

oral interpretation know how much it means to have good listeners in the audience. If we really took our oath seriously, each speaker could identify the fraternity members among his listeners on the basis of their friendly attention.

Imagine the effects on debate if these things were taken seriously! If all affirmative teams sought to be fair in their approaches to the national question, squirrels would die of malnutrition! If each debater were personally responsible for the absolute honesty of every card in his file, debaters would be carrying materials in envelopes rather than in suitcases! What would we lose if we seriously tried to apply standards of fairness, honesty, and courtesy to debate competition? Obviously, we would lose some debates. What would we gain? Respect, friendship, integrity, self-respect, and some similar qualities might come back into style. Surely our world is more in need of these things than of debate trophies.

All of us are interested in the promotion of forensic activities. After all, a big program means big budgets, generous meal allowances, plush motels, and long trips. There are two methods to build the size of a program. One is to win trophies and gain a national reputation as a "forensic powerhouse." The other is to achieve the approval of students who graduate from the program saying, "That experience enriched my life with knowledge and skills which I could not have achieved any other way." These two methods need not be mutually exclusive, but Pi Kappa Delta places the emphasis upon the second. Forensic activity is promoted best, in the long run, with fairness, honesty, and courtesy.

To the extent that the growth of your program requires the approval of professional educators, you will also find this second method the more effective.

The forensic program at my school is not very old. However, the other day one of our assistants confronted us with a problem. What are we to do with the boxes of old trophies we have accumulated and which we no longer have the space to display? Is there any way to recycle these trophies while still keeping all those little plates with the names of long-departed competitors? We are working on this problem. In the meantime, we wonder, is

this collection of dusty plastic and metal the total accomplishment of all those years of competition? No, we trust that something far more permanent has taken place in the lives of the students who participated. In that hope, we all continue to "neglect no reasonable opportunity to promote forensic activity."

That Pi Kappa Delta oath is not just empty talk. It comes to grips with the real significance of forensic activity — and with some of the most serious problems that we face. We look forward to March of 1975 in Philadelphia, to another National Convention experience which will remind us that high ideals can, at least for one week, find expression in competitive activity.

Now examine one final question. What would happen if these objectives of our order were applied, not just for the week of the National tournament but throughout the entire season? What would happen in your next tournament? Naturally, you cannot control the other schools who will be there. Perhaps you have little influence in your own group. You can, however, determine your own actions. Maybe, if we all tried, we could make that next tournament a bit more like the Pi Kap Province, the Province more like the National, and the National more nearly what it ought to be.

See you in Philadelphia!

New Chapter in Tennessee

Pi Kappa Delta welcomes Tennessee Mu Chapter at Trevecca Nazarene College, installed on March 7.

The evening candlelight installation ceremony highlighted the opening night of the Southeastern Province Tournament and Convention.

Chapter sponsor Gary Coulter and 10 students were present for the ceremony, which was conducted by Marilyn Norris, Governor of the Province. Other installing officers were Dr. M.B. Minchew, Miss Lydia Hodges, and Miss Debra Derise of Mississippi State College for Women.

Representatives of chapters from Appalachian State, Carson Newman, Georgia Southern, Maryville College, Mississippi College and William Carey formed the installing membership body.

Dollar Days Are Gone

Compiled by D. J. Nabors, National Historian

A brief review of Pi Kappa Delta finances might be in order as a refresher for the younger members of the organization.

When PKD was established, the fees were nominal. The initiation fee was only \$2.00; however, a 50 cents per semester membership fee was charged. Obviously, this was a constant headache for those responsible for collecting the fees and determining who was eligible each semester. Hence, the initiation fee was raised to \$3.00 and the semester charge was dropped. A small amount of the initiation fee was rebated to the Province, and this rebate plan was used for more than 20 years, but was dropped as the national organization needed more funds and the Provinces had the power to make chapter assessments when needed.

It was about 1928 when the initiation fee was raised to \$5.00 and the charter fee to \$10.00. These fees stayed in effect until 1953. During the depression, costs in general were low, and cities would bid for the National Convention. Hotels made special inducements, Chambers of Commerce and host chapters raised money to donate awards, programs, and other items. All income of the entire year of the Convention was channeled toward the expense of the Convention, as even with extra help the Convention was not self-supporting.

No National Conventions were held between 1942 and 1947, and even though the number of memberships was reduced during the war, PKD was able to save several thousand dollars towards a goal of \$50,000 reserve fund. It was thought that such an amount invested would provide a cushion in years when income was below the break-even point because of unexpected events.

During the honeymoon period after World War II the GI boom in college attendance was reflected in increased memberships for a period of about five years. However, two things happened that changed the financial picture. In 1949 the

invitation for the National Convention was withdrawn just six months before the date set for the opening. All of the plans made at the August Council meeting had to be discarded and a hurried search made for a substitute Convention host. When a final accounting was made, there was a deficit of \$1800 for the year and it was necessary for Sylvester Toussaint, the Secretary, to cash some of the bonds in reserve for operating expenses.

The second event was the advent of the Korean War which caused campus attendance to drop. PKD memberships fell from more than a thousand per year to 700. Toussaint struggled with the financial situation of Pi Kappa Delta to an extent that very few will ever know; this must have been a contributing factor to an illness that hospitalized him.

As D.J. Nabors took over in the office of secretary in 1953, a temporary reprieve came with the increase in the initiation fee to \$7.00, the first increase in 25 years, and also the increase in the charter fee. The \$10.00 charged earlier did not pay the cost of the charter, considering the cost of printing, special lettering, and inscription of names and other information.

The \$7.00 fee made it possible to break even until another flurry of increased costs in the 1957 period brought us back to the hard-to-break-even point. To cut costs, Nabors had multilith plates for membership applications, stationery, etc., which could be prepared by the East Central State College (Okla.) duplicating department at the cost of the paper. The rising costs of **The Forensic**, postage, and other items could not be controlled.

Another move which helped improve the financial picture was to try to make the National Convention self-supporting by increasing the registration fee. The Convention became an asset when each registration was more than a member had paid for his initiation. The Constitution provides for a special assessment of the chapters. The only time that this has been used was a \$25.00 special fee for the

Golden Anniversary Convention to cover the added costs of the Convention booklet, and banquet fees for the Famous Fifty who attended. One of Nabors' final moves in office in 1963, when he retired to the post of Historian, was the proposal that the initiation fee be increased to \$10.00—a move which strengthened finances for several years.

In studies of methods for effecting economies, several proposals have been made from time to time regarding **The Forensic**, such as:

1. Change to three issues per year designated as Fall, Winter, and Spring issues. The Fall issue would probably contain the official announcements for the year, financial report and chapter directory. The Winter issue would contain information about the National or Provincial tournaments, copies of the Constitution or history, and general news. The Spring issue would include results of tournaments. Perhaps it could be issued before the end of the school term, a process which has been a problem in the past. Three months for each issue would allow more time for collection of content material, as issues now come just two months apart.

2. Another suggestion has been to place **The Forensic** on a formal quarterly basis (like other speech journals) with a summer issue that would be professional in nature and could be a major contribution to forensic literature. Articles accumulated during the year could be used for such an issue.

3. Another suggestion has been to combine with other forensic magazines into one major publication in which each group would be allotted a specific number of pages. Every 10 years or so proposals are made such as the establishment of a National Forensic Office, similar to that of the National Association of Music Organizations. A full-time officer would handle correspondence, send out supplies, etc., for all forensic organizations on a neutral basis. However, the marriage of organizations does not always solve their problems.

At one time during his decade of service as Secretary, Nabors wrote to some of the other recognition societies for copies of

their constitutions, regulations, and so on, and it was found that very few were charging less than Pi Kappa Delta except those providing very few services. Most groups charge more, and some charge for supplies such as constitutions, rituals, and so on. Each chapter is given a handbook with a sample of all these items, and the chapter may make its own copies, or buy extra handbooks. Some organizations provide a very elaborate handbook that includes constitution, history, chapter rituals, rules of order, suggestions for chapter meetings, and many other helps.

PKD may not be able to go that far in providing aids for our chapters, but one of the things that might help some of the newer and smaller groups would be a handbook for new sponsors. Every year we have a turnover of 10 to 20% in sponsors, and many of them are new to PKD and at a loss as to what to do, especially when they find that most of the old members have graduated.

I have considered the role of the National Historian to be that of a resource person, and have submitted this information without recommendations of any kind. Much of it will be "old stuff" to some of you; perhaps it will provide some background for new members. At least it may serve as a reminder that in the face of ever rising costs, Pi Kappa Delta must plan its future financing intelligently and efficiently.

The Secretary Says:

In making membership applications, the following information must be furnished for Individual Speaking:

1. The number of rounds or number of speeches given in a tournament. The change in the Constitution requires information on how many speeches were given. The record of rank and place (if any) aids in checking the Form B application at a later date.

2. Be notified that in ordering 10K GOLD keys, one must include an additional \$1.00, since the price has again gone up, effective March, 1974.

CHAPTER NOTES . . . *Edited by Roselyn Freedman*

PROVINCE 1 2 Chapters Reporting

COLORADO STATE UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Mary Lou Frank

Colorado State proceeds busily with forensic activities. Tournaments at Metro State and the University of Northern Colorado were attended; Lis Hartman and Lori Tirgrath were sent to the oratorical contest in Colorado Springs, where Lori was in the finals competition. "Old-Time Radio Shows," radio discussions, Student Center debates and Black Literature Interpretation programs have been conducted.

Spring promises to be just as interesting. Plans have been made to send Lee Smith and Mike Webber to debate at Oregon and for a team to travel to the University of Nevada. Car washes, bake sales and T-shirt sales will aid in raising additional travel funds for this end-of-the-year tournament.

KANSAS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE, EMPORIA

Reporter: Ron Uselton

Kansas State Teachers College is completing a very active year of forensics competition. Twenty-six tournaments and over 500 debate rounds kept the Emporia State squad busy. Against some of the best competition in the nation, Emporia compiled a 60 per cent overall win-loss record and cleared prelims at Wyoming-Colorado, Central State University, Texas Tech, Iowa State, Texas Christian University, Southwest Missouri, University of Kansas, Utah, Southeastern State College, the University of Southern California and the University of California at Los Angeles. Sharon Mattox, Joe Fellers, Kris Grooms, and Marj Keeshan brought home the hardware in individual speaker awards.

In addition to the tournament travel for the 20 debaters, we hosted a number of intercollegiate and inter-scholastic activities: The Calvin Classic, The George R.R. Pflaum Invitational, the High School Regional Festival, and the High School State Festival. Overall, 1973-74 has been a highly competitive and productive year.

PROVINCE 2 2 Chapters Reporting

EVANGEL COLLEGE

Reporter: Steve Grant

The chapter began the current year with only two returning members from last year's squad. Fourteen students were recruited for participation in tournaments. Among the awards received this year were: First place in Sweepstakes at Nebraska Wesleyan University's Individual Events Tournament; fourth place in Sweepstakes at the Bradley University Individual Events Tournament. The freshman-sophomore members were successful in winning first place in Sweepstakes at Longview Community College. At the Missouri State Tournament, squad members won first place in rhetorical criticism, junior interpretation, senior interpretation; second place in after-dinner speaking, senior extemporaneous speaking, and junior oratory. Our two junior debate teams have been gaining much experience in addition to bringing home third place awards.

The year concluded with the PKD Bi-Province tournament at Washburn University, Topeka, and the Rock Valley College's "Land of Lincoln" tournament in Rockford, Ill.

SOUTHWEST BAPTIST BAPTIST COLLEGE

Reporter: Carl Camden

The 1973-74 debate season has been exciting for the forensic team of Southwest Baptist College. The team has traveled more than 4,400 miles. This travel has given us contact with such diverse regions in the United States that we have met teams ranging from Pennsylvania to New Mexico, and from Louisiana to Minnesota. This year the forensic squad developed into a healthy balanced team. During the year we have captured 31 trophies including two first place sweepstakes awards. Freshman Ann Stutsman won the Jim Crouch Memorial Trophy given by North Texas State University to the outstanding participant in that tournament.

The squad has had an awarding year for two reasons that are perhaps more important than the success in competitive

meets. In spite of a crowded schedule they did not forget their duty to the community and the college. Forensic activities for the community ranged from reading hours to exhibition debates to providing judges for local speech events. This interaction between the community and the college cannot help but to do good to all parties involved. On the college campus the forensic program again endeavored to share its knowledge and skills with the college community. Activities such as a Christmas convocation program and providing assistance during Energy Information Week served to strengthen the ties between Pi Kappa Delta and the student body.

The most important success of the year was the personal growth achieved by all involved in the program. With 10 people from different races, religions, and regions of the country, naturally differences of opinions and misunderstandings arose. As we learned to understand these differences we began to understand a little more about ourselves and each other. As we learned to function as a team we received valuable lessons in group decision processes on such little matters as where we would eat, who would room with whom, and other small but not so insignificant matters. This year has shown to us the validity of the Pi Kappa Delta ideal of helping each person to grow through a well-balanced successful forensic program.

PROVINCE 3 2 Chapters Reporting

ILLINOIS WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Paula McGlasson

Illinois Alpha Chapter has been busy this year strengthening its on-campus speech activities. In early March we hosted the McClean County Tournament, an individual events contest for high school students. Events included serious and humorous duet acting, oratory, original comedy, humorous and serious prose reading, after-dinner, and radio. Qualified Illinois Wesleyan students were judges and gained much from this profitable experience.

There were three student speech programs this spring: a presentation of

black poetry by Ms. Darlene Banks; a duo interpretation of drama by Ms. Deb Burt and Mr. Darryl Moore; and a senior honor show directed by Ms. Paula McGlasson, "Barefoot in the Park," featuring Shelly McClure, Deb Burt, Paul Breen, Darryl Moore and Richard Poshard.

In April we conducted the annual College Bowl which featured entries from all housing units and Greek living units who competed for several days in the quiz which followed the format of the television program. Professors served as judges and the entire university enters into the challenge and fun.

Paul Breen and Gregg Danz have traveled to numerous tournaments in debate. On the campus of IWU they have scheduled several debates with professors for on-campus events.

At the Joint Province Convention of the Illinois and of the Lakes, our sponsor, Dr. Marie J. Robinson, was elected to the office of Governor of the Province of the Illinois. We are proud to recognize her as the second female governor and the first representing individual events. Also in attendance at the Province tournament were Julius Frazier and Paula McGlasson who participated in oratory and persuasion.

The year closed with the initiation of five new members into the chapter, followed by a banquet honoring students for their achievements.

CARROLL COLLEGE *Reporter: Stephan Witort*

Wisconsin Beta has been very successful on the circuit this year, already winning 22 trophies with more expected. Fourteen tournaments have been attended, and membership in the chapter is growing with six new members yet to be initiated this term.

PROVINCE 4 3 Chapters Reporting

UNIVERSITY OF REDLANDS *Reporter: William Southworth*

The squad attended 15 tournaments this year. Highlights included third place at the Marietta National Round-Robin and Georgetown Invitational for senior Josh Cates and junior Greg Ballard. In mid-season, junior Bill Smelko and freshman

Nick Raymond placed third at the Sacramento State National Invitational and later in January took first place at the Seton Hall National Invitational. Junior Pat Webb and junior Konrad Clark reached the quarter-finals at Seton Hall and Harvard on consecutive week-ends. During the year Webb has accumulated a most impressive individual record of being in the top 10 speakers at all but one tournament which he has attended, which includes second speaker award at Wake Forest and at Seton Hall. The squad attended the Heart of America Tournament and the NDT District tournament as the school year came to a close.

CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE,
LOS ANGELES

Reporter: Mike Kelley

There has been much activity in the forensics program this year. In October the Fall Forensic Tournament attracted 44 schools and more than 500 contestants to compete in debate and individual events. November started a streak of successes. Bob Murphy took fourth place at the University of the Pacific tournament in expository speaking. At the Western States Tournament Doreen Robinson took first in persuasive speaking and Bob Murphy took third in expository speaking. At the Pacific Southwest Collegiate Forensic Association in December, Ruben Vasquez and David Steinhart were second place novice debaters. In individual events Charles Allen took first in persuasive speaking, Ed Stacy second in impromptu, Doreen Robinson second in oral interpretation, and the team won third place in the Sweepstakes. In January we beat the energy crisis to Arizona State University. There Doreen Robinson was second in persuasive speaking and first in oral interpretation, Bob Murphy was second in expository speaking, followed by Van Miller in third, Jan Morrow was third in Lincoln-Douglas Debate, as was the team in Sweepstakes competition. At Long Beach, Doreen Robinson was second in persuasive speaking. The following week-end at the University of Utah, Doreen took third in both persuasive and oral interpretation. At Cal State, Stanislaus, Doreen was awarded two Superior plaques with one each to Jan Morrow and Renee Armalin. At the Cal State, Fresno, tour-

namment Bob Murphy took first in expository and fourth in impromptu.

Cal State, Los Angeles, hosted the Province of the Pacific Tournament during the spring term.

CALIFORNIA STATE COLLEGE,
STANISLAUS

Reporter: Jim Austin

Uh-huh! There it is, under the potted palm — a small microphone. Obviously placed there by the unsteady hands of our president, John Baird, Ph.D. Are you listening, Doc? CCC here.

Yes, folks, we are not a joke, just a small college in the midst of central valley fog. Perhaps the fog is food for thought? What other excuse do we have for lacking a debate team. You do hear correctly: there is no official #1, #2, or #3 debate team at Stanislaus. Our coach tries; perhaps debaters just ignore this campus and hit for the higher spots; who knows? The last time any of us had contact with you was during the convention at Omaha; we were the school with eight individualists and no debate team.

Our big week-end was Feb. 1-2 when we sponsored the oral interpretation and readers' theatre festival; more than 100 students from nine schools participated in two divisions of readers' theatre and seven individual oral interpretation events. You guessed it, no debate!

In March we co-sponsored an original social satire written by Jim Austin, el presidente of Chi chapter. Before this tape runs out, we would like to introduce our sponsor, Richard Lucas, Province secretary-treasurer, and officers: Sue Christman, "second term" vice-president, who's eyeing the '76 elections; Barbra "Babs" Guptill, secretary and monetary eagle, and ex-debater, now I.E. convert; and Ken Adair, reporter. Alumni include Donna Oppelt, Doris Traube, and Paul Patulich. Members include: Tim Rein, Sharon Wallace, and Dennis Pierce. Future hopefuls are Steve Wampler, Steve Jost, John Davey, and Mark Hollinger.

Until we find another tape hidden in our office, or until that rare debate team comes along, you won't be hearing from us. Don't worry, we don't want all the world to hear us — just the judging segment!

PROVINCE 5 1 Chapter Reporting

DAKOTA WESLEYAN UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Pam Hardy

This year Dakota Wesleyan's forensic team attended several tournaments. At the University of South Dakota in Vermillion, the team placed two finalists: Bob Swank (Mitchell), in extemp, and Greg Bruhn (Mitchell), superior in discussion. Other tournaments included South Dakota State University in Brookings and Mankato State, Minnesota. We made a return trip to Brookings later.

Other activities have included a high school interpretation workshop in October which featured Dr. Bruce Manchester, assistant professor of Communication, Hunter College (New York City), and the finals of the finals of the South Dakota State High School Forensic Tournament attended by approximately 120 high school students.

Future plans include a picnic at the end of the year for all PKD members.

PROVINCE 6 2 Chapters Reporting

UNIVERSITY OF ARKANSAS AT MONTICELLO

Reporter: Teresa Carver

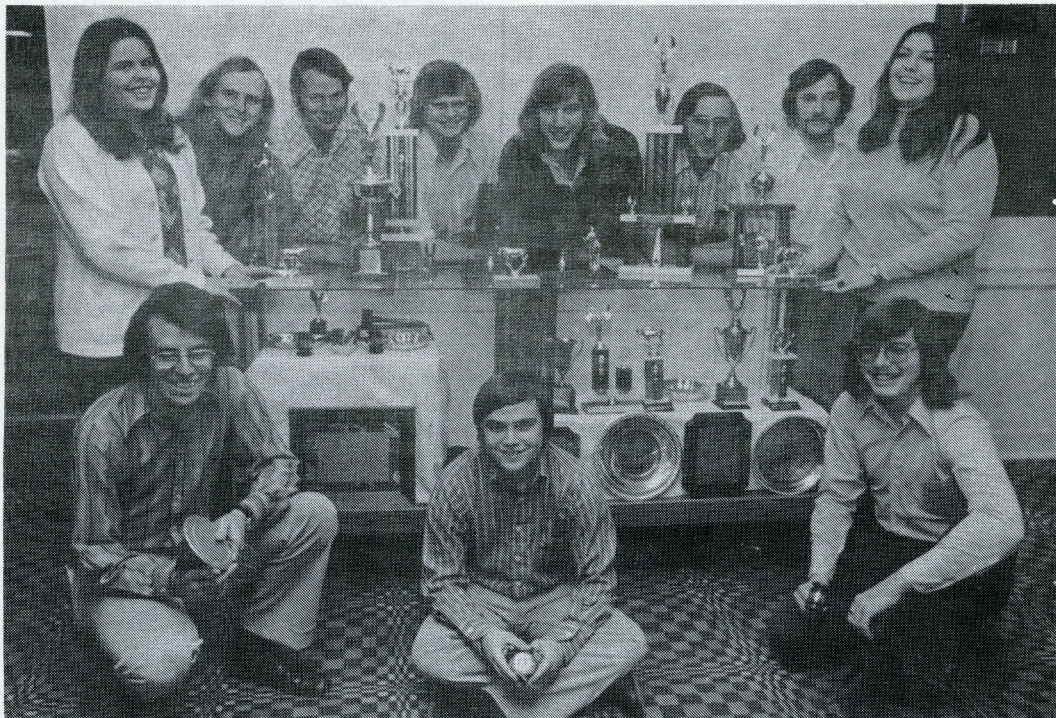
Theta Chapter has had a busy schedule this spring semester. We attended the PKD convention in Oklahoma City in March and the individual events competition at Stephen F. Austin (Texas) in April. The chapter participated in three novice tournaments at Fayetteville, Conway, and Little Rock. Theta Chapter also sponsored its own Novice Tournament, the first to be held at U.A.M.

March 9-10 was the Arkansas Speech Communication Festival in Little Rock. The chapter won two excellent awards in interpretation of prose, an excellent award in readers' theatre, and a superior award in radio speaking.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN UNIVERSITY

Reporter: James I. Luck

Students have participated in tour-



Pictured with some of the awards won during 1973-74 are [seated, L-R], Tim Herron, Scott McCown, Jim Paulsen; [standing], Barbara Gibson, John Bender, Ronnie DeFate, Mike Wallach, Steve Saunders, Richard Lysiak, Richard Hayes, and Kathy Booker.

naments held in Kansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Illinois, Kentucky, Georgia, North Carolina, California, Colorado and Maryland. In addition to participating in off-campus forensic events, students have assisted in hosting the Summer Debate Workshop, Fall Debate Workshop, High School and College Debate and Speech Tournaments, and the Southwest Conference Debate Championship.

PROVINCE 7
1 Chapter Reporting

NORTHERN MICHIGAN UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Michael B. Dompierre

The 1973-74 season has proved to be a continuation of a winning trend started last year. In October the varsity debaters finished second at the University of Wisconsin — Whitewater and at Central Michigan University, while in November the debaters went undefeated at Debate Days at Wayne State University. Not to be outdone, individual events participants placed three out of five finalists in impromptu and two out of five finalists in oral interpretation at Kellogg Community College and Bradley University, respectively. After a long semester break, the debaters finished fifth at Loyola University



M. Harold Mickle of Hope College receiving Province of the Lakes Distinguished Service Award from Past National President Raymond Yeager of Bowling Green.



Superior Sweepstakes winners from Central Michigan University and Wheaton College at the joint Provincial [Illinois and Lakes].

and Ohio University. Once again the I.E. squad was not to be outdone, reaching the finals in impromptu, extemp, poetry and dramatic interpretation at Albion College.

Our local chapter has been very active this year. Highlighting the activities was our sponsorship of "Forensics Week in Marquette" during the first week of December, which included hosting a high school debate tournament, a forensics festival, and a public information debate. The major event was a speech and question-and-answer period with PKD member Gale McGee, United States Senator from Wyoming. The first week of March NMU hosted a high school forensics tournament.

Former vice president, Ron Jackson, assumed the duties of president from John Dobel.

PROVINCE 9 3 Chapters Reporting

APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Ralph Kornegay

North Carolina Epsilon has had a very successful year. Of primary importance has been putting the chapter back on its feet as an active chapter. Seven new members have been added: Cathy Dibello, Debra Murray, Rita Allender, Lois Berger, Randy Shaver, Wayne Hall and Bill Bird.

The team has competed in nine tournaments in seven states. Five members have qualified for the I.E. nationals at Plattsburgh, New York: Randy Shaver in impromptu, extemp, and persuasion; Lois Berger and Debra Murray in oral interpretation; Rita Allender in persuasion; and Emily Shaver in impromptu.

The novice debate team of Hall and Bird took second place in the Catawba College tournament going 6-0 in the prelims, only to lose to Davidson College in the finals. The varsity team of Shaver and Dibello took second place at the just completed PKD Province of the Southeast Tournament-Convention in Gatlinburg, Tenn. They lost to Carson Newman College in the finals.

At the Province Tournament, Mr. Terry Cole (soon to be Dr. Cole) was elected Lieutenant Governor of the Province of the Southeast. As one of his first jobs, Mr. Cole is exploring, with the aid of a special committee, the possibility of chartering a

bus to take the Province delegation to the 1975 PKD National Convention in Philadelphia.

The 33rd Annual Appalachian Mountain Forensic Tournament was a success with 33 colleges and universities from as far away as New York, Florida, Ohio, and Missouri attending. Plans are under way for the next tournament to be sponsored in early November 1974.

The 3rd annual Mountain High School Forensic Tournament was hosted in December. Thirty-four high schools from throughout North Carolina and the Middle Atlantic States attended.

TENNESSEE STATE UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Sandra W. Holt

On Feb. 7-9, Tennessee State participated in the Annual Tennessee Intercollegiate Forensics Association Tournament in Johnson City, Tenn. Three students, Donna Hall, Adrienne Harding, and Rick Treece, were entered in oral interpretation of poetry; Rick also entered oral interpretation of prose. All three students had excellent showings with very stiff competition. Rick Treece placed third in oral interpretation of poetry; this was his very first tournament.

OLD DOMINION UNIVERSITY

Reporter: Gene Echols

The O.D.U. Debate Squad has been involved in a co-curricular program of 11 intercollegiate contests, three presentations for civic groups, two radio programs, and hosting and judging both intercollegiate and Virginia high school forensic contests during 1973-74. A total of 23 students have been involved in the forensic program, excelling in both academic areas and in competition. Seven of our debaters made the Dean's List last semester. These same seven formed the core of our squad which collected over 30 trophies and awards during the season. We closed our season with the Virginia State Tournament where Larry Stepp and Bill Hollaran, both freshmen, took the second place varsity trophy and the first and second place varsity speakers' trophies. In addition, they received a trophy for the best novice team at the tournament. Our coach, Dr. Douglas M. Trank, was elected president of the Virginia Forensic