



Seniors Russ Atkinson, Mark Koster, and Russ Filsinger engage in the art of debate during the study of American Economics.

## TEACHERS REVAMP HISTORY CURRICULUM

Revisions, additions and deletions enabled the History Department to offer more up-to-date and thought-provoking material to its students this year. Increasing emphasis on current and foreign affairs gave students a better picture of the United States' role in world problems. A new U.S. History I unit was developed last summer to serve as an introduction to the complexities of American life. Entitled "What is an American?—Quest for Identity", it dealt with such subjects as the hippie movement, violence versus non-violence, unions, civil rights and the individual in society.

Projected revisions that were planned and partially set into motion this year include: the offering of Asian studies, African studies, Political Science and Economics on a semester basis as senior electives, the elimination of the World Cultures course and the opportunity to take U.S. History I as a sophomore and U.S. History II as a junior.