6	26583-1	Headsets, Double	Feb.
P1	1	26915	TG-1A Sync Generator	Late Apr.
P3	1	26910-B	TK-20C Film Camera	Mar.
P4	1	26052	Gray Rotary Pedestal	2/23
P5	1	26051	Camera Cradle	Feb.
<u>P6</u>	1	26330	Gray Multiplexer	2/13
P7	1	26133	Gray Telop II	2/16
T2	1	26906-A	TK-1B Monoscope Equip.	Apr.
H1 to H15			Transmission Line	Late Feb.
J1	1		Tower	As of 1/26/52 del'y is Mar.
J2	1		Set Lighting equip. CAA Standard A5	Feb.
J3	1		Conduit and wire for de-icer	Feb.
J4			Labor on Tower	Feb.
J5			Labor on antenna	Feb.
D10	1		Fairchild Turntable	Feb.
N2	2000'	34	Cable	Apr.
<del>N4</del> 6	1000'	75	Cable	Apr.
<u>BC-22427-E</u>				
A3	1	ES-19296	TF-12AH Antenna	2nd Wk. Mar.



The symbol WUX appearing in the  
dateline of this and other telegrams means

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TO WESTERN UNION

WHEN TELEGRAPHING REPLY  
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**WUX**

IN PLACE OF STREET ADDRESS  
FOR FASTER SERVICE

# WESTERN UNION

W. P. MARSHALL, PRESIDENT

1201

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FRANK LEE, RADIO STATION KCBD=

1803 BROADWAY LUBBOCK TEX=

RE BCD-22427-C ALL KLEIGLE LIGHTING GEAR ENROUTE, GRAY  
SCHEDULE SHPG PEDESTAL 2-23, 2 PROJ 2-16 MULTIPLEXER 2-13,  
NEWMADE SHPD PARTIAL 2-3 AND 2-5. BALANCE LATE THIS MONTH.  
LETTER FOLLOWING ON LATEST DELIVERY ON OVERALL CONTRACT:

=W W BAKER RCA VICTOR DVN CAMDEN=

56348  
12050  
RK  
[Handwritten initials]

BCD-22427-C 2-23 2 2-16 2-13 2-3 2-5=

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 10 February 1953, cst 2:40 P TO ED TRACY  
FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden, New Jersey\*  
PHONE NO 5-6348 PHONE IN Woodlawn 3-8000

\* Phone call also connected 3 way to Ponkey and Mr.  
Hayden of IDECO, Columbus, Ohio.

Two Kilowatt Transmitter will be shipped in early March.

It will be necessary to secure FCC approval on  
omission of Sideband Filter.

Sync Generator scheduled for delivery March 1.

Film Camera scheduled for delivery late February.

Ponkey and Hayden with IDECO state shipment will begin  
on 16th of March and will be completed by 23rd of  
March. Scheduled erection will begin on 23rd of  
March. Mr. Hayden states there is a possibility  
of one week improvement in shipment. He will  
call us on the 19th and give us a definite date.

CONFIRMATION NØ 10 February 1953 FILE RCA





## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 3 February 1953, cst TO TRACY & PALMQUIST  
 FROM FRANK LEE COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE xxx iv PLACE Camden & Dallas  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE IN Woodlawn 3-8000 & Riverside 1371

Two kilowatt transmitter will be shipped in February within 3 weeks.

Antenna shipment February 28.

Pole and Batwings soon.

Should be able to meet March 15th on the air time.

Everything will be delivered for on the air operation by March 5th.

Reservations made for our trip to Camden at the Ben

Franklin Hotel. Mr. Tracy's home phone and address -

647 Pomona Haddenfield, New Jersey - Phone Haddenfield, 9-8085

Charges for 2 KW Transmitter approxamately \$49,200. 00

for transmitter. \$2,500 for tubes, transportation and installation equipment.



## PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE <sup>Nov<sup>7</sup></sup> 3 February 1953, est TO Lewis  
 FROM FRANK LEE & Joe Bryant COMPANY RCA  
 CHARGE XX IV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO 3-4148 PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

Checking on interim operation equipment.

Two Kilowatt transmitter, 160 foot tower, 6 bay antenna  
 and 1 7/8" transmission line interim planning.

Lewis advised they believed they could locate 6 bay  
 antenna at Bing - Hampton WNBH - price \$8,000.

No film Cameras are in stock or available.

Projectors and one live camera immediately available.

Two kilowatt Transmitter rental \$985 per month, pulse tubes  
 crystals and wiring harness, \$2,587.92.

Two kilowatt Transmitter will not be available until  
 after December 1st. Cost approximately \$2,200 to  
 move antenna from Binghamton to Lubbock.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE	27 January	1953, est	TO	TED SMITH Asst. Gen Mgr.
FROM	FRANK LEE & JOHN PALMQUIST		COMPANY	RCA Victor Div.
CHARGE	XX IV		PLACE	Camden, New Jersey
PHONE NO	3-4148		PHONE NO	Woodlawn 3-8000

Previewed completely with Ted Smith the delay by IDECO  
in the fabrication of our Tower.

Advised him that the February 15th date is completely  
out and IDECO is talking about as early in March  
as possible delivery.



PHONE CALL RECORD

DATE 20 Jan 1953, CST \_\_\_\_\_ TO Henry Duccak  
 FROM Frank Lee COMPANY PCA  
 CHARGE AM TV PLACE Camden  
 PHONE NO \_\_\_\_\_ PHONE NO Woodlawn 3-8000

	check on racks -			
✓	1	MI-4597-A Blank Panel 14"	8.50	
✓	1	MI-26253, Blank Panel 11x2 <sup>5</sup> / <sub>8</sub> " Remote Control	3.75	
✓	1	MI-26525-2 Blank Recessed Chassis 3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>32</sub> "	9.65	
✓	1	MI-26525-3 Blank Recessed Chassis 5 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>32</sub> "	10.10	
✓	1	MI-21457-B Chassis Trim Cover. @ 7.25	7.25	
✓	1	MI-4593-A Blank Panel 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	6.25	
✓	1	MI 26525-4 Blank Chassis 6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>32</sub>	10.65	
✓	2	MI 26764-3 Circuit Breaker 40 A @ 14.00	28.00	
✓	2	MI 4568 Power Blocks @ 5.25	10.50	
X	2	MI-26759-23 Cable Connector @ 13.20	26.40	15.84
X	2	MI-26759-24 Cable Connector @ 18.00	36.00	16.90
✓	130'	MI-94D Camera Cable @ 1.90	247.00	
✓	60'	MI-82 Cable 1 <sup>7</sup> / <sub>4</sub> -7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>8</sub> Film Camera Control @ .52	31.20	
	2	Jones 6 prong top hole female, cable apr	4.00	
	2	Jones 6 prong side hole male, cable apr	4.00	
	2	Jones 8 prong side hole female cable apr	4.00	
	350'	MI-43B @ .19	57.00	504.25
	1	Attenuator Master Pot # 94137		
✓	5	MI-19118 Coax Bridging Plug @ 5.50	27.50	

2 LK-R24C-23-7/8 T' @ 7.92

2 LK-R24C-24-7/8 T' @ 8.45



January 10, 1953

Radio Corporation of America  
RCA Victor Division  
1907 - 11 McKinney Avenue  
Dallas 1, Texas

Attention: Mr. John F. Palmquist, RCA Representative

Dear John:

Please accept our firm order for the following items of Neumade equipment for our firm projection and editing rooms. These items are being purchased direct from you in order that they may be included under our deferred payment contract, BCD 22427--C. I, of course, would appreciate all efforts that can be made to secure as fast a delivery on these items as possible.

QUANTITY	ITEM	UNIT PRICE	TOTAL
1	RK--200 Rock		\$147.50
1	RK-16 Length 3'	@ 5.25/ ft.	15.75
1	SF-5 Cabinet		49.50
1	CL--16 Neuvator		375.00
1	CL--16 Neuvator Stand		37.50
1	Renovene, 5 gallons		40.00
1 doz	Squeegees		1.65
1 doz.	Polishing Rolls		4.50
2	RTT-3 Roller Truck	@ 45.00	90.00
1	T16-L Neulite Table		149.50
2	CB-2 Barrel	@ 16.50	33.00
1	HM-3 Flange (Square Shaft)		9.00
1	DAF--26 Flange (Square Shaft)		22.50
2	FH-16 Horse	@ 7.50	15.00
1	R-3 Griswald Splicers		29.50
2	V <sub>2</sub> Notcher	@ 9.00	18.00
2	A -16 Applicator Set	@ 3.75	7.50
2	Cement Bottles	@ .30	.60
1 doz.	Cement Brushes		.60
1	Film Cement, Quart		4.00
1	Neuscale		1.00
1	PD-1 Motor Rewind Assembly		115.00

Now -NBC  
XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX



Radio Corporation of America

January 10, 1953

Quantity	Item	Unit Price	Total
1	RW-1-MF Rewinds, 2 geared ends, Pair		24.00
12	Reels, Plastic, 400 ft. @	.60	7.20
12	Reels, flat steel, 1200 ft.	3.75	45.00
12	Reels, flat steel, 1600 ft.	4.25	51.00
12	Reels, flat steel, 2000 ft.	5.25	63.00
100	Ppaer Bands, 400 ft.		4.50
100	Paper Bands, 1600 ft.		5.25
1	Label Paste, 1 gal.		1.65

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KCBD-TV

January 10, 1944

Radio Corporation of America

Total	Unit Price	Item	Quantity
34.00		2W-1-WF Reelbands, 2 gears	
1.25		ends, 1 in	
42.75		heels, elastic, 400 ft.	
21.00		heels, flat steel, 1200 ft.	
40.00		heels, flat steel, 1600 ft.	
4.50		heels, flat steel, 2000 ft.	
7.25		Spacer Bands, 400 ft.	
1.00		Spacer Bands, 1600 ft.	
		Spacer Bands, 1 cal.	

Yours very truly,

Frank Lee  
Chief Engineer  
KRP-IV

# Special fittings

2 - adaptors  $3\frac{1}{8}$ " to  $1\frac{5}{8}$ " non flanged

4 - end plates  $3\frac{1}{8}$ " flanged

4 - Spring hangers (See clamps)

1 - Swivel " " "

6 - wires cable -

$1\frac{5}{8}$ " - 51.5  $\Omega$  non flanged

4 - long elbows

9 - couplings

4 - bullets

3 - clamps

$8\frac{1}{2}$ " - wires cable

line -  
1 - 7'  
2 - 5" sic  
1 -  $11\frac{1}{2}$ " sic  
1 - 12" sic  
1 - 10' complete  
1 - 20' "  
1 - 8'6" Spec inner cond.

$1\frac{1}{8}$ " - 51.5  $\Omega$  non flanged

2 - long elbows

4 - couplings

2 - mitre elbows No 19113-18mf

8 - clamps

line  
1 - 13" sic  
2 - 20' complete  
1 - 14' outer only  
1 - 12' complete  
1 - 20' inner only  
1 - 8' Spec. inner cond.  
1 - 3' inner only

1 - 5" } outer only  
1 -  $6\frac{1}{2}$ " }  
1 -  $11\frac{1}{4}$ " }  
1 - 14" }

RADIO STATION **KCBO**

Adv. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_

Written by \_\_\_\_\_

3 1/2 - 51.5  $\Omega$  flanged (all fittings less O rings)  
and line

3 - Swivel elbows - miter - Ni 19113-18

2 - " " " " " damaged

4 - Swivel elbows - long Ni 19113-3

line

2 - 12" sections line -

1 - 48" swivel flanged outer line

1 - 10'-6" " " " "

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3 1/2 - 50  $\Omega$  flanged (all fittings and line less O rings)

1 bullet

6 - 20' sections line -

1 - 2' inner only -

RADIO STATION **KCBB**

Adv. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_

Written by \_\_\_\_\_



Feed lines —

3 - new

3 - slightly damaged

1 - excessively "

RADIO STATION **KCBO**

Adv. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

Approved by \_\_\_\_\_

Written by \_\_\_\_\_

KCBD-TV signed on in  
May of 1953; 2nd station  
in their town. Both  
started w/ temp facilities.  
ch 13 KDUB-TV put equipment  
on roof of downtown bank.  
Low Power/Low height/Small  
town.

KCBD built their tall  
tower [same as today] but  
started w/ a Rented  
2Kw Xmitr. Once their  
10kw rig arrived, the  
2Kw went to Shreveport to  
start KSLA-TV.

Folder Contains Notes  
of a local C.E.  
getting a new station  
running. A few real  
hard problems, lots of  
the mundane.