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Thatcher's reactionary allies come to London – See special statement by WRP Political Committee pages 8&9 and 3



BRUTAL CHARGE ON COKE PLANT PICKETS

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Police cavalry pictured earlier in the week at Orgreave coke works went into action against pickets again yesterday

As banks crisis grows . . .

HARD-CORE JOBLESS UP

HARD-CORE unemployment broke all records last month, according to official figures released by the Department of Employment yesterday.

They show that seasonally adjusted adult unemployment rose by 17,700 in May to 3,028,600.

This total takes no account of more than 600,000 on cheap labour schemes, and hundreds of thousands of workless who were arbitrarily removed from the register by the Tories.

It is the fifth increase in the last six months in the hard-core figure, regarded as the best guide to the underlying trend of job loss.

Prime Minister Thatcher reacted as she has done so often before by pretending that the job

carnage was nothing to do with her.

She even had advice for the other participants in next week's world capitalist summit on how to run their crisis-ridden economies.

She told reporters at a press conference in London that the aim should be sound money, a firm control of public spending and prudent banking.

Boasted

'I don't think one is successful in tackling unemployment by tackling unemployment,' she sniffed.

Thatcher boasted that under her government the British economy had grown by 3 per cent last year, investment was up 11.5 per cent and public spending was at the same level as last year. 'We are doing reasonably well,' she said.

'We must try to restore money as a store of value.

BY JOHN SPENCER

The effect of unsound monetary policies has been to rob generations of pensioners of their savings.'

The effect of Thatcher's policies is clear from the unemployment figures —



THATCHER

hard-core unemployment is growing and will continue to grow unchecked.

The Tory government was aiming at an 'enterprise culture', similar to that in the United States and Japan — in other words, the corporate

state with unions completely subservient to the state.

She admitted that high interest rates 'can make it extremely difficult for countries in heavy international debt'. She added: 'We are all in favour of taking action to get interest rates down.'

Twaddle

This is pious twaddle. It is virtually certain that London bank base rates will go up by at least ½ per cent on Tuesday.

Thatcher's advice to the debtor countries was to bite the bullet. 'You have to secure the co-operation of each of them to adjust their policies with the IMF,' she told one Latin American reporter.

'The problem is manageable provided we deal with it on a case-by-case basis. I don't think there is a universal solution.'

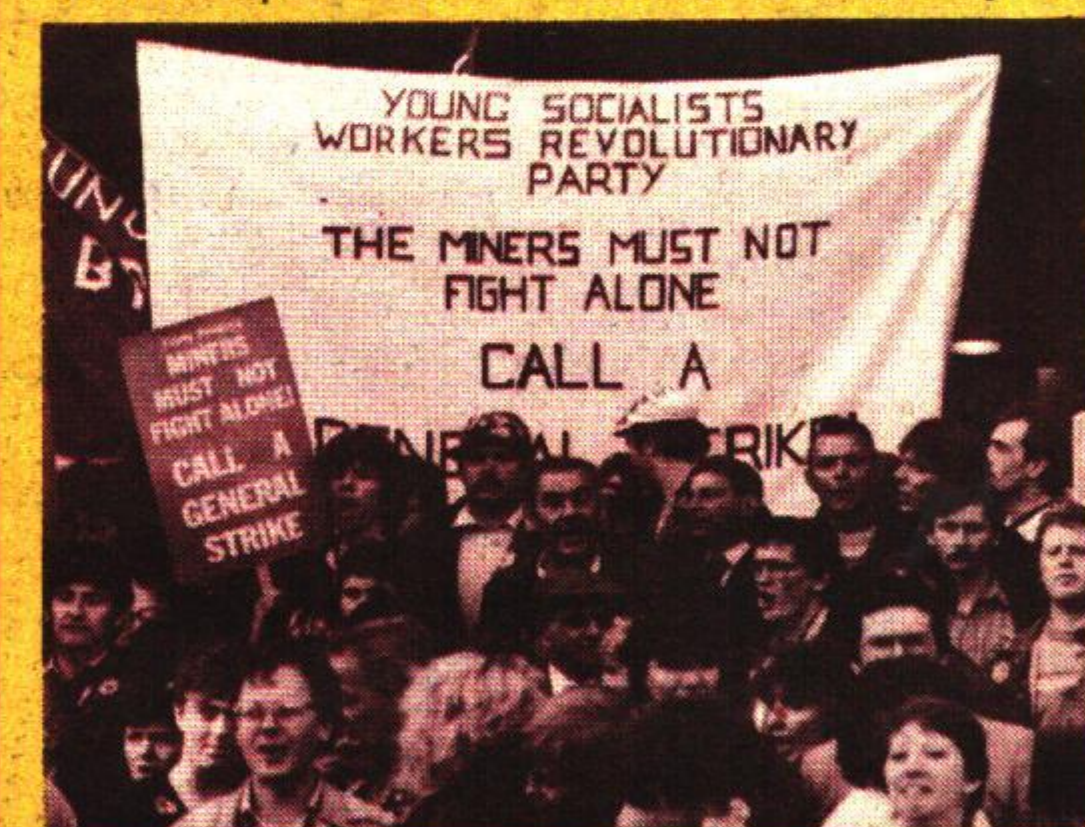
In reply to a Mexican television reporter who asked what measures the Tory government was prepared to take to help the debtor countries overcome their problems, Thatcher replied:

'We are all aware of the need to do everything we can to try to keep interest rates down. The broad general approach we have taken is the correct one.'

Figures released yesterday show that Lloyds Bank is heavily exposed in Latin America with loans of \$9.6 billion; Midland, through its Californian subsidiary Crocker National, has lent \$8.6 billion, Barclays total is \$6.8 billion while National Westminster's is \$4.8 billion.

So much for the Tory government's lies about economic 'recovery'. The reality is that unemployment is rising by leaps and bounds and there is no prospect of any let-up.

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BRUTAL CHARGE ON PICKETS

A MINER was given the 'kiss of life' and another sustained a fractured skull yesterday when police waded into pickets outside the Orgreave cokeworks near Sheffield.

They were victims of unrestrained police brutality unleashed as 4,000 pickets tried to halt blackleg coal leaving for Scunthorpe steelworks.

At least 19 strikers were arrested and 20 injured, including at least one miner who suffered an epileptic fit at the height of the clashes as police punched and kicked pickets to the ground.

The worst injuries were caused when police tried to drive a large group of pickets off the road and on to the edge of a field.

Kevin Twell, from Arkwright colliery, told what happened next. 'I was right in the middle when the police started shoving. Lads couldn't help falling on top of each other because we were being forced back at an angle.'

On top

'One of the pickets went down and loads fell on top of him. We shouted to the police to get back, but they ignored us and kept coming. They were the cause of this.'

As the miners were herded sideways, groups of police broke ranks to make several arrests. Then two dozen mounted policemen charged through the pickets in a

BY SIMON VEVERS

bid to terrorise and disperse them.

Strikers seized near police lines were assaulted as they were dragged through the ten-deep blue cordon before being bundled into vans and driven away.

Nearly 150 miners have been arrested during four

days of bitter confrontation with thousands of riot police who occupied the BSC works and a large part of the surrounding area.

Sinister

In a sinister move assistant chief constable Tony Clements has announced that addition-

al charges — including unlawful assembly — which carries an unlimited prison sentence — may be brought against pickets arrested and charged earlier in the week after further examination of video tapes.

The systematic state brutality at Orgreave has only hardened the determination of the miners

not to give an inch in the fight to defend jobs and pit communities.

Mood

Keith Schofield, from the closure-threatened Bullcliffe Wood colliery, near Barnsley, summed up the mood of the strikers when he told News Line: 'We're not fright-

ened, we're here because we're fighting for our jobs. And we won't go back until we get a guarantee of no pit closures, just as Scargill has said.'

No coke is due to be transported from Orgreave until Monday. But the pickets have vowed to return in strength when supplies of scab coal resume.

Kent wives occupy DHSS

KENT miners wives and children occupied the Dover social security offices yesterday.

The demonstration was organised to protest against non-payment of social security to striking miners' families under Tory legislation which deducts £15 a week.

Families have received cheques for sums as little as 15p, and many have received no money at all.

Sue Bence, from Aylesham pit village, said: 'We were driven to de-

speration with so little money to feed our children.'

She said that some mothers with two children were forced to rely on child benefit alone to get by. Gas and electricity supplies had been cut off, school fares were being denied and milk tokens had been withheld.

Fighting

But she added: 'Despite the difficulties we are still 100 per cent behind our husbands. They are fighting

for a lot more than the pits, they are fighting for the future of whole communities. All the wives feel the same,' she said.

Kent NUM secretary Jack Collins said the wives were not complaining about the work of the staff at the office, but against the instructions of the government.

'We pay taxes and are entitled to benefits like everybody else,' he said.

A union official at the DHSS office said the additional delays were due to

staff cuts made by the Tory government.

Reach

● Nearly 2,000 pickets attempting to reach the Calverton colliery in Nottinghamshire were turned back by police yesterday. In Derbyshire, around 400 pickets gathered at Seymour Rail sidings near Chesterfield, and in Staffordshire, about 200 pickets were at Holditch colliery.

Five miners were

arrested at the privately owned Tow Law open cast coal depot in County Durham.

● The Scottish NCB yesterday sent photographs of damaged pit props to all 1,500 miners at the Seafield colliery near Kirkcaldy in an effort to persuade striking miners to carry out salvage work. The strike committee has so far refused to comply, although the NCB is claiming that union inspectors have agreed the work is urgent.

Another 1p on first class letters

PLANS to raise the cost of first-class postage 1p to 17p and second class ½p to 13p were announced by the Post Office yesterday.

The increases, which would end a freeze on postal rate rises, would take place on September 3.

The Post Office Users National Council will be

able to make recommendations or raise objections.

The last stamp increase was in April 1983, when first class postage went up ½p. Second-class postage has been 12½p since February 1981.

Posting letters abroad is also likely to become more expensive.

ESSO prices up

ESSO raised its petrol prices by 2.3p a gallon for four-star from midnight.

The surprise move comes just weeks after Esso forced Shell to cancel an increase in its petrol prices by refusing to follow suit.

An Esso spokesman said last night that the increase reflected a change in exchange rates — but the price of petrol on the Rotterdam cargo market also had a bearing.

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The miners face the full onslaught from the state in the battle to defend their jobs. The police have now become a paramilitary force violently attacking the basic rights of the working class.

The answer is not to let them bear the brunt of these attacks by themselves. The whole of the trade union movement must be organised to take action and the TUC be forced to call an all-out General Strike.

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Post workers ready for action

POSTAL workers leaders are expected to vote in favour of industrial action on Tuesday following a recommendation yesterday by an executive sub-committee to reject a 4.4 per cent pay offer.

Union of Communication Workers general secretary Alan Tiffin last night said he would be recommending

strike action to cause 'maximum inconvenience' at Tuesday's executive meeting.

The union executive has an official mandate from its annual conference to take industrial action if the pay offer does not meet the annual rate of inflation — now standing at 5.2 per cent.

● THE NUR railworkers union has condemned the decision by the British Rail Board to offer contracts for locomotives to private industry for the first time.

An order for 25 light diesel multiple units — out of a total of 75 — has been placed outside the British Rail workshops with the

Alexander and Company coachbuilders in Falkirk, Scotland.

The announcement follows only a few days after BR declared that 2,000 men at British Rail Engineering Limited (BREL) workshops in Glasgow, Swindon and Derby would lose their jobs.

Unite Bathgate and pit men

COMMENT

BY SIMON PIRANI

THE SIT-IN at BL's Bathgate factory in Scotland ended on Thursday after a narrow vote taken at a mass meeting. One young worker summed up the feelings of many when he said: 'This is not the end, no one is going to vote my job away.'

According to the Tory 'Glasgow Herald' leaders of the Scottish TUC were 'stunned and angry'. Scottish transport union secretary Hugh Wyper, a leading Communist Party member, 'condemned' the decision as 'disastrous'.

If Mr Wyper and other Stalinists in the STUC are 'stunned' at the decision it only means they have forgotten their own record of betrayal which preceded it. Their class collaboration politics have constantly encouraged the Tory onslaught against Scottish industry.

● FIRST there was the Upper Clyde shipyards, where the much-vaunted 'work-in' ended with 2500 jobs lost.

● THEN came Singers Clydebank, Massey Fer-



Unity with the miners, seen above picketing at Ravenscraig, is essential for the Bathgate struggle

gusons, and the Invergor-don smelter. Bedlay, Kin-neil and Cardowan collieries closed. In each case the STUC 'deplored' the loss of jobs, lodged the 'strongest possible protest' with Tory Scottish Secretary George Younger, or recommended that workers write to their MPs.

When the steelworks were savaged after the 1981 strike, STUC worthies joined churchmen and businessmen in a 'Save

Scottish Steel' campaign. Parkhead Forge and Clydesdale went; so did most of Clydebridge and the Calder works.

When the Tories sold off the Lower Clyde shipyard this year, another STUC 'joint campaign' came and went.

Now the Tory threat hangs over Bathgate, the STUC has appeared again to set up a 'co-ordinating committee', meeting in Glasgow on Wednesday.

'In addition to STUC leaders, the meeting will be attended by representatives of the churches, local authorities, the Scottish Council of Development Industry and other interested and influential bodies,' drooled the 'Herald'.

What all the STUC 'initiatives' have in common is that they smother the politically independent movement of the working class. The Stalinists seek

Upward jobless trend

HARD-core unemployment rose by 17,700 in May, the fifth increase in the last six months.

The seasonally-adjusted figure — which gives the underlying trend — now stands at 3,028,600.

The unadjusted unemployment figure, including school leavers, fell by 23,225 in May to 3,084,457 or 12.9 per cent of the workforce.

Although there was a reported 42,102 decrease in adult unemployment, there was a 18,877 increase in school leavers out of work.

But the drop in adult unemployment was far less than the usual seasonal decline of 60,000 expected in May, thus producing the upward step in the hard core total.

Worsened

It is estimated that a further 440,000 people are not counted as unemployed because they are on various government schemes.

If the last six months are compared with the previous six months unemployment trends have worsened.

In the six months from December to May seasonally adjusted unemployment has increased on average by 15,000 a month, compared with an average monthly increase of 4,000 in the previous six months.

The jobless total is certain to rise throughout the summer. Between June and August it is expected that about 200,000 new school leavers will swell the unemployment total.

But until September the summer school leavers do not qualify for state benefit, and are therefore counted separately.

to choke that movement by subordinating it to single-issue, class-collaborationist 'popular front'-style protests.

Now that the miners are in an all-out battle against the Tories and their Bonapartist state, the Stalinists are desperately trying to limit it to a sectional dispute, instead of raising the question of united General Strike action against Thatcher.

The fight for Bathgate must not be strangled, but brought together with that of the miners as part of the General Strike. The decision of Thursday's mass meeting, lost by a handful of votes, can be overturned: those Bathgate workers who voted to continue the sit-in should urge their work-mates to come back into the fight.

We invite Leyland workers, miners and others to consider the policies of our party, outlined in the 'Programme for a Workers Revolutionary Government' published in News Line on May 1, attend our ATUA conference in Sheffield on June 30, at which the subject of discussion will be 'the organisation of the General Strike'.

STRIKE NOW WITH MINERS

Livingstone call to unions in struggle

A CALL for London Transport trade unions, health service workers and teachers to take action immediately alongside the miners to defeat the Tory government has come from GLC leader Ken Livingstone.

He spoke of the need to fight the scrapping of the GLC and the Tory take-over of London Transport and the links with the miners' strike for jobs, the teachers' pay dispute and the government attacks on the NHS.

'It would be madness for any other trade union that knows it's going to be in conflict with the government to hold back — they need to advance those conflicts,' he told a

BY PAUL FELDMAN

meeting in Chesterfield on Thursday night.

'Advance those struggles now because this government is starting to be vulnerable — and it can be defeated.'

Livingstone added: 'Have your dispute now, while the government is pre-occupied, while the government is weakened.'

The GLC leader believes that the fight against abolition will involve industrial action, and believes that bus and Tube workers have a key role to play in the capital.

He said: 'Link those struggles, because

if there is a total stoppage of every bus and Tube and train into London, the constriction that would have on the financial sector of London, which is the major concern of this government, and the impact it would have on this government and the economy would force the government to negotiate.

'So what we have to be saying is — look around and bring the teachers into that struggle. Link them up.'

'And don't let's wait until this autumn before we raise the issue of what's being done to defend the health service.'

He added: 'If we could just get a little more from the TUC we could actually defeat this government, because it is now going wrong for them.'



KEN LIVINGSTONE

Another east London hospital to close

ANOTHER east London hospital is to close down with the loss of 131 acute beds in the already deprived area of Tower Hamlets.

The news that St Clements is to shut, announced at a Community Health Council meeting last week, means there will only be one general hospital left in the area.

There will be only the London hospital, Whitechapel, with an accident and emergency service, and Mile End hospital will become a geriatric and psychiatric hospital.

The CHC has called a public meeting for next Monday to discuss ways of fighting the closure, and opponents of the plan will lobby the next meeting of the district health authority on June 14 at Whitechapel hospital.



RONALD REAGAN

Army on standby for Reagan visit

DUBLIN — Irish Premier Garret FitzGerald yesterday put the armed forces on stand-by and cancelled all police leave for four days as President Reagan began his re-election-boosting visit to 'his roots' in Ireland.

FitzGerald took these extraordinary steps following mounting protests at the US president's visit, particularly over America's involvement in Central America and its nuclear arms drive.

There will be massive demonstrations wherever Reagan travels in the Republic. The US secret service have — in collusion with the Dublin government — mounted a huge security operation.

Over 1,000 secret service men and police are expected to be on duty in the grounds of the Ashford Castle Hotel in County Mayo where the Reagan entourage will spend the first two nights of their stay.

Opposition to the visit has come from all sections of Irish society — particularly the trade unions and the Catholic church.

More than 100 priests and nuns started a protest fast in Dublin last night as Reagan's plane touched down at Shannon airport on the west coast.

Many Catholic missionaries have been killed in El Salvador, Honduras and Costa Rica where the American CIA have been extensively involved in counter-revolutionary operations.

Bishop Eamonn Casey has issued several statements in recent weeks stating that he will not be at University College, Galway, later today when Reagan is due to receive an honorary doctorate.

Hundreds of academics throughout the Irish Republic have signed a petition denouncing FitzGerald's decision to award the doctorate.

Address

The biggest embarrassment for Reagan and FitzGerald, however, will probably come in the Irish capital on Monday when the US president is due to address Dail Eireann (the Irish Parliament).

Already leading members of FitzGerald's party, Fianna Gael, have said they will not attend while many more Irish TDs (MPs) from both the Labour Party, the opposition Fianna Fail and the two members of Sinn



GARRET FITZGERALD

Fein-The Workers Party are expected to abstain.

Political observers in Dublin expect the two Workers Party TDs to attend the ceremony at Dail Eireann, but to make verbal protests during Reagan's speech.

The Dublin Council of Trade Unions have organised a mass demonstration to take place through the centre of Dublin. The march will end up outside the government building while the US president is addressing the Dail.

White House officials

have also admitted to being 'concerned' about the Irish trip. It was to have been a 'non-controversial' affair which would receive saturation coverage by the US television networks.

Reagan's aides had seen it as a good 'vote catcher' among the 40 million Americans who can claim some kind of Irish extraction. Now, however, it could prove to be a nightmare for the president and his backers.

Lung cancer death rise among women

LUNG cancer deaths among women will increase during the next decade, according to a forecast made to a 'Women and Smoking' conference in Glasgow yesterday.

More women will die from lung cancer than breast cancer, the conference was told.

Smoking among Scottish women is higher than anywhere else in the UK, with 39 per cent of women facing health risks because of cigarettes.

Dr Elizabeth Wilson told the conference, organised by ASH (Scotland) and the Glasgow 2000 Campaign, that women

faced the same risk of suffering lung cancer as breast cancer.

She warned: 'Those women aged between 55 and 74 who smoke are now more likely to die of lung cancer than of breast cancer — which in the past had always been the bogey.'

Daub arrest at U.S. base

FIVE peace protesters were arrested yesterday inside the Upper Heyford airbase in Oxfordshire after they attempted to daub an F1-11 aircraft with paint and left paint prints splattered across a police car.

A Ministry of Defence spokesman said a man and two women were arrested by US security police as they approached the aircraft armed with paint pots and a man and a woman were arrested by MoD police after an MoD police car was daubed with paint.

Dairy workers seek cash assurance

DAIRY workers yesterday demanded an assurance from the government that they will receive compensation if jobs are lost because of the Common Market's decision to reduce EEC milk production.

Britain has been told to cut output by 6 per cent this year but many farmers will have to reduce yields by up to 25 per cent. The Milk Marketing Board has already drawn up a 'hit list' of creameries to be closed if supplies for processing into butter and cheese are affected.

More than 100,000 people work in the creameries and dairies and they are likely to be the first casualties of the cuts.

Most are members of the shopworkers' union USDAW which yesterday demanded compensation in line with the £50 million which will be made available to dairy farmers.

USDAW national officer Garfield Davies said: 'It is all very well for Agriculture Minister Michael Jopling to offer dairy farmers a vote-catching bribe of £50 million as compensation for the disastrous milk quota arrangements he has agreed, but what about those working in the industry whose jobs are at risk?'

'We expect our members' interests to be protected no less than those of the farmers.'

Four new targets for teachers' action

BRITAIN'S second-biggest teachers' union is to spread its selective strikes to a further four local education authorities next week.

The 120,000-strong National Association of Schoolmasters/Union of Women Teachers said Staffordshire, North Yorkshire and Essex would be affected.

The fourth education authority will be announced today.

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RIGHT: Pickets confronted by a ten-deep police cordon at Orgreave coke works. Behind stands a mounted riot squad ready to charge

BELOW RIGHT: A young miner is carried away by fellow pickets in agony after a charge by mounted police yesterday

BELOW LEFT: One of the 19 strikers violently arrested yesterday

FAR LEFT: An injured miner is treated behind police lines. The helmet belongs to one of the officers

LEFT TOP: Police video cameras on the roof of the coke works . . . part of the massive surveillance operation against pickets



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WORLD
SUMMARYInquiry
into
killing

MEXICO CITY — President Miguel de La Madrid has ordered an inquiry into the killing of Manuel Buendia, one of the country's leading investigative journalists, many of whose articles exposed political corruption. Buendia, 55, was shot on a footpath in the centre of the city on Thursday night.

Flogged

KHARTOUM — An Italian Roman Catholic priest has been publicly flogged for possessing liquor in defiance of Islamic law.

Death

ISTANBUL — A military court has sentenced ten people to death after a trial of 93 members of an extreme underground group known as Tikko.

Floods

BOSTON — Four days of torrential rain and floods, the worst in 50 years, have forced the evacuation of 12,000 people in three New England states.

Envoys

CAIRO — Egypt and the Soviet Union will exchange ambassadors soon, more than two years after expulsion of the last Soviet envoy in Cairo.

Crash

TURIN — A prototype of the AMX fighter-bomber jointly developed by Italy and Brazil crashed during a test flight yesterday.

World News Line

BATTLE INTENSIFIES
OVER 35-HOUR WEEK

BY OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

BONN — The conflict over the 35-hour week in the engineering and printing industry intensified as employers and union leaders tried to reach a new basis for discussion after the breakdown of earlier talks.

Employers on Tuesday locked out 26,300 workers from 16 firms in the Hesse region, bringing the total on strike, locked out or laid off in the three-week-old dispute to over 276,000.

Collapse

The workers were locked out before the collapse of the talks between IG Metall union and management negotiators in Ludwigsberg on Tuesday night.

Talks also broke down over the printing industry in Bad Soden.

Publishers and leaders of the printers' union, IG Druck und Papier (DRUPA), met after an interval of several weeks but declared the attempt a failure after only an hour.

The DRUPA leadership is expected to step up 'warning strikes' to stop all the major newspapers being published.

The chief engineering union negotiator for the North Baden-Wuerttemberg region, Ernst Eisenmann, said his team turned down a

management offer to cut the working week from 40 to 38 hours by 1988.

Management had proposed the cuts only to apply to shift and night workers and the union team had rejected it because only 14 per cent of the industry's labour force would benefit.

Employers' negotiating leader Hans Peter Stihl said that IG Metall had not changed its original demands.

The employers had made concessions by offering earlier retirement and a 3.3 per cent wage rise, along with a two-hour cut in the working week, he said.

Although only the North Baden-Wuerttemberg area was involved in the negotiations, any settlement would set the tone for the whole engineering sector.

Strikes began three weeks ago in the Stuttgart area, mainly in plants producing electrical and mechanical parts for the car industry, and a week later spread to the Frankfurt and Kassel areas of Hesse.

Answer

The employers staged retaliatory lockouts in the original strike area while yesterday's Hesse lockouts were in answer to walkouts in Frankfurt and Kassel.

Ford is the only motor vehicle manufacturer still working. On Tuesday Volkswagen, West Germany's largest firm, stopped production because of a lack of components and sent its workers on holiday for several days.

IG Metall has said it will call 'solidarity strikes' in other areas, while the employers, Gesamtmetall, could impose more lockouts.

The union was due yesterday to ask a Frankfurt court to overturn a Federal Labour Office decision to withhold unemployment benefits from workers laid off outside the strike areas as a result of the dispute.



Printworkers marching outside the Springer works in Kettwig near Essen, minutes before police attacked them

Impossible task
for Peru Cabinet

LIMA — The government has given a new Cabinet the impossible task of trying to chart a way out of its \$13 billion debt crisis.

As the Cabinet began deliberations thousands of teachers, hospital workers and several dozen key industries prepared for a walkout next week unless widening wage rises are granted.

The new Cabinet has been told that although the government supports Bolivia's four-year suspension of debt repayments, Peru will not fol-

low suit.

Peru's economic output has been slashed 15 per cent in the past two years and workers' buying power has been cut by a quarter.

No work

More than 11 million workers have no full-time work in a population of 18.5 million people.

The government of President Fernando Belaunde Terry faces the immediate task of applying for a rescheduling of \$3.5 billion of debt re-

payment due by July next year.

Economics Minister Jose Benavides meets officials from 20 foreign creditor governments grouped in the Paris Club on Monday, when he will ask for a rescheduling of \$1.04 billion over ten years.

'I cannot fail to admit that dealing with the Paris Club will be hard work, Benavides said.

There are certain banks from some countries which have posed difficulties.'

The Paris Club meeting

is likely to be a bitter session because the ten European countries that belong to it themselves face serious crises of unemployment and industrial upheavals, industry closures and economic chaos as a result of soaring US interest rates.

Prospects for a quick agreement to defer \$2.4 billion owed to 280 private foreign banks appear equally uncertain.

These terms involve rescheduling most of the debts over nine years.

Proposal

Peru's leading private creditors have accepted the proposal but have insisted that at least 85 per cent of all debt holders must approve for it to become effective.

The Belaunde Terry government received a \$340 million loan in April from the International Monetary Fund (IMF) after haggling for months over the terms.

The backlash was quick, when workers revolted and forced the resignation of the entire Cabinet and the finance minister.

Belaunde Terry is once again threatened with a wave of public-sector strikes as workers try to win wage rises, in opposition to IMF stipulations, to keep pace with an inflation rate of 115 per cent.

Wall Street investors hit

NEW YORK — There have been heavy losses among Wall Street investors and traders as a result of a slump in the price of government fixed-interest securities.

Investors in 30-year Treasury bonds have lost about 15 per cent of their investment since January and some investors and broking firms are close to failure.

John Heimann, deputy chairman of A.G. Becker Paribas, an investment bank, said the key to the problem was the size of the US budget deficit, which is raising fears about a resurgence of infla-

tion and rising interest rates.

Becker this week shed 200 staff, or about 10 per cent of its workforce, partly in response to the depressed state of the market.

Reduced

Merrill Lynch has reduced worldwide staff numbers by around 1,000 to 43,000 since the Wall Street stock market and fixed-income markets began to fall toward the end of last year.

Prudential-Bache Securities, another major Wall Street firm, is also

cutting staff.

Two other firms, Lion Capital Group and RTD Securities, recently filed for bankruptcy, attributing their problems to losses on the government securities market, where the Treasury borrows to finance the Federal deficit.

Insurance giant March and McLennan has disclosed a pre-tax loss of \$165 million on its bond trading activities while the city of San Jose, California, recently announced a \$60 million loss in the bond market.

One of the problems for the markets has been the

sheer volume of bonds in the inventories of securities firms, which traders have been unable to distribute to investors.

Affected

The near-collapse of Continental Illinois bank has also affected the market. 'Jitters about instability in the banking system are starting to spread to firms operating in the securities market,' said former Treasury official C. Fred Bergsten.

'The markets are fragile and will remain so until there is some attack on the US budget deficit.'

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Four injured in Punjab clash

NEW DELHI — Four people were injured yesterday when militant Sikhs exchanged fire with paramilitary forces near the Golden Temple of Amritsar in the Punjab.

In the south-western state of Maharashtra, where hundreds have died in clashes between Moslems and Hindus, Moslem leaders asked for military protection during the fasting month of Ramadan.

Punjab deputy police chief Gurbachan Jagat said members of the Border Security Force (BSF) came under fire when Sikhs near the temple perimeter opened up with an assortment of guns.

The BSF forces sealed off roads leading to the temple during sporadic and sometimes heavy shooting.

The four injured were taken to hospital with serious bullet wounds.

The Indira Gandhi government was preparing new emergency measures to deal with a plan by Sikh political leaders to blockade grain supplies to the rest of the country.

The Sikhs' main political party, the Akali Dal, said it would start the blockade tomorrow.

Gandhi yesterday asked Punjab government officials to mobilise security forces to forcibly halt the campaign.

In Maharashtra, thousands of Moslems gathered at mosques yesterday to mark the beginning of the month-long Ramadan fast.

Moslem leaders asked the state government to use the army, sent to enforce curfew regulations, to quell Hindu threats during the month.

'Moslems are vulnerable targets during this period because their religious activity takes place at night,' G M Banatwalla, Moslem parliamentary and secretary-general of the Indian Moslem League, said.

Moslem confidence in the police had been shaken during the riots and they would feel insecure if the army were withdrawn, he said.

Bombay police official Sudhakar Dev said he did not expect trouble but the police were 'prepared for any eventuality'.

IRAN DOWNS IRAQI PLANE

TEHRAN — Iran shot down an Iraqi plane raiding Tabriz oil refinery in the north-west yesterday.

It was the second raid by the Iraqis, who attacked Tabriz and Khorramabad, about 140 miles inside Iranian territory, on Thursday night.

Five civilians were wounded when the Iraqi aircraft strafed the Tabriz area and the Iraqi pilot was killed in the crash.

IRNA, the Iranian news agency, said a small reservoir of petroleum residue had caught fire but it was brought under control after an hour. Damage was minor.

Iraq claimed success in the Khorramabad raid and damage to an oil pumping station.

The Tabriz refinery is Iran's fourth-largest, with a capacity of 80,000 barrels of oil a day in 1980.

Tehran radio said several Iraqi aircraft had tried to raid the Khorramabad pumping station but had been driven off and jettisoned their bombs without causing any damage.

Majlis Speaker Hojatollah Hashemi Rafsanjani was quoted by the radio as saying the 44-month war had reached a 'sensitive and highly fateful stage'.

'The operations which are to take place on the battlefields will determine the fate of the war,' he told artillery and de-

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fence personnel in Tehran.

Diplomats in Tehran expected the Majlis to authorise a ground offensive to coincide with the Moslem fasting month of Ramadan, which began yesterday.

Rafsanjani warned against US intervention in the Gulf and threatened the masses would make it impassable.

'Our people will go to the Persian Gulf in groups and make it insecure,' he said.

'If we decide to damage the Persian Gulf oil installations, we shall do so in such a way that they (the US) would not be able to rebuild them in the near future.'

Iraq's ruling Ba'ath Party newspaper 'Al-Thawra' said Baghdad would destroy Iran Kharg Island oil terminal in the northern part of the Gulf if Tehran launched a new offensive.

Iraqi spokesmen said their aircraft had hit 'accurately and effectively' the targets in both raids on Thursday.



Iranian fighter . . . war has reached 'fateful stage'

London protest against Zia

EXILED opponents of military rule in Pakistan will demonstrate against US collaboration with the Zia-ul-Haq regime next Thursday.

The committee of exiles of the Pakistan Peoples Party in Britain is organising a picket of the US embassy in London at noon on Thursday, to coincide with President Reagan's arrival for a seven-nation economic summit.

Committee member Aftab Gul, the former Pakistan Test cricketer, told News Line that exiles in Britain were particularly concerned about recent attempts by the US to drag Pakistan into war in the Gulf, or in Afghanistan.

'The danger to the Pakistani people is that US military involvement in the Gulf, and the use of the Rapid Deployment Force, can only consolidate military rule in Pakistan,' he said.

'We are concerned that Pakistan is now being used by the United States to oppose the revolution in Iran.'

'We have seen that when US vice-President George Bush was allowed to speak against the Iranian government from Pakistani soil.'

'Yet Iran is a friendly country to Pakistan and we have many ties through trade, culture and religion. We should not be involved in a war with their people.'

'This is the danger of the US role in Pakistan, which is welcomed by Zia.'

Seamen keep coal ban

BRISBANE — Australian seamen defied the Queensland state government yesterday and continued their ban on coal shipments to Britain.

Seamen's union acting federal secretary Pat Sweetensen said support for the British miners' strike was a matter of

class solidarity and internationalism.

'We've been asked by the British seamen's and miners' unions to ban all coal for the duration of their miners' strike and we intend to do that,' he said.

Queensland's National Liberal Tory coalition de-

puty-premier William Gunn called on Prime Minister Hawke's Labour government to force the seamen to shift the coal.

Gunn said A\$50 million of orders for Queensland coal had already been lost, and the Polish government were supplying the British government

Hawke backs uranium lobby

CANBERRA — The Labour government of Prime Minister Bob Hawke will go on mining uranium 'to contribute to world peace'.

Hawke, a trenchant pro-uranium lobbyist before he became party leader and Prime Minister, has been given the

advice by the Australian Science and Technology Council.

The council says Australia, which has one of the largest uranium reserves in the world, can best contribute to world peace by expanding its production and sales of the radioactive metal to

compensate for shortages of energy resources.

One of Hawke's first moves after winning office in the March general elections last year was to approve the multi-billion Roxby Downs mine in South Australia.

He has presented the study to parliament

Lebanon erupts

BEIRUT — Four people were killed and 40 wounded as new fighting broke out yesterday between right-wing and Moslem militias in the Lebanese capital.

The fighting erupted shortly after the Rashid Karami government of

'national unity' announced a Syrian-sponsored plan reducing right-wing representation in parliament.

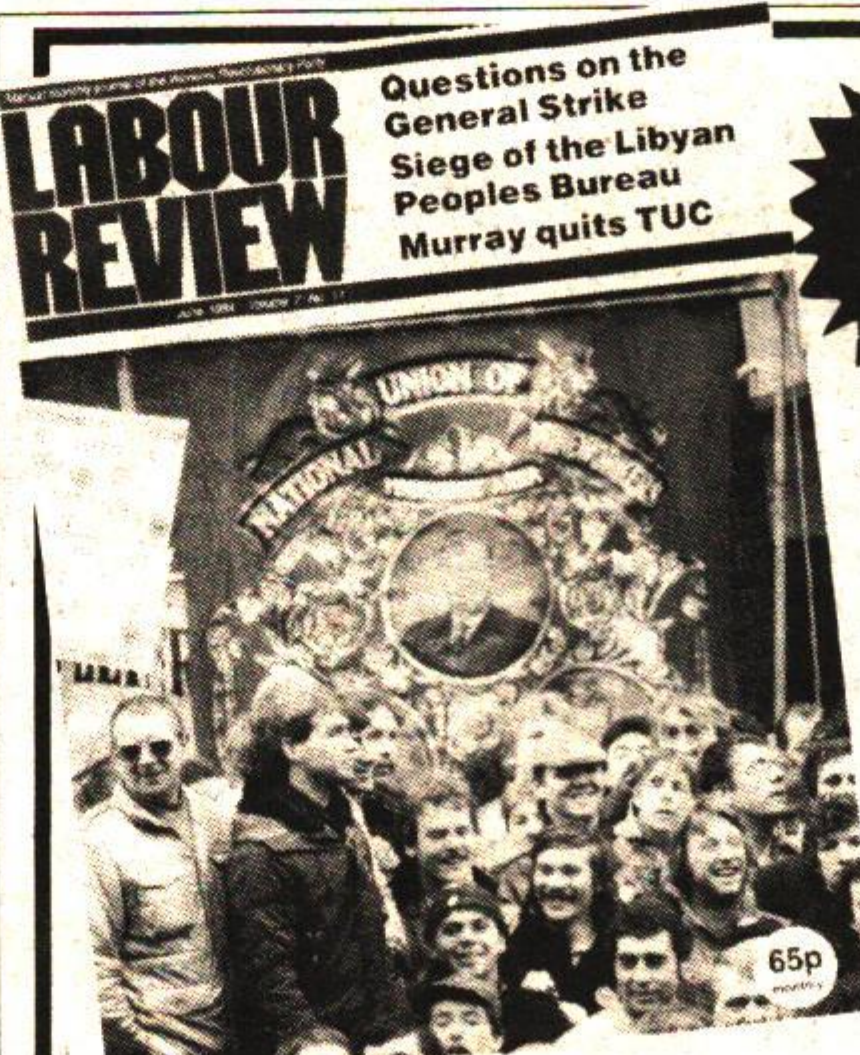
Clashes raged all along the 'green line' and the presidential palace in Baabda came under fire.

A spokesman for the Druze Progressive Socialist Party said the firing was started by the army 'perhaps to sabotage the parliamentary meeting'.

It had taken the government three weeks to come up with a policy statement and 12 more days before the House agreed to meet.

Parliament was adjourned for five days after a one-hour session yesterday.

At least 50 Lebanese have been killed and 400 wounded since the cabinet was formed three weeks ago.



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Mines: No state compromise

ALTHOUGH talks have opened between the miners' union and the Coal Board, yesterday's events at Orgreave coke plant, with further police charges against miners, show that the state is in no mood for a compromise.

The picket line attacks by the police follow a declaration by Coal Board chairman Ian MacGregor on Wednesday — the eve of the secret talks — that there could be no retraction of management plans to close pits and destroy jobs.

The police have again discussed the use of Riot Act laws while unleashing baton-wielding mounted police against unarmed miners. And Thatcher has denounced 'mob rule' in an effort to whip up a witch-hunt against miners picketing the coke plant.

These are hardly actions which hint at a coming retreat by the Thatcher dictatorship. Rather, spurred by the looming economic crisis, which is driving down share values and threatens an increase in interest rates, the government are preparing an even more savage attack on the miners.

The Tory government seeks to destroy the miners' union as the first step in the breaking of all trade unions to pave the way for corporatist state control and the introduction of further mass unemployment and wage-cuts.

The role of the courts, the police, the press and the Coal Board over the last 12 weeks, all co-ordinated by Thatcher's Bonapartist dictatorship, point inescapably to this end.

Everything about the secret talks therefore stinks of Tory treachery, duplicity and dirty tricks.

For example, yesterday's Tory press carried banner headlines saying that there was 'hope of a settlement' in the miners' strike. The reports eagerly made out that the union leaders were ready to accept closure of uneconomic pits and redundancies.

And yet, at a public rally called in support of the miners in north London on Thursday night, NUM president Arthur Scargill declared that while the union and the Coal Board had exchanged their positions: 'Arthur Scargill and the National Union of Mineworkers will not accept pit closures or redundancies.'

Scargill's speech — calling for 'moral, financial and physical support' for the miners, and demanding the withdrawal of the pit closure programme — got scant attention in the press or on television.

The intention of the ruling class in this deliberate burial of Scargill's speech is to isolate the miners, and to try and demoralise them and their supporters.

Meanwhile, two leading officers of the union — the president of Kent NUM and the vice-president of North Derbyshire NUM — are in jail, over 2,500 face criminal charges, and one miner has died on the picket line.

As Scargill said in Islington, if anything should move the rest of the trade union movement into action — this state operation against a union fighting for the whole working class should be grounds enough.

Miners and their millions of supporters should beware the current talks — they may be a calculated trap to give the enemy time to manoeuvre and attempt to bleed the strike to death by sowing confusion and delaying any escalation of action.

But strike action in support of the miners should be organised immediately by those unions which have pledged their backing in the struggle for jobs.

Nothing can be gained by delaying strike action in support of the miners to await the outcome of talks — which may be a trap.



SMASH BOTHA'S

Statement by the Political Committee

THE WORKERS Revolutionary Party and the Young Socialists denounce the visit to Britain by P.W. Botha, the racist butcher of South Africa, as a deepening of the counter-revolutionary alliance between British imperialism and the Pretoria regime.

Thatcher's state invitation to Botha is an open endorsement of the racist apartheid system, his regime's relentless execution of African freedom fighters, the systematic use of torture and terror against political opponents, the mass deportation of Africans to starvation and disease in so-called 'homelands' and the barbaric exploitation of the black working class.

Labour and Tory governments have maintained unofficial economic and political ties with the Pretoria regime since it walked out of the British Commonwealth 23 years ago this week.

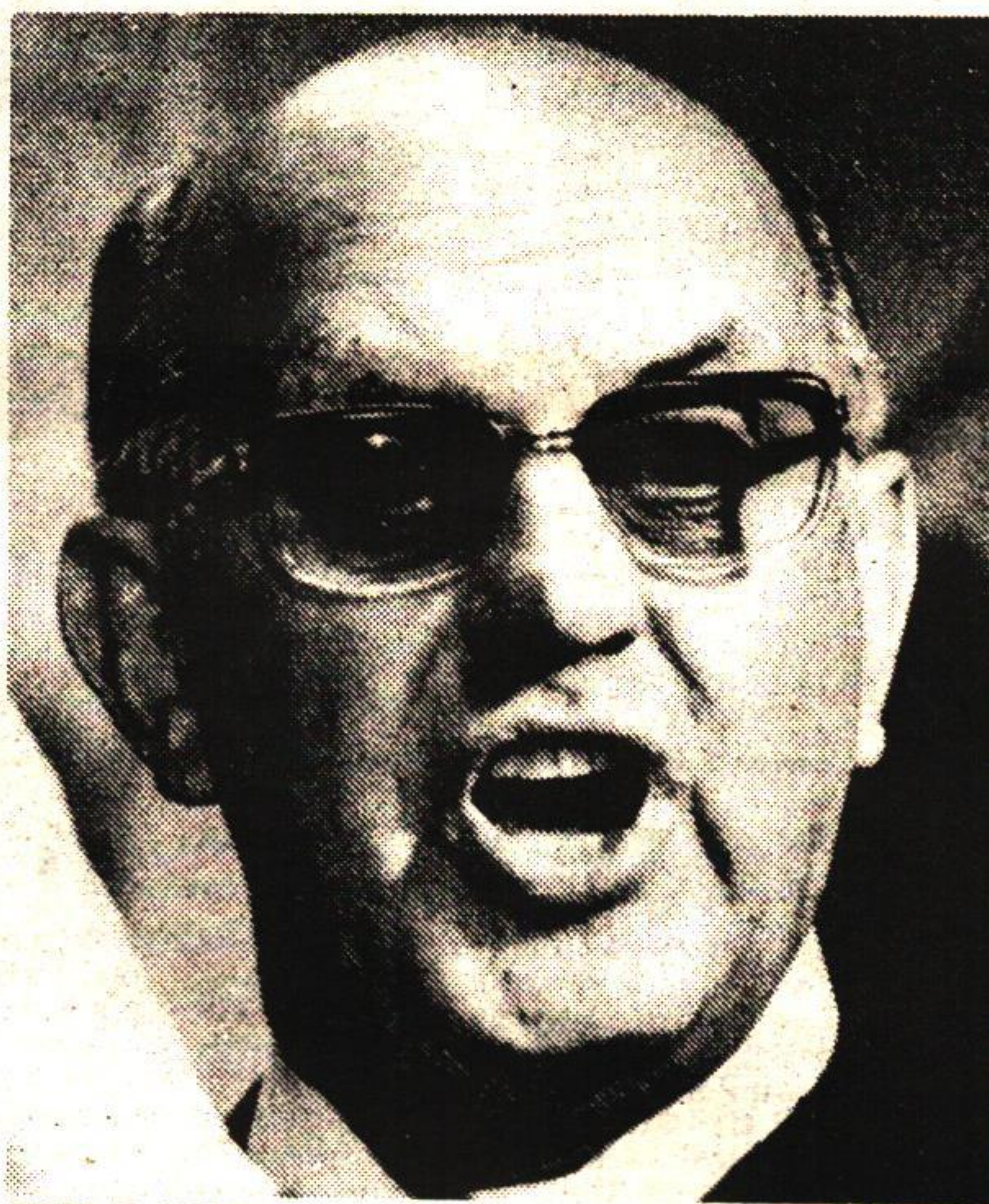
But the Thatcher Bonapartist dictatorship has decided to make an open declaration of its support for the racist tyranny in South Africa.

It will delight the National Front and the racists who have swollen the ranks of the Conservative Party since Thatcher took charge and the armed forces chiefs whose hatred of the African masses and anti-communism is matched only by the Boers.

But it is chiefly addressed to Thatcher's friends in the City of London who want the removal of niggling, but entirely ineffective, sanctions so they can embark on unrestricted investment in South Africa.

Investment

Thatcher's desire to meet Botha is entirely explicable. At a time when British banks are reeling from the effects of the debt crisis South Africa, with its incredibly cheap labour and plentiful natu-



PIETER BOTHA

ral resources offers an incomparable haven for investment.

As David Pallister remarked in 'The Guardian': 'The average British return has been put at 21 per cent, higher even than Hong Kong or Singapore where cheap, abundant and relatively unorganised labour is also present.' (June 1, 1984)

The total value of British investment — whose watchdog is Botha and his generals — is estimated roughly in the region of £11 billion. Over 500 British firms are closely and inseparably linked to the South African economy and benefit directly from the monstrous exploitation and repression of 16 million colonial slaves.

Without their capital exports the racist power structure and the degradation of the Bantu people could not exist. The meeting of Thatcher and Botha gives an almost prophetic ring to Trotsky's analysis of the

interdependence of London and Pretoria:

'The overthrow of British imperialism in South Africa is just as indispensable for the triumph of socialism in South Africa as it is for Great Britain.' ('Writings of Leon Trotsky 1934-35' Pathfinder, p.249)

Botha's eight-nation tour of Western Europe is also connected with the global war preparations of US imperialism and NATO. South Africa is being groomed to take its place alongside a worldwide chain of counter-revolutionary regimes of the so-called 'free world' including Israel and the military juntas of South Korea, Pakistan, Turkey and Chile.

Legitimacy

Reagan and Thatcher's plan is to make the Pretoria regime an associate member of NATO and to use it as a southern base for naval surface, sub-

marine and air operations in the Indian Ocean and the South Atlantic.

When he was Defence Minister in the 1970s Botha was responsible for organising the close links with the Israeli regime which led to both these racist states joining the nuclear club.

We denounce the imperialist Socialist Party leaders, President Francois Mitterrand of France and Prime Minister Mario Soares of Portugal, both NATO stooges, who are hosting Botha during his tour to give legitimacy to his blood-drenched regime.

But none is more important than today's one-day visit to Chequers to meet Thatcher. It will set the seal on increased political, economic and trade arrangements between the racist dictatorship and Thatcher's Bonapartist dictatorship, and will lead to an increase in the export of arms to Pretoria, especially military aircraft.

We condemn the Tory press propaganda which suggests that Thatcher is going to 'speak out' against the apartheid policy when she meets Botha. She won't, and even if she did, the racist hangman would not take the slightest notice.

Consistent

This was made perfectly clear in a Johannesburg radio broadcast on May 29. It hailed Botha's visit to Western Europe as 'another vital milestone in modern South African diplomacy', adding:

'Although various officials in European countries have said that South Africa's internal policies will be on the agenda, it can be accepted that this will be only a small part of what the leaders have to discuss with Prime Minister Botha.'

However, in this regard the message from South Africa has been

consistent and clear: this country devises internal policies which suit the unique situation in which South Africa finds itself.

The South African Prime Minister P.W. Botha is not going to Europe cap-in-hand. Through the years this country has survived and prospered despite everything that was thrown against her and this has been because of her policies and not despite them.'

Botha is making his own demands on Thatcher. He is demanding the shutdown of the African National Congress (ANC) and Pan Africanist Congress (PAC) offices in London, saying that they are 'terrorist' bases against South Africa.

Botha's trip to gain the blessing of the West European imperialists is the climax of a massive shift in the liberation struggle in southern Africa and the class struggle inside South Africa itself.

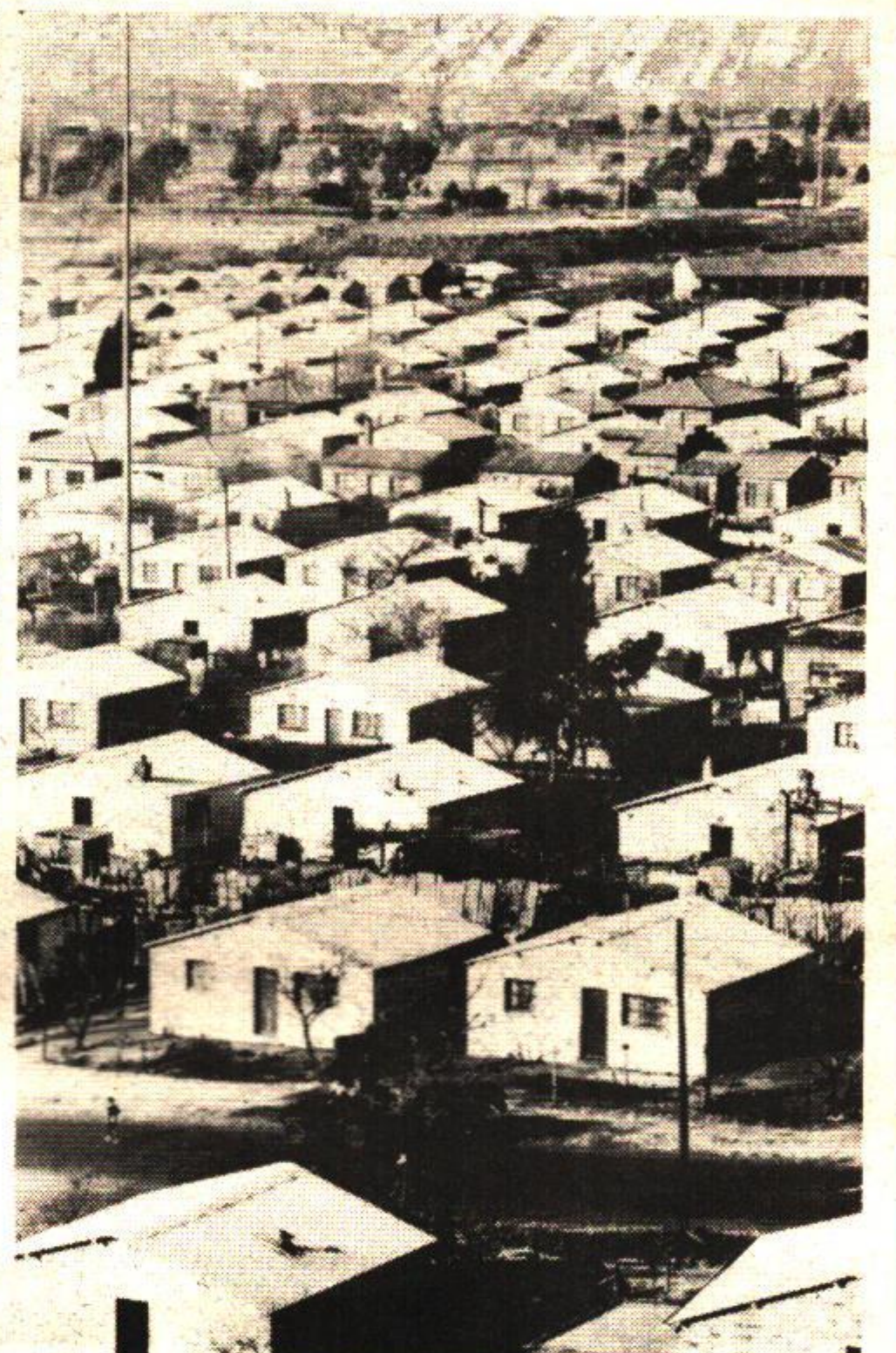
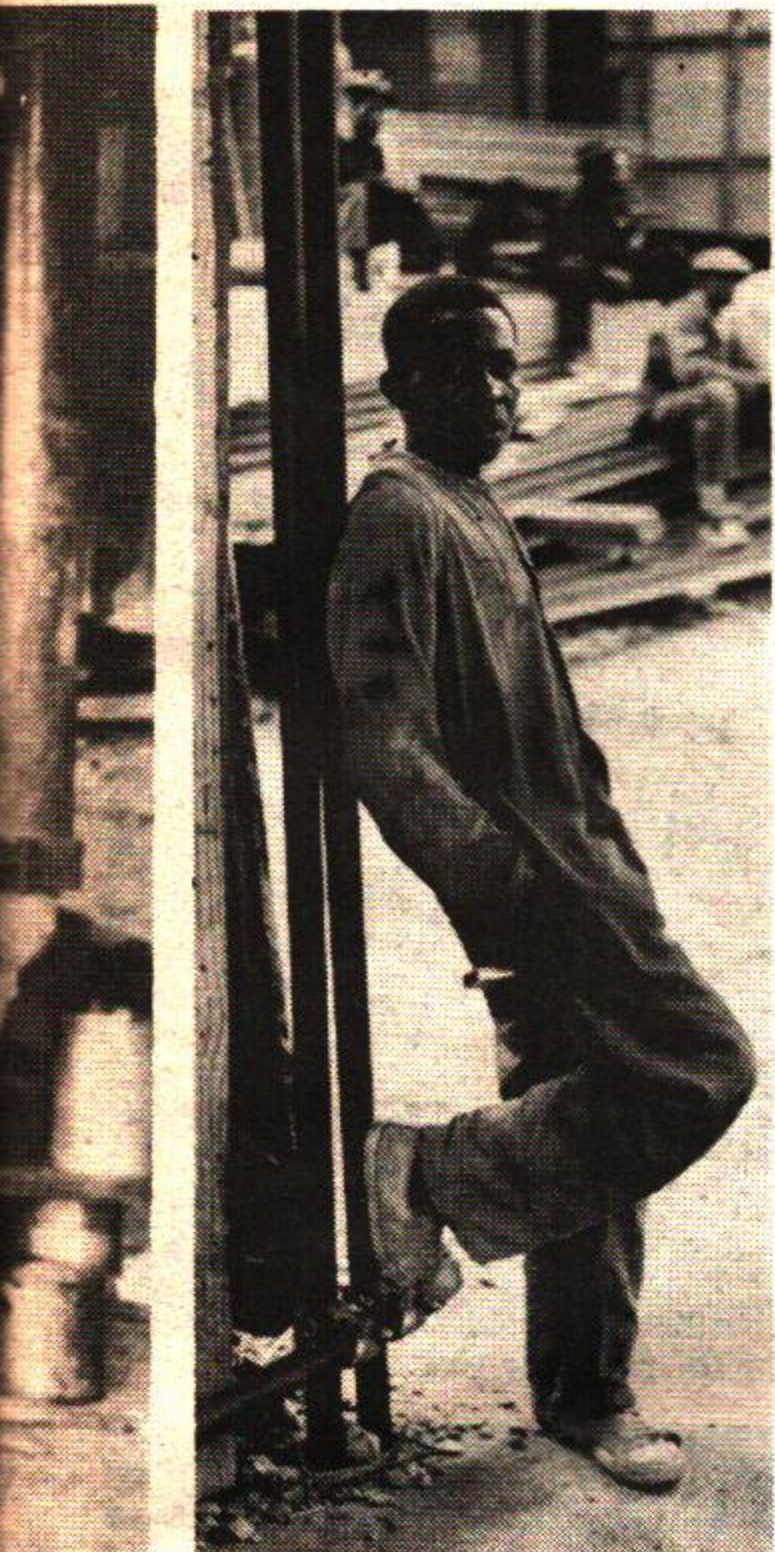
It results from the protracted counter-offensive waged by the Pretoria regime after the collapse of Portuguese colonialism in 1975 and the victory of the national liberation movements in Angola and Mozambique.

From that time the South African bourgeoisie has been conducting a military and economic struggle to destabilise the so-called 'front-line' states and bring the national bourgeois regimes to their knees. In the last six months, this ruthless policy has succeeded.

Agreement

When the front line heads of state met in Arusha, Tanzania, on April 29 they agreed publicly for the first time to end support for the armed struggle against the Botha regime and reiterated their strong preference for apartheid to be brought to an end by peaceful means.

The summit meeting



RACIST DICTATORSHIP

of the Workers Revolutionary Party, June 1, 1984

welcomed the troop withdrawal agreement reached between Angola and the South African regime as well as the Nkomati security treaty signed on March 16 by President Samora Machel of Mozambique and Botha. This decision was taken in the presence of and with the agreement of ANC president Oliver Tambo and SWAPO president Sam Nujoma.

When Mozambique's People's Assembly unanimously endorsed the treaty with Pretoria in mid-April the debate was attended throughout by Moses Mabhida, secretary general of the South African Communist Party and a member of the ANC executive.

This provides the proof of the Stalinist complicity in the betrayals of the national liberation fighters and the working class living under the jackboot of Botha's regime in South Africa.

In the wake of the Nkomati agreement, ANC cadres have been deported from Mozambique and Swaziland by the hundreds. Four were taken from prison in Swaziland and handed over to the South African police while 30 have been shot and killed by Swazi police in raids on the homes of political refugees.

In other 'front line' states the persecution of ANC and PAC personnel is being stepped up, with government officials telling them to stop all political activity or face deportation. Officials of the liberation movements have been forced to travel north to Ethiopia to plead for political asylum.

The implications of the Nkomati compromise are already being made apparent in Zimbabwe.

The South African Defence Ministry is now encouraging the counter-revolutionary Mozambique National Resistance (MNR) to conduct terrorist military operations in southern Zimbabwe.

'If the current UN reports are correct, it would mean that South Africa has resumed covert attempts to destabilise left-wing neighbours that it publicly forswore after the abortive Seychelles coup in 1981.' (Newsweek, June 4, 1984)

Perspective

But the ANC leadership has made no condemnation of the counter-revolutionary activities of the 'front-liners'. On the contrary, they have endorsed the summit decisions and they have welcomed the Nkomati treaty as a 'victory in the struggle for peace'.

On May 22 Thabo Mbeki, a member of the ANC executive, said in Maputo: 'The ANC and Frelimo have the same perspective with regards to the total liberation of the African continent, and the ANC and Frelimo have the same perspective in terms of building a society in our region of peace, of equality between peoples and mutually beneficial co-operation.'

'The ANC and Frelimo have always underlined these relations, which is why the ANC and Frelimo have always been allies. Nothing has changed on this position and therefore the relations between the ANC and Mozambique remain unchanged.'

'The attitude of one party to the other remains unchanged. So, in short, there is not any problem in the relations between Mozambique and the ANC.'

Since the Nkomati treaty-signing on March 16, the Mozambique government has drastically switched its policy. On April 18 the Council of Ministers chaired by President Machel announced the start of negotiations to join the International Monetary Fund and the World Bank.

This coincided with a

statement in parliament by Botha that he was prepared to encourage investment by the South African private sector in Mozambique on two conditions. They were that investors should receive the assurance that their undertakings will not be nationalised and that guarantees can be given for their physical safety.

This was followed by a visit to Maputo by the chairman of the South African Chamber of Commerce, Mr P. Dankwerts, and 30 South African businessmen, and another official visit by the chairman of the South African Tourist Board.

On May 3 the Mozambique government signed a treaty with the Pretoria regime to supply power to South Africa for the next 32 years from the giant Cabora Bassa hydro-electric scheme. And on May 4, Thatcher announced she was inviting Botha to Britain, the first visit by a South African premier since 1961.

The attitude of the ANC underlines again the political and economic impotency of the extremely stunted African bourgeois and its petty bourgeois allies — who are politically sustained by the bankrupt policy of South African and world Stalinism and live in perpetual fear of a new proletarian uprising greater and more violent than Soweto.

Demonstrate

Only weeks before the infamous Nkomati treaty — Africa's Munich — the South African Stalinist journal with incomparable cynicism and impudence was trumpeting the non-existent virtues of the native African ruling bourgeois elite:

'It is to the credit of the front-line states that all without exception have insisted on the right to provide asylum for political refugees from South Africa. All reject and condemn apartheid...'

'Every government in

the front-line states has been faced since independence with war or threat of war from South Africa. Not all have been able to demonstrate an equal measure of practical support for our liberation movement, but on the other hand not one has sold out to Pretoria despite the threats and the handsome bribes on offer.' ('African Communist', No.95, Fourth Quarter, 1983)

This policy is complemented within the Union with the formation of the United Democratic Front — a loose coalition of bourgeois and petty bourgeois groups with thoroughly reformist aims.

As the Stalinist organ declares: 'The decision taken at the conference in Johannesburg at the beginning of August (1983) to establish the United Democratic Front on a national basis has brought together the separate strands of opposition to this proposed new constitution which had emerged in the main centres of the country.'

'The UDF, which unites people of all national groups at grass roots level, has called all organisations to join the fight for a programme of minimum demands for a future South Africa free of racism and oppression.' (ibid. p.9)

Nowhere does this programme include the demand for the expropriation of imperialist capital, nationalisation of mines and land and a radical redistribution of the land.

Coalition

Not only that. The ANC and Stalinists try to maintain a precarious bridge between the emerging black middle class represented in the National African Chamber of Commerce (NAFCOC) and their white backers on the one side and the militant

African working class on the other.

Thus they specifically reject black majority rule and talk glibly of a 'multi-racial solution', i.e. a bourgeois coalition of black and white parties defending the imperialist monopolies and preserving the strategic bases for world imperialism as well as their sources of strategic raw materials.

The only group fighting for black majority rule is Azapo — Azanian Peoples Organisation.

Botha, on the other hand, personifies the union of Boer ruthlessness and bourgeois shrewdness. He realises the necessity for wooing the black and brown bourgeoisie and petty-bourgeoisie and creating a social buffer — even at the cost of alienating the extreme right wing Afrikaaner Volkswag.

This idea — mooted before by Smuts and Oppenheimer — was anathema to the dominant ruling group of Afrikaners for decades but is now becoming fashionable under Botha and is expressed in the constitution of the proposed 'Southern African Development Bank' and other measures.

Chauvinism

None of these however signifies a basic change and improvement in the political representation of blacks in the Union government. Exclusive white control of the state apparatus and government machinery remains the foundation of South African capitalism.

Thus the question of the liberation from national and social oppression means for the African masses, first of all, the armed overthrow of Botha's dictatorship and the creation of a black Republic of Workers and Peasants — and not the 'multi-racial' utopia of the ANC.

Only those who pursue

this policy can claim to be consistent and implacable foes of the white racist dictatorship of Botha. Anything else smacks of white chauvinism and class collaboration.

To oppose Botha is to continue the line indicated by Trotsky in 1934:

'We must accept decisively and without any reservations the complete and unconditional right of the blacks to independence.'

'Only on the basis of a mutual struggle against the domination of the white exploiters can the solidarity of black and white toilers be cultivated and strengthened.'

'It is possible that after victory the blacks will find it unnecessary to form a separate black state in South Africa. Certainly we will not force them to establish a separate state. But let them make this decision freely, on the basis of their own experience, and not forced by the sjambok (whip) of the white oppressors.' ('Writings of Leon Trotsky 1934-35', p250-251)

The Workers Revolutionary Party will — despite its differences with the ANC, PAC and the South African Communist Party — continue its campaign to defend these organisations from Botha's police and will, ceaselessly, fight to secure the release of all political prisoners in South Africa.

But this struggle it must be pointed out cannot be reconciled by ceremonial visits to No.10 and fervent appeals to Thatcher's 'conscience' to dissuade Botha or even to dissociate from him.

To do this is to peddle the illusion that imperialism and its more extreme expression — apartheid — can be reformed by moral pressure and verbal gestures — precisely at the time when Thatcher and Botha are planning a series of body blows at the British and South African working class.

Release

South African workers and peasants will have nothing but contempt for Bishop Huddleston and the Anti-Apartheid's obsequious attitude to the Thatcher regime which is universally detested for its open support for every reactionary dictatorship in the world.

While welcoming the release of David Kitson — and the possible release of Nelson Mandela — the Workers Revolutionary Party believes that these gestures will not change the character and content of South African imperialism.

So long as British and US monopolies own and control the mineral wealth of South Africa and subordinate, distort and retard the economic development of the Union to satisfy their profit hunger, so long too will the ulcer of racist oppression, degradation and hunger remain.

Moral outrage against Botha will do nothing to assist the African working class in its struggle for land and political freedom. Nor will it prevent the Stalinists and the ANC from binding their interests in a 'multi-racial' straitjacket.

The only effective aid to South African self-determination is the struggle to overthrow British imperialism in its metropolitan centre.

We urge anti-imperialist workers and youth to join the Workers Revolutionary Party, the British section of the International Committee of the Fourth International (ICFI) — the nucleus of the world party of socialist revolution.

We call for the building of the WRP and the ICFI as part of the international struggle against British imperialism and its Stalinist and reformist agencies.

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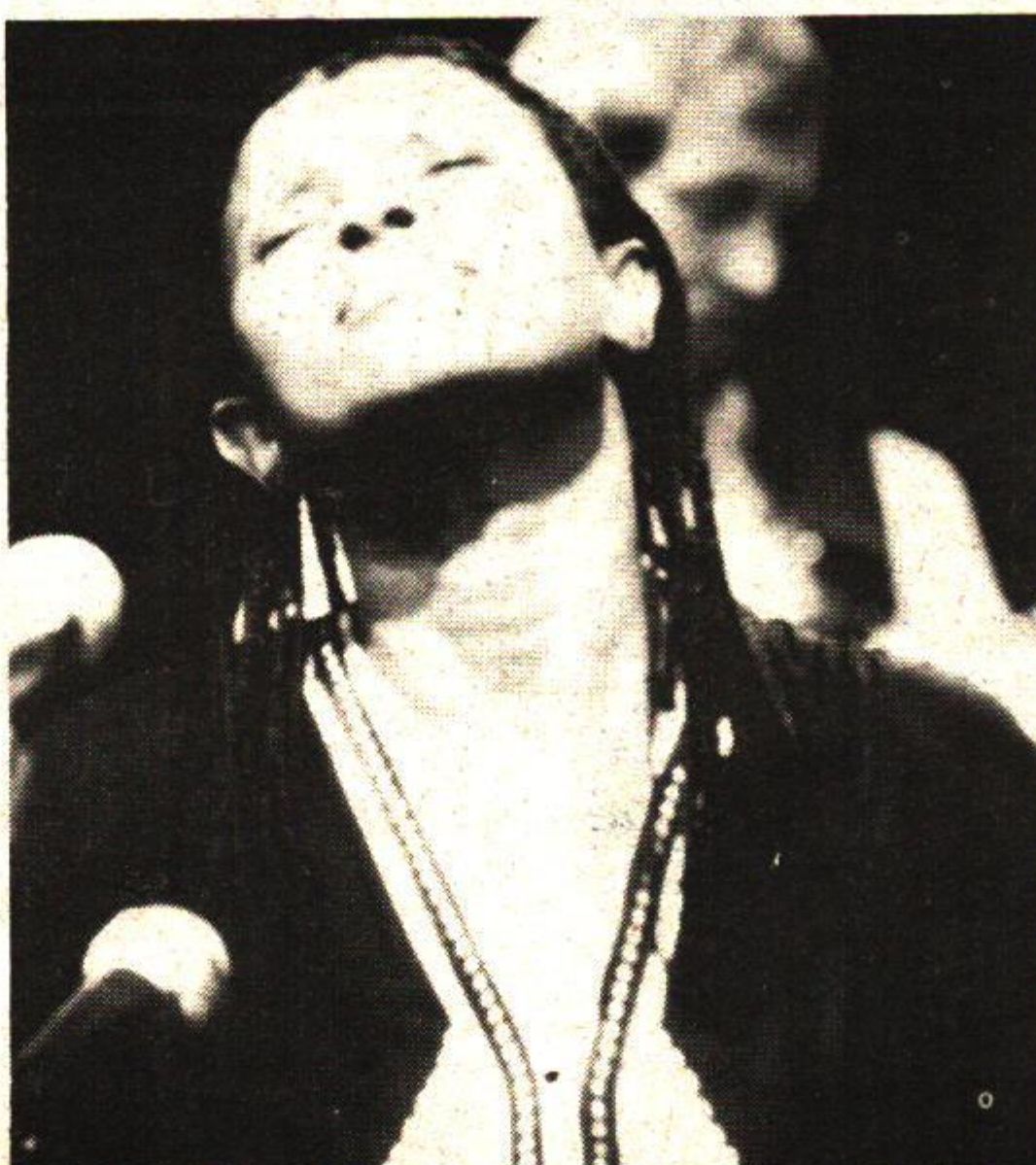
10.45 NEWS ON TWO Weather

10.50 INTERNATIONAL CRICKET Highlights from Trent Bridge with England v West Indies

11.20 THE TWILIGHT ZONE *A World of his Own* With Keenan Wynn as Gregory West, a playwright who seems to mix up imagination and reality

11.50 Closedown

SATURDAY



Singer Pinise Saul is amongst South African exiles working in Britain featured in 'Bacchanal' on 4 at 10



'Who Dares Wins a Racehorse', 11.05 on channel 4

CHANNEL 4

1.30 MANSCAPE *Cities in Crisis* Final programme in the urban landscape series. Neil Cossons uses Birmingham, the West Midlands and the Black Country to examine the growth of the town and its relationship to the countryside

2.00 OBJECTIVE BURMA! (1944) Account of an attack on a Japanese radar station in Burma in World War II. With Errol Flynn, James Brown, William Prince, George Tobias and Henry Hull

4.35 BUFFALO BILL

5.05 BROOKSIDE

6.00 EAR SAY This week's news, gossip, interviews, videos and live bands with Nicky Horne, Gary Crowley and Lesley-Ann Jones

7.00 NEWS SUMMARY and weather; followed by

SEVEN DAYS

7.30 UNION WORLD Anne Lester reports on the unions fighting to recruit in new technology areas as traditional industries go into decline, looking in particular at EETPU and ASTMS

8.00 CERVANTES Spanish/Italian series recreating the life of Miguel Cervantes (Julian Mateos); the 16th-century author of 'Don Quixote'. Cervantes languishes in Algiers, captive of the pirate Dali-Mami, and waiting for his luck to change

9.00 THE AVENGERS *Homicide and Old Lace*

10.00 BACCHANAL *Exiles* Tonight features a number of exiled South African artists now working in Britain, including Pikita Ntuli, a sculptor held in solitary confinement in the racist regime, and a poet, a painter, dancers and musicians

11.05 WHO DARES WINS A Racehorse Live satirical comedy

12.05 THE UNDYING MONSTER (1942) Horror movie with James Ellison as a Scotland Yard detective investigating a series of strange killings

1.15 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 Basketball: The NBA Finals (Game 1); 12.45 News from ITN; followed by Australian Pools Check; 12.55 World Championship Boxing: The WBA Lightweight Championship; 1.20 The ITV Six: Racing from Newmarket (1.30, 2.00, 2.30) and Thirsk (1.45, 2.15, 2.45) races; 2.55 Motor Racing: The Indianapolis 500; 3.30 World Championship Boxing; 3.50 News Round-up; 4.00 Wrestling; 4.45 Results

5.00 NEWS FROM ITN

5.05 WHIZ KIDS *Maid in the USA*

6.00 THE PYRAMID GAME Hosted by Steve Jones with celebrity partners Claire Rayner and John Junkin

6.30 THE GRUMBLEWEEDS RADIO SHOW

7.30 JUST AMAZING! With Barry Sheene, Kenny Lynch and Suzanne Danielle

8.15 THE PRICE IS RIGHT Presented by Leslie Crowther

9.15 T J HOOKER *The Carnal Express*

10.15 NEWS FROM ITN

10.30 TALES OF THE UNEXPECTED *Have a Nice Death* Author Sam Luke is enjoying huge success until an anonymous critic unnerves him with menacing messages

11.00 ALFRESCO

11.30 LONDON NEWS HEADLINES; followed by

DEAD PIGEON ON BEETHOVEN STREET (1972) With Glen Corbett and Christa Lang. A private eye is killed before he can retrieve the negatives of some compromising photos of a prospective senator

Night Thoughts and Closedown

S4C

1.30 Eisteddfod Genedlaethol Yr Urdd, Yr Wyddgrug A'r Cylch. 4.30 Film: *Five Graves to Cairo*. 6.10 The Sixties. 7.05 Where in the World! 7.35 Newyddion. 7.45 Eisteddfod Yr Urdd. 8.45 Arolwg. 9.15 Survive. 10.15 It Takes a Worried Man. 10.45 Film: *White Heat*. 12.35 Close.

RADIO

- 1 6.00 Mark Page. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Saturday Show. 10.00 Peter Powell. 1.00 Who's That Girl? (S). 2.00 Paul Gambaccini (S). 4.00 Saturday Live (S). 6.30 In Concert (S) featuring The Lotus Eaters and H2O. 7.30 Janice Long. 10.00-12.00 Dixie Peach.
- 2 4.00 Paul Owens (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 Roy Castle in Castle's Corner. 1.30 Sport on 2: Cricket: England v West Indies; Rugby Union; Football: England v USSR; Racing from Newmarket (2.00, 2.30) races; Tennis from Paris; Cycling; Golf; Motor Sport; 5.00 Sports Headlines; 5.45 Classified Racing Results; 5.50 Cricket Scoreboard. 6.00 Folk On 2. 7.00 Beat the Record. 7.30 Cricket Scores; Vienna, City of Dreams (S) (8.30-8.50 Interval). 10.02 Sports Desk. 10.05 Saturday Rendezvous (S) (11.02 Racing Bulletin). 11.05 Ken Bruce (S). 1.00 Jean Chailis (S) presents Nightride. 3.00-4.00 Wally Why-
- 3 ton (S) with Country Concert. 7.55 Weather. 8.00 News. 8.05 Aubade (S) Smetana, Fraser, Simpson, Suk, Saint-Saens; records. 9.00 News. 9.05 Record Review (S). 10.15 Stereo Release (S) Satie, Schoenberg. 11.05 BBC Symphony Orchestra in Germany (S) Harrison, Birtwistle, Tchaikovsky (12.05-12.10 Interval Reading) Mendelssohn. 1.00 News. 1.05 Edward MacDowell (S). 2.00 Dreamers of Dreams (S) Elgar, Delius, Holst. 4.00 Haydn and Dvorak (S). 5.00 Jazz Record Requests (S). 5.45 Critics' Forum. 6.35 Cesar Franck (S) Organ music. 7.20 Schubert and Brahms Songs (S). 8.00 BBC Welsh Symphony Orchestra (S) Mozart, William Mathias (8.55-9.00 Interval Reading) Beethoven. 9.45 Bob Van Asperen (S) John Bull, Telemann, Bach. 10.30 Vagn Holmboe (S) Holmboe, Grieg. 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

ROUND THE REGIONS

TYNE TEES

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 8.40 Data Run. 9.25 Morning Glory. 9.30 Tarzan. 10.00 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 Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.00 The Comedians. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 11.00 Alfresco. 11.30 Film: *Suddenly Last Summer*. 1.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

CENTRAL

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 8.40 Data Run. 9.25 London Calling. 10.30 No.73. 12.15 World of Sport (12.45 News). 5.00 News. 5.05 Whiz Kids. 6.00 The Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Comedians. 7.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 11.00 Alfresco. 11.30 Superstars of Music *Boombtown Rats Live!*. 12.30 Closedown.

YORKSHIRE

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 8.40 Data Run. 9.25 Regional Weather; followed by Cartoon Time. 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 The Fall Guy. 6.00 The Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Comedians. 7.00 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News; Sport. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 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 TSW Regional News. 5.08 Whiz Kids. 6.00 The Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.00 The Comedians. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News; Sport; Weather. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 11.00 Alfresco. 11.30 Music Special. 12.30 Postscript; South West Weather; Shipping Forecast; Closedown.

TVS

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 8.40 Data Run. 9.25 Snooper and Blabber. 9.30 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. 5.10 The Fall Guy. 6.00 The Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.00

The Comedians. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News; Sport. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 11.00 Alfresco. 11.30 Jazz. 12.00 The Adventurer. 12.30 Epilogue; Closedown.

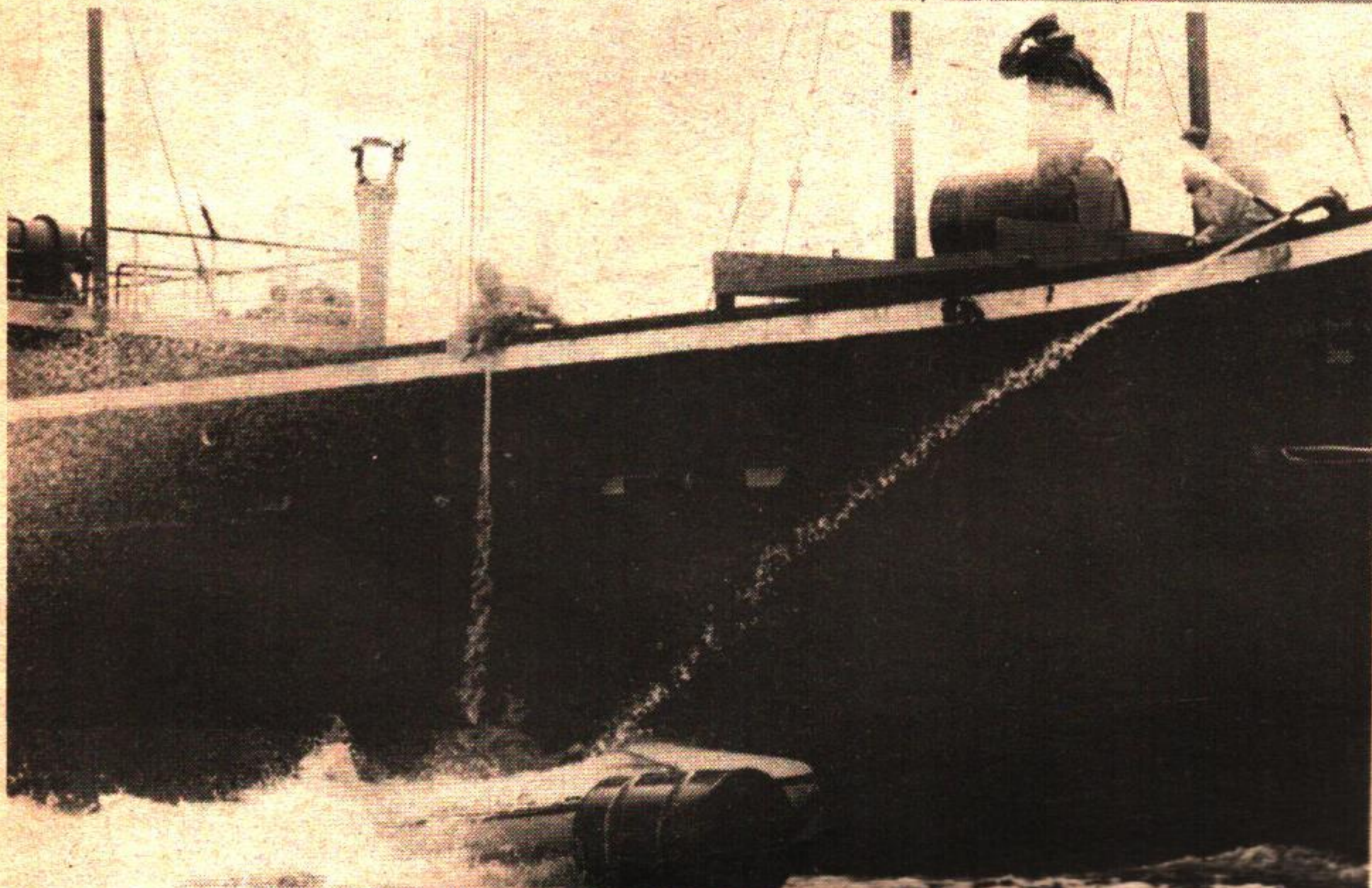
HTV WEST

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 8.40 Data Run. 9.25 The Wonderful Stories 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 Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.00 The Comedians. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News; Sport. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 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; Weather. 5.05 Whiz Kids. 6.00 The Pyramid Game. 6.30 The Grumbleweeds Radio Show. 7.00 The Comedians. 7.30 Just Amazing. 8.15 The Price is Right. 9.15 T.J. Hooker. 10.15 News; Sport; Weather. 10.30 Tales of the Unexpected. 11.00 Alfresco. 11.30 The Country Music Awards Show. 12.40 Epilogue; Closedown.

SUNDAY



Greenpeace inflatable attempting to prevent the dumping of barrels of radioactive waste, 'The Natural World', BBC2 at 8.20



Errol Flynn fights another war, this time as Confederate in 'Santa Fe Trail' on 4 at 10.15

BBC1

6.45-8.50 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.45 Fossils of Dinosaurs. 7.10 Sikhs in Britain. 7.35 Open Government? 8.00 Forces in an Engine. 8.25 Chemistry.

9.00 Pigeon Street. 9.15 Sunday Worship. 10.00 Asian Magazine. 10.30 Tele-Montage. 10.55 Working for Safety. 11.20 Technical Studies. 11.45 Delia Smith's Cookery Course. 12.10 Exploring Photography. 12.35 Electronic Office. 1.00 Farming. 1.25 Sparks. 1.50 News Headlines. 1.55 Mickey and Donald. 2.15 Humphrey Bogart in *The Maltese Falcon* (1941) with Mary Astor, Peter Lorre, Sydney Greenstreet. 4.05 Bonanza. 4.50 It Ain't Half Hot Mum. 5.20 The Rock Gospel Show. 6.00 News; Weatherman.

6.10 **BEAU GESTE** By P.C. Wren. Dramatised in eight episodes; with Wendy Williams, David Sumner

6.40 **PRAISE BE!**

7.15 **LOVE STORY** *Not Just Another Affair* With Victoria Principal, Gil Gerard. Bob Gifford reckons most women are pushovers, but when he meets Diana Dawson, he finds the going tough (1982)

8.45 **DYNASTY** *Samantha* Blake continues his search for Steven

9.35 **THAT'S LIFE** Consumer advice, investigations, misprints and real-life humour with Esther Rantzen

10.20 **NEWS**; **Weatherman**

10.35 **TRIAL BY JURY** An opera by Gilbert and Sullivan with Frankie Howerd, Kate Flowers with the Ambrosian Opera Chorus and the London Symphony Orchestra. A defendant has to explain why he jilted his beautiful lover

11.25 **INTERNATIONAL SHOW JUMPING** Highlights from the All England Course at Hickstead

12.00-12.05 **Weather**; **Close**

WALES: 1.00-1.25 Farming in Wales. 4.05-4.50 White, Red and Green. 12.00 Weather for Wales; **Closedown**

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 Getting On. 10.00 Morning Worship. 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 Film: *The Longest Day*. 5.30 Murphy's Mob. 6.00 Bullseye. 6.30 News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Go for It. 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 Farming '84. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Getting On. 11.30 Writers on Writing. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Here and Now. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 Film: *The Longest Day*. 5.30 Murphy's Mob. 6.00 Bullseye. 6.30 News. 6.40 Highway. 7.15 Go for It. 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.

BBC2

6.25-1.55 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.25 The Nervous System. 6.50 Images. 7.15 The Evolution of Mammals. 7.40 The Technology of the Office. 8.05 Fluctuating Exchange Rates. 8.30 Energy and Rockets. 8.55 Force and Violence. 9.20 Maths: Catastrophe Theory. 9.45 Bedford: A Pioneering College. 10.10 King Frederick and Voltaire. 10.35 The Greek Liturgy. 11.00 Open Forum. 11.25 Sociology. 11.50 Biology. 12.15 Chemistry. 12.40 'Hamlet' Workshop. 2.1.05 Inorganic Chemistry. 1.30 Maths Methods.

1.55 **SUNDAY GRANDSTAND** Motor Racing — Reports on the Monaco Grand Prix; Cricket — The John Player League; Show Jumping — Comments from Hickstead on the Dubai Cup; Racing from Chantilly — (3.30 race); Moto-Cross — The British 250cc Grand Prix from Newbury

6.50 **NEWS REVIEW** with subtitles

7.15 **SHARING TIME** Nine stories set in a time-share flat. **The Prodigal Grandfather** By Donald Churchill. Two strangers find they are staying in the flat for the same week. Is it a mistake?

8.10 **NEWS ON TWO** Weather

8.20 **THE NATURAL WORLD Commandos of Conservation** A report on the history of 'Greenpeace', the environmental organisation fighting against nuclear and other forms of pollution around the world

9.10 **THE KING'S SINGERS MADRIGAL HISTORY TOUR** The King's Singers outline the rise in popularity of madrigals. Tonight they visit Spain

10.20 **SYBIL** (1976) A two-part feature film made for television with Joanne Woodward as a psychiatrist and Sally Field as the complex schizophrenic young girl who she tries to help over a period of 11 years. Also with Brad Davis. This sensitive film, directed by Daniel Petrie, won several Emmy awards

12.00 **Closedown**

CHANNEL 4

1.55 **SCOTTISH VIEW** A look at topical Scottish issues drawing on the output of STV, Grampian and Border TV

2.25 **A SEAT AMONG THE STARS — The Cinema and Ireland New Directions** Final programme in the series

2.50 **THE EDDIE CANTOR STORY** (1953) Musical biography of the famed star Eddie Cantor, with Keefe Brasselle in the title role and Marily Erskine as his wife

5.00 **NEWS HEADLINES AND WEATHER**; followed by

BOOK FOUR Hermione Lee talks to novelist and playwright David Storey. Also, poet Selma Hill and Michael Leapman, former editor of 'The Times' diary

5.45 **WHERE IN THE WORLD** Travel quiz

6.15 **THE MISSISSIPPI We Remember, We Revere** Ben Walker is called to investigate a shooting at a military academy and uncovers some disturbing facts

7.15 **THE SIXTIES Swingeing** The 1960s seemed to herald a new era of permissiveness but Mary Whitehouse spearheaded an inevitable backlash

8.15 **UPSTAIRS, DOWNSTAIRS Desirous of Change**

9.15 **TOP C'S AND TIARAS When Vienna Sings** American opera star Julia Migenes Johnson with another selection from the world of operetta and musical comedy, in the last programme focussing on the waltz

10.15 **SANTA FE TRAIL** (1940) Western set during the period immediately prior to the Civil War. With Errol Flynn, Olivia de Havilland, Raymond Massey and Ronald Reagan as George Armstrong Custer!

12.15 **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 Getting On. 11.30 Star Fleet. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 Police 5. 1.15 Eastern Tales. 1.30 The Groovy Ghouls. 2.00 Credo. 2.30 London News Headlines; followed by Film: *The Longest Day* (1962) with John Wayne, Robert Mitchum, Henry Fonda, Richard Burton. 5.30 Murphy's Mob. 6.00 Bullseye.

6.30 **NEWS FROM ITN**

6.40 **HIGHWAY** Presented by Harry Secombe

7.15 **GO FOR IT** The team of impressionists present a staggering total of 60 different characters

7.45 **SURPRISE, SURPRISE!** With Cilla Black and Christopher Biggins

8.45 **NEWS FROM ITN**

9.00 **THE PROFESSIONALS The Ojuka Situation**

10.00 **SPITTING IMAGE**

10.30 **THE SOUTH BANK SHOW** Melvyn Bragg presents a remarkable, highly stylised film dramatisation of Ivy Compton-Burnett's novel 'Elders And Betters', produced and directed by Jack Bond

11.30 **LONDON NEWS HEADLINES** followed by

AMERICAN DOCUMENTARY I Remember Beale Street Beale Street in Memphis is legendary as the birthplace of the blues and the area from which many of the pioneering black leaders came. This documentary is about these leaders and the racism they encountered, the music and the people who lived in Beale Street until its final destruction to make way for redevelopment

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. 9.30 The Greatest Thinkers. 10.00 Morning Worship. 11.00 Writers on Writing. 11.25 Aap Kaa Hak. 11.30 Down to Earth. 12.00 Weekend World. 1.00 University Challenge. 1.30 Credo. 2.00 Cricket: Lancashire v Surrey. 4.15 Murphy's Mob. 4.45 Cricket: further coverage.

6.30 **ITN NEWS**

6.40 **HIGHWAY** Harry Secombe introduces some of the programmes viewers have asked to see again

7.15 **GO FOR IT** Mad musical memories from the swinging sixties

7.45 **SURPRISE, SURPRISE!** The family entertainment show with Cilla Black

8.45 **NEWS FROM ITN**

9.00 **THE PROFESSIONALS The Ojuka Situation** The deposed head of an African state is in London seeking Britain's help to regain his position

10.00 **SPITTING IMAGE** Satirical comedy sketches with the latex stars

10.30 **THE SOUTH BANK SHOW** To mark the centenary of one of Britain's most unusual modern novelists (1884-1969), tonight's show presents an adaptation of her book, 'Elders and Betters'

11.30 **THE IRISH RM O Love! O Fire!** It is the day of Mrs Knox's servants' ball — a major event in the social calendar

12.30 **Closedown**

S4C

1.30 Six Centuries of Verse. 2.00 Eastern Eye. 2.55 A Seat Among the Stars — Cinema in Ireland. 3.25 Feature Film: *Frenchman's Creek*. 5.20 The Leather Boys. 6.15 The Mississippi. 7.15 Ffermwyr. 7.20 Newyddion. 7.30 Swyn Y Jiwibili. 8.00 Joni Jones. 8.35 Byd Cerdd. 9.25 Top C's and Tiaras. 10.25 American Caesar. 10.55 Film: *Undying Monster*. 12.10 **Close**.

RADIO

1 6.00 Mark Page. 8.00 Tony Blackburn's Sunday Show. 10.00 Adrian Juste. 12.00 Jimmy Saville's 'Old Record' Club. 2.00 Bruno Brookes. 4.00 Paul Gambaccini. 5.00 Top 40 (S). 7.00 Anne Nightingale (S). 9.00 Robbie Vincent (S). 11.00-12.00 Gary Byrd's Sweet Inspirations (S).

2 4.00 Paul Owens (S). 6.00 Sheila Tracy (S). 7.30 Dana (S). 9.00 David Jacobs (S). 11.00 Desmond Carrington (S). 12.30 The Random Jottings of Hinge and Bracket (S). 12.59 Sports Desk. 1.00 David Hamilton with Two's Best (S). 2.00-6.00 (mf) Summer Sounds: Motor Racing; Tennis; Golf. 2.00 (vhf) Benny Green (S). 3.00 (vhf) Alan Dell (S). 4.00 (vhf) String Sound (S). 4.30-5.00 (vhf) Sing Something Simple (S). 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. 1.00 Jean Chellis (S) presents Nightride. 3.00-4.00

David Hamilton with Two's Best (S).

3 7.55 Weather. 8.00 News. 8.05 Dvorak Chamber Music (S). 9.00 News. 9.05 Your Concert Choice (S) Mozart, Chausson, Lutoslawski. 10.30 Music Weekly (S). 11.20 American Orchestras (S) Ives, John Downey, Stravinsky. 12.20 Mozart, Schubert and Brahms (S) Piano recital. 1.00 Unusual Tchaikovsky (S). 1.50 Beethoven and Prokofiev (S) Violin and piano recital. 2.45 Mendelssohn (S). 3.30 BBC Symphony Orchestra (S) Haydn, Mahler (4.15-4.20 Interval) Brahms. 5.15 The Papers They Can't Gag. 6.00 Vespers of 1610 (S) Monteverdi ed Basil Lam. 7.35 Martinu (S). 8.00 In the Ruins (S). 9.00 Louis Spohr (S). 9.45 My Merry Mornings. 10.05 Williamson and Tippett (S). 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

Samajiye. 7.45 Bells. 7.50 Turning 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: 'Dad's Army'. 12.10 It's Your World: 01-580 4411. 1.00 The World This Weekend. News. 1.55 Shipping Forecast. 2.00 News; Gardeners' Question Time. 2.30 Afternoon Theatre (S) *Orlando*. 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; Deep Six (S). 7.30 Bookshelf. 8.00 Letter from Jerusalem. 8.20 Imprisonment. 9.00 News; The Moon and Sixpence (S). 9.58 Weather. 10.00 News. 10.15 The World: Debate (S). 11.00 Discoveries in Healing. 11.15 The Cathedral at the End of the World. 12.00 News. 12.10 Weather. 12.15 Close Shipping Forecast.

WEATHER

RAIN over northern Scotland will soon clear with sunny intervals and scattered showers developing. Central and southern Scotland, northern Ireland, northern and central England and north Wales will start dry and sunny but showers, some heavy and prolonged, will develop. South Wales and southern England will have showers and sunny intervals. Some of the showers will be heavy and prolonged. It will be cold generally for early June.

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Barking hospital 'filthy'

SAYS CHC REPORT

OFFICIAL visitors to Barking hospital — where scab labour is being used against cleaning staff who are on strike — found that it was filthy.

The official delegation from the Redbridge Community Health Council (CHC) found cockroaches in the kitchens among other things when they did a tour of the building. The ninety cleaning

women at the hospital have been out on strike since March against an attack on wages and conditions by the private contractors Crothalls.

The company, a subsidiary of Pritchard's, has been trying to cut hours and wages to fulfil the terms of a new contract.

The visit, on May 20, was made between by 11.30a.m. and 1.30p.m. by two members of the CHC, accompanied by the district planning officer and a nursing officer.

BY PENNY BLOOR

washing sink and the presence of dead and decomposing cockroaches indicated the lack of regular and effective cleaning. Several live cockroaches were also seen.

● In the catering staff accommodation 'the WCs were dirty and unhygienic. The wash hand basins had not been properly cleaned. Flooring in the locker room was not clean. The rest room was dirty, and a member of staff told us it was now only swept once a week'.

● In the cleansing staff accommodation 'the floors, walls and windows were filthy as were the five WC cubicles. The five washbasins were all dirty, three had no plugs, one was badly cracked, and one held an accumulation of refuse'.

● Wards 'had not been

swept by 12 noon, and dirt and dust in the corners indicated that cleaning was only superficial when it was done.

'Wash hand basins in almost all instances had not been properly cleaned (obviously only just wiped around) and WCs in some cases required attention

be told the proper cleaning procedures 'and the cleaning of the babies' cots is now being done by the nursing staff themselves as they have no confidence in the way this is carried out by the cleaning staff ...

'In both the wards and the maternity unit it was felt by staff that more of their time was now spent supervising cleaning, which should of course be done by the contractors.'

Maternity

In addition, a wash hand basin in the nursing staff changing room was not clean and nor was the fridge.

● In the maternity unit 'the patients' showers were not clean and the sink and wash hand basin in the milk kitchen had not been recently cleaned. The ward kitchen sink was filthy'.

They said nursing staff had explained that inexperienced cleaners had to

The visiting team spoke to three members of the cleaning staff who had only been employed for two days.

The report points out that 'the main entrance halls and corridors and public areas have received far more cleaning than is warranted at such a time compared with the wards which, in our opinion, should take precedence.'

Grease

In their report, allegations included:

● In the kitchen there were accumulations of dirt and grease in the corners of the food preparation and cooking areas.

'A thick layer of grease and dirt under the utensil

WORKERS REVOLUTIONARY PARTY

Four Public Lectures

1. The economic crisis and the future of the mining industry

Reading: Wage Labour and Capital — K Marx
Wages, Price and Profit — K Marx
Communist Manifesto — K Marx and F Engels

2. The role of the state, the Bonapartist Tory government and the attack on the basic democratic rights of the working class

Reading: State and Revolution — V I Lenin
The Eighteenth Brumaire of Louis Bonaparte — K Marx
Where is Britain Going? — L Trotsky

3. The reformist nature of the trade union leadership. The role of Stalinism and revisionism

Reading: Trotsky on Britain Vols 1-3 — L Trotsky
Revolution Betrayed — L Trotsky

4. Why the need for revolutionary leadership. Why a Workers Revolutionary Government

Reading: Programme for Workers Revolutionary Government — Statement by Workers Revolutionary Party Central Committee

DUNFERMLINE

Dunfermline High School
St Leonards Place
Lecturer: **T. Brotherstone**
(Edinburgh WRP)

Thursday June 7 Thursday June 21
Thursday June 14 Thursday June 28
All at 7p.m.

ST HELENS

St Helens Town Hall
Lecturer: **Tony Banda**
(WRP Central Committee)

Wednesday June 6 Wednesday June 20
Wednesday June 13 Wednesday June 27
All at 7.30p.m.

NOTTINGHAM

Nottingham Youth Training Centre
4 Commerce Square, Lace Market
Lecturer: **Peter Jones**
(WRP Central Committee)

Sunday June 17 Sunday July 1
Sunday June 24 Sunday July 8
All at 6p.m.

MERTHYR TYDFIL

Merthyr Youth Training Centre
Wesley Hall, Pont Morlais
Lecturer: **Matthew Robertson**
(WRP Central Committee)

Sunday June 10 Sunday June 24
Sunday June 17 Sunday July 1
All at 7p.m.

COVENTRY

Sydney Stringer School
Lime Street
Lecturer: **Corin Redgrave**
(WRP Central Committee)

Tuesday June 12 Tuesday June 26
Tuesday June 19 Tuesday July 2
All at 7.30p.m.

GLASGOW

Young Socialists Youth Training Centre
Tobago Street
Lecturer: **Alex McLarty**
(WRP Central Committee)

Monday June 4 Monday June 18
Monday June 11 Monday June 25
All at 7.30p.m.

MANCHESTER

Basement Theatre
Manchester Town Hall, Albert Square
Lecturer: **Geoff Pilling**
(WRP Central Committee)

Thursday June 7 Thursday June 21
Thursday June 14 Thursday June 28
All at 7.30p.m.

STOKE ON TRENT

Kidsgrove Community Centre
Whitehall Avenue, Kidsgrove
Lecturer: **Mike Banda**
(WRP General Secretary)

Tuesday June 5 Tuesday June 19
Tuesday June 12 Tuesday June 26
All at 8p.m.

DONCASTER

Edlington Community Centre
Stubbins Hill, Edlington
Lecturer: **Mike Banda**
(WRP General Secretary)

Wednesday June 13 Wednesday June 27
Wednesday June 20 Wednesday July 4
All at 7.30p.m.

IPSWICH

Ipswich Town Hall
Lecturer: **Ray Athow**
(WRP Central Committee)

Monday June 11 Monday June 25
Monday June 18 Monday July 2
All at 7.30p.m.

NORTHAMPTON

The Guildhall
Lecturer: **Alex Mitchell** (WRP Central Committee)

Wednesday June 13 Wednesday July 4
Wednesday June 27 Wednesday July 11
All at 7.30p.m.

YOUNG SOCIALISTS PUBLIC MEETINGS

• Miners must not fight alone! • Force TUC to call a General Strike! • Build Community Councils! • Build revolutionary leadership!

SCOTLAND

DUNDEE: Wednesday June 6, 7.30p.m.
Conference Room, Central Library, Wellgate.

Speakers: **Colin Yackiminie** (YS National Committee); **Simon Pirani** (WRP Central Committee); **An NUM speaker**

WHITBURN: Tuesday June 12, 7.30p.m.
Whitburn Community Centre, Manse Road.

Speakers: **Colin Yackiminie** (YS National Committee); **Simon Pirani** (WRP Central Committee)

PAISLEY: Wednesday June 13, 7.30p.m.
Paisley Town Hall, Paisley Cross.
Speaker: **Marie Devlin** (YS); **Alex McLarty** (WRP Central Committee)

GOVANHILL: Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m.
Langside Halls, Shawlands Cross.

Speakers: **Saul Judah** (YS Regional Committee); **Chris Corrigan** (WRP Central Committee); *In personal capacity:* **Hugh Haran** (Secretary, joint shop stewards, Victoria Infirmary); **Charlie Fealy** (NALGO)

NORTH WALES

BANGOR: Wednesday June 6, 7.30p.m.
Committee Room B, 2nd Floor, Sudents Union, Denior Road.

Speakers: **Wayne Chand** (YS National Committee); **Tony Banda** (WRP Central Committee); *In personal capacity:* **Billy Lawley** and **Steve Whitaker** (Bold NUM); **Daffyd Llewelun Jones** (Wales Divisional Council, NUPE); **Chairman: Alwyn ap Hew** (NUPE District Committee secretary)

NORTH WEST

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)

LONGSIGHT: Monday June 11, 7.30p.m.
Longsight Library, Stockport Road.

Speakers: **John Oldham** (YS Regional Committee); **Stuart Carter** (WRP Central Committee)

WIDNES: Thursday June 14, 7.30p.m.
Ditton Community Centre, Dundalk Road.
Speakers: **Steve Perry** (YS Regional Committee); **Ray Evans** (Wigan WRP); *In personal capacity:* **Clr Ken Farrell**; **Steve Hunt** (Sutton Manor NUM)

BURNLEY: Sunday June 24, 6p.m. AUEW Rooms, Hargreaves Street, opp Burnley Central Post Office.

Speakers: **Wayne Chand** (YS Regional Committee); **Tony Banda** (WRP Central Committee); *In personal capacity:* **Stuart Caddy** (UCW branch secretary)

CREWE: Thursday June 28, 8p.m. Room 04, Oakley Centre.
Speakers: **Wayne Chand** (YS National Committee); **Tony Banda** (WRP Central Committee); *In personal capacity:* **George Price** (president Silverdale NUM)

YORKSHIRE

HULL: Monday June 11, 7.30p.m. Central Library, Union Street.

Speakers: **Chris Marsden** (YS National Committee); **Dave Hyland** (WRP Central Committee); **John Harland** (EETPU, in personal capacity); **Tom Kemp** (Hull WRP)

BRADFORD: Wednesday June 20, 7.30p.m. Bradford Central Library, Princes Way.

Speakers: **Chris Marsden** (YS National Committee); **Cliff Slaughter** (WRP Central Committee); *In personal capacity:* **Betty Elie** (Thornton View occupation); **Ernest Fairburn** (Emley Moor NUM)

EAST MIDLANDS

NOTTINGHAM: Thursday June 14, 7.30p.m. Albert Hall Institute.

Speakers: **Kevin Townsend** (YS National Committee); **Mike Banda** (WRP General Secretary)

WEST MIDLANDS

COVENTRY: Wednesday June 13, 7.30p.m. The Heath, Foleshill Road.

Speakers: **Clive Andrews** (YS National Committee); **Alex Mitchell** (WRP Central Committee); **W. Midlands NUM**, in personal capacity

BIRMINGHAM: Tuesday June 19, 7.30p.m. West Smethwick Community Centre, Oldbury Road.

Speakers: **Clive Andrews** (YS National Committee); **Corin Redgrave** (WRP Central Committee); **W. Midlands NUM**, in personal capacity

EASTERN

LOWESTOFT: Thursday June 7, 7.30p.m. Central Library, Clapham Road.

Speakers: **Melita Attard** (YS Regional Committee); **Fiona Cairns** (WRP Area Committee); **Nottingham NUM**, in personal capacity

PETERBOROUGH: Tuesday June 12, 7.30p.m. AUEW Hall, Lincoln Road.

Speakers: **Linda Mee** (YS Regional Committee); **Ray Athow** (WRP Central Committee); **Pat Brookes** (Peterborough WRP); *In personal capacity:* **Ray Lane** (AUEW LaBour Pumps); **Nottingham NUM speaker**

CAMBRIDGE: Thursday June 14, 7.30p.m. The Bath House, Gwydir Street.
Speakers: **Tony Hyland** (YS National Committee); **Martin Booth** (Cambridge WRP); *In personal capacity:* **Haddu Mohammed** (COHSE National Executive); **Notts NUM speaker**

KENT

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**

DEAL: Tuesday June 19, 7.30p.m. Landmark Community Centre.

Speakers: **Julie Hyland** (YS National Secretary); **Richard Price** (WRP Central Committee); **Kent NUM speaker**, in personal capacity

SURREY

HORLEY: Thursday June 21, 7.30p.m. Strawson Hall, Albert Road.

Speakers: **Claire Dixon** (YS National Committee); **Joe Kierney** (Crawley WRP)

ESSEX

ROMFORD: Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m. Dolphin Centre, Main Road.

Speakers: **Julie Hyland** (YS National Secretary); **Peter Farrell** (WRP Central Committee)

LONDON

ACTON: Tuesday June 5, 7.30p.m. Council Chamber, Acton Town Hall, High Street, W3.

Speakers: **Rob Jackson** (YS National Committee); **Geoff Pilling** (WRP Central Committee)

HARLESDEN: Tuesday June 5, 7.30p.m. Tavistock Hall, Tavistock Road, NW10.

Speakers: **Julie Palmer** (YS Regional Committee); **Dany Sylveire** (Harlesden WRP)

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)

VAUXHALL: Wednesday June 6, 8p.m. China Walk Tenants Hall, Lambeth Walk, SE11.

Speakers: **Richard Murphy** (YS Regional Committee); **Paul Feldman** (WRP Central Committee)

KILBURN: Thursday June 7, 7.30p.m. Abbey Community Centre, Belsize Road, NW6.

Speakers: **Dolly Short** (YS editor); **Peter Farrell** (WRP Central Committee); **Speaker from Kent NUM**; **Clr Neil Fletcher** (Chairman IEA education committee, in personal capacity)

BRIXTON: Wednesday June 20, 7.30p.m. Stockwell Hall, Buckmaster House, Stockwell Park Estate, SW9.

Speakers: **Maxine McDermott** (Brixton YS); **Ida Turner** (Brixton WRP); **Alex Mitchell** (WRP Central Committee)

CAMDEN: Thursday June 21, 7.30p.m. Hampden Community Centre, Ossulton Street, NW1.

Speakers: **Rufus Boulting** (YS Regional Committee); **Richard Price** (WRP Central Committee)

STOKE NEWINGTON: Wednesday June 27, 7.30p.m. Hall of Remembrance, Clissold Road, off Church Street, N16.

Speakers: **Marianne Kane** (YS Regional Committee); **Richard Goldstein** (WRP Area Committee); **Speaker from Kent NUM**

EDMONTON: Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m. Angel Community Centre, Raynham Road.

Speakers: **Gary Ryder** (YS National Committee); **Richard Goldstein** (WRP Area Committee, Gestetners convenor in personal capacity)

Winning Post

Lover's Bid on handy mark

THE chance of **Lovers Bid** (2.30) winning the very competitive Holsten Diat Pils Handicap at **NEWMARKET** was considerably enhanced by the heavy rain that fell at headquarters yesterday.

Trainer Jeremy Hindley is adamant that the filly some give in the ground to be seen at her best, so it was not surprising that she made her reappearance only 12 days ago, at Windsor.

On that occasion, despite being easy to back, she was always close up and run on in really good style after leading approaching the final furlong. At the line she had a length to spare over Bridge Street Lady, to whom she was conceding 12 lbs.

Attractive

With only 7st 3lb to carry today, including the 7lb claim of Hindley's apprentice Adam Shultz, **Lovers Bid** looks on a very attractive mark, and it will be surprising if she doesn't go close at an attractive price.

There are good reports of Henry Cecil's newcomer Lydford, who runs in the opening Holsten Diat Pils Maiden Stakes, but Lester Piggott has passed this one over in favour of the stable's other runner, **Babacoote** (1.30).

One-time 1,000 Guineas favourite **Babacoote** dis-

appointed badly on her debut behind **Brocade** at Newbury in April, but deserves another chance to show that her reputation was not ill-founded. She should certainly appreciate this extra furlong.

Albarg created a very favourable impression when successful on his debut at Newcastle last month and will be hard to beat in the **Felix Leah Stakes**.

Tom Jones's colt has plenty of scope for improvement and seems sure to win some nice prizes in the future. On this occasion he may not be able to concede 8lbs to **Sharp Romance** (3.30) the subject of a major gamble on his debut at Goodwood.

Musical Box (4.05) a fine second to odds-on favourite **Face Facts** in a 19-runner maiden race last month,

should get off the mark in the **Matthew Dawson Maiden Stakes**.

THIRSK'S Byland Stakes is a competitive affair, despite the small field. Ahona, a course and distance winner, put up another good effort to take second behind **Chantaco** at Newmarket, but may find it hard to cope with the progressive **Lucky Song** (1.45).

Debut

After a promising debut here she beat **Kakisa** by a length at Ripon with **Singida**, a leading fancy for the last race, four lengths away in third.

The **Thirsk Sprint Stakes** is another intriguing contest. **El Gazeo** will have plenty of friends after his second to

Sayf El Arab at Kempton in April, but slight preference is for **Fawzi** (3.45).

The widely-travelled gelding was at tracks as far apart as Ayr and Baden-Baden last term, and should be fitter for his encouraging seasonal debut behind **Novello** at Newbury.

If **Keen**, 12½ lengths fifth in the 2,000 Guineas, wins the **Heron Stakes** at **KEMPTON**, then the legions of **El Gran Senor** supporters will be further encouraged in their hopes for Derby success.

This event represents the first true test of the Guineas form, and although **Keen** was soundly beaten at Newmarket, this classy colt seems sure to start at a short price here.

Diesis, **Keen's** full-brother, was beaten when odds-on for this event last season, and it would come as no surprise to see **Superlative** (7.00) lower the family colours again.

Bill O'Gorman has always rated **Superlative** as one of the best horses he has trained, and certainly better than **Raami**, who chased home **Keen** earlier this season.

This game and courageous performer showed he is up to this task when narrowly beaten in the **Free Handicap** under top weight, and is strongly-fancied.

SELECTIONS

NEWMARKET: 1.30 **Babacoote**, 2.00 **Buzzler**, 2.30 **Lovers Bid** (nap), 3.00 **Top Ranker**, 3.30 **Sharp Romance** (n.b.), 4.05 **Musical Box**, 4.35 **Lady of the Land**. **THIRSK:** 1.45 **Lucky Song**, 2.15 **Marlion**, 2.45 **Fastform**, 3.15 **Perovakia**, 3.45 **Fawni**, 4.15 **Singida**. **HAMILTON:** 6.30 **Fan Club**, 7.00 **Tanfen**, 7.30 **Alf Water**, 8.00 **Anthesa**, 8.30

Proceeding, 9.00 **Miss Annie**.

STRATFORD: 2.00 **Querrin**, 2.30 **Easter Lee**, 3.05 **Compton Lad**, 3.35 **Perhaps Lucky**, 4.05 **Upham Pleasure**, 4.35 **Corrib Lad**. **KEMPTON:** 6.00 **Crown Estate**, 6.30 **Bishops Ring**, 7.00 **Superlative**, 7.30 **Leipzig**, 8.00 **Old Bailey**, 8.30 **Pontin Boy**.

NEWMARKET ITV 1.30, 2.00, 2.30

SIX YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: L Piggott 98, J Mercer 57, W Carson 43, G Starkey 39, S Cauthen 32, P Eddery 32, G Baxter 26, T Ives 20, B Raymond 16, W Swinburn 15, P Cook 14, B Taylor 13.
TRAINERS: H Cecil 69, B Hills 32, B Hobbs 29, M Stoute 29, G Harwood 27, L Cumani 18, J Hindley 16, W Hern 16, W O'Gorman 14, M Jarvis 13, P Walwyn 13, J Dunlop 13, R Armstrong 12.
DRAW: Little significance.

1.30 HOSTEN DIAT PILS MAIDEN STAKES £3,000 (3-Y-O) 1m (30 runners)

6 (21)	FLYING BOBBY	B Hanbury 90		
7 (27)	FORLAURUS (USA)	L Cumani 90		D McHargue
8 (2)	GILGIT POLO	J Hindley 90		B Thomson
9 (9)	GOURTIONIST (USA)	G Harwood 90		G Starkey
10 (14)	HAJES	J Dunlop 90		B Rouse
11 (29)	HARLOW BILT	P Brookshaw 90		M L Thomas
14 (11)	LYDFORD (USA)	H Cecil 90		Paul Eddery
15 (4)	MIRAMAC	M Jarvis 90		B Raymond
16 (10)	MOHSEN (FR)	O Douieb 90		A Lequeux
18 (1)	NOBLE MOUNT	G P-Gordon 90		D Gibson
19 (18)	OLD ALEX	C Brittain 90		
20 (30)	PENLYNE'S PRIDE	W H-Bass 90		T Ives
22 (6)	SHARP AND READY	A Ingham 90		J Matthias
23 (12)	SURGE	J Winter 90		A Kimberley
24 (17)	THE CLOWN (FR)	W Hern 90		W Carson
25 (15)	VAGUELY SHARP (USA)	R Armstrong 90		P Tulk
28 (16)	WITH A LOT	J Toller 90		A Clark
29 (23)	YAZZED (USA)	P Walwyn 90		J Mercer
31 (3)	ZAYBAK	J Hindley 90		P D'Arcy
32 (24)	BABACOOTE (USA)(BF)	H Cecil 811		L Piggott
33 (20)	BAHEEJAH	Thomson Jones 811		A Murray
35 (13)	CODA (BF)	B Hobbs 811		G Baxter
37 (28)	HOME ADDRESS (BF)	G Wragg 811		J Reid
39 (5)	NEKHBT	G P-Gordon 811		B Taylor
40 (22)	NUMIDIA	M Stoute 811		W R Swinburn
41 (26)	PENNY RED	W Hastings-Bass 811		R Lines (5)
43 (7)	QUIETFOOT	B Hobbs 811		P Waldron
46 (8)	ROYAL YACHT (USA)	F Durr 811		P Cook
47 (19)	THIRD MOVEMENT	C Brittain 811		P Bradwell
48 (25)	TROYTOPS	G Wragg 811		B Crossley

PROBABLE SP: 5-1 Babacoote, 6-1 Coda, 7-1 The Clown and Gourtionist, 10-1 Lydford and Mohsen, 12-1 Hajes and Home Address, 14-1 Baheejah and Numidia, 16-1 Quietfoot and Royal Yacht, 20-1 others.

2.00 HOLSTEN EXPORT LAGER HANDICAP £5,000 (3-Y-O) 1m 2f (16 runners)

1 (12)	4211-00	ALNOOD	J Dunlop 97		W Carson
3 (7)	1-20	QUE MERIDO (USA)	H Cecil 93		L Piggott
4 (5)	4211-00	CAROCREST (USA)	G Harwood 93		G Starkey
7 (11)	14210-0	NOBLE TRAMP	W O'Gorman 812		T Ives
8 (14)	100-002	BZZLER	J Bethell 812		J Matthias
9 (8)	322-12	REUVAL	B Hobbs 810		G Baxter
11 (6)	0120-0	COURT AND SPARK	H Candy 89		T Williams (5)
12 (13)	010-00	CHELKOV (FR)(C)	R Armstrong 88		W R Swinburn
15 (2)	10	TARAIUS	P Kelleway 84		P Cook
16 (1)	130	TRENDY GENT (USA)	B Hanbury 83		
17 (9)	20-14	TIMBER MERCHANT	J Winter 83		
18 (4)	01	WYLFA (D)	M Stoute 80		B Rouse
20 (3)	0-321	TROPICAL WAY (FR)(D)	P Walwyn 713		N Howe
23 (16)	02-00	DUSTY LETTER (USA)	G Wragg 712		B Crossley
27 (15)	0431-00	CARO'S GIFT (USA)	G P-Gordon 711		W Ryan (5)
28 (10)	00-0144	THE GAME'S UP	P Haslam 710		M L Thomas

BLINKERS: 8
PROBABLE SP: 7-2 Buzzler, 4-1 Que Merido, 5-1 Tropical Way, 6-1 Alnood, 8-1 Carocrest, 10-1 Reuval and Wylfa, 14-1 Timber Merchant, 16-1 others.

2.30 HOLSTEN DIAT PILS HANDICAP £12,000 (3-Y-O) 6f (14 runners)

1 (2)	3104-20	ALL AGREED	J Winter 97		B Taylor
2 (6)	2410-02	THRONE OF GLORY (C-D)	F Durr 92		G Starkey
3 (1)	430-201	SUSA STEEL (D)	J Hindley 810		B Thomson
4 (12)	00010-0	MERAVAL (D)	M Ryan 810		A MacKay
6 (9)	111-	GAUUS (D)	H Cecil 87		L Piggott

7 (11)	0440-40	OUR DYNASTY (C-D)	M Lambert 86		P Cook
9 (4)	110-012	MIAMI PRINCE (C-D)	P Cole 82		T Quinn (3)
10 (3)	033-211	CANIF (D)	M Ryan 81		M Fozzard (7)
11 (13)	4-10	LONGCROSS (D)(BF)	M Stoute 80		L Bradshaw (5)
12 (14)	003-114	HAY STREET (D)(BF)	C Reavey 80		W Ryan (5)
13 (5)	032224	YALLAH	W O'Gorman 711		M L Thomas
14 (7)	2010-1	LOVERS BID (D)	J Hindley 710 (7 ex)		A Schoultz (7)
17 (8)	000-342	FREE AS AIR	B Hobbs 77		C Rodrigues
21 (10)	000-01	MY SON MY SON (D)	K Brassey 77 (5 ex)		T Williams (5)

BLINKERS: 13, 21
PROBABLE SP: 9-2 Canif, 5-1 Throne of Glory and Susa Steel, 6-1 Miami Prince, 8-1 Lovers Bid, Hay Street and Gauus, 10-1 Free as Air, 12-1 Longcross, 16-1 others.

3.00 GINISTRELLI SELLING HANDICAP £2,000 (3-Y-O) 7f (15 runners)

3 (8)	000-003	IN A NUTSHELL	D Thom 97		S Edwards (7)
5 (10)	4001-42	TOP RANKER (USA)	J Hindley 96		B Thomson
6 (14)	00-00	SADARA BOY	L Holt 95		P Waldron
8 (5)	000-00	GABBLE	B Hobbs 94		G Baxter
9 (13)	40-0300	LAXAY	M Leach 92		W Ryan (5)
10 (3)	000-001	SURFING ERA	A Ingham 92 (6 ex)		R Still
13 (7)	000-000	INVINCIBLE PINK	D Laing 90		J Reid
15 (4)	32400-4	RECORD SUPREME	A Pitt 813		B Rouse
16 (12)	0000-00	HERE I AM	D A Wilson 811		M Rimmer
17 (1)	040-400	THE MILKMAN	R Smyth 810		S Whitworth (7)
18 (11)	0-00	SEASON'S GREETING	J Sutcliffe 88		M L Thomas
19 (9)	00-00	MY BRIGHT EYES	J Gilbert 87		
20 (6)	0000-00	RHYTHMICAL	J Bethell 86		W Carson
21 (15)	U0000-2	SHINY BARN	G Blum 82		B Crossley
23 (2)	0400-0	SWEET TOOTH	G Blum 79		T Williams (5)

BLINKERS: 3, 13, 20
PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Top Ranker, 5-1 Surfing Era, 6-1 In A Nutshell, 8-1 Gabble, Laxay and Record Supreme, 10-1 Season's Greeting, 12-1 Rhythmic, 16-1 others.

3.30 FELIX LEACH STAKES £4,000 (2-Y-O C&G) 5f (7 runners)

1 (4)	1	ALBARG (D)	Thomson Jones 95		A Murray
3 (6)	21	STAMPING GROUND	W O'Gorman 92		T Ives
7 (2)	0	DARING ACE	R Houghton 811		J Reid
8 (5)	44	HIDEDEEBOO	Mrs M Nesbitt 811		B Raymond
9 (1)	0	LORD JAGGED	J Hindley 811		B Thomson
10 (7)	0	MUJIB (USA)	F Durr 811		W Carson
12 (3)	3	SHARP ROMANCE (USA)(BF)	P Kelleway 811		L Piggott

PROBABLE SP: 7-4 Stamping Ground, 2-1 Sharp Romance, 11-4 Albarg, 10-1 Lord Jagged, 12-1 Daring Ace, 16-1 others.

4.05 MATTHEW DAWSON MAIDEN STAKES £3,000 (3-Y-O) 1m 6f (9 runners)

1 (5)	0-440	ASH FAIR	A Bailey 90		P Bloomfield (5)
3 (7)	0	BAMBARD	D Thom 90		S Edwards (7)
4 (3)	00-00	DANCING GUY (FR)	M Jarvis 90		B Raymond
7 (1)	0-00	LUCIETES	F Durr 90		G Baxter
8 (4)	00-2	MUSICAL BOX	W Hern 90		W Carson
9 (6)	4-422	PRIME ASSETT	W O'Gorman 90		T Ives
10 (9)	00	PUGET (USA)	J Dunlop 90		A Murray
13 (8)	042-044	SAN CARLOS BAY	C Brittain 90		L Piggott
14 (2)	20	AVICEDA	J Toller 811		D McHargue

PROBABLE SP: 6-4 Prime Assett, 9-4 Musical Box, 6-1 San Carlos Bay, 8-1 Puget, 12-1 Dancing Guy and Lucietes, 16-1 others.

4.35 RICHARD MARSH HANDICAP £2,500 1m (11 runners)

3 (4)	000-141	AQABA PRINCE (D)	R Howe 4912 (5 ex)		T Quinn (3)
6 (5)	020340	LUCY REYNALDS	W Musson 493		Paul Eddery
7 (11)	023330	FLORIDA	G P-Gordon 493		B Taylor
10 (1)	2224-12	OBADIAH	H Westbrook 5812		W Ryan (5)
11 (3)	00-1	LADY OF THE LAND (D)	O Douieb 3812		A Lequeux
14 (10)	00001-0	GIGONDAS	W Holden 588		B Raymond
17 (8)	000-333	SARAH'S VENTURE	C Horgan 587		A Clark
18 (6)	000-300	WALHAN	P Mitchell 485		T Ives
24 (9)	000000	PAT ON THE BACK	G Blum 4711		B Crossley
25 (7)	0000-40	BARRANCA	R Smyth 378		M L Thomas
27 (2)	0000-00	KALLISTA ANTARTIS	H Collingridge 477		R Still

BLINKERS: 27
PROBABLE SP: 6-4 Lady of the Land, 5-2 Sarah's Venture, 9-2 Aqaba Prince, 5-1 Obadiah, 10-1 Gigondas, 16-1 others.

STRATFORD (NH) BBC1 2.00, 2.30, 3.05

2.00 SLUG AND LETTUCE H'CAP CHASE £3,000 3m 2f (8 runners)

8	PO-OFFP	BLUE REEF	W A Stephenson 9117		C Grant
9	330U20	BRAVE JACK	Mrs W Sykes 81012		P Scudamore
10	233001	MR DARKIE	R C Armytage 91012 (5 ex)		A Webber
11	0/13300	THE GO-BOY	Mrs W Sykes 101011		J Bryan
13	102211	NATIVE BREAK (USA)	Mrs W Sykes 7108 (5 ex)		S Morshead
15	0-03013	QUERRIN	T S Bulgin 10105		J Lovejoy
16	434021	ARCTIC SLOGAN (C-D)	R A Perkins 7102 (5 ex)		G Charles-Jones
20	03/3PPO	IMMIGRATE	G Richards 11100		D Coakley (4)

BLINKERS: 9, 10
PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Native Break, 4-1 Mr Darkie, 5-1 Arctic Slogan, 6-1 Querrin, 7-1 Immigrate, 8-1 Brave Jack, 10-1 The Go-Boy, 14-1 Blue Reef.

2.30 DUPOUT HANDICAP HURDLE £4,000 2m (14 runners)

3	0P2100	PARK RAINBOW (D)	F T Winter 61111		B de Haan
5	000210	JOHNS PRESENT (D)	R J Holder 6117		N Coleman (7)
6	0P2P1	SENIOR ROMANA (D)	C Holmes 5117 (7 ex)		K Burke (7)
7	241301	EASTER LEE (C-D)	D R Elsworth 4112 (7 ex)		R Arnott (7)
8	014111	RHYTHMIC PASTIMES (D)	J R Jenkins 4112 (7 ex)		S Smith Eccles
10	002121	OUTLAW (D)	W Clay 5109 (7 ex)		S J O'Neill
11	324041	MORNING LINE (D)	P M Taylor 7107 (7 ex)		R Pusey (7)
13	143203	SPIDERWOOD (D)	P M Taylor 5104		A Carroll
14	221-212	BOLD RAIDER (FR)(D)	A Stephenson 6103 (7 ex)		M Pepper
15	03210	MAC'S GIFT (D)	W G Morris 4102		W Morris (4)
17	100002	ENSIGNS KIT (D)	A H Brisbane 9100		M Brisbane
18	01023-1	THE IRISH RHINE (D)	D A Wilson 6100		R Chapman (4)
22	314032	MESA KID (USA)	F Gibson 5100		W Hayes (7)
23	0P-0000	TWICE LUCKY (D)	F Gibson 5100		

BLINKERS: 3, 10, 14
PROBABLE SP: 7-2 Easter Lee, 5-1 Bold Raider, 6-1 Rhythmic Pastimes, 7-1 Outlaw, 8-1 The Irish Rhine and Park Rainbow, 10-1 Senior Romana, 12-1 Morning Line, 14-1 others.

3.05 HORSE AND HOUNDS CENTENARY YEAR CUP (FINAL CHAMPION HUNTER CHASE) £6,000 3m 2f (20 runners)

1	1/1U0-23	ASSURED	Lady Oaksey 11120		Miss S Lawrence
2	0-1U	BRENT MYSTERY (C)(BF)	A J Luff 8120		Miss J Barrow
4	0-B1311	CHEEKIO ORA	H B Parry 11120		Mr P Greenall
6	3P1-141	COMPTON LAD (D)	M W Dickinson 11120		Mr R J Beggan
9	11311	DICKY BLOB	J Nicholls 9120		Mr S Long
10	1F/PPO-0	DOM MANCINI	C Hall 9120		Mrs G Minto
12	31430F	FIXED PRICE (BF)	Grenville Richards 10120		Mr M Richards
13	1F0422	FLAMENCO DANCER (C-D)	R A Perkins 10120		Mr Dai Williams

Sports Line

British hide Test side

BRITAIN take on a powerful New South Wales Newcastle team today in the most important game of their Rugby League tour of Australia so far with a side which includes only a couple of players likely to run out against Australia in the first Test next week.

Only full-back Mick

Burke and captain Brian Noble play this afternoon and look certain to play in the first international on June 9.

Prop Lee Crooks will probably join them, but Garry Schofield, who plays at flyhalf for the injured Tony Myler, and centre Ellery Hanley, have only an outside

chance of winning selection.

Australian Rugby League chairman Ken Arthurson said he was 'baffled' by the British line-up. He said he thought some positions in the backs were not settled

and British coach Frank Myler might be using the match as a last chance to assess various players.

But Arthurson added: 'There is a possibility Britain are foxing. I really don't know what they are up to.'

Newcastle's hooker Rex Wright said: 'We're a bit disappointed really. We expected Britain to field a Test strength line-up.'

The match is the last before the Test and although the tourists are unbeaten in their five games so far they will be looking for another win

Ethiopia pull-out

ETHIOPIA yesterday announced it would not send a team to the Los Angeles Olympics, blaming the United States and Britain for its abstention.

The Ethiopian National Olympic Committee decision was announced in a Foreign Ministry statement.

The statement cited what it called Britain's unwillingness to cancel a tour of South Africa by an English rugby team in

contravention of international sanctions against Pretoria's apartheid policies.

The absence of Ethiopia will strip the games, particularly the men's distance track and marathon events, of likely medal-winning competitors and being the first African country they could set a precedent for other nations on the continent.

BY OUR RUGBY CORRESPONDENT

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 BYLAND STAKES £3,000

5f (6 runners)
2 (5) 012 AHONA (C-D) N Tinkler 94..... E Hide
6 (5) 0103 EDWIN'S PRINCESS (D) K Ivory 91..... J Lowe
7 (2) 01 LUCKY SONG (D) J Etherington 91..... M Wood
10 (6) 311 YIOYSTON (D) J Berry 91..... K Darley
12 (3) OWEN'S PRIDE D Plant 81..... B Coogan
13 (1) 02 EDNA LAWN (USA) W Wharton 88..... W Wharton
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Ahona, 11-4 Y Ioyston, 7-2 Lucky Song, 9-2 Edna Lawn, 8-1 Edwin's Princess, 20-1 Owen's Pride.

2.15 OVREVOIL INVITATION TROPHY (H'CAP)

£4,000 1m 4f (8 runners)
1 (3) 1-01031 TOPHAMS TAVERNS (D) T Fairhurst 100 (7 ex)..... R P Elliott
2 (8) 41211-0 JABARABA (USA) F Durr 94..... G Duffield
8 (2) 0-001 MALIBU BEACH (D) E Eldin 88 (4 ex)..... A MacKay
12 (6) 022-03 MARLION E Weymes 86..... K Hodgson
13 (1) 330-240 BOUNTY HAWK W Eisey 713..... N Carlisle
14 (5) 00-30 BALLYCRACKERS M H Easterby 712..... L Charnock
15 (7) 4000-12 HOTKOLE (D/BF) J W Watts 712..... N Connorton
16 (4) 03-4140 CHRISMAIL Denys Smith 710..... M Fry
PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Malibu Beach, 7-2 Hotkole, 5-1 Marlion and Tophams Taverns, 7-1 Jabaraba, 10-1 Ballycrackers, 12-1 Bounty Hawk, 14-1 Chrismail.

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SIX YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: L Piggott 39, W Carson 34, P Eddery 30, G Starkey 22, J Mercer 19, B Rouse 18, S Cauthen 15, P Cook 12, W Swinburn 12, G Baxter 11, P Waldron 11, B Taylor 10, J Reid 9, B Raymond 9.
TRAINERS: G Harwood 20, J Dunlop 19, P Walwyn 15, H Cecil 15, R Armstrong 14, M Stoute 14, B Hills 12, P Cole 12, R Hannon 11, C Brittain 10, B Hobbs 9, I Balding 8, J Winter 8.
DRAW: Over 5 and 6 furlongs the stalls position can be important. When placed on far side, high numbers have an advantage, when on near side, the low numbers.

6.00 RIVERMEAD MAIDEN STAKES £2,500

(2-Y-O) 5f (10 runners)
1 (6) BRONZE EFFIGY R Hannon 90..... A McGlone
4 (5) 0 CROWN ESTATE (USA) R Houghton 90..... J Reid
9 (7) KUSHTI BAK M Usher 90..... W R Swinburn
10 (2) LONGSTOP P Makin 90..... P Cook
11 (1) OUR JOCK R Smyth 90..... R Wernham
12 (8) SAUVAN R Hannon 90..... G Starkey
14 (3) THE LEAK F Durr 90..... J Matthias
15 (9) WARRINGAH N Vigors 90..... B Rouse
16 (10) WHO'S SORRY NOW P Haynes 90..... P Waldron
17 (4) YETI SONG G Hunter 90..... W Carson
PROBABLE SP: 11-4 The Leak, 7-2 Kushti Bak, 4-1 Crown Estate, 6-1 Who's Sorry Now, 9-1 Sauvan, 14-1 Longstop, 20-1 others.

6.30 KINGFISHER HANDICAP £3,000

(3-Y-O) 1m 4f (12 runners)
1 (10) 12-0 NELSONS DOCKYARD P Cole 97..... T Quinn (3)
2 (5) 011 BISHOP'S RING (D) M Stoute 96 (4 ex)..... W R Swinburn
6 (12) 00-0133 KEYOPS G Hunter 811..... P Cook
8 (11) 00-000 BARNBROOK AGAIN S Mellor 88..... M Wigham

HAMILTON

SIX YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: G Duffield 52, J Lowe 40, M Birch 26, E Hide 23, J Bleasdale 22, S Webster 20, K Darley 17, N Carlisle 13, L Charnock 13, C Dwyer 13, A Mercer 12, B Raymond 12, B Jagó 11.
TRAINERS: W Williams 36, M Prescott 31, C Nelson 23, P Haslam 22, J Berry 19, C Thornton 19, S Norton 17, J W Watts 17, P Rohan 16, D Smith 16, C Crossley 13, T Craig 11.
DRAW: Higher numbers have an advantage on soft going over shortest distances.

6.30 BIRKENSHAW STAKES £1,000

1m 1f (6 runners)
3 (3) 0200- GODSPELL J Haldane 490..... J Haldane
4 (1) 0-03404 VYNZ SUPREME W H Williams 490..... W H Williams
7 (6) 2420-21 DOMANUS (C) V Thompson 387..... S P Griffiths (7)
8 (4) 4010-04 FAN CLUB C Nelson 387..... I Johnson
9 (5) 010240 NASR N Callaghan 387..... G Duffield
12 (2) 140-430 ZIO PEPPINO A Jarvis 387..... J Lowe
PROBABLE SP: 7-4 on Fan Club, 4-1 Domanus, 6-1 Nasr, 10-1 Zio Peppino, 12-1 Vynz Supreme, 20-1 Godspell.

7.00 COATBRIDGE MAIDEN STAKES £600

(3-Y-O) 6f (3 runners)
1 (3) 04-03 GREEN RUBY (USA) A Jarvis 90..... J Lowe
3 (2) 2-0 TANFEN M H Easterby 90..... M Birch
15 (1) 00 WISDOM TO KNOW (BF) J S Wilson 811..... B Wardrope (7)
PROBABLE SP: evens Green Ruby, 7-4 Wisdom to Know, 5-2 Tanfen.

7.30 BELLSHILL MAIDEN STAKES £700

(2-Y-O) 5f (3 runners)
2 (1) 430 BANTEL BONDMAN C H Bell 90..... N Carlisle
4 (3) 0 JOHN GILPIN R Stubbs 90..... D Nicholls
7 (2) 23 ALE WATER J Berry 811..... K Darley
PROBABLE SP: 5-4 on Ale Water, 2-1 Bantel Bondman, 7-2 John Gilpin.

2.45 'BET WITH THE TOTE' H'CAP £5,000

7f (15 runners)
2 (13) 4310-00 MELTHEMI (USA) M H Easterby 497..... K Hodgson
3 (3) 111/40-0 INDIAN RAJAH (D) K Brassey 496..... G Duffield
4 (2) 040-002 HOOLIGAN P Rohan 493..... M Birch
6 (5) 00-1120 EASTFORM (D) D Chapma 4811..... D Nicholls
7 (8) 30-1202 JOYFUL DANCER (D/BF) P Cole 489..... R Fox
8 (1) 040300 SHASTA SAM R Hobson 487..... O Gray
9 (12) 000-000 PRICEOFLOV P Calver 487..... M Beecroft
10 (9) 024000 MEL'S CHOICE D Plant 687..... B Coogan
11 (14) 410001 TOP O'TH'LANE (D) N Bycroft 787 (6 ex)..... S Perks
12 (6) 0002-00 HOLLOWAY WONDER (D) B McMahon 486..... A MacKay
13 (11) 00-0010 LUCKY DUTCH (C) M W Easterby 582..... K Darley
14 (4) 320-000 FAIR MADAME C Booth 480..... R Hills
15 (7) 000-212 VALLEY MILLS (C-D) T Barron 479..... J Lowe
16 (10) 000-000 SITICA E Alston 777..... L Charnock
17 (15) 0000-12 SCRUMMAGE (D) E Alston 677..... S Horsfall (5)
BLINKERS: 14
PROBABLE SP: 9-2 Joyful Dancer, 11-2 Eastform, 6-1 Valley Mills, 7-1 Hooligan, 8-1 Top O'Th'Lane, 10-1 Meltheemi, 12-1 Mels Choice, 14-1 Indian Rajah, Shasta Sam and Lucky Dutch, 16-1 Priceoflove, 20-1 others.

3.15 MOWBRAY SELLING STAKES £1,200

1m 4f (12 runners)
1 (5) 0- ABC SUPERSTAR C Crossley 497..... D Nicholls
5 (10) 240-000 BLUE BREEZE (USA) S Norton 494..... J Lowe
6 (1) 2040-00 ORANGE BLOSSOM R Thompson 494..... P Elliott
7 (4) 31040-0 PEROVSKIA (C-D) J FitzGerald 494..... R Brown (7)
9 (6) 0001-00 CAMIONNAGE E Carter 384..... S Perks
10 (2) 000-020 DOWNTOWN CHICAGO Mrs G Reveley 384..... S Horsfall (5)
12 (11) 0421-00 HIGH REEF Hbt. Jones 384..... K Darley

10 (3) 010-00 WISH YOU WERE HERE (USA) I Balding 86..... J Matthias
11 (8) 01-34 SWEET SOPRANO (BF) P Walwyn 84..... J Mercer
12 (2) 0000-00 MR GREGORY (USA) G Balding 83..... P Waldron
14 (9) 040-040 BOCODA LAD C Benstead 80..... B Rouse
15 (4) 000-10 PRINCE RAMBORO (D) R Smyth 80..... T Williams (5)
18 (6) 000-00 BONFIRE D Sasse 77..... D McKay
19 (1) 000-01 RAGINDA (C-D) M Haynes 77..... I Jenkinson
20 (7) 0-23003 BELVOIR PATROL J Toller 77..... A Mackay
BLINKERS: 11, 12, 20
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Bishop's Ring, 4-1 Keyops, 5-1 Sweet Soprano, 6-1 Bocoda Lad, 8-1 Prince Ramboro, 12-1 Wish You Were Here, 14-1 Raginda, 16-1 others.

7.00 HERON STAKES £6,000

(3-Y-O) 7f (4 runners)
2 (1) 1-10 KEEN (C) H Cecil 97..... L Piggott
3 (3) 124-203 SUPERLATIVE W O Gorman 97..... T Ives
4 (2) 130-0 CHICAGO BID (USA) R Armstrong 94..... J Mercer
7 (4) 1-43000 ACCLAMATION C N Williams 811..... B Rouse
PROBABLE SP: 7-4 on Keen, 13-8 Superlative, 14-1 Chicago Bid, 33-1 Acclamation.

7.30 INTERNATIONAL FILLIES STAKES £10,000

(3-Y-O) 1m (10 runners)
1 (2) 113- PRICKLE H Cecil 811..... L Piggott
2 (1) 200-400 MYSTERY SHIP M Usher 88..... A McGlone
3 (3) 12210-0 ROCKET ALERT W O Gorman 88..... T Ives
4 (8) 1-0 STINGING NETTLE G Hunter 88..... B Rouse
5 (5) 13-00 CAPRICORN BELLE L Cumani 85..... D McHargue
6 (7) 131-0 FAIR DOMINION (C) J Bethell 85..... J Matthias
8 (10) 120-22 LEIPZIG (BF) M Stoute 85..... W R Swinburn
9 (6) 0100-0 MARZIA'S HOLLOW W Guest 85..... P Cook
11 (4) 213-224 TRIAGONAL P Walwyn 85..... J Mercer
12 (9) 01- TURN THE KEY J Winter 85..... W Carson
PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Leipzig, 4-1 Prickle, 6-1 Triagonal, 7-1 Capricorn Belle, 8-1 Rocket Alert and Fair Dominion, 10-1 Turn The Key, 14-1 others.

8.00 QUARTER SELLING STAKES £700

(2-Y-O) 5f (7 runners)
1 (3) 333100 SWIFT RIVER (D) C H Bell 92..... N Carlisle
3 (6) 00 COPLACE W H Williams 811..... C Dwyer
5 (5) 0033 MALOWSKI D Plant 811..... B Coogan
7 (2) 04 ANTHESTA J Berry 88..... K Darley
9 (1) KRISLIN R Stubbs 88..... D Nicholls
10 (4) LINDA LUSARDI N Callaghan 88..... G Duffield
12 (7) 003 PRINCESS AURA C Tinkler 88..... L Charnock
BLINKERS: 1, 3, 5, 12
PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Malowski, 100-30 Swift River, 4-1 Linda Lusardi, 6-1 Coplace, 8-1 Princess Aura, 10-1 Anthesta, 12-1 Krislin.

8.30 LIMEKILNBURN HANDICAP £2,500

(3-Y-O) 1m 3f (5 runners)
3 (4) 4221-00 CARADO (C) C Nelson 97..... I Johnson
8 (2) 4-00410 PROCEEDING A Jarvis 89..... J Lowe
9 (1) 40104-0 STARJAY M H Easterby 83..... M Birch
11 (5) 0000-0 NATURAL LOVE R Hobson 711..... A Proud

THIRSK

2.15 (5f): RAPID MISS (8-11); Penchetta (9-11); Staly's Pet (20-1); Royal Question (14-1); 20 ran. 2 1/2, 1 1/2 (Mrs N Macauley) T: £8.20; £2.20, £2.50, £4.30, £3.20. CSF: £78.11
2.45 (5f): WINNING MARK M Fry (6-1); Bethan (12-1); Why Work (6-1); Charming View (12-1); 14 ran. 3 1/2 (Denys Smith) T: £7.70; £2.40, £2.50, £1.60. CSF: £79.70. NR: Princess Aura.
3.45 (5f): ROCKET ROYALE A Mackay (7-4 it fav); Rest (7-4 it fav); Enchanted Lady (16-1); Princess Wendy (12-1); 13 ran. Sh hd, sh hd. (E Eldin) T: £2.40; £1.10, £1.20, £3.10. CSF: £5.67. NR: Lady Sequoia.

3.15 (1m 4f): MASKED BALL M Beecroft (7-2 it fav); Frassas (8-1); Firenze (7-1); Flying Scotsman (7-1); 4 ran. 4, 1 (P Calver) T: £4.60; £1.50, £2.50, £3.10. CSF: £28.72
4.15 (1m): FOOLISH WAYS J Balding (6-1); Melowen (6-1); Reside (6-1); Coley (11-2); 10 ran. 3 1/2, 1 1/2 (A Balding) T: £4.20; £1.80, £2.40, £2.30. CSF: £39.08
4.45 (1m 4f): HANNAH MOORE G Baxter (6-1); Borushka (11-8 on fav); Greenstead Lady (12-1); Half Asleep (20-1); 12 ran. 2, 8 (B Hobbs) T: £5.80; £1.60, £1.10, £1.60. CSF: £11.13

13 (9) 0 HOWIE W Musson 384..... M Miller
15 (8) 0000 PIRATE GUNNER P Rohan 384..... S Webster
16 (3) 000-02 UNCLE OLIVER W Pearce 384..... S Keightley
17 (12) 002003 ALMA REAL P Haslam 381..... G Sexton
18 (7) 000-000 CHRONICLE LADY J Jefferson 381..... M Wood
BLINKERS: 1, 5, 9, 17
PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Perovskia, 100-30 Alma Real, 4-1 Downtown Chicago, 6-1 Uncle Oliver, 7-1 High Reef, 8-1 Blue Breeze, 12-1 Orange Blossom, 16-1 others.

3.45 THIRSK SPRINT STAKES £3,500

6f (9 runners)
1 (6) 04-3002 CAMISITE (D/BF) W O Gorman 6913..... E Hide
2 (2) 010302 GREY DESIRE (C-D) D Plant 4913..... B Coogan
3 (4) 30-0402 JONACRIS P Felgate 4913..... M Miller
7 (7) 0140-40 ABLE ALBERT M H Easterby 4910..... K Hodgson
8 (1) 00-0001 PENTLAND JAVELIN (D) R Hollinshead 4910..... S Perks
11 (3) 0400-04 PRINCE REYMO R Armstrong 493..... G Sexton
12 (5) 11244-0 FAWZI (D) J Hindley 3813..... M Hills
17 (9) 2410-00 DERRYGOLD (D) R Peacock 388..... R Hills
18 (8) 211-032 EL GAZEBO (BF) J Sutcliffe 386..... R Hills
PROBABLE SP: 3-1 El Gazebo, 4-1 Camisite, 11-2 Fawzi, 6-1 Jonacris, 7-1 Prince Reymo, 10-1 Able Albert, 16-1 Grey Desire, 20-1 Pentland Javelin, 33-1 Derrygold.

4.15 STATION ROAD MAIDEN STAKES £1,100

(2-Y-O C&G) 5f (8 runners)
2 (4) P ANOTHER ANGUS K Ivory 90..... R Hills
6 (8) JOHNNY FORTUNE R Hollinshead 90..... S Perks
7 (3) 0 KEY FACTOR M W Easterby 90..... M Miller
10 (1) POMMES CHATEAU H Collingridge 90..... D Nicholls
11 (2) RECORD FLYER H Wharton 90..... M Hills
12 (6) SADIN J Leigh 90..... N Connorton
13 (7) 3 SINGIDA J W Watts 90..... K Darley
16 (5) D TIMEWASTER J Berry 90..... K Darley
PROBABLE SP: 7-4 Singida, 9-4 Timewaster, 11-4 Key Factor, 8-1 Johnny Fortune, 14-1 Pommes Chateau, 20-1 others.

8.00 MANOR 2-Y-O STAKES £3,000

6f (14 runners)
1 (1) 31120 COINCIDENTAL M Lambert 92..... P Cook
2 (3) 31 OLD BAILEY (USA) G Harwood 92..... G Starkey
6 (11) 01 LILY OF FRANCE (C) D Laing 813..... J Reid
7 (4) CAPTAIN FLASHMAN R Hannon 811..... A McGlone
8 (14) 0 DOWNSVIEW A Moore 811..... B Rouse
9 (7) DUKE OF CAMBRIDGE C Brittain 811..... L Piggott
10 (13) GRUMBLE R Hannon 811..... R Wernham
14 (12) 0 L'ANSECOY C N Williams 811..... A Murray
15 (5) LOBBIT J Dunlop 811..... W Carson
16 (6) MARLEY ROOFUS M Haynes 811..... J Mercer
20 (2) PRINCE GEORGETOWN (USA) P Cole 811..... T Quinn (3)
23 (9) WATCH TOWER M Stoute 811..... W R Swinburn
24 (10) WHAT A RECORD B Hobbs 811..... G Baxter
26 (8) ZIGUINCHOR (FR) W H-Bass 811..... D McHargue
BLINKERS: 6
PROBABLE SP: 13-8 Old Bailey, 9-2 Watch Tower, 15-2 Coincidental, 9-1 What A Record, 10-1 Lily of France, 12-1 Prince Georgetown, 14-1 Duke of Cambridge and Lobbit, 20-1 others.

8.30 BLACKBIRD HANDICAP £3,000

(1m 3f (10 runners)
1 (4) 112-300 HOLY SPARK G Harwood 4100..... G Starkey
2 (5) 412-310 FREE PRESS I Balding 5911..... J Matthias
6 (7) 000-004 STAY SHARP P Kelleway 4813..... Gay Kelleway (5)
8 (10) 001-0 SYMBOLIC G Harwood 486..... A Clark
9 (2) 1200-03 WE'LL MEET AGAIN C Benstead 785..... B Rouse
11 (9) 0000-14 PONTIN BOY (C) Thomson Jones 584..... T Hellier (7)
15 (3) 3010-13 BOSSANOVA BOY (C-D) (BF) P Makin 5712..... W Carson
16 (1) 030-000 PALLAVICINA C Brittain 4711..... P Bradwell
20 (6) 400-001 WIDD D W Mills 777..... G Landau (7)
22 (8) 400-000 GRAND MARCH K C-Brown 677..... D McKay
PROBABLE SP: Bossanova Boy, 4-1 We'll Meet Again, 9-2 Pontin Boy, 6-1 Widd, 8-1 Free Press and Stay Sharp, 10-1 Symbolic, 14-1 others.

12 (3) 000-0 REVENGED D Plant 79.....
BLINKERS: 8
PROBABLE SP: 11-8 Carado, 9-4 Proceeding, 4-1 Starjay, 6-1 Natural Love, 10-1 Revenged.

9.00 ARDRIE HANDICAP £1,800

1m 5f (10 runners)
1 (6) 321-111 HAZEL BUSH (C-D) M Prescott 4911..... G Duffield
4 (1) 00-0140 VA CLIMBER (USA) R Stubbs 698..... K Darley
8 (4) 20140-2 MISS ANNIE P Haslam 4812..... G Sexton
9 (8) 00-0223 PORTER E Carter 588..... J Carr (7)
10 (7) 00-0011 HIGHAM GREY D Chapman 887 (4 ex)..... D Nicholls
11 (2) 33-0024 POINT NORTH (C-D) W H Williams 683..... C Dwyer
12 (10) 000/00-4 APPLE ORCHARD P Rohan 483..... R Fahey (7)
14 (10) 000/04-4 COMPACTOR R Hobson 579..... A Proud
15 (3) 3-00000 JOY OF MUSIC P Rohan 478..... A Nesbitt
16 (5) 00-0004 NORTHGATE VENTURE D Plant 377.....
BLINKERS: 9, 6
PROBABLE SP: 15-8 Hazel Bush, 7-2 Higham Grey, 4-1 Miss Annie, 6-1 Porter, 8-1 Point North, 10-1 Val Climber, 14-1 Compactor, 16-1 others.

RESULTS

NEWMARKET

2.30 (5f): HAPPY HANNAH Pat Eddery (4-1); Eye Drop (6-4 on fav); Theresa (33-1); Thirsty (11-1); 4 ran. 3, 3 1/2, (C Brittain) T: £3.20; £1.10, £1.10, £7.20. CSF: £6.94. NR: Que Sera.
3.00 (1m): IT'M FOR GALA E Hide (11-2); Hatal Boy (9-2 fav); Araminta Mavis (10-1); Qualitair Princess (20-1); 14 ran. 1, 3 (J FitzGerald) T: £7.40; £2.90, £2, £2.90. CSF: £29.38
3.30 (7f): KORYPHEOS B Raymond (10-1); Never So Bold (20-1); Roman Beach (13-2); Leysh (11-1); 4 ran. 1, hd. (P Mitchell) T: £13.20; £2.90, £4.60, £1.70, £1.90. CSF: £184.14
4.00 (6f): SAJEDA T Ives (9-1); Bechamel (7-1); Salala (25-1); Calpoppy (16-1); 10 ran. nk, 1 1/2 (B O Gorman) T: £7.10; £1.30, £2, £2.50. CSF: £63.20
4.35 (1m 6f): WAGONER J Mercer (11-4 fav); Commonity (16-1); Twilan (16-1); Nestor (10-1); 11 ran. nk, 3 1/2 (P Walwyn) T: £3.80; £2, £4.40, £2.10. CSF: £41.38
5.05 (5f): TICKLY BENDER S Cauthen (6-1); Specially Vague (12-1); Bradella (4-1); Al-Walled (7-1); 11 ran. nk, 3 1/2 (R Armstrong) T: £9.20; £2.10, £2.40, £1.70. CSF: £65.74. NR: Lucksin and River Games.

Sports Line

WE'LL WOO THE FANS

BOBBY ROBSON stands by his adventurous attacking policy as England attempt to recapture the good old days at Wembley this afternoon. **says Robson**

BY A SOCCER CORRESPONDENT

Conscious of the need to give the nation's supporters something to shout about, Robson will employ two wingers in a 4-2-4 formation against the Soviet Union.

'Our aim is to attract the public back to Wembley, knowing that whoever we play, there is a chance we can come out victorious,' said Robson yesterday.

'No one in the country would like to see full houses at Wembley more than me. There is no better occasion in the world than a Wembley game when we have a successful team.'

Success today, especially if it is achieved with some style, will give England's frequently rearranged squad the ideal send-off for their three-match tour of South America.

Despite the injuries which have bedevilled preparations, Robson was nearly able to select an unchanged team for the first time in his 19-match England reign.

The only change from the side which drew 1-1 with Scotland last weekend is the return of

Trevor Francis in place of Tony Woodcock, scorer of England's equaliser at Hampden Park, who has a hamstring strain.

Robson said: 'If this had been the last match of the season, I might have tried to persuade Woodcock to play. But I do not want to risk losing him from the tour.'

Graham Roberts and Terry Fenwick are given the chance to strengthen their budding central defensive partnership, while John Barnes and Mark Chamberlain did enough against the Scots to make a case for continuing with two wingers.

Hoping

'The performance last Saturday was promising and I am hoping we can improve on it in certain departments. That team deserves another crack because no one let me down,' said Robson.

'It gives me another chance to have another look at the four forwards and see if it is something we can persevere with at the highest levels and get away with it.'

'The opposition is first rate. The Russians still

have a large nucleus from their 1982 World Cup squad who looked very good and were unlucky not to reach the last four.'

The England manager does not pretend that he has suddenly unearthed a team of world beaters. But after so many disappointing Wembley performances, there is every reason to hope for a considerable improvement today.

But Robson added: 'There is no way you can lose 15 top class players and still have experienced internationals on the pitch. At the moment, I am investing in the future. But we are still trying to get a good win under our belts and go to South America with confidence.'

The England team is: Shilton, Duxbury, Roberts, Fenwick, Sansom, Wilkins, Robson, Barnes, Francis, Blissett, Chamberlain.

● ALEXANDR Chivadze and Oleg Blokhin head a nucleus of 1982 World Cup survivors in the Soviet squad as the USSR pay their first visit to Wembley since 1967 today.

Chivadze, captain of Dynamo Tbilisi as well as

the national side, is a defender of world class and Blokhin a striker who would command a rouble ransom if circumstances allowed him to play in Western Europe.

Having, like England, missed out on the European Championship finals in France this month, Soviet manager Eduard Malofeev has added several younger players from the now redundant Olympic team to his squad.

Injury

Vladimir Bessanov is ruled out by injury, but in all the squad includes eight players who reached the final stages of the World Cup in Spain and played with a quality which made their European failure so surprising.

Malofeev will not name his line-up until just before the kick-off as the Soviets attempt to multiply their lone win over England — 1-0 in the 1958 World Cup in Sweden.

'We regard England as the fatherland of football so we hope to play well and show the sport's followers that our football is now comparable,' said Malofeev.



TREVOR FRANCIS . . . Unhappy with his international year but has a chance to shine today

Alboreto fires Ferrari

FERRARI, second only to Lotus on the Monaco Grand Prix honours list, are ready to hail Michele Alboreto as their next 'king' of the street classic in the Mediterranean town.

He emerged from Thursday's one-hour qualifying thrash around the principality with the fastest time and will attempt to maintain his impetus in the final battle for positions on the 20-car grid today.

The Italian stunned his rivals by threading his way through the traffic — 27 drivers want to make the line-up — in one minute 23.61 seconds.

His effort left Ferrari on target for their sixth Monaco triumph tomorrow to level the record total Lotus achieved between 1960 and 1974.

Quick

'I didn't think I was as quick as I was,' said Alboreto, winner of the Belgian Grand Prix last month.

In fact, Alboreto's masterful performance at Zolder was the only occasion this season that the McLaren team have not taken the chequered flag.

They boast four wins

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from five outings and are by no means out of the hunt this time.

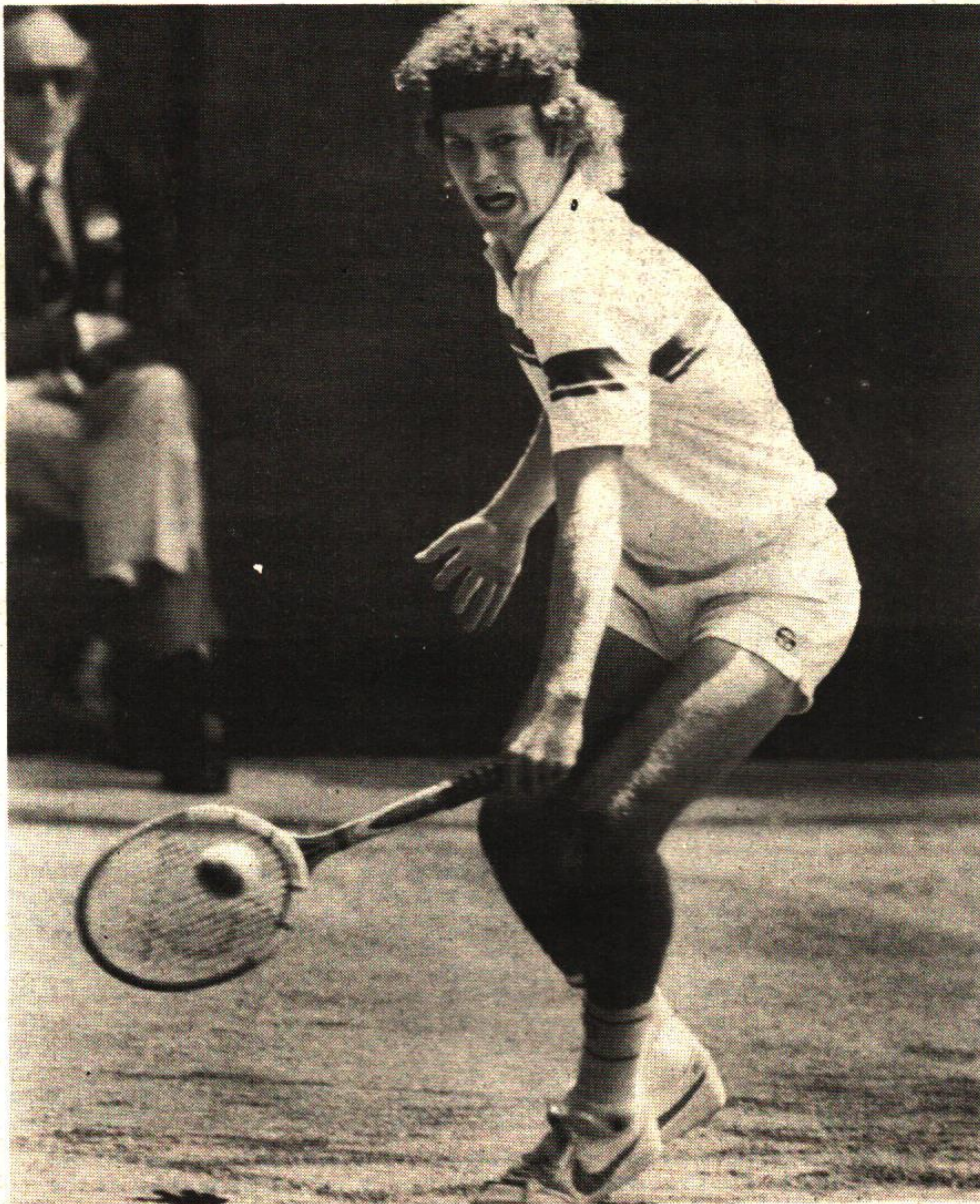
World championship leader Alain Prost of France filled third place in the session and his teammate Niki Lauda of Austria was fifth best.

Record

Lauda, the only driver in the current championship with two Monaco wins — in a Ferrari — will beat the all-time points scoring record set by Britain's Jackie Stewart if he wins.

Twice-world champion Lauda would take his tally to 361.5, half a point more than Stewart, who retired in 1973. The half point was awarded when Lauda shared the points with another driver in a rain-shortened race several seasons ago.

But Lauda, first in France two weeks ago, will still need five more Grand Prix wins to match Stewart's record 27 Grand Prix victories.



JOHN MCENROE . . . Infuriated by state of top court in Paris last night

McEnroe rumpus on court

JOHN MCENROE snarled and argued his way through to the last 16 in the French Open Tennis tournament in Paris yesterday. In a match in which opponent Mel Purcell was the least of his worries.

When he was not complaining, the top seed played some brilliant tennis and overwhelmed his US compatriot 6-4, 6-4, 6-1 in the third round for his 39th straight win this year.

But the tempestuous Wimbledon Champion had the match held up for more than 20 minutes because he was unhappy with the erratic bounce on the notorious No.1 court and spent much of the rest of the two-hour encounter in a running argument about photographers.

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match. 'Fifteen seconds, Mr McEnroe', the umpire said.

It was all part of the American's annoyance over the presence of photographers, clicking away from peepholes in the backcloth at one end of the court, a complaint which boiled over last year when McEnroe kicked a camera.

Last night, McEnroe forced a suspension of play just five games into the match when he protested about the state of the court.

Warned

McEnroe, officially warned for racket abuse in the second round, was penalised one point by the umpire at the start of the 10th game of the second set and told to get on with the

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Meet Mr Run-maker extraordinary . . . VIV RICHARDS, of Antigua, West Indies and Somerset. After his brilliant success at Old Trafford on Thursday where he scored 189 not out against England in the first one-day international, Richards will be at the crease at Trent Bridge today looking to give his side the winning lead in the second Texaco Cup match.

Randall dilemma for England

LACK of foresight has left the England selectors in a pickle for today's second Texaco one-day international against the West Indies at Trent Bridge.

The 13-man squad chosen last weekend does not include a second spinner, and there is no specialist batsman capable of bowling 11 overs in an emergency apart from Mike Gatting.

As a result, England are likely to go into the match with the same side which lost the first game by 104 runs at Old Trafford on Thursday.

That will put Peter May and his panel bottom of the local popularity stakes if they again omit 33-year-old Derek Randall, Nottingham's favourite, if eccentric, son.

The selectors, however, left themselves with very little room to manoeuvre. Gatting, after his fourth ball duck in Manchester, does not deserve to hold his place but he remains the only batsman capable of augmenting the attack should one of England's bowlers break down.

Rampant

The other batsmen in the squad — Randall, David Gower, Graeme Fowler, Andy Lloyd and Allan Lamb — have only taken 231 first class wickets between them throughout their careers which is hardly the pedigree to try and curb the rampant West Indian batsmen.

The selectors have only one way in which they can play Randall and Gatting together, and that would be to omit one of the openers, Fowler or Lloyd.

Only three days ago, however, May said that against the West Indies, England needed specialist openers for the job and to drop one now would mean an about turn in policy with the resulting loss of face.

Apart from trying to find room for Randall, Captain Gower and May must also try to work out a plan to curb Viv Richards.

Gower said bravely yesterday that the odds against Richards repeating his mighty 189 not out 'have got to be fairly long'.

But in Manchester, the West Indian showed one slight weakness — he was unable to attack spinner Geoff Miller scoring only 12 off 29 deliveries — and eight of those runs came

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MIKE GATTING

from two boundaries.

But with May away at his Surrey home yesterday and co-selector Alan Smith attending to Warwickshire matters at Edgbaston, there was no chance for a discussion about adding another spinner to the squad.

Dangers

A pity, since Trent Bridge groundsman Ron Allsopp tried to cut as much grass from the wicket as possible yesterday to try and reduce the dangers of the West Indian fast bowlers.

Yesterday's practice for both teams was washed out by the heavy rain, and that gave the West Indians their first complete day off since the tour began two weeks ago.

England team (probable): D Gower (capt), G Fowler, A Lloyd, M Gatting, A Lamb, I Botham, D Bairstow, G Miller, D Pringle, N Foster, B Willis.

West Indies: C Lloyd (capt), G Greenidge, D Haynes, R Richardson, V Richards, L Gomes, J Dujon, M Marshall, E Baptiste, J Garner, M Holding.