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IMF man Callaghan reports to Commons

PRIME MINISTER James Callaghan is expected to report to the Commons today on the ill-fated Common Market summit at Bremen.

He emerged as an opponent of the Schmidt-Giscard plan for EEC monetary union in a bid to fight the economic stranglehold of the International Monetary Fund and the US dollar.

The British Labour leader has fully lived up to the title conferred on him by News Line: 'Callaghan — the IMF man.' (News Line, July 1, 1978)

The disarray among European leaders means that the world economic summit starting next Sunday in Bonn, with the participation of President Carter and Prime Minister Takeo Fukuda, is a non-starter.

Ex-Iraqi PM shot

A FORMER Iraqi premier was fighting for his life in London last night after being shot in the head.

A gunman opened fire as General Abdul Razzak Al-Naif, 44, was climbing into a black taxi outside the Inter-Continental Hotel, near Hyde Park.

Gen Al-Naif is understood to have fled Iraq in 1968 after which he was sentenced to death in absentia. He acquired Jordanian nationality in 1975.

Survived

The general survived an attempted assassination by three young Iraqis in London in 1972.

In the new bid on his life yesterday he fell in a pool of blood and bullet-shattered glass in front of the hotel entrance in Hamilton Place.

A man chased and stopped the gunman as he ran off on foot towards Park Lane.

Later a man was being questioned at Vine Street police station.



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March shows strength of revolutionary policies

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The names of Irish political prisoners in British jails were prominent at the front of yesterday's march through London

RALLY FOR POWs

BY JOHN SPENCER

FOUR THOUSAND five hundred demonstrators marched through London yesterday demanding the release of Irish political prisoners and supporting the prisoners' struggle for political status.

The march, organised by the Prisoners Aid Committee, was the largest demonstration through London in support of the Irish struggle since Bloody Sunday in 1972.

Marchers at the front of the demonstration carried placards with the names of over 80 Republican prisoners in English jails and banners naming jails in Ireland where Republican prisoners are held.

The march included contingents from the PAC, Sinn Fein, the Workers Revolutionary Party and the Young

Socialists. A contingent of marchers from the Euro-Long March, which has been on the road in Europe for 11 weeks, joined the demonstration.

Trade union banners on the march included branches of the ASTMS, Transport and General Workers' Union and Edinburgh trades council. There were also contingents from revisionist groups.

A meeting in Hyde Park before the march began heard a recorded speech from David O'Connell, secretary of the Provisional Sinn Fein.

He called for the smashing of the 'wall of

silence' around the Long Kesh concentration camp, where over 300 prisoners are forced to live in squalor and filth because of their refusal to wear the prison uniform.

Greetings

Bringing greetings to the demonstration from the Workers Revolutionary Party Central Committee, Vanessa Redgrave, the Party's candidate in the Moss Side by-election said:

'We salute all those in Long Kesh H-Block who have resisted without

breaking for 22 months.'

Their fight proved that all the forces of British imperialism had been unable to defeat the Irish working class, she said to loud applause.

It was the Labour government, with Callaghan as Home Secretary which had sent British troops into Ireland in 1969, brought in the SAS assassination squads and established Europe's only concentration camp at Long Kesh.

'The policies of this government cannot be defeated by protest and pressure — what is the use of taking horse

manure into a place that is already brimful of it?

'The only way to get British troops out of Ireland, release the prisoners and defeat the policies of British imperialism is to bring down this Callaghan Lib-Lab coalition government,' she said.

Struggle

Jim Reilly of Provisional Sinn Fein said the struggle for political status by the prisoners was an extension of the war against British rule. 'They have shown us the way forward — it is up to us to

give them the support they need,' he said.

Jackie Kaye of the PAC said:

'We are looking for principled support from people who recognise our right to campaign in our own way. We have asked for support today for the aims of the PAC, for a disciplined, political campaign, not adventurism and circuses.

'The PAC is the only prisoner organisation in this country which is campaigning on behalf of Irish Republican prisoners.

● See Gartree protest page 3

PAMPLONA CLASH HALTS FESTIVAL

PAMPLONA, SPAIN — Pamplona's running of the bulls festival was cancelled yesterday after clashes between police and Basque demonstrators in which one man was killed and dozens of people were injured.

Riot police reinforcements arrived in a town littered with the debris of barricades. Cars set alight by demonstrators were still smouldering.

Trouble began on Saturday night when riot police firing rubber bullets and smoke bombs stormed into the packed bullring to break up fighting between spectators and left-wing Basque demonstrators.

Police opened fire several times, the police chief said.

Six people were hit by bullets and one later died in hospital although it was not immediately clear if it was a police bullet which

killed him.

Two policemen were stabbed and 30 more had other injuries.

The police chief told reporters: 'The situation is very tense. The festival is finished.'

Tourists had poured into Pamplona for the seven-day annual festival, famous for the daily running of the bulls.

Seven fighting bulls are let loose along one mile of narrow, cobbled streets leading to the bullring where they are fought in the evening.

The number of injured was finally put by officials at 135. Seven people had bullet wounds and 12 were in a serious condition, hospital sources said.

The Civil Governor met representatives of political parties and trade unions to discuss the incidents and decide the fate of the festival.

Inflation: still gloomy

THE MEDIA and government ministers will be blowing horns of plenty when the latest price figures are produced this week.

They are the last set of figures before Callaghan announces the next round of pay policy — and they have got to look good to provide the union leaders with an adequate excuse for collaborating with Phase Four.

But though the latest Retail Price Index, published next Friday, is likely to provide the government with the cover it wants, even the blindest capitalist pundit is having to admit that the slump is having an effect on the economy.

With no major price rises due to show in the June index, the figures are likely to show inflation has fallen from 7.7 per cent in May to near 7 per cent in June — the lowest level since

September 1972.

But, as the Press Association commented yesterday: 'It is becoming increasingly likely that the government's long run of success will end when the July index is published. It will reflect the latest mortgage interest rate rise, and even the most optimistic forecasters see no further drop in the rate of inflation beyond mid-summer.'

Ministers believe that the rate will continue bobbing around the 7 to 8 per cent mark for the coming months.

But the Press Association points out: 'In fact the underlying rate of inflation is already above this. Excluding seasonal foods, the RPI is showing an annual rate of inflation of 8.6 per cent.'

'And other figures on wholesale prices, due out ahead of the RPI this week, are also expected to show that prices of goods leaving

factories on their way to the shops are about 9 per cent more expensive than a year ago.'

Factory gate prices are said to be still feeling the beneficial impact of the performance of the pound — particularly against the dollar late last year — but raw material costs have been rising rapidly because of the drop in sterling and this will soon show in the shops.

Gloom

All together, the pundits — from stockbrokers, bankers and the so-called forecasters — have one word for the next few economic months ... gloom.

Workers, more sensitive than ever about the effect of the rising cost of living on their wage packets and purses, should easily recognise this week's attempt at figure-twisting as a poor excuse for another year of pay restraint.

Sudan expels stooges

KHARTOUM — Sudan has expelled seven associates of Rhodesian stooge leader Ndabingi Sithole who were canvassing during an OAU Ministerial council meeting here.

Peter Onu, spokesman of the Organisation of African Unity (OAU), said the seven, whose identities were not known, had flown here on Friday to lobby delegates preparing the agenda for an OAU summit in Khartoum from July 18 to 21.

'The decision to expel them was taken on the grounds that they had collaborated with the enemy Ian Smith and were here to create confusion,' Dr Onu said.

Decision

The decision was taken by the government of Sudan, not the OAU which recognises only the Patriotic Front guerrilla alliance of Robert Mugabe and Joshua Nkomo, he added.

Sithole is one of three black leaders taking part in the transitional government with the white racists in Salisbury.

Yesterday the OAU Ministerial council expelled the Comoro Islands delegation saying they represented a regime installed by mercenaries.

The expulsion of the four-man delegation believed to be only the third in the OAU's 15-year history, was proposed by Benin and backed by several other states.

Big rise in car imports

FOREIGN cars won nearly half the UK market in June, according to the latest details of new car registrations published today by the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders.

Importers had a 48.3 per cent share of the market with 64,098 sales compared with 43.3 per cent in June last year. New car sales generally were the best for any June since 1973, at 132,628 — 34 per cent higher than for June last year.

Sales totalled 868,957 for the first six months of the year — 24 per cent up on last year.

Ford topped the sales charts, selling 37,945 cars in June and grabbing a 28.6 per cent share of the market. These included 11,865 cars imported from Europe.

The Cortina, with 14,692 models sold, and the Escort (11,632) were the most popular new cars.

Second

British Leyland were second in the league with 23,369 sales (17.62 per cent), including 833 Belgian-built Allegros; ahead of Vauxhall 15,868 (11.96 per cent) and Chrysler

9,681 (7.3 per cent).

Although foreign imports were up, the Japanese share of the market fell to 9.26 per cent, compared with 11.07 per cent in June last year. But Japanese sales over the first six months are 45 per cent up on the first half of last year with 95,626 cars sold — 11.6 per cent compared with 9.4 per cent of the market.

Fiat were the top European importer with more than 37,000 cars during the first six months of this year — a 4.3-per-cent share of the market ahead of Renault and VW/Audi.

Mid-East talks already doomed

TEL AVIV — The Israeli Cabinet decided yesterday to send Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan to talks in London with Egyptian Foreign Minister Mohammed Ibrahim Kamel and US Secretary of State Cyrus Vance on July 18 and 19.

The talks seem to be doomed before they start because the Cabinet also rejected the Egyptian proposals for Zionist evacuation of the West Bank and the Gaza Strip.

There was also an air of unreality surrounding the talks held in Vienna at the weekend between President Sadat and the Israeli emissary, Shimon Peres, the leader of the opposition Labour Party.

On Saturday they were joined by Austrian Chancellor Bruno Kreisky who was in London a week ago and the former West German Chancellor Willy Brandt of the infamous Second International.

Afterwards Sadat told reporters, 'I made my views known, Mr Peres made his known and it was a very happy meeting, which does not mean we agreed on everything.'

Declaration

A 'Jerusalem Post' reporter accompanying Peres said the Labour leader had come to Vienna hoping to get an informal agreement on a declaration of principles for a Middle East deal.

He added, 'In keeping with the charade of brother socialist leaders meeting for a chat, not to negotiate, Peres says he would not

announce any such agreement publicly.

'But he would confront the government back home with it, presumably the essence of the confrontation would leak out.'

State of war

With a state of war already existing between Israel and its two immediate neighbours Syria and Lebanon there seems absolutely no chance that this diplomatic scheming will resolve the central conflict between the Zionist imperialists and the Palestine Liberation Organisation. It seems that the State Department is prepared to exhaust the so-called Sadat initiative and turn the Egyptian president into a scapegoat before introducing new proposals which have the backing of the Soviet bureaucracy.

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A bomb victims protest

SASEBO, Japan — Victims of US imperialism's atom-bomb attack on Japan during World War II were among 7,000 people who demonstrated peacefully yesterday against the proposed arrival of a nuclear-powered vessel for repairs at a local shipyard. The vessel had a radiation leak on its maiden voyage.

Some 1,200 riot police stood by at the rally and ensuing demonstrations against any future appearance by the 8,214-ton 'Mutsu', Japan's only nuclear-powered ship.

The city council of this western Japanese city near Nagasaki, atom-bombed by the US in 1945 has approved the visit.

The government-owned ship has not yet been given a date to sail to Sasebo with its auxiliary diesel engines from its mooring off Amori, northern Japan, where it has been tied up since 1974.



THE ROOF-TOP sit-in by eight Republican prisoners at Gartree maximum security prison, Leicestershire, ended quietly yesterday afternoon after 52 hours.

The eight men, who climbed on to the roof of the kitchen block on Friday morning, were demanding political prisoner status and a transfer to Ireland to serve the rest of their sentences.

Their protest coincided with yesterday's London demonstration which also demanded full visiting rights, without harassment for relatives of prisoners.

Reporters, photographers, police and many sight-seers saw the men wave their Republican flag and shout down their political demands.

It was a wet and windy start to the

protest and the men sheltered from the fine rain under a large red blanket. Later on Saturday they managed to climb down into one of the kitchen block lofts and leave their heads and banners just visible from the outside.

They were out again yesterday as the weather broke and — as the London demonstration came to an end — they went quietly back to their cells.

COFFIN TORTURE

THE British army has added a diabolical new twist to its terror regime in the north of Ireland.

The army has started an investigation into the story of 25-year-old Patrick McAleer from Dungannon.

McAleer was arrested last week near his home and taken to the army's Armagh headquarters. At 4.30 in the morning he was taken from the barracks and placed in a coffin which carried a label bearing his name.

The coffin was put in a Land Rover which was driven through the streets of Armagh, and the villages of Blackwatertown and Moy, where McAleer was eventually allowed out of the coffin and released.

Unfortunately for the army, McAleer managed to hold on to a souvenir of his macabre journey — the label with his name on it.

According to Independent MP for Fermanagh and South Tyrone, Frank Maguire, the label is now in the hands of civil rights campaigner, Fr Denis Faul in Dungannon.

Maguire added he was perturbed that McAleer had been re-arrested by the Royal Ulster Constabulary after making his complaint.

Patrick McAleer was re-arrested on Saturday on a three-day detention order. MP Maguire said he could not help wondering if this was due to the fact that McAleer had lodged a complaint against the British army.

Clash over choice of Reid for MP



Reid

MEMBERS of the Labour Party's Organisation Sub-Committee are looking for a respectable compromise over the choice of former Communist Party member James Reid to fight the seat in Dundee East.

The one-time Stalinist leader of the infamous work-in at the Upper Clyde shipyards in 1971-1972 has only been a Labour Party card-holder for 18 months.

If his selection is endorsed it will crack the enormously important rule that you must be a party member for at least two years before becoming a prospective candidate.

Not that the Labour Party do not want Reid — they certainly need him. His particular brand of reformism, which carried him comfortably through his years as a servant to King Street Stalinism, and led to several betrayals, including the loss of 2,000 jobs at UCS, is credential enough for the new type of 'left' MP being groomed for the Parliamentary Labour Party.

Reid is the new breed. And the right wing want him. In Dundee East, he was put up in opposition to the more orthodox 'left' candidate and won, presumably, with right-wing votes backing him.

'Save St Nicks'

NEARLY 600 supporters of the 'Save St Nicks' campaign marched from County Hall to Downing Street in London yesterday to hand in a petition demanding the Plumstead hospital be kept open. The petition contained 60,000 signatures of people from the Woolwich, Thamesmead, Erith, Crayford and south-east London area.



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Anti Nazi League CAMPAIGN CONFERENCE

The platform at the Anti-Nazi League conference. Left to right Audrey Wise, Peter Hain, Maurice Ludmer, Ernie Roberts, Paul Holborow, Bill Taylor and Nigel Harris

'Keep Blacks Out' policy for ANL

THE ANTI-NAZI League rejected calls to oppose immigration controls at its campaign conference in London on Saturday.

The move was pushed through the conference with the combined votes of the Communist Party, Socialist Workers Party and International Marxist Group.

The move means the ANL will not fight against the racist immigration laws being operated by the Callaghan government.

Harassed

Under these laws immigrants are systematically harassed and abused on racial grounds, often by National Front members employed as immigration officers.

Organising secretary Paul Holborow on behalf of the self-appointed steering committee opposed an amendment to the ANL's policy statement from the Wirral Anti-Fascist Committee which called for an end to all immigration controls and the expulsion of fascists from the labour movement.

BY A NEWS LINE
REPORTER

Holborow said some ANL supporters were in favour of keeping immigration controls and they should not allow the movement to be split.

Claiming that 'as a member of the SWP' he was against immigration controls, Holborow insisted: 'We cannot impose conditions on sponsors and supporters.'

The call to expel fascists from the unions was 'declamatory socialism' said Holborow, adding: 'The ANL is too important to drive back into the strait-jacket the majority of us have come from.'

A supporter of the platform, Alec Biswass, moved a resolution which mentioned opposition to immigration controls but added:

'Conference recognises that this is an expression of opinion by the conference majority but it is in no way binding on supporters or sponsoring organisations of the ANL.'

The platform accepted this as an 'expression of conference opinion' but stressed that it would not be written into ANL policy statements.

The steering committee also persuaded conference

to turn down another amendment which stated: 'The ANL rejects the view that harmonious race relations can be constructed on the basis of the Immigration Acts.'

Speakers at the conference — which claimed an attendance of 810 — grossly exaggerated the strength and influence of the National Front, but made it quite clear that they are not prepared to fight the state-sponsored racism embodied in the Immigration Acts.

Fraud

Clearly the Anti-Nazi League's claim to oppose racism is nothing more than a political fraud.

The policy adopted by the Anti-Nazi League is parlor racism of the most hypocritical sort.

The essence of a policy of immigration controls is to keep the blacks out. The ANL's endorsement of this policy will be greatly welcomed by the Tory Party leadership, which plans to write even tighter immigration controls into its election platform this year.

● 'The Anti-Nazi League and Fascism'. Beginning today a four-part series of articles by JACK GALE on pages 10 and 11.

LINWOOD — NO RETURN

CHRYSLER management is expected to inflict more lay-offs at the Linwood car plant this week as the workforce prepares to go on annual holiday on Thursday.

A meeting of the paint shop workers locked out of the factory for the past two weeks was held yesterday. No decision to return to work was taken.

Indeed, it is plain that return-to-work conditions being set by the company are completely unacceptable to the men. Despite having lost production of more than 3,500 cars through the dispute already, Chrysler is not in any hurry to reach a settlement.

Attendance at yesterday's meeting was very low. About 80 of the 550 paint shop workers turned up.

Transport union senior shop steward Jimmy Livingstone said this had been caused by poor communications. There had been no help from management or the Press, he stated.

A further meeting of the paint shop is being called

BY CHRIS CORRIGAN

for 9 a.m. tomorrow.

Livingstone said yesterday the shop stewards were adamant that the company's terms could in no way be accepted. Management were in effect insisting that workers had to work in temperatures in excess of 85 degrees Fahrenheit without proper breaks laid down in an agreement signed in August 1975.

Manipulated

A joint shop stewards committee has been specially called for today to discuss the dispute which is widely believed to be manipulated by the company as

a prelude to a major attack on jobs and conditions.

A TGWU works committee statement points out that the company were demanding that relief breaks for workers stationed at the exits from paint shop ovens be cut from 15 minutes down to 10. Temperatures can reach over 90 degrees in these areas.

The company also proposed that the 10 minute 'heat' breaks be extended to another 13 operators. But it was demanding that these hot areas be excluded from readings taken to find the average temperature in the paint shop as a whole.

This would deny all operators extra relief time they are entitled to whenever the average temperature reaches 85 degrees or more.

Management gave seven days notice of the termination of the 1975 agreement. On Monday June 26 they implemented proposals without agreement, says the works committee statement.

The women in a 'twilight world'

AS MANY as 300,000 single women may be living in a 'twilight world' at home looking after elderly and infirm parents, says a report published today.

The National Council for the Single Woman and her Dependents have issued the findings of the first-ever national research into their problem to coincide with the start of National Dependence Week.

The research shows 'a

strange half-world being enacted behind the lace curtains of thousands of middle-class suburban homes, a world unknown to the rest of the population.

'It is a world in which many of the single women who have remained at home to care for elderly relatives live below the poverty line, in which the carers suffer an enormous strain, both mental and physical and in which many are so lonely

and cut-off that they themselves eventually become ill.'

The report suggests that where single women have to give up their jobs for only a short period to look after a dependant, they should have protection of employment.

It also recommends the invalid care allowance be increased at least to the level of unemployment benefit.

'Those taking care of the elderly save the nation millions of pounds a year for what would otherwise have to be expended on accommodation in residential care, and this saving is only from the monetary aspect.'

The report concludes that the invalid care allowance should also be continued for a period after the dependant's death to give the carer time to adjust.

'Time-bomb' warning to drivers

MANY cars are being driven around with a hidden 'time bomb', motorists are warned.

The 'bomb' is old brake fluid, diluted by water, in the braking system, often on the point of boiling. When it does boil, usually going down a steep hill, the car loses its

brakes and its occupants could lose their lives.

A West German survey has found that just over 70 per cent of all cars had brake fluid which would boil at less than the 'absolute danger' point of 155°. In another 15 per cent it would boil at 155 to 175 degrees,

compared with 260 to 290 degrees of fresh brake fluid.

With brakes reaching temperatures of 400 degrees in stop-start town driving and 700 degrees going down mountain roads the under-155 degree fluid is a 'time bomb', the Germans said.

An AA spokesman confirmed that low boiling point brake fluid is a hazard for many motorists, though less of a risk here than in Germany because we have fewer mountain roads.

Too many drivers just top up and never change the

fluid, expecting it to last from the car's purchase until it goes to the scrap yard. That attitude could see it in the scrap yard much sooner.

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Belt up McNee

COMMENT

BRITAIN'S top cop, 'Hammer' McNee, Metropolitan Police Commissioner, has launched another tirade against young people. Punishment should be the first option, and treatment the second he says.

McNee should belt up about young offenders. The biggest and most consistent old offenders are the old bill themselves.

In taking bribes from porn dealers, running protection rackets, in general everyday corruption, the police are kings of the trade.

The petty thieving, burglary and handbag pinching that most youth get up to is innocent fun and games by comparison with the rackets that top policemen have been convicted and jailed for.

Harassment

Even when they are jailed, the police are not subject to the run of the mill harassment and brutality that youth suffer in detention centres and jails. There is no question of punishment first and treatment second.

They receive five-star open prison treatment, with private cells and all the special privileges they want. They don't lose their pension rights, and when their sentences are finished — with plentiful remission for 'good' behaviour, they're not on the streets without visible means of existence.

Speaking at the conference of the National Association of Boys' Clubs at Bristol University, McNee said that young offenders 'need merely to be given a sharp reminder that what they have done was wrong and be left in no doubt about what will happen to them if they do the same thing again'.

He continued: 'Crime is anti-social and young offenders must be made aware of society's general disapproval.' The same thing could hardly be said of society's treatment of top cops who get copped.

Bible-thumpers

McNee is part of the band of bible-thumpers and right-wingers who continuously sound off their reactionary theories about crime and punishment, while all the time the people who perpetrate the biggest crimes get off scot-free or with a police rap on the knuckles.

As everyone knows, there are two classes of 'justice' in capitalist Britain — one for the rich and their servants, and one for the poor.

McNee's own house is far from being in order. He should get off the pulpit and belt up.



Four arrested on journalists' picket

POLICE attacked a journalists' picket line in London, throwing strikers to the ground and then arresting four pickets.

Members of the National Union of Journalists said yesterday that they would not be intimidated by the arrests on Friday night and they are organising a mass pic-

ket for tomorrow evening.

The arrests came as union members were asking drivers belonging to the print union SOGAT not to take out copies of the 'Surrey Comet' which had been written by non-union staff.

A 15-strong squad of police attacked the picket violently throwing them to the ground. There were about 25 trade unionists outside the printing works at Kingston on Thames.

The four arrested — one NUJ member, one member of the print union NGA, a NALGO member, and the husband of one of the 'Richmond Herald' reporters — were bundled into a police van and later charged with obstruction.

The striking journalists have also vigorously protested to the management of Trident Newspapers over claims that the first issue of the 'Herald', revamped as a giveaway, was held up

because journalists had slashed van tyres.

These rumours followed a spate of complaints that the first issue of the advert-dominated paper, which is supposed to be delivered free to 30,000 homes, failed to arrive.

The switch from a newspaper to a giveaway is the root cause of the strike. Management decided they needed fewer journalists and proposed to sack some.

A spokesman for the union said yesterday: 'Intensified police activity throughout the last fortnight and interference with pickets, together with rumour-mongering are a sad attempt to discredit us.'

'The union has referred the allegations about tyre slashing to its solicitors and our response to all other intimidation is to repeat the call to print and production unions to observe the picket line.'

Film crew banned from club

AN ATV camera team has been barred from filming Lord George-Brown in a Labour club because he is no longer a member of the party.

The company claimed its cameras were banned from the club at Belper, Derbyshire, where Brown was MP for 25 years.

He plans to stand next summer as an independent candidate for the European parliament, representing Derbyshire, and was being filmed for ATV's weekly political programme 'Left, Right and Centre', introduced by former MP Dick Taverne.

Local party officials feel Lord George-Brown could wreck Labour's chances by splitting the vote. The Derbyshire seat is regarded as a Labour marginal.

Roderick MacFarquhar, now Belper's Labour MP and a former television reporter, said: 'Clearly, if Lord George-Brown does decide to stand, it will have a damaging effect on Labour's candidate, so we felt we couldn't allow any filming in the club itself.'

Brown is a founder member of Belper Labour club and has an engraved tankard hanging behind the bar.

It was his first political visit to Belper since he lost his seat in June 1970 by just over 2,000 votes.

The film will be shown on the ATV network tonight at 10.30p.m.

Dockyard action strands Polaris

BY A SCOTTISH
CORRESPONDENT

The dispute involves all four naval dockyards in Britain plus tens of thousands of other defence ministry workers.

'We are demanding an improved pay offer,' said Stubbs. 'The present offer could be improved within the 10-per-cent limit. We realise we cannot get more than the government limit.'

'That would require much more action than we are seeing at the moment if we were to win more than 10 per cent. That is the lesson of the firemen's strike.'

A number of meetings of trade union sections at

Rosyth are being held today. An escalation of the industrial action is possible.

Operation of the caissons at the two Rosyth docks in which the Repulse and HMS Renown are located is being banned by members of three unions — the EETPU electricians and plumbers union, the Transport and General Workers Union, and the boilermakers union.

The Renown is also stranded. She has just come into the yard for a second refit. But the refit is being delayed by another dispute in which the coppersmiths' union are refusing to do certain documentation.

A POLARIS submarine is stranded high and dry today because of 'blacking' by workers at the naval dockyard, Rosyth.

HMS Repulse — one of the navy's four Polaris subs — was recommissioned at the yard on Saturday following a 20-month refit.

She is due to sail out of the Firth of Forth to commence test-firing exercises.

But Derek Stubbs, a senior union representative for the 7,000 industrial workers at the yard, said yesterday: 'No submarine will be moved at Rosyth until the national dispute we are involved in is resolved.'

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JOSEPH HANSEN: FBI INFORMER

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL of the United States, Griffin Bell, is fighting a desperate rearguard action to suppress the names of 18 FBI informers in the ranks of the revisionist Socialist Workers Party.

Bell is going to appeal to a panel of three judges to justify his decision to commit contempt of court and keep the names secret.

The contempt order, which could have led to Bell being jailed or fined was set aside last Friday by Federal Appeals Court Judge Murray Gurfein pending the decision of the three-judge panel.

The quest for the names of the FBI informers arises from a \$40m damages suit started four years ago by the SWP to stop infiltration, harassment and disruption of its activities.

Assassination

Simultaneously the International Committee of the Fourth International has been investigating 'Security and the Fourth International', dealing with the circumstances before, during and after the assassination of Leon Trotsky in Mexico on August 2nd, 1940. (See 'How the GPU Murdered Trotsky', 'Accomplices of the GPU' and 'Trotsky's Assassin at Large', New Park Publications.)

This has established beyond any doubt the identity of at least one of the 18 FBI agents. He is Joseph Hansen, present-day leader of the SWP.

The International Committee has consistently called for an international Commission of Inquiry to investigate Hansen and his sinister links with intelligence agencies.

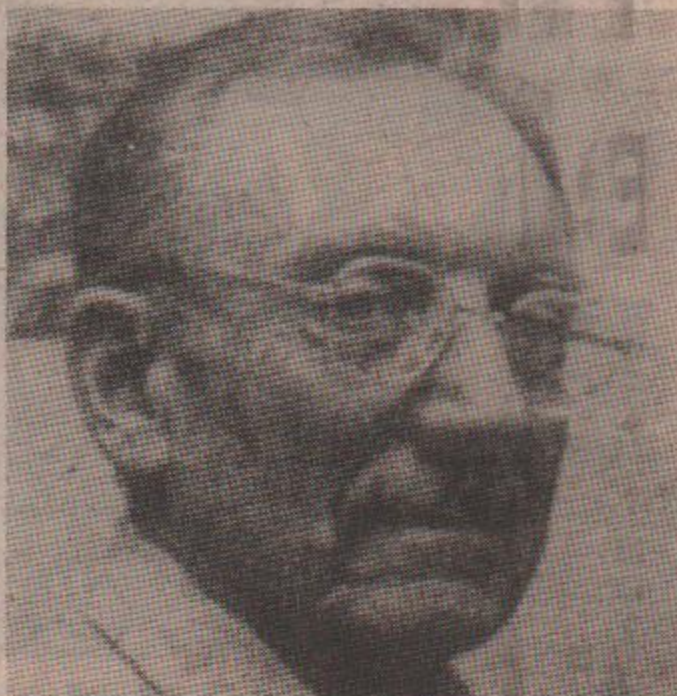
The stage now reached by the SWP's own legal action through the courts means that the suspension and investigation of Hansen cannot be avoided by them any longer.

The SWP does not have to waste time being led around the constitutional and legal jungle of Washington to unmask him.

Proof

Conclusive proof already exists. It is in the hands of the International Committee following research of official government records of the FBI and the State Department at the US National Archives in Washington, DC.

These show that Hansen's first recorded liaison with the FBI began in Mexico in September 1940, the month after Trotsky was murdered by the GPU. (American Consul George P. Shaw's letters



Joseph Hansen

and reports to the US State Department from September 1 to September 26, 1940. US National Archives, Washington, DC.)

Hansen paid repeated visits to the Embassy to see confidentially the FBI liaison man in Mexico City, Robert McGregor, and to share documents and information with him.

Then, two days before he was due to leave Mexico to return to New York, Hansen saw McGregor to discuss a request which proves his guilt.

He asked McGregor to arrange an FBI contact for him, someone whom he could meet 'with impunity'.

Hansen's offer was of such top-level importance that McGregor forwarded it under 'secret' cover to Washington where approval was given by none other than the late J. Edgar Hoover, the FBI director, and Ray Murphy, the head of State Department security.

Important

Documents of the affair were considered so important that they went to the White House for the eyes of President Roosevelt.

To establish his 'credentials' with the FBI, Hansen gave the FBI's McGregor an internal SWP document on the GPU network in the US and the murder of Trotsky.

This document had been provided by Whittaker Chambers, the ex-Stalinist turned FBI informer, and contained the names of CP members and fellow travelers.

While Chambers was feeding the information to the FBI, so was Hansen. Both were informers. (A Report of a Conversation with 'W' handed to McGregor by Hansen is now filed in State Department records, US National Archives, Washington, DC.)

Hoover and Murphy were

so impressed by Hansen's willingness to co-operate, they arranged for him to meet the head of FBI operations in the New York District, Mr B.E. Sackett. (Letter confirming the contact between Hansen and Sackett sent by the State Department.)

Statement by the International Committee of the Fourth International

ment's Ray Murphy to the Embassy in Mexico, dated September 28, 1940. Filed US National Archives.)

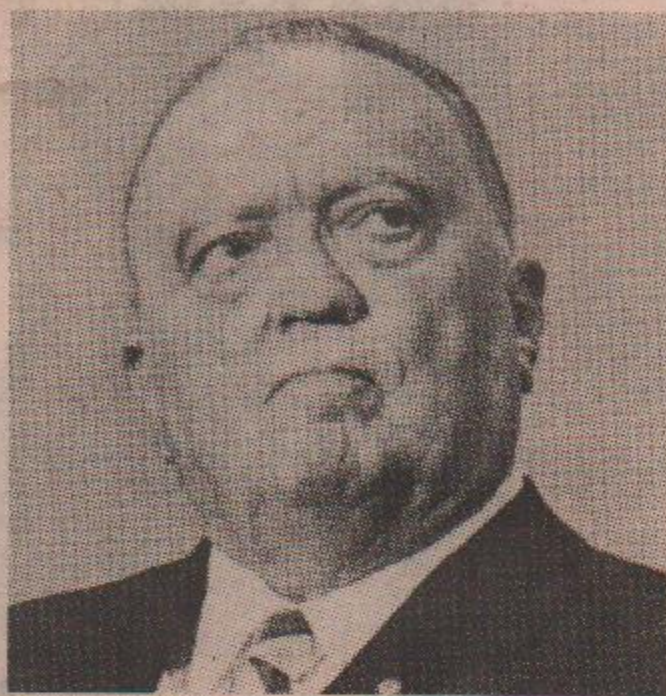
No one in the SWP knew that Hansen had arranged an undercover contact with the FBI. This is proved from another document found by the International Committee in Washington. (Report of FBI agent M. Griffin to FBI director J. Edgar Hoover, dated December 9, 1940.)

It records a meeting between an FBI agent, Hansen and the late James P. Cannon at the SWP headquarters at 116 University Place, New York.

Notes

The agent's report notes that the participants were 'unco-operative'. This is extraordinary in view of Hansen's initiative in seeking out a contact with the FBI in the first place!

The only explanation is that Cannon knew nothing of the backstairs agreement and Hansen couldn't say anything to the agent in front of Cannon. Or maybe the agent was of such junior rank that he didn't know that Hansen



FBI director J. Edgar Hoover

was seeing no one less than the boss-man himself, Sackett.

The International Committee of the Fourth International is ready to place this documentary evidence at the disposal of the Political Rights Defense Fund

to go to any lengths to stop the name of Joseph Hansen coming out. If it did, it would wreck almost 40 years of intelligence-gathering in the working class, as well as among blacks, Puerto Ricans, Red Indians and also destroy a listening post directly through the so-called Unified Secretariat 'Fourth International' of Ernest Mandel.

When Appeal Court Judge Gurfein set aside the contempt order against Bell last Friday he said disclosure of the files might result in assassination and death.

Wild

These are wild and emotional assertions for an Appeal Court judge. Where do they come from? The only people to talk about 'assassinations' are SWP leaders in New York, including Hansen and his accomplice George Novack.

But the assassinations haven't involved FBI informers or anything like it. The only person to be assassinated in the struggle for 'Security and the Fourth International' has been Tom Henahan, a member of the Workers League Political Committee.

Known

He was gunned down in Brooklyn, New York, on the night of October 16, 1977. Another Workers League member was badly wounded, but lived. The identity of the assassin was known to the police and the FBI within an hour of Comrade Henahan's death, but to this day there has been no arrest.

A re-examination of the record shows that the SWP leadership, which has never reported or condemned Comrade Henahan's murder, created a lynch atmosphere in the months leading up to the assassination.

On July 8, 1977, the SWP's

weekly 'Militant' manufactured totally slanderous allegations about 'violence' against the Workers League, the American Trotskyist party in political solidarity with the International Committee.

In totally demolishing this fabrication, the Workers League said: 'Especially since the International Committee located and exposed Sylvia Franklin, the GPU agent whom Hansen and his wife praise as an 'exemplary comrade' and a 'warm human being', the SWP leadership has been circulating fantastic scare stories about 'violence' by the Workers League.'

Sank

There were people in the White House who took the same decision with Nixon during the Watergate scandal. They sank with the chief!

Whether or not the constitutional wrangle between the executive branch of government and the judiciary results in the disclosure of the 18 informers, the International Committee pledges to pursue the course of its own inquiry until Hansen and Novack and all the other agents and informers in the international workers' movement are driven out and exposed.

'Though never substantiated with a trace of evidence, these allegations have been used by the SWP leadership since the beginning of June to forbid its members to read the 'Bulletin' (twice-weekly newspaper of the Workers League, or to speak with members of the Workers League.' (Workers League Political Committee statement, July 3, 1977.)

Silent

Since the International Committee published the documentary proof of Hansen's role as an FBI informer, he has remained absolutely silent. So have his revisionist cohorts all over the world who were shrieking with indignation when the 'Security and the Fourth International' investigation first began.

Only one signal has been posted by the SWP leadership in Hansen's defence. In the frontispiece of a book just published by the SWP's Pathfinder Press, the author George Novack makes this tribute:

'This volume is dedicated to Joseph Hansen for his valued partnership in philosophy and politics through more than four decades.'

This is an arrogant challenge to the International Committee's indictment of Hansen as an FBI informer. It is Novack's way of saying that he knows the truth about Hansen, but he is determined to sink or swim with him no matter what the International Committee says.

July 9, 1978

LEBANON

Israelis lay an electronic minefield

ISRAELI aircraft have dropped a Vietnam-style barrier of electronic sensors along the border with Lebanon in a new escalation of preparations against Syria and the Palestine Liberation Organisation.

The latest operation follows the mobilisation of Israeli forces along the northern border, combined with provocative overflights by Israeli jets and intensive naval activity off the Lebanese coast.

The US-made sensors are designed to pick up the movement of men and equipment in the areas north of the Israeli border.

They were first used intensively by US forces in Vietnam in an attempt to halt the movement of supplies along the Ho Chi Minh trail.

The dropping of the sensors came as attention focussed on the political crisis in Lebanon caused by President Elias Sarkis' threat to resign.

Protest

The Lebanese fascists claim the President's resignation threat is in protest against Syria's bombardment of their strongholds in east Beirut.

But Damascus Radio has said Sarkis wants to quit because the fascist militias refuse to allow him to rule.

The Zionist leaders have said they will not stand by and allow the fascists to be defeated by the Syrians.



Sarkis ... resignation threat

Their position has received support from the United States.

The fascists have openly declared they want to partition the country in alliance with the Zionists. This would open Syria's western flank to a constant danger of Zionist invasion through the fascist 'mini-state'.

Though the fighting in Beirut has died down since the Israeli threats were issued, Syria is still demanding that the rightist leaders adhere to its ultimatum.



Pierre Gemayel ... provoked fighting

The conditions laid down by Damascus include the stationing of troops of the Arab Deterrent Force throughout Lebanon, except in the extreme south; the cashiering of fascist officers who are openly collaborating with Zionists in south Lebanon; and the restructuring of the armed forces.

Fascist

Pierre Gemayel, leader of the Phalange, the main fascist party, said in an interview published yesterday

that he was sure of Syrian goodwill despite the six-day bombardment of east Beirut.

Gemayel told the French magazine 'Le Point' that it was difficult to conceive Syrian troops could remain much longer in Lebanon.

'Despite the murderous determination levelled against us, I remain confident in Syrian goodwill,' he said.

'I am certain that what happened in Beirut took place outside the control of Syrian authorities.'

Provoked

In fact, the fighting in Beirut was deliberately provoked by Gemayel's Phalange Party, which organised the brutal massacre of Tony Frangieh, the main pro-Syrian Christian politician, his family and members of his clan last month.

The killing was aimed at drawing the Syrians into a war in the hope that Israel would come into the Lebanon to enforce partition and the formation of a separate Maronite state.



Robaya Ali and Abdel-Fattah Ismail at a commemoration ceremony in South Yemen

South Yemen ready for talks with North

BEIRUT — Abdel-Fattah Ismail, South Yemen's new leader, has reaffirmed his country's readiness to meet North Yemen in order to resolve problems arising from the assassination of northern President Ahmed Hussain Al-Ghashmi.

He criticised the 'adventurous and provocative course' pursued by former

South Yemeni President Salem Roba Ali, in an interview with the Lebanese Communist Party newspaper 'An-Nida'.

Robaya Ali, accused of masterminding the assassination of President Ghashmi on June 24, was overthrown and executed in Aden two days later.

Ismail, secretary-general

of the ruling National Front, said in the interview, which is published today, that Robaya Ali's policies 'reached an extent endangering the fate of the country'.

'It was established there were reactionary, imperialist and "Gulf" hands behind this conspiratorial course,' he said, without elaborating.

World Headlines...

Namibia talks may go on

UNITED NATIONS — Negotiators of five western powers flew into the Angolan capital of Luanda as hopes rose of a breakthrough in the stalled Namibia (South West Africa) talks. Delegates of the United States, West Germany, Britain, France and Canada were due to resume talks with SWAPO (South West Africa People's Organisation) leader Sam Nujoma after a two-month break. Officials of the five Front Line black African states were also due at the meeting. SWAPO broke off talks on a western independence plan for Namibia after Pretoria sent troops into Angola against an alleged SWAPO base.

Soviet general in Angola

LONDON — A Soviet military delegation headed by General V.Z. Yakushin, Commander in Chief of Russian forces, has arrived in Angola, the official news agency ANGOP said. General Yakushin said his mission was aimed at strengthening bonds of friendship between the Soviet Union and Angola and to help in the construction of Angola's socialist state.

Journalists ban in Malta

VALLETTA — Malta has banned British journalists from the island and announced plans for a register of other foreign newsmen. A circular issued to police, customs and immigration officials by premier Dom Mintoff's government gave no reason for the restrictions. But the government has complained several times that foreign journalists were conducting a smear campaign against Malta.

Judge moves on ex-agent

ALEXANDRIA, Virginia — A judge has ordered former Central Intelligence Agency (CIA) agent Frank Snepp to give the government all profits from his book charging the CIA with blundering during the 1975 fall of Saigon to the communists. The decision, over Snepp's book 'Decent Interval' was the first on the agreement all CIA employees must sign saying they will submit anything they write about the Agency to the CIA for review before publication.

Trudeau leads parade

CALGARY, Alberta — Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau led the parade for the annual Calgary Stampede riding a black horse and sporting a white stetson and cowboy boots. The Canadian leader got a boisterous welcome from hundreds of thousands of people lining the parade route, but someone threw an egg at him. It missed.

East Berliner jailed

BONN — Western politicians yesterday criticised the sentencing of a young East Berliner who refused military service on the basis of Berlin's demilitarised four-power status. Nico Huebner, 22, was jailed for five years by an East Berlin court in the first known case of its kind since World War II. He was charged with refusing the call-up, of anti-state agitation and of collecting information damaging to the state. A spokesman for the British Embassy here said in a radio interview that the Western allies — Britain, France and the United States — held the view that the four-power demilitarised status applied to the whole of Berlin.

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MOSS SIDE BY-ELECTION



Vanessa Redgrave speaking at the rally in Alexandra Park. Next to her are some of the youth who have been helping in the election campaign



The Euro March contingent battling against the wind on Saturday's demonstration

MARCH SHOW OF REVOLUTION



Firemen from the Moss Side station came out to watch the march go by

EURO LONG Marchers and Young Socialists demonstrated through the Moss Side constituency on Saturday calling on the working class to back candidate Vanessa Redgrave.

Three hundred marchers, carrying red flags and banners, chanted slogans which echoed round the flats and housing estates of the constituency, demanding class action to bring down the coalition government, workers' defence squads to drive out the National Front, socialist nationalisation, victory to the Palestine Liberation Organisation and troops out of Ireland.

The demonstration, watched by families from their balconies, gardens and the streets, showed the political strength of the Party's revolutionary socialist policies. No other party in the by-election has been capable of mobilising

its supporters to demonstrate.

On Saturday — a crucial campaign day before the poll this Thursday, the Labour candidate drove round in a bus playing pop music, attempting to wave to passers-by who ignored him; the Tories confined their mobilisation to a car cavalcade playing 'Land of Hope and Glory', while the National Front tried to stage provocations protected by over 600 extra police.

Incident

In one incident, a van hired by the Front was stoned after mounting a grass verge and driving at black workers and youth who were holding a rally against the fascists.

Pride of place on the Young Socialists' demonstration went to the Euro Long Marchers who arrived in the constituency after travelling from France.

They led the column headed by candidate Vanessa Redgrave throughout

the march, through the constituency's working-class areas to Alexandra Park.

There they were welcomed by Simon Pirani, editor of 'Young Socialist'.

'These comrades have done something that has never been done before — marched across Europe, campaigning for jobs and a United Socialist States of Europe, with only their revolutionary socialist policies to win support for their campaign in the working class. We salute you all,' he said.

Moss Side Young Socialist Beverly Singleton, 17, also hailed the Euro-Marchers' example: 'Your march and this international rally show the unity of the youth and the working class all over Europe, and the solidarity of the employed and the unemployed against this corrupt system.'

She described the poverty and hardship youth in the area were forced to accept, due to the slump and the government's right-wing policies.

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Lies on clashes with National Front

SUNDAY'S 'Observer' reported on its front page: 'Four people were arrested yesterday in Manchester when National Front members demonstrating during the Moss Side by-election campaign clashed with the Workers Revolutionary Party and anti-Fascist groups.'

This statement is a blatant lie, which cannot be attributed to confusion.

No name appears on the 'Observer's' front page story, but if anyone had bothered to check with the paper's reporter in Manchester, Michael Nally, he could have told them that the WRP was not, and had no intention of taking part in any provocation with the Front.

In fact, as the clashes with the Front were taking place, The Workers Revolutionary Party and Young Socialist Euro Long Marchers were assembling for their own, separate demonstration over two miles away.

As they assembled, Nally was there too. For the third time in as many days, Nally was informed by the WRP's Press officer for the by-election campaign, that the Party had no intention whatever of becoming involved in any confrontation with the Front. 'Observer' man Nally was first told this specifically on Thursday when he inquired

about the likelihood of such an event.

In an interview with WRP candidate, Vanessa Redgrave, on Friday, he was told the same thing and then again on Saturday, the point was made again.

Nally's insistence in raising the point about the prospect of clashes involving the WRP and the Front, is aimed at linking the party with the adventurist provocations which the revisionist-led Anti-Nazi League fall into every time the Front has a march.

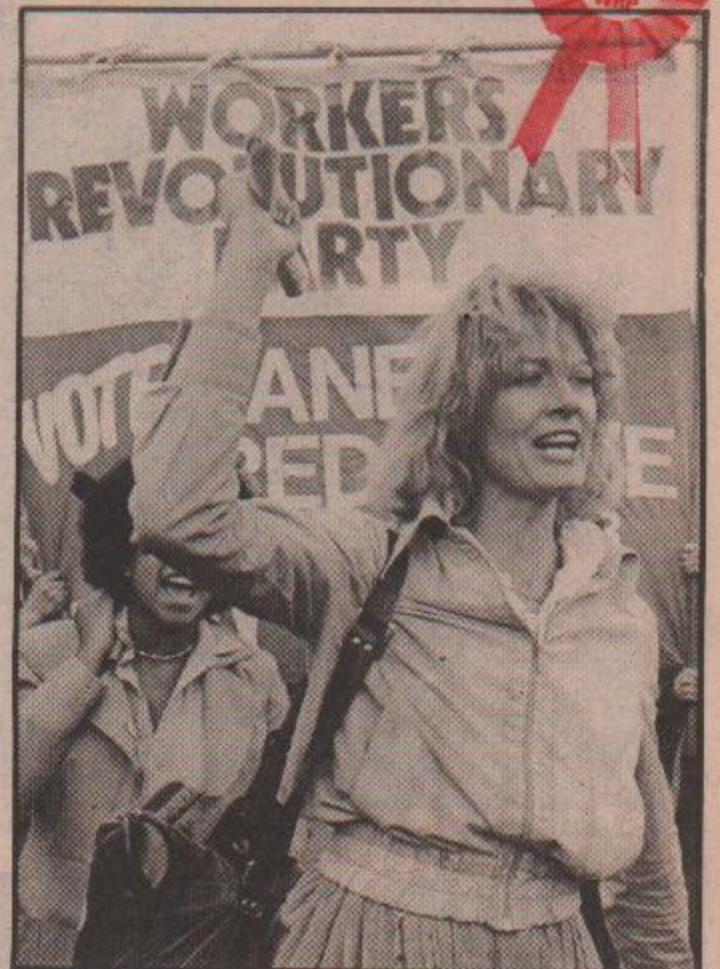
From its first Press conference in the Moss Side by-election, the WRP has insisted that the party would ignore all provocations set up by the police stooges in the Front.

No honest reporting of the Party's two Press conferences could fail to grasp this conclusion. Yet Manchester's Picadilly Radio yesterday repeated the same lie as 'The Observer'.

But to some sections of the capitalist Press at least, this message has come across loud and clear.

In Saturday's 'Times', reporter John Chartres concluded his article on the by-election: 'Miss Redgrave, who is standing for the only left-wing group to nominate, has said that her organisation will make no attempt to stage any counter demonstrations.' The previous paragraph reported the Front's intention of holding an open-air meeting in Moss Side on Saturday.

No amount of lying reports or deliberate provocations will divert the WRP from its task in this campaign of warning the working class of the conspiracy being mounted against them by the major capitalist parties, with the assistance of the police and the Front.



VOTE WRP — Palestinian student

WORKERS should support the Workers Revolutionary Party in Moss Side, a spokesman for the Palestinian students told a special showing of 'The Palestinian' on Friday night.

Wael Saal told an audience of over 100 at the Wycliffe cinema that the Palestinian struggle was against the Zionist regime and their fascist allies in the Lebanon. They were united, he said, with the poor Lebanese workers in this battle.

'Carter and Beigin are meeting with Callaghan soon in London. But this will not be a meeting for peace, it will be a meeting for war.'

'We thank the Workers Revolutionary Party, comrades Vanessa Redgrave and Roy Battersby who

made the film, for their solidarity with our cause.

'Victory to the WRP.'

'Victory to the Palestinian Revolution.'

Vanessa Redgrave who introduced the film, attacked the Sadat regime in Egypt. She said that like the British government it existed to impose the savage attack of the International Monetary Fund on the masses.

Over 100 journalists and writers were already in jail for speaking out against Sadat's collaboration with the Zionist leader Beigin.

'We will fight for the victory of the Palestinian peoples over Imperialism and Zionism. We salute their revolutionary heroism and courage.'

The collection appeal raised over £100 from the audience.

STRENGTH ARY POLICIES

not going to put up with in the future. We want to get a socialist society where we can have a job and a decent living standard. We want this and we are going to get it,' she said to applause.

Paul Tanner of the American Young Socialists said after 11 weeks on the road through Italy and the South of France, the Euro Long March had won tremendous support from the working class.

Monopolies

'It proves that the crisis is international and that the fight for revolutionary socialism must be international. In Italy workers came up to us and told of factories that were closing down through the action of the multi-national monopolies. They told us that their fight was not just against the Italian capitalist class, therefore, but the capitalists of the whole world,' he said.

Kurt Becker, an unemployed German steel worker, said that in his town 20 per cent were unem-

ployed. 'I have joined the Euro Long March because I have been unemployed for two years and under the capitalist system I will never get a job.'

From Spain Maria Dolores Romero said that the campaign had started in Naples with nothing but the revolutionary politics of the International Committee of the Fourth International and the determination to succeed.

'Because of this we were able to win support from the youth and the working class everywhere we went.'

Vanessa Redgrave said the Workers Revolutionary Party wanted to give a warm welcome to the Euro Marchers.

'When you started in Naples you didn't know where you would sleep or what food you would eat. You had no resources except your determination to fight to put an end to the conspiracies against the working class, to put an end to soaring food prices, and the plans for unemployment worse than the 1930s, and

inflation worse than it was in Germany in the 1920s.'

She said that their presence at the rally was proof that the working class would triumph over the class enemies by overthrowing the treacherous trade union leadership who collaborated with the degenerate private profit system.

Exciting

'Youth are now living at the most exciting time in history. Sometimes going about our daily lives we don't know how important the time is in which we are living. It does not seem to us that we can overcome unemployment, housing conditions of a rotten and desperate character, to put an end to the brutality and oppression of Irish workers by the British army. As individuals this may seem to be the case. But by joining the Party and forging the revolutionary socialist instrument to take the working class to power, all this is possible.'

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Anti-Nazi League secretary Paul Holborow (third from left) picketing the Old Bailey on an ANL protest against Judge McKinnon's statements in the trial of Kingsley Read, the ex-National Front leader. January 9, 1978



THE ANTI-NAZI L

Part One of a four-part series by JACK GALE

THE ANTI-NAZI LEAGUE was launched by the Socialist Workers Party* in November, 1977. It was subsequently welcomed by the International Marxist Group — in an editorial in 'Socialist Challenge' of May 5, 1978, headed 'Hats off to the SWP!' — and by the Communist Party.

The Communist Party's daily paper, the 'Morning Star', urged party members on May 16, 1978, to join the Anti-Nazi League and participate fully in its activities.

On July 3 several news-

papers reported that the vice-chairman of the Federation of Conservative Students had issued a memorandum urging all Conservative Party members to join the Anti-Nazi League.

Does this organisation, then, represent a new and effective way of combatting fascism?

Campaign

Would the type of campaign that is being conducted by its founders and supporters have been effective in preventing the victories of Mussolini in Italy, Hitler in Germany, Franco in Spain and Pinochet in Chile?

The founding statement of the Anti-Nazi League claims that there is 'the worrying prospect of a Nazi party gaining significant support in Britain' because of the 119,000 votes secured by the National Front in London's local elections. The statement also cites the fact that the National Front has pushed the Liberal Party into fourth place in some recent parliamentary by-elections.

It claims that 'the leaders, philosophy and origins of the National Front and similar organisations follow directly from the Nazis in Germany'.

Arguing that, in a general election, 'the British electorate will be exposed to

Nazi propaganda on an unprecedented scale', the Anti-Nazi League offers itself as a means of halting the Nazi advance.

It states, therefore, that an Anti-Nazi League has to be built urgently 'to unite all those who oppose the growth of the Nazis in Britain, irrespective of other political differences'.

The League's objectives, the founding statement says, will be to organise on the widest possible scale against the propaganda and activities of the Nazis in Britain today.

Arguing that many people 'in the professions and in trade unions' are already aware of the dangers of Nazism, the statement points again to Germany where, it says, it was shown that 'the Nazis will not go away of their own accord'.

Appeal

It then attaches the signatures of a number of artists, writers, trade unionists, Members of Parliament and other people who proclaim: 'We, the undersigned, appeal for the widest possible support for our efforts to alert the people of this country to the growing menace of the new Nazis.'

How great is the danger of fascism today?

What is the origin of fascism?



Republican fighters are taken prisoner by Franco's troops during the Spanish civil war. The Popular Front was directly responsible for the defeat of the Spanish Revolution

How does it develop?

Is building an organisation like the Anti-Nazi League the way to defeat fascism?

These are vital questions for workers, youth and middle class, professional people who all find themselves threatened today by the rapidly worsening crisis of capitalism throughout the world.

The Workers Revolutionary Party has not joined the Anti-Nazi League.

We believe that calling for 'the widest possible support' on the basis of disregarding all political differences is not the way to defeat fascism. History reveals that the people behind such 'broad' appeals

are interested mainly in the suppression of socialist principles. They are essentially 'Middle-of-the-roads' and centrists in their own politics.

Reactionary

We believe that the National Front, despite its thoroughly reactionary nature, cannot be compared, as a threat to the working class, with the Nazi Party led by Adolf Hitler in Germany, nor with the British Union of Fascists led by Sir Oswald Mosley in pre-war Britain.

The Workers Revolutionary Party explained the difference in a Political Committee statement, 'The National Front: What it is

and how to fight it', issued on August 19, 1977.

A section of this statement reads:

'There is a vast historical difference between the world setting of Sir Oswald Mosley's British Union of Fascists and the Tyndall-Webster gang. The 1920s and 1930s saw the brutal defeats of the working class by fascism in Italy, Germany, Portugal, Spain and Japan.'

'When Mosley spoke, he was a representative of the fascist international with powerful backing from the British aristocracy, sections of industry, and the capitalist Press (notably Lord Rothermere's 'Daily Mail').

'But today the working



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National Front demonstrators pelted with missiles during their march through Lewisham in August last year

LEAGUE AND FASCISM

class is on the march all over the world. There is no fascism in Spain or Portugal and the colonels' junta has been overthrown in Greece.

In Britain the working class, while confused by the treacherous role of the reformist Labour and TUC leaders, is in no way to be compared with its condition after the defeat of the 1926 General Strike. Today, its fighting strength is unimpaired. Its readiness to struggle has been shown time and time again since the miners forced the Heath government out of office in February, 1974.

Strength

Trade union membership is on the increase. From 3.7 million in the 1930s, today it is 12 million. These figures do not denote the rise of fascism but, on the contrary, the rising strength of the organised working class and sections of the middle class.*

We believe that, by trying to equate the National Front with Hitler's Nazi Party or Mosley's British Union of Fascists, the founders of the Anti-Nazi League hide the real origins of fascism, distort the processes by which it develops and exaggerate its nature as an imminent threat in Britain.

To prove this, we must begin with the basic assumption on which the Anti-Nazi League is based.

Assumption

That assumption is that the two camps into which British society is divided are not the capitalist class and the working class, but Nazis and anti-Nazis.

This was the theoretical foundation of the Popular Front, organised by the Communist Parties of Europe and the United



Oswald Mosley taking the salute at a British Union of Fascists rally in the 1930s

States before World War II. This theory was developed as the Moscow bureaucracy's international strategy at the Seventh Congress of the Communist International, held in 1935. And that Congress met just before Stalin launched the Moscow Trials in which he sought to physically annihilate the Bolshevik leadership of the Russian Revolution.

Betrayed

The Popular Front was directly responsible for the defeat of the Spanish revolution at the hands of Franco, and the betrayal of the wave of sit-down strikes in pre-war France. It disarmed the working class politically, as imperialism prepared for World War II.

Significantly, the Popular Front was originally known as the 'Anti-Fascist People's Front'.

The world, according to the Stalinist theoreticians of the 'Anti-Fascist People's Front', was divided into the camp of war and the camp of peace, the camp of fascism and the camp of anti-fascism.

This immediately involved abandoning the

struggle for proletarian dictatorship and socialism, which had been the central aim, on a world scale, of the first four congresses of the Communist International when it was led by Lenin and Trotsky.

Instead of a conflict between capitalist democracy and the need of the working class to establish its own power, workers were told that the historic struggle was now between capitalist democracy and fascism. The task of the working class, therefore was to defend capitalist democracy, in alliance with all other groups who felt themselves threatened by fascism — including what the Communist Party called 'the anti-Fascist bourgeoisie'.

Hostile

The Popular Front movement was identical in essence to the Anti-Nazi League today. That is, it was presented as a broad union of various hostile social classes and groups on the basis of a common programme for the defence of capitalist democracy against fascism.

From there, it was but a short step to urging that the

Popular Front should participate in the capitalist government itself.

And, indeed, why not? If the organisers of the Anti-Nazi League believe that the way to defeat Nazism is to form broad alliances of this sort, why not such an alliance to prevent war?

Scourges

And if the worst scourges facing mankind — fascism and war — can be halted in this way, within the framework of capitalist democracy, why can't all the other problems facing the working class be resolved this way, too?

Once this is granted, and the formation of the Anti-Nazi League implicitly grants it, surely it is better to have 'friends' of the working class in the capitalist government, instead of just enemies?

The Anti-Nazi League is not only opening the way to the Stalinist theories of 1930s Popular Frontism — it has, indeed, got that far already — but it is returning to the rejection of Marxism by the nineteenth century German Social Democrat, Bernstein, and the participation of 'socialists' in capitalist governments.

Path

That was the path pioneered by the French Social Democrat, Millerand, more than 70 years ago.

To move from advocating class collaboration in a front against fascism, to advocating class collaboration in government is not a big step.

The Stalinists did it with ease in the 1930s because the concept of the People's Front, which is what the Anti-Nazi League is based on, is identical with class collaboration, and hence with coalition government.

Of course, the leaders of the Socialist Workers Party, the International Marxist Group, and other groups in

the Anti-Nazi League which claim to be socialist, will deny that. They will argue that it is in the interests of the working class to halt the National Front and the ANL is the best way of doing so.

But the Stalinists in the 1930s also claimed to be speaking in the name of the working class, adding that 'under existing conditions' the Popular Front was the best way of furthering the workers' interests.

Yet reformists and liberals — who have historically betrayed and opposed the interests of the working class — have never had any difficulty at any time or in any country in entering wholeheartedly into Popular Front organisations, just as some of them now enrol enthusiastically in the Anti-Nazi League.

Opponents

How can such people, known opponents of socialism, line up without a qualm alongside the 'socialists' of the SWP, IMG, and the rest?

Because they know perfectly well that 'socialism' is going to be abandoned in the interests of 'anti-Nazi' unity. This is the essential difference between Popular Frontism and the principled revolutionary strategy known as the United Front.

The United Front was a revolutionary strategy worked out during the first five years of the Communist International* and developed by Leon Trotsky in his writings on Germany in the period leading up to 1933 when Hitler took power.

*There were four congresses of the Communist International between 1919 and 1922. The first was in March, 1919; the second from July 17 - August 7, 1920; the third from June 22 - July 12, 1921; and the fourth (the last Leninist congress) from November 5 - December 5, 1922.

The First Five Years of the Communist International by Leon Trotsky, is available in two volumes (price £1.50 each), from New Park Publications, 21b, Old Town, Clapham, London SW4 0JT.

It does not consist of a few small groups coming together on a single issue and then dropping all principles in order to 'unite' with Stalinists, Tories, liberals and even some Zionists — which is what is taking place in the Anti-Nazi League.

Specific

The United Front is an agreement between the revolutionary party and the mass parties of the working class for joint action on specific issues, with each organisation maintaining its entire programme intact.

Thus, Trotsky proposed united action by the Communist Party and Social Democratic Party in Germany to protect each other's meetings, print shops, headquarters and membership against Nazi attacks. He did not propose dropping the Communist Party programme in order to unite with Social Democrats, liberals and any other 'anti-Nazis'.

Methods

Far from dropping the communist programme, the communists aim, within the United Front, to give the masses the opportunity to compare the ideas and methods of the revolutionary party with those of the reformists, confident that the workers will then turn from reformist to revolutionary politics and organisation.

The Popular Front, by contrast, involves acceptance of a common programme by all concerned. In the case of the Anti-Nazi League, this programme is to stop Nazism by defending 'democracy'. But the 'democracy' that exists in capitalist Britain is capitalist — that is, 'bourgeois' — democracy.

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TOMORROW

*The National Front: What it is and how to fight it, is available as a pamphlet, price 10p, from New Park Publications 21b, Old Town, Clapham, London, SW4 0JT.

DIARY OF A FIREMAN

DAYS 235 & 236

NEWS LINE continues the diary of a south London fireman who gives his views each day as the struggle goes on:

'I have been off the station on rota and one thing and another this last week, so I missed the latest all-members circular on the position of the employers in connection with the statement of the Home Secretary and the Secretary for Employment.

In fact what the Home Secretary was saying was that clauses 15 to 20 in the package of 23 clauses which the employers want us to take in return for the 42-hour week were nothing to do with the NJC and were specifically areas dealt with by the Home Secretary and the Central Fire Brigades Advisory Council.

Clause 10

And Albert Booth says that clause 10 is not an area for negotiation. Although he is very vague, he advises us to go to arbitration and it seems the employers have taken no notice of the Home Secretary or the Secretary for Employment.

They are saying that their position is now that because the union refused to go to arbitration, they have reverted to their offer of June 2. They want all the clauses in regardless of what Ministers of the government think, and they also say they will go back to their demand for a three-shift system.

There's a lot in this document — extracts from letters and statements. In a way I'm glad this thing has happened. I'm glad they have taken a seemingly hard line because we won't go to arbitration. To my way of thinking, that's exactly what I'd like to see the union do.

Nothing in deal

I'd like to see the executive say: 'We made a mistake on June 2 — there's nothing in your deal advantageous to firemen and we refuse to negotiate on any of these clauses, regardless of whether or not 15 to 20 come out or clause 10 is in or out.'

If they were out of the deal there would still be nothing in the deal for the membership. The position I would now like to see our union take is that.

Going on from there, I have been informed by a regional official that there's a meeting on Wednesday at which time the regional committee wants to know how they feel and what action they feel the union should take in future negotiations as part of the 42-hour week.

This has caught me on the hop a little bit, because I have only just come back on the station. I have called hasty meetings with

watches to see what the position is so that I can report to the area secretary on Tuesday.

I would like to see my branch go for a position that would be flexible inasmuch as we could be open to suggestions of talks in case there's some change of heart on their side and they were willing to be reasonable.

If not, come November 7 we would remain on status quo, on the system we are on now — not getting complacent and thinking we have won, but taking the point of view that we will work this system until its advantageous to come back and get a deal that suits us better.

The other point of view I have heard submitted from various members is that, come what may, on November 7, regardless of what the employers do, the FBU will declare and put into operation its own 42-hour week.

I feel that's very dangerous.

I feel that we (and when I say we I mean London because that's what I know best) need about 1,000 men to man-up for the 42-hour week. I have also heard that as far as manning up is concerned in London the employers think we have enough men in London already to work a 42-hour week.

Conclusions

In fact they think we are probably overmanned for their system. You can draw your own conclusions from that.

I've explained basically the way I'd like to see the union going and with a little bit of luck that will be the way the London delegation will be mandated to vote at Blackpool.

We must not get complacent about it, because regardless of whether we stay on the 42-hour week, they will still try to incorporate closures and we still have a fight.

They try to treat us like a lot of schoolboys — they were actually surprised when we refused to go to arbitration.

They are going to have to work hard to get us to do anything they want.

Make a stand

With a bit of luck London will make a stand and the next thing we have to do is elect a new regional chairman. I think we have to return Trevor Jones. I have heard there is another bloke, but I don't know much about him except that he's been an area secretary.

Trevor Jones has experience in pensions, health and safety and a lot of other things. I think he is too valuable a man to lose at the moment. That's my personal opinion. It will be a start to get the regional committee back together again.

Conference must have a policy

THREE HUNDRED firemen's delegates will meet next Monday at the Imperial Hotel in Blackpool, for a re-call conference that should lay out the FBU's policy for opposing the most savage attacks ever made against the men's jobs and conditions.

That is what should happen. But firemen's leaders, meeting in London last week for two days, failed to agree any statement of policy for the conference.

BY ALAN BOTT

THE GOVERNMENT wants to carry out spending cuts in the fire service in conformity with the instructions given to the Callaghan coalition by the top bankers of the International Monetary Fund. Public spending has to be cut to the bone while funds are handed out to the private sector so that last-ditch profits can be made before the economic crisis becomes a disaster.

THE EMPLOYERS want to achieve these cuts under the cover of conditions attached to the introduction of a shorter working week.

They mean to claw back every concession won by the FBU over years of fighting for better conditions. Their proposals mean job cutting, station closures, watch strengths reduced, machines and stations even further undermanned than they are now, extra duties, national working routines, public holiday working as normal, a ban on local industrial action through a new disputes procedure, and an end to union rights to be consulted on manning systems, allowing authorities the power to change systems when and wherever they please.

THE UNION found this an offer they couldn't refuse. Instead of rejecting the entire package 'offer' when it was formally presented on April 14 at the National Joint Council, the executive decided — on the casting vote of president Wilf Barber — to continue negotiations.

Trap

From that moment onwards they have been trying to disentangle themselves from the trap that was laid for them and the 33,000 FBU members with the strike settlement terms of last January.

Although no firm policy has emerged from the executive, there are two distinct tendencies. One group talks of going for 'UDF' in the regions — declaring a 42-hour week in November, come what may, with consequential station closures, machines coming off the run and a possible dispute which would be met by the full force of the state's scabbing operations.

The other group on the executive suggests lying low, of refusing arbitration or talks on the 42-hour-week 'offer' and staying on a 48-hour system for safety's sake.

Both suggestions are counsel of confusion — a

hopeless floundering about at a time when firemen and other workers need a clear lead and firm policies for the future.

It has become more urgent than ever for firemen to reject diversionary and time-wasting tactics of those who are playing directly into the hands of the Labour traitors in this IMF government.

Miserable

Their miserable response to government attacks place the union in great danger yet again. They are a condemnation of the bankruptcy of union leadership in Britain — a leadership which has agreed behind the backs of its members to a further year of wage-cutting pay restraint.

These actions are proof — if any were needed — of the correctness of demands for a new leadership in the unions. Fighting and building for this is the All Trades Unions Alliance, the industrial section of the Workers Revolutionary Party.

On Saturday April 22 News Line published a statement by the Firemen's Section of the ATUA, called 'Revolutionary policies to defend the firemen'.

The statement said:

- Demand the widest possible discussion and an immediate special conference.
- Mandate all officials and delegates to represent the views of the membership.
- Reject diversions. Demand total opposition to the 42-hour week conspiracy, with its shift and manning changes, station closures, extra duties and every other attack.
- Full manning under present conditions for the promised 42-hour week. No cuts in fire cover.
- Mobilise full support throughout the labour and trade union movement. Call on all workers to prepare to help defend the firemen.
- Reject all leaders who will not or cannot lead this fight.

The whole experience of the firemen's magnificent nine-week strike has shown the vital necessity of entering such struggles with a carefully considered plan of campaign. The enemy is well prepared and has big resources of the state behind it.

But firemen are not alone in their fight against the

policies of massive cuts in public spending. With every blow to the economy the public sector is hit with increasing cuts.

Housing, hospitals, schools, transport and other important social services are being savaged by these policies. In every sector workers are looking for the same lead as the firemen.

The struggle within the FBU for new leadership and new policies must be broadened out immediately to take in the thousands of public sector workers who are suffering daily at the hands of this government.

Every attempt will be made to keep firemen apart from busmen, building workers, hospital employees, teachers and other school workers.

The answer to this divide-and-rule tactic is to begin a big campaign throughout the public sector demanding restoration of all spending cuts.

● Call for a General Strike of public sector workers to restore all government spending cuts.

● Smash the wage-cutting social contract.

Such a campaign will find powerful support from struggling private sector workers and those in the 'nationalised' industries who are being hit daily by job destruction programmes, wage controls, rising prices, and, of course by the effects of the public spending cuts.

Battalions

These public and private sector workers comprise the big battalions of the working class whose might was demonstrated most forcefully in 1974 when the miners brought the Heath government crashing down.

No alternative is left for millions of workers now but to join the struggle for power which has begun in Britain and is more or less developed in every major capitalist country.

● Bring down the Lib-Lab coalition government — build the strength of the working class under revolutionary leadership.

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6.00 THAMES AT 6 with Andrew Gardner

6.40 HELP! with Joan Shenton

6.45 THE KENNY EVERETT VIDEO SHOW The Rolling Stones, Darts, Labi Siffre and Elvis Costello provide the music. Hot Gossip the dancing and Kenny himself the old telly videos

7.30 CORONATION STREET

8.00 YOU'RE ONLY YOUNG TWICE *The Deputy*

8.30 WORLD IN ACTION

9.00 STRANGERS *Right and Wrong* The undercover cops are sure a local politician has been taking bribes, but normal police methods haven't proved it

10.00 NEWS AT TEN

10.30 APPOINTMENT WITH FEAR *Countess Dracula* starring Ingrid Pitt

12.20 Close Shakespeare sonnet read by Gielgud Closedown

BBC 2

6.40-7.55 Open University. 11.00-11.25 Play School. 4.55-7.00 Open University.

7.30 NEWS ON 2 with sub-titles; Weather on 2

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6.20 THIS IS YOUR RIGHT

6.45 THE KENNY EVERETT VIDEO SHOW Kenny and friends

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8.00 YOU'RE ONLY YOUNG TWICE With Peggy Mount. Flora offers to run the old people's home.

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10.30 REPORTS POLITICS With Gordon Burns and a north west MP

11.00 CLOSE ENCOUNTERS OF VARIOUS KINDS Giant plant life descends on California

12.30 A LITTLE NIGHT MUSIC

12.45 Closedown.

ATV MIDLANDS

9.30 It's Life with David Bellamy. 9.55 Paint Along With Nancy. 10.20 Survival. 10.45 George Hamilton IV. 11.10 Young Ramsay. 12.00 Paperplay. 12.10 Stepping Stones. 12.30 The Practice. 1.00 News. 1.20 ATV Newsdesk. 1.30 About Britain. 2.00 After Noon. 2.25 Film: 'Queen of the Stardust Ballroom'. 4.20 Clapperboard. 4.45 The Famous Five. 5.15 University Challenge. 5.45 News. 6.00 ATV Today. 6.45 Kenny Everett. 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 You're Only Young Twice. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 The Strangers. 10.00 News at Ten. 10.30 Left, Right and Centre. 11.00 Film: 'Kill me if You Can'. 12.45 Closedown.



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1.18 Lunchtime News; What's on Where; Weather. 1.30 About Britain. 2.00 After Noon. 2.25 Film: 'Queen of the Stardust Ballroom'. 4.20 Clapperboard. 4.45 The Famous Five. 5.15 University Challenge. 5.45 News. 6.00 Channel News; Weather. 6.10 Skippy. 6.45 Kenny Everett. 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 You're Only Young Twice. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 The Strangers. 10.00 News at Ten. 10.28 Channel News; Weather. 10.32 Code R. 11.00 Film: '12.35 News and Weather in French; Gazette; Weather; Closedown.

WESTWARD

9.30 It's Life with David Bellamy. 9.55 Paint Along With Nancy. 10.20 Skippy. 10.40 Record Makers. 11.30 Tomorrow's People. 12.00 Paper Play. 12.10 Stepping Stones. 12.27 Gus Honeybun's Birthdays. 12.30 The Shape of Things. 1.00 News. 1.20 Westward News Headlines. 1.30 About Britain. 2.00 After Noon. 2.25 Film: 'Pork Chop Hill'. 4.20 Clapperboard. 4.45 The Famous Five. 5.15 University Challenge. 5.45 News. 6.00 Westward Diary. 6.25 Sports Desk. 6.45 Kenny Everett. 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 You're Only Young Twice. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 The Strangers. 10.00 News at Ten. 10.28 Westward News; Weather. 10.30 Encounter. 11.00 Film: 'The Mummy'. 12.25 Faith for Life. 12.30 Closedown.

SOUTHERN

9.30 It's Life with David Bellamy. 9.55 Paint Along With Nancy. 10.20 Arthur. 10.40 Record Makers. 11.30 Tomorrow's People. 12.00 Paperplay. 12.10 Stepping Stones. 12.30 Farm Progress. 1.00 News. 1.20 Southern News. 1.30 About Britain. 2.00 Houseparty. 2.25 Film: 'The Million Dollar Rip-off'. 3.50 Beryl's Lot. 4.20 Clapperboard. 4.45 The Famous Five. 5.15 Laverne and Shirley. 5.45 News. 6.00 Day by Day. 6.45 Kenny Everett. 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 You're Only Young Twice. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 Strangers. 10.00 News at Ten. 10.30 Talking Bikes. 11.00 Southern News Extra. 11.10 The Law Centre. 12.10 Weather; Epilogue; Closedown.

HTV

9.30 It's Life with David Bellamy. 9.55 Paint Along With Nancy. 10.20 Dynamutt. 10.40 Record Makers. 11.30 Tomorrow's People. 12.00 Paperplay. 12.10 Stepping Stones. 12.30 The Open Air. 1.00 News. 1.20 Report West Headlines. 1.25 Report Wales Headlines. 1.30 Lifestyle. 2.00 Job Line. 2.30 Film: 'Foreign Intrigue'. 4.20 Clapperboard. 4.45 The Famous Five. 5.15 University Challenge. 5.45 News. 6.00 Report West. 6.22 Report Wales. 6.45 Kenny Everett. 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 You're Only Young Twice. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 Strangers. 10.00 News at Ten; Report West Headlines. 10.35 Film: 'How I Won the War'. 12.35 Weather; Closedown.

YORKSHIRE

9.30 It's Life with David Bellamy. 9.55 Paint Along With Nancy. 10.20 Power Without Glory. 11.10 Choirs of the World. 11.35 Friends of Man. 12.00 Paperplay. 12.10 Stepping Stones. 12.30 Farming Outlook. 1.00 News. 1.20 Calendar News. 1.30 About Britain. 2.00 After Noon. 2.25 Love Story. 3.20 Stars on Ice. 3.50 Beryl's Lot. 4.20 Clapperboard. 4.45 The Famous Five. 5.15 University Challenge. 5.45 News. 6.00 Calendar/Weather. 6.45 Kenny Everett. 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 You're Only Young Twice. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 The Strangers. 10.00 News at Ten. 10.30 Lifestyle. 11.00 The Law Centre. 12.00 Closedown.

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including 5.45 Sports Desk. 6.45 Sports Desk with racing results, cricket scores. 7.02 BBC Northern Radio Orchestra (S). 7.30 Sports Desk. 7.33 Alan Dell: 7.33 The Dance Band Days; 8.02 The Big Band Sound (S). 9.02 Humphrey Lyttelton (S) with The Best of Jazz. 9.55 Sports Desk. 10.02 The Town and Country Quiz. 10.30 Star Sound. 11.02 Brian Matthew introduces Round Midnight including 12.00 Midnight Newsroom; Weather; Motoring information. 2.00-2.02 News Summary.

BBC RADIO 3

6.55 Weather. 7.00 News. 7.05 Overture (S) Concert: Berlioz; Lalo, Delibes; records. 8.00 News. 8.05 Morning Concert (S) Elgar, Finzi, Delius, Ireland; records. 9.00 News. 9.05 This Week's Composer: Gounod (S) on record. 10.00 Talking about Music (S). 10.30 English Song Recital Recital (S) Somervell, Warlock-Ingle, Warlock. 11.10 Music for Wind Ensemble (S) by Gounod. Langley. 12.00 Rotterdam Philharmonic Orchestra (S)

Concert: Rachmaninov. 1.00 News. 1.05 BBC Lunchtime Concert (S) Brahms, Musorgsky. 2.00 Matinee Musicale (S). 3.00 French Music from Worcester Cathedral (S) Villetle, Langlais, Vierne. 4.10 New Records: Martinu, Nielsen. 5.15 Landstand (S). 5.45 Homeward Bound (6.05-6.10 News). 6.30 Lifelines: Home and Family. 7.30 Beethoven and Brahms (S) Violin and Piano Recital. 8.20 Slovak Philharmonic Orchestra (S) Concert: Tarkov. 8.50 A Parliament for the 80s. 9.10 Alfred Brendel plays Schubert (S) (10.05-10.25 Talk: Helmine von Chezy in Austria). 11.15 Jazz in Britain (S). 11.45 News. 11.50-11.55 Tonight's Schubert Song.

RADIO 4

6.00 News. 6.10 Farming Week. 6.30 Today (7.00, 8.00 News; 7.30, 8.30 News headlines). 8.35 The Week on Four. 8.45 Ray Gosling with the BBC Sound Archives. 9.00 News. 9.05 Start the Week with Richard Baker. 10.00 News.

10.05 Wildlife. 10.30 Daily Service. 10.45 Morning Story: 'The Ornithologists'. 11.00 News. 11.05 The Royal Tour. 11.50 Announcements. 12.00 News. 12.02 You and Yours. 12.27 Brain of Britain 1978. 12.55 Weather and Programme News. 1.00 The World at One; News. 1.30 The Archers. 1.45 Woman's Hour (2.00-2.02 News). 2.45 Listen with Mother. 3.00 News. 3.05 Afternoon Theatre (S) 'The Trains Don't Stop Here Any More'. 4.35 Story Time 'The Story of Ragged Robyn'. 5.00 PM Reports. 5.40 Serendipity. 5.55 Weather and Programme News. 6.00 The Six O'Clock News. 6.30 The Spambitter Man (S). 7.00 News. 7.05 The Archers. 7.20 From Our Own Correspondent. 7.20 The Monday Play (S) 'The Idiot'. 9.15 Chapter and Verse. 9.30 Today in Synod. 9.35 Kaleidoscope. 9.59 Weather. 10.00 The World Tonight: News. 10.30 Origins. 11.00 A Book at Bedtime: 'The Secret Agent'. 11.15 The Financial World Tonight. 11.30 Today in Parliament. 12.00 News; Weather; Interlude. 12.20-12.23 Inshore Forecast.

Sports Line

SELECTIONS

PONTEFRAC

2.45 Streakella (n.b.)
3.15 Subside
3.45 Wingau (Nap)
4.15 Fordel
4.45 Sweet Zest
5.15 Tap on Wood

EDINBURGH

2.30 My Chopin
3.00 Jerson
3.30 Noble Mistress
4.00 Drakensberg
4.30 Referendum
5.00 Ascot Royale
WINDSOR 6.45 Just Married;
7.10 Getaway Girl;
7.35 Hauser; 8.05 Be Cross;
8.35 Flying Optician;
9.05 Lumen

WOLVERHAMPTON

6.40 Deed I
Do; 7.05 Hanley Castle; 7.35
American; 8.05 Pathfinder;
8.30 Right So; 9.00 Bri-Eden

AFTER Gunner B's exhilarating performance in Saturday's Eclipse, we return to rather ordinary racing today.

The Houghton Handicap at PONTEFRAC could provide the most keenly fought race, but Robert Armstrong's Wingau (3.45) can defy a small penalty for an easy victory at the track's last meeting.

Racing over today's trip, Eric Eldin took Wingau into the lead three furlongs from the line and the French-

BY A RACING CORRESPONDENT
bred three-year-old quickened easily to finish five lengths ahead of favourite Delphorrie.

Today's race will not be so easy, with Bad Love and Carnlea House both capable of forcing the best out of Armstrong's charge. Wingau should follow up, however.

Pat Eddery, who rises Carnlea House, should have better luck in the first race, in which he rides Streakella (2.45) for Peter Walwyn.

Walwyn is confident that

Streakella can break her duck at last, and the ride is the main reason for Eddery's visit to the track.

Eddery can make it a double in the fourth qualifier of the Pennine Mile Championship, in which he rides Fordel (4.15), and should pick up at least one more winner at WOLVERHAMPTON, where he partners Deed I Do (6.40) whose thirds at Newbury and Salisbury were in better company than the field in tonight's opener.

The champion jockey's bid to keep his title from

going to Willie Carson could take a knock at the other evening meeting, however.

Carson starts the day eight winners ahead of Eddery at the top of the table, and looks good for a

treble at WINDSOR.

Hauser (7.35) and Lumen (9.05), the pair Carson rides for Dick Hern, look particularly promising, and he can also win on Ron Vibert's Be Cross (8.05).

WINDSOR

DRAW ADVANTAGE: high

6.45 ALBANY STAKES £800
(2-Y-O fillies) 5f (17 runners)

2 (10)	000	BLADES	N Gaslee 8 11	B Rouse
3 (8)	000	CHARLIE'S MANSIE	H Price 8 11	B Taylor
4 (12)	0	DAPHNE'S DILEMMA	L Holt 8 11	P Waldron
9 (2)	0	GOOSEBERRY FOOL	G Balding 8 11	R Weaver
12 (1)	042	JUST MARRIED	J Tree 8 11	L Pigott
13 (11)	00	JUST SPLENDID (BF)	A Ingham 8 11	R Muddle (5)
14 (5)	0	KUNG HEI FAT CHOY	S Supple 8 11	G Ramshaw
19 (3)	0	MISS TOPAZ	R Jarvis 8 11	M L Thomas
22 (17)	0	OUR GENERATOR	Miss N Wilmot 8 11	D Yates
23 (6)	04	PENNY BAZAAR	R Vibert 8 11	R Curant
24 (16)	0	PRETTY PROMPT	W H-Bass 8 11	H White
25 (13)	0	PRINCESS REDOWA	J Winter 8 11	W Carson
26 (7)	0	PROUD PERFORMANCE	G Harwood 8 11	G Starkey
29 (14)	0	SANG SANG FAT FAT	S Supple 8 11	T O Lau (3)
36 (15)	320	THUMRAIT THERMIDOR (BF)	R ahannon 8 11	M Roberts
37 (4)	0	VEDAS VALLEY	G Hunter 8 11	M Roberts
38 (9)	0	WALMARI	J Spearing 8 11	

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Just Married; 7-2 Just Splendid; 9-2 Miss Topaz; 6-1 Charlie's Mansie; 8-1 Thumrait Thermidor; 10-1 Penny Bazaar; 12-1 Princess Redowa; 20-1 others.

7.10 EMONT SELLING H'CAP STAKES £600

2 (3)	034-004	GETAWAY GIRL	E Reavey 4 9 5	R Curant
3 (1)	243002	DOUGHTY	T M Jones 4 9 2	G Starkey
4 (7)	001-000	STAR FORM	J Evans 3 9 1	F Morby
5 (9)	0000-0	MITELLO	M Salaman 3 8 13	A Jones (7)
7 (6)	0/0000	PEACOCK VAIN	M Salaman 4 8 13	A Cousins
9 (14)	0000-0	FRANKENSTEIN	S James 4 8 11	
10 (5)	0-03000	SERGEANT JIM	L Holt 4 8 11	P Waldron
11 (11)	0-00000	RAGUSA IMP	L Holt 4 8 11	
12 (12)	00-000	MAGNESITE	T Gosling 3 8 11	
15 (2)	000002	GOLDEN MOET	W Wightman 3 8 5	G Baxter
16 (4)	042000	PHILOTIMO	W Musson 4 8 5	
17 (8)	43-0000	BARON DE HOLLAND	J Spearing 4 8 4	
19 (10)	0007	SHOP STEWARD	P Ransom 4 8 4	M Roberts
20 (13)	000-00	LADY WILGATE	A Davison 3 7 7	I Jenkinson

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Golden Moet; 11-4 Doughty; 4-1 Getaway Girl; 7-1 Philotimo; 10-1 Sergeant Jim; 12-1 Star Form; 20-1 others.

7.35 BEAUMONT HANDICAP STAKES £2,500

3 (9)	0-40100	IRISH POET (C-D)	B Lunness 4 9 1	G Starkey
4 (5)	430-000	JUNELLA (C)	T Waugh 4 9 1	G Sexton
5 (7)	031041	INDIAN MARK (C-D)	Mrs L Dingwall 7 9 0 (8 ex)	
7 (1)	311300-5	LORD OF MISRULE	C Dingwall 4 8 9	R Curant
9 (2)	0-00122	WELSH KNIGHT (BF)	H Cecil 3 8 6	J Mercer
11 (8)	000114	HAUSER (FR) (BF)	W Hern 4 8 5	W Carson
14 (3)	311020	RIVER MAHWA	M Haynes 5 7 11	I Jenkinson
15 (4)	4-01320	TIRAN (HUN)	Miss N Birch 5 7 11	M L Thomas
17 (6)	4000/00	LUCKY DEVIL (D)	M Salaman 5 7 7	C Leonard

PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Welsh Knight; 3-1 Hauser; 9-2 Indian Mark; 11-2 Junella; 8-1 River Mahwa; 12-1 Irish Poet; 16-1 others.

8.05 CAMPERDOWN STAKES £1,400

3 (1)	410230	BE CROSS	R Vibert 9 3	W Carson
6 (3)	31223	GENERAL ATTY	R Armstrong 9 3	L Pigott
11 (4)	122100	FRIENDLY NEIGHBOUR	C Hill 9 2	P Winter (7)
12 (6)	313300	ROSE OF SHENFIELD (C)	M Haynes 9 0	C Furlong (3)
14 (2)	13003	YAT DING FAT	S Supple 9 0	T O Lau (7)
15 (5)	0	CARACUET	G Balding 8 11	R Weaver
25 (7)	0	STOCKLEY TORNADO	F Freeman 8 8	R Curant

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 General Atty; 5-2 Be Cross; 5-1 Friendly Neighbour; 6-1 Yat Ding Fat; 8-1 Rose of Shenfield; 25-1 Stockley Tornado.

8.35 ALMA HANDICAP STAKES £1,500

1 (5)	1-00400	NATIVE BERY (FR) (D)	C Austin 9 5	J Mercer
10 (4)	0-00400	GO LAKER	R Smyth 8 6	B Taylor
11 (1)	02-00	MALLABEE (D)	W Wightman 8 6	M L Thomas
14 (8)	400-000	NUSARO	A Pitt 8 3	B Rouse
15 (7)	3321-00	RAINBOWS END (D)	I Balding 8 2	W Carson
16 (14)	4-00101	SLITHERUM (C-D)	R Hannon 8 1 (10 ex)	
17 (2)	01030-0	CARNOC WALK	I Walker 8 0	A Auld (7)
18 (9)	000-00	SABLE SAINT	H Price 7 13	
19 (12)	331020	ROYAL LOVE (D)	R Hannon 7 12	
20 (16)	0034	QUEEN OF THE HILLS	C Hill 7 12	
21 (11)	20-3003	FLYING OPTICIAN	P Cole 7 12	G Baxter
22 (15)	021000	GOLD PROSPECTOR (D)	R Armstrong 7 10	
25 (10)	242030	BURGLAR BILL	D Marks 7 5	R Street
27 (3)	20-4000	DIVINE GLIDER	M Haynes 7 4	I Jenkinson
28 (6)	3010-00	TRIBAL FAIR (C-D)	Mrs A Finch 7 3	
29 (17)	400-000	QUEEN'S ROYALE	M Bolton 7 3	M Roberts
32 (13)	31-1202	THE SAMPSON GIRLS (D)	W Marshall 7 0	

PROBABLE SP: 7-2 Flying Optician; 9-2 Mallabee; 11-2 Slitherum; 7-1 The Sampson Girls; 8-1 Rainbows End; 10-1 Go Laker; 14-1 Sable Saint; 16-1 Burglar Bill; 20-1 Gold Prospector; 20-1 others.

9.05 GARFIELD STAKES £800

1 (20)	242131	HASHOFET	A Ingham 9 10	R Muddle (5)
4 (9)	0-0421	CASSIAR	H Cecil 9 7	J Mercer
8 (2)	000-21	LUMEN	W Hern 9 4	W Carson
13 (1)	0000	DOUBLE DUTY	J Sutcliffe 9 0	B Rouse
15 (8)	0000	FRESH BREEZE	G Hunter 9 0	M Roberts
17 (7)	00-0000	KIDLINGTON (FR)	C Austin 9 0	G Starkey
19 (11)	00	MURRAY THWAITE	R Hannon 9 0	
21 (6)	00	TUDOR ROAD	V Cross 9 0	
22 (13)	00	BIONIC BILL	R Vibert 8 11	J Lowe
23 (15)	0-0	BYRIAL (HUN)	Mrs N Birch 8 11	
24 (10)	400-000	CHARLIE'S MAGIC	R Vibert 8 11	R Curant
25 (16)	00	CLONLEE LAD	P Mitchell 8 11	K Daniels
26 (5)	00	DIAMOND JANE	S Matthews 8 11	
30 (3)	0000-00	LONELY VOICE	C Hill 8 11	
31 (4)	0000	MELERINGS	W Hern 8 11	B Proctor
35 (19)	000-000	PRINCESS SAULINGO	H Westbrook 8 11	M L Thomas
36 (17)	24-0034	ROME	N Adam 8 11	P Madden
38 (18)	0-00	SPLIT PERSONALITY	I Balding 8 11	J Matthias
40 (12)	00	TAJEMMA	R Hannon 8 11	
41 (14)	00-0000	USTED ARRIBA	R Smyth 8 11	I Jenkinson

PROBABLE SP: 7-4 Lumen; 5-2 Cassiar; 7-2 Hashofet; 8-1 Double Duty; 12-1 Melerings; Split Personality; 20-1 others.

PONTEFRAC

DRAW ADVANTAGE: low

2.45 WRAGBY MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES £800
(2-Y-O) 5f (11 runners)

2 (8)	0	BEAU NIECE	J Hardy 8 11	P Madden
5 (10)	00	BON AMIE	M W Easterby 8 11	C Dwyer
7 (1)	000	EDZELL	M W Easterby 8 11	B Raymond
8 (6)	0	ITS MAGIC	Denys Smith 8 11	
9 (5)	0	JUDY ANNE	J FitzGerald 8 11	B Henry
10 (3)	0	LORENZAN	W Elsey 8 11	E Hide
11 (11)	00	MITZI BELL	V Mitchell 8 11	P Turk
13 (7)	400303	OYSTON IDOL	J Berry 8 11	E Apter
15 (9)	004	RIGTON NOOK	P Asquith 8 11	S Perkins
17 (2)	042	STREAKELLA (BF)	P Walwyn 8 11	P Eddery
18 (4)	0	TANNER STREET	J Powney 8 11	

BLINKERS: 17
PROBABLE SP: 6-4 Streakella; 4-1 Rington Nook; 6-1 Oyston Idol; 8-1 Beau Niece; 10-1 Bon Amie; 12-1 Lorenzan and Tanner Street; 20-1 others.

3.15 SMEATON SELLING HANDICAP STAKES £600
(3-Y-O) 1m 4f (9 runners)

2 (5)	000-000	SUMMER MIST	A Goodwill 9 3	P Madden
4 (1)	0322	SUBSIDISE (BF)	J Hardy 9 1	R Lawson (7)
5 (3)	0000-20	CASTLE PEEP	Peter Taylor 8 13	T Ives
7 (6)	320000	FLAIRS BOY	S Holland 8 10	C Hickey (7)
8 (2)	230000	SILLITA	D McCain 8 8	M Banner (7)
9 (9)	0000-00	DEESIDE BOY	C Crossley 8 8	P Eddery
10 (8)	000-030	NILUSTINA	C James 8 7	M Wood (7)
12 (10)	000	CANDY CORNER	S Norton 7 12	L C Parkes
13 (7)	000-000	ALDY'S PARK	J Skilling 7 10	

BLINKERS: 10, 12, 13
PROBABLE SP: 11-8 Subside; 11-4 Castle Peep; 6-1 Nilustina; 10-1 Sillita; 12-1 Flairs Boy and Summer Mist; 20-1 others.

3.45 HOUGHTON HANDICAP STAKES £2,000
1m 2f (12 runners)

2 (3)	0/00000	SENATOR SAM	J W Watts 5 8 13	A Mercer (7)
4 (9)	000-30	ROYAL CONDUCTOR (USA)	J Mulhall 6 8 8	T Ives
5 (7)	0-04014	BAD LOVE (D)	R Hollinshead 4 8 7	J Matthias
6 (2)	10-0103	LOUVECIENNES (FR) (D)	I Balding 5 8 7	N Howe (7)
7 (10)	30220/0	HYDROGRAPHIC	W Elsey 5 8 6	P Eddery
9 (6)	00-0002	CARNLEA HOUSE (D)	Denys Smith 6 8 3	C Williams
10 (8)	0000-00	LADIES MAN	W Guest 3 8 2	F Postill (7)
11 (5)	400233	MY WELLIE (D)	W C Watts 5 8 2	J Lowe
13 (4)	000200	MAHAR	J Calvert 4 7 12	
15 (11)	04021	WINGAU (FR) (C-D)	R Armstrong 3 7 10 (5 ex)	
16 (12)	00-0000	PHOENIX ROSE	M Naughton 4 7 8	M Wigham (3)
18 (1)	0-00301	LUCKY SEVENTEEN	D Weeden 6 7 7	

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Wingau; 11-4 Louveciennes; 9-2 Carnlea House; 8-1 Lucky Seventeen and Bad Love; 10-1 My Wellie; 12-1 Royal Conductor; 20-1 others.

EDINBURGH

DRAW ADVANTAGE: high

2.30 MUSSELBURGH AMATEUR RIDERS' H'CAP £1,000
5f (10 runners)

1 (5)	31-0030	CLINTWOOD (D) (BF)	W A Stephenson 6 11 1	Mr T G Dun
2 (2)	24-0004	MY CHOPIN (D)	T Fairhurst 7 10 8	Judy Chandler
3 (4)	000000	DOUBLE SECRET (D)	M H Easterby 4 10 7	Mr T Easterby
6 (6)	000-000	QUEEN OF THE REALM (D)	C James 3 9 13	Virginia James (3)
8 (8)	00-0100	PICK YOUR OWN (D)	J Cousins 4 9 9	Anne Cousins
13 (1)	004014	SHARP LADY	J Berry 3 9 7	Josephine Berry
14 (9)	000/0000	CARBERRY GIRL	S Leadbetter 5 9 7	Mr R Shields (3)
17 (10)	00400-0	HILL VENTURE	R E Peacock 3 9 7	Carmen Peacock (3)
18 (3)	000000	CALM SHIP	A W Jones 5 9 7	Diana Jones
20 (7)	0-00004	WHISTLING BERNIE	P Poston 5 9 7	Harriet Glen

BLINKERS: 2, 3, 20
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 My Chopin; 100-30 Clintwood; 9-2 Double Secret; 7-1 Sharp Lady; 10-1 Pick Your Own; 14-1 Hill Venture and Calm Ship; 16-1 others.

3.00 HOLYROOD MAIDEN STAKES £700
(3-Y-O) 1m 7f (9 runners)

4 (1)	00-4344	BLOOD ORANGE	C Thornton 9 0	J Bleasdale
2 (8)	000000	DANUBIUS	T Craig 9 0	K Lesson
3 (5)	000-0	DUNARAM	G Wallace 9 0	T Carson
4 (7)	00	FOOT FAULT	W A Stephenson 9 0	J Seagrave
6 (1)	00000	GOLDEN GLADE	M W Easterby 9 0	C Moss
7 (6)	0022	JERSON (CAN)	S Norton 9 0	M Kettle
10 (9)	000400	ST PADDY'S GIFT	W Marshall 9 0	
11 (2)	02	SWASHBUCKLING	M Prescott 9 0	G Duffield
12 (3)	00	LITTLE MINX	J Skilling 8 11	G Oldroyd

BLINKERS: 7
PROBABLE SP: 15-8 Jerson; 11-4 Swashbuckling; 5-1 Blood Orange; 7-1 St Paddy's Gift; 10-1 Dunaram; 12-1 Foot Fault; 16-1 others.

3.30 CASTLEMILK STAKES £700
(2-Y-O fillies) 5f (7 runners)

1 (6)	0000	BENTINCK HOTEL	G Blum 8 11	
2 (1)	000	BIRD'S CUSTARD	M W Easterby 8 11	C Moss
5 (4)	0	MISS ADMINGTON	R Hollinshead 8 11	K Darley (5)
6 (5)	3442	NOBLE MISTRESS	W H Williams 8 11	G Duffield
7 (2)	0	OLIVE'S GIFT	W Marshall 8 11	
9 (3)	030	SOVEREIGN ACRES (BF)	G Hunter 8 11	J Bleasdale
9 (7)	0000	THAULING	T Fairhurst 8 11	C Eccleston

BLINKERS: 8
PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Noble Mistress; 3-1 Sovereign Acres; 5-1 Miss Admington and Olive's Gift; 8-1 Bird's Custard; 12-1 Bentinck Hotel; 14-1 Thauling.

4.15 WEBSTER'S PENNINE MILE CH'SHIP 4th QU'FIER
£1,500 (3-Y-O) 1m (16 runners)

1 (10)	000-	ALEXBROC	D McCain 9 0	
2 (4)	000	ANICK	R Houghton 9 0	J Reid
4 (13)	002-302	CAVO RICO	C Brittain 9 0	E Hide
5 (16)	00034	CLOWN COURT	J Berry 9 0	E Apter
6 (9)	0-3300	FORDEL	Denys Smith 9 0	P Eddery
7 (15)	030-00	HI-QUAY	Denys Smith 9 0	
8 (7)	00U00-0	HOPEFUL COURAGE	P Asquith 9 0	S Perks
11 (5)	342	LEVINE (USA) (BF)	M H Easterby 9 0	M Birch
13 (8)	00-00	MOUNTBANK	J Winter 9 0	
17 (14)	000-0	SEVENAIR	A Dickinson 9 0	S Webster
18 (1)	0-30000	SHOLA	M W Easterby 9 0	C Dwyer
19 (6)	0-02000	WOLFEY SOVEREIGN	R Hollinshead 9 0	T Ives
20 (12)	004-00	ALPINE ROSE	C Thornton 8 11	O Gray
21 (3)	34-0	FIRENTE	H Candy 8 11	P Waldron
22 (11)	0-00400	HOMMAGE	W Elsey 8 11	J Lowe
23 (2)	0000-00	JANEMAR	P Wigham 8 11	M Wigham (3)

Sports Line

BORG REIGNS SUPREME

TOP OF TENNIS WORLD

BJORN BORG stands on his own at the top of the tennis world after his stunning defeat of Jimmy Connors.

Before the final Borg and Connors, by common consent, made up the First Division of tennis, with the rest in Division Two.

But Borg surely reigns supreme in a class of his own now, with Connors desperately wanting to join the 22-year-old Swede.

The difference is that Borg is a three-times winner — and Connors a three-times loser.

Connors has tried and failed since 1974 against modern counterparts Arthur Ashe and Borg.

Ironically, his defeat on Saturday was as comprehensive as the one the American handed out to veteran Ken Rosewall four years ago.

Defeat

And no one has ever seen Connors like he was at the end of this straight sets defeat by Borg.

He looked as shattered as many of his own opponents do at the end of a match.

Though Connors will bounce back, it could mark a big turning-point in his career.

He crashed his way

through to the final only to be handed a tennis lesson from a man who almost went out first round.

Borg's performance must rank among the finest in a Wimbledon final, considering the class of the opposition.

It was virtually error-free, attested by the fact that he did not serve one double fault throughout.

Connors was only in the match for two games — the first, when he held serve, and the second, when he broke Borg.

But as soon as Borg found his range there was only one man in it.

Connors knew before the match that he could never beat Borg from the back of the court —

but that's where he was kept for nearly every point.

The American's serve — first or second — was handled with considerable ease by Borg.

The return of serve would invariably be deep and carry venomous topspin.

Connors spent the match playing shots anywhere from his chest to his shoulders. It was a tiring business.

For variation Borg used another shot in his considerable armoury — a sliced backhand, which he followed to the net.

It was Connors not Borg who was pressurised into errors, and the Swede who won key points at the net.

While the Connors

fight-back of last year was eagerly anticipated, he was never given a chance against a relentless Borg.

Borg's single-mindedness is well known. Even when his racket flew into the net as he served, Borg showed no outward emotion.

Striding the court like some latterday Viking, Borg moved so smoothly and yet so quickly with a fluency Connors lacked.

What also marks Borg apart is that ability to play the big points with something extra and the way he raises his overall game when it is necessary.

Connors started at full steam this Wimbledon; Borg built up and saved a supreme performance for the final.

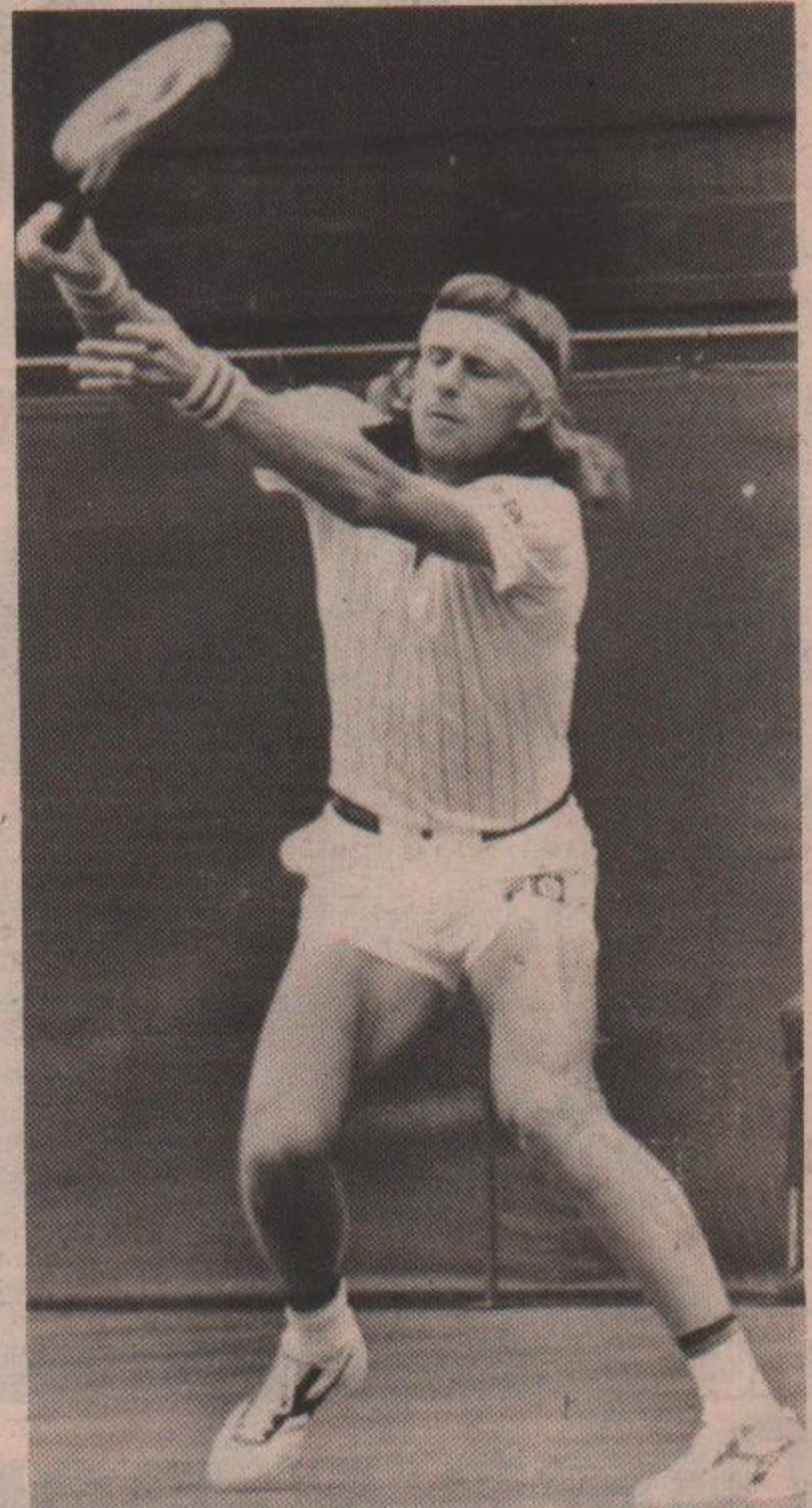
After equalling Fred Perry's record of three successive wins, Borg is young enough to become, perhaps, the greatest of them all.

Improved

He is barely 22 and has improved considerably even since his first Wimbledon title.

While Connors' game has remained as it was, Borg's serving and volleying have developed beyond recognition.

And now it's on to Flushing Meadows for the US Open and another potential clash with Connors, and the Australian Open as Borg goes for the 'Grand Slam' of major tournaments in one year.



UNDISPUTED WORLD CHAMPION ... Bjorn Borg — and he's only 22!

WHERE THE MONEY WENT:

MEN'S SINGLES
Winner (£19,000) B Borg (Swe)
Runner-up (£9,600) J Connors (USA)
Semi-finalists (£4,800) T Okker (Neth); V Gerulaitis (USA)
Quarter-finalists (£2,400) A Mayer (USA); I Nastase (Rum); B Gottfried (USA); R Ramirez (Mex)

WOMEN'S SINGLES
Winner (£17,100) M Navratilova (Czech)
Runner-up (£8,400) C Evert (USA)
Semi-finalists (£4,400) V Wade (GB); E Cawley (Aus)
Quarter-finalists (£1,920) B J King (USA); M Jausovec (Yugo); V Ruzic (Rum); M Kruger (SA)

WOMEN'S DOUBLES:
Winners (£6,500 per pair) K Reid and W Turnbull (Aus)

Runners-up (£3,120) Miss Jausovec and Miss Ruzic
Semi-finalists (£1,600) S Barker (GB) and M Guerrant (USA); F Durr (Fra) and V Wade

MEN'S DOUBLES
Winners (£7,500 per pair) F D McMillan and R A J Hewitt (SA)
Runners-up (£3,600) P Fleming and J P McEnroe (USA)
Semi-finalists (£2,000) J Alexander and P Dent (Aus); W Fibak (Pol) and T Okker

MIXED DOUBLES
Winners (£4,000 per pair) F D McMillan (SA) and Miss B F Stove (Neth)
Runners-up (£2,000) R O Ruffels (Aus) and Mrs L W King (USA)
Semi-finalists (£840) A Roche (Aus) and Miss Durr; A Stone and Miss D Fromholtz (Aus)

WOLVERHAMPTON

DRAW ADVANTAGE: None; no stalls

6.40 DR ABERNETHY MAIDEN FILLIES' STAKES £800 (2-Y-O) 7f (22 runners)

2 (20)	03	APRIL SAL	M Jarvis 8 11	B Raymond
3 (11)	0030	BLANCA	R Hannan 8 11	J Mathias
5 (16)	0	CALARETTE	G P-Gordon 8 11	E Eldin
6 (15)	0	CHINTA CRISTA	I Walker 8 11	J Lynch
7 (3)	33	DEED I DO (BF)	P Walwyn 8 11	P Eddery
9 (9)	4400	DRAS LASS	Mrs R Lomax 8 11	D McKay
11 (14)	00	GHOSTING	B Hobson 8 11	J Reid
12 (6)	300	HI-GEMINI	E Reavey 8 11	B Jago
14 (5)	40	JEANNE DU BARRY	P Haslam 8 11	T Ives
15 (12)	00	JUBILEE DANCER	K Bridgwater 8 11	P Cook
18 (22)	04404	LADY CHRYSAL	R Hollinshead 8 11	M Hobson (7)
20 (19)	000	LOMBARDINA	D Kent 8 11	A Kimberley
22 (8)	03	MONDAY NIGHT	M Smyly 8 11	D Tyrell (7)
23 (1)	00	PAMKINS HART	M Tate 8 11	E Hide
24 (4)	00	PARONIAS	R Hobson 8 11	E Knowles
25 (2)	0	RIGHT ECLIPSE	P Cole 8 11	
27 (17)	00	SAKEENA	R Boss 8 11	
29 (7)	00	SPANISH VISIT	M Prescott 8 11	
30 (10)	00	SPEEDER	A Hide 8 11	
31 (13)	000	SUNDIAL MISS	W Wharton 8 11	
32 (21)	00	SYKELIA	C Brittain 8 11	
33 (18)	0	TWILIGHT TREASURE	J S Evans 8 11	

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Deed I Do, 7-2 April Sal, 9-2 Monday Night, 8-1 Ghosting, 10-1 Sakeena, 12-1 Right Eclipse, Bianca and Sykelia, 20-1 others.

7.05 'NIL DESPERANDUM SELLING STAKES £500 (2-Y-O) 5f (9 runners)

3 (4)	00	COMEDY CASTLE	J Bradley 8 8	A Cartwright (7)
5 (8)	0043	HANLEY SKIP	D Wintle 8 8	S Spendlove (7)
6 (6)	00	MARMOURAH	W Wharton 8 8	P Eddery
8 (5)	00	SILLY DITTY	N Vigors 8 8	J Hannigan (7)
9 (9)	000	STANDLAKE (FR)	D Marks 8 8	P Cook
11 (2)	30234	VIC FINE HOMES	J Barry 8 8	S Webster
12 (7)	00	DECENT LAD	J Hardy 8 4	
13 (3)	000	ALICE BLUE GOWN	J Hardy 8 1	D McKay

15 (1) 00 TRIBINA P Makin 8 1 J Lynch

BLINKERS: 6
PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Hanley Castle, 7-2 Decent Lad, 9-2 Tribina, 6-1 Standlake, 8-1 Silly Ditty, 12-1 Vic Fine Homes and Marmourah, 20-1 others.

7.35 WOLVERHAMPTON HANDICAP STAKES £1,500 (3-Y-O) 2m (8 runners)

1 (5)	000-110	RINNAGA	E Reavey 9 1	E Johnson
3 (7)	043031	AMERICAN (USA)	R Houghton 8 4 (3 ex)	J Reid
4 (3)	12303	HIGH ADVENTURE	J Hindley 8 2	A Kimberley
7 (2)	00-014	CARVEN BOY	C Brittain 7 9	P Bredwell (7)
8 (8)	441	EMBARRASSED	H Cecil 7 8	Wigham (3)
9 (1)	0-00400	BROWNGLLEN	Mrs R Lomax 7 6	D McKay
10 (4)	000043	CAMON	W Elsey 7 4	N Howe (7)
13 (6)	04300-0	NELL'S SONG	D H Jones 7 0	W Higgins (5)

BLINKERS: 4
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 American, 11-4 Rinnaga, 4-1 Carven Boy, 6-1 Embarrassed, 8-1 High Adventure, 10-1 Camon, 16-1 others.

8.05 KINGSWOOD STAKES £1,000 (3-Y-O c&g) 1m 4f (6 runners)

1 (4)	000412	JUBILEE LORD (D)	R Houghton 9 9	J Reid
5 (8)	23211	PATHFINDER (FR)	F Walwyn 9 9	P Eddery
7 (3)	00-3234	BRITISH GRENADEIR (BF)	J Winter 9 0	E Hide
8 (5)	0-	CELTIC CANON	A Hide 9 0	J Mathias
14 (2)	00-0000	LEGANES	N Vigors 9 0	P Cook
21 (1)	00-0000	ODDS ON TIM	W Charles 9 0	B Jago

BLINKERS: 7
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 on Pathfinder, 4-1 British Grenadier, 6-1 Jubilee Lord, 16-1 Leganes, 25-1 Odds on Tim and Celtic Canon.

8.30 DAISY BANK HANDICAP STAKES £1,000 1m (25 runners)

1 (17)	00101-0	L'EVEQUE	S Mellor 7 9 7	J Rowe (7)
3 (21)	042111	PAMS GLEAM (C) (D)	R Hollinshead 5 9 4 (8 ex)	T O'Donoghue (7)
5 (24)	0/00001-	MON BEAUX (D)	D Kent 4 9 1	R Barnes (7)
7 (1)	11-0430	CAN RUN (D)	D Gandolfo 5 8 12	
11 (23)	100-212	RIGHT SO (D)	I Walker 5 8 9	P Eddery
13 (18)	000401	ABYSSINA (D)	A Pitt 4 8 7	E Eldin

14 (11)	030-000	CABIN BOY	W Hern 4 8 7	B Raymond
17 (6)	000-440	JACKOLEON (D)	A Dalton 5 8 3	E Knowles
18 (16)	44-0100	LEGAL LAIRD (D)	J S Evans 4 8 3	E Hide
21 (26)	0330-00	DIOR QUEEN	C Brittain 3 8 2	P Cook
22 (20)	3-00103	FETTERED (C)	N Vigors 4 8 1	T Rogers
23 (5)	020001	SADEADAB (C-D)	J Edmunds 5 8 1 (8 ex)	N Howe (7)
27 (12)	000-030	NIAGARA RHYTHM	J Webber 5 7 13	K Darley (5)
29 (10)	002231	PERFECT FIT (D)	J Tierney 4 7 12	D Tyrell (7)
30 (4)	00-0000	TOPMAST	M Tate 5 7 12	
33 (14)	0-00210	THREE MUSKETEER'S (D)	W Wharton 5 7 10	
34 (3)	000-001	SMITH SEAL (C-D)	G P-Gordon 3 7 7	D McKay
35 (8)	0414-00	LANZERAC (D)	G P-Gordon 3 7 7	S Jarvis (5)
37 (13)	00-0110	KORBUS	J Hardy 3 7 7	
38 (15)	000-000	FIREBOURG	L Barratt 3 7 7	
40 (22)	0000/00	WINDY TREATY (USA)	W Charles 6 7 7	
42 (9)	043000/0	FULL VALUE	D Ringer 7 7 7	R Fox
44 (25)	00000/0	PRIVY COURT	K Bridgwater 6 7 7	
45 (12)	0-00000	KINTBURY	Mrs N Birch 3 7 7	
46 (19)		PSALM	Miss S Morris 9 7 7	

BLINKERS: 14, 22, 27, 34
PROBABLE SP: 4-1 Abyssinia, 5-1 Right So, 6-1 Pams Gleam and Cabin Boy, 8-1 Fettered and Sadedab, 10-1 Korbus, 12-1 Smith Seal, 14-1 Perfect Fit, 16-1 others.

9.00 ST SWITHINS HANDICAP STAKES £1,300 5f (12 runners)

3 (10)	04-4012	GET INVOLVED (D) (BF)	D Marks 4 8 5 (7 ex)	P Cook
4 (9)	140344	ELFINARIA (D)	I Balding 3 8 4	A J Mathias
5 (7)	00-1202	BEAUFORT STREET (C-D)	A Dalton 7 8 4	B Raymond
7 (8)	044000	ASCOT BLUE (D)	J Bradley 5 7 12	R Fox
9 (2)	44/0000	SOVEREIGN CHIEF	Mrs R Lomax 4 7 12	S Webster
9 (3)	431011	BRI-EDEN (C-D)	J Berry 4 7 12 (7 ex)	D McKay
10 (5)	00000-0	SEPTEMBER DAY (D)	G Balding 3 7 11	Wigham (3)
11 (4)	00-4010	MOON'S LASS (D)	R Hollinshead 4 7 11	
12 (11)	000000	ROCKET LANCER	J Haine 4 7 11	
13 (12)	02-0020	ON THE TURN	B Lunness 7 7 7	
15 (1)	300/030	WILL'S STAR (C) (D)	L Barratt 10 7 7	S Jarvis (5)
17 (6)	0-00020	MARCHER LORD	M Salaman 3 7 7	C Coughlin (7)

BLINKERS: 8
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Elfinaria, 100-30 Bri-Eden, 9-2 Beaufort Street, 7-1 Get Involved, 10-1 Moon's Lass, 14-1 On the Turn, 16-1 others.

RANDALL HITS BACK



BACK IN FAVOUR ... Derek Randall

DEREK RANDALL bounced back into international cricket yesterday.

Cricket's comedian was named in the England squad for the one-day internationals against New Zealand.

But there is no re-call yet for Yorkshire captain Geoff Boycott.

Alec Bedser, chairman of the selectors, explained yesterday: 'Choosing this part took a great deal of time and thought.'

'But in the context of the one-day game we have decided to leave out Geoff from these two matches.'

So Randall gets the re-call he has fought for and joins the 12 for the third Test against Pakistan.

Randall had to live up to the magnificent 174 against Jeff Thompson and Dennis

Lillee in the Centenary Test 18 months ago.

He found it difficult and though he toured Pakistan and New Zealand last winter, the Nottinghamshire star was ignored at the start of the summer.

Randall, 27, and one of the world's top cover fielders, fought his way back into the reckoning in the only possible way.

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He has an average of 106.60 from innings of 120, 94, two not out, 66, 31, 157 not out, 33 not out and 30 in his last five matches.

Randall is a crowd-puller and his antics have amused fans all over the world, though he has often wondered how the Establishment viewed his behaviour.

He once confided that when he took the catch to win the Ashes last year he was in half a mind to grab the ball with his hands behind his back.

Brearely praised his side to the sky after the series against Pakistan.

Resist

Though a straight swap of Randall for Clive Radley or Graham Roope is a possibility, Brearely may resist the change.

Brearely himself pulled out of Middlesex's John Player League match against Essex at Lord's yesterday.

The England captain was struck on the finger batting against New Zealand yesterday.

Brearely is confident he will be fit to lead the England side.

'Although the finger is badly bruised, I am glad to say that nothing is broken. But it is still very sore and I decided not to risk it.'

20 century run

ESSEX all-rounder Stuart Turner, 34, claimed his 200th wicket in the John Player League against Middlesex at Lord's yesterday. Turner, the first Englishman to complete the double of 100 wickets and 1,000 runs in the competition, has already passed 2,000 runs in the competition.

Tired Borg flies out

WIMBLEDON champion Bjorn Borg flew off to Copenhagen from Heathrow yesterday and said he was 'shattered'.

He survived backslapping and a barrage of autograph hunters and said with a smile: 'Don't talk about marriage.'

He had been to an all-night celebration with friends.

Said his fiancée, Miriana Simionescu: 'We haven't decided when to get married — there is plenty of time.'

Borg, who had shaved off the beard he grew during Wimbledon fortnight went to Copenhagen to play in this week's Davis Cup tie against Spain.

Of the final, he said 'Connors' service was bad and that made a lot of difference. He didn't really play well. Now it's all over I could do with a good night's sleep.'

Borg will aim for the Grand Slam — the Italian, French, American, Australian and Wimbledon titles — in one year.

He said: 'My ambition when I retire is to be known as one of the greatest who ever played tennis.' (See 'Borg reigns supreme' p15.)

Salute spoils record bid

SPRINTER Alan Wells, a 26-year-old marine engineer from Edinburgh, grabbed the limelight from traditional distance running events at the Gateshead Games yesterday.

He equalled the 20-year-old British 100 metres record of 10.29 seconds, set by Peter Radford in Paris.

Wells might have even broken the record if he had not upset his momentum by raising his arms in triumph in the last few strides.

Two UK allcomers' records were beaten. Olympic champion Ed Moses of the USA broke Alan Pascoe's 400 metres hurdle record by three tenths of a second with a time of 48.55 seconds.

SUMMARIES

MAIDSTONE: Derbyshire 164 for eight; Kent 149. Derbys won by 15 runs.
HEADINGLEY: Warwickshire 160 for seven; Yorkshire 162 for five. Yorks won by 5 wks.
BASINGSTOKE: Worcestershire 159 for nine; Hampshire 162 for four. Hants won by 6 wks.
LORD'S: Middlesex 163 for seven; Essex 164 for one. Essex won by 9 wks.
LEICESTER: Gloucestershire 146 for nine; Leicestershire 150 for four. Leics won by 5 wks.
CARDIFF: Glamorgan 113 for seven; Somerset 51 for four. Somerset won by 6 wks (rain rest).
TRING: Surrey 179 for seven; Northamptonshire 180 for five. Northants won by 5 wks.

GOLF

Open greens stun US stars



HALE IRWIN - Impressed by St Andrews

THE magnetic pull of the Open Golf Championship was never more evident than at St Andrews.

More than 10,000 golf fans swarmed over the famous links, free of charge, to watch the world's greats practising for this week's spectacular.

Already sales ensure a record attendance for the Open, which begins on Wednesday.

Two of the Americans the crowd watched, Hale Irwin and Hubert Green — both hotly fancied to win the title — were staggered at the size of the St Andrews greens.

Green, who finished third behind Tom Watson and Jack Nicklaus a year ago, was

keen to test them. His putting has been 'horrible' in recent weeks and their size will not ease his problems.

'I tried to putt from one side to another on one double green and lost the ball,' he said.

He even implied that should he be that far off target, he might consider using a wedge. 'There is no rule to say you cannot chip on the putting surface.'

Record

Irwin has not won a tournament this year, but believes he is playing well enough to win. His record in this country is excellent, having twice won the World Match-play Championship.

He was pleasantly surprised on his first visit to the home of golf. He said:

'I think we always envisage some monster — it is certainly not that. I did not expect all the rolls on the fairway and blind bunkers, but it is not as difficult as I expected.'

'But those greens are like large house-lots. Nowhere in the world are they like that. I guess it would take nearly two hours to mow one.'

Young British hope Nick Faldo also played the course for the first time and found difficulty in judging distances.

His playing partner was Peter Townsend, one of 92 players to come through the ordeal of qualifying on Friday and Saturday.

Christy O'Connor junior headed the field at Leven, where he did not drop a single stroke during rounds of 69 and 67.