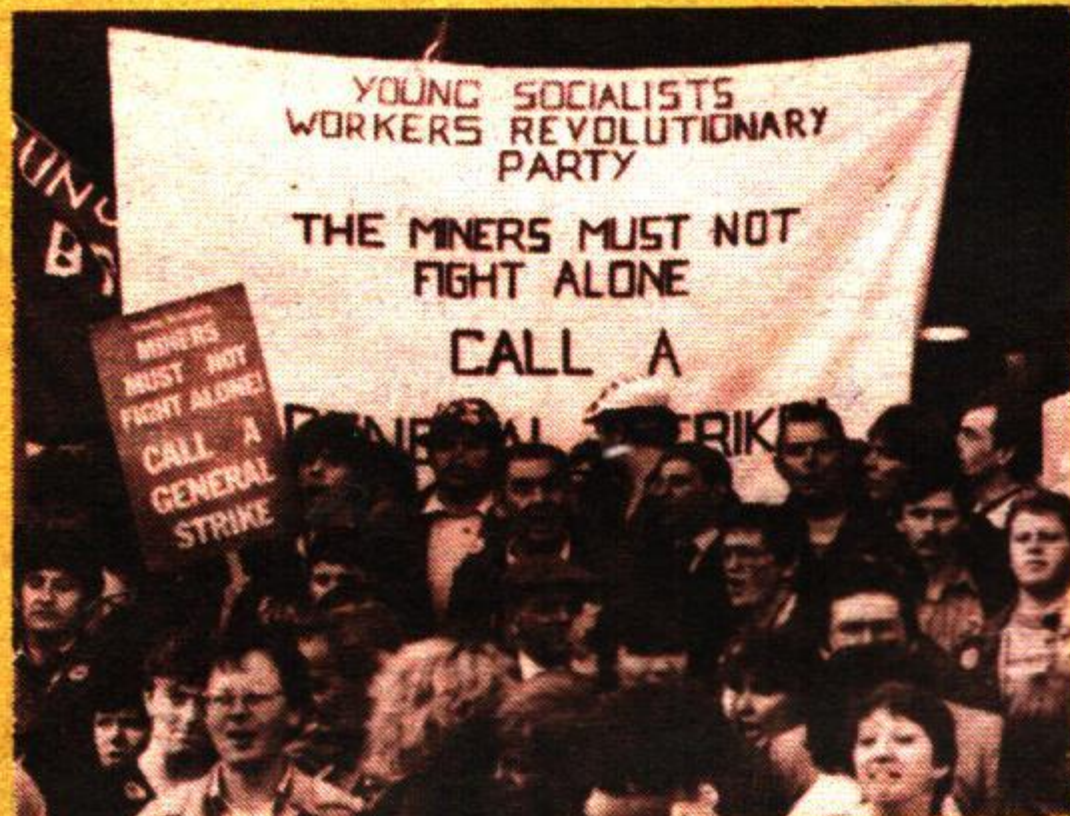


## ALL TRADES UNIONS' ALLIANCE

industrial department of the Workers Revolutionary Party



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The organisation of the General Strike

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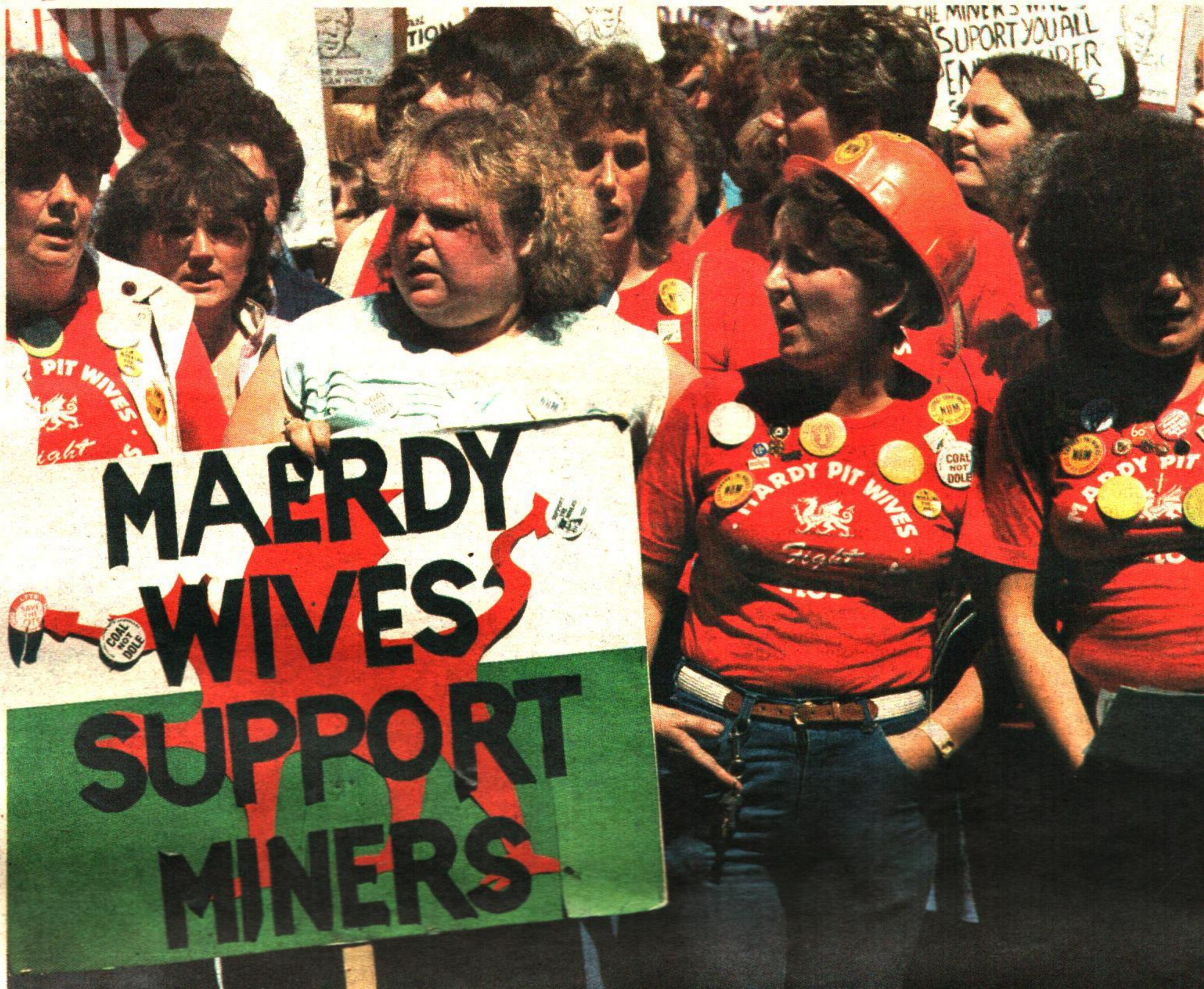
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A STRONG DELEGATION of Maerdy miners and their wives joined the march through Dover in Kent on Saturday

## Threats in Thatcher's Porthcawl speech

# MORE STATE VIOLENCE AHEAD

Statement by the All Trades Unions Alliance

**AT PORTHCAWL** on Saturday, Prime Minister Thatcher made a 'call to arms' speech to the Tory ruling class, the police, the judiciary and the law courts.

It marks the start of a new stage of their violent offensive to break the miners' strike, now in its 16th week.

The Porthcawl speech was co-ordinated with the letter sent out last week by Coal Board chief Ian MacGregor trying to intimidate the miners back to work.

### Strategy

The strategy of brutalising those on the picket lines and criminalising them through the courts is to be accompanied by a massive drive to get scabs into the pits.

Tory mouthpiece the 'Sunday Telegraph' explained yesterday: 'The government is convinced that the only way to end the strike quickly is to persuade more men to defy the picket lines. An all-out effort is now being

made by the Cabinet and Coal Board chiefs to foster a pithead revolt against Mr Scargill, the union president.' ('Sunday Telegraph', June 24, 1984)

Herein also lies the physical danger to Arthur Scargill emanating from the Tory state. His experience last week at the Orgreave picket line could be a taste of things to come.

That is why the National Union of Mineworkers must take immediate steps to organise physical

protection for him and his family 24 hours a day.

What Thatcher said at Porthcawl is that no violence will be spared to crush the miners. Speaking as the authentic Bonaparte, she declared that miners' pickets were 'an unlawful assembly' and raised the political stakes in the strike by declaring that it was against the 'national interest'.

She told baying Welsh Tories: 'Our duty demands and the national interest requires that violence does not pay and is

seen not to pay.' For the first time she also hinted at further law changes legally restricting the number of pickets to six!

### Scab

She made a shrill call for more scabbing and made absolutely clear that the scab has become the 'folk hero' of the Tories.

Meanwhile, as Thatcher's Bonapartist dictatorship girds itself for a massive assault on the

strikers, the miners have buried their second martyr since the strike began — Joe Green of Kellingley colliery.

The miners' martyrs are the martyrs of the whole of the working class. Their supreme sacrifice forcefully establishes the identity of the working class as a class, both in its determination to fight and its suffering under the yoke of capitalist tyranny.

Figures released last

● TURN TO PAGE 2



# ALL COAL TRAINS WILL STOP —

say rail union leaders

**LEADERS** of the National Union of Railwaymen believe that the few coal-carrying trains still running will come to a halt before the end of this week.

On the eve of the union's annual conference in Llandudno they said they were optimistic following a joint weekend meeting of guards and drivers from the NUR and the train drivers' union ASLEF at Shirebrook in Derbyshire.

The depot, which serves two major power stations — Ratcliffe and Marnham — is the only one from which coal trains are still operating, said NUR general secretary Jimmy Knapp.

Between 60 and 70 guards and drivers who work on coal trains from Shirebrook are currently suspended for refusing to operate trains carrying scab coal from the Nottinghamshire coalfield.

Knapp told reporters that the remaining 30 or 40 'will now carry out the decisions of the unions'.

Assistant general secretary Andy Dodds, who addressed the joint meeting, said: 'I came away with the clear impression that they were much more satisfied after

BY A NEWS LINE REPORTER

hearing the reasoning behind the decisions of the unions' executives.

'There was a much better response than at previous meetings. They were not challenging the instructions as they had been in the past.'

Delegates to the NUR conference will tomorrow discuss a rule change which will provide for better strike pay. It will empower the union's executive to supplement the £1 a day which NUR members are currently entitled to.

In addition £2,000 has been collected by NUR members to alleviate the hardship for those sent home by British Rail.



Above: Shirebrook rail depot. The only depot still operating. Inset: NUR secretary JIMMY KNAPP

## War games

ABOUT 800 journalists from the world's press, along with some military representatives of Warsaw Pact countries, are expected to watch Britain's biggest army exercise in September.

For the past few days more than 7,000 British troops have been working out how the front and mock battles of the £31-million Exercise Lionheart in September will go.

Altogether 131,000 British troops will take part in the exercise, allegedly designed to counter a mock invasion from across the German border.

Almost half of them will be transported across the Channel from Britain to reinforce the British Army of the Rhine.

## Exercise

The army is also planning to repeat its controversial exercise with uniformed 'war correspondents' during the new operation.

Last year 55 British correspondents were trained for two days on life in the field and the use of nuclear, biological and chemical protection suits before joining an exercise in Germany designed to test the handling of news in wartime.

The army says it wants to build up a 'broad belt' of journalists who know how to operate in the field.

## MORE STATE VIOLENCE

● FROM PAGE 1

week show the enormous price that miners have already paid in their struggle against pit closures:

**Miners arrested 3,182**  
**Others arrested 262**  
**TOTAL 3,444**

Home Office figures show that several hundred miners are facing charges that could bring jail sentences: riot 84, unlawful assembly 120, affray 9, grievous bodily harm 7, assault occasioning bodily harm 113, assault with intent to resist arrest 8.

The killing of David Jones and Joe Green, the stark figures given above and the £1 billion that the Thatcher civil war Cabinet has already pitched into the fight to crush the miners, provides stunning proof that the miners are in the front line for the whole of the working class.

It is equally clear that against these overwhelming odds, the miners can only win if they receive the full support of the whole working class.

All those unions who support the miners must come out on strike alongside the miners. All strikers and their families must receive supplies of food, clothes and all the financial assistance they need to strengthen their heroic fight.

## Action

While we fully support every form of solidarity action and Days of Action, they are not enough. They will not budge Thatcher's Bonapartist dictatorship from its course of state violence against the miners.

That is why the General Strike must be organised. It is the only means of bringing the whole of the

working class into action on the side of the miners and against the Tory government and the capitalist state.

It is also the way to combat the TUC right wing and the Kinnock-Orme-Callaghan manoeuvres to try and undermine the strike and have the miners defeated at the hands of Thatcher.

The organisation of the General Strike is the centre of a national conference to be held in Sheffield this Saturday, June 30, organised by the All Trades Unions Alliance, industrial department of the Workers Revolutionary Party.

We call upon miners, their wives and other supporters throughout the trade union movement to decide today to take part in this vital conference and to bring delegations from every section of the anti-Tory struggle.

June 24, 1984

## Court threat

**THE NATIONAL Coal Board is considering court action to try and end a miners' sit-in at one of Britain's oldest pits, at Tilmanstone in Kent.**

A spokesman said yesterday the Board will be deciding whether to seek an injunction to end the occupation of the control room by 10 miners who took over on Saturday.

● SEE full story of occupation, page 9.

## Family food bills soar

**THE AVERAGE** family's weekly food bill has risen faster than the annual rate of inflation, according to government figures published today.

But consumption of milk, cheese, butter, margarine, tea, some meats, potatoes and bread and fresh vegetables has dropped.

In the first three months of this year, the energy, protein, calcium and iron content of the average diet fell compared to 12 months ago, and there was also a fall in some vitamin intake.

The average family of four now spends £34.24 a week on food, an increase of 5.8 per cent over 12 months against an annual inflation rate of just over 5 per cent.

The National Food Survey published by the Ministry of Agriculture said average spending on food in the first three months of 1984 was £1.32 less than the previous quarter, but £1.88 more than 12 months ago.

Household consumption of milk continued to fall although people drank more semi-skimmed milk. Purchases of cheese fell by 3.7 oz and consumption of both butter and margarine was down. Average butter intake was down by about 10 per cent per person.

We ate slightly more

beef and veal, but less lamb and pork. Overall total consumption of red meat declined by more than 1 oz to 13.4 oz a week, an increase in fresh and frozen fish consumption was more than offset by a decline in canned fish sales.

Chicken eating has

risen — largely due to its low price in comparison to most meats.

Average consumption of potatoes was down more than 1.5 oz and household consumption of most other fresh vegetables fell as we ate more frozen vegetables. Bread consumption continued to fall.

## Ford lay-offs expected

**LAY-OFFS** are expected at Ford's Dagenham plant this week after workers in the door-hanging section rejected rationalisation of the Sierra production line.

In addition, the West German metalworkers' strike has halted production of the 1.6 litre diesel engine, increasing the likelihood of lay-offs.

The crisis on the Sierra production line follows the management decision to close one of the two

lines at the beginning of last week.

Fearing redundancies, workers have reacted angrily to company proposals for a 'seniority' scale for the reallocation of jobs on the single production line.

Workers are worried that those on the lowest 'seniority' will be the first to face redundancy, since the company proposes to take them from their jobs and put them in the pool of spare labour.

After numerous threats of industrial action last week from various parts of the line, the Body Plant door-hangers walked out on Tuesday.

Despite attempts by union representatives to get the men to return to normal working, the door-hangers imposed a work to rule when they came back to work on Thursday, and then came out on strike again on Friday.

● Vauxhall Motors has laid-off 240 workers at its van plant in Luton because of the West German metalworkers' strike.

## Factory

Another 100 van workers have been transferred to Vauxhall's Bedford truck factory at nearby Dunstable. The remaining 450 are to clock on to do other work at Luton.

Car production at the Luton plant will continue today, but management said it was reviewing the situation on a daily basis following the drying up of truck parts from West Germany.

## £8,000 Monthly Fund

### June Fund — too far to go

WE have £1,281.41 in and we need £8,000 by the end of the week — a tough challenge but we must do it. Please raise every amount you can and rush it in.

The fight is as firm as ever between the miners and the government. Now other sections of workers are taking action against Thatcher's policies.

The issue is to have a united struggle to defeat

the Tories and their plans. Use the News Line to take the fight for a General Strike out amongst all sections of the working class.

Support us all the way with a major effort to complete our June Fund. Post your donations immediately to:

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## Tanker hit

**BAHRAIN** — Iraq attacked a Greek-registered tanker in the Gulf yesterday, shattering a two-week lull.

The attack came hours after an emergency meeting in Riyadh of the pro-Iraqi six-nation Gulf Cooperation Council to discuss the Gulf war.

An Iraqi military spokesman said Iraqi aircraft had hit four 'large naval targets' early yesterday.

A Ministry of Merchant Marine spokesman in

Athens said the 152,372-ton 'Alexander the Great' was loaded with oil when hit near the Iranian oil terminal of Kharg Island but was only slightly damaged.

It continued its journey to the mouth of the Gulf without any crew casualties, he said.

It was the first report of an attack on Gulf shipping since June 10, when Kuwait blamed Iran for a strike on the Kuwaiti 'Kasimah' tanker.

## Fire death

**TWO YOUNG** boys were critically ill in hospital yesterday after being rescued from a blazing house in which their brother died.

Six-month-old Andrew Coombes and Stuart Coombes, four, suffered severe burns and were in a critical condition in Birmingham accident hospital's major burns unit.

Their brother, three-year-old Sean, was dead by the time firemen managed to pull the children out of their blazing bedroom.



## MP in bid to stamp out loan sharks

ILLEGAL moneylenders operating in areas of high unemployment are 'bleeding dry' out-of-work, poverty-stricken families with a new and vicious form of blackmail, an MP claimed yesterday.

Now Eddie Loyden, Labour MP for Garston, is to press in parliament for immediate government action to stamp out 'this cruel menace'.

He said: 'These sharks are making a killing out of other people's misery and desperation.'

Loyden said the moneylenders demand their clients' child benefit and social security books as security and then 'take charge of withdrawing benefits'.

'They often use other women involved in this vicious racket to collect the money or get the victim to do it herself and wait outside the post office to take it from her. The interest they charge is phenomenal and it just bleeds people dry.'

'Since it is an offence to surrender benefit books, many of these victims dare not complain to the authorities. Once they have borrowed, say £20, to meet a fuel bill, they are in the clutches of these sharks.'

'They are afraid to report it and are fearful that the heavies might move in.'

Loyden said the practice was prevalent in Tyne and Wear, Merseyside and other socially-deprived areas.

'One way to stamp out this sinister practice would be to offer an amnesty to those women

who have surrendered their books so that the police can then move in.'

Loyden is to ask Social Services Secretary Norman Fowler in the Commons to increase penalties for this kind of money-lending. He will also call on Norman Tebbit, Trade and Industry Secretary, to strengthen the enforcement of the Consumer Credit Act to deal with the problem.

# 'Miracle' escape for sleeper passengers

POLICE and firemen were sifting through the wreckage of the Aberdeen-London sleeper train yesterday after it plunged off the rails in the early hours.

Thirty-eight people were injured, none seriously, and an ambulance man who helped ferry the injured to hospital said: 'It was a miracle no-one was killed.'

The locomotive, ten sleeper coaches and two guards' vans left the

track on a stretch known as the 'Morpeth Curve' near Morpeth station in Northumberland.

'At first I thought it was an earthquake,' said Wilf Carr, who lives near the railway line at Deuchar Park.

### Explosions

'I heard a series of terrifically loud explosions, as if a string of bombs had gone off.'

Seventeen passengers were treated for minor injuries, bruising or shock at Morpeth Cottage

Hospital, and another ten were taken to Ashington General Hospital suffering from shock and abrasions.

Others injured, including the driver, were treated at the Royal Victoria Hospital, Newcastle upon Tyne.

The driver, Peter Allan, 58, of Station House, North Berwick, East Lothian, was staying in hospital last night with a broken arm and facial cuts.

In 1969 a London-Aberdeen sleeper train crashed at Morpeth, kill-

ing six people and injuring more than 100.

Saturday night's 19.50 Aberdeen-to-London sleeper came off the rails at 1.30 yesterday morning, blocking the east-coast main line which, BR says, will be closed for two days.

### Investigation

BR's Newcastle area operations manager, Michael Woods, said a major investigation was being launched immediately, and the Department of Transport

had been informed.

The cause of the crash was still a mystery. An inquiry had begun and accident investigation experts were at the scene, a spokesman said.

Three of the injured were still in hospital yesterday, though none was seriously ill, a police spokesman said.

Special break-down cranes were brought from Edinburgh and Leeds to lift the tangled wreckage from the tracks, but BR warned that the line could be closed for several days.

## Day of action for Barking cleaners' strike

LABOUR frontbencher Jo Richardson will today call on the government to intervene in the 15-week strike by 82 domestic workers at Barking hospital.

Trade unions involved in the dispute have called a national day of action tomorrow over the strike against wage and hour cuts resulting from privatisation.

The day of action will include a march and rally outside Crothall's, the private company with which the cleaners at Barking are in dispute.

Richardson will move an early-day motion in the House of Commons criticising the contractors and calling on the Secretary of State for Social Services to use his influence to settle the dispute.

The motion has been signed by over 60 other MPs, including Frank Dobson, Harriet Harman and Margaret Beckett, all

of Labour's front-bench health and social service team.

Richardson, MP for Barking, also wants to get the dispute debated in the European parliament.

She said: 'The workers affected by privatisation in the NHS cleaning services are almost all women. So the government's privatisation plans will mean a real deterioration in the pay and conditions of thousands of women workers — a section of the workforce which is still struggling to get equality in the jobs market.'

She went on: 'What has happened at Barking could be the thin end of the wedge, for the health service, for trade unions and for women workers.'

'If it refuses to intervene in the Barking dispute, the government is ducking its responsibilities to protect low-paid workers.'



On the picket line at Barking Hospital earlier this month — Frank Dobson (deputy Labour health spokesman) second left, Jo Richardson (Barking MP) third left, Michael Meacher (Labour health spokesman) fifth left, Jeremy Corbyn (NUPE-sponsored MP, Islington North) third right rear, Tom Sawyer (NUPE deputy general secretary) far right

## Kinnock accuses Thatcher

LABOUR leader Neil Kinnock at the weekend accused Thatcher's administration of being 'the most pro-South African government that Britain has had for many years'.

He said that her 'strong words' of opposition to apartheid when she met South African Prime Minister P. W. Botha carried 'no conviction'.

Kinnock was speaking at celebrations marking the 25th anniversary of the Anti-Apartheid Movement at the City University, London.

Kinnock claimed there was no doubt that a Labour government would be able to maintain a boycott of South Africa.

David Kitson, released last month after 20 years in a South African jail for his activities with the African National Congress, was given a standing ovation.

He said: 'I hope the anti-apartheid struggle in this country, of which I am going to be a part, will be short-lived because we want victory soon.'

Toivo Ya Toivo, a founder of the South West African People's Organisation (SWAPO), also recently released after 16 years in jail in South Africa, said: 'The people of Namibia are still suffering the reign of terror as racist oppression continues unabated.'

## Teachers warn of further action

STRIKE action by teachers — called off after their pay claim was referred to arbitration — could flare up again in the autumn unless the government agrees to foot the entire bill for a pay increase.

The warning came from a teachers' union leader after Tory Education Secretary Sir Keith Joseph said local authorities would have to foot the bill for anything more than 4.5 per cent.

### Attitude

National Union of Teachers deputy general secretary Doug McAvoy said he regarded the government's attitude as a mixture of 'bluff and threat' aimed at trying to

influence the arbitrators.

The 3,500-strong Association of Polytechnic Teachers has requisitioned a meeting of the union side of the college lecturers' pay negotiating committee to make sure its voice gets heard in picking an arbitrator for the lecturers' pay dispute.

Last week pay talks affecting college lecturers were also referred to arbitration.

● A STUDY out today claims that high spending is no guarantee of a superior education and small classes in schools not a guarantee of achievement.

### Adviser

The study was carried out by Rodney Lord, special adviser to Peter Rees, the Tory Chief Secretary at the Treasury.

## WEATHER

NORTHERN Ireland, north and west Scotland and north west England will be rather cloudy with rain or drizzle at times. Elsewhere, sunny periods will develop to give a generally warm day, some drizzle on western coasts making it cooler. Winds will be westerly moderate to fresh.

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Brighton Road  
DOORS OPEN 12 NOON

### MERTHYR

SATURDAY JULY 28  
Youth Training Centre  
Wesley Hall  
Pont Morlais  
DOORS OPEN 12 NOON



WORLD  
SUMMARYCall to  
arrest  
Nkomo

HARARE — Hundreds of supporters of the ruling Zimbabwe African National Union-Patriotic Front (ZANU-PF) attended rallies in Bindura, Karoi and Glendale, a few miles north of Harare, to demand the arrest of ZAPU leader Joshua Nkomo and a ban on all opposition parties.

## Supplies

BELGRADE — A textile factory in Yugoslavia has been supplying NATO troops with underclothes for the past three years, the Belgrade magazine 'Intervju' said.

## Disaster

TAIPEI — A derailed coal trolley plunging 300 feet down a mineshaft struck deadly sparks, touching off an explosion that left 21 people dead and 50 still trapped.

## Jailed

LAGOS — A military tribunal in the north-central Nigerian city of Jos jailed former Plateau state governor Solomon Lar for 22 years on corruption charges.

## Agreement

DAMASCUS — Czechoslovakia is to bolster Syria's defence capabilities under an important military agreement, Czechoslovak prime minister Lubomir Strougal said.

## World News Line

ALFONSIN POISED  
TO ANSWER BANKS

BY A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT

**BUENOS AIRES —** President Raul Alfonsin will make a national broadcast today on the future of the country's economy which is saddled with a \$44 billion foreign debt and inflation running at more than 400 per cent.

World bankers are hoping to hear Alfonsin agree to tough austerity measures and a guarantee that outstanding repayments will be met.

But the Argentine working class is equally anxious to hear him denounce the International Monetary Fund (IMF) and the savage attempts by the imperialist countries to get their pound of flesh from the masses.

Last Friday more than 100,000 demonstrators

surged through the streets of Buenos Aires protesting against the IMF's pressure on the government.

The demonstration, organised by the youth sections of the major political parties, was the biggest since Alfonsin's election last December.

## Notice

But German Lopez, the secretary-general of the presidency, has given notice that Alfonsin's address may not be what the working class anticipates. 'Alfonsin will make a call to all the population to support the policy of austerity and sacrifice that the circumstances require,' Lopez said.

This contrasts with the unilateral Letter of Intent which Argentina sent to the IMF earlier this month rejecting attacks on living standards and wages.

The Argentine government has until next weekend to repay a \$350 million debt to US banks. If the money is not paid over, a group of US and West European banks will have their balance sheets hit by a major default.

Last week's Cartagena conference in Colombia of 11 Latin American debtor nations has not lived up to its expectations, according to editorial comment throughout the region.

To the relief of world bankers, the final communiqué stressed the

need for a dialogue with Western economic powers and not confrontation.

Colombian Finance Minister Edgardo Gutierrez, a notorious banker's man, said: 'There has been no talk of a debtors' club or a moratorium on payments, and no break with international financial institutions.'

## Decisions

'The Cartagena consensus provided none of the explosive decisions that were worrying the financial community.'

(Significantly, as soon as the conference ended the Chase Manhattan Bank announced it was making a \$700 million loan to the Colombian government which hosted the conference.)

Another pro-American

delegate told reporters after the two-day meeting: 'The measures are intended to help find solutions that will benefit the international financial community as well as Latin America.'

He was referring to the decision to call for lower interest rates, longer repayment periods and 'reasonable' debt service payments.

But these measures will be arbitrarily thrown out by the bankers and the imperialist governments which are not noted for benevolence or philanthropy!

The fact remains that the region's debt is now more than half its gross domestic product and three times its annual exports. In the last few years debt service costs have increased almost twice as fast as exports.

PLO in  
unity  
talks

**ADEN —** Delegates from five groups within the Palestine Liberation Organisation (PLO) have begun fresh talks uniting their resources.

The talks, under joint mediation efforts by South Yemen and Algeria, are being attended by the Fatah movement, the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine (DFLP), the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP), the Palestinian Communist Party (PCP) and the Palestine Liberation Front (PLF).

## Divisions

Deputy chief of the DFLP Yasser Abed Rabu said in Damascus this month that there would be an 'historical declaration' to heal divisions in the Palestinian struggle.

'We are confident our next meeting will lead to an historic declaration that will open the way for a new phase to restore PLO unity,' he said.

Peru strike  
wave grows

**LIMA —** More than 180,000 building workers have walked off their jobs in a nationwide strike bringing all state building projects to a halt.

Construction workers' secretary-general Pedro Huilca said four-fifths of all Peruvian building workers joined in the stoppage to demand a 187 per cent increase on current pay of £30 a month.

In a parallel development, 10 protesters were arrested at a rally backing the national civil servants strike, now in its 20th day.

The strike has shut most hospital offices, municipal offices in major cities and several ministries, including the economics ministry, which collects taxes and operates the customs service.

The civil servants are demanding a 150 per cent increase in their monthly pay, amounting to about £50.

In reply, the government declared a 30-day state of emergency two weeks ago suspending constitutional rights.

Interior Minister Luis Percovich announced that the government would raise civil servants' monthly wages by about 40 per cent to the equivalent of £70.

There was no immediate response from civil servants on whether the increase was big enough to persuade them to end their strike.

● In Santiago, a group of armed men raided the offices of Chile's main left-wing opposition movement, cutting telephone lines and taking away files, press cuttings and the identity cards of those present.

Fernando Zegers, a lawyer and leading member of the Popular Democratic Movement (MDP), told reporters that four men had threatened office staff with pistols. The group locked them in another room before ransacking the office.

Three of the raiders had their faces covered and none showed any identification, but MDP officials said they were sure they were members of the security services.



Peruvian building workers . . . mass walkout

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## Otelo appeal Bishop inquiry

**LISBON —** The lawyer of Lieutenant Colonel Otelo Saraiva De Carvalho will appeal today against his client's arrest during a major police swoop last week.

Lawyers for some of the other 41 suspects also said they planned to challenge the arrest orders.

Otelo's lawyer Romeu Frances said the arrest warrant contained 'various illegalities'.

Socialist Party Prime Minister Mario Soares, who returned at the weekend from an Asian

tour, refused to comment on the case beyond saying the arrest of the 47-year-old Otelo was coordinated by the military and the police. 'I have confidence in the police and justice authorities of my country,' he added.

A Portuguese Communist Party statement, while condemning terrorism, called public attention to the 'coincidence' that the big police swoop was launched at a time that a tough new internal security Bill was before parliament.

**ST. GEORGE'S —** A new Grenadan political party founded by followers of the late prime minister Maurice Bishop has called for a public inquiry into the events which led to his death in a coup last October.

The Maurice Bishop Patriotic Movement (MBPM), led by Bishop's former Industrialisation Minister Kendrick Radix, issued the demand in a policy document.

A commission of inquiry should investigate the circumstances which

led to the coup within Bishop's New Jewel government and an invasion by US forces a week later and clarify responsibilities, it said.

## Trial

Twenty people are awaiting trial for the murder of Bishop and several other people.

The MBPM was formed earlier this month to contest elections due before the end of this year.



## World News Line

# GANDHI ARMED WITH TOUGH NEW POWERS

**NEW DELHI — Prime Minister Indira Gandhi has acquired tough new powers which strengthen her dictatorial powers of presidential decree in the Punjab.**

Mrs Gandhi can now detain indefinitely opponents without providing what are considered valid grounds under normal legal procedure.

President Zail Singh issued the amended ordinance at the weekend, in the wake of the regime's forced release of about 800 of an estimated 10,000 rounded up since June 5 because of a lack of valid legal grounds.

The ordinance empow-

BY A FOREIGN CORRESPONDENT

ers the regime also to issue another detention order if the first order expires or is revoked; in other words a self-sustaining certificate for Mrs Gandhi's personal dictatorship and repression in Punjab.

## Detention

The leader of the Akali Dal, the main Sikh political party, Harchand Singh Longowal, in detention since June 5, was released at the weekend and re-arrested under the powers of the new ordinance.

Mrs Gandhi made a 30-minute visit to the Golden

Temple of Amritsar at the weekend, when she was told the holy book of Sikhism was damaged during the June 5 atrocity.

Mrs Gandhi made no comment when the leader of Sikhism's highest order, Panj Pyares (the Five Loved Ones), told her of damage to the original writings of one of the earliest Sikh teachers of the 15th century.

She rejected for a second time Sikh demands that the army be immediately withdrawn from the temple and that Sikhs regain control of the temple.

She has asserted the army will remain in charge and that 'tours' for 'selected groups of pilgrims' will be conducted under army supervision.

The official visit was the first time Sikh officials had been allowed to enter the temple.

Mrs Gandhi was accompanied by her only Sikh minister, Housing and Construction Minister Buta Singh.

## Release

Panj Pyares leader Giani Saheb Singh showed Mrs Gandhi around the devastated buildings and asked for the release of 4,800 suspects officially acknow-

ledged as under detention.

Saheb Singh asked also that the whole of Amritsar be declared a holy site and that the temple should be re-opened to pilgrims at fixed times during repair work and while the search for arms continued.

The army is maintaining a lie that soldiers are continuing to find arms and ammunition at the temple, nearly four weeks after the assault.

State-run Press Trust of India (PTI) said Mrs Gandhi had written to world leaders, including President Reagan, President Konstantin Chernenko and Tory Prime

Minister Thatcher.

Gandhi's brutal invasion and subsequent repression has won the approval of the imperialist regimes and the Soviet Stalinist bureaucracy.

Thatcher's military experts, in fact, helped train a special unit of commandos by providing counter-insurgency advice.

## Trained

Two officials of India's Research and Analysis Wing (RAW) visited London several times, while the commandos trained on a life-size replica of the Golden Temple in the hills of New Delhi.

## Students face terror campaign

**COLOMBO —** University students are facing violent provocations by security forces in a crude government campaign branding them as 'terrorists'.

At least 100 students have been rounded up and lying accusations have been made that the students are planning to attack school-children.

Two students were killed last week when police attacked a demonstration of university students supporting the Tamil people's struggle for a separate state of Tamil Eelam (Tamil homeland).

President Junius Jayewardene is visiting London this week to ask Prime Minister Thatcher to help beef up Sri Lankan terror forces already being trained by Mossad Israeli secret service experts and the British SAS.

The racist regime is already being assisted by a special SAS force seconded from the Gulf state of Oman but Jayewardene is expected to ask for more.

He has discussed a similar request with President Reagan and has asked the United Nations, during a visit to New York on Friday, for a 'strike force' to combat terrorism in Sri Lanka.

Tamil Liberation Tigers, freedom fighters for Eelam, have rejected the regime's assertions of 'terrorism' and of training in 'guerrilla camps' in southern India as a lie and a blatant excuse for terrorising Tamil fishermen in the strait.

In Colombo, National Security Minister Lalith Athulathudali accused Tamil-supporting students of 'terrorism'.

He said these 'terrorists' were planning 'to stir further trouble among school-children'.

The Jayewardene regime sparked the student protests when it ordered the setting up of a police post in the grounds of Peradeniya University in the central hills.

Six universities remain closed and a state of emergency has been clamped over southern Sri Lanka.

## Kohl rejects court ruling on lockout

**BONN —** More than 200,000 workers locked out because of the six-week car industry strike will receive no state aid despite a court ruling.

They have received none for five weeks and Labour Office president Heinrich Franke at the weekend told the 'Neue Ostrabruer Zeitung' daily newspaper the Kohl government had overruled the regional social court in Darmstadt.

More than 500,000 workers throughout West Germany have either been laid off or locked out because of the IG Metall engineering workers' strike for a 35-hour week, and the impact of the strike is making itself felt throughout Europe.

At least 25,000 workers have been laid off or are on short time in Belgium, the Netherlands, Italy, Austria and Spain, while Gesamtmetall, the West German employers' federation, continues to refuse to negotiate any reduction of the 40-hour week.

## Deadlock

IG Metall leaders and Gesamtmetall executives were meeting separately in Stuttgart today but there appeared to be little hope of a settlement after a deadlock on Friday.

Mediation talks with print employers broke down on Thursday when the employers turned down a compromise and lodged an appeal in the federal court against the Darmstadt court ruling.

The employers refused to meet mediator Professor Kurt Biedenkopf, the Christian Democratic Union (CDU, Tory Party equivalent) politician and detergent manufacturer, who proposed major concessions to the em-

ployers; to maintain the 40-hour week for the next four years and to introduce extra holidays in order to cut down working time.

Printing employers' federation leader Belpz Ruebelmann accused Biedenkopf of siding with the printers' union.

The IG Druck und Papier (DRUPA) print union, whose members joined the engineering workers in a strike of indefinite duration last week, retaliated by announcing an end to talks and widening their strike.

Most national dailies have not appeared for more than a week or have been published as scab editions with only a few pages.

## Solidarity calls new boycott

**WARSAW —** The banned Solidarity free trades union would call on Polish workers to boycott parliamentary elections due to be called soon, underground Solidarity leader Zbigniew Bujak said at the weekend.

Bujak, head of Solidarity's clandestine Provisional Co-ordinating Committee (TKK), said a boycott of local government elections on Sunday last week had been a success.

Bujak said: 'Today, we know how many Poles are capable of acting or behaving in accordance with their own convictions. This knowledge will be helpful to us in our future work.'

Elections to the Sejm

(parliament) were due to have taken place in March but the bureaucracy put them off until after the provincial and local council polls to ascertain the strength of TKK and Solidarity support.

Bujak said union estimates showed that 40 per cent of the electorate in Warsaw observed the boycott on Sunday.

## Fugitive

The former factory worker, now Poland's most wanted political fugitive, said: 'If the extent of the boycott throughout the country were to have been like that in Warsaw, that means 10 million people did not vote: once again, there are 10 million of us.'



Daimler Benz workers marching in Hamburg against the lock-outs imposed by the employers. The 30,000-strong demonstration was called by the DGB (West German TUC)

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# Tories ignore nuclear dangers — DOCTORS' WARNING

BY A NEWS LINE REPORTER

A DRAFT circular from the Tories to health authorities on nuclear war takes a 'typically downbeat' approach to the threat and ignores the British Medical Association's estimate of the effect, community physicians were told at the weekend.

Dr Catherine McGrother, of Leicester, said a copy of the draft had come into her hands.

'I was horrified,' she said. 'I found it unbelievably optimistic.' Dr McGrother said the document began by emphasising that no radical change in the organisation of health services would be necessary to meet the threat of nuclear war.

'It acknowledges that hospital facilities may be temporarily overwhelmed,' she said, 'but

goes on to say it is possible that problems associated with immediate casualties would decrease in a relatively short time.

'I can only assume that refers to the large numbers of those casualties expected to die shortly after the nuclear blast.'

She said the draft circular was dated 1983 but she did not know if it was

produced after the BMA report.

That document, issued in March last year, said effective planning for medical services in a nuclear war was impossible.

A single megaton blast on one city could overwhelm the country's medical facilities and a sustained attack would lead to their collapse, the BMA said.

Dr McGrother was speaking at the annual conference of Britain's community physicians.

Dr Stuart Horner, chairman of the BMA community physician's committee, attacked the proposal to appoint district managers in the health service as part of an attempt by the lay civil service to take over control of all professional

functions in Britain.

He said: 'It is part of the general national decline that instead of putting our affairs in the hands of entrepreneurs and professionals paid to take risks we are settling for an army of non-professionals whose only ability is the ability to play it safe and to remove themselves and those who carry ultimate responsibility from any hint of criticism when things go wrong.'

'Look beyond medicine and you will find the same thing repeated endlessly throughout our society. It is leading us to stagnation and decline.'

## MAXWELL TAKES A CHUNK OF EXPRESS

MILLIONAIRE publisher Robert Maxwell has emerged as the biggest shareholder in Fleet Street Holdings, owners of the 'Daily Express', 'Sunday Express' and 'Daily Star'.

Maxwell's Pergamon Press group has bought 8,565,000 shares from Australian Robert Holmes A'Court, representing 10.5 per cent of the Fleet capital.

Holmes A'Court and Maxwell had been widely tipped as possible bidders for Fleet.

Maxwell is reported to have nursed a life-long ambition to own a Fleet Street newspaper but an immediate bid is unlikely.

### Purchase

A Pergamon statement said the company had made its purchase 'as a strategic long-term investment securing a significant interest in a major newspaper and communications group'.

Maxwell, a former Labour MP who runs the British Printing and Communications Corporation, recently was involved in abortive talks with Lorrho chief Tiny Rowlands over buying the 'Observer'.

He made his first bid for a Fleet Street newspaper in 1969 but lost out to 'Sun' owner Rupert Murdoch in a £35 million battle for control of the 'News of the World'.

### Rumours

The recent spate of rumours surrounding Fleet have also been accompanied by speculation suggesting Maxwell could be interested in buying the Mirror Group Newspapers (MGN).

Read International, which owns the 'Daily Mirror', 'Sunday Mirror', 'Sunday People', 'Scottish Daily Record', 'Sunday Mail' and the 'Sporting Life', is expected to announce details in the next month or so of plans to float off MGN.

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## Birmingham lecturers in cuts lobby

MEMBERS of the lecturers' union NATFHE from further education colleges and adult education institutes lobbied Birmingham education committee on Friday to protest against the budget cuts.

At NATFHE's request Jim Eames, the incoming chairman of the education committee, came out on the steps to meet members of the executive committee and hear their case.

He was sympathetic, he assured them, and the city council would do their best for non-advanced further education and the unemployed youth who are being hammered by central government.

In an apparently unprecedented move, he allocated the lecturer representative seven minutes to address the education committee on an agenda where there was no slot for the budget cuts.

He said the education committee would listen to

the case presented by the lecturer representative and then include it in the review of education spending that the Labour council is now undergoing.

Richard Downey, the lecturer representative, outlined the affect of the cuts in the various colleges and adult education institutes.

Further education will be short of 47 full-time teachers in classrooms from September and the cut in the number of part-time teachers budget will be 20 per cent, he warned.

### Policy

Already 20 per cent of the teaching in further and adult education is done by part-time teachers. So this will be a cut of 600 hours a week.

'Clearly these cuts are not consistent with the stated policy of choice at 16. Last year large num-

bers were turned away at enrolment and the applications received to date indicate that the trend in favour of further education is continuing.

'Even more school leavers and unemployed adults will be denied the opportunity of further and adult education next year.

'These cuts will hit the most vulnerable members of the community and are not consistent with Labour electoral pledges to maintain services nor with the stated policy of open access colleges providing a comprehensive range of courses.'

At the lobby Carol Walker and Bridget Beech from Sparkhill Institute, one of the city's eleven adult education institutes, spoke of the problems resulting from years of cut-backs in adult education.

Their institute was two full-time members of

staff short. 'At last year's enrolment there was an exceptional demand for our basic education classes so that we were running classes with 30 people on the register.'

'Commercial subjects were made self-financing last September by the city council which doubled the fees.'

### Classes

'Our institute tried to buffer the cuts by running two classes for the price of one. But this has left the centre in deficit. We shall have to charge the full fee this September.'

Bridget Beech spoke of the impossibility of expanding the basic education provision and said that she would like the Labour council to make basic education classes free of charge and subsidise the self-financing classes in deprived areas like Sparkhill.

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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 WEST

MANCHESTER: Monday June 25, 7.30p.m. Longsight Library, Stockport Road.

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

ASHTON-U-LYNE: Wednesday June 27, 7.30p.m. Pit & Nelson Pub, Market Street.

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

CREWE: Thursday June 28, 8p.m. Room 04, Oakley Centre.

Speakers: Wayne Chand (YS National Committee); Tony Banda (WRP Central Committee); In personal capacity: Danny Anderson (Woolston NUM)

BLACKLEY: Tuesday July 17, 8p.m. Harpurhey Neighbourhood Centre, Carisbrook Street, Harpurhey.

Speakers: John Oldham (YS Regional Committee); Stuart Carter (WRP Central Committee); In personal capacity: John Forster (NUPE); Mark Onley (Shop steward Phillips Rubber)

### YORKSHIRE

WAKEFIELD: Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m. Unity Hall, Westgate.

Speakers: Andy Briggs (Huddersfield YS); Cliff Slaughter (WRP Central Committee); In personal capacity: Hazel Mountain (Upton Miners Wives Support Group); Mike Chandler (Secretary West Yorkshire Met. County Council joint trade union committee); Yorks NUM speaker

### EAST MIDLANDS

NOTTINGHAM: Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m. Albert Hall Institute.

Speakers: Kevin Townsend (YS National Committee); Peter Jones (WRP Central Committee)

### SOUTH WALES

MOUNTAIN ASH: Wednesday June 27, 7.30p.m. Penrhwceiber Workingmen's Institute, Penrhwceiber.

Speakers: Hollis Byrne (YS National Committee); Matthew Robertson (WRP Central Committee)

### KENT

AYLESHAM: Wednesday July 4, 7.30p.m. Aylesham Miners Welfare Hall.

Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Secretary); Maxine Hall (Aylesham YS); Alex Mitchell (WRP Central Committee); In personal capacity: Jack Collins (Kent NUM); Caroline Sweeney (Elvington Womens Support Group)

RAMSGATE: Thursday July 19, 7.30p.m. Oddfellows Hall.

Speakers: Dolly Short (YS Editor); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee); In personal capacity: Graham Young (Thanet strike co-ordinating committee); Lynne Francis (Ramsgate Wives Support Group)

### SUSSEX

BRIGHTON: Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m. White Hawk Centre, White Hawk Road.

Speakers: Graham Fenwick (YS Regional Committee); Richard Price (WRP Central Committee)

### ESSEX

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

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

### LONDON

BOW: Tuesday June 26, 7.30p.m. Bow Baths Community Centre, Sutherland Road, off Roman Road, E3.

Speakers: Julie Hyland (YS National Secretary); Martin Westwood (WRP London District Committee); In personal capacity: Danny Gribbon (COHSE shop steward, St Clements hospital); Tommy Finn (UCATT)

MARYLEBONE: Tuesday June 26, 7.30p.m. The Four Feathers Club, 12 Rossmore Road, NW1.

Speakers: Dolly Short (YS editor); Peter Farrell (WRP Central Committee); Rita Maxim (Sacked St Mary's hospital worker)

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, Gestetters convenor in personal capacity)



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# THE MINERS' STRUGGLE

## NOTTS STRIKERS IN DEFIANT MOOD

### OLLERTON PICKET

THE death of Yorkshire pickets Joe Green and David Jones should stir every trade unionist into action behind the miners' fight, said Colin Dixon from Ollerton Colliery in Nottinghamshire.

'How many more miners have to be killed before these men in Nottinghamshire and the rest of the trade union movement join us?' he asked during an interview with News Line at the weekend.

'We need all workers to come out on strike and join us on the picket line. And not just workers, but also the lads on the dole

BY SIMON VEVERS

because we are fighting for them too,' Dixon said.

'They talk about 20,000 jobs going in the pits, but really it's more like half a million when you think of the effect that closures will have on all the little communities throughout the country.'

Dixon has a long and bitter experience of pit closures. It was in 1962, with the Langley Park colliery under threat that he, like many other Durham miners, was forced to move south in search of work.

After 15 weeks on strike, with his own village of Edwinstowe under siege by a large force of

police Dixon says that he and his family are more determined now than ever to carry on and defeat MacGregor and Thatcher.

And that mood was reflected among 1,000 Nottinghamshire strikers who packed the Ollerton miners welfare hall last Tuesday night for a highly successful social.

But Dixon stressed: 'It is time we had a General Strike because this is a fight for everybody. I'd like to see another Saltley — a real mass picket with every trade unionist in the country backing us.'

'Bill Sirs and the rail-

waymen have got to give us more backing. We should close down the steelworks because after all we didn't handle any steel during their strike.'

Dixon warned that pit closures would be tied to a sweeping programme of privatisation which would involve direct wage-cutting.

'I have worked for contractors so I know what it would be like. If you came up two minutes early from your shift then under private enterprise you'd lose all your bonus money for that shift and more.'

He added: 'Thatcher is always going on about spending £800 million on the coal industry, but we all know that most of that has gone on redundancies.'

'I've seen what private enterprise did to the north east. In the '60s they closed a large number of pits and they were replaced by open cast mines. So it was money in the bank for Wimpeys and other big companies.'



Colin Dixon and his 19 year old son Russell who is on strike at Thoresby Colliery

## Tories' para-military force

THE Thatcher government may impose a state of emergency in its bid to break the miners' strike, Kent NUM president Malcolm Pitt told a meeting organised by Harrow Trades Council on Thursday night.

'It is now a para-military police force that confronts the pickets every day. You have to see them on their horses in their riot gear. They conduct their opera-

tions in a military style.'

Pitt said in answer to those that claim the strike is not political: 'Every time a government takes a man's job away from him it is a political act.'

'Every time the state uses its immense power against a picket, it is political. The appointment of MacGregor is political, the decision to close 70 pits is political.'

Pitt praised the young miners and said their prominent role in the struggle had exploded the myth cultivated in the Tory press that they were earning too much money, lived in big houses, owned big cars and

videos and had joined the golf club and therefore would not strike. He said Kent miners faced the closure of the entire coalfield and were determined to fight to stop the area being decimated like Corby, the Northamptonshire steel town.



Police violence at Orgreave coking plant has strengthened the resolve of the miners

## Blockade on iron ore will go ahead

A NATIONAL official of the train drivers' union confirmed last night that a blockade on iron ore supplies to steelworks will be imposed if leaders of the Iron and Steel Trades Confederation refuse to reach a satisfactory agreement with the National Union of Mineworkers.

'We have already made our position clear in relation to support for the miners, but there will be a status quo until after the talks between the NUM and the ISTC,' he told News Line.

ISTC leader Bill Sirs said at the weekend that he may call on the TUC to intervene to try and prevent a blockade of the steelworks.

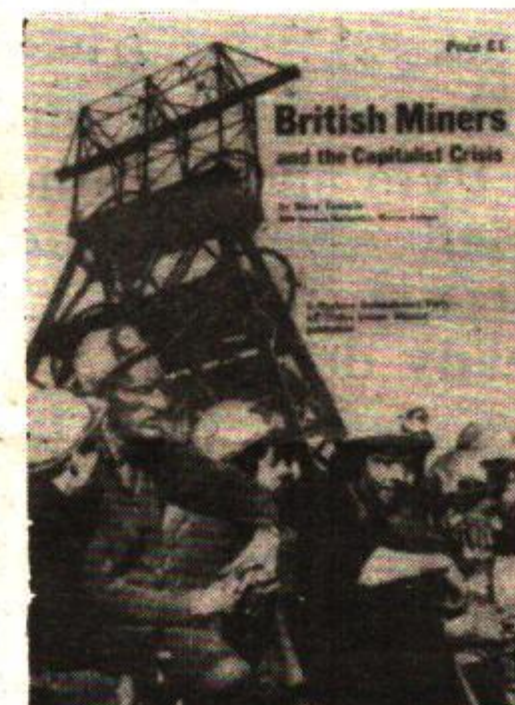
At their conference last week ISTC delegates agreed to meet the NUM, but Sirs made it clear that he was not prepared to see production halted. ISTC members in the meantime have been told to continue working with scab coal.

### Sacked

Strikers at Keresley Colliery in Coventry are demanding the reinstatement of a miner sacked last week for allegedly assaulting a working foreman on the picket line.

Clive Ham, a 29-year-old father of two, has worked at the pit as an electrician for the last 14 years.

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## Pym highlights Tories' crisis

FRANCIS PYM, the former Foreign Secretary, this week publishes his alternative Tory manifesto under the title 'The Politics of Consent'. The fact that it criticises Prime Minister Thatcher has guaranteed the book and its author wide publicity. But any tendency to consider the Pym school of Toryism as politically, intellectually, morally or in any other way superior to Thatcherism would be completely misplaced. To judge from extracts published in advance by Rupert Murdoch's 'Sunday Times', Pym is quite frank about it:

'My concern is that the flag of traditional Conservatism is kept flying, and that people are reminded of its values and its worth, so that one day a standard-bearer can pick it up and put it back at the centre of our affairs, where it belongs.'

In pursuit of this thoroughly reactionary objective, Pym served in Thatcher's Cabinet for four years, just as he had previously served under Edward Heath. If she hadn't chucked him out, the odds are that he would still be there.

Even now, he doesn't want to be branded a 'government critic'. Instead, he hopes to be recognised as 'someone who has consistently wanted to change some aspects of government policy and approach, because I think it would be a great deal better for the country and for the government itself'.

Thus Pym criticises Thatcher's style of government as presidential and snipes at Tebbit's advice to the unemployed to get 'on yer bike' as 'not the most constructive in these circumstances'. Aristocratic understatement at its feeblest.

With truly Tory arrogance, he advances his own image as a paternalistic gardener dampening the soil with his watering can. 'Dryness will produce a cactus society scratching its members to pieces,' he says. 'Wetness will produce a paddy-field society incapable of material progress.'

The Euro-Stalinists and their revisionist friends are looking to Pym and the other Tory wets to join a 'popular front' against Thatcher. They are convinced that the working class is already defeated.

They share Pym's conviction that the working class are standing around panting with their faces turned towards the sun, waiting for some benevolent Tory gardener to come round with their water ration. They use the spurious theory of the 'lesser evil' to justify supporting 'traditional Toryism' against Thatcherism just as their counterparts in the 1940s supported Churchill against Hitler.

In fact Pym is a refugee from the Heath government which suffered historic defeat at the hands of the working class led by the National Union of Mineworkers in 1974. His 'human face' of Toryism is just as repulsive as the Thatcher variety.

The differences between Pym and Thatcher are significant only as evidence of the crisis of leadership within the ruling class. They signify that Toryism in all its repugnant forms can and will be defeated through the revolutionary struggle of the working class.

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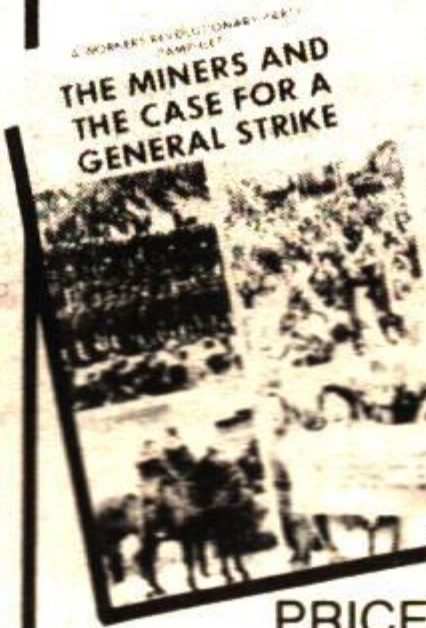


Miners from as far away as Maerdy colliery in South Wales and their wives joined Saturday's march in Kent

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CGT leader Wibault Yvon brought greetings to the rally from French workers — in picture with (right) Kent NUM leader Jack Collins



# LIKE TO BACK THE MINERS

## XTEND DAYS OF ACTION

**THE day of action next Wednesday called by the South East TUC should turn into days and weeks of action by the working class, Kent miners' leader Jack Collins said on Saturday.**

He was speaking to over 1,000 miners and large numbers of wives' groups after a march through Dover, Kent, on Saturday.

BY PENNY BLOOR

**Make them weeks of action — Collins**

On the march were wives from Maerdy, South Wales, all three Kent collieries — Snowdown, Tilmanstone and Betteshanger — Yorkshire, Coventry and Nottinghamshire.

Other banners included the NUM from Penrhwyceiber lodge, the three Kent NUM branches, Notts Miners on Strike, NUM Warwickshire, NUPE, Sheetmetalworkers, Dover seamen, and the Labour Party. The Workers Revolutionary Party also joined the march with a delegation and banner demanding the miners must not fight alone.

Collins congratulated all those workers who had stayed in solidarity with the miners since the start of the strike.

He said that the Coal Board was united in trying to find different ways of sacking miners.

'I say to MacGregor, if it wasn't for the strength and solidarity of the working class, with the food and finance coming into the villages, MacGregor and Thatcher would be guilty of infanticide.'

'MacGregor and Thatcher are prepared to starve our kids, aided and

abetted by the men in uniform.'

The miners had seen the police run amok in a confrontation aimed at trying to run the miners into the ground.

Yet not one striking miner, in 16 weeks out on strike, had been arrested, charged and proved guilty of any physical assault on a scab.

### Scandal

Collins referred to a leading member of the Tory Cabinet 'who must not be named', but was said to be involved in a child sex scandal.

'They are the people we have got to beat,' he said.

Collins made a special call for support for Wednesday's demonstration and day of action in London called by the South East TUC.

'I am for extending that day of action into days of action, into weeks of action, and I appeal to the working class to stand by the miners and the miners will not be defeated,' he said.

Kent miners' wife Liz French said wives had been in the forefront of the struggle and 'we are going to stay there'.

Maureen Douglass from Hatfield Main said women's involvement in the strike had been a historic event for the labour movement.

Vanda Evans, from Coventry, said: 'We will never give in to Thatcher and MacGregor. There will be no surrender.'

From Nottinghamshire, Pam Oldfield stressed that one third of Notts miners were out on strike, picketing their own pits.

She warned that these men would have to fight in the future to get their jobs back from scabs now doing them.

Wibault Yvon brought greetings from the CGT trade union in France. He condemned the scale of police brutality against British miners and pledged financial solidarity for the strikers.

There were also speakers from a black delegation and from the Labour Party.

● During the march Dover seamen's branch secretary Colin Bennett told News Line: 'We'll do whatever we can to support the strike. It's as simple as that.'

'The more other trade unionists see the reaction of the police and the government towards the mineworkers and their strike, the more support they're getting.'

'A General Strike would have to be a national policy decision, but my own feeling is that among seafarers the support would be there if it was called upon.'

'I admire that strength and unity within the mineworkers' union itself.'



Police outside Tilmanstone colliery on Saturday, after the control room had been taken over by ten miners

## Tilmanstone miners occupy control room

TEN miners occupied the control room at Tilmanstone colliery in Kent at the weekend in anticipation that the National Coal Board might bring in scabs.

Several hundred police surrounded the pit early Saturday morning shortly after the occupation took place. The police kept up a presence all day.

Malcolm Pitt, Kent NUM president, told News Line: 'The occupation is in protest at the NCB's attempts to organise blacklegging at the colliery following the Betteshanger attempts.'

'We also deplore the fact that colliery management has sought to see fit to introduce large numbers of police into the colliery premises and militarise industrial relations.'

'Kent NUM, in congratulating Betteshanger's victory, has said it is determined to prevent any other NCB attempts to break the strike anywhere in the coalfield.'

Last week miners occupied Betteshanger to prove that the pit was still intact and did not leave until they received guarantees that the pit will not close.

'We have received the support of NACODS, who have said they will honour our picket lines on request,' Pitt continued.

'It's also created a fairly large-scale problem for management because within the control centre is most of the safety equipment.'

'The occupation will continue until we are quite certain that the police have been withdrawn and that no attempts to break the strike by management are encouraged.'

Tilmanstone miner Tom Doody, who was outside the occupation, said: 'This morning I would say at least 500 police were on the premises here. They were all over the place.'

'The men went in at 6.10 this morning. I know what it is when a pit closes. I have worked here for 15 years since Chisley pit closed.'

'We had 500 miners in Hersden village when Chisley was open. Now there are about 60 miners in that village — it's pretty decimated.'

'This strike is make or break. It's make or break for the working class as a whole and the trade unions.'



There was also a NUPE banner on Saturday's march



# THE MINERS' STRUGGLE



## The case for Community Councils

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

- Provide food for families and children of those on strike. No miner to be starved back to work by the Tories.

- Pay urgent bills for electricity and gas, calling on workers not to carry out cut-offs as an act of solidarity with the strike. Raise funds for new clothing and footwear for strikers.

- Ensure that no miner is evicted by local councils for not being able to pay rent or rates. Make certain that medical supplies are paid for so that miners and their families can get the treatment prescribed.

- Arrange for the care of the elderly dependent on support from miners' families, ensure nursery provision so that miners' wives can participate fully in winning support for the strike.

- Organise the provision of free legal representation for miners who need it. Provide accommodation for miners from other areas.

- Watch out for and organise against provocateurs. Organise the defence of union offices and funds from state attacks.

- Rally other workers to support and back up miners' pickets and organise marches and rallies.

LABOUR COUNCILS must be asked to:

- Provide free school meals and transport for miners' children.

- Make office accommodation in council offices available to miners, with facilities for printing and communications.

- Make sure that no evictions take place because of mounting debts. Wipe out rent and rate arrears.

- Provide free public transport for strikers and their families. Make all council facilities available free to miners. Lay on entertainments and outings for miners' families.

- Resist having to foot the bill for the cost of the Downing Street directed police operation against the miners' union.

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

## Wives join anti-Thatcher protest

BY OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT

MINERS wives support groups from all over South Wales demonstrated outside the Wales Tory Party conference at Porthcawl on Saturday.

'The media calls Thatcher the iron lady,' said Cath Morgan from Maesteg. 'Look around, she's outnumbered by our iron ladies.'

'We are here to show the strength of support for our husbands,' she said. 'My husband has been a miner for 31 years, since he was 15, and now they are telling him to go on the dole.'

'Nobody can dictate that to a father and his two sons.'

'We are going to win,'

she added. 'But we need more strike action in support of us.'

All the wives' groups related their activities, like Markham wives from Blackwood, who have picketed from Port Talbot steelworks to Point of Ayr colliery, made regular door-to-door food collections, organised comic football matches and received £300 donations for a coach trip for the miners' children.

### Adamant

'MacGregor's letter in the newspapers has made us more adamant,' a Markham spokeswoman told News Line.

'It was all bull. A waste of money and it shows how the NCB throw away their money all the time.'

The wives from Abertillery have travelled all over Britain. 'We've had a wonderful response,' Doreen Selway said. 'We might be suffering, but people see it no longer as a miners' fight but a fight for all our democratic rights.'

She was especially critical of the 'collapsed' pits shown on television. 'Our husbands were working in pits like that ten years ago,' Doreen said.

Her friend Jackie Gundy, a T&GWU member, has had plenty of experience of fighting for jobs,

being on strike herself at the Lefray factory, Abertillery, for 18 weeks.

'The strike ended last December with an agreement accepted by our union to take the T&GWU members back,' Jackie said.

### Brutality

'We are still waiting.'

The strike at Lefrays had all the police brutality now seen in the miners' strike.

'I saw an 18-year-old girl being dragged by the hair by the police. And her father trying to stop it was fined for obstruction,' she recalled.

'The fathers can no longer protect their children in this country.'



North Yorkshire miners taking part in the recent annual gala through Wakefield

## Army drivers charge

PRIME Minister Thatcher and Home Secretary Leon Brittan are directing the strike-breaking and police operations at Orgreave coke works and other places, according to Steve Cox a miner at the Ledston Luck colliery in north Yorkshire.

He said: 'They are using lorries without registered number plates. In my opinion the lorries are not being driven by cowboy drivers but by army men. I've seen them at close quarters and I can tell you they are not

ordinary working class drivers.'

'At Orgreave the British Steel Corporation men come out on to the gate when the scab lorries go in, in sympathy with the miners. But whilst they are outside scabs are doing their jobs.'

### Stoppage

'These men should be on strike against the scabs being brought in and doing their jobs. They should come out on an indefinite

stoppage.'

Kevin Stansfield, from the same pit, said that there is a lorry firm in Lancashire where the drivers have pledged not to cross picket lines.

'But they have been forced to renounce their union cards or be sacked! The firm is bringing scabs into Bickershaw pit.'

He added: 'There should have been a General Strike over Cheltenham.'

Mick Gent said: 'The TUC was formed to look

after the interests of the small unions without any muscle. But as far as Len Murray is concerned he is just waiting for a knight-hood.'

### Soldiers

NUM branch secretary Joe Harrison said the increased violence of the state and the certain presence of soldiers on picket lines were stiffening the resolve of the miners, their families and their communities.

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## News, views and activities



Miners' daughters Edna Brannon, Julie Sheavills and Sharon Smith marching on Saturday's demonstration through Dover in support of their fathers

# 'We support our dads all the way' Miners' daughters

'WE all support our dads,' say miners' daughters whose fathers are on strike at Betteshanger colliery in Kent.

Four daughters, Julie Sheavills, her sister Rachel, Edna Brannon, and Sharon Smith, told News Line on a Kent miners' march through Dover on Saturday that they are with their dads all the way, despite the hardship since the strike began.

'Where I live is mainly a mining community and if that pit closes it'll just be like a ghost town,' said Julie. 'My dad has worked there since he was 15.'

### Jobs

'At school there are about 25 out of 30 people in my class whose dads are miners.'

'There's not many jobs round where I live anyway. I want to go into

looking after children when I leave school. If the pit closes, we just haven't got a chance.'

Julie said she wants a proper job when she leaves school, not a cheap labour scheme. 'I think the YTS is bad really because you don't get a lot of money for it. It just isn't worth it.'

Since the strike started life has changed. 'I'm not allowed so many things as we used to get. If there are school trips, I'm not allowed to go on them

because they are so expensive.'

'But most of my friends' dads are miners so we don't feel as though we're missing much. I feel angry about it. Thatcher can spend money on the police to do all the controlling of us, but she says she can't afford to give us jobs.'

'I think it's bad — and on TV you only see half of it. You only see the pickets attack the police, you don't see the police attacking the pickets.'

'I've learnt to be more independent with money and I've realised how bad Maggie Thatcher is towards miners.'

### Proud

'I want a job when I leave school and I'm not going to get it if she's in government.'

Edna added: 'I feel proud of my dad and what he's doing.'

Rachel said: 'The miners are on strike to stop pit closures and to fight for everyone's jobs.'

'I've lived in Deal all my life and everything would be deserted if they shut down the pits.'

it takes. I believe we'll win because if we don't you can say goodbye to the rest of the trade union movement.'

'Thatcher is trying to get us because we've got the strongest union in the country. We need the support of other trade unions. The steel and rail unions should stop sitting on the fence and come out and help us.'

'If those lads in Notts had come out in the first place then we'd have won by now.'

## 'Out for as long as it takes'

KEVIN MORGAN is a miner at Tilmanstone colliery. Last week he joined other miners at the Betteshanger colliery to support the occupation there to prevent strikebreakers coming in. Now his own pit is occupied.

Two miners were trying to come to work. But we say we all came out on strike together so we shall go back together and not have men filter-

ing back to work one by one because that's what MacGregor and Thatcher want.

### Nothing

'We're out on strike and it's as hard for me as anyone else. I'm on my own with a family and I get nothing from the social security but I'm willing to stay out as long as

## Teachers call for united action

FRANKFURT — Young West German teachers have called for united action by unemployed and employed teachers against rapidly rising joblessness in their profession.

The teachers' union is also fighting against government insistence that politics should be kept out of schools.

Union chief, Dieter Wunder challenged a statement by Chancellor Helmut Kohl saying that schools should not become 'centres for political power struggles'.

Wunder said everyday political issues should not be kept out of schools, otherwise teachers would appear ridiculous to their pupils.

It was the responsibility of teachers to insist on 'the right of every citizen to a job, the equality of men and women, the fight against racism', he said.

### 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)

4. Thursday June 28, 7p.m.

#### MANCHESTER

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

4. Thursday June 28, 7.30p.m.

#### ST HELENS

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

4. Wednesday June 27, 7.30p.m.

#### IPSWICH

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

3. Monday June 25  
4. Monday July 2 All at 7.30p.m.

#### GLASGOW

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

4. Monday June 25, 7.30p.m.

#### STOKE ON TRENT

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

4. Tuesday June 26, 8p.m.

#### MERTHYR TYDFIL

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

4. Sunday July 1, 7p.m.

#### NOTTINGHAM

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

3. Sunday July 1  
4. Sunday July 8 All at 6p.m.

#### DONCASTER

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

3. Wednesday June 27  
4. Wednesday July 4 All at 7.30p.m.

#### NORTHAMPTON

The Guildhall  
Lecturer: Alex Mitchell  
(WRP Central Committee)

2. Wednesday June 27  
3. Wednesday July 4  
4. Wednesday July 11 All at 7.30m.

#### COVENTRY

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

3. Tuesday June 26  
4. Tuesday July 3 All at 7.30p.m.

#### MURTON

Murton Miners Welfare  
Lecturer: Cliff Slaughter  
(WRP Central Committee)

3. Wednesday June 27  
4. Wednesday July 4 All at 7p.m.



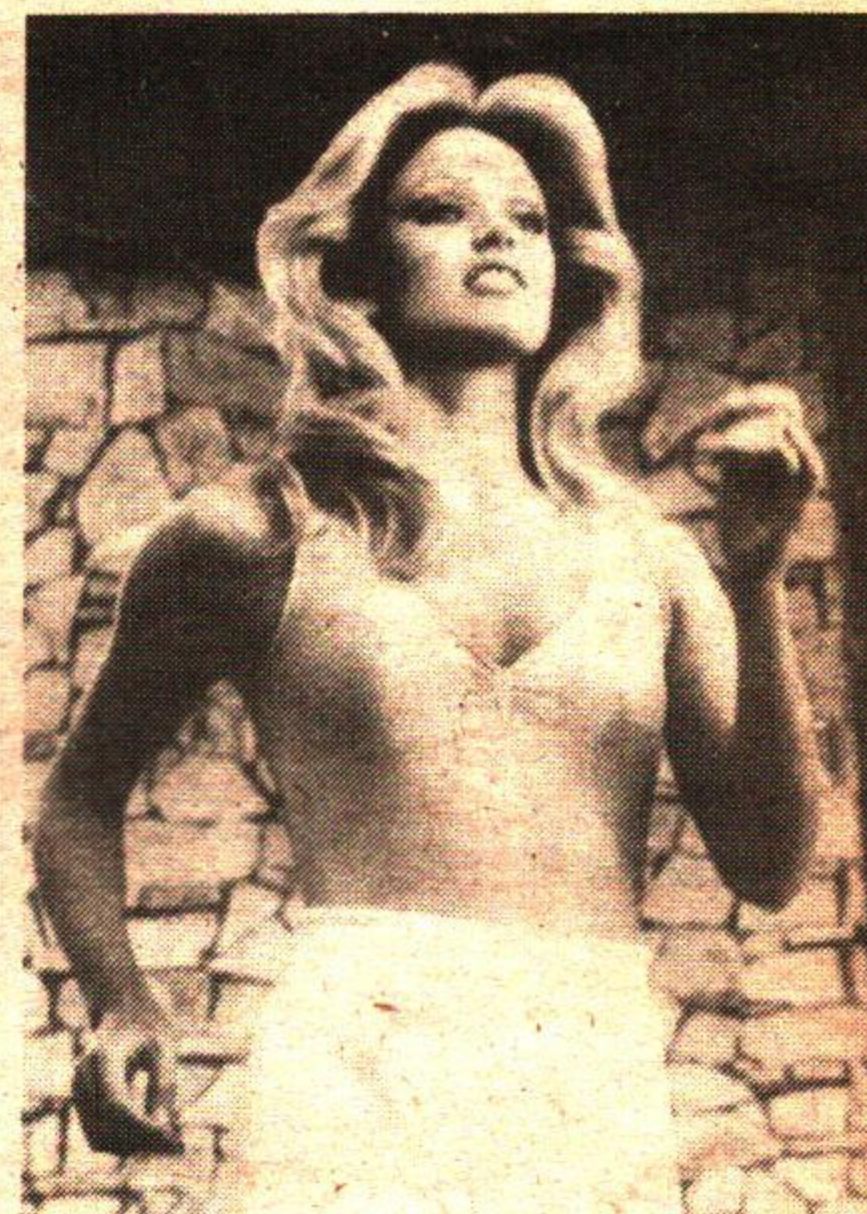
# TODAY'S TV AND RADIO



Stephanie Beacham stars in the repeat of 'Tenko' on 2 at 8.30pm



The Kellogg's BMX Championships: 1984 Track Wars on 4 at 6



Susan Anton stars as 'Goldengirl' on ITV at 9

## BBC1

6.00 Ceefax AM. 6.30 Breakfast Time. 9.00 Gardeners' World. 9.25 Home on Sunday. 10.00 Pages from Ceefax. 10.30 Play School. 10.55 Pages from Ceefax. 1.00 News After Noon. 1.25 Weather. 1.27 Regional News (London and SE: Financial Report; News Headlines). 1.30 Hokey Cokey. 1.45 Wimbledon 84: The Lawn Tennis Championships: the opening day of the world's greatest tennis tournament direct from the All England Club. 4.20 Play School: It's Monday. 4.45 Lassie. 5.05 John Craven's Newsround. 5.10 Blue Peter Flies the World.

**5.40 SIXTY MINUTES**

**6.40 WORLD OF WILDLIFE** *The Vanishing Jungle* Robert Powell narrates how the forest jungle of Costa Rica contains a myriad of different living things

**7.10 MANIMAL** *Female of the Species*

**7.55 POINTS OF VIEW**

**8.05 PANORAMA SPECIAL** *The Battle Against Heroin* The increasing problems of heroin addiction that are growing throughout the country as more of the drug is being smuggled in from abroad

**9.00 NINE O'CLOCK NEWS** Weatherman

**9.25 COME DANCING** *The Final* David Jacobs compere the grand finale of this year's series from Cheltenham Town Hall

**10.15 WIMBLEDON 84** The Lawn Tennis Championships from the All England Club

**11.15 INSIDE YTS** *How Am I Doing?* The fourth of five programmes on the cheap-labour Youth Training Scheme

**11.38 News Headlines**

**11.40 MAVERICKS** *Ploughing a New Furrow* Philip Wrixon talks to Alan Reece about agricultural engineering

**12.10 Weatherman; Closedown**

**BBC WALES:** 6.40-7.10 Sheepdog Trials. 12.10 Weatherman; News of Wales Headlines and Weather; Close

## ROUND THE REGIONS

### TYNE TEES

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 North East News. 9.30 For Schools. 12.00 Gammon and Spinach. 12.10 Let's Pretend. 12.30 All in the Mind. 1.00 News: North East News; Lookaround. 1.30 Look Who's Talking. 2.00 Film: *Goldengirl*. 3.50 Cartoon. 4.00 Gammon and Spinach. 4.15 Dargemouse. 4.20 The Incredible Hulk. 4.45 Dramarama. 5.15 Just Our Luck. 5.45 News. 6.00 North East News. 6.02 Gambit. 6.30 Northern Life. 7.00 What's My Line? 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 Brass. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 Quincey. 10.00 News at Ten; North East News. 10.32 Thriller: *Possession*. 11.55 Epilogue; Closedown.

### CENTRAL

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 9.30 For Schools. 12.00 Gammon and Spinach. 12.10 Let's Pretend. 12.30 All in the Mind. 1.00 News; Central News. 1.30 Film: *Hotel Sahara*. 3.20 Look At Me. 3.30 The Young Doctors. 4.00 Gammon and Spinach. 4.15 Dargemouse. 4.20 The Incredible Hulk. 4.45 Dramarama. 5.15 Newsround. 5.45 News. 6.00 Central News. 6.30 Take 30. 7.00 What's My Line? 7.30 Coronation Street. 8.00 Brass. 8.30 World in Action. 9.00 Film: *Goldengirl* (Part 2). (10.00-10.30 News at Ten; Central News). 11.20 International Motorcycling. 12.20 Contact. 12.35 Closedown.

### YORKSHIRE

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Regional Weather Forecast. 9.30 For Schools. 12.00 Gammon and Spinach. 12.10 Let's Pretend. 12.30 All in the

## BBC2

6.30-8.10 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 6.05 Music: Harmonic Analysis. 6.30 Photochemical Pathways. 6.55 Maths and Matrices. 7.20 Desert Ecology. 7.45 Steel Castings. 9.00 Pages from Ceefax.

10.00-2.16 DAYTIME ON TWO: 10.00 You and Me. 10.15 Music Time. 10.38 Twentieth-Century History. 11.00 Zig Zag. 11.23 Capricorn Game. 11.38 Pages from Ceefax. 2.01 Words and Pictures.

**2.20 WIMBLEDON 84** — The Lawn Tennis Championships direct from the All England Club, featuring the first round of the Men's Singles Championship.

**7.30 NEWS SUMMARY** with subtitles; weather

**7.35 VEGETARIAN KITCHEN** Fourth of six programmes with Sarah Brown showing how to cook brown rice, and how to make rice salad from it. Also on her menu are cornbread muffins and tabouleh

**8.00 CALL MY BLUFF**

**8.30 TENKO** Repeat of the ten-part series about women internees in a Japanese prison camp after the fall of Singapore in 1941. With Takashi Kawahara, Karin Foley, Stephanie Cole, Ann Bell. The women are faced with a long trek into the unknown

**9.25 ROUND AND ROUND** *First Love* 1958. Maureen's mind is full of Robert, as she is carried away by her first love affair. With Bernadette Short, Dave King, Eileen Kennally and John Gordon Sinclair. Written by John Fortune

**9.55 DIARY OF A MAASAI VILLAGE** A series of documentary films following events over seven weeks in the life of one village in Kenya. Tonight: *The Prophet's Family* Simel has 13 wives and more than 60 children and plays a most important role in the life of the Maasai. Directed by Melissa Llewelyn-Davies

**10.45 NEWSNIGHT**

11.30-12.50 OPEN UNIVERSITY: 11.30 'Measure for Measure' Workshop. 11.55 Space in the City. 12.20 Management and the School: Knotley Fields.

## CHANNEL 4

**5.00 COUNTDOWN** Popular quiz with words and numbers

**5.30 JEOPARDY** Derek Hobson presents the general knowledge quiz game

**6.00 THE KELLOGG'S BMX CHAMPIONSHIPS 1984 Track Wars** Mick Brown presents the best in BMX racing

**6.30 NUMBERS AT WORK** Fred Harris presents the series which deals with mathematical problems we may encounter at work. Tonight, metric measurement

**7.00 CHANNEL 4 NEWS**

**7.50 COMMENT** by Patricia Morison, a fellow of All Souls College, Oxford; followed by Weather

**8.00 SCULLY** Tonight's hour-long episode brings the series to an end with rascally street urchin Franny Scully getting his long-awaited trial with Liverpool Football Club. With Andrew Schofield and Kenny Dalglish

**9.00 AFRICA** *The Legacy* In the final programme of the series Basil Davidson examines the problems and successes of the newly-liberated African states in the aftermath of colonial rule and interviews Mugabe in Zimbabwe, Shagari in Nigeria and Senghor in Senegal. Traditional agriculture has been neglected with people moving to the towns in search of better jobs and imported consumer goods

**10.00 US OLYMPIC TRACK & FIELD TRIALS** From Los Angeles, America's athletes bid for places on the US Olympic team. Competing in the trials will be Evelyn Ashford, Edwin Moses, Carl Lewis and Mary Decker

**11.00 THE ELEVENTH HOUR** *Africa on Africa — Camera d'Afrique* First season of African films. This one is a feature-length historical survey of African film production, directed by Tunisian film historian Ferid Boughedir

**12.45 Close**

## THAMES

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 9.25 Thames News Headlines; School Programmes. 12.00 Gammon and Spinach. 12.10 Let's Pretend. 12.30 Home Sweet Home. 1.00 News at One. 1.20 Thames News. 1.30 Vintage Quiz. 2.00 Film: *Goldengirl* (1979) Part 2: With Susan Anton and James Coburn. 3.50 Cartoon Time. 4.00 Gammon and Spinach. 4.15 Dargemouse. 4.20 The Incredible Hulk. 4.45 Dramarama. 5.15 Gambit. 5.45 News.

**6.00 THAMES NEWS**

**6.25 HELP!**

**6.35 CROSSROADS**

**7.00 WHAT'S MY LINE?** Chairman Eamonn Andrews

**7.30 CORONATION STREET**

**8.00 BRASS**

**8.30 WORLD IN ACTION** An investigation into how some NHS dentists are using the health service to earn large sums of money for themselves, at the expense of their patients' pocket — and teeth

**9.00 THE SWEENEY** John Thaw and Dennis Waterman in *May* Regan and Carter investigate another crime as they try to discover whether Bobby Holmes' boy is following in his father's footsteps

**10.00 NEWS AT TEN** followed by *Thames News Headlines*

**10.30 QUINCY** Jack Klugman in *The Unquiet Grave* Quincy suspects an old girlfriend of murdering her millionaire husband

**11.30 ALL IN THE MIND** *Love Me Do* Dr John Nicholson talks to the psychologists who study our social lives

**12.00 THE ADVENTURER** Gene Barry in *Action* The Adventurer is programmed for murder when brainwashed to carry out a film killing for real

**12.25 NIGHT THOUGHTS** and **Closedown**

## GRANADA

6.25 Good Morning Britain. 9.30 For Schools. 12.00 Gammon and Spinach. 12.10 Let's Pretend. 12.30 All in the Mind. 1.00 News at One. 1.20 Granada Reports. 1.30 Monday Matinee: *Carve Her Name With Pride* (1958) With Virginia McKenna and Paul Scofield. The true story of Violette Szabo, who died while working for the French Resistance in World War II. 3.30 Glenroe. 4.00 Gammon and Spinach. 4.15 Dargemouse. 4.20 The Incredible Hulk. 4.45 Dramarama. 5.15 Silver Spoons. 5.45 News.

**6.00 SONS AND DAUGHTERS**

**6.30 GRANADA REPORTS** News and views from around the North West

**7.00 WHAT'S MY LINE?** A panel try to guess the occupations of various contestants hosted by Eamonn Andrews

**7.30 CORONATION STREET**

**8.00 BRASS** Can George survive the explosion and will Bradley be carted off to the lunatic asylum? These questions will be answered in the comedy series about two families, the Hardacres and the Fairchilds

**8.30 WORLD IN ACTION** *Drilling for Gold* Some of Britain's dentists are earning more than £150,000 gross out of the NHS and NHS patients' contributions. Some are using the out-of-date system of payments to do enormous amounts of treatment, some of which is unnecessary and damaging

**9.00 GOLDENGIRL** (1979) Part two: The truth is discovered about Goldengirl's virus and Jack Dryden tries to help her before it's too late. With Susan Anton and James Coburn

**10.00 NEWS AT TEN**

**10.30 GOLDENGIRL** Part 3: continued

**11.20 GLADYS KNIGHT AND THE PIPS IN CONCERT**

**12.20 Closedown**

## S4C

2.00 Yn Eu Cynefin. 2.20-2.35 Chwedlau Aesop. 2.50 Film: *Action in the North Atlantic*. 5.00 Pictiwrws Bach. 5.05 Helfa Drysor. 5.35 Barriers. 6.00 Bewitched. 6.30 Babble. 7.00 Newyddion Saith. 7.30 Penigamp. 8.00 Upstairs, Downstairs; News Headlines. 9.00 Delme. 9.45 Y Byd Ar Bedwar. 10.15 Agony. 10.45 Sex Matters. 11.30 Visions. 12.30 Close. 12.25 Tube Extra: Frankie Goes To Hollywood's 'Two Tribes'.

## RADIO

**1** 6.00 Bruno Brookes. 7.00 Adrian John. 9.00 Simon Bates. 11.30 Gary Davies (12.30 Newsbeat). 2.00 Steve Wright. 4.30 Peter Powell (5.30 Newsbeat). 7.00 David Jensen. 10.00-12.00 John Peel (S).

**2** 4.00 Colin Berry (S). 5.30 Ray Moore (S). 7.30 Terry Wogan (S) (8.31 Racing Bulletin). 10.00 Jimmy Young (S). 12.00 Ken Bruce (S) (1.05 Sports Desk). 2.00 Wimbledon 84. 7.00 John Dunn (S) (7.30 Cricket Scores). 8.00 Alan Dell (S). 9.00 Humphrey Lyttelton (S) with The Best of Jazz. 9.55 Sports Desk. 10.00 Cast, in Order of Disappearance. 10.30 Star Sound. 11.00 Brian Matthews presents Round Midnight. 1.00 Patrick Lunt (S) presents Nightride. 3.00-4.00 Folk on 2 (S).

**VHF:** 2.00 Gloria Hunniford (S). 3.30 Music All the Way (S). 4.00 Paul Burnett (S). 6.00 John Dunn (S).

**3** 6.55 Weather. 7.00 News. 7.05 Morning Concert (S) Johann Strauss, Prokofiev.

Enesc, Bizet (8.00 News) Arensky, Telemann, Poulenc, Saint-Saens: records. 9.00 News. 9.05 This Week's Composer (S) Beethoven: records. 10.00 Martin Timmo (S) Piano recital: Debussy, Liszt. 10.35 Scriabin (S) Orchestral music. 11.25 French Violin Music (S) Faure, Lili Boulanger. 12.05 Benjamin Britten (S) Orchestral music. 1.00 News. 1.05 BBC Lunchtime Concert (S) Haydn, Britten. 2.00 Music Weekly (S). 2.50 New Records (S) Holborne, Beethoven, Martinu, Rodrigo, Stravinsky. 4.55 News. 5.00 Mainly for Pleasure (S). 6.30 Music for Organ (S). 7.00 Cherkassky at Oxford (S) (7.45-7.55 The Golden Cock-ere). 8.45 BBC Philharmonic Orchestra (S) Bartok (9.20-9.25 Interval) Glazunov. 10.30 Jazz Today (S). 11.15-11.18 News.

**4** 6.00 News Briefing: Weather. 6.10 Farming Week. 6.25 Shipping Forecast. 6.30 Today (6.30, 7.30, 8.30 News Summary: 6.45 Prayer for the Day; 6.55, 7.55 Weather; 7.00, 8.00 Today's News; 7.25, 8.25 Sport; 7.45 Thought for the Day; 8.35 The Week on 4. 8.43 Glyn Worsnip in the BBC Sound Archives. 8.57 Weather: Travel. 9.00 News. 9.05 Start the Week with Richard Baker (S). 10.00 News; Money Box. 10.30 Morning Story: *The Engagement Diary*. 10.45 Daily Service. 11.00 News; Travel; Down Your Way. 11.48 Poetry Please! 12.00 News; You and Yours. 12.27 It Makes Me Laugh. 12.55 Weather; Programme News. 1.00 The World at One; News. 1.40 The Archers. 1.55 Shipping Forecast. 2.00 News; Woman's Hour. 3.00 News; Afternoon Theatre (S) *Looking After Ourselves*. 4.17 Portrait of R.F. McKenzie. 4.40 Story Time: *The Year of the Lion*. 5.00 PM: News Magazine. 5.50 Shipping Forecast. 5.55 Weather; Programme News. 6.00 The Six O'Clock News; Financial Report. 6.30 Just a Minute (S). 7.00 News. 7.05 The Archers. 7.20 Science Now. 7.50 Footlights 83. 8.15 The Monday Play (S) *The Manchester Enthusiasts*. 9.45 Kaleidoscope. 10.15 A Book at Bedtime: *Riceman Steps*. 10.30 The World Tonight (11.00 News Headlines). 11.15 The Financial World Tonight. 11.30 Today in Parliament. 12.00 News. 12.10 Weather. 12.15-Close Shipping forecast.



# Winning Post

# Caliph for Whitworth carpet ride

BY OUR RACING  
CORRESPONDENT

ROD SIMPSON'S emerging apprentice Simon Whitworth, who rode a double at Ascot on Saturday, has another excellent opportunity to advertise his talents when he rides Caliph (3.00), for his retainer in the Brighton Mile Challenge Trophy today.

Lester Piggott was on board this colt when he gained his only victory to date, at Sandown in April, but Caliph has run some good races since, notably when second to Jamra here the following month.

Whitworth will be unable to make use of his 5lb claim here, since he rides just over 7st 7lb, but Caliph still seems the best handicapped horse in the race.

## Hampered

Green Rock (4.30), badly hampered when a beaten favourite last time, looks a class above his opponents in the Hove Maiden Fillies' Stakes and can hardly be opposed, while Giada (1.30), appears another safe bet in the opening Levy Board Apprentice Stakes.

Richard Hannon's horses are in form, and the Marlborough trainer looks poised for a WOLVERHAMPTON double with Saint Crespin

Bay (8.05), and Viceroy Lad (9.05).

Saint Crespin Bay, beaten a neck by Little Starchy at the Epsom Derby meeting, seeks to win the Tim Gordon Memorial Trophy for the second year running. He has nearly a stone more to carry this time, but should be up to the task, particularly as Lester Piggott is in the saddle.

## Form

After a disappointing spell, Viceroy Lad showed signs of returning to form when a close-up third to Hit The Heights at Epsom, and a repeat of that effort will be good enough to take the Daisy Bank Handicap.

Newmarket-based trainer Gavin Pritchard Gordon remarkably has still to saddle his first winner of the season, but his consistent sprinter Matou (3.45), can break the ice in the 'See It Live' In Yorkshire Handicap at PONTEFRAC.

This useful sprinter has understandably been set to carry top weight in this contest for he usually competes in much better class events.

His modest rivals can claim only one victory between them in 31 attempts this year, and Matou's class should see him prevail.



LESTER PIGGOTT rides Viceroy Lad in the 9.05 at Wolverhampton

Flying Bobby (4.15), caught the eye when running well in a big field of maidens at Newmarket last month.

Although he did not figure in the finish, Ben Hanbury's charge did display promise for the future. The Pontefract Maiden Mile Championship (Qualifier) looks

well within his grasp, granted normal improvement.

Zaytoon (4.45), is hard to oppose in the Batley Handicap. The Labour-trained handicapper, who loves to bowl along in front, should relish this track.

## BRIGHTON

### SIX-YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: W Carson 59, G Starkey 36, B Rouse 34, P Cook 30, P Waldron 22, B Taylor 22, Pat Eddery 21, G Baxter 20, J Mercer 20, J Reid 18, B Raymond 18, J Matthias 17, TRAINERS: P Cole 38, J Dunlop 34, G Harwood 33, R Hannon 27, M Stoute 25, R Smyth 16, J Winter 14, P Walwyn 12, D Laing 11, B Swift 11, G Lewis 11, B Hills 10, P Kelleway 10, W Wightman 10.  
DRAW: Low numbers have an advantage over 5 and 6 furlongs.

### 1.30 LEVY BOARD APPRENTICE STAKES £1,000 1m (7 runners)

|        |         |              |                  |                  |
|--------|---------|--------------|------------------|------------------|
| 3 (3)  | 00-0040 | STAY SHARP   | P Kelleway 493   | S McCrystal      |
| 5 (5)  | 0000-00 | BUSHY BAY    | M Chapman 108 10 | W Osborne        |
| 6 (2)  | 0-00044 | CHADS GAMBLE | J Bethell 98 10  | N Adams          |
| 8 (7)  | 00-3000 | CHEUNG SING  | Pat Mitchell 583 | Allison Froggatt |
| 12 (4) | 00-0000 | SASHAMEL     | R Hodges 583     | C Rutter         |
| 13 (6) | 00-0000 | THE WARRIOR  | A Ingham 483     | A Whiteside (5)  |
| 14 (1) | 02-0    | GIADA (USA)  | L Cumani 480     | J Blake          |

BLINKERS: 5, 6, 12  
PROBABLE SP: 11-8 on Giada, 7-4 Stay Sharp, 16-1 Cheung Sing and Chads Gamble, 20-1 Sashamel, 25-1 The Warrior, 33-1 Bushy Bay.

### 2.00 BEVENDEAN MAIDEN FILLIES STAKES £1,200 (2-Y-O) 6f (12 runners)

|         |         |                    |                  |                 |
|---------|---------|--------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 (5)   | 0       | B M WONDER         | D Sasse 811      | D McKay         |
| 4 (3)   | 2       | CORRALS LADY       | J Winter 811     | B Taylor        |
| 7 (12)  | 00      | DANCE BY NIGHT     | G Lewis 811      | P Waldron       |
| 9 (10)  | 4       | EMBROIDERESS       | D Morley 811     | S Cauthen       |
| 10 (2)  | 34      | GODSEND            | C Benstead 811   | B Rouse         |
| 11 (6)  | 400     | GREEN ROOM GAMBOLS | R Smyth 811      | S Whitworth (5) |
| 13 (4)  | 400     | HIGH BIDDER        | R Hannon 811     | B Raymond       |
| 14 (11) | 0       | JETLINE            | J Haynes 811     | I Jenkinson     |
| 19 (9)  | 04      | MY MYRA            | R Smyth 811      | P Cook          |
| 20 (1)  | 00-2402 | PATO               | Mrs J Reavey 811 | NON-RUNNER      |
| 21 (8)  | 4       | MY MYRA            | R Smyth 811      | J Mercer        |
| 23 (7)  | 00      | LENDI              | D Laing 811      | R Curant        |

PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Corral's Lady, 5-2 Rigilla, 6-1 Godsend, 8-1 My Myra, 10-1 Embroideress, 12-1 High Bidder and Lendi, 16-1 others.

### 2.30 PEACEHAVEN HANDICAP £2,500 1m 2f (16 runners)

|         |         |                          |                    |                  |
|---------|---------|--------------------------|--------------------|------------------|
| 2 (8)   | 00-0444 | BALINESE (C)(BF)         | R Smyth 498        | S Whitworth (5)  |
| 10 (13) | 04-0014 | PROFIT WARRANT (C-D)(BF) | Pat Mitchell 58 10 | P Bradwell       |
| 11 (4)  | 140003  | MISTER PRELUDE           | M Jarvis 489       | B Raymond        |
| 13 (5)  | 00-0100 | BLONDELLO (C)(BF)        | H Candy 586        | R Curant         |
| 15 (3)  | 00-0002 | TROPICAL RED (BF)        | C Wildman 485      | R Hills          |
| 16 (12) | 3-4243  | KAUKAS (C-D)             | G Balding 583      | T Quinn          |
| 18 (16) | 010000  | MONCLARE TROPHY (C)(D)   | A Pitt 581         | B Rouse          |
| 19 (7)  | 0-03000 | HARBOR BRIDGE (D)        | W Wightman 481     | P Cook           |
| 20 (2)  | 4310-00 | MINUS MAN (C)(D)         | W Holden 67 12     | B Crossley       |
| 21 (1)  | 00-2402 | FAST SERVICE             | C Horgan 57 12     | R Street         |
| 22 (9)  | 4-00000 | MASTER CARVER            | R Simpson 47 12    | R Weaver         |
| 23 (6)  | 3100-00 | RITARIUS (D)             | C James 57 12      | R Fox            |
| 25 (10) | 400-012 | WORLDWORTH WALTZ         | M Pipe 57 10       | P Bloomfield (5) |
| 26 (15) | 0-00000 | SUSAN'S SUNSET (C)       | S Woodman 678      | M Fozzard (7)    |
| 28 (11) | 000-000 | PRINCESS MONA            | C Benstead 577     | M Fozzard (7)    |
| 29 (14) | 2000-00 | SINGING FOOL             | B Stevens 877      |                  |

BLINKERS: 11, 15, 19, 26  
PROBABLE SP: 5-1 Worlingworth Waltz and Fast Service, 6-1 Profit Warrant, Tropical Red and Mister Prelude, 10-1 Ritarius and Minus Man, 12-1 Blondello, 14-1 Kaukas, 16-1 Balinese, 20-1 others.

### 3.00 BRIGHTON MILE CHALLENGE TROPHY (H'CAP) £6,000 1m (8 runners)

|        |         |                   |                  |                 |
|--------|---------|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 (7)  | 001-300 | TETRON BOY (D)    | R Hannon 49 11   | S Cauthen       |
| 2 (5)  | 3-00213 | CABALLO (C-D)     | K Brassey 58 11  | P Cook          |
| 3 (6)  | 0001-00 | ON EDGE (C-D)     | J Spearing 98 10 | W R Swinburn    |
| 4 (2)  | 1130-40 | EL CAPISTRANO     | G P-Gordon 389   | B Taylor        |
| 8 (4)  | 110-020 | KAYUS             | G Hunter 382     | M Hills         |
| 10 (1) | 010024  | CALIPH (BF)       | R Simpson 377    | S Whitworth (5) |
| 11 (3) | 1020-00 | MOUSLAT (USA)     | P Cole 477       | R Fox           |
| 12 (8) | 0/00000 | CHIEF SPEAKER (D) | D A Wilson 677   | M Fozzard (7)   |

BLINKERS: 8  
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Caliph, 4-1 Caballo, 5-1 On Edge, 6-1 Tetron Boy and Kayus, 7-1 Lean Streak, 10-1 Linaria, 16-1 others.

### 3.30 MOULSECROOM SELLING STAKES £3,000 (2-Y-O) 6f (8 runners)

|        |       |                     |                 |           |
|--------|-------|---------------------|-----------------|-----------|
| 2 (7)  | 002   | CORKSAPOPPIN        | A Moore 811     | A Clark   |
| 3 (8)  | 002   | LEAN STREAK         | D Elsworth 811  | B Rouse   |
| 5 (3)  | 430   | THAT WOULD BE NICE  | R Hoad 811      | R Curant  |
| 6 (4)  | 0001  | TRICENCO (D)        | J Sutcliffe 811 | J Mercer  |
| 7 (6)  | 01    | CAROLYN CHRISTENSEN | N Callaghan 88  |           |
| 9 (1)  | 00034 | LINARIA             | C Wildman 88    | R Hills   |
| 10 (5) | 00    | RONANS PEARL        | R Hannon 88     | R Wernham |
| 11 (2) | 00    | TANTIVY ROSE        | P Cole 88       | S Cauthen |

BLINKERS: 3, 7, 11  
PROBABLE SP: 5-4 Carolyn Christensen, 5-2 Ronans Pearl, 4-1 Tricenco, 7-1 Lean Streak, 10-1 Linaria, 16-1 others.

### 4.00 SHEEPCOTE HANDICAP £2,500 (3-Y-O) 6f (16 runners)

|         |         |                       |                  |                 |
|---------|---------|-----------------------|------------------|-----------------|
| 1 (8)   | 0-42020 | TRY ME (BF)           | M Ryan 97        | M Fozzard (7)   |
| 2 (16)  | 300-302 | AMIGO LOCO            | K Brassey 96     | M Hills         |
| 3 (3)   | 100-032 | PARVENO (D)           | B Wise 96        | B Jago          |
| 6 (5)   | 03-044  | BACHAGHA (USA)        | M Hinchliffe 813 | B Taylor        |
| 7 (9)   | 000-010 | BALLYLUMMIN (C-D)(BF) | W H-Bass 811     | R Lines (5)     |
| 8 (14)  | 2-03300 | RUN RIOT              | W Wightman 811   | B Rouse         |
| 10 (11) | 00-4000 | COUNTRY PRINCE        | R Smyth 810      | S Whitworth (5) |
| 11 (2)  | 000-000 | LAURENBEL             | R Hannon 810     | S Cauthen       |
| 12 (13) | 0-00    | DOWNTOWN FOXY         | D Ringer 810     | P D'Arcy        |
| 15 (1)  | 1210-   | DOUBLE ROOM (D)       | C Benstead 89    | P Cook          |
| 17 (12) | 0000-40 | STAR REVUE            | H Westbrook 84   | M L Thomas      |
| 19 (7)  | 0000-0  | LEGALLY BINDING       | P Haynes 82      | B Crossley      |
| 20 (10) | 000-0   | MELISSA CLAIRE        | C Benstead 80    |                 |
| 22 (15) | 04-0000 | JUST IRENE            | M Haynes 78      | I Jenkinson     |
| 23 (4)  | 0000-00 | PORTHAND              | R Holder 77      | R Street        |
| 24 (6)  | 0003-00 | DUBREE                | D Jermy 77       | NON-RUNNER      |

BLINKERS: 2, 22  
PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Parveno, 7-2 Ballylummin, 9-2 Amigo Loco, 5-1 Bachagha and Try Me, 10-1 Double Room, 12-1 Run Riot, 16-1 others.

### 4.30 HOVE MAIDEN FILLIES STAKES £1,200 (3-Y-O) 1m 4f (7 runners)

|        |         |                     |                |                 |
|--------|---------|---------------------|----------------|-----------------|
| 1 (3)  | 0000-0  | ACCURACY            | G Balding 811  | W Higgins       |
| 2 (1)  | 00000-0 | A LITTLE MORE       | R Smyth 811    | S Whitworth (5) |
| 3 (2)  | 00-0    | AUNT JUDY           | I Balding 811  | G Starkey       |
| 10 (7) | 0-00    | GREEN ROCK (FR)(BF) | B Hills 811    | S Cauthen       |
| 19 (5) | 0-00    | MYRICAGALE          | R Houghton 811 | P Cook          |
| 22 (6) | 04-034  | NEW ZEALAND         | P Walwyn 811   | J Mercer        |
| 29 (4) | 03000-0 | SING GALVO SING     | D Oughton 811  | B Rouse         |

PROBABLE SP: 9-4 on Green Rock, 4-1 New Zealand, 8-1 Sing Galvo Sing, 10-1 Aunt Judy, 16-1 others.

## SELECTIONS

**BRIGHTON:** 1.30 Giada (nap), 2.00 Corral's Lady, 2.30 Fast Service, 3.00 Caliph, 3.30 Lean Streak, 4.00 Amigo Loco, 4.30 Green Rock.

**PONTEFRAC:** 2.45 Gilling, 3.15 Jobert, 3.45 Matou, 4.15 Flying Bobby, 4.45 Zaytoon, 5.15 Tromeros.

**WOLVERHAMPTON:** 6.45 Tabriya, 7.10 Bright Domino, 7.35 Faqir, 8.05 Saint Crespin Bay, 8.35 One Way Street, 9.05 Viceroy Lad (n.b.).

## WOLVERHAMPTON

### SIX-YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: J Reid 23, J Mercer 22, W Carson 21, P Cook 21, Pat Eddery 20, B Raymond 15, R Curant 13, P Robinson 12, P Waldron 11, S Cauthen 10, G Duffield 10, TRAINERS: P Cole 22, H Cecil 20, R Hollinshead 19, J Dunlop 16, P Walwyn 13, J Berry 13, R Houghton 13, H Candy 11, N Vigors 10, M Jarvis 9, M Prescott 9, M Stoute 9, D Haydn-Jones 9, J Tree 8.  
DRAW: Little significance.

### 6.45 DAWLEY MAIDEN FILLIES STAKES £1,000 (2-Y-O) 5f (11 runners)

|         |        |                    |                   |            |
|---------|--------|--------------------|-------------------|------------|
| 1 (2)   | 000    | ASHLEY HOPE        | D Leslie 811      | M Rimmer   |
| 6 (6)   | 0      | GAY PRINCESS       | C N Williams 811  |            |
| 9 (4)   | 0      | LUCKY ANGEL        | R Holder 811      | I Johnson  |
| 10 (11) | 0      | MAYAX              | M Leach 811       | D Nicholls |
| 11 (8)  | 430400 | MELODIUS MISS      | D Laing 811       | G Sexton   |
| 12 (10) | 0000   | MILVA              | R Hannon 811      | J Reid     |
| 14 (5)  | 0      | MY SWEET MELODY    | M Usher 811       | A McGlone  |
| 17 (1)  | 0      | PETITE CAREEN      | E Eldin 811       | A Mackay   |
| 19 (7)  | 00     | ROGERS PRINCESS    | M Tate 811        |            |
| 20 (9)  | 03     | ROSIE DICKINS (BF) | R Hollinshead 811 | S Perks    |
| 23 (3)  | 0      | TABRIYA            | R Houghton 811    | L Piggott  |

BLINKERS: 12  
PROBABLE SP: 15-8 Tabriya, 5-2 Melodius Miss, 4-1 Rosie Dickens, 8-1 My Sweet Melody, 10-1 Petite Careen, 12-1 Milva, 16-1 others.

### 7.10 ALDERSLEY MAIDEN STAKES £800 (2-Y-O c&g) 5f (8 runners)

|        |     |                  |                  |              |
|--------|-----|------------------|------------------|--------------|
| 2 (6)  | 2   | BRIGHT DOMINO    | R Houghton 90    | L Piggott    |
| 3 (7)  | 0   | CALL OF THE WIND | H Cecil 90       | R Wigham     |
| 4 (1)  | 0   | ERNIES CHOICE    | B McMahon 90     | S Perks      |
| 6 (2)  | 0   | HOBOURNES ROSE   | R Hollinshead 90 |              |
| 7 (3)  | 0   | KELLSAPPAUL      | S Matthews 90    | J Reid       |
| 9 (5)  | 00  | RIVERSIDE WRITER | N Vigors 90      | NON-RUNNER   |
| 10 (4) | 020 | SPECIALY VAGUE   | Mrs J Reavey 90  | K Willey (5) |
| 13 (8) | 0   | YOUNG CREDITOR   | C Sares 90       |              |

BLINKERS: 10  
PROBABLE SP: evens Call of The Wind, 5-4 Bright Domino, 8-1 Young Creditor, 10-1 Hobournes Rose, 14-1 others.

### 7.35 FEATHERSTONE SELLING HANDICAP £800 (3-Y-O) 1m 3f (9 runners)

|        |         |                   |               |                |
|--------|---------|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| 1 (5)  | 000-024 | LADY HICKLETON    | G Fletcher 97 | A Bond         |
| 4 (3)  | 0000-00 | BALLARD ROCKET    | R Baker 94    | J Reid         |
| 5 (9)  | 003     | ETERNAL DANCER    | G Huffer 92   | G Carter (7)   |
| 7 (6)  | 0-00    | ROSE OF HARPENDEN | R Thompson 92 | K Bradshaw (5) |
| 8 (1)  | 00040-0 | MOON CHARTER      | R Morris 91   | A Mackay       |
| 9 (7)  | 000-02  | FAQIR             | K Brassey 91  | J H Brown (5)  |
| 11 (8) | 0000-0  | SEASONED EMBER    | J Bradley 86  | J Williams     |
| 12 (2) | 0000-0  | COME ON GRACIE    | M Pipe 86     | T Rogers       |
| 13 (4) | 0400-00 | LONACH COTTAGE    | J D-Home 86   | I Johnson      |

BLINKERS: 13  
PROBABLE SP: 9-4 Faqir, 3-1 Lady Hickleton, 4-1 Eternal Dancer, 7-1 Moon Charter, 9-1 Come On Gracie, 10-1 Ballard Rocket, 12-1 Rose of Harpenden, 16-1 others.

### 8.05 TIM GORDON MEMORIAL TROPHY (H'CAP) £3,000 (5f) (7 runners)

|        |         |                         |                 |                  |
|--------|---------|-------------------------|-----------------|------------------|
| 2 (4)  | 020020  | SAINT CRESPIN BAY (C-D) | R Hannon 597    | L Piggott        |
| 4 (7)  | 00-3000 | STEEL CHARGER (D)       | K Brassey 790   | P Robinson       |
| 6 (5)  | 0-03323 | PENCHETTA (BF)          | C Williams 488  | T Williams (5)   |
| 8 (3)  | 000000  | YANGTSE-KIANG           | J Bradley 485   | J Williams       |
| 9 (1)  | 000-412 | RAPID MISS (D)          | N Macauley 480  | P Bloomfield (5) |
| 10 (2) | 00000-0 | LEEKMORE (D)            | S Matthews 5712 |                  |
| 11 (6) | 00-0000 | GODLORD                 | T Taylor 478    |                  |

BLINKERS: 2, 8  
PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Saint Crespin Bay, 7-2 Penchetta, 5-1 Steel Charger, 11-2 Rapid Miss, 8-1 Yangtse-Kiang, 14-1 Leekmore, 20-1 Godlord.

### 8.35 PATTINGHAM FILLIES STAKES £1,200 (3-Y-O) 1m 1f (16 runners)

|         |         |                   |                  |                  |
|---------|---------|-------------------|------------------|------------------|
| 3 (11)  | 0-1     | ONE WAY STREET    | H Cecil 97       | L Piggott        |
| 8 (2)   | 0       | CABRIOLET         | D Ringer 811     | P d'Arcy         |
| 10 (12) | 00-0    | CANONESS          | K C-Brown 811    | T Williams (5)   |
| 11 (15) | 00-3000 | CASTELLITA        | R Houghton 811   | P Robinson       |
| 13 (16) | 000000  | COLDSTOR          | L Lightbrown 811 | J Matthias       |
| 14 (1)  | 0-4     | CROWN AND SCEPTRE | I Balding 811    | E Guest (5)      |
| 18 (14) | 00      | ERROL EMERALD     | E Eldin 811      | D Nicholls       |
| 28 (7)  | 0000    | MAINTOWN          | R Holder 811     | NON-RUNNER       |
| 30 (3)  | 000     | MARGUARITA TIME   | P Felgate 811    | D Nicholls       |
| 32 (4)  | 0       | MONDAY'S GIRL     | G Wrapp 811      | J Reid           |
| 37 (10) | 0       | NIJANNA           | G Fletcher 811   | A Bond           |
| 42 (6)  | 0       | PINK ALANA        | M Usher 811      | A McGlone        |
| 45 (13) | 0       | RABUBA            | G Huffer 811     | G Carter (7)     |
| 51 (5)  | 0       | TEALA             | G Huffer 811     | M Miller         |
| 52 (8)  | 000002  | TENTRACO LADY     | R Howe 811       | T Quinn          |
| 53 (9)  | 0       | TRENTULLO BLUE    | P Felgate 811    | Gay Kelleway (5) |

PROBABLE SP: 11-4 on One Way Street, 5-1 Monday's Girl, 13-2 Crown And Sceptre, 12-1 Castellita, 16-1 others.

### 9.05 DAILY BANK HANDICAP £2,600 (3-Y-O) 1m (14 runners)

|         |         |                       |                   |                |
|---------|---------|-----------------------|-------------------|----------------|
| 4 (11)  | 01-2100 | FOOT PATROL (D)       | J Bethell 97      | J Mthias       |
| 5 (1)   | 4000-00 | CONMAYJO              | D H Jones 95      |                |
| 7 (4)   | 0-00010 | INSET LADY            | M Ryan 812 (6 ex) | P Robinson     |
| 8 (7)   | 000003  | VICEROY LAD           | R Hannon 810      | L Piggott      |
| 10 (6)  | 401420  | GAUHAR                | M Blanshard 89    | R Cochrane     |
| 11 (12) | 00-200  | LINGA LONGA           | N Vigors 88       | J Reid         |
| 13 (2)  | 00-44   | DOWNTOWN HUSTLER      | D Ringer 85       | P d'Arcy       |
| 15 (13) | 0003-04 | FEI LOONG             | E Eldin 84        | A Mackay       |
| 18 (9)  | 010312  | CAMDEN LAD (D)        | R Hollinshead 81  | W Ryan (3)     |
| 20 (10) | 00-00   | CHARLIE'S ANGEL (USA) | I Balding 712     | A McGlone      |
| 21 (3)  | 004-003 | FILLE DE BOURBON      | D Laing 712       | J McLean (7)   |
| 23 (5)  | 000     | FALCON BERRY (FR)     | P Walwyn 78       | T Williams (5) |
| 26 (14) | 01-0020 | APHRODISIAC           | R Morris 77       |                |
| 29 (8)  | 0000    | MAINTOWN              | R Holder 77       | A Proud        |

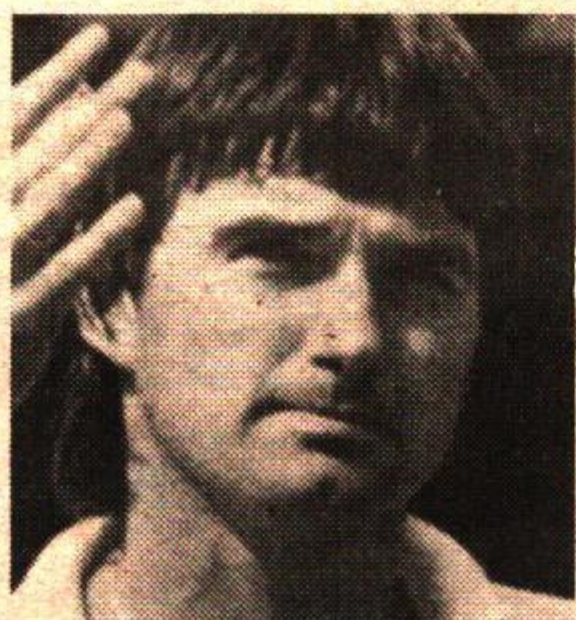
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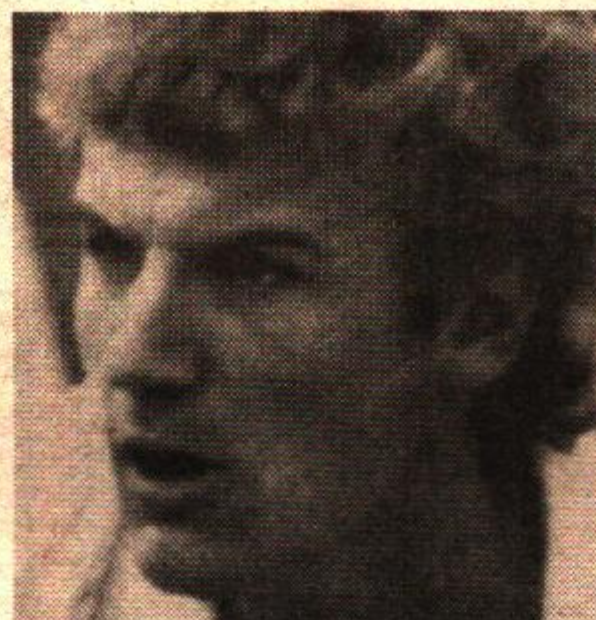
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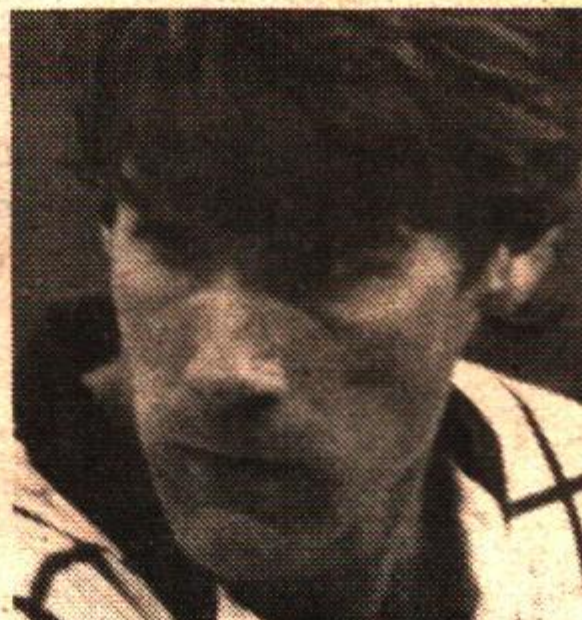
**SPORTS LINE'S**  
Matthew Nugent gives John McEnroe a 'public warning'. His message is clear. 'Keep your head John and victory at Wimbledon is yours. Lose it, and you will end up taking a sad and lonely walk from Wimbledon's centre court.'



JIMMY CONNORS



MATS WILANDER



TIM MAYOTTE



IVAN LENDL

JOHN McENROE beware. That is the simple warning I have for the most gifted tennis player in the world as he sets out to retain his titles at Wimbledon today.

There are — and he already knows only too well — many people within his sport — officials, organisations and a large section of the media — who would love to see him take a tumble this week. And by a tumble I mean a 'red card' — a sending off from Wimbledon's centre court.

Tournament referee Allan Mills has already made it quite clear that match officials will not tolerate bad behaviour at this year's All-England Championships.

To many of those connected with the sport, Mills' statement last week was a veiled threat — aimed directly at the defending champion.

In the next few days the British gutter press will do their best to upset Mac before he even walks onto court.

As one close friend said to me at the weekend: 'This next fortnight will be sheer hell for John. He always has problems at Wimbledon, but this year he is expecting the worst.'

If Mac wants to defy those elements who are out to break him, and make Britain's gutter press puke, then he is very capable of doing it.

Just go out there and play the stunning tennis we all know you are capable of John. By all means question what you regard as bad calls or bad umpiring, that is your right. But do it within the realms of the rule book, however inadequate they may seem to you.

When you paraded your trophy around Wimbledon to every corner of centre court last year, you became a hero to many people in this coun-

JOHN McENROE has been elected as a board member of the Association of Tennis Professionals (ATP) — the tennis players' union.

As a board member McEnroe's duties will include representing other players on matters ranging

try who could not afford the strawberries and cream at Wimbledon, let alone the price of a ticket to watch you.

There are thousands of people out there who believe that you get a rough ride while you are here. Don't let them down by getting 'booked' and 'sent-off'.

from conduct to complaints about tournament rules and facilities.

McEnroe was elected onto the board at a meeting of the ATP in London yesterday.

An ATP spokesman said

A victory for you is, in many ways, a victory for them.

Wimbledon is — and always has been — very much at the heart of Britain's establishment. When you win there it upsets them — but makes thousands of ordinary British people extremely happy.

afterwards: 'There have always been top players on the board. We hope all the board members will want to work and participate in the decision-making process as much as possible.'

The spokesman went on

● AMONG those who will pose the biggest threat to McEnroe in the next fortnight are Ivan Lendl, Tim Mayotte, Mats Wilander, and, inevitably, Jimmy Connors.

For McEnroe, victory over the Czech Lendl in the final on Sunday July 8 would alleviate some of the pain and misery of

to describe McEnroe's reputation on court as 'irrelevant' to his work for the ATP. The players' union represents 400 to 500 professional players and works to improve conditions for its members world-wide.

losing to him in the French Open final recently.

However, he has to overcome Wilander, possibly in the semi-finals.

The young Swede has shown he can play on grass, having beaten Lendl in the final of the Australian Open last De-



JOHN McENROE . . . Keep your head — and play the supreme tennis you are capable of

cember. Mayotte, a consistently big server with a game perfectly suited to grass, has made the quar-

ter-finals for the past two years. He could be the man to put out Lendl in his half of the draw.

## PONTEFRAC

### SIX-YEAR RECORD

JOCKEYS: M Birch 27, G Duffield 21, E Hide 21, J Lowe 21, Pat Eddery 19, J Bleasdale 13, B Raymond 13, W Swinburn 11, M Wigham 11, S Cauthen 10, P Cook 10, K Hodgson 9, L Piggott.  
TRAINERS: M H Easterby 20, M Stoute 18, B Hills 13, I Balding 12, R Hollinshead 11, M Prescott 11, H Cecil 10, J W Watts 10, B Hobbs 10, B McMahon 9, S Norton 9, P Walwyn 9.  
DRAW: Little significance.

### 2.45 JUVENILE MAIDEN AUCTION STAKES £700 (2-Y-O) 6f (15 runners)

|         |      |                                 |               |
|---------|------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| 2 (11)  | 0002 | FARLINGTON M W Easterby 90      | M Hindley (5) |
| 3 (15)  |      | FERMIER E Carter 90             | M Wood        |
| 4 (10)  | 02   | GILLING M W Easterby 90         | K Hodgson     |
| 5 (7)   |      | HUNTERS FEN R Hollinshead 90    | S Perks       |
| 6 (4)   |      | KING COLE (FR) R Stubbs 90      | D Nicholls    |
| 7 (8)   | 0240 | LONDON LEADER D Plant 90        | B Coogan      |
| 8 (2)   | 0000 | MANHATTAN BOY C Tinkler 90      | B Theaker (7) |
| 9 (12)  | 00   | ROYAL HARLEQUIN P Calver 90     | M Beecroft    |
| 10 (13) | 0    | SLICK JIM H Blackshaw 90        | Tiziana Sozzi |
| 11 (3)  |      | BOARDING HOUSE K Stone 811      | C Dwyer       |
| 14 (6)  | 000  | HELENE DARLING Hbt Jones 811    | T Ives        |
| 15 (5)  | 00   | HILL'S SUPPLIES G Lockerbie 811 | L Charnock    |
| 16 (9)  |      | JUNIPER DAZE P Rohan 811        | R Fahey (7)   |
| 18 (1)  | 0000 | SALLY JO M W Easterby 811       | M Birch       |
| 19 (14) | 0    | SUDDEN LIGHT J Berry 811        | K Darley      |

BLINKERS: 2, 8  
PROBABLE SP: 5-2 Gillington, 100-30 London Leader, 4-1 Manhattan Boy, 5-1 Farlington, 8-1 Juniper Daze, 12-1 Sudden Light, 16-1 others.

### 3.15 DEWSBURY SELLING STAKES £800 (2-Y-O) 5f (9 runners)

|       |  |                        |           |
|-------|--|------------------------|-----------|
| 2 (9) |  | JONNEY GEM P Rohan 811 | A Nesbitt |
|-------|--|------------------------|-----------|

|        |        |                                 |               |
|--------|--------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| 4 (8)  | 004    | PAULS DELIGHT N Tinkler 811     | J Bleasdale   |
| 5 (3)  | 0      | POKEYRAMA A Smith 811           | G Duffield    |
| 7 (6)  |        | WHOKNOWSTHEBOWLER B McMahon 811 | M Birch       |
| 8 (5)  | 044    | ANTHESTA J Berry 88             | K Darley      |
| 11 (4) | 0000   | DIAPHANTINE M W Easterby 88     | M Birch       |
| 15 (1) |        | JOBERT W Musson 88              | S Webster     |
| 18 (2) | 003230 | WHY WORK T Barron 88            | M Hindley (5) |
| 19 (7) | 003    | WITHERHOLME M W Easterby 88     | M Hindley (5) |

BLINKERS: 15, 18, 19  
PROBABLE SP: 2-1 Why Work, 7-2 Anthesta, 9-2 Jobert, 11-2 Witherholme, 13-2 Pauls Delight, 12-1 Jonney Gem, 16-1 others.

### 3.45 'SEE IT LIVE' IN YORKSHIRE H'CAP £3,000 (4-Y-O) 6f (10 runners)

|        |          |                                |            |
|--------|----------|--------------------------------|------------|
| 1 (8)  | 1000-44  | MATOU (D) G P-Gordon 910       | G Duffield |
| 3 (5)  | 04/11-00 | LOCH PEARL (D) M H Easterby 92 | M Birch    |
| 5 (1)  | 3-000    | ATAVA D Arbutnot 812           | G Baxter   |
| 6 (10) | 0-20000  | FLEET BAY (D) K Brassey 811    | T Ives     |
| 8 (9)  | 30-0004  | SIDAB W Musson 89              | G Oldroyd  |
| 9 (4)  | 20-0002  | FAIR MADAME (D) C Booth 87     | S Webster  |
| 10 (6) | 0312-1   | PLAYTEX (D) T Barron 87 (6 ex) | M Fry      |
| 12 (3) | 000-000  | CRYMLYN Denys Smith 713        | J Lowe     |
| 13 (7) | 00-3000  | DEBAYO S Norton 79             |            |
| 15 (2) | 0-33202  | MELOWEN D Plant 77             |            |

BLINKERS: 9  
PROBABLE SP: 3-1 Matou, 100-30 Playtex, 4-1 Sidab, 11-2 Melowen, 6-1 Fair Madam, 10-1 Loch Pearl, 14-1 others.

### 4.15 PONTEFRAC MAIDEN MILE CH'SHIP (QU'FIER) £2,000 (3-Y-O) 1m (13 runners)

|         |      |                                |            |
|---------|------|--------------------------------|------------|
| 1 (5)   | 0    | ADMIRAL'S DANCE M McCormack 90 | M Birch    |
| 2 (2)   | 0    | BLUECHER C Brittain 90         | P Robinson |
| 10 (13) | 0-0  | FINE AND DANDY M Tompkins 90   | A MacKay   |
| 11 (1)  | 0    | FLYING BOBBY B Hanbury 90      |            |
| 14 (6)  | 03   | MISK J Ciechanowski 90         | G Baxter   |
| 15 (8)  | 000- | PRINGLE BAY M W Easterby 90    |            |

|         |         |                                    |               |
|---------|---------|------------------------------------|---------------|
| 16 (9)  | 0000-00 | ROOKBARUGH M H Easterby 90         | K Hodgson     |
| 17 (12) | 0-0000  | SHIHAB M Blanshard 90              | R Cochrane    |
| 23 (11) | 0-0     | CHEZZY GIRL S Mellor 811           | M Wigham      |
| 24 (3)  | 00030-0 | COUTURE LEG AFFAIR R Woodhouse 811 | M Hindley (5) |
| 27 (10) | 20-4232 | GUESS AGAIN (GER) R Houghton 811   | T Ives        |
| 28 (7)  | 03-0    | MPEEPER G P-Gordon 811             | G Duffield    |
| 31 (4)  | 2003-00 | PENDORI N Callaghan 811            | J Lowe        |

PROBABLE SP: 7-4 Misk, 3-1 Guess Again, 11-2 Mpeeper, 13-2 Flying Bobby, 10-1 Bluecher, 12-1 Pendori, 16-1 others.

### 4.45 BATLEY HANDICAP £2,500 1m 2f (7 runners)

|        |         |                                         |            |
|--------|---------|-----------------------------------------|------------|
| 1 (4)  | 0000-00 | CHARLOTTE'S DUNCE M H Easterby 4910     | M Birch    |
| 4 (6)  | 23330-0 | FLORITA G P-Gordon 493                  | G Baxter   |
| 6 (5)  | 0-3123  | ZAYTOON (BF) J Ciechanowski 393         | N Carlisle |
| 7 (7)  | 00-0000 | AFRICAN PEARL (D) J S Wilson 691        | S Webster  |
| 11 (3) | 00-0003 | LAST DEVICE R Francis 786               | M Fry      |
| 13 (2) | 00-1400 | PRINCE OF LIGHT (C/D) Denys Smith 12713 | J Lowe     |
| 15 (1) | 030-    | TARANTA (GER) G Blum 579                |            |

PROBABLE SP: 11-8 Zaytoon, 7-2 Last Device, 9-2 Florita, 6-1 Prince of Light, 12-1 Taranta, 20-1 others.

### 5.15 SUMMER HANDICAP £1,500 (3-Y-O) 1m 4f (9 runners)

|        |         |                              |                |
|--------|---------|------------------------------|----------------|
| 4 (3)  | 0-00032 | TROMEROS (BF) C Brittain 97  | P Robinson     |
| 6 (1)  | 000-04  | JUST QUAIL S Norton 94       | J Lowe         |
| 7 (8)  | 40-0004 | INFINITY RULES S Mellor 93   | M Wigham       |
| 13 (6) | 013003  | MOODY GIRL R Hollinshead 89  | W Ryan (3)     |
| 14 (4) | 000-300 | PARAMOUNT (USA) D Sasse 88   | K Darley       |
| 16 (7) | 000-000 | SHENYOUN J Ciechanowski 86   | G Baxter       |
| 17 (5) | 00-0002 | SANDYLA D Dale 83            | G Duffield     |
| 18 (2) | 002003  | ALMA REAL P Haslam 82        | T Williams (5) |
| 19 (9) | 0-00040 | NORTHGATE VENTURE D Plant 81 | B Coogan       |

BLINKERS: 16  
PROBABLE SP: 11-4 Just Quail, 7-2 Tromeros, 4-1 Infinity Rules, 5-1 Paramount, 8-1 Northgate Venture, 10-1 Moody Girl, 14-1 others.



# Sports Line for the big winners

## WHO CAN STOP THE MEAN MACHINE?

**Martina Navratilova**  
talking  
to Robert  
James

**MARTINA** Navratilova losing a set these days is news. That is but a brief measure of how much she has come to dominate women's tennis these past few years.

In her last two tournaments — including the French Open — she dropped just two sets on the way to finals where she proceeded to take her opponents apart in less than an hour on each occasion.

Her record stands at 101 victories and just two losses in the past 14 months.

But reflecting on when the inevitable defeat will come — 'it happens to us all, it could be my turn tomorrow' — Navratilova, possibly the greatest player in the history of women's tennis, believes that the lush green lawns of Wimbledon could hold the key.

'Grass is just so different from any other surface,' the present holder of the French, US, Australian and Wimbledon titles, said at the weekend.

'A bad game on your serve, your opponent

**By the woman herself**



**KATHY JORDAN**

holds theirs, and you could find yourself 4-6 down and set behind. If both players then hold their own, you get into a tie-break situation. A couple of mistakes there and you're out.

'On grass so many things can happen. The ball doesn't always run true, it bounces low and the big serve and volley players can dominate matches. On clay I always feel that I can get back into a match when I go through a bad patch. It doesn't always happen that way on grass.'

Despite Navratilova's comments, there are no more than a handful of

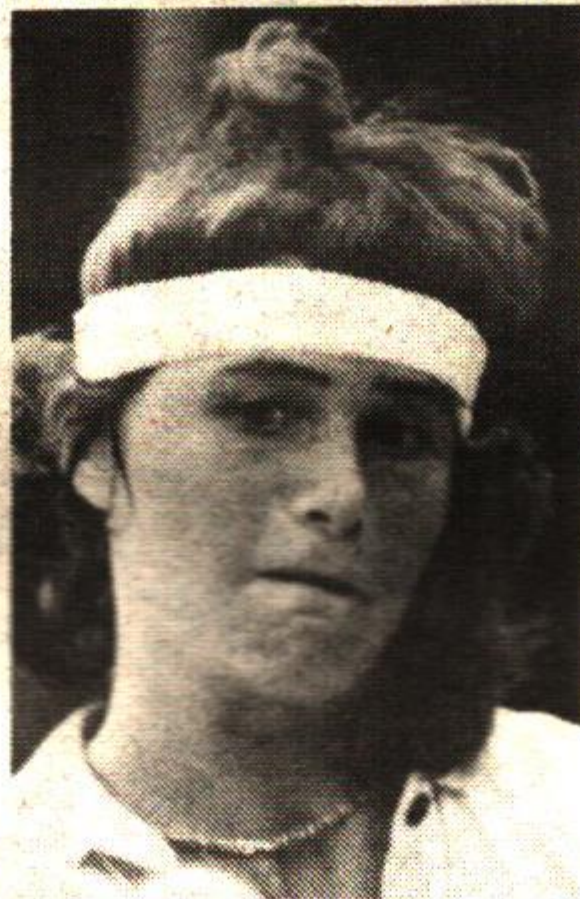


**CHRIS EVERT-LLOYD**

players around now who are capable of giving her a run for her money. The list of those who are capable of beating her at present is even smaller.

There are no frailties at all in her game these days. Other players would be glad to possess the weakest of her strokes.

Now, Navratilova uses her temperament — once a 'chink in her armament' — to devastating advantage. 'I can get emotional on court. I wouldn't like to end up stonefaced all the time when I'm playing,' she said. 'I get emotional, but now it's just to get myself up more than anything.'



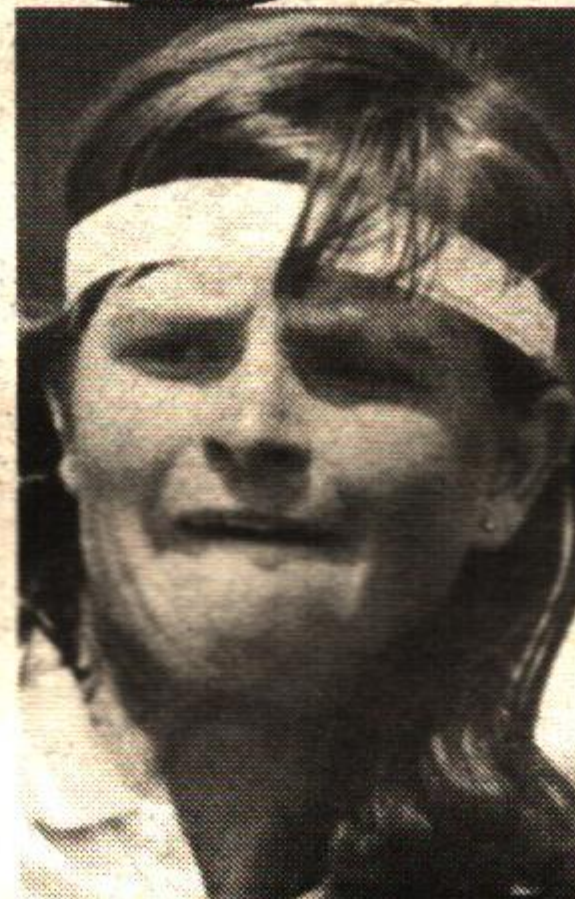
**CLAUDIA KODHE**

So who are the players capable of causing her problems at Wimbledon over the next two weeks?

Her former Czechoslovak compatriot, Hana Mandlikova, probably poses the biggest threat.

Mandlikova is the finest touch player in women's tennis today. She is the only player this year to beat Navratilova — for whom she acted as ball girl many years ago in their native Prague — and took a set off her in the semi-finals of the French Open.

Mandlikova's weakness lies in her concentration during big matches. To lose it, even for a mo-

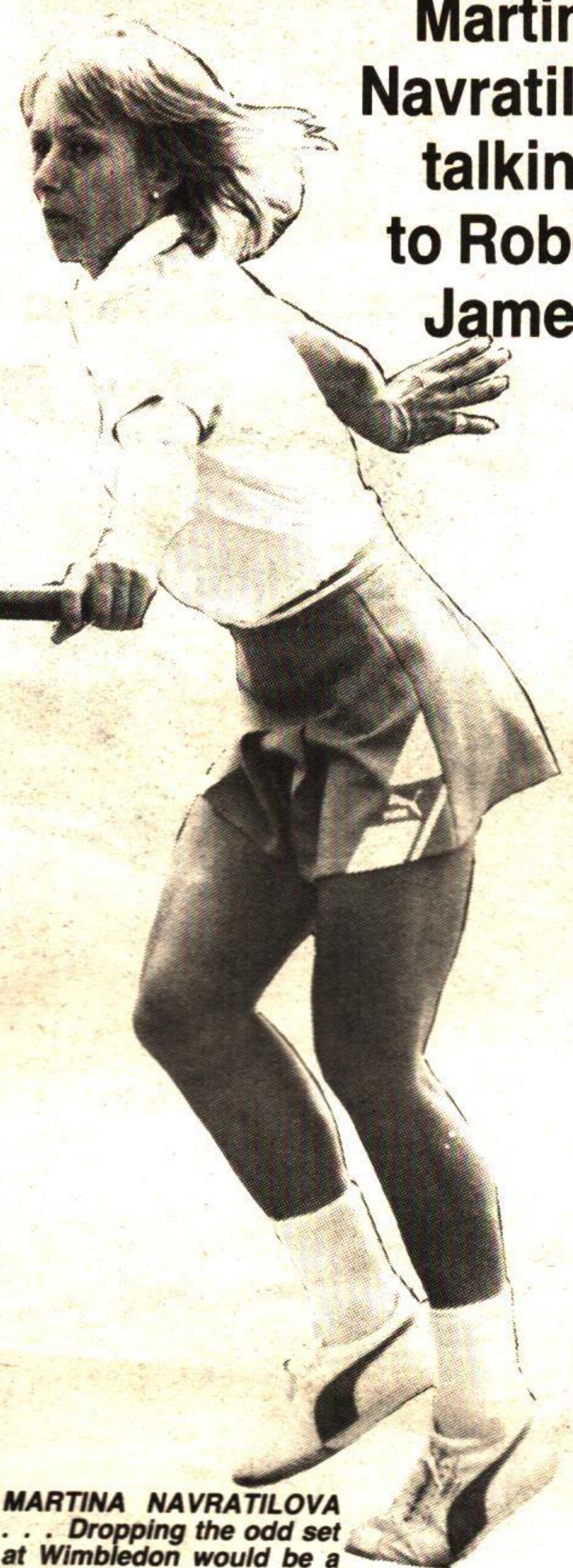


**HANA MANDLIKOVA**

ment, against Navratilova can be lethal.

If there is one player that the world champion prefers not to meet in competition then it is her former ball girl. Mandlikova, provided she avoids those absent-minded periods, can go all the way to a final showdown with Navratilova.

Claudia Kodhe, the tall West German — and another good server and volleyer — could also cause the defending champion problems. Kodhe had Navratilova on the run for several crucial games when the pair met at Eastbourne last week.



**MARTINA NAVRATILOVA**  
... Dropping the odd set at Wimbledon would be a real shock!

It would appear that Kodhe has the right 'attitude' to take Navratilova on — a quality which Kathy Jordan believes is needed to beat the champion.

'Too many players go into a match against Martina already beaten in their heads,' Jordan said

last week. 'You have got to believe you can beat her.' The 24-year-old American could pose a threat, despite her drubbing by Navratilova in the final at Eastbourne.

And then there is Chris Evert Lloyd. It would be foolish to write her off yet.

## Elliott beats 'just another bloke'

**SEBASTIAN** Coe and Steve Cram, two of Britain's 'golden trio', received shocks and knocks on the track at Crystal Palace yesterday.

Peter Elliott appeared to put paid to Coe's chances of defending his Olympic 1500-metres title when he caught the champion in the last strides of their 'race for a place' alongside the Olympics-selected Steve Cram and Steve Ovett.

Earlier, Cram, running in the 800 metres, pulled-up lame with a recurring Achilles tendon injury, after just holding on to win the two-lap event.

### Double

Elliott has told the British selectors, who make their decision known at midday today, that he wants to double up in the two and four-lap races in Los Angeles, as do Coe and Ovett.

The Rotherham steelworker, Elliott, 24, came again and again to dent Coe's hopes in a bump-and-bore test that left Coe



**PETER ELLIOTT**

with two spiked holes in his leg at the end of the 12-runner race.

Elliott said: 'I still intend to double up and the selectors have known it for a week. I came out and proved a point today but if they don't select me then I will not complain.'

'I knew I had it in me to win. I've started believing in myself. I used to think Coe was invincible

but now I consider him as just another bloke.'

Cram cruised around the first lap and went to the front with 100 metres to go without looking bothered. But he visibly eased just before the line with a telling half-hop.

### Treatment

Cram quickly sat down to receive treatment to his right-leg upper-heel. After a 30-minute rest with an ice-pack and strapping, he tentatively limped across to collect his AAA's medal.

He said: 'I have had trouble with the Achilles tendon all week and was favouring the leg ... and that was probably the problem.'

'I felt the muscle tighten five yards from home. I am not too despondent and, if it is a muscle spasm, I will know by tomorrow and still go to Oslo on Thursday. But if it is a strain, I definitely will not go.'

## MOXON AND BROAD SMILE

**MARTYN** Moxon and Chris Broad have been catapulted into another re-vamped England side to face the formidable West Indies in the second Test starting at Lord's on Thursday.

Selection for 24-year-old Moxon comes just one season after he joined full-blooded county cricket with Yorkshire.

Broad too, the 26-year-old Nottinghamshire opener, wins a place after making a do-or-die decision last year.

The pair displace first Test wounded Andy Lloyd and luckless Derek Randall as the selectors seek to keep the Test series alive following the innings and 180-runs defeat at Edgbaston last Monday.

Middlesex paceman Norman Cowans comes back following his shattering form against Warwickshire recently and with Nick Cook dropped, England rely solely on slow right-arm Geoff Mil-

ler to supplement the speedies.

Cowans will join Bob Willis and Essex pair Neil Foster and Derek Pringle in battle for a place in the three-pronged speed attack to be named on the morning of the match.

If that's the case, it will mean Broad and Moxon will both make their Test debuts in the same game.

### Debut

The selectors yesterday hinted that Broad might open with Graeme Fowler, with Moxon coming in at no.3.

Broad's gamble was that a move from Gloucestershire to the East Midlands after five sedate seasons with the West Country side would enhance his chances of winning favour with the selectors.

The plan seems to have paid off after just two months at Trent Bridge, in which time he's amas-

sed 812 first-class runs, including one century and seven knocks of 50 or more runs.

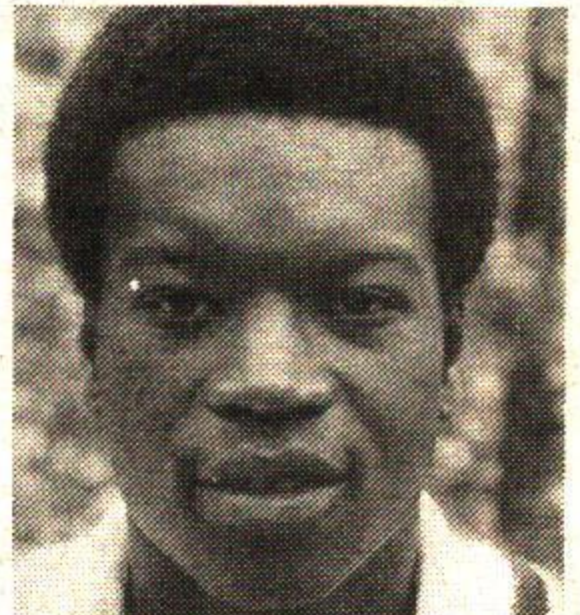
Moxon has looked destined for England selection ever since scoring a century on his debut for Yorkshire against Essex in 1981. But yesterday he lodged surprise at the news that he's made it into the Test twelve.

Moxon said: 'To be honest I didn't think I would get picked because it's only my first full first-class season and it has all happened very quickly for me.'

'The speculation over the last week that I might be chosen has got to me a bit. I have tried not to let it affect me, but it has been in the back of my mind.'

Neither Moxon nor Broad could face a more difficult debut, as the tried and tested West Indies pacemen seek a follow-up rout of the English batsmen.

The selectors' 'logic' of



**NORMAN COWANS**

dropping Randall whilst retaining consistent-failure Allan Lamb, really defies understanding and reason.

Randall, obliged to play out of position at Birmingham, has been discarded after a reasonable winter's tour with a pair of centuries, yet Lamb, who hasn't done a thing for England all year, remains in the squad.

Lamb's lamentable record reads: one half-century and eight innings of 20 runs or less, out of his last eleven Test innings.

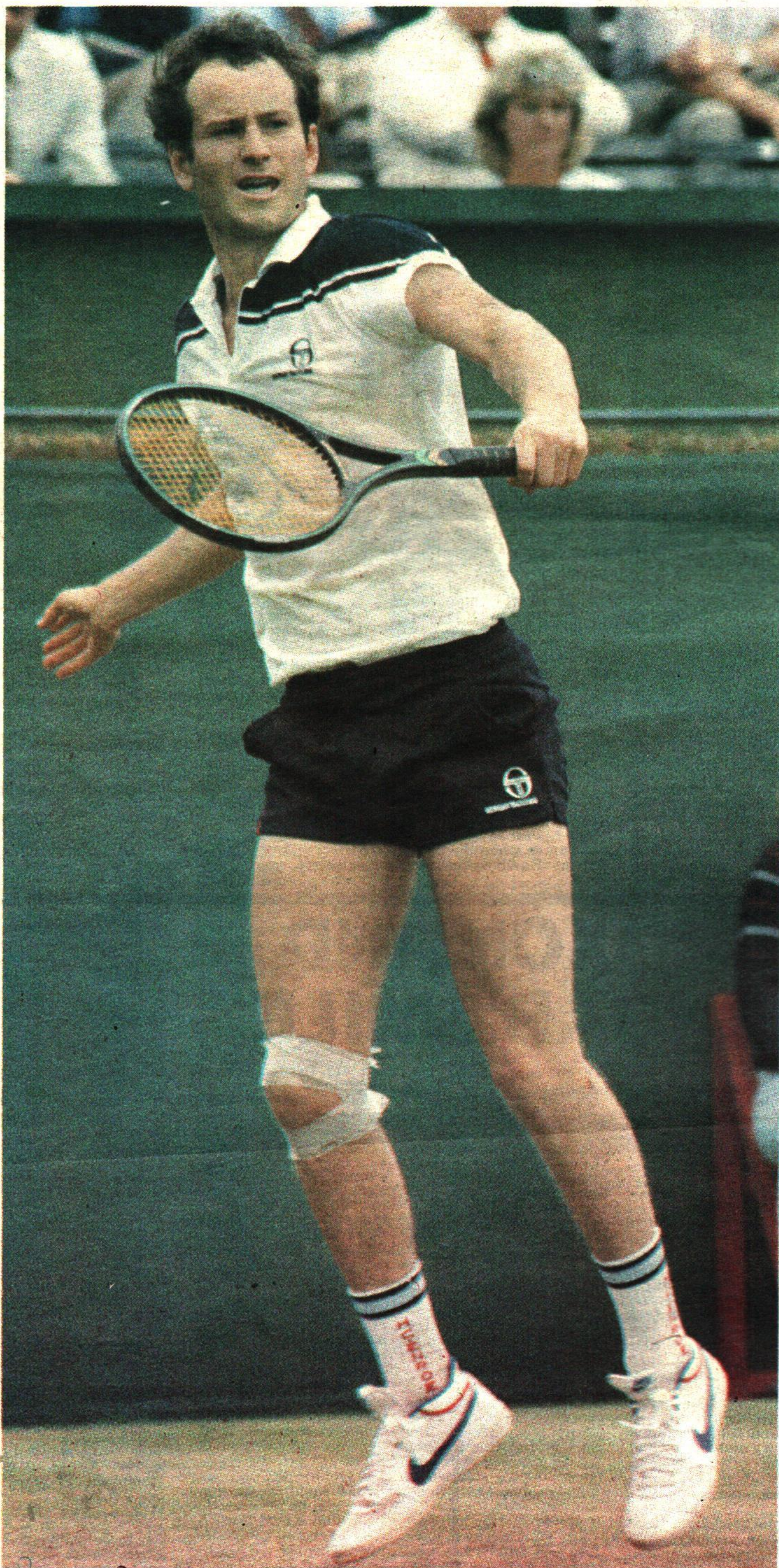
The England 12 for the second Test is: D Gower (capt), age 27, caps 60, I Botham, 28, 68, C Broad, 26, 0, N Cowans, 23, 12, P Downton, 27, 5, N Foster, 22, 5, G Fowler, 27, 11, A Lamb, 30, 22, G Miller, 31, 33, M Moxon, 24, 0, D Pringle, 25, 8 and B Willis, 35, 88.



# Sports Line

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## WIMBLEDON TENNIS SPECIAL



**THESE** two world beaters never seem to be out of the news these days — and for the next fortnight at Wimbledon John McEnroe and Martina Navratilova will be watched very carefully by millions of tennis fans all around the world as they defend their respective singles titles.

And befitting such champions, McEnroe and Navratilova will also be out to defend their doubles titles with Peter Fleming and Pam Shriver respectively.

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