
Court pasted with antidraft stickers

Red antidraft stickers were pasted throughout the courtroom of US District Court Magistrate Robert DeGiacomo in Boston Monday just before he was about to preside at the arraignment of three draft protesters who had chained themselves to a courthouse door on Jan. 14.

During a scuffle which followed when several spectators objected to being searched by federal marshals, two persons, were arrested and charged with assaulting a US deputy marshal. Charged were: Elizabeth Davidson, 26, of Cambridge and Edward Hasbrouck, 22, of Wellesley, who last month became the first Massachusetts man

convicted of failing to register for the military draft. He received a six-month suspended sentence Jan. 14 for refusing to register.

Hasbrouck and Davidson were released in \$2500 personal bond for a probable cause hearing Feb. 14.

Hasbrouck was in court to attend the arraignment of Davidson and two others who were accused of violating federal regulations by chaining themselves to one of the courthouse doors on Jan. 14, the day Hasbrouck was sentenced.

The anti-draft stickers were pasted on DeGiacomo's bench, on the jury box, the witness stand and spectators' benches.
