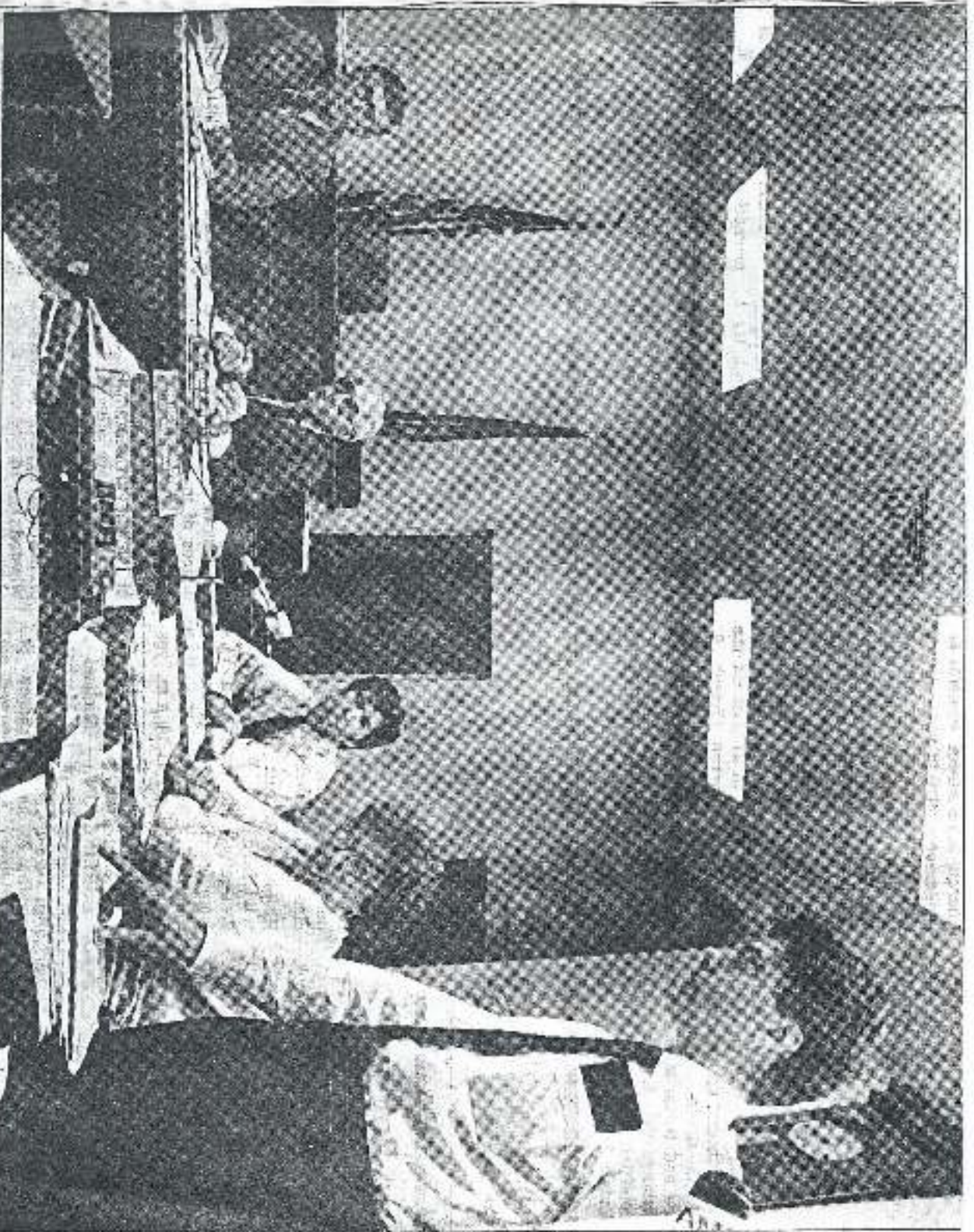




Making his point

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Winsted Selectman John F. Gauger Jr., standing, protests a ruling to close the selectmen's meeting to public comment last night. Seated in back from left are Mayor William H. McCabe, Town Clerk William T. Risks and selectmen James A. Pettit and Nancy P. Habbal.