

Docker Fights For Control Of U. K. Industrial Empire

By JOHN DUDMAN
LONDON (Reuters) — Millionaire Sir Bernard Docker today reaches the climax of his dramatic and unprecedented struggle to regain control of the giant combine that ousted him as chairman in May.

The industrialist will appear with his blonde wife beside him at a special London meeting of shareholders of the Birmingham Small Arms Company.

He will force a showdown with the man who replaced him as chairman, John Young Sangster, and demand the removal of three other company directors who agreed to his ouster.

The industrialist has spent about £5,000 in commercial television advertising to vindicate himself of charges that he spent too much on publicity and failed to consult fellow directors on important business matters.

Most were that he spent company funds to publicize his luxurious life with Lady Docker whose gold-plated automobiles have become a byword in Britain.

Thrice-married Lady Docker, whose parties regularly make headlines, is to be the woman among other accomplishments.

Directors' charges about the high-living of his wife, Docker retorted she had given the firm pub-

licity assessed by experts as "worth a million."

The 59-year-old industrialist still is tremendously rich despite the loss of his job. He is battling however, to restore his personal reputation as a tycoon.

About 2,000 shareholders are expected to turn up for today's meeting.

One big issue will be a clothing bill for about £7,000 for Lady Docker. Her husband said it should have been viewed as a tax-free expense in lieu of the importance of the publicity for our trade."

CARS PUBLICIZED

Daimler automobiles, which won Lady Docker world-wide publicity are made by BSA.

The directors said five limousines were ordered by Docker at cost to the firm of more than £50,000. They claimed that two of the cars since had been sold at a loss while all attempts to sell the rest known as gold-plated Daimler had failed.

Docker retorted that the cars had been made over a period of years for advertising purposes with the full knowledge and approval of the board. Recently, he said he received a £15,000 "concrete offer" for the gold-plated cars from Australia where the car is on exhibition at a world fair in Sydney.

Prevailing Rate For Federal Employees Varies In Nfld.

OTTAWA (CP)—The president of the Exchequer Court of Canada ruled Tuesday in effect, that prevailing rate employees of the federal government in Newfoundland need not be paid the same rates as federal employees in other parts of Canada.

Mr. Justice J. T. Thorson gave this opinion as he dismissed the action by Chesley Samson, a carpenter employed by the transport department at Gander Airport who claimed \$3,468 in back pay. Samson claimed the amount represented the difference between the wages paid to him in the period April 1, 1949, when Newfoundland joined Confederation, and June 30, 1952, and the wages that should have been paid during that period.

Supported by the attorney-general of Newfoundland in the test case, he based his claim on the terms of union of Newfoundland. Samson was paid rates varying between 86½ cents an hour starting April 1, 1949, and \$1.30 an hour at June 30, 1952. He argued that he should have received between \$1.20 and \$1.50 an hour, as was paid prevailing rate carpenters at Dorval Airport, near Montreal. He argued that Gander and Dorval are comparable because both are international airports.

COULD VARY WITH PLACE

Mr. Justice Thorson said in his reason for judgment that Samson based his claim on the contention that the terms of union provided that his pay would be equivalent to similar employment elsewhere in Canada.

That was an erroneous interpretation of the terms of union. Rate of pay of a prevailing rate employee was based on the prevailing rate in the area of his employment for the type of work he did.

The rate for carpenters working at federal airports could be set by the transport department with approval of the treasury board and could vary from place to place.

Mr. Justice Thorson said there is no basis in law for Samson's claim that there was discrimination against Gander carpenters because they were not paid the same as Dorval carpenters.

Rimeys Believe It or Not!

THE OLDEST SPOT ON EARTH
THE PEAK OF MT. KOSCIUSZKO
AUSTRIA
WAS THE FIRST PIECE OF THE EARTH'S CRUST
TO EMERGE FROM BENEATH THE PRIMAL SEA
—MILLIONS OF YEARS AGO

12½ CENT NOTE
REDEEMABLE IN FLOUR
—LEGAL U.S. TENDER IN 1951

THE ELECTRONS
FLOWING THROUGH
THE FILAMENT
OF A 50-WATT
LIGHT BULB
IN ONE MINUTE
EXCEED THE NUMBER OF
DROPS OF WATER
FLOWING OVER
NIAGARA FALLS
IN A CENTURY

LADY SABA HOLLAND (1802-1864)
DAUGHTER OF THE COLONELIZED LADY SYDNEY SMITH
SLEPT EVERY NIGHT OF HER LIFE
IN THE SAME BED

Poet Gives Dramatic Reading From His Works

An inspiring recital, which took the form of a dramatic reading of his own poetry, was given in the Heartz Hall last evening by one of Canada's most distinguished poets, Mr. Wilson MacDonald.

A veteran of many years' achievement in this exacting literary art, Mr. MacDonald is perhaps best known as a romantic poet. But his work is too varied to be placed in any category, and this variety, as well as his gift for deeply moving rhythms, for striking imagery and choice phrases, was evident in the poems which he read last evening. Many of the pieces were evocative of serene and quiet contemplation, while others disclosed a warm humanity, a keen sense of humor, and contempt for shame and insincerity.

He ranged far and wide in his readings and commentaries, passing freely from grave to gay, from "lively to severe." Always there was the magic touch of the artist in words, supplemented by a beautifully modulated voice and a fine dramatic expression. Indeed, his interpretation gave a new dimension to the poems as one sees them in print, and illustrated the old truth that poetry was meant primarily to be read aloud, and can only be truly felt and appreciated in this manner.

Mr. MacDonald's selection included "Whist a Wee", the stirring "Song of the Sky," "July," from his latest book "Lyric Year"; passages from the "Caw Caw Ballads"; stanzas from the beautifully descriptive "Bras d'Or"; a paraphrase from the opening chapters of Genesis, which the poet chanted to his own piano accompaniment, and "Immanence", which he aptly described as his benediction in verse.

In his opening remarks Mr. MacDonald paid warm tribute to the achievement of the Island authorities, Lucy Maud Montgomery, and to the grandeur of the sand dunes at Cavendish.

The hall was well filled last evening and the readings were warmly applauded by the audience. Among those in attendance were His Honour Lieutenant Governor Prowse and Premier Matheson.

Dr. Frank MacKinnon, Principal of Prince of Wales College, presided and introduced the speaker. Dr. G.D. Steel, past principal of the College, moved a warm vote of thanks at the close of the proceedings.

EASTERN GUARDIAN

FUNERAL AT FLAT RIVER — The funeral of Miss Mabel McKenzie was held Monday afternoon from the residence of her nephew, Donald McKenzie, Flat River. Service at the home and grave were conducted by the Rev. E. C. Evans, assisted by the Rev. Fred MacKinnon. Flower bearers were Cecil Mosher, Lester McRae, Kenneth Morrison, Eddie McDonald and Neil Morrison, Alex McLean. The pall bearers were John R. Williams, David Ross, Malcolm McDonald, Simon Stewart, Damon Ross, Malcolm Nicholson. Interment took place in Belfast Cemetery.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh MacPhee, of Everett, Mass., are at present vacationing on P.E.I. Mr. MacPhee is a native of Cape Breton, N.S.

Friends of David Thompson, Annapolis will regret to learn of injuries he received due to an accidental fall. He was rushed to Souris Hospital by Mr. John Jackson and Mr. Banks, and will remain there for several days for treatment.

MACLEOD FUNERAL — The funeral of the late John T. MacLeod was held Tuesday afternoon with a short service at his late residence to Little Sands United Church where services were conducted by Rev. Fred MacKinnon. The flower bearers were: George M. Blue, Larry Blue, Albert Blue, M.A. MacKenzie, Alden Blue, Sydney Munn. The pall bearers were Messrs. John H. MacLean, Peter MacLean, John D. Bruce, Donald MacLennan, Malcolm Livingstone. Interment was in Little Sands Cemetery.

BAN KAYE FILMS
DAMASCUS, Syria (AP)—Officials said today Syria has banned movies starring Danny Kaye because the Hollywood comic has carried on pro-Israeli activities in the United States and Israel. Kaye recently visited Israel as part of a world tour on behalf of the United Nations International Children's Emergency Fund.

CROWN LAND
Only seven per cent of Canada's forested land is privately owned; the rest is held in the name of the Crown.

BRISTOL

Reginald O'Brien, R. C. A. F., Montreal, left last week for his posting. He spent a month with his parents here Mr. and Mrs. James A. O'Brien Mr. O'Brien, remained with the airforce after the war.

Mrs. Mary Harvey, Boston, Mass. has arrived here to spend the summer months with her parents Mr. and Mrs. James A. O'Brien. Some married members of the family will motor down for her later in the fall.

Father P. McKenna, was here from Boston last week as a special guest to attend the Rossiter-Butler wedding. The Father has been a long time friend of the Rossiter family.

Miss Lorraine Sinnott, R. N. of the Charlottetown Hospital staff spent a few days with her parents here last week.

Miss Norma Sinnott has returned from a two weeks vacation in the western part of the Island. She was visiting with her sisters and other young friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Daveaux, Halifax, N. S. are visiting with Mr. Daveaux' brother-in-law and sister Mrs. and Mrs. James Kennefick at present. Many years have passed since Leo Daveaux left Bristol and the younger class don't know him at all.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Kennefick left last week for their home in Northern Ontario. They spent two weeks with Mr. Kennefick's parents on the old homestead. It is seven years since Leo was here and his friends were glad to see Mrs. Kennefick and him.

Able Seaman Laurence Gauthier has arrived home to spend his leave with his wife at Southport.

NOTICE

Pupils intending to enter Grades 1 to 12 at Montague School, must register at the High School on Monday, August 6, between 2 and 4 P. M.

ST. GEORGE'S CHICKEN SUPPER

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 1ST.
SUPPER SERVED AT 5:00
Games - Bazaar - Dance.

WARNING!

INTERRUPTION NOTICE

There will be an interruption of electric power on our Montague line, east of Cherry Valley Corner, on Wednesday, August 1st, weather permitting, between the hours of 1:30 and 4:30 p.m., for the purpose of moving the line as required by the construction of the Trans-Canada Highway.

Maritime Electric Co. Ltd.

SUGAR LOAF

Rio de Janeiro's landmark, Sugar Loaf Hill, rises 1,230 feet above the city.

MAYFAIR THEATRE

MURRAY RIVER, AUGUST 1st — 8:30 P.M.
(WEDNESDAY ONLY)

"THE GOOD DIE YOUNG"

Starring LAURENCE HARVEY, GLORIA GRAHAME

Each had a problem—Money and how to get some. The result is thrilling dramatic entertainment. A top-notch cast in a top-notch drama.

COMING — THURSDAY - FRIDAY (Only)

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In Technicolor

Starring GREGORY PECK, JANE WYMAN, CLAUDE JARMAN JR.

Great as a Best Seller. Greater as a motion picture. One of the all time great films; brought back so you may enjoy it once again.

SHOW TIME — 8:30 P.M.

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Wed. — Thur.
Adm. 30-46
Inc. Prov.
Gov. A. Tax

"SQUARE JUNGLE"

TONY CURTIS - PAT CROWLEY - ERNEST BORGNINE

From the slums of the Big City to the slums of life a young man finds himself and others. A truly gripping boxing story. Rated excellent everywhere it has played. Truly a great picture from which one can learn much and remember more. A learning only a fool could forget. Come, see and be pleased.

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AT CHARLOTTETOWN
AUSPICES: ABEGWEIT ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

SIDE SHOWS LAST FOUR DAYS **SIDE SHOWS**

LOCATION: ELM AVENUE AND SUMMER STREETS

ARRIVING WITH 20 RAILROAD CARS OF AMUSEMENT —
MERRY-GO-ROUND - FERRIS WHEEL - RIDE-O - TILT-A-WHIRL - CATERPILLAR - WHIP and the new Sensational "RIDE THE MOON ROCKET".

5c SPECIAL CHILDREN'S MATINEES **5c**
WEDNESDAY AND SATURDAY AFTERNOONS — ALL RIDES 5c

NORTH RIVER

DRIVE-IN Theatre

TONIGHT
WHO ARE THE NIGHT PEOPLE AND WHAT DO THEY DO?

These are the violent people of the midnight zones of the Berlin underworld... people of terrifying contrasts... people of betrayal, passion, intrigue... who stalk this city of terror where no one is too innocent to die suddenly, violently—where love and hate are weapons, not emotions — where nothing happens in the daytime, and everything happens at night!

GREGORY PECK **CINEMASCOPE**
Broderick CRAWFORD **NIGHT PEOPLE**
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BOX OFFICE OPENS 7:45 — SHOW AT DUSK
THUR. - FRI. — ADVENTURE THRILLER
"LURE OF THE WILDERNESS"
SAT. & MON. — Musical Comedy
Dick Haymes
"CRUISING DOWN THE RIVER"

RELAX IN COMFORT AND PRIVACY

SPECIAL! SPECIAL! TODAY and THURSDAY

SEE IT ON OUR GIANT SCREEN!

- DRAMATIC NEWS REEL FILMS SHOWING THE SINKING OF ITALIAN LUXURY LINER "ANDREA DORIA".
- SEA RESCUE BY LIFEBOATS AND HELICOPTER.
- SWEDISH LINER "STOCKHOLM", ITS BOW BADLY DAMAGED AND "ILE DE FRANCE" LAND SURVIVORS.
- TEARFUL SCENES AS SURVIVORS TELL OF COLLISION AND RESCUE.

Feature Attraction: He's the new Comedy Star in a Rollicking Musical Hit!

It's the gayest, singiest, danciest romance in years!

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DAVID NIVEN

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SHOWS 2:30 **CAPITOL**
7-9

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