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NATIONAL DEFENSE ON K O A C

(Editor's Note: This is the seventh in a series of articles on National Defense programs being presented by educational broadcasting stations.)

As the official voice of the State of Oregon, KOAC recognizes the fact that the state and nation are engaged in the job of preparing America for national defense. Through cooperation with defense agencies, KOAC strives to keep Oregonians in touch with progress of the program and shares its facilities in the present emergency.

Programs built by the KOAC staff or developed cooperatively with patriotic and defense agencies are presented each week day. (KOAC is silent on Sunday.) In addition, a liberal use is made of announcements and transcribed spots issued from various governmental agencies.

As many other stations, in the early days of the emergency program, KOAC broadcast many live spots, one month totaling more than 150 of them in addition to nine 15-minute transcriptions, five 5-minute transcriptions, a rebroadcast of a nation-wide address of President Roosevelt, and a half-hour remote from a temporary army encampment on Coleman Field, Corvallis.

The trend now is a greater use of transcribed programs as well as definite use of the theme of preparedness and defense in many programs of music, news, and regularly scheduled service features for farm, home, and business.

In Defense of America is the title given a daily 15-minute broadcast featuring on Mondays (3:15 p.m.) a United States Navy representative in person; on Tuesdays (9:45 p.m.) an Army script; on Thursday (3:15 p.m.) a United States Army representative in person; on Friday (9:30 p.m.) a United States Marine Corps transcription, and on Tuesday and Saturday (5:30 p.m.) programs built up from timely information provided by the Oregon State Defense Council, the National Association of Broadcasters, Office of Emergency Management, the United States Treasury, and others.

KOAC School of the Air programs (school days 11:00-11:20 a.m.)

THE WORLD IN REVIEW, A REGULAR MONDAY EVENING (8:15 P.M.) FEATURE FROM THE KOAC STUDIOS AT THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, IS AN UNBIASED COMMENTARY BY VICTOR P. MORRIS, HEAD OF THE SCHOOL OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, PROFESSOR OF ECONOMICS, AND A SPEAKER ON WORLD AFFAIRS WHO IS IN GREAT DEMAND BY OREGON AUDIENCES.


WORLD PROBLEMS IS A BI-MONTHLY RADIO STUDY CLUB SERIES (2ND AND 4TH WEDNESDAY AT 2:30 P.M.) DEALING IMPERSONALLY WITH CURRENT WORLD AFFAIRS AND PROBLEMS, PRESENTED UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE OREGON DIVISION OF THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY WOMEN THROUGH ITS STATE RADIO CHAIRMAN, MRS. D. W. DENSMOOR OF ALBANY. LISTENING GROUPS IN MANY PARTS OF THE STATE MEET, HEAR THE BROADCAST, DISCUSS IT, AND SEND IN REPORTS ON THESE PROGRAMS BY DR. MORRIS AND BY DR. HAROLD J. NOBLE, KOREAN-BORN AMERICAN, WHO HAS SPENT 22 YEARS IN THE FAR EAST, WRITER, LECTURER, AND ASSOCIATED PROFESSOR OF HISTORY AT THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON.

PERIODICAL PROGRAMS BY THE AMERICAN Legion, VETERANS OF FOREIGN WARS, AND THE DISABLED AMERICAN Veterans, ALSO STRESS NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS AND DEFENSE, AS DO LIVE SPOT ANNOUNCEMENTS AND MISCELLANEOUS TRANSCRIBED FEATURES SCHEDULED THROUGH THE RED CROSS AND POPPY SALES REPRESENTATIVES.

PRESIDENTIAL TALKS AND OTHER IMPORTANT NATIONAL DEFENSE FEATURES SUCH AS THE HOUR-LONG BILL OF RIGHTS PROGRAM, ARE REBROADCAST BY KOAC THROUGH THE COURTESY OF KWIL OF ALBANY, MUTUAL DON LEE REPRESENTATIVE OF THE PACIFIC BROADCASTING COMPANY.

I'M AN AMERICAN, AN ELECTRICALLY TRANSCRIBED PROGRAM FROM THE UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE, IS ON KOAC'S CURRENT SCHEDULE. CONSIDERED IS FREEDOM'S PEOPLE, A TRANSCRIPTION AVAILABLE THROUGH THE EDUCATIONAL SCRIPT EXCHANGE. BOTH ARE SUBTLE AIDS IN THE TOTAL DEFENSE PICTURE.

NOON AND EVENING FAR HOURS (DAILY) AND THE DAILY HOMEMAKER'S HOUR
(10:15-11:00 A.M.) ARE HIGHLY FLAVORED WITH NATIONAL DEFENSE BY CONSTANT AND JUDICIOUS WEAVING OF MATERIAL INTO THE PROGRAMS, AND THROUGH SPECIAL GUEST SPEAKERS SUCH AS DR. HELEN MITCHELL, NATIONAL NUTRITIONIST OF WASHINGTON, D. C., AND DEAN AVA B. MILAM, CHAIRMAN OF THE OREGON COMMITTEE ON NUTRITION FOR DEFENSE.

KWSC'S CONTRIBUTIONS TO NATIONAL DEFENSE


KWSC HAS BEEN DOING ITS PART WITH POSITIVE CONTRIBUTIONS AS WELL AS SACRIFICES. KENNETH YEEND, STATION DIRECTOR, BELIEVES THAT HIGH QUALITY IN DEFENSE PROGRAMS IS MORE DESIRABLE THAN QUANTITY. A DISCRIMINATE SELECTION OF PROGRAMS HAS BEEN MADE. VARIOUS INTEREST GROUPS ARE BEING REACHED WITH FEATURES WHICH ATTRACT LARGE FOLLOWINGS BECAUSE OF THEIR INTRINSIC ENTERTAINMENT AND EDUCATIONAL VALUES.

BELIEVING THAT INFORMATION IS THE FIRST AND MOST IMPORTANT DEFENSE DUTY OF RADIO, KWSC MAKES FULL USE OF ITS UNITED PRESS SERVICE AND OTHER NEWS SOURCES. SIX QUARTER-HOUR NEWSCASTS ARE SCHEDULED DAILY. IMPORTANT NEWS BULLETINS ARE RELEASED AS THEY ARE RECEIVED. WAR COMMENTARY, A WELL-WRITTEN FIVE-MINUTE NEWS ANALYSIS BY JAMES F. MCCCLINCY, IS HEARD EACH DAY. HIGHLIGHTS OF THE WEEK IN REVIEW AND THE WEEK'S NEWS ARE FIFTEEN MINUTE NEWS SumMARIES PRESENTED ON MONDAY AND SATURDAY RESPECTIVELY.

SEVERAL SCHEDULED DEFENSE PROGRAMS ARE KWSC SCHOOL OF THE AIR FEATURES FOR OUT-OF-SCHOOL LISTENING. SCHOOL CHILDREN CERTAINLY SHOULD BE ACQUAINTED WITH INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS AND DOMESTIC DEFENSE EFFORTS. THE COLLEGE OF THE AIR HAS ADOPTED OTHER OF THE DEFENSE SHOWS, THOSE DESIGNED PRIMARILY FOR AN ADULT AUDIENCE. INCLUDED IN THIS GROUP ARE THREE PROGRAMS WHICH PRESENT VARIOUS VIEWPOINTS ON CONTROVERSIAL QUESTIONS AS WELL AS INFORMATION AND EXPERT ANALYSIS OF CURRENT AFFAIRS. THE FIRST OF THESE IS FACULTY FORUM, HEARD FOR A HALF HOUR EACH TUESDAY EVENING. THE PROGRAM IS PRODUCED BY ALLEN MILLER, FORMERLY WITH THE UNIVERSITY BROADCASTING COUNCIL AND THE ORIGINATOR OF THE CHICAGO ROUND-TABLE. EACH WEEK MR. MILLER, NOW IN CHARGE OF PRODUCTION AT KWSC, BRINGS THREE FACULTY MEMBERS TO THE MICROPHONE TO DISCUSS VARIOUS ASPECTS OF CURRENT AFFAIRS AS RELATED TO NATIONAL DEFENSE.

ANOTHER DISCUSSION FEATURE UTILIZING A UNIQUE METHOD OF PRESENTATION

"IN THE AMERICAN TRADITION OF FREEDOM OF SPEECH, THE FOUNDATION ACTS AS HOST, WITHOUT PREJUDICE OR FAVOR, TO SPEAKERS OF ALL SHADES OF POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC THOUGHT."


I AM AN AMERICAN IS THE STORY OF NATURALIZED CITIZENS. EACH WEEK A DIFFERENT NATIVE OF ANOTHER LAND COMES BEFORE THE MICROPHONE TO TELL HIS INTERVIEWER AND THE AUDIENCE WHY HE IS GLAD TO BE ABLE TO SAY, "I AM AN AMERICAN." MANY FAMOUS MEN AND WOMEN HAVE APPEARED ON THE PROGRAM—LEADERS IN VARIOUS FIELDS. FIRST HEARD ON KWSC DURING THE SUMMER OF 1940, THE FEATURE IS TRANSCRIBED.

THE STORY OF OUR FREEDOM IS HEARD IN WEEKLY QUARTER HOUR DRAMATIZATIONS IN THE SERIES LEST WE FORGET. A KWSC SCHOOL OF THE AIR FEATURE FOR OUT-OF-SCHOOL LISTENING, THIS SEMESTER'S SERIES IS ABOUT THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED STATES. IMPORTANT STEPS LEADING TOWARD THE CONSTITUTION, FROM THE MAGNA CARTA TO THE CONSTITUTIONAL CONVENTION, HAVE BEEN DRAMATIZED AND TRANSCRIBED.

AN INTERESTING FIVE MINUTE PROGRAM PREPARED BY THE OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT IS PRESENTED WEEKLY ON KWSC. BUILDING FOR DEFENSE REVEALS MANY FACTS ABOUT PRESENT PROGRESS IN DEFENSE WORK AND THE DEFENSE EFFORTS OF DIFFERENT GROUPS OF AMERICANS.

THE U. S. WAR DEPARTMENT PRESENTS A FIFTEEN MINUTE PROGRAM EACH SATURDAY EVENINGS. THE ARMY BAND IS FEATURED, TOGETHER WITH VARIETY, DRAMATIZATIONS, AND BRIEF INTERVIEWS ABOUT BRANCHES OF THE SERVICE. THE SHOW IS ENTERTAINING AND INFORMATIVE.

AN ESPECIALLY INTERESTING DEFENSE SERVICE OF THE STATE COLLEGE OF WASHINGTON RADIO SERVICE IS RELATED TO THE FARM AND HOMEMAKER PROGRAMS. LOCATED IN AN AGRICULTURAL AREA, KWSC HAS LONG SERVED A LARGE RURAL AUDIENCE. THE AGRICULTURE EXTENSION SERVICE, COLLEGE AGRICULTURE AND AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION HAVE A PART IN THE
PRESENTATION OF FIVE DAILY PROGRAMS. THREE--EARLY MORNING, NOON AND EVENING--bring the FARMER NEWS, ENTERTAINMENT AND INFORMATION. TWO PROGRAMS FOR HOMEMAKERS ARE PRESENTED DAILY--MORNING AND AFTERNOON. ON EACH OF THESE FARM AND HOME BROADCASTS A GREAT DEAL OF MATERIAL RELATED TO DEFENSE IS PRESENTED. THE PLACE OF THE FARMER IN DEFENSE IS IMPORTANT; KWSC HAS RECOGNIZED THIS FACE AND DEVOTES A CONSIDERABLE AMOUNT OF ATTENTION TO SHOWING FARM PEOPLE HOW THEY CAN HELP WITH GREATER PRODUCTION. THE WORK IN MAKING THE PUBLIC CONSCIOUS OF THE NEED OF INCREASED FARM PRODUCTION IS CARRIED BEYOND THE ACTUAL KWSC BROADCASTING. PUBLICITY AND INFORMATION IN PRINTED FORM IS RELEASED TO RADIO STATIONS AND NEWS SOURCES ALL OVER THE STATE.

TWO PROGRAMS PROMOTED BY THE AGRICULTURAL EXTENSION SERVICE ARE ESPECIALLY DIRECTED TOWARD DEFENSE WORK. FOOD FOR FREEDOM, A WEEKLY QUARTER HOUR BROADCAST BY THE AGRICULTURAL ADJUSTMENT ADMINISTRATION, FEATURES AN INTERVIEW AND A SHORT TRANSCRIBED "REPORT OF AN OFFICIAL OBSERVER IN ENGLAND ON THE WAR OF FOOD."

THE OTHER SPECIAL PROGRAM IS FOR HOMEMAKERS. MISS VELMA PHILLIPS, DEAN OF THE COLLEGE OF HOME ECONOMICS AT W. S. C. IS THE STATE CHAIRMAN OF THE COMMITTEE ON NUTRITION FOR DEFENSE AND IS PROMOTING THE SERIES. OUR DAILY MEALS IS DESIGNED TO FURTHER PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE OF FOOD, ESPECIALLY AS IT IS RELATED TO DEFENSE NEEDS. THE ASSISTANCE AFFORDED THE HOUSEWIFE IN HER DAILY PREPARATION OF MEALS GIVES THE PROGRAM IMMEDIATE APPEAL.

IN ADDITION TO ITS FULL SCHEDULE OF DEFENSE PROGRAMS, KWSC IS COOPERATING WITH A NUMBER OF DEFENSE AGENCIES BY AIRING NUMEROUS TRANSCRIBED SPOT ANNOUNCEMENTS. SPOTS FOR DEFENSE SAVING, U. S. ARMY, U. S. NAVY, MARINE CORPS, COAST GUARD, N. A. B. MANPOWER, COAL FOR DEFENSE, AND U. S. O. ARE AMONG THOSE USED.

KOAC SCHOOL OF THE AIR

A FIVE YEAR STUDY BY LEADING EDUCATORS RECENTLY MADE PUBLIC BY THE EDUCATIONAL POLICIES COMMISSION OF THE NATIONAL EDUCATIONAL POLICIES COMMISSION OF THE NATIONAL EDUCATION ASSOCIATION AND THE AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF SCHOOL ADMINISTRATORS, PRESENTS A PROGRAM OF POLICY AND ACTION TO EDUCATE THE CHILDREN OF AMERICA FOR GUARDIANSHIP AND DEVELOPMENT OF A FREE SOCIETY. IT HAS LONG BEEN REALIZED BY LEADING EDUCATORS AND PSYCHOLOGISTS THAT A LASTING DEMOCRACY MUST HAVE ITS ROOTS IN THE PUBLIC SCHOOLS. FUTURE GENERATIONS MUST HAVE THE SAME DEMOCRATIC IDEALISM AS THE FOUNDING FATHERS IF DEMOCRACY IS TO FLOURISH. TO ACCOMPLISH THIS REQUIRES THE INDOCTRINATION OF THE PRINCIPLES OF DEMOCRACY WITHIN THE REGULAR CURRICULUM OF THE PUBLIC SCHOOL SYSTEM.

IN KEEPING WITH THIS POLICY, THE KOAC SCHOOL OF THE AIR HAS TAKEN AS ITS THEME, "THE AMERICAN CHILD IN A WORKING DEMOCRACY."
PURPOSE IS TO TEACH THE PUPIL TO INTERPRET AND EXPRESS THE VALUES OF DEMOCRACY—VALUES WHICH MUST BE CRYSTALLIZED IN THE MIND OF THE CHILD IF THEY ARE TO FUNCTION IN THE LIFE OF THE ADULT.

DIRECTLY IN LINE WITH THE THEME ARE PROGRAMS OF DEMOCRACY, WORLD HISTORY AND GEOGRAPHY, ART, MUSIC, CURRENT EVENTS, LITERATURE, CIVICS, AND HEALTH.


"THE AMERICAN WAY", ANOTHER SERIES OF WEEKLY BROADCASTS WILL PRESENT THE PERSONAL OBSERVATIONS OF TWO WIDELY TRAVELLED MEMBERS OF THE OREGON STATE COLLEGE FACULTY; DR. F. A. MAGRUDER, PROFESSOR OF POLITICAL SCIENCE AND WIDELY RECOGNIZED HIGH SCHOOL TEXT BOOK AUTHOR, WILL ALTERNATE WITH PROFESSOR J. LLOYD LEMASTER, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR OF BUSINESS ADMINISTRATION, IN BRINGING VIVID ILLUSTRATIONS OF THE CONTRAST BETWEEN LIVING IN "THE AMERICAN WAY", AND LIVING UNDER FOREIGN FLAGS, WITH AN EMPHASIS PLACED ON WHAT IS EXPECTED BY BOYS AND GIRLS IN OTHER COUNTRIES.

"MUSIC FOR MORALE", IS THE TEXT OF A PROGRAM TO BE BROADCAST WEDNESDAY AFTERNOONS FROM THE EUGENE STUDIOS OF KOAC. MISS MAUDE GARNETT, HEAD OF THE DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SCHOOL MUSIC AT THE UNIVERSITY OF OREGON, IS PLANNING WHAT IS PROBABLY ONE OF THE MOST UNIQUE MUSIC PROGRAMS EVER TO BE BROADCAST TO PUBLIC SCHOOLS. THE SERIES IS DESIGNED FOR THE ONE-ROOM SCHOOL, AND TO FACILITATE THE PLACING OF THE PROGRAM, AN ENTIRE ONE-ROOM SCHOOL WILL BE BROUGHT INTO THE STUDIOS AS AN AUDIENCE AND TO PARTICIPATE IN THE PROGRAMS IN THE SAME MANNER AS WILL CLASSROOMS TUNED INTO THE BROADCAST. MISS GARNETT'S PROGRAM THEORY IS THAT LEARNING TO HEAR AND EXPRESS MUSIC IS FAR MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE ABILITY TO "SEE" MUSIC. HENCE, THE TECHNICAL SIDE OF MUSIC WITH ITS DRILLS ON STAFF SIGNS AND KEY SIGNATURES WILL BE IGNORED IN FAVOR OF WHAT MISS GARNETT TERMS, "ACTIVE" MUSIC.

MRS. J. W. McINTURFF, PRESIDENT OF THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY OF
Oregon, states, "Do you recall how we used to sing during 1917 and 1918? Music was a morale builder then, and it is no less of a morale builder today." Music for Morale—that is the slogan which makes this program a vital factor in realizing the KOAC School of the Air theme, "The American Child in a Making Democracy."

Every day those of us in the United States come to realize more the importance of our South American neighbors. The American child should become as conversant with the Latin American culture as he is with the culture of Old Europe. As this is vital in achieving Pan-American understanding and solidarity. Mrs. Marie Ring Erickson, professor of art at the Oregon College of Education, has made an extensive research to compile a list of visual materials to be used in the classroom as supplementary aids to a weekly program of Pan American Art. Mrs. Erickson will personally conduct the series.

With world affairs moving as rapidly as they are today, it is not difficult for adults to keep abreast of the time, but it is a near impossibility for children to realize how world-shaking events will effect them. The ordinary news broadcast moves too swiftly, is too full of large words not yet included in elementary vocabularies, and shifts from Europe to Asia and back to America in such rapid succession, that it is far beyond the comprehension of children.

Because a knowledge of current events is important in the understanding of democracy, the KOAC School of the Air presents a summary of weekly events in a pictorial style that is simple enough to be understood by students in the intermediate grades. That this type of broadcast is achieving the desired result is evidenced by a typical letter received from the teacher of a one-room school near Albany, Mrs. I. H. Vanderpool:

"I feel that the news broadcast is very outstanding," says Mrs. Vanderpool, "it does more to keep up interest in current events in our school than any other source."

Other highlights of the KOAC School of the Air broadcasts include a program on child reading, directed by Miss Marcella Hillgen, children's librarian in the Corvallis Public Library. Along with attractively told stories, Miss Hillgen gives parents tips on child reading, with special attention placed on books that emphasize democratic living.

Miss Dora B. Sheffsky, supervisor of the 6th grade in the Monmouth Training School, is producing a group of interview programs and short dramatizations on the theme of safety and health, both of which are essential to democracy.
COMMUNITY OFFICIALS FROM HIGH STATE OFFICERS TO LOCAL BUILDING INSPECTORS, HAVE BEEN INTERVIEWED ON THE WEEKLY "THIS; OUR COMMUNITY" PROGRAM, PREPARED FOR CIVICS CLASSES. TWO YOUTHFUL INTERVIEWERS FROM THE CORVALLIS JUNIOR HIGH SCHOOL HAVE CONDUCTED THE PROGRAMS, THE PURPOSE BEING TO CREATE A VIVID PICTURE IN THE STUDENT LISTENER'S MIND OF HOW THE VARIOUS PHASES OF COMMUNITY LIFE RELATE TO HIM.

"AIR UNIVERSITY" FORMED IN CONNECTICUT VALLEY

AN "AIR UNIVERSITY" COMPOSED OF FIVE CONNECTICUT VALLEY COLLEGES AND THREE COOPERATING NEW ENGLAND RADIO STATIONS, OFFICIALLY TOOK FORM LAST MONTH WITH THE OBJECT OF IMPROVING EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMS ORIGINATED BY MEMBERS, AND OF SPONSORING PROGRAM SERIES DRAWING JOINTLY UPON THE RESOURCES OF THE INSTITUTIONS REPRESENTED.

THE GROUP, TO BE KNOWN AS THE EDUCATIONAL RADIO COUNCIL, INCLUDES AMHERST COLLEGE, MASSACHUSETTS STATE COLLEGE, MOUNT HOLYOKE COLLEGE, SMITH COLLEGE, SPRINGFIELD COLLEGE, AND RADIO STATIONS WSPR IN SPRINGFIELD, WHYN IN HOLYOKE, AND WAI IN GREENFIELD. STATEON WBK IN PITTSFIELD HAS BEEN INVITED TO COOPERATE AND WILL ENTER UPON LATER MEETINGS OF THE COUNCIL.

FRANCIS C. PRAY, OF MASSACHUSETTS STATE COLLEGE, IS CHAIRMAN OF THE COUNCIL, AND ANNE WILDER OF MOUNT HOLYOKE IS SECRETARY.

AN EXPERIMENTAL JOINT PROGRAM ON SCIENCE IN DEFENSE IS NOW BEING PLANNED BY THE COUNCIL WITH MEMBER COLLEGES HANDLING VARIOUS PHASES OF THE SUBJECT.

RECORDINGS OF PROGRAMS IN THIS FIRST SERIES WILL BE MADE BY EACH COLLEGE. UPON COMPLETION OF THE SERIES LATE IN DECEMBER, THE COUNCIL WILL MEET IN CLOSED SESSION AND PLAY BACK THE TRANSCRIBED PROGRAMS WHILE RADIO EXPERTS AND COLLEGE REPRESENTATIVES CRITICIZE THEM IN THE LIGHT OF THEIR EFFECTIVENESS IN THE SERIES.

OHIO INSTITUTE, MAY 3-6

THE THIRTEENTH INSTITUTE FOR EDUCATION BY RADIO, THE NATIONAL CONFERENCE OF BROADCASTERS AND EDUCATORS, MEETING UNDER THE AUSPICES OF OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY WILL BE HELD AT THE DESHLER-WALLICK HOTEL, COLUMBUS, OHIO, SUNDAY THROUGH WEDNESDAY, MAY 3-6, 1942, IT WAS ANNOUNCED NOVEMBER 27 BY I. KEITH TYLER, DIRECTOR OF THE INSTITUTE.

START NOW TO RECORD PROGRAMS FOR ENTERING IN THE SIXTH AMERICAN EXHIBITION OF EDUCATIONAL RADIO PROGRAMS. SPECIFICATIONS AND ENTRY BLANKS WILL BE AVAILABLE DECEMBER 15; CLOSING DATE FOR ENTRIES MARCH 15.

MICHIGAN ON W45D (F.M.)

PALMER E. FRY, W45D, REPORTS THAT THE DETROIT FM STATION IS CARRYING
PROGRAMS ORIGINATING ON THE UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN CAMPUS, WHERE WALDO ABBOTT HOLDS FORTH. ACCORDING TO THE ARRANGEMENTS W45D IS TO HAVE THE PROGRAMS FOR FIVE EXCLUSIVELY FOR ONE YEAR. HERE'S A SAMPLE DAILY PROGRAM FOR A WEEK:

**MONDAY** - 3:30 - 4:00 ... Fold songs and folk tales
**TUESDAY** - 11:15 - 12:45 ... University Choir
7:00 - 7:15 ... The World Today: News Comments by Prof. R. H. McDowell
7:15 - 7:30 ... Faculty and students of the School of Music

**WEDNESDAY** 5:00 - 5:30 ... Fries Memorial
**THURSDAY** 3:30 - 4:00 ... Madrigal Singers
7:00 - 7:15 ... Sports and Health
7:15 - 7:30 ... Faculty from University School of Music

**FRIDAY** 3:30 - 4:00 ... University Symphony Orchestra

**WNYC BEGINS SERIES ON "CRIMINAL LAW ENFORCEMENT"**

FOR THE SECOND SUCCESSIVE YEAR, WNYC, NEW YORK CITY'S OWN STATION IS BROADCASTING THE CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION LECTURES ON "CRIMINAL LAW ENFORCEMENT" IN NEW YORK CITY. THE PROGRAMS, BROADCAST FROM THE AUDITORIUM OF METROPOLITAN VOCATIONAL HIGH SCHOOL IN MANHATTAN ARE ON THE AIR EACH WEDNESDAY.

RADIO DEPENDS ON THE LISTENER'S ABILITY TO UNDERSTAND AND FOLLOW WHAT HE'S HEARING. NEXT SATURDAY, DECEMBER 6, WNYC, NEW YORK CITY'S OWN STATION, IS GOING TO START A WEEKLY TEST OF THAT ABILITY. THE MEDIUM IS A NEW PROGRAM CALLED "HOW WELL DO YOU LISTEN?" IT WILL BE HEARD EACH SATURDAY, FROM 5:30 TO 6:00 P.M.

IT'S A QUIZ SHOW--THE CITY STATION'S SECOND (THE OTHER IS THE MUSICAL SYMPHONIC VARIETIES ON SUNDAYS) WITH A TEAM OF CONTESTANTS LISTENING TO DESCRIPTIONS OF HYPOTHETICAL SITUATIONS. THEY ARE THEN PRESENTED WITH A SERIES OF ALTERNATIVE SOLUTIONS WITH THE CORRECT ANSWER BASED ON THE DESCRIPTIONS WHICH WERE READ TO THEM.

**"LEGALLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE"Defined**

RULES GOVERNING POLITICAL BROADCASTS HAVE BEEN CLARIFIED BY THE FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION SO AS TO DEFINE A "LEGALLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE." THIS IS PURSUANT TO SECTION 318 OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT WHICH READS:

"IF ANY LICENSEE SHALL PERMIT ANY PERSON WHO IS A LEGALLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE FOR ANY PUBLIC OFFICE TO USE A BROADCASTING STATION, HE SHALL EFFORT EQUAL OP-
PORTUNITIES TO ALL OTHER SUCH CANDIDATES FOR THAT OFFICE IN THE USE OF SUCH BROADCASTING STATION; AND THE COMMISSION SHALL MAKE RULES AND REGULATIONS TO CARRY THIS PROVISION INTO EFFECT: PROVIDED, THAT SUCH LICENSEE SHALL HAVE NO POWER OF CENSORSHIP OVER THE MATERIAL BROADCAST UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THIS SECTION. NO OBLIGATION IS HEREBY IMPOSED UPON ANY LICENSEE TO ALLOW THE USE OF ITS STATION BY ANY SUCH CANDIDATE.

IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THIS SECTION DOES NOT IMPOSE UPON RADIO STATION LICENSEES THE OBLIGATION TO GIVE OR SELL TIME TO ANY CANDIDATE FOR PUBLIC OFFICE FOR THE SAME OFFICE. IN THAT EVENT, THE STATION MUST THEN PROVIDE EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES TO ALL OTHER SUCH CANDIDATES FOR THAT OFFICE.

A PERSON WHOSE NAME IS NOT INCLUDED ON THE PRINTED BALLOT, BUT POSSESSES THE REQUISITE LEGAL QUALIFICATIONS TO HOLD THAT PARTICULAR OFFICE, IS A "LEGALLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE" WITHIN THE MEANING OF THIS SECTION OF THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT AND THE COMMISSION'S RELATED RULES. THE NAMES OF SUCH PERSONS CAN BE WRITTEN IN BY VOTERS AND A VALID ELECTION RESULT. IT IS EVIDENT THAT SECTION 315 SHOULD BE CONSTRUED ALSO TO INCLUDE CANDIDATES FOR NOMINATION FOR OFFICE WHERE THE NAMES OF CANDIDATES ARE NOT REQUIRED ON PRINTED BALLOTS.

IN CONSEQUENCE, THE COMMISSION HAS CHANGED SECTION 3.422 OF ITS RULES TO DEFINE A "LEGALLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE" AS FOLLOWS:

"A 'LEGALLY QUALIFIED CANDIDATE' MEANS ANY PERSON WHO HAS PUBLICLY ANNOUNCED THAT HE IS A CANDIDATE FOR NOMINATION BY A CONVENTION OF A POLITICAL PARTY OR FOR NOMINATION OR ELECTION IN A PRIMARY, SPECIAL, OR GENERAL ELECTION, MUNICIPAL, COUNTY, STATE OR NATIONAL, AND WHO MEETS THE QUALIFICATIONS PRESCRIBED BY THE APPLICABLE LAWS TO HOLD THE OFFICE FOR WHICH HE IS A CANDIDATE, SO THAT HE MAY BE VOTED FOR BY THE ELECTORATE DIRECTLY OR BY MEANS OF DELEGATES OR ELECTORS, AND WHO (A) HAS QUALIFIED FOR A PLACE ON THE BALLOT OR (B) IS ELIGIBLE UNDER THE APPLICABLE LAW TO BE VOTED FOR BY STICKER, BY WRITING IN HIS NAME ON THE BALLOT, OR OTHER METHOD, AND (1) HAS BEEN DULY NOMINATED BY A POLITICAL PARTY WHICH IS COMMONLY KNOWN AND REGARDED AS SUCH, OR (2) MAKES A SUBSTANTIAL SHOWING THAT HE IS A BONAFIDE CANDIDATE FOR NOMINATION OR OFFICE, AS THE CASE MAY BE."

IN SO DOING THE COMMISSION IS COGNIZANT, OF COURSE, THAT THE MERE FACT THAT ANY NAME MAY BE WRITTEN IN DOES NOT ENTITLE ALL PERSONS WHO MAY PUBLICLY ANNOUNCE THEMSELVES AS CANDIDATES TO DEMAND RADIO TIME UNDER SECTION 315, FOR THE OBVIOUS REASON THAT THE LIMITED BROADCAST FACILITIES WILL NOT ACCOMODATE ALL WHO MIGHT DESIRE TO SPEAK. THE COMMISSION ALSO RECOGNIZES THAT BROADCAST STATIONS MAY
MAKE DESIRABLE AND REASONABLE REQUIREMENTS WITH RESPECT TO PROOF OF CANDIDACY OF AN APPLICANT FOR THE USE OF FACILITIES UNDER THE SECTION 315.

SINCE DETERMINATION AS TO WHO SHALL APPEAR ON PROGRAMS IS A MATTER RESTING IN THE FIRST INSTANCE WITH THE INDIVIDUAL BROADCAST STATION, SECTION 315 DOES NOT REQUIRE STATIONS TO GIVE BROADCAST TIME TO ANY CANDIDATE UNLESS THAT STATION HAS PREVIOUSLY PERMITTED A BROADCAST BY ANOTHER CANDIDATE FOR THE SAME OFFICE.

NAEB NEWS

WKZO, Kalamazoo, Michigan, was granted a construction permit to increase power from 1 KW to 5KW, to make changes in directional antenna for fulltime 5 KW operation. (11/25/41)

WRUL, World Wide Broadcasting Corporation, applied for modification of its license, requesting additional frequency of 9700 kilocycles and sharing time on that frequency with WRUK. (11/17/41)

WILL, University of Illinois, was given special temporary authority to operate special night periods for basketball game broadcasts only. (11/21/41)

KWSC, State College of Washington, was granted license to cover construction permit for equipment changes. (11/19/41)

WSUI, University of Iowa, was granted permission to reduce hours of operation to minimum of 3 1/2 hours daily during Christmas vacation period. (11/21/41)

WNAD, University of Oklahoma, was denied special authority to operate from sign-off to 5:30 P.M. during the month of December only. (11/25/41)

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