

ASHLAND WINS FORENSIC BOUT

Eugene Sullivan Takes First
Place in the High School
Oratorical Contest.

INVOLVED CHAMPIONSHIP OF A LARGE DISTRICT

Sam Patek of Ironwood, Last
Year's Winner, Drops to
Third Honors.

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ASHLAND, Wis., April 27.—Eugene Sullivan of Ashland won first place in the oratorical contest tonight between the high schools of the eastern district of Lake Superior; Chester Cantbell of Park Falls won second and Sam Patek of Ironwood, Mich., third.

The schools of Phillips, Hurley, Bessemer and Mellen were represented, in addition to the towns of the three winners.

Sullivan and Cantbell, tonight's champions, will engage in a contest with Lawrence Ferguson of Superior and Philip Elliott of Iron River, who are the champions of the western Lake Superior district. The latter contest will take place at Ironwood on May 3.

The high school was crowded tonight and the result of the oratorical bout was somewhat of a surprise as Patek, the young Ironwood debater, won last year's championship for the entire Lake Superior district and was expected to at least take second place.