

portrayed forces which affected drafting our Declaration of Independence brought into vivid focus the character of men instrumental in its inception, and dramatized the task of drafting the document. Program given George Washington Honor Medal award.

Studio Party:

Dramatic use of the Video Tape Recording. Home Demonstration Clubs, Garden Clubs, Red Cross Volunteers and other community groups were brought to WRVA-TV studios from areas within a 50 mile radius of Richmond at WRVA-TV expense to present their group projects and expose their interesting personalities to their neighbors - recorded one day, telecast the next.

The Virginia School Crisis:

1. GOVERNOR ALMOND'S ADDRESS (remote) to the 1959 Special Session of the General Assembly to study the school crisis (Network and local commercial programs cancelled.
2. STATES RIGHTS MASS MEETING on Capitol Square (remote) in opposition to Governor Almond's school actions.

Educational Series:

1. MIND YOUR OWN BUSINESS, based on a popular local night school course in cooperation with the Small Business Administration and Richmond Public Schools. This series aimed to show small business men how to improve their business practices - 13 half hours, studio originations.
2. CAREERS IN CHEMISTRY, two new series with the Richmond Chapter of the American Chemical Society aimed at high school students to interest them in scientific careers.
3. SAMPLE CLASSROOM LESSON (European History) for the State Commission to Study the Feasibility of Educational Television in Virginia to enable the Commission members and school superintendents to see how in-school telecasts of educational television would be conducted.

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Type Right:

TELECOURSE for college credit, 30 half hour programs in cooperation with Richmond Professional Institute has graduated over 360 typists. Series was made on videotape and is being repeated on different schedules to offer the service to greatest number possible.

Richmond Public Schools: Winter-Spring series of in-school television - 13 weeks.

1. BONJOUR LA FRANCE - 4th grade French, Mondays, 9:00 - 9:30 AM.
2. TIME FOR READING, WRITING AND LISTENING - Language Arts for 2nd grades, Tuesdays, 9:00 - 9:30 AM.
3. LET'S MAKE MUSIC - 3rd grades, Wednesdays, 9:00 - 9:30 AM.