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Our Hockey Future

With hockey finished for another season, those who are interested in the future should not wait too long in planning for 1954-55. With playoffs in progress in all parts of the province, there should be some scouting going on for some legitimate imports — the kind who might move into town this spring, settle down into a job which they might consider has a future to it, and be residents when the October deadline comes along.

This year Georgetown didn't have a winning team. And crowd support showed that you have to have a snappy, young team, with some colour, in order to lure people in any number from their TV sets and other counter attractions. In spite of good organization among the young lads of town, we have developed a bare handful of hockey players of intermediate calibre in the past few years, or

Rural Fire Protection Pays Off

Efficiency of the Esqueing-Georgetown fire area has certainly been amply illustrated in its few short months of existence; though it is to be hoped that the average of fire calls will not continue at the present rate.

Monday, a farmhouse was saved from destruction by the combined action of Georgetown and Milton brigades. Saturday, while it was impossible to save a barn, outbuildings were saved and any threat to a house obviated by the presence of the township-bought, town-manned truck. Two weeks ago, a house gutted by a flash fire, could not be saved, but the fire was extinguished with plenty of water left

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Margaret Barrager, Aurora, a niece of Don Barrager of town, was a scholarship winner at the Kiwanis Music Festival in Toronto. Margaret won the Colgate-Palmolive scholarship valued at \$100. . . . The editor of the Goderich Signal-Star was perhaps the most startled man in town when the county courthouse burned down. Seems there had been much controversy about whether a new building was needed in the county town. On Thursday editor George Ellis wrote a "hot" front page editorial in which he said the ancient courthouse should be done away with and that night he left town for a few days' holiday. What was his surprise when he received word the next morning that it had been completely destroyed by fire. . . . The Acton Free Press warns of a swindle which has been worked in Western Ontario towns. The gang has two methods of approach, and usually prey on el-

derly people. One story is that they are bank inspectors and ask to see the victim's bank book, at the same time saying a fresh signature will be necessary as a person's signature changes as they grow older. The other story is that they are income tax inspectors and ask him to sign an inspection report. In each case, of course it is really a blank cheque that is signed. . . . A Georgetown merchant had a slick deal played on him too. He was asked to cash a cheque supposedly made out by another businessman. The cheque even had details in the bottom corner about it being payment for a certain job. The slicker didn't attempt to forge the other man's signature, and it was immediately spotted at the bank. Merchant One is the loser of course, and it will be a warning not to cash cheques for strangers, no matter how genuine the cheque may seem.

for some reason the players who have developed do not want to play in this league. So, it seems certain that if intermediate hockey is to again flourish, some sensible importing must be done — and early. Many of the present team will not be with us for many more seasons. For every Bucko McDonald there are a hundred who just can't stand up to the physical rigours of the game after they have passed the 30 mark. Younger players are needed, who can take three tough periods and still be raring to go, and who can add their stamina to the experience of older men and allow the veterans to coast a little when the going gets tough.

In our opinion, the future of intermediate hockey hangs in the balance right now. Next fall may be too late.

on the truck to spare. That same week, again in combination with Milton, a barn was kept from danger when a farmhouse burned down. And last fall, only a few days after the truck arrived in town, a 7th Line farmhouse was definitely saved as the barn close by went up in flames.

Losses which might have been suffered in these fires would run into many thousands of dollars, by even conservative estimates. The people of Esqueing have already paid for the truck and then some, in losses which their neighbours might have suffered.

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THREE LOCAL LADIES VISIT ROME, PARIS

In Europe at present, visiting in Italy and France, three local ladies are expected home in early April. Miss Therese St. Jean, Mrs. Charles Adams and Miss Claire St. Jean, of Notre Dame re Beaugard Farm, flew to Paris last week, then planned to motor to Rome, returning later for a tour of France.

CHURCH NEWS

St. George's Church
Archdeacon W. G. O. Thompson, Rector

Third Sunday in Lent
Sunday School, 10 a.m.; Holy Communion 11.00 a.m.; Evensong 7 p.m.

Confirmation Class, Thursday evening at 8.30.
Lenten Service, Thursday evening, at 7.30.

St. Alban's Church, Glen Williams
Third Sunday in Lent.
Matins — 9.30 a.m.
Sunday School — 10.30 a.m.
Wednesday Evening:
Confirmation Class 6.30 p.m.
Lenten Service — 7.30 p.m.

St. John's United Church
Rev. John M. Smith, Minister
Norman Laird, Director of Music
Sunday School 10 a.m. — Come to S.S. Stay for Church.
Morning Worship, 11 a.m. — "Repentance."
Nursery 11 a.m. — Child care while parents worship.
Junior Worship 11 a.m. — Bible themes for children.
Evening Worship 7 p.m. — "Our Missionary Task"

Georgetown Baptist Church
Rev. A. J. Barker, B.A., B.D.
10 a.m. — Church School
11.00 a.m. — "The Meaning of The Cross" (2) "Redemption"
7.00 p.m. — "Second Hand Religion"
8.00 p.m. — Family Hour.

Norval, Hornby, Stewarttown Church of England
Rev. J. E. Maxwell, B.A., L.Th.
St. Stephen's Church, Hornby
11.00 a.m. — Morning Service (Except 1st Sunday in the month 3.00 p.m. evening service.)

St. John's Church, Stewarttown
10 a.m. — Children's service.
3.00 p.m. — Evening Service (Except first Sunday in the month 7.30 p.m. evensong.)

St. Paul's Church, Norval
7.30 p.m. — Evensong (Except 1st Sunday in the month 11.00 a.m. Holy Communion.)

Knox and Limeshouse Presbyterian Churches
Rev. Alex. J. Calder, B.A., B.D.
Mrs. Edgar Gowland, A.T.C.M.
Organist and Choir Leader
Mr. Joseph Young, Carillonneur

Knox Church
10.00 a.m. Church School.
11.00 a.m. Public Worship.

Limeshouse Church
1.30 p.m. — Church School
2.30 p.m. — Public Worship

Norval and Glen Williams United Church
Rev. C. D. Lymke, B.A., B.D.
Norval

10.00 a.m. Sunday School.
11.00 a.m. Public Worship.

Glen Williams Home Church
7.00 p.m. Public Worship.
2.30 p.m. Public Worship.

Christian and Missionary Alliance
Rev. E. T. Holt, pastor
Services each Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. in the Goddell Hall
Sunday School at 10 a.m.

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Rev. F. M. Fletcher
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Norval and Union Presbyterian Churches
Rev. G. Lockhart Royal, B.A.
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10.00 a.m. — Sabbath School
11.00 a.m. — Praise Service
Union
2.00 p.m. — Sabbath School
3.00 p.m. — Praise School

Holy Cross R.C. Church
Rev. Fr. V. J. Morgan
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2nd and 4th Sundays: Mass at 9 a.m.

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