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Debaters from approximately 30 colleges and universities in 17 states will participate in the University of Kentucky's annual invitational debate tournament Friday and Saturday (Oct. 8-9) in the Student Center.

The title of the local tournament has been officially changed to the "Henry Clay Debates," and the top award will be volumes of the "Henry Clay Papers," published by the University Press of Kentucky.

Speakers will debate the topic: "Resolved: That Greater Controls Should Be Imposed on the Gathering and Utilization of Information About U. S. Citizens by Government Agencies."

The tournament will be directed by Dr. J. W. Patterson, UK director of forensics and debate coach. He will be assisted by Robert Valentine and Jim LaCoste, graduate students in the Department of Speech.

The UK Debaters Union will serve as official hosts for the tournament. Heading this group is Carl Brown, a two-year UK varsity debater from Louisville. Howell Hopson, a two-year varsity debater from Cadiz, is vice president. Secretary is Virginia Leach, Washington, D.C., also a two-year debater.

The tournament will be divided into a varsity and a novice division. About 60 debaters will participate in the varsity division and 20 in the novice division.

The tournament will open with registration at 10 a.m. Friday in the Student Center, and will be concluded with the Championship debate at 7 p.m. Saturday in Room 245 of the Student Center.

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Out-of-state institutions which have entered contestants in the tournament are Middle Tennessee State University, University of Toledo, University of North Carolina, University of Georgia, Mississippi State University, State University of New York, Morris-Harvey, University of South Carolina, College of Wooster, University of Pittsburgh, Northwestern University, Carson-Newman, Michigan State, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, Marietta College, Eastern Illinois University, University of Cincinnati, Sanford University, Houston Baptist College, University of Wisconsin-Eau Claire, Vanderbilt University, University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Mercer University, Ohio State University, Notre Dame, West Georgia State, Towson State College, and Bradley University.

Kentucky institutions entered in the tournament are Bellarmine College, Morehead State University, Western Kentucky University, and Georgetown College.

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