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Drama Coach .....

Speech Coach .....

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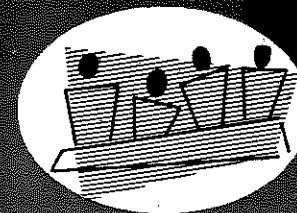
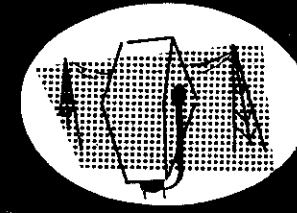
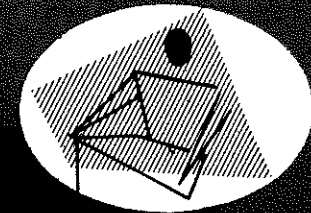
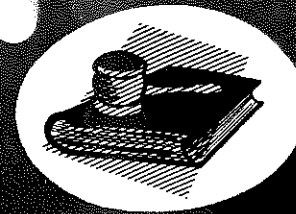
# Wisconsin High School Forensic Association Newsletter

*"Not to defeat each other, but to pace one another on the road to excellence."*

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DISCUSSION AND DEBATE PROBLEM AREA 1959-60

What policy in labor-management relations will best serve the people of the United States?

1959 — CALENDAR — 1960

| Latest Dates for Contests | Drama   | Debate     | Speech   |
|---------------------------|---------|------------|----------|
| League .....              | Oct. 24 | .....      | March 12 |
| District .....            | Nov. 14 | Jan. 30    | March 26 |
| Sectional .....           | Nov. 21 | Feb. 13    | .....    |
| State .....               | Dec. 5* | Feb. 26-27 | April 9  |

\*At Wisconsin State College, Oshkosh

Latest Dates to Register for:

|                                      |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| One-Act Play Contest .....           | October 1   |
| Tape-Recorded Panel Discussion ..... | November 11 |
| Tapes due in State Office .....      | November 25 |
| Tape-Recorded Radio Contest .....    | November 11 |
| Tapes due in State Office .....      | November 25 |

Board of Control Meetings

Schroeder Hotel, Milwaukee—Wednesday, Nov. 4, 1959  
 Wisconsin Center, Madison—April 28-29, 1960

Annual Meeting of the Association

(Coaches and Principals please attend)

Brooks Memorial Union, Marquette University, Milwaukee—Friday, Nov. 6 at 2:00 P.M.

BOARD OF CONTROL

Northern Section

DALE E. KRAMMES  
 Eau Claire  
 Eau Claire District  
 DAVID P. BARNES  
 Eau Claire  
 River Falls District  
 LOUIS F. BERG  
 Baldwin  
 Superior District  
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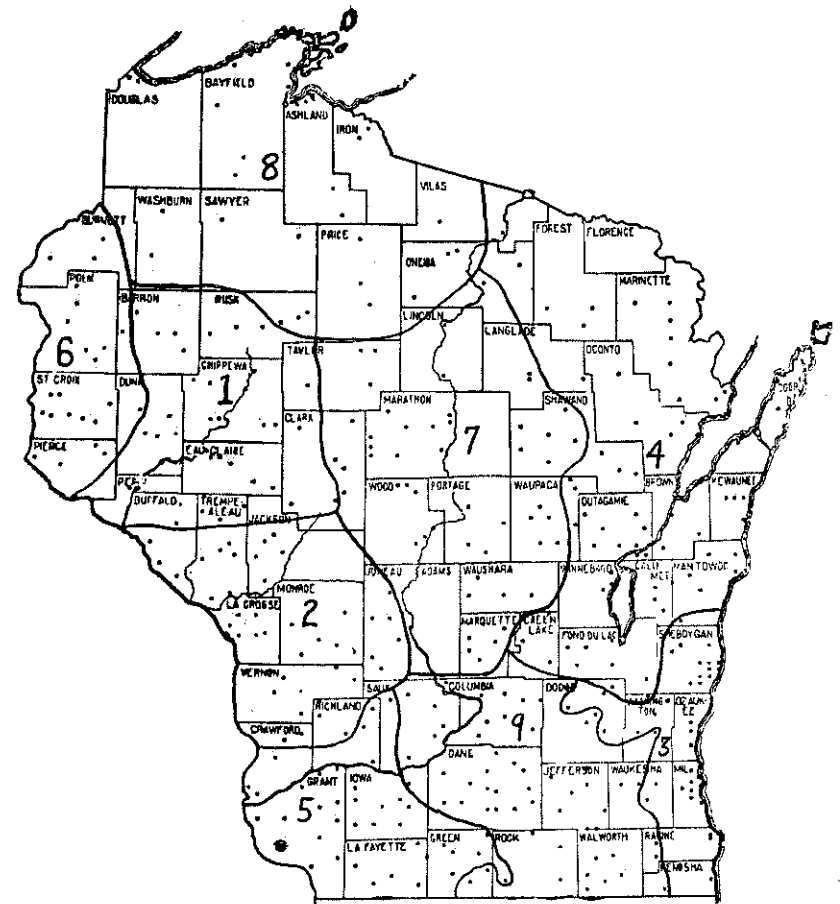
Central Section

E. C. MARQUARDT  
 Wausau  
 La Crosse District  
 K. A. CURRAN  
 Cashton  
 Oshkosh District  
 A. F. CHRIST  
 New London  
 Stevens Point District  
 J. C. GILLMANN  
 Marathon

Southern Section

WILLIAM DAWSON  
 Madison  
 Milwaukee District  
 CLARENCE THORSON  
 Cedarburg  
 Platteville District  
 HAROLD GALL  
 Lancaster  
 Whitewater District  
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 Cashton  
 A. F. CHRIST, Vice-Chairman  
 New London  
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 University Extension Division  
 PROFESSOR A. T. WEAVER  
 Advisor in Speech  
 University of Wisconsin  
 PROFESSOR ROBERT E. GARD  
 Advisor in Dramatics  
 University of Wisconsin

MAP SHOWING BOUNDARIES OF THE DISTRICTS AND LOCATION OF MEMBER SCHOOLS



- |                           |                   |
|---------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Eau Claire District    | Northern Section  |
| 2. LaCrosse District      | Districts 1, 6, 8 |
| 3. Milwaukee District     |                   |
| 4. Oshkosh District       |                   |
| 5. Platteville District   | Central Section   |
| 6. River Falls District   | Districts 2, 4, 7 |
| 7. Stevens Point District |                   |
| 8. Superior District      | Southern Section  |
| 9. Whitewater District    | Districts 3, 5, 9 |

## INVITATION TO MEMBERSHIP

The Wisconsin High School Forensic Association again invites your membership in a three-fold program designed to provide your students with training and experience in the various fields of speech. If your school offers work at the 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade levels, you are eligible to join with and share in these Association services:

1. An institute program early in the school year is conducted with the cooperation of the University and the Wisconsin State Colleges. Here is an opportunity, at the institution nearest you, for teachers and students to receive valuable instruction in the various speech fields.
2. Inter-school contests are held in discussion, drama, debate, radio, and the individual speech activities of declamation, oratory, interpretative reading, play reading, and extemporaneous reading and speaking.
3. WHSFA membership provides help to teachers in the form of lists of recommended books on the teaching of speech, lists of plays, and sources of material. Speech advisors of the University and State Colleges strive to answer your questions about the conduct of your speech training programs.

The Association is managed by a Board of Control of twelve members; nine high school principals, serving as chairmen of the nine districts and three speech coaches, chairmen of the three sections. Policies and rules are prescribed by this Board and by the member schools at the annual meeting. The secretary-treasurer is employed and paid by the University Extension Division, which also provides the necessary office space.

The annual dues are payable on or before October 1 each year. These dues covering a membership year corresponding to the regular school year are as follows:

- \$13.00 for schools with enrollment of 149 or less
- \$15.50 for schools with enrollment of 150 to 349
- \$18.00 for schools with enrollment of 350 or more

We hope you will find the activities of the Association a worth-while addition to your school program. Write and ask us whatever questions you may have, or write directly to your district or sectional chairman.

## Part I

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**ANNUAL DUES MUST REACH THE STATE OFFICE ON OR BEFORE OCTOBER 1. THE BOARD OF CONTROL HAS RULED THAT NO SCHOOL MAY PARTICIPATE IN ANY ASSOCIATION ACTIVITY WHOSE DUES HAVE NOT BEEN RECEIVED BY THAT DATE.**

#### Registration

Each school has received with this Newsletter a registration card and a statement for dues. The registration card should be filled in completely and returned *with* the check for dues. The statement for dues is sent to enable you to simplify your payment of dues. It can be presented to your Board of Education or Student Fund Treasurer. However, *if you do this, please send the filled-out registration card with it so that the card and check for dues will come to this office together.*

Filling the card out completely enables us to know in which events the school will participate. Free material is sent *only* for the activities checked on the card. When our office receives the registration card from you, a duplicate is made for our files and the original sent to the district chairman. In this way he knows which schools have paid dues. Those schools are organized into leagues and put on his mailing list to receive letters and bulletins he sends out from time to time with information about contests.

*When your dues are received* you will automatically receive a packet of free materials. However, you may not receive it by return mail. The state office is deluged at this time and the processing of the packets will take a few weeks. Packets will be sent out in the order in which dues are received. They contain:

- Copies of new declamations prepared for the year.
- A copy of Winning Orations.
- Debate materials (if you check discussion or debate on the registration card)
- Drama material (if you check the one-act play contest on the registration card)
- Order blank for forensic materials.
- List of declamations for sale by the Association.
- A copy of Aims, Definitions and Rules of Drama, Debate, and Speech Contests.

## Districts and Sections

For information about league and district contests write directly to your district chairman. For information about sectional contests write directly to your sectional chairman, and for information about state contests write the state office.

If you do not know which district you are in, consult the map on page 3. The names of the district and sectional chairmen are on the inside front cover of this Newsletter.

## Calendar

The calendar for 1959-60, which was adopted by the Board of Control is announced on the inside front cover of this *Newsletter*. It is hoped that all leagues, districts, and sections will cooperate with the Association by planning their activities to fit in with this schedule. Plan now to avoid conflicts with other school and community events, such as proms, music festivals, and other special days.

## Elections

In October, elections are held in districts and sections where terms of the Board members have expired.

### Incumbent

|                            |                          |
|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Southern Section .....     | William Dawson, Madison  |
| Eau Claire District .....  | David Barnes, Eau Claire |
| River Falls District ..... | Louis Berg, Baldwin      |
| La Crosse District .....   | K. A. Curran, Cashton    |

## Speech Institutes

The speech institute pattern inaugurated three years ago will continue this season with the Wisconsin universities and colleges sponsoring drama and speech institutes in cooperation with the Wisconsin High School Forensic Association. The location of the colleges and the variety of institutes offer every high school an opportunity to participate. At these institutes instruction is offered in the various speech arts and there is ample opportunity for question and discussion of the problems arising in speech work.

You will automatically receive programs for the institutes to be held at the college in your district. For programs of institutes outside of your district, write directly to the persons listed below. The following institutes were announced as this *Newsletter* went to press.

| Date         | State College      | Kind               | Person in charge     |
|--------------|--------------------|--------------------|----------------------|
| September 26 | Whitewater         | Drama              | Dr. Jack Vrieze      |
| October 3    | Stevens Point      | Speech and Drama   | Dr. Pauline Isaacson |
| October 8    | Superior           | Drama              | Dr. O'Gayle Manion   |
| October 10   | Platteville        | Speech and Drama   | Dr. Harold Hansen    |
| October 31   | Univ. of Wisconsin | Discussion, Debate | Dr. W. L. Brembeck   |
| November 18  | Whitewater         | Coaches—Judges     | Dr. Wynett Barnett   |
| February 19  | Superior           | Forensic           | Dr. O'Gayle Manion   |

## Discussion

Discussion question: "What should be the responsibilities of government in solving the current labor-management problems?"

See Standing Rules X, and refer to the section on tape-recorded panel discussion in *Aims, Definitions, and Rules*—a separate publication of the Association.

## Practice Debate Tournament Dates

Last spring we announced that the *September Newsletter* would carry a list of invitational practice debate tournaments being held in the state. Our aim is two-fold: (1) to serve as a clearing house for dates, and, (2) to provide new debate schools in particular with an idea of who sponsors debate tournaments in their area and to whom they might write to be included. This list will be amended in the *November Newsletter*, so drop us a line if your date has not been included or has been changed.

### INVITATIONAL DEBATES

| Date        |  |
|-------------|--|
| November 7  | West Bend<br><i>Mr. Arthur MacMillian</i>  |
| November 21 | Sheboygan Central<br><i>Mr. Arnold Melzer</i>                                      |
| December 5  | West Allis<br><i>Frank Roberts (Nathan Hale)</i><br><i>Hoyt Rawlings (Central)</i> |
| January 16  | Neenah<br><i>William Dunwiddie</i>   |
| January 16  | Marquette High<br><i>Father H. J. McAuliffe</i>                                    |
| January 23  | Janesville<br><i>Hermoine Knapp</i>  |

## One Act Plays

Selections for the one-act play contest must be made from the list of Approved Plays 1959 (Yellow Cover), except for the alternative noted below. Single copies of any of the approved plays may be borrowed, for examination purposes only, from the library of the University of Wisconsin Extension Division. Production copies of the play you select must be ordered directly from the publisher.

Any school may enter an original one-act play written by the students or faculty of that school *provided* that it is submitted to our advisor in drama before October 1, and for which final approval has been granted by October 15.

Assistance in choosing the best play for your individual situation may

be obtained through the script advisory service of the Wisconsin Idea Theatre.

We also refer you to the selected list of books on play production listed on page 24.

Schools not entering the one-act contest but anxious to give their students a drama experience will be interested in the play-reading event in the spring speech contest. (See page 21 for rules.)

### Tape Recorded Radio Program Contest

The theme for this year is "A Public Relations Program for Your Local School."

This event, similar to our tape-recorded discussion contest, will be conducted again this fall. It will provide schools that have radio clubs or classes, or that present regular radio shows over some local station, or that are interested in experimenting with the radio approach to speech improvement, with a chance to have their programs compared with others and evaluated by experts in the field. The state offices will administer this contest and entries will be sent there directly. See *Standing Rule XI and Aims, Definitions, and Rules*—a separate publication of the Association.

### Debate

The problem area for discussion and debate for 1959-60: *What policy in labor-management relations will best serve the people of the United States?*

The question provides an excellent opportunity to correlate debate work with the social studies classes and to experiment in group discussion techniques.

The Discussion and Debate Manual of the National University Extension Association will be provided as the basic reference to all schools planning to enter discussion or debate. The Manual and other materials will be sent to those schools which check discussion or debate in the order in which the membership dues are received. Membership entitles schools to receive one copy of each volume of the Manual free.

### Speech

The spring forensic program provides a wealth of opportunity to enjoy speech activities in many forms and to compete with the best talent from the whole state. Beginning with local contest students are selected on the basis of excellence for participation in league, district and state contests. Special values can be gained by individual work on the part of the student in making a study of suitable material from which to cut humorous or serious declamations. A rich source list of literature from which cuttings may be made will be found in *Aims, Definitions, and Rules*. This publication will be sent to member schools along with a copy of *Winning Orations* and the new declamations prepared this year by the state office.

### Magazines for Extemporaneous Speaking

When ordering magazines listed below please mention our WHSFA Newsletter. Each school should subscribe to two or more of these magazines. The magazines listed below are merely suggestive. Topics chosen by contest chairmen will have appeared in at least two or three of these periodicals.

*American Observer*, Civic Education Service, 1733 K Street, N.W., Washington 6, D.C. 1 to 4 copies—75c each per semester, 1.50 per school year, \$2.00 per calendar year. 5 or more copies—60c each per semester, \$1.20 per school year, \$1.60 per calendar year.

*Current History*, 1822 Ludlow St., Philadelphia 3, Pa. 85c per single copy; \$7 per year. Special bulk rates for 5 or more copies of different issues, copies are available at 65c each; in orders of 5 or more copies of the same issue, at 35 cents; 30 or more of the same issue, at 30c each; 100 or more of the same issue, at 25c a copy. Special discounts on orders over 200. We also offer reduced rates for student subscriptions: in orders of 10 subscriptions or more, your students may subscribe for 9 months at \$3.15; or for 12 months at \$4.20; in orders of 30 or more, our 9 month rate is \$2.70; 12 months, \$3.60; in orders of 100 or more, our 9 month rate is \$2.25 and our 12 month rate is \$3.00. The cost of a single subscription is \$5.25 for 9 months.

*Newsweek*, Educational Division, 152 W. 42nd St., New York 36, N. Y. Special bulk rates for 5 or more copies to one address at 15c per copy; student subscriptions (individually mailed) at \$2.50 for 34 weeks and \$1.50 for 17 weeks. Free services with classroom orders include News Pointers, Graphic Facts, Map-of-the-Month, monthly and semester tests plus desk copy for teacher.

*The Reporter*, 136 E. 57th St., New York 22, N. Y. Special rates for classroom copies in quantities of 10 or more sent to one address 15c per copy (complimentary desk copy). Special rates for students, schools, colleges, and libraries \$4.50 per year. 8-months (16 issues) at \$2.50. 4-months (8 issues) at \$1.25.

"*Senior Scholastic*, published by Scholastic Magazines, Inc., 33 W. 42nd St., New York 36, N. Y. \$1.40 ea. per school year, or 70 cents ea. per semester, on orders for 5 or more subscriptions to one address. Fewer than 5 subscriptions to one address, \$1.50 ea. per school year. Single subscription, Teacher Edition, \$2.00 per school year. Group orders accepted under trial subscription plan at these rates, and need not be paid in advance."

"*U. S. News & World Report*," 24th and N. Streets, N.W., Washington 7, D.C. One year \$6.00, two years \$9.50, three years \$12.00. When ordered on subscription for terms of less than 12 months, cost is 12c per copy per week; when ordered in quantities of 10 or more, the cost is 10c per copy per week. Copies can be shipped in bulk to one address for distribution upon arrival or mailed to individual addresses. Cost of single issues is 25c each, up to 10 copies; for more than 10 copies of a single issue, the cost is 19c per copy.

## Part II

### GENERAL RULES AND REGULATIONS

#### CONSTITUTION

##### Article I—Name

The name of this organization shall be the Wisconsin High School Forensic Association.

##### Article II—Purpose

The purpose of this organization shall be

- a. to promote forensic activities in the high schools of Wisconsin
- b. to stimulate an interest in dramatics, debate, and other forms of speech work
- c. to improve the quality of high school speech work
- d. to provide channels for interschool activity in forensics.

##### Article III—Membership

SECTION 1. Any public or private high school in Wisconsin may become a member by making written application to the Secretary of the Board of Control and paying the annual dues.

SECTION 2. Any public high school in Upper Michigan will be admitted to membership by making written application to the Secretary of the Board of Control and paying the annual dues, provided

- a. its application is approved by a majority of the member schools in the district to which such school requests to be assigned.
- b. membership of such applicant be limited to affiliation to one state organization.
- c. the application has the approval of the Michigan High School Forensic Association Council.

SECTION 3. The annual dues shall be determined by the Board of Control. The membership year shall be from September 1 to August 31.

##### Article IV—Administration

###### SECTION 1. Officers

- a. The officers of the Association shall be the nine-district chairmen and the three sectional chairmen. These twelve officers shall be the Board of Control of the Association.
- b. The officers of the Board of Control shall be a chairman and a secretary-treasurer.
- c. The chairman shall be elected annually by the Board of Control for a term of one year.
- d. The secretary-treasurer shall be a member of the Department of Speech of the Extension Division of the University of Wisconsin. The secretary-treasurer shall be the principal administrative officer of the Association.

#### SECTION 2. Board of Control

- a. The affairs of the Association shall be administered by the Board of Control.
- b. The district chairmen shall be school administrators, elected by the member schools of their respective districts. Each district chairman shall be responsible for conducting forensic affairs of his district in accordance with Association regulations. Each district chairman shall make reports of the district contests to the secretary-treasurer.
- c. Each district chairman shall organize for his district an executive committee, consisting of:
  - one representative from a Wisconsin State College
  - one high school principal
  - two coaches or teachers of public speaking
- d. The three sectional chairmen shall be speech coaches elected by the member schools of their respective sections. Each sectional chairman shall be responsible for conducting forensic affairs of his section. Each sectional chairman shall report promptly the results of his sectional contests to the secretary-treasurer.
- e. The term of office of the members of the Board shall be three years, or until a successor is elected. The term of office of members of the Board of Control shall begin on the date on which the election is completed.
- f. The office of chairman of any district or section shall be declared vacant when the incumbent of that office
  - (1) Moves to another district or section
  - (2) Leaves the profession, or
  - (3) Absents himself from two consecutive board meetings without a reason acceptable to a majority of the Board.
- g. In case of a vacancy in a district or sectional chairmanship the remaining members of the Board of Control shall appoint a chairman to serve until the next annual election.\*
- h. The duties of the Board of Control shall be to direct generally all the affairs of the Association and to enact the rules which shall govern the activities of the Association.
- i. The Board shall meet annually as soon as convenient after the annual election of district and sectional chairmen. Seven members of the Board shall constitute a quorum.
- j. Special meetings of the Board may be called by the chairman, or by the secretary-treasurer or must be called by the secretary-treasurer upon request of any five members of the Board of Control.

\*On November 4, 1953, the board authorized the chairman to appoint an acting chairman of a district or section upon the vacancy of such a position until such a time as the board can appoint a chairman to serve until the next annual election.

SECTION 3. *Districts, Sections and Leagues*

- a. For administrative purposes the state shall be divided into the sections and districts as follows:

| <i>Northern Section</i> | <i>Central Section</i> | <i>Southern Section</i> |
|-------------------------|------------------------|-------------------------|
| Eau Claire District     | LaCrosse District      | Milwaukee District      |
| River Falls District    | Oshkosh District       | Platteville District    |
| Superior District       | Stevens Point District | Whitewater District     |

- b. Any school may transfer from one district to another by securing written approval from the secretary-treasurer and from the chairmen of the two districts concerned.
- c. Any three or more schools within a district, or any two schools having a combined enrollment of 800 or more pupils, may form a league. Formations of leagues and arrangements of league activities must be approved by the district chairman.

SECTION 4. *Elections*

- a. Each member school shall be entitled to one vote for its district chairman, one vote for its sectional chairman, one vote on any question submitted for a referendum, and one vote on matters considered at the annual meeting.
- b. The election of district chairmen shall be conducted in the following manner:
- (1) The primary election—on or before September 15, the secretary-treasurer shall mail a primary ballot to each member school in the districts in which a chairman is to be elected. Each member school may nominate one administrator for district chairman. Primary ballots shall be returned to the secretary on or before October 1. The two administrators who receive the highest number of votes shall be declared the nominees for that district. In case of a tie for second place on the primary ballot, all persons so tied shall be considered nominees. If any nominee receives a majority of the primary votes cast in a district, such nominee shall be declared elected by the secretary-treasurer.
  - (2) Final Ballot—on or before October 10, the secretary-treasurer shall mail a final ballot to each member school in the districts in which a chairman is to be elected. The ballot shall list the nominees in alphabetical order. Final ballots shall be returned to the secretary-treasurer on or before October 20. The nominee receiving the highest number of votes on the final ballot shall be declared elected. In case of a tie, the chairman of the board shall appoint a disinterested person to determine the election by lot.
- c. The election of the sectional chairmen shall be conducted by the secretary-treasurer in a manner corresponding to the method of election of district chairmen.

SECTION 5. *Annual Meeting*

The Annual Meeting of the Association shall be held at the time and place of the Annual Meeting of the Wisconsin Education Association.

**Article V—Constitution and Standing Rules**

SECTION 1. The articles governing the Association shall be the Constitution and the Standing Rules.

SECTION 2. *Amendments*

- a. Amendments to the Constitution may be *initiated* by the Board of Control at any regular or special meeting; by the secretary-treasurer upon petition from 25 member schools; or by a majority vote of the Association at its annual meeting.
- b. Ratification of Amendments—after being initiated as required above, a proposed amendment must be submitted to a referendum of all the member schools. Ballots must be returned within 30 days after being mailed by the secretary-treasurer. If approved by a majority of the schools voting in the referendum, the proposed amendment shall be submitted to the next annual meeting of the Association. If it then also receives a majority of the votes cast, it shall be declared ratified. If not ratified by the members voting at the annual meeting, it shall be submitted to a second referendum and if approved by a majority of the members voting, shall be declared ratified.

SECTION 3. *Standing Rules*

The Standing Rules may be changed or amended by a majority vote of the Board of Control at any regular or special meeting.

**STANDING RULES****I. General Rules**

1. Membership—the membership year of the Association shall correspond with the school year. The annual dues must be paid on or before October 1. *\*No school may participate in any Association activity whose dues are not received by this date.*
2. Student Eligibility
  - a. Any bona-fide pupil who is in regular attendance in the 9th, 10th, 11th, or 12th grade, and not beyond the 8th semester of high school, is eligible to compete in Association activities, provided that he or she
    - (1) has been taking not less than 20 hours of regular school work from the first 15 days of the semester in which the contest is scheduled, and
    - (2) has an average standing for all school work equal at least to a passing mark—with not more than one grade below passing, irrespective of the number of classes carried, and
    - (3) has earned at least three credits during the last semester in which he attended school.

\*Indicates changes in the rules this year.

- b. Student eligibility blanks must be sent to the chairman one week prior to each league contest, or to the chairman of the first contest beyond the local contest.
3. Dramatic, debate and speech coaches must be bona-fide teachers of the school, regularly employed by the school.
4. Dues—the dues structure for 1959-60 shall be:  
 \$13.00 for schools with enrollment of 149 or less  
 \$15.50 for schools with enrollment of 150 to 349  
 \$18.00 for schools with enrollment of 350 or more
5. The Association shall sponsor the following activities:
- Dramatics—One-act play
  - Debate
  - Speech  
 Original and non-original oratory  
*Memorized declamation\**  
 Extemporaneous reading  
 Extemporaneous speaking  
 Four-minute speech (any contemporary problem)  
 Interpretative reading  
 Play reading
  - Tape-recorded panel discussion
  - Tape-recorded radio program
6. Contest Committee  
 The contest committee shall determine
- the fee for judging
  - the admission fee
  - the registration fee
  - the order of contestants, except that insofar as possible it be by the drawing of lots.
7. Contest Regulations
- League contests shall be interpreted to mean contests open to ninth, tenth, eleventh, and twelfth grade students.
  - The maximum number of contestants each school may enter in each event of league speech contests shall be two, except in play reading where one entry of 2-5 persons in the cast may be made by each participating school.
  - No school or contestant may participate in any official contest of the Association without actually attending the contest in person.
  - No student shall represent his school in the same year in more than one event of the speech contest.
  - Participants awarded "A" in the speech contests (beginning the league) are eligible to proceed to the next contest; participants awarded "A" in the district contest are eligible to participate in the state contest.

\*Indicates changes in the rules this year.

- Individual awards shall not be given at district and sectional contests.
  - Member schools may participate with non-member schools but such participation shall not be considered in the determination of eligibility for Certificates of Participation.
  - Whether or not there shall be district contests in drama and debate in a section shall depend upon the judgment of the sectional and district chairmen involved as to the need for them. In case of a tie, the sectional chairman shall decide.
8. Judges and Judging
- Each contest shall be judged by one or more judges. By agreement of the majority of the participating schools, the coaches may act as judges of these contests. No coach shall judge his own contestants. The judge or judges shall grade each play A, B, or C, and each participant in the speech contests A, B or C, according to merit, possibly having several of the same grade or none of some grades. All those graded A shall be eligible to go on to the next contest. If several judges are used, the median of their ratings shall be the final grade.
9. State Contest Registration Fees  
 The registration fees for state contests shall be as follows:
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| Discussion ..... | \$ 5.00 per school  |
| Drama .....      | 20.00 per school    |
| Debate .....     | 25.00 per school    |
| Speech .....     | 3.00 per contestant |
| Radio .....      | 5.00 per school     |
- The fees for each state contest shall be paid to the secretary-treasurer when the registration for that contest is made.
10. Awards  
 The number and kind of awards at state contests shall be determined annually by the Board of Control.
- All students who participate in one or more inter-school programs sponsored by the Association are eligible to receive a Certificate of Participation. The principal shall notify the secretary-treasurer (upon forms furnished by the secretary-treasurer) of the number of each kind of certificate needed (Drama, Debate, Discussion, Radio Speech).
  - At the state contests or tournaments the following awards shall be given:
- | <i>Discussion</i>                            | <i>Individual</i> | <i>School</i>              |
|--|-------------------|----------------------------|
| A rating—Individual gold medals              |                   | Certificate of Achievement |
| B rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> |                   | Certificate of Achievement |
| C rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> |                   | Certificate of Achievement |

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**Radio**

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| A rating—Individual gold medals              | Certificate of Achievement |
| B rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> | Certificate of Achievement |
| C rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> | Certificate of Achievement |

**Dramatics**

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| A rating—Individual gold medals              | School plaque              |
| B rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> | Certificate of Achievement |
| C rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> | Certificate of Achievement |

**Debate**

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| 1st place—Individual gold medals              | School plaque              |
| 2nd place— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> | Certificate of Achievement |
| 3rd place— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> | Certificate of Achievement |

**Speech Contest**

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| A rating—Individual gold medals              |
| B rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> |
| C rating— <i>Certificate of Achievement*</i> |

c. Non-participating alternates in debate will not receive medals.

**II. Supplementary Rules for Dramatics**

- Plays to be used must be selected from the list of APPROVED PLAYS 1959 (yellow cover), except that any school may enter a one-act play original to the students and faculty of that school which has been presented to the Adviser in Drama for his approval by October 1st, and for which final approval has been granted by October 15th.
- The name of the play selected must be sent to the secretary-treasurer on or before October 1st. If the final choice of play has not then been determined, the names of those in preparation shall be submitted.
- There is no rule which restricts the use of a given play to one school in each district.
- Sectional contests in drama will be held.
- Each school shall be permitted to enter only one play in district or sectional contests.
- Production time shall not exceed 35 minutes. The contest chairman shall appoint an official timekeeper who shall be stationed backstage and should order the curtain pulled at the end of the 35 minutes. Being stopped shall in no way affect the rating.
- Schools receiving A awards in district and sectional dramatic competition shall be given Certificates of Achievement. These certificates are to be provided by the state Association and delivered to district and sectional chairmen as required. The recipient schools shall be responsible for entering the specific data on the forms provided.

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**III. Supplementary Rules for Discussion and Debate**

- The Discussion and Debate Problem Area for 1959-60 is: *\*What policy in labor-management relations will best serve the people of the United States?*
- The National University Extension Association Discussion and Debate Handbook shall be the official handbook of the Association.
- Each school shall certify in advance of the contest a team for each of the rounds of the contest. This team shall consist of two affirmative and two negative debaters and may also have one or two alternates. If two, one must be designated affirmative alternate and one negative alternate. The alternates shall attend only those debates in which their team is participating. They may not participate in the debate in any way except in case of illness of a debater. No debater shall participate on both sides in the same debate contest.
- The order of debating shall be: for constructive speech—affirmative, negative, affirmative, negative; for rebuttal—negative, affirmative, negative, affirmative.
- Time
  - Constructive speeches shall not exceed ten minutes; rebuttal speeches shall not exceed five minutes.
  - There shall be an official timekeeper for each debate.
  - Time cards shall be used for all contest debates. The timekeeper shall be seated in full view of the debaters, facing them, and shall display time cards to indicate at one-minute intervals, the amount of time remaining for each debater. There shall also be a card to indicate when only one-half minute remains.
  - The timekeeper shall rise and remain standing at the full expiration of time for both constructive and rebuttal speeches. When the timekeeper rises, the debater shall complete only the sentence already begun. If he continues beyond that sentence, the judge shall stop him. Being stopped shall not in any way affect the ranking.
  - The affirmative team shall provide time cards for each debate.
- Tournaments
  - District Tournaments—each district may hold a debate tournament of three rounds in which all member schools are eligible to participate.
  - Sectional Tournament—each section shall hold a debate tournament of three rounds. On the basis of wins and losses, at least the three highest schools and all tied with them in each district tournament within the section shall be eligible to participate in the sectional tournament. Any school losing only two debates in the district tournament shall be eligible to participate in the sectional tournament.

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- c. State Tournament—there shall be a state tournament of four rounds. On the basis of wins and losses, at least the three highest schools and all tied with them in each sectional tournament shall be eligible to participate in the state tournament. Any school losing only two debates in the sectional tournament shall be eligible to participate in the state tournament. On the basis of wins and losses, the highest school and all tied with it in the state tournament shall be considered the state champions. Second place shall go to the next highest ranking school and all tied with it. Third place shall go to the next highest ranking school and all tied with it.
  - d. In the event that any debate squad shall not be present at the time of drawing, the contest manager shall draw for that squad.
  - e. If any squad has not appeared by the scheduled starting time, the other debates shall proceed as scheduled. If the tardy squad is ready to debate within 15 minutes of the scheduled starting time, they shall be allowed to proceed without prejudice or penalty with no reduction of time allowed for presentations and rebuttals. If the tardy squad is not ready within 15 minutes of the scheduled starting time, they shall forfeit that round to the opposition.
  - f. Unless the contest manager has good reason to believe that a squad which did not appear for the first round will be ready to debate at the beginning of the second round, he shall, during the first round, re-schedule the succeeding rounds. Ten minutes before the second round, he shall release the original schedule if the late squad has arrived, or the revised schedule if the late squad has not arrived. No change shall be made after the release of schedules.
  - g. If the late squad has missed the first two rounds, it shall be ineligible to enter any succeeding rounds.
7. All schools which qualify to pass from the district to the sectional and from the sectional to the state debate contests shall be given Certificates of Achievement. These certificates are to be provided by the state office and delivered to district and sectional chairmen as required. The recipient schools shall be responsible for entering the specific data on the forms provided.
  8. Coaches are asked not to attend any but the final round of debate at the state contest.
  9. The order of participation in district, sectional, and state debate contests shall be determined by the drawing of lots at the beginning of the contest.
  10. Judges at the debate contests are asked to submit brief written comments for each debate on forms provided by the state office.

#### IV. Supplementary Rules for Declamation and Oration

1. There are no lists of prohibited declamations or orations.
2. Declamations and orations shall not exceed ten minutes in length. The official timekeeper (or judge) shall stand and remain standing at the expiration of ten minutes and the participant shall only complete the sentence already begun. If he continues beyond that sentence, the judge shall stop him. Being stopped shall in no way affect the ranking.
3. There is no minimum time for declamations or orations. The discretion as to whether or not the length is suitable is left to the judge.
4. There is no rule prohibiting a student from changing his declamation or oration as he progresses from one contest to the next.
5. A student may not use the same selection in more than one school year.
6. *Declamations may be humorous or non-humorous but only one contest shall be held, termed "Memorized Declamation."*\*
7. Orations may be original (actually written by the student), or non-original. Separate contests shall be held for each. Original orations may not be used in the non-original oratory contest, nor non-original orations in the original oratory contest.
8. Properties such as costumes, chairs, kerchiefs, flags, etc., may not be used in presenting declamations or orations.

#### V. Supplementary Rules for Extemporaneous Speaking

1. Selections may not be less than five minutes in length, nor more than seven minutes. The official timekeeper shall use time cards to indicate the passage of each minute of time; he shall stand and remain standing at the end of seven minutes, and the participant shall only complete the sentence already begun. If the participant continues further, the judge shall stop him, but being stopped shall in no way affect the ranking. The timekeeper shall notify the judge if the participant speaks less than five minutes.
2. The host school shall provide the time cards.
3. The periodicals from which topics (not titles) will be taken are the January, February, March and April issues of *American Observer*, *Current History*, *Newsweek*, *Scholastic*, *U.S. News and World Report*, and *The Reporter*.<sup>1</sup>
4. For the state contest the secretary-treasurer shall select twenty to thirty topics (not titles) and write each such topic on a card. One hour before participation the pupil may draw five cards, choose a

<sup>1</sup>Neither the Traveling Library nor the Extension Division Library can be expected to supply schools with these issues of these magazines. Schools are urged to subscribe directly to them. See rates on page 9.

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topic, and return four cards before the next contestant chooses. The same plan should be followed for all preliminary contests, substituting for secretary-treasurer, a person satisfactory to the participating schools.

5. Participants may bring to the preparation hour their own magazines and dictionaries, but no written or typed notes or outlines. In the presentation he may speak from notes prepared during the preparation hour. The host school shall provide uniform distinctive paper for participants to use in the preparation hour.
6. At the conclusion of each presentation, the judge shall ask one or more pertinent questions of each participant.

#### VI. Supplementary Rules for Extemporaneous Reading

1. *This contest shall be limited to the following works of Mark Twains Tom Sawyer, Puddin' Head Wilson, Life on the Mississippi, The Prince and the Pauper.\**
2. The secretary-treasurer shall select, for the state contest, a number of selections. The participants, in order of their appearance on the program, shall, sixty minutes before appearing before the judge, draw three selections, select one without advice and return the others within five minutes. The contestant shall make and time his own cutting and, before the judge, comment on the context from which it was taken and then read the cutting.
3. The same plan shall be followed in all preliminary contests; substituting for the secretary-treasurer, a person satisfactory to the participating schools.
4. The delivery time for the introduction and reading shall not be more than five minutes. The official timekeeper or judge shall stand and remain standing at the expiration of five minutes and the participant shall complete only the sentence already begun. If he continues beyond that point, the judge shall stop him. Being stopped shall in no way affect the ranking.
5. There is no minimum time for extemporaneous reading. The discretion as to whether or not the length is suitable shall be left to the judge.

#### VII. Supplementary Rules for Four-Minute Speech

1. The speech is to be written by the student on any contemporary problem.
2. Speeches shall be limited to four minutes. The timekeeper (or judge) shall give warning at the end of three minutes by raising his hand; he shall stand and remain standing at the end of four minutes, and the participant shall only complete the sentence already begun. If he continues further, the judge shall stop him. Being stopped shall in no way affect the ranking.

#### VIII. Supplementary Rules for Interpretative Reading

1. This contest shall be limited to the prepared reading of poetry from the printed page with the optional use of reading stand. The selection is not to be memorized.

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2. There is no list of prohibited readings.
3. Interpretative readings may not be less than seven minutes nor more than ten minutes in length, including any introductory or expository remarks by the reader. The official timekeeper or judge shall stand and remain standing at the expiration of ten minutes and the participant shall complete only the sentence already begun. If he continues beyond that sentence, the judge shall stop him. Being stopped shall in no way affect the ranking.
4. A student may not use the same selection(s) in more than one contest or in any subsequent year of contest competition.
5. Properties such as costumes, chairs, kerchiefs, flags, etc., may not be used in interpretative readings.

#### IX. Supplementary Rules for Play Reading

1. This contest shall consist of an interpretative reading of a play cutting by a cast of from two to five persons. Each reader may read one character only, although one of the cast may also serve to introduce or narrate the cutting which the cast has chosen.
2. This presentation is to be read and not acted.
3. Only one entry of 2-5 persons will be permitted from each school.
4. There is no list of approved or non-approved plays.
5. The time of cutting shall not exceed 15 minutes. This includes the remarks the cast may choose to make in introducing or explaining the cutting they have chosen. The official timekeeper or judge shall stand and remain standing at the expiration of 15 minutes and the reader shall complete only the sentence already begun. If he continues beyond that sentence, the judge shall stop him. Being stopped shall in no way affect the rating.
6. There is no rule prohibiting a cast from changing their play as they advance from one contest to the next.
7. Properties may NOT be used; casts have the option of holding their scripts in hand or using reading stands.
8. In the event that one of the cast is unable to appear at a contest, the coach may substitute any other eligible student.
9. The registration fee for this contest is \$3.00 for each member of the cast.
10. The reading shall be judged as an entity and each participant shall receive identical individual awards.

#### X. Supplementary Rules for Tape-Recorded Panel Discussion

- \*1. The discussion question for 1959-60: *What should be the responsibilities of government in solving the current labor-management problems?*
2. Each member school may enter one discussion team.
3. Each discussion team will consist of a student moderator, and at least three and no more than four discussants.

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4. Each discussion team shall tape record a twenty-eight minute roundtable discussion on a single-track tape at 3.75 or 7.5 inches per second. However, the 7.5 speed is preferable.
5. Students may use notes or other reference material, but the use of scripts is forbidden.
6. All tapes will be sent to the state office, where they will be divided by lot into sub-groups. The number of sub-groups will be left to the discretion of the secretary-treasurer. These groups will be judged by one judge each.
7. All "A" rated tapes in sub-groups shall advance to the next round. If, at the discretion of the secretary-treasurer the number of tapes does not warrant an additional elimination, these tapes will enter directly into the final round. Three judges will be used in the final round.
8. Judges will be asked to submit brief written comments for each discussion on forms provided by the state office.

#### XI. Supplementary Rules for Tape-Recorded Radio Contest

1. This contest consists of a production from an original script of a fourteen-minute program designed for a public address system or radio performance.
- \*2. The theme for 1959-60 shall be: "A *Public Relations Program for Your Local School.*"
3. Each member school may submit one entry in this contest.
4. The program must contribute to the designated theme. It may consist of readings, music, dramatizations, sound effects, short talks, and other typical radio program formats. It is not necessary that each element of the script be original (e.g. music, poetry, etc.)
5. Schools will identify themselves at the beginning and end of their program by such a phrase as "This is the ..... High School Radio Workshop." The name of the school and the speed of the recording (preferably 7.5) should be written on the box in which the tape is sent.
6. There is no limit to the number of students who may comprise the cast. The coach shall submit with the entry blank the name and roles of those students participating, to the extent that they deserve individual awards if the program reaches the final contest.
7. All tapes will be rated A, B, or C. The Secretary-Treasurer shall determine how many preliminary rounds are required. All tapes receiving A in the preliminary rounds shall advance to the final round. For those tapes rated A in the final round, the individuals previously certified by the coach shall receive gold medals. \**For those tapes rated B, the certified individuals shall receive Certificates of Achievement. For those tapes rated C, the certified individuals shall receive Certificates of Achievement. All schools in the final rounds shall receive Certificates of Achievement.*
8. Judges will submit written evaluations of each of the tapes judged at each level of their competition.

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### Part III

## SUGGESTED REFERENCE MATERIALS

### REFERENCES FOR SPEECH TEACHERS AND COACHES\*

The following references, while in no sense a complete list, are worth purchasing, or they may be borrowed for a two-week loan period from the Bureau of Information and Program Services, University of Wisconsin Extension Division, or from the State Traveling Library.

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For the following, address Wisconsin Idea Theatre, University Extension Division, Stadium, Madison, Wis.  
*Play Direction*, Allen Crafton, \$1.00.  
*Stage Lighting Simplified*, F. A. Buerki. 15c.  
*Organizing a Community Theatre*, National Theatre Conference. \$1.00.  
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**Student Councils and Assemblies**

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*Student Life.* (Monthly), Oct. to May). \$1.50 per subscription year with a special rate of \$1 per subscription year when three or more copies are ordered to be mailed monthly in the same wrapper. (e.g., a school subscribing to ten copies each month would be charged \$10.) Address, Student Life, 1201 16th St., N.W., Washington 6, D.C.

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**PUBLISHERS OF DRAMA AND SPEECH MATERIALS**

Appleton. Appleton-Century-Crofts, Inc., 35 W. 32nd St., New York 1.  
Baker. Walter H. Baker Co., 569 Boylston St., Boston.

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Harcourt. Harcourt, Brace & Co., Inc., 383 Madison Ave., New York 17.

Hardin. Ivan Bloom Hardin Co., The Drama Shop, 109 14th Street, N.W., Mason City, Iowa.

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Lippincott. J. B. Lippincott Co., East Washington Square, Philadelphia 5.

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Random House, 457 Madison Ave., New York 22.

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Scott. Scott Foresman & Co., 433 E. Erie St., Chicago 11.

Simon & Schuster, Inc., 630 5th Ave., New York 20.

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Wisconsin Idea Theatre, Room 3020, Stadium, Madison 5, Wis.

## Part IV ANNUAL REPORT

**THE CHANGING OF THE GUARDS**

Eleven years ago, in 1948, a new Secretary-Treasurer edited his first September *Newsletter*. In many ways it was very similar to this one. It contained a constitution and by-laws reflecting the same objectives and general program as do the current documents. Professor Andrew T. Weaver was then, as now, our Adviser in Speech. Professor Robert E. Gard, was then, as now, our Adviser in Dramatics. Among members of the Board of Control were three persons whose names are listed inside the front cover of this edition: K. A. Curran, H. F. Connors, and Clarence Thorson. The Association is, in many ways, a stable institution.

In that year membership in the Association had reached a high point of 407 schools. Two-hundred and three of these schools had sent 399 participants to the 1948 Spring Speech Contest. Income stood at \$4,930.29 for 1947-48, and there was a balance of a thousand dollars in the bank. Comparable figures for the past year, reported in this *Newsletter*, reflect a considerable growth in the amount of participation our program has attracted, and four new contests have been added. The Association is, in many ways, a changing institution.

Now, in 1959, a retiring Secretary-Treasurer has edited his last September *Newsletter*. Eleven years of close association with administrators, teachers, and students from all over the state have provided many rich experiences in educational administration. But even of more importance, these years have brought with them many opportunities to make wonderful friends. While these formal and official associations must now be transferred to another, the friendships can be treasured for many years to come.

I am leaving this position at my own request, believing that the Association will find a more logical home in the Extension Division's Department of Speech. Here Dr. Herman Brockhaus, Department Chairman, will continue his long-time interest and concern in the program of the Association. A member of his department will continue to serve the Association as Secretary-Treasurer. It is of real satisfaction to me to know that this person will be Frederick Haug, who has served as the Assistant Secretary-Treasurer this past year. He has had an intensive apprenticeship and is now ready to become your chief administrative officer.

I am being transferred to the Office of Informal Instructional Services of the Extension Division where I shall be able to pursue my major interest in adult education on a full-time basis.

You will be interested in knowing what has happened to some of the rest of our staff and services. Mrs. Lois Sheehan has been transferred to the Extension Speech Department, where she will continue to serve the Association as office secretary.

Mrs. Gladys Trayser, Mrs. Julia Mailer, Miss Gladys Dieruf, Mrs. May B. Shire, and Mrs. Violet Roisum have been transferred to the

Extension Division Library along with the Drama, Public Speaking, Music, and Education reference services.

Other parts of the Loan Package Library which many administrators, teachers, and students have used these last fifty years are being transferred, with Miss Wilma Knope, to the Traveling Library of the Wisconsin Free Library Commission. It is the policy of the Commission to serve the people of the state through their local public libraries. If you have requests for library materials or services, please make them of your local school or public library. If you have no such library, write to the Wisconsin Free Library Commission, Traveling Library Department, 706 Williamson Street, Madison, Wisconsin.

So, you can see, there have been some changes made. This is really the beginning of a new era. May the future bring us closer and closer to fulfilling the purposes for which our Association exists.

Robert H. Schacht  
Secretary-Treasurer  
WHSFA  
June 30, 1959

#### Board of Control

Two meetings of the Board of Control were held this past year; one in Milwaukee in November, the other in Madison in May. Minutes of the Board meetings may be examined by any member of the Association.

In the elections for Board Members last fall, the three incumbents who were on the ballots were all returned to office. Mr. Clarence Thorson, newly elected Milwaukee District Chairman, is not a newcomer to the WHSFA. He was a member of the Board of Control from 1946-48 from the Platteville District. Those elected were:

Northern Section—Dale Krammes, Eau Claire  
Superior District—H. F. Connors, Hurley  
Stevens Point District—J. C. Gillmann, Marathon  
Milwaukee District—Clarence Thorson, Cedarburg

#### FINANCIAL STATEMENT

Balance July 1, 1958 .....\$106.08  
(With Account Payable—Speech Medals \$869.99)

#### Receipts

|                               |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| Dues .....                    | \$6,936.10 |
| Sale of Materials .....       | 729.28     |
| Speech Institutes .....       | 20.73      |
| State Drama Contest .....     | 260.00     |
| State Debate Contest .....    | 568.75     |
| State Speech Contest .....    | 3,870.85   |
| Discussion Contest .....      | 80.00      |
| Radio Contest .....           | 25.00      |
| Board Stationery .....        | 49.53      |
| Loan from Oshkosh District .. | 200.00     |

\$12,740.24

#### Disbursements

|   |           |
|---|-----------|
| Material for Resale .....                                 | \$ 704.66 |
| Board & Committee Expense ..                              | 744.19    |
| Printing<br>(Included Bd. Stationery) ..                  | 1,320.65  |
| Speech Institutes .....                                   | 173.64    |
| Discussion Contest .....                                  | 84.00     |
| State Drama Contest .....                                 | 571.50    |
| State Debate Contest .....                                | 970.92    |
| State Speech Contest .....                                | 3,632.65  |
| Postage & Supplies .....                                  | 351.90    |
| Awards (1957-58 Speech) .....                             | 869.99    |
| Refunds .....   | 6.50      |
| Cuttings .....  | 287.46    |
| Student Help .....  | 330.72    |
| Bank Service Charge .....                                 | 12.31     |
| University Extension Division<br>(for Steno Salary) ..... | 2,500.00  |
| Radio Contest .....                                       | 30.00     |

\$12,591.09

Net Profit for the period July 1, 1958 - June 10, 1959 .....\$149.15

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| Balance June 10, 1959 .....                     | \$255.23 |
| Accounts Payable—May Newsletter Printing .....  | \$ 32.50 |
| Awards—Additional Speech and Radio Awards ..... | \$107.81 |
| Student Help                                    |          |

We, the undersigned, have carefully examined the financial records of the Wisconsin High School Forensic Association and find them correct. We certify that the financial picture, as presented in the Treasurer's report printed above, gives an accurate account of the financial condition of the Association as of June 18, 1959.

Signed:

F. L. Johnson, *Ass't Business Manager*  
University of Wisconsin Extension Division

Tom Jafferries, Univ. of Wis. Ext. Div.

R. W. Hunsader, *Chairman*  
Whitewater District  
WHSFA Board of Control

**STATE DRAMA CONTEST****Wisconsin State College, Stevens Point****December 6, 1959**

Presiding: A. F. Christ, Vice Chairman of the Board of Control  
Wisconsin High School Forensic Association

Welcome: William C. Hansen, President  
Wisconsin State College, Stevens Point

Judges: Lester E. Fuhrmann, Associate Professor of Speech and  
Drama, University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee  
Pauline Isaacson, Chairman of The Speech Department  
Wisconsin State College, Stevens Point  
Robert E. Gard, Director, Wisconsin Idea Theatre  
University of Wisconsin Extension Division

**MARINETTE—"A"****"ECHOES OF THE SEA"***Sherwood Collins*

Ada, the mother ..... Jane Hoare  
Grandmother, her mother ..... Kay Feldstein  
Fergus, her brother ..... Tom Kuchenberg  
Bennett, her son ..... Bob Davis

Director: Virginia S. Newell

Stage Manager ..... Mary Peterson

**NEW LONDON—"A"****"A GAME OF CHESS"***K. S. Goodman*

Alexis Aleandrovitch ..... Carl Fredrickson  
Boris Ivanovitch Shamrayeff ..... Pete Sweedy  
Constantine ..... Fritz Hunrath  
Guard ..... Neal Steinberg

Director: Robert Patchen

Stage Manager ..... Terry Dorsey

**RIPON—"A"****"GLASS MENAGERIE"***T. Williams*

Jim O'Connor ..... Mark Lundeen  
Laura Wingfield ..... Dianne Ashley

Director: David J. Gawronski

Stage Manager ..... John Lueck

**WEST BEND—"A"****"THE CLOD"***Lewis Beach*

Thaddeus Trask ..... Bill Burckhardt  
Mary Trask ..... Ann Conring  
Northern Private ..... Tom Haebig  
Southern Sergeant ..... Dick Faircloth  
Southern Private ..... Tom Albrecht

Director: Robert M. Freeman

**WEST ALLIS CENTRAL—"A"****"THE MADWOMAN OF CHAILLOT"***Jean Giradoux*

Countess Aurelia ..... Bonnie Dopp  
Sewerman ..... Mike Ullerich  
Ragpicker ..... Primo Vannicelli  
Madwomen—Gabrielle ..... Diane Kuebler  
Constance ..... Donna Sharogian  
Josephine ..... Kathy Ice

Irma ..... Janice Sterbenz

Presidents 1 ..... Mike Ullerich  
2 ..... Tony Raucher  
3 ..... Fred Gerow

Prospectors 1 ..... Dave Lewandowski  
2 ..... Jerry Inhoff  
3 ..... Al Shurkoff

Pressman 1 ..... Mike Ullerich  
2 ..... Tony Raucher  
3 ..... Fred Gerow

Women 1 ..... Sharon Mayer  
2 ..... Carolyn Forester  
3 ..... Sue Essock

The Man ..... Al Shurkoff

Vagabonds 1 & 2 ..... Tony Raucher, Pat Mitchell

Flower Girl ..... Diane Olsen

Director: Marial Puhl



**ASHLAND DE PADUA—"B"**  
**"SPREADING THE NEWS"**  
*Lady Gregory*

|                                |                              |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Bartley Fallen .....           | William Schroeder            |
| Mrs. Fallen .....              | Rose Marie Ogle              |
| Jack Smith .....               | Don Jocewicz                 |
| Shawneen Early .....           | Mary Racey                   |
| Tim Casey .....                | John Bloss                   |
| James Ryan .....               | Robert Huber                 |
| Mrs. Tarpey .....              | Sherry O'Brien               |
| Mrs. Tully .....               | Joyce Lemieux                |
| A Policeman (Jo Muldoon) ..... | Mike Harrison                |
| A Removable Magistrate .....   | James Svendsen               |
| Stage Manager .....            | Director: Sister M. Theodata |
| Make-Up and Music .....        | Kathleen Taggett             |
|                                | E. Gregor, K. Lee            |

**BROOKFIELD—"B"**  
**"THE WHITE DOVE"**  
*Clarence Robinson*

|                      |                                |
|----------------------|--------------------------------|
| Old Gonzales .....   | Simon Martinez                 |
| Juan .....           | Eduardo Freire                 |
| Maria .....          | Carolyn Barth                  |
| Mama Rosa .....      | Cindy Kneen                    |
| Stage Managers ..... | Director: C. L. Boyes          |
|                      | D. Frazer, R. Reinke, P. Beyer |

**LA CROSSE AQUINAS—"B"**  
**"BOX AND COX"**  
*John Morton*

|                                 |                            |
|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| Box, a journeyman printer ..... | Bill Schmidt               |
| Cox, a journeyman hatter .....  | Joe Murrie                 |
| Mrs. Bouncer .....              | Kay Snyder                 |
| Stage Manager .....             | Director: Sister M. Marcia |
|                                 | Charles Olson              |

**RICE LAKE—"B"**  
**"AIR TIGHT ALIBI"**  
*W. Hackett*

|                        |                            |
|------------------------|----------------------------|
| Abby Cosgrove .....    | Pamela O'Brien             |
| Zachary Cosgrove ..... | David Schuerer             |
| The Director .....     | Virgil Amundson            |
| Stage Managers .....   | Director: Richard Weghorn  |
|                        | David Amborn, Bernard Lane |

**ROSHOLT—"B"**  
**"THE WALL"**  
*Verne Powers*

|                     |                             |
|---------------------|-----------------------------|
| Zohar .....         | Gary Rosholt                |
| Tondi Attardi ..... | Rose Schrader               |
| Mallor .....        | Douglas Wilhelm             |
| Krawitz .....       | Donald Zalewski             |
| Matisse Rotha ..... | Ruth Aanrud                 |
| Ryko .....          | Lloyd Stankowski            |
| Maylo Zetra .....   | James Catozzi               |
| Stage Manager ..... | Director: William W. Wagner |
|                     | Craig Gardner               |

**IOLA—"C"**  
**"THE HERITAGE OF WIMPOLE STREET"**  
*Robert Knipe*

|                                 |                         |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Edward Moulton-Barrett .....    | Ronnie Toebaas          |
| Henrietta Moulton-Barrett ..... | Judy Stoltenberg        |
| Arabel Moulton-Barrett .....    | Mary Ann Bergen         |
| Robert Barrett Browning .....   | David Aronson           |
| Jane .....                      | Joan Hein               |
| Stage Manager .....             | Director: Irene Cleaves |

**MERRILL—"C"**  
**"THREE ON A BENCH"**  
*Doris Estrada*

|                     |                            |
|---------------------|----------------------------|
| Betty .....         | Kathy Pehlke               |
| Harry .....         | Joe Ryan                   |
| Mrs. Moore .....    | Luellen Giese              |
| Mr. Callahan .....  | Bill Raudwer               |
| Stage Manager ..... | Director: Georgiana Sobola |
|                     | Laurence Pagel             |

**VERONA—"C"**  
**"ANTIC SPRING"**  
*Robert Nail*

|                      |                            |
|----------------------|----------------------------|
| Elbert .....         | Tom Thompson               |
| Ginger .....         | Sharon Staley              |
| Blossom .....        | Janet Leffingwell          |
| Robert .....         | Kenneth Wenger             |
| Sam .....            | Don Brink                  |
| Gwendolyn .....      | Sue Vincent                |
| Stage Managers ..... | Director: Mrs. Joyce Sasso |
|                      | John Wolf, Sandy Mueller   |

**SUMMARY OF SECTIONAL DRAMA CONTEST REPORTS 1958****Northern Section—At Rice Lake**

|                       |   |             |   |
|-----------------------|---|-------------|---|
| Ashland DePadua ..... | A | Osseo ..... | B |
| Rice Lake .....       | A | Thorp ..... | B |

Judge: Grace Walsh

**Central Section—At Stevens Point**

|                         |   |                        |   |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------|---|
| Iola .....              | A | Green Bay Preble ..... | B |
| La Crosse Aquinas ..... | A | Loyal .....            | B |
| Marinette .....         | A | Mosinee .....          | B |
| Merrill .....           | A | Niagara .....          | B |
| New London .....        | A | Oconto Falls .....     | B |
| Ripon .....             | A | Richland Center .....  | B |
| Rosholt .....           | A | West Lima .....        | B |
| Bowler .....            | B | West Salem .....       | B |
| Cashton .....           | B |                        |   |

Judge: Leland Burroughs

**Southern Section—At Whitewater**

|                            |   |                              |   |
|----------------------------|---|------------------------------|---|
| Brookfield .....           | A |                              |   |
| Verona .....               | A |                              |   |
| West Allis Central .....   | A | Oconomowoc .....             | B |
| West Bend .....            | A | Platteville .....            | B |
| Cassville .....            | B | Walworth .....               | B |
| Grafton .....              | B | Madison—Wisconsin High ..... | C |
| Madison—Monona Grove ..... | B | Stoughton .....              | C |
| Muscoda .....              | B |                              |   |

Judge: Jonathan Curvin

**SUMMARY OF DISTRICT DRAMA CONTEST REPORTS—1958****Eau Claire District—At Eau Claire**

|                 |   |                |   |
|-----------------|---|----------------|---|
| Osseo .....     | A | Cadott .....   | B |
| Rice Lake ..... | A | Gilman .....   | B |
| Thorp .....     | A | Holcombe ..... | B |
|                 |   | Mondovi .....  | B |

Judge: Earl S. Kjer

**La Crosse District—At La Crosse**

|                         |   |                    |   |
|-------------------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Cashton .....           | A | Elroy .....        | B |
| La Crosse Aquinas ..... | A | Gale-Ettrick ..... | B |
| Richland Center .....   | A | Tomah .....        | B |
| West Lima .....         | A | Viola .....        | B |
| West Salem .....        | A | Wauzeka .....      | B |
| Blair .....             | A |                    |   |

Judge: Dr. Marie Toland

**Milwaukee District—At Notre Dame High**

|                          |   |                            |   |
|--------------------------|---|----------------------------|---|
| Grafton .....            | A | Germantown .....           | B |
| Oconomowoc .....         | A | Milwaukee Mercy .....      | B |
| West Allis Central ..... | A | Milwaukee Notre Dame ..... | B |
| West Bend .....          | A | Muskego .....              | B |
| Cedarburg .....          | B |                            |   |

Judge: Mrs. Elizabeth Gibson

**Oshkosh District—New London**

|                        |   |                  |   |
|------------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Green Bay Preble ..... | A | Florence .....   | B |
| Marinette .....        | A | Luxemburg .....  | B |
| New London .....       | A | Pembine .....    | B |
| Niagara .....          | A | Pulaski .....    | B |
| Oconto Falls .....     | A | Rosendale .....  | B |
| Ripon .....            | A | Sevastopol ..... | B |
| Algoma .....           | B | Shiocton .....   | B |
| Brussels .....         | B | Wausaukee .....  | B |
| Casco .....            | B |                  |   |

Judges: Maysel Evans, Olive Davenport

**Platteville District—At Platteville**

|                   |   |                  |   |
|-------------------|---|------------------|---|
| Brookfield .....  | A | Barneveld .....  | B |
| Cassville .....   | A | Mount Hope ..... | B |
| Muscoda .....     | A | New Glarus ..... | C |
| Platteville ..... | A | Weston .....     | C |
| Argyle .....      | B |                  |   |

Judge: Julia Mailer

**Stevens Point District—At Stevens Point**

|               |   |                    |   |
|---------------|---|--------------------|---|
| Bowler .....  | A | Greenwood .....    | B |
| Iola .....    | A | Manawa .....       | B |
| Loyal .....   | A | Medford .....      | B |
| Merrill ..... | A | Necedah .....      | B |
| Mosinee ..... | A | Port Edwards ..... | B |
| Rosholt ..... | A | Westfield .....    | B |
| Almond .....  | B | Wittenberg .....   | B |
| Edgar .....   | B |                    |   |

Judge: Pauline Isaacson

**Superior District—At Ashland**

|                        |   |                          |   |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|
| Ashland De Padua ..... | A | Ondossagon-Ashland ..... | B |
| Ashland Senior .....   | B | Port Wing .....          | B |
| Phillips .....         | B | Superior Cathedral ..... | B |
| Mellen .....           | B |                          |   |

Judge: Chauncey C. Peterson

**Whitewater District—At Whitewater**

|                        |   |             |   |
|------------------------|---|-------------|---|
| Madison—Wisconsin High | A | Randolph    | B |
| Madison—Monona Grove   | A | Reedsburg   | B |
| Stoughton              | A | Reeseville  | B |
| Walworth               | A | Sauk City   | B |
| Verona                 | A | Black Earth | C |
| Fox Lake               | B | Cambria     | C |
| Lodi                   | B | Fall River  | C |
| Pardeeville            | B | Lake Mills  | C |
| Prairie du Sac         | B | Milton      | C |

Judge: Julia Mailer

**River Falls District did not hold a contest.**

**1958—TAPE-RECORDED PANEL DISCUSSION CONTEST—1959**

Question: *What features of British and Russian education would best serve the interests of the people of the United States?*

**Preliminary Rounds**

Group I ..... Judge, H. H. Brockhaus  
University Extension Division

|               |              |
|---------------|--------------|
| Whitefish Bay | A            |
| Wauwatosa     | C            |
| Two Rivers    | Disqualified |

Group II ..... Judge, Kenneth Anderson  
University of Wisconsin

|                                |   |
|--------------------------------|---|
| Prairie du Chien Champion      | B |
| Merrill                        | A |
| Merrill Our Lady Of Holy Cross | B |

Group III ..... Judge, Grace Walsh  
Wisconsin State College  
Eau Claire

|                        |   |
|------------------------|---|
| Madison—Wisconsin High | B |
| Lancaster              | C |
| Medford                | B |
| Greenwood              | B |

Group IV ..... Judge, Joseph Laine  
Marquette University

|                   |   |
|-------------------|---|
| Fort Atkinson     | B |
| Eau Claire Junior | C |
| Ashland           | C |

|            |   |
|------------|---|
| Group V    | Judge, William E. White<br>Wisconsin State College<br>Oshkosh |
| Unity      | B   |
| Antigo Sr. | A   |
| Beaver Dam | B   |

Two schools, Wauwatosa and Two Rivers were graded down because of their failure to comply with the time requirement of 28 minutes.

**Final Round****TAPE-RECORDED PANEL-DISCUSSION CONTEST****WHITEFISH BAY, "A"**

Donald Saurr ..... Moderator  
Herbert Roth, Nigel Gilson, Fred Ruvy, and Albert Luthmire,  
panelists.

Coach: Robert Knutzen

**MERRILL SR, "B"**

Leonard Bower ..... Moderator  
Gayla Reger, Gloriam Leck, Dennis Raquette, and Mark  
Gennrich, panelists.

Coach: Dennis Kral

**ANTIGO SR, "C"**

Robert Stephan ..... Moderator  
Nancy Bera, James Calhoun, Dan DeLacy, Diane Fronek, and  
Jack Schmidt, panelists.

Coach: John Guensberg

**1958—TAPE RECORDED RADIO CONTEST—1959**

Theme: BROTHERHOOD WEEK

Since there were only five schools, preliminary rounds were not held.

**WEST ALLIS NATHAN HALE, "A"****Participants**

|                  |                  |
|------------------|------------------|
| David Fricker    | Le Roy Krajewski |
| Gordon Morris    | Jay Stuempges    |
| Alan Huse        | Patrick Quade    |
| Marcia Farness   | Walter Janka     |
| Joan Mierzwa     | James Baukus     |
| Leonard Szudy    | Edward Shields   |
| Philip Woolhiser | Dennis Stefaniak |
| John Caspari     |                  |

Coach: J. F. Roberts

**CEDARBURG, "B"**

## Participants

|                     |                   |
|---------------------|-------------------|
| Thomas Mittelsteadt | Kathleen Mangold  |
| Lynn Stark          | George Giles      |
| Lynda Tordeur       | Ann Challinor     |
| Joen Praefke        | Rosemary Hickmann |
| Kathleen Meyer      | Pat Mueller       |

Coach: John P. Steinbach

**MERRILL SR, "B"**

## Participants

|                |              |
|----------------|--------------|
| Molly Donoghue | Bill Raudwer |
| Kathy Pehlke   | Tom Buck     |
| Barbara Alberg | John Knott   |

Coach: Alice Ann Gaedtke

**UNION GROVE, "B"**

## Participants

|                |                  |
|----------------|------------------|
| Hank Vogel     | Karen Achterberg |
| Larry Fiedler  | Carol Worzala    |
| Mike Gustafson | Carol Thrum      |
| Del Craig      | LeRoy Everton    |

Coach: Edna Liessmann

**WHITEFISH BAY, "B"**

## Participants

|                       |                |
|-----------------------|----------------|
| Dennis Krueger        | David Delahunt |
| Virginia Burgemeister | James Miller   |
| Lynn Ehlenbeck        |                |

Coach: Lois Ramstack

## Judges

Dr. Maurice Terry, of the National Conference of Christians and Jews, Milwaukee

Dr. David Welker of Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire

Dr. Karl Schmidt, Assistant Professor of Radio and TV Education, University of Wisconsin

**STATE DEBATE CONTEST**

Wisconsin Center—University of Wisconsin

February 27-28

Presiding: Frederick E. Haug, Jr., Ass't Secretary-Treasurer

Resolved: *that the United States should adopt the essential features of the British system of education.*

**SHEBOYGAN CENTRAL—FIRST PLACE**

## Affirmative

Carl Stecher  
Tom Thompson  
Dennis Mueller

## Negative

Ruth O'Donnell  
Robert Melzer

Coach: A. E. Melzer

**WEST BEND—FIRST PLACE**

## Affirmative

Mandy Weikum  
Steve Werner

## Negative

Judy Nimitz  
Jim Holt

## ALTERNATES

Gary Finch

Mike Johnson

Coach: Bruce Bertram

**HARTFORD—SECOND PLACE**

## Affirmative

Kathleen O'Keane  
Mary Casely

## Negative

William Campbell  
Mardell Schaumberg

## ALTERNATES

Ann Uber

Judith Courtney

Coach: E. R. Buetow

**RACINE ST. CATHERINE—SECOND PLACE**

## Affirmative

Mary Catherine Johnson  
Virginia Becker

## Negative

Jean Ermert  
Dennis Flynn

## ALTERNATES

Gerald Flynn

Coach: Rev. John L. Albinger

**MILWAUKEE MARQUETTE—THIRD PLACE**

## Affirmative

Kevin Kersten  
Dick Dunphy

## Negative

Jim Eberle  
Greg Carlson

## ALTERNATES

Mark Korb

Don Quinlan

Coach: John Cuddigan, S. J.

**WAUSAU—THIRD PLACE**

## Affirmative

Howard Gutgesell  
Carol Mueller

## Negative

Lynn Manicke  
Donald Kersemeier

## ALTERNATES

James Mathisen

John Pearson

Coach: E. C. Marquardt

**GREEN BAY WEST—FOURTH PLACE**

## Affirmative

Becky Carter  
Carolyn Anderson

## Negative

Mary Crook  
Don Zuidmulder  
Gary Cole

## ALTERNATE

Norm Loomer

Coach: Paul Plantico

**EAU CLAIRE MEMORIAL—FOURTH PLACE**

## Affirmative

John Hibbard  
Reed Mackenzie

## Negative

Jack Powell  
Leonard Friede

## ALTERNATE

Gary Thompson

Coach: Barry C. Robinson

**LA CROSSE AQUINAS—FOURTH PLACE**

|                            |                 |
|----------------------------|-----------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>         | <i>Negative</i> |
| Norman Flynn               | Mike Colleran   |
| Tom Munk                   | John McDonald   |
| Coach: Sister Mary Michael |                 |

**MERRILL SENIOR—FOURTH PLACE**

|                    |                 |
|--------------------|-----------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i> | <i>Negative</i> |
| Glorianne Leck     | George Lewinnek |
| Robert Quail       | Leonard Bower   |
| ALTERNATE          |                 |
| John Knott         |                 |
| Coach: Dennis Kral |                 |

**WHITEFISH BAY—FOURTH PLACE**

|                       |                 |
|-----------------------|-----------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>    | <i>Negative</i> |
| Meredith Tax          | Kay Dornbrook   |
| Marian Walker         | Jame Kelley     |
| ALTERNATES            |                 |
| S. Adelman or M. Hack | Herb Roth       |
| Coach: R. M. Thompson |                 |

**CHIPPEWA FALLS MC DONELL—FOURTH PLACE**

|                       |                       |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>    | <i>Negative</i>       |
| Sharon Maxwell        | Joseph Kuechenmeister |
| Gerald Sazama         | Robert Jenneman       |
| Coach: Andre LeTendre |                       |

**EAU CLAIRE REGIS—FIFTH PLACE**

|                         |                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>      | <i>Negative</i>        |
| Joseph DuCette          | Paul Bruckner          |
| James Linderman         | William Christofferson |
| ALTERNATE               |                        |
| Maxine Knowlton         |                        |
| Coach: Cletus D. Howard |                        |

**MILWAUKEE DIVINE SAVIOR—SIXTH PLACE**

|                        |                 |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>     | <i>Negative</i> |
| Kathleen O'Brien       | Anne Niebler    |
| Diane Winke            | Diane Kaberna   |
| Sharon Eckleman        | Judy Ehr        |
| Coach: Mary Ann Katzor |                 |

**NEENAH—SIXTH PLACE**

|                          |                  |
|--------------------------|------------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>       | <i>Negative</i>  |
| David Loynd              | Helen Loehning   |
| George Dix               | Nancy Bredendick |
| Coach: William Dunwiddie |                  |

**STEVENS POINT—SEVENTH PLACE**

|                        |                 |
|------------------------|-----------------|
| <i>Affirmative</i>     | <i>Negative</i> |
| Lee Burress            | Clarence Malick |
| James Thomson          | Bill Kalke      |
| ALTERNATES             |                 |
| Bob McDonald           | Harley Holt     |
| Coach: Mrs. Ruth Lewis |                 |

**SUMMARY OF STATE DEBATE CONTEST**

|                         | Won | Lost |                         | Won | Lost |
|-------------------------|-----|------|-------------------------|-----|------|
| Sheboygan Central       | 7   | 1    | Whitefish Bay           | 4   | 4    |
| West Bend               | 7   | 1    | Green Bay West          | 4   | 4    |
| Hartford                | 6   | 2    | Merrill Senior          | 4   | 4    |
| Racine St. Catherine    | 6   | 2    | Eau Claire Memorial     | 4   | 4    |
| Wausau                  | 5   | 3    | Eau Claire Regis        | 2   | 6    |
| Milwaukee Marquette     | 5   | 3    | Neenah                  | 1   | 7    |
| La Crosse Aquinas       | 4   | 4    | Milwaukee Divine Savior | 1   | 7    |
| Chippewa Falls McDonell | 4   | 4    | Stevens Point           | 0   | 8    |

**Judges for State Debate Tournament**

|   |
|---|
| Gladys L. Borchers, Professor of Education and Speech<br>University of Wisconsin                  |
| Merle L. Borrowman, Associate Professor of Education<br>University of Wisconsin                   |
| Winston L. Brembeck, Associate Professor of Speech<br>University of Wisconsin                     |
| Richard J. Brown, Associate Professor of Social Studies<br>Wisconsin State College, Whitewater    |
| James Cleary, Assistant Professor of Speech<br>University of Wisconsin                            |
| Sherman Gunderson, Professor of Economics<br>Wisconsin State College, Oshkosh                     |
| Pauline Isaacson, Professor of Speech<br>Wisconsin State College, Stevens Point                   |
| Ted Jackson, Instructor in Speech<br>Wisconsin State College, Oshkosh                             |
| Joe B. Laine, Professor of Speech<br>Marquette University   |
| Rexford S. Mitchell, President<br>Wisconsin State College, La Crosse                              |
| Walter Thoresen, Associate Professor of Sociology<br>Wisconsin State College, La Crosse           |
| Robert C. Voight, Professor of History<br>Lakeland College, Sheboygan                             |
| Grace Walsh, Professor of Speech and Director of Forensics<br>Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire |
| Andrew T. Weaver, Professor of Speech<br>University of Wisconsin                                  |
| William E. White, Chairman of Speech Department<br>Wisconsin State College, Oshkosh               |
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## SUMMARY OF SECTIONAL DEBATE CONTEST REPORTS

1959

## Northern Section—At Chippewa Falls

| <i>Won Lost</i>               |     | <i>Won Lost</i>             |     |
|-------------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|-----|
| Eau Claire Memorial .....     | 6 0 | Chippewa Falls Senior ..... | 3 3 |
| Chippewa Falls McDonell ..... | 4 2 | Barron .....                | 1 5 |
| Eau Claire Regis .....        | 4 2 | Thorp .....                 | 0 6 |
| River Falls .....             | 3 3 |                             |     |

## Central Section—At Stevens Point

| <i>Won Lost</i>         |     | <i>Won Lost</i>        |     |
|-------------------------|-----|------------------------|-----|
| Wausau .....            | 6 0 | Kaukauna .....         | 2 4 |
| Stevens Point .....     | 5 1 | Kewaunee .....         | 2 4 |
| La Crosse Aquinas ..... | 5 1 | Green Bay Preble ..... | 2 4 |
| Green Bay West .....    | 4 2 | Rhineland .....        | 2 4 |
| Merrill .....           | 4 2 | Wisconsin Rapids ..... | 2 4 |
| Neenah .....            | 4 2 | Two Rivers .....       | 1 5 |

## Southern Section—At Madison

| <i>Won Lost</i>                 |     | <i>Won Lost</i>            |     |
|---------------------------------|-----|----------------------------|-----|
| Milwaukee Marquette .....       | 5 1 | Madison West .....         | 3 3 |
| West Bend .....                 | 5 1 | Madison—Monona Grove ..... | 3 3 |
| Whitefish Bay .....             | 4 2 | Kenosha .....              | 3 3 |
| Racine St. Catherine .....      | 4 2 | Oconomowoc .....           | 2 4 |
| Sheboygan Central .....         | 4 2 | Whitewater College .....   | 1 5 |
| Milwaukee Divine Savior .....   | 4 2 | Beloit Memorial .....      | 1 5 |
| Hartford .....                  | 4 2 | Milwaukee Pius XI .....    | 1 5 |
| Prairie du Chien Champion ..... | 3 3 | Janesville .....           | 1 5 |

## SUMMARY OF DISTRICT DEBATE CONTEST REPORTS

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## Milwaukee District—At West Bend

| <i>Won Lost</i>               |     | <i>Won Lost</i>              |     |
|-------------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----|
| Kenosha .....                 | 6 0 | Mayville .....               | 2 4 |
| Hartford .....                | 5 1 | Port Washington .....        | 2 4 |
| Racine St. Catherine .....    | 5 1 | Sheboygan North .....        | 2 4 |
| Sheboygan Central .....       | 5 1 | Watertown .....              | 2 4 |
| West Bend .....               | 5 1 | Brookfield .....             | 1 5 |
| Whitefish Bay .....           | 5 1 | Greenfield .....             | 1 5 |
| Milwaukee Divine Savior ..... | 5 1 | Kohler .....                 | 1 5 |
| Milwaukee Marquette .....     | 5 1 | Milwaukee So. Division ..... | 1 5 |
| Milwaukee Pius XI .....       | 5 1 | West Allis Central .....     | 1 5 |
| Oconomowoc .....              | 4 2 | Horicon .....                | 0 6 |

## Oshkosh District—At Green Bay West

| <i>Won Lost</i>        |     | <i>Won Lost</i>    |     |
|------------------------|-----|--------------------|-----|
| Menasha .....          | 5 1 | New London .....   | 3 3 |
| Neenah .....           | 5 1 | Waupun .....       | 3 3 |
| Two Rivers .....       | 5 1 | Kewaskum .....     | 3 3 |
| Green Bay West .....   | 4 2 | Clintonville ..... | 2 4 |
| Kewaunee .....         | 4 2 | Seymour .....      | 1 5 |
| Kaukauna .....         | 4 2 | Appleton .....     | 1 5 |
| Green Bay Preble ..... | 4 2 | Kimberly .....     | 1 5 |
| Ripon .....            | 3 3 | Algoma .....       | 0 6 |
| Green Bay East .....   | 3 3 |                    |     |

## Stevens Point District—At Stevens Point

| <i>Won Lost</i>        |     | <i>Won Lost</i>             |     |
|------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|-----|
| Stevens Point .....    | 6 0 | Merrill Holy Cross .....    | 3 3 |
| Wisconsin Rapids ..... | 5 1 | Stevens Point Pacelli ..... | 1 5 |
| Wausau Senior .....    | 5 1 | Waupaca .....               | 1 5 |
| Rhineland .....        | 4 2 | Antigo .....                | 1 5 |
| Merrill Senior .....   | 4 2 | Wautoma .....               | 0 6 |

## Whitewater District—At Madison

| <i>Won Lost</i>             |     | <i>Won Lost</i>              |     |
|-----------------------------|-----|------------------------------|-----|
| Madison Monona Grove .....  | 6 0 | Deerfield .....              | 2 4 |
| Beloit Memorial .....       | 5 1 | Fort Atkinson .....          | 2 4 |
| Madison West .....          | 5 1 | Johnson Creek .....          | 2 4 |
| Whitewater College .....    | 4 2 | Baraboo .....                | 2 4 |
| Janesville .....            | 4 2 | Madison Wisconsin High ..... | 1 5 |
| Northwestern Military ..... | 3 3 | Wisconsin Dells .....        | 0 6 |

La Crosse District did not hold a contest. La Crosse Aquinas entered directly in the Sectional Contest.

Platteville District did not hold a contest. Prairie du Chien Champion entered directly in the Sectional Contest.

Eau Claire and River Falls districts did not hold contests. Chippewa Falls McDonell, Thorp, River Falls, Barron, Chippewa Falls Senior, Eau Claire Regis and Eau Claire Memorial entered the Northern Sectional directly.

There were no entries from the Superior District.

## STATE SPEECH CONTEST

University of Wisconsin, April 12, 1958

## Humorous Declamation

## Eau Claire District

- David Barrows, Ladysmith  
*How To Be A Host*  
Judy Bogumill, Thorp  
*Look Out When I'm Mad*  
\*Pat Drake, Eau Claire Memorial  
*Woman's Wit*  
Karen Eberhard, Neillsville  
*The Waltz*  
Barbara Fritch, Owen-Withee  
*Dear Doctor Spock*  
\*Sandy Frenchick, Weyerhaeuser  
*How To Get The Best of Children*  
\*Mel Johnson, Cumberland  
*Saga of Two-Top Gurkin*  
Jean Jolliffe, Eau Claire Regis  
*The Dancing School*  
Marilyn Katz, Rice Lake  
*The Familiar Cusher*  
\*Kent Keenlyne, Durand  
*John Brown's Body*  
Dennis Kovacevich, Bruce  
*The Trouble With Most Girls*  
\*James McCabe, Ladysmith  
*Spring Over Brooklyn*  
\*Butch Schultz, Bruce  
*What It Was, Was Football*  
Virginia Wold, Barron  
*Ortrud*

## La Crosse District

- Alice Berthelson, Holmen  
*A Night With TV*  
\*Helen Gordon, Tomah  
*Speech Judge's Nightmare*  
Carolyn Haug, Whitehall  
*Imaginary Invalid*  
\*Keith Homstad, Westby  
*Da Schoop Scovel*  
\*John Kintz, Richland Center  
*Number 1 Street*  
Tom Knabe, Alma  
*Green Pastures*  
Linda Long, DeSoto  
*Daddy Won't Listen to Reason*  
Joyce Maybee, Soldiers Grove  
*The Waltz*  
\*Jeanne Nash, Black River Falls  
*I Want to Look Natural*  
\*Wayne Rudie, Westby  
*I'll Remember It In a Minute*  
Joann Schulz, Elroy  
*Preacher's Kids*  
Jerry Uhler, La Crosse Aquinas  
*Auntie Mame*  
\*Kent Vaaler, Cashton  
*Da Schoop Scovel*

- Mary Von Ruden, Cashton  
*Arsenic and Old Lace*  
Janice Wheeler, Gale-Ettrick  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*

## Milwaukee District

- \*Marilyn Cohen, Nicolet  
*The Club Woman*  
Tom Coyle, Brookfield  
*Cyrano De Bergerac*  
\*Richard Crupi, Watertown  
*Romeo and Juliet*  
\*Claudia Dobner, Greendale  
*Dental or Mental*  
Laurie Dunlop, West Bend  
*Tea House of the August Moon*  
\*Barry Eigen, West Allis Nathan Hale  
*The Treasurer's Report*  
\*Marilyn Geyer, Wauwautosa  
*Cinderella Ya Hoo*  
Aaron Goodstein, Sheboygan North  
*Tea House of the August Moon*  
\*Kathy Harrington, Milwaukee Divine Savior  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*  
Jerry Ingles, Horicon  
*The Flea Gang's First Cigars*  
Barbara Kay, Nicolet  
*Thidwick, the Big-Hearted Moose*  
\*Charif Khaznadar, Wauwautosa  
*Cyrano De Bergerac*  
\*Jeannie Kremer, Milwaukee Messmer  
*Eloise*  
William Larson, Beaver Dam  
*Mountain Justice*  
Mary Ann Last, Random Lake  
*Introduction to the Concert*  
\*Lois Oman, Milwaukee Mercy  
*The Wizard of Oz*  
Janice Packel, Columbus  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*  
Arthur Parson, Watertown  
*Professor Sanka's Nightmare*  
\*Susan Rose, Milwaukee Mercy  
*The Little Shaver*  
\*Bob Schmidt, Sheboygan Central  
*Tea House of the August Moon*  
\*Gary Schultz, Oconomowoc  
*Huckleberry Finn*  
\*Marna Seefeldt, Beaver Dam  
*Spoof*  
\*Karen Seider, Plymouth  
*The Girl Who Made Herself Over*  
\*Karen Splinter, Brookfield  
*Little Hiwam*  
\*Meredith Tax, Whitefish Bay  
*Archie and Mehitabel*  
Bonita Ten Dolle, Oostburg  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

## Oshkosh District

- Mike Blume, Neenah  
*Dogs That Have Known Me*  
Bridget Brenzel, Kaukauna  
*The Body Beautiful*  
\*Jeanne Ehrlich, Berlin  
*I Like Men*  
\*Douglas Hargrave, Ripon  
*The Bath Hour*  
Margaret McGinly, Bear Creek  
*Back At Four*  
Mary Jo Mach, Two Rivers  
*Charles*  
Gerald Miller, Brillion  
*Soaked in Seaweed*  
Jocelyn Morsc, Ripon  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*  
\*Gerald Quimby, Fond du Lac  
*Wild Blue Yonder*  
Bonnie Rabe, Kiel  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*  
June Anne Raboin, Goodman  
*Ma's Monday Morning*  
Joan Reslock, Waupun  
*And Here I Am*  
Etta Richart, Hilbert  
*Eloise*  
\*Alice Schilling, Crandon  
*A Baby's Point of View*  
\*Harriet Steagall, Crandon  
*Eliza Sells Her Violets*  
Jim Van Ess, Denmark  
*Who's Afraid of the Big Bad Giant*  
Victoria Verbrick, Little Chute  
*Little Red Hooding Ride*  
\*Rollie Wassow, Shawano  
*Women Have No Sense of Humor*

## Platteville District

- Art Bresenham, Prairie du Chien  
*Mama Spanks Me*  
Jean De Muth, Mineral Point  
*To Be or Not To Be*  
Diann Gray, Ithaca  
*For the Love O' Mike*  
\*Pat Klassy, New Glarus  
*Four Wheels—No Brakes*  
Robert Parks, Fennimore  
*The Dentist and the Gas*  
Kenneth Swenson, Fennimore  
*Ah Love, Ah Me*  
\*John Weiskircher, Shullsburg  
*McGillcuddy McGotham*

## River Falls District

- Lynn Grinell, Hammond  
*The Bear Story*  
\*Beth Gwin, Hudson  
*The Bear Story*  
\*Diane Hoover, St. Croix Falls  
*Hand Me My Dark Glasses*  
David Neevel, Baldwin  
*The Wonderful Tar Baby Story*  
\*Richard Nelson, Frederic  
*What It Was, Was Football*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- Kay Nichols, Frederic  
*Eloise*  
Jo Ann Olson, Grantsburg  
*The Magical Skates*  
Vicki Parker, Siren  
*Eloise*  
Bob Peterson, St. Croix Falls  
*Wanted Dead or Alive*

## Stevens Point District

- \*David Anderson, Tomahawk  
*No Time for Sergeants*  
Michael Bielewicz, Medford  
*On Memory*  
\*Jane Chart, Eagle River  
*Heap Big Injun*  
\*Ann Clayton, Wild Rose  
*Horton Hatches the Egg*  
Lou Ann Doehr, Loyal  
*I Like Men*  
\*Linda Durkine, Rhinelander  
*Eloise*  
\*Rosemary Ehlinger, Wabeno  
*The Littlest Stork*  
\*Shirley Eickhoff, Eagle River  
*The Elephant's Child*  
Judy Fischer, Mattoon  
*Daffy Daphne*  
Sue Goldberg, Wausau  
*Time Out For Ginger*  
\*Beth Helmbrecht, Antigo  
*The Girl Who Made Herself Over*  
Robert Henderson, Tomahawk  
*Tea House of the August Moon*  
Helen Koonz, Gresham  
*Peter Projects*  
Shirley Kotlewski, Stevens Point  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*  
Carol Lehman, Granton  
*Horton Hatches the Egg*  
George Lewinnek, Merrill  
*Smoke, What Smoke*  
Dan Mc Briar, Plainfield  
*The Flea Gang's First Cigar*  
\*Gladys Schneider, Colby  
*Whatever You're Doing, Stop It*  
\*Janice Schultz, Stratford  
*I Like Men*  
Jackson Taylor, Green Lake  
*Women Have No Sense of Humor*  
Patsy Walker, Green Lake  
*Under the Dryer*  
Irene Warner, Abbotsford  
*Speech Judge's Nightmare*  
Arlene Wysocke, Tigerton  
*Onions In the Stew*

## Superior District

- Lila Ahola, Maple  
*The Waltz*  
Marge Berg, Park Falls  
*The Waltz*  
Janice Carlson, Hurley  
*Eloise in Paris*  
\*Dennis Esselstrom, Maple  
*Pyramus and Thisbe*

- \*Judith Lesser, Superior Cathedral  
*Thidwick, the Big-Hearted Moose*
- \*Marcia Michela, Superior Cathedral  
*Eloise*
- \*Richard Rowe, Hurley  
*Romeo and Juliet*

### Whitewater District

- \*Jeanne Anderson, Salem  
*The Waltz*
- Fred Baker, Janesville  
*Old Yeller*
- \*Lois Bergdahl, Burlington  
*At the Swimming Pool*
- Bonnie Boltz, Delavan  
*Jane*
- Paul Brown, Evansville  
*Hamlet Sees A Ghost*
- Loretta Coburn, Clinton  
*The Egg and I*
- \*Maureen Daye, Walworth  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*
- \*Karen Davidson, Markesan  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*
- \*Donna DeMomburn, Beloit  
*The Boy Next Door*
- Bonnie Draeger, Deerfield  
*How To Get the Best of Your Children*
- \*Roger Dunning, Fall River  
*The Night the Ghost Got In*
- Elaine Erickson, DeForest  
*Dogs That Have Known Me*
- \*Bonnie Fink, Brodhead  
*I Like Men*
- \*John Hambleton, Union Grove  
*Old Dry Fry*

### Non-Humorous Declamation

#### Eau Claire District

- Carla Ahlstrom, Ladysmith  
*The Glass Paperweight*
- \*Myrna Castleberg, Durand  
*My Son*
- Kathy Earl, Menomonie  
*Jane Eyre*
- \*Vicki Einum, Rice Lake  
*Mama and Doctor's Wife*
- Janice Larson, Colfax  
*Mother In Manville*
- Mary Lee Larson, Barron  
*A Man Called Peter*
- Kathy Olsen, Rice Lake  
*Miracle In The Orphanage*
- \*Linda Schwany, Owen-Withee Sr.  
*The Ice Pony*
- Evelyn Smith, Bruce  
*Wonderful World of Aunt Tuddy*
- \*Margaret Sykes, Eau Claire Regis  
*Clara*
- \*Jan Targait, Eau Claire Memorial  
*The White Hands of Telham*
- \*Laana Vesser, Eau Claire Regis  
*Magic Night*

- \*Oscar Hansen, Portage  
*Daniel in the Lion's Den*
- \*Christine Jacobsen, Sun Prairie  
*Horton Hatches the Egg*
- Joanne Johnson, Spring Green  
*Myrtle Sees Basketball*
- \*Gail Kincaid, Palmyra  
*The Girl Who Made Herself Over*
- Linn Ladd, Prairie du Sac  
*Music Hath Charms*
- Carolee Ludtke, Whitewater College  
*A Small Spot of Revenge*
- \*Maureen Madigan, Walworth  
*Gertrude, the Governess*
- \*Nora Miller, Lake Geneva  
*How Pa Grew Hot Peppers*
- Marilee Olson, Reedsburg  
*Kiddie Car Travel*
- \*Sandy Pache, Poynette  
*Between and Between*
- \*Bonita Resk, Randolph  
*The Waltz*
- Waino Salmi, Reesville  
*What It Was, Was Football*
- \*Judy Schwan, Monona Grove  
*The First Prom's the Hardest*
- \*Zona Sechrest, Madison-Wisconsin High  
*The Girl Who Made Herself Over*
- Dick Sell, Fort Atkinson  
*Hamlet Sees a Ghost*
- \*Janet Stivarius, Elkhorn  
*Please Don't Eat the Daisies*
- Carol Jean Stock, Cambridge  
*The Word is Grobble*
- \*Darryl Wood, Evansville  
*Brothers in Love*
- Janice Ziegelmann, Johnson Creek  
*And Here I Am*

#### La Crosse District

- Connie Flemming, De Soto  
*The Doll's House*
- \*Mary Fredricks, La Crosse Aquinas  
*Tell-Tale Heart*
- Caryn Goldsmith, West Salem  
*Danny*
- Mary Hart, Sparta  
*Marco Polo*
- Jackie Johnson, Blair  
*The Little Black Boys*
- Carolyn LaFranc, Mauston  
*Winter*
- Betty McCaskey, Kendall  
*From Mother, With Love*
- Karen McKinley, Wauzeka  
*Patterns*
- \*Charlotte Meyer, Bangor  
*Ralph*
- Bruce Nielson, Westby  
*Beach Red*
- \*James Neubauer, Cashton  
*The Creation*
- Jaren Pavek, Whitehall  
*Old Yeller*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Sue Peterson, Cashton  
*Maud Muller*
- Beverly Pipkorn, Elroy  
*Anastasia*
- Fay Rosenow, Cochrane-Fountain City  
*From Mother With Love*
- Marlin Stalsburg, Viroqua  
*Old Yeller*
- Mary Ann Torgerson, Seneca  
*Death Scene of Little Eva*
- Sandra Wendorf, Sparta  
*Morning Sun*
- Elaine Worman, De Soto  
*Home From Camp*

### Milwaukee District

- \*Ellen Beck, Whitefish Bay  
*Music by Adolph Baller*
- Judy Bergin, Plymouth  
*Danny's Little Tin Soldier*
- \*Pat Bushell, Racine St. Catherine  
*The Windshield Wiper*
- Kathy Carpenter, Milwaukee Div. Savior  
*White Lilacs*
- \*Linda Collins, Muskego  
*The Murder of Lidice*
- Julie Coplin, Nicolet  
*The Old Man*
- \*Judy DeLopst, Milwaukee St. Mary's  
*Joan of Lorraine*
- \*William Drake, Wauwatosa  
*Vision of America*
- \*Roberta Jones, Milwaukee Messmer  
*The Kingdom of God*
- \*Cindy Kneen, Brookfield  
*Anastasia*
- \*Janice Konrath, Hartford  
*The Mountain Whippoorwill*
- \*Shirley Laupan, Brookfield  
*White Lilacs*
- Kay Lund, Oconomowoc  
*The Old Man*
- \*Barbara Macknick, Sheboygan Central  
*Angels In The Sky*
- \*Genevieve Malm, Milwaukee Lutheran  
*The Lark*
- \*Dorothy Polzin, Sheboygan North  
*Bad Seed*
- Carol Rabe, Racine St. Catherine  
*A Toast That We Can Drink*
- \*Jacqueline Reif, Whitefish Bay  
*Member of The Wedding*
- June Schultz, West Bend  
*Lullaby of Christmas*
- \*Mary Lou Stelz, Milwaukee Divine Savior  
*Glass Menagerie*
- \*Mary Ten Pas, Cedar Grove  
*Cosette*
- \*Sheila Uttech, Sheboygan North  
*The Snow Goose*
- \*Jeanne Weiss, West Bend  
*Gabrielle*
- Mary Ann Welsch, Beaver Dam  
*Elnora*

### Oshkosh District

- Athlyn Andrews, Kaukauna  
*The Heiress*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- Peter Ascher, Shawano  
*A Portrait of Jenny*
- \*Joyce Bethard, Menasha  
*Rebecca*
- Marcia Boness, Two Rivers  
*Portrait of Jennie*
- Sally Buls, Seymour  
*Wingless Victory*
- Carol Feeney, Oconto  
*Illusion*
- \*David Finney, Oconto Falls  
*The Stone Boy*
- Kay Halverson, Menasha  
*Word From a Sealed-Off Box*
- Mary Lou Highland, Oconto  
*Danny's Little Tin Soldier*
- Pat Holland, Fish Creek  
*What Timothy Whispered to God*
- \*Karen Johnson, Brandon  
*Romeo and Juliet*
- \*Karen Krumm, Kaukauna  
*Diary of Anne Frank*
- Elaine Krysiak, Pulaski  
*The Doll House*
- Sharon Markowski, Two Rivers  
*Wuthering Heights*
- Suzie Piechocki, Shiocton  
*Beneath the Make-Up*
- John Prindiville, Campbellsport  
*The Nutmeg Eater*
- \*Sally Schmit, Suring  
*Joan of Lorraine*
- Mary Sheffy, Casco  
*The Blue Cup*
- Cynthia Stiles, De Pere  
*John Brown's Body*
- Donna Tisch, Oconto Falls  
*From Mother With Love*
- Carol Tomassewski, Three Lakes  
*I Was Alone*
- \*Ann Turba, Brussels  
*The Littlest Angel*
- Rita Urban, Casco  
*The Last Leaf*
- \*Beverly Velke, Waupun  
*Portrait of Monica*

### Platteville District

- \*Barbara Brinkman, Cassville  
*Mary Stuart*
- Karen Duffey, Muscoda  
*The Congo*
- \*Donna Georgeson, Blue River  
*Katie's First Grief*
- Pat Hazen, Mount Hope  
*The Fancy Dress Ball*
- \*Sharon Hooks, Highland  
*The Old Woman and the Clock*
- \*Carol Hutchinson, Prairie du Chien  
*Mary Stuart*
- Thomas Lardner, Prairie du Chien  
*The Cask of Amontillado*
- Linda Martin, Prairie du Chien  
*Ma Parker's Life*
- Fay Oehrlein, Lancaster  
*The Key to Jim's Heart*
- Faye Pauli, Belleville  
*Death of the Hired Man*



Sue Riechers, Belmont  
*The Boy Who Wouldn't Squeal*  
Janet Wiedman, Bloomington  
*In Rebecca's Room*  
Sandra Wooldridge, Platteville  
*Joan of Arc*

### River Falls District

Terry Anderson, Hammond  
*The Fog Horn*  
Leo Binkowski, Elmwood  
*Run, Fox, Run*  
Renee Bottolfson, Prescott  
*The Refugee*  
Mary Brown, Roberts  
*Magic Night*  
\*Kitty Campbell, St. Croix Falls  
*I Am His Son*  
\*May Christison, Osceola  
*White Cliffs of Dover*  
Mary Ann Howard, Spring Valley  
*The Old Man*  
\*Anne Knutson, Somerset  
*The Old Man*  
\*Beth Larson, Hudson  
*Battle Hymn for a 12 Year Old*  
Linda Larson, Frederic  
*My Son Was a Drug Addict*  
Mary Moen, Woodville  
*Me And Stanley*  
Bonnie Nelson, New Richmond  
*The Sticky Yellow Flowers*  
Donna Swenson, St. Croix Falls  
*The Clock*  
Karen Winzer, Roberts  
*Substitute Mother*  
Nancy Wittstock, Clear Lake  
*Things Greater than He*

### Stevens Point District

\*Sharon Cooney, Wausau  
*The Old Lady Shows Her Medals*  
\*Lani Dallman, Tomahawk  
*I'll See You In The Morning*  
Pat Gelhaus, Medford  
*The Father*  
Judy Gierl, Abbottsford  
*The Lark*  
\*Delores Goetz, Montello  
*The Snow Goose*  
Hazel Hasseler, Auburndale  
*The Whole Town's Sleeping*  
Lorraine Johnson, Waupaca  
*The Life of Ma Parker*  
Marcia Kasza, Oxford  
*Our Last Days Together*  
\*Joni Kiener, Amherst  
*The Green Scarf*  
\*Linda Loos, Colby  
*Mary Stuart*  
Jean Noeldner, Loyal  
*Our Miss Rossie*  
\*Joan Omernick, Rosholt  
*The Happy Prince*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

Janice Steinbach, Tomahawk  
*From Mother With Love*  
Shelby Tremelling, Spencer  
*The Miracle of Carville*  
Jane Way, Tigerton  
*Winterset*

### Superior District

Bonnie Brauer, Ashland  
*My Daughter Mickey*  
\*Ruth Brauer, Hayward  
*John Brown's Body*  
\*Jerome Clement, Superior Cathedral  
*Space Secret*  
Gloria Fiebig, Hawkins  
*Mr. Lincoln's Wife*  
\*Kathy Francis, Hurley  
*Elizabeth and Essex*  
\*Carol Kohlman, Minocqua  
*The Death Disk*  
\*Joan Mathy, Prentice  
*Legend of the Black Madonna*  
\*Beverly Nelson, Maple  
*On Christmas Morning*  
\*Karen Newman, Drummond  
*Yellow Wallpaper*  
\*Karen Roos, Hayward  
*A Child's Dream of a Star*  
\*Virginia Valle, Hurley  
*The Corn is Green*

### Whitewater District

\*Christine Valesh, Baraboo  
*Into a Better Kingdom*  
Ann Pier, Beloit  
*Letter From Peking*  
Dick Sveom, Brodhead  
*The Bishop's Candlesticks*  
Janis Ten Eyck, Brodhead  
*As The Herons Fly*  
Pat Osterlius, De Forest  
*Anastasia*  
\*Jean Wozniak, East Troy  
*Anastasia*  
Pat Smith, Elkhorn  
*Seven Trees and a Lamp Post*  
\*Pat Firary, Fall River  
*Into a Better Kingdom*  
\*La Yonne Stehr, Madison Wis. High  
*Mountain Whippoorwill*  
Sue Cobb, Marshall  
*The Old Man*  
\*Dyanne Schmuzler, Milton  
*Illusion*  
\*Doris McIntosh, Prairie du Sac  
*Anastasia*  
Barbara Reiser, Princeton  
*Portrait of Monica*  
\*Rita Green, Reedsburg  
*Our Town*  
Carol Thrum, Union Grove  
*The Youngest Thief*  
Diane Swanson, Union Grove  
*The American Way*  
\*Mary Ann Martin, Walworth  
*Christmas in Brooklyn*

## Non-Original Oratory

### Eau Claire District

\*Linda Berg, Barron  
*Dead End Street*  
Bebe Bryant, Durand  
*Peter's Last Gift*  
Janice Gaard, Boyceville  
*Where Are You Going*  
Bonnie Highes, Neillsville  
*They Didn't Even Try*  
LeRoy Johnson, Osseo  
*A Fish Story*  
\*Michael Langer, Eau Claire Regis  
*A Fish Story*  
Jean Lowman, Augusta  
*In Youth There Is Hope*  
Carole Nelson, Eau Claire Jr.  
*Tolerance Is Not Enough*  
Robert Nevin, Cumberland  
*On Thought*  
Emile Nichols, Chetek  
*Peter's Last Gift*  
Joy Nielson, Neillsville  
*In Youth Lives Hope*  
\*James Pannier, Elk Mound  
*Pushbutton Paradise*  
\*Tom Plischke, Chippewa Falls Sr  
*The Publican*  
\*Karen Schiessl, Bruce  
*In Youth Lives Hope*  
\*Nan Thurston, Bruce  
*The Young South*  
\*Arlene Wetsern, Chippewa Falls Sr.  
*On Thought*  
Lloyd Wright, Eau Claire Jr.  
*The Wolf Man of the Cascades*

### La Crosse District

\*Don Arenz, De Soto  
*A Fish Story*  
Bob Bautch, Alma  
*The House Always Wins*  
\*Sandra Collins, Ontario  
*Rule of Gold*  
Kathleen Curran, Mauston-Madonna  
*What Next*  
\*Mary Evans, Bangor  
*Forever a Stranger*  
Robert Feldbruegge, Norwalk  
*From the Peloponnesian War On*  
Paul Graff, Westby  
*What Else Have You Got*  
\*Karen Kardin, Holmen  
*In Youth Lives Hope*  
\*Janice Lee, Cashton  
*Dangers of Security*  
Sandra Michel, De Soto  
*A Measure of Man*  
\*Gloria Morel, Tomah  
*Forever a Stranger*  
\*Wilmer Pearson, Holmen  
*A Fish Story*  
Mary Alice Pischke, Melrose  
*Not Just Born*  
\*Judy Sanford, La Farge  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

Lyle Shaker, Hillsboro  
*No One Answer*  
\*Geri Schmitz, Cashton  
*One Hope, One World, One . . .*  
Wayne Van Ert, Mauston-Madonna  
*But I Am One*

### Milwaukee District

Marilyn Biever, Grafton  
*Youth's Duty to the Future*  
Marilyn Conger, Waldo  
*Effect of Communism on Free World*  
Fern Denis, Brookfield  
*Arithmetic of Survival*  
\*Mary Ann Frothinger, Beaver Dam  
*Procrustes and the Parrot*  
Irma Glieber, Milwaukee Messmer  
*You, the Jury*  
\*Melvin Groth, Milwaukee Concordia  
*Liberty Or Death*  
John Harris, Nicolet  
*Organized Labor and the Future*  
Lance Jones, Kohler  
*Government of the People*  
\*Charles Klopf, Wauwatosa  
*Nonsense and Nematodes*  
\*Judy Kloth, Hartford  
*The Intellectual*  
\*Barbara Koepf, Cudahy  
*Tolerance Is Not Enough*  
Joanne Kohlhagen, Sheboygan Falls  
*The Young South*  
\*James Kontak, Milwaukee Concordia  
*The Bible*  
\*Ingrid Leach, Hartford  
*Lessons of the Past*  
Mary Jane Leick, Milwaukee Mercy  
*But They Don't Believe in God*  
Helen McGrane, Kohler  
*In Youth Lives Hope*  
\*Ronald Mateski, Racine St. Catherine's  
*What Price Freedom*  
\*Bill Paape, Port Washington  
*The Publican*  
\*Bill Patchett, Columbus  
*Shadow of the Primitive*  
\*Joan Rechner, Milwaukee Div. Savior  
*We, the Women*  
Judy Ryan, West Bend  
*From Whence Cometh My Help*  
\*Marlene Schubert, Elkhart Lake  
*Forever A Stranger*  
Mary Ulrich, Horicon  
*We, the Women*  
\*Judy Walsh, Racine St. Catherine's  
*In Defense of My Generation*  
Mary Jean Wittig, Milwaukee Mercy  
*Scum of the Earth*  
Nancy Wood, Wauwatosa  
*Shadow of the Primitive*

### Oshkosh District

Charles Asher, Sturgeon Bay  
*Twentieth Century Barbarism*  
\*Helen Betts, Wausaukee  
*Forever a Stranger*

- Sharon Daubner, Fish Creek  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- \*Terry Dorsey, New London  
*A Fish Story*
- Judy Fischer, Bonduel  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*
- \*Carmen Goltry, Kiel  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*
- \*Ruth Hopfensberger, Kimberly  
*Hope For the Future*
- \*Fritz Hunrath, New London  
*A Senior Looks at Education*
- \*Jim Jacques, Luxemburg  
*A Fish Story*
- Charles Jansch, Brillion  
*Whose Responsibility*
- \*Joanne Karcz, Pulaski  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- Betty Kessel, Kewaunee  
*Teenage Killers at the Wheel*
- \*Mark Lundeen, Ripon  
*The Big Parade*
- Sheila O'Brien, Denmark  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*
- \*Mary Prybelski, Oconto  
*Walking Deadman*
- John Robinson, Laona  
*The Publican*
- Sue Sengspiel, Kewaskum  
*The Gift of Love*
- \*Beth Verner, Waupun  
*Dead End Street*

### Platteville District

- Wayne Albertson, Albany  
*Twentieth Century Barbarism*
- Tod Curtiss, Darlington  
*Perpetual Peace*
- \*Bradley Evans, Dodgeville  
*One World, One Hope, One Peace*
- \*Robert Everson, Ridgeway  
*Today and Tomorrow*
- Sally Eustace, Belmont  
*The Young South*
- \*Jack Gibson, Darlington  
*They Didn't Even Try*
- Wanda Hoelting, Belmont  
*If You Survive*
- \*Zita Leesser, Potosi  
*Enough of This*
- \*Thomas Roethe, Fennimore  
*Three Keys to a Proud Future*
- Laura Lee Rosemeyer, Platteville  
*Danger of Being Too Well Adjusted*
- Judi Schneider, Prairie du Chien  
*From Whence Cometh My Help*
- \*Mildred Wastick, Ithaca  
*Changing Emphasis*
- Kathy Weber, Lancaster  
*Forever a Stranger*
- Linda Wilkins, Lancaster  
*Why*

### River Falls District

- Rosella Aubert, Frederic  
*The Young South*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Nola Chapin, Woodville  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- Gayle Fowler, St. Croix Falls  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*
- \*Dawn Holden, Elmwood  
*How Big Is One*
- \*Donna Hulverson, Spring Valley  
*On Thought*
- Jo Ann Janssen, Grantsburg  
*Primitive Man*
- Don Kind, Ellsworth  
*The Publican*
- Jill Kusler, Siren  
*Child—Monarch In America*
- Joan Linselink, Clear Lake  
*From Whence Cometh My Help*
- Fred Owens, Hammond  
*The Publican*
- Joyce Roeben, St. Croix Falls  
*The Price of Peace*
- \*Margi Scholl, Hudson  
*A Madest Proposal*
- Ann Torkelson, Clear Lake  
*Moon Struck*

### Stevens Point District

- James Campbell, Wausau  
*Tools of Faith*
- Sharon Cerveney, Marion  
*You The Jury*
- Jerry Colbert, Stevens Point  
*The Publican*
- \*Linda Cross, Colby  
*Walking Dead Men*
- Deanna Dushek, Waupaca  
*I Speak for Democracy*
- \*Sally Gelhaus, Medford  
*We The Women*
- \*Dan Harth, Antigo  
*Patrick Henry's Call to Arms*
- \*Judy Kretz, Antigo  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*
- \*Charleen Krueger, Scandinavia  
*Today and Tomorrow*
- Larry Larson, Wittenberg  
*A Fish Story*
- Judy Lauritzen, Wild Rose  
*The Measure of a Man*
- \*Lynn Manicke, Wausau  
*How Shall We Defend America*
- John Schoultz, Stratford  
*The X In the Education System*
- Barbara Schroeder, Elcho  
*Forever A Stranger*
- \*Marilyn Spitzer, Tigerton  
*If I Could Speak for America*
- \*Maureen Stiff, Tomahawk  
*Humility*
- \*Lloyd Stankowski, Rosholt  
*Our Searching Light*
- \*Kay Zeller, Wild Rose  
*Forgotten Man of the Year*

### Superior District

- John Brennan, Minocqua  
*Is Freedom Too Much Bother*

- \*Carol Cayler, Minocqua  
*Forever A Stranger*
- Barbara Heruth, Bayfield  
*A Fish Story*
- \*Margaret Hoehn, Hawkins  
*In Youth There's Hope*
- Ervin Katsar, Tripoli  
*Walking Dead Man*
- Nancy Olingy, Park Falls  
*Little Men*
- Pat Reardon, Hurley  
*You Can Move Your Fingers*
- \*Phyllis Stremski, Hurley  
*Miracle of the Bells*

### Whitewater District

- \*Emmett Braselton, Lake Mills  
*Why*
- Barbara Daugs, Lake Mills  
*Where Are You Going? Nowhere*
- \*Judith Dretske, Markesan  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- \*Jane Erickson, Janesville  
*The Measure of A Man*
- Joan Fries, Mazomanie  
*They Didn't Even Try*

### Eau Claire District

- Connie Blom, Eau Claire Jr.  
*Cancer*
- \*Brenda Blosser, Bruce  
*On Friendly Basis*
- \*Steve Boehlke, Eau Claire Sr.  
*A Matter of Life and Death*
- \*Nancy Briggs, Bruce  
*Comedy or Tragedy*
- Linda Diehl, Neillsville  
*Reverence for Life*
- \*Pat Gocke, Chetek  
*An American's Duty to Country . . .*
- \*Janice Kocki, Weyerhaeuser  
*Last Generation*
- \*Mary McGough, Barron  
*The Fifth Freedom*
- \*Reed MacKenzie, Eau Claire Sr.  
*Fried Shoes*
- \*Jeanette Miller, Menomonie  
*Me vs GL-70*
- Nancy Morgan, Ladysmith  
*Does the U. S. Still Think for Itself*
- \*Pat Packard, Weyerhaeuser  
*Trust In Yourself*
- \*Mary Smith, Eau Claire Jr.  
*The Crippler*
- Jeanne Zurbuchen, Eau Claire Regis  
*Women In Our Society*

### La Crosse District

- \*Edith Blihovde, Westby  
*The Center of a Hurricane*
- Enid Dunnun, Cashton  
*Fear*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Judy Harme, Rio  
*Solid American Investments*
- \*Marlene Hesse, Johnson Creek  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- \*Joan Jacobsen, Princeton  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- Judy Joyce, Arena  
*Constitution—Ours to Defend*
- Pat Meutink, Salem  
*In Youth Lives Hope*
- William Pfisterer, Brodhead  
*A Message to Garcia*
- \*Willy Quast, Middleton  
*The Ideal Form of Government*
- Eugene Rogers, Walworth  
*The Publican*
- Leilani Rudd, Union Grove  
*The Bomb That Fell on America*
- Linda Sands, Lake Geneva  
*Forever a Stranger*
- \*John Schoville, Beloit  
*The Publican*
- Aileen Terry, Salem  
*Real Estate or Real Humanity*
- Alice Waterworth, Fall River  
*The Measure of A Man*
- Tom Winkler, Portage  
*Arithmetic of Survival*
- Carole Zins, Spring Green  
*We Stumble Over Truth*

### Original Oratory

- Julie Fletcher, Norwalk  
*The Conquerors Who Believe . . .*
- Joan Kingslien, Westby  
*Twin Opiates*
- Marjorie McCoy, West Lima  
*Will College Doors Close On You*
- \*Suzanna Mattson, Melrose  
*Take Your Place*
- Gini Schendel, Cashton  
*Our Bill of Rights*
- \*Loretta Sabotta, Independence  
*What Price Liberty*
- Tom Sobotta, Independence  
*Alcoholism*
- \*Charles Sullivan, Kendall  
*Where Do We Go From Here*
- James Winter, La Crosse Aquinas  
*The Hidden Population*

### Milwaukee District

- Ronald Ahrens, Random Lake  
*Stanley Yankus, Criminal*
- \*Jim Amschler, Brookfield  
*Cult of Comfort*
- Sue Bradley, West Bend  
*Give the 18 Year-Old the Vote*
- \*Mary Casely, Hartford  
*What About Dr. Jones*
- \*Judy Cerutti, Hartford  
*Will the Tidal Wave Be Met*
- \*Webster Christman, Whitefish Bay  
*The Challenge*
- \*Dick Dumphy, Milwaukee Marquette  
*Our Constitution: Our Heritage*
- \*James Evers, Milwaukee Concordia  
*The Child—The Father of Man*

- \*Janet Fina, Milwaukee Divine Savior  
*The Plight of Modern Music*
- \*Jeff Goodman, Nicolet  
*Great Is Truth*
- \*Marcia Griffith, Columbus  
*E Pluribus Unum*
- \*Marilyn Heileman, Beaver Dam  
*A Fact of Life*
- Sharol Hessliak, Cedar Grove  
*The Two Sided Key*
- Charlene Hocevar, Kohler  
*Am I Beholden*
- \*Lawrence Hurwitz, Whitefish Bay  
*Air Traffic Control*
- Pat Kenny, West Bend  
*Fear vs. Faith*
- \*Kevin Kersten, Milwaukee Marquette  
*Morality of Our Constitution*
- Karen Koehler, Milwaukee Lutheran  
*Who's to Blame*
- Judy Miller, Muskego  
*What Is Wrong*
- Tom Pinter, Oconomowoc  
*China-East or West*
- \*Susan Ploetz, Cudahy  
*What Next for the Family*
- \*Terry Rose, Kenosha  
*A Challenge to Freedoms*
- Judy Sauer, Port Washington  
*Green Stockings*
- \*Sheila Taylor, Racine St. Catherine  
*Lost, The American Home*
- \*Ronnie Tjensvold, Wauwatosa  
*No Other Power*
- Jack Tozier, Oconomowoc  
*And War's Desolation*
- \*Larry Weittenhiller, Columbus  
*Rebel—and Live*
- \*Wallis Wilde, Wauwatosa  
*Rekindling the Dreams*

### Oshkosh District

- \*Geraldine Becker, Kiel  
*Blue Print for Cuba*
- Karen Christenson, De Pere  
*Teenagers Where Do We Go From Here*
- Jane Cohan, Reedsville  
*Delinquency, Sin or Sickness*
- Linda Dykstra, Waupun  
*The Danger of Glamour*
- \*Marilyn Farwell, North Fond du Lac  
*Co-Existence or Non-Existence*
- Carl Frederickson, New London  
*A Tragedy In One Act*
- \*Kenneth Gast, Kiel  
*Twentieth Century Progress*
- Kathy Hart, Berlin  
*Challenge of Delinquency*
- Martin Kruzal, Crivitz  
*Education for Democracy*
- Robert Peters, Niagara  
*Communism*
- \*Diane Pichelmeyer, New London  
*Let's Sell Our Heritage*
- \*Rachel Schultz, Kewaunee  
*The Fears We Live By*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- Peter Senzig, Bonduel  
*Delinquency Begins at Home*
- \*Marlene Stoskopf, Pulaski  
*We Need Help*
- \*Joanne Vanish, Coleman  
*The Rut of Stagnation*
- James Windus, Manitowoc  
*What Is Right With Us*
- \*Ruth Wostecki, Crandon  
*Search For a Foreign Policy*
- Carl Ziem, Neenah  
*The Agricultural Revolution*

### Platteville District

- Mary Baebler, Monticello  
*A Way of Life*
- \*Kay Bierman, Bloomington  
*Fortress Under Siege*
- \*Karen Davis, Ridgeway  
*Disarm or Disaster*
- \*Philip Dixon, Prairie du Chien Campion  
*The Right of Silence*
- \*Catherine Gehin, Belleville  
*Dixie Isn't Ready*
- Dennis Gerber, Ridgeway  
*The Arena*
- \*Leon Glasbrenner, Boscobel  
*A Last Look*
- \*Richard Halon, Orfordville  
*The March of Progress*
- Janet Harrell, Platteville  
*Pictures of America*
- Dan Kolar, Muscoda  
*Education Leads to Conservation*
- Janice Ruskell, Belmont  
*America—Everybody's Business*
- \*Charles Rasmussen,  
Prairie du Chien Campion  
*Common Sense and the Supreme Court*
- \*Joanne Tuescher, Darlington  
*The Push-Over Parent*
- Mary Winslow, Ithaca  
*The Plague of Alcoholism*

### River Falls District

- \*Robert Edwards, Baldwin  
*Geniuses Unlimited*
- Carmen Hable, Frederic  
*With-Holding Tax for Wisconsin*
- \*Joyce Kinney, Hammond  
*Dishonesty—A National Threat*
- \*Judith Langkos, Unity  
*Is There A God*
- Lois Lumsden, St. Croix Falls  
*Headless Horsepower*
- \*Veronica Shepherd, Hudson  
*Toward a Better Understanding*
- Gene Smith Clear Lake  
*Who's On First*
- Elaine Teigen, Frederic  
*American Diplomats*
- Lynn Torkelson, Clear Lake  
*Moccasin or Shoe*
- Karen Traynor, Spring Valley  
*I Dare You To Be Different*

### Superior District

- \*Susan Carnes, Superior Cathedral  
*Communist or Free*
- \*Tom Doyle, Superior Cathedral  
*The Front Is Everywhere*
- Lucy Gross, Mellen  
*Small School—Tomorrow's Education*
- Carol Kluge, Ashland Ondossagon  
*Juvenile Delinquent*
- Joan Morey, Iron River  
*Our America, Indivisible*
- \*Charles Rang, Hayward  
*The Winding Thread*
- Janice Salo, Maple  
*The World's Picture of America*

### Stevens Point District

- Pat Ackert, Medford  
*No Man Is An Island*
- Patricia Elliot, Stevens Point Maria  
*Stability of Individualism*
- Doris Geissel, Bowler  
*Who Is Really Retarded*
- \*Howard Gutgesell, Wausau  
*Deep Roots*
- \*Iris Jacobson, Eagle River  
*Is There a Special Heaven*
- \*Donald Kersemeier, Wausau  
*In God We Trust*
- Jim Patrick, Rib Lake  
*A Look At Our Defense Program*
- Mary Ann Perry, Green Lake  
*Land Ho*
- \*Paul Trolen, Eagle River  
*Gifted High School Pupils*
- Donald Zalewski, Rosholt  
*The Meaning of the Charter*
- \*Gary Zwirschitz, Mattoon  
*The Rebel Movement in Cuba*
- Susan Wipfli, Nekoosa  
*We Need a Curfew*

### Extemporaneous Speaking

#### Eau Claire District

- John Anderson, Eau Claire Jr.  
*Controversy Over Atomic Fallout*
- \*Ann Cameron, Rice Lake  
*US Relations With Latin America*
- \*Jeanne Dundas, Menomonie  
*Controversy Over Atomic Fallout*
- Leonard Friede, Eau Claire Sr  
*Russia's New Elite Class*
- Robert Henderson, Chetek  
*US Relations With Latin America*
- Richard Holopainen, Owen-Withee Sr  
*Report on Integration In the South*
- \*Sharon Maxwell,  
Chippewa Falls McDonell  
*Meeting Increased Costs of Medical Care*
- Tim Olson, Osseo  
*Controversy Over Atomic Fallout*
- Doug Pride, Osseo  
*US In Satellite and Missile Race*
- \*James Turner, Ladysmith  
*Finding New Sources of Tax Revenue*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Dawn Wright, Colby  
*Blast the Woodpeckers*

### Whitewater District

- \*John Aspens, DeForest  
*Labor Unions*
- \*Terry Avery, Wilmot  
*Will You Celebrate Future Holidays*
- Linda Budde, Milton  
*It's Not A Disgrace*
- \*Paola De Jinnaro, Madison-Monona Grove  
*Key to Understanding*
- Marie Fischer, Jefferson  
*Freedom*
- \*Karen Forseth, Arena  
*Envoy Ordinary*
- Deborah Klopp, Beloit  
*Neglected Art of Being Different*
- Bernice Link, Cambria  
*Death Every One-Half Hour*
- Shyrl Meek, Lodi  
*Treasure In Books*
- Joseph Millas, Lake Geneva  
*An International Medical Year*
- \*June Nechrony, Whitewater College  
*Case of Do or Die*
- \*Peter Pawlisch, Oregon  
*Bluebirds, Robins, Canaries . . .*
- \*Betty Urfer, Spring Green  
*Soviet Image of America*
- \*Joan Vaughn, Jefferson  
*What We Don't Know*
- \*Cable Venable, Lake Geneva  
*Strip the Glamor From Crime*
- Mary Vogt, Madison Monona Grove  
*This is not Indifference*
- Judy Vyvyan, Union Grove  
*A Lost Word—No*
- Kenneth Walters, Princeton  
*If They're Big Enough, . . .*
- Tom Willis, Walworth  
*Surplus*
- Sue Zimmerman, Lake Geneva  
*World and Peace*

### La Crosse District

- \*Lynn Becker, Taylor  
*US In Satellite and Missile Race*
- David Cervenka, West Lima  
*The Berlin Crisis*
- \*Emily Homstad, Cashton  
*India's Role As a Neutral Power*
- \*John McDonald, La Crosse Aquinas  
*The Berlin Crisis*
- \*Bradley Miller, West Salem  
*Foreign Competition for US Markets*
- \*William Paul, Blair  
*India's Role as a Neutral Power*
- Bob Suszycky, Mauston  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- \*David Webster, Cashton  
*Effects of the Cuban Revolution*

**Milwaukee District**

- Victor Baras, Sheboygan North  
*Peril of Increasing Inflation*
- William Campbell, Hartford  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- \*Gregg Carlson, Milwaukee Marquette  
*Threat of Red China to Free World*
- \*Tom Christoffel, Oconomowoc  
*Foreign Competition for US Markets*
- \*Kathryn Dorabrook, Whitefish Bay  
*The Struggle for Power in So. Africa*
- \*Jim Ehrle, Milwaukee Marquette  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- Jim Graser, Oconomowoc  
*Threat of a Steel Strike*
- \*Alan Huse, West Allis Nathan Hale  
*Significance of the Mikoyan Visit*
- Dan Juers, Menomonee Falls  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- \*Jack Koeppl, Mayville  
*The Business Outlook for 1959*
- \*Ronald Lee Mauk, Elkhart Lake  
*The Business Outlook for 1959*
- \*Gordon Morris, West Allis Nathan Hale  
*Yugoslavia's Position in World Politics*
- \*Nancy Pilarczyk, Milwaukee Divine Savior  
*Threat of a Steel Strike*
- \*Richard Podolski, Watertown  
*Meeting Increased Costs of Medical Care*
- John Reksten, West Bend  
*Red China*
- \*James Renne, Kenosha  
*The Significance of Unemployment*
- \*Nancy Roberts, Brookfield  
*Foreign Competition for US Markets*
- \*Sands Robnick, Greendale  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- \*Mardell Schaumburg, Hartford  
*Effects of the Cuban Revolution*
- \*Mary Sfasciotti, Kenosha  
*Threat of a Steel Strike*
- Jack Strassburger, Whitefish Bay  
*India's Role as a Neutral Power*
- \*Mike Swirsky, Nicolet  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- \*Paul Weyrich, Racine St. Catherine  
*US Relations in Latin America*

**Oshkosh District**

- \*Dennis Dresang, Kimberly  
*US Relations With Latin America*
- Janice Gajewski, Pulaski  
*The Peril of Increasing Inflation*
- \*Morse Hintz, North Fond du Lac  
*The Berlin Crisis*
- Sue Jones, DePere  
*The Effects of the Cuban Revolution*
- Kathy Lewis, Brillion  
*Finding New Sources of Tax Revenue*
- Thomas McGivern, Two Rivers  
*The Threat of China to Free World*
- \*Jon Pekel, Menasha  
*Struggle for Power in South Africa*
- \*Peter Peshek, Two Rivers  
*Top 1960 Presidential Hopefuls*
- \*Gordon Reinhard, Fish Creek  
*The Revolt in Tibet*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- Shelley Suttner, Hilbert  
*Foreign Competition for US Markets*
- \*Roger Spindler, Kiel  
*Report on School Integration-South*
- Barbara Trembl, Seymour  
*US in Satellite and Missile Race*
- Betty Unser, Winneconne  
*India's Role as a Neutral Power*
- Jackie Van Egeren, Green Bay Preble  
*The Red's Trouble With Nasser*
- \*Ronald Wallenfang, Niagara  
*The Significance of Unemployment*
- \*Irene Wanke, Sturgeon Bay  
*India's Role as a Neutral Power*

**Platteville District**

- \*Anthony Daly, Prairie du Chien Champion  
*Significance of the Mikoyan Visit*
- \*Russell Hanson, Argyle  
*The Peril of Increasing Inflation*
- Marianne Miller, Highland  
*The Berlin Crisis*
- Gerald Mullen, Gratiot  
*US in Satellite and Missile Race*
- \*Frank Simonie, Platteville  
*Significance of US Population Trends*
- Norman Wold, Argyle  
*Foreign Aid*

**River Falls District**

- \*Jerome Anderson, Hammond  
*NATO'S First Ten Years*
- Gerald Hagstrom, St. Croix Falls  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- \*Mary Hartwig, Hammond  
*Effects of the Cuban Revolution*
- Bruce Jerney, Amery  
*India's Role as a Neutral Power*
- \*Jim LaFaye, New Richmond  
*The Threat of Red China to Free World*
- Donald Moses, Frederic  
*The Top 1960 Presidential Hopefuls*
- Mary Ryan, Grantsburg  
*The Red's Trouble With Nasser*
- \*Bruce Shave, New Richmond  
*NATO'S First Ten Years*
- \*Steve Stocker, Osceola  
*US in Satellite and Missile Race*
- \*Peter Svare, Hudson  
*The Revolt in Tibet*

**Superior District**

- Doris Briskie, Hurley  
*The Struggle for Power in South Africa*
- Ronald Eisemann, Minoqua  
*U.S. Satellite and Missile Race*
- Gary Franke, Port Wing  
*The Top 1960 Presidential Hopefuls*
- Harly Leslie, Butternut  
*US Relations With Latin America*
- \*Merle Meyer, Mellen  
*The Berlin Crisis*
- \*Charles Taylor, Superior Cathedral  
*US Relations with Latin America*

**Stevens Point District**

- Robert Bialozier, Wisconsin Rapids  
*Yugoslavia's Position in World Politics*
- Len Bower, Merrill  
*The Future of US Foreign Aid*
- \*Lee Burress, Stevens Point  
*US in Satellite and Missile Race*
- \*James Christenson, Waupaca  
*The Future of US Foreign Aid*
- \*Terry Cook, Colby  
*The Berlin Crisis*
- Tom Dickson, Rhinelander  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- Don Krueger, Dorchester  
*The Threat of Red China to Free World*
- \*David Egbert, Green Lake  
*Effects of the Cuban Revolution*
- \*Bill Greis, Colby  
*The Peril of Increasing Inflation*
- \*Jean Hohman, Schofield  
*Effects of the Cuban Revolution*
- \*James Mathisen, Wausau  
*Power Struggle in 86th Congress*
- \*Bob Quail, Merrill  
*The Top 1960 Presidential Hopefuls*
- \*Bob Stephan, Antigo  
*Report on School Integration-South*

**Whitewater District**

- Mary Black, Poynette  
*Russia's New Elite Class*
- \*Peter Carstensen, Madison West  
*Effects of the Cuban Revolution*
- Douglas Farrel, Clinton  
*Significance of US Population Trends*
- \*Tom Jambois, Madison Monona Grove  
*The Revolt in Tibet*
- Matt Myszewski, Milton  
*Significance of US Population Trends*
- \*Kathie Nelson, De Forest  
*US in Satellite and Missile Race*
- Dennis Nichols, Walworth  
*Controversy over Atomic Fallout*
- \*Gail Oestreick, Princeton  
*The Farm Surplus Problem*
- \*Mike Pariza, Hartland  
*The Threat of a Steel Strike*
- Diane Sauer, Markesan  
*The Red's Trouble with Nasser*
- \*Bill Schultz, Union Grove  
*Significance of the Mikoyan Visit*
- John Tennie, Johnson Creek  
*NATO'S First Ten Years*
- \*Frances Walker, Janesville  
*India's Role as a Neutral Power*
- William Wenzel, Lake Geneva  
*Meeting the Increased Cost Of Medical Care*
- \*Chad Wisneski, Hartland  
*Yugoslavia's Position in World Politics*

**Extemporeous Reading**

(The writings of Charles Dickens)

**Eau Claire District**

- \*Steve Ackert, Chippewa Falls Jr  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Ella Ager, Eau Claire Sr.  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Christine Bauer, Ladysmith  
*David Copperfield*
- Ralph Cobey, Cadott  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Julius Gilbertson, Eau Claire Regis  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Carole Henkins, Stanley  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Bettie Hughes, Neillsville  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Faith Kappus, Eau Claire Regis  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Janice Kilmer, Barron  
*Oliver Twist*
- Sharon Koehler, Weyerhauser  
*David Copperfield*
- Mary Manz, Neillsville  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Pam McDonald, Eau Claire Jr  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Dianna Neisegeier, Bruce  
*David Copperfield*
- Sandra Stephen, Eau Claire Jr.  
*Great Expectations*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- Marlene Stokes, Barron  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Patricia Twarorski, Owen-Withee  
*David Copperfield*
- Jane Walters, Eau Claire Memorial  
*A Tale of Two Cities*

**La Crosse District**

- \*Katy Flugstad, Black River Falls  
*David Copperfield*
- Sharon Foth, Sparta  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Elizabeth Hubert, Tomah  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Helen McCormick, Westby  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Elaine Orme, Elroy  
*David Copperfield*
- Donna Sanner, Richland Center  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Judy Smith, Westby  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Kathi Stettler, Alma  
*Oliver Twist*
- Joy Vare, Seneca  
*Oliver Twist*

**Milwaukee District**

- Lois Alpert, Sheboygan North  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Jacqueline Blankenheim,  
Milwaukee St. Mary's  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Jacqueline Borchert, Whitefish Bay  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Delores Broeksma, Cedarburg  
*Great Expectations*
- Mary Caljouw, Cedar Grove  
*Oliver Twist*
- Marilyn Carney, Milwaukee Divine Savior  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Alfred Christenson, Hartford  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Karen Darcey, West Allis Central  
*David Copperfield*
- Diane Jacob, Racine St. Catherine's  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Peter Janke, Port Washington  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Adriana Joosse, Port Washington  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Marilyn Krakowski, Milwaukee Messmer  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Karen Krueger, Muskego  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Jean Louret, Oostburg  
*Great Expectations*
- Janet Luehring, Mayville  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Betty Raether, Columbus  
*Great Expectations*
- Judy Reese, Brookfield  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Jane Rutledge, Wauwatosa  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Gwendolyn Simpson, Whitefish Bay  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Catherine Thranow, Wauwatosa  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Pat Weber, Milwaukee Mercy  
*A Tale of Two Cities*

**Oshkosh District**

- Lynne Ansorge, Gillett  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Ruth Bast, Oconto Falls  
*David Copperfield*
- Barbara Bricker, Pulaski  
*Great Expectations*
- Carol Brodhagen, Bonduel  
*Great Expectations*
- Diana Bubolz, Reedsville  
*Great Expectations*
- Betty Busch, Bonduel  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Linda Day, Two Rivers  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Jean Dexter, Clintonville  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Audrey Draheim, Brillion  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Pauline Fenton, Shawano  
*Oliver Twist*
- Priscilla Gaertner, New Holstein  
*Great Expectations*

- Sue Haber, Menasha  
*Oliver Twist*
- Sally Hertz, Kaukauna  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Barbara Holland, Fish Creek  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Kristine Horton, Waupun  
*Great Expectations*
- Charles Koehn, Sturgeon Bay  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Carol Korn, Winneconne  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Rosemary Malueg, Clintonville  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Patricia McGrath, Kaukauna  
*David Copperfield*
- Nancy Rathert, Crandon  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Myrna Shernoff, Crivitz  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Kathy Stephani, Seymour  
*David Copperfield*
- Theresa Tienor, Valders  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Jill Wagner, Fond du Lac  
*David Copperfield*
- Pat Zahoric, De Pere  
*A Tale of Two Cities*

**Platteville District**

- Mary Brunkow, Juda  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Donna Clerkin, Barneveld  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Ann Doyle, Fennimore  
*Oliver Twist*
- Hope Hague, Platteville  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Jean Herberlein, Fennimore  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Paul La Chance, Prairie du Chien Campion  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Twylah Nelson, Ridgeway  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Ellen Weier, Ridgeway  
*Great Expectations*
- Phyllis Welchert, Bloomington  
*Great Expectations*

**River Falls District**

- Dorothy Foster, Hammond  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Joan Peterson, Ellsworth  
*Oliver Twist*
- Kay Lamson, Roberts  
*David Copperfield*
- Betty Lundgren, St. Croix Falls  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Pamela Paulson, Amery  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Kathleen Ponselle, Prescott  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Patricia Prodger, Frederic  
*David Copperfield*
- Kirsten Sware, Hudson  
*David Copperfield*
- Ilene Teigen, Glenwood City  
*Great Expectations*
- Sharon Trapp, Hammond  
*A Tale of Two Cities*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

**Stevens Point District**

- Syrl Andrews, Spencer  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Dorothy Becker, Colby  
*Great Expectations*
- Kathy Carstens, Rib Lake  
*David Copperfield*
- Elaine Maeder, Edgar  
*Great Expectations*
- Robert O'Grady, Montello  
*Oliver Twist*
- Peggy Schreiber, Granton  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Penny Schreiber, Colby  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Marlene Stroming, Tomahawk  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Richard Swetalla, Wittenberg

**Superior District**

- John Joseph, Iron River  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Karen Larvick, Port Wing  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Donna Maxinoski, Hurley  
*Great Expectations*
- Marcia Taylor, Superior Cathedral  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Barbara Yost, Park Falls  
*Great Expectations*

**Eau Claire District**

- James Bingen, Chippewa Falls Sr  
*The Shooting of Dan McGrew*
- \*Judy Blix, Eau Claire Jr  
*John Brown's Body*
- \*Jean Christenson, Eau Claire Memorial  
*The Walrus and the Carpenter*
- Onalee Crissinger, Neillsville  
*John Brown's Body*
- \*Darlene Erickson, Rice Lake  
*Patterns*
- \*Steve Hogseth, Chippewa Falls Jr  
*The Cremation of Sam McGee*
- \*Nancy Mason, Chippewa Falls McDonnell  
*John Brown's Body*
- \*Judia Moldrem, Cadott  
*John Brown's Body*
- Janette Ogilvie, Chetek  
*Selections from Ogden Nash*
- Liz Park, Eau Claire Jr  
*Mamie's Story—Red Riding Hood*
- Sharon Peterson, Durand  
*The Creation*
- Verona Schmidt, Barron  
*Selected Poems*
- Mary Turok, Ladysmith  
*Selected Poems*
- \*Judy Wegan, Osseo  
*The Highwayman*
- \*Dwight Zeck, Eau Claire Memorial  
*St. Peter at the Gate*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

**Whitewater District**

- Pete Antels, Portage  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Janet Bono, Portage  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Sharon Coyle, Spring Green  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Janet Ebert, Baraboo  
*Great Expectations*
- Sharon Finger, Lake Mills  
*Oliver Twist*
- Marlene Ganswindt, Burlington  
*Oliver Twist*
- Sharon Hollnagel, Fox Lake  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Karen Klausch, Johnson Creek  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- Hope Kramp, Walworth  
*David Copperfield*
- \*Louise Lueptow, Markesan  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Joanne Mauer, Monona Grove  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Shelby Maurer, Brodhead  
*Oliver Twist*
- \*Sandra Perren, Walworth  
*A Tale of Two Cities*
- \*Sandra Shanke, Prairie du Sac  
*Great Expectations*
- \*Nancy Vig, Madison West  
*Oliver Twist*

**Interpretative Reading***(This year—Poetry)***La Crosse District**

- Sharon Albraugh, West Lima  
*Western Star*
- Doris Bautch, Independence  
*Paradise Lost*
- \*Billy Engaas, Cashton  
*Michael*
- \*Gloria Flugstad, Westby  
*Horton Hears a Who*
- Joyce Ganz, Alma  
*Selected Poems*
- Carla Greene, Elroy  
*The Fear*
- Patricia Kampa  
*Vision of Sir Launfal*
- Beverly Lund, Galesville  
*Faith*
- \*Jon Rasmussen, Alma  
*Selected Poems*
- Alexis Reichert, Black River Falls  
*The Highwayman*
- Myra Schlegel, Melrose  
*Song of Hiawatha*
- Barbara Stetzer, Onalaska  
*Selected Poems*
- \*Joan Tangen, Cashton  
*Selected Poems*
- Jo Ann Veronesi, Alma Center  
*White Cliffs of Dover*

**Milwaukee District**

- Karen Allgood, Milwaukee Lutheran  
*Over the Hill to the Poor House*
- \*Heather Allport, Brookfield  
*Blue Flag*
- Petra Christianson, Hartford  
*Patterns*
- \*Sonya Dettmering, Port Washington  
*Renascence*
- Mary Ehrlich, Kohler  
*Prisoner of Chillon*
- Marlene Esslinger, Hartford  
*Prisoner of Chillon*
- \*Thomas Froneck, West Allis Nathan Hale  
*Western Star*
- \*Marilyn Horch, Muskego  
*Selected Poems*
- Gail Jensen, Kenosha  
*The Highwayman*
- Carolyn Molgaard, Racine Horlick  
*Hound of Heaven*
- Sweetie Oh, South Milwaukee  
*The Blessed Damosel*
- Faith Overdier, Horicon  
*White Cliffs of Dover*
- \*Maris Pittleman, Whitefish Bay  
*The Murder of Lidice*
- \*Janice Schulz, Cedar Grove  
*Why Don't the Men Propose*
- Lynn Sonefield, Milwaukee Mercy  
*On the Road to Berlin*
- \*Mike Stein, Wauwautosa  
*Selected Poems*
- Phil Vollrath, Sheboygan North  
*God's Trombones*
- John Webber, Menomonee Falls  
*Macbeth*
- \*David Wilson, Wauwautosa  
*Selected Poems*

**Oshkosh District**

- Barbara Amend, Ripon  
*Renascence*
- \*Margie Banas, Pulaski  
*Thanatopsis*
- Jacqueline Berhen, Little Chute  
*Vision of Sir Launfal*
- Ruth Bergelin, Brillion  
*Sea Dreams*
- Antonette Burg, Lena  
*Mountain Whippoorwill*
- \*Judith Correll, Crivitz  
*Poems from the Bible*
- Betty Dahly, Clintonville  
*Launcelot and Elaine*
- Lee Ann Destree, Brussels  
*Home Burial*
- \*Jean Droger, Seymour  
*The Slaver*
- Mary Einolf, Chilton  
*Ballad of Reading Gael*
- Julie Halverson, Ripon  
*The Murder of Lidice*
- \*Carol Hansen, Crandon  
*Selected Poems*
- Rita Hynek, Kewaunee  
*Prisoner of Chillon*

- \*Donna Jansen, Little Chute  
*Mountain Whippoorwill*
- \*Gloria Lehman, Bear Creek  
*The Brown Baby*
- Karen Lindenuth, Kaukauna  
*The Highwayman*
- Don Plies, Oconto  
*Mutiny on the Bounty*
- Carol Richter, Washington Island  
*The Merchant of Venice*
- \*Sheryl Rhode, Waupun  
*In the Children's Hospital*
- \*Niki Rosenthal, Menasha  
*Home Burial*
- \*Marlene Ursin, Berlin  
*The Cremation of Sam McGee*
- \*Dawnine Van Hout, Kimberly  
*Selected Poems*
- Sharon Vertz, Sturgeon Bay  
*Kentucky Belle*
- \*James Voss, Brillion  
*Enoch Arden*
- \*Lynn Waukau, Shawano  
*Hiawatha*
- Christine Wautlet, Brussels  
*Evangeline*
- Diane Wiese, DePere  
*Glory for Me*
- Caryl Ziehm, Hortonville  
*The History of John Gilpin*

**Platteville District**

- \*Philip Baumgartner, Lancaster  
*Intimations on Immortality*
- Margaret Elliot, Prairie du Chien  
*Selected Poems*
- Pat Giese, Platteville  
*Selected Poems*
- Jill Godfrey, Darlington  
*Horton Hatches the Egg*
- Dianne Hatch, Lancaster  
*King's Tragedy*
- \*Marguerite Hermson, Patch Grove  
*Shelley's Sonnets*
- \*Mary Longhorn, Platteville  
*Johnny Appleseed*
- Carol Powers, Blue River  
*Maude Muller*
- Merikay Roth, Mount Horeb  
*Enoch Arden*
- Judy Sampson, Belleville  
*Winterset*
- Lee Shawley, Prairie du Chien  
*Yertle the Turtle*
- \*Ronnie White, Shullsburg  
*The Shooting of Dan McGrew*

**River Falls District**

- \*Sonja Fall, Amery  
*Prisoner of Chillon*
- \*Kathie Frolker, Unity  
*Let My People Go*
- \*Linda Lahl, Hudson  
*Dunkirk*
- \*Peggy Lee, Glenwood City  
*Selections from Field*

- Barbara Olson  
*Selected Poems*
- Karen Olson, St. Croix Falls  
*The Creation*
- Marjean Peterson, Ellsworth  
*Patterns*
- \*Beverly Roth, St. Croix Falls  
*Job*
- \*Diane Wikstrom, Frederic  
*The Black Christ*
- \*Delores Wilcox, Hammond  
*God's Trombones*

**Superior District**

- Carolyn Cordy, Mellen  
*Simon of Cyrene*
- Mike Filbrandt, Minocqua  
*Selected Poems*
- Roberta Fochinelli, Hurley  
*Prisoner of Chillon*
- Linda Kallman, Ashland  
*Selections from Ogden Nash*
- Mary Kloes, Minocqua  
*Selections from Lowell*
- \*Mary Ann Marlwick, Phillips  
*Mountain Whippoorwill*
- \*Gladys Movrich, Park Falls  
*Renascence*
- \*Ted Phillips, Port Wing  
*John Brown's Body*
- \*Barbara Sperling, Superior Cathedral  
*Santa Fe Trail*
- Jane Wyant, Hayward  
*Song of Moses*

**Stevens Point District**

- \*Ruth Aanrud, Rosholt  
*They Burned the Books*
- Molly Donoghue, Merrill  
*Last Duchess*
- \*Sharon Genski, Medford  
*The Passing of Arthur*
- Judy Hanke, Eagle River  
*God's Trombones*
- Terry High, Bowler  
*Selected Poems*
- Carol Hoffmann, Stratford  
*Selected Poems*
- \*Rosemary Hrbacke, Eagle River  
*Poems of Robert Frost*
- Janice Hultberg, Nekoosa  
*Selections from Tennyson*
- Mary Ann Jelich, Stevens Point Maria  
*A Tale of Starvation*
- Janet Kretz, Antigo  
*Brches*
- Sara Lindsay, Manawa  
*The Vision of Sir Launfal*

**Eau Claire District**

- Chetek . . . . . *Thunder on Sycamore Street*
- Margaret Moe
- Dorothy Nechvatal
- Robert Stefczak
- Virginia Van Hollen

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Helen Marquardt, Wausau  
*Selected Poems*
- Pat Moede, Colby  
*The Forest Primeval*
- Nancy Peabody, Wausau  
*John Brown's Body*
- \*Peggy Pries, Medford  
*Kentucky Belle*
- Sharon Reistad, Wisconsin Rapids  
*Christmas*
- Verna Scheller, Montello  
*Selected Poems*
- Joann Schreiber, Colby  
*Selected Poems*
- Constance Wams, Dorchester  
*Selected Poems*
- \*Virginia Zomeki, Rhinelander  
*Purple Crackles*
- Cordell Zuege, Wild Rose  
*Selected Poems*

**Whitewater District**

- \*Evelyn Bork, Whitewater City  
*Selected Poems*
- Donna Granton, Rio  
*Selected Poems*
- \*Loralou Hambleton, Union Grove  
*And So Today*
- \*Kathy Hubabrd, East Troy  
*Renascence*
- Diane Jackson, Madison Monona Grove  
*John Brown's Body*
- \*Diane Kerr, Hartland  
*Ballads*
- \*Barbara Kettaleson, Janesville  
*Selected Poems*
- Susan Kittleson, Stoughton  
*The Highwayman*
- Verneille Leistico, Reeseville  
*Selected Poems*
- \*Tom McConnell, De Forest  
*The Mountain Whippoorwill*
- Jean Messerschmidt, Johnson Creek  
*Original Poems*
- \*Marilyn Meyer, Portage  
*Horton Hatches the Egg*
- \*Sharon Olson, Walworth  
*Interim*
- \*Sherry Porter, Walworth  
*The Suicide*
- \*Paulette Quasney, Milton  
*Selected Poems*
- Perry Schoenecker, Lake Mills  
*Gunga-Din and Boats*
- Sandra Stallard, Juneau  
*Prisoner of Chillon*
- Beverly Thomal, Wisconsin Dells  
*The Twelve*
- \*Ruth Widman, Jefferson  
*Selected Poems*

**Play Reading**

- Chippewa Falls Sr. . . . . *Arsenic & Old Lace*
- Mary Siddons
- Fatti LaVigne
- Nancy Mercier
- James Augustine

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Eau Claire Jr ..... *Life With Father*  
Paul Chilgren  
Judy Kensnoe
- \*Eau Claire Mem. .... *Three On a Bench*  
Maryn Thomas  
Kay Furrer  
Don Cronkhite  
Glenn Hanson  
Robert Paulson
- \*Eau Claire Regis .... *Hyacinth on Wheels*  
Jone Kueber  
Larry McCaghy  
Judy Knudtson  
Luanne Ludwikoski  
James Linderman
- \*Ladysmith ..... *Our Town*  
Robert Karlman  
Phyllis Reidnec  
Lois St. Louis  
Patricia Hirtz  
Daryl Wedwick
- Owen-Withee .... *The Unselfish Hostess*  
Beverly Wall  
Dorothy Sluzewski
- \*Rice Lake ..... *Arsenic and Old Lace*  
Carolyn Schmidt  
Mona Michalke  
Pam O'Brien  
Dave Scheurer

**La Crosse District**

- Cashton ..... *The Hour of Truth*  
Richard Stephen  
Karen Moede  
Carlton Wiedemann  
Dale Von Ruden  
Marlene Leuck
- Gays Mills ..... *I Remember Mama*  
Sharon Walker  
Marcus Saegrove  
Judy Burkm  
Phillip Carroll  
Julie Opprecht
- Hixton ..... *Tea House of August Moon*  
Jim Adams  
Bruce Webster  
Chuck Sindelar  
Lincoln Merrill
- Holmen ..... *Oklahoma*  
Sandra Olson  
Sally Lee  
William Kenyon  
William Avery  
Russell Bringe
- Mauston ..... *The Glass Menagerie*  
Jane Robertson  
Shirley Luke

**Milwaukee District**

- Beaver Dam ..... *The White Dove*  
Bill Bauer  
John Herr  
Gloria Sellin  
Jean Schuman

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Brookfield ..... *Mary of Scotland*  
Helen Lewis  
Pam Netzow  
Linda Roepke
- \*Cedarburg ..... *Romeo and Juliet*  
Janice Kuyken  
James Kittsley  
Rosemary Hickmann
- Cedar Grove ..... *Angel Street*  
Alice Vruwink  
Jan Lewis  
Ronald Stahl
- Menomonee Falls ..... *Anastasia*  
Sandra Hart  
Kathy Halbur
- \*Milwaukee Divine Savior ..... *Anastasia*  
Mary Pomasi  
Kay Magee  
Sylvia Zell
- Nicolet ..... *Riders to the Sea*  
Walter Porterfield  
Virginia Bate  
Karen Casadonte  
Jean McDonald
- \*Oconomowoc ..... *Macbeth*  
John Barry  
Fred Everett  
Don Kelley  
Sue James  
Vivian Ried
- Sheboygan Falls ..... *The Egg and I*  
William Warfield  
Mary Richardson  
Nancy Richardson  
Kathleen Walters  
Richard Lartz
- \*Sheboygan North ..... *Antigone*  
Marilyn Axel  
Roger Deeley
- \*Wauwatosa .... *The Twelve Pound Look*  
Peg McMahon  
Carol Richards  
William Retzlaff  
Jayne Bowman  
Todd Clark
- West Bend ..... *Our Town*  
Sally Standfield  
John Tollack  
James Barber  
Noreen Bohn  
Richard Faircloth
- \*Whitefish Bay ..... *The Bad Seed*  
Carol Feenberg  
Marion Walker  
Karen Blakesley  
Karen Sundermeyer

**Oshkosh District**

- Crandon ..... *The Last Curtain*  
Don Davison  
Mike Davison  
Donna Sharpe  
Jim DeHart  
Diane Fraser

- DePere ..... *No Time for Sergeants*  
Alan Trayser  
John Schroeder  
Tom Albert  
Ronald Renier
- Fond du Lac ..... *Our Town*  
Louise Whelan  
Tom Stevens
- \*Neenah ..... *The Diary of Anne Frank*  
Ron Fuss  
Joni Duchaine
- Oconto Falls ..... *Life With Father*  
Elroy Siegler  
Kay Jacobson  
Ron Paulak  
Virginia Valley  
Bert Heath
- \*Waupun ..... *Mary of Scotland*  
Carolyn Cotter  
Arlene Mickelson

**Platteville District**

- Muscoda ..... *Antigone*  
Tom Walsh  
Janet Munz
- \*Gratiot . . . *George Washington Slept Here*  
Mary Dower  
Adrian Loeffelholz  
Richard Steele

**River Falls District**

- \*Ellsworth ..... *Pygmalion*  
Ruth Jahnke  
Pauline Johnson  
Harlan Larson  
Mary Lou Rice  
Nolan Smith
- Prescott ..... *Macbeth*  
Judith Christensen  
Sharon Olson  
Doris Rodewald  
David Christensen  
Frederick Tegeler

**Superior District**

- Hurley ..... *The Gospel Witch*  
John Kowpsie  
Paulette DeWies  
Jim Mattei  
Pete Steinmetz  
Brian Tarro
- Maple ..... *Three's a Crowd*  
Mark Long  
Gary Larson  
Scott Danielson  
Virginia Korhonen  
Sharon Wertner
- Park Falls ..... *The Glass Menagerie*  
John Smart  
Eleanor Sherman
- Superior Cathedral ..... *Sisters McIntosh*  
Judy Pope  
Joanne Stack  
Henry Gnoza

\* Participants who received an A rating.

**Stevens Point District**

- \*Bowler ..... *Joan of Lorraine*  
Ronald Schumacher  
Meril Schultz  
Clifford Kessen  
Joan Buelow  
Nancy Lemke
- Eagle River ..... *Ann Rutledge*  
Gayle Burkle  
Carole Eickhoff  
Pat McClone  
Bonnie Bandow  
Yvonne Komassa
- Greenwood ..... *Pygmalion*  
Bonnie Johnson  
John Staut  
Karen Lindner  
Harold Branstiter
- Marathon ..... *Angel Street*  
Sharleen Hanke  
Susan Ugoretz  
Richard Lohr  
Bruce Vetter
- \*Merrill-OLHC ..... *Smallest of All*  
Mary Mangold  
Eileen Schotz  
Kristine Schnabel  
Marie Schotz
- Rosholt ..... *Fixin's*  
Rose Schrader  
Gary Rosholt  
Douglas Wilhelm  
Cladys Kozikowski
- \*Wausau ..... *The Twelve Pound Look*  
Marilyn Peterson  
Christine Nood  
Joseph Walker  
William Gall  
William Gjetson

**Whitewater District**

- \*Cambridge ..... *I Remember Mama*  
Mary Perry  
Yvonne Swain  
Jerry Bergholz  
Richard Callaway  
Janet Petty
- De Forest ..... *Grenachika*  
Nancy Harvey  
Dennis Herwig  
Karen Kvalo  
Mike McConnell  
Shirley Wilson
- \*Edgerton ..... *Juno and the Paycock*  
Elsie Rebholz  
Paul Springer  
Sharon Rime  
Lolis Lenox  
Tom Hantke
- Janesville ..... *Overtones*  
Beth Vechinsky  
Barbara Burnham  
Virginia Brown

- \*Madison Wis. High . . . . *Under Milkwood*  
 Mary MacAndrews  
 Jeff Kravat  
 Erika Schwenn  
 Chick Sewell  
 Thomas Wilkie

### Four-Minute Speech

#### Eau Claire District

- \*Theodore Collins, Ladysmith  
*Government Spending*  
 Tom Dorski, Neillsville  
*Individualism*  
 \*Terry Franks, Ladysmith  
*Red China-Awakening Giant*  
 Mary LeBlanc, Rice Lake  
*The Train of America*  
 John MacLaughlin, Eau Claire Memorial  
*High School's Farm Clubs*  
 \*Karin Merrifield, St. Croix Falls  
*Land of Dreams*  
 \*Cherry Myhers, Eleva-Strum  
*Four-Point Check Up Toward . . .*  
 \*Kathy Owen, Durand  
*Scholarship Fantasy*  
 Jane Peissig, Owen-Withee Jr  
*I Quit*  
 \*Marilyn Porter, Osseo  
*My Brother's Keeper*  
 Rosalie Price, Thorp  
*A Man, A Book and A Country*  
 \*Sandra Seif, Augusta  
*Are You Becoming a Statistic*  
 \*Ben Smallman, Chippewa Falls Sr  
*Man and Radioactivity*  
 \*Joyce Smith, Barron

#### La Crosse District

- \*Sandra Dutcher, Tomah  
*The Role of Small Business*  
 \*Norma Ertel, Holmen  
*The Value of Freedom*  
 Audrey Fritch, Sparta  
*The Vocation of Parenthood*  
 Shirley Gronley, Elroy  
*Cheating*  
 \*Lydia Ann Hanesworth, DeSoto  
*We Should Heed*  
 \*Mary Leis, Cashton  
*Training for Citizenship*  
 Stanley Lueck, Cashton  
*Have Courage*  
 Linda Neve, Mauston  
*Three Ships*  
 \*Michael Nielson, Westby  
*Eggheads in Agreement*  
 Vivian Shields, Westby  
*Whoso Would Be a Man*  
 \*Rose Anne Siegler, Mauston Madonna  
*Safeguarding Our Rights*  
 Jim Stowell, West Lima  
*Help for You*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

- \*Prairie du Sac . . . . *Bishop's Candlesticks*  
 Kit Savides  
 Robert Oleson  
 Ann Tanneberg  
 Glen Klotz  
 Pewaukee . . . . . *Archie and Mehitabell*  
 Peggy O'Neill  
 Kathy Anderson

Verlin Wallace, West Lima  
*Lucky Me*

- \*Everly Wieland, Kendall  
*Changing Styles in Discipline*  
 \*Patricia Williams, Viola  
*The Freedom We Possess*

#### Milwaukee District

- Rita Belkovskis, Milwaukee Messmer  
*Are You Really Pin-Pointed*  
 \*Marie Cather, Muskego  
*Potted Thinking*  
 \*Dan Creasey, Oconomowoc  
*The Right to Work*  
 David Damkot, Oostburg  
*What Policy Should We Follow*  
 \*Jim Dienhart, Oconomowoc  
*With Liberty and Justice for All*  
 \*Sharon Eckelman, Milwaukee Divine Savior  
*Literature: Strength of Our Nation*  
 \*Marge Ehrmeier, Beaver Dam  
*Criticism*  
 Faith Henckel, Milwaukee Lutheran  
*Problem of Juvenile Smoking*  
 \*John Hilbelink, Cedar Grove  
*The Warning*  
 \*Robert Hilgendorf, Whitefish Bay  
*Advance Fee Swindle*  
 John Kading, Elkhart Lake  
*A Freshman's Problem*  
 \*Barbara Schaefer, Port Washington  
*We Are Not Parrots*  
 \*Allan Te Ronde, Cedar Grove  
*Little Red School House*

#### Oshkosh District

- Francis Baker, Wausaukee  
*Hiring the Handicapped*  
 \*Joan Benser, Lena  
*Teenagers Sow Seed for the Future*  
 Janice Brass, Crandon  
*The 64 Billion Dollar Question*  
 \*Doug Couillard, Oconto  
*Cuban Justice*  
 John Cumicek, Seymour  
*Scouting For You*  
 \*Albert Divlio, Laona  
*Bull Market, U. S. A.*  
 \*Tom Kuehn, Omro  
*Voices of Democracy*  
 \*Kathleen Mattes, Kiel  
*School Discipline*  
 \*David Milner, Winneconne  
*The Handicapped*

- Anton Nelessen, Little Chute  
*Cuban Affairs*  
 \*Stan Salzman, Shawano  
*Apathy of the High School Student*  
 Earl Schabo, Miagara  
*The Biggest Quiz Problem*  
 \*Judy Schmitz, Kiel  
*Education for Women*  
 \*Jeanne Seidler, Bonduel  
*Mediocrity in High School*  
 Joe Stodola, Kewaunee  
*How People Get That Way*  
 \*Barbara Svetnicka, Bonduel  
*What Makes A Juvenile Delinquent*  
 Thomas Wright, Clintonville  
*We Must Sell Democracy*  
 Audrey Zimmer, Hortonville  
*Segregation*

#### Platteville District

- \*Dorothy Buss, Belmont  
*Our Hush-Hush Disease*  
 \*Jerry Calvert, Darlington  
*Helmets and Bayonets*  
 \*Daniel Lienau, Mount Horeb  
*Individualism vs Conformity*  
 \*Deanna Davis, Ridgeway  
*The Blanket Killer*  
 \*Judy Duren, Weston  
*Chaos Or Conduct*  
 Marilyn Fortman, Cobb  
*Our School Lunch Program*  
 \*Austin Hyde, Prairie du Chien Champion  
*Our Depleted Foreign Service*  
 \*Myron Myers, Bloomington  
*No One Can Help You*  
 \*Sally Scullion, Highland  
*Who Should Go to College*  
 John Shea, Dodgeville  
*The American Teenager*  
 Randy Wold, Argyle  
*Snakes*  
 Mary Zepplin, Bameveld  
*The Crisis*

#### River Falls District

- Rita Hanson, Unity  
*Stop Existing! Start Living*  
 \*J. Harmer, Plum City  
*Hypnosis*  
 Cary Knerr, Amery  
*The Great Leap Forward*  
 \*Peter Ryan, Hammond  
*The American Stranger*  
 Charlotte Thomas, Hudson  
*Pity the Public Schools*  
 \*Nadine Walsten, Luck  
*The Hidden Challenge*

\* Participants who received an A rating.

#### Stevens Point District

- \*Mary Brownlow, Wild Rose  
*Case for the American Teacher*  
 \*Pamela Heath, Merrill Holy Cross  
*Gain a Gallant Goal*  
 \*Tim Hirsch, Medford  
*Why So Much Horsepower*  
 \*Kathy Johnson, Eagle River  
*American Patriotism*  
 \*Miriam Kilty, Colby  
*We Build*  
 Madeline Miller, Stevens Point Maria  
*Physical Fitness*  
 \*Sarah Pitzner, Brillion  
*This I Believe*  
 \*Carole Quirk, Antigo  
*So Strong a Gift*  
 Tom Robinson, Green Lake  
*Tomorrow's World*  
 Bonnie Sheelk, Colby  
*Keep Freedom Ringing*

#### Superior District

- Kathleen Bast, Mimocqua  
*Our Achilles Heel*  
 \*Barbara Erickson, Iron River  
*Practice What We Preach*  
 \*James Frandy, Minocqua  
*Wisdom is Education*  
 Karen Hafferman, Mellen  
*Diplomacy and Success*  
 \*Mary Lampa, Bayfield  
*Where Can They Go For Help*  
 Kathleen Nagro, Hurley  
*Our Education Problem*  
 \*Judy Schmidt, Park Falls  
*Berlin Crisis*  
 \*Bruce Verner, Superior Cathedral  
*Radiant Dust*

#### Whitewater District

- Mike Ariswold, Middleton  
*Optimistic Hope*  
 \*Doreen Bollenbach, Black Earth  
*Not Enough Emerald*  
 Connie Devlin, Spring Green  
*Is American Education a Mess*  
 \*Sandra Field, Wisconsin Dells  
*Imagination*  
 Robert Gunderson, Portage  
*Inflation*  
 \*Charles Hall, Sauk City  
*Should 18 Year Olds Vote*  
 \*Maetta Holick, Waterford  
*Why Johnny Won't Teach*  
 Kathleen Keller, Oregon  
*Speaking of Speaking*  
 Mary Louise Kienow, Randolph  
*Leisure, Well Spent*  
 \*Pamela Knox, Whitewater  
*Growing Up*  
 \*Carol Ann McCutchin, Arena  
*I Speak for Speech*  
 \*Judy Roethe, Edgerton  
*Challenge to Democracy*



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Ronald Allen, Research Assistant, University of Wisconsin  
 Kenneth Anderson, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Arnold Aronson, Assistant Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Wynett Barnett, Professor of Speech, Wisconsin State College, Whitewater  
 Gladys Borchers, Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Winston L. Brembeck, Associate Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Herman H. Brockhaus, Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin, and Extension Division  
 Richard Carrington, Instructor in Speech, University of Wisconsin Extension Division  
 James Cleary, Assistant Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Sherwood Collins, Assistant Director, Wisconsin Idea Theatre, University of Wisconsin, Ext.  
 Gail Compton, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Herbert Crouch, Professor of Speech, Milton College  
 Helen Curvin, Madison, Wisconsin  
 Jonathan Curvin, Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Mary Francis Cutnaw, Dean of Women, Stout State College, Menomonie  
 Blanche, Davis, Professor of Speech, Wisconsin State College, River Falls  
 William Dawson, Teaching and Theatre Assistant, University of Wisconsin  
 Maysel Evans, Associate Professor of Speech, Wisconsin State College, Oshkosh  
 Jack Frisch, Instructor in Speech, University of Wisconsin Extension Division  
 Irene Gray, Acting Instructor in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Earl Grow, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Harold Hansen, Associate Professor of Speech, Wisconsin State College, Platteville  
 Leslie Hart, Instructor in Speech, Wisconsin State College, La Crosse  
 Claude Hayes, Assistant Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Robert Heise, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Robert Hethmon, Assistant Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
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 Ted Jackson, Instructor in Speech, Wisconsin State College, Oshkosh

John Paul Jones, Assistant Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee  
 Edward Kamarck, Associate Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin, Extension Division  
 Bruce Kendall, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Earl Kjer, Professor of Speech, Wisconsin State College, Eau Claire  
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 Lorna Lengfeld, Assistant Professor of Speech, Stout State College, Menomonie  
 Gloria Link, Graduate Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Wilmer Linkugel, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Kenneth Lyman, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
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 Jerry McNeely, Assistant Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin  
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 James Powell, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Edward Richards, Professor of History and Pol. Science, Wisconsin State College, La Crosse  
 Mary Virginia Rodigan, Professor of Speech, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee  
 Robert W. Scott, Assistant Secretary, National Forensic League, Ripon College  
 Anne Simley, Professor of Speech, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis  
 Walter Thoresen, Associate Professor of Sociology, Wisconsin State College, La Crosse  
 Marie Toland, Professor of Speech, Wisconsin State College, La Crosse  
 Patricia Townsend, Teaching Assistant in Speech, University of Wisconsin  
 Robert Voight, Professor of History, Lakeland College, Sheboygan  
 Jack Vrieze, Director of Drama, Wisconsin State College, Whitewater  
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## SUMMARY OF PARTICIPATION IN SPEECH

## Eau Claire District ..... 37 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i> | <i>State</i>    |
|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| 37 schools      | 37 schools      | 24 schools      |
| 468 individuals | 266 individuals | 146 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>  | <i>Ratings</i>  |
|                 | 131 A's         | 79 A's          |
|                 | 124 B's         | 63 B's          |
|                 | 11 C's          | 1 C             |

## La Crosse District ..... 44 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>    |
|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| 45 schools      | 44 schools                               | 36 schools      |
| 680 individuals | 304 individuals                          | 129 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i>  |
|                 | 129 A's                                  | 49 A's          |
|                 | 175 B's                                  | 66 B's          |
|                 | 36 schools eligible<br>for state contest | 14 C's          |

## Milwaukee District ..... 52 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>    |
|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| 48 schools      | 47 schools                               | 44 schools      |
| 512 individuals | 315 individuals                          | 228 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i>  |
|                 | 228 A's                                  | 133 A's         |
|                 | 86 B's                                   | 92 B's          |
|                 | 1 C                                      | 3 C's           |
|                 | 44 schools eligible<br>for state contest |                 |

## Oshkosh District ..... 73 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>    |
|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| 73 schools      | 68 schools                               | 53 schools      |
| 623 individuals | 494 individuals                          | 234 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i>  |
|                 | 234 A's                                  | 120 A's         |
|                 | 231 B's                                  | 105 B's         |
|                 | 29 C's                                   | 9 C's           |
|                 | 53 schools eligible<br>for state contest |                 |

## Platteville District ..... 43 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>   |
|-----------------|--|----------------|
| 42 schools      | 40 schools                               | 40 schools     |
| 536 individuals | 228 individuals                          | 89 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i> |
|                 | 91 A's                                   | 41 A's         |
|                 | 120 B's                                  | 47 B's         |
|                 | 17 C's                                   | 3 C's          |
|                 | 40 schools eligible<br>for state contest |                |

## River Falls District ..... 28 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>   |
|-----------------|--|----------------|
| 25 schools      | 25 schools                               | 22 schools     |
| 219 individuals | 182 individuals                          | 93 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i> |
|                 | 97 A's                                   | 39 A's         |
|                 | 83 B's                                   | 49 B's         |
|                 | 2 C's                                    | 5 C's          |
|                 | 23 schools eligible<br>for state contest |                |

## Stevens Point District ..... 65 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>    |
|-----------------|--|-----------------|
| 65 schools      | 60 schools                               | 41 schools      |
| 975 individuals | 340 individuals                          | 142 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i>  |
|                 | 154 A's                                  | 65 A's          |
|                 | 164 B's                                  | 68 B's          |
|                 | 32 C's                                   | 9 C's           |
|                 | 45 schools eligible<br>for state contest |                 |

## Superior District ..... 28 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>   | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>   |
|-----------------|--|----------------|
| 26 schools      | 21 schools                               | 18 schools     |
| 437 individuals | 399 individuals                          | 88 individuals |
|                 | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i> |
|                 | 88 A's                                   | 33 A's         |
|                 | 311 B's                                  | 40 B's         |
|                 | 21 schools eligible<br>for state contest | 4 C's          |

## Whitewater District ..... 70 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>    | <i>District</i>                          | <i>State</i>    |
|------------------|--|-----------------|
| 69 schools       | 65 schools                               | 58 schools      |
| 1032 individuals | 462 individuals                          | 183 individuals |
|                  | <i>Ratings</i>                           | <i>Ratings</i>  |
|                  | 183 A's                                  | 97 A's          |
|                  | 220 B's                                  | 81 B's          |
|                  | 48 C's                                   | 5 C's           |
|                  | 58 schools eligible<br>for state contest |                 |

## Totals ..... 435 Member Schools

| <i>League</i>    | <i>District</i>  | <i>State</i>                       |
|------------------|------------------|------------------------------------|
| 429 schools      | 407 schools      | 336 schools                        |
| 5482 individuals | 2990 individuals | 1332 eligible<br>1320 participated |
|                  | <i>Ratings</i>   | <i>Ratings</i>                     |
|                  | 1336 A's         | 656 A's                            |
|                  | 1514 B's         | 611 B's                            |
|                  | 140 C's          | 53 C's                             |

## MEMBERSHIP OF THE ASSOCIATION 1958-59

| School                  | No. Years Registered | School                         | No. Years Registered |
|-------------------------|----------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| Abbotsford (S.P.)       | 28                   | Cambria (W)                    | 34                   |
| Adams-Friendship (S.P.) | 28                   | Cambridge (W)                  | 34                   |
| Albany (P)              | 27                   | Casco (O)                      | 33                   |
| Algoma (O)              | 34                   | Cashton (L)                    | 34                   |
| Alma (L)                | 34                   | Cassville (P)                  | 25                   |
| Alma Center (L)         | 29                   | Cedarburg (M)                  | 32                   |
| Almond (S.P.)           | 19                   | Cedar Grove (M)                | 22                   |
| Altoona (E.C.)          | 22                   | Chetek (E.C.)                  | 34                   |
| Amberg (O)              | 17                   | Chilton (M)                    | 32                   |
| Amery (R.F.)            | 34                   | Chippewa Falls Jr. (E.C.)      | 9                    |
| Amherst (S.P.)          | 25                   | Chippewa Falls Sr. (E.C.)      | 34                   |
| Antigo Sr. (S.P.)       | 33                   | Chippewa Falls McDonell (E.C.) | 14                   |
| Appleton (O)            | 16                   | Clayton (R.F.)                 | 34                   |
| Arcadia (L)             | 34                   | Clear Lake (R.F.)              | 30                   |
| Arena (W)               | 32                   | Clinton (W)                    | 30                   |
| Argyle (P)              | 26                   | Clintonville (O)               | 33                   |
| Ashland (S)             | 28                   | Cobb (P)                       | 20                   |
| Ashland DePadua (S)     | 8                    | Colby (S.P.)                   | 34                   |
| Athens (S.P.)           | 33                   | Coleman (O)                    | 30                   |
| Auburndale (S.P.)       | 28                   | Colfax (E.C.)                  | 23                   |
| Augusta (E.C.)          | 34                   | Columbus (M)                   | 34                   |
| Bagley (P)              | 26                   | Cornell (E.C.)                 | 27                   |
| Baldwin (R.F.)          | 34                   | Crandon (O)                    | 32                   |
| Bangor (L)              | 34                   | Crivitz (O)                    | 34                   |
| Baraboo (W)             | 30                   | Cudahy (M)                     | 32                   |
| Barneveld (P)           | 25                   | Cumberland (E.C.)              | 34                   |
| Barron (E.C.)           | 33                   | Darlington (P)                 | 32                   |
| Bayfield (S)            | 28                   | Deerfield (W)                  | 32                   |
| Bear Creek (O)          | 26                   | DeForest (W)                   | 23                   |
| Beaver Dam (M)          | 33                   | Delavan & Darien (W)           | 34                   |
| Belleville (P)          | 12                   | Denmark (O)                    | 26                   |
| Belmont (P)             | 28                   | DePere (O)                     | 34                   |
| Beloit (W)              | 34                   | DeSoto (L)                     | 7                    |
| Benton (P)              | 28                   | Dodgeville (P)                 | 34                   |
| Berlin (O)              | 34                   | Dorchester (S.P.)              | 29                   |
| Biramwood (S.P.)        | 30                   | Drummond (S)                   | 34                   |
| Black Earth (W)         | 34                   | Durand (E.C.)                  | 34                   |
| Black River Falls (L)   | 26                   | Eagle River (S.P.)             | 34                   |
| Blair (L)               | 34                   | East Troy (N)                  | 16                   |
| Blanchardville (P)      | 31                   | Eau Claire Jr. (E.C.)          | 2                    |
| Bloomer (E.C.)          | 32                   | Eau Claire Memorial (E.C.)     | 34                   |
| Bloomington (P)         | 30                   | Eau Claire Regis (E.C.)        | 15                   |
| Blue River (P)          | 26                   | Edgar (S.P.)                   | 33                   |
| Bonduel (O)             | 20                   | Edgerton (W)                   | 34                   |
| Boscobel (P)            | 33                   | Elcho (S.P.)                   | 11                   |
| Bowler (S.P.)           | 22                   | Elkhart Lake & Glenbeulah (M)  | 27                   |
| Boyceville (R.F.)       | 33                   | Elkhorn (W)                    | 34                   |
| Brandon (O)             | 14                   | Elk Mound (E.C.)               | 34                   |
| Brillion (O)            | 34                   | Ellsworth (R.F.)               | 34                   |
| Brodhead (W)            | 34                   | Elmwood (R.F.)                 | 24                   |
| Brookfield (M)          | 3                    | Evansville (W)                 | 24                   |
| Brooklyn (P)            | 19                   | Fairchild (E.C.)               | 33                   |
| Bruce (E.C.)            | 34                   | Fall River (W)                 | 28                   |
| Brussels (O)            | 24                   | Fennimore (P)                  | 32                   |
| Burlington (W)          | 17                   | Fifield (S)                    | 12                   |
| Butternut (S)           | 28                   | Fish Creek (O)                 | 21                   |
| Cable (S)               | 31                   | Florence (O)                   | 13                   |
| Cadott (E.C.)           | 30                   |                                |                      |

| School                           | No. Years Registered | School                      | No. Years Registered |
|----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|
| Fond du Lac                      | 5                    | Kiel (O)                    | 33                   |
| Fort Atkinson (W)                | 34                   | Kimberly (O)                | 31                   |
| Fountain City & Cochrane (L)     | 33                   | Kohler (M)                  | 33                   |
| Fox Lake (W)                     | 28                   | La Crosse Aquinas (L)       | 17                   |
| Frederic (R.F.)                  | 31                   | La Crosse Central (L)       | 12                   |
| Freedom (P.O. Kaukauna, O)       | 26                   | Ladysmith (E.C.)            | 34                   |
| Gale-Ettrick (L)                 | 33                   | LaFarge (L)                 | 33                   |
| Gays Mills (L)                   | 34                   | Lake Geneva (W)             | 30                   |
| Germantown (M)                   | 2                    | Lake Geneva-Northwestern    |                      |
| Gillett (O)                      | 32                   | Military Academy (W)        | 8                    |
| Gilman (E.C.)                    | 18                   | Lake Mills (W)              | 20                   |
| Glenwood City (R.F.)             | 34                   | Lancaster (P)               | 34                   |
| Glidden (S)                      | 34                   | Laona (O)                   | 34                   |
| Goodman (O)                      | 30                   | Lena (O)                    | 31                   |
| Grafton (M)                      | 33                   | Little Chute (O)            | 13                   |
| Granton (S.P.)                   | 34                   | Livingston (P)              | 30                   |
| Grantsburg (R.F.)                | 34                   | Lodi (W)                    | 34                   |
| Gratiot (P)                      | 10                   | Lomira (O)                  | 31                   |
| Green Bay East (O)               | 10                   | Lone Rock (P)               | 27                   |
| Green Bay Preble (O)             | 4                    | Loyal (S.P.)                | 34                   |
| Green Bay West (O)               | 11                   | Luck (R.F.)                 | 32                   |
| Greendale (M)                    | 1                    | Luxemburg (O)               | 34                   |
| Greenfield (M)                   | 1                    | Madison East (W)            | 28                   |
| Green Lake (S.P.)                | 22                   | Madison West (W)            | 6                    |
| Greenwood (S.P.)                 | 34                   | Madison Wis. High (W)       | 31                   |
| Gresham (S.P.)                   | 21                   | Manawa (S.P.)               | 34                   |
| Hammond (R.F.)                   | 34                   | Manitowoc (O)               | 6                    |
| Hartford (M)                     | 34                   | Maple (S)                   | 10                   |
| Hartland (W)                     | 25                   | Marathon (S.P.)             | 29                   |
| Hawkins (S)                      | 26                   | Marinette (O)               | 30                   |
| Hayward (S)                      | 30                   | Marion (S.P.)               | 32                   |
| Hazel Green (P)                  | 19                   | Markesan (W)                | 26                   |
| Highland (P)                     | 28                   | Marshall (W)                | 28                   |
| Hilbert (O)                      | 32                   | Marshfield Columbus (S.P.)  | 10                   |
| Hillsboro (L)                    | 33                   | Marshfield Purdy Jr. (S.P.) | 15                   |
| Hixton (L)                       | 27                   | Marshfield Sr. (S.P.)       | 34                   |
| Hollandale (P)                   | 29                   | Mattson (S.P.)              | 28                   |
| Holcombe (E.C.)                  | 30                   | Mauston (L)                 | 32                   |
| Holmen (L)                       | 32                   | Mauston Madonna (L)         | 7                    |
| Horicon (M)                      | 34                   | Mayville (M)                | 34                   |
| Hortonville (O)                  | 28                   | Mazomanie (W)               | 33                   |
| Howard's Grove (P.O.)            |                      | Medford (S.P.)              | 34                   |
| Sheboygan, M)                    | 21                   | Mellen (S)                  | 30                   |
| Hudson (R.F.)                    | 34                   | Melrose (L)                 | 34                   |
| Hurley (S)                       | 33                   | Menasha (O)                 | 34                   |
| Hustisford (O)                   | 25                   | Menomonee Falls (M)         | 34                   |
| Independence (L)                 | 31                   | Menomonie (E.C.)            | 34                   |
| Ingram (P.O. Glen Flora, E.C.)   | 24                   | Merrill Jr. (S.P.)          | 5                    |
| Iola (S.P.)                      | 21                   | Merrill, OLHC* (S.P.)       | 5                    |
| Iron River (S)                   | 21                   | Merrill (S.P.)              | 34                   |
| Ithaca (P.O. Richland Center, P) | 29                   | Middleton (W)               | 33                   |
| Janesville (W)                   | 18                   | Milton (W)                  | 34                   |
| Jefferson (W)                    | 34                   | Milwaukee Concordia (M)     | 13                   |
| Johnson Creek (W)                | 24                   | Milwaukee Divine Savior     | 6                    |
| Juda (P)                         | 29                   | Milwaukee Downer (M)        | 1                    |
| Juneau (W)                       | 34                   | Milwaukee Lutheran          | 4                    |
| Kaukauna (O)                     | 34                   | Milwaukee Marquette (M)     | 12                   |
| Kendall-Elroy (L)                | 34                   | Milwaukee Mercy (M)         | 12                   |
| Kenosha (M)                      | 34                   |                             |                      |
| Kewaskum (O)                     | 31                   |                             |                      |
| Kewaunee (O)                     | 34                   |                             |                      |

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| School                               | No. Years Registered | School                            | No. Years Registered |
|--------------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Milwaukee Messmer (M)                | 17                   | Pewaukee (W)                      | 24                   |
| Milwaukee Notre Dame (M)             | 7                    | Phelps (O)                        | 17                   |
| Milwaukee Pius XI (M)                | 9                    | Phillips (S)                      | 34                   |
| Milwaukee St. Mary's (M)             | 4                    | Pittsville (S.P.)                 | 27                   |
| Milwaukee So. Division (M)           | 9                    | Plainfield (S.P.)                 | 32                   |
| Mindoro (L)                          | 31                   | Platteville (P)                   | 31                   |
| Mineral Point (P)                    | 33                   | Plum City (R.F.)                  | 17                   |
| Minoqua (S)                          | 33                   | Plymouth (M)                      | 34                   |
| Minong (S)                           | 23                   | Portage (W)                       | 33                   |
| Mishicot (O)                         | 27                   | Port Edwards (S.P.)               | 26                   |
| Mondovi (E.C.)                       | 33                   | Port Washington (M)               | 34                   |
| Monona Grove (P.O. Madison, W)       | 4                    | Port Wing (S)                     | 20                   |
| Monroe (W)                           | 34                   | Potosi (P)                        | 31                   |
| Montello (S.P.)                      | 33                   | Poynette (W)                      | 32                   |
| Montfort (P)                         | 23                   | Prairie du Chien (P)              | 33                   |
| Monticello (P)                       | 23                   | Prairie du Chien Campion (P)      | 15                   |
| Mosinee (S.P.)                       | 34                   | Prairie du Sac (W)                | 34                   |
| Mount Hope (P)                       | 24                   | Prairie Farm (R.F.)               | 11                   |
| Mount Horeb (P)                      | 33                   | Prentice (S)                      | 34                   |
| Muscoda (P)                          | 32                   | Prescott (R.F.)                   | 32                   |
| Mukwonago (W)                        | 12                   | Princeton (W)                     | 34                   |
| Muskego (M)                          | 2                    | Pulaski (O)                       | 34                   |
| Necedah (S.P.)                       | 32                   | Racine Horlick (M)                | 17                   |
| Neenah (O)                           | 32                   | Racine St. Catherine (M)          | 3                    |
| Neillsville (E.C.)                   | 33                   | Randolph (W)                      | 33                   |
| Nekoosa (S.P.)                       | 34                   | Random Lake (M)                   | 34                   |
| New Auburn (E.C.)                    | 33                   | Readstown (L)                     | 27                   |
| New Glarus (P)                       | 34                   | Reedsburg (W)                     | 34                   |
| New Holstein (O)                     | 34                   | Reedsville (O)                    | 19                   |
| New Lisbon (L)                       | 34                   | Reeseville (W)                    | 1                    |
| New London (O)                       | 33                   | Rhineland (S.P.)                  | 32                   |
| New Richmond (R.F.)                  | 34                   | Rib Lake (S.P.)                   | 34                   |
| Niagara (O)                          | 22                   | Rice Lake (E.C.)                  | 34                   |
| Nicolet (P.O. Milwaukee, M)          | 2                    | Richland Center (L)               | 34                   |
| Norris Foundation (W) P.O. Mukwonago | 2                    | Ridgeway (P)                      | 24                   |
| North Fond du Lac (O)                | 34                   | Rio (W)                           | 32                   |
| Norwalk (L)                          | 32                   | Ripon (O)                         | 34                   |
| Oak Creek (M) P.O. So. Mil.          | 1                    | River Falls (R.F.)                | 34                   |
| Oakfield (O)                         | 30                   | Roberts (R.F.)                    | 32                   |
| Oconomowoc (M)                       | 29                   | Rochester Racine Co. Agr. & Econ. | 11                   |
| Oconto (O)                           | 32                   | Rosendale (O)                     | 33                   |
| Oconto Falls (O)                     | 34                   | Rosholt (S.P.)                    | 27                   |
| Omro (S.P.)                          | 14                   | Rudolph (S.P.)                    | 13                   |
| Onalaska (L)                         | 34                   | St. Croix Falls (R.F.)            | 26                   |
| Ondossagon (P.O. Ashland S.)         | 32                   | Salem (W)                         | 6                    |
| Ontario (L)                          | 34                   | Sauk City (W)                     | 34                   |
| Oostburg (M)                         | 31                   | Saxon (S)                         | 2                    |
| Oregon (W)                           | 34                   | Scandinavia (S.P.)                | 26                   |
| Orfordville (P)                      | 25                   | Schofield D.C. Everest (S.P.)     | 6                    |
| Osceola (R.F.)                       | 8                    | Seneca (L)                        | 32                   |
| Osseo (E.C.)                         | 34                   | Sevastopol (P.O. Sturgeon Bay, O) | 29                   |
| Owen-Withee Jr. (E.C.)               | 1                    | Seymour (O)                       | 34                   |
| Owen-Withee (E.C.)                   | 28                   | Sharon (W)                        | 29                   |
| Oxford (S.P.)                        | 29                   | Shawano (O)                       | 34                   |
| Palmyra (W)                          | 26                   | Sheboygan Central (M)             | 32                   |
| Pardeeville (W)                      | 29                   | Sheboygan Falls (M)               | 34                   |
| Park Falls (S)                       | 34                   | Sheboygan North (M)               | 20                   |
| Patch Grove (P)                      | 29                   | Shiocton (O)                      | 33                   |
| Pembine (O)                          | 18                   | Shullsburg (P)                    | 30                   |
| Peshigo (O)                          | 29                   | Siren (R.F.)                      | 22                   |
|                                      |                      | Slinger (W)                       | 29                   |

| School                            | No. Years Registered | School                            | No. Years Registered |
|-----------------------------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|----------------------|
| Soldiers Grove (L)                | 34                   | Washington Island (O)             | 1                    |
| Solon Springs (S)                 | 6                    | Waterford (W)                     | 17                   |
| Somerset (R.F.)                   | 33                   | Waterloo (W)                      | 17                   |
| South Milwaukee (M)               | 33                   | Watertown (M)                     | 33                   |
| South Wayne (P)                   | 25                   | Waukesha (M)                      | 27                   |
| Sparta (L)                        | 34                   | Waunakee (W)                      | 33                   |
| Spencer (S.P.)                    | 34                   | Waupaca (S.P.)                    | 34                   |
| Spooner (E.C.)                    | 33                   | Waupun (O)                        | 34                   |
| Spring Green (W)                  | 32                   | Wausau Sr. (S.P.)                 | 34                   |
| Spring Valley (R.F.)              | 34                   | Wausaukee (O)                     | 31                   |
| Stanley (E.C.)                    | 32                   | Wautoma (S.P.)                    | 34                   |
| Stevens Point Maria (S.P.)        | 5                    | Wauwatosa (M)                     | 34                   |
| Stevens Point Pacelli (S.P.)      | 1                    | Wauzeka (L)                       | 32                   |
| Stevens Point P. J. Jacobs (S.P.) | 34                   | Webster (R.F.)                    | 21                   |
| Stockbridge (O)                   | 19                   | West Allis Central (M)            | 34                   |
| Stoughton (W)                     | 34                   | West Allis Nathan Hale (M)        | 18                   |
| Stratford (S.P.)                  | 30                   | West Bend (M)                     | 34                   |
| Strum (E.C.)                      | 14                   | Westboro (S.P.)                   | 32                   |
| Sturgeon Bay (O)                  | 5                    | Westby (L)                        | 34                   |
| Sun Prairie (W)                   | 31                   | Westfield (S.P.)                  | 34                   |
| Superior Cathedral (S)            | 11                   | West Lima (L)                     | 28                   |
| Superior Central (S)              | 34                   | West Milwaukee (M)                | 29                   |
| Superior East (S)                 | 28                   | Weston (P.O. Cazenovia, P)        | 30                   |
| Suring (O)                        | 28                   | West Salem (L)                    | 34                   |
| Taylor (L)                        | 30                   | Weyauwega (S.P.)                  | 32                   |
| Thorp (E.C.)                      | 34                   | Weyerhauser (E.C.)                | 23                   |
| Three Lakes (O)                   | 12                   | Whitefish Bay (M)                 | 17                   |
| Tigerton (S.P.)                   | 30                   | White Lake (O)                    | 31                   |
| Tomah (L)                         | 34                   | Whitehall (L)                     | 31                   |
| Tomahawk (S.P.)                   | 34                   | Whitewater City (W)               | 34                   |
| Tony (E.C.)                       | 29                   | Whitewater College (W)            | 34                   |
| Trempealeau (L)                   | 25                   | Wild Rose (S.P.)                  | 34                   |
| Tripoli (S)                       | 34                   | Williams Bay (W)                  | 15                   |
| Turtle Lake (R.F.)                | 29                   | Wilmot (W)                        | 18                   |
| Two Rivers (O)                    | 32                   | Wilton (L)                        | 34                   |
| Union Grove (W)                   | 9                    | Winneconne (O)                    | 20                   |
| Unity (R.F.)                      | 1                    | Winter (S)                        | 29                   |
| Valders (O)                       | 33                   | Wisconsin Dells (W)               | 23                   |
| Verona (W)                        | 34                   | Wis. Rapids Assumption (S.P.)     | 4                    |
| Viola (L)                         | 34                   | Wisconsin Rapids (S.P.)           | 32                   |
| Viroqua (L)                       | 34                   | Wis. Rapids Teacher's Col. (S.P.) | 1                    |
| Wabeno (S.P.)                     | 34                   | Wittenberg (S.P.)                 | 34                   |
| Waldo (M)                         | 34                   | Wonewoc (L)                       | 33                   |
| Walworth (W)                      | 26                   | Woodville (R.F.)                  | 33                   |
| Washburn (S)                      | 34                   | Wrightstown (O)                   | 33                   |

## FOR THE RECORD

### YEARLY RECORD OF MEMBERSHIP

| Year    | No. of Schools | Year    | No. of Schools | Year    | No. of Schools |
|---------|----------------|---------|----------------|---------|----------------|
| 1925-26 | 286            | 1936-37 | 384            | 1948-49 | 410            |
| 1926-27 | 304            | 1937-38 | 388            | 1949-50 | 417            |
| 1927-28 | 312            | 1938-39 | 395            | 1950-51 | 417            |
| 1928-29 | 338            | 1939-40 | 395            | 1951-52 | 426            |
| 1929-30 | 358            | 1940-41 | 393            | 1952-53 | 424            |
| 1930-31 | 375            | 1941-42 | 391            | 1953-54 | 432            |
| 1931-32 | 382            | 1942-43 | 349            | 1954-55 | 435            |
| 1932-33 | 363            | 1943-44 | 342            | 1955-56 | 439            |
| 1933-34 | 379            | 1944-45 | 349            | 1956-57 | 441            |
| 1934-35 | 394            | 1945-46 | 365            | 1957-58 | 431            |
| 1935-36 | 390            | 1946-47 | 390            | 1958-59 | 439            |
|         |                | 1947-48 | 407            |         |                |

### DIVISION OF SCHOOLS ACCORDING TO SIZE OF ENROLLMENT

|   |
|---|
| 116 schools with enrollment up to 149 students  |
| 179 schools with enrollment 150 to 349 students |
| 144 schools with enrollment over 349 students   |
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| 439   |

### SCHOOLS GIVEN "A" RATINGS IN STATE DRAMA CONTEST SINCE 1954-55

|   |
|---|
| 1954-55—Ripon, Milwaukee Mercy, Hurley, Fond du Lac, Poynette, Milwaukee Marquette, La Crosse Aquinas |
| 1955-56—Milwaukee Mercy, and Milwaukee Pius XI  |
| 1956-57—New London, Eau Claire Regis, Medford   |
| 1957-58—Ashland DePadua, Ripon, La Crosse Aquinas   |
| 1958-59—Marinette, New London, Ripon, West Bend, W. Allis Central                                     |

### STATE DEBATE CHAMPIONS SINCE 1954-1955

|   |
|---|
| 1954-55—Eau Claire Sr., Wausau, West Bend   |
| 1955-56—Kenosha, and Milwaukee Marquette  |
| 1956-57—Milwaukee Marquette, Racine St. Catherine's   |
| 1957-58—Eau Claire Memorial, Kenosha, La Crosse Aquinas, Sheboygan Central, Wausau, West Bend |
| 1958-59—Sheboygan Central, West Bend  |

### FIRST PLACE WINNERS IN DISCUSSION CONTEST

|   |
|---|
| 1954-55—Madison Wisconsin High School   |
| 1955-56—Merrill High School             |
| 1956-57—Merrill High School             |
| 1957-58—Merrill, Madison Wisconsin High |
| 1958-59—Whitefish Bay                   |

### FIRST PLACE WINNERS IN RADIO CONTEST

|                                |
|--------------------------------|
| 1957-58—Superior East          |
| 1958-59—West Allis Nathan Hale |

### EXTENT OF PARTICIPATION IN 1958-1959

#### Drama

|   |     |
|---|-----|
| Schools participating in league contests    | 107 |
| Schools participating in district contest   | 93  |
| Schools participating in sectional contests | 34  |
| Schools participating in state contest      | 13  |
| Individuals participating in state contest  | 100 |

#### Discussion

|   |    |
|---|----|
| Schools participating in Preliminary contests | 17 |
| Schools participating in Final contests       | 3  |
| Number of individuals participating in Finals | 13 |

#### Radio

|                                     |    |
|-------------------------------------|----|
| Schools participating               | 5  |
| Number of individuals participating | 44 |

#### Debate

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Number of schools that checked debate  | 101 |
| Number of schools in district contests   | 59  |
| Number of schools in districts not holding contests that went directly to sectional contests | 9   |
| Number of schools in sectional contests  | 35  |
| Number of schools in state contest   | 16  |
| Individuals participating in state contest   | 64  |

**Speech**

5482 individuals from 429 schools participated in the league contests

2990 individuals from 407 schools participated in the district contests

1320 individuals from 336 schools participated in the state contest

**SPEECH INSTITUTE REPORTS**

| <i>Place</i>                    | <i>Participants</i> | <i>Schools</i> |
|---------------------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| La Crosse .....                 | 285                 | 15             |
| Stevens Point .....             | 561                 | 30             |
| Whitewater (Coaches only) ..... | 30                  | 30             |
| River Falls .....               | 300                 | 16             |
| Oshkosh .....                   | 487                 | 32             |
| Superior .....                  | 168                 | 11             |
| Platteville .....               | 218                 | 19             |
| La Crosse .....                 | 534                 | 27             |
| Madison .....                   | 84                  | 25             |
|                                 | <u>2667</u>         | <u>175</u>     |

**COMPARISON OF ATTENDANCE AT SPEECH INSTITUTES**

|               | <i>Institutes</i> | <i>Registration</i> | <i>Schools</i> |
|---------------|-------------------|---------------------|----------------|
| 1952-53 ..... | 6                 | 1744                | 119            |
| 1953-54 ..... | 3                 | 1292                | 98             |
| 1954-55 ..... | 11                | 2769                | 174            |
| 1955-56 ..... | 8                 | 3348                | 183            |
| 1956-57 ..... | 8                 | 2926                | 214            |
| 1957-58 ..... | 10                | 3427                | 210            |
| 1958-59 ..... | 8                 | 2667                | 175            |

**INCREASE IN PARTICIPATION IN THE STATE SPEECH CONTESTS SINCE 1946**

| <i>Year</i> | <i>No. Contestants</i> | <i>No. Schools</i> | <i>Year</i>   | <i>No. Contestants</i> | <i>No. Schools</i> |
|-------------|------------------------|--------------------|---------------|------------------------|--------------------|
| 1946 .....  | 315                    | 160                | 1953 .....    | 733                    | 280                |
| 1947 .....  | 326                    | 166                | 1954 .....    | 758                    | 277                |
| 1948 .....  | 399                    | 203                | 1955 .....    | 811                    | 312                |
| 1949 .....  | 454                    | 205                | 1955-56 ..... | 969                    | 318                |
| 1950 .....  | 528                    | 228                | 1956-57 ..... | 971                    | 319                |
| 1951 .....  | 613                    | 241                | 1957-58 ..... | 1302                   | 342                |
| 1952 .....  | 650                    | 260                | 1958-59 ..... | 1336                   | 336                |

**AWARDS GIVEN IN STATE CONTESTS 1958-59****Drama**

|   |    |
|---|----|
| Plaques awarded schools with "A" ratings .....              | 5  |
| Individual gold medals awarded for "A" ratings .....        | 44 |
| Certificates of merit for schools awarded "B" ratings ..... | 5  |
| Individual silver medals awarded for "B" ratings .....      | 36 |
| Certificates of merit for schools awarded "C" ratings ..... | 3  |
| Individual bronze medals awarded for "C" ratings .....      | 18 |

**Discussion**

|  |    |
|--|----|
| Individual gold medals awarded .....                         | 5  |
| Certificates of merit awarded schools with "A" ratings ..... | 1  |
| Individual silver medals awarded for "B" ratings .....       | 11 |
| Certificates of merit awarded "B" ratings .....              | 3  |

**Radio**

|  |    |
|--|----|
| Individual gold medals awarded "A" ratings .....   | 15 |
| Certificates of merit awarded "A" schools .....    | 1  |
| Individual silver medals awarded "B" ratings ..... | 29 |
| Certificates of merit awarded "B" ratings .....    | 4  |

**Debate**

|   |   |
|---|---|
| Plaques awarded first place teams .....                     | 2 |
| Individual gold medals awarded first place teams .....      | 8 |
| Certificates of merit awarded second place schools .....    | 2 |
| Individual silver medals awarded second place schools ..... | 8 |
| Certificates of merit awarded third place schools .....     | 2 |
| Individual bronze medals awarded third place schools .....  | 8 |

**Speech**

|  |     |
|--|-----|
| Individual gold medals awarded for "A" ratings .....   | 656 |
| Individual silver medals awarded for "B" ratings ..... | 611 |
| Individual bronze medals awarded for "C" ratings ..... | 53  |

**CERTIFICATES OF MERIT—  
GIVEN FOR INTERSCHOOL COMPETITION**

|                         |             |
|-------------------------|-------------|
| Drama .....             | 750         |
| Discussion .....        | 84          |
| Debate .....            | 345         |
| Radio .....             | 35          |
| Speech .....            | 5200        |
| <b>Total</b> .....      | <u>6414</u> |
| Number of Schools ..... | 430         |