



Winners of Alberta Associated Police Bonspiel
L. to R.—Cpl. Walley Peterson (skip); Csts. Irvin Blehm, Ken Helander and Cpl. Gordon Bligh.

are being made for the provincial play-offs at Calgary, with the Dominion Championships to be played at Winnipeg the following month.

Shooting A rifle team was entered in the Edmonton Garrison league, but, without Sergeant Major Wilson around to steady and anchor the team, it finished out of the semi-finals. Rifle teams have also been entered in the Inter-Divisional shoot, the DCRA and the Alberta Provincial Rifle Association matches. Some of the members have also entered the CRA individual competitions. Revolver shooters meet twice weekly and have entered a team in the Inter-Divisional revolver competition.

Curling This sport enjoys great support in Edmonton with eight rinks entered in the Edmonton Associated Police Curling League. This association consists of 20 rinks with representatives from the Edmonton City Police, the CNR, CPR and RCMP. The teams curl on Saturday afternoons and evenings, and the present standing shows one RCMP rink with only one loss and two others tied for second spot with two losses. The Alberta Associated Police bonspiel was held at Edmonton, February 17-18 and the Force continued to dominate the annual event. Cpl. Wally Peterson of Edmonton Detachment and his mates Csts. Irvin Blehm, Ken Helander and Cpl. Gordon Bligh will represent Alberta in the second annual police brier at Winnipeg. Peterson's rink won the A. T. Belcher Trophy after defeating an RCMP rink from Banff skipped by Jack Doig 12-5. The second event, the Patterson-Jennings Trophy was won by Cst. Wes Marks rink from Peace River who defeated Assistant Commissioner McClellan 13-2. The third event, the Bouzan Trophy was won by the rink skipped by Insp. Jim McMurray of the Edmonton City Police who averted an RCMP sweep by nosing out S/Sgt. Bob Welliver of Lethbridge 15-14. After five ends, Welliver had a 11-4 lead.

The consolation or Hudson's Bay Trophy was won by Cst. Bob Morrison's rink, last years

champion, by defeating a rink from the Calgary City Police skipped by Det. Bob Pitman 13-0.

Calgary Sub-Division—Social The fourth annual Calgary Sub-Division formal ball was held at RCAF Lincoln Park on February 7. Approximately 350 guests enjoyed the surroundings and music of the orchestral section of the RCMP Regina Band. Guests entered the hall through the portals of a stockade and the bandstand was decorated in a hillside motif. The hall itself was gaily decorated in the colors of the Force.

Curling The following teams, victors within the sub-division following a playdown on January 29, in the Alberta Police Curling Association Bonspiel held in Edmonton: (skips) Sgt. R. C. Jones, Cst. J. A. Doin and Cpl. H. L. Shannon.

Hockey The RCMP Calgary Sub-Division hockey team finished in second place in the Inter-Service Hockey League. The team meets Calgary City Police in the semi-finals and the winner plays the winner of the Lord Strathcona's Horse (RC) and Queen's Own Rifles series; these teams finished first and third respectively. On February 20, Cst. G. L. Richardson of the RCMP team was the first recipient of the Ken Delmage Memorial Trophy, contributed by members of the Calgary City Police as a memorial to Constable Delmage, former goal tender for the Calgary City Police team, who was unfortunately killed on duty in a motor vehicle accident in Calgary. This trophy is open for competition for players exhibiting the highest calibre of sportsmanship, combined with playing ability.

Lethbridge Sub-Division—Social On December 14, another successful and enjoyable sub-division ball was held as in previous years, at the Lethbridge Flying Club. Approximately 200 people, consisting of members and their guests, attended from all points in the sub-division. Unfortunately, due to sickness, the officer commanding was unable to attend, and his presence was missed. All those who at-