## **WBKN**

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GERALD HOWELL, MGR.

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April 10, 1959

Mr. Ernest R. Cooper National Radio Glub 438 E. 21st St. Brooklyn 26, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

Thank you so much for your letter of March 2, 1959, and we are pleased to verify your reception report of Radio Station WBKN Frequency Check Program last March 2, 1959 from 1:00 till 1:15 A. M. C. S. T.

We began operation here on WBKN on March 15, 1958, after the station operating as WEGA had been off the air for approximately 6 months. We came here from Hattiesburg, Miss. and the station there is WBKH, the H for Hattiesburg. The same men owned this station so they just changed the last letter or WBKN and the N is for Newton. Since we have been here, the station has changed hands again but we are still with it and have a thriving little business. Mr. Leo Burns of Lake, Miss. bought it on November 1, 1959 with approval coming from FCC on January 1, 1959.

Gerald Howell, is manager here and  ${\mathbb I}$ , his wife, am secretary.

We sure do thank you for your interest and are so sorry for the delay in answering your letter.

Best wishes.

Yours very truly,

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