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"THE FOUNTAIN" . . . A use has been found for the fountain which once stood in almost the center of "Five Points"—that location in the southeast part of Muncie where five streets come together.

The metal post rising from the center of the old fountain now provides the support for a string of lights of an adjacent parking lot.

Donated to the city in 1911 by the National Humane Alliance, the fountain served its purpose in the heyday of horses and then eventually became a traffic hazard. At length the stone drinking trough, minus the light at its top, was moved to one corner of Five Points and there has stood a decade or more. The locality where the fountain was located also has been known as "Fountain Square."

Muncie fountain - 1951



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