

Royal Edward Chapter I.O.D.E. Holds Meeting

The Royal Edward Chapter of the I.O.D.E. held a meeting in their chapter room yesterday afternoon with the Regent, Mrs. William Brehaut presiding. There was a large number of members in attendance.

It was pointed out at the meeting that the bursary voted at the last meeting had not been used and the opinion was expressed that chapter funds could be loaned to worthy students who were unable to finance their education. Mrs. Lawson, the Education Secretary, stated that a number of pictures were available to be distributed to schools in Queen's County, through the Department of Education, when applied for.

Change in Royal Bank Staff Personnel

Mr. T. C. Marshall, formerly of Crumbrook, B.C., who has been assistant supervisor of the Charlottetown branch of Royal Bank of Canada for the past four years, and who was recently appointed manager of the Winnipeg branch, will take over his new duties early in February.

Mr. G. S. Dinwoodie, formerly from Montreal and at present with the credit department of the Halifax branch of the Bank of Canada, will succeed Mr. Marshall as assistant supervisor of the Royal Bank here.

At an enjoyable bank staff supper held in The Charlottetown last night Messrs. Marshall and Dinwoodie, met for the first time.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES DEATHS 50c Per Insertion

BIRTHS. DARRACH — At Souris Hospital, January 26th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Darrach, Elmira, a daughter, Trudy Ann.

ADAMS — At the King's County Memorial Hospital, Montague, P. E. I., on January 25th, 1950, to Mr. and Mrs. Stewart Adams, Victoria Cross, P. E. I., a daughter, Audrey Arlene, Weight 6 lbs. 4 oz.

MARRIAGES. O'DONNELL — BUTLER — At the Air Base Chapel, Fairchild, California, on Saturday, January 28th, 1950, by Reverend Thomas P. Butler, Elizabeth Gertrude Butler Charlottetown, to Lieutenant John Lawrence O'Donnell, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

MacQUARRIE — STEWART — At the First Congregational Church in Malden, Mass., on December 27, 1949, Heath Nelson MacQuarrie of Montreal, to Isabel Jean Stewart of St. Louis, Mo., The Rev. H. E. Pratt of Rhodes Avenue United Church, Toronto, officiated.

DEATHS. MORRIS — At Charlottetown, Jan. 29, 1950, Mrs. Wright Morris, aged 70 years, formerly from Bedouque. Remains resting at Davison's Funeral Parlors, Kensington, until Tuesday noon, thence to Bedouque United Church, where funeral service will be held at 2 p.m. Interment Lower Bedouque Cemetery.

SMITH — In Charlottetown, Jan. 30, James T. Smith, formerly of Bedouque in his 74th year. Remains will be forwarded this (Tuesday) afternoon from the Frank Hennessey Funeral Home to the Philip Monaghan Parlors at Kinkora from where the funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to St. Mary's Church for Requiem High Mass, burial in church cemetery.

McQUAID — In the Charlottetown Hospital on Sunday, Jan. 29, 1950, Arthur F. McQuaid of Souris in his 69th year. His remains were transferred yesterday afternoon from the A.A. Hennessey Funeral Home to his late residence in Souris from where the funeral will take place Wednesday morning at 9:45 to St. Mary's Church for Requiem High Mass at 10 o'clock, interment in the Church Cemetery.

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Central Guardian

This column is reserved for news of local interest, but advertising of a newsy nature may be inserted at five cents a word, strictly payable in advance.

CRAWELL for Photographs.

JIMMIE'S TAXI, Phone 526.

NEW PRINT DRESSES arriving daily at The Fashion Shoppe.

ALL COATS clearing at 33 1-3 off at The Fashion Shoppe.

KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS auction forty-fives for members and friends tonight at 8.15.

HOWARD MacINNIS Fitted Footwear at 175 Queen Street.

CROCKETT & STOREY LTD. 134 Kent, will be closed all day Tuesday and all day Wednesday for stock taking.

SPECIAL DANCE in Holy Name Hall tonight, sponsored by the Student Nurses Sorority, Charlottetown Hospital.

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RABBIT SEASON ENDS — Rabbit hunters throughout the Province will have to get in their last rabbit shooting ticks today. The season on rabbits closes this evening.

CITY POLICE COURT—At the Stipendiary Magistrate's Court yesterday, three men charged with being drunk and disorderly appeared. One was sentenced to 20 days in jail while the other two were each fined \$20 and costs of 20 days in jail. These were the only cases to appear before Magistrate K. M. Martin yesterday.

C.W.L. CARD PARTY — The weekly card party, held last night in the C.W.L. Hall, was well attended, and prizes were won by the following: Men's first, Earl Raman; men's second, T. Bennett; ladies first, Mrs. Annie Stewart; ladies second, Mrs. Leo MacGuigan; door prize, Mrs. B. Corrigan; freeze-out, Mrs. Andrew Murphy and Mr. Arthur Stewart.

RECEIVES APPOINTMENT — A Charlottetown man, Captain H. B. Chandler, has been appointed to the Eastern Command Personnel Selection Unit and attached to the Fifth Divisional Signals Regiment. During the war Captain Chandler served as staff and Personnel Officer in Canada and overseas.

FUNERAL SATURDAY — The funeral of the late Mrs. Harry Cole was held from the home of her son Oliver Cole, Bay View on Saturday, January 28th. Rev. George Gough conducted the service at the house and grave. The pall bearers were: Cecil Simpson, Clarence Stewart, Grant MacLeod, William Johnston, Elwood Stewart, and Hazen Doughart. Interment in the Geddie Memorial Cemetery.

AT HOLSTEIN MEETING — Premier J. Walter Jones and Mr. Colby C. Lewis, Freetown, P.E.I. Director to the Holstein Preisian Breeders Association are attending the annual meeting of the Canadian Holstein Breeders Association in Toronto. The meetings commence this morning and will conclude tomorrow. They are being held at the Royal York Hotel.

PLAN COMMUNITY CENTRE — The St. Peter's Junior Farmers are planning for a community centre in the near future if the co-operation of surrounding districts can be secured. The group has erected a large open air rink and rink house which has three dressing rooms and a canteen, about \$800.00 has been raised during the past year by presenting a play eight times and holding concerts, card parties, a bean supper and two dances.

DEBATE AT TRACADIE — A debate the subject of which was "Resolved that the use of Cosmetics Should be Abolished," highlighted the weekly meeting of the Tracadie Junior Farmers held in the Parish Hall last Friday. The meeting was presided over by the president, Reginald Smith. Affirmative speakers were: James MacDonald, Emma Smith, Phyllis Mullen, Leo Fisher and Marion Smith. The negative speakers were Mike McKenna, Doreen Cusack, Reginald Smith, Anne FitzPatrick, Millie Mullen and Billy Lacey. William acted as chairman. Fred Mullen critic and Morris Deacon, judge.

GOVT APPOINTMENTS — Several Government appointments were announced yesterday. Mr. Frank Gosbee, Charlottetown, has been appointed assistant instructor in bricklaying at the Vocational School, Prince. Hubert Holl, sheriff for Prince County has been appointed a Justice of the Peace with jurisdiction in all three counties. Mr. Reagh MacLean and Mr. Edward S. Martin have been appointed vendor in Charlottetown respectively. Mr. H. J. MacDonald, Dairy Superintendent, and Mr. Earl Adams, assistant Dairy Superintendent have been appointed official weighers for the Province.

N. B. LANDSCAPES — New Brunswick landscapes are featured in an exhibition of twenty watercolor paintings now showing at the Art Centre. The paintings, a group of watercolors selected particularly for their suitability for hanging in the home, are the work of six Saint John painters. The exhibition was arranged by one of the artists, Miss Julia Crawford, at the request of the Art Centre. Other artists represented include Miller Brittain, Ted Campbell, Jack Humphrey, Fred Ross and Avery Shaw. The paintings will remain on view at the Art Centre until February 4, and

Will Attend Coast Fisheries Meeting

Several Island men will leave this morning for Fredericton, N. B., to attend the fourth annual East Coast Fisheries Conference which commences this evening and concludes Thursday in the New Brunswick Capital.

Leaving this morning are Hon. Eugene Cullen, Minister of Industry and Natural Resources; Messrs. Eugene Gorman, chairman of the Fishermen's Loan Board; S. H. Burhoe, past president of the P.E.I. Fisheries Federation; John Myrick of Myrick and Macintosh, Ltd., Tignish; Arthur Peters of the Eastern Packing Co., Ltd., Souris and J. J. Larabee, Regional Supervisor of Fisheries.

Mr. J. E. Burden, president of the P.E.I. Fisheries Federation left yesterday.

Mr. J. A. Rodd, special adviser to the Prince Edward Island Government on Fish Culture, who has been in Ottawa recently on fisheries matters will also attend. Following the meeting he will confer in Charlottetown with Provincial Government fishing authorities and members of the industry.

The main part of the conference will be spent in panel discussions. Mr. E. M. Gorman will take part in a panel which will discuss the industrial development of the industry. On Thursday Mr. S. H. Burhoe will be a member of the panel which will discuss inspection services.

CHARGES DISMISSED

RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 30 — (AP) — An assault charge against band-leader Jimmy Dorsey was dismissed today in police court. William G. Toney, Jr., Richmond milkman, had accused Dorsey of conking him over the head with a clarinet at a dance here last Nov. 9. Toney said he was hopped after asking if Jimmy was a brother of band-leader Tommy Dorsey. They are brothers, Robert R. Merhige, Jr., counsel for Toney said. "After careful consideration, we determined that it was an unfortunate misunderstanding, and we decided to withdraw our complaint."

SUMMER HOTELS DESTROYED

VANCOUVER, Jan. 30 — (CP) — Two British Columbia summer resort hotels were destroyed today in fires at Crescent Beach and Deep Cove. The Crescent Beach hotel, south of here near the U.S. border, was swept by a three-hour, \$35,000 blaze. At Deep Cove, on the north shore of Burrard Inlet, the three-storey Deep Cove lodge was destroyed in a spectacular blaze. Damage has not yet been estimated.

before the pictures are returned to Saint John, Miss Frances Johnson, director of the Art Centre will give a talk on these artists and their work in this exhibition.

C.G.I.T. WEEK — This is Dominion wide C.G.I.T. week and the City Trinity Church group are celebrating the "Week" by sponsoring a display window at Moore and McLeod's. They also celebrated by ushering and taking up collection in Trinity Church last Sunday. The Baptist Church group in the City held their weekly meeting last night. This group is also making up a "shower basket" to which end everyone brought something and everything was put together and will be sent to Halifax for the Displaced Persons. This group was divided into two sections, intermediate and senior. The devotionals were led by Miss M. Burhoe (senior) and Miss M. Robinson (intermediate). Next the group had a Mission Study on Displaced Persons, which was followed by the regular business of the week.

TRIBUTES TO MR. DOLAN — On the occasion of the international testimonial banquet tendered Mr. D. Leo Dolan at the Royal York Hotel, Toronto, recently for his services in connection with tourist promotion, an attractive booklet was privately printed by Mr. Joseph J. Baohunas, co-chairman of the function. A copy of the booklet, of which 100 copies were printed, each bearing the recipient's name, has been received by Hon. A. E. Arsenault here. In the introduction it is recalled that at Ottawa on Dec. 3, 1941, Judge Arsenault saluted Mr. Dolan as "Canada's main ambassador of good-will," and the testimonials quoted are eloquent endorsement of his prediction. They include messages from Dominion cabinet ministers and heads of tourist organizations throughout the continent, this Province being represented by a tribute from Brig. W. R. Reid, supervisor of the P. E. I. Travel Bureau. Judge Arsenault, who was invited but was unable to attend the testimonial dinner, was the first president of the Canadian Council of Tourist and Publicity Bureaus (now the Canadian Tourist Association) and is now the only life member of the organization.

VICTORIA W. I.

The January meeting of Victoria Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Wallace Stewart. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Kenneth MacLean, vice president presided over the meeting which opened by repeating the creed in unison. Nine members answered the roll call. The minutes of the previous meeting were read, approved and signed. The correspondence was then dealt with in the ordinary manner. \$5.00 was voted to the P. E. I. Tuberculosis League and \$25.00 to a movie producer. It was decided to order 1000 cod liver oil capsules for the school children. Mrs. Fred Inman then distributed Red Cross sewing and knitting to the members.

The new committees for January are as follows: School: Mrs. Whitfield Howatt and Mrs. Stanley Stewart; Sick: Annie Mac-

Y.M.C.A. Plans Maintenance Drive

Next month the Charlottetown Y.M.C.A. will launch a Maintenance Drive for \$14,500. The campaign is scheduled to get underway on Feb. 6th, when the Special Names Committee, comprising a number of leading citizens will start out on their canvass. This committee is under the capable chairmanship of Mr. T.D. DeBlois, one of Charlottetown's better known business men, who maintains a keen interest in community enterprises and who is ever ready to support projects of this nature which tend to promote the betterment of our city and its people. The general canvass will take place during the week of Feb. 13th, and six well known citizens have been selected as divisional commanders in the persons of: Clifford McDonald, O.K. Presby, Allison Jewel, R.E. Giegy, Roy Smallman and Darrel McGuire. The drive is under the joint chairmanship of T. Roy Cudmore and Gordon Avar, whose names have been associated with this community and its welfare for many years.

This is the first maintenance appeal since 1947 and anyone who questions its need has but to inspect the splendid new "Y" building and perceive the many and varied activities which are an important part of its daily routine. The cost of operating such an institution in this day and generation is great in terms of financial outlay but it is small in comparison to its value as a community centre. It is one of the city's greatest assets where young and old alike can take advantage of the many facilities which it offers. More especially, it is an essential requirement in the developing and training of young people. Hundreds of children of all ages gather at the "Y" daily to attend classes and engage in games which are not only entertaining but are profitable health and mind builders as well. It is a centre where the youth of today can meet and mingle under the supervision of adults who are experts in their particular field of "Y" work. Here are the boys and girls are interested in good sportsmanship, fellowship and in the art of conducting themselves in a Christian-like way of life. It assists with the development of their character and teaches them to become good citizens. Hence, the value of the Y.M.C.A. cannot be measured in terms of dollars and cents but it requires such finances to carry on.

The citizens of Charlottetown and vicinity were wise enough and generous enough to provide the younger generation chiefly with this excellent recreation centre. Needless to say they will be equally wise and generous in their contributions to the forthcoming appeal, which is necessary to further and extend the good work of the "Y". The need is great, the cause is worthy, the investment is excellent, and the dividends are high. The "Y" directors will no doubt be assured of their \$14,500 objective.

Women Delegates At C.F.A. Conference

NIAGARA FALLS, Jan. 30 — (CP) — Women are expected to cut quite a figure in discussions on the price of cheese, bacon and eggs at the 14th annual meeting of the Canadian Federation of Agriculture which opens here today.

Male delegates grudgingly admitted that at past G.F.A. meetings the farmer's wife has shown herself to be a woman well-versed in the complex business of making a living from the soil.

And she has stepped backward when it comes to presenting her views from a convention floor crowded with men. At this meeting, women will be outnumbered by men 20-1.

But among the 10 or more women delegates are two who sit on C.F.A.'s board of directors. These are Mrs. Winnifred Ross of Millet, Alta., and Mrs. C. A. Campbell of Pak-Nham, Ont. who were appointed in 1949.

Mrs. Ross a slender woman with sparkling wit, is expected to have something to say about the price of eggs and about the government's "recently announced" egg-price-support program. The white-haired widow operates a poultry farm.

Mrs. Campbell's strong subjects are cheese and butter. She and her husband run a dairy farm.

C.F.A. officials say women contributed "great deals" in the way of sound ideas at these and other agricultural meetings. Recognition for them came last year with the appointment of the first two women directors.

Other women delegates include: Mrs. Gilbert Telford, Shawville, Que.; Mrs. H. McRae, Durban, Man.; Mrs. Lotie O'Connor, New London, P.E.I.; Mrs. G. Ridley, official Ontario Federation delegate from Caledon, and Mrs. F. M. Rutherford, Campbellton, Ont.

Tenants To State Case

Mr. Varcoe is expected to conclude the Federal Government's case tomorrow morning. The Ontario Government case then will be presented followed by John J. Robinson of Toronto, counsel for the tenants of Canada.

R. M. W. Chitty of Toronto, counsel for the Property Owners' Association of Canada, and L. Emery Beaulieu, solicitor for the Attorney-General of Quebec, will oppose rent controls.

In the background of the regulations, Mr. Varcoe recalled that a year ago the Federal Government offered to vacate the field to the Provinces which normally have full authority over the matter since it comes under property and civil rights, a question of provincial jurisdiction in the constitution.

None of the Provinces accepted the offer at that time. The controls had to be renewed, he said, because lifting of the controls would have meant economic hardship for Canada.

Dougal and Mrs. Emerson MacDonald; Litch—Mrs. Fred Inman and Mrs. L. D. MacLeod.

The meeting adjourned by the singing of the National Anthem, after which lunch was served by the hostess assisted by the committee in charge.

Organize Three New W. I. Branches

Women's Institute activities under the guidance of the supervisors Miss Mary Robin and Miss Maylea Boswell are increasing with the organizing of new institutes and the holding of new sewing and food classes in several centres throughout the province.

The new institutes are being formed at Argyle, Shore, Mermaid and Primrose. Miss Boswell is conducting food classes for girls in Southport, Pownal, Alexandria, Mt. Herbert and Central Royalty. The sewing classes are being conducted by Mrs. Robin at Mount Stewart and West Royalty.

These classes involve much more than the names indicate. In addition to sewing and food instructions pamphlets are distributed and talks, are given on different phases all essential to the well being of the family and community. These phases include medical and dental health, household management and marketing problems to mention a few. "The biggest difficulties at the meetings," explained the supervisors, "is to get the people to study these matters."

A review of the activities in 1949 showed that the total membership in Provincial Institutes numbered about 5000. There were several new institutes organized bringing the total of branch institutes to 290.

One of the most successful undertakings of the year was the sponsoring of a handicraft, art, domestic and floral exhibit at the Provincial Exhibition. A similar exhibit will be sponsored this year at the Exhibition by the Institute.

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tell us their views candidly and without evasion. When you have heard their answers, then use your vote, and vote according to your conscience."

Meanwhile, straw ballots indicated a slight trend towards Labor.

A ballot published in the News Chronicle, Liberal, gave Conservatives 44 per cent of the vote. Labor's share was 45 1-2. The Liberal vote was estimated at 10 per cent, and the allotment for minor parties shrank to one half of one per cent.

The poll was conducted by the British Institute of Public Opinion.

The Daily Express, Commonwealth-minded newspaper published by Lord Beaverbrook, showed that intending Conservative voters now number 47 1-2 per cent. Intending Labor voters totalled 42 1-2 per cent.

HEARING BEGINS

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Under questioning by Mr. Justice Taschereau, the Deputy Justice Minister said the assumption of such powers temporarily by the Federal Government was "not exclusive." However, it was "overriding" and thus would be held above any such laws passed by the Provinces.

Mr. Varcoe contended that under this condition, the Federal Government could return authority over rent controls to one or several of the Provinces without giving up authority in the other Provinces.

Mr. Varcoe contended that the most the Court can do is rule on whether the Government was in error when it passed the rent controls; or when Parliament passed legislation March 25 last extending them for a year.

Chief Justice Rinfret emphasized that the Court is not ruling on whether rent controls were justified. It was to decide whether the Federal Government had the legal right to pass the program.

Going behind the decision to introduce rent controls, Mr. Varcoe said Parliament had attempted during the war to establish a stable level of living conditions. Rents were the last matter requiring attention.

Now rent controls were being discontinued gradually and "this unwinding process has to be done step by step," he said.

If rent controls were valid when passed it would up to the Federal Government to say when they should be repealed, he said.

Darnley Rovers Defeat Kelvin 11-5

Before a very large crowd, Darnley Rovers defeated Kelvin by an 11-5 score on the night of Jan. 26.

The Darnley team scored three fast goals in the first period and added six more in the middle frame to two for Kelvin. Kelvin outscored Darnley 3-2 in the final period. For the winners Thompson and Harding were outstanding while for the losers Cutcliffe and Woodside were the pick.

Lineups:

Kelvin — Goal, Miller; defence, G. Woodside, W. Mill; forwards, E. MacMurdo, G. MacMurdo, E. Paynter, Cutcliffe, E. Oatway, W. Mill.

Darnley — Goal, E. Woodside; defence, C. MacKenzie, F. MacKay; forwards, E. Harding, F. Thompson, G. Wall, E. Craig, D. MacKenzie, K. Clark.

SUMMARY

1st Period

1—Darnley, E. Craig (MacKay) 4-15

2—Darnley, E. Harding (F. Thompson) 4-40

3—Darnley, E. Harding (MacKay) 4-42

Penalties — G. Wall (2).

2nd Period

4—Darnley, E. Harding (Thompson, Wall) 2-25

5—Darnley, E. Harding (Thompson, Wall) 5-15

6—Darnley, E. Craig (MacKay) 7-20

7—Kelvin, G. Woodside 10-15

8—Kelvin, Cutcliffe (Oatway) 13-10

9—Darnley, F. Thompson 14-10

10—Darnley, G. Wall (MacKay) 15-60

11—Darnley, D. MacKenzie (Clark) 17-00

Penalty — Woodside.

3rd Period

12—Darnley, E. Harding (Thompson) 3-40

13—Kelvin, Cutcliffe (Paynter) 6-16

14—Kelvin, Woodside (Cutcliffe) 8-10

15—Darnley, Thompson 9-14

16—Kelvin, E. Paynter (MacMurdo) 12-15

Penalties — C. MacKenzie, G. Woodside.

Referees — A. Larkin, F. Davison.

Addresses Rotary On Functions of Trust Companies

Close on forty trust companies are doing business in Canada at the present time and operating over one hundred and twenty-five branches across the country, stated Mr. Eric C. Dewling, manager of the Charlottetown branch of the Eastern Trust Company, who was the speaker at Rotary luncheon yesterday.

Rotarian P. W. Turner presided, the following guests being present: Messrs. Temple Goffell, Georgetown, Wilfred Saiter, Summerside, Glendon Eddy, Bathurst, N. B., Judge H. L. Palmer and C. H. B. Longworth, Charlottetown.

The first trust company in Canada, the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, was formed in 1882. Mr. Dewling stated. The first trust account in Canada appears to have been opened in September of that year when the Toronto General applied for probate of the will of John Tucker of Toronto, in which document the Toronto General was named sole executor. The Montreal Trust Company had its corporate birthday sometime in 1892.

Mr. Dewling in his address reviewed the powers granted to trust companies and the regulations governing their management.

Not Like Banks

"Actually," he explained, "trust companies are not at all like banks or loaning companies, except in the appearance of their offices and in the titles given to some of the staff. They have no power to borrow on the security of their own debentures, a function which is the foundation of the financial business of loaning corporations.

"The difference between a bank and a trust company is best exemplified in the deposit business of both. A depositor in a bank is simply a creditor of the bank although there are special provisions for his protection which make his position more secure than that of the ordinary creditor of a commercial institution. Nevertheless he has, in essence, loaned money to the bank.

"Trust companies do not borrow from their depositors. They are authorized to receive money from depositors (repayable upon demand or after notice) and bearing interest at an agreed rate) and to hold such money as trustees. They may invest it within the limiting restrictions of their incorporating Act and the investments must be set aside and earmarked for the depositors. This function the public is justifiably inclined to confuse with banking; but in spite of similarity in practice, it is not banking."

Succession Duties

Referring to succession duties, the speaker said this problem for those living outside Ontario and Quebec, is not so pressing now as it used to be. The aggregate net value of an estate must now exceed \$50,000 before duties are payable.

All property, including life insurance no matter to whom it is payable, is included in arriving at the value of an estate.

"Your lawyer will be the first to warn you," Mr. Dewling said, "against using the printed will forms that sometimes may be purchased at the stationers, and unless you are a lawyer yourself you should not draw your own will. True, you may if it is simple enough, draw a will that will be perfectly valid; but unless you are sure of what you are doing you run the risk at best of drawing a document which though possibly acceptable, will not accomplish your wishes may do so at considerable cost."

Pleaded Innocent In Montreal Court

MONTREAL, Jan. 30 — (CP) — Four men, one of whom identified himself as a Presbyterian minister, today pleaded innocent to charges of disturbing the peace by ringing doorbells and were ordered for trial next week. Police said the four were seeking signatures on a petition protesting the padlocking of a Jewish cultural order's hall.

The men are Glen Partridge, 39, who said he came here from Prince Edward Island and is a minister in "good standing" of the Presbyterian church; Louis Jeney, 47; Julius Kalskus, 50; and Samuel Malmud, 25.

The charges against them were laid by the anti-subversive squad who participated Friday in the padlocking of the United Jewish People's order under a Quebec law aimed at centres of Communist activity.

Sgt. John Boyzsum said the petition called for immediate removal of the padlock and demanded that Premier Duplessis instruct the provincial police "to desist from interfering with the activities of a legally-constituted association."

South Kings Hockey Schedule

At a meeting of the South Kings Hockey League held last week, the following schedule was drawn up:—

First Section

Monday, Jan. 23 — Montague at Georgetown.

Wednesday, Jan. 25 — Murray Harbour at Montague.

Thursday, Jan. 26th — Georgetown at Murray Harbour.

Monday, Jan. 30th — Murray Harbour at Georgetown.

Wednesday, Feb. 1st — Georgetown at Montague.

Thursday, Feb. 2nd — Montague at Murray Harbour.

Second Section

Monday, Feb. 6th — Montague at Georgetown.

Wednesday, Feb. 8th — Murray Harbour at Montague.

Thursday, Feb. 9th — Georgetown at Murray Harbour.

Monday, Feb. 13th — Murray Harbour at Georgetown.

Wednesday, Feb. 15th — Georgetown at Montague.

Thursday, Feb. 16th — Montague at Murray Harbour.

Note: — Playoff games will be announced at a later date.

50 Below Zero In Minnesota

CHICAGO, Jan. 30 — (AP) — It reached 50 degrees below zero Monday in Minnesota—cold enough to burst a tree trunk. Drifts of snow stacked up 22 feet high near Portland, Ore.

In Montana, Blackfoot Indians were reported living on skunk and porcupine meat following "frightful" weather.

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