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Today's Radio Programs

- KSLM-SUNDAY-1230 Kc. 8:30-Langworth Foursome 8:35-Godard Bible Classes 9:00-News in Brief 9:05-Music 9:10-Popular Salute 10:00-World in Review 10:15-Moonbeam Trio 10:20-Hit Tunes of Tomorrow 11:00-American Lutheran Church 12:00-Sunset Trio 12:15-Vocal Virelles 12:30-Golden Melody 1:00-Yun Valley 1:30-Young People's Church of Air 2:00-Isle of Paradise 2:15-Voice of Restoration 2:30-Vocal Virelles 3:00-Wings of Healing 3:30-Four Square Church 4:00-Old Fashioned Revival Hour 6:00-Tonight's Headlines 6:05-National Laundry Time 6:30-Del Courtney Orchestra 7:00-Bob Hamilton's Quintones 7:30-Langworth Novelty and Salon Group 8:00-First Presbyterian Church 8:30-News Summary 9:05-Organalities 9:30-Home Hour 10:00-News 10:05-Dream Time 11:00-Sign Off

Monday's Radio Programs

- KSLM-MONDAY-1200 Kc. 7:00-News 7:05-Farm and Home Program 7:15-Rise n' Shine 7:30-News 7:45-Morning Moods 8:00-Cherry City News 8:10-Music 8:20-Tango Time 9:00-Pastor's Call 9:15-It's the Truth 10:00-Cherry City News 10:05-Music 10:30-Cherry City News 11:00-Music 11:30-His of Yesteryear 12:15-News 12:30-Hillbilly Serenade 1:00-Lum and Abner 1:30-Will Bradley 1:45-Spotlight on Rhythm 2:00-Isle of Paradise 2:15-Will Bradley 2:30-Langworth String Quartet 2:45-Broadway Bandwagon 3:00-Grand Concert Hour 4:00-Guadalupe Trio 4:15-News 4:30-Teatime Tunes 5:00-What's the Attack 7:00-Tonight's Headlines 7:15-War Commentary 7:30-Evening Serenade 7:30-10-2-4 Ranch 7:45-Orchestra 8:00-War Front in Review 8:10-Lo White 8:30-Mustangs 8:45-Treasure Star Parade 9:00-News 9:15-Szath Myri 9:45-Between the Lines 10:00-Swing 10:30-News

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- 6:00-Northwest Farm Reporter 6:15-Breakfast Bulletin 6:30-News 6:45-KOIN Klock 7:15-Headline News 7:30-Bob Green, News 7:45-News 8:00-Consumer News 8:15-Valiant Lady 8:30-Stories America Loves 8:45-Aunt Jenny 9:00-Kate Smith Speaks 9:15-Romance of Helen Trent 9:45-Cur Gal Sunday 10:15-Can Be Beautiful 10:30-Ma Perkins 10:45-Bernadine Flynn 11:00-Go-Go News 11:00-Young Dr. Malone 11:15-Joyce Jordan 11:45-News and Learn 11:45-News 12:00-Neighbors 12:15-Open Door 12:30-William Winter, News 12:45-Bachelor's Children 1:00-Broadway Matinee 1:25-Air-File of the Air 1:30-Science at Work 2:00-Mary Martin 2:15-Newspaper of the Air 2:45-American Women 3:00-News 3:15-Lyn Murray 3:30-Songs 3:45-The World Today 3:55-Chet Huntley, News 4:00-Stars of Today 4:15-The Radio League 4:30-Sunset Serenade 5:00-Galen Drake 5:30-Specialty's Early Evening News 5:45-All Williams 6:00-Radio Theatre 7:00-Screen Guild Players 7:30-Treasure Star Parade 8:00-I Love A Mystery 8:15-Ed Sullivan Entertainers 8:30-Gay Nineties

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Interpreting The War News

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Russia has not greatly hampered the many-fronted Russian effort to hurl the foe back beyond old Russian frontiers. Unseasonable thaws are noted in dispatches from the Leningrad-Volkhov-Novgorod sector. The weather obviously may have delayed the launching of the long-prepared red army winter assault in the north in hopes of a hard and prolonged freeze to bring nazis military effectiveness to its lowest ebb. Even in relatively mild weather, however, Russian concentrations for the attack have proved of overpowering strength against critical strategic and communication keys to the nazis front in the initial phases of the Baltic offensive. They have thrown the enemy out of such vitally important Significance of the Anglo-American wedge driven between German forces on Italy's west coast hangs hazardously on allied ability to enlarge the penetration at top speed. The Italian coast version of the oldest of military axioms—divide and conquer—very likely will soon bring terrific German resistance to ward off impending disaster for the nazis armies semi-pocketed in the south. Success of this invasion venture undoubtedly would drop a block-buster into german plans to deadlock the Italian front for the winter while all available troops are striving frantically to stem the Russian onslaught in the north. The allies' surprise sweep dominated the weekend war news although the Russian drive on the Lovat-Leningrad Baltic flank of the badly split-up eastern front held much greater possibilities of a major disaster for German armies. The mildest January weather

in many years in northwestern positions as Novgorod and the congested region west and southwest of Leningrad at the first forward leaps. Defeat-ridden nazis forces which may escape Russian traps are reeling toward Estonia. There are no cities or important towns to offer them defense bastions and winter quarters on the routes they must follow to Narva or Pskov to effect escape. Battered German forces falling back across the swampy lands between that southern rail lateral and the Baltic coast line can reap some benefit from mild weather—until they reach the old Russian-Estonian frontier and the east shores of Lake Peipus. It would fall them at that point, however, since they cannot hope for an ice crossing on such wide waters under the circumstances. The mild weather holds another danger for the Germans. Moscow dispatches note that quick success of the Russian two-pronged attack in the Leningrad perimeter has freed the Russian Baltic fleet for action. It had been holed up for two years but is now active in co-operation with ground forces in Leningrad bay and along the south shore of the Gulf of Finland. The Revel-Narva-Leningrad railroad and its paralleling highway that are the only supply or escape roads for the enemy north of Lake Peipus run within naval gun range of the gulf shore line. Use of Narva. Red naval craft could reach vantage points to cover Russian amphibious assaults to cut in behind the enemy at Narva unless there are more powerful German naval units in the Gulf of Finland than has been indicated lately.

SEEDS HOME by internal discord, by stupid leadership and slothfulness France remains French, her people longing for the day of liberation. They look to the Americans and British as their liberators. In Paris the French rejoiced when British planes raided their city. When Mrs. Shiber was released from prison she went to a little French restaurant for food while she waited for the train. She had no ration card, so the proprietor could not serve her for fear of having his business closed. When he found she was American he took her to his apartment and served her as a personal guest. He said: "You remember, Madame, what your Gen. Pershing said when he arrived in 1917, 'Lafayette, we are here!' The Americans saved France then, and we know they will save us again. That is our last hope, and our only hope, Madame—your country. We know she will not fall the people of France." Such a book as "Paris Underground" which traces the fires of 1917-18, makes the war seem more of a crusade to preserve the world from the nazi dragon. If two women in the heart of Paris start and operate an underground, keeping soldiers in their own apartment and then passing them along to escape from France, even helping men escape from a German prison, until they have put 150 men at liberty to fight again, can endure the agony of fear, of arrest, of trial and imprisonment and for one the death sentence, surely we who live in a sheltered land can endure the inconveniences and the minor deprivations which the war entails, and can brace ourselves for harder sacrifice as the war goes on.

Court Holds Memorial For Bennett

Strength of character, clearness of thought, decisiveness in action were attributes of Talbot S. Bennett as summed up in a resolution drawn and adopted by the Marion County Bar association at a memorial meeting held Saturday in circuit court for the former assistant district attorney who was killed in action last January 2 while engaging in the Bougainville campaign in the south Pacific. Representatives of the supreme and circuit courts and the bar association attended the ceremony. Oral homage was rendered by Wallace Carson, speaking for the bar association; Chief Justice J. O. Bailey of the supreme court; Circuit Court Justices E. M. Page and George R. Duncan; Miller B. Hayden, Marion county district attorney with whom Bennett was associated, and Charles Heltzel, a college classmate. An impressive feature of the memorial was the placing of the first gold star on the flag hanging in circuit court. Bennett, a graduate of Williamette law school and student body president while at the university, enlisted in the marines, receiving a commission as second lieutenant January 5, 1943. He leaves his parents in Milwaukie; widow, the former Elma Juntunen, and infant son, Charles.

Fourth War Loan Thought For Today

THE INDISPENSABLE WHOLE You may be tempted to think of your investment as negligible. A \$25 war bond, or even a \$1000 purchase in the fourth war loan looks insignificant in relation to the total. So does the individual soldier seem insignificant among the millions of a modern army. Yet he is indispensable. The effectiveness of any democratic

A One-Minute Letter

To the Critically Thoughtful:

A recent magazine advertisement informed the reader that the purchaser of spectacles bought much more than a frame and two scientifically ground lenses. In addition he was securing the skill, knowledge and integrity of the prescribing physician. The obvious moral of the story being that one should not buy glasses on the basis of price alone. It seems to me that we should use the same selective judgment concerning spiritual subjects. Why shouldn't we ask of a speaker concerning his education, background, and general training to speak on a particular subject? We do want to remember that there are specific academic degrees which help fit men to speak intelligently on religious subjects. Sincerity in religion is not enough. Men must have certain basic understandings of history, language, and theology. All of us are deeply interested in the involvements that result from America's participation in world affairs. What is a sane, constructive, practical attitude for the church? I personally could not answer the question with authority. However, First Presbyterian Church is happy to present a Christian statesman who can give some reliable information in this field. Sunday evening at 7:30 we present Dr. Chas. Tudor Leber, author, world-traveler, and Sect. of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church, U.S.A. Mr. Leber is a graduate of Johns Hopkins University and Princeton Theological Seminary. He has made two world tours within the last seven years and is eminently qualified to render a dependable judgment on world affairs. Sincerely yours, W. E. Williams, Minister, First Presbyterian Church, Winter at Chesapeake, Salem, Oregon.

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