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OH SOLE MEOW, Black 60c A PAIR OF LUNATICS (From

1936, 60c DICK SWIVELLER AND THE MARCHIONESS. Dickens 50c

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DISCIPLINED DEMOCRACY, Hunter, 50c

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- Grossmont-LaZelle Smith; Edith Grassmueck; National, 1934; 6 Chairman, 1935, 1937.
- Los Gatos-George G. Bruntz.
- Modesto-Margaret Painter. 6
- Pasadena Academy-Robert D. Clark. 2
- Ripon—Leonard McKaig.
- San Bernardino-Mrs. Virginia R. Coffey; National, 1934, 1935.
- San Diego-Herbert C. Peiffer.
- Santa Maria-Florence Akerson. 4
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- Turlock (suspended)-C. F. Perrott. 2

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- Boulder-Claude E. Wilson 2
- Denver-Cathedral H. S.-Rev. Chas. M. Johnson; National, 2 1936.
- Denver-Manual H.S.-T. A. Anderson; Chairman, 1929, 1931, 10 1932, 1933.
- Fort Collins-James A. Tracy: National, 1936; Chairman, 1936, 4 1937.
- Fort Morgan-Elizabeth J. Work, National, 1932, 1934. 9
- Greeley-Holle DeBoer. 8
- Hotchkiss (suspended)-Harper Johnson. 8
- Limon-G. Dewey Smith. 2
- Littleton-Mary V. Corr; National, 1936.
- Longmont-Albert E. James; National, 1936.
- Pueblo-Centennial H. S.-Homer H. Bisel; National, 1934. 1 1936.
- 11 Sterling-Irene K. Conboy.

Delaware

Wilmington (suspended)-Clarence A. Fulmer.

Idaho

- Buhl-Fred Liversay; Chairman, 1932.
- Caldwell-Erwin Schweibert; National, 1934, 1936.
- Lewiston-Gladys E. Young; National, 1935; Chairman, 1935. 5 1936.
- Nampa-Fred Ruiz; Chairman, 1937. 9

Illinois

- Aurora-East H. S.-M. G. Attig, R. E. Blackman; National, 12 1931, 1932; Chairman, 1930, 1931.
- Aurora-West H.S.-C. J. Nebergal; National, 1934, 1936. 6
- Bunker Hill-Mary J. Skidmore. 2
- Charleston-Teachers College H. S.-Roberta L. Poos.
- Chicago-Central Day Y.M.C.A. H.S. (suspended)-F. J. Mac-9 Guidwin; National, 1931.
- Chicago-Central Eve Y.M.C.A. H.S.-E. L. Kimball, Chair-7 man, 1932, 1935.
- Chicago-Lane Technical H.S.-Helen J. Sherbohn.
- Chicago-North Park Academy (suspended)-Paul H. Elmen. 2
- Cicero-W. J. Cherry, Dorothy Julian; National, 1931, 1932, 11 1933; Chairman, 1933.
- DeKalb-Edith T. Wentworth. 3

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Chapter Directory

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The active faculty sponsor is named as well as additional instructors holding active membership in the Local Chapter. "National" indicates the years in which that chapter participated in the National Speech Tournament. "Chairman" indicates the years in which a member of that chapter served as District Chairman, though not necessarily the present sponsor named in this directory.

Although these lists have been checked for errors and omissions. it is still probable that some have occurred. If Chapters will kindly call attention to them, the national office will make correction.

This is our first comprehensive NFL directory. Is it what you want? Is the information interesting and useful? What might be left out and what should be added? Within the limitations of space and the feasibility of collecting the data, we should like to include in our next directory just what most of the chapters want. What is your specific suggestion? Write the national secretary about it while the idea is fresh in your mind.

Alabama

Tuscaloosa-Mrs. E. D. Thames-National, 1934. 2

Arizona

Phoenix-Avery F. Olney, Gladys Bookman, Alex Frazier-11 Chairman 1928, 1929, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1936.

Arkansas

- 5 Hot Springs-Lois Alexander-National, 1934, 1936.
- Ionesboro-Alma L. Ellis-National, 1936. 1
- North Little Rock-Leona Scott. 3
- Pine Bluff-Jerry L. Patterson-National, 1932. 5

California

- Bakerseld-Wiley K. Peterson-National, 1934, 1935. 8
- 11 Ceres—Stanley Sessions.

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Evansville-Bosse H. S.-Paul J. Scheips, Marguerite Roberts. Evansville-Reitz H.S.-Mildred Potter.

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- 4 Fort Wayne-Central H. S.-Albert A. Coil; National, 1931. 8
- Fort Wayne-Elmhurst H. S.-Barbara Varin; National, 1934.
- Fort Wayne-North H. S.-Loy C. Laney.
- Frankfort-William Floyd; National, 1935. 3
- Hammond-Clark H. S .-- Laura M. Schad. 2
- Hammond-Hammond H. S .- Thomas Dale Reed, W. T. El-3 liott; National, 1934; Chariman, 1937.
- Kewanna-David C. Allen; National, 1934.
- LaPorte-Eva H. Thompson. 6
- Lebanon-Chas. E. A. Moore; Chairman, 1931. 10
- North Judson-C. C. Diettert; National, 1934; Chairman, 1929, 10 1930, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Terre Haute-Wiley H. S.-Winifred M. Ray; National, 1935. Iowa
- Ames-Mrs. Ferne Gaunt. 9 Cherokee-Mt. St. Mary-Sr. M. Evangelista; National, 1932. 6
- Clear Lake (suspended)-Dorothy Hanlon; National, 1932. 9
- Council Bluffs (suspended)-Jefferson H. S.-Edwin J. King; 8 National, 1932.
- Eagle Grove-Glenn Pinkharm; Chairman, 1928, '29, '31, '32, '33 11
- Elkader-J. Dale Welsch; National, 1931; Chairman, 1934. 9
- Emerson (suspended)-Frank J. Shaw; National, 1934. 2
- Estherville-John C. Slover. 11
- Fairfield-W. B. Pettigrew; National, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1936. 9
- Hawarden-Edmund 'I'. Anderson. 8
- Muscatine-G. B. Barber; National, 1931; 1934, 1935; Chair man, 1935.
- Newton-Joe W. Griffin; Chairman, 1936. 7
- Onawa (suspended)-F. E. Flack. 10
- Oskaloosa-Geo. Pritchard; Chairman, 1937. 6
- Perry-Clifford H. Beem. 5
- Primghar-John E. Griffin. 2
- Rock Rapids (suspended)-Celesta Pirwitz. 10
- Sioux City-East H. S.-John F. Schmidt; National, 1932, 1933, 6 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Waverly-Ardeth Donly.
- Webster City (suspended)-Bertha Teal; National, 1934, 1935. 4

Kansas

- Atchison-D. C. Herrington; National, 1934.
- 3 Atwood (suspended)-Madge Buelow. 8
- Canton-Kenneth L. Johnson; National, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Cherryvale (suspended)-11
- Dodge City-Cecil B. Lamb.
- Emporia-Harrison B. Taylor
- Fort Scott-William A. Black.
- Greeley (suspended)-Eunice Cole.
- Hutchinson-John W. Brewer; National, 1933, 1934. 10
- Independence-Anna Ingleman; National, 1936.
- Junction City-T. J. LaRue. 5
- Kansas City-Wyandotte H. S.-Leonard Jensen; National, 10 1932, 1936; Chairman, 1932, 1933.

- Dupo-Henrietta M. Smith; Leo Barker; National, 1934, 1935. 3
- DuQuoin-R. P. Hibbs; National, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936; Chair-6 man, 1936, 1937.
- Dwight-Gladys Hoffman, Thomas Lewis; National, 1935, 1936. 3
- Elgin-R. S. Cartwright; National, 1933, 1934, 1935. 5
- Freeport-Aquin H.S .- Sr. Mary Charity. 5
- Freeport-Senior H. S .- Paul A. Crawford; National, 1932. 8 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Granite City-Mary A. Blackburn; National, 1931, 1932, 1933. 9 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Henning-C. A. Rumble. 2
- Hinsdale-Theresa Stephenson; National, 1934.
- Jacksonville-Harold E. Gibson; National, 1932, 1934, 1935. 6
- Joliet-Walter L. Myers.
- Kankakee-Frank R. Weller, Larry Jenkins.
- Kewanee (suspended)-R. H. Classon; National, 1932, 1933.
- LaGrange-R. A. Deabler.
- Lincoln-Clarence A. Miller; National, 1934, 1935, 1936. 3
- Macomb-Susan Hermetet 2
- Macon-Mrs. Marie Orr Shere 8
- Maine Township H.S., Park Ridge-John D. Shaver, E. J. Mor-6
- Mansfield-Mrs. Bly Pace: National, 1936. 2
- Mascoutah-Henrietta E. Ohl. 6
- Mendota-Edward P. Zimdars: National 1931, 1933, 1935. 11
- Mooseheart-Meridith R. Taylor.
- Morris (suspended)-Phillip R. Kasik. 2
- Morton-Ralph McMinn, Rosalind Fisher. 11
- Mt. Carmel suspended)-Katharine Foster. 2
- Olney-Beulah Hutchens, Vera Smith; National, 1932, 1933. 5 1935.
- Pekin-Theodore F. Nelson; National, 1931. 12
- Peoria-Central H. S.-H. Geraldine Iler; National, 1932, 1933; 6 1934, 1935, 1936.
- 10 Peoria-Kingman-Bertha Berman; National, 1932.
- Potomac-R. S. Wilson; National, 1934. 3
- 7 Princeton-Frank P. DeLay.
- Rankin-Mrs. Jessie Frederick, Mrs. Joanna Bishop; National, 4 1933. 1934.
- Rockton-O. S. Loomis. 9
- Sandwich-Carl Thokey; National, 1931, 1932; Chairman, 1934. 6
- Sparta-Orville A. Sullivan.
- 3 Vandalia-Mrs. I. V. Batts.
- Watseka (suspended)-Verna Burns; National, 1932. 5
- Waverly-A. W. Heath. 4
- Winnetka (suspended)-Chester E. MacLean; National, 1936. 11
- Wood River-Mrs. Orville Brunjes. National, 1934. 3

Indiana

- Columbia City-Bertha Thornburgh; National, 1934. 3
- 4 Columbus—Mildred Murray.
- Crown Point-Evelyn B. Richey.

Bloomington-Robert H. Farber.

- 1 Lawrence-Marston M. McCluggage; National, 1934, 1936.
- 1 Lebanon-Frank W. Cunningham.
- 4 McPherson (suspended)-John E. Clement.
- 8 Oakley-L. R. Bingham; Chairman, 1934.
- 10 Paola (suspended)-Mildred Pursell.
- 10 Pittsburg-William H. Row; National, 1931; Chairman, 1931.
- 6 Salina-J. I. Young.
- 3 Topeka-Catholic H. S.-Sister Cecilia; National, 1934, 1936.
- 9 Topeka—J. Edmund Mayer; National, 1931, 1932, 1934, 1935, 1936 .Chairman, 1935, 1936, 1937. National High School Forensic Award, 1936.
- 1 Wellington-Zora Anderson.
- 11 Wichita—East H.S.—Warren T. Kingsbury; National, 1934, 1936.

Kentucky

- 8 Bellevue-Harold Prim.
- 9 Covington (suspended)-Elizabeth Whitcomb; National, 1932.
- 2 Frankfort-Sarah S. Rogers.
- 1 Independence-Elma Taylor.
- 4 Mt. Sterling—Kenneth H. Harding; National, 1933, 1935; Chairman, 1937.
- 7 Paducah-Tilghman H. S.-R. J. Snodgrass; National, 1936.
- 3 Winchester-Nicholas W. Williams; National, 1936.

Louisiana

11 Shreveport-Byrd H. S.-Lillian Polk; national, 1936.

Maine

- 4 Berwick Academy, South Berwick—Frances H. Babb; National, 1931, 1936.
- 5 Dover-Foxcroft Academy-A. G. Westerberg.
- 10 Kingfield (suspended)-M. M. Rhuland.
- 4 Leavitt Institute, Turner Center—E. P. Smith; National, 1931, 1936.
- 1 Lincoln Academy, Newcastle-Annabel K. Snow.
- 3 Portland—Portland H. S.—J. Weston Walch; National, 1936; Chairman, 1936.

Massachusetts

- 3 Cambridge—High and Latin School—Lillian Hartigan; National, 1936.
- 1 Charlton-Mrs. Mabel B. Fiske; National, 1936.
- 1 Groton Academy, Groton-Katherine D. Park.
- 1 Hopkins Academy, Hadley-Mrs. James P. Reed.
- 1 Warren-Mark S. Rand; National, 1936.
- 2 Williamsburg-Mrs. R. A. Warner, Phyllis Baker; National, 1935.

Michigan

- 8 Adrian—Sarah Eudora Breese; Chairman, 1930, 1931, 1932.
- 7 Dearborn—Olimpia LaMarca; National, 1933, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 1937.
- 8 Flint—Northern H. S., (suspended)—Carney C. Smith; National, 1933.
- 10 Gladstone-W. H. Bainter: Chairman, 1929.
- 11 Ishpeming (suspended)—Ogden E. Johnson.

- 7 L'Anse (suspended)—Paul K. Ward.
- 7 Muskegon Hts.—Julia A. Royse; National, 1931, 1932, 1933; Chairman, 1933, 1934.
- 8 Negaunee (suspended)-Marie A. Palmer; National, 1931.
- 3 Paw Paw-Mrs. Ethel West; National, 1934, 1935.
- 11 Plymouth-James Latture; National, 1933, .
- 9 River Rouge-Harold A. Dressell, National, 1933, 1934, 1935; Chairman, 1935, 1936.
- 9 Sault Ste. Marie-W. S. Price.

Minnesota

- 9 Aitkin (suspended) Faye Colby; National, 1931.
- 3 Chaska—Anne C. Anderson; National, 1934.
- 5 Chisholm-Rita McKenna; National, 1932, 1935, 1936.
- 10 Crookston (suspended)-J. M. Chapman.
- 2 Deer River-Grace Perkins.
- 5 Eveleth-Lester R. Breniman; O. V. Myers; National, 1932.
- 5 Luverne—Minerva Nelson; National 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- 12 Mankato-Irene Mehlhouse.
- 9 Minneapolis—Minnehaha Academy—Millard Allstrom; Chairman, 1930.
- Minneapolis—Roosevelt H. S.—Levi Osterhuis; National, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937.
- 3 Minneapolis-University H.S.-Claude Eggertson.
- 3 Minneapolis—West H. S.—Carl J. Jackson, Joyce R. Gregory; National, 1935, 1936.
- 3 New Ulm-Ralph Sutherland; National, 1936.
- 3 Red Lake Falls-L. H. Amdahl.
- 1 South St. Paul-Cynthia Turnbloom.
- 10 Spring Valley (suspended)-G. H. Tracy.
- 10 Stillwater-Frank Inglebret; National, 1931.
- 4 Verginia-Ralph C. Leyden; National, 1931, 1936.
- 3 Wadena (suspended)--Luella McMahon, H. G. Johnson; National, 1934.
- 2 Worthington-Alois F. Kiefer.

Mississippi

1 Charleston-Emile Saunders.

Missouri

- 5 Carrollton—W. Francis English; National 1934, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 1936, 1937.
- Cassville—Pauline Cox.
- 5 Columbia-Mrs. Helen D. Williams; National, 1936.
- 1 Excelsior Springs-Melvin Fielder.
- 10 Fayette-Jean Smith; National, 1931, 1934.
- 3 Glasgow-S. F. Bonney.
- 4 Hermann-Arthur Apprill, Adele Kattelman.
- 5 Independence-Harriet Northern; National, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- 1 Jennings-M. A. Markert; National, 1936.
- 4 Joplin—Kathryn Moran; National, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 1934, 1935.
- 3 Lexington-L. H. Bell.

New York

- Albany-Marian F. Dodds, Geo. Wm. Smith; National, 1934, '36
- Amherst H. S., Snyder-Wesley J. Burr.
- Freeport-Dexter G. Tilroe. 1
- Gloversville (suspended)-Ruth Tefft
- Hornell-Mildred V. Dunham; Chairman, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932 11
- Ilion-Earl Planty; National, 1931, 1934; Chairman, 1934. 11
- Jamestown-Robert G. Wilson. 8
- Liberty-Dora W. Dadmun
- Norwich-Elizabeth Thompson. 11
- Ossining-Marion A. Wallace; National, 1935. 5
- Oswego (suspended)-Francis T. Riley. 5
- Peekskill-Albert L. Swank; National, 1936; Chairman, 1935. 5
- Poughkeepsie—Lucile Stephens, Mary A. Cotter, Harold I. Long, 10 Helen Cornell; National, 1932, 1934, 1935; Chairman, 1936.
- Poughkeepsie-Arlington H. S.-Margaret T. Cussler. 4
- Rome-Free Academy-Jean Woodcock; National, 1935, 1936. 2
- Saratoga Springs-Lena M. Smith; National, 1931, 1932; Chair-11 man, 1933.
- Schenectady-Nott Terrace H. S.-Geo. Harris; National, 1933, 6 1936.
- Syracuse—Central H. S.—Mary E. Barrett; National, 1935. 3
- 4 Syracuse-Vocational-John M. Bowe, Georgia L. Barnes; Chairman, 1937.
- Troy-John E. Howell. 8
- Valley Stream-John Murphy. 1

North Carolina

- Greensboro-Curry H. S.-Anne M. Kreimeier; National, 1932. 5
- High Point-John L. Hodges. 6

North Dakota

- Mandan-Irene Franks.
- 2 Valley City-Bertram Cannaday.

Ohio

- Ashland-E. L. Pross; National, 1935, 1936. 11
- Barberton (suspended)-Richard S. Hutchings. 5
- Bath-Roy M. Pugh. 2
- Berea—F. Byers Miller.
- Bluffton-Paul W. Stauffer; National, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934. 9
- Canton-James N. Holm; National, 1932, 1933, 1935, 1936; 11 Chairman, 1929.
- Cleveland-John Adams H. S.-H. L. Ballentine.
- Clyde—D. H. Charles.
- Dayton-Oakwood H. S.-John M. Martin; National, 1934, 2 1935, 1936.
- East Cleveland-Shaw H. S.-Lois Crank.
- East Palestine-C. M. Schindler; National, 1933, '34, '35, '36. 5
- Euclid-Shore H.S.-Meryl R. Baumer; National, 1933, 1935. 4
- Fremnot-Judson T. Landis; National, 1934. 8
- Kent-State H. S.-E. R. Meyer; National, 1935, 1936. 6
- London (suspended)-Marjorie Fowler. 5
- Marietta (suspended)-A. E. Rupp; National, 1934. 8
- 6 McDonald — A. A. Burkey.

Liberty-Georgia B. Bowman. 1

- Louisiana-Elta Thomas. 6
- Maplewood-L. A. Welden; National, 1933, 1935, 1936.
- Marshall-C. F. Haynie; National, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Maryville-Mrs. Iva W. Manley. 11
- Montgomery City (suspended)-M. B. Vaughn. 10
- Nevada-Angus Springer; National, 1932.
- North Kansas City-Charles Hoffman. 2
- Plattsburg-E. O. Hammond; National, 1933, 1934. 4
- Salisbury (suspended)-Blanche Osborn; National, 1932, 1934. 6
- Sedalia-Anna L. Sawford, 4
- Smithville-Buell B. Cramer.
- Springfield-Maudeva McCord; National, 1935, 1936. 2
- St. Joseph-Central H. S.-George L. Blackwell.
- St. Louis-Cleveland H. S .- Julia D. Randall.
- University City-E. F. Abbott.
- Webster Groves-Julian C. Aldrich, Glenn Ogle; National, 1931. 11 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 1929, 1930, 1931, 1932. 1933.

Montana

- Bozeman (suspended)-David E. Dahl. 7
- Butte (suspended)-Helen McGregor. 11
- Dillon-Violet M. Eastman. 2
- Great Falls-William Lessley 3
- Lewistown-Adelia M. Hall.

Nebraska

- Blair-LeRoy Allison. 9
- Emerson-H. J. McCabe; Chairman, 1937. 4
- Fremont-Kenneth Burkhodler. 4
- Gothenburg-Richard Mengler. 2
- Holdrege-Don Smith; National, 1934, 1936.
- Norfolk-Don Warner. 4
- Omaha-Benson H. S.-J. Arthur Nelson; National, 1936. 5
- Omaha-Central H. S.-Elmer Mortensen, Sarah A. Ryan; Na-5 tional, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 1936.
- Omaha-North H. S.-Mary E. Hamilton; National 1932, 1933. 6 1934; Chairman, 1933, 1934, 1935.
- 4 Omaha—Technical H. S.—Ira O. Jones: National, 1932, 1933. 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Scottsbluff-Amie Gilbert. 3
- 2 Walthill-John Ludwickson.
- 7 Wayne-Leota B. Hall; National, 1932, 1934.
- West Point-Richard W. Smith; National, 1936. 1

Nevada

- 1 Winnemucca-Mrs. Sheila Hudson. New Hampshire
- 12 Laconia-William A. Mahoney; National, 1935; Chairman, 1937.
- 11 Sanborn Seminary, Kingston-Albert I. Oliver

New Jersey

- 11 East Orange-John T. Greenan.
- 12 Freehold—Roy H. Burgess.
- 10 Passaic-Helen M. Hall; National, 1931; Chairman, 1929, 1930. 1931.

- 11 New Philadelphia (suspended)-Russel J. Bender; National. 1932, 1933.
- 3 Newark—C. P. Smith; National, 1935.
- Newton Falls-D. L. Buchanan. 1
- Niles-T. C. Bond, N. C. Davis; National, 1932, 1934, 1935. 11
- 1936. Chairman, 1929, 1930, 1933. 10 Piqua (suspended)-T. M. Gray.
- Port Clinton-Gertrude Smith.
- 2 Ravenna-Ralph Y. McGinnis; National, 1931, 1933, 1935, 1936; 8 Chairman, 1932, 1934.
- St. Clairsville-Norma L. Moyer. 5
- Struthers-Elvin W. Swander. 2
- Toronto (suspended) 10
- Troy-L. E. Jackson; National, 1931, 1934, 1936. 11
- Wadsworth-K. V. Giffen; National, 1934.
- Warren--Harding H.S.-Augusta Barrick. 4
- Washington Court House-Ross A. Wagner. 10
- Wayland-Paris Twp. H.S. Jeannette Riddle; National, 1936. 3
- Wooster-Russell L. Caldwell; National 1932, '33, '34, '35, '36, 6
- Youngstown-Chaney H.S.-E. J. Diller; National, 1931, 1935.
- 1936; Chairman, 1931, 1935, 1936, 1937.
- Youngstown-East H. S.-Leon A. Morris.
- Youngstown-South H. S.-E. G. Diehm. 4

Oklahoma

- Ada-Senior H. S.-Iona B. Freeman; National, 1936.
- Altus-Mrs. Drusilla C. Waas; National, 1933, 1934. 4
- Britton-Mrs. Jessie R. Dempsey; National, 1936.
- El Reno-E. E. Bradley; National, 1934, 1936; Chairman, 1937. 8
- Enid-Hazel A. Hatch; National, 1934, 1935, 1936; Chairman, 10 1932, 1933, 1934.
- Hollis-George V. Metzel.
- 10 Lawton (suspended)-Ralph E. Brand; Chairman, 1929.
- Miami (suspended)-Mrs. W. S. O'Bannon; National, 1931, 4 1932.
- Muskogee-Parthenia F. Gregory; National, 1936. 1
- Oklahoma City-Capitol Hill H. S .- J. D. Hoover; National, 1 1936.
- Oklahoma City-Central H. S.-Harold Netherton; National 1932, 1934; 1935, 1936.
- Oklahoma City-Classen H. S.-Mrs. Elaine Tucker, C. E. 3 Grady; National, 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Ponca City-Woodson Tyree. 7
- Seminole-Harland B. Mitchell, National, 1935.
- Shawnee-Emogene Emery; National, 1936.
- Sulphur (suspended)-Joe C. Jackson; National, 1931, '33, '34. 7

Oregon

- 3 Beaverton-E. G. Webb.
- Klamath Falls-B. V. Ludington. 10

Pennsylvania

- Allentown-Preparatory School-G. W. DeLawter.
- 3 Alverton-Martha Bortz; National, 1936.
- Ambridge-William J. Bining; National 1933, 1934. 4
- Bentleyville-Mary Évalyne Jenkins, E. R. Van Kirk.

- Brownsville-Smith Coldren; National, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936. 4
- California-Carl Mugnani; National, 1932, 1934, 1935, 1936. 5
- Catasauqua-Ralph Č. Brown; Chairman, 1928. 10
- Centerville H.S., West Brownsville-W. R. Williams; National. 1934, 1936.
- Charleroi-L. D. Schreiver, Robert H. Baird; National, 1932. 6 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936. Chairman, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936, 1937. Coraopolis-Robert J. Corbett; National, 1932, 1933, 1935, 1936.
- Carmichaels-Ruth E. Bailey.
- Derry-D. K. Shirey. 3
- East Pike Run Twp. H. S., California-John W. Coatsworth; 3 National, 1934.
- Emaus-Floyd Laudenslager. 5
- Glassport-Joseph R. Srp, Lillian Demestichas; National, 1934, 2 1935, 1936.
- Lehighton-Walter H. Niehoff, John H. Wagner.
- Latrobe-St. Vincent's Prep.-Rev. Edmund Cuneo; National, 3 1935. 1936.
- Lock Haven-Sarah Beck. 2
- Mahanoy City (suspended)-Mary A. Cook. 4
- Masontown-Marino Pierattini.
- Mauch Chunk-R. F. Dubs. 9
- Monessen-E. Marjorie Harvey, Cecilia Kiefer, Tyne Hanninen, 8 Mabel Hawk; National, 1932, 1933; Chairman, 1932.
- Mt. Pleasant-Hurst Twp. H.S.-Joseph E. Silvis. 3
- Nesquehoning-Brigie R. Dougherty. 6
- Nineveh-Arleigh J. Pettit.
- Point Marion-Ella M. Travis. 3
- Reading (suspended)-N.C. Brillhart. 7
- Sewickley-Stanley C. Stroup. 2
- Slatington-E. A. Evans, Elwood Prestwood, Evelyn Naylor. 11
- South Fayette Twp. H.S., Morgan-J. Ruth Bowman. 2
- South Whitehall Twp. H.S., Allentown-Frederick S. Meckley. 4
- Spring City-Everett Hunter. 11
- State College-G. F. Stover; National, 1935. 3
- Stroudsburg (suspended)-Robert Brown; National, 1932, 1934, 5 1935, 1936.
- Uniontown-Senior H. S.-Horace Montgomery; National, 2 1935. 1936.
- Uniontown-South Union H.S.-Mildred Van Zandt. 3
- Waynesburg-O. A. Rodefer; National, 1933, 1934, 1935, 1936. 8
- West Newton-Claude Mitchell; National, 1932, 1933, 1935. 6

South Dakota

- Alcester-V. T. Hanlon. 6
- Belle Fourche (suspended)-Terine Kron. 11
- Blunt-Virginia L. Rebbe. 2
- Clark-Beatrice Drew, Elizabeth Douglas. 10
- Colman-Mary Berther; National, 1935, 1936.
- Doland-M. Angelo Dinneen. 8
- Faulkton-W. Marvin Kemp. 8
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- Gregory-Richard Abraham; National, 1935. 5
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Kadoka-Howard C. Selvig.

Madison-Ethel Mae Gunnison.

Midland-Berdelle Sheggeby.

Lennox—S. Mickelson; National, 1936.

Oldham (suspended)-Harold G. Curtis.

Phillip (suspended)-Grover C. Lytle.

Pierre-Ralph Enstrom; National, 1936.

Redfield (suspended)-Florenda Schon.

Presho-J. W. Lemohn, Chairman, 1934, 1935.

Sisseton-O. K. Tollehaug; National, 1935, 1936.

Lead-O. W. Kolberg.

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Washington

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West Virginia

- Bluefield-Bertie Rodgin. 7
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Wisconsin

- Columbus-Arthur W. Jorgensen. 11
- Eau Claire-H. W. Mathison; National, 1934, 1936. 3
- Hammond-Leslie Libakken. 3
- Horicon-Dorothy R. Caldwell. 5
- Kenosha-John D. Davies; National, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1936. 6
- Manitowoc-F. A. Novitski; National, 1931. 6
- Mayville-Ralph N. Schmidt, Lila M. Olson; National, 1931, 1933, 1934; Chairman, 1935, 1937.
- Mellen-Harold DeGracie.
- 10 Menasha-Lucile Schwartz; Chariman, 1928, 1929.
- Milwaukee-St. John's H. S.-Sr. M. Constantine. 1
- Milwaukee-Washington H. S.-Howard W. Maule, Kenneth 2 Dewey; National, 1935, 1936.
- Oconomowoc-O. A. Swanson; National, 1932, 1934, 1935; 5 Chairman, 1936.
- Oconto Falls-Earl S. Kjer. 12
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- Richland Center (suspended)-Theron Beatty 12
- Shawano-Sarah Mielke, Donald Olson; National, 1931, 1932, 11 1934, 1935, 1936.
- Sheboygan-Arnold E. Melzer; National, 1931, 1934, 1935; 12 Chairman, 1930, 1931, 1932, 1933, 1934.
- Stoughton-Fred R. Moes.
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- Two Rivers-Sherman Gunderson. 2
- West Allis-Hoyt Rawlings, K. H. Lovett; National, 1933, 1934, 4 1935.
- West Bend-Elmer B. Elko; National, 1931.

Wyoming

- Buffalo-Bruce Dension. 5
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