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NAEB MEETS IN CHICAGO

MEMBERS OF NAEB ATTENDING THE SCHOOL BROADCAST CONFERENCE IN CHICAGO, NOVEMBER 10-12 AT THE MORRISON HOTEL. PLANS FOR OUR MEETING WILL BE ARRANGED BY PRESIDENT HAROLD ENGEL AFTER ARRIVAL OF DELEGATIONS. MEETING WILL BE AN INFORMAL LUNCHEON OR DINNER.

"RADIO IN WARTIME" WILL BE THE TOPIC OF LYMAN BEYSON, DIRECTOR OF EDUCATION, COLUMBIA BROADCASTING SYSTEM, AND CHIEF, BUREAU OF SPECIAL OPERATIONS, OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION, AT THE ANNUAL S.B.C. DINNER, WEDNESDAY EVENING, NOVEMBER 11, AT 9:30 P.M., AT THE MORRISON HOTEL. MAJOR HAROLD W. KENT, EXECUTIVE CHAIRMAN, S.B.C., AND PRESIDENT OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR EDUCATION BY RADIO, WILL BE CHAIRMAN. A BRIEF CALENDAR OF EVENTS AT THE CONFERENCE IS AS FOLLOWS:

WEDNESDAY, Nov. 11.

9:30 A.M. ADDRESS OF WELCOME BY DR. WILLIAM H. JOHNSON. PANEL, "RADIO'S CONTRIBUTION AND RESPONSIBILITY IN A WORLD AT WAR"

1:30 P.M. SOCIAL STUDIES RADIO PROGRAM CLINIC, "CURRICULAR NEEDS" WITH CRO PRODUCTION, "IGOR SIKOSKY", FROM PIECES OF EIGHT.

3:30 P.M. WORK STUDY GROUPS, ON THESE TOPICS:

RADIO AND ART, RADIO AND THE ASSEMBLY PROGRAM, ENGINEERING-FM-TELEVISION, RADIO CLUBS AND WORKSHOPS, RADIO AND VOCATIONAL GUIDANCE, ORGANIZATION OF A SCHOOL SYSTEM RADIO DEPARTMENT, RADIO SCRIPT AND PRODUCTION FOR THE TEACHER, USE OF TRANSCRIPTIONS IN SCHOOLS, RADIO AND THE TEACHING OF FOREIGN LANGUAGES.

THURSDAY, Nov. 12

9:30 A.M. THE PLACE OF LITERATURE IN RADIO, WITH CRO PRODUCTION, LET'S TELL A STORY, AND RECORDINGS OF NELSON OLMSTED, NBC, AND OF MEN AND BOOKS, CBS.

1:30 P.M. CLASSROOM DEMONSTRATIONS AT ALL GRADE LEVELS AND IN ALL SUBJECT FIELDS.

POLITICAL EDUCATION VIA WHA

WISCONSIN BELIEVES THAT DISCUSSIONS OF POLITICS ARE OF INTEREST AND IMPORTANCE TO ITS PEOPLE. FOR THAT REASON FREE TIME ON STATE STATION WHA IS GRANTED TO RECOGNIZED PARTIES AND CANDIDATES FOR THE PRESENTATION OF CAMPAIGN ISSUES.

IN THE PRE-PRIMARY CAMPAIGN 31 QUARTER HOUR PERIODS OF TIME WERE ASSIGNED TO THE PRE-PRIMARY POLITICAL EDUCATION FORUM. EACH QUALIFIED CANDIDATE RECEIVED A PERIOD, SELECTED BY THE DRAWING OF LOTS.

THE REGULAR ELECTION FORUM FINDS 35 QUARTER-HOURS EXTENDING OVER THREE WEEKS DEVOTED TO POLITICAL BROADCASTING. HERE THE SPEAKERS ARE ASSIGNED BY THE PARTY ORGANIZATIONS. THE STATION DOES NOT EXERCISE CENSORSHIP OVER SPEAKERS (NOTE THE COMMUNICATIONS ACT) AND EACH ASSUMES FULL RESPONSIBILITY FOR HIS STATEMENTS.

THE SUCCESS OF THESE FORUMS IS DEPENDENT UPON CAREFUL ADVANCE PLANNING TO ANTICIPATE DIFFICULTIES WHICH MAY ARISE--AND MEETING THEM BEFORE THEY DO ARISE. IT MEANS KEEPING SEVERAL STEPS AHEAD OF THE POLITICIANS.

HOW'S YOUR COMMITTEE?

ONE COMMITTEE, AT LEAST, WHICH TAKES ITS ASSIGNMENT CONSCIENTIOUSLY IS THE UNIVERSITY OF WISCONSIN RADIO BROADCASTING COMMITTEE, WHICH COUNSELS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF WHA. THAT 8-MAN COMMITTEE HAS A LUNCHEON MEETING EACH TUESDAY NOON TO TRANSACT ITS BUSINESS. IT BRINGS TO THE STATION STAFF THE BENEFIT OF VARIOUS POINTS OF VIEW-- AND GIVES THE STATION A CLOSER LINK WITH THE FACULTY. NEVER BEFORE HAS WHA ENJOYED SUCH LOYAL FACULTY SUPPORT AS AT PRESENT--AND THE COMMITTEE HAS HELPED TO BRING THAT ABOUT.

WOSU COURSES ARE ANNOUNCED

OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY PROVIDES THE OPPORTUNITY FOR OHIO CITIZENS TO "ATTEND" COLLEGE THIS FALL OVER ITS OWN STATION, WOSU.

THE SCHEDULE OF FREE COURSES OFFERED IN THE RADIO JUNIOR COLLEGE, AS DESCRIBED IN A NEW BULLETIN NOW BEING DISTRIBUTED BY WOSU, INCLUDES: "SIGNIFICANCE OF THE WAR", A LECTURE SERIES TUESDAYS AT 4 P.M.; SPANISH LESSONS, DAILY AT 1 P.M.; FRENCH LESSONS, DAILY AT 10:30 A.M.; "THE CLASSIC PERIOD IN MUSIC", DAILY AT 10 A.M.; "AN INTRODUCTION TO LITERATURE", TUESDAYS AT 2 P.M.

TEACHERS IN THE SCHOOLS ALSO HAVE RECEIVED SCHEDULES FOR THE AUTUMN SEMESTER IN THE "OHIO SCHOOL OF THE AIR," TO BE BROADCAST

WOSU COURSES ARE ANNOUNCED (CONT'D)

OVER WOSU.

FIFTEEN-MINUTE PROGRAMS TO BE BROADCAST ONCE A WEEK FOR PRIMARY GRADES INCLUDE "KINDERGARTEN FUN", "MUSIC TIME", "STORY TIME", AND "PLAY TIME." BROADCASTS FOR INTERMEDIATE GRADES INCLUDE "BOYS AND GIRLS OF BOOKLAND", "SCIENCE CLUB OF THE AIR", "TIME FOR MUSIC", AND "NEWS REVIEW." SCHEDULED FOR INTERMEDIATE AND JUNIOR HIGH USE IS AN HISTORICAL SERIES ENTITLED "WHAT USED TO BE."

"FOUR FREEDOMS" ON WNYC-QUEENS COLLEGE SERIES

INTERNATIONALLY FAMOUS NAMES STUD THE GUEST LIST OF "THE FOUR FREEDOMS", NEW RADIO SERIES BY QUEENS COLLEGE, HEARD OVER STATION WNYC FROM 10:00 TO 10:30 A.M. ON SATURDAYS BEGINNING OCTOBER 10. THE PROGRAMS WERE PLANNED BY THE COMMITTEE ON RADIO EDUCATION OF QUEENS COLLEGE IN CONJUNCTION WITH THE MUNICIPAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM. PROFESSOR HENRY MILLER OF THE COLLEGE HEADS THE COMMITTEE.

THE BROADCASTS ARE DEVELOPING THE THEME OF PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT'S "FOUR FREEDOMS" AS THEY ARE EXPRESSED IN THE LITERATURE OF THE FOUR LEADING UNITED NATIONS, THE UNITED STATES, GREAT BRITAIN, RUSSIA AND CHINA.

WNYC BROADCASTS FRICK COLLECTION CONCERTS

CONTINUING ITS POLICY OF BROADCASTING THE BEST IN MUSIC FOR NEW YORK'S CITIZENS, WNYC, NEW YORK CITY'S OWN STATION, IS BROADCASTING THE FRICK COLLECTION CHAMBER MUSIC CONCERTS FOR THE FOURTH SUCCESSIVE YEAR. THE CONCERTS ARE HEARD ON ALTERNATE SUNDAYS.

ONE OF THE FOREMOST CHAMBER MUSIC SERIES IN THE COUNTRY, THE CONCERTS ARE GIVEN FREE OF CHARGE IN THE AUDITORIUM OF THE FRICK COLLECTION AT 71ST STREET AND FIFTH AVENUE. AMONG THOSE WHO WILL BE HEARD IN PERFORMANCES BROADCAST FROM THIS POINT ARE: ARTUR SCHNABEL, GREGOR PIATIGORSKY, WEBSTER AITKEN, THE BUSCH QUARTET, COOLIDGE QUARTET, BUDAPEST QUARTET AND OTHER OUTSTANDING CHAMBER MUSIC ORGANIZATIONS.

U.K. BROADCAST MORALE PROGRAMS OVER MUTUAL

THREE COAST-TO-COAST WEEKLY MORALE-BUILDING PROGRAMS OVER THE ENTIRE NETWORK OF THE MUTUAL BROADCASTING SYSTEM ARE ORIGINATING

U.K. BROADCAST MORALE PROGRAMS OVER MUTUAL (CONT'D)

IN THE STUDIOS OF THE UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY, LEXINGTON. THESE PROGRAMS, WHICH CONSTITUTE THE NETWORK'S "SCHOOL OF THE AIR," REPRESENT THE FOURTH YEAR OF COOPERATION BETWEEN THE UNIVERSITY AND MUTUAL.

THE TUESDAY SERIES, ENTITLED "AMERICANS TO THE SOUTH," FURNISHES A BACKGROUND OF THE GEOGRAPHY, HISTORY, SOCIAL AND POLITICAL LIFE, ARTS, MUSIC, AND LITERATURE OF THE WESTERN HEMISPHERIC COUNTRIES TO THE SOUTH.

ON THURSDAYS, THE PROGRAMS CALLED "WITHIN AMERICA'S GATE," TAKES THE LISTENERS INTO THE HOME OF A TYPICAL AMERICAN FAMILY WHERE LISTENERS CAN OBSERVE HOW ITS MEMBERS MEET THE DAILY, CHANGING CONDITIONS OF LIVING WHICH COME TO A COUNTRY ENGAGED IN SUCH A WAR AS THE PRESENT ONE. THE WAY IN WHICH AMERICA MEETS ITS PROBLEMS DEPENDS IN GREAT PART UPON THE VALUES DEVELOPED WITHIN ITS FAMILY LIFE, SINCE THE STRONGEST FRONT THE UNITED STATES HAS IS ITS HOME FRONT.

THE PERIOD ON SATURDAYS IS DEVOTED TO DRAMATIZED STORIES OUT OF THE LITERATURE OF THE UNITED NATIONS. SOME OF THESE STORIES ARE FOLK LORE, SOME CLASSICS, AND SOME MODERN TALES OF THE PRESENT STRUGGLE. THE GENERAL TITLE IS "STORIES FROM THE UNITED NATIONS."

ALLEN MILLER TO KOAC

ALLEN MILLER HAS TAKEN OVER AT KOAC WHERE LUKE ROBERTS LEFT OFF WHEN HE MOVED TO PORTLAND TO BECOME PUBLIC SERVICE DIRECTOR FOR KOIN-KALE. ALLEN MOVED FROM KWSC TO KOAC. AT WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE IN PULLMAN HE HELD THE POST AS PRODUCTION DIRECTOR. AT KOAC HE IS PROGRAM MANAGER. AT WASHINGTON HE WAS TEACHING ALL OF THEIR COURSES IN RADIO SPEECH. AT CORVALLIS HE IS CONCENTRATING ALL HIS EFFORTS ON PROGRAM WORK. ALLEN SAYS THAT HE'S NOW A CONFIRMED WESTERNER. INCIDENTALLY, KOAC DEDICATED ITS NEW TRANSMITTER ON OCTOBER 16. (WE'VE MENTIONED TRANSMITTER BEFORE IN NEWS LETTER). A NEW 5 KW TRANSMITTER IS NOW IN OPERATION WHICH GIVES A COMPLETE COVERAGE OF OREGON ON A FREQUENCY OF 550. THE TRANSMITTER IS LOCATED SIX OR SEVEN MILES EAST OF CORVALLIS AT GRANGER, ORE.

PA SERVICE FOR WOI AND WSUI

IN MESSAGES FROM TOM O'NEIL, NEWS EDITOR OF PA, WERE NOTED THAT WSUI, IOWA STATE, AND WSUI, UNIVERSITY OF IOWA, JOINED THE NEWS NETWORK ON OCTOBER 6 AND 12, RESPECTIVELY.

SERVICES AVAILABLE

WE UNDERSTAND THAT RICHARD S. LAMBERT, ONE-TIME EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR OF BBC AND PRESENTLY EDUCATIONAL DIRECTOR FOR CBC WOULD BE GLAD TO SERVE EDUCATIONAL RADIO IN THE UNITED STATES. HE WOULD BE WILLING TO TAKE OUT UNITED STATES CITIZENSHIP PAPERS, WE ARE TOLD. ANYONE WISHING TO CORRESPOND WITH HIM MAY ADDRESS HIM IN CARE OF CBC, TORONTO, CANADA.

AER CONFERENCE IN COLUMBIA

EDUCATIONAL RADIO IN WARTIME IS THE THEME OF THE REGIONAL CONFERENCE OF THE ASSOCIATION FOR EDUCATION BY RADIO WHICH WILL BE HELD AT STEPHENS COLLEGE, COLUMBIA, MISSOURI, NOVEMBER 6 AND 7.

FCC ACTIONS

WIUC, UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, WAS GRANTED A LICENSE TO COVER CONSTRUCTION PERMIT FOR THE NEW NON-COMMERCIAL EDUCATIONAL FM STATION.

(10/1/42)

WNYE, NEW YORK BOARD OF EDUCATION, APPLIED FOR EXTENSION OF TIME ON ITS CONSTRUCTION PERMIT. (10/12/42)

W9XG, PURDUE UNIVERSITY, WAS GRANTED MODIFICATION OF CONSTRUCTION PERMIT TO PERMIT LATER COMPLETION DATE. (10/15/42)

WNYE, NEW YORK CITY BOARD OF EDUCATION, WAS GRANTED EXTENSION OF COMPLETION DATE. (10/20/42)

WHCU, CORNELL UNIVERSITY, WAS GRANTED PETITION TO DISMISS WITHOUT PREJUDICE APPLICATIONS FOR CONSTRUCTION PERMIT TO OPERATE ON 640 KC, 5 KW, ETC. (10/20/42)

NAEB NOTES

MR. ELMER DAVIS, DIRECTOR OF THE OFFICE OF WAR INFORMATION, HAS CONVEYED HIS THANKS TO NAEB FOR THE ASSOCIATION VOTE OF AFFIRMATION AND COOPERATION VOTED AT THE MADISON MEETING....OUR APOLOGIES TO LEE NORVELLE OF INDIANA--LEE IS A MEMBER OF THE SPECIAL MUSIC COMMITTEE NAMED AT MADISON BY PRESIDENT ENGEL--AND I INADVERTENTLY LEFT HIS NAME OUT....E. J. O'BRIEN, KFJM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH DAKOTA, REPORTS THAT THEY'RE DOING SOME RESEARCH ON FM AT ND; THEY'RE APPLYING FOR PATENT ON A WIDE-BAND, SINGLE TUBE FM BROADCASTING SYSTEM....

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