

Bennett Scores Statements About B.C. Civil Service

VICTORIA (C)—Premier Bennett has issued a prepared press in which he scored "wild statements appearing in the news-

paper regarding the civil service."

The premier said his government has great confidence in the civil servants, and has "made less changes in personnel than any new government has ever made in Canada."

"The average salaries of government employees is higher than ever before in the history of the province, the average monthly wage being \$253.71," he said.

However, the premier made no mention of the root of the civil servants dispute with the government—the cabinet's refusal to meet with the B.C. Government Employees' Association grievance committee to hear job grievances and wage requests.

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TWO FORMER FOOTBALL STARS, who jointly own and operate a used-car lot in Clifton Heights, Pa., go into a huddle over a business transaction. Steve Van Buren (left), former star and coach for the Philadelphia Eagles, and Mike Kerns, ex-Penn State griddler, have plenty to talk about when business is slow.

BLACKWOOD on BRIDGE

By EASLEY BLACKWOOD

Player's Wrong Timing Costs Her The Contract

The dummy in today's deal was quite a disappointment to Mrs. Keen. Not that the expected values weren't there—but they were badly placed. If she could have suited the king and queen of spades to the club suit or the diamond suit, the contract would have been a laydown. As it was, she played the hand well from a mechanical standpoint. Only her strategy could have been improved.

Mr. Dale's lead of the jack of spades was covered in dummy and won by Mr. Champion with the ace. Back came the queen of diamonds and Mrs. Keen let it hold. Her plan was to eliminate all of the spades and diamonds from her hand and from dummy—and then to put one of the defenders in the lead with a second round of clubs.

Mr. Champion continued with the jack of diamonds and this time Mrs. Keen won with the ace. She entered dummy with the queen of hearts, led the queen of spades and discarded her last diamond.

She ruffed dummy's last spade with the nine of hearts. Dummy was entered again with the jack of hearts, picking up the last of the outstanding trumps. Now dummy's last diamond was played and ruffed in the closed hand.

At this point Mrs. Keen laid down the ace of clubs hoping somebody held the king doubleton. If that were the case, then the opponent who won with the king would have to return either a diamond or a spade and Mrs. Keen would ruff in dummy while discarding her losing club.

She got her wish. Mr. Dale did have the king of clubs guarded only once. But he was not caught napping. On the ace of clubs he promptly dropped the king. Clubs were continued and Mr. Champion won the next two tricks to defeat the contract.

Mrs. Keen would have had a

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Canadian Army Pill Pushers To Mark 50th Anniversary of RCAMC July 2

OTTAWA (C)—Army sawbones and pill-pushers in Canada, Europe and the Far East will celebrate the 50th birthday of the Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps July 2.

Army headquarters said today the principal birthday ceremony will be held at the RCAMC school at Camp Borden, Ont., where there will be a ceremonial parade, historical pageant and parties in the various messes.

A special feature will be the official opening of the new Banting barracks block by Lady Henrietta Banting. The building is named after Lady Banting's husband, the late Sir Frederick

Banting, co-discoverer of insulin and former RCAMC officer. Medical services in the Canadian Army did not become a July 2, 1904, announced that the Canadian militia army medical services would become known as the army medical corps. But origin of the Canadian army medical service goes back to the time of the Northwest Rebellion in 1885.

GRANTED "ROYAL" TITLE
The permanent component of the corps was granted the title "royal" in 1919 and this distinction was granted the reserve component in 1936.

During the Boer War two Canadian military hospitals were sent to South Africa. Their staffs included 16 militia nursing sisters.

During the First World War corps personnel served on all fronts where Canadian troops were in action. Two Victoria Crosses were won by members of the corps. A total of 21,453 served and 1,198 were battle casualties, including 504 killed.

In the Second World War, 34,786 personnel served in the RCAMC and 430 were battle casualties. In addition to Canadian nursing sisters who served on all fronts with Canadian troops, 300 Canadian nurses were loaned to the South African forces and 75 Canadian medical officers served with the British army.

The RCAMC has provided units for service in Korea and Germany. The Queen recently approved appointment of the Queen Mother as colonel-in-chief of the corps.

Bright Future For Hollywood Seen by Steady Van Johnson

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (C)—It isn't true that to be a Hollywood star you have to own three swimming pools — labelled "his," "hers," and "theirs."

"Haven't even one," said Van Johnson, who has made 50 pictures since 1941.

Johnson, now hitting the peak of his career, is a cheerful relief from the breast-beating type of actor who predicts the west coast film colony will become a ghost town.

"I've never felt more excitement in Hollywood," he said. "They have a new feeling out there. They are concentrating on quality pictures, and they are turning out better pictures all the time."

OSCAR CANDIDATE

Van hit a new top himself recently as Lieut. Steve Maryk in "The Caine Mutiny," a role that may make him a candidate for an academy award.

Van has had to surmount three handicaps to gain serious recognition as a film actor: (1) red hair, (2) freckles, and (3) a "face like the boy next door."

"In my first picture, a crime short," he recalled, "I insisted on dyeing my hair black and covering my freckles. Then it started raining, and the dye ran all over my face—and darn near washed me right out of Hollywood."

BOBBYSOX IDOL
As "the boy next door" Van clicked quickly and became a bobbysox idol.

"I still hate that term," he said. "But the bobbysoxers all grew up and became mothers. I had the problem of growing up, too. I got pretty tired of being the boy next door with the apple pie face."

He will team with Deborah Kerr in his next film, "The End of the Affair," to be made in England. One of the steadiest workers in the industry, Van doesn't want to become a picture-a-year actor.

"What would I do the rest of

IWA Will Sign Pact This Week

VANCOUVER (C)—Official signing of the 1954 contract between the International Woodworkers of America (IWA) and Forest Industrial Relations will take place this week.

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