

Three Wise Men On One Hot Spot

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they don't want to be embarrassed,—well, they won't feel too good about that. And then again, they might feel it too keenly, something they shouldn't feel at all, and realizing that it exists, throw a little weight to their own club members to overbalance the other factor pulling toward the League—then what? They haven't done right by their own club—or the other side either.

Thus four possibilities. One might continue on with a fifth, that the judges, being zealous club members fired with loyalty might just hand it to their own

club, willy-nilly,—but that one needn't be discussed, because Farmington men wouldn't do that! In other towns, perhaps, but not our citizens.

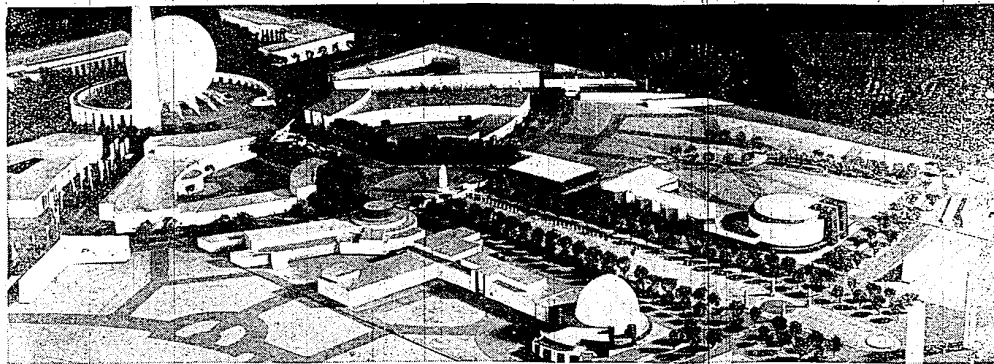
On Four Horns
So the three wise men seem to sit on the horns of dilemma, horns that number not two but four at least and maybe more.
It is only necessary to add what the League has announced as the subject of the debate, in order to complete the picture of what the judges are facing. It is "That our religion, morals and ideals are on a higher standard than in previous years."

It has not yet been announced which team will defend which side of the question. But the judges have to decide the debate one way or another. And too many people—for the judges—are liable to take the decision, as often happens, as being indication of what the judges themselves think, instead of their opinion as to the ability of the two teams.

Eugene Reeves, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hillman, of Zaida Ave., returned to his studies at Howe Military School at Howe, Indiana, on Monday. He had been the guest at the Hillman home during the holiday period.

Mrs. Charles Pettibone and son John were Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ralph Noble and son Adelbert.

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NEW YORK—Sixty million dollars will be spent to make the mile-long Central Mall of the New York World's Fair 1939 the greatest artistic project in the history of expositions. The middle section of the mall is shown above in a scale model. The tree-lined esplanade will contain (left to right) the largest ball and tallest triangular spire ever built by mankind, the highest sundial, the biggest portrait statue of modern times, honoring George Washington, and four statues dedicated to freedom of press, religion, speech and assembly. Literally scores of fountains, five waterfalls, hundreds of trees and more than a million plants will add to its dignified beauty.

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Farmington High School News

(Edited by the Journalism Class)

EDITORIAL
During the holidays the people of the United States celebrated a Pascual Feast, the birth of our Lord. We anxiously awaited Christmas morning when we could open our presents. The time came; the time has past. Many hearts were gladdened by the sight of little children around the Christmas tree. Thus another traditional American Christmas.

We are starting a new year; the time has come when we should turn our heads to the more serious problem of instilling in the minds of every man, woman and child in this country the message brought by the Herald Angels on the first Christmas, "Peace On Earth, Good Will Toward Men." We should pledge ourselves to do all in our power to keep our country out of war. We will then be doing our part. If everyone does his part then we need not fear. Let us, as high school students, show that we intend to follow Jesus and that we have learned the true meaning of Christmas.

CLASS WRITES ORATIONS.
Recently, Mr. McKay notified the students of the Public Speaking class to begin work on orations. This will be a good test of what the Speech students have learned.

Oratory is the more intellectual of curricular activities and it takes weeks of study and research on the topic you write about.
The oration will contain from twelve to fifteen hundred words. Its purpose is to influence public opinion. Among the topics chosen by the students are: "The Negro Problem," "Tax Rackets," "Capital Punishment," and "Thou Shalt not Kill!"
It is very encouraging to see the high school students interest themselves in current problems and form an opinion. It is even more encouraging to hear the students influencing people to do better things for their country through the greatest means of communication, speech.

The public speaking class of the Farmington high school put on an Irish after-dinner program, Tuesday, December 14. The speakers were five Irish students: Red Collins, Belle Edson, Roy Smith, Vernice Van Marter and Gordon Matthews.

Mr. Matthews acted as chairman and Red Collins, as toastmaster. Speeches were given by Belle Edson on the subject of "Wearing of the Green" and Vernice Van Marter on "The Meaning of Shamrock."

After two speeches had been given, the song "Did Your Mother Come From Ireland," was sung by Shirley Nicholas, Belle Edson, Angie Fanzini and Arlene Kellogg. The after-dinner program was enjoyed very much by the other students of the public speaking class and they plan to have more after-dinner programs throughout the year.

FOURTH GRADE GIFT SHOP
(By Betty Hunt)

In our room we had a Christmas Gift Shop. We had many nice gifts which sell from 1 cent to fifteen cents. We had wren vases, lucky elephant charms, slating birds, ivory animals, bouncing balls, magic water flowers, scary and trembling spiders, Dutch boy and girl water carriers and a few other gifts. Many children in our building have been coming to our sale

bringing their pennies, nickels and dimes to buy gifts. We all had a chance to be the strokerover so we all enjoyed our sale. We learned to make change. The money which we earned is in our Book Club bank. We will use it to buy more books for our library.

NEW YEAR'S RESOLUTIONS

I resolve:
"Never to fight with a woman"—Dan Davis.
"To lessen the miles between here and Roseville"—Bill Dwyer
"Never to go out with boys anymore"—Shirley Dwyer
"Never to drink again"—Glen Poet
"Never to write True and False tests"—Bill Schulkins
"To get to school on time"—Sam Turner
"Never to make New Year's Resolutions"—Virginia Fuerst
"To stay away from Theresa's parties"—Red Collins
"To kick Sam Turner where it is most effective every morning"—George Otis
"To quit hitting my brother on the head"—Louraine Dwyer
"To get to school on time"—Helen Schwain
"Not to make any more New Year's Resolutions because I never keep them, anyway"—Jim Cain

DEBATERS MEET HOWELL

The debate students of the Farmington high school met Howell, Thursday, January 6, in the fifth of the series of six debates they are taking part in this year.
The team has only won one of their debates, but are not discouraged because it is their first year of debating and they feel that they are learning a great deal about a very important question that will undoubtedly be one of the problems that the young people of today will face in the future. The question is, Resolved: "That the Universal System should adopt a Unicameral System of Legislature."
The speakers for Farmington are Beulah Sherman, first speaker; Dorothy Johnson, second speaker; and Roger Walker, third speaker. Their opposition is three boys who have debated together for three years. The debate will be held at Howell.

DEBATE TEAM WINS

The Farmington high school debate team journeyed to Mason, Monday, December 13th, to register their first official win of the current season. The Farmington team was composed of Beulah Sherman, Dorothy Johnson and Roger Walker who upheld the affirmative of the proposition "Resolved that the several states should adopt systems of unicameral Legislature." The marked improvement of the team in presenting a clear, concise, unified case speaks well for the efforts of Coach McKay in developing a team whose experience is limited to two league debates with Rochester and Howell, respectively. The decision at Mason was rendered by Judge Harris of Lansing Eastern High School.

BASKETBALL SQUAD PREPARES FOR WALLED LAKE

The basketball players of the Farmington high school have been practicing every day during their Christmas vacation so that they will be in shape when they meet Walled Lake, Friday, January 7. It will undoubtedly be one of the most, hard fought games that Farmington will take part in this year. Coach Shoemaker does not predict how the game will turn out because the Walled Lake boys are much larger than the home lads. He says that the local boys will be out on the floor with all they have and will try to keep Farmington in the race.

COACHES' ROOM GETS IMPROVEMENTS

Many new improvements have been made in the coaches' store room of the high school. The door opening into the room has been known as yet but the promises are all something exciting and interesting.
Virginia Dietrich will have charge of the meeting Sunday evening. Virginia's subject is not known as yet but the promises are all something exciting and interesting.
On January 16, the League will leave for a visit to the Children's Village. A good time is in store for all so let's all be there.
A debate between the Epworth League and The Exchange Club is to be held in the near future.

CHRISTMAS VACATION PROVES DISAPPOINTING

The Farmington high school students were very disappointed in the change of weather during their Christmas vacation. Most of them had hoped for plenty of ice and snow so they could try out their new skates, sleds and skis, but instead it thawed making the ground very slushy and muddy and the students were forced to leave their gifts wrapped up the way they received them Christmas.

SOPHOMORES PLANNING BOX SOCIAL

The Sophomore class of the Farmington High School is planning a box social for the class itself.
The prices of the boxes will start at 25c and stop at 75c. It is expected that 75% of the class will attend. The money for the boxes will go to the class for some future use.

Letters to the Editor are always welcomed by this newspaper.

Epworth League Notes

(Bob Snyder, Editor)
The meeting last week was in charge of Bob Snyder who spoke on the subject, "Liquor and its Effects on Growing People." Following this talk a general discussion was held on the subject.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Drouillard of Royal Oak spent New Year's day at the Alfred Smith home.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanborn Smith and family of Bayport returned Tuesday from a New Year's holiday with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Smith and other relatives in Farmington and Redford.

A New Year's eve dinner followed by bridge was enjoyed by seven couples of the bridge club to which Mr. and Mrs. Al Smith belong, at the Smith home.

John Walkers has been confined to his home, with illness.

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