



**BOWELLED OVER**

MRS. D. BOWELL, wife of the Georgetown Figure Skating Club president, gets a hand from figure skaters Gale Livingstone and Pat Sargent after a spill during the Monday night session. An increasing number of adults are joining the young set in learning how to cut fancy figures.

Peter Jones, Georgetown

**Federal Employee Earnings Increase From Last Year**

OTTAWA (Special to The Herald) — Number of federal employees and their earnings were higher in June this year than in the corresponding month of 1960, and showed an increase over the figure for May 1961.

Latest available statistics on the federal civil service show a steady rise in both employment and in cost, reports the Dominion Bureau of Statistics.

The total staff strength of the government, including its corporations and agencies, rose to 350,241 in June of this year. This was an increase of 9,092 over the May 1961 figure and was 3,155 higher than in June of last year.

Total earnings for June this year amounted to \$134,735,000 which was an increase of \$9,245,000 over May and \$16,131,000 over June 1960.

**Staff Increases**

Staff strength was higher in three of the five groups of federal organizations with only agency corporations and departmental corporations showing decreases. The most significant increase occurred in proprietary corporations, up by 5,188, and in departmental branches and services, up by 4,787. The bulk of the increase is attributed to the Canadian National Railways which reported staff increases in all provinces except Nova Scotia. Trans Canada Air Lines also reported a substantial increase.

**Earnings Up**

Agency and proprietary corporations employed 1,139 people in Prince Edward Island, 3,399 in Quebec, 42,331 in Ontario, 4,978 in Saskatchewan and 7,157 in British Columbia. Total earnings of all government employees for the first six months of this year amounted to \$739,797,000, up by \$53,000,000 over the corresponding six months of 1960.

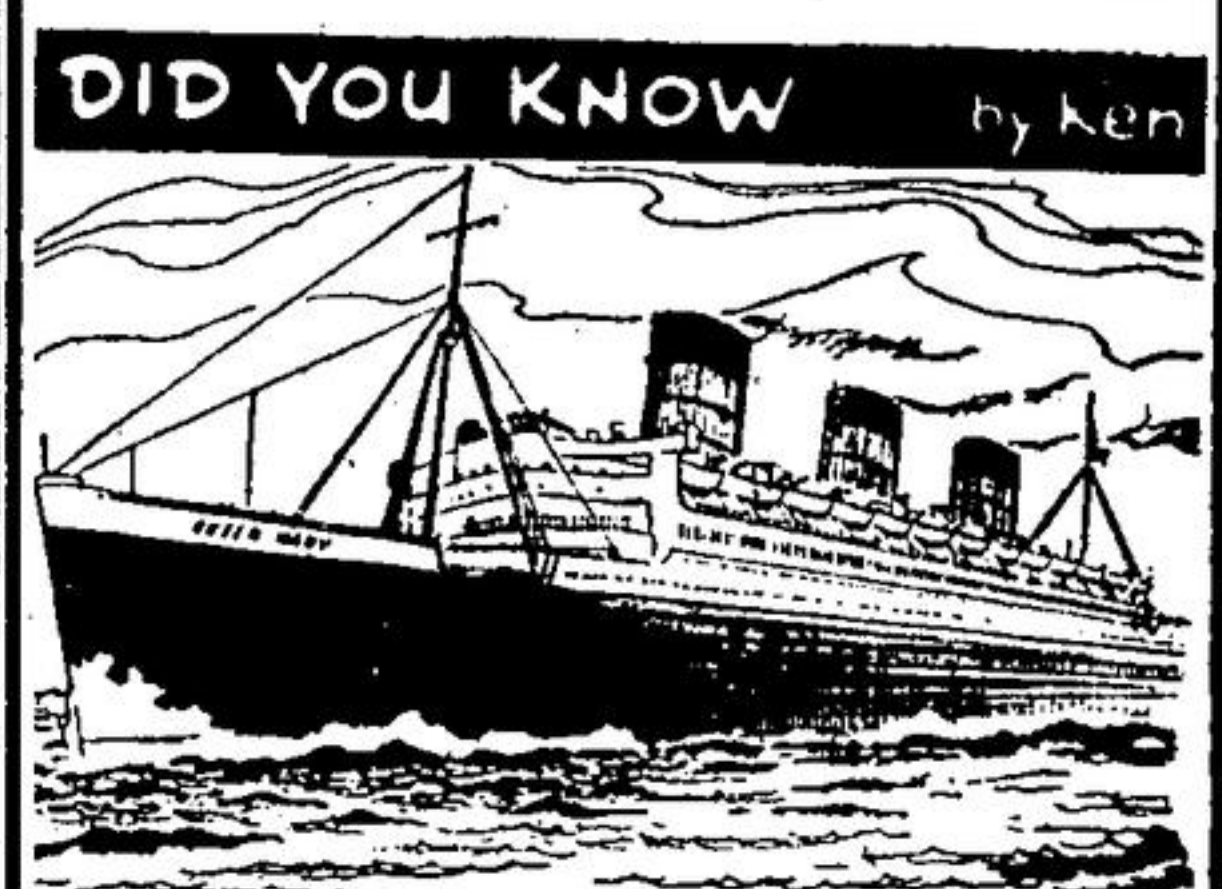
**Anglican Primate Asks Prayer Day**

The Most Rev. Howard H. Clark, Primate of the Anglican Communion in Canada, has requested all Anglicans to observe Remembrance Sunday this year as a day of Remembrance and Intercession for the Peace of the World.

The request springs from a resolution made at the meeting of the House of Bishops, held in Cornwall, Ont., September 28-30th, 1961. The following is the text of the resolution: Resolved that this House of Bishops request the Primate to call upon the clergy and laity of the Church to pray daily, faithfully and continually for the triumph of God's righteous peace in the world and to appoint Sunday, November 12th as a special Sunday of Remembrance and Intercession for the people of all nations, that God's way be known upon earth — His saving health among all nations.

**Stand Steady**

Archbishop Clark asked that the above resolution be read in all the parish churches and asked that the congregations be reminded of St. Luke 18:1 in which we read that our Lord "spoke a parable unto them to this end, that men ought always to pray, and not to faint." It is the Christian's vocation in these days to stand steady amidst all the dangers that we face, assured of the Providence of God and of the triumph of His good and perfect will in the spirit of faith and hope and we pray without ceasing and also with thanksgiving. For, however our souls may be distressed by the sorrows of the world, we must also be able to see with rejoicing the signs of God's goodness and mercy in leading the people's of the world out of darkness. Let us also pray that He will guide our feet into the way of peace.



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**LEGION NOTES**  
by Bill Rannachan

With the Remembrance Parade now in the past, there are so many honours that are due to the various organizations and comrades that were on parade, that I wish someone else was writing this column, but nevertheless I have the responsibility and with all due respects to every individual who took part in the Remembrance Day Parade, may I commence to thank His Honour, Mayor Ernie Hyde and all members of the council, Captain Lince, c/o of the Lorne Scots and his company, with special thanks for Cpl. W. Wilson and Cpl. R. Wilson, with the Guard, senior NCO Sgt. J. Doherty for their attention to the guard of the Centroph also those comrades who arrived much earlier than us to take up position policing the grounds, Tom Herbert, Ed McDer-mott, Walt Louth, R. Lorusso, Sgt. S. Mackenzie, RCAF, and Harry McKnight. And let's not forget the Georgetown Girls Pipe Band and the Georgetown Brass Band, with bandmaster Joe Wilcox, rendering the Last Post and the Reveille. As parade marshal Dave Bowman and President Dave Capper said to me: "If you have the space, Bill, would you please thank everyone who took part in this memorable Remembrance Day parade." So with this suggestion in mind I recall the wonderful sermon and prayers given by the Rev. Ian Fleming and the Rev. R. Stubble. For a finale many thanks to the Fire Dept. Mr. B. McNeilly, representing the Georgetown East Ratepayers Assoc., and of course our backbone, the Ladies Auxiliary. Not forgetting the good old coffee makers, Joe Martin, Alex Taylor, Jim Murphy and Lloyd Miller.

The Legion kids' film show started last Saturday with a wonderful film called "The Greatest Show on Earth." Yours truly saw the show and was very surprised that so many children in the community could or did not have the opportunity of seeing this show. I do not wish to dwell on this subject but may I emphasize to all parents and children of Georgetown, the Legion provides you and your children with a Saturday morning Film Show. It is organized, like all Legion activities, on a non profit making basis. An example: 15c admission, the pop for a nickel and lots of comrades giving their time to make sure that our children have a good time. Please keep in mind next week's film "Jack and the Beanstalk" and let's see you with all your children visit the Show. Doors open 10:30 a.m., show commences 11:00 a.m. sharp.

A little reminder to any of our comrades who haven't picked up their tickets. This Friday, November 10th, is our Remembrance Supper. As in past years, our executive have done a wonderful job of organizing speakers for this ceremony. Master of ceremonies will be Les Clark.

On Saturday, November 18th, with the assistance of the Georgetown Ladies Dart League, Branch 120 are having a mixed darts tournament. Gob Collier, sports chairman, informs me that teams will consist of 2 men and 2 ladies and doubles will consist of (naturally) 1 man and 1 lady. This is an open tournament and all, north, south, east and west are welcome to enter. Playoff time, 1 p.m. For further information, please contact Gob Collier, or Mrs. R. Rudiger, President, Georgetown Ladies Dart League. New Comrades are reminded that the Children's Xmas Party is just weeks away, so be sure to put your children's names on the register provided on the notice board.

I was about in finish this column with the above paragraph and suddenly I was greeted by someone near and dear to me with the reminder "What about our law enforcement officers? Did they not assist you in the Remembrance Day parade?" and truthfully they did assist us tremendously. To Chief Constable Haley and his stalwart officers, may I say thank you for a job well done. (Now may I tear up that ticket?)

**Operated Hotel For 48 Years**

One of the oldest members of Georgetown's business community, Mrs. Arvilla Wright, 79 died at her home, 1 King Street West on October 30th. Mrs. Wright had been a town resident for 48 years when, with her husband Harry she moved to Georgetown to operate the Exchange Hotel near the CNR station. Prior to that they operated hotels in Noholton and Richmond Hill. She continued to operate the business after his death some years ago.

**Born at Brome**

She was the former Arvilla Beer, daughter of Joseph and Mary Beer, and was born at Brome. She leaves two daughters, Mrs. George Brandford (Kathleen) and Mrs. Maurice Hillock (Dorothy) of town; 7 grandchildren and 6 great grandchildren. Two sons predeceased her, Stanley and Clayton. She was the last surviving member of her own family.

**Funeral**

Rev. Kenneth Richardson conducted the funeral service on Thursday at the Harold C. McClure Funeral Home and interment was in Greenwood Cemetery. Pallbearers were Glenn Wright Hillock, Terry Bludd, Harry Brandford, Douglas Logan, Nick Brown and Jim Ford.

**EMO Deputy Speaks To Red Cross Group**

The regular executive meeting of the Georgetown and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society was held on Monday afternoon at the home of the Public Relations Chairman Mrs. Jack Nieuwhof, 25 McGilvray Crescent.

Mrs. Ronald Lytle, vice-president, read the minutes of the last meeting in Mrs. K. H. York's absence. She reported also that the Home Nursing Course is in full swing and that a very informative talk and film was presented by Mr. George Macaulay of Georgetown who is Deputy Co-ordinator of Emergency Measures for Halton County. Mr. Macaulay has accepted this appointment on a volunteer basis and will be active in the organization of training classes and giving general information to the public in this area.

Mrs. E. Rawson, who is in charge of the Loan Cupboard, placed a wreath at the Cenotaph on behalf of the Georgetown and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, during the Armistice Day services on Sunday, November 5, 1961. A loan of crutches from the Loan Cupboard to the public was reported.

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