

casions at the suppers was not in good taste. Secondly, the unparliamentary and rowdy business sessions placed the alleged teachers of "Robert's Rules of Order" in rather a bad light. Finally, I would recommend that drawing be used throughout the tournament as a means of picking opponents.

I mention these things in the spirit of constructive criticism, and I want you to know that I feel the convention was very much worth while, and I enjoyed every minute of it.

EDWIN GUNBERG, *St. Olaf, Minnesota Beta.*



Won't you please convey to those present my personal greetings and the official greetings of Delta Sigma Rho? I remember with pleasure my trip to Lexington two years ago. Some of my impressions of that occasion were given at the December convention of the National Association of Teachers of Speech. I believe that Pi Kappa Delta is doing understanding service speech education in the United States.

H. L. EUBANK, *President*  
*Delta Sigma Rho*



## TELEGRAMS

The following telegrams were read at the final banquet.

Tau Kappa Alpha extends the cordial greetings of her associated chapters to all who are gathered at the Pi Kappa Delta convention banquet.

WILLIAM T. HADE, *National Secretary.*



Best greetings from the National Forensic League to Pi Kappa Delta in convention assembled. May the spoken word serve to cement many bonds of permanent friendship and help hundreds of contestants to equip themselves better to assume places of leadership in democratic government. As a Pi Kappa Deltan I include personal greetings to my many friends at the convention and I regret that my zeal to domesticate the donkey keeps me from joining you in one of America's most significant conventions.

KARL MUNDT, *President, National Forensic League.*



Sorry I cannot be with you. Phi Rho Pi sends greetings and best wishes for your national convention.

MAUDE RAMM, *President, Phi Rho Pi.*

# Convention Registration



## ALABAMA

**Beta—Alabama College**  
Coach—J. H. Henning  
Emmie Vida Slaughter  
Annie Laura Beckham  
Martha Lowery

## ARIZONA

**Alpha—Arizona State**  
Jay Winn  
Reed Freeman

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**Alpha—Henderson Teachers**  
Coach—Dr. K. M. Scott  
James Pilkington  
John Baker Elms  
Paul Hendershot

**Beta—Ouachita**  
Coach—Dr. R. C. Daily  
Bobbie Cooper  
Frances Swain

**Gamma—College of Ozarks**  
Coach—Frank E. McAnear  
Howard Lee Bost  
John Keith Newell  
Homer Brooks  
Mavine Lewis  
Nadine Lewis  
Virginia Stewart

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**Alpha—Redlands**  
Coach Jos. Baccus  
Coach—E. R. Nichols  
Weston McIntosh  
Fred Drexler  
Brenda Batchelor  
Norma Wilson

**Gamma—California Institute of Technology**  
Coach—Ray E. Unter-einer  
Howard Hamacher  
Paul Hammond

**Delta—College of Pacific**  
Coach—Dwayne Orton  
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Francis Embry  
Kathleen Foulger

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**Alpha—Colorado State**  
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John McCafferty  
Avis Page  
Margaret Miller  
Martha Trimble

**Beta—Greeley State**  
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Norman Pixler  
Elmer Bennett  
Eugene Kalney  
Ruth Shaffer  
Eleanor Brawn

**Gamma—Western State**  
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Paul Urone  
Iola Weikland  
Patricia O'Fallon

## FLORIDA

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Pierce  
James Holden  
Sterling Olmstead  
David Bothe  
Polly Raoul  
Elizabeth Test

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George Greenfield  
Howard Campbell

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Eugene Balsley  
Harold Livingston  
Lowell Hall

**Beta—Eureka**  
Kinsey James  
Samuel Harrod

**Zeta—Monmouth**  
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Wilbur Lester  
John Moffett

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Coach—Ruth V. Yates  
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Lawrence Nelson  
Clifford Scott  
Robert Turner  
Virginia Abbott  
Ruth Hoffman  
Sarah Lee Meyer  
C. Harpster

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Vincent Godfrey  
Wendell Slabaugh

**Lambda—Shurtleff**  
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**Mu—Wheaton**  
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Douglas Eadie  
Donna Ruth Breining  
Delle Mackenzie  
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Wayne Thompson  
Hartley DeFoe  
Otis Aggert, Jr.  
Lillian Pearl Alexander  
Martha Purdum

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Coach—T. LeVander  
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Peter Denger  
Ivern Dowie  
Woodrow Magnuson  
Kenneth Walker  
Ruth Robinson  
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Loretta Skelly  
Carmen Johnson  
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Robert Renaud  
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Coach—Miss Junella Teeter  
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Willard Pedrick  
Scott Jordan  
Mary Moorhead  
Mary Bachman

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Bob Frederick  
Duane Blackwell  
Phillip Yothes  
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Wesley Miller  
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**Mu—Drake**

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Merritt Hammond  
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Robert Rinden  
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J. William Townsend  
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**Delta—Southwestern**

Coach—J. Thompson  
Baker  
Ward Henderson  
Robert Youle  
Carl Stocking  
Homer Mossman  
Lucille Robbins  
Mildred Pike  
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Coach—George R. R. Pflaum  
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LaVerna Wharton  
Doris McGuire

**Eta—Kansas Wesleyan**

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Jake Dickson  
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Alice Lorraine Carson

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Leo Howard  
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Jane Hamilton  
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Champ Graham  
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William Pinkerton  
Margaret Wilson  
Georgia Wells  
Laura Kneidl

**Mu—Bethany**

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John Darrah  
Eugene Nelson  
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Marguerite Taylor  
Virginia Beason  
Gwendolyn Dimmett

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Alfred Minnish  
Lewis Bratcher

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**Wesleyan**  
Alec Spencer  
John Young  
Truman Morris

**Delta—Transylvania**

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Robert Cord  
James Riley  
Dale Creek

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Mabel Kees  
Sarah Roland  
Mabel Lambert

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Hugh Stephens  
John Carstarphen  
Paul Entrikin

**Gamma—Southwest Louisiana Institute**

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Clarence Krumnow  
Joseph Piccione  
Gaynell Beadle  
Louise Crawford

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John Osborn  
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Elmer E. Perrin  
Donald O'Hara  
Donald Hittle  
Hazel Sikenga  
Lela Keener  
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Robert Satterlee  
Ellen Chapin  
Marie Bailey  
Marjorie Hinckley  
James Orvis

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Coach—Harold Le Vander  
Carl Bahmmer  
Vernes Grafstrom  
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Malcolm Powrie  
Beverly Batzer  
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Ralph Glenn  
Paul Morrein

**Gamma—Gustavus****Adolphus**

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Bernard LeVander  
Jack Thorene  
Henry Benson, Jr.  
Frances Erickson  
Sylvia Benson  
Gertrude Nelson

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Ray Lewis  
Cornelia MacGregor  
David Carlson

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William Quinn  
Robert Sheran  
Abraham Kaplan  
Martin Cogley

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Ralph Fjelstad  
Burton Smith  
Margaret Haugseth  
Dorothy Holm

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Caxton Daggett  
Read Dunn

**Beta—Mississippi State**

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W. M. Partlow  
R. E. Price  
R. L. Dabbs  
V. K. Wagner



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 William H. Dahman  
 George Cameron Hurst  
 William Newman, III

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 Loren Stanton  
 Mary C. Donnelly  
 Helen Schrader

**Gamma—Central**

Coach—Bernard Meland  
 Jack Newhouse  
 Allen Mitchell  
 John B. Breckenridge  
 Nellie Crank  
 Elizabeth Anderson

**Delta—William Jewell**

Coach—P. Caspar Harvey  
 August Hintz  
 Joe Emery, Jr.  
 Grace Prewitt  
 Mary Belle Burch

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 Robert Hulsen  
 William Sener  
 Rachel Hulsen  
 Sara Frances Dunning

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 Mary Bunce Jacoby  
 Gretel Batholomew  
 Juanita Foster

**Theta—Kirkville**

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 Robert McKinney  
 Crystal Loughhead  
 Maurine Page  
 Irene Kuhns  
 E. S. Avison

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 Gus Margraf

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 June Morgan  
 Louise Bauer  
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 Willard Ethridge  
 Hudnall Harvey  
 James Sutton

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 Allwin Monson  
 Ralph Tripp  
 Beatrice Cox  
 Betty Cummings

**NEBRASKA****Alpha—Nebraska Wesleyan**

Coach—Enid Miller  
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 John Porter  
 Willard Wilson  
 Doris Nelson  
 Helen Heiszenbittel  
 Elizabeth Nicholls  
 Elizabeth Barker  
 Hannah Johnston  
 Lois Horn

**Gamma—Doane**

Coach—Harmon B. Stephens  
 Howard Bourne  
 Paul Hawkins  
 Miller Ireland  
 Clarence Kellner  
 Eileen Weingarth  
 Leona Hurlburt

**Delta—Hastings**

Coach—Leroy T. Laase  
 Lowell Ashby  
 Max Franzen  
 Ardyce Gilna  
 Francis Ramsey

Lillian Fisher

Norma Cope

**Zeta—Kearney**

Coach—J. D. Hansen  
 George Henigan  
 Ed Quinn  
 Walter Murrish  
 Don Smith

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 H. R. Crawford  
 J. G. Gaw  
 H. R. McSwain

**Beta—Wake Forest**

George Copple  
 Hugh A. Matthews

**OHIO****Alpha—Baldwin-Wallace**

Coach—Dana T. Burns  
 Lawrence Stone

**Beta—Heidelberg**

Tom Zoller  
 Martha Ward  
 Mary Ellen Sacksteder  
 Jack Matthews  
 Roger Shinn

**Delta—Akron**

Paul Bagwell  
 Harvey Davis

**Epsilon—Otterbein**

Donald Warner  
 Gerald Riley

**Zeta—Marietta**

Daniel Meyer  
 C. William O'Neill

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Coach—J. W. Carmichael  
 Earl Cryer  
 Karl Karg, Jr.

**Theta—Toledo**

Coach—G. Harrison  
 Orians

Edwin Klag  
Max Bishop  
Theodore Ulmer  
George F. Lynn

**Iota—Kent State**

Coach—E. Turner Stump

Coach—G. Harvey

Wright

Edward Schneider

Ledo Ross

Robert Wilson

Donald Weir

Josephine Cotman

Dorothy Runk

Doreen Smith

**OKLAHOMA****Beta—Tulsa**

Coach—Harlan W.

Hamilton

Jackson Hays

Carl King

Don La Grone

Richard Ryan

**Gamma—Oklahoma**

Baptist

Coach—Evan A. Reiff

Bura Stephens

Luther Harris

Lois Jaxie Short

**Delta—Alva**

Coach—O. W. Rush

Howard C. Harpham

Paul D. Cummings

Jamie Carol White

Nellie Jillson Burchfield

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Dean—Lena E. Misener

Lois Arric

Ruth Heggen

Sanford Palmer

**Eta—Ada**

Coach—Edith Leonard

R. E. Carleton

Paul Hughes

Glenn Watson

Leroy Martin

Dorothy Summers

May Boren-Axton

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Coach—T. A. Houston

Billy Green

Frank Gibbard

Tom Knott

Billy Riley

Jane Merritt

Clinta Jones

**Iota—Edmond**

Coach—Loren N. Brown

Doak Stowe

Don Wright

Lee Murphy

Fern Reed

Roberta Thomas

Evelyn Dieball

Mae Lewis

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Frances Railsback

Elizabeth Grover

Esther Greenwell

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Francisco Ponsa

Otto Riefkohl

Luis Berris

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Lowell Semans

Dwyte Wilson

Alice Keith

Dorothy Hink

Margaret Bakewell



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One of the delegates from  
Puerto Rico

**Beta—Huron**

Robert Welch

Olin Burnett

William Wright

**Gamma—Yankton**

Coach—Herbert L. Curry

Allison Dunham

John Richards

Ivan Anderson

Marjorie Collins

Elaine Olson

Evelyn Parrish

**Delta—South Dakota State**

Don Mall

Robert Burris

Philo Hall

Donald Baddeley

Max Myers

Elizabeth Wright

Lillian Jensen

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Coach—P. J. Harkness

George Hart

Jos Robie

Angela Dineen

Phyllis Roberts



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 Coach—Upton Palmer  
 Carl Lundquist  
 Thaine Van Ansdall  
 Joyce Arnold  
 Elain Pagel  
 Bernice Stier  
 Douglas Odell

**Eta—Augustana**  
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 Francis Smith  
 Don Larson  
 Kenneth Holum  
 Mary Strahon  
 Clara Chilson  
 Bernice Severson  
 Marcella Staven

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 Coach—A. E. Swan  
 Andy White  
 Everin O'Brien  
 Geraldine Fergen  
 Arline Hart

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**Alpha—Maryville**  
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 Paul Hartman  
 Archibald Pieper  
 Roberta Howie  
 Mary Gladys Brown

**Beta—Tusculum**  
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 Betty MacLeod

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 Bill Everheart  
 Lloyd Stowers

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 Paul Conner  
 Bill Copeland  
 Elwin Byrns  
 Hensley McCown  
 Helen Blakemore  
 Almeha Perry

**Delta—Howard-Payne**  
 Coach—O. E. Winebrenner  
 Albert McChristy  
 Charles Matthews  
 Hugh England  
 Elton Greenlee  
 Blanche Dabney

**Epsilon—Mary Hardin-Baylor**  
 Coach—Thelma Robuck  
 Naomi Smith  
 Fleda Howell  
 Pauline Butte  
 Elizabeth Moore

**Eta—Denton**  
 Coach—Olive M. Johnson  
 Jesse Swor  
 Boyd Kelly  
 Helen Anglin  
 Bess Tisinger

**Theta—Hardin-Simmons**  
 Coach W. A. Stephenson  
 Don Gayer  
 Jeff Bell  
 Billy Brown  
 James K. Polk  
 Kelley Barnett

**Iota—Baylor**  
 Coach—Glenn Capp  
 Paul Geren  
 J. W. Bruner  
 Frank Rosson  
 Helen Harris  
 Mary Ellen Neelley  
 Caroline Chisholm

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 Coach—Earl Huffor  
 Herbert Manning  
 Vernon Lynch  
 Drew Harrison  
 Kennedy Porter  
 Joseph K. Jacobsen  
 Clark Anderson  
 Donald Kilpatrick  
 Jack Ruble  
 Stanley Baskins  
 James Butler

**Lambda—San Marcos**  
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 Coach—H. M. Greene  
 Mell Greene



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 Wilson Nolle  
 Roy Willbern  
 Roscoe Adkins

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 Don Langston  
 Joe Dickerson  
 Everett Page  
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 J. B. Trimble  
 Truitt Kennedy  
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 Gertrude Levy

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 John Leik  
 Olive Whorley  
 Lora Bryning

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Kermit Hanson, Decorah, Iowa.

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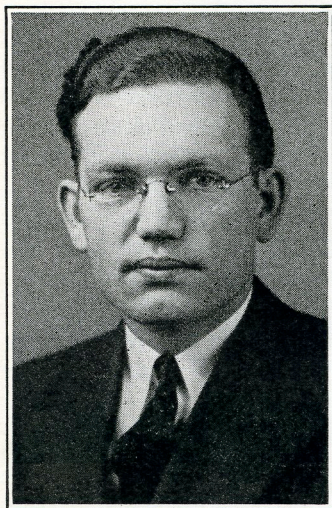
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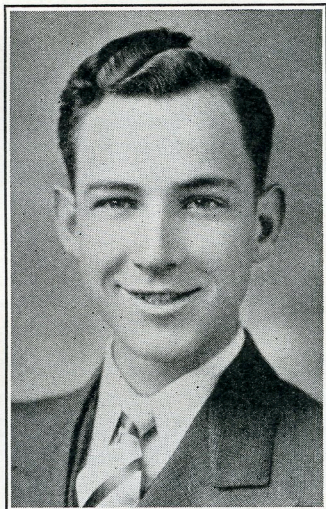


Glenn R. Capp, Coach of Baylor University, Texas Iota. He produced a first in women's debate, a second in men's debate, second in men's oratory, fifth in women's oratory, twelfth in men's oratory, and a fifteenth in women's extempore.

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### Ten Commandments for Extemporaneous Speakers

The "Ten Commandments for Extemporaneous Speakers" which appeared in the FORENSIC for March should have carried the name of their author, Miss Mildred E. Hickman, Sioux Falls College, South Dakota Epsilon.

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### WATCH US GROW

Last membership: 14,203. Walter Iiam, College of Idaho.

Last key: 9,967. Katherine Webb, College of Emporia.

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Washburn, Kansas State, and Emporia Teachers, the Beta, Gamma, and Zeta chapters, held a joint initiation in Topeka April 13. The initiation and banquet was attended by seventy-five members. Twenty-three new members were initiated, including the following honorary members: Frank J. Ryan, Secretary of State; W. T. Markham, Superintendent of Public Instruction; and Hon. Chas. Thompson. The first two honorary members appeared on the program, along with Dr. D. L. McEachron of Washburn, Dean Babcock of Kansas State and Professors G. S. Fulbright, H. B. Summers, and George R. R. Pflaum, representing the three chapters. The ritual was conducted by one representative of each chapter. "This joint initiation was certainly carried out in a spirit of brotherly cooperation. We are thinking of making it an annual affair, inviting other chapters to participate."—*G. S. Fulbright.*

Misses Mary Belle Burch and Grace Prewitt, William Jewell, Missouri Delta, debaters, after the Houston tournaments, started on a five thousand mile invasion of the eastern states. While in New York April 8, they were interviewed over the coast-to-coast network of the Columbia Broadcasting System. One of the national news commentators questioned them on what American youth thinks of the Supreme Court and economic conditions as they affect the future. On April 23-4 Miss Burch spoke in the interstate oratorical contest at Northwestern University.—*The William Jewell Student.*

Prof. George R. R. Plaum, Kansas Zeta, has recently been appointed by the State Superintendent of Public Instruction to serve as chairman of a committee to formulate a unit course of study of speech to be put in the high schools of Kansas.



## PI KAPPA DELTA IN THE INTERSTATE ORATORICAL

Pi Kappa Delta orators won the chief honors in the Interstate Oratorical Contest held at Northwestern University, April 23-24. The contest this year, for the first time, was divided in a men's and women's section.

In the men's section, Willard Wilson, Nebraska Wesleyan, Nebraska Alpha, won first with the oration "Willard Wilson." People who attended the Houston convention will remember that he won fourth in the national contest there. Second place was awarded to J. Woodrow Magnuson, Augustana, Illinois Xi, winner of third at Houston, with the oration "Enough of This." Francis M. Smith, Augustana, South Dakota Eta, also spoke.

Four states were represented in the women's tournament by Pi Kappa Delta schools. Miss Gladys Simmons of Macalester, Minnesota Alpha, won first. At Houston her oration, "The Cocktail Hour," tied for second. Miss Mary Belle Burch, William Jewell, Missouri Delta, won third with her oration "The Island of Yap." Miss Lillian Fisher of Hastings and Miss Phyllis Roberts, South Dakota Zeta, who tied with Miss Simmons at Houston, also spoke.

The women's division is to be a permanent feature of the Old Line Interstate.

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BOOK REVIEW

The Neutrality Policy of The United States, compiled by Julia E. Johnson, New York: The H. W. Wilson Company, 1936: pp. 267.

This is a new edition of *The Reference Shelf*, volume 10, number 7. It is enough to say that it is worthy of that splendid line of debate books and up to the standard of the veteran editor. The best available material on this timely question is assembled in handy form. It is the debater's first aid.

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Kelley Barnett, Texas Theta, Hardin-Simmons, won first in after dinner speaking, first in extempore, and second in oratory at the Oklahoma Theta, Durant, invitation forensic tournament. — *The Brand*.

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Michigan State was host to delegates from twenty Michigan colleges who attended the ninth Model Assembly of the League of Nations May 8-9.—*Michigan State News*.

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Answer to problem on Editor's Personal Page. The men had five and seven apples respectively.

Prof. John Barnes, Park, Missouri Beta, who was taken to the hospital during the convention while suffering from a heart attack, recovered sufficiently to return to his home where he found his wife attacked by the same malady. She died April 9. Pi Kappa Delta extends its sympathy.

The Wheaton, Illinois Mu, debaters combined gospel work with their forensic activities. On their trip to California they did some religious speaking and left copies of the Gospel of John with every filling station attendant who serviced their car.—*The Wheaton Record*.

The Linfield forensic tournament sponsored by Oregon Alpha February 20-22 drew two hundred fifty students from seventeen colleges. Linfield, with first place in both men's and women's extemp, and second in women's oratory and debate, won the sweepstake honors.—*College Coyote*.

Miss Lillian Fisher, Hastings, Nebraska Delta, represented her state in the first annual women's division of the Interstate Oratorical contest. Eleven states were represented. The contests were held at Northwestern University, April 25-6.—*The Hastings Collegian*.

Wiley College, Marshall, Texas, which claims the Negro championship and has done much to advance inter-racial good will through its forensic activities, has a tentative date to debate Oxford in England next year.—*The Skiff*.

Six speakers competed in the local Prohibition oratorical contest at East Central, Oklahoma Eta. The state Anti-Saloon League offered a prize of ten dollars for the winner.—*The East Central Journal*.

Edmond, Oklahoma Iota, won the women's debate tournament at the Mid-South meet at Arkadelphia, Arkansas, February 14-15. Twenty-two institutions from eight states were represented.—*The Vista*.

Michigan State has been carrying on a number of extension debates with neighboring institutions. The off-campus debates have been before high schools, clubs, and granges.—*Michigan State News*.

Edmond Teachers, Oklahoma Iota, won the men's debate tournament at Tahlequah January 24-5. Oklahoma City University won the women's tournament.—*The East Central Journal*.



Emporia Teachers, Kansas Zeta, won the men's championship in the state debating tournament held on the campus of the Pittsburg Teachers, March 13-14. This is the third year that the Emporia debaters, Mont Hilleary and Wayne Britton, have won this honor. In addition these speakers won first and second in extemp, this being Hilleary's second championship in this field.—*The Bulletin*.

Professor Schory, debate coach at Western State Teachers, Illinois Nu, is the author of a pageant, "The Christmas Cycle." On his return trip from Houston, he stopped at Memphis, Tennessee, to witness the presentation in the city auditorium of part of it, "The Good Shepherd," by a cast of several hundred students of LeMoyne College.—*The Western Courier*.

Wheaton, Illinois Mu, won the high honors in the first annual tournament of the Midwest Debate League, an association of a number of colleges in Illinois and neighboring states. It was voted to continue the tournament plan.—*The Shurtleff Pioneer*.

Hilleary and Britton, Kansas Zeta's prize tournament team, tied for first in extemp at the Durant, Oklahoma Theta, tournament. and dance were held. The new class was the largest ever to be Durant won the men's debate honors.—*The Bulletin*.

The Speakers' Club of Augustana, Illinois Xi, has been very successful in supplying student speakers for church and service club meetings in nearby cities.—*Augustana Observer*.

Dakota Wesleyan, South Dakota Alpha, sponsored a junior college debate tournament in which her own junior college team won first honors in men's debate.—*The Phreno Cosmian*.

Hastings women and St. Thomas men, winners in the Northwestern tournament at St. Paul, March 4, gave a half hour radio debate over a St. Paul station.—*The Hastings Collegian*.

Mary Burch of William Jewell, Missouri Delta, became the first woman to win the Missouri State oratorical contest for Park, Missouri Beta.—*The Park Stylus*.

Beginning next year three semester hours credit will be given for two year's membership on a college debating team at Texas Christian University.—*The Skiff*.

Texas Christian, the Zeta chapter, concluded an extensive forensic season with a debate against Wiley College, the Negro champions.—*The Skiff*.

High school debate question for next year: Resolved, That all electric utilities should be governmentally owned and operated.

Kearney, Nebraska Zeta, went through the men's tournament undefeated in the state contest.—*The Antelope*.