

HORSEMEN DEBATE 1928 TEAM IS WINNER

Debate Team Wins From Blanchard and Will Enter State Finals

One of the debating teams of the Horace Mann high school won from Blanchard at Blanchard Friday evening by a 2 to 1 decision thus winning the sixth district championship and cup. The team will now go to Norman to meet other teams in April for finals in determining the champion debating team of the state.

Judges for the evening were Principal G. W. Gethman of the Oklahoma City Central high school, Prof. Claude Thompson of Wewoka and Moss Wimbish of Ada.

Representing Horace Mann were Lease Bonnifield, Ferdie Deering and Martin Clark. They represented the negative side of the question of establishing a department of education with a cabinet secretary.

The debate was close, but the Ada word artists had the decided advantage in argument and presentation.

The affirmative team for Horace Mann defeated a team from the Russel training school of the Southeastern State Teachers college of Durant Wednesday night. The de-