The Editor’s Notebook

Thirty-nine of the contestants at this year’s tournament were also at Lexington last year, but of these only five — Fadell Hallal, Lois Miner, Fred Meyers, Kenneth Goudreau and Lance M. Liebman — have attended three tournaments or congresses.

For the second time, Oklahoma and Ohio divided all major tournament honors. Last year Oklahoma won Oratory, Boys’ Extemp and Girls’ Extemp; Ohio won Debate, Dramatic Interpretation and the Student Congress trophy. This year Oklahoma took the debate title, Boys’ Extemp, Oratory and Student Congress trophy, while Ohio captured Girls’ Extemp and Dramatics.

One of the contestants who seemed to enjoy the tournament most was Lena Ohrn, a perfectly charming young miss from Sweden who was an exchange student at Midwest City, Okla. Day after the tournament she joined a group of other foreign students on a 30-day tour of the United States. She got to the quarter finals in Dramatic Interpretation.

A special accolade to John McCullough of Miami, Okla. Last year he won the championship in Boys’ Extemp and this year he transferred his talents to Original Oratory and won it handily, with firsts in five of the six preliminary rounds.

The Sioux Falls Argus Leader gave the tournament surprisingly good space — front page picture and double column story nearly every day. The reporting was accurate, too, thanks to the conscientious and understanding efforts of Harris Simon, assigned by the paper to cover the tournament.

Three coaches who were at the first national tournament in 1931 were at Sioux Falls: Arnold E. Melzer, Sheboygan-Central, Wisconsin; Levi Os- terhus, Minneapolis-Roosevelt, Minnesota; and John D. Davies, Kenosha, Wisconsin. National officers J. Edmund Mayer and Bruno E. Jacob were also at the 1931 tourney.

Setting the travel record for ’58 was Robert M. Jacob, son of the national secretary, who left the atomic testing area in the Marshall Islands a few days before the contest to again assist in the tournament office in sectioning contests and tabulating results. No one could touch his record distance of 7,000 miles. Robert and his brother, Richard, are national tournament veterans.
The National Tournament Story

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Kenosha Wins Second Tau Kappa Alpha Trophy

Dan Travanti, Mr. John D. Davies, coach; Rodger Gabrielson

Sioux Falls, South Dakota, heart of the Great Sioux Empire, famous for its sunshine and sweeping cornfields, played host to approximately 500 contestants, coaches and guests as part of the 1958 National Speech Tournament and Student Congress sponsored by the National Forensic League.

The Midwestern metropolis was laid bare by NFL’ers from North, East, South and West, as they talked their way through five days and nights of topnotch speech competition, plus four evenings of dances, barbecues and coke parties.

Contestants were welcomed to Sioux Falls by the tourney host, Washington Senior High School, and were quickly shown to their quarters at Augustana College.

Memories are many, not only of the keen competition, but also of the fellowship and friendliness that make a National the success it always is.

Everyone’s a Winner

“In a National Forensic League Tournament, there is no such thing as a loser,” stated Senator Karl E. Mundt, President of the NFL, at the official banquet on Monday evening. Senator Mundt, speaking to coaches and guests as well as contestants, said that if he had to pick the future leaders of the country from any one group, the contestants in a National Speech Tournament would be his first choice.

Senator Mundt, as main speaker of the evening, surmised that speech training and forensic work were some of the most valuable
aids a student could develop, even as important as knowledge gained in science and mathematics. Following his speech, Sen. Mundt had to leave in order to board his plane for Washington.

Second for Kenosha

For the second time, the huge Tau Kappa Alpha trophy given for cumulative national achievement was won by Kenosha, Wisconsin. That chapter received the award in 1946 and then started a new record, piling up 232 rounds in nationals during the past twelve years.

In 22 national tournaments, 58 Kenosha contestants have appeared in 426 rounds of competition; 32 reached the finals, 13 placed third, 5 won second and 4 gained national championships. In 1948 Kenosha had two firsts, one second, and two thirds, a feat never equaled by any other school.

Two other chapters are two-time winners: Du Quoin, Illinois, and Classen High School of Oklahoma City, Okla.

Leading contenders for the 1959 award are Louisville, Ohio, 199; Watertown, South Dakota, 185; Seminole, Okla., 175; Elgin, Illinois, 175; Massillon, Ohio, 167; Omaha-Central, Nebraska, 163; and Muskogee, Oklahoma, 171.

Houston Wins Again

For the fourth time in six years, a Houston high school has won the sweepstakes award. This time Bellaire High ran up the impressive total of 34 rounds of national competition, closely pressed by Waco, Texas, with 33 rounds, and Watertown, South Dakota, with 31.

The winning Bellaire team consisted of John Williams and Mack Kidd in debate plus Marie Cheatham and Allan Haufrict in Dramatic Interpretation. The debate team survived till the fifth round while both Dramatic con-

Sweepstakes Champions of 1958 — Bellaire of Houston

Mack Kidd, John Williams, Mr. Cecil Pickett, Maria Cheatham, Alan Haufrict
Semino le Cops Debate Crown Again
John Spiker; Prin. H. B. Mitchell, coach; Jim Johns

Contestants reached the finals, placing second and fourth. Two students from Muskogee, Okla., ran up an impressive 27 rounds, both going to the final in Extemp and to the semifinals in Debate.

The Coach-of-the-Year award was presented to Mr. Cecil Pickett, coach of the individual events contestants at Bellaire.

Oklahoma Sweeps Debate
Oklahoma dominated the debate scene as Seminole, Okla., defeated Sand Springs, Okla., 3-2, in the finals of the cross-examining contest. John Spiker and Jim Johns represented the winning team from Seminole which was coached by H. B. Mitchell.

Carolyn Walters and Dale Stockton composed the runner-up Sand Springs team which upheld the affirmative side of the question. Gene Kizer coached the Sand Springs team.

The final debate was closely followed by a large audience which was tense with excitement and anticipation not only from the final debate, but also from the forthcoming award announcements. The finals in debate climaxed a season in which foreign aid and economic assistance littered the tournaments and conversation across the country. As a result of reaching the finals of debate plus their competition in individual events, the four finalists placed among the top six in high point totals in the 1958 National.

Oklahoma and Ohio in Extemp
Oklahoma and Ohio took the crowns in what is usually considered the most challenging forensic event, that of boys and girls extemp. Rennard Strickland of Muskogee, Okla., annexed the boys extemp crown, closely pressed by Larry Tribe, San Francisco-Lin-
Boys' Extemp Champion
Rennard Strickland, Muskogee, Okla.

Norma Thompson of Louisville, Ohio, coached by Karl Boyle, swept to victory in the girls' division, followed by Margaret Rooney of Eliz. Seton High School, Pittsburgh, Pa., and Anne McCall of Waco, Tex. This was the second National placement for Norma, who finished third in girls' extemp last year.

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the first six placements. Because of particularly outstanding achievement, the following members topped the list of NFL points earned at the 1958 tournament:

Rennard Strickland, Muskogee, Okla......116
Carolyn Walters, Sand Spr., Okla.......109
John Spiker, Seminole, Okla.............102
Norma Thompson, Louisville, O........90
Dale Stockton, Sand Spr., Okla.........88
Jim Johns, Seminole, Okla..............83
Dan Travanti, Kenosha, Wis............82
Fred Hlawatsch, Sweetwater, Calif......81
Jim Bob Doty, Houston-Reagan, Tex.....78
David Gallina, LaSalle Acad., N.Y......78

Of these high scorers, only one was a repeater from last year, that being Dan Travanti of Kenosha, Wisconsin. Last year Dan scored 78 NFL points. Another high scorer this year as well as last was John McCullough with 70.

Tourney Planners

A tournament as large and as successful as the 1958 National can only be possible because of a number of individuals who are willing to dedicate themselves to the months of planning and to the tourney itself.

Spearheading the tournament staff was Mr. Alva Scarbrough, speech coach of the host school, aided by Terine Kron, Dorothy Furrow, L. R. Kremer, Adrian Daley and Mrs. Ruth DeBelser. Principals R. A. Beck and Ben Rossow proved indispensable in taking care of details.

Officials of the Tournament itself included: Tournament Director, Bruno E. Jacob, Ripon, Wis.; Public Relations, J. Edmund Mayer, Alhambra, Calif.; Judges, James F. Hawker, Lafayette, Indiana; Debate Pairings, Richard L. Jacob, University of Wisconsin; Contest Sectioning, Robert M. Jacob, Albuquerque, N. M.; Results, R. J. Happe, St. Paul, Minnesota; Records, Karl Boyle, Louisville, Ohio; Extemp Drawing, Ruth P. Estes, La-
Radio Award to Kenosha
Rodger Gabrielson


The Student Congress was supervised by Robert W. Scott, Ripon, Wisconsin, Assistant Secretary of NFL. President of the Student Congress was Karl E. Mundt, President of the NFL. Director of the Senate was David Howland, Rayen School, Youngstown, Ohio.

Behind the scenes were a number of people who did invaluable work, including a score of Washington Senior High students working as timekeepers and messengers. Thanks to everybody for a job well done.

Radio Awards

Testing their voices and their abilities in real life situations were 65 boys and girls as they sought the crown in Radio Announcing. Coming out on top was Roger Gabrielson of Kenosha, Wis., who was awarded the golden microphone trophy. John Williams, Houston-Bellaire, Texas, and Mary E. Beall, Lafayette, Ind., won second and third placements, respectively. The winner is coached by John Davies.

Best in Poetry

Of the 40 participants in poetry, Denise Anne Jeffries of Boulder, Colorado, was adjudged the best. Reading and interpretation of the poetry was taken into account. Carolyn White of Watertown, South Dakota, and Cynthia Curtis, Midwest City, Oklahoma, placed second and third.

One of the most important parts of a National Tournament, next to the contests themselves, is the social life during the leisure moments. And the citizenry of Sioux Falls did themselves proud when they planned this year’s tournament. There were few if any leis-
ure moments.

Monday evening saw the tournament banquet at the Augustana College gymnasium plus an interesting and enlightening group of speakers led by NFL President Sen. Karl E. Mundt, South Dakota's Governor, Joe Foss, and many others.

Tuesday evening featured a dance sponsored by a local Hi-Y and Wednesday was highlighted by a delicious barbecue dinner plus a humorous play, "The Imaginary Invalid."

Thursday evening saw the debate finals and the award announcements, plus a coke party following the announcements.

All in all, it added up to a very pleasant time for everyone. A lot of credit goes to L. R. Kremer, who planned the recreational activities of this year's National.

Coaches Honored

Receiving District Chairman Awards this year were 14 NFL coaches cited for outstanding work in their sections. Winning her second gold award was Helen G. Malseed, McKeesport, Penn., who has served as chairman of a high ranking district for two years.

Others receiving gold awards were Joseph G. Lagnese, Sweetwater, Cal., for four years of service; Duane F. Johnson, Fullerton, Cal., two years as chairman of high ranking district; Jerry Callahan, San Jacinto HS, Houston, Texas, chairman of 1st place district for 1958.

Garnering Silver Awards were Harold L. Siekman, Hastings, Neb., chairman for three years; T. C. Abbey, Holderness School, Plymouth, New Hampshire, chairman of New England for three years; and Helen M. Orton, Wenatchee, Wash., chairman for four years.

Bronze Awards for two years of service were given to Mrs. Neville McCracken, Madisonville, Ky.; Hazel Heiman, Rapid City, South Dakota; Rev. Francis X. Prior, St. John's Prep., N. Y.; and Mrs. Edna M. Spelts, Modesto-Downey, Calif.

Also receiving Bronze Awards were Lester M. Tucker, Howe Military School, Chairman of 8th place district; Mrs. Helen Sullivan, Norwich, N. Y., chairman of 12th place district; and Mrs. Earl E. Evans, Delaware, Ohio, chairman of 11th place district.

Carmendale Fernandes, Sunnyvale-Fremont HS, Cal., Sister M. Constantine, Omaha-Cathedral, Nebr., and Robert C. Reeve, Elbow Lake, Minn., all received Distinguished Service Keys.

Busy Day for Senator Mundt

Our honored guest, NFL President Karl E. Mundt, really had it rough on Monday. First came an address to the South Dakota convention of the American Legion at Huron, S. D.; then a flight by a special plane to Sioux Falls to address a joint meeting of Rotary and Kiwanis clubs; then an address to the joint session of the National Student Congress — the best ever given in the long series over the years; then an hour long reception for tournament students and coaches (standing in line that long isn't easy); and finally another address at the tournament banquet from which he had to leave early to board a plane for Minneapolis. A few hours of sleep followed, and then another plane ride to Washington, where he arrived shortly before the convening of the senate and the debate on the Alaskan statehood bill.
Senate Passes Four Bills

Affairs of “a government of the people, by the people and for the people” were investigated, debated and possibly altered by the 1958 Student Congress composed of twenty-six Senators and forty-three Representatives. With a cross-section of the nation represented, ideas and opinions were many, arguments and debates hot, and elections close. Top speakers, selected as outstanding by their district congresses, argued with each other before, during and after sessions for their favorite bill. A National Student Congress brings out the best in student politics and oratory as each Senator or Representative votes for his favorite bill. Robert W. Scott, assistant secretary of the NFL, acted as director of the Student Congress.

Many Bills Proposed

With a total of forty bills presented by the Senate and House of Representatives, everybody was certainly kept busy. However, only four bills passed both houses and were signed by Acting President J. Edmund Mayer. Legislation which passed included a resolution recommending the teaching of courses in comparative government and economic systems in public high schools; a resolution recommending the death penalty for the illegal production or sale of narcotics; a bill extending the Reciprocal Trade Act; and a resolution recommending the closing of federal business-type establishments in competition with private business. A number of bills and resolutions proposed were lost in committees and therefore never had the chance to reach the floor of their respective house to be debated upon.

Other bills which caused interesting and spirited debate concerned withdrawal of NATO forces from Western Germany, recognition of Red China in the United Nations, and federal scholarships to secondary education.

Congress Awards

Receiving the gavels which they used as Presidents of the Senate were Tim Heames, Youngstown-Rayen, Ohio; Eddie Musselwhite, Miami-Jackson, Fla.; and Kenneth Carr, Houston-Bellaire, Tex.

The most outstanding Senator was Leonard Alaria, Bakersfield, Calif., while Alden Chace, Sunnyvale-Fremont, Calif., and Vincent Occipinti, Cheyenne, Wyo., were named outstanding.

Superior Senators were Dennis Neutzling, St. Cloud-Cathedral, Minn.; Kenneth Carr, Houston-Bellaire, Texas; and Mary Lee

Most Outstanding Representative
L. A. Sturdivant, Nashville-Litton
Chosen as Speakers of the House were Mike Aronoff, Middletown, Ohio; Jay B. Hunt, LaPorte, Ind.; and L. A. Sturdivant, Nashville-Litton, Tenn.

Most Outstanding Representative was L. A. Sturdivant, closely pressed for this honor by Robert Berg, Los Angeles-Marshall, Calif.; Arthur Konopka, Marquette Univ. HS, Milwaukee, Wis.; and Robert E. Thomson, Alhambra, Calif.

Kathryn Letter, Omaha-Cathedral, Nebr.; Michael Rice, Sioux Falls-Washington, S. D.; Milton Shoup, Longmont, Colo., and Jay B. Hunt, La Porte, Ind., were named as Superior Representatives. Watches and pen sets were given to Outstanding and Superior members of the Student Congress.

The watches were special gifts from the Benrus Watch Company.

The fourth annual Student Congress trophy was won by Oklahoma City-Classen, Okla., with a total of 69 points. Monty Hoyt represented Classen this year. Previous winners of the trophy are Wooster, Ohio, Ravenna, Ohio, and Youngstown-Rayen, Ohio.

Contenders for the 1959 trophy are Massillon, Ohio, 63; St. Vincent Prep, Latrobe, Penn., 55; Cleveland-Cathedral Latin, Ohio, 48; Memphis-Messick, Tenn., and Fort Wayne-North, Ind., 40; Greensburg, Penn., 38; Charleroi, Penn., 37; Canton-McKinley, O., and Wadsworth, Ohio, 33; Bentleyville, Penn., Merced, Calif., and Loyola Academy, Wilmette, Illinois, 32; Monessen, Penn., and Nashville-Central, Tenn., 31.
Richard Doyle, Leonard Alaria, Bakersfield, Cal.
Alden Chace, Eddie Musselwhite, Miami-Jackson, Fla.
Mary Lee Cullen, Marywood School, Ill.
Richard Doyle, South Bend-Central, Ind.
Phillip A. Taylor, Ashland, Ky.
Dennis Neutzling, St. Cloud-Cathedral
William Pickett, K.C.-Rockhurst, Mo.
Steven Swatek, Omaha-Benson, Neb.
Renault Bliouin, Holderness Sch., N. H.
John Saxton, Springfield-Dayton, N. J.
Linda Gastman, Canton-McKinley, O.
Michael Hord, Dayton-Chaminade, O.
Tim Heames, Youngstown-Rayen, O.
Monty Hoyt, Okla. City-Classen, Okla.
Lawrence Ondrejick, Johnstown-Catholic
Judith Straithman, Sacred Heart HS, Pa.
Keith Winsell, Lead, S. D.
Gary Hobart, Sioux Falls-Wash., S. D.
Roy C. Shelton, Nashville-Central, Tenn.
Kenneth Carr, Houston-Bellaire, Tex.
Louis A. Vitalich, Bellevue, Wash.
Rhoda Reiss, Sheboygan-Central, Wis.
Vincent Occhipinti, Cheyenne, Wyo.

Representatives
Robert E. Thomson, Alhambra, Cal.
Alan Fogelman, Los Angeles-Marshall
Denis Vines, Merced, Cal.
David Kelly, Sunnyvale, Cal.
Joseph Doussard, Denver-Holy Family
Milton Shoup, Longmont, Colo.
Sharon Gause, Tarpon Springs, Fla.
Kael B. Kennedy, Loyola Academy, Ill.
Robert Bates, Columbia City, Ind.
Jay B. Hunt, LaPorte, Ind.
Lyle Robey, Scott County HS, Ky.
Gerald Brown, Duluth-Denfeld, Minn.
Harold Bigot, Hastings, Minn.
Don Forberg, Mpls.-Roosevelt, Minn.
Timothy Moran, K.C.-Rockhurst, Mo.
Kathryn Letter, Omaha-Cathedral, Nebr.
Albert DePrince, Camden-Catholic, N. J.
Thomas Bornhorst, Trenton-Hamil., N.J.
Howard Blum, South River, N. J.
James F. Harris, Cathedral Latin, Ohio
John Pier, Dayton-Chaminade, Ohio
Richard Rinehart, Louisville, Ohio
Mike Aronoff, Middletown, Ohio
Neil Scott, Revere HS, Ohio
Dale DeLettis, Struthers, Ohio
Hans Scherner, Wadsworth, Ohio
Norma Callas, Enid, Okla.
Kenneth Easton, Lawton, Okla.
Joel Swabb, Avonworth, Pa.
Paul George, Blairsville, Pa.
Nick Sabin, McKeensport, Pa.
John Holveck, St. Canice HS, Pa.
Richard Easton, St. Justin HS, Pittsburgh
Lawrence Arendas, St. Vincent Prep, Pa.
George Kearns, St. Vincent Prep, Pa.
Dennis Enright, Sioux Falls-Cathedral
Gary Peterson, Sioux Falls-Washington
Michael Rice, Sioux Falls-Washington
L. A. Sturdivant, Nashville-Litton, Tenn.
Jim Broussard, Houston-Bellaire, Tex.
Roy Josten, Marquette HS, Wis.
Arthur Konopka, Marquette HS, Wis.

"Best Tourney Yet"

"The best tournament yet" was the description given the 1958 National by executive officers
Bruno E. Jacob and J. Edmund Mayer. It was very apparent that
long hours of planning had gone into the event, by both national
officers and the local staff, as ev-
yerything ran very smoothly, con-
tests were all on time, and judges
were all present as were the im-
portant timekeepers.

Mr. Mayer pointed out that this
was the first tournament in which
all of the bills were taken care of
by the host school, thanks largely
to the financial wizardry of Doro-
thy Furrow, Sioux Falls.

With contestants present from
North, East, South and West,
options were many and conver-
sations were exceedingly interest-
ing. Differences of opinion were
evident as characterized by the section of the country brought
forth in the conversations and discus-
ssions which ranged from inter-
national to states rights prob-
lems.

This year's national winners
can be proud of their accomplish-
ments, for they have proved them-
selves champions in a tournament
in which everyone is a "winner." The many "winners" expressed
sentiments with comments such as
"We had a great time," "I met
lots of new friends here" and "I'll
never forget the Nationals."
Coaches at the Nationals

Anton E. Hagglund, Alhambra, Cal.  
Carmendale Fernandes, Sun'vale-Fremont  
Mrs. Jane Wilson, Grossmont, Cal.  
Mrs. Mary Snyder, Los Ang. HS, Cal.  
L. D. Hanks, Los Angeles-Marshall, Cal.  
Elizabeth Perkins, Merced, Cal.  
Mrs. Edna M. Spelts, Modesto-Downey  
Robert D. Kutch, Riverside-Ramona, Cal.  
Jack E. Anderson, San Francisco-Lowell  
Warren A. Gasink, San Gabriel, Cal.  
Natalie Weber, Sunnyvale, Cal.  
Joseph G. Lagnese, Sweetwater HS, Cal.  
Mrs. Dorothy Varra, Gecley, Colo.  
Albert E. James, Longmont, Colo.  
Mrs. Lenabell Martin, St. Francis, Colo.  
Mrs. Bertha S. Hunt, Miami-Jackson, Fla.  
Nancy J. Weir, Miami-Senior, Fla.  
Mrs. Maxine Gause, Tarpon Springs, Fla.  
Mamie R. Capellen, Blackfoot, Idaho  
Earl R. Davis, Calumet City, Ill.  
Howard J. Chute, Elin, Ill.  
Rev. Robert A. Pollauf, Loyola Acad., Ill.  
Forest C. Fruits, Columbia City, Ind.  
Arthur Erickson, Hammond-Clark, Ind.  
Lester M. Tucker, Howe Military, Ind.  
James F. Hawker, Lafayette, Ind.  
Donald R. Terry, Peru, Ind.  
N. E. Demoney, Betherville, Iowa  
Henry Symons, Oskaloosa, Iowa  
Gwen Thompson, Sioux City-East, Iowa  
David Kanelis, Spirit Lake, Iowa  
Gladys DeMarco, Middlesboro, Ky.  
Mrs. N. McCracken, Madisonville, Ky.  
Robert K. Skouge, Duluth-Denfeld, Minn.  
Levi Osterhus, Mpls.-Roosevelt, Minn.  
R. J. Happe, So. St. Paul, Minn.  
Rev. Robert Lindsberger, St. Cloud C'dral  
Margaret Meredith, Independence, Mo.  
Priscilla Bradford, Monett, Mo.  
Rev. S. E. Kalamaja, Rockhurst HS, Mo.  
Harold L. Siekman, Hastings, Neb.  
John Bjorklun, Kearney, Neb.  
Mrs. Donna Stalcup, Lincoln-S.E., Neb.  
Mrs. Aileen Williams, Omaha-Benson  
Sister M. Constantine, Omaha-Cathedral  
Herbert E. Smith, Omaha-Westside, Neb.  
Mrs. Marion C. Zeller, Concord, N. H.  
Mrs. Ruth P. Estes, Laconia, N. H.  
Mrs. Hazel B. Evans, Cliffside Park, N.J.  
Sr. Mary Vincent, Red Bank Cath., N. J.  
Mrs. Ruth Wantner, Trenton-Ewing, N.J.  
Bro. Joseph Lynch, Chaminade HS, N. Y.  
Robert Letro, Jamestown, N. Y.  
Bro. Bertin Philip, LaSalle Acad., N. Y.  
Joseph F. Halpin, S.J., Xavier HS, N. Y.  
Charles Morford, Canton-McKinley, O.  
Mrs. Betty C. Cupoli, Columbus-East, O.  
Mrs. Myrtle Gillen, Columbus-North, O.  
Bro. Martin Rauscher, Dayton-Chaminade  
Leah Funck, Dayton-Fairmont, Ohio  
Mrs. H. T. Nicholas, Glendale, Ohio  
Karl Boyle, Louisville, Ohio  
Boyd N. Martin, Fort Clinton, O.  
Mrs. Lotta Van Fossan, Struthers, O.  
Richard Holmes, Wadsworth, O.  
David Howland, Youngstown-Rayen, O.  
Sister Rosemary, Youngstown-Ursuline, O.  
Mrs. Una Lee Voigt, Enid, Okla.  
Robert W. Gobetz, Miami, Okla.  
Jack Gregory, Muskoge, Okla.  
L. J. Semrod, Capitol Hill HS, Okla. City  
Gene Kizer, Sand Springs, Okla.  
H. B. Mitchell, Seminole, Okla.  
Benjamin F. Bast, Avonworth, Pa.  
H. Gerald Starkham, Blairsville, Pa.  
Katharine Kirk, Braddock, Pa.  
James W. Norman, Brownsville, Pa.  
Peremlia Baldwin, California, Pa.  
Julia Brunelli, Greensburg, Pa.  
Helen Barron, Greensburg, Pa.  
Helen G. Malseed, McKeesport, Pa.  
Sister Mary Zoe, Sacred Heart HS, Pa.  
Sister Joseph Marie, Johnstown-Catholic  
Rev. Lindford Greinader, Johnn-Cath.  
Vernon Metz, West View, Pa.  
Emma Dean Morris, West View, Pa.  
O. W. Kolberg, Lead, S. D.  
Mrs. Roy Groeneveld, Madison, S. D.  
Hazel Heiman, Rapid City, S. D.  
A. W. Scarborough, Sioux Falls, S. D.  
Dorothy O. Furrow, Sioux Falls, S. D.  
Mrs. Marion Cleworth, Springfield, S. D.  
Harold P. Sampson, Watertown, S. D.  
A. P. Schenk, Yankton, S. D.  
Mrs. Herman Pinkerton, Cookeville, Tenn.  
Jane Wright, Madison, Tenn.  
Anne D. White, Nashville-Central, Tenn.  
Mrs. Morris Landiss, Nashville-Hillsboro  
Cecil Pickett, Houston-Bellaire, Tex.  
Mattie Bess Cofield, Waco, Tex.  
Janet L. Smith, Seattle-Shortline, Wash.  
John D. Davies, Kenosha, Wis.  
A. E. Melzer, Sheboygan-Central, Wis.  
Bruce Bertram, West Bend, Wis.  
Francis F. Feris, Casper, Wyo.

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ORATORY SUBJECT

In NFL district and national tournaments in 1959 the subject for Original Oratory will be “Freedom.” Full story later.
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### Jamestown Invites Debaters

Mr. Robert Letro invites NFL debaters to his tournament to be held at Jamestown, New York, on Oct. 24-25. The question will be “Resolved: That the United States should adopt a uniform system of education.”

*The Rostrum*
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**Byes**

- Sweetwater HS, Cal.
- Denver-South, Colo.
- Blackfoot, Idaho
- Elgin, Illinois
- Oskaloos, Iowa
- Middlesboro, Ky.
- South St. Paul, Minn.
- Independence, Mo.
- Lincoln-Southeast, Nebr.*
- Port Clinton, Ohio
- Muskogee, Okla.
- Sioux Falls, S. D.
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- Houston-Lamar and Reagan, Tex.
- Seattle- Shoreline, Wash.
- Sheboygan-Central, Wis.

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**Original Oratory**

1. John McCullough, Miami, Okla.
2. Irving Zeretsky, San Francisco-Lowell
3. Dan Travanti, Kenosha, Wis.
4. Michael Ash, Marquette HS, Wis.
5. Russell Flesher, Wooster, Ohio
6. Judy Happe, St. St. Paul, Minn.

(Rounds of Participation)

1. Louis Cohen, New Trier HS, Ill.
2. Fred Hlawatsch, Sweetwater HS, Cal.
4. William Daniels, Merced, Cal.
5. Ed Venable, Greeley, Colo.
6. John Hagan, Chaminade HS, N. Y.
7. Norma Thompson, Louisville, Ohio
8. Theodore Baxter, Merced, Cal.
9. Gary Rayburn, Midwest City, Okla.
10. Paul McBride, Youngs'nm-Urnsline, O.
11. Larry W. Myers, Omaha-Westside
12. Chester Chang, Los Angeles HS, Cal.
13. Wanda Burt, Glendale, Ohio
16. Marie Cheatham, Houston-Bellaire
17. David Harris, California, Pa.
18. Joe Zenk, West Bend, Wis.
19. Constantine Vishernevsky, Louisville, O.
20. Alan Haurfert, Houston-Bellaire, Tex.
21. Margaret Hubbard, Watertown, S.D.
22. Robert B. Crowe, St. Ignatius HS, Ill.
24. Phil Eggers, Warsaw, Ind.
25. Ernest Swordmaker, Port Ang., Wash.

**Boys' Extemp**

1. Rennard Strickland, Muskogee, Okla.
2. Larry Tribe, San Fran.-Lincoln, Cal.
3. Paul Black, Calumet City, Ill.

(Rounds of Participation)

1. Rodger Gabrielson, Kenosha, Wis.
2. Tom Gompertz, Merced, Cal.
3. Norman Oberstein, Oskaloosa, Iowa
4. Wm. Stoever, Riverside-Ramona, Cal.
7. Kenneth Goudreau, Cathedral Lat., O.
8. Ken Mose, Watertown, S.D.
9. Arden Doss, Miami-Jackson, Fla.
11. Gary Rayburn, Midwest City, Okla.
13. John Williams, Houston-Bellaire, Tex.
14. Dave Langum, Elgin, Ill.
15. David Gallina, LaSalle Acad., N.Y.
16. William Daniels, Merced, Cal.
17. Jack Leonard, Blackfoot, Idaho
18. David Harris, California, Pa.
19. Dan German, Yankton, S.D.
20. Constantine Vishernevsky, Louisville, O.
23. Lance M. Lieberman, Frankfort, Ky.
24. Allen South, Dayton-Fairmont, Ohio
25. Larry Adams, Peru, Ind.
27. Ronald W. Kenyon, Ashland, Ky.
2 Axel Von Borsig, Miami Beach, Fla.
2 David King, Cookeville, Tenn.
2 Alfred L. Evans, Nashville-Hillsboro
2 Jim Johns, Seminole, Okla.
2 Lee Huebner, Sheboygan-Central, Wis.
2 Bill Wagner, Watertown, S.D.
2 Michael Ash, Marquette HS, Wis.
2 Jan Dizard, Duluth-Denfeld, Minn.
2 Padell Hallal, Brownsville, Pa.
2 Tom Wingett, Cheyenne, Wyo.
2 Sibley Burnett, Nashville-Hillsboro
2 John Koehler, Olympia, Wash.
2 Don Timm, Muscatine, Iowa
2 Charles Stevenson, Denver-South, Colo.
2 Larry Barnes, Jamestown, N.Y.
2 Michael Callahan, Concord, N.H.
2 Tom Cooper, Lincoln-S.E., Nebr.
2 John Browne, Columbus-East, Ohio
2 Alan Peterson, Lincoln-N.E., Nebr.
2 Edward Price, Fort Collins, Colo.
2 Gifford Price, Fort Collins, Colo.
2 Karen Leeland, Seattle-Shipley
2 Karen Leeland, Seattle-Shoreline
2 Judith Leland, Seattle-Shoreline
2 Ellen Clark, Trenton-Ewing, N. J.
2 Anne McGill, St. Fr. de Sales, Colo.
2 Hilda Jo Ray, Nashville-Hillsboro
2 Mary Feldhaus, Sioux Falls, S.D.
2 Andrea Hanratty, W. St. Paul, Minn.

Dramatic Interpretation

1. Karen McPeek, Euclidi, Ohio
2. Alan Haufrecht, Houston-Belhaven, Tex.
4. Marie Cheatham, Houston-Belhaven
6. Dan Travanti, Kenosha, Wis.

(Rounds of Participation)
5. Robert Love, Dayton-Chamindale, O.
5. William Vitale, Holy Fam. HS, Colo.
5. Cynthia Curtis, Midwest City, Okla.
5. Virginia Yoder, Wooster, Ohio
5. Lena Ohr, Midwest City, Okla.
5. Carolyn Yrulegi, Fresno-San Joaquin
5. Janeane Dimpel, Mount Miguel, Calif.
5. Harrise Siegel, Waco, Tex.
5. Phil Eggers, Warsaw, Ind.
5. John Hagan, Chaminade HS, N.Y.
5. June L. Skaggs, Monett, Mo.
5. Mary G. Keightley, Harrisburg, Ky.
5. Josephine Formica, SHM Acad., N.Y.
5. Jon Fromke, Sioux Falls, S.D.
5. Diane Birch, Ashland, Ky.
5. Donna Greene, Nashville-Hillsboro
5. Jean Wiedman, Los Angeles High
5. Linda Avery, Laco, N.H.
5. Marion H. Love, Orlando-Edge, Fla.
5. Kathleen Hilliard, Laconia, N.H.
5. Beverly Sarver, Madison, Tenn.

Girls' Extemp

1. Norma Thompson, Louisville, O.
3. Anne McCall, Waco, Tex.
4. Mary C. Humphreys, St. Francis, Colo.
5. Paula Alexander, Muskogee, Okla.

(Rounds of Participation)
5. Lois Miner, Watertown, S.D.
5. Mary Ellen Beall, Lafayette, Ind.
5. Maureen Hicks, Laconia, N.H.
5. Carmen Stallings, Houston-Lamar
6. June L. Skaggs, Monett, Mo.
6. Kathleen Martin, Rhinelander, Wis.
6. Carol Miller, Miami Beach, Fla.
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4. Ruth Weinstein, Miami Beach, Fla.
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5. Nancy Hudson, Louisville, Ohio
5. Anne Petitjean, Seattle-Shipley
4. Bonnie Palmer, Columbus-North, O.
4. Sallie McNamara, Johnston-Catholic
4. Lyn Imig, Sheboygan-Central, Wis.
4. Kay Gifkowskii, St. Cloud Cathedral
4. Margaret Foley, Cliffs Park, N.J.
4. Carolyn White, Watertown, S.D.
4. Carol Hilgeman, Modesto-Downey
4. Rachel Abernethy, Barberton, Ohio
4. Diane Wunnice, Cheyenne, Wyo.
4. Donn McCafferty, Dayn-Fairmont, O.
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4. Anne Petitjean, Seattle-Shipline
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James L. Jay, Abilene, Tex.
Charles Stevenson, Denver-South, Colo.
Josephine Formica, SHM Acad., N. Y.
Dean Sawyer, Concord, N. H.
Larry Adams, Peru, Ind.
Carol Higeman, Modesto-Downey
Mike Strah, Oskaola, Iowa
Dale Williams, Port Clinton, Ohio
Ellen Clark, Trenton-Ewing, N. J.
Robert Putnam, Port Clinton, Ohio
Judith Leland, Seattle-Seacliffside, Wash.
Andrea Harrett, W. St. Paul, Minn.
Thomas Calhoun, West View, Pa.
Charles Cos, Nashville-Central, Tenn.
William Newlin, West View, Pa.
Elizabeth Fuller, San Francisco-Lowell

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