

MANY HIGH SCHOOLS TO ENTER DEBATES

League Enrolls State Schools
for Coming Contests.

BULLETIN NOW ON PRESS

Championship to Be Decided
in Eugene.

Prospects for the Oregon High School Debate League this year promise the greatest contest of its kind ever held in the history of the University. In response to the first announcement of the league sent out by John C. Almack, who succeeds Robert W. Prescott as secretary of the organization, fifteen schools have already registered. Much enthusiasm is shown in the quick response of the schools now enrolled. It is expected that before the close of registration, December 1, more than 100 schools will be listed, representing every part of the state. **76 in Line Last Year.**

Last year 76 high schools competed in the league, which is the largest representation so far recorded. The great increase over previous years was largely due to the plan put forward by Mr. Prescott, at that time secretary of the league, whereby the district winners were brought to Eugene in order to determine the state champions. A much larger league will be in evidence this year as a further result of the plan worked out by Mr. Prescott.

The state question for coming debates will be, Resolved, That the federal government should own and operate the railroads. Questions for district discussion range in scope from a purely local interest to questions of world importance. **Bulletin Nearly Ready.**

The Oregon High School Debate Bulletin is on the press now and will be ready for distribution by the first of next week. The bulletin is mailed free to the high schools of the state. It contains a list of questions for state and district discussion, library notes, constitution and by-laws, and helpful suggestions for the various high schools.

BOXING NEW PASTIME OF PEACEFUL STUDENTS

Bouts to Be Staged Between
Campus Organizations.

That the men students of the University are eager to learn the art of self defense is shown by the large enrollment in the boxing classes this year. Not enough equipment is on hand for these classes but more has been ordered, according to Dean J. F. Bovard of the school of physical education.

"It seems to me that boxing is one of the best sports there is," said Dean Bovard. "One of the most important things for a young man to learn is to give and take and there is nothing that will teach this better than boxing. The power of initiative is furthered by it. There is a movement all over the United States to further this sport."

"So far there has been class work in boxing with the idea of working toward contests," said Bill Hayward when interviewed. "The coast conference has sanctioned boxing as an intercollegiate sport but I do not know whether Oregon University will go into intercollegiate boxing or not. Interclass, interfraternity and intramural boxing contests will be held, however. These will be used as a means of working toward intercollegiate contests. George Dawson, the student instructor of boxing, has had years of experience, and is well qualified for his work."

**NINE SERVICE MEN
BORROW FROM FUND**

\$50 Loans Mature Jan. 1, 1921; Can
Be Secured Now From Registrar's Office.

Nine University of Oregon men have ready taken advantage of the \$50 state loan to ex-service men, according to Carlton Spencer, registrar, who has charge of the applications.

No loan can be for over \$50 and the date of maturity is January, 1921. There will be no second extension of this loan. Heretofore they have been granted in most cases, but now that the service men have had time to adjust themselves and become more settled the extension will be given.

These loans are to be considered in the order of receipt of applications unless there is not sufficient money in the revolving fund to cover all loans. In that case they will be alternated between Oregon Agricultural College and the University of Oregon. This loan is taken from a revolving fund which is equal to loans made to students in institutions during the college year ending June, 1920. As soon as the money is paid back to this fund it is loaned out again.

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