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Coal Strike is only answer

NUM president Arthur Scargill said this had been agreed 'in the face of the most repressive measures used against a trade union possibly since 1926'.

He was speaking after last night's joint meeting between the NUM, the National Union of Railwaymen, ASLEF, the Transport and General Workers' Union and the National Union of Seamen which decided to 'tighten up' on the movement of coal and all other fuels.

Scargill refused to give precise details, saying that to do so would alert the press and the authorities. But he said that the secret undertakings had given 'a considerable boost' to the strike.

Alliance

He said the object of the undertakings received at the quadruple alliance meeting 'is to stop the flow of coal and all other fuels into and within Britain'.

The NUM president then left with NUS leader Jim Slater and miners' general secretary Peter Heathfield to appeal to the Polish embassy to stop sending shipments of strike-breaking coal to Britain.

In a speech to the Scottish Tory Party conference in Perth last night, Prime Minister Thatcher said: 'We are not going to intervene in the coal dispute'.

Her statement came a few hours after the Home Secretary announced that the government was going to foot the £25 million bill for the national policing operation mounted over the past nine weeks.

Dictatorship

Thatcher told the cheering Tories: 'There are sufficient coal stocks at the power stations for many months to come' — indicating that her Tory dictatorship will not swerve from its policy of driving the miners back to work by starvation and state brutality.

At last night's press conference, Scargill declined to say what other TUC unions had been approached to attend next week's meeting or when and where it would be held.

Scargill said 'the miners' fight for the right to work is the fight of all workers for jobs in their

industries'. But he side-stepped all questions about a possible approach to the TUC General Council, simply saying that the NUM was 'in contact consistently with the TUC'.

He scorned Coal Board chief Ian MacGregor's claim that 12,000 miners had inquired about redundancy payments, insisting that strikers would not accept 'a bribe to sell the jobs of their sons and daughters'.

'MacGregor butchered the British Steel industry, sacking 100,000 workers. Our members are absolutely determined to save our jobs and save our industry,' he added.

Jimmy Knapp, general secretary of the National Union of Railwaymen (NUR), said his union had been 'horrified by the treatment handed out to miners up and down the country'.

'We have seen the number of arrests, the injuries and the sort of restrictions put on them. We intend to convey that to our members.'

Cracking

'The public sector is cracking at the seams as a direct result of the policies of this government,' added Knapp, referring to the current struggles of teachers, railwaymen, waterworkers and civil servants.

Train drivers' leader Ray Buckton angrily denied that his members were moving coal. 'We are giving and will continue to give absolute, 100 per cent support to the

miners. Their fight is our fight,' he said.

Slater said the NUS executive had decided yesterday to make a substantial contribution to the miners and extend a levy of the union's membership internationally.

'We deplore the fact that this government is forcing families to exist on £3 and £4 a week in order to try and bring the miners to heel,' he said.

Secret

But while they talk about solidarity action, the five-union alliance leaders are in fact conniving in secret agreements such as the one reached yesterday at Ravenscraig.

It allows two trainloads of coal per day into the steelworks, thereby restricting the miners' strike to a sectional dispute.

The natural class unity between miners and steelworkers in the struggle for jobs against the common enemy, the Tory dictatorship, is thus brushed aside.

IT MEANS that Len Murray and the right-wing of the TUC are allowed to impose a split within the trade unions which virtually isolates the NUM. IT ALLOWS Thatcher to go on with her policy of starving the miners back to work.

The National Graphical Association (NGA) started the discussion on the political struggle against the Tory government on December 14, 1983, when the General

Council was split 29 to 21 on whether to support the print union.

Although the NGA suffered a bitter setback at the hands of the TUC right-wing, this was followed by Thatcher's decree banning trade unions altogether at GCHQ.

The effect of this was to dramatically alter the line-up in the TUC battle-field.

Without the demand for the General Strike being raised on the TUC, the working class can learn no political lessons as to the counter-revolutionary role of the right-wing.

No one underestimates the determination of the miners to win the strike, but they are fighting a ruthless Bonapartist dictatorship with its full forces of police-military repression ready to be mobilised.

Thatcher will not yield an inch to the miners, but the strike cannot be won as a sectional issue.

Exposure

If the strike is defeated, the Tory ruling class will go ahead with wage-cutting on a vast scale.

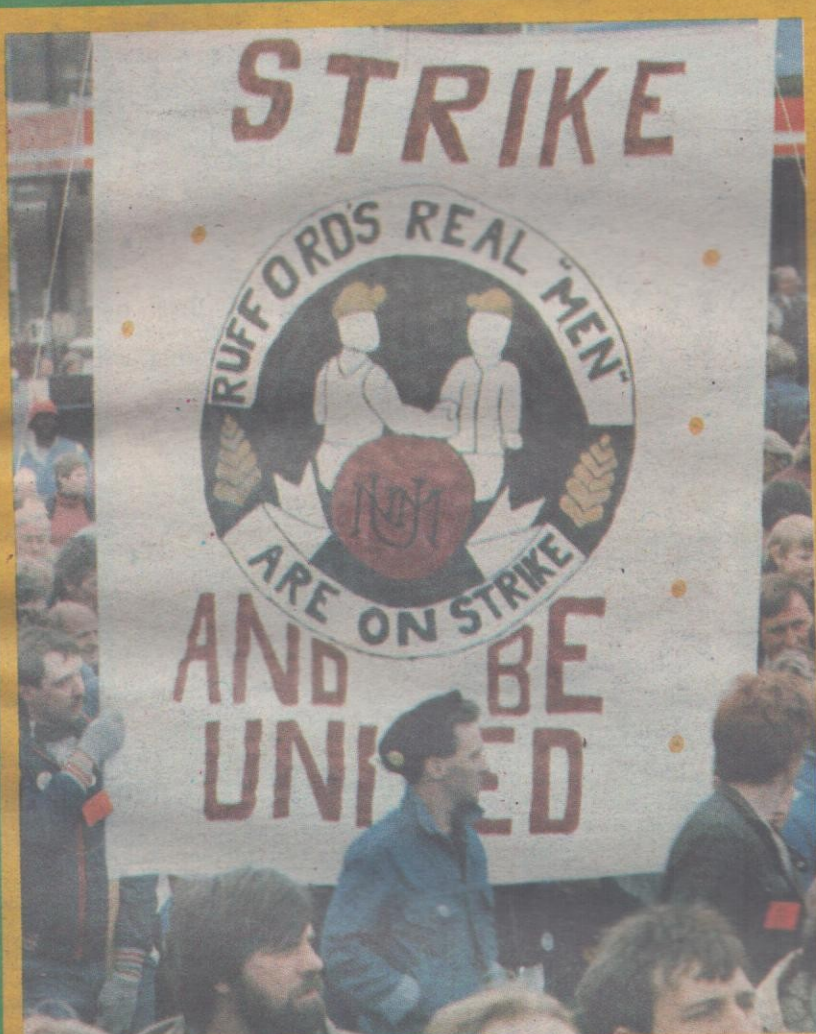
The exposure of Murray and the TUC right wing begun by the NGA must be completed.

We call upon every trade unionist to campaign as never before for the General Strike and to join the All Trades Unions Alliance lobby of the TUC General Council on May 23.

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MINERS' president Arthur Scargill visited the Polish trade mission last night to appeal for a halt in scab coal supplies during the miners' strike



RUFFORD miners' clear message to the Notts miners still working

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Pound falling against dollar

THE POUND continued to fall against the dollar yesterday, closing 10 points down on the day at \$1.384. Share prices fell sharply amid fears that interest rates will soon go up again.

The Financial Times index fell 13.9 points to 871. Over the week it has dropped 44.4 points. Of the 30 leading shares, only Bowater and Hanson Trust, both with big US holdings, were showing gains.

The dollar fell slightly against the West German mark in the wake of a huge intervention by European central banks. But the mark's slide could well begin again when the markets reopen on Monday morning.

The intervention on Thursday was co-ordinated by the West German Bundesbank. Most of the west European central banks took part together with the Bank of Japan.

In the course of the week, the Bundesbank is estimated to have sold \$800 million in what one dealer described as 'a very deliberate display of strength'.

Yesterday the Bundesbank refrained from further sales, hoping that

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the threat of intervention would be sufficient to deter speculation at least for the moment.

However, interest rates in the US are now 6 per cent higher than in West Germany and still rising.

Experience since the collapse of the Bretton Woods agreement in 1971 is that even concerted central bank action cannot stem a determined tide of speculation against a major currency.

More than 2.5 million engineering workers have begun strike action in support of a demand

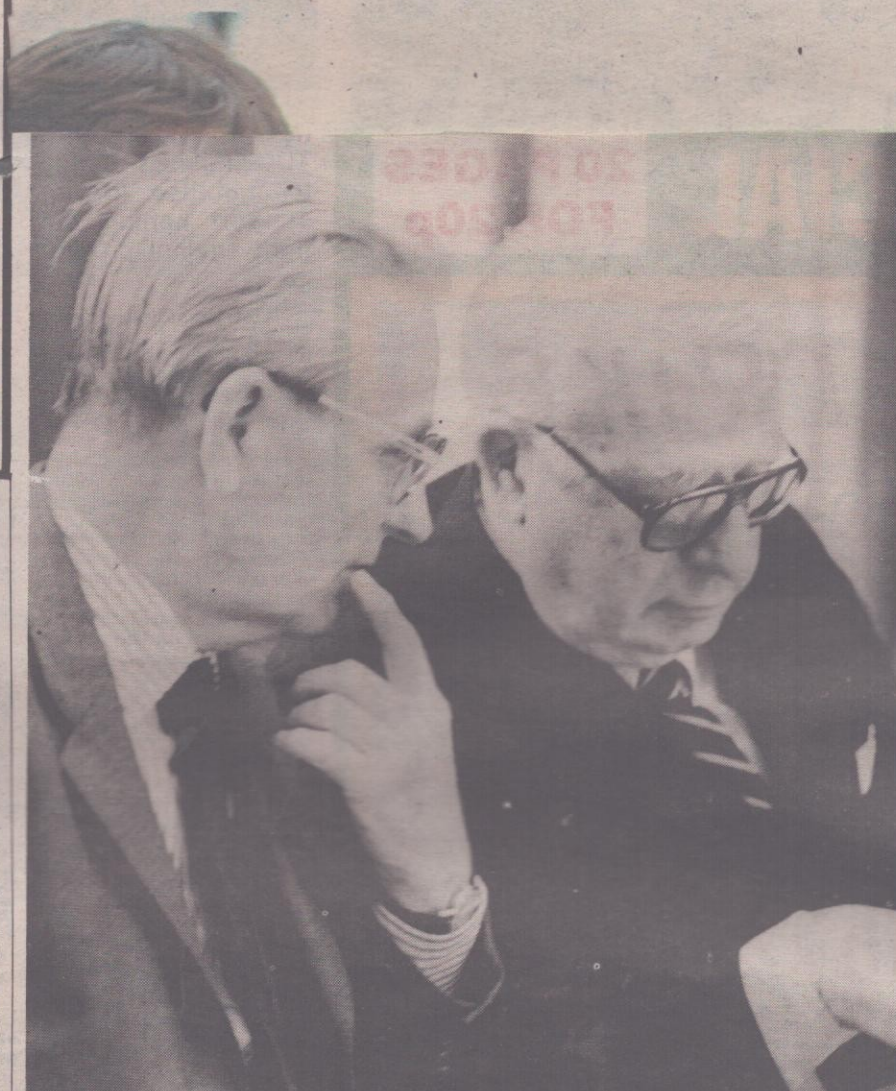
for the 35-hour week, giving rise to a flight of capital.

Despite the gap between US and West German interest rates the authorities are reluctant to raise theirs because there are already signs of deepening slump in the West German economy.

Incoming orders and industrial production both slumped 4 per cent in March.

● Trade ministers from the EEC and more than a dozen industrial capitalist countries are meeting in Washington for two days of informal talks at the invitation of US trade representative Bill Brock.

S MARATHON TIME AGAIN



NCB chief Ian MacGregor taking advice from an aide yesterday during a press conference on the miners' strike

Rail action over pay

A BAN on overtime and rest-day working, together with a work-to-rule, will be imposed by the rail unions from May 30 in support of their pay claim.

The action by the NUR and ASLEF will not only hit passenger and freight services but Sealink ferries to the Continent and Ireland.

The tactics were agreed yesterday by the executives of both unions and will involve 120,000 workers.

The decision follows rejection of a 4-per-cent pay offer, itself linked with BR's insistence that outstanding productivity measures must be implemented.

Jimmy Knapp, NUR general secretary, said: 'It is no coincidence that the public sector is beginning to crack at the seams.'

He pointed to trouble over pay and jobs with the miners, civil servants, teachers and water workers, and added:

'All this is a direct result of the attacks on the public sector and the restrictions put on people that work in it.'

Knapp said the action would 'expose the real state of the industry'.

With signalmen working an average 52 hours a week and guards more than 47, the effect of the ban on overtime would be 'quite devastating'. He added:

'It will show the public that we maintain services only with that sort of commitment from the staff. Our people are on low wages, working excessive overtime with clapped-out equipment.'

Ray Buckton, ASLEF general secretary, said the action would have 'a very severe effect on passenger and freight services'.

He accused BR of using wage negotiations as 'a blackmailing stunt' to achieve their productivity ends.

Buckton said: 'We are saying enough is enough. They have been arrogant and adamant, and we saw no alternative to taking this action.'

Special grants pay for state police

SPECIAL government grants to meet the multi-million pound cost of the state operation against the miners' strike were announced by Home Secretary Leon Brittan yesterday.

The payments make nonsense of Prime Minis-

BY JOHN SPENCER

ter Thatcher's repeated claims that the government is not involved in the miners' strike.

It is footing the bill for the policing operation,

the first outing for the country's covertly-formed national police force.

Under the arrangements announced yesterday an extra grant on top of the usual 50-per-cent subsidy will cover 90 per cent of the extra policing cost.

Brittan said in a Commons written reply: 'It would not be right in principle for the central government to bear all the additional cost, but I am prepared to make a special payment of 40 per cent in addition to the normal police grant.'

He also announced that councils liable to grant cuts under Environment Department spending rules will get a special exemption if they face additional costs for their part in policing the dispute.

The Home Secretary said: 'Some police authorities have incurred substantial additional expenditure as a result of the miners' dispute, and I recognise that some additional help to them from central government is necessary.'

He went on: 'I also recognise that the police forces which have supplied mutual aid have had to incur additional expenditure on overtime payments to compensate for the absence of some of their officers.'

Brittan said it was 'reasonable' for forces receiving aid to pay the supplying force for additional costs such as overtime and transport. 'The basic costs of men and vehicles, such as the basic pay, should not be reimbursed,' he said.

Government grants currently cover half local authority policing bills up to the value of 'the product of a penny rate'. The special subsidy will be payable only on expenditure above this limit.

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She explained: 'I think they have released both of the political prisoners who are British citizens as a result of the mounting demonstrations and pressure and as a publicity stunt because Botha is due to arrive here, and they know that my father will make the headlines.'

'We must assert our democratic right to demonstrate on the streets and show Margaret Thatcher that she can't allow a fascist to come here and give recognition to a fascist, so I call on everyone to come the June 2 demonstration when Botha comes.'

BY PENNY BLOOR

'They've released him because Botha's coming here, to make it palatable for the British people, to make people think he is making reforms,' Norma said.

Kitson will come to Britain as soon as he can get a passport.

She added: 'Provided my husband is in the country, he will be taking part in the demonstrations planned for Botha's visit. He told me on the telephone that he now wants to get Nelson Mandela, another political prisoner, released from jail.'

Amandla told News Line: 'Personally it's pure joy, but politically

DAVID KITSON, the British political prisoner in South Africa jailed for his involvement in the African National Congress, was released yesterday. He was due to be released on December 16 this year after serving 20 years of a life sentence for sabotage.

His wife Norma, and two children, Steven and Amandla, last night welcomed the news, but were quick to point out its connection with Thatcher's invitation to the racist Prime Minister of South Africa, Pieter Botha.

They have waged a major campaign for the release, including a four-month non-stop picket of the South African Embassy in Trafalgar Square in 1982.

Montego held up

TALKS between BL management and unions yesterday failed to resolve the strike at the company's factory at Cowley, Oxford, which has halted production of the newly-launched Montego. About 40 assembly workers walked out on Thursday complaining that they were getting weekly bonuses of about £17 instead of the potential maximum of £30. BL has had to lay off about 400 other workers because of the dispute. More talks are expected early next week.

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COURT MOVES ON STUDENT PICKETS

A HIGH Court judge yesterday ordered the governors of North London Polytechnic to name 20 left-wing students who were photographed illegally picketing the college in defiance of a court injunction.

The order was granted to National Front member Patrick Harrington, 19, who is seeking to stop other students barring his access to lectures.

Justice Mars-Jones made the order after the polytechnic governors refused a request by Harrington's solicitors to disclose the names and addresses of the photographed students.

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photographs could inflame an already delicate situation.

But the judge said: 'Experience has shown that a blackmailer is never satisfied, having obtained what he seeks by threats, he will come back again and again.'

The protesting students claim Harrington is only going to the college to recruit members to the National Front.

Justice Mars-Jones said: 'This court is not concerned with the politics of either party. This court is concerned with the preservation of law and order and the rights of individuals under the law.'

Orders

Yesterday's orders were made at the end of a day of legal argument in private.

The judge said the disclosure order was made on the understanding that the identities of the photographed students would only be revealed to Harrington's lawyers.

Arrest

The judge also empowered the High Court tipstaff to enter the college and arrest and bring to court any students who continued to picket. They would then be asked to explain why they should not be committed to prison for disobeying a court order outlawing their action.

The orders will not be enforced before Monday to allow the governors time to lodge an appeal.

Justice Mars-Jones said the photographs had been taken by acquaintances of Harrington when he tried to enter the college on May 1. He found his way barred by 150 students who spat at him and shouted: 'Fascist out.'

The crowd turned on the photographer, he was beaten up and needed hospital treatment, he said.

The governors argued that disclosing the names of the students in the

Teacher' pay fight escalates

THE TEACHERS' pay dispute escalated last night when the biggest union involved announced a new series of strikes in selected schools up and down the country.

The executive of the 235,000-strong National Union of Teachers agreed to launch three-day strikes, which will each be preceded by local ballots.

The first phase of strikes will begin 'no later than' May 22.

Meanwhile the National Association of Schoolmasters/Union of Women Teachers, the second largest union, said almost 7,000 Leeds schoolchildren would be sent home on Monday when mem-

bers there start a series of indefinite strikes.

The 120,000-strong union, which is working closely with the NUT in the dispute, agreed on Thursday to spread action to Leeds — where Education Secretary Sir Keith Joseph has his constituency.

The NAS/UWT is currently staging its first selective strikes in the Isle of Wight and Hampshire — the home county of Philip Merridale, leader of the local authorities' negotiating team.

Both unions want a pay rise of more than 7.5 per cent, and have turned down a 4.5 per cent offer from the local authorities. See full report page 4.

Scargill meets transport union chiefs



Miners' president Arthur Scargill with (from his left) seamen's leader Jim Slater, Transport Union national officer Ron Todd facing NUR general secretary Jimmy Knapp and Ray Buckton and Derrick Fullick, general secretary and President of ASLEF, before the start of last night's meeting at Maritime House

NUM officials to face expulsion

BRANCH officials in Nottinghamshire who have organised strike breaking face expulsion from the National Union of Mineworkers.

A resolution from Thursday's executive meeting in Sheffield, warning of disciplinary action, has been sent to all officials in the area.

Henry Richardson, Notts area general secretary, said information about branch officials who have encouraged men to keep working has already been sent to NUM headquarters by pickets.

He claimed that there was some evidence that some Notts branch officials had been instigating the arrest of striking miners.

In Worksop, attempts by a face worker at Manton Colliery to organise a return to work ended when a stormy branch meeting refused to allow him to put a motion.

Robert Taylor was given a rough ride at the

meeting, and said later he was attacked on the way out.

He said: 'No votes were taken on any issues and I was cried down — that's that.'

'I have given way to the majority, but obviously I have still got my beliefs.'

Dave Potts, branch secretary of the 1,200-men Manton colliery said the only item on the agenda was related to picketing and the progress of the strike. No other decisions had been taken.

There were no resolutions or votes regarding a national ballot or any votes of no confidence.

He said the request he had received for the meeting did mention a national ballot, but that was ruled out of order because the union's

national executive had already ruled the strike official.

Potts said the meeting got very heated towards the end, and most of the men were against Taylor.

'The mood of the meeting was directed against him and he had very little to say. The vast majority of the men wanted to carry on with the strike.'

'We will carry on until we win. The struggle at Manton is as strong as ever.'

Asked whether the branch had quashed any suggestion of a rebellion at the pit, Potts replied: 'I think so. If there was any suggestion at all, it was in a minority and it has been stamped out.'

Seamen's leaders meeting in London yesterday decided to donate £5,000

to the mineworkers' strike fund, and pledged that they would not allow the miners to be starved back.

The executive council of the 25,000-strong NUS also agreed to ask members at sea to contribute 50p a week towards the miners' hardship fund.

Right-wing leaders of the Transport Salaried Staffs Association yesterday blocked a move at the union's conference to donate £10,000 to the NUM.

Moving an emergency motion, Alan Clark, of Newcastle, said that lack of support offered by TSSA so far to the NUM was disturbing, and said the donation represented less than 20p for each of the union's 56,000 members.

He said: '20p per member is the least we can do.'

Miners are fighting not just for themselves but for the trade union movement as a whole.'

General secretary Bert Lyons opposed the motion and it was lost.

Dockers at Exmouth in Devon have agreed not to handle coal imports next week — in return for South Wales miners calling off their picketing.

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THE PRICE of a copy of News Line will increase by one penny from Monday May 14. From that date a copy will cost 16p. This is due to unavoidable increased costs in newsprint and other materials. It follows similar increases in the lowest-priced national tabloids.

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JOSEPH IS TARGET FOR TEACHERS' STRIKE ACTION

THE 120,000-strong National Association of Schoolmasters/Union of Women Teachers will begin indefinite strikes in selected schools in Leeds, Tory Education Secretary Sir Keith Joseph's constituency, starting Monday.

The Leeds NAS/UWT branch secretary, Chris Allen, said his branch had volunteered for strikes because of Joseph's role in the pay dispute. Joseph is MP for Leeds North East.

The NAS/UWT intends to pull out as few teachers as necessary to cause the maximum disruption without allowing the authority to save on thousands of striking teachers' salaries.

Allen said: 'On Monday we shall be withdrawing members from approximately 12 schools on the basis of a few members per school.'

'We shall be changing schools at least each week, and perhaps even more frequently.'

'We anticipate the schools will be severely disrupted, if not closed altogether.'

The NAS/UWT has about 2,400 members among Leeds's 6,000 teachers, spread around two thirds of the city's 30 schools.

Allen said local teachers had not met

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Joseph. 'We do not think we would get a very warm welcome in view of the unfavourable things he has been saying about teachers nationally.'

Allen said 6,993 children will be sent home on Monday when the 129 teachers strike.

The main teaching unions are seeking a pay rise of more than 7.5 per cent and have refused 4.5 per cent. The employers refuse to go to arbitration, claiming they have no more money.

The union staged its first selective strikes on Thursday in the Isle of Wight and Hampshire.

Closed

In the Isle of Wight stoppages by 73 NAS/UWT members led to three comprehensive schools being closed and 3,000 children being sent home.

In Hampshire, the home county of the leader of the local authorities' pay negotiating team Philip Merridale, 50 teachers took strike action.

Their walkout led to four schools being closed or partly closed and 2,158 children being sent home.

In London, the NAS/UWT, and the biggest union, the National Union of Teachers, met under the auspices of the TUC to co-ordinate their campaign.

It was agreed that both unions might take action in the same authority at the same time, but not in the same school on the same day.

The NUT said on Thursday it had received returns from about 20 per cent of its 235,000 members on the issue of a ballot for extended strike action.

About 90 per cent wanted more action, it said.

Archway inquiry

A NEW inquiry is to be held into the Archway Road improvement scheme in north London, Transport Minister Lynda Chalker told MPs yesterday, but it will not take place before the autumn.

The last inquiry ended in February after the government inspector, Sir Michael Giddings, resigned amid claims that he had come under increasing intimidation and pressure from opponents of the scheme.

In a short Commons debate initiated by Labour MP Jeremy Corbyn (Islington North), Chalker said: 'I can't give you a firm start date for a new inquiry but yes, indeed, there will one.'

She said the government would await reports on the effects of the completed section of the M25 London orbital Motorway before starting the inquiry.



Teachers, parents and children lobby outside County Hall in Beverley

Hull campaign against cuts and closures

SUPPORTERS of the Hull Parents' Joint Action Committee will leaflet the city centre today as part of the campaign against proposals to close schools and drastically cut teaching staff.

Humberside education committee met on Wednesday to finalise plans which will involve sacking all the city's teachers, closing all the schools and then reopening 37 fewer with 600 less staff.

The Labour council will

now seek the go-ahead from Sir Keith Joseph.

Striking teachers joined with parents and pupils in a lobby of the meeting chanting 'Save our schools'.

Teachers and parents are opposed to the destruction of the present three-tier system and its replacement with a 5 to 11, 11 to 16 and sixth-form colleges, saying this would lead to gross differences in educational

attainment throughout the city.

'It's just a cheaper way of educating our children,' said Joan Booth.

Earlier, at a teachers' mass meeting Ken Bare, secretary of Humberside district NUT, said: 'We are not on strike just for pay. We're on strike for the children in our care and against the market-place philosophy that is being brought into education.'

'Philip Merridale (of the management panel) who used to be an anti-ques dealer thinks he can buy teachers at a knock-down price. But we're not to be got on the cheap.'

There have been a series of angry 'consultation' meetings over the closure plans at schools throughout the city. Councillors had been confronted by meetings of more than 500 parents, pupils and teachers ex-

pressing their concern about the education children will receive.

Humberside County Council has been accused of using falling rolls as a cover for cuts in the education budget. Cuts of £6 million from education over the next two years have already been announced.

The action committee are also planning to organise petitions and marches.

Murder charge

TWO men have been charged with the murder of Indian diplomat Ravindra Mhatre, found shot dead in a Leicestershire farm driveway in February.

Abdul Quayyum Raja, 27, of Paris, and Mohammed Riaz, 22, from Leicester, are charged with conspiring to kidnap Mhatre.

Raja is also accused of kidnapping the diplomat.

The two are further charged with murdering Mhatre, who was Assistant Commissioner at the Indian High Commission, Birmingham.

Mhatre disappeared on

February 3 and was discovered dead two days later.

Birmingham stipendiary magistrate William Probert remanded them and three other men until May 18.

The three other men, also charged with kidnapping and conspiring to kidnap Mhatre are Janghir Mirza, 24, Abdul Majid Ansari, 23, and Mohammed Siddique, 43, all from Birmingham.

A sixth man, Mohammed Ishaq, 27, of Luton, is charged with assisting Raja to obtain a false passport. He was remanded on bail until May 25.

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SUMMARYLebanon
breaks
relations

BEIRUT — The Lebanese government has decided to sever diplomatic relations with Costa Rica and El Salvador because the two Central American states have decided to move their embassies in Israel to Jerusalem.

Overdose

BELGRADE — A senior Yugoslav police official said that a drug overdose had killed dissident Radomir Radovic, whose mysterious death prompted a call for the resignation of the interior minister.

March

MANILA — Hundreds of people marched in Manila mourning the 'death of democracy' in the Philippines. They called for the release of political prisoners and a boycott of next Monday's elections to the National Assembly.

Visit

ROTTERDAM — Dutch Prime Minister Ruud Lubbers and Foreign Minister Hans van den Broek left for a three-day official visit to Saudi Arabia.

Talks

MOSCOW — President Kim Il-Sung of North Korea will arrive in Moscow on May 23 for his first trip to the Soviet capital in 17 years.

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TEST VICTIMS
WIN DAMAGES

SALT LAKE CITY — A 38-year-old mother, Jackie Sanders, the only cancer victim who survived to win damages in a landmark atomic fallout case, said she felt a mixture of joy and frustration.

'I am very pleased with my award of \$100,000 but I feel there is still a long fight ahead with the US government,' she said.

Mrs Sanders was speaking after Thursday's Federal Court ruling in which 10 claimants were awarded a total of \$2.6 million in a giant test case against the government.

The remainder of the claimants were relatives of the dead cancer victims.

Lawyers for the claimants said the government could eventually be forced to pay hundreds of millions of dollars to people who came under radioactive clouds from 212 atomic tests conducted above ground in Nevada between 1951 and 1962.

But first, they said, they expected a series of government appeals against the ruling which could tie up the awards for years.

US District Court judge Bruce Jenkins' 498-page decision issued in Salt Lake City ruled the government had been negligent in its Nevada test programme.

The ruling was handed down 17 months after Judge Jenkins conducted a three-month trial during which witnesses told how they suffered from festering blisters, strange patches of dead skin on their arms and legs and how they turned a bright, shiny red colour after atomic tests.

The witnesses said fathers, who had been assured the tests were 'okay', had taken children to high ledges near the small Mormon town of St George, Utah to watch atomic explosions.

The claimants contended that the government had not given enough warning that the above-ground tests were dangerous.

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CORRESPONDENT

Judge Jenkins awarded damages to eight people who suffered forms of leukaemia and two who suffered from hard tumour types of cancer, one breast and the other thyroid.

Claims

About 1,190 residents of the three western states had brought claims against the government, saying they or their relatives were victims of the tests.

The judge heard the cases of 24 of the claimants, including relatives of 19 children and adults who had died,

judging them to represent 24 specific types of 375 different forms of cancer reported in the claims.

He ruled that the government was negligent in its test programme in the cases of representatives of 10 specific types of cancer and not negligent in the remaining 14 types.

One of the 10 alleged victims, Norma Pollock, of southern Utah, died last June, six months after the trial ended. She had breast cancer which eventually spread through her body, doctors said.

During the trial, government lawyer Henry Gill maintained that the doses of radiation from the tests were not sufficient to have caused illnesses and that the resi-

dents of the three states were adequately protected.

The government also tried to persuade the judge to dismiss the claims on the basis of what it called historical national security. The tests were needed to keep up with Soviet nuclear arms developments.

The national security claim was offered in support of three government motions seeking immunity from prosecution.

But Jenkins had earlier rejected the motions, ruling the accusations were not levelled against high-level policy decisions, but against the alleged inappropriate manner in which the policy decisions were carried out.

Zionist
groups
probed

JERUSALEM — Police investigating a Zionist terrorist underground have questioned Rabbi Moshe Levinger, a leader of Israel's settlers in the occupied West Bank.

Police said the 48-year-old Rabbi, a founder of the settlement of Kiryat Arba, near Hebron, in 1970, 'was called in for certain clarifications'.

Kiryat Arba has been the scene of clashes between Zionist settlers and Palestinian residents.

Levinger has not denounced anti-Arab crimes but has blamed the government for failing to stamp out Palestinian terrorism.

Twenty-five people are being held in connection with the investigation, which began when explosives were discovered on five Arab buses in east Jerusalem two weeks ago.

Warning

Israeli state radio claimed the settlers had not intended to set off the explosives, but planned to tell the police about them 'as a warning of what they would do if the government did not adopt a tougher attitude to Arabs who harass West Bank settlers'.

Some suspects are reported to have confessed to a raid on the Hebron Islamic College last year in which four students were killed and the 1980 bomb attacks on three West Bank Arab mayors.

One of the mayors, Basam Shaka of Nablus, said Israeli security men barred him from his home this week when they re-enacted the attack in which he lost both legs.

He was visiting his brother a short distance away when the Israelis arrived with a man believed to have planted the bomb.

Israeli radio said some suspects told investigators of plans to blow up West Bank mosques, including Al Aqsa, Islam's third holiest site, in Jerusalem.

The newspaper 'Chadashot' reported that a reserve lieutenant-colonel from Kiryat Arba was one of the two leaders of the suspected underground.

Political
censorship

ISLAMABAD — Pakistan's main opposition alliance have condemned the military regime's latest ban on political reporting by newspapers.

The Movement for the Restoration of Democracy (MRD) alliance convenor, Nawabzada Nasrullah Khan, said the ban was one of the government's steps to destroy the atmosphere needed for elections.

The ban, covering all domestic and international political news, comments and the mention of party names, was also condemned by a leader of Pakistani journalists, Minhaj Bana, who demanded its immediate withdrawal.



West German print workers demonstrating to demand the 35-hour week

First strikes to start
on Monday

STUTTGART — West Germany's huge metalworkers' union yesterday named 10 firms, mainly in the car components sector, as the first strike targets in its campaign for a 35-hour week.

Some 13,000 workers will stop work on Monday at a total of 14 plants in the Stuttgart area, including Robert Bosch, one of Europe's biggest suppliers of electrical equipment to the automobile industry.

Hans Mayr, chairman of the IG Metall union — West Germany's largest with 2.5 million members — has said the union will start with small selective strikes to give the employers a chance to re-

turn to the bargaining table.

He has the authority to call out about 250,000 engineering, automobile and metal workers in the Stuttgart and Frankfurt areas and has said he is ready to call strike ballots nationwide if necessary.

'We are starting off with targeted pin-pricks which will hurt,' a union spokesman said.

An employers' spokesman said that apart from the cost factor industry leaders were not prepared to negotiate a reduction in the present 40-

hour week as a matter of principle.

Meanwhile many newspapers failed to appear in the south of the country yesterday after the militant print union IG Druck und Papier called out 12,000 members last night in support of the campaign for a shorter working week.

The unions argue that a 35-hour week, without meal breaks, is the best method of reducing the number of unemployed, currently 2.25 million.

Mayr said in a television interview: 'This is intended to give employers' federations the

opportunity to negotiate with us as quickly as possible before the damage they fear can occur.'

At the national congress of Chancellor Helmut Kohl's Christian Democrat (CDU) party in Stuttgart, where an emergency motion reaffirmed the party's rejection of the 35-hour week demand, Labour Minister Norbert Blum, himself an IG Metall member, expressed relief at the union's restraint.

'Thank God IG Metall did not start with an all-out nationwide strike. I hope both sides will soon manage to reach an agreement,' Blum said.

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CRASH FEARS HIT THE BANKS

FROM MARTY MORAN

NEW YORK — A mood of undisguised gloom and panic hung over Wall Street yesterday as rumours gained ground about difficulties facing the Continental Illinois Bank.

In spite of stern denials from the bank, the money markets seemed to be acting on the assumption that 'there is no smoke without fire'.

US banks are the most heavily involved in the Latin American debts swamp and their multi-billion dollar loans have now turned into unrepayable debts.

Continental Illinois chairman Robert Taylor said on Thursday market rumours circulating about the possible bankruptcy, merger or acquisition of the company's bank had no basis in fact and were completely unfounded.

He also said the

rumours 'should never have been fuelled by irresponsible wire service reports'.

On Tuesday, Reuters financial services quoted Continental Illinois senior vice-president and treasurer Robert McKnew as denying rumours the bank was filing for bankruptcy.

Market rumours suggested Continental would be acquired by one of two major Japanese banks or by a consortium of international banks. The two

Japanese banks most prominently mentioned are Daiwa and Mitsubishi. But a Mitsubishi official said he had no knowledge of such a move and Daiwa declined to comment.

Surge

The cause of the bank default crisis is the new surge in interest rates which shows no sign of abating.

They are likely to keep rising this year and next as big federal budget deficits crowd out private borrowing, according to a forecast released by a

leading American business group.

The survey prepared for the Business Council, a private organisation of top corporate executives, said: 'There is, of course, one major uncertainty in the outlook — the size of the federal deficits and their impact on financial markets.'

'Our consultants do not see in present administration or congressional budget proposals much hope for significant or early deficit reductions.'

The report added that the Federal Reserve's growth targets for credit creation 'leave little room

this year to accommodate continued heavy demands for private borrowing unless borrowing by the treasury soon can be reduced.'

It projected a deficit of \$180 billion in the current financial year and \$182 billion next year.

'As a result, our consultants forecast a continuing rise in interest rates this year and next,' said the report, presented at the council's spring meeting by IBM chairman John Opel.

The report said several consultants foresaw a prime rate of 15 per cent or more next year.

In Washington, trade ministers from more than a dozen nations have opened informal talks on the growth of protectionism.

Colonial and semi-colonial countries have attacked Washington's trade policies as becoming increasingly protectionist as the US presidential election draws near.

Prospects

But the United States, faced with prospects of a trade deficit nearing \$120 billion this year, says developing countries must open their ports to more American goods as well.

Represented at the meetings will be Japan, Australia, Brazil, Canada, India, Mexico, New Zealand, the Philippines, South Korea, Canada, Yugoslavia, Sweden and France.

The European Community is also represented, along with the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade and the International Monetary Fund.

U.S. to ignore court ruling

WASHINGTON — The United States would ignore a World Court ruling ordering it to stop the mining of Nicaraguan harbours, White House spokesman Larry Speakes said yesterday.

Speakes said the White House was studying the ruling but reiterated the court did not have jurisdiction in the case.

The US would not accept World Court ruling on Central America for the next two years, he said.

A carefully-worded State Department statement said: 'Our initial reaction is that nothing contained in the measures indicted by the court is inconsistent with current United States policy or activities with respect to Nicaragua.'

An official emphasised the word 'current', apparently referring to the fact that US involvement in mining Nicaraguan harbours had been halted after its disclosure had provoked an uproar in Congress.

Congress vote for war in Central America

BY A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT

WASHINGTON — The House of Representatives yesterday narrowly voted for a programme that commits the United States to open war in Central America.

Representatives voted 211 to 206 to waive so-called human rights conditions and approve a \$1.3 billion aid package for the region.

It is the first instalment of a five-year, \$8 billion programme recommended by the National Bipartisan Commission on Central America, chaired by former Secretary of State Henry Kissinger.

The programme lifts a statutory limit of 55 on the number of US 'advisers' permitted in El Salvador and paves the way for unlimited involvement of US troops.

It is part of a \$129 billion military aid package for El Salvador this year and \$132 billion next year.

Approval for the war programme came amid admissions by the Senate Intelligence Committee in closed-door session that it gave the CIA clearance to provide aid for Reagan-sponsored political parties in El Salvador and other Central American countries.

Democrats, who dominate the House, crossed over in significant numbers to vote for the programme.

The Bill goes before the Republican-controlled Senate for final approval.

After the vote, Republican Senator Jesse Helms accused the CIA and the State Department of funneling funds to Jose Napoleon Duarte, the man who was stooge civilian president after the



The approved programme means billions of dollars of military aid will be used against El Salvador fighters

US-sponsored coup in El Salvador in 1980.

Helms told a press conference the CIA had admitted it had bought Duarte's victory.

Reagan's plan was to make the Salvadorean army 'strong enough to remove any rebel hope for a military victory and at the same time draw the rebels into El Salvador's election process starting next year'.

Duarte, Reagan's nominee to preside over the escalation of war against the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front (FMLN), supported the plan.

The CIA yesterday took the rare step of publicly warning it was running

out of money for anti-Sandinist counter-revolutionaries but refused to comment on Helms's charges.

Prepared

White House officials backed up the CIA statement and said the Reagan government was prepared to continue the covert aid by putting in requests for funds in smaller amount through other Bills if Congress cut a separate request for \$21 million for the upkeep of mercenary forces, mostly in Costa Rica.

White House spokesman Larry Speakes said Reagan was 'extremely pleased by the vote which

he felt sends a solid signal of US resolve to support friends in this hemisphere'.

Democrat presidential contender Walter Mondale told the American Society of Newspaper Editors that Reagan's policies were leading the US towards war in Central America.

'From what we've seen in the last three years and what we heard last evening, there's only one conclusion,' Mondale said.

'Mr Reagan's failed policies in Central America are leading us toward war.'

The former Vice-President attacked Reagan's television speech the day before, de-

manding full-scale US 'support' for the El Salvador government and anti-Sandinist counter-revolutionaries.

'His history of Central America is missing some important chapters,' Mondale said.

Proxies

'He sees the Soviets and their proxies, as do we all, but he does not see the centuries of poverty and oppression.'

'He sees Cuban soldiers but not Salvadorean death squads.'

'He sees Sandinistas blocking elections but not generals blocking land reform.'



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PATCO was an awakening experience for US workers

RON MAY, former president of PATCO Local 402, is one of three air traffic controllers who were jailed for the 'crime' of participating in the strike called by their union on August 3 1981.

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I think PATCO was an awakening experience for workers in this country. Since the economic depression things have changed.

In the boom workers came to the conclusion that the US system was

immune from this — although there were vast struggles going on, there wasn't much to be seen on the surface.

The PATCO strike was the beginning of a realisation for workers. In and of itself it was just an individual event but it triggered off a whole chain of

cuts, mass unemployment, the destruction of social services and attacking unions.

The attacks were made possible by the betrayal of PATCO by the union bureaucrats, headed by AFL-CIO (TUC equivalent) president Lane Kirkland and United Auto Workers (UAW) president Douglas Fraser.

May, who is now co-chairman of the National Committee to Elect Winn and Halyard, the candidates of the Workers' League in the US Election, spoke to News Line.

events. It forced them to rethink their position.

They saw that the trade union bureaucracy was incapable of dealing with the situation and became confused — looking for a direction to put their energies into.

In my discussions with workers since the strike and after I went to prison — they have a new willingness to take a second look at socialism, which for years has been a scare word.

The Workers League and their paper the 'Bulletin' have been extremely helpful in raising the consciousness of the US working class because it's gone to where all the labour problems are developing.

Workers can see the paper as an opposite to the traditional capitalist media, their views are published as it is — not done with specified objectives in mind but making observations.

The election campaign of Workers League candidates Ed Winn and Helen Halyard and the call for a Labour Party has given the frustrated workers a chance to do something useful.

They can see that the 'two party' system is in reality a one-party system — 'capitalism'.

I'm very encouraged personally by what I see. I wouldn't have raised that five years ago, but conditions are rapidly changing.

We also have the copper miners' strike here (the Phelps Dodge work-

ers in Arizona). Reagan and Thatcher are almost out of the same hole. Just as Reagan has been in the forefront of the attack on labour here — Thatcher is the same.

It's important to realise that elimination of either of them will not solve the problem in either country.

The Libyan Embassy siege and condoning the anti-Libyan demonstration; their action against the miners, in Britain, shows real contradictions — now they treat the miners the same.

Release

Here, so far, the copper miners have been left alone in their fight. Since my release from prison, I have no right to vote in any election. I have lost certain constitutional rights.

During the period of my probation I may not associate with any other known felons — which includes my three PATCO brothers also imprisoned.

I must report to my probation officer at least once a month on a scheduled day. I have to fill out laborious financial disclosures etc, make verbal reports and answer any other questions that my probation officer may ask.

I have to get permission to travel outside the radius in which I live — that is 30-40 miles approx-



RON MAY

imately. This is for a period of 18 months.

Even a minor infringement of rules — even a traffic violation on the last day say of the 18-month period, could cause me to be brought back in front of a judge for additional prison sentencing.

I guess the worst thing

about it is that they have you under severe scrutiny for that period. It amounts to double jeopardy.

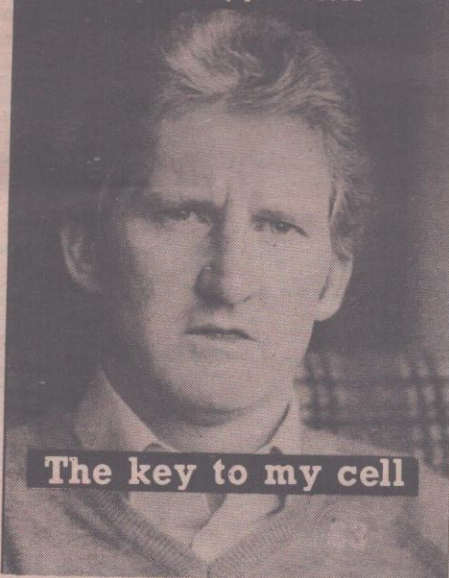
My other colleagues in PATCO are now active in the new union after fines of \$35 million in judgments. But there are sufficient of us who have not given up the struggle.

I would hope that I'd have the chance to visit the Workers Revolutionary Party sometime in the near future and meet my comrades, especially Des Warren, who wrote the book 'The Key to my Cell'.

Reading his book brought about a significant development in my own attitude.

DES WARREN

Shrewsbury picket 1972



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PATCO workers join a massive march against Reagan in Washington during their strike

THE MINERS' STRUGGLE

Belfast seamen sack NUM agree Ravenscraig coal deal

SIX seamen have been sacked in Belfast for solidarity action in support of the miners. The men all worked aboard the 'Ballyrush', a boat belonging to Belfast coal importers Kellys.

Official policy of the National Union of Seamen (NUS) since March 29 has been that 'all NUS crews of ships carrying coal are advised that the union will back any action which they take to prevent the movement of coal around the UK coast and to block the importation of coal from abroad'.

The 'Ballyrush' was tied up in Belfast awaiting orders to go to Garston and lift part of the 9,000 tons of household coal allocated by the NUM as the north of Ireland's weekly quota.

Orders came to the 'Ballyrush' men to move their boat from the berth to make room for an incoming boat carrying foreign coal. The men refused and were told to sign off the following morning.

Meanwhile in Garston the other Belfast boat designated to carry the north's allocation, the 'Craigmore', refused to leave port because Nottinghamshire coal had been loaded on the boat.

This boat is still tied up and the shop steward, Charlie McCann, is adamant that it will not move.

A team of six Ayr pickets were in Belfast two weeks ago trying to stop the Belfast shallow water-dockers from unloading imported coal.

They picketed the harbour gates after police stopped them from approaching the docks or coal yards. They also tried to negotiate with the importers to halt the foreign coal.

These negotiations led an agreement to ship 9,000 tons a week for the week.

The miners ordered that the coal be brought in

BY OUR OWN REPORTER

through the Warrenpoint docks near Newry because the dockers there had blacked all foreign coal from the start of the strike, and had also stopped coal being brought from the south by road.

The Belfast seamen were angered that dockers in the Amalgamated T&GWU (linked to the T&GWU in England) were unloading coal, as it is official transport union policy not to handle blacked coal.

Delegation

The Scots miners left the north last week, withdrawing the agreement to allow in the 9,000 tons. Davy Bell, leader of their delegation, recommended that the miners return to the executive in Sheffield.

NUS members have been stopping coal coming in at Larne and dockers at Coleraine are doing likewise; but there are numerous other small ports round the coast where scab labour is moving coal.

The strike, however, is beginning to bite. One of the north's three power stations is run on coal and its stocks are down from the usual 70,000 tons to about 12,000.

Two boats a day are normally needed to keep

Station West (Belfast) going but since the strike began only the occasional boat has tied up at the power station's wharf.

The stock yards on the Queen's Quay are always piled high with coal but now the bulldozers are scraping the ground. As soon as any foreign coal comes in, coal lorries from all over the north are there waiting to take it.

The organised strike breaking with the foreign coal is only barely working and the coal depots around the country are running down.

The sacked seamen are particularly angry about the coal being imported from Poland. They have information that Polish coal has been stockpiled in Norway for the last three months in readiness for the strike; and that low-quality coal has been used for household sales over the last month to conserve stocks.

The Belfast seamen would like the NUS to contact the Polish miners, and dockers at Gdansk and Gdynia, to try and stop the Polish coal.

This week the men sacked from the 'Ballyrush' have been picketing the Belfast Harbour Estate. The shipyard and Shorts as well as the coal yards and shallow water docks are in this complex.



The 'Ballyrush' in dock belonging to the Belfast coal importers Kellys.

Kellys coal boats, laid up because of the halting of British coal, are now carrying grain to offset their losses.

As part of the industrial action against Kellys for sacking the men, the NUS, under direction from London, told the men on two of the grain boats that had docked not to open the hatches.

In the afternoon however, men opened the hatches on one of the boats, the 'Ballykelly'. On the same day Kellys informed the NUS office that they would re-employ four of the sacked seamen but that the two leaders of the

action, Jimmy Pierce and Desie Sloan, were blacklisted.

Bobby Dickie, the Irish T&GWU (Dublin-based transport union) docks official, threatened to pull out all the deep-sea dockers (who handle the grain) if the hatches were not closed on the 'Ballykelly'.

He and Bobby Maskie, the NUS official, later came to an agreement with Kellys that the grain would be allowed to move if the two blacklisted men were re-employed.

Kellys agreed to employ them when 'the first ship

THE MINERS' STRUGGLE



NUM agree Ravenscraig coal deal

AN agreement that Ravenscraig steelworks will be supplied with 18,000 tons of coal a week by train was reached between leaders of the Scottish Triple Alliance yesterday.

The talks in Edinburgh lasted three hours and the deal between the mining, rail and steel union representatives was unanimous.

The 18,000-ton weekly total was said to be equal to about 10 or 11 train loads. Supplies by rail were prevented by rail unions at the request of the NUM after steel unions agreed to use scab coal brought in by road convoys.

Yesterday's deal is conditional on the stopping of coal deliveries by road haulage — and subject to ratification by bosses of the British Steel Corporation.

Talks

Michael McGahey, Scottish NUM president, said after attending the talks that 'despite what the press and media may say there is no disunity in the Scottish trade union movement. There is a common purpose.'

Steel production at Ravenscraig is to be reduced as a result of the deal, it was claimed. But McGahey did not say by how much. The

general feeling amongst miners in Scotland is that no production should take place whatsoever.

THE banner of the joint trade union committee at Clydebridge steelworks, Cambuslang, was on the 'Miners' Day' march through Glasgow on Wednesday together with a sizeable delegation.

'We are out in support of the miners,' a committee spokesman told News Line. 'We sympathise with Ravenscraig in certain terms. They are fighting for their jobs. But a suitable compromise could have been reached well before now. The slogan must always be: United we stand.'

STEEL union crane-men are refusing to unload a ship carrying 38,000 tons of American coal. It berthed yesterday after beating a black by Hunterston tugboat men.

'Other unions must strike'

GENERAL STRIKE is urged by the miners, say NUM committee members at the Bellshill strike centre, Lanarkshire.

Opinion in favour of calling for all-out strike action by other unions has hardened in the face of police brutality and clamp-down movement of pickets in Scotland during the past week.

'I was in the 1972 and 1974 miners' strikes and never saw police tactics like this before,' says John Dargue, secretary at the Bellshill strike centre.

'Watching the way the police are behaving, it is a police state we are in now. It is a total disgrace. But I'm glad to say I believe the miners will battle on no matter how it goes.'

'It is a fight for the whole trade union movement. She is trying to destroy the whole trade union movement. That has to be understood.'

'It must come to a General Strike. It will come to

that, I'm sure.'

Dan Fraser, picket organiser at the Bellshill centre, pointed out that even the allowing of six official pickets to talk to lorry drivers had now been scrapped.

'The only difference between this government in power now and Hitler, is that anyone who opposed Hitler got shot — while anyone who opposes this government is put out of a job,' said Fraser.

Support

'A strike for the miners is a strike for the whole working class. We need the full support of all the trade unions throughout the country. I hope it does come to a General Strike.'

'If any trade union members saw the evidence of what happened to our pickets at Hunterston on Tuesday, when they were cavalry-charged by police horses, they must stand up and be counted.'



Coal dock in Belfast Lough

PATCO experie

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WIVES LEAD BA

'We won't let anybody sell our future'

BARNSELY miners' wives are to lead a demonstration of wives from all over Britain through their town today in opposition to pit closures.

A rally is to be addressed by NUM president Arthur Scargill and the Yorkshire president Jack Taylor.

BY BEN RUDDER

Thousands of miners from all over the country are expected to follow delegations of miners' wives from the North East, Kent, and Wales.

Durham miners who set off from Northumberland a fortnight ago reached Barnsley last night.

The marchers have already received a warm welcome from miners and their wives in South Kirby and Grimethorpe.

Among those from the Grimethorpe branch of the Women's Support Group who will be on today's march is the local secretary Gail Hancock.

She said yesterday: 'We support the miners because we think they are right to fight to keep the pits open. If the pit in this village closed there would be nothing for us.

'We will do all we can to help them and we have been putting on meals and collecting for the miners.'

Turning to 20 other women who were working throughout the day at Grimethorpe raising money and making meals said said: 'I think it's

great that all these women have followed the lead of the Kent miners' wives. Not only that but the whole community is rallying round.

'We are determined that our men are not going to be forced back through starvation. They have said they will eat grass before they go back and both they and we mean it.

'We are not going to let anybody sell our industry, jobs and our sons' future.'

Gail urged miners' wives throughout the country to join their local wives support group or set them up if none existed.



Miners picket the Holditch pit in the Staffordshire

South Kirkby miners welcome march

THE North East Miners' March left Kellingley in the North Yorkshire coalfield yesterday morning at 9.30a.m.

The marchers walked into Pontefract through the busy town centre arriving at the mining village of Hemsworth three hours later.

They were met with a rousing welcome from Hemsworth villagers and a big delegation from the NUM branch of South Kirby pit.

Walked

The South Kirby men joined the Durham miners with their own banner and walked through Hemsworth to the next village.

Villagers shouted support at every point along the way, many coming out of their houses to shake the marchers' hands and voice their support for the strike.

Local miners' wives Val Clarke and Jill Moore carried the Durham banner into South Kirby.

Val said: 'This march is good because it raises the question of our strike in all areas, mining and non-mining, and it shows the solidarity for it.'

Les Asquith, one of the delegation from South Kirby pit, said the march showed the strength of the strike in Durham and Yorkshire and the solidarity that existed between the two areas.

Asquith said the NUM should go to the General Council of the TUC and demand it call for a General Strike.

'They've already threatened British Rail with 1,800 job losses and it was only a couple of weeks ago that 230 jobs went in Sheffield at British Steel,' he said.

'In Morecambe and Sheffield they're closing hospitals and putting the workers there on the dole.

'Surely this tells us now is the time for the whole trade union movement to stand up together in unity along with us miners and get this government out.'

Pointing to the miners' banner Asquith added: 'Our banner says the pits are our inheritance. Let's keep them that way. The only way we can keep the pits open now is a General Strike.'

Arrested

Asquith was one of the many Yorkshire miners arrested last week at Creswell colliery in Nottinghamshire. 'We miners called our strike because we said no to pit closures and no to job losses in the industry. That principle on which we moved still stands whether Nottinghamshire comes out and joins our strike or not.

'On that basis we've got every right to ask for a General Strike.'

Proud

Val Turner, a winder's wife, said she was proud to be supporting the miners and proud that her husband was fully behind the strike.

'Our lads are not going to go without so long as we have anything to do with it.'

The Durham miners were also praised by Brierly and Grimethorpe town council mayor elect Norman Whitaker.

He said he had been alongside younger men at the pit on the picket lines since the strike began. If we don't join up together then we will lose this strike.

'As mayor in this locality I say a General Strike is the only way now.

'We feel the public in the Barnsley area have been kidded along for too long by this government and we've got to stand and fight. This government is out to destroy not only our communities but our class.

'I've been made a mayor on my experience in local government but that experience means nothing compared with my experience as a mine-worker in the last eight weeks.

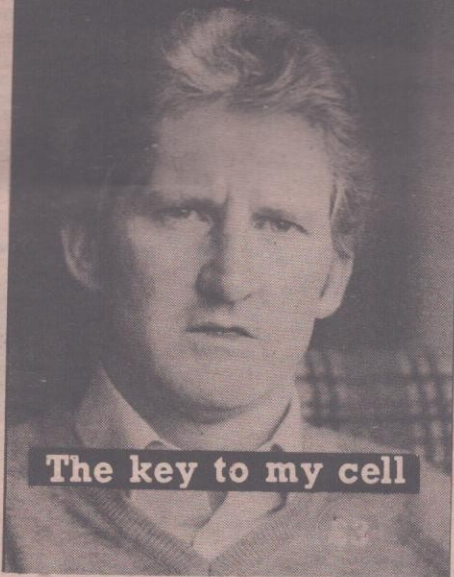
'My old ideas have been shattered, and I have been disillusioned by the police activities, the police presence, their bullying and their tactics — by the whole system.'

Today's march is to be followed on Monday by a national demonstration in Mansfield called by the NUM executive. They have urged all miners and all trade unionists to participate.



Miners' wives from Bold and Parkside meet with representatives Housing and Education Departments of St Helens council, who problems yesterday

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RAVENSLEY MARCH

THE MINERS' STRUGGLE



NUM agree Ravenscraig coal deal

AN agreement that Ravenscraig steelworks will be supplied with 18,000 tons of coal a week by train was reached between leaders of the Scottish Triple Alliance yesterday.

The talks in Edinburgh lasted three hours and the deal between the mining, rail and steel union representatives was unanimous.

The 18,000-ton weekly total was said to be equal to about 10 or 11 train loads. Supplies by train were prevented by rail unions at the request of the NUM after steel unions agreed to use scab coal brought in by road convoys.

Yesterday's deal is conditional on the stopping of coal deliveries by road haulage — and subject to ratification by bosses of the British Steel Corporation.

general feeling amongst miners in Scotland is that no production should take place whatsoever.

● THE banner of the joint trade union committee at Clydebridge steelworks, Cambuslang, was on the 'Miners' Day' march through Glasgow on Wednesday together with a sizeable delegation.

'We are out in support of the miners,' a committee spokesman told News Line. 'We sympathise with Ravenscraig in certain terms. They are fighting for their jobs. But a suitable compromise could have been reached well before now. The slogan must always be: United we stand.'

● STEEL union crane-men are refusing to unload a ship carrying 38,000 tons of American coal. It berthed yesterday after beating a black by Hunterston tugboat men.

Talks

Michael McGahey, Scottish NUM president, said after attending the talks that 'despite what the press and media may say there is no disunity in the Scottish trade union movement. There is a common purpose.'

Steel production at Ravenscraig is to be reduced as a result of the deal, it was claimed. But McGahey did not say by how much. The

'Other unions must strike'

A GENERAL STRIKE is needed by the miners, say NUM committee members at the Bellshill strike centre, Lanarkshire.

Opinion in favour of calling for all-out strike action by other unions has hardened in the face of police brutality and clamp-down on movement of pickets in Scotland during the past week.

'I was in the 1972 and 1974 miners' strikes and never saw police tactics like this before,' says John Dargue, secretary at the Bellshill strike centre.

'Watching the way the police are behaving, it is a police state we are in now. It is a total disgrace. But I'm glad to say I believe the miners will battle on no matter how it goes.'

'It is a fight for the whole trade union movement. She is trying to destroy the whole trade union movement. That has to be understood.'

'It must come to a General Strike. It will come to

that, I'm sure.'

Dan Fraser, picket organiser at the Bellshill centre, pointed out that even the allowing of six official pickets to talk to lorry drivers had now been scrapped.

'The only difference between this government in power now and Hitler, is that anyone who opposed Hitler got shot — while anyone who opposes this government is put out of a job,' said Fraser.

Support

'A strike for the miners is a strike for the whole working class. We need the full support of all the trade unions throughout the country. I hope it does come to a General Strike.'

'If any trade union members saw the evidence of what happened to our pickets at Hunterston on Tuesday, when they were cavalry-charged by police horses, they must stand up and be counted.'



coalfield last week

Bold miners' wives meet

OVER 40 miners' wives with their children met yesterday at Bold Welfare to set up a wives' group to support the miners' strike.

Ann Potter, who has been helping miners with their welfare rights problems, opened the meeting by identifying areas of concern for wives.

Many of the wives spoke of the hardship they were experiencing and total inadequacy of DHSS payments.

Marlene Newman from the Miners' Gala Committee offered to co-ordinate transport for the group.

A number of wives with children at nearby Parr Flats school attended to condemn the packed lunches being provided by the school. It consisted of one bun, a mince pie and a cheese scone in a paper bag.

Mrs Susan Gannon said: 'It's bad enough having to ask for free meals. You can't feed them on what

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they're getting. We have spoken to the canteen staff and they say they're doing what they're told to do.

Mrs Carol Eden, with two children, added: 'You can't manage on £11.75 from the DHSS, and £13 child allowance.'

The wives agreed to meet the headmistress and contact union reps at the school to restore hot meals.

Debbie whose husband is actively involved in picketing said: 'We need a women's committee to get the wives involved. Any



Susan Gannon with Debbie

food donated has to get to the people who need it. We need a meeting on a weekly basis to know what's going on.

'I back my husband 100

per cent. We agree with it all. Thatcher wants to have a confrontation with Arthur Scargill. She wants to crush the unions, just like she paid them off at GCHQ.



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THE MINERS' STRUGGLE



The case for Community Councils

EVERY trade unionist and worker must come to the aid of the miners in their struggle for jobs against the capitalist state, the Thatcher dictatorship and the National Coal Board.

The working class as a whole and their professional allies must share the burdens and sacrifices of the fight which the miners are waging in defence of the most basic of rights — the right to work and to organise freely in trade unions independent of the state.

Trade union branches, shop stewards' committees, trades councils and other labour movement organisations must take the initiative now in the setting up of Community Councils which will act immediately to meet the needs of the miners.

Thatcher and the state are out to smash up pit communities, driving families into destitution and starving the miners back to work. Their aim is not only to destroy the miners' union, but all trade unions.

Miners are, therefore, fighting on behalf of the whole working class. They cannot be left to shoulder the burdens of the strike alone. All workers must ensure that the miners can continue the struggle under the best conditions, and that a common front is presented to the class enemy.

As well as the trade unions, the Community Councils must draw in representatives of every section of the working class and their middle-class and professional allies involved in the anti-Tory fight — miners' wives, youth groups, voluntary organisations and local Labour councils.

At the very same time the Tories are attacking the miners, they are also establishing a central government dictatorship over local Labour councils, threatening cities like Liverpool with financial destruction and abolishing seven authorities covering the major industrial areas of England. Community Councils will take responsibility for the defence of local councils, jobs and services.

There are immediate and practical tasks which flow from the defiant resistance of the miners to the provocations of the NCB, an unprecedented military-style police operation directed by the Home Office through Scotland Yard and the organised harassment by social security, gas and electricity bureaucrats.

The Workers Revolutionary Party believes that the tasks of Community Councils, which should extend beyond mining districts, will be to:

- Provide food for families and children of those on strike. No miner to be starved back to work by the Tories.
- Pay urgent bills for electricity and gas, calling on workers not to carry out cut-offs as an act of solidarity with the strike. Raise funds for new clothing and footwear for strikers.
- Ensure that no miner is evicted by local councils for not being able to pay rent or rates. Make certain that medical supplies are paid for so that miners and their families can get the treatment prescribed.
- Arrange for the care of the elderly dependent on support from miners' families, ensure nursery provision so that miners' wives can participate fully in winning support for the strike.
- Organise the provision of free legal representation for miners who need it. Provide accommodation for miners from other areas.
- Watch out for and organise against provocateurs. Organise the defence of union offices and funds from state attacks.
- Rally other workers to support and back up miners' pickets and organise marches and rallies.

LABOUR COUNCILS must be asked to:

- Provide free school meals and transport for miners' children.
- Make office accommodation in council offices available to miners, with facilities for printing and communications.
- Make sure that no evictions take place because of mounting debts. Wipe out rent and rate arrears.
- Provide free public transport for strikers and their families. Make all council facilities available free to miners. Lay on entertainments and outings for miners' families.
- Resist having to foot the bill for the cost of the Downing Street directed police operation against the miners' union.

This is the best way to answer the challenge of the capitalist state, and the Tory dictatorship. Community Councils — as Soviet-type organisations — will give the working class confidence in its own independent strength to defeat the class enemy and provide the basis for the successful struggle for power which has now been joined.

'A GENERAL Strike is the only answer for us,' Dave Smith, NUM branch president at Dinnington colliery in Yorkshire told News Line.

He fears that picketing of Nottinghamshire may become a blind alley and believes that his union must extend its strike into a General Strike now that other sections of workers are coming under Tory attack.

'The Tories thought they could beat the miners early on in this dis-

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pute — then get on with their attack on other sections of workers.

'But because miners have stayed out for nine weeks the Tories have a problem. Now they have had to announce their attack on jobs in the rail industry, there's more cuts they have to announce in steel, and they have got a battle on with the teachers.

'Now we've got to capitalise on the fact that other workers are coming into struggle because it puts us in a stronger position. So we've got to call for a General Strike — it's the only answer now.

'We can't go on as a single section of workers trying to take on the whole state on our own.

'We've got to go forward to a General Strike, we don't have any choice about that. If we don't then we are in a position of sell out and defeat.'

Gains

Smith says that important gains have been made during the strike. In particular, women have played a major role in supporting the action — support which was not seen from the mining communities in the 1972 and 1974 disputes.

But there is another important difference from 1972 and 1974. 'In this strike there are only two ways for it to go — there is no compromise. In a wages strike like the earlier ones, there is always a possibility of a compromise because there is always a middle road in percentages.

'But in this struggle there is no compromise position. It's either no closures and no redundancies and a defeat of the government — or the closures continue and it's a defeat not only for the miners but the whole working class.

'Miners have stuck it out now for nine weeks and still look strong. They have decided that enough's enough and they are prepared to fight and prepared to make sacrifices.

'But that can only go on for so long if they cannot see why they are making these sacrifices.

'That's why it's totally misleading for Arthur Scargill and Jack Taylor to say that if we had had the Nottinghamshire miners out from the start we would have won the dispute by now.

'Even if we had been solid from the start there is no doubt that our struggle would still be going on, because it's not an industrial dispute, it's a

'The only answer is to call a General Strike'



DAVID SMITH... 'a political struggle against the whole state'

political struggle against the whole state.

'This is not accepted by the leadership in the union, because they are scared of the consequences of mounting a real political struggle.

'But if we look at the dispute politically we can see it is no longer necessary to get Nottinghamshire out in total because we can escalate it in other ways, because other workers are coming forward to fight the Tories.'

Smith says the NUM leadership have told miners privately that they will not involve the TUC because they don't want a repeat of the 29-21 vote by the General Council on December 14 last year when the NGA print union called for industrial support.

'But that argument is ludicrous now. The majority that Murray had behind him when he abandoned the 1982 Wembley decisions has gone now.

Events have overtaken Murray since the NGA question.

'He had just got that issue out of the way when Thatcher came on the attack at GCHQ. And when he tried to make a no-strike clause, and a compromise, he lost all credibility.

Compromise

'He lost all credibility because she wanted no compromise and no union at GCHQ. So some of the people he had round him realise that this method of compromise won't work — and that's why he's retiring.'

Smith is also very critical of the line taken by the Labour Party, whose leaders have also said the strike is not political.

'For Kinnoch and Hattersley to say that this is an industrial dispute and not a political fight is to ignore the attacks on all

the other industries — and the capitalist crisis which is driving the Tories to come on the attack.

'That is to mislead the working class in a deliberate way.'

Smith also believes that talk of an expanding coal industry in the present world economic situation is also misleading.

'With this outlook, that under this government and under this system there can be an expanding industry, our fight is endangered.

'Our fight is a political fight, which is why we must turn to other workers and call for a General Strike to carry our struggle forward.

'There is no other way, whatever our union leadership likes to think, and whatever hopes they misguidedly offer of a negotiated settlement. There is no compromise. We must extend our action to the General Strike.'

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TRIAL OF BLACK YOUTH WAS UNFAIR

Appeal court told

A CROWN Court judge was sharply criticised by the Court of Appeal yesterday for his 'extraordinary and irregular' behaviour during the trial of two black teenage brothers accused of assaulting police.

The appeal judges quashed the brothers' convictions because their trial at Chelmsford Crown Court in June last year before Assistant Recorder Neville Sandelson was unfair.

Delroy Walker, 19, and his brother Leroy, 17, of Forest Gate, east London, had been released on bail pending appeal after each

being sentenced to 21 days detention on two charges of causing actual bodily harm.

Four policemen had been injured in a fracas outside the Abyssinians youth club, Forest Gate, in June 1982.

Disturbed

Lord Justice Watkins said the Court of Appeal was disturbed most by what happened in the judge's private room on the third day of the trial.

According to prosecution and defence counsel, Sandelson told them he

found the trial 'distasteful' and said nothing was to be gained by the Crown seeking a conviction.

He said he had been watching the jury and had formed the view that they would acquit. He said he had the power to stop the case and direct not guilty verdicts.

He asked counsel if the case could be shortened and 'went on to refer to his friendship with the Metropolitan Police Commissioner', said Lord Justice Watkins.

Sandelson told counsel that there was not much point in prolonging the

case and that it had to finish by Friday.

He told defence counsel that in his experience the more witnesses called for the defence, the weaker the defence case became.

But the trial continued and the jury returned guilty verdicts.

Sandelson, in his written observations on the trial, denied saying the prosecution should not have taken place, or giving the impression that it was pointless to call further defence evidence or putting pressure on counsel to shorten the trial.

In his view, it had been unfortunate that the police officers had put themselves from the outset into almost inevitable conflict with a group of black youths, and they ought to have known of the potentially explosive racial situation.

Impatient

Lord Justice Watkins, sitting with Mr Justice Caulfield and Mrs Justice Heilbron, said they 'reluctantly' preferred the recollection of the counsel.

'There seems to be very little doubt but that the Assistant Recorder had become impatient with this trial,' said the appeal judge.

Indian to be deported today

INDIAN-BORN Khasam Bham was in a prison cell awaiting deportation yesterday after his English wife Ann lost her battle to keep him in Britain.

Bham, 22, was arrested by police and immigration officials at his home in Tuffley, Gloucester, on Thursday night and taken to Gloucester prison. He is to be flown back to India today.

Bham, who was married last October, was to have been deported six weeks ago, but his wife won a stay of execution.

His wife, 34, said yesterday: 'I wrote numerous letters to the Home Office and sent in a petition. But they have totally ignored me and I have not had a reply.'

'The police came without any warning to arrest

Khasam and he was very shocked and upset. He did not believe it would ever happen.'

'I am making arrangements to go out to India to join him. It is going to be hard because he has not lived permanently in India since he was 14.'

Returned

Bham first came to this country in 1977 but then returned to help look after his sick grandmother. When he came back to Britain he was told he was only entitled to temporary re-admission.

A Home Office spokesman said Bham was being deported because he had made a false claim that he was the son of a legal immigrant when in fact he was only a nephew.

Labour in control of Notts council

LABOUR was yesterday again in control of Nottingham city council — by one seat — following Thursday's municipal by-election in Bulwell West. The Labour candidate, Dennis Jones, increased the party's majority by 1,100 votes in the poll caused by the death of Lord Mayor Arthur Wright.

At Gloucester, the Labour Party is to take over control of the city council for the first time in 10 years, although it has only one-third of the 33 seats. Labour will take all the civic posts and committee chairmanships because the Tories, who lost their one-seat majority in last week's elections, failed to persuade the six Liberals to join them in a coalition.

BENTALLS TO CLOSE

THE Bentalls store in Chatham, Kent, is to close with the loss of some 80 jobs.

Bentalls said yesterday that all possible steps had been taken to bring the store into profit but 'the closure of the dockyard and the failure of a projected nearby shopping centre to materialise makes this decision inevitable'.

Losses at the store, which opened five years

ago, were said to be running at the rate of £150,000 a year.

The shut-down, expected to be completed over the next couple of months, will mean Bentalls writing off around £1 million.

But the group claimed this cost should be more than covered by the profit expected to come from the disposal of an existing freehold store site in Ealing.

Weather

THERE will be scattered showers and sunny periods in some southeastern districts. Northwest Scotland will be rather cloudy with a little rain or drizzle at times. Otherwise most places will have sunny periods with a few showers. Temperatures will be near or a little below normal but it will be rather cold in the south-east.

Outlook for Sunday and Monday: Many parts will be dry with sunny periods. Southeast England will have scattered showers and northwest Scotland will be rather cloudy with occasional rain or drizzle. Rather cold in the southeast. Otherwise near normal.

Meeting ends 48-hour strike

A MASS meeting of 2,000 shipyard workers at Vesper Thorneycroft, Southampton, yesterday agreed to end a 48-hour strike. The men stopped work on Wednesday after two electricians were suspended for refusing to change the time of their lunch break during an overtime ban at the yard.

Although agreeing to return to work, the men said they would continue with their overtime ban which has been in force for several months in support of a wage claim. Talks are to be held on the reinstatement of the two electricians.

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SCOTLAND

ABERDEEN: Wednesday May 30, 7.30p.m. Music Hall, Union Street.
Speakers: Barry Huyton (Aberdeen YS); Alex McLarty (WRP Central Committee); an NUM speaker

DUNFERMLINE: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. Woodmill Miners' Welfare Club, Woodmill Road.
Speakers: Simon Pirani (WRP Central Committee); Bob Young (NUM Woodmill strike committee)
Plus film: 'The General Strike 1926'

CAMBUSLANG: Wednesday May 23, 7.30p.m. Cambuslang Institute, Greenlees Road, Cambuslang.
Speakers: Mick Thompson (Cambuslang YS); Chris Corrigan (WRP Central Committee); Maxie Campbell (TGWU, in personal capacity)

DUNDEE: Wednesday June 6, 7.30p.m. Conference Room, Central Library, Wellgate.
Speakers: Colin Yackimini (YS National Committee); Simon Pirani (WRP Central Committee); an NUM speaker

NORTH EAST

SOUTH SHIELDS: Tuesday May 22, 7.30p.m. Miners Welfare, Armstrong Hall, Stanhope Road.
Speakers: Kevin Townsend (YS National Committee); Mike Banda (WRP General Secretary)

NORTH WEST

KIRKBY: Wednesday May 16, 7.30p.m. Tower Hill Community Centre, Tower Hill.
Speakers: Dave Morris (Skellmersdale YS); Frank Singer (WRP Central Committee); in personal capacity: John Mullen (Chairman Cairnryan Port Committee); Frank Fitzmaurice (AUEW Meccano); speaker from Kirby Unemployed Centre Committee

DINGLE: Wednesday May 16, 7.30p.m. Pineapple Public House, Park Road.
Speakers: Cathy Flaherty (YS Regional Committee); Tony Banda (WRP Central Committee)

SALFORD: Tuesday May 22, 7.30p.m. Broadwalk Library, Salford Precinct.
Speakers: Brendan Gaffney (YS National Committee); Stuart Carter (WRP Central Committee)

RUNCORN: Thursday May 31, 7.30p.m. Auditorium, Runcorn Library, Shopping City.
Speakers: Steve Perry (Runcorn YS); Dave Latchford (WRP Central Committee); Brian Fagan (AUEW No.2 branch secretary, in personal capacity)

ECCLES: Monday June 4, 7.30p.m. Lecture Room, Eccles Central Library, Church Street.
Speakers: Brendan Gaffney (YS National Committee); Stuart Carter (WRP Central Committee)

YORKSHIRE

LEEDS: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. Arthur Greenwood School, Disraeli Terrace, Leeds 11.
Speakers: Chris Marsden (YS National Committee); Dave Hyland (WRP Central Committee); in personal capacity: Jean Harrison (Ledstone Luck miners' wives support group); Rita Hall (Sandal nursery occupation)

EAST MIDLANDS

LOUGHBOROUGH: Tuesday May 15, 7.30p.m. Loughborough Library, Granby Street.
Speakers: Anton Turgoose (Leicester YS); Brian Prangle (Leicester WRP)

ALFRETON: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. St Martins Church Hall, Mansfield Road.
Speakers: Kevin Alcock (YS National Committee); Peter Jones (WRP Central Committee); Mick Nettleship (NUM, in personal capacity)

LEICESTER: Tuesday May 22, 7.30p.m. Secular Hall, Humberstone Gate.
Speakers: Claire Dixon (YS National Committee); Brian Prangle (Leicester WRP); Anton Turgoose (Leicester YS)

NOTTINGHAM: Thursday May 24, 7.30p.m. Forest Folk Hotel, Blidworth.

Speakers: Ian Evans (Chesterfield YS); Alex Mitchell (WRP Central Committee); Annette Holroyd (Blidworth Community Council); Dave Nuttall (Markham NUM, in personal capacity)

WEST MIDLANDS

COVENTRY: Wednesday May 16, 7.30p.m. Weavers Arms, Bell Green Road.
Speakers: Clive Andrews (YS National Committee); Corin Redgrave (WRP Central Committee); Nevin Bell (Keresley NUM, in personal capacity)

BIRMINGHAM: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. Nechells Park Pub, Nechells Park Road.
Speakers: Clive Andrews (YS National Committee); Alex Mitchell (WRP Central Committee); Margaret Newbold (Nechells Parents Action Committee); Nevin Bell (Keresley NUM, in personal capacity)

EASTERN

IPSWICH: Saturday May 19, 7p.m. Caribbean Club, Woodbridge Road.
Speakers: Melita Attard (YS Regional Committee); Tony Hyland (YS National Committee)
Followed by Disco, 9p.m.

PETERBOROUGH: Tuesday May 22, 7.30p.m. Heltwater Community Centre, North Bretton.
Speakers: Tony Hyland (YS National Committee); Pat Brookes (Peterborough WRP)

NORWICH: Tuesday May 22, 7.30p.m. Angel Road First School, Angel Road.
Speakers: Melita Attard (YS Regional Committee); Roberta Colling (WRP District Committee)

CAMBRIDGE: Wednesday May 23, 7.30p.m. Good Shepherd Hall, Mansell Way, Arbury.
Speakers: Linda Mee (YS Regional Committee); Chris Bailey (Cambridge WRP)

COLCHESTER: Wednesday May 30, 7.30p.m. Flying Fox, Harwich Road.
Speakers: Melita Attard (YS Regional Committee); Steve Hambling (Ipswich WRP)

NORTHAMPTON: Wednesday May 30, 7.30p.m. Town Hall.
Speakers: Tony Hyland (YS National Committee); Ray Athow (WRP Central Committee)

WESTERN

SWINDON: Monday May 14, 7.30p.m. St John's Ambulance Hall, Corporation Street.
Speakers: Hollis Byrne (YS National Committee); Matthew Robertson (WRP Central Committee)

BRISTOL: Monday May 21, 7.30p.m. Standard of England, Greystoke Avenue, Southmead.
Speakers: Hollis Byrne (YS National Committee); Matthew Robertson (WRP Central Committee)

SOUTH WALES

MAERDY: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. Maerdy Church Hall, next to Welfare Hall.
Speakers: Roy Combes (YS National Committee); Mike Banda (WRP General Secretary); Jim Cheek (Bristol busmen, in personal capacity)

KENT

DARTFORD: Monday May 14, 7.30p.m. Tree Estate Tenants Hall, Tree Estate.
Speakers: Richard Murphy (YS Regional Committee); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee); Speaker from Kent NUM

ERITH: Wednesday June 13, 7.30p.m. Erith Town Hall, Erith.
Speakers: Richard Murphy (YS Regional Committee); Peter Farrell (WRP Central Committee); Speaker from Kent NUM

SUSSEX

BRIGHTON: Tuesday May 15, 7.30p.m. Moulescoombe Community Hall, Lewes Road.
Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Secretary); Corin Redgrave (WRP Central Committee); Kent NUM speaker

HERTS & BEDS

LUTON: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. Room 4, High Town Recreation Centre, Old Bedford Road.
Speakers: Gerald Bolton (YS Regional Committee); Paul Stickley (Watford WRP); Liam Flaherty (T&GWU shop steward Vauxhalls, in personal capacity)

WATFORD: Thursday May 31, 7.30p.m. Trade Union Hall, (opp Junction station), Woodford Road.
Speakers: Richard Bolton (Hemel YS); Paul Stickley (Watford WRP)

LONDON

BOW: Monday May 14, 7.30p.m. Vernon Hall, Roman Road, E3. (next to Presto)
Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Secretary); Richard Goldstein (WRP District Committee)

DAGENHAM: Tuesday May 15, 7.30p.m. Seabrook Hall, Fiddlers Roundabout.
Speakers: Derek Blackwood (YS Regional Committee); Keith Scotcher (WRP District Committee)

ISLEWORTH: Wednesday May 16, 7.30p.m. Room 3, Public Hall, South Street.
Speakers: Leo Phelan (YS editorial board); Richard Lugg (WRP District Committee); Lynne Roberts (NUPE West Middlesex hospital, in personal capacity); Speaker from Kent NUM

WOOD GREEN: Thursday May 17, 7.30p.m. Haringay Trade Union Community Hall, Brabant Road, N22.
Speakers: Gary Ryder (YS National Committee); Richard Goldstein (WRP District Committee)

BURNT OAK: Thursday May 17, 8p.m. Burnt Oak Library, Burnt Oak Broadway.
Speakers: Dolly Short (YS Editor); Peter Farrell (WRP Central Committee)

HACKNEY: Tuesday May 22, 7.30p.m. Hackney Trades and Labour Hall, Dalston Lane, E8.
Speakers: Marion Kane (YS Regional Committee); Richard Goldstein (WRP District Committee); Speaker from Kent NUM

TOOTING: Thursday May 24, 7.30p.m. Lola Jones Hall, Tooting Baths, Garrett Lane, SW16.
Speakers: Boris Gerreyne (YS Editorial Board); Simon Vevers (WRP Central Committee)

PADDINGTON: Thursday May 24, 8p.m. Kensal Community Centre, Kensal Road, W10.
Speakers: Claire Dixon (YS National Committee); Barran Hulme (Kensington WRP)

MANOR PARK: Wednesday May 25, 7.30p.m. Earl of Essex, Romford Road, E12 (Manor Park Broadway).
Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Secretary); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee)

WOOLWICH: Wednesday May 30, 7.30p.m. Glyndon Tenants Hall, Glyndon Estate, Raglan Road, SE18.
Speakers: Eric Morgan (YS Regional Committee); Alan Clarke (WRP District Committee); Speaker from Kent NUM

ACTON: Tuesday June 5, 7.30p.m. Council Chamber, Acton Town Hall, 33-35, W3.
Speakers: Rob Jackson (YS National Committee); Geoff Pilling (WRP Central Committee)

MILLWALL: Wednesday June 6, 7.30p.m. Glengall Grove Community Centre, 37-43 Glengall Grove, Cubitt Town.
Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Committee); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee)

ALL TRADES UNIONS ALLIANCE
Industrial section of the Workers Revolutionary Party

PUBLIC MEETING
Teachers and miners unite!
TUC must call a General Strike!

WEDNESDAY MAY 16, 7.30p.m.
Conference Centre, Westminster Cathedral
off Victoria Street
Speaker from News Line editorial board TICKET 50p

SATURDAY



Suzanne Danielle looks on as Trevor Barnett pulls out a six-inch nail with his teeth 'Just Amazing' on ITV at 7.30pm



'Bacchanal' on Channel 4 at 10.00pm features some skilled performances of 'breaking' by Micron

BBC1

6.20-8.25 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.20 How Viruses Reproduce, 6.45 Computing: Overseas Containers, 7.10 Sun, Cities and Smog, 7.35 Risk: Harrier Aircraft Pilots, 8.00 Curriculum in Action, 8.45 The Saturday Picture Show, 11.05 Film: *Love Happy* (1949) The Marx Brothers are chasing the Romanoff diamonds, 12.27 Weather.

12.30 GRANDSTAND (including 1.00 News) Football Focus (12.35); Golf (1.05, 4.00); The London Marathon '84 (2.10); Olympic Preview (2.20); Boxing (2.40); Rugby League (3.10); Final Score (4.40).

5.05 NEWS; Weatherman

5.15 SPORT

5.20 AUTOMAN A holographic image called Automan (Chuck Wagner) is used to fight crime in Los Angeles

6.30 THE ACTION FILM: *The Bridge at Remagen* (1968) With George Segal, Robert Vaughn, Ben Gazzara, Bradford Dillman. One bridge has been saved from destruction by Hitler — an iron bridge at Remagen

8.20 THE VAL DOONICAN MUSIC SHOW First in a new series of programmes for all the family, together with film of Val's visit to Australia recently

9.05 CAGNEY AND LACEY Starring Sharon Gless and Tyne Daily in *Victimless Crime*

9.55 NEWS AND SPORT Weatherman

10.10 MATCH OF THE DAY Highlights of two Canon League matches affecting championship honours, promotions and relegations

11.00 SATURDAY LATE FILM *The Omega Man* (1971) with Charlton Heston, Anthony Zerbe, Rosalind Cash. The last man healthy after germ warfare wipes out the world fights off the sick survivors

12.35 Weather; Closedown

BBC2

6.25-3.25 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.25 Ecology, 6.50 Any Old Copper, 7.15 Topology, 7.40 Ferrous Metals in Construction, 8.05 Unemployment in Clwyd, 8.30 Music and Images, 8.55 Engineering, 9.20 The Plough and the Hoe, 9.45 Hidden Messages, 10.10 Conflict in the Family, 10.35 Cognitive Styles, 11.00 Inquiry: Plate Tectonics, 11.25 Producing the Goods, 11.50 Economics of Air Fares, 12.15 Writing Together, 12.40 Nene College and the 80s, 1.05 Pure Maths, 1.30 Research Methods, 1.55 Analysis of Hyde Park, 2.20 Computing at Scottish Gas, 2.45 Modern Art: Cubism 1, 3.10 Pages from Ceefax.

3.25 SATURDAY CINEMA DOUBLE *BILL The Last Days of Pompeii* (1935) With Preston Foster, Basil Rathbone, Alan Hale, Dorothy Wilson. A blacksmith becomes a champion gladiator in ancient Rome. Impressive scenes of the volcanic eruption that destroyed Pompeii

5.00 GAWAIN AND THE GREEN KNIGHT (1973) With Murray Head, Ciaran Madden, Nigel Green. (1973) The adventures of one of King Arthur's knights recreated by British director Stephen Weeks

6.30 NO MINISTER: *Education Vouchers* An Open University programme

6.55 NEWS AND SPORT; Weather

7.10 THE HISTORY OF POWERED FLIGHT *Chabot Solo* An entertaining personal history of flying from Bleriot to Concorde told by a grand old aviator

8.05 1911: A YEAR IN MUSICAL HISTORY (new series) A series of four programmes with Simon Rattle conducting the City of Birmingham Symphony Orchestra

9.05 SATURDAY REVIEW Comment and discussion of current ideas presented by Russell Davies and Minette Marrin

9.55 LOUIS MALLE's *Lacombe Lucien* (1974) A French film with English subtitles, with Pierre Blaise and Aurore Clement. A French peasant becomes a collaborator during the Nazi Occupation at the end of World War II. Directed by Louis Malle

12.10 Closedown

CHANNEL 4

1.40 MANSCAPE *To the End of the Line* Industrial historian Neil Cossons looks at the railways from their 'heyday' in the Victorian and Edwardian eras

2.05 HANGMEN ALSO DIE (1943) With Brian Donlevy, Walter Brennan, Dennis O'Keefe and Anna Lee. World War II propaganda film. A fictional account of the murder of the Nazi leader Reinhard Heydrich in Prague in 1942 and the reign of terror which followed. Directed by Fritz Lang and written by John Wexley and Bertolt Brecht

4.35 MAMA MALONE *Back to Basics*

5.05 BROOKSIDE

6.00 EAR SAY News, interviews, videos and music with Nicky Horne, Gary Crowley and Lesley-Ann Jones

7.00 NEWS SUMMARY and weather, followed by

SEVEN DAYS

7.30 UNION WORLD A report on the tensions within the Civil and Public Services Association on the eve of its annual conference

8.00 THE LEATHER BOYS Documentary by Joss Ackland celebrating motorbike lovers and experts, and looking at the decline of the British motor-cycle industry

9.00 THE AVENGERS *Take Me To Your Leader*

10.00 BACCHANAL *Street Art* New series about art by black people opens with youth doing body-popping, breaking, roller skating and street hockey

10.50 WHO DARES WINS A *Camping Holiday in Beirut* Live satirical comedy performed by Julia Hills, Phil Pope, Tony Robinson, Rory McGrath and Jimmy Mulville

11.50 MR MOTO TAKES A CHANCE (1938) Peter Lorre as the Japanese detective working with British Intelligence undercover agent Rochelle Hudson to find hidden munitions in Sumatra

1.00 Closedown

LWT

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25 LWT Information, 9.30 Sesame Street, 10.30 No.73.

12.15 WORLD OF SPORT: 12.20 Ice Hockey — the Stanley Cup; 12.45 News from ITN; 12.50 On the Ball; 1.20 Rallying; 1.35 Racing from Thirsk (1.45, 2.15, 2.45 races); Motorcycling (1.55, 2.25, 2.55); 2.55 Boxing: Sugar Ray Leonard v Kevin Howard; 3.45 Half-Time Soccer Round-Up; 4.00 Wrestling from Nottingham; 4.45 Results.

5.00 NEWS FROM ITN

5.05 WHIZ KIDS *Amen to Amen-Re*

6.00 THE GRUMBLEWEEDS RADIO SHOW

6.30 ROBIN OF SHERWOOD *Seven Poor Knights from Acre* With Michael Praed, Yves Beneyton, Nickolas Grace

7.30 JUST AMAZING!

8.15 THE PRICE IS RIGHT

9.15 TALES OF THE UNEXPECTED *The Dirty Detail*

9.45 NEWS AND SPORT FROM ITN

10.00 HOME AND AWAY While a coachload of Liverpoolian football supporters descend on London for a Wembley weekend, their wives decide to seek their own enjoyment

11.00 ALFRESCO Comedy series with Robbie Coltrane

11.30 LONDON NEWS HEADLINES; followed by

THE IRISH RM *Occasional Licences* With Peter Bowles

12.30 TINA TURNER AT THE APOLLO In this concert the soul singer performs many of her past hits including 'Nutbush City Limits', 'Proud Mary', 'Honky Tonk Woman' and 'River Deep, Mountain High'

NIGHT THOUGHTS and Closedown

S4C

1.10 A Week in Politics, 1.50 London Marathon, 2.45 Film: *The Frozen Limits*, 5.05 Yr Awr Fawr, 6.05 The 60s, 7.00 Where in the World! 7.30 Newyddion, 7.45 Mentrol! Mentrol! 8.15 Sidni, 8.45 Arolwg, 9.15 Football Highlights, 9.45 Survive, 10.45 It Takes a Worried Man, 10.15 Film: *The Bowery*, 12.20 Close.

RADIO

1 6.00 Mark Page, 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Saturday Show, 10.00 Dave Lee Travis, 1.00 Who's That Girl (S), 2.00 Paul Gambaccini (S), 4.00 Saturday Live (S), 6.30 In Concert (S), 7.30 Janice Long, 10.00-12.00 Dixie Peach.

2 4.00 Martin Kelner (S), 6.00 Sheila Tracy (S) (7.50 Racing Bulletin), 8.05 David Jacobs (S), 10.00 Sounds of the 60s (S), 11.00 Album Time (S) (11.02 Sports Desk), 1.00 The News Huddlines, 1.30 Sport on 2: 3.55 Football; Cricket; Rugby League; Premiership Final; Racing from Lingfield Park (2.30, 3.00); Golf; 5.00 Sports Report; 5.45 Racing Results; 5.55 Cricket, 6.00 Folk On 2, 7.00 Beat the Record, 7.30 Cricket Scores; A Gala Concert (S), 8.20-8.40 Interval, 9.30 Big Band Special (S), 10.02 Sports Desk, 10.05 Saturday Rendezvous (S), 11.00 Ken Bruce (S), 1.00 Jean Chellis (S) presents Nightride, 3.00-4.00 Wally Whyton (S) with Country Concert.

3 7.55 Weather, 8.00 News, 8.05 Aubade (S) Saint-Saens, Satie, Chausson Debussy, Delibes; records, 9.00 News, 9.05 Record Review (S) Strauss, Ravel, 10.15 Stereo Release (S) Schumann, Kreisler; new records, 11.10 BBC Scottish Symphony Orchestra (S) Tchaikovsky (12.05-12.10 Interval Reading), 1.00 News, 1.05 Delme String Quartet (S) Mozart, Sebastian Forbes, 2.00 Dreamers of Dreams (S) Delius, Bax, Vaughan Williams, Holst, Elgar; records, 4.00 Martin Hughes (S) Piano recital: Schubert, Beethoven, 5.00 Jazz Record Requests (S), 5.45 Critics' Forum, 6.35 Cesar Franck (S), 7.15 Dalibor (S) Opera in three Acts, Music by Smetana (8.05-8.20 Letter from New Zealand, 9.20-9.40 An English Tutor in Czarist Russia), 10.30 Valedictions and Variations (S) Leighton, Bartok, Wordsworth, 11.15-11.18 News.

4 6.25 Shipping Forecast, 6.30 News; Farming Today, 6.50 In Perspective, 6.55 Weather; Travel; Programme News, 7.00 News, 7.10 Today's Papers, 7.15 On

Your Farm, 7.45 In Perspective, 7.50 Down to Earth, 8.00 News, 8.10 Today's Papers, 8.15 Sport on 4, 8.48 Yesterday in Parliament, 8.57 Weather; Travel, 9.00 News, 9.05 Breakaway, 9.50 News Stand, 10.05 The Week in Westminster, 10.30 Pick of the Week (S), 11.30 From Our Own Correspondent, 12.00 News; Money Box, 12.27 I'm Sorry I Haven't A Clue (S), 12.55 Weather, 1.00 News, 1.10 Any Questions? 1.55 Shipping Forecast, 2.00 News, 2.05 Thirty-Minute Theatre (S) *Unicorn Calling*, 2.35 Medicine Now, 3.05 Wildlife, 3.30 Groundswell, 4.00 News; International Assignment, 4.30 Does He Take Sugar? 5.00 Fields of Gold (S), 5.25 Week Ending (S), 5.50 Shipping Forecast, 5.55 Weather; Travel; Programme News, 6.00 News; Sports Round-up, 6.25 Desert Island Discs (S), 7.05 Stop the Week with Robert Robinson (S), 7.45 Baker's Dozen, 8.30 Saturday-Night Theatre (S) *Burglars*, 9.58 Weather, 10.00 News, 10.15 Origins, 11.00 Evening Service (S), 11.15 Coast to Coast, 11.30 In One Ear (S), 12.00 News, 12.10 Weather, 12.15-Close Shipping Forecast.

ROUND THE REGIONS

TYNE TEES

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25 Morning Glory, 9.30 Tarzan, 10.25 TT Time, 10.30 No.73, 12.13 North East News, 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News; North East News, 5.10 Whiz Kids, 6.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 6.30 Robin of Sherwood, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 T.J. Hooker, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 Film: *Dillinger*, 1.25 Epilogue; Closedown.

CENTRAL

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25 The Wonderful World of Professor Kitzel, 9.30 Sesame Street, 10.30 No.73, 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News, 5.05 Whiz Kids, 6.00 Robin of Sherwood, 7.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 The Price is Right, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News; Sport, 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 Superstars of Music *Aretha Franklin*, 12.30 Closedown.

YORKSHIRE

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25

Regional Weather; followed by Cartoon, 9.35 Joe 90, 10.00 University Challenge, 10.30 No.73, 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News and Sport, 5.05 Whiz Kids, 6.00 Robin of Sherwood, 7.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 The Price is Right, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News, 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 Lou Grant, 12.30 Closedown.

TSW

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel, 9.30 Freeze Frame, 10.27 Gus Honeybun's Magic Birthdays, 10.30 No.73, 12.12 TSW Regional News, 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News; Weather, 5.05 Newsport, 5.10 Whiz Kids, 6.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 6.30 Robin of Sherwood, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 The Price is Right, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News; Sport; Weather, 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 Music Special, 12.35 Postscript; South West Weather; Shipping Forecast; Closedown.

TVS

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25 Snooper and Blabber, 9.35 The Smurfs, 10.00 Batman, 10.30 No.73, 12.12 TVS Weather, 12.15

World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News; TVS News, 5.05 Whiz Kids, 6.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 6.30 Robin of Sherwood, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 T.J. Hooker, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News; Sport, 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 Jazz, 12.00 Comedy Tonight, 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

HTV WEST

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.25 The Wonderful World of Professor Kitzel, 9.30 Sesame Street, 10.30 No.73, 12.13 HTV News, 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News; HTV News, 5.05 Whiz Kids, 6.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 6.30 Robin of Sherwood, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 T.J. Hooker, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News and Sport, 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 The Sweeney, 12.30 Weather; Closedown.

ANGLIA

6.25 Good Morning Britain, 8.40 Data Run, 9.30 Sesame Street, 10.30 No.73, 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News), 5.00 News; Sport; Weather, 5.05 Whiz Kids, 6.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show, 6.30 Robin of Sherwood, 7.30 Just Amazing, 8.15 T.J. Hooker, 9.15 Tales of the Unexpected, 9.45 News and Sport; Weather, 10.00 Home and Away, 11.00 Alfresco, 11.30 Ten Years After in Concert at the Marquee, 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

SUNDAY



Michael Dillane with Maggie Durrane as the son and mother in the 1934 award-winning documentary 'Man of Aran' on 4 at 3.05pm



'Surprise, Surprise' its Cilla Black and Christopher Biggins on ITV at 7.45pm



James Stewart stars with Helen Walker in 'Northside 777' on 4 at 10.15pm

BBC1

6.20-8.50 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.20 Geology: Rock Textures, 6.45 Changing Sea Levels, 7.10 Engineering, 7.35 The Civilisation of the Crows, 8.00 Telecommunication Systems, 8.25 Chemistry, 8.55 Stop-Go! 9.05 **The London Marathon '84**. The whole race is covered live from its start in Blackheath to its finish, 26 miles later, on Westminster Bridge. 20,000 people will be competing. 12.10 Sunday Worship. 12.55 The London Marathon '84. 1.25 Farming; Weather for Farmers. 1.50 News Headlines. 1.55 Mickey and Donald. 2.15 Film Matinee: *Pandora and the Flying Dutchman* (1950) with James Mason, Ava Gardner. A strange combination of two old myths made by Albert Lewin. 4.15 It Ain't Half Hot Mum. 4.45 The Hound of the Baskervilles. 5.15 The Rock Gospel Show. 5.50 News; Weatherman. 6.00 **ANTIQUES ROADSHOW** Hugh Scully is joined by leading experts from the world of art and antiques. This week they visit Blackburn. 6.40 **PRaise BE!** 7.15 **THE LONDON MARATHON '84** Highlights of today's run through the capital. 8.00 **MASTERMIND** With Magnus Magnusson. 8.30 **DYNASTY** With John Forsythe as Blake Carrington in *Acapulco*. 9.20 **NEWS**; Weatherman. 9.35 **THAT'S LIFE** Consumer advice, investigations, misprints and real-life humour with Esther Rantzen. 10.20 **LOVE ON THE RUN: Thieves Like Us** (1974) Keith Carradine, Shelley Duvall, John Schuck, Louis Fletcher. Robert Altman directed this story of a pair of doomed lovers during the US Depression years. Based on a novel by Edward Anderson called 'They Live by Night' about the fate of three escaped prisoners. 12.15 **Weather** BBC WALES: 1.55-2.15 Pro-Celebrity Golf. 4.15-4.45 Pro-Am Golf Tournament. 12.15 Weather; Weather for Wales; Close.

BBC2

6.25-1.55 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.25 Chemical Processes, 6.50 Learning from Experience, 7.15 Einstein's Theory, 7.40 All Those in Favour, 8.05 Social Psychology, 8.30 Science, 8.55 Pictures of Politics, 9.20 Maths, 9.45 A Convent Education, 10.10 Cosmology Before Newton, 10.35 Emperor Augustus, 11.00 Dance Without Steps, 1.25 Christian Community in Co Clare, 11.50 Biology, 12.15 Pine Point, 12.40 The Novel and Television, 1.05 Sodium Chemistry, 1.30 Maths Methods. 1.55 **SUNDAY GRANDSTAND**: Golf: The Car Care Plan International from Leeds; Cricket: coverage of the John Player League; Boxing: the weigh-in of Frank Bruno and James Smith who fight at Wembley tonight. 6.50 **NEWS REVIEW** with subtitles. 7.15 **SHARING TIME** Nine stories set in a time-share flat. *Happy Days* By Julia Jones. 8.10 **NEWS ON TWO**. 8.15 **A COOK'S TOUR** Television cook Glynn Christian embarks on a Mediterranean cruise of exciting culinary discoveries and delights, starting at Venice. 8.30 **THE NATURAL WORLD** *Salim Ali's India* The grand old man of ornithology and conservation, he's done more than anyone living to save the country's wild places. 9.20 **THE KING'S SINGERS MADRIGAL HISTORY TOUR** The King's Singers outline the rise in popularity of madrigals and show how they became the rate of Europe. 10.20 **FRIENDS Blood** A three-part story of young men whose lives collided in post-war Poland starring Michal Aniol, Andrzej Golejewski, Jan Jurewicz. A look at Poland from the inside. 11.25 **TO THE COUNT OF BASIE** A tribute to the memory of William 'Count' Basie, who died two weeks ago at the age of 79. 12.20 **Closedown**

CHANNEL 4

2.10 **SCOTTISH VIEW** Regular new programme looking at topical Scottish affairs. 2.35 **A SEAT AMONG THE STARS** *The Cinema and Ireland: Taking Pictures* A look at the first 'talkies' in Ireland, and some early Irish sound films. 3.05 **MAN OF ARAN** (1934) Robert Flaherty spent almost two years making this documentary film on Inishmore, thirty miles off the west coast of Ireland. He chose the amateur cast from the islanders and shows their dignified, elemental battle for survival. The film was voted best film of the year at the 1934 Venice Exposition. 4.30 **ANYTHING WE CAN DO If It Got Nicked**. 5.00 **NEWS SUMMARY AND WEATHER**; followed by **BOOK FOUR** Contemporary writing in Ireland with Sean O'Faolain, John Banville, Neil Jordan and Julia O'Faolain. Plus Michael Longley reading some of his poems. 5.45 **WHERE IN THE WORLD** Travel quiz. 6.15 **THE MISSISSIPPI** A new American series about a successful New York lawyer, Ben Walker who buys an old paddle-steamer. 7.15 **THE SIXTIES Pound In Your Pocket** Paul Foot and Christopher Hird look back at the 1960s, under Harold Wilson's Labour government. 8.15 **UPSTAIRS, DOWNSTAIRS A Change of Scene**. 9.15 **TOP C'S AND TIARAS One Night of Love**. 10.15 **CALL NORTHSIDE 777** (1978) Thriller, in semi-documentary style with James Stewart as a reporter intent on proving a man's innocence of a murder charge. With Richard Conte, Lee J. Cobb, Kasia Orzawska. 12.20 **Close**

LWT

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Dub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 LWT Information. 9.30 Writers on Writing. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Star Fleet. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Police 5. 1.15 The Big Match. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 London News Headlines; followed by Film: *The Intruder* (1953) With Jack Hawkins and George Cole. 4.00 The Smurfs. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 **NEWS FROM ITN**. 6.40 **HIGHWAY Hexham** Presented by Harry Secombe. 7.15 **KNEES-UP** Hosted by Jeff Stevenson with guests The Searchers, Clarence 'Frogman' Henry, Tammy Cline, Brian Conley and Adrian Walsh. 7.45 **SURPRISE, SURPRISE!**. 8.45 **NEWS FROM ITN**. 9.00 **THE PROFESSIONALS** *Fox-hole on the Roof* A man is released from prison after serving a 25-year sentence for violent crimes. But instead of celebrating his freedom, he activates criminal plans that he has perfected during his years in prison. 10.00 **SPITTING IMAGE**. 10.30 **THE SOUTH BANK SHOW** Featuring this week dynamic young ballet choreographer David Bintley in the year his career has taken off. The programme shows Bintley working with the dancers of Sadlers Wells Royal Ballet on two of his most recent works and talking about the methods and attitudes towards his craft. Presented by Melvyn Bragg. 11.30 **LONDON NEWS HEADLINES** followed by **AMERICAN DOCUMENTARY** *America's Battle With Crime*. **NIGHT THOUGHTS** and **Closedown**.

GRANADA

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 9.35 Portraits of Power *Churchill: Voice of a Lion*. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Writers on Writing. 11.25 Aap Kaa Hak. 11.30 This is Your Right. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Metal Mickey. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 Cartoon Time. 3.30 Return of the Saint. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 **SURVIVAL SPECIAL** *People of the Sea* Tony and Liz Bomford filmed seals above and below water in the Outer Hebrides. 6.30 **ITN NEWS**. 6.40 **HIGHWAY Hexham** With Harry Secombe. 7.15 **KNEES-UP** Cockney comedy programme from your friendly London 'local'. 7.45 **SURPRISE, SURPRISE!** Second of six programmes of family entertainment, introduced by Cilla Black. 8.45 **NEWS FROM ITN**. 9.00 **THE PROFESSIONALS** *Fox-hole on the Roof*. 10.00 **SPITTING IMAGE** A host of latex lookalikes return from holiday thoroughly brown all over. 10.30 **THE SOUTH BANK SHOW** Featuring dynamic young ballet choreographer David Bintley. Having received the 'Standard' Award for the first two ballets he choreographed as resident choreographer at Sadlers Wells Ballet, Bintley was invited to Paris by Rudolph Nureyev to work with him and the Paris Opera Ballet. 11.30 **THE IRISH RM A Misdeal** Flurry finds he has a rival for Sally's affections. 12.30 **Closedown**

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ROUND THE REGIONS

TYNE TEES

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Morning Glory. 9.30 Link. 10.00 Ten Years Together. 11.00 Writers on Writing. 11.28 Lookaround. 11.30 Jason and Star Command. 11.58 North East News. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Farming Outlook. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 Cartoon Time. 3.30 The Glory of the Garden. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 North East News. 5.32 Survival Special. 6.30 News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Jazz Life. 12.00 Ice Hockey. 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

CENTRAL

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 The Wonderful World of Professor Kitzel. 9.30 About Britain. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Writers on Writing. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Here and Now. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 Film: *Matt Helm*. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 The Irish RM. 12.30 Closedown.

YORKSHIRE

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub.

8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Regional Weather Forecast; followed by Link. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Writers on Writing. 11.30 Farming Diary; Farming Weather. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Cartoon. 1.15 The Big Match. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Smurfs. 2.45 Film: *Starbird and Sweet William*. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 The Irish RM. 12.30 Five Minutes. 12.35 Closedown.

TSW

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30-9.25 Good Morning Britain. 9.30 Link. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Writers on Writing. 11.25 Look and See. 11.30 The South West Week. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Gardens for All. 1.30 Farming News. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 Cartoon Time. 3.30 Battleground Galactica. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 News; Weather. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News; Weather. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Police Squad. 12.00 Postscript; South West Weather; Shipping Forecast; Closedown.

TVS

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Farming Brief. 9.30 Writers on Writing. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Animals in Action. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Farming Diary. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 Chips. 4.15 Cartoon. 4.25 TVS News. 4.30

Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 The Protector. 12.00 That's Hollywood. 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

HTV

7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 The Wonderful Stories of Professor Kitzel. 9.30 Vicky the Viking. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Writers on Writing. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Farming Wales. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 The Irish RM. 4.15 Highwind. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 News; HTV News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 Pro-Celebrity Snooker. 12.15 Weather; Closedown.

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7.25 Good Morning Britain. 7.30 Rub-a-Dub-Tub. 8.30 Good Morning Britain. 9.30 Once Upon a Time. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Link. 11.30 Writers on Writing. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Laurel and Hardy. 1.25 Weather Trends. 1.30 Farming Diary. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 The Big Match. 3.15 Cycling. 3.45 Mork and Mindy. 4.15 Cartoon Time. 4.30 Murphy's Mob. 5.00 Bullseye. 5.30 Survival Special. 6.30 News; Weather. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Knees-up. 7.45 Surprise, Surprise. 8.45 News. 9.00 The Professionals. 10.00 Spitting Image. 10.30 The South Bank Show. 11.30 The Devil Connection. 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

1.15 Six Centuries of English Verse. 1.45 Black on Black. 2.40 A Seat Among the Stars. 3.10 Irish Film Season: *Beau Geste*. 5.05 The Supermilers. 6.15 Mississippi. 7.15 Ffermwyf. 7.20 Newyddion. 7.30 Swyn Y Jiwblili. 8.00 Joni Jones. 8.35 Byd Cerdd. 9.25 Top C's and Tiaras. 10.20 The Late Clive James. 11.15 Film: *Mr Moto Takes A Chance*. 12.25 Close.

RADIO

1 6.00 Mark Page. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Sunday Show (including 9.00-9.35 Peter Powell meets runners and spectators at the starting points of the London Marathon) 10.00 Adrian Jones. 12.00 Jimmy Savile's 'Old Record' Club. 2.00 Steve Wright. 4.00 Paul Gambaccini. 5.00 Top 40 (S). 7.00 Anne Nightingale (S). 9.00 Robbie Vincent (S). 11.00-12.00 Garry Byrd's Sweet Inspirations (S).

2 4.00 Martin Kelner (S). 6.00 Sheila Tracy (S). 7.30 Paul McDowell (S). (7.45 Bishop Bill Westbrook). 9.00 David Jacobs (S). 11.00 Desmond Carrington (S). 12.30 The Best of Bentline (S). 12.59 Sports Desk. 1.00 Ray Moore with Two's Best (S). 2.00 Summer Sounds: Golf, Boxing, Cricket. 6.00 Charlie Chester. 7.00 Maryetta and Veron Midgley. 7.30 Cricket Scores; Glamorous Nights. 8.30 Sunday Half-Hour. 9.00 Your Hundred Best Tunes. 10.02 Sports Desk. 10.05 Marching and Waltzing. 11.00 Sounds of Jazz. 11.02 Sports Desk. 1.00 Jean Challis (S) presents Nightride. 3.00-4.00 Ray Moore with Two's Best (S).

3 7.55 Weather. 8.00 News. 8.05 London Symphonies (S) K.D. von Dittersdorf, Haydn; records. 9.00 News. 9.05 Your Concert Choice (S) Elgar, Gerald Finzi, Daniel Jones. 10.30 Music Weekly (S). 11.20 American Orchestras (S) Part 1: Bach, Berio (12.00-12.05 Interval Reading) Part 2: Stravinsky, 12.45 Beethoven and Tippett (S) Piano recital. 1.00 Saul (S) An oratorio by Handel, Part 1. 2.40 Poetry Now. 3.00 Saul (S) Part 2 (3.50-3.55 Interval Reading) Part 3. 4.50 Haydn (S). 5.15 Routine Punctuated by Orgies. 6.00 Music of Eight Decades (S) Part 1: Stockhausen, Dallapiccola. 6.40 Pick Up a Bit of Steel and Start. 7.10 Concert (S) Part 2: Berio, Muldowney. 8.00 Reynard the Fox. 9.00 Monte Carlo Philharmonic Orchestra (S) Part 1: Bizet, Ravel. 9.55 Familiar Novelties. 10.15 Concert (S) Part 2: Ravel, Roussel. 11.15-11.18 News.

4 6.25 Shipping Forecast. 6.30 News; Morning Has Broken. 6.55 Weather; Travel; Programme News. 7.00 News. 7.10 Sunday Papers. 7.15 Apna Hi Ghar Samajhiye. 7.45 Bells. 7.50 Turn-

ing Over New Leaves. 7.55 Weather; Travel; Programme News. 8.00 News. 8.10 Sunday Papers. 8.15 Sunday. 8.50 Week's Good Cause. 8.55 Weather; Travel. 9.00 News. 9.10 Sunday Papers. 9.15 Letter from America. 9.30 Morning Service. 10.15 The Archers. 11.15 The Food Programme. 11.40 Smash of the Day: Steptoe and Son. 12.10 It's Your World: 01-580 4411 (phone-in this week to King Hussein of Jordan). 12.55 Weather; Programmes News. 1.00 The World This Weekend: News. 1.55 Shipping Forecast. 2.00 News; Gardeners' Question Time. 2.30 Afternoon Theatre (S) *Facing the Sun*. 4.00 News; Origins. 4.30 The Living World. 5.00 News; Travel. 5.05 Down Your Way. 5.50 Shipping Forecast. 5.55 Weather; Programme News. 6.00 News. 6.15 Soundings. 6.45 Feedback. 7.00 Travel; Curlew in Autumn. 7.30 Bookshelf. 8.00 Letter from Prato. 8.15 The Plant Hunters. 9.00 News; Our Mutual Friend (S). 9.58 Weather. 10.00 News. 10.15 The World's Debate (S). 11.00 Discoveries in Healing. 11.15 Inside Parliament. 12.00 News. 12.10 Weather. 12.15-12.30 Close Shipping Forecast.

Winning Post

Alphabatim, first word in class

THE Highland Spring Derby trial at LINGFIELD threw up the Epsom Derby hero last year when Teenoso landed this event but often this event has proved disappointing as a trial for the Epsom classic.

Apart from Alphabatim (3.00) this term the runners look to be well below Derby standard on what they have achieved so far, and Guy Harwood's colt, currently second favourite in ante-post lists, can win his second group race of the season.

A better wagering medium should be the improving Bar-

ra Head (2.30) in the Mirror Group Newspapers Handicap over ten furlongs.

John Dunlop's colt ran out a very easy winner at Newmarket a week ago, and the second has since boosted that form by winning at Kempton on Monday.

Despite a penalty, Barra Head could still be one step ahead of the handicapper.

Although only six runners are set to line up for the Parthia Stakes an intriguing contest would appear to be in prospect.

The game and consistent Provideo continues to improve and will have plenty of support, but Michael Jarvis'

Eagle's Landed (3.30) won impressively at Leicester on his only outing to date, and should improve still further. He can win again.

Numismatist (4.00) can win the Tulyar Handicap. This speedy colt ran well repeatedly in top handicap company last term and dropped in class today is expected to prevail.

The always-competitive THIRSK Hunt Cup might be even harder to solve this year, as the most attractively-weighted horse in the race, Romoss, cannot be relied upon to run two races alike. At his best, there is no doubting the chance of Richard Whitaker's gelding,

but punters could be best advised to rely on the greater consistency of Wibis Range (2.45).

The five-year-old, trained in Scotland by John Wilson, has 15lb more to carry than when springing a 33-1 surprise in this race last season, but showed he is as well as ever with a victory over course and distance last time out.

Glen No Smole (2.15), comfortable winner of the William Hill Handicap at Kempton on Monday, should have little difficulty following up in the Turn To Yorkshire Handicap. This improving filly looks really well hand-

icapped at present, and could run up a sequence.

Ferriby Hall (4.45) now appears to be approaching his peak, and must be considered for the Boltby Apprentice Handicap, while His Dream (1.45) can get punters off to a good start in the Soba Maiden Stakes.

Paul Kelleway and his daughter Gay can complete a double at BATH with Appeal to Me (3.15) and Galignani (4.45).

Appeal to Me, who runs like a thorough stayer, will be suited by the extended two mile trip of the Box Handicap, while Galignani, an impressive three-length

SELECTIONS

LINGFIELD: 2.00 Have a Ball, 2.30 Barra Head (nap), 3.00 Alphabatim, 3.30 Eagle's Landed, 4.00 Numismatist, 4.30 Dealaway, 5.00 Farhaan

BATH: 2.15 Pretty Face, 2.45 Meeson King, 3.15 Appeal to Me, 3.45 Lady Deschamps, 4.15 Royal Cracker, 4.45 Galignani

THIRSK: 1.45 His Dream, 2.15 Glen Na Smole, 2.45 Wibis Range, 3.15 Downtown Chicago, 3.45 Misty Halo, 4.15 Milina, 4.45 Ferriby Hall

winner from recent scorer Ruff's Luck last month, can upset likely favourite Sweet Soprano in the Midsomer Norton Handicap.

LINGFIELD BBC1 2.00, 2.30, 3.00

SIX-YEAR-RECORD

JOCKEYS: G Starkey 40, Pat Eddery 38, B Rouse 35, W Carson 29, P Waldron 25, L Piggott 24, P Cook 22, J Mercer 22, J Reid 15, B Taylor 13, G Baxter 13, B Raymond 13, R Fox 12.

TRAINERS: G Harwood 38, J Dunlop 37, P Cole 24, P Walwyn 20, J Sutcliffe 19, I Balding 13, C Benstead 13, B Swift 12, H Cecil 11, G Prichard-Gordon 11, C Brittain 10, J Winter 10.

DRAW: The higher numbers on the 7 furlongs straight (and shorter) course has an advantage.

2.00 GRAISON CATERERS MDN STAKES £5,000 (3-Y-O) 7f (25 runners)

1 (19)	22002-4	ADAM'S PEAK (USA) D Elsworth 90	B Rouse
2 (2)	200	AFRICAN MAGIC P Kelleway 90	
3 (5)	0	AUTOLYCUS J Dunlop 90	W Carson
4 (11)	0000-00	BARNABY GRANDE Pat Mitchell 90	Alison Froggatt
6 (18)	00-0	BLACK SPOUT C Brittain 90	
9 (15)	00-0220	CATMAN M E Francis 90	Paul Eddery
10 (7)	0-0	DEVIL'S ARROW H Candy 90	J Matthias
14 (25)	0	FINE AND DANDY M Tompkins 90	R Curant
16 (3)	00-0	FORDANESS C Horgan 90	I Salmon
17 (16)	04-0	GREEN RUBY (USA) A Jarvis 90	L Piggott
18 (22)	0-4	GREY BEARD A Ingham 90	J Reid
19 (6)	000-	HAVE A BALL R Houghton 90	S Cautheon
20 (13)	300-	HAVERS ROAD M Tompkins 90	R Curant
21 (6)	0003-0	JOHN PATRICK P Mitchell 90	T Ives
22 (14)	0	LYPHARD'S SAINT (USA) G Lewis 90	P Waldron
25 (9)		NABIL C Horgan 90	A McGlone
26 (20)	33-3	PORTLAW (USA) J Tree 90	A Murray
27 (10)	0-0	REVENUE J Tree 90	S Raymond
29 (24)		SAINT BENOIT B Hanbury 90	B Raymond
31 (12)	0	TORY J Dunlop 90	G Baxter
33 (4)	0	MARAMI G Huffer 811	M Rimmer
34 (23)	0	MIDAAN A Stewart 811	M Banner
35 (17)	0022-	PERANG'S NIECE K Brassey 811	P Cook
39 (21)	00032-0	SOUTHERN DYNASTY P Mitchell 811	R McGhin
40 (1)	040-000	TENTRACO LADY R Howe 811	T Quinn

BLINKERS: 10, 27

PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Portlaw, 7-2 Autolycus, 9-2 Have A Ball, 7-1 Tory, 8-1 Adam's Peak, 12-1 Catman and John Patrick, 16-1 others.

2.30 MIRROR GROUP NEWSPAPERS H'CAP £5,000 1m 2f (9 runners)

2 (8)	21240-3	SOLDIER ANT (D) C Brittain 499	L Piggott
4 (4)	341-031	BARRA HEAD (D) J Dunlop 4811 (5 ex)	W Carson
5 (6)	410421-	FOLLY HILL (D) J Bethell 488	J Matthias

THIRSK ITV 1.45, 2.15, 2.45

SIX YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: E Hide 26, M Birch 21, E Johnson 15, T Ives 14, J Lowe 14, G Duffield 13, P Cook 12, J Bleasdale 7, C Dwyer 7, K Darley 7, S Perks 7.

TRAINERS: M H Easterby 18, M Stoute 15, W O Gorman 12, J W Watts 11, D Smith 10, M W Easterby 9, B Hills 9, R Hollinshead 9, M Camacho 8, B Hobbs 8, J Dunlop 7, A Jarvis 7, C Thornton 7.

DRAW: High numbers have an advantage over 5 and 6 furlongs on soft going.

1.45 SOBA MAIDEN STAKES £1,500 (3-Y-O) 5f (22 runners)

1 (13)	00	BALLYOWEN KING A Balding 90	A Weiss (5)
2 (14)	02400-0	BOLD BLAZE S Matthews 90	B Jago
5 (7)	0420-00	CROWFOOT'S COUTURE P Brookshaw 90	A Mackay
6 (12)	000000-	GODS LAW A Smith 90	N Carlisle
8 (6)	00-0	HIGHLAND MAJOR F Watson 90	O Gray
9 (15)	0230-32	HIS DREAM (BF) P Cole 90	S Keightley
10 (11)	0000-00	LITTLE WIZARD Mrs M Nesbitt 90	N Connorton
11 (8)	00-	SEVEN SWALLOWS H Collingridge 90	J McLaughlin
12 (17)	000-3	WALTER KOHRING M Ryan 90	G Duffield
13 (21)	00-43	BLUE DONNA C Spares 811	C Dwyer
14 (2)	032000-	C B M GIRL K Stone 811	K Hodgson
15 (18)	3224-2	CONRARA M H Easterby 811	P d'Arcy
16 (20)	0-0	DOWNTOWN FOXY D Ringer 811	
18 (19)	00003-4	LIGHT ANGLE (USA) G Calvert 811	D Nicholls
20 (1)		MARGUARITA TIME P Felgate 811	M Fry
21 (22)	32323-3	MENDICK ADVENTURE Denys Smith 811	S Perks
24 (4)		PATENT PENDING R Whitaker 811	G Oldroyd
25 (9)		QUALITAIR PRINCESS K Stone 811	
26 (16)	003-004	RETURN-TO-JALNA E Alston 811	
27 (5)	00	SHIELA CROCKATT M W Easterby 811	M Hindley (7)
28 (10)	02-0	SUNAPA'S OWLET A Jarvis 811	J Lowe
31 (3)		WISDOM TO KNOW J S Wilson 811	M Birch

BLINKERS: 10, 25

PROBABLE SP: 11-4 His Dream, 9-2 Conrara, 6-1 Walter Kohring and Blue Donna, 8-1 Light Angle, 10-1 Mendick Adventure, 12-1 Sunapa's Owlet, C.B.M. Girl and Return to Jalna, 16-1 others.

2.15 TURN TO YORKSHIRE HANDICAP £4,000 (3-Y-O) 7f (10 runners)

5 (10)	031-04	COPING (D)(BF) M Stoute 97	G Duffield
6 (6)	01-04	CAUTIOUS STYLE (USA) P Cole 97	M Miller
7 (2)	0021-00	LEYSH (D) G Huffer 96	M Wood
9 (9)	2114-03	VANISHING TRICK J Etherington 94	M Birch
10 (5)	2122-00	KNIGHTS SECRET M H Easterby 93	P Hill (7)
12 (4)	100-100	YOU LOVE ME R Hollinshead 811	E Hide
14 (1)	00-01	GLEN NA SMOLE (D) J Sutcliffe 88	
15 (8)	030-001	PYTHAGORIAN R Stubbs 84 (6 ex)	J Lowe
16 (3)	3440-	OVERBOWLED J W Watts 82	
17 (7)	000-000	HUYTON'S HOPE T Taylor 710	

PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Glen Na Smole, 3-1 Coping, 4-1 Vanishing Trick, 5-1 Leysh and Cautious Style, 8-1 Pythagorian, 12-1 others.

6 (7)	043-001	MY TONY (D) G Lewis 485	P Waldron
7 (1)	323-002	CABALLO K Brassey 585	P Cook
9 (2)	2400-40	REDDEN (D) B Swift 684	B Raymond
13 (9)	010021	QUALITAIR PRINCE (D) M Ryan 5710 (5 ex)	W Ryan (5)
17 (5)	00-1400	MISTER PRELUDE M Jarvis 477	M L Thomas
18 (3)	00230-0	STAR CHARTER J Jenkins 477	

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Barra Head, 3-1 Caballo, 4-1 Qualitair Prince, 6-1 My Tony, 9-1 Soldier Ant, 12-1 Redden, 16-1 others.

3.00 HIGHLAND SPRING DERBY TRIAL STAKES £25,000 (3-Y-O) 1m 4f (5 runners)

1 (4)	311-1	ALPHABATIM (USA) G Harwood 90	B Rouse
3 (1)	03-01	GET THE MESSAGE P Cole 90	T Quinn
4 (2)	11332-0	HOYER Thomson Jones 90	A Murray
5 (5)	3-02	BYE BYE BIRDIE (FR) P Kelleway 89	L Piggott
8 (3)	33020-0	LORD BUTCH P Haynes 89	B Raymond

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 on Alphabatim, 4-1 Bye Bye Birdie, 7-1 Get The Message, 12-1 Heyer, 25-1 Lord Butch.

3.30 PARTHIA STAKES £2,500 (2-Y-O) 5f (7 runners)

1 (5)	1	EAGLE'S LANDED (USA)(D) M Jarvis 95	B Raymond
2 (2)	112211	PROVIDEO (D) W O Gorman 95	T Ives
5 (6)	01	INDIANA PENCIL (D) J Bridger 91	
6 (1)	031	SILENT FLUTTER (D) Mrs J Reavey 91	NON RUNNER
8 (4)	013	CRONK'S IMAGE (D) B Swift 812	J Reid
10 (7)		PIANO MAN K Brassey 811	P Cook
12 (3)		TAWNY TEMPTRESS A Davison 88	

BLINKERS: 2

PROBABLE SP: 6-4 Provideo, 9-2 Eagle's Landed, 4-1 Cronk's Image, 6-1 Indiana Pencil, 10-1 others.

4.00 TULYAR HANDICAP £3,000 6f (13 runners)

1 (4)	11141-0	PETONG (D) M Jarvis 4910	B Raymond
2 (13)	0333-00	NUMISMATIST (C-D) D Sasse 593	G Baxter
3 (7)	010321-	FERRYMAN (C-D) D Elsworth 893	L Piggott
4 (11)	31100-0	ROYAL TROUPER (C) A Hide 593	R Guest
5 (5)	4020-02	JAMESTON (D)(BF) R Armstrong 4813	
6 (6)	4000-00	ROMAN RULER (D) W Lightman 5810	B Rouse
7 (2)	040-02	BARNET HEIR (D) B Swift 689	G Dickie
8 (10)	020420-	WORKINGWORTH (C) M Ryan 588	A Bond
9 (12)	10000-0	OUT OF HAND (D) D Dale 588	A Murray
10 (8)	3430-31	KORYPHEOS (D) P Mitchell 587 (7 ex)	W Ryan (5)
12 (9)	10000-0	NON-WET (C-D) J Ciechanowski 483	W Carson

PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Romoss, 7-2 Wibis Range, 6-1 Galetzky, 8-1 Bundaburg and Courting Season, 10-1 Fiedom, Top O'Th Lane and Kuwait Palace, 14-1 others.

2.45 THIRSK HUNT CUP (HANDICAP) £10,000 1m (11 runners)

3 (5)	1/24040-	FIEFDOM G Vergette 497	P d'Arcy
5 (8)	04310-0	COURTING SEASON (D) J Sutcliffe 395	E Hide
6 (6)	03000-0	PRICEOFFLOVE P Calver 491	M Beecroft
7 (7)	20-0413	WIBIS RANGE (C-D) J Wilson 590	C Dwyer
8 (1)	00030-0	SIDAB W Mussion 490	
9 (4)	014330-	SILLY BOY (D) N Bycroft 4813	M Richardson (7)
10 (9)	000-003	ROMOSS (C-D) R Whitaker 6812	S Perks
11 (11)	11300-4	BUNDABURG (D) S Matthews 489	B Jago
12 (3)	10200-4	GALETZKY (D) J Spearing 488	J Bleasdale
13 (10)	41-0410	TOP O'TH LANE (C-D) N Bycroft 787	L Charnock
14 (2)	0014-40	KUWAIT PALACE (D) G Huffer 3713	M Miller

BLINKERS: 14

PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Romoss, 7-2 Wibis Range, 6-1 Galetzky, 8-1 Bundaburg and Courting Season, 10-1 Fiedom, Top O'Th Lane and Kuwait Palace, 14-1 others.

3.15 MAY SELLING STAKES £1,200 (3-Y-O) 1m 4f (13 runners)

2 (1)	0000-00	ABE MY BOY A Balding 90	N Carlisle
3 (3)	000-00	BLACK LABEL I Vickers 90	
5 (9)	00000-0	DOWNTOWN CHICAGO Mrs G Reveley 90	E Guest (5)
6 (10)	00-0021	GAINVILLE LAD R Whitaker 90	S Perks
8 (13)	0204-00	LINDRICK VICTOR G Harman 90	S Keightley
13 (5)	00	PIRATE GUNNER P Rohan 90	S Webster
15 (4)	0	ETERNAL DANCER G Huffer 811	M Miller
16 (2)	0-0	GO WORKING P Felgate 811	O Gray
17 (6)	00000-0	HAMBLETON LADY E Carr 811	L Charnock
19 (7)		PRISTINE N Chamberlain 811	G Skeats
20 (11)	004-004	PROCEEDING A Jarvis 811	J Lowe
22 (8)	00-00	SCOTT'S HILL Hbt Jones 811	E Hide
23 (12)	00-0000	STAR PATRICK D Chapman 811	D Nicholls

BLINKERS: 3

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Proceeding, 5-2 Downtown Chicago, 5-1 Gainville Lad, 7-1 Lindrick Victor and Eternal Dancer, 10-1 Private Gunner, 14-1 others.

3.45 COFFEE TIME CUP £1,250 1m 4f (19 runners)

2 (11)	4340-04	BEN'S BIRDIE (D) M Tompkins 4115	Anna Thompkins (3)
3 (18)	004110-	DIMITRI C Nelson 5115	Maxine Carvalho (3)
5 (5)	2200-32	JAMESTINO (D) M H Easterby 6115	Lelia Easterby (3)
7 (12)	000040-	NORTHERN TALK J A Old 4115	Mr C Llewellyn (3)
10 (10)	13212-1	MISTY HALO (D) M Prescott 5112	Elain Mellor
11 (19)		SEE MY STYLE D Grissell 8112	Mrs Diana Grissell (3)
12 (9)	0/000-2	BUSTOFF Miss S Hall 4110	Mr C Platts
13 (17)	0-0	CHARTFIELD S Mellor 4110	Brooke Sanders
15 (8)	00	HIGH EAGLE R Holder 4110	Mr T Phillips (3)
16 (7)	020004-	HYDE M W Easterby 7110	Susan Easterby (3)
17 (3)	0	LINE OF FORTUNE H Candy 4110	Mr R Smith (3)
19 (15)	0-	PURPLE FLASH D Ringer 4110	
21 (2)	000000-	TURI A Smith 5110	Mr J Wiles (3)

4.30 MID-DAY SUN STAKES DIV I £2,000 (3-Y-O) 1m 2f (15 runners)

1 (15)	00-1	DEALAWAY (USA) G Lewis 96	P Waldron
7 (11)	00-0	CARO WOOD M Haynes 811	P Cook
12 (9)	00-4	DOWNTOWN HUSTLER D Ringer 811	
15 (7)	0-0	FLYHOME P Cundell 811	J Reid
16 (13)	00-00	HARRY FLASHMAN (USA) J Sutcliffe 811	A Murray
18 (5)	02-0	JOLI WASFI (USA) M Haynes 811	I Jenkinson
19 (12)	000-	LECTOR (USA) D Elsworth 811	B Rouse
22 (14)	03-0	SEYL (USA) J Dunlop 811	W Carson
23 (2)	0030-00	SPARKLER SPIRIT A Pitt 811	R Berry
28 (4)	3-	BORUSHKA R Houghton 811	S Cautheon
31 (3)	0	HANNAH MOORE B Hobbs 88	G Baxter
32 (6)	0	INRAGE A Davison 88	B Thomson
33 (8)	0	JOAN ADDISON M Tompkins 88	R Curant
35 (1)	0000-30	MARRONESSE R Voorspuys 88	Paul Eddery
36 (10)	0-40	PORT ANITA P Mitchell 88	A McGlone

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Dealaway, 3-1 Borushka, 9-2 Seyl, 5-1 Downtown Hustler, 8-1 Joli Wasfi, 10-1 Harry Flashman, 16-1 others.

5.00 MID-DAY SUN STAKES DIV II £2,000 (3-Y-O) 1m 2f (14 runners)

4 (4)	20-1	TIMBER MERCHANT J Winter 93	T Ives
6 (10)		BASKET WEAVE (BF) A Jarvis 811	P Cook
8 (13)		CHANCEY GARDENER (USA) B Hanbury 811	P Hamblett
10 (11)	4240-	CROWN EAGLE (USA) D Elsworth 811	B Rouse
11 (9)	00-0	DIABOLICAL LIBERTY J Sutcliffe 811	
13 (1)	4-	ELECTRICAL WIND (FR) O Douieb 811	A Lequeux
14 (14)		FARHAAN Thomson Jones 811	A Murray
25 (7)	0-03	VITANGES R Simpson 811	J Reid
26 (3)	00-00	YOU CHEEKY Pat Mitchell 811	
29 (5)	0	DINNER GUEST M Haynes 88	I Jenkinson
30 (12)	00-	ELCIJ D Jersey 88	
34 (6)		LITTLE SPINNER M Tompkins 88	R Curant
37 (8)	00-	PRINCESS POSSUM P Mitchell 88	
38 (2)	0	SAVE THE DAY (USA) G Harwood 88	W Woods (5)

BLINKERS: 25

PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Electrical Wind, 100-30 Farhaan, 4-1 Timber Merchant, 11-2 Save the Day, 8-1 Chancey Gardener, 12-1 Crown Eagle, 16-1

BOXING

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BRUNO'S BIGGEST TEST

AFTER two years and two months as a professional fighter, unbeaten Frank Bruno has arrived at the crossroads of his career.

As a young fighter starts putting a record together, every fight assumes greater importance.

Bruno has now had 21 contests, all of which he has won inside the distance — the sort of catalogue Rocky Marciano would have been glad to claim in his own day.

But there are factors involved in tomorrow's meeting with American James 'Bonecrusher' Smith at Wembley Arena, which suggests that fight No.22 is more important than all the others put together.

One aspect is NBC Television, which is giving America its first chance to have a close-up look at the fighter who may be about to threaten traditional US domination of the heavyweight division.

And if Bruno beats Smith there is nowhere to go for opposition but upwards — and that means the top ten and specifically Mike Weaver, the ex-WBA heavyweight champion, who is already pencilled in for Bruno at Wembley in September.

Bruno's manager, Terry Lawless, a careful and methodical man who believes in moving in small steps, thinks that his fighter is now ready to give the top ten a run for their money and you have to respect his judgement.

Lawless didn't make many mistakes with the careers of John Stracey, Jim Watt, Maurice Hope or Charlie Magri.

BY A BOXING CORRESPONDENT

The career of Bonecrusher Smith has run strangely parallel to that of Bruno except that it started later, and with a disaster.

Smith took his first fight to earn some Christmas money and went in a long way above his depth, stopped in four rounds by James Broad, who was not a bad performer in his day.

Since then he has won 13 out of 13, and the last nine have been inside the distance. Like Bruno he is looking for a chance to move into the more exalted company but in his case time is not on his side.

Heavyweights grow bigger all the time and these two are no exceptions. Bruno will weigh about 16 stones and Smith will be half a stone heavier.

Both are proven punchers so are unlikely to need all ten rounds to settle the battle of muscle and referee Harry Gibbs shouldn't be required to tot up his notepad at the end.

With the trail of destruction Bruno has behind him it could even be another quick execution. He already has six one-rounders on his record sheet and no opponent has



FRANK BRUNO (right) and MARK KAYLOR, the two Terry Lawless-trained fighters look set to take off in 1984

yet gone beyond round seven.

On the other hand, who knows what will happen if Smith lands first, fair and square.

There is always a degree of chance involved in a heavyweight fight but logic suggests a big win for Bruno, for, with so much at stake, this match will not have been made for the benefit of advancing the career of the previously unknown Bonecrusher.

MARK Kaylor, the British and Commonwealth middleweight champion, has been given the chance to complete his hat trick.

He has been officially nominated as challenger for Tony Sibson's European title, and the European Boxing Union (EBU) have put a September time limit on the fight.

Promoters have until July 5 to sign contracts, after which it goes out to purse offers.

The fight is certain to be promoted by the Mike Barrett-Micky Duff partnership and Wembley is the likeliest venue.

It will be Sibson's first defence of the title he won from Louis Acaries in Paris earlier this year, and it revives memories of a previous all-British championship fight at Wembley, in which Sibson knocked out Alan Minter in September 1981.

PAT Cowdell, the former British and European featherweight champion from Birmingham, is well on course for the European junior lightweight title.

He challenges champion Jean-Marc Renard of France at the Aston Villa leisure centre next month and now has the confidence of a magnificent come-back victory behind him.

Cowdell returned to the ring, after an absence of 18 months, to stop Kevin Pritchard at Birmingham's Digbeth Civic Hall on Thursday night.

Pritchard couldn't cope with Cowdell's stunning right-hand power and was dropped three times before the referee called a halt after 50 seconds of the fifth round.

Cowdell was jubilant about his success but his sheer professionalism shone through.

Cowdell said afterwards: 'A lot of people thought I was stupid to make a come-back, but I have proved them all wrong. I said I was fitter, stronger and more powerful. Now they will believe me.'

'I am looking forward to meeting Renard for the European title but I would have preferred another warm-up fight first. However, it is not to be and I'll just have to win the title with one fight behind me,' he said confidently.



PAT COWDELL . . . Aims to win back European title in second come-back fight next month

BATH

SIX YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: Pat Eddery 35, W Carson 26, J Matthias 23, S Cauthen 18, J Mercer 18, E Johnson 16, G Starkey 14, J Reid 12, R Curant 12, B Rouse 12, T Rogers 10, P Waldron 10.
TRAINERS: I Balding 29, B Hills 29, P Walwyn 23, H Candy 14, P Cole 13, C Hill 13, G Harwood 13, C Nelson 11, M Smyly 11, W Harn 10, J Tree 10, J Dunlop 9, R Hannon 9.
DRAW: The higher numbers have a little advantage over shortest distance.

2.15 FRANCASAL SELLING STAKES £900 (2-Y-O) 5f (7 runners)

1 (5)	41	STEEL CAVALIER (D) Peter Taylor 9.4	S Whitworth (7)
2 (2)	1	PRETTY FACE (D) J Berry 9.1	K Darley
5 (3)	0	BERINA Peter Taylor 8.8	M Smith (7)
9 (4)	0	LADY KATIE J Bradley 8.8	J Williams
10 (10)	3	OCKEYTA J Jenkins 8.8	T Williams (5)
12 (7)	0	THE BLACK TOWER D Gandolfo 8.8	R Hills
13 (6)	0	TOO STREAKY D Laing 8.8	P Robinson

PROBABLE SP: 7-4 Steel Cavalier, 5-2 Pretty Face, 3-1 Ockeyta, 7-1 The Black Tower, 8-1 Too Streaky, 16-1 others.

2.45 CHAPEL FARM HANDICAP £2,500 (3-Y-O) 5f (13 runners)

4 (5)	41-300	WELSH ROSRAY R Smyth 9.7	S Whitworth (7)
6 (6)	0-04	AKED (USA) P Walwyn 9.2	J Mercer
8 (3)	00-30	KOORINGA M Salaman 9.0	J Williams
9 (12)	80-0	QAMAR C Benstead 8.12	D McKay
10 (10)	030000-0	BRAEMAR ROAD D Sasse 8.11	R Cochran
11 (7)	1400-10	MEESON KING B McMahon 8.11	S Dawson (5)
12 (13)	3003-40	SASCEROL M Usher 8.11	A Clark
14 (9)	0000-40	LAKSHMI LADY R Holder 8.8	T Williams (5)
15 (1)	000-0	CARRREG-WENNOL B Palling 8.6	R Street
16 (4)	000040-	FIGHTING JIMMY D Wilson 8.4	A Clark
18 (8)	0000-00	MISS SMART SHOES P Haynes 8.4	N Howe
19 (2)	0-33	HONOURABLE ADMIRAL (BF) D Arbuthnot 8.2	T Williams (5)
22 (11)	00000-	ACTON TURVILLE C Wildman 7.8	R Street

BLINKERS: 4, 8
PROBABLE SP: 7-2 Meeson King, 9-2 Welsh Rosray, 5-1 Sascerole and Aked, 6-1 Honourable Admiral, 8-1 Kooringa, 10-1 Braemar Road, 12-1 Lakshmi Lady, 16-1 others.

3.15 BOX HANDICAP £3,000 2m 1f (8 runners)

1 (5)	032-020	NESTOR G Lewis 4.100	T Williams (5)
2 (1)	0/4000-0	MITLINI F Durr 4.99	P Robinson
3 (6)	00-0000	HUNGARIAN PRINCE G Thorne 4.98	I Johnson
4 (4)	1200-24	APPEAL TO ME (BF) P Kelleway 4.98	Gay Kelleway (5)
5 (2)	4120-10	AMERICK G Harwood 4.97	A Clark

13 (3)	00/33	WINMARIE (BF) C Hill 6.77	R Street
15 (7)	30300-0	DUKE OF DOLLIS R Armytage 5.77	P John (7)
19 (8)	03000-2	HOODWINK N Vigors 6.77	C Wootton (7)

BLINKERS: 19
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Americk, 3-1 Appeal To Me, 7-1 Nestor, 4-1 Winmarie, 7-1 Mitlini, 10-1 Hoodwink, 16-1 others.

3.45 MONUMENT MAIDEN STAKES £1,200 (2-Y-O) 5f (5 runners)

2 (5)	0	OPEN ALL HOURS J Berry 9.0	K Darley
4 (3)	2	STAMPING GROUND (BF) W O'Gorman 9.0	D McKeown
7 (4)	0	CHIAFFRA D Gandolfo 8.11	R Hills
8 (1)	2	LADY DESCHAMPS K Brassey 8.11	M Hills
9 (2)	0	ROMAN MAID J Bosley 8.11	I Johnson

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 on Stamping Ground, 9-4 Lady Deschamps, 6-1 Open All Hours, 20-1 others.

4.15 WEST LITTLETON MAIDEN STAKES £1,000 (3-Y-O) 1m 3f (10 runners)

3 (10)	4200-	ATTICUS N Gaselee 9.0	M Hills
12 (7)	400-00	PEARL KING R Hannon 9.0	R Wernham
15 (4)	00-3	ROYAL CRACKER G Harwood 9.0	A Clark

RESULTS

HAMILTON

2.30 (1m): DOMANUS S Griffiths (33-1);
Nodouble's Dancer (3-1) f fav; Baby
Boy (5-1); Tha (7-2) 4. 7 ran. 1/2, 2. (V
Thompson) T: £28.60; £10.50, £1.70. CSF:
£114.90.
3.00 (6f): PRIONSAL L Charnock (20-1);
Karen's Star (8-1); Easy Star (9-1) 3 dd
ht; Roman Quest (3-1) fav 3 dd ht. 10 ran.
2, 3/4. (W H Williams) T: £11.40; £2.20,
£1.60. CSF: £142.60. NR: Linanhot.
3.30 (1m): CAMDEN LAD S Perks (8-1);
Sharp Remark (4-1); Music Wonder
(8-1); What's in Store (5-1) 4. 9 ran. 1 1/2
hd. (R Hollinshead) T: £9.30; £4.10, £2.30,
£1.90. CSF: £38.36.
4.00 (5f): FOREIGNER G Duffield (9-4);
Imogen (2-1) fav; Malowski (10-1);
Antioch (7-1) 4. 8 ran. 2, 1 1/2. (P Haslam)
T: £2.10; £2.40, £1.60, £4.20. CSF: £6.72.
4.30 (5f): PHILIP E Hide (9-4); Sandy
Peel (2-1) fav; Lake Hamilton (100-30);
Bantel Bondman (16-1) 4. 8 ran. 2, 4. (N
Tinkler) T: £2.50; £1.20, £1, £1.60. CSF:
£6.79.

5.00 (1m 3f): HERRADURA G Duffield
(4-1); Corston Lad (9-1); Lotteville
(20-1); Ash Fair (3-1) f fav 4. 10 ran. 2, 2.
(Sir M Prescott) T: £7.50; £2, £1.30, £4.90.
CSF: £37.12.
5.30 (1m 4f): WANG FEIHOONG G Duf-
field (11-1) fav; Porter (11-2); Purns
Mill (4-1); Carter's Way (9-1) 4. 8 ran. hd.
(P Haslam) T: £2, £1, £2.30, £1.60.
CSF: £7.96.

LINGFIELD

2.15 (5f): OVERTUMP B Rouse (2-1 on
fav); No Rebate (20-1); Just Jones
(25-1); And Alja (9-1) 4. 11 ran. 1 1/2, 1 1/2.
(G Harwood) T: £1.50; £1, £3.40, £3.10.
CSF: £12.74.
2.45 (6f): CANIF P Robinson (4-1); Miami
Prince (11-4) fav; Amigo Loco (9-1);
Lala (10-1) 4. 8 ran. 3/4, 2. (M Ryan) T:
£4.90; £1.30, £1.40, £2.40. CSF: £13.41.
3.15 (1 1/2m): OUT OF SHOT Pat Eddery
(3-1); Spinnelle (7-1); Media Luna (14-
1) 3 Secret Way (3-1) 4. 7 ran. sh hd, 1. (J
Dunlop) T: £4.10; £2.10, £2.10. CSF:

16 (8)	002	SHANGOSEER R Williams 9.0	A Kimberley
18 (6)	0-00	TELE-LINK D Arbuthnot 9.0	T Williams (5)
20 (5)	03040-	CAROLINE'S GIRL D Laing 8.11	D McKay
22 (1)	00-	EMPRESS CATHERINE A Ingham 8.11	P Robinson
24 (3)	0-	MISS CANNIBAL M Smyly 8.11	S Dawson
25 (9)	0000-	NATIVE CHANT M Usher 8.11	J Mercer
27 (2)	0-	SEDEGE P Walwyn 8.11	J Mercer

BLINKERS: 12
PROBABLE SP: 6-4 Royal Cracker, 2-1 Shangoseer, 9-2 Atticus, 10-1 Sedge, 12-1 Tele-Link and Caroline's Girl, 16-1 others.

4.45 MIDSOMER NORTON HANDICAP £3,000 (3-Y-O fillies) 1m 2f (7 runners)

1 (3)	340-10	GALIGNANI (FR) P Kelleway 9.7	Gay Kelleway (5)
9 (5)	01-3	SWEET SOPRANO P Walwyn 8.5	J Mercer
11 (7)	000-0	ALHARAGH C Benstead 7.11	D McKay
14 (2)	000-	PARAMOUNT (USA) D Sasse 7.9	T Williams (5)
15 (1)	0002-00	ARAMINTA MAVIS R Smyth 7.7	R Street
17 (4)	0000-0	PALS DELIGHT M McCormack 7.7	S Dawson (5)
18 (6)	00240-4	FIRST CRY N Vigors 7.7	S Dawson (5)

PROBABLE SP: 11-8 Sweet Soprano, 11-4 Galignani, 4-1 First Cry, 10-1 Alharagh and Araminta Mavis, 16-1 others.

£20.65. NR: Rustic Lace.
3.45 (1 1/2m): SERHEED T Quinn (6-4) fav; 1;
True Heritage (16-1); Silksory (10-1);
No-U-Turn (7-1) 4. 9 ran. 4, 2 1/2. (P Cole) T:
£1.90; £1.10, £3.70, £1.90. CSF: £21.33.
NR: Sir Humphrey.
4.15 (7f): PREMIER COUP P Waldron
(5-1); Wise Crown (9-4) fav; Guess
Again (7-2); Megastar (12-1) 4. 18 ran. 7,
1/2. (G Lewis) T: £6.10; £2.40, £1.80, £1.60.
CSF: £16.93. NR: Nazeeh and Gift of
Hindsight.
4.45 (6f): AL AMEAD B Rouse (25-1);
Bold Realm (5-1); It's A Pleasure (14-
1); Silax (16-1) 4. 24 ran. 1/2, 1. (C
Benstead) T: £49.60; £4.50, £1.60, £2.20,
£3. CSF: £146.50. NR: Heather Croft.

NEWTON ABBOT

2.30 (2m 5f): CELTIC STORY J Francome
(7-2); Whenever (6-4) fav; Sparky (33-
1); Prouddest Diana (USA) (11-1) 4. 7 ran.
6, 3. (J R Jenkins) T: £3.70; £1.90, £1.10.
CSF: £6.35.
3.00 (2m): SPANISH STREAK S Moore

(3-1) f fav; Kyoto (4-1); Wing Velvet
(15-2); Sir Lester (11-1) 4. 11 ran. 2, 15. (J
C Fox) T: £6.10; £1.90, £2.40, £2.80. CSF:
£16.34. NR: Captain Pat, Limpac North and
Brianka.
3.30 (2m): RHYTHMIC PASTIMES J Fran-
come (11-10) fav; Teatley Able (33-1);
Fer-Kil (4-1); Tidy Work (20-1) 4. 10 ran.
10, 6. (J R Jenkins) T: £2.30; £1.50, £3.80,
£2.50. CSF: £35.78. NR: Crown Land and
Mister Oats.
4.00 (3m 2f): DICKY BLOB (11-8 on fav);
Leonstar (14-1); Richard O (10-1);
Jonks Bubble (10-1) 4. 12 ran. 2, hd. (J
Nicholls) T: £1.80; £1.40, £3.70, £1.60.
CSF: £12.52. NR: Forgotten.
4.30 (2m): LORD CHANTICLEER P Leach
(6-4) fav; Chocolate Imp (7-1); Uncle
Dal (10-1); Tiptoe Lover (13-2) 4. T:
£2.90; £1.90, £2, £3.30. CSF: £15.63. NR:
Midnight Rocket.
5.00 (2m 5f): BENI P Nicholls (3-1); King
Burg (FR) (8-1); Hulda (FR) (25-1); Wild
Coro (2-1) fav 4. 15 ran. 1/2, 5. T: £5.40;
£3.50, £2.20, £15.60. CSF: £29.21. NR:
Deadly Going.

Sports Line

BOWING OUT IN STYLE

Half-fit Keegan to lead the celebrations

KEVIN KEEGAN is ready to go through the pain barrier to make sure he ends his career in style today.

Keegan is determined to play in his 500th — and last — League match despite a head injury which would rule him out under any other circumstance.

With Keegan's invaluable assistance, Newcastle have already confirmed their return to the First Division after a six-year absence.

But nothing will stop him from saying farewell to the Geordie supporters as they take part in Newcastle's promotion celebrations when Brighton visit St. James's Park.

The former England captain was hurt as he scored against Derby last Saturday and he has spent the whole week recuperating at his Hampshire home.

He said: 'If this had been a normal League game or we had needed three points to go up, I would not have played.'

'But the circumstances are different. If the fans

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understand that I will not be 100 per cent and it will be virtually impossible for me to head the ball, then I'm still prepared to play.'

Liverpool, the club where Keegan first came to prominence, will clinch a hat-trick of League championships if they beat already-relegated Notts County at Meadow Lane.

Ian Rush, needing four goals to complete his half-century for the season, has recovered from a cold and Kenny Dalglish has shaken off a leg injury.

Liverpool, as usual, will be at full strength, maintaining the consistency which has been the secret of their success over the years.

The match today will be their 63rd of the season but Bruch Grobelaar, Alan Kennedy, Alan Hansen and Sammy Lee have been ever-present, while Phil Neal, Mark Lawrensen, Rush and Graeme Souness have missed only 12 games between them.

At the other end of the table, five clubs are still struggling to avoid accompanying Notts County and Wolves into the Second Division.

Conceded

Stoke, who take on Wolves at the Victoria Ground, give a late fitness test to midfielder Alan Hudson. Coventry, who have conceded 129 goals in their last four matches, could have centre-half Trevor Peake in their team against Norwich at Highfield Road. He has been absent for five weeks, with a knee injury.

Birmingham have brought former road sweeper Steve Cooper, 19, into their squad for the home game against Southampton. Cooper could replace suspended striker Mick Harford.

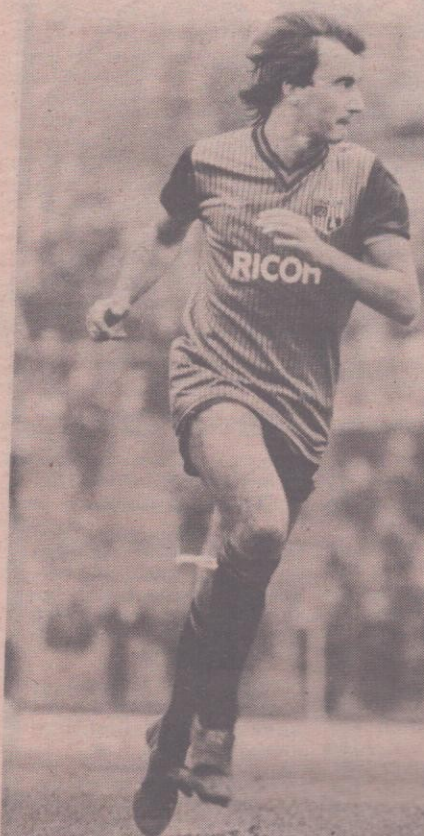
Sunderland are likely to be without Leighton Jones at Leicester, whose injury problems could force them to give debuts to teenagers Scott Burnside and Robert Kelly.

West Bromwich are the best-placed of the strugglers, with two home games from which to avoid the drop. They are without top scorer Garry Thompson, who is suspended, against Luton at the Hawthorns.

Defender Martyn Bennett and midfielder man Tony Grealish are expected to return after injury.



SAMMY LEE



ALAN HUDSON



IAN RUSH

SCOTS SCENE

McGhee — Hamburg's target

EUROPEAN Cup holders Hamburg of West Germany are expected to finalise the signing of Aberdeen striker Mark McGhee this weekend, swelling the the Scottish club's income to more than £750,000 in the past few days.

Aberdeen manager Alex Ferguson confirmed the German side have lodged a bid of a little under £300,000 for the Scottish international, whose contract expires at the end of the season. McGhee has only personal terms to agree for the deal to be struck.

If the move goes ahead, McGhee will be signed on the same understanding as his teammate Gordon Strachan, who moved to Manchester United for £500,000 on Wednesday; namely that he is available to play in the Scottish Cup Final against Celtic next Saturday.

McGhee, 27 in two weeks, will not play in Aberdeen's final League game of the season against St Mirren today, in common with most of his regular teammates.

Missing from the Aberdeen line-up are Scottish internationals Willie Miller, Alex McLeish, Peter Weir, Neil Simpson, Strachan and McGhee,

along with under-21 striker Eric Black.

Assistant manager Willie Garner emphasised the club was not protecting their key players for the Cup Final.

He said: 'All these players, with the exception of Strachan, who is being rested, are carrying knocks and cannot play.'

The absence of so many first team players has paved the way for the debut of 16-year-old defender Ian Robertson.

St Mirren will be without injury victims Ian Scanlon and Tony Fitzpatrick for a game that is of academic interest only.

Argument

Now that Aberdeen are champions with a record 57 points, Motherwell and St Johnstone are relegated, and Dundee United, Rangers and Hearts have all claimed UEFA Cup places, only one minor issue remains: who will finish second?

Celtic are holding that position and will go into their final match three points ahead of opponents today, Dundee United. The Scottish Cup finalists have

brought back goalkeeper Pat Bonner and fullbacks Danny McGrain and Mark Reid for a full dress-rehearsal before meeting Aberdeen next week.

Manager David Hay commented: 'It's important that we finished in as high a position as possible and a good result against last year's champions would give us an ideal lift before the Cup Final.'

Tom McAdam will have a late fitness test on a leg knock and Willie McStay stands by to fill in at centre-half.

Dundee United, who could still catch Celtic as runners-up by winning their game in hand, bring in promising young striker Alex Taylor.

Hearts, having exceeded all expectations by qualifying for Europe, today bring in 19-year-old Malcolm Murray against Motherwell.

Other youngsters to get a chance are Rangers' 18-year-old attacker Eric Ferguson and Hibernian centre-half Gordon Hunter who will be in direct opposition when the teams clash at Easter Road.

St Johnstone will need to beat Dundee by the almost impossible margin of nine clear goals to avoid relegation while, in the First Division's major issue, Morton require a point, at home to Kilmarnock, to lift the title ahead of Dumbarton.

Sports Line

MONEY-GRABBING MARATHON

THERE doesn't seem to be so much 'marathon fever' this year as the fourth London Marathon prepares to wind its way around the capital tomorrow.

For while 21,142 runners are due to line up at the start in Greenwich, the media spotlight is on the 1,042 'elite' athletes accepted for the event.

Sporting events over the past few days have been overshadowed by the problems surrounding the Los Angeles Olympics.

The Soviet Union, East Germany, Bulgaria and Vietnam have already pulled out because of the the US government's intransigence when it comes to guaranteeing athletes' safety.

However, another valid reason for their decision to withdraw from the event has been the gross and gaudy commercialisation of the Games.

Sadly, the London Marathon — now sponsored by Mars, the confectionery that 'helps you work, rest and play' — has, in some instances, outdone its more illustrious counterpart in the US when it comes to commercialism.

Why, for instance, are



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the 'elite' ladies starting ten minutes ahead of the men tomorrow?

Norway's Ingrid Christensen, the fastest lady in the field, will attempt to break her compatriot Grete Waitz's course record. Giving her the room to do so is admirable.

But no, the sponsors are all too aware of what happened last year. Then, some crafty businessmen

'employed' a couple of good athletes to stay with Waitz throughout the race.

Wearing their 'employer's' logo on their vests, those crafty businessmen got free advertising every time the BBC cameras came their way! That's the name of the game these days.

Mike Gratton, last year's winner of the men's race, was not available for interview yesterday. 'Mike has made himself available to the press, radio and television for the past week or so, now he will adopt a low profile until Sunday's event,' his coach — and 'Sunday Times' athletics correspondent, Cliff Temple, told the media yesterday morning.

Charlie Spedding from Gateshead and Amer-



MARATHON runners, young and old, women and men, passing through east London, in last year's race come festival-of-fitness

ican-based Dave Murphy pose the biggest threat to Gratton. But Temple's remark about Spedding — 'I can give you all his telephone number so that you can pester him between now and Sunday' — was uncalled for.

Gratton, or whoever is the first British athlete across the line, seems certain to win a place in the team for the Los Angeles Olympics.

The selectors will be there, but will not make their final selections until next Thursday.

And there lies another little piece of intrigue.

Geoff Smith, who set the fastest time this year when winning the Boston Marathon in March, may very well be left out. One of the selectors just doesn't like Smith.

And he went as far as telephoning the sportswear company to which Smith is tied up with to tell them so. Smith won't go to Los Angeles was the message. The sportswear company will now have to have a major re-think on just how 'marketable' a non-runner in the Olympics is!

The happier news from the London Marathon camp yesterday was that Christiansen seems unaffected by sponsors or lucrative endorsement deals.

She arrived at yesterday's press conference straight off the plane from Oslo with her first child, nine-month-old Gaute, in tow.

There was no outward signs of commercialism about her.

Indeed, Christiansen is something of an athletic enigma.

She ran in the world cross country championships for her country last year — and she didn't even realise she was three months pregnant! Ten days after giving birth to Gaute she was back in training.

Breaking Waitz's course record is her aim on Sunday. And safe in the knowledge that she has already been selected for Los Angeles, she may very well go close to that mark.

Krickstein does it again

AARON KRICKSTEIN, the 16-year-old American, duplicated with more than a little style on Thursday his big upset win of the US Open last year.

He startled sixth-seeded Vitas Gerulaitis by winning in straight sets to reach the quarter-finals of the \$500,000 World Championship Tennis (WCT) tournament of champions at Forest Hills, New York.

Krickstein required only 45 minutes to beat Gerulaitis 6-1, 6-3 in a third round match. It was also in the third round last September that Krickstein beat the 29-year-old New York veteran, 3-6, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3, 6-4.

Top-seeded Jimmy Connors and No.2 seed John McEnroe had their games under control despite swirling stadium winds and scored straight set victories to join Krickstein in the round of eight.

Connors posted a 6-3, 6-0 victory over fellow American Dan Saltz in 58 minutes. Then McEnroe, the defending champion, blunted the big service game of Steve Denton of the US to win 6-3, 6-2.

Krickstein's victory over Gerulaitis was easy. 'He (Gerulaitis) sort of broke down mentally, making a few double faults and missing on his returns,' Krickstein said.

Krickstein was battling stiffer odds in the quarter finals last night, when he was due to meet Connors, who beat him six weeks ago on a hard court, 6-0, 6-0.

'I got killed then, just winning about 12 points,' Krickstein said. 'I'm playing well this week. I think I can stay out there



VITAS GERULAITIS

and keep the rallies going.'

Connors opened the stadium programme slowly against Saltz but moved into high gear after the score reached 3-3 in the opening set. His crisp ground strokes and service returns wore down his opponent.

Annoyed

McEnroe, who beat Gerulaitis in the 1983 tournament of Champions Final, was visibly annoyed at a service call in his first game. After double-faulting at game point, he made an audible obscenity that drew a warning from the umpire.

McEnroe, who later admitted that he 'was at fault' for the remark, rebounded to win the next four games. Excellent service returns kept the charging Denton away from the net at crucial points.

● A RECORD total of \$2,557,667 in prizemoney will be offered at the US

Open Tennis Championships this year, the US Tennis Association (USTA) announced yesterday.

The total represents an increase of 27.8 per cent on the purse of \$2,001,000 last year.

The men's and women's singles winners will each receive \$160,000; \$40,000 more than last year.

Prizemoney in doubles has been increased from \$48,000 to \$64,000.

This Open this year will be held from August 28 to September 9 at the US National Tennis Centre, Flushing Meadow.

● TOP SEED Hana Mandlikova of Czechoslovakia beat Anne White of the US, 6-2 6-1 in the first round of a \$200,000 exhibition tennis tournament in Tokyo yesterday.

In the first round of the men's tournament, which has Sweden's Bjorn Borg among the eight-player entry, Scott Davis beat fellow American Greg Holmes 7-6 6-1.



MIKE GRATTON breasts the tape first his fun-run a year ago. Tomorrow his mission is to win a place in the British Olympic marathon squad

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IT'S MARATHON TIME AGAIN



1983 LONDON MARATHON winners Mike Gratton and Greta Waitz shared garlands and exhaustion after their wins a year ago. Tomorrow over 21,000 will set out for the 26-mile plus around London streets (see story page 19).

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- 7 Stoke v Wolves
- 8 Tottenham v Man Utd
- 9 Watford v Arsenal
- 10 West Brom v Luton
- 11 West Ham v Nottm F

DIVISION II

- 12 Barnsley v Carlisle
- 13 Cardiff v Sheff Wed
- 14 C Palace v Blackburn
- 15 Fulham v Oldham
- 16 Grimsby v Chelsea
- Leeds v Charlton
- 17 Man City v Cambridge
- 18 Middlesbrough v Huddersfield
- 19 Newcastle v Brighton
- 20 Portsmouth v Swansea
- Shrewsbury v Derby

DIVISION III

- 21 Bournemouth v Bradford C

POOLS CHECK

- 22 Brentford v Walsall
- 23 Burnley v Wimbledon
- 24 Gillingham v Scunthorpe
- 25 Hull v Bristol R
- 26 Lincoln v Port Vale
- 27 Millwall v Exeter
- 28 Oxford v Rotherham
- 29 Plymouth v Orient
- 30 Preston v Bolton
- 31 Sheff Utd v Newport
- 32 Wigan v Southend
- 33 Aldershot v Darlington
- 34 Bury v Swindon (3.15)
- 35 Doncaster v Crewe
- 36 H'lepool v Reading
- 37 Hereford v York
- 38 Mansfield v Northampton
- 39 Peterboro v Chester

Torquay v Blackpool (7.30)

40 Tranmere v Stockp't (3.15)

41 Wrexham v Chesterfield

SCOTTISH PREMIER

- 42 Celtic v Dundee Utd
- 43 Dundee v St Johnstone
- 44 Hibernian Rangers
- 45 Motherwell v Hearts
- 46 St Mirren v Aberdeen

SCOTTISH DIV I

- 47 Alloa v Airdrie
- 48 Berchin v Clydebank
- 49 Clyde v Hamilton
- 50 Dumbarton v Ayr Utd
- 51 Falkirk v Partick
- 52 Meadowbank v Raith
- 53 Morton v Kilmarnock

SCOTTISH DIV II

- 54 Arbroath v Albion R
- 55 Berwick v Dunfermline
- E Stirling v Cowdenbeath
- Forfar v Montrose
- Queens Pk v Stenhousemuir
- Stirling A v Queen of S
- Stranraer v East Fife

Yorks win in final over

ESSEX won strictly on merit in beating Northamptonshire by ten wickets at Northampton but have to be satisfied with a lead of 14 points at the top of the table as they set out to try to retain the county championship.

Yorkshire are that close after a nail-biter at Headingley in which, with the help of declarations, they beat Nottinghamshire in the very last over.

Declarations nearly provided wins, too, for Kent and Worcestershire in the pack immediately below Essex.

Kent were just one wicket short of beating Lancashire at Old Trafford and Worcestershire found stumps drawn at Leicester with their score 150 for five and another three runs wanted for victory.

John Lever, 35, with 20 Tests behind him, took four for 43 and Neill Foster, 22, holder of five caps, grabbed three for 42, as Northamptonshire were shot out for 145 after their first innings of 210.

Essex needed only seven to win and completed the job about an hour after lunch.

All the other championship matches went to the very end of the day, or almost so in the case of Yorkshire.

There were two balls left when Simon Dennis bowled Kevin Cooper.

Nottinghamshire, out for 294, were beaten by six runs. Dennis finished with four for 77 and his opening partner, Arnie Sidebottom, four for 51.

Yorkshire, after their winter troubles, were in jubilant mood, and justifiably so. This was their second win in the first two championship matches, a marked contrast to 1983

when they managed only one victory and finished at the bottom of the table.

Five of the seven championship games were drawn. Geoff Howarth, Surrey's new captain, hit his side's first century of the season as Sussex were denied at Hove and Bill Fowler recorded a maiden hundred for Derbyshire, whose bowlers were unable to dismiss Glamorgan a second time.

Mongolia pull out

MONGOLIA yesterday announced it would not take part in the summer Olympics in Los Angeles, becoming the fourth Soviet ally to follow Moscow's Olympic Committee decision not to go to Los Angeles.

A statement from the Mongolian National Olympic

committee said that participation in the games in Los Angeles would pose 'a real threat to the lives and security' of sportsmen from Communist countries.

Bulgaria, East Germany and Vietnam have already announced that they intend to stay away from the

games. 'The National Olympic Committee of Mongolia, having thoroughly examined the situation which has been created around the games, considers participation in the games by Mongolian sportsmen to be impossible,' the statement said.