

INTERSCHOLASTIC LEAGUE



Sunset Wins Play Contest 2nd Time

Critic Judge Praises Cast for Restrained Performance

Sunset High School (Dallas) won first place in the 1947 One-Act Play Contest with its excellent production of "Balcony Scene." Second place honors were awarded Midland High School, and third place was won by Martin High School (Laredo). White Deer's entry won fourth place in the State Tournament.

Individual winners were Gilbert Dickens of White Deer, who was selected the best actor, and Mary Ann Bennett of Sunset High School, who was named the best actress.

Members of the All-Star Cast were Mary Lee Cowden of Midland, Emilene Rapstine of White Deer, Mary Ann Bennett of Sunset, Bob Short of Midland, Dan Love of Sunset, and Gilbert Dickens of White Deer.

Mrs. Banker Directs Winner

Effective underplaying of emotional scenes and a good use of economy of motion were two of the qualities of Sunset High School's production, "Balcony Scene," which won the State Championship in the 1947 One-Act Play Contest. Director of the Dallas group was Mrs. Wanda Banker.

In the cast were Dan Love, Archie Crumpton, Wanda Ballard, Patsy Johnson, Charlyne Pond, David Blackbird, Bob Hartson, and Mary Ann Bennett. Stage manager was Kim Beckler.

Dr. Earl W. Blank of Berea College, Berea, Kentucky, critic judge for the tournament, rated Sunset's production as "a good play for high-school people of serious intent. The cast turned in a generally polished performance."

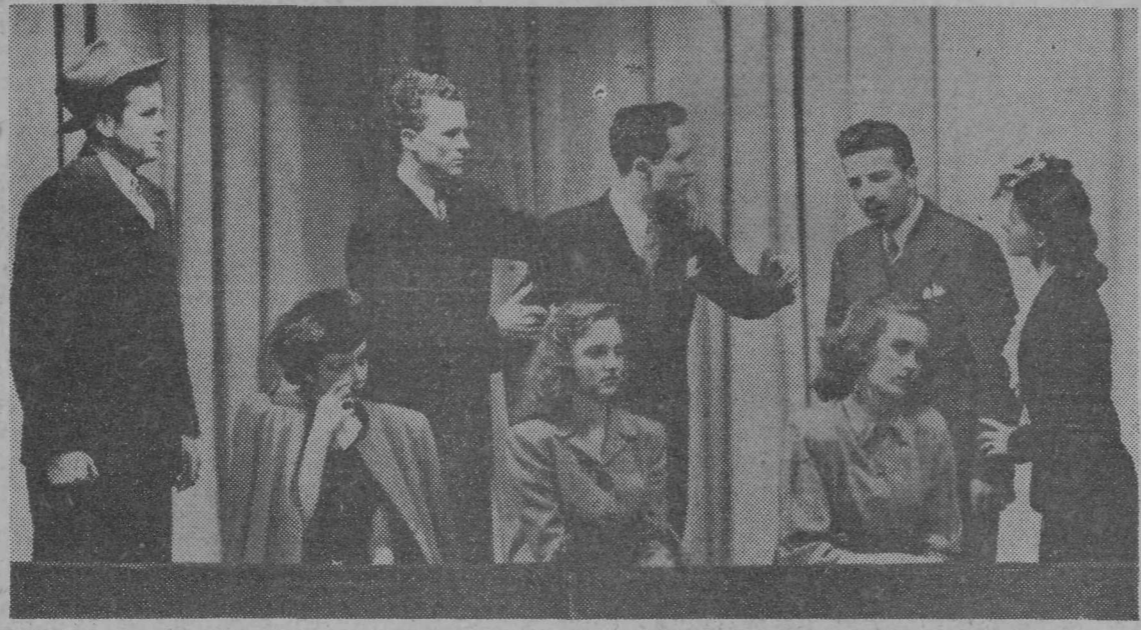
Sunset won first place in 1944 with "Road Into the Sun," and brought "To the Lovely Margaret" to the 1946 contest.

Midland Is Second

Midland's one-act play, "I'm a Fool," awarded second place, was praised by the critic judge for its excellent casting and fine composition.

Miss Verna Harris, Midland play director, brought the following students to Austin: Bob Short, Maurine Denton, Sara Lou Link, Donald Droppelman, Jimmy Fitz

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A balcony of a church was the setting for Sunset High School's championship-winning production. From left to right, back row, the cast consisted of Bob Hartson, Archie Crumpton, Dan Love, David Blackbird, and on the front row are Wanda Ballard, Patsy Johnson, Mary Ann Bennett, and Charlyne Pond.

Schools to Name 9 Advisory Council Members by October

NINE VACANCIES on the State Legislative Advisory Council, the group initiating League legislation, will be filled by November 1. The annual meeting of the Council, composed of representatives of every region in the three conferences, is scheduled for November 7 and 8 in Austin.

Nominees, who will serve a four-year term, are selected from superintendents, high-school principals and county superintendents, in the conference and region in which the vacancy occurs. The school represented by the nominee must be a member of the League.

Vacancies occur this year in all conferences: Conference B, Regions 8, 5, 4 and 1; Conference A, Regions 2 and 6; Conference AA, Regions 8, 7 and 3.

Terms Expire
Present incumbents whose terms have expired are: S. V. Neely, Superintendent, San Benito, Conference AA, Region 7; Jack Ryan, Superintendent, McKinney, Conference AA, Region 3; E. M. Connell, Superintendent, Anson, Conference A, Region 2; E. T. Robbins, Superintendent, Alamo Heights High School, San Antonio, Conference A, Region 6; A. L. Faubion, Superintendent of New Deal School, Lubbock, Conference B, Region 1; W. C. Cummings, County Superintendent, Bonham, Conference B, Region 4; E. K. Barden, Superintendent, Sugar Land, Conference B, Region 5.

A vacancy in Region 8, Conference AA, was created by the transfer of Odessa to Region 2. Superintendent Murry Fly of Odessa

was the representative from this region. Superintendent B. A. Compass of Iran resigned his position in the council in Region 8, Conference B.

Personnel Listed
With the new members, the council will consist of the following administrators:

Region 1, Conference AA, R. B. Norman, Principal, Amarillo; Conference A, Superintendent H. T. Burton, Clarendon; Conference B, Superintendent W. C. Blankenship, Big Spring; Conference B, County Superintendent D. E. Lovelless, Coleman.

Region 3, Conference A, Superintendent W. B. Alexander, Bowie; Conference B, Superintendent Edwin Bowen, Boyd.

Region 4, Conference AA, Superintendent E. N. Dennard, Marshall; Conference A, Superintendent D. T. Loyd, East Mountain School, Gilmer.

Region 5, Conference AA, R. B. Sparks, Principal High School, Goose Creek; Conference A, Superintendent Floyd H. Burton, Humble.

Region 6, Conference AA, Superintendent H. A. Moore, Kerrville; Conference B, Superintendent J. Milton Edds, Academy School, Temple.

Region 7, Conference A, Superintendent H. Lee Clifton, Falfurrias; Conference B, Superintendent Walter Coers, Orange Grove.

Region 8, Conference A, Superintendent R. D. Lee, Monahans.

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Michigan Bans All-Star Games

Ass'n Penalizes Both Officials And Schools For Participating

All-star games of basketball and football were banned last spring by action of the controlling Board of Michigan High-School Athletic Association.

The following provisions were ordered incorporated in the rules of the association:

"A. No athletic director, coach, teacher, or administrator of a Michigan high school, and no athletic official registered with the Michigan High-School Athletic Association shall at any time assist either directly or indirectly with the coaching, management, direction, selection of players, promotion, or officiating of any 'all-star' or similar contest in football or basketball in which one or more of the competing teams is composed of a player or players, who, during the previous school year, were members of a high-school football or basketball team.

"B. Any high school which uses an individual as a coach or manager of an interscholastic athletic team who has violated the provisions of Section A of this Rule shall be subject to probation or suspension.

"C. Any individual who violates the provisions of Section A of this Rule shall be ineligible for registration as an athletic official with the Michigan High-School Athletic Association for a period of at least one year."

The Board comments, as follows:

"From the above provisions it will be noted that this by-law actually does not prohibit 'all-star' contests in football and basketball. Rather, it contains regulatory measures pertaining to individuals who are connected, as designated, with any such contests and their subsequent relationships with interscholastic athletics. The overwhelming indication by school men of the state that they are opposed to contests of this kind guided the Representative Council in the formulation and adoption of this by-law. Its provisions, therefore, deal with those who may be connected with such contests in their promotion, management, coaching, or officiating."

Gay Joins George West Staff
Supt. E. A. Gay, after 18 years at Bertram High School, will head the George West school system. Superintendent Gay served as football chairman for the League for years.

LEAGUE BREAKFAST SCHEDULED

The annual League breakfast and sectional meetings, held in conjunction with the Texas State Teachers' Association convention during the Thanksgiving holidays, is scheduled for Friday, November 28, at 7:30 a.m. at the Gunter Hotel.

League Schedules Separate Regional-State Meets for Conference B Schools

Delegates Favor Two State Meets

Girls' Basketball, Amateur Rule, Discussed at State Meeting of Delegates

Various plans for separate divisions for small schools at State Meets were suggested at the annual meeting of League delegates which was held Saturday morning, May 3, at the Driskill Hotel. School administrators and coaches also discussed the Amateur Rule and girls' basketball and heard reports on the Music Contest and athletic insurance.

The secretary of the meeting, J. O. Webb of Houston, made the following record of the minutes:

Following the invocation, delivered by W. I. Stevenson, principal of Milby High School, Houston, Dean T. H. Shelby presented Dr. J. C. Dolley, vice-president of the University of Texas, who extended words of greeting to the group. Dr. E. S. Redford and T. A. Rousseau, members of the State Executive Committee, were introduced.

Savage Reports

F. W. Savage, director of music activities for the League, in his summary of the music competition in the spring, stated that 507 organizations participated in the League program, a 90.6 per cent increase over the 1946 competition. Mr. Savage then introduced P. C. Martinez of Kerrville and Jack Mahan of Texarkana, members of the Texas Music Educators' Association. Mr. Mahan spoke briefly on the question of liberalizing eligibility rules for music competition.

A report on the committee studying girls' basketball in Conference B schools was given by Roy Bedi-

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AA and A Schools to Compete For '48 State Championships



Marie Davis Breckenridge High School

Marie Davis Enters 3 League Contests

Breckenridge Senior Wins First Place in Conference AA Ready Writing

Marie Davis of Breckenridge High School entered three League contests last year and won honors in each, including first place in Conference AA Ready Writing at the State Meet.

She appeared in the one-act play "The Summons of Sarel," which placed second at the Regional Meet in Abilene, and received honorable mention as an actress. With her partner in debate, she reached the quarter-finals in the all-state debate tournament at Baylor.

Dual-Meet Plan Urged by State Meet Delegates In May

CONFERENCE B schools will have their own Regional and State Meets in 1948 under the League's new plan to separate contestants of smaller schools from larger schools. This is one of several important changes which are included in the 1947-48 copy of the Constitution and Rules, a copy of which is mailed to every member-school in the League.

The organization of a separate meet for schools with enrollment of 199 or fewer students has been advocated for some years. Delegates at the 1947 League Breakfast from B schools expressed their desire for separate competition, particularly in track and field events.

See Section IV

The new set-up is explained in Article IX, Sections 1-4, of the Constitution and Rules, which describes the combined AA and A Regional and State Meets and the Conference B Regional and State Meets. The two State Meets will be held in Austin May 7 and 8.

Names of regional centers and officers for all conferences will be published in the LEAGUER.

Under the new plan, Tennis contestants in Conference B come under one of two classifications—those who wish to compete for the State Championship titles and those who are interested only in going to the Regional Meets.

For the tennis player who does not aspire to a state crown, a tournament will be held at the regular Conference B Regional Meet for first place district winners. But if the player wishes to compete at the tournament in Austin, he or she may attend the combined AA and A Regional Meets. First-place winners in the senior division in each region qualify for the State Tournament in May.

Relay Teams Restricted

One important change in the Track and Field rules is that only first place relay teams at the Regional Meets will qualify for the State Meet. First and second places will qualify in all other Track and Field events.

The entire music contest makes its initial appearance in the Constitution and Rules this year with all the rules and regulations explained in detail. All orchestra, band and choral group directors should have this information at hand. Music Appreciation has been restored as a contest for grade schools.

Under the new organization, all Area Meets have been eliminated. Competition progresses from District to Regional meets.

The League's newest activity, Baseball, is explained in the athletic section of the Constitution.

Two New Rules Included

The two issues voted on this summer and approved by a substantial plurality, the elimination of Spring football training and the regulation forbidding paying coaches a percentage of the gate-receipts, appear in the athletic section. Advance notice is given of rules voted on this summer, but not effective until 1948-49, include the rule barring League athletes from further competition if they participate in a post-season football game, the Eight Semester Rule, and the Conference A State Championship play-off.

The 1947-48 copy of the League's "Bible" is the thickest published to date. The 1911 copy contained a mere 38 pages, and small ones at that. This year's

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Walton Principal Favors Separate Rural Divisions

At the outbreak of World War II Hunt County left off Interscholastic League meets but has come back for the past two meets. In this year's meet we had two Rural Schools represented and last year three. Before the war, there was a large number of Rural Schools in the League. May I offer a few suggestions that might help to get more Rural Schools back into the League.

1. Bring back separate divisions for Rural Schools instead of being in a class with city or town schools. This seems to throw us out of our class. We would like separate divisions in such events as Number Sense, Spelling, and Declaration. This is the wish of most every teacher in our meet. I believe that this would cause more Rural Schools to enter.
2. We would like to see a Division in Declaration for Sub-Junior boys and girls—boys and girls under 10 years of age.
3. Since our classes are small and at times we find it hard to have a team of two, we would like for Number Sense and Spelling to be lowered to one contestant for each event or maybe allow two to enter, but let schools have chance to win two places as Three R's used to be.
4. We would like a division in Story Telling for grades 2 and 3, each school to enter one contestant.
5. We would like to see Picture Memory brought back.—John B. Ward, Principal, Walton Rural School, Rt. 1, Lone Oak, Texas.

EDITOR'S NOTE.—Since most rural schools are grade schools (see definition in Article VII), provision is made for any group of "rural" schools to have a division, or, indeed, a meet of its own. Most of the other suggestions in this letter appear as rule-changes in the forthcoming issue of the Constitution and Rules.

Federal Grant Aids School Lunch Program

The school lunch program in Texas this year will receive a \$2,890,962 contribution from the Federal Government, State Superintendent L. A. Woods, has announced.

Last year, 2,436 communities offered lunch programs for 288,000 students.

Congress has appropriated \$65,000,000 for distribution by the United States Department of Agriculture and United States Department of Education which will be prorated among states according to the number of children from five to seventeen years of age.

Football-Track Films Ready for Coaches

The 16 mm. film of the 1946 State Championship game between Thomas Jefferson of San Antonio and Odessa is one of the twelve motion pictures on football now available to coaches at the Visual Instruction Bureau of The University of Texas.

In the football film library of the Bureau are the following movies: No. 2029, Ball Handling in Football; No. 2030, Blocking in Football; No. 4006, Football—Outstanding Games of the 1938 Season; No. 3082, Football Parade of 1945; No. 3147, Football Parade of 1946; No. 3080, Football Thrills of 1942; No. 3081, Football Thrills of 1943; No. 6002, Highland Park vs. Waco, 1945; No. 6001, Port Arthur vs. Highland Park, 1944; No. 2031, Tackling in Football; and No. 6003, Jefferson vs. Odessa, 1946.

Also available for distribution is the film of the 1947 Track and Field Meet showing the finish of events.

Leaguers Set 3 New Marks At 37th Track-Field Meet

SPECTATORS at the 37th annual Track and Field Meet in Austin May 2 and 3 saw one of the speediest meets ever sponsored by the League.

Three records tumbled during the two days of competition, including times in the 120-yard high hurdles, the mile run and the mile relay. Corpus Christi was the victor with a total of 46 points.

While results of the meet have been widely publicized by the 34 radio station hook-up carrying finals of the athletic events and winners of literary contests and the press, the League publishes this summary in order that schools may have a complete record.

Over 1,200 delegates, including contestants, coaches, teachers, and students attending the Journalism Conference were in Austin. Crowds at the stadium during the track finals and at the One-Act Play Contest were larger than usual.

Many of the following winners have graduated from school and are now enrolled in colleges of the state or have started their business careers. Complete biographical sketches of champions and second and third place winners will appear in the LEAGUER this school year.

Winners in literary events, tennis and track and field contests were:

Conference AA Debate
Girls
State Winner: Sara Wescoat and Loyce Hudson, Amarillo High School.
Second Place: Jo Jo Hackleman and Ann Chambers, Corpus Christi High School.

Conference AA Ready Writers
State Winner: Marie Davis, Breckenridge.

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California Schools Told To End Race Segregation

California schools have received new orders from the courts and State Assembly to divest themselves of race segregation but recent Negro-white trouble at Fremont High School here indicates that complete elimination of discrimination may still involve considerable struggle.

The Ninth United States Circuit Court of Appeals in San Francisco has unanimously rejected an appeal by four Orange County school districts for permission to continue segregation of Mexican children in separate schools.

Simultaneously the House of Representatives voted to remove from the California Education Code an 1880 authorization for establishment of separate schools for Indian, Chinese, Japanese, and Mongolian children. The more conservative State Senate has not yet voted on the issue.

The Court of Appeals decision is regarded as of special importance because it eventually may get to the Supreme Court of the United States. A decision there would have the same revolutionary effect of unsettling the South's traditional segregated school system that the court's decision in favor of Negro voting has had in Georgia and other Southern states.—Mary Hornaday in the Christian Science Monitor.

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By Bruce Roach

THROUGHOUT the school year this column is conducted for the purpose of acquainting directors of dramatics with the new plays available through our loan service.

We shall be glad to send you copies of these plays for reading purposes, ten plays being the limit that may be borrowed at one time.

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Sunset One-Act Play Awarded Top Honors

(Continued from Page 1) Gerald, Mary Lee Cowden, Fred McMurtry and Evangeline Theis. Midland made its first appearance at a State Meet tournament in 1944 when Steven T. Briggs was in charge of dramatics.

Third place honors were awarded to the Martin High School, Laredo, production of "The White Lawn" directed by Miss Wanda Momon.

Characters in this war-time drama, written by Roger Busfield, Jr., of Austin, were played by Pat DaCamara, Azelle Gray, Lyon Williams, and Stanley Freed.

This was Martin's first appearance at the state tournament since 1934, when "Slave with Two Faces," directed by Mrs. J. L. Tenney, was presented.

Death was the theme of "The White Lawn," just as it was for the majority of the eight regional winners who competed for the championship May 3.

Smallest School Takes Honors

White Deer High School, one of the smallest member-schools of the League ever to appear in the State Play Contest, competed with some of the largest schools to win fourth place with its fine production, "The Severed Cord."

Maxine Finsterwald's "The Severed Cord" is a powerful play, according to critic-Judge Blank, and the White Deer players captured the mood. Dr. Blank gave a high rating to the costuming, make-up, and good casting.

League Publishes 'Arbitration Of Labor Disputes' Bulletin

THE LEAGUE debate bulletin on the 1947-48 debate query: Resolved, That the Federal Government Should Require Arbitration of Labor Disputes in All Basic American Industries, edited by Bruce Roach, director of speech activities, contains many articles by authorities on both sides of the issue.

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The pedal extremes are in the city rather than the country. The Swedes, a statistically-minded people, have just completed a foot survey in their country and come up with the observation that inhabitants of large cities have bigger feet than the rural population.

According to Prof. Gunnar Dahlberg, head of the Swedish Institute of Human Genetics in Upsala, this curious fact—as well as the higher stature of city dwellers—is due to the admixture of many classes and origins in the cities and not, as one might suppose, to daily tramping on hard pavements.

—The New York Times Magazine.

Ask Any Motorist A publication of the Automobile Manufacturers Association is authority for the statement that there are 4,956,435 truck and bus drivers in the United States.



The above scene is from "The White Lawn" (center), and Azelle Gray (right). This production was ranked third at the State Meet.

Discussion Contest Added To '48 State Meet Program

Debaters Who Do Not Reach Finals Will Be Eligible

(By Bruce Roach, Director Speech Activities)

FOR the first time in the history of the League, a Group Discussion Contest will be held as a supplement to the State Meet Debate Contest, May 7-8, 1948.

After the contest, judges will select the outstanding discussion members on an individual basis, not a team basis.

After the Discussion Contest is organized at State Meet next year, it is hoped that this valuable and worthwhile technique can be incorporated later into the League program in the Regional and District Meets as well.

Group discussion has long been recognized as one of the most democratic means for solving common problems. Forums, assemblies, town meetings, tribal conferences and the like have been used by various groups down through the ages for discussing situations that involved the common good.

When group discussion is approached in the right way, the student is stimulated to search for facts, to develop his ability to form decisions, to organize his thoughts, and to present to the group his sincere, honest opinion.

When a problem is presented for group discussion, each participant must first learn to cooperate with other members in defining and analyzing the subject.

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Gatha Burnett Wins Second Place Title

All-Round Speech Student Is Interested in Radio Career

Second place winner in the Girls' Extemp Speech contest at the 1947 State Meet was Gatha Burnett, San Marcos High-School senior, who has been active in speech work all during her high-school career.

During her sophomore year she participated in Debate and for the past two years has specialized in Extemporaneous Speaking.

Official delegate of the Alamo Heights Teachers' Association in San Antonio to the National Classroom Teachers' Association and N.E.A. Convention in Cincinnati was Adel Speiser.

Minerva Black of the University of Houston completed twelve hours' work on her M.A. degree at The University of Texas, where she instructed in speech.

Before teaching at Wharton this summer, Lou Collins spent some time in New Orleans, and made a trip to her home in New Mexico before the September term started.

Scenic Michigan was the goal of Clara Hutchins of San Angelo this summer. She visited Mackinac Island, Michigan, during her trip through the state.

Mrs. Venson Hall of the Speech Department at Denton Senior High School worked on her master's degree in Public School Administration with a minor in speech at N.T.S.T.C. this summer.

Mrs. Jeannette Jones of Marble Falls spent the summer in Austin, where she took speech courses at the University.

It's Doctor Harold Weiss of Southern Methodist University now! He and Mrs. Weiss spent the summer in Madison, Wis., where he completed his residence work for a Ph.D.

Lily Lou Russell, formerly of the Speech Department at the University of Houston, has temporarily withdrawn from that field to serve as director of the Student Placement Department.

We finally located Emilie Johnson of Mary-Hardin Baylor at Bradenton, Florida, where she was catching up on her sunning and swimming after a full summer.

Director of the Speech Correction Clinic at Southwest Texas State College in San Marcos was Mrs. Geneva Thomson Foster of Edgewood High School, San Antonio.

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Speech In Texas Schools

This column belongs to Texas Speech Teachers for discussion of speech problems and news concerning Speech activities in Texas high schools.

FROM Mexico, Michigan, California, and Florida, and such resort spots as Grand Lake, Colorado, came answers to our query, "What are you speech and drama teachers doing this summer?"

It is because we failed to get an answer from our postcard questionnaire. It is not too late for news of your summer, if you hurry.

Acting, directing, and producing at the Pasadena Playhouse, Pasadena, California, made the summer go fast for Wilhelmina Hedde, new president of the Texas Speech Association.

Glenn Capp, historian of the T.S.A., has returned to Baylor University after a summer at Northwestern University.

Josh P. Roach, who is now associate professor of speech at Texas State College for Women, taught in the summer school at Saltillo, Mexico, where his students were Spanish-speaking folks who came to classes after their day's work.

Official delegate of the Alamo Heights Teachers' Association in San Antonio to the National Classroom Teachers' Association and N.E.A. Convention in Cincinnati was Adel Speiser.

B. Traugher of Houston took speech and government courses at The University of Texas.

Roger M. Busfield, Jr., shouldered the load of the drama department at Southwestern University as acting chairman.

Esther E. Eby attended Northwestern University's School of Speech for six weeks and spent the rest of her time traveling in Michigan and Minnesota.

Another new Doctor of Philosophy is Jesse J. Villareal, who returned to the University in June after a year's leave of absence, while he completed his degree at Northwestern.

Edd Miller, former editor of the Debate Column, is now enrolled at Northwestern University, where he is working on his Ph.D. degree.

Constitution Explains New State Meet Plan (Continued from Page 1) publication hit a new high with 134 pages.

Conference A State Football Championship On recommendation of the Legislative Advisory Board the State Executive Committee submitted to the Conference A schools a referendum ballot to determine whether or not the schools in this conference wished to schedule a state championship play-off in Conference A football.

The announcement of the play-off plan appears in the current issue of the Constitution and Rules. To schedule the play-off it will be necessary for the State Executive Committee to reduce the present number of football districts from 40 to 32 and to set the closing date for determining football district championships for Conference A for 1948 on the third Saturday in November.

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