

A List

[DULUTH--Robert H. Haakenson, ~~UMD~~ UMD associate professor and ~~head of speech~~ head of speech, has been named chairman of the 350-member radio-television-film group of the ~~Speech Association of America~~ Speech Association of America.

[At ~~a convention~~ a convention in Chicago, Haakenson was named to the ~~post~~ post, as well as to the association's public relations committee. He also served as ~~registrar~~ registrar for the 1,700-delegate ~~convention~~ ^{joint} convention of the SAA and the American Educational Theater ~~association~~ association.

[Harold L. Hayes, associate professor of speech and director of the University Theater at UMD, participated in studies of the AETA's ~~regional committee~~ regional committee as president of the North Central Theater association, which ~~met~~ met at UMD last fall.

[Professor Hayes presented a paper, "Procuring Qualified Judges for Regional Competitions," *at an AETA MEETING.*

[Marilyn Abalan, senior, and Thomas Taylor, sophomore, both of Duluth, received invitations to AETA summer theater positions on the basis of auditions conducted during the convention.

[Other students attending were Richard Wyman, graduate student now teaching at Orr, and Leta Powell, Duluth, junior.

[The 1959 joint convention will be Dec. ~~27-31~~ 27-31 in Washington, D. C.