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## CHAPTER I

## INTRODUGTION

Origin of the Problem. It was noted in 1956 that with the exception of a study done by John Kelso in 19511952 ${ }^{1}$, little or no research in this field existed. Since the Kelso study, which will serve as the pilot study, minor studies in 1956-1957 ${ }^{2}$ and 1959-1960 ${ }^{3}$ have been completed. In the case of the two minor studies only charts of statistical data were prepared and no analysis or conclusions were attempted.

Purpose. The purpose of this survey was an investigation of as many specific factors as are involved In financing the Kansas high school debate program as could be defined. These factors are enumerated in the statement of the Problem.
$\mathbf{1}_{\text {John E. Kelso, An }}$ Evaluation of High School Debate In Kansas for the year 1951-1952 (unpublished Master T/ Thesis, Kansas Stato Teachors College, Eraporia, 1952).
${ }^{2}$ David J. Blackim, A Statistical Report of the Financial Status of Debate in the State of Kansas 1956-1957 (unpubilshed indiviaual report, Ransas state Teachers College, Emporia, 1957).

3David J. Blackim, A Statisticel Report of the Debate Programs in the State of Kansas $1959-1960$ (unpublished individual roport, Russeli High school, Russell, Kansas, 1960).

The Problem. The general problem appeared to be a lack of available data regarding the status of Kansas high school debate programs.

The basic problem was subdivided into the following nine questions.

1. What was the level of preparation and experience attained by the debate coaches of Kansas?
2. What responsibilities does the debate coach assume?
3. What special considerations are given to the debate coach?
4. What status does the debate program hold in regard to the curriculum?
5. What teaching alds are used by the coach of debate?
6. What was the source, size, and use of debate funds in the schools of Kanses?
7. What was the status of contest debating in Kansas?
8. How did Kansas debate coaches evaluate state certifleation requirements for debate coaching?
9. What limitations existed in the debate program of Kanses?

Approach. The study was approached from three genoral areas:

1. The financial increment paid for the coaching of debate and its possible effect upon increasing the number of qualified teachers of debate.
2. The present means of obtaining funds for use in administering Kansas high school debate programs in reletion to the needs shown by the study.
3. A compilation of data useful to coaches and administrators in determining the present status of debate and planning for the future of Kansas debate programs.

Ifmitations. An investigation of the data indicated that possible limitations should be noted.
pirst, it was apparent that the original thesis and the 1960-1961 data could not be compared with one hundred per cent accuracy due to the selectivity used in the 19511952 study. Second, a factor that had to be considered when comparing this study and the Kelso study was the changes that have come about since the Kelso study. Size of emrollment, cost of living, changes in state regulation, etc., all affected, to a degree, the comparison of the two collections of data.

## GHAPTER II

## METHODS, PROCEDURES, AND TECHNIQUES

Method. Due to the scope of the study and the desired collection of data the survey technique was mployed. By the use of this method an over-all view of Kanses debate programs was possible. Also, extraction of specific segments of data for examination was possible. It was further believed that this method insured greater latitude when comparing the 1960-1961 data with that collected by Kelso. This method, it was Pelt, would more clearly indicate to what degree the Kansas debate program has changed.

Procedures. To detemine the status of Kansas high school debate programs a questionnaire was sent to all Kansas high school debate coaches whose schools were registered with the Kansas Stato High School Activities Association. The questionnaire was distributed at the end of the 1960-1961 debate season.

Technique. The questionnaire was closely patterned after that prepared by Kelso for the 1951-1952 study. Only in those areas where items did not apply or where a greater latitude of reply was desired were alterations made in the original questionnaire.

Specilically these changes allowed for the collection of the following data: (1) institutions from which debate coaches had recelved their degrees, (2) cost of using a school ownod means of transportation and its seating eapacity, (3) coaches evaluation of state certification requirements, (4) coaches opinion regarding the effect of higher aalaries to increase the number of trained debate coaches. Some questions found in the 1952 study were onitted from the 1961 survey since they did not investigate the purpose of the later stuay.

Once the amended instrument was completed, it was submitted to thirty members of the staff of Kansas State Teachers College, Eraporia. On the basis of their evaluations and suggestions the final form for this survey wes formulated.

Data collected by the returned questionnaires was tabulated and the apithmetic mean was computed as advocated by Ross and Stanley. ${ }^{1}$ The computed means served as a basis for calculation of percentages which were in turn compared, where possible, to secure answers to the questions studied.

[^0]All extreme variations which could diminish the validity of the mean were noted. All fractions have been expressed to two decimals after rounding off from three places.

## GHAPTER III

## PRESENTATION AND INTERPRETATION OF DATA

The status of the debate program in Kansas for 19601961 was deterrinined by the use of a questionnaire which was sent to coaches of all high schools registered with the Kansas State High School Activities Association. Of the ninety-two questionnaires distributed, fifty-four satisfactory replies were recelved. A copy of the questionnaire is found in Appendix A with a chart summary of results reported in Appendix B.

Unlike the Kelso study, which received thirty-six of forty-two replies, a select group chosen at random was not used in the collection of data. Of the ninety-two questionnaires distributed, fifty-four were returned. This 58.70 per cent return compares with the 86 per cent return of the original study. The 27.30 per cent difference was largely due to the selectivity factor involved in the original study.

As was the case in the oxiginal study, this survey olessified schools AA, A, and B. This procedure is that adopted by the Kansas High School Activities Association.

For participation in district and state debate tournaments, all schools shall be divided into three classes, $A A, A$ and $B$. Schools with enrollments of more than 475 shall be in class AA;
those whose enrollments are more than 150 and not more than 475 shail be in class A; and schools whose enrollments are 150 or less, shall be in class B. However, any school may elect to go into a class composed of higher enrollments but may not elect to enter a class of schools with smaller enrollments. ${ }^{2}$

WHAT WAS THE LEVEL OF PREPARATION AND EXPERTENCS ATTPATNED BY THS DEBATE COACHES OF KAISAS?
To secure the answer to the above question propounded as a basic portion of the study, eight questions were developed and included in the questionneire. An exanination of the data collected by these questions w1ll be presented question-by-question and analyzed in temas of the major problem stated above.

What is the total number of college credits you have in Speech; Discussion; Debate and Public Spoaking; other areas of Speech? Table I presents a tabulation of the responses to this question divided by school clessification, number of houss of training, and a comparison between the 1952 and 1961 studies.

It should be noted that comparison of the results of the 1952 and 1961 survey indicated great improvement in the area of preparation for coaching debate.

[^1]
## TABLE I

COLLEGE SPEECH AND DEBATE TRAINING
1952


TABLE II
COLLEGE SPEEGH AND DEBATE TRAINING 1961


| 0 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $1-10$ | 4 | 18.18 | 2 | 10.00 | 2 | 25.00 | 8 | 16.00 |
| $11-20$ | 6 | 27.27 | 3 | 15.00 | 2 | 25.00 | 11 | 22.00 |
| $21-30$ | 3 | 13.64 | 7 | 35.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 11 | 22.00 |
| $31-40$ | 4 | 18.18 | 5 | 25.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 10 | 20.00 |
| 41 | 5 | 22.78 | 3 | 15.00 | $\frac{2}{2}$ | 25.00 | 10 | 20.00 |
| Totals | 22 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 50 |  |

Of thirty-six reporting coaches in 1952, there was a total of 666 hours of college speech work reported. This produced a mean of 18.50 hours of speech work per coach. The results of the 1961 survey revealed that fifty-four coaches had acquired 1740.50 college speech hours for a mean of 32.23 hours of speech courses. On the basis of these figures a 13.73 hour inerease over the original study was indicated. Even though extremes in number of hours taken prevail in both studies, they wore not of great enough magnititude to greatiy affect the over-all increase. On the average, the coach of 1952 was nol as fully prepared, in terms of college hours, as the coach of 1961. It was significant to note that by 1961 debate coachos had, on the average, enough college hours to constitute a speech major. The 1952 average was a fraction more than half the 1961 figure.

It was noted that not all recorded hours were related to the specific fleld of argumentation and debate; however, the coaches of 1961 did have more college speech training than the coaohes of 1952. This was indicated by an analysis of the data that disclosed in 1952, 31.25 per cent of AA coaches had ten hours or less; in class A 33.33 per cent had ten hours or less; and only 10 per cent of class B coaches had ten houps or less.

By contrast, in 1961, 28.18 per cent of the AA coaches held ten hours or less; 10 per cent of class $A$ coaches and 25 per cent of clasa B coaches still had acquired ten hours or less.

Assuming that thirty semester hours was the basic minimum for proper preparation as a teacher of debate, it was disclosed that the number of class AA coaches in this category increased by 29.25 per cent. In class $A$ the increase was 40 per cent. It was in the class A grouping that Kelso's study showed a higher per cent of coaches with ten hours or less. The 1961 study showed class A to have made the greatest improvement in preparation. Class B coaches, in the thirty hours or above group, increased by 28 per cent, or about the same as class AA. It was noted in the 1952 survey that in terms of percentage, class AA and A coaches tended to be more equally prepared. With the class A increasing 40 per cent since 1952, as opposed to class AA and B increases of 29.25 per cent and 28 per cent respectively, it appeared that coaches in all classes are now more equally prepared then in 1952.

What degreas do you hold, and from what institutions were they granted? In acquiring speech hours Kansas coaches attended a wide range of institutions and received a variety of dogrees.
TABLB III
COLLEGE SPRECTR AMD DBBATE TRATMING
III-STATE INSTITUPIONIS, 1961

| Sehools | High School classlicleation  <br> A B |  |  |  |  |  | $\frac{\text { Totals }}{\text { B }}$ |  | Percentages <br> B |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | B | $14^{\text {m }}$ | B | N | B | M |  |  |  |  |
| Kansas Untvepg | 2 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2.78 | 16.67 |
| Kansas State UnIveraity |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 2 |  | 2.78 |  |
| K.S.T.Ce, Emporia | 2 |  | 4 | 2 | 1 |  | 7 | 2 | 19.44 | 33.33 |
| Ft. Hays state College | 3 | 1 | 2 | 1 |  |  | 4 | 2 | 11.21 | 33.33 |
| K.S.C., PIttsbuxg | 4 | 1 |  |  | 1 |  | 5 | 2 | 13.89 | 26.67 |
| Sterling Collage |  |  | 2 |  |  |  | 2 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Bakos Univoralby | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 2.78 |  |
| Southwestern | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |  | 2 |  | 5.56 |  |
| MoPheraon Colloge | 1 |  | 2 |  |  |  | 3 |  | 6.33 |  |
| Bethol College | 1 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 3 |  | Q. 33 |  |
| 0ttama Univeraity |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Wiehita Univoraity | 3 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 4 |  | 11.11 |  |
| St. Maxye, Xevies, Ks. | 1. |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 2.78 |  |
| totals | 18 | 2 | 13 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 36 | 6 | 100.00 | 100.00 |

[^2]TABLE IV Schools
Michigan University
Central Mo. State
Iowa University

| Schools | Aigh School Classification |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\mathrm{B}^{\text {² }}$ | $M^{20}$ 흘 | B | M | B | M | T | M | Perre B | $\begin{array}{r} \text { tages } \\ M \end{array}$ |
| Michigan University |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| Central Mo. State | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Iowa University | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  | 1 | 2 | 5.56 | 18.19 |
| William Jowell | 2 |  | 1 |  |  |  | 3 |  | 16.68 |  |
| Missoux 1 University |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| T. C. ${ }^{\text {O. }}$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Colorado State |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| Nebraska University | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Park College | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| U. of Southern Calif. |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| Denver University |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| N.W. St. Teachers, Alva |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Central State. Enid |  |  | 1 | 1 |  |  | 1 | 1 | 5.56 | 9.09 |
| Panhandle A.Me, Goodwell |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Oklahoma University |  |  | 1 |  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 11.12 | 9.09 |
| Colorado University |  |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| Goorge Pepperdine | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Oklahome State U. |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| N. W. State, Talequeh |  |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 11.12 |  |
| Phillips University |  |  | 1 |  |  |  | 1 |  | 5.56 |  |
| Kansas City Univorsity |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |  | 9.09 |
| Totals | 8 | 5 | 7 | 5 | 3 | 1 | 18 | 11 | 100.00 | 100.00 |

[^3]The original study done by Kelso did not investigate this area; however, it wes included in the 1961 survey to broaden its scope and obtain a better underatanding of the coaches in Kansas. The Kansas coaches collectively received a total of seventy-one degrees, excluding all degrees below the Bachelor level. Seventeen coaches held masters degrees. None had a degree higher than a masters degree.

The schools most often selected for advanced work were Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, and Kansas State College, Pittsburg. Each school had two masters graduates coaching in Kansas. The leading out-of-state school was State University of Iowa, also duth two masters graduates.

Selection of schools for undergraduate work also disclosed Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, as the leader with seven graduates in Kansas coaching ranks. Kansas State College, Pittsburg, was next with five graduates. The primary out-of-state school was William Jewell College, Liberty, Missouri, with two graduates. The fifty-four replies revealed that of all out-of-state schools represented by Kansas coaches, Oklahoma colleges were the most frequently represented.

Final analysis indicated that Kanses' coaching staff is primarily made up of Kanses educated teachers.

Forty-two of seventy degrees, or 60 per cent, were granted by Kansas colleges or universities.

How much experionce have you had in the debate coaching field? If experience in the coaching field is any indication of program stability, it was obvious that In 1961 the situation left a great deal to be desired. In 1952 the reporting coaches had on the average of 6.69 years of experience, while the 1961 coach produced an average of 5.02 years of experience or a decrease of 1.67 years. Tables V and VI compare the over-all state position for the years 1952 and 1961.

## TABLE V

NUMBER OF YEARS EXPERIENGE IN COACHING DEBATE 1952


## TABLE VI

NUMBER OF YEARS EXPERIENGE IN COAGHING DEBATE 1961.

| Years of coaching experience AA | High | $\underset{A}{\text { School }}$ | Classif: | $1 \text { eati }$ | ion \% | motals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0-1 5 | 19.23 | 6 | 30.00 | 3 | 37.50 | 14 | 25.92 |
| 2-5 15 | 57.69 | 9 | 45.00 | 3 | 37.50 | 27 | 50.00 |
| 6-10 3 | 11.53 | 3 | 15.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 7 | 12.96 |
| 11-15 1 | 3.85 | 1 | 5.00 |  |  | 2 | 3.71 |
| 16-20 1 | 3.85 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| 21-25 |  | 1 | 5,00 | 1 | 12.50 | 2 | 3.71 |
| $26+1$ | 3.85 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| Totals 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

When each class was studied individually, it was discovered that class AA coaches; on the average, had 5.28 years of experlence; class A coaches had coached on the average for 4.45 years; and class B coaches had accrued an average of 5.25 years. The 5.25 years average is not as significant as it may seem however, since only eight schools replied and one of the eight coaches had twenty-three years experience. Excluding this extreme, the class $B$ average was only 2.71 years. No such extremes affected the cless AA or A results.

Only bries consideration was given to the change in teaching load of coaches. The teaching load of the thirtyfour coaches responding to the 1952 3tudy was reduced by
a total of only eight hours. This constituted an average of only . 22 hours reduction per coach. The practice of reducing teaching load of coaches was of even lesser significance in the 1961 survey. The average load reduction of 1961 coaches was a mere .07 hours per coach. This trend possibly indicates administrative philosophy or a greater demand for teachers created by increased. enrollments.

## WFAT RESPONSIBILITIES DOES THS DEBATE COACH ASSUME?

Are you responsible for hosting an invitational debste tournament? Table VII shows that twenty-five of the fifty-four surveyed schools held tournamenjs. In 1952 fifteen of thirty-six schools were host to an invitational debate tournement for an average of 44.11 per cent. Although this comparison indicated an increase of 1.85 per cent, the data may be misleading due to the differing numbers of schools encompassed by the two studies.

## table VII

AOTIVITIES FOR WHICH THE COACH IS RESPONSIBLE DEBATE TOURNAMENTS

| Year | AA |  | $01$ | assif | B | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1952 \\ & 1961 \end{aligned}$ | 9 17 | $\begin{aligned} & 34.61 \\ & 31.48 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5 \\ & 8 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 50.00 \\ & 40.00 \end{aligned}$ | 1 | 10.00 | $\begin{aligned} & 15 \\ & 25 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 44.11 \\ & 44.44 \end{aligned}$ |
| Totals | 26 |  | 13 |  | 1 |  | 40 |  |

## Are you responsible for second semester speech

 activitios sponsored by the K.S.H.S.A.A.? Many debate coaches had assignments, in addition to debate responsibilities, of coaching second semester festival svents. The insertion of this item in the questionnaire was not an attempt to justify or condemn the assignment, but an attempt to ascertain to what degree the various speech activities, in the schools who were members of the Kansas State High School Activities Association, were coached by the samo teachers.
## TABLS VIII

ACTIVITIES FOR WHIGH THE COAGH IS RESPONSIBLE SPEEGH FESTIVALS

| Year | $A A \quad$ High School Clessificetio |  |  |  |  | \% \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1952 1961 | 13 19 | 81.25 73.08 | $\begin{array}{r}7 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 70.00 85.00 | 7 | 70.00 100.00 | 27 4 | 75.00 81.48 |
| Totals | 32 |  | 24 |  | 15 |  | 71 |  |

A comparison of the data collected by Kelso in 1952 disclosed that twenty-seven of the thirty-six coaches, or 75 per cent, had charge of both debate and other forensic activities. In 1961, forty-four of the fifty-four coachos, or 81.48 per cent held responsibilities in both areas.

This increase of 6.48 per cent increase was passibly the influence of the larger sampling, but also could be due to the improved preparation in speech attained by coaches of 1961 as opposed to those in 1952.

## WHAT SPECIAL CONSIDERATIONS ARE GTVEN THE DEBATE COACH?

What extra salary do you recolve above the schedule for the coaching of debate? Due to the nature of services performed, Kansas debate coaches receive compensations not usually accorded the general classroom teacher. These compensations were: (1) additional salary, and (2) reduced teaching load, and were found to be widely varied in all classes.

## TABLE DX

EXTRA SALARY PAID THE DEBATE COAGH 1952

| Yearly of extr salary | AA | $\overline{\mathrm{Igh}_{\mathrm{o}} \mathrm{Sch}}$ | A | $\overline{\%}$ | $\overline{\overline{\text { cetI }}}$ | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ 0 | 9 | 56.25 | 7 | 70.00 | 7 | 70.00 | 23 | 63.88 |
| 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| 100 | 2 | 12.50 | 1 | 10.00 |  |  | 3 | 8.33 |
| 125 | 1 | 6.25 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 5.55 |
| 150 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| 200 | 2 | 12.50 | 1 | 10.00 |  |  | 3 | 8.33 |
| 250 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 |  |
| 300 500 | 1 1 | 6.25 | 1 | 10.00 | 3 | 30.00 | 4 | 11.11 |
| Totals | 16 |  | 10 |  | 10 |  | 36 |  |

[^4]
## TABLE X

## EXTRA SALARY PAID THE DEBATE COACH 1961

| Yeariy A of extra salary | AA | $\underset{\%}{\mathrm{High}} \text { Seho }$ | A | Classifi | ${ }_{B}^{\text {cation }}$ | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$ 0 | 4 | 15.38 | 9 | 45.00 | 5 | 62.50 | 18 | 33.33 |
| 50 |  |  | 2 | 10.00 |  |  | 2 | 3.70 |
| 100 | 1 | 3.84 | 3 | 15.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 5 | 9.25 |
| 125 | 1 | 3.84 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| 150 | 2 | 7.69 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 3.70 |
| 175 |  |  | 1 | 5.00 |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| 200 | 6 | 23.07 | 4 | 20.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 11 | 20.73 |
| 250 | 2 | 7.69 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 3.70 |
| 300 | 5 | 19.23 |  |  |  |  | 5 | 9.25 |
| 350 |  |  | 1 | 5.00 |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| 400 | 1 | 3.84 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| 500 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 12.50 | 1 | 1.85 |
| 600 |  | 11.53 3.81 |  |  |  |  | 3 | 5.55 |
| 750 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| Totals | 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

## *Also coached junior college.

Examination of the 1952 study Indicated an over-all average of $\$ 89.50$ being paid Kansas coaches for their extra duties. Due to the relatively large number of schools that paid nothing extra for coaching, this figure was not entirely accurate. Fourteen of the schools, constituting 38.89 per cent, paid no extra salary for coaching. Omitting those examples where no extra salaxy was given for coaching duties, the average additional selary paid to the coaches of 1952 was $\$ 248.08$. Only class A foll below the over-all
average of \$89.50. As might have been expected, class $A A$ was the class that paid the highest additional salaries. The class AA schools on the average were paying $\$ 5.81$ above the over-all average. Class B schools were firty cents above the state average and class A schools were \$9.50 below the state average.

The 1961 data revealed that the over-all average for all clapses was \$248.65, or an increase of only fiftyseven cents. However, if those eighteen schools that paid nothing extra for coaching debate, constituting 33.33 per cent of the total, were omitted the state average rose to $\$ 270.37$. This corrected figure is $\$ 80.87$ above the 1952 figure. As was true in 1952, class AA coaches were receivIng the most additional pay for coaching, and class A coaches were receiving the least. Class AA schools in 1961 were paying $\$ 86.36$ above the state average; class A schools were $\$ 84.12$ below the state average; and elass $B$ schools were $\$ 70.37$ below the over-all state sverage. These figures were derived from the use of the corrected state average.

## How many hours of toaching are reducod from your

 teaching assignment because of coaching debate? Examination of factors concerned with reduction of teaching load for coaching debate revealed that in 1952 thirty-six coaches were granted a total of elght extra free hoursdue to their coaching duties. This policy appeared to be almost non-existent in 1961 when fifty-four coachos reported a reduction of only fous hours among them.

## WHAT STATUS DOES THE DEBATE PROGRAM HOLD <br> IN REGARD TO THE CURRICULUM?

In your school is tho dobato procram curricular or extra-curriculap? The status of the debate program as a part of the school currieulum was found to be variable in both 1952 and 1961. With this fact established, it followed that schools would accord a great variation of high school credit for participation in the schools debate.

## TABLE XI

NUMBER OF SEMESTER CREDITS POSSIBLE 1952

| Classification | 0 | \% | $\frac{1}{2}$ | Deb 1 | $\overline{6 e_{2}^{C}}$ | $\overline{3}$ | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AA | 1 | 1 |  | 2 | 5 | 4 | 2 |  | 1 |
| A | 4 |  | 1 |  | 1 |  | 2 |  | 2 |
| B | 2 |  |  | 4 | 1 |  | 3 |  |  |
| Totals | 7 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 7 | 4. | 7 | 0 | 3 |

TABLE XII
NUMBER OF SEMESTER CREDITS POSSIBLE 1961

| Classification | 0 | $\frac{1}{4}$ | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 1 | 1 | ed | $\overline{\mathrm{Its}}$ | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & A A \\ & A \\ & B \end{aligned}$ | 2 5 | $1 \%$ | 1 1 1 | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4 \\ & 1 \\ & 1 \\ & 2 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 4 4 1 |  | 9 4 2 | $\frac{1}{3}$ |  | 1 $1^{*}$ |
| Totals | 7 | 1 | 3 | 6 | 7 | 9 | 15 | 15 | 4 | 0 | 2 |

The average number of credits given for curpicular debate was 2.13 in both 1952 and 1961. The extremes in this area in 1952 ranged from no credit to a total of six credits, and from no credits to eight credits in 1961.

In 1952, 11 per cent of the thirty-8ix schools offered debate both as a curricular activity and as an extra-curricular activity. The 1961 statistics indicated that this has risen only 7.52 per cent. The greatest number of schools offering the dual progran were to be found In cless $B$ where 75 per cent of the reporting schools offered the progran either within, or outside, the currioulum. School size undoubtedly was the cause of this practice since class AA and A schools made use of this arrangement In only 19.23 per cent and 15 per cent of their respective classifications.

Data for 1961 disclosed that 31.58 per cent of all surveyed schools offered debate only as an extra-curricular activity; 55.55 per cent offered debate only as a curricular activity; and the remaining 12.87 per cent offered debate both curricular and extra-curricular.

What is the average size of your debate squad? In the nine years since the original study a groat increase came about in terms of the number of students participating in competitive debate in Kansas high schools.

## TABLE XIII <br> DEBATE PROGRAM SIZE 1952



## TABLE XIV

## DEBATE PROGRAM SIZE <br> 1961



The atudy by Kelso indicated that the average size of the debate prograns surveyed in 1952 was 12.19 students. In 1961 this figure had risen to an average of 17.96 students. The average increase of 5.87 debaters per program did not appear to be the most significant factor.

In olass AA competition, average program size rose from 13 students in 1952 to 25.57 students in 1961, an average increase of 12.57 participants per school. In class A there appeared to be a slight decrease from 12.50 students in 1952 to 10.40 students in 1961. A silght reduction also occurred in class $B$ where the decline of squad size was a mere .15 student. The 1952 average was 10.40 students and the 1961 average was 10.25 students.

Comparison of all figures indicated that the 17.96 average was a result of the influence of the large AA schools.

How many debate tournaments does your school attend per year? To detemmine the number of debate tournaments each school attended during the 1961 season, the surveyed schools were asked to state the average number of tournaments attended by their respective school.

TABLE XV
TOURNAMENTS ATTEMDED BY RESPECTIVE SCHOOLS 1952

| Number of AA tournements |  | ${ }_{\text {\% }}^{\text {ilgh }}$ | A | $\begin{gathered} \text { Clessif } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | Cat | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 10.00 | 1 | 2.77 |
| 1 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 10.00 | 1 | 2.77 |
| 2 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 20.00 | 2 | 5.55 |
| 4 |  |  | 2 | 20.00 | 1 | 10.00 | 3 | 8.33 |
| 5 | 6 | 37.50 | 4 | 40.00 | 2 | 20.00 | 12 | 33.33 |
| 6 | 3 | 18.75 | 2 | 20.00 | 2 | 20.00 | 7 | 19.44 |
| 7 | 3 | 18.75 | 1 | 10.00 |  |  | 4 | 11.11 |
| 8 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 10.00 | 1 | 2.77 |
| 9 | 2 | 12.50 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 5.55 |
| 10 | 1 | 6.25 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 2.77 |
| 11 | 1 | 6.25 | 1 | 10.00 |  |  | 2 | 5.55 |
| Totals | 16 |  | 10 |  | 10 |  | 36 |  |

## TABL XVI

TOURNAMENTS ATYEMDED BY RESPECTIVE SGHOOLS 1961

| Number of $A A^{*}$ tournaments |  | igh Sc | ${ }_{\text {A }}$ |  | B | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1-5 | 2 | 8.00 | 9 | 45.00 | 4 | 50.00 | 15 | 28.31 |
| 6-10 | 10 | 40.00 | 10 | 50.00 | 2 | 25.00 | 22 | 41.50 |
| 11-15 | 8 | 32,00 | 1 | 5.00 | 2 | 25.00 | 11 | 20.75 |
| 16-20 | 4 | 16.00 |  |  |  |  | 4 | 7.54 |
| 21-25 | 1 | 4.00 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.96 |
| Totals | 25 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 53 |  |

*One Glass AA school did not reply

In 1961, ifty-four schools attended an average of 9.33 debate tournaments per sohool. The 1952 survey disclosed that in that year the thirty-six surveyed schools attended an average of 5.69 tournaments. In other words, the attendance average for respective schools at debate tournaments has increased by 3.64 tournaments.

When analyzed by classes, the inflitence of class AA schools on the ovor-all average was apparent. In 1961 class AA schools attended an average of 11.73 tournaments; class $A, 7.25$ tournements; and class $B, 6.13$ tournoments. The 1952 survey disclosed a similar proportional relationship. No attempt was made to distinguish between tournaments that were of one day duration and those that were of two day duration.

## How many tournaments, on the average, will your

 students attend per year? Realizing that the actual debate tournament was the laboratory section of the high school debate program, an attempt was made to determine how much laboratory work students of debate were receiving.TABLE XVII
TOURNAMENTS ATTENDED BY THE INDIVIDUAL STUDENT 1952


TABLE XVIII
TOURNAMENTS ATTENDED BY THE TNDIVIDUAL STUDENT 1961

| Number of AA tournaments |  | $\underset{\%}{\text { High School Classification }}$ |  |  |  |  | otals |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 12.50 | 1 | 1.85 |
| 3 | 6 | 23.07 | 3 | 15.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 10 | 18.51 |
| 4 | 10 | 38.46 | 5 | 25.00 | 2 | 25.00 | 17 | 31.48 |
| 5 | 10 | 38.46 | 12 | 60.00 | 1 | 50.00 | 26 | 48.14 |
| Totals | 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

In Kelso's 1952 study, high school debaters were attending an average of 3.92 tournaments per student. When separated by cless, elass AA students of debate attended an average of 4.50 tournaments; class A debaters attended an average of 3.70 tournaments; and elass $B$ students attended 3.20 tournaments. For matters of comparison it was noted that state regulation limits student participation to not more than five invitational tournaments, ${ }^{2}$

The results of the 1961 survey indicated an average of 4.24 tournaments, or an Ineroase of .37 tournaments. In class AA the 1961 average was 4.15 tournaments, or a decrease of .35 ; class A average was 4.50 tournaments or an Increase of . 80 tournaments; and class B rose from 3.20 tournaments to 4.15 tournaments, for an increase of 1.05 tournaments. This increase was the largest of all three classes.

How many years has your school's debate program been In existence? Believing that the stability of a program was linked with the length of time that the program had been in operation and further believing that the longevity of the prograra could have a relationship upan its financial backing, an attempt wes made to determine the factors relevant to this area.
$2_{\text {Thomas, }}$ loc. cit.

## TABLE XIX

## PROGRAM EXISTEANE

## 1952

| No . of years | AA | High S | $\underset{A}{\text { school }}$ | $\overline{\text { CIass17 }}$ | $\bar{B}$ | 1on \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1-3 | 1 | 6.25 | 5 | 40.00 | 6 | 60.00 | 11 | 30.56 |
| 4-6 | 2 | 12.50 | - | 20.00 | 2 | 20.00 | 6 | 13.88 |
| 7-12 |  |  | 2 | 20.00 | 1 | 10.00 | 3 | 8.33 |
| 13-20 | 4 | 25.00 | 1 | 10.00 |  |  | 5 | 13.88 |
| 21-30 | 5 | 33.33 | 1 | 10.00 | 1 | 10.00 | 7 | 19.44 |
| 40+ | 4 | 25.00 |  |  |  |  | 4 | 11.11 |
| Totals | 16 |  | 10 |  | 10 |  | 36 |  |

\#Wendell L. Wilkie, the Late statesman, was the first debate coach at Corfeyville, Kansas, high school.

TABLE XX
PROGRAM EXISTENCE
1961

| No. of years | AA | $\operatorname{Igh}_{\%} \mathrm{Sc}$ | $001$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 1ass1 } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ |  | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1-3 | 6 | 26.08 | 9 | 45.00 | 3 | 42.85 | 18 | 36.00 |
| 4-6 | 4 | 17.39 | 4 | 20.00 | 2 | 28.75 | 10 | 20.00 |
| 7-12 | 5 | 21.74 | 5 | 25.00 | 1 | 14.28 | 12 | 22.00 |
| 13-20 | 1 | 4.34 | 2 | 10.00 |  |  | 3 | 6.00 |
| 21-30 | 4 | 17.39 |  |  |  |  | 4 | 8.00 |
| 31-40+ |  | 13.04 |  |  | 1 | 14.28 | 4 | 8.00 |
| Totals | 23 |  | 20 |  | 7 |  | 50 |  |

*Three did not reply **One did not reply

In 1952 the surveyod debate prograns had been in existence for an average of 13.94 years. Class at schools had sponsored a debate program for an average of 11.06 jears; cless a schools had promoted debate on an average of 8.10 years; and class $B$ schools had participated for an average of 5.20 years. It wes noted that in class $A$ and class B a few extremes caused the averages to be highor and thus diminish the value of the mean avorage.

In the more recent study the average years of existence was 9.72 years. Investigation of the data produced the following figures regarding the individual classifications. In class at the average length of program existence was 12.96 years; class A programs have been in operation for an average of 6.10 years; and class $B$ schools have existed for an average of 7.75 years. As in 1952, extremss eaused the averages to be slightly higher and thereby create a misleading mean.

## WHAT TEACHING AIDS ARE USED BY THE COAGH OF DEBATE?

Do you make use of debate texts, debate handbooks. or recording devices? Debate coachos have made use of a wide variety of teaching eids to improve the quality of education. Primarily, debate aids were classified into three groups: (1) debate texts, (2) debate handbooks, and (3) recording devices.

1. Debate Texts. Kelso's research disclosed that In 1952, four of the thirty-aix surveyed schools made use of a commercial debate text for an average of 11.11 per cent. Two AA schools used this aid while in classes A and B only one school in each classification felt it useful. Data collected in 1961 disclosed that ten schools of the fifty-four had adopted a basic debate text. This constituted an average of 18.51 per cent. By elassification, two class B schools now make use of the text, three cless A schools and fize class AA schools.

TABLE XXI
SGHOOLS USING DEBATE TEXT
1952

2. Handbooks. The use of handbooks ${ }^{3}$ in 1952 was not an element of the Kelso study, therefore a comparison was not possible. As a means of determing to what extent these commercial publications were used, data was collected for the 1961 study.

## TABLE XXIII

USE OF COMMERCIAL HAIDBOOKS
1961

|  | AA | High Sc | $\underset{\mathrm{A}}{\mathrm{OOI}}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { classifi } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | B |  | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number of } \\ & \text { schools } \end{aligned}$ | 21 | 80.76 | 20 | 100.00 | 7 | . 8 | 87.51 | 48 | 88.89 |

Of all surveyed schools 88.89 per cent Indicated the use of one or more of the available handbooks. All classifications appeared to place great value on the handbook as a necessary teaching tool. In class AA twentyone or 80.76 per cent of the schools used the publications to some degree. Class $A$ and $B$ schools made the greatest use of the handbook, indieating 100 per cent and 87.51 per cent use, respectively. In other words, seven of elght class B schools used handbooks while all twenty cless A schools found them of velue.

3A debate handbook is defined as a commercially. prepared publication containing debate evidence, cases, strategy, etc., for a speciflc debate topic.
3. Recording Devices. Comparison of 1952 and 1961 studies could not be accurately compared in regard to the use of recording devices.

## TABLE XXIV

SOHOOLS MAKING USE OF RECORDING DEVICES 1952


Kelso, in his study, attempted to show how many schools had access to and used a recording device. Results of the 1952 survey disclosed that twenty-eight of the thirtysix surveyed schools made use of a recording device in their debate program. This ratio constituted a 77.78 percentage. Class B schools reported that all ten schools made use of
such equipment. Class A and AA reported oight of ten for an 80 per cent average, and twelve of sixteen for 75 per cent respectively.

The 1961 study was constructed to indicate the number of Kansas debate programs that had acquired recording devices specifically for use by the debate program. When this stipulation was injected into the questionnaire the replies produced the fact that twenty of the fifty-four surveyed schools provided recorders for speciflc use in debate. The 37.04 per cent average was chlefly influenced by the eight class B schools. In class B, five schools or 62.51 per cent had debate programs with recording units. Ten of twenty-six, constituting 38.46 per cent, class AA schools of Kansas provided recording equipment; and six of twenty, or 30 per cent of class A schools, found the policy desirable. In compllation of data no attempt was made to determine if a debate program was provided with more than one recording device.

## WHAT WAS THE SOURGE, SIZE, AND USE OF DEBATE FUNDS IN THE SCHOOLS ITN KANSAS?

From what sources do you recelve funds for operating the debate program? The 1952 and 1961 surveys disclosed a variety of methods used in securing funds for finencing Kansas high school debate programs.
TABLE XXVI

| Source | AA | ${ }_{\%}^{\text {HIgh Sc }}$ | A | $\underset{\%}{8 s 1 f 1 c a}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { tion } \\ B \end{gathered}$ | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| No budget |  |  |  |  | 1 | 9.09 | 1 | 2.22 |
| B.O.E. Paid budget | 13 | 56.52 | 8 | 72.72 | 8 | 72.72 | 29 | 64.14 |
| H.S. Activity ticket | 3 | 13.04 |  |  | 1 | 9.09 | 4 | 8.88 |
| Dramatic productions |  |  | 1 | 9.09 |  |  | 1 | 2.22 |
| Sale of sports progrems | 2 | 8.69 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 4.44 |
| Sale of advertising | 2 | 8.69 |  |  |  |  | 2 | $4 \cdot 44$ |
| Sale of cokes and candy | 3 | 13.04 | 2 | 18.18 |  |  | 5 | 11.11 |
| Women's clubs donations |  |  |  |  | 1 | 9.09 | 1 | 2.22 |
| Totals | 23 |  | 11 |  | 11 |  | 45 |  |

table xxvil
SOURGE OF DBBATE BUDGET
1961

| Sourea* | AA | $\frac{\mathrm{High}^{\mathrm{S}}}{}$ | A | $\frac{\operatorname{sinics}}{\%}$ | B | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| B.O.E. Paid budget | 22 | 66.66 | 14 | 70.00 | 4 | 50.00 | 40 | 66.66 |
| Activity ticket | 4 | 12.12 | 2 | 10.00 |  |  | 6 | 10.00 |
| Not derinite | 1 | 3.03 | 3 | 15.00 | 4 | 50.00 | 8 | 13.33 |
| Sale of foodetuffs | 2 | 6.06 | 1 | 5.00 |  |  | 3 | 5.00 |
| Sale of advertising | 1 | 3.03 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.67 |
| Others | 2 | 6.06 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 3.33 |
| Totals | 33 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 60 |  |

Table XXVI rocords that in 1952, 64.44 per cent of surveyed debate progrems recelved all or part of their financial support from their respective Boards of Education. The activity fund accounted for all or partial funds in 8.88 per cent of the schools. The sale of foodstuffs was prevalent in five schools, or 11.11 per cent of the schools. Advertising was used by two schools, or 4.44 per cent of those surveyed. Other methods were used in 8.33 per cent of the programs.

In 1961, methods of finaneing the program appeared to be the same illustrated by the Ielso study. The Individual schools' Boards of Education still constituted the most frequent source of funds. In regard to the overall average, 66.66 per cent of the Kansas debate programs roceived all or part of their financial support from the Board of Education. The school aetivity fund aecounted for funds in 10 per eent of the sehools. In the case of eight schools, or 13.33 per cent, it was stated thet the buaget was not definite. The term "not definite" includes those schools who must earn all thelr own funds and those who receive money from the school, determined by the program neods and not a fixad budgeted amount. Sale of foodstuffs was the source of funds in 5 per cent of the programs. The sale of advertising was used in only 1.67 per cent of the surveyed schools. Other methods accounted for funds
in only 3.33 per cent of the program.
What is the size of your debate budget? In order to ascertain the total amount of funds spent for the debate program in a given school end on a state wide basis, data were collected to determine what the average school in each classification was providing for the debate program.

## table XXVIII

SIZE OF DEBATE BUDGET
1952

Size of budget

## AA



Totals

## Not

| definite | 1 | 6.25 | 3 | 30.00 | 2 | 22.22 | 6 | 17.14 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $0-100$ |  |  | 1 | 10.00 | 4 | 44.44 | 5 | 14.29 |
| $150-300$ | 5 | 31.25 | 4 | 40.00 |  |  | 9 | 25.71 |
| $400-700$ | 8 | 50.00 | 1 | 10.00 | 2 | 22.22 | 11 | 31.42 |
| $1000-1200$ | 2 | 12.50 | 1 | 10.00 | 1 | 11.11 | 4 | 11.42 |
| Totals | 16 |  | 10 |  | 9 |  | 35 |  |

[^5]
## TABLE XXIX

## SIZE OF DEBATE BUDGET 1961

| Size of budget | AA | $\underset{\%}{\operatorname{High} S}$ | $\underset{A}{\text { sehool }}$ | Classifi | ${ }_{B}$ | on \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Not |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| definite | 1 | 3.84 | 7 | 35.00 | 6 | 75.00 | 14 | 25.92 |
| \$ 0-100 |  |  | 1 | 5.00 |  |  | 1 | 1.85 |
| 125-250 | 1 | 3.84 | 1 | 5.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 3 | 5.55 |
| 300-500 | 4 | 15.38 | - $\frac{1}{6}$ | 30.00 | 1 | 12.50 | 11 | 20.37 |
| 550-800 | 4 | 15.38 | 2 | 10.00 |  |  | 6 | 11.11 |
| 850-1000 | 8 | 30.76 | 1 | 5.00 |  |  | 9 | 16.66 |
| 1200-2000 | 6 | 23.07 | 2 | 10.00 |  |  | 8 | 14.81 |
| 2000-3000 | 2 | 7.69 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 3.70 |
| Totels | 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

Analysis revealed that in 1952 the average budget for the surveyed schools was $\$ 383.33$. When schools that paid no money for support of the debate program were omitted, the average rose to $\$ 492.85$. This figure omits the one school that received money from the Board of Education but not a Pixed sum. Class AA schools possessed the highest average budget, \$507.81. Class A and B schools operated on average budgets of $\$ 360$ and $\$ 207.50$ respectively. Data compiled in 1961 indicated that class AA schools still possessed the larger avorage budgets ${ }_{1}$ the exact average being $\$ 984.03$. Class A schools operated on an average of $\$ 402.50$, while class $B$ schools received $\$ 75$
per school on the average. The class $B$ average was not representative due to five of the eight schools indicating "no budget" or "no definite budget." The over-all 1961 average was $\$ 633.98$.

The results when analyzed by class did not omit schools accorded "no budget" or an "indefinite budget." The differential when these schools were omitted from the tabulations was the difference between $\$ 633.98$ and $\$ 855.87$, or \$221.69. Most of the differential caused by the omission of those schools was created by the budgeting policies of small class A and B schools.

How much does your school pay towerds the meal
expenses of the student, coach, and sponsor other than the coach? The collection of data relevant to the expenditure of debate funds in both the 1952 and 1961 surveys considered three basic areas. These areas were: (1) the cost of food. (2) the cost of travel, and (3) the cost of lodging.

TABLE XXX
EXPENDITUNES FOR STUDENTS MEALS
1952


## TABLE XXXI

EXPENDITURES FOR STUDENTS MEALS 1961


> Wone school did not reply.
> Hhwo schools did not reply.

Kelsors study asserted that only seven of the thirtysit schools pald all expenses for students meals. This 19.44 per cent was dominated by the class AA schools where flve of the seven schools were located. Class A and B each had one school that paid all student meals. One of the thirty-alx surveyed schools pald for students meals at the rate of $\$ 1$ per meal. Twelve, or 33.33 per cent, provided lesser aums for paying expenses of students meals. Sixteen schools, compzising 44.44 per cent of all schools, paid nothing for student meals.

The present study Indicated that for an over-all average the percentages have varied very little. During 1960-1961, 25.93 per cent of the schools paid all student meal expenses. This was an increese of 6.49 per cent.

The poliey of paying a Plxed rate of $\$ 1$ per meal increased by 10.68 per cent, from 2.78 per cent to 13.46 per cent. Amounts paid, other than those mentioned, appeared to be less desirable since a decline of 14.08 per cent was reported by the responding schools.

The original study made no attempt to collect data relevent to school policies on payment of meals for coaches and sponsors. Such material was included in the 1961 survey in an attempt to provide additional data.

TABLE XXXIT
EXPEIDITURES FOR COACHES MEALS 1961


TABLE XXXIII
EXPENDITURES FOR SPONSORS MEALS 1961


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The polley of providing meal allowances for coaches appeared to be more common than the poliey of providing meal allowances for students. Twenty-seven or 50.00 per cent of all schools replying indicated payment of all meal expenses incurred by the coach. This percentage was double that found when surveying student meal policies. The policy of paying $\$ 1$ per meal wes not as prevalent when applied to coaches.

The greatest area of difference was in regard to the number of schoois that paid nothing for student meals and the number that paid nothing for coaches meals. Only ten schools indicated that the debate coach was paid nothing towards his meal expenses, while twenty-four paid nothing for student meals while on debate trips. In other words, 25.92 per cent of the schools paid for coaches meals and paid nothing for students meals.

In regard to meal funds paid to trip sponsors, other than the debate coach, the major difference appeared to be a policy of five schools to not pay anything towards the sponsors meal expense while paying all meal expenses for the coach.

How much does your school pay for the use of private
cars? Survey results disclosed that past and present travel policies have been based upon the use of both private and school owned vehicles for transportation to and

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from debate tournaments. Both the pilot study and the 1961 study attempted to determine what was beling paid out of the schools' debate budgets for adequate transportation facilities.

## TABLE XXXIV

EXPENDITURE FOR USE OF PRIVATE CAR 1952

Amount High School Classification

| per mile | AA | \% | A | \% | B | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 123 |  |  | 1 | 11.11 |  |  | 1 | 3.03 |
| 48 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0.00 |
| 58 |  | 35.29 | 5 | 55.55 | 1 | 14. 28 | 12 | 36.36 |
| 68 | 4 | 23.52 |  |  | 1 | 1). 28 | 5 | 15.15 |
| 76 | 6 1 | 35.29 5.88 | 2 | 22.22 | 4 | 57.14 | 12 | 36.36 3.03 |
| 10\% |  |  | 1 | 11.11 | 1 | 14.28 | 2 | 6.06 |
| Totals | 17 |  | 9 |  | 7 |  | 33 | - |

TABLE XXXV
EXPEIDITURE FOR USE OF PRIVATE CAR 1961

| Amount <br> per mile | AA | $\underset{\%}{\text { High }} \mathrm{Sc}$ | $\underset{\text { A }}{n o 01}$ | $\underset{\%}{\text { Classie }}$ |  | \% \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Hone } \\ & 4 \neq \\ & 5 \phi \\ & 6 \neq \\ & 62 \phi \end{aligned}$ | 3 | 11.53 | 1 | 3.33 | 1 | 12.50 | 5 | 9.25 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6 | 0.00 |
|  | 3 | 11.53 3.84 | $\frac{1}{1}$ | 3.33 3.33 | 2 | 25.00 12.50 | 3 | 11.11 |
|  | 1 | 3.84 |  |  | 1 |  | 1 | 1.55 1.85 |
| 76 | 12 | 46.15 | 11 | 36.66 | 2 | 25.00 | 25 | 46.29 |
| $7 \frac{1}{2}$ \% | 1 | 3.84 | 4 | 13.33 | 1 | 12.50 | 6 | 11.11 |
| 88 | 2 | 7.69 |  |  | 1 | 12.50 | 3 | 5.55 |
| $10 \%$ |  | 7.69 |  |  |  |  | 3 | 5.00 |
| Gas | 1 | 3.84 | 1 | 3.33 |  |  | 2 | 3.70 |
| Totals | 26 |  | 30 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

In 1952 en average of 5.65 cents per ralle was paid for the use of private cars to transport students. This ilgure, however, was not totally accurate since some schools relied on gratis transportation facilitios, When these schools were omitted, the state average rose to 6.17 eents per mile. When only the schools actually paying mileage were considered, it appeared that class AA schools were paying the highest mileage rate, this being an average of 6.06 cents per mile. Class A and B paid 5.10 cents and 5.60 cents per mile respectively. .

The lapse of nine years appeared to make little change in the amount pald per mile for transportation by private ear. The 1961 survey disclosed that an average of 6.03 cents per mile was paid by Kanses high school debate programs. When corpected, by removing schools that pald no mileage, this flgure rose to 6.51 eents per mile. Class A schools on the average paid higher per mile rates than classes AA and B. Olass A schools weve paying 6.74 cents por mile, while class $A A$ and $B$ wore paying 5.85 cents por mile and 5.64 cents per mile reapoctively.

What does your school charge for the use of a school owned car for transportation of debate students? The Kelso survey of 1952 did not investigate the policy of using school cars for debate travel, possibly because the policy became possible and populer in just the last few years.

Whatever the reason, the lack of that data $11 m i t e d$ consideration of that area to the 1961 survey.

## TABLE XXXVI

EXPENDTTURES FOR USE OF SCHOOL CARS 1961


In 1961, for those schools using school cars, debate prograns paid an average of 6.50 cents per mile. Class AA schools pald an average of 6.40 cents per mile, while class A schools reported paying an average of 6.75 cents per mile. No elass B school reported having to pay for use of school cars.

In regard to the type of vehlcle used by schools for student transportation most were of the eight and nine passenger type.

Does your school pay for lodging expenses of the debater? Although the policy of payment for moals and transportation varied during and since the 1952 study, school policy towerd payment of lodging while on debate trips was discovered to be relatively consistent. When the Kelso data were compiled thirty-three of the thirtysix, 91.66 per cent, paid all lodging expenses. The remaining three paid nothing. The three minority schools were small class B schools.

## TABLE XXXXVII

EXPEENDITURES FOR LODGING 1952

| Amt. paid | AA | $\underset{\substack{\mathrm{HIgh} \\ \hline}}{ }$ | $\overline{\mathrm{hool}}$ | $\begin{gathered} \hline \text { Classi } \\ \% \end{gathered}$ | $\bar{B}$ | on \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| All <br> None Other | 16 | 100.00 | 10 | 100.00 | $\begin{aligned} & 7 \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | 70.00 30.00 | $\begin{array}{r} 33 \\ 3 \\ 0 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 91.66 \\ 8.33 \\ 0.00 \end{array}$ |
| Totala | 16 |  | 10 |  | 10 |  | 36 |  |

TABLE XXXVIIT
EXPENDITURES FOR LODGING 1961


By 1961 the high average of 1952 had diminished somewhat, but the policy of paying all lodging expenses was still predominant. In 1961, 77.77 per cent of all schools paid the complete lodging expense. Nine schools paid nothing and two had adopted other means of meeting this financial obligation. Table XXXVIII summarizes this data.

## WHAT TS THE STATUS OF CONSEST DEBATING IN KANSAS?

Do you belleve in contest debating? In both 1952 and 1961, the Kansas debate coaches were asked to state their opinion on the value of contest debating. The Kelso survey disclosed that 91.67 per cent of the coaches felt contest debating was a desirable activity. The three coaches who opposed contest debating were representatives of class AA (2) and class B (1) schools.

An increase of those supporting contest debating rose 2.77 per cent during the nine year span. Since both years indicated a strong favorable feeling toward debate as a program it was possible that the larger scope of the 1961 survey could have been the factor which ereated an increase of 2.77 per cent. The three occasions where the coaches did not vote favorably for contest debating were equally distributed throughout all three classifications. It was noted that in the case of the class B school, the coach stated a definite negative feeling toward contest debating,
while the class AA and class A coaches chose not to answer the question. All three teachers were graduates of Kansas colleges or universities.

Will increased financial romunoration holp increase the number of Kansas coaching personnel? Forty-four coaches (81.48 per cent) felt that this result would occur if coaches' wages would increase, four felt it would have no effect and six either had no opinion or chose not to answer the question. Those with a negative opinion or no opinion comprised 18.51 per cent of the total number surveyed. No attempt was made in 1952 to sscure this data.

## TABLE XXXIX

INCREASED FINANCIAL REMUNERATION FOR COACHING

$$
1961
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| Coaches opinion | AA | $\underset{\%}{\mathrm{High}} \mathrm{So}$ | $\underset{\text { A }}{3}$ | Class 1 <br> \% | ${ }_{B}$ | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Inerease ${ }^{24}$ No Increase <br> No answer $\qquad$ |  | 92.31 | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 2 \\ 3 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75.00 \\ & 10.00 \\ & 15.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62.50 \\ & 25.00 \\ & 12.50 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r}44 \\ 4 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 81.48 \\ 7.40 \\ 1.11 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Totals | 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

HOW DO KANSAS DEBATE COACHES EVALUATE STATE CERTIRTCATION REQUIREMBNMS FOR COACHING DEBATE?

Are present certification pequirements for coaching dobate edequate, too lax, or too restrictive? To determine to what extent Kanses debate coaches felt that the state
certification requirements for coaching debate were adequate, the surveyed coaches were asked to indicate if they thought the requirements were: (1) too lex, (2) adequate, or (3) too restrictive.

TABLE XL
CERTIFICATION OF DEBATE COACHES
1961

| Certilication requirements | AA | $\mathrm{High}_{\%} \mathrm{Sch}$ | $\underset{A}{\mathrm{hool}}$ | $\underset{\%}{\text { Clessif }}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { icat } \\ B \end{gathered}$ | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Adequate | 9 | 34.62 | 11 | 55.00 | 6 | 75.00 | 26 | 48.14 |
| Too lax | 12 | 46.15 | 7 | 35.00 | 2 | 25.00 | 21 | 38.88 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Too re- } \\ & \text { strictive } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 0 | 0,00 |
| No answer | 5 | 19.23 | 2 | 10.00 |  |  | 7 | 12.96 |
| Totals | 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  | 54 |  |

Seven coaches left the question blank; twenty-six felt the requirements were edequate; and twenty-one indicated that requirements were too lax. In class AA, 34.62 per cent of the coaches supported the present standards; 46.15 per cent indicated that the requirements were too lax. Those choosing not to state an opinion comprised 19.23 per cent.

Class A coaches voted 55 per cent in favor of present regulations, 35 per cent feeling they were too lax, and 10 per cent expressed no opinion.

The largest support for present certification requirements came from class $B$ schools whers 75 per cent of
the coaches expressed a favorable attitude toward present regulations. The remaining 25 per cent felt the requirements were too lax. The Kelso survey did not investigate this area.

## WHAT LIMTTATIONS EXISTED IN THE

 DEBATG PROGRAMS OF KANSAS?Is your present debate program edequate? To determine the over-all quality of the individual debate program administered by the specific coach, the coach was asked if the debate program at his school was adequate.

## TABLE XLI

COACHES EVALUATION OF PROGRAM ADEQUACY 1961

| Program adequate | AA | $\underset{\%}{\mathrm{HIgh}} \mathrm{Sc}$ | $\underset{\text { A }}{\text { School }}$ | Classi \% | $\underset{B}{\text { ieat }}$ |  | \% | Totals | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Yes | 12 | 46.15 | 7 | 35.00 | 5 |  | 62.50 | 24 | 44.44 |
| No | 14 | 53.84 | 11 | 55.00 | 3 |  | 37.50 | 28 | 51.85 |
| No answer |  |  | 2 | 10.00 |  |  |  | 2 | 3.70 |
| Totals | 26 |  | 20 |  | 8 |  |  | 54 |  |

Data collected in 1961 disclosed that the debate coaches in the state were about evenly divided regarding the status of their programs. Twenty-four, constituting 44.44 per cent felt their program was adequate; twenty-eight, representing 51.85 per cent, indicated that their respective programs were not adequate. Two coachos, or 3.70 per cent, did not reply.

Class AA and A schools Indicated that on the average, a majority of programs in those classifications were inadequate while class $B$ schools strongly praised their programs. This support was not expected in view of the avarage size of class $B$ squads, budgets, and scope of activities, No figures for 1952 were available for comparison.

The 1961 study used the identical areas of limitations constructed by Kelso. These limitations were: (1) lack of student interest, (2) lack of financial support, (3) lack of community interest, (4) lack of administrative support, (5) extra-curricular confliets, (6) curricular conflicts, and (7) others.

Table XLII discloses that in 1952 extra-curricular and curricular conflicts constituted the greatest limitation to the Kansas high school debate program. Administrative support appeared to be a lesser limitation to the program; however, class AA schools ranked it as the greatest imitation.

In 1961 administrative aupport, on the average, was the lesser limitation of those names; however, class AA schools still constituted the largest classification listing it as a limitation, As was the case in 1952, extracurricular and curricular confliets appeared to be the greatest limitation to the debate program. All limitations
TABLE XLII
LIMITATIONS OF THE PROGRAM

| Reason for limitation | AA | $\underset{\frac{\text { High S }}{}}{ }$ | $\overline{\mathrm{A}}$ | $\frac{1 \mathrm{pica}}{}$ | $\overline{\overline{10 n}}$ | \% | Totals* | $\%$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lack student interest | 4 | 11.42 | 3 | 15.78 | 4 | 21.05 | 11 | 15.06 |
| Lack financial support | 7 | 20.00 | 2 | 10.52 | 2 | 10.52 | 11 | 15.06 |
| Extra-cupricular conflict | 4 | 11.42 | 6 | 31.57 | 4 | 21.05 | 14 | 19.17 |
| Lack administrative encousagement | 6 | 17.14 |  |  | 1 | 5.26 | 7 | 9.58 |
| Curricular confliot | 7 | 20.00 | 5 | 26.31 | 4 | 21.05 | 16 | 21.91 |
| Lack cormunity interest | 5 | 14.28 | $\frac{1}{2}$ | 5.26 | 2 | 10.52 | 8 | 10.96 |
| No Iimitations | 2 | 5.71 | 2 | 10.52 | 2 | 10.52 | 6 | 3.21 |
| Totals | 35 |  | 19 |  | 19 |  | 73 |  |

LIMITATIONS OF THE PROGRAM 1961

| Reason for limitation AA | $\underset{\%}{\overline{\mathrm{HIgh}} \mathrm{~S}}$ | A | $\overline{\overline{s i f i}}$ |  | \% | Totals ${ }^{\text {\% }}$ | \% |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lack student interest 7 | 15.55 | 7 | 16.66 | 2 | 18.18 | 16 | 16.32 |
| Lack financial support 9 | 20.00 | 3 | 7.14 | 1 | 9.09 | 13 | 13.26 |
| Extra-cuppicular conflict 11 | 2h. 44 | 14 | 33.33 | 4 | 36.36 | 29 | 29.59 |
| Lack administrative support 4 | 8.88 | 2 | 4.76 | 1 | 9.09 | 7 | 7.14 |
| Curricular confliet 9 | 20.00 | 9 | 20.93 | 2 | 18.18 | 20 | 20.40 |
| Lack community interest 4 | 8.88 | 7 | 16.66 | 1 | 9.09 | 12 | 12.24 |
| Others | 2.22 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1.02 |
| Totals 45 |  | 42 |  | 11 |  | 98 |  |

[^6]retained approximately the same relationship to the sum and total of 1imitations establishod in 1952. One school did extend the six basic limitations to indicate the lack of a strong junior hlgh school debate program.

## GHAPTER IV

## CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS

## CONCLUSIONS

The following conclusions became evident regarding the subdivided problems stated on page two of this study. All conclusions are based on comparative averages.

## Proparation and Experience.

1. The average Kansas debate coach holds 32.33 college hours of speech training es opposed to 18.50 hours in 1952. The reason being the existence of coaching personnel with a greater background in speech education.
2. Kansas debate coaching personnel were primarily trained in Kansas colleges and universities, Slxty per cent of all degrees held by Kansas coaches were recelved from Kansas Institutions.
3. The average Kansas dobate coach had acquired 6.69 years of experience. This constitutes a 1.67 years inerease since 1952. The reason for this low inerease in experience was due to employment turnover among Kansas coaching personnel. As was proven, the class af coaches had acquired the greatest number of years of experience and the class B coaches the loast.

Responsibilitios of the Coach.
4. Only 1.85 per cent more coaches, on the average, held tournaments in 1961 than in 1952.
5. In 1961, 81.48 per cent of the debate coaches were also responsible for some speech festival activities. This average was an increase of 11.48 per cent from 1952.
6. The increase noted in the aforementioned conclusion may have been influenced by the larger sampling of the 1961 survey.

Special Considerations Given the Debate Coach.
7. Additional salary for coaching debate rose on the average only $\$ 80.87$ from 1952 to 1961.
8. Class AA schools wore paying the higher additional salaries while class A schools were paying the lowest.
9. The policy of reducing a coaches teaching assignments, due to the coaching duties, diminished 14.82 per cent from 1952 to 1961, when it became virtually nonexistent.

## Status in Regard to Curriculum.

10. Debate, as a school activity, was administered both curricularly and extra-curricularly. Some schools practice both procedures.
11. Only 38.58 per cent of Kansas debate programs are extra-cupricular.
12. Class $B$ schools were the largest subscribers to the polley of aponsoring the debate program both as a curricular and extra-curricular activity. This practice being necessary due to small enpollment.
13. Class $A A$ and $A$ schools offer debate both within and outside the curriculum in less than 20 per cent of the schools.
$\boldsymbol{1}_{4}$. The average number of possible high school credits for debate is 2.13 credits. This is unchanged from the 1952 average.

## Teaching Alds.

15. While the use of a debete text inereased 7.40 per cent it is still a minority practice.
16. Ninety per cent of all 1961 schools surveyed made use of one or more commercial handbooks. Comparison with 1952 practices was impossible due to the lack of data.
17. The use of the electronic recording devices was widely adopted in both 1952 and 1961.

Debete Budget Source, Size, and Expenditure.
18. The "Board of Education" was 11sted as the source of debate funds more times than all other sources combined. This was true in both 1952 and 1961.
19. The policy of soliciting funds from civic groups has diseppeared sinee 1952.
20. The over-all average of Kansas debate buadgets has risen $\$ 142.13$ since 1952. Large increases achieved by class AA schools make the average misleading because of the lack of similar progress in class $A$ and $B$.
21. On the average, debate programs inereased by 5.87 students from 1952 to 1961.
22. Glass AA high schools increased, on the average, 12.57 students from 1952 to 1961. This wide deviation from the over-all average was due to a decrease in the squad size of class A and B schools.
23. Procedures used in the 1952 study when compared to the 1961 survey make the over-all average misleading.
24. In class $B$ the policy of providing no budget was still the most popular poliey.
25. In regard to peyment of coaches' meal expenses, payment of all meal costs was atill the most widely Pollowed.
26. The amount paid per mile for the use of private cars has risen only 34 cents per mile since 1952. 27. The use of school owned ears for trensportation was approximately the same per mile as for private cara, that cost being around six cents per mile. The only advantage in using school vehieles was larger eapacity and availability.
28. With just a few exceptions the polley of debate funds paying all lodging costs of debaters was universal.

## Status of Gontest Debating in Kansas.

29. Over 92 per cent of Kansas debate coaches supported competitive debate as a beneficial activity.
30. None of the Kansas debate coaches indicated that present certification requirements for coaching debate were too restrictive.
31. Twenty-six of the forty-seven coaches responding to this question approved present certification requirements.
32. The remaining twenty-one of the forty-seven respondents desire stronger certification requirements for coaching debate in Kansas.

## Limitations.

33. The survey disclosed that in both 1952 and 1961 curricular and extra-curricular conflicts were a major limftation to the progress of debate programs.
34. It was shown that in 1961, as in 1952, that the limitations of a debate program were the result of many factors.

Additional Conclusions. In securing answers to the questions stated on pege two, the following pertinent data was secured.
35. On a state wide average, Pive more students per school were participating in the debete program than in 1952.
36. Sehools participating in debate attended an average of 3.64 more tournaments than did their counterparts in 1952.
37. The number of tournaments per student has remained relatively conatant since 1952, having shown only a. 32 tournament increase per student.
38. Two of the eight recommendations by Kelso had been accepted. These recommendations asserted that school administretors should hire debate coaches with more formal speech treining.

## RECOMMENDATIOISS

The data collected in the 1961 survey when compared WIth the data of the 1952 study indicated certain areas which justify the rollowing recommendations.

1. That Kansas colleges and universities need to oncourage debate coaches in the state to begin work on the development of a larger and better trained coaching staff.
2. That elass A school administrators need to reeevaluate their debate programs in terms of budget, organization, and personnel.
3. That policies which caused the improvement of Kansas debate programs since 2952 be continued.
4. That due to a strong, although minority, expression by debate aoaches that certification requirements are too lax, this area be more fully investigated.
5. That there is a need for a periodical study in the area of this survey in order to obtain data and reevaluate the condition of the over-all program. It would appear that a ten year period would be sufficient.

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APPENDIX A
Questionnaire on the Status of Debate
in Kansas High Schools

## Dear Debate Coach,

Your answers to the following questions will help me
determine the financial status of debate in Kansas high
schools and will help me prepare my masters thesis. En-
closed is a stamped self-addressed onvelope so wili you
please fill out the questionnaire and return it to me TODAY. QUESTIONNAIRE ON THE FINANCIAL STATUS OF DEBATE IN KANSAS
HIGH SCHOOLS

## The Debete Coach

1. Total college credits you have in speech:


> 2. What degrees do you hold? debato.
5. Number of hours reduced from teaching load because of debate coaching. Are you responsible for second semester. speech activities sponsored by the KSHSAA? -
8. Do you direct an invitational debate tournament?
Your Debate Program

1. Is your program curricular? Extracurricular?
2. Each student can obtain a total of ar debate.
3. What is the average size of your debate squad?
4. What is the average number of tournaraents attended by
5. What is the average number of tournaments attended by
6. How many years has your school had a competitive debate
7. Do you make use of a debate text?
8. Do you use commercial debate handbooks?
9. Do you have a recording device apecifically for use by
the debate squad?
Your Debate Budget
10. You secure yous debate budget from: (Check more than one if more than one applies) Board of Education High Selling athletic programs Selling advertising Selling foodstuffs__ No derinite budget__ Other sources_ـ.
11. What is the size of your budget? \$_.

12. Answer only if school vehicle is used. What does your school charge per mile for use of a school vehicle?
Exeluding driver how many students will the vehicie carry?
13. How much does your school pay towards the expense of
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Thank you for your coope ration. All information will
be kept contidential. Sincerely,

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Summary of Questionnaire



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    NWastera Degree

[^3]:    *Bachelors Degree
    \#Hasters Degree

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[^5]:    *One school did not reply.

[^6]:    FSome schools checked more than one item.

