

SUMMARY

	1936-1937		1937-1938		1938-1939	
	Teams	Men	Teams	Men	Teams	Men
Total of Team Sports	423	4091	461	4132	453	4154
Total of Individual Sports	<u>288</u>	<u>2161</u>	<u>490</u>	<u>2779</u>	<u>580</u>	<u>3079</u>
Total	711	6252	951	6911	1033	7233

Intramural athletics are showing such rapid growth because most students like to play. It is not a program that needs as intensive promotion as do some of our extra-curricular activities, nevertheless, it demands more than it is now receiving to insure increased individual participation.

The following table shows the individual participation as compiled by the Men's Intramural department at the University of Missouri for the year 1938-39. This table is representative of most records that might be examined. There are twelve sports (listed horizontally) in which there were fifty-one separate contests. The number of men participating are listed at the bottom and right hand side. It is interesting to note that of the total of 1809 men, only one entered all twelve sports and a total of fifty-one contests. Three hundred forty-five men entered one sport in which they participated in only one contest.