

### Georgetown

Word has been received here that Mr. Harry Yostson of Georgetown, has been appointed a member of the Prince Edward Island National Advisory Board for the Blind.

Mrs. Eddie MacKenzie and son, Wayne of Summerside, are visiting Mrs. McKenzie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. B. MacConnell, Richmond Street.

Leading Seaman Harold Dicks, R.C.N., a crew member of H. M. C. S. Toronto, is spending a leave in Georgetown, as the guest of his parents, Captain and Mrs. Nelson Dicks.

Miss Anne Keays, who recently graduated from St. Francis Xavier University in Antigonish, N.S., was a recent guest of her grandmother, Mrs. Annie Gardiner.

Miss Veraa Martell, student at Prince of Wales College, returned to her home last week after having completed her teacher training studies.

Mrs. L. H. Douglas, who spent the past number of months with relatives in Montreal, Boston, and Halifax, has returned to her home in Georgetown.

Miss Sheila DeLory, who on Friday, May 27th graduated from Prince of Wales College in Commerce is vacationing at her home in Georgetown.

Miss Joan Murphy, has returned to her home in Georgetown from Prince of Wales College, where she successfully completed her Teachers Training Course.

Mrs. Allan MacDonald, and Miss Mary MacDonald, returned recently to their home in Georgetown, after having spent the winter in Boston, Mass.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Victor and family of Dartmouth, N. S., are vacationing in Georgetown, as the guests of Mr. Victor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Victor.

Mrs. Booth Scott left on Monday, May 30th on return to her home in Ottawa. She was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Maurice Donovan, who will visit with her.

### Little Sands

Mr. and Mrs. Mack MacLean and daughter, Isabelle, Cornwall, were visiting relatives in Little Sands, on May 18. They brought Mack's father, Mr. John Dan MacLean, who had been spending some time with his son, back to his home in Little Sands.

The two road maintainers recently scraped the western part of Little Sands. This was badly needed. The eastern section also needed scraping this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Leco, Summerside, were visiting friends in Little Sands, on Sunday, at the home of Alex Blue. They were accompanied by Mr. Baglole, and two of his nephews, George and Junior Baglole of Summerside, P. E. I.

Mr. Peter MacLean, Little Sands,

### Savage Harbour

The exceptionally low tide on Monday caused great inconvenience to most of the fishermen at Savage Harbour as many of them were unable to make their way through the harbour because of lack of water. Several of the boats grounded while others were forced to ride at anchor for as long as three hours waiting for the tide to rise sufficiently to give them clearance. Fishing at best is a hard job. Most of the boats take off for the grounds in the wee small hours of the morning; when their labors are through they like to get back home as quickly as possible. However this sorry mess is in the process of being remedied. Another year such conditions will have been relegated to the folds of memory.

Mr. John Murphy well-known painter and interior decorator of Georgetown has completed his job at the Parochial House at St. Andrew's and returned to his home in Georgetown. During the several weeks that Mr. Murphy has been engaged in this District he has made many friends all of whom will be looking forward to his return at some future date when they may listen to and enjoy his timely wit and humour.

It is pleasing to note that the well-known fisherman Mr. Robert Pigot, has completely recovered from his recent illness and is back at the old job as good as ever. Bob is always right up among the leaders every season and this will prove no exception despite his illness.

The many friends of Mr. John McKearney will be happy to learn that his condition has so far improved as to permit his being discharged from hospital and returning to his home. Mr. McKearney has been a patient in the Charlottetown Hospital for the past month.

Miss Mona Clay of the Department of Health and Welfare, Charlottetown, was a visitor to Savage Harbour during the week.

Mrs. Charles Rogerson of Peakes, has left for Toronto, to be with her daughter who is seriously ill. Hosts of friends entertain the hope that when Mrs. Rogerson arrives at Toronto she will find her daughter well on the road to complete recovery.

A motor party consisting of Mrs. Rita Ross, Mrs. Margaret MacDonald, Mrs. Ellie MacDonald and Met Colin MacDonald left recently for Winthrop, Mass., to attend the graduation exercises at which Miss Isabelle MacDonald receives her R. N. Miss MacDonald is a daughter of Mrs. Margaret MacDonald and congratulations are being extended to her as she reaches this important milestone of her career.

Mr. Peter Richards of Dredge No. 9, was at his home in Little Sands over the week-end of May 15.

Mr. Alvin McKenzie of the crew of the "Saurel" was visiting at his home in Little Sands on Sunday.

Mr. Angus MacPherson, and Mrs. MacPherson, who are both employed in Charlottetown, were at their home in Little Sands on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Stewart and family of Charlottetown, were visiting at the home of Mrs. Stewart's mother, Mrs. A. D. MacNeill, Little Sands, over the holiday.

## Election Of Jailed Sinn Feiners Makes A Muddle

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (Reuters). Political confusion blanketed much of Northern Ireland Monday, created by the victory of two jailed Sinn Fein candidates in the British general election.

The immediate question is whether the defeated Ulster Unionist candidates will appeal to the courts against the election of bricklayer Tom Mitchell, 23, and office worker Philip Clarke, 21, both serving long prison terms. The Unionists could claim that as convicts they are "disqualified persons."

If the Unionists go to the high court, the question then is: Will the court award the two seats to the Unionist candidates? Or will it call by-elections? If another election is held, predictions have been that the Sinn Feiners will again put forward Mitchell and Clarke as candidates.

### CENTURIES-OLD TROUBLE

The situation points up the centuries-old bitterness between Britain and Ireland, now concentrated in the division of Ireland into the independent Irish Republic and Northern Ireland, a part of the United Kingdom.

The Sinn Fein—the name means "ourselves alone"—is the political arm of the outlawed Irish Republican Army. It has pledged to bring about the union of Northern Ireland with the independent republic, by force if necessary.

Mitchell and Clarke are each serving 10-year sentences for taking part in an armed attack on a British army barracks at Armagh last year in which five soldiers were wounded.

In last week's election, the Sinn Fein contested all 12-seats in Northern Ireland, polling 150,000

## Babe Zaharias 'Y'll Not Play In Golf Day Meet

NEW YORK (AP)—Babe Zaharias has been forced to withdraw from National Golf Day because of her health. Patty Berg will replace her as the woman golfer against whom all women will be invited to try their skill next Saturday.

Officials of Life Magazine, sponsor of National Golf Day, said Monday they had received word from George Zaharias, the Babe's husband, that her back and legs were not in condition to permit her to play. Mrs. Zaharias asked that Miss Berg should take her place.

Miss Berg and national open champion Ed Furgol will play a round at the Olympic Golf Club in San Francisco Saturday. Golfers all over the nation will play at their home clubs and match their scores against those of the two professional stars, using their regular handicaps.

Each golfer will contribute a dollar entry fee, the proceeds going to charity. Those who beat Miss Berg's or Furgol's score will receive a medal.

### TO STUDY NEXT MOVE

Executive committees of Unionist associations in both constituencies are expected to meet within the next few days to consider the situation.

They face a hazardous choice. If they secure the disqualification of the Sinn Feiners, they risk stirring up fresh trouble among the supporters of Irish unity.

If they decline to take the action they threatened during the election campaign, they face charges of "moral cowardice."

### New Record For Women's 220

BERLIN (Reuters)—A world record of 23.8 seconds for the women's 220 yards was set up Sunday by Christa Stubnick, of East Germany, the official East German news agency ADN said today.

Miss Stubnick, running in an international track meet at Erfurt, East Germany, clipped 2/10ths of a second off the official world record of 24 seconds, set up by Mrs. Marjorie Nelson of Australia in the Empire Games in Vancouver last August.

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## Gardiner Under Fire In House Of Commons Debate

OTTAWA, (CP)—Agriculture Minister Gardiner says it is no disgrace for former members of Parliament or a legislature to hold government jobs.

He made the statement Monday after listening to an oft-repeated charge that he runs a political machine in Saskatchewan.

"The accusation against Mr. Gardiner, who next month completes his 41st year in politics, was made in the Commons by John Diefenbaker (PC-Prince Albert) and three CCF members, including party leader, M. J. Coldwell.

Debate was on a bill amending the Prairie Farm Rehabilitation Act. Mr. Diefenbaker said the PFRA administration under Mr. Gardiner, who represents Melville in the Commons, "is becoming a political melon."

It had become patronage for "retired, rejected or resigned politicians."

### "POLITICAL MACHINE"

Mr. Coldwell said it was "more and more a political machine directed by the minister of agriculture."

Mr. Diefenbaker referred to two change her mind, but since most everyone would be away on mid-summer vacations by the time she quit, he felt the sooner the testimonial could be held, the more citizens could pay their respects.

If Mr. Donaldson's suggestion was offered out of solicitude, Miss Whitton took no note of it. Said she:

"I'll choose my own pallbearers," said she Monday, sidestepping a public testimonial tendered for the mayor and city finance commissioner A. H. Ritchie controller Donaldson wants to organize.

Mr. Ritchie has resigned his post effective July 31. Miss Whitton has said she will quit then, too, unless certain pressures answer city hall change. No one has yet entirely explained to what pressures the mayor referred.

But Saturday Mr. Donaldson announced that in view of Miss Whitton's insistence on resigning it seemed only fitting that a mass public testimonial be organized to pay tribute to the departing woman mayor who had contributed so much to the capital's growth and prestige since her entry into civic politics almost five years ago.

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## GREAT LAKE

raising to \$15,000 the amount he could authorize for a single project without prior cabinet approval. Mr. Gardiner replied he could not provide such a list.

When Mr. Diefenbaker and Opposition Leader Drew pressed for one example of where the increase would be needed and how many times in the past he had to submit a project of more than \$10,000 to the cabinet, Mr. Gardiner said he would have to check.

Mr. Drew termed the minister's words "a masterpiece of evasion."

Finally, Mr. Gardiner said he has not "a single reason" to ask for the change except that the cabinet wants it and he is going along.

### SUGAR COUNTRY

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